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## PALATINE LOCALS.

A. G. SMITH, LOCAL EDITOR

Mrs. Henry Heise is improving.

August Holste entertained friends Sunday.

Market Day meeting in town hall Monday.

Mrs. H. C. Bättermann has been very sick.

George Sweltzer was out from Chicago Tuesday.

Mrs. Sprecht is living in the Umbdenstock house.

James Baker is working in a drug store in Chicago.

Attorney Willard M. Smith is adjusting the Frost estate.

Frank Hamann and family have gone to Minnesota to live.

Dr. Muffat is no better, but continues to be dangerously ill.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Knowles on Sunday, December 31, a son.

Sher & Carmel are holding a special sale for one week. See circulars.

Ladies' Bible class every Thursday at 3:45 p. m. at M. E. parsonage.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet at Mrs. F. B. Hardin's next Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Umbdenstock are visiting with the former's sister at Gilmer.

Mrs. Brockway of Albany, Wis., is spending a few days with her son at this place.

The Modern Woodmen camp will install officers and enjoy a social time this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Williams of Racine visited relatives here from Sunday to Tuesday.

The Queen Esther Circle will meet with Miss Clara Taylor on Saturday afternoon, January 20.

Rob Esterbrooks was quite badly injured in falling down the steps to the basement of the school house.

James Wilson, wife and daughter Libbie visited relatives of Mrs. Wilson's in Whitewater, Wis., this week.

Willie Schweitzer and Clarence Bennett returned from Lake Zurich Monday, as the weather is too warm to harvest ice.

Mrs. Rathack of Chicago, who was reported dead here, was in town on Tuesday to tune pianos and called on Henry Knigge.

By an oversight we forgot to mention in last week's paper that Mrs. Will Schierding presented her husband with a little girl for a New Year's present.

Parties interested in German services and Sunday school at Lake Zurich are requested to be at a meeting next Sunday at 2 p. m. Important.

J. C. HOFFMEISTER.

A farmer living near Diamond Lake came to town with a load of hogs last week, Friday, thinking it was market day. He sold the hogs and came back for market day yesterday to buy a horse.

Mr. Filbert is improving right along and is regaining the use of his right side, which has been paralyzed since his injury. He is being taught things which he has lost with the removal of part of the brain and his entire recovery is hoped for.

Mrs. William H. Hartman died on Wednesday, January 10, of dropsy. She was born in Germany on October 11, 1860, and came to America in 1881. On June 2, 1886, she was married to W. H. Hartman at Omaha, Neb. They came to Palatine about two years ago and Mr. Hartman engaged in the shoe repairing business. The deceased made many friends during her residence here and they deeply mourn her loss. Besides a husband and two sons, 9 and 6 years old, the deceased leaves two brothers and one sister in Nebraska and one brother in Germany. The funeral services will be held at the house at 1 o'clock today.

A large number gathered at the home of Wm. Humphrey on January 3 to witness his marriage to his housekeeper. No relatives were present, only the immediate friends of the bride.

Mr. Harris settled with his prosecutors last week by paying \$60. They had judgment against him for \$200 and both parties agreed to stop proceeding for payment of this sum. The case against Wilson was also dropped.

C. D. Taylor was re-elected Chancellor, C. E. Julian sentinel and A. S. Olms one of the directors of County Court of the Court of Honor in Chicago Tuesday. Mr. Taylor was also elected a delegate to the State Court.

The Palatine Gun club met Monday evening and elected the following officers: President, R. M. Putnam; Vice-president, Elmer Robertson; Secretary, Will Mosser; Treasurer, Robert Mosser; Captain, H. Schierding.

## Mrs. Henry Prehm.

Mrs. Henry Prehm died at her home in Palatine last Sunday of acute bronchitis, aged 77 years and 11 months. The deceased was born in Germany, February 9, 1822 and came to America 28 years ago. Two years later she married Henry Prehm at Palatine, she having been twice a widow. They lived in Palatine, where her husband worked at the tailor trade until old age made him unfit for work.

Of fourteen children born to her, six are living: Mrs. Joe Slade of Palatine, H. L. Prehm and Will Prehm of Lake Zurich, John Smaler of Chicago, Otto Prehm of Groverdale and Miss Dora Prehm of Iowa.

The funeral services were held at St. Paul's church Wednesday afternoon, Rev. J. C. Hoffmeister preaching the funeral sermon.

## Busse is Chosen.

Deputy Coroner Reynolds of Palatine and Deputy Sheriff Busse of Elk Grove announced their intentions of being candidates for the nomination for county commissioner of this district. As both were friends they decided that each one select a representative from each town and let them choose which of the two should drop out. The representatives met in Chicago Saturday and when one of the Palatine representatives refused to vote for his fellow-townsmen in exchange for a vote for Mr. Busse, Mr. Reynolds concluded to drop out of the race, rather than be chosen with a man from his own town against him. Palatine has lost another chance to place one of its townsmen in a good position. Mr. Busse was therefore chosen as a candidate for the nomination of county commissioner and the people of this section will give him their hearty support.

## Compel "Hobos" to Saw Wood.

The Streator plan of dealing with the tramp question is to equip a wood yard with a kitchen attachment. Tickets good for a meal are distributed among the citizens. When a tramp applies at a house for a hand-out he is given a ticket which will provide him with a satisfactory but cheap meal at the tramp kitchen—after he has sawed a certain quantity of wood. Many of the tramps demonstrate their unworthiness of help by tearing up the tickets. This is all the better as it is the cost of a meal. The most gratifying result, however, is that tramps do not visit Streator as they once did. The nuisance has been very perceptibly abated. The wood yard is maintained by the associated charities at a small cost.

## His Errand Misconstrued.

A young bachelor sheriff in a nearby county was called upon to serve an attachment against a beautiful young widow. He accordingly called upon her and said: "Madam, I have an attachment for you." The woman blushed and said his attachment was reciprocated. "You mistake me," he said, "you must proceed to court." "I know it is leap year, but I prefer you to do the courting," she replied, "Mrs. P.," continued the sheriff, "this is no time for trifling; the justice is waiting." "Oh, I'd rather have a parson, if you don't mind, she said."

## CARY WHISPERINGS.

Wedding bells were heard Wednesday.

L. E. Mentch was a Chicago visitor Monday.

Miss Tena Arps spent Thursday in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Dunn are on the sick list.

James Dunn of Chicago spent Tuesday at D. Dunn's.

