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**Genoa, Illinois.**  
 CONNECTED TO JAN. 4, 1901.  
**C. M. & ST. P. R. R.**  
**TRAINS GOING EAST.**

No. 8.	6:07 a. m.	7:45 a. m.
No. 36.	7:39 a. m.	10:00 a. m.
No. 22.	8:58 a. m.	10:25 a. m.
No. 6.	11:58 a. m.	1:45 p. m.
No. 44.	3:54 p. m.	5:55 p. m.

**TRAINS GOING WEST.**

No. 31.	8:30 a. m.	10:25 a. m.
No. 5.	9:00 p. m.	3:30 p. m.
No. 33.	2:15 p. m.	5:13 p. m.
No. 23.	4:00 p. m.	5:25 p. m.
No. 7.	5:15 p. m.	6:50 p. m.
No. 3.	10:35 p. m.	11:55 p. m.

J. M. HARVEY, Agent.

**ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.**  
**TRAINS GOING EAST.**

No. 4.	7:50 p. m.	9:30 p. m.
No. 35.	7:17 a. m.	10:05 a. m.
No. 32.	11:11 a. m.	12:55 p. m.
No. 6.	4:44 a. m.	7:00 a. m.

**TRAINS GOING WEST.**

No. 35.	2:30 p. m.	4:54 p. m.
No. 31.	3:45 p. m.	5:18 p. m.
No. 3.	8:50 a. m.	10:25 a. m.

S. R. CRAWFORD, Agent.

**C. & N. W. AT HENRIETTA.**  
 Trains South—8:00 a. m. 10:15 a. m. and 5:15 p. m.  
 Trains North—9:07 a. m. 2:45 p. m. and 5:47 p. m.

**Chicago & North-Western.**  
 RAILWAY.  
 At Sycamore.

Chicago Express.	6:35 a. m.	8:31 a. m.
"	8:25 a. m.	10:10 a. m.
"	11:07 a. m.	1:30 p. m.
"	4:55 p. m.	7:05 p. m.
"	6:30 p. m.	8:30 p. m.
Sunday Milk Train.	7:25 a. m.	10:30 a. m.

**FOR WEST.**

Des Moines Express.	7:25 a. m.	9:15 a. m.
Colorado Special.	10:00 a. m.	12:01 p. m.
Clinton Express.	12:35 p. m.	2:40 p. m.
Stirling Express.	4:15 p. m.	5:55 p. m.
Omaha Express.	5:30 p. m.	7:30 p. m.
Pacific Express.	10:30 p. m.	1:35 a. m.

**FOR EAST.**

Des Moines Express.	8:20 a. m.	10:00 a. m.
Colorado Special.	11:07 a. m.	1:10 p. m.
Clinton Express.	2:10 p. m.	4:00 p. m.
Stirling Express.	5:32 p. m.	7:10 p. m.

California Overland Limited, Sioux City  
 Northern Iowa and Dakota Limited, 6:30 p. m.  
 Rochelle Milk Train, Sunday only, 5:05 p. m.

**South Bound.**

DeKalb Passenger.	6:30 a. m.	8:25 a. m.
DeKalb-Corland Passenger.	8:25 a. m.	10:10 a. m.
DeKalb Passenger.	11:07 a. m.	1:10 p. m.
"	1:15 p. m.	3:10 p. m.
"	2:10 p. m.	4:00 p. m.
Spring Valley Passenger.	5:32 p. m.	7:10 p. m.
DeKalb Passenger.	6:30 p. m.	8:25 p. m.

**C. & N. W. R. R.**  
 AT HENRIETTA.  
 North Bound:  
 9:07 a. m. Mail and Express.  
 2:45 p. m. Way Frt. Takes passengers for Herbert only.  
 5:47 p. m. Express.  
 South Bound:  
 8:00 a. m. Way Freight, to Sycamore and South of DeKalb but not to DeKalb.  
 10:51 a. m. Express.  
 5:16 p. m. Mail and Express.  
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**C. Gt-W. R. R.**

Trains Leave SYCAMORE as follows.

**WEST BOUND.**

Express for St. Paul, Minneapolis, Des Moines and Kansas City.	8:40 a. m.
Night Express for St. Paul, Minneapolis, Des Moines and Kansas City.	12:23 a. m.
Byron Local.	5:45 p. m.
Limited for Dubuque, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Des Moines, St. Joseph and Kansas City.	8:12 p. m.

**EAST BOUND.**

Chicago Suburban.	6:00 a. m.
" Suburban.	7:00 a. m.
" Limited.	7:45 a. m.
" Local.	7:38 a. m.
Special.	12:50 p. m.
Express.	8:12 p. m.

**SYCAMORE-DEKALB.**

Leaves Sycamore.	Arrive DeKalb.	Leaves DeKalb.	Arrive Sycamore.
6:30 a. m.	6:50 a. m.	5:45 a. m.	6:00 a. m.
11:10 a. m.	11:30 a. m.	7:30 a. m.	7:35 a. m.
1:00 p. m.	1:15 p. m.	8:50 a. m.	9:05 a. m.
3:45 p. m.	3:50 p. m.	12:30 p. m.	12:45 p. m.
4:30 p. m.	4:45 p. m.	4:30 p. m.	4:50 p. m.
8:40 p. m.	8:55 p. m.	8:05 p. m.	8:05 p. m.

\*Daily except Sunday. All others daily.  
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## Local Pick Ups.

E. B. Millard is on the sick list.  
 Fourteen below zero Tuesday morning.  
 Joe Heldt was in town Monday evening.  
 Oat straw is selling at four dollars per ton delivered at the barns in the town.

Cecil Smith was in town the first of the week.  
 Uncle I. Q. Burroughs has been quite sick, though he is on the improvement order now.  
 Miss Blanche Patterson accompanied her sister, Mrs. Cochran, home for a short visit.

Mrs. J. W. Sowers was shopping in Elgin Monday.  
 Geo. Sowers came up from Elgin, Monday evening.  
 Thomas Hutchison has been on the sick list this week.

E. H. Richardson had business at Kirkland last Monday.  
 F. O. Holtgren and wife visited in Monroe Center Sunday.  
 Miss Elma Smock visited at her home in Monroe, Wis. over Sunday.

**BORN:**—To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Renn and wife on February 2, 1901, a ten pound girl.  
 Mrs. Ava Abraham arrived here from Chicago, Monday afternoon for a couple weeks' visit.

**FOR SALE:**—About 25 bushels of timothy seed. Call on or address Geo. W. Buck, Genoa, Ill.  
 Joe Smith has moved into his property on Main street recently purchased of Harvey Williams.

E. H. Cohoon and E. H. Olmstead were transacting legal business at the county seat Tuesday.  
 Next Monday the Stafford hotel will change hands and hereafter be known as the McDowell House.  
 The east-bound afternoon passenger Monday, was over an hour late owing to the break-down of an engine.

Chris Lawman and family have moved into the Henry Holroyd property in the northwest part of town.  
 "Why! Mrs. J., what lovely fried cakes you do make; will have to get your receipt." Browne's fried cakes.  
 Mrs. Kate North returned home to Chicago last Saturday after a week's visit at the home of Amos Porter and wife.

Henry N. Olmstead has recently imported several fine breeding swine of the Poland-China variety, from Lanark, Ill.  
 Lon Holroyd returned home from Chicago last Thursday, where he had visited a week with his daughter, Mrs. A. U. Schneider.

Mrs. Quint Cochran returned home to Chicago Tuesday, after a several weeks' visit with friends and relatives here and at DeKalb.  
 Tuesday of this week A. N. Holmbeck observed his 85th, birthday and was assisted by a few of his near neighbors. The rabbit was cooked?

Mrs. Frank Huffman is suffering with a very sore finger. It first came from a cut but has developed into something serious and fears of blood poisoning are maintained.  
 Read our combination offer on this page, with the best original farm paper in the country. It is not printed from stale plate matter; but is all fresh and direct from the best authorities.

Jim Spence was taken with a sudden attack of rheumatism in one leg while down town. The pain was very excruciating and friends were called to take him home. He had been feeling peculiar pains there at different times and was probably a result from standing at his work in the factory.  
 The man who leaves a corn planter, harvester, mower, rake or any other implement out in the rain, sun, wind and frost is a philanthropist. It induces industrial activity, gives employment to labor and profit to the manufacturer and dealer in implements. No man can afford to be this kind of a philanthropist, yet every community has a number of just such men. How they would howl if their wives were half as careless of their household goods as they are with their farming tools.

Will Bell made a hurried call in Genoa Tuesday.  
 Come in and see our assortment of Aluminum card cases. You will want one.

A. B. Clefford and daughter Florence were Sycamore visitors Monday evening.  
 Chas. Ratfield of Old Riley, was the guest of his brother Alva over Saturday.  
 Mesdames C. H. Smith and E. C. Crawford were Chicago shoppers on Tuesday.

Fred Foster was over from DeKalb Saturday looking down upon his old acquaintances.  
 Irvin Burroughs visited with his uncle, J. L. Corson of Riley, the first of the week.

Mrs. J. P. Brown left Monday for Garden Prairie for a few weeks visit with her daughter.  
 The W. C. T. U. meet next Saturday at the home of Mrs. John Patterson at two o'clock p. m.  
 Dr. John Nesbitt of Sycamore who has been quite sick with pneumonia, is reported slightly better.

If your horses, cattle, hogs, or chickens are not doing well, go to K. Jackman & Son and get a package of stock food.  
 The tax books are now open at the hardware store of H. A. Perkins.  
 G. W. Burbank, Collector.

The police of DeKalb have been ordered to put a stop to boys jumping onto bobs. This is not only a nuisance but is also a dangerous pastime for the boys.  
 A. B. Clefford left here Tuesday morning for LaFayette, Ind. for a few weeks' visit. It is rumored that the visit will probably result in one of Cupid's fatal shots.

The man, Neufischerland, who was recently arrested in Elgin, and taken back to Canada for kidnapping Guldo Kilthau has been sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary.  
**MALE HELP WANTED:**—Reliable men to sell our line of fine lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or commission. Address The Reserve Oil Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

The last of the course of free lectures to ladies will be given at Odd Fellow's hall next Tuesday afternoon February 12th at 2:30 o'clock. Subject, "What the World Needs Most."  
 A new insurance company is being formed in this county. It is to be on the co-operative plan and bids fair to be the foremost of its kind. Already agents are at work and report many applications a day.

"Muntz" Holmbeck tells us of a circumstance that happened in the winter of 1862 which well illustrates the intensity of the cold that season. He says that on the farm of Clark Wright just north of Sycamore, a mule that was out froze to death standing on its feet. It stood up in its frozed position for four days before it fell over.

The prize fight that was to come off at Belviders last Monday was interfered with, it seems, by our new governor. The principals and their crowd chartered a train on the Northwestern and dodged around into Wisconsin and back into Illinois and finally just after midnight they pulled up at Gilberts station where Jackson and Croik got together: the former winning in the twelfth round.

The farmer readers of the JOURNAL should now take advantage of the extra inducements we have to offer in furnishing clubbing rates with the GENOA JOURNAL and either of the following high class farm papers: Farmers' Voice, Farmers' Review, Farm, Field & Fireside or National Rural, and in addition, or until they are gone we will also give each subscriber a copy of Kendall's family receipt book. This offer is made to those who are paid up one year in advance.

Tuesday evening about sixty of the friends and neighbors of W. T. Wood and wife, surprised them and for a time took peaceable possession of the whole premises. The occasion was to show the esteem in which Mr and Mrs. Wood are held and as a token were presented with a beautiful extension table and a handsome table set.

Wednesday; 15 below zero.  
 Wanted. A woman who is a good plain cook can find a good position at the Stafford house.

**DAIRY COWS FOR SALE:** I have several head of splendid young dairy cows, fresh, with calves by their sides. I have an over-stock and will dispose of these cows very reasonable if taken soon' t' HENRY N. OLMSTEAD.

Report comes from Janesville, Wisconsin, that the town of Milton, eight miles northeast of that city, has been discovered to be a hotbed of small-pox, and steps are being taken to shut it off from the rest of the world. Seven virulent cases were found and no attempt has been made to protect the rest of the inhabitants from contagion. Six weeks ago a young man named Green, attending the Milton college, was taken with small-pox. He was not even isolated and six young men who had been his companions were this week taken down with the disease in its most virulent form. All of these young men were at church last Sunday and have been constantly in and out of public places, so that practically the whole town has been exposed.

**Sure Cure for LaGrippe.**  
 Use large quantities of Browne's bread and fried cakes.

**LETTER FROM MISSISSIPPI.**  
 Mr. S. H. Stiles Writes a Very Interesting Letter From the Sunny Southland.

Ocean Springs, Miss., Jan. 23, 1901.  
 Mr. Editor,  
 Dear Sir:—

Agreeable to promise I will write you a few lines from the Sunny South. We arrived here Wednesday last at 3 p. m. Will give a short sketch of our journey; we left good old Genoa Monday noon on the C. M. & St. P., staid all night in Chicago and left at 11:05 a. m. Tuesday on the Chicago & Eastern Illinois R. R.

We passed through Danville, Terre Haute, Vincennes, Nashville, Montgomery and Mobile. We had a flyer and a Pullman car and so had a pleasant journey. When we arrived we found an old friend waiting for us with a carriage and we were soon domiciled in the Artesian Hotel with Professor Saul of the Ocean Springs High School running the house.

He has eleven very nice young men as boarders and one pretty young lady. The students that are boarding here are from the country from 15 to 65 miles around. They are very nice and polite people and I wish Genoa could see and get acquainted with them.

Mr. Saul keeps night school and has a class of 8 or ten young men who are learning bookkeeping and banking. I have attended two of the night schools and I am almost a mind to join the school myself, but Mrs. Stiles says I know too much or to little to think of such a thing. It is a grand thing to have a woman along to keep a man out of mischief.

