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PALATINE LOCALS.

A. G. SMITH, LOCAL EDITOR

Has winter come at last?
Christmas next Saturday.
Get your hair cut at Henry Bayer's.
Mrs. Albert Bennett is very sick.
Lecture in Methodist church Monday night.
Pure cider vinegar 15 cents per gallon.
L. PECK.
Sam Snyder has been confined to the house this week.
Don't wait for a bill before paying your subscription for 1897.

Alex. Birss of Chicago visited his parents in this place this week.
A little son arrived at the home of Alderman H. W. Meyer Tuesday.
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Henry Mundhenk and family have moved into his father's house.
Miss Stewart of Chicago is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith.

The storekeepers have their windows nicely decorated with Christmas goods.
Mrs. Frank Wilson will have a choice lot of home-made candies, taffy, etc., for the holiday trade.

John Rudolph will give a dance in his hall next Friday evening, Dec. 24th.
Comfort & Co. have their machinery nearly set up, ready for use in their new grist mill.

Fred Blum has returned from Minnesota, where he has been employed the past year.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith visited friends in Chicago Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Gertrude Lytle visited her sister, Mrs. F. E. Hawley, in Barrington Saturday and Sunday.
Peter Hartlett attended the funeral services of his sister-in-law's father at Woodstock Sunday.

A good camera is a nice Xmas present. Call at Mosser's and see how cheap you can buy one.
Mrs. Oliver Gibbs of Minneapolis is here on an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Converse.

THE REVIEW will give you all the news of western Lake and Cook counties. Only \$1.25 a year.
The various churches have made extensive preparations for Christmas exercises to be held on Christmas Eve.

Mrs. Kate Swick and son, Hudson, drove over from Dundee Monday and spent a few days with friends here.
Mr. Shaddle of Prairie View, father of Mrs. Chas. Nichols, is very sick with cancer of the stomach and is not expected to live.

Richard Taylor's little friends gave him a surprise last Friday evening. The little folks enjoyed their usual good time and placed away a quantity of edibles before going home.
One of our clerks in one of our stores understands that the local championship for wrestling is claimed by a resident, and would like to meet him in the near future.

Chas. Henning and Miss Hannah Reuter were married at the home of the groom's parents west of Palatine. The bride has been living with her parents near Dundee.
Thursday night was ladies' night at the Athletic Club, and our readers can rest assured that the ladies had their usual good time, and that the boys enjoyed the task of entertaining.

An illustrated lecture on India, China and Corea, conducted by Miss Spangler of Indiana and Miss Frances Butcher, sister of Rev. J. C. Butcher, will be given in the Methodist Church Monday night. Admission 10 cents. Be sure to attend.
Palatine's wealth must be "found abroad" if the number of solicitors for charitable purposes count for anything. Scarcely a week passes but

that some one comes into the office for a donation for some "worthy cause" in Chicago.

Palatine Lodge No. 314, A. F. and A. M., will install its new officers tonight, as follows: Albert Bentler, M. A.; Robt. Mosser, S. W.; W. J. Filbert, J. W.; H. C. Matthei, Treasurer; F. J. Filbert, Secretary; M. Swick, Tyler.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in the Barrington postoffice Friday, Dec. 17, 1897:

Mrs. Minnie Kelly, George Kildan, Charles M. Holmes, Oltendorf Bros., Markel Bros.

H. K. BROCKWAY, P. M.

SPRING LAKE.

W. H. Heath held an auction Thursday.

A. H. Klien lost a valuable cow Monday night.

A. Forn was a Carpentersville caller Friday of last week.

A. Dworak had a number of turkeys stolen last week.

Gus. Goldman of Algonquin called on his brother, Fred, Sunday.

Miss Mary Crawford of Marshall, Wis., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Gibson.

Milk Inspector Ketchum of Algonquin called on some of his patrons one day last week.

Geo. Foreman and Fred Hawley of Barrington were callers in this vicinity Tuesday.

Recitals.

J. I. Sears will give the following recital, assisted by the Junior and Senior Classes at his home in Barrington, Monday, December 20th, 1897, at 3:45 and 8 o'clock respectively:

Junior Class Program.

Piano Duett.....Stark
Miss Lydia and Willie Sott.
Piano Solo.....Kehler
"Juvenile Waltz"
Master Roy Waterman.
Piano Solo.....St. Croix
"Barcarolle"
Miss Clara Lageschulte.
Piano Solo.....Howard
"Little Pet Schottische"
Miss Florence Peck.
Piano Solo.....Wyman
"Sparkling Dew"
Master Charles Thorp.
Piano Solo.....Talcott Lake
"Gavotte"
Miss Madge Bennett.
Violin Solo, No. 1.....Weiss
"Lauterbach"
Miss Sadio Bloeks.
Piano Solo.....Brown
"Lauterbach"
Miss Rose Lageschulte.
Piano Solo.....Francis
"Peeping Star Polka"
Master Willie Kirby.
Piano Solo, No. 8 and 10.....Kehler
Miss Virginia Purcell.

PART II.

Piano Solo, Waltz, "Little Maiden".....Holst
Miss Gertrude Kitson.
Piano Solo.....Bouse
"Belle of the Prairie"
Master Walter Lageschulte.
Piano Solo.....Louis Meyer
"Polka"
Miss Maud Meyer.
Piano Solo.....Bellak
"Weazel Waltz"
Master Elery Thorp.
Piano Solo.....G. Reynolds
"Thauperlin"
Miss Beulah Otis.
Piano Solo.....Benedetti
"My First Piece"
Master Verne Hawley.
Duo.....Violin, Clarinet and Piano
Master Fred Boehmer, Herbert Plagge and J. I. Sears.
Piano Solo.....Bellak
"No One to Love"
Miss Jeanette Thorp.
Piano Solo.....Frade
"Polkette"
Miss Gladys Lines.
Piano Solo.....Bohm
Bohm'sches Staandchen.
Miss Berenice Hawley.
Piano Solo.....Verner
"Gay Life"
Master Chester Catlow.
Piano Duett.....
Miss Lydia Sott and J. I. Sears.

Senior Class Program.

Piano Duett.....Grieg
"Day Break"
Miss Lydia Robertson and J. I. Sears.
Piano Solo.....Smith
"Starry Night"
Miss Luella Plagge.
Piano Solo.....Mason
"Rustic Dance"
Miss Nellie Lines.
Orchestra.....
Piano Solo.....Julia Rives King
"Bubbling Spring"
Miss Edith Cannon.
Violin Solo.....Dancia
Theme de Weizel.
Mr. Sanford Bennett.
Piano Solo.....Delahaye
"Columbine"
Miss Grace Lowell.
Piano Solo.....Haydn
Sonata, No. 11.
Miss Myrtle Robertson.
Violin Solo.....Eulenstein
"Slumber Song"
Mr. Frank Meyer.
Piano Solo.....Dohler
"Nocturne"
Mrs. S. S. Hageman.
Piano Solo.....H. C. Verner
"Gavotte"
Mr. E. L. Wilmer.
Piano Solo.....Leyback
"The Bat"
Miss Helen Waller.
Piano Solo.....Paradies
a. Toccatu, Op. 64, No. 1
Chopin
Miss Millie Mitchell.
Piano Solo.....Leyback
Les Rameaux.
Orchestra.....

WAUCONDA.

John Ladd made a trip to Waukegan Sunday.

Attend the dance at the Oakland, Christmas Eve.

"Lawn" Webster made a trip to the city Saturday.

N. M. Howard made a trip to Crystal Lake Tuesday.

Dr. Beseley of McHenry was a caller in our village Monday.

Jos. Wragg of Chicago is spending a few days in our village.

Geo. Hapke of Waukegan is visiting with relatives in our village.

E. A. Golding transacted business in Waukegan a few days last week.

J. Grey, after spending the past few weeks in Chicago, returned home Friday.

Arthur Cook and Joseph Haas were Waukegan visitors Thursday of last week.

Mrs. C. L. Pratt went to the city Monday to spend a few days with relatives.

There will be a turkey shoot and raffle at the Boat House from Dec. 24 to Jan. 1.

Miss Rogers of Wheaton is the guest of Miss Della Hammond at present writing (Thursday).

Mrs. J. S. Reynolds returned home Tuesday after a short visit with relatives in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Freund were called to Johnsbury Sunday by the serious illness of the former's mother, Mrs. Freund.

Daniel Slipper, who has been spending the past few weeks at Libertyville, returned to our village Monday.

Merritt Clark returned from his North Carolina trip Monday. He reports a fine country, and expects to return in the spring.

Mrs. Bangs, who has been spending the past week in our midst, returned to Chicago Monday, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Glynn.

We are pleased to see Richard Baseley about again. His wrist is healing rapidly, and we hope it will soon be well.

Geo. Kern came out from Waukegan Wednesday to spend a few days in our village. He reports Waukegan to be a dull, lonesome place, and he prefers Wauconda.

Mrs. Bessie Comstock came out from the city last week to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Blanck.

Don't forget to dance the old year out and the new one in at the ball to be given by the firemen at the village hall on New Year's Eve, December 31.

The W. B. B. C. will give a dance at Oakland Hall Christmas Eve, Dec. 24. Good music will be in attendance, and all who enjoy a social dance should attend. All are cordially invited.

C. Mortimer Barclay is again at work in the Leader office. He was employed by Editor Carr last winter but since Apr. 14th has been with the B. E. Wallace show and will probably accompany it on the road in 1898.

E. K. Kelly of Elgin opened his dancing school Wednesday evening, and the way he conducted his class shows that he is a very able man in his line of business. The attendance was not as large as was expected, but, no doubt, next Wednesday evening there will be a large increase. Everybody come. You are missing the chance of a lifetime. The tuition is but \$5 for a term of 12 lessons.

Officers were elected by the M. W. A. Camp Tuesday evening, which resulted as follows: Consul, G. C. Roberts; W. A., M. S. Ford; E. B., E. Green; Clerk, J. B. Turnbull; Escort, F. L. Carr; Watchman, W. Harris; Secretary, H. Hicks; Physician, J. Dawson; and Manager (3 years), R. C. Hill. The woodmen now have the privilege of reletting their hall except for roller skating or auction room, having leased the same for a term of five years.

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Christmas Gifts

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Holiday Shoes

Our Shoe Department contains the most stylish styles in Ladies' Fine Shoes. Our shoes are made to fit the feet, and are comfortable to wear. We sell them at \$1.65, \$1.85, \$2.00, \$2.50, up to \$3.00 a pair.

Men's Shoes

We sell the W. L. Douglas' Men's \$3.00 Shoe. Try them.

Holiday Slippers

We are offering a nice line of Men's Slippers very cheap—95c, \$1.15, to \$1.50 a pair.

Big Display in

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Barrington

FROM GLOOM TO SUNLIGHT

OR THE USURER'S DAUGHTER.

BY CHARLOTTE M. BRAEME.
INTERNATIONAL PRESS ASSOCIATION.

CHAPTER I.

THE time was noon of a brilliant June day, the place a gloomy office in a London court, which belonged to Arley Ransome—a square room that contained tables covered with deeds and papers, iron safes securely fastened, shelves filled with works on the British law and constitution, bill files that could literally hold no more, maps of different estates lying carelessly open, large inkstands, pens and sheets of blotting paper.

Pen in hand, his keen, shrewd face full of deep thought, the owner and occupier, Arley Ransome, sat at the square table, a large parchment deed spread open before him. He read on, the lines of his face relaxing until a cold, satirical smile curled his lips. He started as though half alarmed when his clerk, opening the door of the room, suddenly announced:

"The Earl of Caraven, sir."

"I am ready to see him," was the reply. But before the earl entered the lawyer quickly folded up and put away the deed that had engrossed his attention.

"Am I too soon?" asked a mellow, indolent voice.

Arley Ransome looked up with a smile at the speaker.

"No, my lord; I was expecting you."

"It is something after the fashion in which a spider expects a fly," said the young nobleman. "There is one thing to be said, I am a perfectly resigned fly. I know that evil hours await me, and I am prepared for them."

The clerk placed a chair, and, at a signal from his master, quitted the room; but the Earl of Caraven declined the proffered seat. He stood by the mantel piece leaning with careless grace upon it.

"It is not the thing to smoke in a lawyer's office," he said, "but I must ask permission to do so. I shall derive some kind of comfort from it."

Arley Ransome bowed, and the Earl of Caraven applied himself to the task of selecting and lighting a cigar.

"I suppose," he said, "that I should furnish an excellent moral as a lesson for all bad boys."

"You would form an excellent warning, my lord," was the grave reply.

"It is the same thing. And now I am prepared for the worst. What is it?"

Arley Ransome looked at the speaker. There was something of admiration, of pity and of contempt in the long, lingering glance of those shrewd eyes; yet he could not have



UTTER IRRETRIEVABLE RUIN.

looked at a comelier face or figure than those of the young earl.

"Now, Mr. Ransome," he said, at last, with haughty impatience, "there is no need, figuratively speaking, to keep the ax suspended over my head; tell me the worst at once."

"The worst, my lord, is utter, irretrievable ruin—ruin so complete and so entire that I do not see a chance of having even one shilling from the wreck."

The earl listened quite calmly; his lips, half hidden by the fair mustache, grew a trifle paler—but there was no flinching in the handsome, haggard face.

"Utter ruin," he repeated. "Well, as they say in bonny Scotland, 'you cannot both eat your cake and have it.'" "True, my lord," assented the lawyer.