A dance will be given in Krupitchka's hall on January 19.

Mrs. C. Kiltz spent a few days of last week at Pleasant Valley.

Miss Louisa Munshaw of Elgin visited at Mr. Thomas' this week.

Mrs. Greenwalt and children of Algonquin called on Cary friends Tuesday.

Mrs. McNett, who has been very sick, is reported some better at present writing.

Mrs. James Catlow, who has been visiting in Palatine, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Mansfield of Elgin returned to her home after a short visit with her brother, Mr. Wire.

The revivals, which closed at the M. E. church Wednesday evening, have been attended by large gatherings and several conversions were made.

## It's All About the Hen.

There is a red hot rivalry between two village men; It is of no great consequence— It's all about the hen.

One has the noted Plymouth Rock And thinks he's sure to win. The other, who has common stock, Is crowding him like sin.

He feeds his hen three times a day On this he lays great stress. It's oats at morn, at noon 'tis corn, At night a steaming mess.

Impossible to tell just yet Who will come out ahead; Some of the hens may want to set, While others may go dead.

Each one is trying hard to beat, The strife is working well; They both have lots of eggs to eat— And likely some to sell. L. D. C.

## Grand Excursion to Old Mexico

Via Chicago & North-Western railway, to leave Chicago Tuesday, January 30, 1900, under personal direction of Mr. J. J. Grafton, an experienced excursion manager. Entire trip in special train with dining car.

Tour is arranged to include Mardi Gras at New Orleans and all principal points of interest in Old Mexico and ticket covers all expenses.

Only limited number can be accommodated; secure space early. For descriptive pamphlet and information, call on or write agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

An editor prints his paper to give his patrons the news of the day and for the money there is in it. He is presumed to know of what he writes, and he generally does. When he writes as he does in the *Leader Courier*, Osceola Mills, Pa., without fee or hope of reward, that "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy acts magically, and we have found none better in our household. If you have a cough, try it," it may be accepted as an honest expression, worthy of credence. For sale by A. L. Waller, Barrington and A. S. Olms, Palatine.

## Martin's Way.

Irishmen are inclined to word perversion; but, says a writer in *The Nineteenth Century*, the following description of slow speech which often degenerated into a stammer shows that occasionally they use the best words possible in explaining a thing:—"It's a quare sort uv way Martin talks," said Pat. "It's as if tuk the words out uv his mou' an loked at 'em before he gives 'em to yez."

## True.

Lecturer—And what man is most apt to reach that elevation whence the earth may be viewed "as one vast plain?"

Voice (in the audience)—The one that works in a powder mill.—Life.

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Big bargains in Ladies' Jackets at \$3.75, 4.75, 4.85, 5.50, 6.95, 7.50, 7.75, 10.50 and up. Children's Jackets at \$1.98, 2.89, 2.98, 3.39, 3.69, 3.98, 4.29, 4.48 and up. Every Jacket goes regardless of cost price. Come and see us.



## Low Prices in Dress Goods.

We are making big inducements in way of low prices in Dress Goods to secure your trade in this department. We kindly ask you to inspect the big values we offer in Wool Dress Goods at 25c, 35, 37, 39, 49, 55, 65, 89c per yard and up. No where will you find such a variety of Dress Patterns as The Big Store displays. We call your special attention to our line of cheap Dress Goods in Plaids at 9c a yard, and in colors and figures at 20c per yard. The Big Store wants your trade and will save you money on Dress Goods, if only given the opportunity to do so.

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CURRENT TOPICS

BEAR MOVES TOWARD INDIA.

Ever since the breaking out of the Transvaal war there have been indications that Russia was preparing to move on Herat, and a St. Petersburg cablegram announces the first step in that direction. Nov. 20 Ivan Ivanovitch cabled the Chicago Record, via Paris, Nov. 23, as follows: "The czar returned to Czarskole Selo palace from Skierwicz last week and immediately summoned an extraordinary council of his ministers under his own presidency. This council was held Saturday, and by far the most significant and startling matter that came before it was the report of the minister of war, Gen. Kourapatkine, on the demonstrative movement on the Indian frontiers. This report is said to have been a very elaborate one, giving not only a full account of the general situation, but also a statement in minutest detail. I have it on the best possible authority that the report concluded with the following categorical statement: 'The troops of your majesty are not only ready to make a threatening diversion, but can seriously injure the English interests and power. Revolts may break out among the natives and in the countries lying south of Herat.'

Again on Nov. 28 he wrote: "In the domain of high politics Russia's horizon is blackly overcast. It cannot be doubted that the statesmen of St. Petersburg not only foresee war, but actually desire it; for in the fatal results of the stupid campaign in South Africa, in the rabid animosity of France toward England, in the disposition of the negus of Abyssinia to carve out for himself a section of the Egyptian Sudan, and in the desire of the ameer of Afghanistan to effect a defensive alliance with Russia, it is impossible not to see a grand opportunity for mobilizing all the national forces to which the aggrandizement of the British empire is obnoxious."

JUSTICE FOR CUBAN PRISONERS.

One of the most praiseworthy aspects of Gen. Wood's characteristic activity as governor of Cuba is his prompt investigation of the prisons. Two days ago he set free forty prisoners in the province of Santa Clara some of whom had been detained for years without a trial. The prisons of Cuba under Spanish rule were an abomination, and the Spanish method of keeping men for months and years without a trial was one of the blackest spots on Spain's record. It is high time the last of these cases should be looked into and rectified. Gen. Wood may be trusted to discriminate between real criminals and persons thrown into prison on flimsy pretenses. He may also be trusted to see that all prisoners have the right of prompt trial. By the time he gets through with the Cuban prisons and courts they will show as great an improvement as did the sanitary conditions of Santiago.—Chicago Tribune.

REFORMING THE DICTIONARY.

Following the lead of Supt. Andrews of the Chicago schools the congregation of the University of Chicago has adopted the following resolution: "Resolved, That the adoption by the board of the University Press for use in the official publications and journals of the university of the list of words with changed spelling accepted by the National Educational association be approved." The list of words thus "reformed" is as follows: Program (programme); tho (though); altho (although); thoroughare (thoroughfare); thru (through); thruout (throughout); catalog (catalogue); prolog (prologue); decalog (decatalogue); demagog (demagogue); pedagog (pedagogue).

REPORT IS ADVERSE TO QUAY.