Well I have not said a word about the weather; every day has been sunny and lovely, just warm enough so that there are flowers in every yard. There has been no killing frost here yet this winter and the streets are green with the oak trees in full leaf, as green and bright as you ever saw in Genoa in midsummer.

We go down to the old ocean two or three times a day. It is called the Gulf of Mexico but that is a big part of the Atlantic Ocean. Well, fish and oysters are plenty. If the hotel keepers can get the northern visitors to fill up on fish and oysters, they are ahead on the board bill.

I have not been in a boat yet to take a ride on salt water. I have to promise every day to keep off the water. Mr. Wells knows how many promises we had to make when he was down here but we managed to have a boat ride pretty often.  
 Mr. Editor, I promised about twenty that I would write to them so I am going to all in a bunch. Tomorrow four of us will take a long carriage ride into the country and take lunch for ourselves and team. Hoping this will find all Genoaites well, I will bid them good bye.  
 S. H. Stiles.  
 P. S. We have not seen anything of the JOURNAL. I was down town just now and I saw a man peddling strawberries. Bought a nice box and the man said he had 5 or 6 acres and that next week he would have lots of ripe ones.

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 Until March 1,  
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 at Greatly Reduced Prices.  
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 Bargains in Men's Shoes.  
 Bargains in Boys' Shoes.  
 Bargains in Underwear.  
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 Bargains in all WINTER GOODS.  
**A. J. Shattuck.**

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**Elgin Butter Market.**  
 Butter on the Elgin market last Monday sold for 21 cents, the same as last week.

**A Basket Social.**  
 Hickory Grove school will give a basket social at the school house one week from tomorrow evening, February 15. Every one is invited to take part. A good time will be had. Miss Bernice Millard is teacher.

**Genoa Markets**

Hay	per ton	\$7.00
Corn	" bu.	32
Oats	" "	23
Timothy Seed	" 100 lbs.	2.00
Bran	" ton	16.00
Clover Seed	" 100 lbs.	9.00

**She is Surprised.**  
 Mrs. Alice Hewitt's forty-eighth birthday was celebrated last Tuesday by a number of ladies surprising her. The following persons participated: **MESDAMES:**

J. Leonard, E. A. DeWolf, D. S. Brown, J. W. Wylde, C. F. Dearluff, Wm. Watson, G. S. Easton, S. S. Staton, A. V. Pierce, G. W. Johnson, M. A. Stiles.

**MISSSES:**  
 Mary Patterson, Mary Donahue, Margaret Slater, Etha Pierce, Ella White, Maggie Hewitt.

Rev. Geo. A. Sahib, pastor of the Universalist Church of Sycamore, will give his first lecture, "Old Glory on the Seas," in the M. E. church, Friday evening Feb. 15. His second lecture, "Washington, the Man and the Town," will be given Feb. 22nd and his third and last, will be given March 1. Tickets for the course 35 cts. Childred 25c. Tickets for sale at Elm St. Sowers'.



# In the Fowler's Snare

By M. B. MANWELL

CHAPTER X.—(Continued.)  
 "Better send the young people to bed, it is now daylight almost," suggested the elders, and they carefully avoided looking at each other.

That some terrible calamity had happened even Lady Jane, whose first fear had been that the bride had run away, was fully convinced.

"But, Leila, you will stay by me?" quavered the mistress of the house, suddenly transformed into a broken-down old woman.

"I will, dear aunty," gravely said Leila. "I shall see little Syb safe in bed, then I shall return to you."

Leila Desmond, slenderly graceful, soft and caressing, womanly to the finger-tips, was yet one of those loyal, strong natures we turn to lean upon in the "day of trouble."

Gervis gave her one look of reverence, then he placed his arm round that mother for whom he and this "perfect woman, nobly planned" had sacrificed themselves so fully.

Every hour was bringing home to him the terrible blunder he had made in his life. Love between man and woman was God-given, to be prized as sacred; but under the specious pretext of sacrificing himself for the good of his house, he had torn love from his heart, and then sold that empty shell for gold. That it had been a bitter, sinful bargain he now knew.

Perhaps this impending calamity which he was helplessly waiting for the new day to discover might be heaven's punishment for what he had done.

It was still and quiet in the old house. There was a lull of expectancy until the daylight should come to allow action to be resumed.

In Leila's room it was silent as the grave. Beside the white-draped bed knelt Leila herself. She was praying, with frightened tears now no one was by to see them—praying earnestly for the hapless girl who had shadowed her life.

That something dire had happened Leila instinctively knew; but all she could do was to pray for help from above.

"Leila! Sis!" A hoarse, shrill voice made her spring to her feet. Close at her side stood Syb, shivering in her little blue dressing-gown, her face working convulsively.

"I can't keep it from you any longer! I dare not, though I do hate her so!" the deformed girl was saying, her teeth chattering as much from terror as from cold.

"Speak, Syb!" Leila gripped the thin wrist, her breath coming thick and fast. Syb knew, then!

"I heard a cry, a smothered scream from the old oak chest, as I walked round the gallery; but I hated her so that I would not speak before! And when I saw you, through the open door between our rooms, praying with sobs, I knew it must be for her. So I must tell, and you'd better be quick!"

Syb slipped to the floor in a swoon. But Leila was already gone. With flying feet she was rushing downstairs from the third floor, where her bedroom and Syb's were.

"Gervis! Gervis! Come, and come quickly! Bring Barnes!" When she had reached the gallery she shrieked loudly. Her voice, sharp with fear, rang through the old house and made Gervis leap to his feet.

"It's Leila! She has found out something! Mother dear, stay here, I pray you!"

He pressed Lady Jane back on her seat.

"No one knows what we have got to face!"

"Bring Barnes! Oh, be quick!" Leila's voice cried again in an agony of haste.

Barnes, the white-haired old butler, was stiff and rheumatic. It seemed as though he would never reach the top of the wide, crimson-covered staircase, and yet the old man was doing his best, though Gervis would fain have dragged him up two steps at a time.

"Where are you, Leila?" he hoarsely shouted.

"Here! here! Quick!"

Round the curve of the gallery they found Leila, tearing frantically the holly and moss decorations from what had been a bank of greenery.

The blood was trickling down her hands and wrists, as the holly tore them cruelly. But, unconscious of pain, Leila continued to pull, until the old black-oak chest, which had been the foundation of the green bank, was displayed.

"Press the spring, Barnes! Nobody in Temple-Dene knows the secret but you. Press, for Gladdy's dear sake!" panted the girl, madly beside herself.

"Whatever—" Barnes was beginning, and fumbling with his spectacles.

"Man, do as you're bid!" shouted Gervis, catching the infection of Leila's frenzy. And he dragged Barnes forward.

Something in his blazing eyes made the old man pull himself together. He stooped forward. With shaking hands, he felt along the carvings; but how slow he was! The watchers caught their breaths and shivered.

knees, and there, among the carved leaves and flowers of oak, was a single dainty soamrock.

It was the spring! Pressing it hard as she could, the carved lid clicked as it opened about an inch. Then Gervis, with strong arms, forced it back on its hinges, and a muffled cry broke from his lips.

CHAPTER XI.  
 Lying huddled in the dusty chest was a little figure in gleaming silver brocade, stained here and there with bunches of crushed holly berries.

It was Gladdy, stiffened and immovable, but with widely opened, round blue eyes.

That she was dead was the first muttered thought of both Gervis and Leila.

"No! 'Tain't death!" quickly said old Barnes, glancing at their white faces. "See ye, Mr. Gervis, there's a row of air-holes down each side of the chest. I saw 'em made myself in the old squire's time, purpose-like, in case o' this very kind o' thing that's happened now!"

But Gervis was not listening. He and others who had rushed to the gallery were carefully lifting the small, stiffened form. A mounted groom had already been dispatched for a doctor.

"But something must be done at once," said Gervis, as they laid the unconscious girl on an Indian rug on the polished floor of the gallery.

Somebody was trying to force brandy through the marble white lips.

"Not a drop will go down! What are we to do until the doctor comes?" piteously cried Leila, who, kneeling down, had slipped her arm under the little sunny-brown head.

"Fetch Mr. Ansdell!" commanded Gervis, with a sudden inspiration. Surely the American could give some help in the pressing emergency, otherwise, what was the value of his so-called scientific reputation?

Mr. Ansdell! Everybody then remembered that, oddly enough, the scientist had not been once seen during the hours of anxious search. It was curious, to say the least of it. And still more curious did it appear that no Mr. Ansdell hurried to the gallery in answer to the summons.

"Never mind, here's young Doctor Goring himself, which is better," ejaculated Lady Jane, who had struggled upstairs more dead than alive from sheer fright, and looked on helplessly.

"It's a trance!" at last pronounced the doctor, a young man, with all the latest medical and scientific theories at his finger-ends. "She has been hypnotized! Who has done this mischief?"

He stood up and glanced round upon the awe-struck group sternly.

There was no answer, and Doctor Goring went on wrathfully:

"Somebody has got to answer for this night's work! The poor young lady has been brought to death's door, evidently, by some vile experiment. Now, then, clear out of this every one of you! Excuse my bluntness, Lady Jane, but this is not a moment for polite speech. I've got to live to win back if I can, and I can't have a crowd round me. Your ladyship can remain, and, yes, I must have Miss Desmond, if I've anybody."

One by one the spectators departed from the gallery, and the young medical enthusiast set to work, with the result that in a quarter of an hour Gladdy feebly opened her lips and spoke.

"I want Leila," was the whisper. And when she saw that it was Leila herself who was supporting her head the bride's round eyes closed contentedly.

"She will sleep now. We must carry her to her bed," said Doctor Goring, well satisfied.

"You are wanted, sir, at once," came an urgent whisper; while Gervis, lifting his wife in his arms, carried her away.

"What! another case?" The doctor beeked around, and he was silently beckoned to the quarter of the house known as the bachelors' wing.

Lying back in his chair in front of a writing table, and grasping a folded paper, was a dead man.

The room was in perfect order. There had been no assault, no murder, no suicide, so far as one could judge at the moment.

But that death had entered the half-open stare of the black eyes, the dropped jaw, and the marble hue of the long, lean fingers gripping the sheet of paper spoke all too clearly.

Little wonder that Paul Ansdell had failed to join in the search for the missing bride, failed to obey the summons for his helpful skill.

"He has been dead quite a couple of hours," said Doctor Goring gravely, secretly wondering what would be the outcome of this double tragedy.

"You must keep this business from the ladies as long as you can," he said, turning to Gervis, who had been hastily sent for. "There must be an inquest, of course; and, meantime, I should take possession of that folded paper. See, I've managed not to tear it. You'd best lock it away until you hand it to the coroner, Mr. Templeton."

"Why," gasped Gervis, as he caught sight of the close, upright handwriting, "my wife wrote that! What villainy is this? See here!"

"It was the last will and testament

of Gladys Templeton, and, in correct legal form it assigned everything the testator possessed to Paul Ansdell of Montreal, revoking all former wills and codicils. The document was duly signed, and the signatures and addresses of two Americans were appended.

Not a flaw was there from beginning to end of the deed.

"You hold the key that unlocks the whole of this night's mystery," briefly said the young doctor. "This unfortunate man must be a reckless adventurer, whose wits have put in his hands a most dangerous weapon. He is, we will discover, a criminal hypnotist, a so-called scientist, seeking some tool to further his own ends. Yes, yes; you'll see we'll find out that's what he is—was, I mean," said the medical man.

He was right in his surmise, as the inquest brought out, bit by bit, partly from papers belonging to the dead man, partly from the unwilling evidence of Gladdy, who had been more or less under hypnotic influence since the night of the fire in the snow-shed.

As for the villain's own death, it was proved to be from natural causes, and due to long-standing heart disease, that caused a breakdown at the crucial moment of his career.

But the jury's verdict was the popular one—"By the visitation of God."

Five years have passed away. So many changes have happened to Temple-Dene and the Templetons that Lady Jane has come to look back upon the days when she wore faded silks and lived a sorely pinched life as the happiest she has known.

Today she no longer wears her favorite blue, for Francis Templeton has gone to his grave, his heart eaten out by the melancholy nothing would dispel.

So Lady Jane wears widow's weeds and has learnt the old lesson that "contentment is great gain."

The dainty American bride, so fragile and highly strung, never managed to weather the repeated shocks to her frail system. Like a broken flower she withered, until decline set in.

In Leila's tender, supporting arms, her weak hands clinging tight round Leila's soft throat, Gladdy died peacefully.

"Take care of my Gervis, Leila. You will do it better than I," with the wondrous intuition of the dying she whispered at the last.

And now that the years have gone round, Gervis begins to think it is time Leila was taking care of him.

Between the two there is a perfect understanding, and by and by their wedding bells will ring out; for though "sorrow endureth for the night, joy is bound to come in the morning." (The End.)

## CHILD POLITICS.

The "Junior Republics" Alarm the City of Detroit.

Detroit is learning that the "junior republics" established in the various schools of the city, which at first thought was a fine thing, is having evil results. The mayor, protests and shows a condition that is hardly beneficial. The citizens of these junior republics, for example, balloted recently on such questions as these: Do you favor city ownership of the street railway system at the appraised value of \$17,500,000? Do you favor the appropriation of \$150,000 for the erection of another high school building? Do you favor expansion? (this involving a discussion of the Philippine question.) But more than this the "junior citizens" developed so rapidly as to become lobbyists. Children were asked to interview aldermen or school inspectors to urge appropriations for schools. In short, the junior republics did not confine themselves to theory, but got into practical politics with a unanimity and dispatch that was something appalling. The Detroit Free Press protests that innocent children that are already struggling against ninety-nine fads in learning to read, write and cipher, ought not to have their heads further muddled by an attempt to master the methods and processes by which the people of the country are governed.—Indianapolis News.