"I have eaten my cake," continued the young man, "and I do not deny that the taste of it is bitter enough in my mouth—it has turned to ashes; it's Dead Sea fruit. Still, it is eaten, and there is an end of it."

"It is eaten, indeed," said the lawyer.

CHAPTER II.

HE spoke calmly, as though he were arranging some plan of travel. Arley Ransome looked admiringly at him.

"How this blue blood tells!" thought the lawyer. "Some men would have cried and moaned, would have asked for time and for pity. He faces ruin much as his ancestors faced death on the battlefield." Then, seeing the earl's eyes fixed on him, he said, "It is a sorry ending, my lord."

"Yes, a sorry ending for the last of the Caravens. My poor father called me Ulric, after one of our ancestors who saved a king's life by his bravery. I have not been a worthy descendant of the Ulric Caraven who received in his own breast the sword meant for his liege lord."

Arley Ransome looked at the calm, handsome face.

"You do not seriously mean that you will take your own life, my lord?" he interrogated.

"It seems to be the only thing left for me to take," replied the earl; "I have lost everything else."

"Will you listen to me, Lord Caraven—listen in patience? I have something to say."

The earl laid down his cigar. The lawyer was so earnest, so intent, that he carried the other's weaker will with him.

"I have worked hard all my life," said Arley Ransome—"worked as few men have ever done before—from sunrise to sunset, and often through the long, silent night. I have worked because I love money—because I am ambitious; because I have had an end in view. You know, my lord, that, besides practicing as a lawyer, I have been, and am now, a money-lender; it is no news to you that I advanced the mortgage money on Ravensmere, and that, unless you can pay it, the estate becomes mine."

The earl's pale, handsome face flushed.



"HEAVEN HELP THEM."

ed hotly. It was hard to picture his grand ancestral home in the plebeian hands of a money lender.

"There is, as Milton says, 'a lower depth,' and Ravensmere will fall into it," he said.

"It becomes mine," continued Arley Ransome. "The castle, the estate, the plate, the pictures—they are all mine. Now listen, my lord, I have made a fortune—you inherited one, I have made one."

"You might well do so, lending money at a hundred per cent."

"Never mind how it has been made—I have made it," said the lawyer; "and my fortune amounts to two hundred thousand pounds."

"Heaven help those by whom you have made it."

"It has been honestly made. You have gambled, my lord; I have speculated—and my speculations have all turned out well. I have two hundred thousand pounds, and—I have a daughter." His voice sank, as though he were somewhat ashamed of his words; then he continued: "I have made money because I love it; I want to make a position because I am ambitious. Would to heaven that I had a son! I have spent my life toiling in these gloomy offices; hope has brightened them. Would to heaven that I had a son to carry out my dreams, my hopes, my plans. If I had a son to succeed me, my lord, I would foreclose at once and make him master of Ravensmere."

"Thank you," interposed Lord Caraven.

"I have a daughter, and she must take the place I would fain have given to my boy. My lord, I make you this offer. You are a ruined man—you tell me there remains for you no hope, nothing but death. Now, I will give you life, liberty, wealth. I will make you greater than any of the Earls of Caraven have been yet. I will give my daughter's dowry of two hundred thousand pounds if you will marry her."

Lord Caraven lost his self-possession for half a minute; then he proudly said: (To be continued.)

Then She Took Him In.

He (looking out of the window)—"It's so bright and cheerful within and so cold and gloomy without." She—"Without what?" He—"Why, without you, dearest."

CONGRESSIONAL RECORD.

Condensed Report of the Doings in Senate and House.

PENSION BILL IS PASSED.

The Measure Provides for an Expenditure of \$141,263,880—Mr. Dingley Confident of the Success of His Tariff Bill.

Thursday, Dec. 9.

The house in committee of the whole entered upon the consideration of the pension appropriation bill. It was admitted on both sides of the house that the \$140,000,000 carried by the bill for pensions would not cover the expenditures, but as congress would be in session Mr. Cannon said it would be easy to make good any deficiency that might occur.

Mr. Allen (dem., Miss.) produced figures showing an estimated deficit for the next year of \$72,000,000. Mr. Norton (dem., O.) charged that Commissioner of Pensions Evans had advocated a law that would hereafter cut off the widow and the orphan. Messrs. Myer (dem., Ind.) and Campbell (dem., Ill.) submitted brief remarks in favor of liberal pensions.

The senate did a considerable amount of business, although no very important measures were considered or passed, and there was very little debate. Mr. Carter, chairman of the census committee, secured unanimous consent for the consideration on Monday next of his bill providing for the taking of the federal census in 1900. The senate adjourned until Monday.

Friday, Dec. 10.

The house passed the pension appropriation bill without amendment and adjourned until Monday. As passed the bill carries \$141,263,880. Mr. Dingley gave a new interpretation of the estimated increase in pension expenditures. He figured out a surplus of \$10,000,000 for the coming fiscal year. The effect of the anticipatory revenues, he said, would all be overcome during this fiscal year, and that after May or June, 1898, the revenues would exceed the expenditures.

The senate was not in session.

Monday, Dec. 13.

Excepting the reporting of the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill the house did no public business.

In the senate the immigration bill introduced by Mr. Lodge of Kansas was made a special order for Monday. A bill granting to settlers the right to make second homestead entries was passed. Mr. Butler made a speech in favor of postal savings banks.

STREATOR MINERS WIN.

Illinois Operators Agree to Pay Gross Weight Scale.

After standing out for seven months for what they thought was due them the Streator, Ill., miners have gained a decided victory. The operators have agreed to pay the gross-weight scale for mining, which was adopted at the Joliet conference a few days ago. This ends the long strike in this section and will put 2,000 men at work in the next few days.

Federation of Labor Meets.

The meeting of the American Federation of Labor began in the assembly hall of the Tennessee house of representatives Dec. 13 and the room was decorated with the stars and stripes and the flags of other nations in honor of the occasion. Treasurer John Brown Lennon made his annual report, which, in part, follows: "Total income, \$21,898.27; total expenses, \$19,113.83; Nov. 1, 1897, balance, \$2,609.44; Nov. 1, 1897, in hands of treasurer, \$2,894.44; Nov. 1, 1897, in hands of secretary, \$1,009; total funds, \$3,694.44."

Refused to Grant Injunction.

Judge McClure refused to grant the state of Indiana an injunction against the Standard Oil Company's gas-wasting methods in the gas field. The case will be appealed to the supreme court, and if necessary carried to the federal courts.

Continued to February Term.

The trial of former Deputy Treasurer Perry Fair, charged with forgery and the embezzlement of DeKalb county, Ind., funds, was continued to the February term of court.

For a Colony in Texas.

Gen. Paul Van der Voort has closed a deal for land for a colony in Texas, and at least 1,000 colonists will move in soon after the beginning of the new year.

Wage Scale Not Settled.

The window glass manufacturers and workers held a conference to settle the wage scale, but no settlement was reached and the factories will not start up.

Protest Against Annexation.

Senator Hoar has presented a monster protest in the senate from native Hawaiians against the annexation of the Hawaiian islands to the United States.

Weak Stomach

Feels Perfectly Well Since Taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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CONSUMPTION

WILL GO TO THE KLONDIKE.

Enormous Rush Is Expected in the Spring.

RAILROADS ARE PREPARED.

Hundreds of Seekers After Riches Will Probably Start Without Sufficient Preparation and Will Have to Give Up Reaching the Gold Land.

A prominent railroad official, talking of the expected rush to the Klondike in the spring, said:

"There is going to be a big rush of travel to Alaska when the season opens. People are preparing to go from every state in the union, and from almost every town. There will be at least 50,000 people who will make the trip, and the crowd may reach twice that number.

"I don't suppose they will all get as far as the Klondike; many will not get beyond Portland. In a rush such as this will be there will always be persons who start out without sufficient preparation and will have to give up before they get to their destination.

"The railroads will take care of the crowds without any trouble. All the lines are bidding for the business and the trip will be made as comfortable as possible. I understand that there will be enough steamers to carry the crowds promptly."

SPECIAL SESSION IN ILLINOIS.

Legislators Meet to Discuss Six Important Subjects.

In the house Dec. 9, Mr. Guffin, chairman of the appropriation committee, reported bills appropriating \$60,000 for the soldiers' and sailors' home at Quincy, and \$1,000 to defray the expenses of defending the inheritance tax cases now pending in the United States supreme court. The bills were ordered to second reading. In the senate the three bills making appropriations to defray the expenses of the extra session were advanced to third reading.

The first week of the special session ended Friday when, after a perfunctory meeting lasting five minutes in the house and three minutes in the senate, both branches adjourned until Monday evening at 5 o'clock.

At Monday evening's session of the house bills appropriating \$60,000 to defray the ordinary expenses of the soldiers' and sailors' home at Quincy, and \$1,000 to defray the expenses of defending the inheritance cases now pending in the United States Supreme Court were passed. The senate transacted no business.

MRS. MCKINLEY IS DEAD.

Aged Mother of the President Passes Away at Canton.

Mrs. McKinley, mother of President McKinley, passed from life without regaining consciousness, at a few minutes past 2 o'clock Sunday morning at Canton, Ohio, with all her children and other immediate friends at her bedside. She did not suffer any in her last hours.

Agree to Arbitrate.

Glass-workers and employes have entered into an agreement whereby all parties agree to leave to boards of arbitration any and all questions arising during this season. This agreement will insure that no plant will be closed down until July 1.

China to Be Divided.

St. Petersburg newspapers say the absence of protests from the other powers of Germany's evident determination to remain at Kiaochow bay indicates that the partition of China has actually begun and will proceed quickly.

Milwaukee Bonds Invalid.

The issue by the city of Milwaukee of \$100,000 in bonds for the erection of a municipal garbage plant is declared invalid by the Supreme court declaring the law of 1897 under which they were issued unconstitutional.

Will Appeal to Supreme Court.

The city of Indianapolis will not abandon its fight for 3-cent fares on account of the adverse decision of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals. The case will be taken to the Supreme Court of the United States.

To Reform Primaries.

Ralph M. Easley, secretary of the Civic Federation of Chicago, has issued the call for a national conference in New York January 14 and 15 of men interested in securing primary election reform legislation.

Blanco Sends Condolences.

Marshal Blanco has cabled to Senor de Lome, Spanish minister at Washington, a request that he tender Blanco's condolences to President McKinley on the death of the President's mother.

Indiana Bank Robber Arrested.

A man giving the name of George Barnhardt has been arrested at Alliance, Ohio, charged with being one of the robbers who looted the Milford bank at Warsaw, Ind., recently.

DIDN'T LIKE TENNYSON'S HAT

Poet's Headgear Caused Gladstone to Hesitate About a Coronet.

From the London News: Did Mr. Gladstone seriously hesitate to offer a coronet to Tennyson because the poet wore a wideawake instead of a tall hat? That he did so is the gravely made statement of Tennyson's biographer, who prints the journal he kept in the Pembroke castle, where the offer was made: "The only difficulty in Gladstone's mind was that my father might insist on wearing a wideawake in the house of lords." A correspondent who called Mr. Gladstone's attention to this statement has received the following judicious reply, which the Academy is permitted to print, in settlement of the curious point of social etiquette: "The wideawake," Mr. Gladstone writes, "is, I think, made to play a part more grave than history warrants. But I do not doubt there may have been some half-jesting reference to it. Costume," Mr. Gladstone adds, "is a matter not without importance, and has given trouble to speakers of the house of commons." Perhaps Mr. Gladstone may have in his mind among other incidents the following: In January, 1871, John Martin was elected for the county of Meath, a constituency for which he sat till his death in 1875, when he was succeeded by Mr. Parnell. Mr. Martin, who had been a leader in the young Ireland movement of 1848, and had undergone a lengthened term of imprisonment and subsequently of exile, had in his wanderings got into the habit of wearing a slouch hat, to which he was determined to adhere at St. Stephen's. On taking the oath he walked up the floor of the house with this musical headgear in his hand, and was subsequently observed at the side of their chair in close converse with Speaker Denison. Mr. Martin sought the speaker's counsel to know whether he might wear in the house the slouch hat to which he had been so long accustomed. To this the speaker saw no objection, although he pointedly observed that it was the usual practice to wear a tall silk hat. Mr. Martin then said that perhaps Mr. Speaker's views would be met by his appearance in the house of commons uncovered.

LOCHINVAR IN A BUGGY.

Girl Elopes with Another Man on Her Wedding Night.

From Oakman, Walker county, Alabama, comes the story of a marriage which did not take place in the usual way. James Willingham, a prominent young farmer residing near Berry, was to have been married a few nights ago to a Miss Brown, one of the belles of Oakman. All preparations were made for the affair, which was expected to be the swell society event of the season. Willingham and four friends drove over from Berry to Oakman in buggies. They reached the home of the prospective bride's parents but a short time before the hour set for the marriage. The guests were rapidly gathered and the kitchen and dining-room presented a scene of great activity, where preparations were in progress for an elaborate wedding supper. Just before the arrival of the happy hour it was found that the bride was missing. Investigation brought to light the fact that a short time before she had quietly left the house and, having met another lover, had eloped with him. The pair drove rapidly across the country to Jasper and were married. Willingham took the matter good naturedly, but the assembled guests and the parents of the young lady were greatly shocked. However, at Willingham's suggestion the supper was served and all partook of it, none more heartily than the disappointed young man whose intended bride at that hour was hurrying to Jasper with a young farmer named J. T. Echols.