The senate committee on privileges and elections has finally decided by a vote of 4 to 3 to make an adverse report upon the resolution to seat Senator Quay. The resolution was as follows:

"Resolved, That Matthew S. Quay be admitted as senator from the state of Pennsylvania, in accordance with his appointment, made on April 29, 1899, by the governor of said state."

The members of the committee voting for the resolution were Senators Chandler, Hoar and McComas, and those opposing Senators Burrows, Caffery, Pettus and Harris. Senators Turley and Pritchard were paired, the latter for, the former against, the resolution. This practically ends the matter, unless a minority report is received.

LATEST MARKET REPORTS.

Table with market prices for Chicago: Cattle, Hogs, Sheep and lambs, Wheat, Rye, Corn, Eggs, Butter.

Table with market prices for Milwaukee: Wheat, Corn, Oats, Rye, Barley, Butter, Eggs, Cattle, Hogs, Sheep and lambs.

Table with market prices for St. Louis: Oats, Wheat, Corn, Cattle, Hogs, Sheep and lambs.

Table with market prices for Kansas City: Wheat, Oats, Corn, Cattle, Hogs, Sheep and lambs.

Table with market prices for Toledo: Wheat, Corn, Oats, Rye, Cloverseed.

Table with market prices for New York: Wheat, Corn, Oats.

Table with market prices for Peoria: Oats, Corn.

CASUALTIES.

Butler, Ind.—White Frank Caseber and George Carpenter were racing their horses the animals collided, killing themselves instantly. Carpenter was killed and Caseber cannot recover. Berlin.—Twenty persons were fatally burned at the burning of the village of Jakutow, near Lublin. Dubuque, Iowa.—The boiler in Beach's soap factory exploded and Mathem Kieffer, engineer, was killed. Canton, Ohio.—John D. Frank's wholesale and retail shoe store was burned. Loss, \$50,000.

CRIME.

Rome.—The king has signed a decree discharging the town council of Villabate in the province of Palermo because of connections with the Mafia. Chicago.—Burglars entered the clothing store of Berthold Uebele & Sons, stole cloth and clothing worth \$1,600, and, blowing open the safe, took \$600 in currency. Sioux City, Iowa.—Gov. Shaw, on behalf of the state, offered \$500 for the arrest and conviction of the murderer of John E. Robson. The total reward now is \$1,300.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Oshkosh, Wis.—John Buckstaff, a wealthy lumberman and president of the Buckstaff-Edwards company, died, aged 76 years. Joliet, Ill.—All three of the rod mills of the Illinois Steel company have resumed work after a shut-down of two months to make repairs. About 350 men were given work. Morris, Ill.—John Holderman, one of the first settlers of Grundy county, died at his home, aged 72 years. New York.—The call for a meeting of the Eastern Baseball league on Jan. 16 has been rescinded. It is probable that the meeting will be held Jan. 23. Washington.—Senator Foraker has made a number of changes in his bill providing a government for the island of Puerto Rico. One of the most important is a provision defining citizenship in the island. Springfield, Ill.—The state board of pharmacy at its annual meeting elected William A. Dyche, Evanston, president. New York.—Mayor Van Wyck signed the resolution of "sympathy with the people of the Transvaal in their fight for freedom" adopted by the municipal assembly. Princeton, N. J.—Capt. Cregan announces that a picked team from the regular track team will be taken to Paris next summer to compete in the Olympic games. Berlin.—The Tageblatt asserts that letters to German consuls at Pretoria and Johannesburg are delayed by the Cape Town authorities. Lansing, Mich.—The January crop report issued by Secretary of State Stearns says that, with favorable conditions, Michigan may yet have a fair wheat crop this year. Cambridge, Mass.—The Harvard football team this year will be coached by Benjamin H. Dibble of California, the graduate who coached the team of 1899. Chillicothe, Mo.—Andrew Carnegie has offered to give Chillicothe \$25,000 for a public library building if the city will provide the site and \$3,000 annually for running expenses.

LORD ROBERTS AT CAPE TOWN

New British Commander in Charge of Operations.

METHUEN IS TO BE RECALLED.

Officer Who is Commanding Troops at Modder River Said to Be Mentally Incapacitated — Boers Claim Slight Loss in the Attack on Ladysmith.

Monday, Jan. 8. Attack on Ladysmith lasted seven hours, reminding experts of the siege of Plevna. Boers eaten back three times with heavy loss; repulsed in a bayonet charge. No fear of White's ability to hold position, but medical attention is lacking and ammunition scarce. White may be made a peer.—Detailed account of Buller's defeat at Tugela river proves it was due to failures to support artillery.—Germany claims British seizures exceeded the admitted right of search.—Belgian inquiries proved British unwilling to consider intervention.—British warships near Aden watching for Boer supply ships.

Tuesday, Jan. 9. London has no word from Ladysmith since Sunday, and anxiety increases. Buller's demonstration was of no value. Belief that British are forbidden to attack pending Roberts' arrival.—Renewal of report that Portugal sent powers note regarding seizures.—America will not co-operate with Germany regarding seizure cases.—Total British losses, exclusive of last Ladysmith battle: Killed, 1,027; wounded, 3,675; missing, 2,511; died of disease, 140.—French's losses more serious than first reported; killed, 23; missing, 107; wounded, 22.—British rifles said to be inferior to those used in continental armies.—Krupp reported to be making shells for the Boers.

Wednesday, Jan. 10. Methuen's mind has given way under strain of campaign and he will be recalled. Roberts arrived at Cape Town with Kitchener, who may take personal command at Modder river. Health of Yule and Buller said to be affected.—Boers admit loss of four killed and fifteen wounded in last attack on Ladysmith. British give no statement of their casualties. London expects heavy losses.—American cargoes of flour seized by British have been released. Damages to be paid.—Germany will insist that Great Britain specifically construe neutrality laws.—Austrian peace society asks intervention by President McKinley.

GAGE MAKES EXPLANATIONS.

Secretary of the Treasury Explains Recent Transactions. Secretary Gage gave details of deposits, war fund, sale of New York custom-house, and Union Pacific payments, with reasons for his actions. Favoritism is denied.

Cuban Leaders Make Threats.

Cuban leaders declare that unless the Americans soon give Cuba actual independence all true Cuban patriots will take to the mountains and fight the Americans on the same ground on which they met the Spaniards.

Prosperous Year in Michigan.