## Food's Lowest Daily Cost.

By actual experience the Ruskinites, a colony of socialists near Waycross, Ga., have demonstrated what is probably the lowest possible daily cost of food. They live at an actual cost per capita of less than 10 cents a day. Of course this could not have been accomplished except through co-operation. Everything they consume is bought at wholesale in large quantities and is cooked in the community. In the community dining room tables are set for 300 people. Those who do not wish to eat with the crowd are allowed the privilege of purchasing company stores and cooking them at home.

## Ancient Deed in Philadelphia.

The first deed conveying property to the proprietor of Pennsylvania, William Penn, is written in old Dutch, and is now preserved in the city hall. The property was what is now known as Lemon hill, including the mansion and the Schuylkill river front, where the old Fairmount waterworks was located. There Penn kept his barge and some rowboats, the barge carrying an admiral's pennant. It is said there is only one man in Philadelphia who can read this deed.

## It is not work that kills men; it is worry.

Work is healthy; you can hardly put more on a man than he can bear. But worry is rust upon the blade. It is not movement that destroys the machinery, but friction.—H. W. Beecher.

## AN INNOVATION.

The Louisville & Nashville R. R., together with its connecting lines, has inaugurated the Chicago & Florida Limited, which is a daily, solid train, wide vestibuled, steam heated, gas lighted, with dining car service for all meals en route from Chicago to Thomasville, Ga., Jacksonville and St. Augustine, Fla. The train leaves Chicago over the Chicago & Eastern Illinois tracks at 11:00 a. m., running via Evansville, Nashville, Birmingham and Montgomery, Plant System to Jacksonville, and Florida East Coast to St. Augustine, arriving at the latter city at 7:30 the next evening, making the fastest time ever made between these points. The train has annex sleeper, leaving St. Louis at 2:15 p. m., which also runs through. Mr. C. L. Stone, General Passenger Agent, Louisville & Nashville R. R., Louisville, Ky., will answer all inquiries concerning this train and furnish printed matter concerning it.

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Mrs. Dr. C. D. Powell, President of Epworth League, also President of Loyal Temperance Legion, writes from Chehalis, Wash.:  
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Woman and Son Are Dead.  
Mrs. Jacob Yochum, aged 50, and her son William, aged 19 years, were found dead in their bedrooms by the police at Fostoria, O. They had been missing for three days and investigation led to their dead bodies being found, with all evidence pointing to suicide by strychnine poisoning. The mother's poverty and the fact that the son was suffering from an incurable malady is supposed to have led to the suicide.

Big Blaze at Fort Abercrombie, N. D.  
The business portion of Fort Abercrombie, thirty miles south of Fargo, N. D., was destroyed by fire. Eleven business houses, it is reported, were destroyed. These include a bank, the postoffice, the Milwaukee station, an elevator, two implement warehouses, three general stores, a drugstore and the telephone exchange. The loss is placed at \$80,000 to \$90,000, with less than \$40,000 insurance.

Invades a Trade's Field.  
The Grass Twine Matting company was incorporated at Oshkosh, Wis., with a capital stock of \$500,000. It will manufacture grass binding twine and matting and become a competitor of the Northwestern Grass Twine company, which has heretofore had a monopoly in this business and which has been unable to make the binding twine as fast as the farmers have demanded it.

May End the Venezuelan War.  
Secretary Hay received this dispatch from Minister Loomis at Caracas: "Venezuelan government announces it has gained important victory near Campano and has occupied that city. The government thinks the battle decisive and may end the revolution. Another battle is reported in Trinidad papers near La Cuevas, in which the government forces lost 250 men and the insurgents larger numbers."

Plan an Aerial Railway.  
The Gravity Railroad company is the latest organization in St. Louis county, Mo. It was formed by several citizens of Pattonville, who say it is designed incidentally to unravel the tangle caused by the fight between certain citizens of Pattonville and the St. Louis, St. Charles & Western Railway company, but primarily to demonstrate that aerial transportation is not impracticable.

Cigarettes Decide a Trial.  
That a husband is not bound to support a wife who smokes cigarettes is the effect of a decision made by Judge Finletter at Philadelphia. Herbert Stanlan was before the court charged with non-support of his young wife Marie, to whom he has been married only six months. The woman stated Stanlan had failed to provide either a home or funds for her.

President to Visit Coast.  
President Wheeler of the University of California has received a telegram stating that President McKinley will accept his invitation to address the students of the university on commencement day, May 15. This is taken to indicate that President McKinley's proposed trip to the Pacific coast will be made despite reports to the contrary.

Rodermund Is Set Free.  
Dr. M. J. Rodermund, the Appleton, Wis., physician who exposed himself to smallpox germs and later broke quarantine and who was arrested at Milwaukee and landed in the isolation hospital after his return from Terre Haute, was released Monday. The doctor expects to return to Appleton within a few days.

Negro Is Sentenced to Death.  
In the Pulaski county Circuit court at Mound City, Ill., George Durden was sentenced to death by the jury before whom he had been tried. He was charged with the murder of Marshall Hileman, a merchant of Villa Ridge, June 26, 1900. Durden is a negro. Robbery was the motive for the murder.

Fighting Editor Is Dead.  
Robert H. McBride, once famous as a war correspondent and newspaper man, dropped dead at Mitchell, S. D. He married a Mrs. Dousman, who was worth \$1,000,000. She introduced him into the best society of New York and he fell into habits which led to a divorce. He blamed John D. Lawler, a banker at Mitchell and brother-in-law of his wife, and devoted his paper the Mail, to abuse of Lawler, driving him to his grave. Citizens wrecked the mail office and McBride sued for \$25,000 and got \$800.

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**Here and There.**

Marengo has been tussling with a small-pox scare.  
Elgin is casting about for a candidate for mayor who will "lift them out of the rut into which they have fallen."  
The mayor of Sandwich has ordered all dogs running at large without muzzels to be killed. A mad-dog scare is the reason.  
The city of Honolulu is situated on the island of Oahu of the Hawaiian group. This island is about thirty miles long by twenty wide.  
Last Saturday was "ground-hog" day and we are sure that the animal was able to see his shadow bigger than a dozen wood chucks. Sunday was the reverse, a regular hummer.  
Almys Pease and a son, of Belvidere were trapped in a folding bed in which they were sleeping, last week. It closed suddenly and but for quick assistance might have ended seriously if not fatally.  
On Wednesday of last week, W. W. Connelly was arrested in Elgin on the charge of wronging the nine year old daughter of Mrs. Castelletti and was bound over to the grand jury under a two thousand dollar bond, in default of which he was taken to Geneva.

A young lady asked a naughty editor how to make "not enough" out of, "enough" and he told her it was done by transposing the letters into words like this: "Take the third, second and first letters of the word "enough" for the first word, the sixth, fourth and fifth for the second word and you will have two words that signify something that is not enough for most young ladies.

In a lengthy article in last Saturday's Chicago Chronicle from several eminent physicians is proved quite conclusively that oysters that are taken from beds where sewerage water is emptied are a means by which the germs of typhoid fever are often taken into the system. If this be true it seems that we should know from what beds our bivalves come before eating them.

A Nebraska hen that had reared a fine brood of chickens until they were half grown, says an exchange, left them one day to look up a location for a new nest. When she returned she found that the lady of the house had carried off the finest young rooster among the brood. Whereupon she ran to a neighbor to pour out her grief. But the neighbor, after listening to her tale of woe, consolingly replied, "Why should you grumble or mourn? I saw the presiding elder stop at the house for dinner and I suppose before this time your son has entered the ministry."

Four large wolves seen from the car windows caused considerable excitement on a Northwestern train the other morning. The wolves were first seen three miles west of Morrison by a gentleman in the smoking car, and soon every occupant of the car had his face glued to a window watching the large beasts as they galloped across a stubble field. Many excited comments were heard and a number with sporting blood in their veins expressed a desire to be in the field behind a gun. The animals soon disappeared, and the car settled to its ordinary quiet

**A Venerable Engineer.**  
In conversation with the oldest engineer on the line of the C. M. & St. P. Ry., "Jimmy" Martin, a few days ago, we were pleased to talk over the times that were current at the building of the "Chicago & Pacific" into Genoa. After the road was opened up for traffic the one passenger train which the line afforded was run by conductor Fred Atkins and the engine was handled by "Jimmy" Martin. The latter was the engineer who controlled the engine during the construction of the line from Chicago through to Byron which was as far as the road extended until the C. M. & St. P. company came into control.

The passenger train left Byron in the morning and returned from Chicago in the evening, stopping on the main line in the rear of Corson's hotel for their supper every night.

One morning "Jimmy" came into Genoa in a very unsettled state of affairs. The connecting rod on the right side of the engine had broken just as the train was pulling into the depot. The short end of the rod flew around at each revolution of the driver and had made havoc with the cab and the seat where the engineer was. It was a close call and Mr. Martin was surprised that he came out of it without any more injury than being badly shaken up.

"Jimmy" is a man who always wants his whistle in just as good condition as any other part of the engine but on one morning he left Genoa and on whistling for the crossing at Wings the valve refused to close and to his discomfort they went flying through the country with a continual whistle until they reached Hampshire where repairs were made.

In speaking of the new snow plow the C. M. & St. P. have recently put on the line he thinks it as yet an experiment and in testing its efficiency says that he has no desire to have it ahead of his engine as the share in going through large drifts will have too much side pressure and that the trucks cannot keep the track.

Mr. Martin has run on this line for twenty-nine years and is still recognized by all along the line as an old land mark although his hair and beard are much whiter than when he pulled that illustrious train into Genoa on that momentous day, January 2, 1875.

**Let the Law Stand.**  
It is thought that an effort will be made in the Illinois legislature at its present session to repeal that part of the tax assessment law which compels publication of the list. The law is a just one and no part of it should be repealed unless to make it stronger and to compel everyone to pay his just proportion of the taxes. The new law has unearthed millions of dollars' worth of property, the owners of which had paid no taxes, and still isn't as perfect as it should be and permits tax dodging even yet. There is no dodging for a poor man; neither should there be for a rich man. A rich man is far more able to pay his taxes than a poor working man even though his taxes are small. Just laws should remain on the statute books, and legislators who vote to repeal them with the hope of securing a little advantage to themselves should be brought to book in the most peremptory manner.

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**A Pleasant Party.**  
Last Friday evening at the residence of Mrs. Jeanette Leonard on West Main street there gathered a number of friends and relatives in honor of that lady's birthday. A pleasant evening was spent in various games and amusements after which all were seated in the dining room and treated to viands which tickle the inner person.

**For Collector.**  
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of township collector subject to the will of the people at the caucus, and respectfully solicit the support of the voters. Charles Adams.

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INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODDFELLOWS—Meets every Monday evening in I. O. O. F. Hall.  
Ammon Frazier, J. W. Sowers, Noble Grand. Sec'y.

COURT OF HONOR—Genoa District No. 418 meets every second and fourth Friday evenings of each month at eight o'clock p. m. Visiting brothers and sisters are cordially invited.  
W. H. Sager, C. A. Pierce, Recorder. Chancellor.

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M. E. CHURCH—Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Class meeting 9:30 a. m. Sunday School 11:30 a. m. Junior League 3:30 p. m. Epworth League 7:00 p. m. Young People's meeting on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 o'clock pm. Prayer meeting Thursday evenings.  
Rev. E. K. D. HESTER, Pastor.

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BOARDERS Wanted.—One or two gentlemen boarders in a private family. Furnace heat if desired. Inquire of Journal, A. 7.

FARM Wanted.—We have a buyer for a good farm of 80 to 120 acres in the vicinity of Kingston or Genoa. An all cash deal and must be a desirable property. Inquire at Journal office, A. 8.

FARM FOR RENT.—In McHenry county, of 240 acres at \$2.75 per acre cash rent. Address JOURNAL, A. 11.

For Sale.—A small, neat and comfortable cottage on West Main Street at a bargain. JOURNAL A. 12.

Sewing Machine for Sale.—New has never been used, all attachments and instructions. Will sell very cheap, either cash or monthly payments. F. R. Rowen, Kingston, Ill.

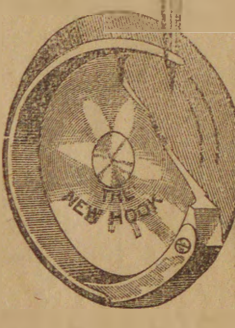
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# Correspondence

Correspondents will hereafter please send in their communications by Tuesday afternoon.

## KINGSTON KINKS.

### Personals.

I. A. McCollom was in Kirkland Saturday.

Roy Gibbs of Hampshire was in town Saturday.

Teamsters hauled ice to Colvin Park Saturday.

Judge Bishop of Sycamore was in town Saturday.

Dr. Robinson of Genoa was seen in town Saturday.

Miss Olive Byers drove to Kirkland Saturday evening.

David Janes of Chicago was in town Monday forenoon.

Mrs. H. L. Shorey visited Kirkland relatives Saturday.

L. C. Shaffer made a business trip to Sycamore Tuesday.

Mr. H. M. Atkins boarded the noon train for Elgin Saturday.

F. Lawrence of Rockford was purchasing pearls here Friday.

John Myers and Perry Rowan were visiting in Genoa Saturday.

Bird Sisson entertained a brother from Storm Lake, Minn. Sunday.

Miss Maggie Coffee is under the doctor's care, on account of the gripe.

David Syme of Sycamore was in town a few hours Saturday on business.

Mrs. I. Vandenburg is very sick at her home west of town with the diphtheria.

George Thompson and wife returned from their western trip Thursday.

Miss Edith Helsdon of Byron spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents here.

Thomas Cliffe of Sycamore passed through here Monday on his way to Kirkland.