PUZZLED OVER THE HORSE.

Honor of a Scotchman While in an Unpleasant Predicament.

From the Pittsburg Dispatch: Sandy McFadyen, a Forfarshire farmer, had been spending an hour or two in the evening with a friend a couple of miles away. It was a moonlight night, and Sandy, after partaking freely of his friend's hospitality, was riding quietly home across the sheep pastures on his "guid auld mare," when they came to an open ditch which the mare refused to cross. "Hoot, awa', Maggie," said the rider; "this winna dae. Ye maun juist gang ower." He turned back about a hundred yards, wheeled round and gave the mare a touch of his whip. On she went at a brisker canter, but just as they reached the edge of the ditch she stopped dead and shot Sandy clear over to the other side. Gathering himself up, Sandy looked his mare straight in the face and said: "Very weel pitched, indeed, ma less. But hoo are ye gaein' to get ower yersel', eh?"

About the Size of It.

He—the sum of woman's happiness may be put into three words—I love you." She—And the sum of man's happiness may also be expressed in three words—"Pay to bearer."

YOU CAN'T STOP 'EM.

The Fury of an Unfettered Element Falls to Crush Them—The Fire Fiend Defied.

The news comes from Attica, Ind., of the destruction, by fire, of the big laboratory and office building of the Sterling Remedy company, makers of Cascarets Candy Cathartic and No-To-Bac, the original guaranteed tobacco habit cure. The preparations made by this big corporation are known throughout the world.

The fire broke out in one of the packing rooms on the third floor during the noon hour, and had made considerable headway before it was discovered.

The Sterling Remedy company is the principal industry of the beautiful little city of Attica, employing several hundred people, besides being affiliated with the interests at the Indiana Mineral Springs, the famous Magna-Mud Cure. The entire population was worked up to a frenzy of excitement.

Meanwhile the almost proverbial energy and presence of mind of "Hustling" Harry Kramer, the general manager of The Sterling Remedy company, was displayed. He was the coolest man at the scene. He quietly walked away, and secured a big carriage show room near by, and had all office furniture, charred and delapidated as it was, taken there. Several shipments were made the same evening from goods saved, and on Friday morning, all departments were at work in various rooms about town, while a gang of men were cleaning away the wreckage preliminary to rebuilding.

The actual damage amounts to many thousands of dollars; the loss due to interruption of business and confusion of detail is incalculable, but pluck and energy of one man will turn defeat into victory and move the wheels of business to ever-increasing speed. Nothing can stop the success of Cascarets and No-To-Bac with such characteristic force behind them.

Poultry Schools in France.

England imports eggs and poultry to the value of \$23,000,000, while France exports \$70,000,000 of the same. France has a number of poultry schools, where pupils are regularly trained in rearing fowls, managing incubators, curing diseases, etc., 30,000 chickens being hatched each season at the Gambals school. The pupils pay for their instruction, and work from 6 a. m. to 8 p. m., three of the hours being devoted to study. Scholarships are founded for the benefit of those unable to afford the tuition fee.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, price 75c. Address: Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Walking for Pleasure.

Harry Chester, the Globe trotter, is now making a tour of the south on foot, which will likely be extended to the Klondike in the spring. He sells the World, song books and pictures, and during the long evenings lectures on his travels.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c. or \$1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address: Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

Between New York and Liverpool.

The screw of an Atlantic liner revolves something like 630,000 times between Liverpool and New York.

Star Tobacco is the leading brand of the world, because it is the best.

An immense pulp mill, the largest in Maine, is soon to be erected on the banks of the Androscoggin river.

MRS. LYNNESS ESCAPES

The Hospital and a Fearful Operation.

Hospitals in great cities are sad places to visit. Three-fourths of the patients lying on those snow-white beds are women and girls.

Why should this be the case?

Because they have neglected themselves! Women as a rule attach too little importance to first symptoms of a certain kind. If they have toothache, they will try to save the tooth, though many leave even this too late. They comfort themselves with the thought that they can replace their teeth; but they cannot replace their internal organs!

Every one of those patients in the hospital beds had plenty of warnings in the form of bearing-down feelings, pain at the right or the left of the womb, nervous dyspepsia, pain in the small of the back, the "blues," or some other unnatural symptom, but they did not heed them.

Don't drag along at home or in the shop until you are finally obliged to go to the hospital and submit to horrible examinations and operations! Build up the female organs. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will save you from the hospital. It will put new life into you.

The following letter shows how Mrs. Lynness escaped the hospital and a fearful operation. Her experience should encourage other women to follow her example. She says to Mrs. Pinkham:

"I thank you very much for what you have done for me, for I had given up in despair. Last February, I had a miscarriage caused by overwork. It affected my heart, caused me to have sinking spells three to four a day, lasting sometimes half a day. I could not be left alone. I flowed constantly. The doctor called twice a day for a week, and once a day for four weeks, then three or four times a week for four months. Finally he said I would have to undergo an operation. Then I commenced taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and after one week I began to recover and steadily improved until I was cured completely. By taking the Pinkham medicine, I avoided an operation which the doctor said I would certainly have to undergo. I am gaining every day and will cheerfully tell anyone what you have done for me."—Mrs. THOS. LYNNESS, 10 Frederick St., Rochester, N. Y.



Went His Own Way.

Perry Rushing and his wife quarreled at the fork of a road near Troy, Ala. Mrs. Rushing wanted to go one way and he the other. Finally he said he would die before he went Mrs. Rushing's way. She was obdurate, and Rushing blew off the top of his head with his shotgun.

Beauty is Blood Deep.

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic cleans your blood and keeps it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets,—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

Moral, Keep Books.

Dasherly—"Awful break, Miss Scrooge made." Flasherly—"What was it?" Dasherly—"Got her Christmas presents mixed and actually sent some to the very people that gave them to her."—The Yellow Book.

Important Notice.

A man or woman of good church standing can secure position with well known house of 20 years standing to act as Manager and Correspondent in this county. Salary \$750 yearly. Address A. P. T. Elder, Secretary, 278 Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Better Than Klondike.

C. H. Shattuck of West Virginia some time ago bought a farm for \$800. Recently it was found to be rich in oil, and he sold it for \$800,000.

ASTHMA can be quickly cured by Dr. Taft's Asthma Lotion. All sufferers from this distressing complaint should write to Dr. Taft Bros., 4 Elm St., Rochester, N. Y., for a sample bottle, sent absolutely free on receipt of name and address. They are reliable.

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March 8, 1897:

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HERE AND THERE.

A Court of Honor has been instituted at Antioch with 33 charter members; of which 10 are ladies.

John D. Rockefeller is said to be \$3,000,000 poorer by reason of a mining venture in the state of Washington.

D. H. Haeger of Dundee has purchased the O'Brien farm at Gilberts. It consists of 211 acres. Consideration \$11,086.

Cases before the Lake County Circuit Court, will hereafter be tried before a jury only at the March and October terms.

The village board of Libertyville has passed a resolution in favor of a license fee of \$25 per day for auctioneers and peddlers. This resolution to be in force until January 15, 1898.

The Eleventh Annual Convention of the State Association of Supervisors, County Commissioners and County Clerks of Illinois, will be held in Rock Island January 18th to 20th.

Between 60,000 and 65,000 lbs. of milk is now taken at the Algonquin condensing factory. This is about the amount that was taken before the recent letting out of several dairies.

Farm land in the vicinity of the Yerkes Observatory has taken a rapid rise within the past two years. One man refused \$125 an acre for his farm, recently that he would have been glad to have sold for \$50 two years ago, and another is holding his property at \$300 per acre. And the telescope that brought them a fortune did not cost them a cent.

McHenry is strongly advocating the organization of an improvement association in that village. The idea is to make a concerted move toward expounding the many advantages the village possesses as a summer resort and thereby increase the number of visitors to that place yearly, besides looking after other numerous interests which would be helpful in building up the town.

In a Review of the early history of Lake County, published in last week's *Waukegan Gazette* the following was said relative to the early history of the towns of Cuba and Ela: "Amos Flint settled on section 10 in the present town of Cuba, near where Flint Creek (named after the settler) empties into Fox river. It is said by some that he settled here in the latter part of 1834, but the date 1835 is more generally credited. Hon. Geo. Ela made a claim at Deer Grove, in the southern part of the present township which bears his name."

At the forty-fifth annual election of officers of the Lake County Agricultural society held at Libertyville on Wednesday of last week, the following officers were elected for the coming year: Byron Colby, president; D. Huntington, 1st vice-president; Freeman Clough, 2d vice-president; J. M. Woodman, secretary; E. W. Parkhurst, treasurer; E. P. DeWolf, John Bonner, James Murray, E. S. Muhlke and John Austin, directors. The present indebtedness of the society is \$500.

There is a story going the rounds which a few unfortunate victims are inclined to believe is the solid truth. Two farmers who do not live over a thousand miles from Waukegan seem to have a stand-in with some of the employment agencies of Chicago. It is said that they have an understanding with the agencies that they (the agencies) may send all men seeking employment, to their farms, providing they receive one-half of the fee charged the applicant for finding the situation. The victim then buys a ticket and travels to the farm expecting to find work. The kind-hearted farmer gives him a job which usually lasts only a few hours. The fellow has probably spent every cent he had in getting the place and finds himself stranded. Two or three such unfortunates have recently applied to the police for aid.—*Waukegan Weekly Sun.*

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Just the thing for an elegant Christmas gift—a Jamestown-worsted dress at 19, 29, 39 and 49 cents; novelties in plaids at 5, 6, 9, 15 and 19 cents. We could get one-third more but that isn't our way. Novelty silks and velvets in remnants at 49, 59 and 69 cents, regularly \$1.00.

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Here the benefit is readily seen. Late purchases enable us to cut prices and if you want a jacket now is your opportunity. Note our prices: \$3.29, 4.69, 5.69, 5.98 and 6.98. Children's jackets and long cloaks in large and elegant variety; no such values ever offered by anybody. Our low prices are the actual result of large buying and large selling. See our skirts and silk waists, manufactured expressly by us and we will demonstrate to you as in the past that we are the people. Silk waists at \$1.98 and 2.29; elegant skirts at \$1.29, 1.69 and 1.98.

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You ought to see, as a matter of curiosity if nothing more, Hall Co's display of Christmas novelties. The more staple goods have been banked away, put up on the high shelves, and the long, wide center counters, three stories high, are loaded with elegant novelties at 1, 3, 5, 10, 15, 19 and up to 98 cents apiece—practical, useful, elegant. Dolls from 1 cent to \$1.39; albums, silverware, mirrors, shell boxes, in fact, everything that goes to make up a Merry Christmas. Mufflers, silk handkerchiefs, linen handkerchiefs, embroidered handkerchiefs, ranging in price from 5 cents to \$1.49. All these await your pleasure at right prices at the Dundee Cash Store.

ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE BIG STORE.

We have been talking here of the dry goods side, so called by us, but on the grocery side you will find jumping jack and tin whistles, trumpets, games, tea sets, in fact, everything that goes to constitute a Merry Christmas for little people. The prices are right—just such prices as you always get of us. A very little profit and very big sales.

SHOES AND SLIPPERS FOR THE HOLIDAY TRADE.

Every man wants a pair of slippers. We have bought them to sell to you, nicely boxed, very fancy, at 49, 59, 69, 79, 87 cents, \$1.29 and 1.69. We bought them by the case, forty-eight pairs of a kind, way out of the ordinary way of doing it for small dealers, and you can get a fit and fit your purse also. New things in warm shoes for all ages. Keep the feet warm, get warm shoes at Hall's at 25, 29, 39, 49 and 59 cents. The credit dealer can't do this. We have our usual stock, in fact, more than our usual stock of everything in the line of rubbers, felt overs, felt boots, German stockings, and right prices prevail and only standard goods. You will be interested, in our women's shoes at 69 and 98 cents, and in our men's shoes at 98 cents and \$1.13. They would bring \$1.50, but that isn't our way.

UNDERWEAR, GLOVES AND MITTENS.

In this department we are ready for cold weather. Buck gloves 59 cents, worth \$1.00—a big purchase. Children's mitts at 10, 15 and 19 cents; ladies' mitts, double, 19 cents; substantial, warm mittens for men 25 cents. Have just purchased several cases of underwear and are making prices unknown in the history of the trade heretofore. Special offerings at 12, 15 and 19 cents; full line of men's fleece lined underwear; all sizes, 49 cents. 390 samples of underwear at 19, 29 and 39 cents—half price.

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Standard prints 4 cents; outing flannel, 10 cent value 64 cents; remnants. Double blankets 49 cents; first-class thread 1 cent a spool; elastic braids, all widths, 4 cents; men's Rockford hose 12 cents a pair, wool; children's 15 cents, large sizes; ladies' hose, all wool, 19 cents. A case full of fine plated jewelry at very low prices. You want to see us on all these lines.

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In groceries we are establishing and holding our reputation of the past for best goods, lowest prices and prompt delivery. Cash always. Great saving with us. Note the prices: 21 pounds sugar \$1.00; gold dust 17 cents; Rehbock's cigars; Rehbock's cigar clippings 25 cents a pound; prunes 5 cents a pound; raisins 6 cents a pound; peaches 5 cents a pound; soda 5 cents a package; coffee 13 cents a pound, two pounds for 25 cents; apple butter 12 cents a can; citron 16

cents a pound; best bulk molasses 20 cents a gallon; jelly 23 cents a pail; hams 64 cents a pound; mixed candy 6 cents; broken candy 8 cents; mixed nuts, superb quality, 10 cents a pound. Fine assortment of candies, nuts, etc., for the Christmas trade.