Labor Commissioner Cox says that at no time in its history has Michigan enjoyed such general prosperity in all branches of industry and employment as marked the year 1899.

Russia Can Build Railway.

Russia has the material ready to build a railway to Herat when necessary. There are new rumors of the czar's designs on the borders of Afghanistan and Persia.

Whereabouts of Sheriff Isenring.

Ex-Sheriff F. G. Isenring of Milwaukee, who is said to be short in his accounts with the county, and who has been missing for two weeks, is reported to be in Puerto Rico.

Trial is in March.

The cases of state officers indicted by the grand jury at Lansing, Mich., at the opening of the Ingham County court, were set for trial at the March term.

A PRETTY CATCH FOR PAUL KRUGER.



SURVIVING MEMBERS OF THE GLOUCESTER REGIMENT ARRIVING AS PRISONERS IN PRETORIA.

(From a photograph by staff correspondent in Pretoria.)

THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD.

Many Resolutions Passed in the Senate and House.

The senate passed a resolution by Mr. Allen calling upon each cabinet officer for itemized statement of amount of \$50,000,000 defense fund each department expended. Passed Mr. Pettigrew's resolution calling for Admiral Dewey's report, in which he said he could take Manila at any time. Postponed until Wednesday Mr. Pettigrew's resolution calling on the secretary of war for information as to alleged interview between Gen. Torres of the Filipino army and Gen. Otis; also Mr. Lodge's substitute therefor simply calling for general Philippine information. Democrats wishing to speak on the financial bill, it went over for a day Mr. Morgan made speech on racial question in south.

The house passed a resolution introduced by Mr. Lentz for investigation of charges that John C. Graham, postmaster of Provo, Utah, and Orson Smith, postmaster at Logan, Utah, were guilty of polygamous practices, investigation to be made by committee on postoffices and post roads. Passed resolution introduced by Mr. Lentz for investigation of action of Gen. Merriam and militia in Wardner, Idaho, mining riots in spring of 1899, and their course in preventing employment of union men, investigation to be made by military committee. Adjourned till Wednesday.

Tuesday, Jan. 9.

The senate adopted a resolution by Mr. Allen calling upon the secretary of war for data on purchase of transports. Listened to speech by Mr. Beveridge in favor of American retention of the Philippines and by Mr. Hoar in opposition thereto. Adjourned on Wednesday to Jan. 10.

The house was not in session.

Wednesday, Jan. 10.

The senate devoted the day to speeches of tribute to memory of late Vice-President Hobart.

The house adopted resolution offered by Mr. Tawney (Minn.) calling upon secretary of treasury for information as to states in which oleomargarine is shipped and distributed, amount in pounds and number of licenses for its manufacture. Eulogies upon life and public services of late Representative Greene of Nebraska. Adjourned until Friday.

SENATOR GEAR WINS IN IOWA.

Republican Caucus Makes the Nomination Unanimous.

At a joint caucus of members of the Iowa legislature John H. Gear was unanimously renominated by the republicans of the assembly for United States senator by acclamation, A. B. Cummins withdrawing his name.

Important Green Goods Decision.

The appellate division of the New York Supreme court decided that a green goods man cannot be convicted of the crime of larceny if his victim knew he was buying counterfeit money.

Liberal Pension Bill Introduced.

Senator Allen has introduced a bill granting a pension of \$10 a month to every soldier and sailor who served in the civil war for three months or more.

Warning to Great Britain.

Russian press says the movement of troops toward Afghanistan is as a warning to Great Britain.

Suit in Supreme Court.

Suit has been brought in the federal Supreme court to test the constitutionality of Bland act.

May Promote Both Admirals.

There is a rumor that a bargain has been made for the promotion of both Sampson and Schley.

Want Vote of Confidence.

The Italian government will ask a vote of confidence on the reassembling of parliament.

Agrarians Threaten the Kaiser.

Agrarians threaten to defeat Kaiser Wilhelm's naval plans unless he agrees to meat inspection.

Thrasher Trust Falls Through.

It is announced at Minneapolis that the thrasher trust has fallen through at least temporarily.

Two Weeks' Treatment Free.

The great blood purifier Zaegel's Swedish Essence of Life is to be given away free to readers of this paper. This medicine cures Rheumatism, Stomach, Liver and Bowel Complaints, by removing disease germs from the blood. It tones up the stomach and creates an appetite; works on the liver and has a mild, continuous effect upon the bowels, thus cleaning out the entire system; it makes new, rich blood, regulates the heart and kidneys and aids the body of all waste matter. It also induces a gentle perspiration, thus preventing fevers and congestion. Rheumatism, backache and headache, biliousness and all nervous diseases are rapidly cured, as well as all diseases of women. No one need trouble themselves to doubt whether this remedy will do all these things, for you can have a free trial package first and see what it does for you.

Zaegel's Swedish Essence is so well known that probably quite a number of our readers are already using it, but this makes no difference, as a free trial package will be sent to everyone who writes. Do not neglect to get in your application at once. The best way is to sit down this minute, write a letter to M. R. Zaegel & Co., P. O. Box 831, Sheboygan, Wis., and say that you want a trial package of Swedish Essence of Life. This will be sent you by mail and is large enough to convince you of the merit of this celebrated household remedy. A 2-cent stamp should be enclosed in your letter to pay the postage on this free sample.



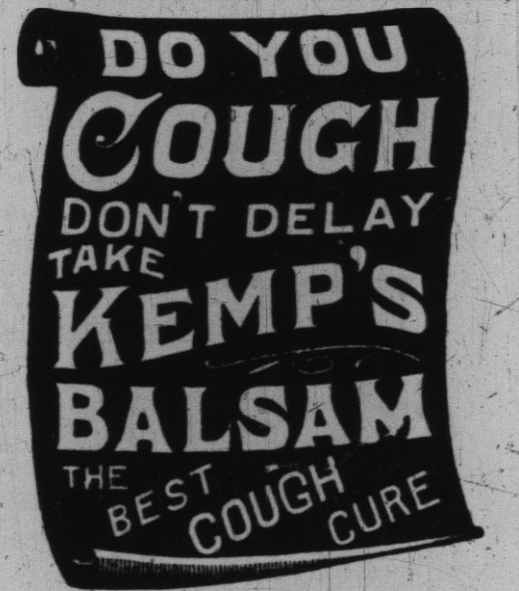
Savings Banks of the World. The present volume and extent of savings banks' business, though marvelous, is but little known generally. Some idea may be had of the enormous sum that is now held by the savings banks of the world when it is stated that the deposits of these institutions at the beginning of the present year were reckoned to have almost reached the sum of \$7,000,000,000, while the individual depositors number just about 4,600,000.