Eddie Sullivan of Belvidere was visiting with his parents at Henrietta Saturday.

Leave your subscription for the GENOA JOURNAL with Harry M. Penny, Kingston, Ill.

Mabel Brainard spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of May Wilson in South Grove.

A car load of horses from South Dakota arrived here Monday morning for Charles Meyers.

George LaShell, Sr. returned from a visit with his family at Shannon. Tuesday of last week.

R. W. Frees accompanied by three of his children left for a visit with Wisconsin friends, Saturday.

The ladies of the M. E. church will give a valentine social in Uplinger's hall Saturday evening Feb. 9, 1901. A good time is guaranteed and there will be enough to eat for all.

Dr. H. A. Wylls exchanged his property here, a store room and dwelling house, for an eighty acre farm in central Wisconsin to Mr. F. Rudolph Saturday. About one fourth of the land is cultivated and two large barns and a house are among the improvements. The deal was made through Mr. Edward Brown.

The school entertainment Friday evening was a success both as an entertainment and financially. The encores that the numbers received were proof enough that the audience was pleased. The fact that all the parts with the exception of a piano solo by Mrs. J. B. Ludwig was by school talent adds more praise and in all the entertainment is a compliment both to the members of the school and to Prof. Clark who trained them and was the promoter of the entertainment. Thirteen and one half dollars was realized from the sale of tickets and the directors giving a dollar for every dollar taken in makes the amount twenty seven dollars.

## COLVIN PARK.

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Miss Ida Stray is visiting friends at Caledonia.

Will Ollman is suffering from a bad attack of lagrippe.

Mr. C. G. Meyers received a fine car of horses at Kingston Monday.

Miss Alice Beebe of Charter Grove is visiting at the residence of J. Babblers.

Miss Fannie Bidlingmeyer returned to her home at Monroe, Wis. Saturday.

G. Bixler commenced Tuesday night as night towerman in place of Chas. Marshall who has been promoted.

Charles Foster of Belvidere was circulating among our people Thursday in the interest of his line of business.

Owing to the prevalence of small-pox in near by cities we should give all tramping "Weary Willies" a wide berth.

Ralph Hill came home Thursday from Belvidere owing to a lack of material in the factory where he is employed.

The Colvin Park Carom club is progressing very nicely and we think hold the laurels for being the most adept players around these parts.

Mr. Lloyd Branch is leisurly engaged husking his corn, but owing to the large number of acres it bids fair to be an all winter's job. He shelled 6000 bushels less than a year ago.

Owing to the promiscuous slaughter of rabbits in this vicinity the sport is void of fruitful results of late. We think if our district game warden would catch those who may be using ferrets illegally it would help the matter.

## HERBERT ITEMS.

Fred Lane has moved onto the I. W. Witt farm.

Fred Reed shipped a car of hogs on the 29th.

Alvin Brainard is out from Minnesota on a visit.

Mrs. S. E. Powell had business in Belvidere Thursday.

Wade Hatch was taking in the sights at Rockford the past week.

Miss Sadie Haven of Sharon Wis. is visiting her cousin Miss Sadie Sheehan.

Mike McGrath is breaking his colt recently purchased of Newton Witt.

Miss Alta Fosdick of Colvin Park called on Mrs. Joel Davis, Saturday.

W. H. Robinson and W. Leonard had business in Kingston Thursday night.

Take advantage of the special inducements now being made and subscribe for the JOURNAL.

C. G. Myers is expected home from South Dakota, with a car of horses in a few days.

There were a few western horses sold at the stock-yards Saturday. Wm. Bell cried the sale.

Uncle Levi Brainard who has been very sick is greatly improved and able to be up around.

George Wait and John Myers each shipped a car load of horses to the Chicago market Jan. 29.

T. E. Lane was seen on our streets Thursday posting bills for his sale which is to occur February 8th.

Robert Court has moved on his farm recently purchased of Wm. Frye. Price Brooks will run his father's farm.

F. A. Reed has his meat-market completed and John Sheehan will be able to serve his customers with fresh meats at reduced prices; success to you John.

The installation of officers of Camp No. 4072 M. W. of A. occurred here at their regular meeting on the 23 of January and were as follows: Venerable Consul, Emro Blackledge, Advisor James Thurlby, Clerk W. E. Mayberry, Banker F. A. Reed, Escort Fred Lane, Watchman F. A. Winne, Sentinel Frank Chaplain, Manager Fred Calloway.

A double wedding was solemnized at St. James church, Belvidere, at 1 o'clock Wednesday, when Miss Mary Moan of the town of Spring and James Delaney of Vilas, S. D., and Miss Rose Moan and Dennie Dewane both of Spring were joined in the bonds of wedlock. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. O. Calahan, pastor of the church, in a most impressive manner. Miss McGougle played the wedding march. After the services the bridal party drove to the home of the brides' parents where a wedding dinner was served. They start out on life's journey with the well wishes of their many friends.

## OLD RILEY.

The JOURNAL will make special rates to subscribers for the next thirty days.

## CHARTER GROVE.

Last week occurred the marriage of Alfred Whitacre, of this place, to Miss Emma Gardner of Hunterville, Pa. Miss Gardner was formerly a Genoa girl.

## NEY NEWS.

Curtis Mackey visited Dundee Saturday.

Cora Buck spent Sunday at home with her parents.

Born:—To Mr. and Mrs. Edd. Pierce on February 5, 1901, a girl.

Riley was boasting last week of a new buggy and harness which caused so many smiles. How about that row? Well Riley's loss is Ney's gain.

The revival meetings will continue this week and next and maybe longer if the weather permits. Chas. Briggs will be with us part of next week.

A nice little snow we had Sunday. It was a bad day but we glory in the preacher's grit to drive five miles through such a storm to talk to people that couldn't go half a mile.

Last Saturday evening the friends of Glen Buck and family took them by surprise and a very enjoyable time was had by all. The evening was spent in sleighing and various games, after which a bountiful supper was served. Mr. and Mrs. Buck were presented with a rocker as a token of remembrance and friendship, which they will take to their Minnesota home and cause them to think of the happy evening spent with their friends.

Mrs. Elizabeth Buck died last week on Tuesday at the home of her son Albert Trout, in Chicago. She had undergone an operation from which ordeal she failed to recover. She will be well remembered by many of the older residents of the vicinity of Ney.

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## NEW LEBANON.

Mrs. Fred Spansall was a passenger on Elgin Saturday.

Miss Mable Adgate was a Hampshire visitor Saturday.

Joe and Hank Vogel were Genoa callers Saturday.

Mr. Wm. Boland is thinking of moving to California soon.

Mrs. Joe Engel and daughter, Anna, were Genoa callers Tuesday.

Miss Anna Engel is now employed by Mrs. H. H. Slater, at Genoa.

Mr. Todson from Elgin was here looking up his factory interests.

Miss Lizzie Boland, of Troy Grove, is here visiting Mrs. Wm. Boland.

Ed. Wiede is the recipient of a visit from two of his sisters of Arlington Heights.

The Misses Olive and Della Lord and Martha Engel took a sleigh ride to Genoa Saturday.

Sherm Smith and wife, of Genoa, were visitors at the home of J. W. Lord and wife Saturday.

FOR SALE:—About 75 fence posts. Inquire of Fred Adgate.

## DERBY LINE.

Look out for Sam. Blank. He's breaking celts now-a-days with a hustle.

Jos. Mott and his two sons went to Elgin Tuesday to visit Mrs. Mott at the asylum.

Several from the line attended the social at the Swedish church in Sycamore last Friday night.

Chas. Ratfield, of Old Riley and a brother of our teacher, was a visitor of our school last Friday.

School children, and the teacher too, are feeling very jubilant over the installation of a new heating apparatus in the school house.

A member of the school teacher's profession who has promised to visit our school when sleighing came can no longer have an excuse for her absence.

A pleasant party of young folks met at the residence of Mrs. Etta Anderson on Thursday evening of last week. A very pleasant time was had and refreshments were served.

## SYCAMORE.

B. F. Whipple has now been sick with the typhoid fever for five long weeks.

Geo. James will hereafter be employed in the office with County Clerk Kinsloe.

Dr. Hoyt is about to take a several months' rest for the benefit of his health. Dr. E. J. Miller of Chicago has been taken as a partner and will have charge of the business.

It is expected that the "Elgin Association of Christian Endeavor" will hold their annual meeting in this city in April next. The association embraces McHenry, Kane, DuPage, Kendall and DeKalb counties.

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## National Creamery Buttermakers' Association.

For this annual convention the Chicago Great Western R. R. will on February 18 and 19, sell excursion tickets to St. Paul, good to return February 25, at One Fare for the Round Trip. For further information apply to any Chicago Great Western Agent or to F. H. LORD, G.P.A., Chicago.

## Stafford House Change.

C. J. McDowell, of Kirkland has bought the hotel business from M. N. Stafford and expects to take possession next Monday. Mr. McDowell has been a resident of Kirkland from childhood and bears a good reputation for business and as a gentleman. We bespeak for the hostelry the continued patronage of the public.

Mr. Stafford expects to turn his attentions to insurance matters which business he has been engaged in considerably before. He has not yet fully decided which one of the two companies he will associate himself with, both being anxious to secure his services.

## No Mistake.

From the first I was deeply interested in the Mystic work, judging from the standpoint of a four months old lodge, with over forty members in a town of 1200, with seven other lodges, our order must be all right. Fannie Heed, Sec. Evalina No. 344, Geneva Ill. —Mystic Worker.

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Calendar grid for February 1901, showing days of the week and dates from 1 to 28.

MINOR EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Items of General Interest Told in Paragraphs.

COMPLETE NEWS SUMMARY

Record of Happenings of Much or Little Importance from All Parts of the Civilized World—Incidents, Enterprises, Accidents, Verdicts, Crimes and War.

J. W. Aiken, president of Georgia Bar association, protested against observation of John Marshall day.

Band of saloon wreckers, led by Mrs. Nation, repulsed by restaurant-keeper at Topeka, Kan.

Battle ship Wisconsin, Captain Reid, placed in commission at San Francisco.

Courts all over the nation adjourned Monday in honor of John Marshall day.

King Edward wrote a letter thanking his subjects for their sympathy in his bereavement.

Francis Joseph in opening Reichstag eulogized Queen Victoria and King Humbert.

Sir Thomas Lipton may ask for changes in rules for international yacht race; objects to flying start and wants additional week for refitting.

Car of Adams Express company robbed between Philadelphia and New York of \$4,000 worth of merchandise.

Grolamo Mirto, New York City, 6 years old, died of lockjaw, resulting from vaccination.

Castellanes transferred property worth \$43,500 to Edwin Gould.

Prof. Brahnard of Yerkes observatory will go with government party to Simlra to view eclipse of sun on May 17.

Last fall of twelve inches of snow will cost Chicago \$120,000.

Eight automobile concerns combined, with \$5,000,000 capital.

Steel magnates and bankers say there will be no steel war.

Reported in New York that Monon road has been bought by Louisville and Nashville.

First class at West Point Military Academy to be graduated on Feb. 18.

Marion, Ind., patrolled by extra police in anticipation of raid by bank robbers.

Germany showing friendly disposition toward Pope in connection with attack on religious societies in France.

A mob closed a drug store and two saloons at Hiawatha, Kan.

Boers captured British port near Krugersdorp.

Cincinnati promoters despair of holding prize fight.

The Rev. J. A. Keller is shot down by T. G. Barker at Arlington, N. J., because of charges made by the latter's wife against the rector.

Police of Topeka, Kan., investigating plot to tar and feather Mrs. Carrie Nation.

Famine in Shensi and Shansi provinces, China, one of worst in history, driving people to cannibalism.

Duke of York still seriously but not dangerously ill.

Italian government advised of departure of anarchist from United States to assassinate King Victor.

Combined movement of Orange River commandos toward Cape Colony reported at Cape Town.

Havana paper suggests plan for establishing relations between United States and Cuba.

Movement begun in Philippines for Republican party organization on a peace platform.

Civil war and battle in which 7,000 were killed reported in Abyssinia.

Purchase of Southern Pacific by Vanderbilt interests completed vast transportation system from New York to Orient. Total value of rail and steamship holdings under one control is \$700,000,000.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mackay gave a \$10,000 dinner and dance at the Waldorf Astoria, New York, Friday night.

Loan of \$15,000,000 by Farmers' Loan and Trust company, New York, to Grand Trunk Western placed on record.

TO TEST THEIR IMMUNITY.

Christian Scientists Will Be Asked to Drink Fever Germs. A special to the New York Times from Albany says: "The hearing on the Bell bill to prevent Christian Scientists from practicing their art will be resumed next Wednesday, and promises to be of great interest."

"At a hearing last Wednesday several of the Christian Scientists asserted that there was no danger in germs under the Christian Science treatment. It was stated that the belief of the 'Scientists' in their immunity from germs would be put to the test."

"One of the members of the State Medical Society, it is reported, will bring to the hearing next Wednesday a phial of typhoid fever germs. He will ask some of the 'Scientists' to demonstrate their immunity by drinking these germs."

Sweep of the Blizzard.

Dispatches Monday morning from various points in Illinois and all the adjacent states showed that the storm was remarkably widespread. From Indiana, Iowa, Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota and other western states came the same stories of heavy snowfalls, high winds and consequent blocking of all kinds of traffic. General fear is felt that the damage to live stock will be great. In the rural districts in Illinois and the near-by states there is much unsheltered stock, and in the cattle raising states to the west great herds are exposed. In the territory covered by the storm, according to the latest reports, the temperature was steadily falling, and the danger that the live stock would be frozen was becoming more imminent. The Illinois river is flooded to the top of its banks and the water of the Sangamon are rapidly rising. Along these rivers is a great acreage of low lands, and a further rise in the waters will cause a flood that will carry with it great damage to property.