Books.

We have purchased for the holiday trade a large stock of German and English books, which we are selling at popular prices. English novels, cloth, at 10, 15, 19 and 25 cents, well bound, best authors; poets, 35 cents, gift top. German novels, paper, 10 cents; cloth, 30 cents; poets, 60 cents; Volkslieder 20 cents. Children's books from 5 cents up.

OUR MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

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A GENERAL SUMMING UP.

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Faithfully Yours,
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The holidays are near at hand. You are thinking about what you will give. Could anything be as appropriate or as welcome as a piano? Encouraged by the overwhelming success of our October Clearing Sale, in preparation for the holiday trade we have placed on our floors a very large number of the Bradbury Pianos in the latest styles of cases and in all woods. Remember the Bradbury since 1854—over forty years—has stood in the first rank; that thousands are in use in every large eastern city and in Chicago; the world's greatest artists endorse them; our enormous capital—over one million dollars—and our large output reduces the cost to the lowest point consistent with standard workmanship; and that you buy direct from the maker and save all dealers' profits. We guarantee these pianos superior to any piano on the market. We also show several makes at lower prices. For those whose needs can be met with a second hand piano we offer very excellent instruments in good repair from \$25 up. Selections now may be delivered later if desired. Cash or time payments to suit your convenience. F. G. SMITH, Mfr Bradbury Pianos, J. M. HAWKHURST, Western Manager, 255-257 Wabash Ave., Chicago. Telephone Harrison 711. Factories—Brooklyn, N. Y., and Leominster, Mass.

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It will pay you to give me a call, as I will do you first-class work cheaper than you can get work done elsewhere.

ORDINANCE NO. 63.

An Ordinance for the Improvement of a Portion of Cemetery Avenue, Hough Street, Cook Street, Grove Avenue, South Limits, Russel Street, Hawley Street, Lake Street, Station Street, South Railroad Street and Main Street in the Village of Barrington, County of Cook and State of Illinois.

Be it Ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Barrington:

Section 1. That a local improvement be made within the village of Barrington, County of Cook and State of Illinois, the nature, character, locality and description of which local improvement is as follows:

That that portion of the following named Avenues and Streets: Cemetery Avenue from Main Street to Hawley Street; Hough Street from South Limits or stand pipe, to Main Street; Cook Street from Russel Street, to South Railroad Street; Grove Avenue from South Limits to South Railroad Street; South Limits from Grove Avenue to Hough Street; Russel Street from Hough Street to Cook Street; Hawley Street from Cemetery Avenue to Hough Street; Hawley Street from Grove Avenue to Spring Street; Lake Street from Cemetery Avenue to Hough Street; Station Street from Hough Street to Grove Avenue; South Railroad Street from Main Street to Cook Street; Main Street from Cemetery Avenue to the German Cemetery shall be improved by laying water pipes, hydrants, valves, boxes and stop gates, and otherwise improved, in the manner following, that is to say:

The cast iron pipe to be used shall be of the best quality and of the sizes and weights shown in the schedule. Each length must be twelve feet, exclusive of the bell, and shall have been tested at the foundry to a hydrostatic pressure of 300 pounds per square inch, and certificates of which test shall be furnished the Board of Local Improvements for all the pipes furnished for the system.

The pipe must be of uniform thickness and cast on end and shall have been immersed in a bath of Dr. Angus Smith's patent coal tar varnish.

All pipe shall be subjected to inspection before being laid, but such inspection shall not be held to mean an acceptance of the material, inasmuch as the whole distribution system shall be subject to a final test of a pressure of 150 pounds per square inch after it shall have been completed; said test being registered by a water gauge, the test being made at the expense of the contractor. Any length of pipe falling short of 3 per cent of the schedule weight, shall be rejected and no allowance shall be made for extra weight. Each length of pipe shall have its weight marked upon it in white paint. The special castings are subject to the same requirements as the cast iron pipe in quality, pressure, thickness and marking. Should any pipe or casting show a defect within sixty days after the final test then the contractor shall at his own expense remove such defective casting or pipe and replace the same with a perfect one.

The Board of Local Improvements shall reserve the right to increase or decrease the amount of pipe or casting named in the schedule without changing the price rate per foot, at which the contract is taken, providing the same is done before shipment. The amount of pipe required shall be determined by the street location of the Distribution System, as shown on the drawing. All pipe shall be laid uniformly twelve feet to the North or twelve feet to the West of the center line of the street except where marked otherwise on map.

LAYING AND CAULKING.

The trenches shall be open at the depth indicated by the Board of Local Improvements; and in no case shall the depth be less than will permit a covering to the pipe of five feet, unless otherwise ordered by the Board of Local Improvement. Should the depth of cutting exceed that which is necessary for such covering, the extra cutting shall be allowed and paid for in excess of the contract price, provided the average excess of the depth for the entire cut will exceed three inches. A corresponding reduction shall be made where there is a like deficiency in the cut.

Danger signals shall be placed during the night at such places as may be directed by the Board of Local Improvements, and the greatest care must be taken at all times to insure the public against accidents in consequence of the opening of the trenches. Pipes shall be lowered into the trenches in such a manner as to prevent any injury or breakage.

Each length of pipe must be known to be clear of dirt or debris of any kind before lowering it into trench, and the hubs and spigot ends shall be well wiped before entering or yarning. The pipes shall be evenly and properly bedded before running and caulking, and must not be moved after having been caulked. All joints must be hard driven with strands of clean hemp yarn, and driven so as to leave a uniform space of one and one-half inch to 1 1/2 inch for lead in 4 inch and 6 inch pipe, and 2 inch for 8 inch and 10 inch pipe.

LEAD.

The lead must be of a good quality and free from excessive dross when overheated. All joints shall be filled at one pouring and no "cold shuts" will be permitted.

The lead must be driven and most thoroughly compacted until it will drive no further, and when the joint is so finished the lead face shall be

smoothly finished and shall be flush with the bell.

The filling of the trenches shall follow closely upon the laying of the pipe. The first earth shall be compacted to the elevation of the axis of the pipe, and the balance filled by shovels or team and scraper, providing the substance does not contain stones of sufficient size to injure the pipe when thrown in the trench loosely. All residue earth shall be heaped over the trench in anticipation of the settling. All open ends of pipe in place shall be plugged and stopped up during the night, or when work is not in progress.

When streets are macadamized or gravelled the same shall be thrown on the working side of the trench and the lower earth on the opposite, and when the filling is done, shall be placed on top of the back-fill in such a manner as to permit the street to be left in as good condition as before, when full settlement of earth shall have taken place.

All cross walks shall be left in place so far as practicable, or, if disturbed, shall be immediately replaced after the pipe is laid and left in as good manner as before being disturbed.

The contractor shall maintain the Pipe System in perfect order for the period of sixty days from the date of the final acceptance, and shall repair all breaks, leaks, or other defects at his own expense during such time or until the system is found to be in perfect repair and acceptable to the Board of Local Improvement.

HYDRANTS.

The hydrants must be of the very best quality, and guaranteed to stand a test of 150 pounds per square inch, each to have 2 1/2 inch nozzle. Every part must operate with perfect ease and freedom and all working parts to be made of brass or bronze metal of a durable quality. The free waterway shall be of a capacity of at least fifteen (15) per cent greater than the combined area of the nozzles of the hydrant. They shall be made of a length suitable for a five foot covering of the pipe connection. The parts of the hydrant must be easy of access and admissible of a minimum cost for repairs.

The drip must operate freely and certainly. The hydrants will open to the left. The nozzles shall be of the same thread as those used in the city of Chicago; four keys shall be furnished by the contractor, and the contractor shall keep all hydrants in repair for a period of one year after acceptance of the work; provided in each case the damage was created by any defects in manufacture, or before the same were set in place.

All hydrants shall be placed as located on the map, or as determined by the Board of Local Improvement, and shall be set on a pocket of at least 3 cubic feet of coarse gravel or crushed stone, to permit of rapid drip.

VALVES.

The valves shall be made of first-class materials. They shall be of double disc gate pattern, brass mounted hub and nut, and shall open by turning to the left. They shall be subjected to a pressure of 150 pounds to the square inch. The contractor shall be required to keep said valves in good working order for a period of one year under the same stipulations as for hydrants. Two valve wrenches shall be furnished of each size.

All valves must be uniformly set on the proper lines of cross streets and no variation therefrom of greater than one foot will be permitted.

VALVE BOXES.

The valve boxes shall be cast iron, extensible, and of suitable pattern of five inch internal diameter and sufficient for extending to a curve of five feet. Each valve shall be provided with a box.

Section 2. Said work shall be done under the direction, inspection and supervision of the Board of Local Improvement of said Village of Barrington.

Section 3. The said improvement shall be made and the whole cost thereof be paid for by special assessment, in accordance with an act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois entitled "An act concerning local improvements," approved June 14th, A. D. 1897; and that of the amount of said assessment to be collected as aforesaid, the sum of \$667.82, which sum does not exceed 6 per cent of the amount of such assessment, shall be applied to the payment of all lawful expenses attending the proceedings for making said improvement and the cost of making and collecting the assessment therefore, in accordance with the provisions of said act.

Section 4. That the aggregate amount assessed against property, and also each individual assessment, shall be divided into ten equal installments, excepting that all fractional amounts shall be added to the first installment, so as to leave the remaining installments of the aggregate equal in amount, and each a multiple of \$100.00. The first installment shall be due and payable on the 2nd day of January next after the confirmation of said assessment, and the second installment one year thereafter and so on annually until all are paid. And each of said installments, except the first, shall bear interest at the rate of six per centum per annum from and after the date of confirmation thereof until paid.

Section 5. That for the purpose of anticipating the collection of the second and succeeding installments aforesaid, bonds shall be issued, payable, out of said installments, bearing interest at the rate of six per centum per annum, payable annually, and signed by the President of said Village of

Parlor Suits, Bed Room Suits, Dining Room Suits, Etc.



Only a Different Style of the Same Make of Table Advertised Last Week.

The above cut faithfully represents a pretty and convenient a piece of furniture as was ever turned out of a factory. It is made of the best material and is equipped with roller bearing slides—the latest and best improvement that furniture manufacturers have yet adopted. By the use of these roller bearers a little child can lengthen or shorten it with ease, besides making the table last twice as long as the old style ones. The regular price of this table is \$10.75, but in order to introduce them I will sell a limited number for \$8.50. Call at my store any time next week and see them, besides I have a big line of Furniture at extra low prices.

E. M. BLOCKS, The Furniture Dealer for the People,

Undertaker and Embalmer BARRINGTON, ILLINOIS

All kinds of Furniture at Wholesale Prices.

Barrington, and countersigned by the Village Clerk, and attested by the corporate seal of said Village of Barrington. Said bonds shall be issued in accordance with, and shall in all respects conform to, the provisions of an act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, entitled "An Act concerning local improvements," approved June 14th, A. D. 1897.

Section 6. That the recommendation of the Board of Local Improvements of said Village of Barrington for said improvement, together with the estimate of the cost thereof made by the President of said Board (there being no public engineer of said Village of Barrington), both being hereto attached be and the same are hereby approved.

Section 7. That the Village Attorney of said Village be and he is hereby directed to file a petition in the County Court of Cook County, Illinois, for proceedings to assess the estimated cost of said improvement in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance, and in the manner prescribed by law.

Section 8. This ordinance shall be in force from and after its passage. Passed by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Barrington on the 6th day of December, A. D. 1897, and deposited and filed in the office of the Village Clerk of said Village this 6th day of December, A. D. 1897.

LYMAN A. POWERS, Village Clerk.

Approved by the President of the Village of Barrington, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1897.

HENRY BOEHMER, President of the Village of Barrington.

LYMAN A. POWERS, Village Clerk.



Henry Fischer, Sr., is on the sick list.

Miss Rose Shultz returned home last week.

Charley Olsen has been nursing a very sore neck of late.

Reader is your name on the gilt edge list of THE REVIEW?

H. Kern of Libertyville was observed here Monday.

G. Nikoley and wife of Long Grove visited here Friday of last week.

Mr. Engleking of Nebraska, who has been visiting here, left Sunday.

Walz Bros.—Gottfried and Gottlieb—were over from Barrington Sunday.

Don't fail to attend the grand ball at Ficke's Hall on New Year's Eve, December 31st.

We believe the marshalship star was pinned on the right man in the right place.

Now, give us good sleighing with better times, and this will be our ideal winter weather.

Wm. Buesching, H. Pepper, jr., and Wm. Bierman and wife were at Waukegan Monday.

Dr. Springwater will make professional calls here. His office will be in Kohl's house on Grove avenue.

It is either snow, rain or hail nowadays! Let's call it changeable weather, with a mixture of slush.

The meeting in the school house Tuesday evening was for the purpose of making final arrangements for the school entertainment, which will be held on Thursday evening. Principal

Hodge promises all who attend a good time.

Rev. Brown's subject to-morrow will be "Heaven and How to Reach It." Service begins at 7:30 p.m. at the town hall.

The Ela Cornet Band have decided not to have a dance on Xmas Eve, but there will be a hop on New Year's Eve in Ficke's Hall. See bills.