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## WAUCONDA.

Ed French of Ringwood called on friends here this week.

Lewis Cole of Waukegan is spending a few days with his mother here.

Arthur Powers has been spending a few weeks with friends in Chicago.

Ole Baseley went to the city Saturday where he will work for George Wragg.

Harry Grantham and C. W. Soles were pleasant callers at Sylvan Dell Tuesday evening.

Miss Jennie Green returned home Saturday, after spending a few days with relatives in Chicago.

Mrs. Fred Deinlein held the lucky number which drew the cash prize of \$5 at the Cash Store last week.

Misses Lola and Eva Hill returned to Chicago Monday, after spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Hill.

Messrs. C. A. Golding, C. P. Pratt, A. W. Reynolds, E. L. Harrison and Ed Slater of Chicago spent Sunday and Monday here.

There is considerable discussion in our village now in regard to when the twentieth century begins and many different opinions are expressed.

The ice industry has been rushing here for the past week and 13-inch ice is being stowed away in immense quantities to supply the summer's demand.

Most of our citizens were reminded that 1899 had passed their doors at 12 o'clock Sunday night, as a dozen or so tramped the walks, singing "Way Down Yonder in the Cornfields," etc., and ringing the school bell for opening of 1900.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Underwood left for Stanford, Vt., Thursday, where they will spend a month with friends and relatives. This is the first opportunity Mr. Underwood has had of seeing his old home since coming to Illinois nine years ago.

The entertainment and dance to be given under the auspices of Miss Mary Freund's school at Volo, January 12, has been postponed until January 19. A fine program has been arranged for the occasion and a pleasant evening is promised to all who attend.

A pleasant surprise was tendered Harry T. Graham at his home Saturday evening by about thirty of his young friends. The evening was spent by playing various social games and it was a late hour when the gathering dispersed. Refreshments were served.

A very pleasant gathering assembled at the home of Misses Lucy and May Spencer Saturday evening and made merry until the midnight hour. Various social amusements were indulged in, intercepted with refreshments, consisting of sandwiches, coffee, cake and fruit and the evening was most pleasantly enjoyed by all.

A grand prize masquerade ball will be given at Oakland hall next Thursday evening. Two prizes will be given—one to the gentleman wearing the most comical costume and the other to the lady having the finest costume. Music will be furnished by Wm. Hardin's orchestra of Clinton Junction, Wis., and a most pleasant time is assured to all. Tickets \$1.50, including supper and care of horses.

### INSTALLED OFFICERS.

"A big time" is the truest and best way of expressing the proceedings at the Mystic Workers lodge Wednesday evening. It was the night of installation of officers and all of the officers elect were on hand save the physician, Dr. Dawson. Master Hubbard gave one long glance about the room for the missing man and, failing to find him, asked Worthy L. C. Price to act as proxy. Worthy Price consented to try, but stated that he had forgotten to bring his pill box, which Master Hubbard agreed to overlook. Worthy G. C. Roberts acted as installing officer and Worthy L. E. Golding as supreme conductor. All went off smoothly and the following are the officers for the ensuing year:

Master, Orton Hubbard.  
Vice-master, John Brand.  
Secretary, H. E. Maiman.  
Banker, Miss Eloise Jenks.  
Conductor, J. E. Gainer.  
Physician, Dr. J. Dawson.  
Attorney, Miss Mary Freund.  
Sentinel, John Distler.

Picket, Louis Tuegel.  
Manager, M. W. Hughes.

The installation proceedings over, the meeting was dismissed, but the best of all was still in store. The ladies prepared a most bountiful repast, consisting of cake, pie, coffee and fruit, to which justice was fully done, and no one went away hungry. Singing and social chatting was then indulged in and all enjoyed themselves. The Mystic Workers are crawling rapidly toward the top notch.

## QUENTIN'S CORNERS.

Henry Schneider is taking medical treatment in Chicago.

Our cheese factory patrons are filling the ice house this week.

Wm. Buesching spent Monday with his parents at Lake Zurich.

Chas. Sturm of Prairie View spent New Year's Day with his parents.

Albert Hoeft and wife made a New Year's call on friends at Lake Zurich.

Wm. Stockel says these mild winters makes slack work for the blacksmiths.

Have you ordered your paper yet for this year? Now is the time to subscribe.

Mr. Niemeyer and family of Barrington made a New Year's visit at Wm. Stockel's.

Misses Mary and Lena Quentin visited with their uncle, H. L. Bockelman, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bockelman made a business call at Palatine Friday of last week.

Herman Junker is the champion sparrow catcher. He got twenty-nine in one scoop recently.

Charles Froelich and wife ate turkey at the home of Fred Hoeft at Lake Zurich Monday.

John Bockelman, jr., of Minnesota, formerly of Quentin's Corners, was recently married. We extend congratulations.

Most of the young people from here took in the dance at Lake Zurich on New Year's eve, and report a splendid time.

### NOTICE.

BARRINGTON, January 5, 1900.

Public notice is hereby given that I, Albert L. Robertson, treasurer of the village of Barrington, in the counties of Cook and Lake and state of Illinois, have ascertained the amount of special assessment number one, collected and applicable to the payment of bonds of each series unmatured and have selected by lot bonds of series to such amount to be paid therewith, that there are eight bonds to be so paid, as follows: Number ten (10) issued against the third installment of special assessment number one of said village in Cook county, number fifteen (15) issued against the fourth installment of special assessment number one of said village in Cook county, number nineteen (19) issued against the fifth installment of special assessment number one of said village in Cook county, number twenty-seven (27) issued against the sixth installment of special assessment number one of said village in Cook county, number thirty-one (31) issued against the seventh installment of special assessment number one of said village in Cook county, number thirty-seven (37) issued against the eighth installment of special assessment number one of said village in Cook county, number forty-four (44) issued against the ninth installment of special assessment number one of said village in Cook county, and number fifty (50) issued against the tenth installment of special assessment number one of said village in Cook county, and that the same will be paid at the office of the treasurer of said village on the tenth (10th) day of February, A. D. 1900.

ALBERT L. ROBERTSON,  
Treasurer of the village of Barrington.