Class Lost to Magner on a Poul.

Clarence Class of Chicago lost to Jake Magner of Milwaukee on a foul in the third round in the wind-up bout of the Milwaukee Boxing club. Mike Irish of Milwaukee knocked out Harry Shepherd of Springfield, Ohio, in the second, and Al Gear defeated Kid Howard in the second round also, while Mickey Riley of Milwaukee and Charles Berry of Waukesha fought a draw in six rounds.

Hazed Beyond Endurance.

Rather than to submit to hazing, Claude W. Norton and Harry Powles, cadets at the Wentworth Military academy at Lexington, Mo., ran away from that institution. They were arrested in Kansas City and sent back to Lexington. Norton and Powles said they had been hazed by their upper classmen beyond the point of endurance. The boys are 14 years old.

Plans Long Trolley Line.

H. E. Bucklen of Chicago is credited with being behind the project to build an electric railroad from Climax, Mich., to Elkhart, Ind., where the road would form connections with the South Bend line and ultimately be built through to Chicago. The promoters propose to establish a connection at Battle Creek, Mich., with a line through to Detroit.

To Sell Duke's Property.

In the bankruptcy court at London the examination of the Duke of Manchester was adjourned until March 20 on account of the illness of the Duchess. It is said that negotiations are proceeding for the sale of the Duke's available property, by which it is hoped to realize a sum sufficient to pay 7 shillings on the pound.

Sugar Free for America.

"It is asserted in this city," says the Berlin correspondent of the London Daily Mail, "that Russia and the United States have concluded a secret agreement admitting Russian sugar free of differential duties to the United States, Russia in turn making certain concessions to America."

Two Women Rout a Burglar.

The Misses Grimes, daughters of the late Governor Grimes and the richest girls in Des Moines county, Iowa, were attacked in their home at Burlington by a masked burglar, who demanded their money on pain of death. They drove him off with pistols and a shotgun, probably badly wounding him.

Bryan Declines to Talk.

A letter was received and read in the senate of Texas from W. J. Bryan declining the invitation to deliver an address to the present session of the legislature on political topics. Mr. Bryan stated that he did not have the leisure wherein to make political speeches at this time.

Kin to Mary Queen of Scots.

Prof. von Stradonitz, the leading German expert in heraldry, publishes a statement that Emperor William, on his paternal side, is a direct descendant of Mary Queen of Scots, though Sophia Dorothea, who died in 1757, and Prince Augustus William, who died in 1758.

Alarm in Cape Colony.

An extraordinary gazette was issued at Cape Town containing a proclamation by Governor Milner, which states there is reason to believe that considerable numbers of the Boers are preparing to invade the Cape Colony, and calls the attention of the inhabitants of those districts likely to be affected by the incursion to their allegiance, and the obligations due his majesty and the throne. They are warned that they must in no way recognize the authority of the invaders or directly or indirectly assist the enemy.

QUEEN LAID TO FINAL REST

Victoria Memorialized by Solemn Pageantry and Rites.

SCENES AT THE FUNERAL.

Royal Personages in Civilian Clothing, the Ladies Wearing Mourning Vels—Reading of Special Prayers Relating to the Reign of Victoria.

The funeral of Queen Victoria in England Saturday was a solemn and magnificent spectacle. The king's features were seared and bore the mark of grief. The face of the German emperor was turned fiercely toward the sun and his mustache-brushed upper lip enhanced the fierceness of his chin. It was apparent that the emperor was undergoing a mental strain, for his face twitched nervously. Almost behind his majesty was Duke Arthur of Connaught. The military procession on land was scarcely less imposing than the naval show of mourning on the water.



AT WINDSOR CASTLE.

A memorial service was held Sunday morning in St. George's chapel, attended by King Edward, Queen Alexandra, the duchess of Cornwall and York, Emperor William, Crown Prince Frederick William, the duke of Connaught, other relatives of the late queen and thirty ladies and gentlemen of the royal household. The royal personages wore civilian clothing, the ladies wearing mourning vels. The only patches of color were the red coats of a few officers and the white surplices of the choir, the whole scene being in strong contrast with Saturday's brilliant display, for the body of the chapel was crowded by a congregation in black. Sir Walter Parratt played a prelude by Chaminade and canon the marquis of Normanby and the dean of Windsor read the special lessons. The prayers prescribed, relating to the reign of Victoria and the accession of Edward. The choir sang Dvorak's anthem, "Blessed Jesus, Fount of Mercy," rendered it with beautiful effect. Rt. Rev. William Stubbs, bishop of Oxford, delivered the funeral discourse, taking for his text Proverbs 16:12: "For the throne is established by righteousness."

The aged prelate read from a desk inside the communion rail and could not be heard except by those sitting very near him. He said in part: "All our thoughts today are about the great and gracious personality whom we have lost. The end of her long reign marked an epoch which gave rise to gratitude, sorrow and hope, to gracious memories and great anticipations. The years brought some pressure at the helm and some violence of waves, but never once was there any loss of governance, never any alienation of the hearts of her people. All are pleased that the new

king has determined to call himself after the greatest of his ancestors, the pure and clean. He has greatly grown, and along the lines of his policy we now seek a seven-fold blessing from the seventh Edward."

Queen Victoria's body was consigned to its home in Frogmore mausoleum at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon, and was accompanied to the grave with the same pomp that marked its progress from Osborne to Windsor, Saturday.

ARRIVAL IN LONDON.

Royal Coffin Carefully Guarded—Great Funeral Spectacle.

The late queen's remains arrived in London Saturday. The royal coffin was removed from the carriage by an officer and twelve men of the grenadier guards, placed on a gun carriage and the

crowns and cushions were laid thereon. The procession moved in the following order: An officer of the headquarters staff, bands of the household cavalry, VOLUNTEERS, The 1st South Middlesex rifle corps, The 1st Middlesex engineers, The Devonshire artillery, The Warwickshire yeomanry, THE COLONIAL CORPS, A detachment formed under the orders of the colonial office and an officer commanding the professional battalion at Aldershot, THE MILITIA, The 5th battalion of Gordon Highlanders, The 2d battalion of Royal Welch Fusiliers, The 4th battalion of Norfolk, The Hampshire artillery, INFANTRY OF THE LINE, A detachment of the army veterinary department, The army pay corps, The army chaplain department, Royal medical corps, Army service corps, Representatives of the Indian army selected by the Government, INFANTRY OF THE LINE, The 4th battalion of the rifle brigade, The Royal Fusiliers, The 2d battalion of the Highland light infantry, The 4th battalion of the King's royal rifle corps, The royal fusiliers, THE ROYAL LANCERS, FOOT GUARDS, The Irish guards, The Scots guards, The Coldstream guards, The Grenadier guards, The corps of royal engineers, The royal regiment of artillery, CAVALRY OF THE LINE, The 2d Lancers, The 7th Hussars, The 1st Life Guards, ROYAL NAVY FORCE, The Royal Marine light infantry, The Royal Marine artillery, The Royal Marines, Military attaches of foreign embassies Headquarters staff of the army, Foot marchers, Band of the Royal Marine light infantry, The guards' band, Royal engineers and Royal artillery bands, The earl marshal, riding, Gold sticks, Gun carriages, surrounded by beaver party of non-commissioned officers of the guards, while outside of these, on either side, two lines as follows: On the left of the carriage—The Lord chamberlain, aide-camp, the queen's physician, Sir James Reid, equeries and lord in waiting, On the right of the carriage—The Lord steward, aide-camp, equeries and lord in waiting, Immediately behind the gun carriages comes the king, riding on his left the duke of Connaught, on his right, Empress Victoria, both riding, Following these come the royal family, royal representatives and master of the horse, all riding, Four four-horse carriages, conveying the queen and princesses, The kings of Belgium, Portugal and the Netherlands, riding, closing the escort.

Point to a Farmer's Murder.

Circumstances that point to murder have come to light at Onawa, Iowa, in the finding of the body of John Howell, a farmer. Howell's body, partly covered with sand, was found at the edge of the ice.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

"Marrying" the Adriatic.

After having been discontinued for about a century, the ancient annual ceremony of "marrying" the Adriatic will probably be revived in full splendor in Venice next year.—New York Tribune.

Coughing Leads to Consumption.

Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once. Go to your druggist today and get a sample bottle free. Sold in 25 and 50 cent bottles. Go at once; delays are dangerous.

Rather Hard to Pronounce.

At the Neues theater in Berlin a pantomime has just been produced with the title of "Zambonirosolobidirutsumutzischlumpianowsky."

Lane's Family Medicine.

Moves the bowels each day, in order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick headache. Price 25 and 50c.

Petrolmen of Cincinnati are training two bloodhounds for police duty.

Skim milk has got into the industries, and it is now found to be worth more to papermakers than five cents a quart.

The system of rating on the unimproved land values is growing in favor with the local authorities of New Zealand.

POPULAR IDEA.

Municipal Ownership Finding General Favor Across the Border.

Woodstock, Ont., is a city of 10,000 inhabitants. While not a large place it is very progressive. Some time ago the Woodstock Electric Light Company was called to sell its plant to the city, and after demurring the deal was effected and the business was passed over to the municipality. Hereafter the plant will be run as a city undertaking. Kingston, Ont., with a population of 20,000, has notified the Kingston Light, Heat and Power Company of its intention to proceed in a lawful manner to arbitrate to acquire the whole plant. The company's contracts expire in 1901. The property, valued at \$300,000, will probably soon be in the possession of the municipal authorities. If Kingston can own its electric light plant there is no reason why Bridgeport should not also go into the same kind of business. The city of Winnipeg, Manitoba, has been carrying on its electric light plant very successfully during the past year. Consumers are receiving a cheaper and better service than when a private corporation was in control.

PRESIDENT OF PRESIDENTS.

A Distinguished Lady Indeed, is Mrs. Mary E. Poole, of Whiting, Ind.

Whiting, Ind., Feb. 4, 1901.—(Special.)—The Presidents of the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic have an association composed exclusively of the Presidents of the different State Associations. This Presidents' Association chooses a President, and to this very high and distinguished position Mrs. Mary E. Poole of this place has been elected. Mrs. Poole is thoroughly deserving of this great honor. Her devotion to the interests of the Association is very marked, and her experience with the old soldiers of the G. A. R. is wide. Mrs. Poole is never slow to take advantage of anything that may benefit the veterans, and her zeal has resulted in much that is good to these grand old men. She writes of her experiences: "Honor to whom honor is due, and having seen the numerous cures effected through the use of Dadd's Kidney Pills, I gladly endorse them as being particularly effective to cure that dreaded disease of so many of our old soldiers, Bright's Disease and Kidney Disorders of different kinds. Kidney Disease soon poisons the entire system, and as a result the vital organs are attacked, and I have found that no remedy so surely, completely and quickly finds the weak spot and heals it as Dadd's Kidney Pills."

Low Rates West and Northwest.

On February 12th, and on each Tuesday until April 30th, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway will sell one-way second-class tickets at the following very low rates: To Montana points.....\$25.00 To North Pacific coast points 30.00 To California..... 30.00 These tickets will be good on all trains and purchasers will have choice of six routes and eight trains via St. Paul and two routes and three trains via Missouri river each Tuesday. The route of the Famous Pioneer Limited trains and the U. S. Government Fast Mail Trains.

CAREER AND CHARACTER OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

An address by Joseph Choate, Ambassador to Great Britain, on the career and character of Abraham Lincoln—his early life—his early struggles with the world—his character as developed in the later years of his life and his administration, which placed his name so high on the world's roll of honor and fame, has been published by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway and may be had by sending six (6) cents in postage to F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Ill.

Ibsen Living in Seclusion.

Henrik Ibsen has been living for half a year in great seclusion at Sandefjord, Norway, preparing the material for a new work. Asked if he intended to remain in Norway, he replied: "Yes, in all probability. My correspondence is so extensive that this alone would make it inconvenient to change my address."

A Remedy for the Grippe.

Physicians recommend KEMP'S BALSAM for patients afflicted with the grippe, as it is especially adapted for the throat and lungs. Don't wait for the first symptoms, but get a bottle today and keep it on hand for use the moment it is needed. If neglected, the grippe brings on pneumonia. KEMP'S BALSAM prevents this by keeping the cough loose and the lungs free from inflammation. All druggists, 25c and 50c.

President of University Club.

Former Judge Henry E. Howland has been elected president of the University Club of New York, succeeding the late C. C. Beaman, under whom he had served as vice-president. Judge Howland is one of the most prominent Yale alumni in New York.

What Do the Children Drink?

Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing, and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee, but costs about 1/4 as much. All grocers sell it, 15c and 25c.

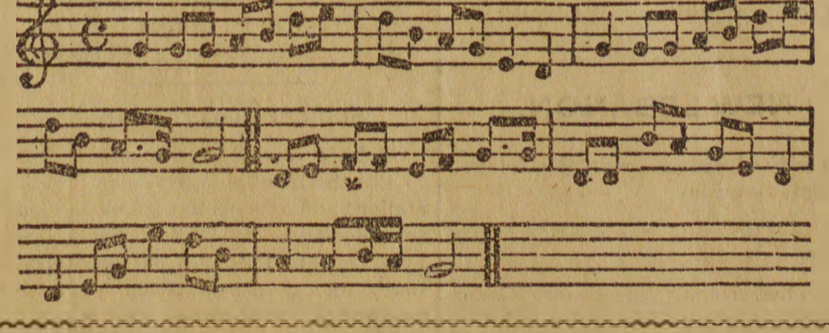
When a man goes to market and gets stuck on a tough fowl he is very apt to lose his respect for old age.

Do Not Spoil Your Clothes

by using inferior soap. Maple City Self Washing Soap gives the best results. Try it. All good grocers sell it.