Fred Fischer and wife will leave for Windsor, Wis., to spend the winter with their daughter, Mrs. G. Spaulding.

Don't forget to dance the old year out and the new one in at the ball to be given by the firemen at the village hall on New Year's Eve, December 31.

A GOOD CHANCE.—For rent or sale, in Lake Zurich, a building suitable for any business purposes. Apply to H. Hillman, Lake Zurich.

Joe Dietz visited here several days. He intends to erect an elevator at Gilmer in company with A. Schwerman of that hamlet.

Only one more week before Xmas—when Santa Claus will be around with his wagon, loaded with presents purchased from the stores of our local merchants.

If you need any printing done and want it executed promptly, neatly and at a low price send it to THE REVIEW, Barrington. We get out auction bills in two hours, and give you a notice in both the Palatine and Barrington papers free.

It was said a short time ago that the "bachelor order" of this town would lose one of its stalwart members. Should this be the case the standing of the society will not be materially effected, as the membership is very large and in a flourishing condition.

There was quite a social gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Schafer last Wednesday evening. Games of all kinds were played. A very pleasant time was had. Refreshments were served, and all enjoyed themselves hugely.

THE REVIEW hopes that all subscribers in arrears for this paper will call and settle the same on or before January 1st. The little yellow label on which your name is printed will tell you when your subscription expires.

Edward C. Pagels died Wednesday night, December 8, 1897, at his home in Irving Park, at the age of 38 years. He was born in Europe, and came to this country with his parents when but a child, who settled in Chicago. Edward attended schools and graduated with high honors, and when drifting into manhood shifted for himself. In 1882 he met and was united in marriage to Miss Sophia Ficke of Lake Zurich. Three children blessed the union, two of whom are living—Grace, 14 years; Irving, 10 years. Mr. Pagels embarked in business in Chicago, and finally moved to Irving Park to reside with his family owing to his failing health. Besides his wife and children the deceased leaves to mourn his premature demise a mother, two brothers—William and Louis—and a sister, now Mrs. Waldorf. The funeral services were con-

ducted by Rev. Brooks of the English Lutheran church at 8 o'clock Sunday. The elegant casket was hidden with floral offerings by those who were dear to the departed one. The remains were taken to Waltham cemetery for interment, followed by a large concourse of sorrowing friends and relatives to pay their last respect to a neighbor, brother and comrade.

How to Prevent Pneumonia. At this time of the year a cold is very easily contracted, and if left to run its course without the aid of some reliable cough medicine is liable to result in that dread disease, pneumonia. We know of no better remedy to cure a cough or cold than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. We have used it quite extensively and it has always given entire satisfaction.—Olagah, Ind. Ter. Chief.

This is the only remedy that is known to be a certain preventive of pneumonia. Among the many thousands who have used it for colds and lagrippe, we have never yet learned of a single case having resulted in pneumonia. Persons who have weak lungs or have reasons to fear an attack of pneumonia, should keep the remedy at hand. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by A. L. Waller, Barrington, and A. S. Olms, Palatine.

All kinds of job work promptly and neatly executed at figures that will defy competition, at REVIEW office.

The "End of the Year Sale of Pianos," now in progress at Lyon & Healy's, affords close buyers an unparalleled opportunity to secure dependable instruments at almost nominal rates. In slightly-used and second-hand uprights they offer quite a choice, at prices from \$100 to \$140, and in strictly new 1897 style instruments, they offer values fully as great. You cannot afford to neglect this occasion. Easy monthly payments may be arranged. Visitors welcome. Lyon & Healy, Wabash avenue and Adams street, Chicago. A copy of the Lyon & Healy Annual for 1897, containing new popular music, free to callers.

After hearing some friends continually praising Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, Curtis Fleck, of Anaheim, California, purchased a bottle of it for his own use and is now as enthusiastic over its wonderful work as anyone can be. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by A. L. Waller, Barrington, and A. S. Olms, Palatine.

AUCTION BILLS.—Don't forget that THE REVIEW is equipped with good large, bold type, and is able to turn out work on two (2) hours' notice. The price is reasonable and each order for bills entitles you to a free notice of your sale in THE REVIEW, the best-read paper in western Lake and Cook counties.

A GREAT OFFER AT A SACRIFICE.—A Marvel camera and complete outfit; size, 5x8. This is no kodak affair. We have no use for Marvel now, and will sell it for less than one half cost. Address, Zurich Studio.

Mr. C. M. Dixon, a well known merchant of Pleasant Ridge, Fulton Co., Pa., has a little girl who is frequently threatened with croup, but when the first symptoms appear, his wife gives her Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which always affords prompt relief. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by A. L. Waller, Barrington, and A. S. Olms, Palatine.

NEWS TOLD IN PARAGRAPHS.

Minor Happenings of the Past Week.

EVENTS OF LAST SEVEN DAYS.

Political, Religious, Social and Criminal Doings of the Whole World Carefully Condensed for Our Readers—The Accident Record.

Lexington, Ky.—Hiram Shaw, aged 62, president of the Kentucky Chautauqua assembly, is dead.

Sioux City, Iowa.—John Gamba (Dem.) was elected sheriff of Woodbury county. W. C. Davenport (Rep.) will contest.

Freeport, Ill.—James O'Brien, a well-known farmer, was struck and killed by an Illinois Central train. O'Brien was in a curtained buggy.

Charleston, Ill.—W. A. Whittemere was found dead in a manger in his barn, where he had gone to feed his horses. Heart failure was the cause.

Oswego, N. Y.—Charlston Doneson, a Swede, en route from Chicago to Sweden, was found hanging in the woods near Bernhard's bay, this county.

Philadelphia, Pa.—Walter S. Walsh, head of the firm of Walter S. Walsh & Co., wholesale shoe dealers, committed suicide by cutting his throat.

New York.—Eugene S. Cashman, the street-cleaning foreman, charged with misappropriating \$30,000 in Nebraska, was turned over to Nebraska officers.

Jackson, Mich.—Edward Rogers, who was sent to the state prison for life, has been pardoned by Gov. Pingree. He killed a woman because she refused to marry him.

Indianapolis, Ind.—Mrs. D. C. Huffman attempted to commit suicide by swallowing carbolic acid. A few weeks ago her daughter killed herself by the use of the same acid.

Pana, Ill.—The grand jury has returned an indictment charging Jesse McAdams with murder. McAdams shot Frank Radmacher in the streets of Pana two weeks ago.

La Crosse, Wis.—Diphtheria has broken out here. Several of the parochial schools have been closed on this account, and it is probable that the public schools will be closed also.

New York.—James Cave, a printer of Paterson, N. J., is heir to a fortune of \$30,000 by the death of his grandfather, James D. Cave, which occurred in western Missouri, on Thanksgiving day.

Chattanooga, Tenn.—Gus Irvine, a negro was arrested, accused of robbing the grocery store of George Moore. While Moore was lighting a lamp the thief threw pepper in his eyes, blinding him.

Wabash, Ind.—A number of petrified bodies have been exhumed at Hartford in extending a street through the old cemetery. Between 400 and 500 corpses have been removed, and of these probably a dozen were found turned to stone.

Victoria, B. C.—The Western Union Telegraph Company will build an extension from Seattle to this city.

Benton Harbor, Mich.—The Buss machine works plant has been bought by the Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus railway and will be converted into car shops.

St. Louis.—It is announced that St. Louis will soon have a new hotel that will cost \$2,000,000 and that several Chicagoans and a well-known hotel man of Indianapolis will furnish the necessary capital.

Leroy, N. Y.—Judge North, as surrogate of Genesee county, has dismissed the contest over the will of William Lamson, the banker, who died Feb. 14, leaving an estate of over \$500,000, all but about \$35,000 of which was bequeathed to Yale University.

Toronto, Ont.—Mrs. Janet Carlyle Manning, sister of Thomas Carlyle, the author, and the last member of the family, died at the residence of her son-in-law in this city, aged 85 years.

Kansas City, Mo.—John Winslow, who sued the Knights of Maccabees for \$25,000 for dislocating one of his kidneys while initiating him, was awarded \$10,000 by a jury in Judge Bates' division of the Circuit court.

Fort Dodge, Iowa.—A broken rail derailed an engine and two cars of the Minneapolis & St. Louis passenger train. No one was hurt.

Richmond, Ind.—In a fit of jealousy Edward Devers cut the throat of Benjamin Reddinghouse and then fled. Reddinghouse is still alive.

Sioux Falls, S. D.—James Garrington, the man held for murdering Roy Erickson, made a confession acknowledging that he committed the deed, but alleges self-defense.

Niles, Mich.—Miss Lillie Arnold of Jonesville, aged 22, committed suicide by taking morphine. She was addicted to the smoking of cigarettes and could not overcome the habit.

CASUALTIES.

Fort Wayne, Ind.—Fire in the Olds wagon works did about \$4,000 damage.

Hamburg, Ark.—Grant Staley was thrown from a horse two miles north of town and was instantly killed.

Oakland, Cal.—Two Southern Pacific switch engines came into collision on the Oakland mole, causing the deaths of two men and seriously injuring another.

Assumption, Ill.—Harry Fleck went hunting with an old musket. The barrel burst in his left hand and tore it so badly that it had to be cut off above the wrist.

Glendale, Mont.—While coming down Lion mountain John Blennerhassett and Frank Webber, miners, started a snowslide, which killed them. Blennerhassett had a family at Lowell, Mass., and Webber a family in Shaver, Iowa.

Milwaukee, Wis.—Twenty men were buried under debris by the collapse of casthouse No. 1 of the Illinois Steel company's plant at Bay View. The seriously injured are John Heslak and Thomas Kowalski.

Marion, Ind.—M. B. Fuecker had his hands torn off by the explosion of dynamite.

Muncie, Ind.—Brakeman Fred Long, whose home was at Pulaski, Va., fell under an Erie train and was decapitated.

Gridley, Ill.—The grain elevator of W. D. Castle & Co. was destroyed by fire, with 15,000 bushels of corn and oats.

Clinton, Iowa.—Sixty square feet of the east and west walls of the new \$30,000 Economic opera house fell, carrying down half the roof with it.

Newark, O.—Robert Sheffer, aged 17, shot and killed his brother Harry, aged 13, at St. Louisville. He did not know the gun was loaded.

Bloomington, Ill.—The grain elevator of W. D. Castle & Co., at Gridley was destroyed by fire, with 15,000 bushels of corn and oats. Loss, \$8,000.

Kewanee, Ill.—Andrew Lunden of Galva, Ill., was instantly killed by a switch engine. He was 70 years old.

Auburn, Ind.—John Lahnum was caught in an upright hay baler and had his arm and leg broken.

Mexico, Mo.—A Chicago & Alton train killed a man, supposed to be Samuel H. Mayme of Princeton, Iowa.

Lebanon, Ind.—Damage estimated at \$13,000 was done by an explosion in the rear room of McDaniel & Son's drug store at Jamestown.

Springfield, Ill.—In the Wabash yards two switch engines, running at fast speed, came together. George Castle, switchman, riding on the rear step of one of the engines, was caught and instantly killed.

St. Joseph, Mo.—Fred Banker, aged 73, while stopping a runaway team, was knocked down and his skull crushed. He will die.

Mexico, Mo.—The Chicago & Alton passenger station at Laddonia burned to the ground.

Charleston, Ill.—Harry Poole was instantly killed by picking up a "live" electric light wire.

CRIME.

Mascoutah, Ill.—The shortage of E. D. Tolle, the missing treasurer of the Belleville Loan association, is said to be something over \$10,000. Creditors will lose nothing. Tolle's whereabouts is still unknown.

Toledo, O.—Dan Robb was shot and instantly killed by William Downey. Robb is alleged to have made threats that he would kill Downey, with whom he had some difficulty.

Sioux City, Iowa.—While riding with strangers from Sioux City to his farm, George Clark was beaten and robbed of \$60.

Dayton, Ohio.—"Mike" Dwyer and John Laughlin of the Soldiers' Home quarreled. Laughlin struck Dwyer on the neck with his fist, knocking him down. Dwyer's head struck a stone step and his skull was fractured. He soon died. Laughlin was arrested on a charge of murder.

New York.—Eugene A. Cashman, a foreman in the street cleaning department of this city, was arrested here. Cashman was county treasurer of Greeley county, Nebraska, three years ago. It is alleged that he suddenly disappeared and left a shortage in his accounts of between \$25,000 and \$30,000.

Rockville, Ind.—The jury in the case of Charles T. Pritchard returned a verdict of guilty. Pritchard operated a private bank at Montezuma, accepting a deposit of \$75 after the bank was known to be insolvent. The penalty imposed calls for a \$150 fine—double the amount of the deposit—and imprisonment for one year.

Antigo, Wis.—L. E. Buckman, cashier of the defunct Antigo bank, was arrested on a charge of embezzlement. It is alleged that he issued a certificate of deposit for \$2,000, leaving the interest and making the entry on the bank's books as canceled. Receiver Bergman says the shortage in the bank will reach \$13,000.

Baltimore, Md.—The residence of Isaac E. Emerson at 2500 Eutaw place, was entered Thursday night and diamonds valued at nearly \$10,000 were stolen, but the thief was captured as he was leaving the house.

MISCELLANEOUS.

San Francisco, Cal.—The steamship Moana, from Australia, due at this port Dec. 16, carries, according to cable advices, \$1,375,000 in gold. This brings up the total amount of gold sent here from Australia since August to \$11,375,000.