An editor prints his paper to give his patrons the news of the day and for the money there is in it. He is presumed to know of what he writes, and he generally does. When he writes as he does in the *Leader Courier*, Osceola Mills, Pa., without fee or hope of reward, that "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy acts magically, and we have found none better in our household. If you have a cough, try it," it may be accepted as an honest expression, worthy of credence. For sale by A. L. Waller, Barrington and A. S. Olms, Palatine.

## LAKE ZURICH.

Have you sworn off?

Turn over a new leaf.

Busy as bees—the ice men.

Louis Knigge visited here this week.

Thomas Monahan was on our streets this week.

George Graber is busy now-a-days cutting wood.

Tony Jensen was a Barrington visitor Wednesday.

Wm. Knigge of Wauconda visited here this week.

Frank Thomas was observed on our streets Tuesday.

L. Larren of Elgin was in town on business Monday.

J. Wells of Half Day was observed in town Thursday.

H. Seip voiced the auction sale of F. Nagle Saturday.

Some money changed hands here on the Maher-McCoy fight.

J. F. Connor of Waukegan was a business caller Thursday.

Wm. Davermann of Palatine was in town the first of the week.

Our tax collector will soon receive the tax books. Get ready to receive him.

Herman Pahlman of Grayslake visited with his parents here over Sunday.

John Hodge has returned from New York after having spent the holidays with his parents.

Fred Knopp, sr., and wife transferred to H. C. Kropp 153 acres for a consideration of \$6,000.

When a young man is sowing his wild oats he hopes something will happen to destroy the crop.

George Baecher offers his farm containing 53 acres situated in the town of Fremont for sale for cash.

Edward Niekoley of Ottawa visited with his mother during the holidays, returning to his home Monday.

All the boarding houses are filled with men employed by the ice firms of Bruce Bros. and Harris & Foley.

E. R. Clark sold to the village of Lake Zurich a lot with a frontage of 66 feet on Robertson avenue for a consideration of \$100.

The New Year's party held at Ficke's hall Sunday evening was a success. The music was excellent and all had a most enjoyable time.

One of the box cars, which was being switched in at Bruce Bros' ice track Tuesday, ran in with such force as to break off the stopping blocks and toppled over the embankment.

The party who took and appropriated to their own use by mistake a pair of black gloves on the evening of the dance, will confer a favor by leaving them at the Zurich House for the owner.

### FROM ANOTHER CORRESPONDENT.

John Dickson is firing for Harris & Foley.

John Kohl went to Barrington Wednesday.

School began last Tuesday, after a week's vacation.

Mr. Bidinger of Waukegan was in town Wednesday.

John Hironemus of Wauconda was in town Wednesday.

F. L. Carr and A. C. Stoxen of Wauconda were in town Wednesday.

Frank Roney took a car-load of live stock to Chicago Tuesday, returning Wednesday evening.

The ice companies have large gangs of men at work cutting ice and filling their spacious houses.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Seip, Mrs. Louis Seip and Mrs. Emma Seip visited Palatine friends Wednesday.

Go to Henry Seip's when in need of clothing, boots and mittens. A good pair of felt boots and rubbers for \$1.50.

Charles Scholz of Chicago spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, returning to his duties as clerk in Mandel Bros. store Monday.

A masquerade ball will be given in Ficke's hall January 20 by Frank Meyer and Louis Seip. Varallo's orchestra of Chicago will furnish music and a coon cake walk will take place at 12 o'clock.

## Remnant and Yellow Tag Sale

Christmas is over, 1899 a thing of the past. Our Holiday business has been big. Result is broken lots, odds and ends, remnants of all kinds, which must be sold before inventory.

To make the sale interesting and profitable we will place on our

### Bargain Counter

Remnants of Dress Goods, Flannels, Silks, Velvets, Linens, Calicoes, Ginghams, Ribbons, Laces, Embroideries, Odd Garments of Underwear, Hosiery, Cloaks, Capes, Jackets, Clothing, Shoes, in fact

### Remnants of all kinds

will be sold at

3-4 Price until Feb. 15th, 1900.

Many other goods in stock will be marked with a YELLOW TAG and sold at

### 3-4 Price

Bear in mind that 3 price here means a big saving, when you consider the low prices we sell all our goods at. Wishing you a happy and prosperous New Year We remain your friends,

## Reese, Lemke Co.,

The People's Cash Store, DUNDEE, ILLS.

## NO BLOTCHES OR BLURS...

Can be found in the Window Glass we carry in stock. We buy only the very best. The large purchases we make yearly, besides the fact of buying direct from the manufacturers, enables us to put out first-class glass, often at prices asked by others for wavy or unclear glass. When it is desired, if the frame is brought to us, will fit and set glass as heretofore at a very reasonable price. We carry

### GLASS IN ALL SIZES

and cut glass to order to fit any odd size without any extra cost.

## J. D. LAMEY & CO.,

BARRINGTON.

## YOUR MONEY IS YOUR OWN

But there is no use wasting it. You are going to buy a suit or overcoat, perhaps both. Before purchasing look at our winter samples, they are the best. Goods cut by an artistic tailor, sewed skillfully and finished only as good tailors can finish garments. Get our prices. If they do not appeal to you, don't buy.

### LINE OF FALL SUITS FROM \$8.00 UP.

Cleaning, Pressing and Repairing promptly attended to.

MATH HURTER, - - - Barrington.

## Holiday ...Dinners

are more important than holiday presents.

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 market affords, but you find them low enough to leave lots of change for many little presents

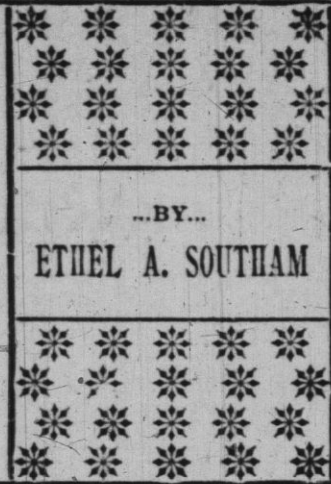
Fresh Home-Made Sausages. Oysters and Vegetables in season. Highest prices paid for Hides and Tallow.



GEORGE M. WAGNER, Barrington.