When cycling take a bar of White's Yucatan. You can ride further and easier.

The first sugar mill was erected in Louisiana in 1758.



BLACK WATCH DIRGE NOTES.

The Black Watch Dirge, played by the Highland pipers while escorting the body of Queen Victoria from Osborne House to the pier at Cowes, has been considered for more than a hundred years the most mournful Scotch dirge. The weird refrain has been heard in India, Burmah, Egypt, Cria-

DIRGE NOTES.

mea, south Africa, and wherever the English arms have been carried. The pathos of the melody is considered the deepest expression of sorrow—the wail of the mourner for those who never will return. It is dear to the heart of the Highlander and Britisher alike, and was one of the queen's favorite airs.

Infernal Machine Is Sent.

Unknown persons sent a box full of dynamite to Dr. Luther Emerick at Georgetown, Del. Before he could open it his secretary took it into the yard and opened the infernal machine without an explosion. There was enough dynamite in the box to blow the house to pieces. The lid of the box was arranged so that when it was opened matches would rub against sandpaper and ignite a fuse.

Gibson Given Life Term.

John Gibson, who burned to death his little daughter with a red-hot poker, was convicted of murder in the first degree at Huntington, W. Va. Judge Kinner sentenced him to the penitentiary for life. The verdict is a disappointment to the people who were general in the belief that nothing short of Gibson's life should compensate for his crime. Gibson is yet in Catlettsburg jail and rumors of a lynching are afloat.



# EXPOSITION FIGURES.

## SOME ASTONISHING FACTS ABOUT THE PAN-AMERICAN.

### Niagara Falls Will Supply Power, and Over 300,000 Electric Lights Will Be Used in the Illumination of the Tower and Courts.

Forty million people live within a night's ride of Buffalo. It is expected that a large proportion of these will visit the Pan-American Exposition at some time during its progress. Many will visit it five, ten, or twenty or more times. Niagara Falls will prove a great magnet in drawing visitors to the Exposition. Altogether it is fair to expect that the attendance at this first Exposition of all the Americas will be the largest in the history of Expositions in either the New World or the Old.

Ten million dollars represents approximately the cost of the Exposition, exclusive of exhibits. The authorized capital stock of the Exposition is \$2,500,000. The authorized bond issue is \$2,500,000. The government appropriation is \$500,000. The cost of the Midway is \$3,000,000. The New York state appropriation is \$300,000, and in connection with the New York building about \$100,000 will be expended by the City of Buffalo and the Buffalo Historical Society. The appropriation from states and foreign countries together with the cost of buildings to be erected on the Exposition grounds by the City of Buffalo and by private citizens will

Two thousand incandescent lamps will be used in the illumination of one feature of the Midway alone—the Thompson Aero-Cycle. As many and perhaps more will be used in illuminating the Streets of Mexico. Other Midway structures will also be profusely illuminated and the lights thus used are all additional to the 300,000 required for the illumination about the courts of the Exposition.

Thirty-five thousand gallons of water per minute will be required for the fountain display of the Exposition, which will be the most elaborate of any ever undertaken for a similar purpose.

Fifty feet will be the height of some of the jets in the Court of Fountains. The jets will be electrically illuminated at night.

Seventy feet is the height of the cascade falling from the front of the Electric Tower into the basin below.

Five hundred and sixty-five by two hundred and twenty-five are the dimensions of the basin of the Court of Fountains, which equals 98,872 square feet.

Five thousand horse power of electricity will be delivered in Buffalo from

tors of Pan-America, and will cost about half a million dollars, being the grandest collection of decorative Exposition sculpture ever assembled.

Two hundred thousand hardy perennials have been planted for the purpose of beautifying the grounds next summer, and the great floral display will include over 500 beds of popular flowers, with rare tropical plants and aquatic plants in the Courts, Mirror Lakes, Grand Canal and Lagoons.

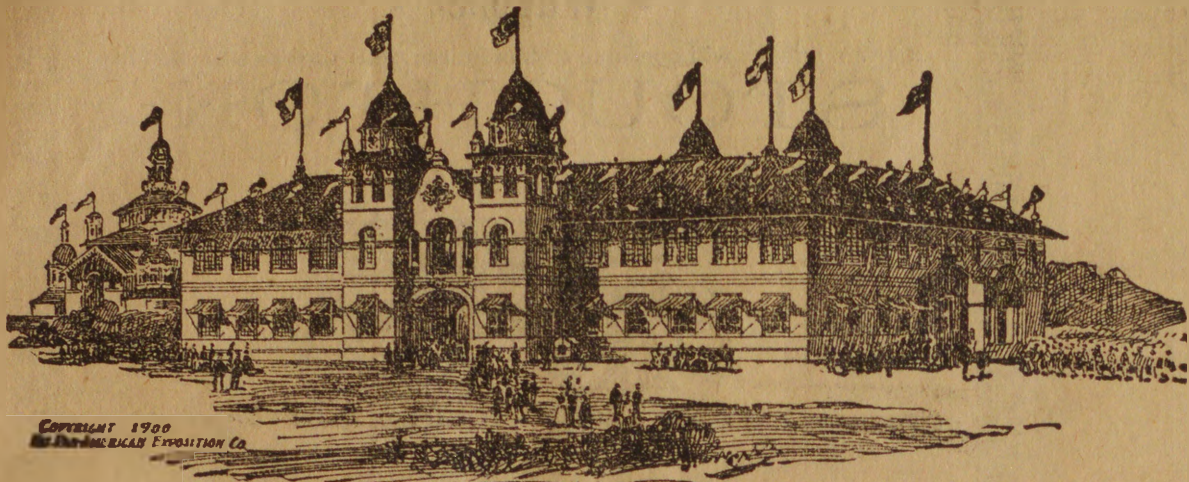
Fifteen thousand dollars is the cost of the great organ for the Temple of Music being built by Emmons Howard.

Six thousand animals are to be accommodated in buildings for live stock displays.

Twelve thousand is the seating capacity in the Stadium, the great arena for athletic sports.

Twenty large buildings will house the exhibits from all the Americas, and besides these there will be many smaller ones in the Court of State and Foreign Buildings, on the Midway and in other parts of the grounds.

Six hundred feet is the length of the main United States Government building. Connected with the main building



Service Building

bring the total cost of the Exposition up to fully \$10,000,000.

The area of the Exposition site is 350 acres. This includes 133 acres of park lands and lakes in Delaware Park, one of the most beautiful parks in the world. The plot is a mile and a quarter from north to south and half a mile from east to west.

Three hundred thousand incandescent lamps will be used in achieving the grand illumination about the Court of Fountains, Electric Tower, Esplanade and Plaza.

Four hundred miles of wire will be used in the installation of the lamps for this illumination.

Two hundred and fifty tons will be about the weight of this quantity of wire.

Ninety-four large-sized searchlights will be placed under the water of the basin of the Court of Fountains to cast colored lights on the fountains and cascades and heighten the beauty of the electric and hydraulic effects.

One million, three hundred and ninety thousand square feet is the approximate area of the courts to be illuminated. This is two and one-half times the area of the courts at the World's Fair, twice the area of those at the Paris Exposition, and three times those of the Trans-Mississippi Exposition at Omaha.

the plant of the Niagara Falls Power Company at Niagara Falls, for use in illuminating the buildings and grounds of the Pan-American Exposition and turning the wheels for operating machinery. 5,000 horse power will also be generated on the grounds. The service arranged for contemplates the utilization of the water power of Niagara, the use of gasoline for motive power, of gas both under boilers, producing steam, and in gas engines, producing energy; thus giving the Pan-American the greatest variety of sources of power ever enjoyed by any Exposition.

Twenty-six million, five hundred and seventy thousand feet of lumber has thus far been used in the construction of the Exposition.

Seventeen million, seven hundred and sixty-five thousand square feet is the amount of surface covered with staff. One hundred and fifty thousand cubic yards represents the approximate amount of excavation done.

Six million, two hundred and forty-two thousand is the weight of the steel and iron used, including bolts and washers.

One hundred and twenty-five original sculptured groups will be used in the adornment of the courts, fountains, buildings and grounds generally. This is the work of the most famous scul-

ing by colonnades are two other buildings each 150 feet square.

Five hundred by three hundred and fifty feet are the dimensions of the Machinery and Transportation building. The Manufactures and Liberal Arts building is of corresponding size.

Five hundred by one hundred and fifty feet are the measurements of the Electricity building, and the Agriculture building corresponds to it in size.

Three hundred and ninety feet is the distance from the base of the Electric Tower to the top of the figure surmounting it, representing the Goddess of Light.

Two hundred and thirty-six feet is the height of the Horticulture building, which is 220 feet square.

EDWARD HALE BRUSH.

#### An Unexampled Treat.

The Niagara Frontier will be the most interesting place in the world next summer, and the whole world should journey there. The unexampled treat awaiting visitors includes the most beautiful spectacle in the history of Expositions, at Buffalo; the grandest natural scenery and the greatest power development in the world, at Niagara. The Pan-American Exposition and the wonders of Niagara are less than twenty miles apart, and the fast trains cover the distance in about half an hour.

for keeping the foolish from applying their hearts to golf, yet the young ladies of long ago, who held to samplers and mourning pieces of an afternoon with a fervor better imagined than experienced, sometimes had their belief in its utility rudely disturbed. An anecdote in some reminiscences of Mrs. Anne Jean Lyman, a prominent New England woman and a contemporary of Mrs. Lydia Maria Child, records what may be considered a standing epitaph for fancy work. When Mrs. Lyman was Miss Robbins, and a very charming young lady, she went to visit some friends of his in Hingham. A young man, calling on the ladies one day, found them busy embroidering mourning pieces in which tall women in short waists and long skirts stood weeping by a monument. They begged for a motto for their pieces, and instantly got this bit of wit:

In useless labors all their hours are spent. They murder Time, then work his monument.

"I have nothing but my heart to give you," said a spinster to a lawyer who had successfully concluded a case for her. "Well," said the lawyer, gruffly, "go to my clerk; he takes the fees."

St. Louis to Get \$5,000,000. Secretary Gage has notified Chairman Tawney of the house special committee on the Louisiana purchase expedition that he has examined the certificates of subscription amounting to \$5,000,000 raised by citizens of St. Louis, and the ordinance authorizing the issue of \$5,000,000 of bonds, and is satisfied the city of St. Louis has complied with the requirements of the resolution of congress that she raise \$10,000,000 before the government subscribes \$5,000,000 in aid of the expedition to be held there in 1903.

Mrs. Chatters—Why do you have Mrs. Gabb to sew for you? She is not a good dressmaker. Mrs. Wordsworth—I know that, but she knows all the gossip of the town.

# PROCEEDINGS IN CONGRESS.

## Summary of Legislation in National Body.

### MEASURES IN BOTH HOUSES.

House Committee on Military Affairs Completes Army Appropriation Bill—It Carries Approximately \$118,000,000 as Against \$130,000,000 Estimated

Wednesday, January 30.

The senate spent the day in debate on the shipping bill after an unsuccessful attempt to secure an agreement to the conference report on the army reorganization bill. The house passed the agricultural appropriation bill.

Thursday, January 31.

The Senate by a vote of 33 to 25 agreed to the conference report on the army reorganization bill. The shipping bill was discussed.

The House passed the fortifications appropriation bill and made fair progress with the postoffice appropriation bill. During the general debate upon the former bill Mr. Lanahan of Texas delivered a notable speech upon the future of the democratic party.

Friday, February 1.

Statements made by General Miles and Captain Louis to house committee that artillery arm is short of powder and projectiles and that condition of coast defenses is deplorable. Three firms bidding on new warships came inside appropriations and will likely secure the work. R. W. Wilcox, congressional delegate from Hawaii, accused of treason in offering aid to Filipinos. Senate passed bill providing for \$200,000 public building at Superior, Wis.

Saturday, February 2.

The president signed the bill for the reorganization of the army, and it is now a law. The war department practically has completed its arrangements for recruiting the army under the provisions of the reorganization act. The enlistments for the month of January amounted to 2,732, an increase of 809 recruits over those secured during the previous month of December. The officials are very much encouraged at this result and have no doubt of their ability to secure all the men they need. Many new recruiting stations have been established in various parts of the country.

Sunday, February 3.

The ship-subsidy bill was laid aside informally by the senate to permit consideration of the appropriation bills. The army appropriation bill, making provision for the army under the plan of reorganization recently enacted, was completed by the house committee on military affairs and reported by Chairman Hull. It carries approximately \$118,000,000 as against estimates of about \$130,000,000 made by war department officials. Senator Mason introduced a bill providing for another judge for the northern district of Illinois, and Representative Rodenberg has a bill pending in the house for a new district in southern Illinois.

Honor to Legal Giant.

The centennial anniversary of the installation of John Marshall of Virginia as chief justice of the United States was commemorated with impressive ceremonies Monday morning in the hall of representatives at the capitol. The program arranged by the joint committee of congress and William Wirt Howe of New Orleans, president of the American Bar association, was simple and dignified as became the life of the great jurist. The president and his cabinet, the members of the Supreme court, the members of the senate and house, the diplomatic corps and members of the district bar association attended as invited guests.

Canadians in a Row.

There is a big crowd row on among the clergymen, the higher officials of the governor general of Canada and some influential military men over the queen's funeral services on Saturday. In several instances the officials announced a state service at Anglican churches. At Kingston the military authorities ordered a parade of all soldiers to the Anglican cathedral. Rev. John Mackie, Presbyterian, has entered a protest, and several other ministers—Baptist, Congregational, Methodist and Roman Catholic—have joined in it. When parliament meets the government is likely to announce that officials and officers have been punished for trying to foist state creed on Canada.

Stock of Line \$201,500,000.