Huntington, Ind.—The sensational divorce suit of County Treasurer Jacob W. John against his wife was decided in the circuit court. Mrs. John filed a cross complaint and Judge Watkins granted the divorce to her. She was allowed \$1,200 alimony.

Sioux City, Iowa.—Iowa's first Christian Science church was dedicated here. Its seating capacity is about 800. It cost \$6,000 and is free from indebtedness. The local congregation numbers 600. Miss Clara Shepard, pastor here, conducted the dedicatory exercises.

Muskegon, Mich.—Gottlieb Ninneman, ex-president of the Muskegon brewery, is dead.

Denver, Col.—Samuel B. Morgan, one of the large real estate owners of Denver, died of paralysis.

Peru, Ill.—The family of Joseph Wellner was poisoned with sausage. The lives of three children are despaired of.

Moweaqua, Ill.—The Church of Zion was dedicated by the Christian denomination, the Rev. Samuel Plety delivering the oration.

Des Moines, Iowa.—Gov. Drake appointed Franklin Pratt of Waterloo successor to Judge Tollerton, resigned, in the 10th judicial district.

Toledo, O.—Dr. James H. Pooley, dean of the Toledo Medical college, and one of the best known physicians and surgeons in the state, is dead.

Springfield, Ill.—Dr. Carl Ferdinand Kuechler died at his home, aged 75. He was born in Germany and came to Springfield in 1846.

Knoxville, Tenn.—The strike in Paint Rock company coal mines at Almy culminated in the shooting of two miners, William West and James Garby.

Pontiac, Ill.—Postmaster Bradford has received word from Washington that mail-carriers have been appointed and free delivery goes into effect Dec. 16.

San Francisco, Cal.—Michael Purcell, a boiler-maker, was making some repairs inside the smokestack of the steamer Wellington at the Folsom street wharf, when six fires were started below him. He lies at his home in a critical condition.

Madison, Wis.—There will be a contest over the will of the late William Mack Pyncheon, who left his estate of \$75,000 to \$100,000 to be used for the education of poor boys in Madison, after a sister, Mrs. Mary S. Eugene, has enjoyed the income during her life.

Black Hawk, Colo.—Uranium, worth \$1,500 per ton, has been discovered near here, and the agents of a French syndicate have announced that they will buy all that can be produced, as it is much desired by the French government for hardening and solidifying gun metal and armor plate.

St. Louis.—The Mississippi river has reached the low-water mark of 1864.

Columbus, Ohio.—The State Federation of Labor has passed resolutions indorsing the proposed postal savings plan and opposing the extension of time to put safety brakes on cars.

Beloit, Wis.—Mrs. John Radmacher, who has a baby three days old, was given a drink of carbolic acid by mistake by her seven-year-old daughter and will probably die.

Upper Sandusky, O.—At a depth of thirty-five feet a vein of coal was struck on the farm of Isaac Snavely, ten miles east of here.

Dubuque, Iowa.—Prof. Charles G. Kretschmer, said to be the oldest educator in Iowa, was stricken with pneumonia and died.

Wabash, Ind.—Miss Susie Brower filed suit for \$10,000 in the Huntington Circuit court against Samuel Tyner, a grocer of Andrews, alleging breach of promise.

Cincinnati, Ohio.—John M. Newton, for many years librarian of the Young Men's Mercantile library of this city, fell dead in his chair in the library from heart disease.

Lansing, Mich.—Reports show the existence of hog cholera in fifty-one places in the state.

LATEST MARKET REPORTS.

Table with market prices for Peoria and Chicago. Columns include item names (Eye, Oats, Corn, Hogs, Cattle, Sheep, Wheat, Eggs, Rye, Butter) and prices per unit.

NEWS OF ILLINOIS.

BRIEF DISPATCHES FROM VARIOUS POINTS.

Coach Huff Is Now a Benedict—Deputies for the Diocese of Springfield—A Sensational Suit in Chicago—General Items.

Coach Huff a Benedict.

Champaign Special: Emanuel Episcopal church was crowded tonight by the many friends of the contracting parties to witness the marriage of Mr. George A. Huff and Miss Katherine Naughton. The groom is best known as head coach of the University of Illinois football and baseball teams, and has hosts of friends here and elsewhere, while the bride is a graduate of the University of Illinois, and one of Champagne's best known young women. The groom's best man was Frank H. Cornell of Chicago, a classmate and fraternity brother, and the ushers were Mr. Frank Arms of Chicago and Messrs. Dan Morrissey, Chas. Naughton and John Howard Trevett of this city. The bride was supported by two matrons of honor, Mrs. Robert D. Burnham and Mrs. Ross L. Trevett, and was given away by her father. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Dresser, using the Episcopal service. Special guests of honor were the members of the Illinois chapter of the bride's sorority, Pi Beta Phi, and the members of the groom's fraternity, Kappa Sigma. The couple left tonight for a short bridal trip, going first to Chicago.

Diocese of Springfield.

Springfield Telegram: At today's session of the diocesan convention of the diocese of Springfield of the Episcopal church Bishop Seymour delivered his annual address, which was mainly devoted to a discussion of "The Lambeth Conference and Its Relation to the Organization of the Anglican Church." The following standing committee was elected: Rev. Dr. D. W. Dresser of Champaign, Rev. Dr. Frederick W. Taylor of Springfield, Rev. Johannes Rockstroh of Belleville, Hon. Charles E. Hay of Springfield, Judge W. J. Allen of Springfield and Rev. Dr. Wakely of Jacksonville. The following deputies were elected to the general convention, to be held in Washington, D. C., next October: Rev. Frederick W. Taylor of Springfield, Rev. W. D. Dresser of Champaign, Rev. F. A. De Rossett of Cairo, Rev. J. G. Wright of Greenville, M. F. Gilbert of Cairo, Judge W. J. Allen of Springfield, Judge Thomas W. Foley of Lincoln, and Major Blueford Wilson of this city. The next convention will be held in Cairo the second Tuesday in December, 1898.

Mrs. Fione Van Schaack Sues.

Mrs. "Fione" Van Schaack, the wife of John Van Schaack, begun two suits in the Cook circuit court against Peter Van Schaack, her father-in-law. In one of them she asks for \$75,000 damages and in the other \$50,000. The suit for the larger amount is brought for alleged alienation of the affections of the plaintiff's husband. In the other the plaintiff charges Peter Van Schaack with libel. Nov. 16 last Mrs. "Fione" Van Schaack obtained a judgment in Brooklyn against Peter Van Schaack for \$65,000. The supreme court refused to affirm the decision. No declarations were filed in the suits begun. Attorney Mack, Mrs. Van Schaack's counsel, says he has a large tin case full of letters and documents of the existence of which he says Mr. Van Schaack is aware, upon which it is expected to win the suits.

General State Items.

The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad is encouraging the establishment of a beet sugar factory at Quincy. Industrial Commissioner Ross of the "Q" is said to have found one-half of the capital necessary to build a plant, and the citizens of the town will meet the proposition half-way, financially. Secretary Wilson of the department of agriculture has imported seed from the great beet producing countries of Europe, and Quincy will be supplied with a large quantity with which experiments will be made next summer.

Waukegan.—Mayor Pearce has received a circular letter from the secretary of the navy asking for bids on the proposed government armor plate plant. The bids are to be for site, buildings or machinery, either or all, and must be received by Jan. 29 next. The site is to include about 160 acres of land. There are to be ten steel buildings of various sizes erected. The factory is expected to cost over \$3,000,000 and to employ 1,000 men.

Odin.—St. Louis parties have purchased 400 acres of land on the Hurd farm here, on which it is proposed to engage in the cultivation of chicory, the roots of which are extensively employed as a substitute for coffee, and is also cultivated for feeding cattle, the blanched leaves sometimes being used as salad. Capital has been obtained to carry on the culture, the soil having been found to be well adapted for the purpose.

A CHRYSANTHEMUM QUEEN.

Miss Edith Whitney of Chillicothe, Mo., in Demand at Festivals.

From the Chicago Chronicle: Miss Edna Whitney of Chillicothe, Mo., queen of the late Topeka corn festival, whose picture and story the Chronicle printed some weeks ago, has evidently gone into the "queen" business as a profession. Since it was heralded around the country that Kansas City had refused to accept her as the queen of its corn festival because she was a working girl, though elected to it by the votes of her friends, she has filled the onerous position of queen for numerous festivals in the West. Her latest engagement in this capacity is with the chrysanthemum exhibition in the Home Products Show building in Kansas City. This is really the first time the Kansas City public in general had had an opportunity of seeing Miss Whitney, and if the crowds which visited her the day the exhibition opened is any indication she will be compelled to do as much bowing and hand shaking as a political candidate this week. The first thing that visitors ask when they come in the door is: "Where is Miss Whitney?" and there is a steady stream up the stairs. Miss Whitney stands in a handsome booth, gorgeously decorated with live chrysanthemums. Above her is draped the American flag, and the visitor may take off his hat to the beautiful flowers, the stately "labor's queen" and the stars and stripes at one and the same time. She is on exhibition from 2 to 5 in the afternoon and from 8 to 10 in the evening. All that she has to do is to look pleasant and hand out chrysanthemums to those who are willing to pay for them. Miss Whitney is not exactly a mere slip of a girl. She is very tall, but graceful withal. She has a commanding presence and is fully fitted to act as "labor's queen."

IS A SUCCESSFUL FARMER.

Massachusetts Woman Who Has Made a Fortune Tilling the Soil.

Miss Mary E. Cutler of Holliston, Mass., is one of the most successful agriculturists in that state. It is now almost thirteen years since she undertook to manage Wintrop Gardens, as her place is called, and, while she still retains active supervision of it, her hardest work has been done. She has money now with which to travel and enjoy herself, and she has so systematized the business that she can absent herself and know that everything will go well while she is away. She had been her father's right hand for some years in his struggles against rocks and weeds, which were the principal product of the land when he bought it, paying \$250 for the whole sixty-eight acres. When he died suddenly she left the little school-house where she was teaching and assumed the entire management of the place. Her brothers had left, one to become a lawyer and the other a physician in distant cities. She bought out their interests, and, contrary to the advice of all her friends and relatives, undertook to be a practical farmer. Miss Cutler was not afraid of failing, but she took no risks. At first she raised only those things that had already been grown with success upon the farm and she retained as her superintendent a man who had been employed by her father for a number of years. Affairs turned out well. The woman farmer familiarized herself with every bit of the land she possessed and studied its possibilities. She practically directed the men and worked with them when necessary and she was equally active and alert on the road and in the markets disposing of her crops.

Filling Up the Northwest.

From the Ottawa, Can., Free Press: Rev. Nestor Dmytrow, a priest of the Greek-Roman church, is visiting the country in the interest of the Galicians who have recently settled in the northwest, with, as reported, good results. He states that he thinks the result of his visit will be the emigration from the United States, notably Pennsylvania, of a large number of Galicians there, who will join the northwest settlements. They do not find the land of the free so pleasing a change from their former more aristocratic style of government as they seem to have anticipated. The movement, the reverend father thinks, will be made next spring. If this class of people and nationality make good settlers no doubt those in the states, in the mining districts, and whose proper calling is agriculture, will receive due encouragement on the part of the government, if their pastor can convince it that his flock are desirable people.

A Shrewd Parent.

"You have been very generous in buying Mabel new gowns," remarked Mrs. Cumrox. "Yes," was the reply. "I don't like that man who pays her so much attention." "I don't see what that has to do with it." "I desire to give him something to think about when I ask him if he can support her in the style to which she has been accustomed."—Washington Star.

Great Asiatic Railroad.
At a recent meeting of the English Society of Arts a proposal was broached for the construction of a railway line 2,400 miles long from Port Said to Kurrachee, on the Indian border, connecting with Agra and Bombay. The road would cross upper Arabia to Basra and skirt the north shore of the gulf and the Arabian sea to Kurrachee, and will cost \$75,000,000, on which sum it is supposed a fair interest would be paid by the traffic, although political reasons are avowedly the object of its construction.

There Is a Class of People
Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1/4 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

Equine Intelligence.
A pious Long Island editor fathers the story of a horse owned by Samuel Webb of Greenport, which, after being hitched up each morning, goes alone to the master's store; but one day when its shoe was loose it went instead to the blacksmith's shop, where Mr. Webb found it.

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Hasn't Slept for Three Months.
George W. Woodruff, of Flora, Ind., has not slept for three months. He works day and night and his general health is good.

To Cure Constipation Forever.
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My liberty ends when it begins to involve the possibility of ruin to my neighbor.—John Stuart Mill.

Iowa Farms for sale on crop payment, \$1 per acre cash, balance 1/2 crop yearly until paid for. J. Mulhall, Waukegan, Ill.

A good woman is the salt of the earth and a flirt is its pepper.

HOW TO WASH WITH EASE.