# That Mysterious Major...



...BY...  
ETHEL A. SOUTHAM

## CHAPTER XII.—(Continued.)

But Evelyn did not utter a syllable as she tore open the envelope and read the following hurriedly-penned words, which she instantly passed to her companion—

Dear Evelyn—I have scarcely a moment to write to you, having only just received a telegram from Royston School asking me to go immediately, as Wilfred, poor lad, had a serious fall this afternoon, and is lying in a most critical condition. I am therefore starting off to him at once, and am hoping to catch the 8:30 express. If not, there is a fairly train at 9:10. Anyhow, you will receive this in time for you to catch the latter, as, of course, it is impossible for you to return to the hotel alone; so there is nothing for you to do but follow immediately. If I am in time for the express, I shall leave Parker at the station to wait for you. Your affectionate aunt,  
LYDIA HOWARD.

"Dear me, child"—it was Mrs. Courtenay who was the first to speak—"how very dreadful! Poor Lady Howard—what a state she must be in!"

"Yes, indeed; but what am I to do?" asked Evelyn, who was only just beginning to grasp the situation and to realize that there was not a moment to lose. If I am to leave on the 9:10 train, I ought to start at once—it must be almost that time now—with a despairing glance round.

"Nearly 9:10? Oh, it cannot be so late already! But surely, somebody can tell us! Ah, yes! Is that you, Mr. Falkland? How fortunate!" broke off Mrs. Courtenay, with a sigh of relief, for Falkland was passing back to his seat after the interval. "You will be able to give us the right time."

"The right time? Certainly!" Falk-

land paused and pulled out his watch. "It is exactly four minutes to nine. But something has happened, I am afraid. Can I be of any assistance to you?"

Mrs. Courtenay rose quickly from her chair. "Oh, Mr. Falkland, of the very greatest in the world! The fact is, Miss Luttrell has just received a note from her aunt telling her of an accident which has happened to her son; and as Lady Howard is going straight off to the school, Miss Luttrell has to leave also, and is to catch the 9:10 train."

"Then in that case, Miss Luttrell, you have not a second to lose," returned Falkland, taking a rapid survey of the troubled-looking pretty face, which at the sound of his voice had grown, if possible, a shade paler. "You may just catch the train, but only just; and you will have to drive with the greatest speed imaginable. However, come at once, and I will promise it for you; only—Don't you trouble, pray, Mrs. Courtenay—there is not the slightest occasion; you can trust your charge with perfect confidence to me, and I will give you my word not to leave her until I have delivered her safely into the hands of either Lady Howard or the redoubtable Parker."

And so two minutes later it hap-

pened that Evelyn found herself dashing along at breakneck speed through the streets of Saltcliffe, seated side by side with her rejected suitor, Gilbert Falkland.

"It is very kind of you to trouble so," she had tried to tell him above the rattle of the wheels the instant he had given directions to the driver and they had started off at a pace more suggestive of a fire engine than a crawling English "growler;" and perhaps her conscience smote her a little as she remembered with what disdain she had treated him during the past few days.

## CHAPTER XIII.

After all, it seemed that her aunt was right when she so emphatically declared that they would have been utterly at sea without the kindly help of Mr. Falkland; and she began to think that for the future she would not be so ready to venture her opinion when two such unreadable characters as Major Brown and Gilbert Falkland were on tapis. Alas, could it be possible that she had been so hopelessly mistaken in the former? To her it was incredible.

There was the usual bustle and excitement consequent upon the departure of a train reigning at the small terminus of Saltcliffe as Evelyn and Falkland stepped out of the cab and made their way quickly through the throng of hurrying porters and trucks of baggage. Falkland made a rush for the ticket office, and then hastened forward to find Evelyn, who had gone on to the platform, looking anxiously around for signs of her aunt and maid.

"Aunt Lydia must have left by the express—she is not to be seen anywhere," she said in some agitation;

"Yes—but I do not understand. Where is Parker? What is she doing?"

"What is she doing? You may well ask that!" laughed Falkland. "Did you ever know a maid yet who managed to catch the train she was expected to? The fact is, she made some mistake about the luggage; it was put into a wrong train—one which left ten minutes earlier. At any rate, there was no time to get it out again when the mistake was discovered; so that Parker has gone on with it to the next station, where she was to see it taken out, and then wait for you."

"How very tiresome! I never heard of such a thing in my life!" exclaimed Evelyn, with some annoyance. "Fancy, if nobody had told you, I might have been waiting at Saltcliffe still! I should not have known what to do; and, as it is—again her conscience gave her one or two undoubted pricks—"what a fearful trouble I am—But really, there was no need for you to have come. I could have managed by myself."

"Nonsense, Miss Luttrell! Did you not hear me promise to deliver you safely into Parker's hands? And surely you do not suppose I should be so remiss as to leave you in such straits as these? No—decidedly—I shall carry out my promise to the letter; and, sooner than any blame should fall upon me, I shall certainly escort you all the way to Royston. Let me see, though, I suppose it is Parker who has made the mistake. What did Lady Howard say in her letter? Are you sure the train she told you to come by was the ten minutes past nine one, and not the nine train?"

"Oh, yes, I am quite sure! But here it is—" She broke off somewhat abruptly, however, as she glanced down at the paper in her hand, and found that it was only the program of the theater which she had been keeping so securely. "How tiresome! I must have dropped Aunt Lydia's note!" (To be continued.)

## CYANIDE'S ATTRACTION.

Those Who Handle the Drug Draw Almost Irresistibly to Swallow It.

"Just now we are engaged in the making of tons of cyanide of potassium," said a member of a firm of manufacturing chemists, "and of all poisons, this, to my mind, is the most dangerous, because of a singular quality it possesses. It is in appearance so very attractive to those who handle it that they are often seized with an almost overwhelming desire to eat it. To one man it probably suggests sugar, if he have a fondness for saccharine substances, and to another snow newly fallen, but to both it is so alluring that they may only overcome the temptation to put it in their mouths by great force of will power. The very men who make it and who are most familiar with its deadly properties are pursued by an unreasonable desire to eat the poison, and as long as they remain in its vicinity this extraordinary craving endures. They know that to give way to the craving means death almost instant and horrible, and as a consequence are usually able to resist the strange temptation, but during the last ten years we have been engaged in the manufacture of the drug four of our most intelligent and steady workmen have committed suicide in this way. "Ever feel like eating it yourself?" asked the reporter. "Yes," the manufacturer replied. "Many times when in contact with the cyanide fumes, and have had to leave work precipitately in consequence. So well is this curious fact known in all works where cyanide of potassium is made that there are always two men at work together, and a jar of ammonia, which is the antidote to the poison, is kept at hand. Potassium is one of the most interesting substances known to chemical workers. The metal itself is scarcely used at all in the arts, but its many salts are of immense practical value, being used largely in the production of gunpowder, fertilizers, medicines and dyeing compounds. Cyanide is a compound of cyanogen with a metallic agent. Cyanogen is a colorless, poisonous, liquefiable gas which has the odor of almonds and burns with a purple flame. Cyanide of potassium is made by burning potassium, an alkali metal, in cyanogen gas, and is really a prussiate of potash. It is produced also in blast furnaces in which ore is smelted, with coke or coal, and is permanent when kept dry, but decomposes readily in moist air. It crystallizes in dry, octagonal blocks, and is extremely soluble in water. It has the odor of prussic acid and kindred bitterness of taste. Cyanide of potassium is also used in electro-metallurgy and photography to a considerable extent. It will remove metallic oxides, the juices of fruits and indelible ink."