By the passing of the senate bill through the Pennsylvania house authorizing the Pennsylvania Railroad company to increase its capital stock by \$50,000,000 the board of directors will be enabled to go ahead and carry out an extensive system of improvements long contemplated. The stock of the Pennsylvania was increased this year from \$129,500,000 to \$151,500,000, the extreme limit permitted by law.

St. Louis to Get \$5,000,000.

Secretary Gage has notified Chairman Tawney of the house special committee on the Louisiana purchase expedition that he has examined the certificates of subscription amounting to \$5,000,000 raised by citizens of St. Louis, and the ordinance authorizing the issue of \$5,000,000 of bonds, and is satisfied the city of St. Louis has complied with the requirements of the resolution of congress that she raise \$10,000,000 before the government subscribes \$5,000,000 in aid of the expedition to be held there in 1903.

### Great Fire in New York City.

Fire Thursday night laid in ashes the two city blocks bounded by the East river, First avenue, Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets, New York city. Nearly one-quarter of the block on the south side of Thirty-first street, extending from First avenue to the river, was also destroyed, together with the vast expanse of lumber yards and coal and wood sheds running southward to Thirtieth street and along the river front. Chief Croker of the fire department and Capt. Patterson of the fire patrol roughly estimated the loss at about \$1,500,000. It is impossible to make any estimate of the individual losses. For the first time in many years the alarm known as the "two nines" was sounded. This brought into service, either at the scene of the fire or to relieve apparatus which had gone to the fire, all fire engines, water towers and hook and ladder trucks located between Leonard and Eighty-fifth streets and from river to river.

### Kansas City Opera House Burns.

Fire late Thursday night destroyed the Coates opera-house, the principal theater of Kansas City, situated at Tenth street and Broadway, and occupying a detached building. Walker Whiteside and his company were playing "Heart and Sword" in the house, and had just concluded the evening performance when some of the actors discovered that the building was afire, the flames enveloping the whole rear part of the theater in a few moments. The company lost its wardrobes and scenery, being obliged to flee from the dressing rooms. The audience had left the theater only five minutes when the fire was discovered. The building was valued at between \$125,000 and \$150,000 and was insured for much less.

### Buried in a Pauper's Grave.

Eleven years ago A. B. Wheldon, then just of age and of a wealthy family, went to Kansas City from Providence, R. I. He dropped dead from the heat June 13, 1890, and after efforts to learn of his relatives had failed he was buried in an unmarked grave in the potter's field. Ferdinand Wheldon, who has hunted for more than ten years for his brother, finally tracing him to Kansas City, arrived at that city Monday and found the record of his death, but could not locate the grave. There is an estate of \$125,000, which would belong to the unfortunate Wheldon were he living.

### Seeking Oil in Missouri.

Two representatives of the Standard Oil company have been in the vicinity of Poplar Bluff, Mo., acquiring options on a large acreage of land for the purpose of sinking wells to ascertain if oil exists beneath the surface. In Cape Girardeau county two weeks ago options on several thousand acres were secured, and two wells are now being bored. The representatives procured 1,000 acres west of Poplar Bluff and further experiments will be made. There are strong indications that both oil and gas exist in southeast Missouri and a thorough investigation will be made in every county in this section.

### May a Pensioner Be Taxed?

Whether or not an accumulated sum of money paid by the United States government to a pensioner may or may not be taxed for city, county and state purposes is a new question which came up at Ottumwa, Iowa, in a suit begun by Calvin Manning as guardian for an insane soldier (John Schwabkey), who is drawing \$72 per month, against County Treasurer John H. Spry and Wapello county. The plaintiff asks immunity from assessment and taxation upon \$8,500 which he holds for his ward and for the abatement of \$2,101.83, assessed and levied for the years 1895 to 1900.

### Big Building Collapse.

The large four-story iron front double building, Nos. 527 and 529 Wood street, Pittsburg, Pa., occupied by the Stevenson & Foster Printing company, collapsed Monday. The ruins caught fire from the igniting of natural gas, and in less than an hour the destruction was complete. During the night a portion of the partition wall weakened and fell. The building had been closed for repairs. The loss is estimated at \$150,000.

### Will Tax Wooden Ware.

The lumbermen of Canada have asked for higher duties on United States lumber and woodensware. They allege that the lumber is now from southern and western states, where negro labor is employed, which is much cheaper than Canadian labor. The Canadian government looks with much favor on the proposal and the bill which the lumbermen are drafting will probably pass through parliament.

### Shoots Wife and Himself.

John Clem, 51 years old, separated from his wife last September at Columbus, Ind. Monday he learned that his son was sick, and he called at his wife's house to see her. A quarrel followed, and Clem shot and seriously wounded his wife. He then went into the back yard and fired a bullet into his own brain. He will die.

### Miss Astor to Wed a Duke.

The engagement of the duke of Roxburgh to Miss Pauline Astor, daughter of W. W. Astor, has been definitely arranged at London. The wedding will take place some time next summer.

### Death for All Kidnapers.

The bill to punish by death or imprisonment for life, in the discretion of the jury, any person in Virginia guilty of kidnaping was passed by the house today with broader scope than the original.

# THE ILLINOIS LEGISLATURE.

## Work in Both Houses at Springfield.

### REPORT OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

Mr. Nohle Introduces a Bill to Prohibit Railroads from Issuing Passes to Members of the Legislature—An Anti-Cigarette Bill Introduced.

Wednesday, January 30.

The house passed the senate bill providing for the participation of the state of Illinois in the pan-American exposition at Buffalo. The bill now goes to the governor and immediately upon approval by him will become a law. The bill provides for the creation of a suitable building for an Illinois headquarters at the exposition and making an exhibit of the resources, commercial advantages, mechanical appliances, educational progress, and other interests and industries of the state of Illinois. Ten thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is set aside for an exhibit of the agricultural products of the state and \$10,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for an exhibit of the horticultural products of the state. Representative Logan introduced a bill which provides that in cities of over 7,000 and under 100,000 population there shall be created a board of police commissioners to have charge of the police departments of those cities.

Thursday, January 31.

Gov. Nohle continues to be the star agitator in the house. He introduced a bill prohibiting railroads from issuing passes to members of the legislature and making it a felony for legislators to accept free transportation, and the bill was read the first time, advanced to second reading and made the special order for next Wednesday morning. Gov. Nohle says he is on the square with his bill. He said that next Wednesday he will substitute the Wisconsin anti-pass law for his bill. In Wisconsin the law prohibits all state officials, judges, members of the legislature, etc., from accepting railroad passes.

Senator Stubbins introduced a bill which prohibits the sale of cigarettes or cigarette paper in Illinois. It is identical with a bill introduced in the house last week. Speaker Sherman announced the appointment of the following committee on the rights of the minority: F. J. Sullivan, Forrest Mitchell, Crafts, E. S. Sullivan, Wilson, Hunt, Jandus, Tibbit, Doronahue, Heffernan, Johnston, Purdum, Warder, Gray and Craig. The sub-committees of the house committees on congressional and senatorial apportionment held meetings for the purpose of mapping out the work before them.

Friday, February 1.

Representative Curtis introduced two hard-roads bills. One of the bills creates the office of state engineer of roads, who is directed to co-operate with and advise all road officers in the state relative to the construction and maintenance of hard roads. The bill directs the method and procedure of providing hard roads and for the payment of the expense thereof. The other bill provides that fifteen legal voters in any township may petition for the construction of hard roads, and it makes it the duty of the township officers to arrange for holding an election to vote on the proposition. It also provides that in each township where there are more than three miles of hard roads the supervisor shall appoint a custodian of hard roads, whose duty it shall be to keep them in repair. It also provides for sale of township bonds to pay for the construction of hard roads.

Gov. Yates has appointed Edward S. Brown of Evanson a member of the military staff with the rank of colonel. The appointment dates from Jan. 25. Col. Brown was formerly treasurer of the Republican national committee.

Monday, February 4.

Speaker Sherman was called to Robinson, Ill., because of the death of an aunt, and he will not return to Springfield until Wednesday. In the meantime George C. Hankins will be speaker. The other members held short sessions, and in neither was a quorum present. No bills were introduced. Chairman Bundy of the house committee on senatorial apportionment said that the "country part" of the apportionment would be ready by Wednesday morning. He added that he feared the Cook county apportionment would not be ready for two weeks, and therefore the bill would be held back just that long. Representative Albritton, who is a member of the sub-committee to prepare a bill, showed a map he had made. As he is one of the official map makers, the representatives who saw his scheme of dividing the senatorial districts studied it attentively. It is said that this scheme, with a few changes, will be the one to be adopted by the sub-committee. Mr. Albritton's plan is based on the figures of the last election, and it gives the Republicans twenty-four of the thirty-two districts outside of Cook county.

### NOTES OF THE SESSIONS.

Senator Davidson introduced a bill providing for the election of members of the state boards by the cumulative system in order to provide minority representation on such boards.

Senator Albritton has introduced a bill appropriating \$28,000 to complete the Bartonsville hotel for the insane and \$650,500 for new buildings for the maintenance of the institution; also a bill appropriating \$20,000 for a topographical survey of the state.

The special committee appointed by Mayor Harrison of Chicago to prepare a bill for the consolidation of gas plants of the municipal ownership of gas plants has completed its work. The committee was appointed in a resolution offered by Alderman Dixon, and consisted of Sigmond Zaiser, Charles J. Holmes, and Addison Blakeley. The bill gives the city council of cities or villages the power to provide for the acquisition and operation of gas and electric light plants, and authority to sell light, heat, and power to the inhabitants of such cities or villages. For the purpose of establishing municipal plants the city is authorized to purchase property or condemn it under the eminent-domain act. The charge made by the city for light, heat, or power furnished any citizen is made a lien on the real estate on which it is used, as water taxes are now made liens on the property on which the water is consumed.

Mr. Aderton introduced a bill in the assembly appropriating \$50,000 for establishment of a colony for epileptics at Northfield, Jersey county.

Mr. Doyle is sponsor for a bill amending the law in relation to negotiable instruments by making general election day a legal holiday and Saturday afternoon of each week a legal half holiday.

Mr. Drew the other day introduced a bill amending the law in relation to the soldiers' and widows' home by providing that the wives or widows of soldiers or sailors of the war of 1861 in order to be admitted to said home must have been married to said soldier or sailor prior to Jan. 1, 1890.

## LASSOING DOGS.

## Systematic Raids Upon Canines Instituted in the Territory.

The dog catcher of a town in the Indian Territory can give a city dog catcher cards and spades and then beat him as a captiver of canine animals. An expert cowboy hunts dogs as he does cattle. He ropes them the same way. Clad in a pair of buckskin trousers, and wearing a big sombrero, with rope in hand or in the saddle horn, and a six-shooter in his belt, he starts down the street on his broncho looking for dogs. As he spies one which has no legal right to roam at large he sticks the spurs to his pony, grabs his rope and begins operations. He usually ropes the dog around the neck, draws him to the pony's side and shoots him. He then stuffs the carcass into a sack attached to the saddle and gallops off after more "game."

If a stranger is watching the performance the dog catcher does some fancy roping. He will rope the dog around the front foot or hind foot, or around the body between the feet. He hardly ever misses his mark. Dog catching in the Indian country

is more ticklish business than it is in the cities in the states. The catcher not only has to dodge fatirons, mop sticks, and brooms thrown by irate women (for a wild-looking cowboy with a six-shooter has no terror to an Indian Territory woman), but he has Indians to deal with.

An Indian thinks almost as much of his dog as he does of his kids, and if the dog catcher by mistake kills it there is trouble. Dogs belonging to Indians are exempt from taxation. But the dogs of non-citizens are the ones discriminated against. If their masters fail to pay tax on them then they must pay the penalty of death. In order to evade the tax occasionally a non-citizen forges a brand and marks his dog as if it belonged to an Indian. In order to prevent frauds of this character the dog catcher must be an expert on dog brands.

### Done to Death.

It is a modern notion that fancy work is an invention of the evil one

## Oklahoma and Statehood

## The Territory Makes Exceptionally Good Claims for Admission

The Territory of Oklahoma seeks Statehood and makes a good claim to it. It contains 400,000 people, 90 per cent of whom are native Americans and 100,000 of whom are school children; they have 2,000 schoolhouses, no penitentiary, not a poorhouse, and only six per cent of illiteracy—less

than any one of forty-five of the States. They own \$75,000,000 of property. And 12,000,000 acres are settled, and homesteaders are taking a million acres a year; 1,000 miles of railroad brought last year 6,000 carloads of manufactures and carried away 40,000 carloads of produce. Ten years ago the popu-

lation was about 60,000. Such progress has been made by no other area of equal size in the United States. If Indian Territory should within a few years be added to Oklahoma, the two would have a population of at least a million, who would cast 100,000 votes and pay taxes on \$150,000,000 of property.



**Marriage in Hindoostan.**  
 Marriages in Hindoostan are very simple and are usually arranged by the parents of the principals. When an alliance is agreed upon the bride and groom are brought together and perhaps see each other for the first time. The bride playfully skips toward him and seats herself beside him. The priest ties a corner of the bride's veil to the groom's shawl and this simple proceeding makes them man and wife.

**London's Chief Magistrate.**  
 The city of London invests its chief magistrate with the most extraordinary powers and prerogatives. He is not only chief criminal and civil judge of the city, but likewise generalissimo of the city militia and admiral of the port of London. But before entering upon his twelve months' term of office it compels him to sign a bond of \$1,000,000 for the safekeeping of the jewels forming part of his insignia of office.

**Most Dance for Supper.**  
 In Australia a novel idea has been introduced for weeding out the "man who doesn't dance." Each lady has a slip of paper perforated in squares, one square for each dance on the program; she gives one of these coupons to her partner at the end of each dance, and any man who cannot produce a fair percentage of coupons is refused admission to the supper room.