Any Woman, With a Little Experience, Can Wash Linens Satisfactorily.
That the fact of washing cannot be satisfactorily done with a scant supply of hard water and inferior soap is a fact not always understood by housekeepers, yet these inconveniences are the cause of yellow clothes, and faded garments. Strong lye soap made in the home kitchens, may have answered for the use of our grandmothers, and the cheap laundry soap found in the village stores half a century ago was thought good enough for women who had learned to make hard rubbing do the work which good soap should have done. But in this age of progress labor-saving appliances are used by intelligent women, and in no place do they count for more than in the laundry. After assorting the clothes, put the linens in a tub nearly full of hot water, and rub them with Ivory Soap, as each piece is washed, it should be wrung out, and placed in a clean tub. When all are washed pour boiling water over, and let stand until cool, then rinse, and starch the clothes. After the linens are washed, the white wearing clothes should be washed in the same way, then the colored garments taken through fresh suds, rinsed, starched, and hung on the line. When dry each piece should be taken from the line, shaken out, sprinkled, folded and laid in a basket until morning, when they should be carefully ironed. ELIZA R. PARKER.

How It Worked.
"It works this way," said the agent. "When a burglar tries to open the window this bell begins ringing and wakes you up." "Bell rings and wakes me up?" said Popper. "And it will wake the baby, too. I don't want it. Take it away. I guess you don't know that kid of mine."—The Yellow Book.

Advice to Klodikers.
"Be sure you are right—then go ahead." The newspapers are filled with all sorts of statements regarding mining in the Yukon basin; and schemes for the profit of the "stay-at-homes" are more plentiful than icicles in Dawson. The railways are trying to place before you reliable information as to the country and how to get there. The Northern Pacific is the pioneer in Alaska passenger traffic, running its trains from St. Paul and Minneapolis to Puget Sound and Portland, have by their recently issued map folder on Alaska, again demonstrated their right to first consideration. Send Chas. S. Fee, St. Paul, Minn., 2-cents postage for the latest and best Alaska map published.

Mitigation.
First Citizen—"They say the snow is often twenty feet deep in the Klondike." Second Citizen—"Heavens! But, of course, there are no sidewalks."—Detroit Journal.

No jeweler has ever been able to improve on the setting of the sun.

DAIRY AND POULTRY.

INTERESTING CHAPTERS FOR OUR RURAL READERS.

How Successful Farmers Operate This Department of the Farm—A Few Hints as to the Care of Live Stock and Poultry.



Care of Dairy Utensils.
DAIRYMEN and first-class butter and cheese and the best dairy farmers and milk dealers in general attach the greatest importance to cleanliness. They know that it is as necessary to have clean utensils in the dairy as it is to have clean milk, and that the largest profits are secured only when cleanliness is secured in every part of the work. Milk may be produced in sanitary stable by well-fed and well-cared-for cows and drawn in a cleanly manner. These conditions contribute much toward superior dairy products; but the good effects of such care are wasted unless it is extended to the utensils. When this fact is fully appreciated and proper attention is given to cleaning and caring for utensils, the quality of dairy products will be improved. A butter-maker whose product was described as of very superior flavor, being asked the secret process by which such fine butter was made, replied: "I have no secret beyond this: I am always very particular about keeping thoroughly clean every vessel with which the milk and cream come in contact." This is one of the chief things that enable one milk dealer to charge 10 cents a quart while others sell for 6 cents, or one butter-maker to get 30 cents per pound for his butter when others receive but 20 cents.

It is now well known that changes of milk are dependent upon bacteria, and the rapidity with which these germs multiply in milk has been frequently referred to in publications of this department. Bacteria are especially numerous in and around a dairy, and they get into the milk in many ways. The difficulty is to keep them out; this requires the milk to be handled in such a way that no contamination can take place. Theoretically this is easy, but practically it is impossible. It is possible, however, to greatly reduce the sources of contamination, one of the most common and inexcusable of which is improperly cleaned milk vessels. Thousands of bacteria may be concealed in a crevice so small that it can hardly be seen, and if these get into the milk they may increase more than one thousandfold in twenty-four hours. A little milk left under the rim or about the "ears" of a tin pail harbors a much larger number of germs, and their deleterious effect is correspondingly great. Improperly cleaned churns contain myriads of bacteria, which impart a peculiarly disagreeable flavor to each churning. Cheese-makers are frequently troubled by tainted milk or floating curds, and a poor quality of cheese results. These conditions are often accounted for by carelessness in cleaning utensils either on the farm or in the factory. Many city milk dealers have had like experiences. Their trouble is partly due to failure in cooling milk sufficiently to retard bacterial growth, but it is also partly due to not thoroughly cleaning the pails and cans. Some milk buyers insert special clauses in their contracts with farmers relating to cleanliness. The losses from the neglect of the matter of cleaning utensils exceed those caused by the addition of water or the abstraction of cream. Dirt in a solid or sedimentary form can easily be removed from milk, but its bad effect cannot. Special strainers, filters or the separator will make milk appear clean, but none of them can take out bacteria or the taints caused by them. A good water supply is essential to cleanliness. Clear spring water or that from a deep well is usually the best. Water from cisterns, shallow wells or streams is sometimes satisfactory, but if it is liable to be contaminated by surface drainage it is not safe. It may contain innumerable forms of vegetable life and bacteria, which are capable of causing peculiar behavior in the dairy. There is also a chance of some disease-producing germs gaining entrance to the dairy through impure water.

Hatching Ducks by Incubators.
To those who intend to use incubators for hatching ducklings, I wish to give a few words of warning, says a writer in American Stock Keeper. There are only a few kinds of incubators suitable for duck eggs. The shell of the duck egg is so porous that any incubator with a current of air passing through it is certain to use up the moisture within the egg, so essential at the latter part of the hatch. While it is necessary to have a little air, too much is worse than none. An incubator that maintains an even degree of heat and has arrangements for plenty of moisture at hatching is the only kind to rely on. After the incubator has run a few days and maintains an even degree of heat of 100 degrees at the bottom of the egg tray, I put in the eggs at sundown, as it

takes all night to warm them up. The next day I kept watch of its working, not forgetting that 100 degrees at the bottom of the tray is equal to 102 at the top of the eggs. I test the eggs on the fifth day, and remove all clear eggs, and also those whose germs have started and cease to grow. It is well to make another test on the eleventh day, and remove all eggs that have become addled. On the sixth day you can see the heart beat and the spreading of the veins through the egg. You will find in some a clot of blood and a circular vein, nearly the size of the egg, have been formed. These are of no account, and should be removed. I use a cheap tester—simply a board, a foot square, placed in front of a lantern, a hole opposite the flame, about one-half the size of the egg. The light can be increased in power by placing a reflector at the back of the lantern. A correct thermometer is of the utmost importance. No matter how good the incubator, if the thermometer is poor you will not be successful. Get the kind made for incubators, which are so constructed that the glass bulb does not touch the metal frame. Be sure that the bulb rests on a fertile egg, or you will destroy a hatch. The difference between air in the egg chamber and the register of an egg containing a live duck is at the last stage as much as five degrees. An egg containing a dead duck is from three to five degrees colder than one containing a duck almost ready to break the shell. The best place to put an incubator is in the cellar. A separate underground cellar is the best, as insurance companies object to taking risks on buildings occupied by incubators. In operating incubators successfully, an even temperature is necessary for several reasons. Letting in cold draughts of air on an incubator full of eggs is sure to kill many. I think the true way in hatching chicks is to keep your incubator closed, as a chick that cannot liberate himself is of no account. But a duckling pips 24 to 48 hours before it is ready to come out, and you are obliged to open the incubator about eight hours to turn up the pips, as the ducklings are apt to smother or drown in the slime of the egg. In an incubator full of eggs with live germs, you will find at the latter stage it is impossible to keep down the animal heat. Do not open the ventilators or doors to cool down the eggs, for you will then lose the moisture and make the shell brittle, and the inside lining of the egg will become tough. While spraying the egg is injurious, my experience and that of Mr. Rankin and others shows that it comes nearest to the correct plan, as a superfluous heat is sure to destroy the hatch. Open one door at a time, use a fine spray, and close the door immediately. In this way no chill will strike the eggs. A sudden change of a few degrees is enough to kill them.

Sweet Clover.
C. P. Dadaut, writing in the Busy Bee, says: Mellilot, or sweet clover (Mellilotus Alba) is one of the very best honey plants that grow in America. It is not a good hay clover, being too coarse for dry forage, but it is one of the very best forage plants because it grows so rank and the stock will thrive on it early in the season, but it does not stand steady pasturing. It is a biennial, growing up one year, blooming the next, and then dying. If it is protected during the first season's growth, it will make an extraordinary growth the second year. We have often seen it knee-high by May 1, and owing to its precocious growth, it is well liked in Canada, where the springs are very backward. It is a very good fertilizer, as its roots sink straight into the soil and reach to the depth of eighteen inches or more. Its advantages to the bee-keeper are very marked, for it grows in barren soil and in waste places, where it seems to thrive about as well as in cultivated land. It has been considered by many as a noxious weed, owing to its propagating without attention, but the facts are that it does not annoy, because it is easily kept down by pasturing, and it cannot reproduce itself in cultivated fields, since it takes two years to come to seed. Sweet clover produces honey of the very best quality, second to none, and it has the quality of blooming during the summer after white clover has stopped, and at a season when there is but little other bloom. Drouth does not seem to injure it, and even where it is pastured, it continues to throw out side branches that bloom profusely.

Butter Fat in Whey.—It has been claimed by some that there is no more loss of fat in handling rich milk than in making up medium or poor milk. The results of three years' experiments at the Ontario agricultural college lead conclusively to the opinion that the whey from milk rich in butter-fat contains a higher percentage of fat than does the whey from medium or poor milk. Not only is the percentage of fat in the whey higher, but the loss of fat originally in the milk is greater per 100 pounds of cured cheese when made from the rich milk.

Peach Pits.—Peach stones ought either to be planted soon after the peach is eaten or they should be kept in a moist place. It is commonly said that the shell hardens by exposure to the air, or that the germinating power of the seed is impaired. The real trou-

Protecting Strawberries.

Winter protection should, at the north, be applied about the last of November; in this latitude about December 10th or 15th. A good rule is to apply it as soon as the ground freezes hard enough for a wagon to drive over the fields without breaking through the frozen crust. The chief object in winter protection is to lessen the heaving of the soil and the consequent breaking of the roots and rootlets of the plants. The stiffer the soil the worse the heaving, and the greater the necessity of protection. The covering should not be thick enough to entirely prevent the soil from freezing, but to greatly lessen the freezing in the severest weather. Pine straw, a little less than an inch deep after it settles, is the proper depth in this latitude. It would have to be deeper in proportion as you went north. In winter protection at the north the whole ground should be covered, beds, middles and all. The varieties of material that can be used are almost endless. Where pine straw, or pine needles, as it is often called, can be obtained it is almost the ideal covering. Of all similar material it is the least likely to be blown off. Wheat straw, oat straw, marsh grass and other similar things are used. Cornstalks can also be used, but as they do not lie close a much thicker layer will, of course, be necessary. The great objection to oak and similar leaves is that they blow off so bad, which is also the case with oat and wheat straw unless they are cut up very fine. Yet such leaves and straw are often used and anchored in place by placing on them small stones or a little earth at short intervals. All available stable or barn yard manure should be used for this purpose, taking the place of other material. If coarse it can be applied quite thick directly over the plants. If very fine it will be best to use it mostly around and between the plants and to put a coarser, more open material just over the plants. The effect of too close a material over plants is to bleach and make them tender. Whatever covering is used it must be nearly all removed from immediately over the plants about the time that growth begins in the spring. The material can be left around the plants and between the rows, where it will serve the double purpose of keeping the berries clean and of conserving moisture then so essential to a good crop. Whether winter protection pays or is even advisable south of the Mason and Dixon line is uncertain. I have experimented for many winters. Some winters it did good; some winters it seemed to be rather harmful. It certainly would not be advisable farther south where crickets and harmful insects harbor under it and feed on the plants. Besides, the warmer the climate the more danger of smothering and bleaching the plants. But stable or barn yard manure is excellent in any climate if properly used. I have never known any insect pests to harbor under it. At the south it should be applied around and between the plants. Used in this way with a liberal dressing of hard wood ashes (fifty bushels to the acre can be used), or 300 pounds of kainit in place of the ashes and 300 pounds of acid phosphate, a heavy crop of fine berries will almost surely be made. The fertilizer should be applied before the manure. It is also good to use, without the manure.

O. W. Blacknall.

Vance County, N. C.

Iowa Fine Stock Breeders.
The twenty-fourth annual meeting of the Iowa Fine Stock Breeders will be held at West Liberty, Ia., December 8 and 9. A fine program has been prepared and a large meeting is expected. Some of the best known and most successful breeders in Iowa are down on the program for papers on the various phases of stock raising and handling. A good attendance should result from the efforts made. We hope that Iowa readers of The Farmers' Review will endeavor to help on the meeting by their presence. The secretary is W. M. McFadden of West Liberty, to whom all inquiries should be addressed.

Other Meetings.—The Iowa Short-Horn Breeders' Association and the Iowa Sheep Breeders' and Wool Growers' Association hold their annual meeting in connection with the general meeting of the Improved Stock Breeders' Association. The Short-Horn Breeders' Association meets in the afternoon of Tuesday, December 7, and will continue their meeting on the forenoon of December 8. The Sheep Breeders' Association will also meet December 8.

One Worn-Out Field.—There is a threat of impending danger in a single worn-out field. It shows that the wasteful methods which have made barren so many fields upon the Atlantic coast are with us here. The disastrous results are yet in the distant future, for Texas has a vast, an almost imperial domain, and her resources have been scarcely touched. But the results, though distant, are inevitable unless there be change of methods. Rotation of crops, the cultivation of crops that rest and feed the soil and the application of fertilizers must be resorted to some time, and the sooner the better.