**A Fat Position.**  
 William Court Gully has been chosen speaker of the house of commons for a third term. The incumbent of this comfortable position draws a salary of \$25,000 and on his retirement from the office gets an annual pension of \$20,000, besides being elevated to the peerage. As speaker he is provided with a fine mansion for entertaining on a large scale.

**Destitute Because Miserly.**  
 Patrick McCabe, an old man, was taken to a New York hospital in what appeared to be a destitute condition. His wretched rags were exchanged for comfortable clothing and then the astonished attendants found that he had a chest protector made of \$50 bills, the total amount sewed inside of his old flannel shirt being \$950.

**Lazy Son a Trying One.**  
 A Spartan mother on Long Island has twice applied to a police court for papers, which will compel her son to answer before a magistrate for what she calls "disorderly conduct," the basis of the charge being that the young man refuses to work and spends the daylight hours in playing golf.

**Copper Deposits of Alaska.**  
 The rich copper deposits of Alaska are beginning to be developed, the first shipment from the White Horse belt having been dispatched to Tacoma already. This belt, traversing a tributary of the Yukon, is twenty-five miles wide. The ore is said to range from 25 to 75 per cent copper and carries \$6 to \$10 per ton gold.

**"North and South Virginia."**  
 At a rather exclusive function given in Washington recently a young Englishman, who felt that he must say something apropos and typical of America, remarked: "As the governor of North Virginia said to the governor of South Virginia, it's a long time between drinks!"

**Speed of a Buzzard.**  
 In order to see how fast a buzzard really could fly a good specimen of the tribe was shipped from Charleston, N. C., to New York, and there released at an appointed hour. It was expected that the bird would take a day at least on the trip home, but the buzzard got there in four hours.

**Senator's Wife a Club Woman.**  
 Mrs. Hawley, wife of the Connecticut senator, is an enthusiastic club woman. She served two terms as president of the Washington club, and is prominently connected with several Washington hospitals and other charities.

**Quality of Ancient Inks.**  
 The ancient inks closely resembled black paint, and on account of the large quantity of gum employed in their composition, the letters stood up in relief on the parchments as though embossed.

**Library for a College.**  
 W. R. Thompson of Pittsburg, an alumnus of Washington and Jefferson College in Washington, Pa., is to erect a library building for the institution at a cost of \$50,000 and give \$10,000 for equipping it.

**President of Historical Society.**  
 Professor Samuel Hart of the Berkeley Divinity School, Middletown, Conn., has been elected president of the Connecticut Historical society, succeeding the late Dr. Charles J. Hoadly.

**Identification by Finger Marks.**  
 In the organization of the police department at Johannesburg the system of identification by finger marks is being introduced, and in this way every native is to be registered.

**Remedy for Nervous Dyspepsia.**  
 A prominent medical journal says the best treatment for nervous dyspepsia is "at least three weeks of absolute rest in bed in some institution away from home, together with a full diet."

**Jean De Reszke's Severe Training.**  
 Jean De Reszke undergoes the severest training to keep himself and his voice in condition. He consequently can allow himself only few relaxations.

## A Letter From Rev. W. A. Sunday

He May Not be Able to Come to Genoa, Before May 1st.

Mr. D. S. Lord,  
 Genoa, Ill.  
 My Dear Sir—  
 Yours of the 23th inst. at hand. I am planning to come to Genoa this spring but cannot now give you the exact date.  
 I have been ill and that has thrown me back about three weeks in my original schedule. I think about May 1st is as near as I can approximate the date. I am exceedingly pleased to learn that so much interest is being manifested regarding the coming meetings.  
 Yours Sincerely,  
 W. A. Sunday.  
 Afton, Ia., Jan. 30, 1901.

## STEWED DOWN.

It is estimated that 40,000,000 calendars are given away every year for advertising purposes.

Americans offer locomotives for service in India at \$6,300 each, to be delivered in six months. The British bid is \$7,720; time required, nine months.

The number of emigrants from Ireland for the ten months ending Oct. 31 was 43,540, as compared with 40,269 during the corresponding period of last year.

Swarms of locusts have entirely destroyed the crops in the Tokar region in the eastern Sudan. The devastation has been so complete that the population is reduced to the utmost destitution.

We are sorry to record the fact that two Sycamore ladies are seriously thinking of moving to Zion City, Dewie's headquarters. We would rather live in DeKalb, by a dam site.—Advertiser (Sycamore).

One of the busiest men in Kansas recently was Elihu Webster, of Comanche county. He was under bond charged with felony, had been attached by creditors, had been summoned into the bankruptcy court and was defending a divorce suit.

Nine families, embracing forty-four persons in all, have started from the neighborhood of Odebolt, Iowa, for Oklahoma, where they will take up farm land. All were prosperous farm people in Iowa, but sold out in that state in order to go where land is cheaper.

One of the blessings which wise rulers would give to South Africa would be a state system of irrigation. It is calculated that in the cape alone 5,000,000 acres might be irrigated, with an increased value of £20 per acre, which would add over £100,000,000 to the value of the colony.

The total number of copies of newspapers printed throughout the world in one year is 12,000,000,000. To print these requires 721,240 tons of paper, or 1,749,966,000 pounds, while it would take the fastest press 333 years to print a single year's edition, which would produce a stack of papers nearly fifty miles high.

There are 120,000 locomotives running in the world to-day on lines of track which would circle the globe a score of times and reach to the moon and back. Truly men run to and fro and knowledge is increased, now at the dawning of the twentieth century, beyond all the dreams of the generations which have gone before.

Much interest is manifested by those concerned, in the bill which J. W. Burst is personally trying to have passed at Washington. The object is to establish a United States court which will hear evidence and pass upon all pension applications and claims. The present methods are not in the least satisfactory.—Advertiser (Sycamore).  
 A. J. King, recently elected prosecuting attorney of Vernon county, Missouri, may have to conduct a lawsuit against himself. When county recorder he was sued by the county for \$4,000, which it was claimed he owed the county on fees collected and not turned in. The case has been in many circuit courts and has been set for a rehearing Jan. 28.

A Northwestern special train made a run last week from Chicago to Dixon a distance of 98 miles, in 89 minutes. A Mr. Rosenthal, a New York lawyer, received a telegram announcing the serious illness of his mother living at Dixon. He started at once and reached Chicago in twenty-four hours, but too late to catch the Colorado special. He then chartered a special from Chicago to Dixon, and reached Dixon before his mother died.—Chronicle (St. Charles).

**DR. KAY'S RENOVATOR**  
 RENOVATOR invigorates and renovates the system; purifies and enriches the blood; cures the worst dyspepsia, constipation, headache, liver and kidneys. 25c and \$1. at druggists. Free advice, sample and book.  
 Dr. B. J. Kay, Saratoga, N. Y.

## Railroad Excursions.

Various Rates to Various Points on Various Roads.

**Land Excursions.**  
 I am still handling lands and always have bargains in Minnesota, Nebraska, Kansas, Arkansas, Southwestern Louisiana, Indiana and Illinois, at low prices and easy terms. Also irrigated valley land in Western Nebraska at government price. Free fare to purchasers. For particulars and cheap excursions, call on or address, J. E. STOTT, Genoa, Ill.

**Low Rates to the South.**  
 Excursion tickets at reduced rates are now being sold by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway to the prominent resorts in the south, including Jacksonville, Fla., Mobile, Ala., New Orleans, La., Savannah, Ga., El Paso, Tex., which are good for return passage at any time prior to June 1st, 1901. Information regarding rates, routes, time, etc., can be obtained on application to any coupon agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway.

**Tour of Puerto Rico.**  
 The American Tourist Association announces two tours of the beautiful island of Puerto Rico under escort through and around the island by rail, carriage, automobile and boat. Special Pullman cars leave Chicago Thursday, January 17 and Thursday February 14, at 9:30 a. m., connecting with the splendid new steamships Ponce and San Juan sailing from New York the second day following. Individual tickets sold for other dates, alternate Saturdays. Tickets include all expenses everywhere. All railway, steamer and sleeping-car fares, meals and berths on steamers, meals on dining car, hotel bills in New York and Puerto, all transfers, carriage rides in the cities and through the island, guides and interpreters are included in the tickets. There are no extras. Tours are under the direction of Reau Campbell, General Manager, A. T. A., 1423 Marquett building, Chicago. Itineraries, maps and tickets can be had on application to the agents of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul R'y.

**Tour of all Mexico.**  
 In Pullman's finest compartment Drawing Room, Library, Observation and Dining Cars—all vestibule—with the celebrated open top car "Chillitli" for observation in the Mountains and canons and dining car in the Tropics. A delightful trip of 38 days with three Circle Tours in the Tropics of the south of Mexico and a Visit to the Ruined Cities. All exclusive features of these itineraries of leisurely travel and long stops—The special train starts Tuesday, January 22, from Chicago. Tickets include all expenses everywhere. These select limited parties will be under the special escort and management of the American Tourist Association, Reau Campbell, General Manager 1423 Marquett Building, Chicago. Itineraries, maps and tickets can be had on application to Agents of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul R'y.

**Sycamore and Genoa Stage.**  
 Leaves Genoa postoffice daily, except Sunday, at 9:00 a. m. for Sycamore; returning, leaves Westgate Feed Stable, Sycamore, at 4:00 p. m., arriving in Genoa to connect with train going west.  
 ELLIS CONFER.

**Public Sale.**  
 The undersigned having dissolved partnership and being desirous to dispose of their stock and farm implements will sell at Public Auction on the farm belonging to E. H. Olmstead, situated 2 1/2 miles east and 1/2 mile north of the village of Genoa and 1/2 mile south of H. A. Kellogg's farm on Thursday February 14th 1901, commencing at 10:30 a. m., the following described property to-wit:  
 22 choice young dairy cows, new milkers,  
 5 Fat cows,  
 4 Two year old heifers with calf,  
 1 Durham bull two years old,  
 1 Durham bull one year old,  
 4 Yearling heifers,  
 15 Choice Poland China brood sows with pig,  
 1 Poland-China boar,  
 40 choice cows,  
 1 Standard corn plaster with check rower, 1 broad-cast seeder with shovels, 1 disc pulveriser, 1 Rock Island hay-loader, 1 Challenge feed grinder, 1 Clipper feed grinder, 1 Buckeye feed cutter, 1 Smalley tread power, A lot of corn fodder, 5 acres of corn in shock and other articles too numerous to mention. A free lunch at noon.  
 TERMS OF SALE:—All sums of \$10 and under, cash. On all sums over \$10 one year's credit will be given on good approved notes bearing six per cent interest from date of sale. 3 per cent discount on all sums entitled to credit. No property to be removed until settled for.  
 Wm. Bell, E. H. Olmstead,  
 Auctioneer. W. T. Wood.

# MAKE HAY While the Sun Shines.

Do not wait until you need your farming tools, twine, oil, harness-oil, harnesses and other material. Now is the time of the year when we are bound to make you better prices than when the rush is on. Step in and look over our warehouse. We will be glad to show you around and for figures, we will do the proper caper.

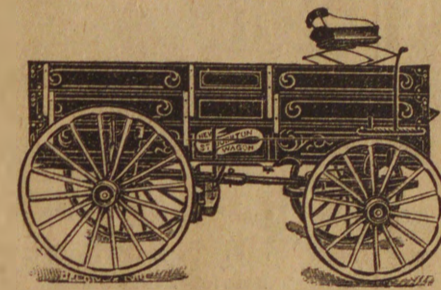
## Sewing Machines

We sell the Light Running, Ball Bearing Wheeler & Wilson of which we have sold a great number in the past three months. This is the only machine that will give a lady real pleasure all her life to sit down to and operate. Come in and we will be pleased to show you how nicely it will stitch, hem, fell, bind, braid, ruffle, tuck, darn, patch, hemstitch, etc., etc.

### \* Wagons. \*

Of this line we will continue to handle the well known and famous

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made by the well known Stoughton Wagon Co., of Stoughton, Wis., and is without doubt the best made wagon on the market, fully warranted in every detail. We can fit you out in any sized gear or wheel, with or without boxes and other equipment.

### Engines.

We sell the Stover Gasoline engines, mounted or stationary. This is the power that is best adapted to general purpose on the farm or in the factory, and is cheaper, safer and more reliable. Let us show you one.

### \* Buggies. \*

We have a stock of high grade buggies that we are prepared to say cannot be duplicated in price for the same quality of goods.

### \* Harness. \*

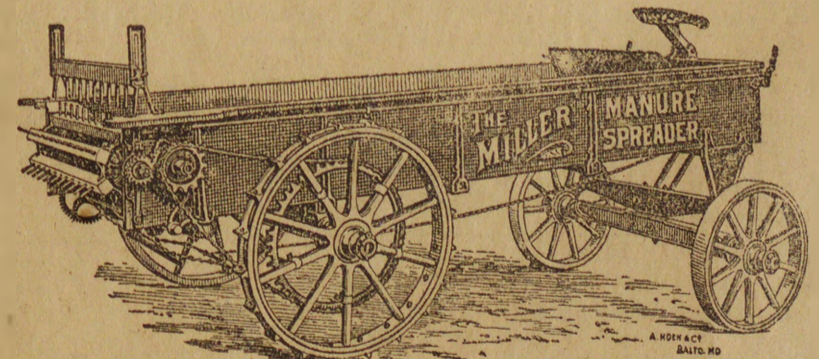
Our harness department is the most complete to be found any place east of Mogadore, and the best goods for the money.

### \* Coal. \*

We keep constantly on hand a supply of the very best grades of hard and soft coal, and our prices are for the fuel delivered in your bins.

We are still prepared to supply our patrons

## Miller Improved



### Manure Pulverizer and Spreader.

This is the machine that has been so much admired by many of our farmers for its efficient work and ease of operation. See it.

# Cohoon & Stanley, Genoa, Illinois.