Sorghum and broom corn seeds are excellent for a variety.

CAUSE FOR ALARM.

How baldness begins.

How to prevent it.

Every person, male or female, shrinks from baldness. It adds to the appearance of age and is a serious discomfort. The cases are rare when the falling out of the hair may not be stopped, and a new and healthy growth of the hair promoted. The hair grows in the scalp like a plant in the soil. If a plant flourishes, it must have constant attention; it must be watered regularly and find its food in the soil where it is rooted. It's so with the hair. Neglect is usually the beginning of baldness. Dandruff is allowed to thicken on the scalp. The hair begins to loosen. The scalp loses its vitality. The hair, insufficiently nourished, begins to fade and to fall. The instant need in such a case is some practical preparation which, supplying the needed nourishment to the scalp, will feed the hair, give it strength, and so produce a strong and healthy growth. All this is done by Dr. Ayer's Hair Vigor, the most practical and valuable preparation for the hair that can be obtained. It tones up the scalp, does away with dandruff, stops the hair from falling, restores the original color to gray or faded

hair, and gives an abundant and glossy growth. Those who are threatened with approaching baldness will be interested in the following voluntary statement, made by Alderman S. J. Green, of Spencer, Iowa. He writes:

"About four months ago, my hair commenced falling out so rapidly that I became alarmed, and was recommended Dr. Ayer's Hair Vigor by a druggist. I resolved to try this preparation. I have been now using it for three months, and am much gratified to find that my hair has ceased falling out and also that hair which had been turning gray for the past five years has been restored to its original color, dark brown. It gives me much pleasure to recommend this dressing."—S. J. GREEN, Alderman, Spencer, Iowa.

Those who are interested in preserving and beautifying the hair will do well to send for Dr. Ayer's Curebook. A story of cures told by the cure. This book of 100 pages is sent free, on request, by the J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

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BARRINGTON LOCALS.

E. M. Blocks was a Chicago visitor Monday.

The Y. P. M. Society will meet on January 4th.

Mrs. E. M. Blocks, who has been ill for some time, is improving.

The best and finest candles and nuts can be found at Butzow's.

Mr. Thorp of Chicago is visiting with his son, Wm. Thorp.

Get your apples for Christmas at the store of F. A. Wolthausen.

The first public school building erected in Dundee was in 1838.

George Foreman and William Ewing were Chicago visitors Saturday.

Geo. Comstock will leave next Tuesday for a business trip to Kansas.

Miss Martha Sharman of Chicago was a Barrington visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. A. D. Church is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. H. Solt at Oswego.

MONEY TO LOAN.—In amounts to suit, up to \$3,000.—M. C. McIntosh.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Wolthausen spent Wednesday with relatives in Elgin.

The meeting of the Young People's choir of St. Paul's church will be held January 2d.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brasel and son of Des Plaines spent Sunday with Mr. Brasel's mother.

George C. Pratt of Chicago is now a resident of Barrington. He has charge of the electric light plant.

Supervisor M. T. Lamey attended the Lake county supervisor's meeting at Waukegan the past week.

Fine Christmas candy 10 cents per pound up. Nuts of all varieties 8 to 15 cents per pound.

Presiding Elder Busse conducted quarterly meetings at Salem church Sunday.

Rev. Schuess, presiding elder, conducted quarterly meetings at the Zion's Church Sunday.

Xmas services will be held in the Salem church Saturday, Dec. 25th, at the usual hour.

On Christmas Day, Dec. 25th, services will be held in the Zion's church at the usual hour.

Don't forget that H. Butzow's is the place to buy nuts, candies, animal cookies and fancy confectionery toys.

The Wauconda Baseball Club will give a dance in the Oakland hall, Wauconda, next Friday evening, December 24th.

H. M. Hawley had the misfortune to injure his leg on Thursday, hence he is compelled to walk around with a cane.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Renich of Woodstock spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Renich's mother, Mrs. C. C. Hennings.

The transfer business between the C. & N.-W. and the E. J. & E. railroads at this place is unusually heavy at present.

Glass balls, tops, beads and other appropriate articles for trimming up Christmas trees can be found at Butzow's bakery.

A number of the members of St. Paul's church congregation are building sheds for their teams on the church property.

The revival services held at the Salem church for several weeks closed Sunday evening. Good fruits were born through the efforts of Rev. Suhr and his assistants.

Dietrich Engelking of Northwestern Iowa and George Hanson visited relatives at Highland Park and Northfield Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Anna Maria Gruber died on December 9th, 1897, and was buried December 11th. Deceased was born in Wurtemberg, Germany, on February 24th, 1828.

"Is it Ever Right to Tell a Lie" was the title of a debate which was furnished for the entertainment of the members of I. O. G. T. No. 920 at their meeting Wednesday evening. The decision of the judges was that it was not right to tell a lie at any time.

Christmas services and Holy Communion will be held at the St. Paul's church on Saturday, December 25th, at 10 o'clock a. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Ed Dufendach, after spending a pleasant time at the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Troyer, returned to her home in Huntingburg, Ind., last week.

LOST—A rifle, between Barrington depot, C. & N. W. Railroad, and Pomeroy's corner. Finder will receive reward by calling at J. H. Forbes', Lake Zurich.

E. W. Peterson was called to St. Charles, Ill., Monday on account of the death of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Charles Peterson, which occurred at that place Sunday. Funeral took place on Tuesday.

The Board of Supervisors of Lake County adjourned yesterday noon until Monday, March 7th, 1898. A resolution was passed providing for a bounty of five cents on crows at Wednesday's meeting.

Charles Prouty, who at one time lived near Lake Zurich, has been sued for divorce by his wife in the Elgin court. Charges and countercharges are made.

Christmas exercises will be held at the Salem church on Friday evening, Dec. 14th. Elegant Christmas trees have been secured, and Santa is expected to make everybody happy by presenting tokens of beautiful gifts.

Christmas exercises will be held at the Zion's church on Saturday evening. A good program has been prepared. Two trees will be the delight of the little ones, besides many tokens of esteem from Santa.

District School No. 9, five miles south of Barrington, will give an entertainment on Thursday evening. Admission 10 cents. Proceeds to go towards the Christmas gift for the poor and needy of the Chicago slums. "Tis more blessed to give than to receive." **THEO. SUHR.**

Dr. Clausius was called to Crystal Lake yesterday to attend John Liem-ske of Chicago, a member of the wrecking crew, who received a painful compound fracture of the right ankle at that place yesterday. Dr. Clausius accompanied the wounded man to St. Luke's hospital in Chicago.

May God's blessing and his tender, loving kindness rest upon all who in any way aided in the work of the bazaar, which was a success. "A cup of water in My name will not go unremembered." **THE DORCAS SOCIETY.**

A great many people have wondered why Ed Peters, our popular livery man, wore such a happy and contented smile and walked around town the past week as though he would like to shake hands with everybody he met. This is all caused by the arrival at his home Sunday of a big bouncing baby boy.

Don't forget to attend the leading event of the year—the second annual dance given by the Lake Zurich fire laddies on New Year's Eve, Friday, December 31st, at the village hall at Lake Zurich. Good music will be furnished. The ladies of the village will serve refreshments.

The Sunday school of St. Paul's church will celebrate Christmas on Friday evening, December 24th. Arrangements have been made to make all the young people of the congregation remember the day as the most enjoyable one held for many years.

Santa Claus is expected at the Baptist church Friday evening. All are very welcome to come and enjoy the cantata. Santa and many other queer personages will be there to greet you. Exercise will begin at 7 o'clock.

Never before in the history of Barrington have our enterprising merchants made such an effort to supply the holiday trade. They are offering an unusually large assortment of pretty and useful presents at extremely low prices. Read their advertisements in this issue of **THE REVIEW**.

"A Merry Christmas Life" is the topic of the sermon that Rev. T. E. Ream of the M. E. church will preach on Sunday evening, December 19th. The singing of the choir will be the same joyful theme. All are invited to attend.

Mrs. Ulrich has located at Lindstrom's tailor shop for one week only with a complete line of jewelry, clocks, watches, etc., which will be closed out at wholesale prices. If you want any-

thing in this line at remarkably low prices don't fail to avail yourself of this rare opportunity. Remember Mrs. Ulrich is here to-day, and will be until Saturday, December 25th.

Barrington Tent, No. 78, K. O. T. M. will elect officers Monday evening, December 20th. Every member should be present at this meeting.

FOR RENT—Five rooms in the Lamey block, suitable for residence; also store in same building. Apply at this office.

The Barrington Center M. E. Sunday school will give Christmas exercises and have an old-fashioned country Christmas tree at the M. E. church at Barrington Center next Thursday evening, December 23d. The people of Barrington are invited to attend and enjoy the services.

A discount will be given on all trimmed hats until all are sold. If you need anything in the millinery line now is the time to get it. I also have a small line of toys and Christmas goods that will be sold cheap. Orders taken for drawing work, lace, and all kinds of fancy work. Doll hats made to order on short notice. **ALTA GRETTON, Plagge Block.**

Supervisors Lamey of Cuba, Tiffany of Antioch, Thomas of Fremont, with County Clerk A. L. Hendee, were selected as delegates to the Eleventh Annual Convention of the State Association of Supervisors, County Commissioners and County Clerks, to be held at Rock Island, Ill., January 18, 19 and 20th, 1898.

The business meeting of the Young People's Alliance of the Zion's Church was held Tuesday evening, and the following officers were elected: President, Fred Plagge; Vice-President, Herman Gieske; Recording Secretary, Mima Troyer; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Amanda Troyer; Treasurer, Miss Minnie Gieske; Organist, Miss Luella Troyer; and Librarian, Ben Grey.

A movement is on foot for organizing a social club in Barrington. The idea is to rent some residence and fit it up as a club room, where the members could spend their leisure hours in innocent amusements. A great deal of interest is taken in the movement by our young people. A meeting will be held in the Howarth building, over Wagner's meat market, this evening to perfect the organization.

THE CHRISTMAS EXERCISES BY THE M. E. SUNDAY SCHOOL.—Next Saturday evening, December 25th, the M. E. Sunday school will give the best Christmas exercises ever rendered by the school. A great many children and young people will take part and no pains will be spared to make the program the very best. The theme is a joyful cantata entitled "A Good Time With Santa Claus." The public is invited to attend and enjoy the evening with the children and young people, and each one who attends will receive something from the school by way of a "Merry Christmas" expression.

Golden Jubilee.

The Barrington Baptist church congregation celebrated its golden jubilee on Thursday and yesterday. Thursday's services were well attended, especially Thursday evening, when Rev. John Young and Rev. Everett related what they remembered of Barrington and the Baptist church.

Rev. Young preached here some forty years ago in a little school house in Barrington Center. It was during his pastorate here that construction on the present church building was begun. The reverend gentleman is a pleasant and entertaining talker, with a remarkably good memory. He related how the erection of the present structure was the fruits of revival meetings held in a vacant store building, empty boxes serving as seats. M. B. McIntosh was a leading spirit of the Baptist association at even that early period.

Rev. Everett followed with some experiences that he encountered while pastor here a good many years later. He spoke in a happy vein and interspersed his interesting talk by telling some amusing incidents.

A ladies' quartette and a quartette from the M. E. church rendered some appropriate selections during the evening.

After the exercises refreshments were served.

The leading feature of yesterday morning's services was a recital of "Forty Year's of Christian Experience" by Mrs. M. B. McIntosh. It was both interesting and instructive. Having served the Master for nearly half a century she was well fitted to tell of the mercy and charity that God shows to his children.

Christmas Offerings

—AT—

JOHN C. PLAGGE'S

Toys for the Children

In this line we have an extra large assortment, among the many pretty and inexpensive articles being

FLYING BIRDS, RUNNING ANIMALS, DRUMS, GAMES, HORNS, ROCKERS, BOOKS, SLEDS, CHAIRS, ETC.

Christmas Candies

No one can give you better bargains in **PURE** candies. Price, from 10 cents per pound up.

Silk Mufflers, Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Ties, Etc., in endless profusion at bewilderingly low prices;

Christmas Trees and Trimmings

Albums and Other Plush Goods

at Sacrifice prices. We bought them at a low price and can afford to **undersell** all competitors in this line. Come early and pick your choice.

Bring the Children to see our Menagerie of Toys

JOHN C. PLAGGE,

Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Etc.

Barrington, Illinois.

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There is no holiday that is more universally observed than Xmas. It is the day to make presents. To the one desiring to make a pretty and serviceable present with but little expense, our store is the place to buy

Silk Mufflers from 49c up; Silk Handkerchiefs from 19c up; Gents' Silk Ties at 19c, 23c and 30c.

CHENILLE COVERS, MEN'S TROUSERS, TABLE CLOTHS and TOWELINGS, SWEATERS AND JACKETS, GLOVES AND MITTENS.

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Whether your family demands a whole ox or a small chicken, or a pound or two of nice steak, we can serve you in a satisfactory manner.

Our prices are only high enough to make it possible to sell the very best Meats and Poultry the markets afford, but you find them low enough to leave lots of change for many little presents.

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Fresh Home-Made Sausages,
Oysters and Vegetables in Season.
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There is nothing more appropriate for a Holiday present than good jewelry. I have an extra fine assortment of **Ladies' and Gentlemen's Watches, Chains, Charms, Rings, Mantel Clocks, Alarm Clocks, Silverware, Etc.**

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