## How It Worked.

Mrs. Newlywed (reading)—Love is a balloon that lifts us up to heaven; marriage is the parachute that brings us slowly back to earth again. Mr. Newlywed (also reading)—Another parachute horror! Man falls 3,000 feet and is dashed to pieces! Same old story! Parachute fails to work.

## LATEST ILLINOIS NEWS.

### Successful Peoria Girl.

Vera Eva Roberts, of Peoria, is singing in grand opera in Europe, legal consent having been cabled to Dresden by her father, Charles Roberts, a traveling salesman for a farm implement house, on Saturday. Miss Roberts is just twenty years of age, and has already scored several musical triumphs in Germany, where she has been studying for the past three years. Her mother is with her, and has approved the contract with a leading opera company, but the contract would not be accepted until it was approved by Mr. Roberts. His power of attorney has been cabled. Miss Roberts studied but little in America. Her mother is a singer of Peoria reputation, and instructed her daughter up to five years ago. Last year they returned to Peoria, and Miss Roberts was heard in one recital. Since her return to her studies she has advanced marvelously, and it is understood the offer is very flattering. Her voice is a deep contralto, of excellent range and strength. Letters received by Mr. Roberts state that Miss Roberts will sing in both Dresden and Frankfort during the season.

### Prof. Orchardson in Jail.

The case of the heirs of Minerva Merrick against Prof. Charles C. Orchardson has been occupying the attention of the Adams County Court for several days. Orchardson several years ago married Minerva Merrick, a wealthy widow of Quincy. She died a year or two later, leaving the bulk of her estate to Orchardson, and he qualified as administrator. Upon a suit being brought by the heirs, the court set aside the will, annulled the marriage contract, and appointed Gen. E. B. Hamilton administrator de bonis non. Suits have been unsuccessfully brought against Orchardson to compel him to account for funds in his possession. Last week he was in the court on a citation, and was severely cross-examined. At the noon hour he left the city, taking a train for Chicago. The officers of the court learned of this movement, and telegraphed the authorities at Galesburg to arrest him on the arrival of the train. He resisted arrest and drew a long dirk on the officer, but was finally overpowered. The sheriff of Adams county went to Galesburg and returned with Orchardson. He was placed in jail on a charge of contempt of court.

### Two Roads to Consolidate.

Articles of incorporation of the Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis Railway Company were filed with the county recorder at Springfield this week. The capital stock is \$7,350,000. The first board of directors of the road is composed of Curtiss Millard, Ralph Blaisdell, Bluford Wilson of Springfield; James Duncan of Alton, Charles E. Kimball, George D. Mudford of New York; E. Smith of St. Louis. It is the purpose of the new company to buy the present Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis and the St. Louis, Chicago and St. Paul, and to operate them under one name, the Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis. The old line by that name runs from Pekin to Springfield, Havana to Jacksonville, Havana to Rock Island and the St. Louis, Chicago and St. Paul from Springfield to East St. Louis and Lock Haven to Grafton.

### Found Dead After a Quarrel.

Cora Peters, 25 years old, was found dead four miles south of Lewiston Tuesday morning. There were bruises on her face and back, which indicated she might have been killed by a train, inasmuch as the body was found beneath a railroad bridge. The coroner's jury, however, discovered evidence tending to show that she was murdered, and a warrant has been sworn out for the arrest of John C. Hillyer, with whom she was last seen. The young woman resided in Ipava. She came to Lewistown Saturday, and when last seen was in the winerroom of Todd & Newton's saloon, where she and Hillyer had a quarrel. Hillyer is 60 years old. He was a corporal in Company I, 133d regiment, Illinois volunteers, in the war of the rebellion.

### Card Game Ends in a Death.

At Weldon, ten miles southeast of Clinton, Harry Summers, Jr., a carpenter, and "Doc" Marcum, a farm hand, whose home is near Deland, in Piatt county, engaged in a quarrel in a poker room and Marcum shot and killed Summers. Marcum, who was intoxicated at the time of the killing, is a Keptuckian and is about 25 years old. His victim was about 30 years old and leaves a family. Weldon has about 600 inhabitants and is the town in which Postmaster John A. Pace killed William H. Taylor Dec. 28, 1895. The citizens are greatly excited and Marcum was hurried to Clinton, as it was feared that an attempt would be made to lynch him. It is not known whether he has relatives in Piatt county.

**Your Birth Month Prediction.**  
According to an old astrological prediction, if a girl is born in January, she will be a prudent housewife, melancholy but good-tempered. In February, an affectionate wife and tender mother. In March a frivolous chatterbox, somewhat given to quarrelling. In April, inconsistent, not intelligent, but good looking. In May, handsome and likely to be happy. In June, impetuous, frivolous and will marry early. In July, passably handsome, but hulky. In August, amiable and practical, likely to marry rich. In September, discreet, affable and liked. In October, pretty and coquettish and unhappy. In November, liberal, kind, of a mild disposition. In December, well made, fond of novelty and extravagant.

### Literary Parallels.

From the Philadelphia North American: "O'Hara's bekummin' lit-ry." "How's that?" "Phin I stopp'd at his house this mornin' he wuz readin' the 'Day's Worruck,' be Kiplin', wholl Mrs. O'Hara was doin's the day's wash."

### What Drives Men to Drink.

From Larks: Temperance Orator—"What is it that drives men to drink?" Voice from the Crown—"Salt fish'll do it."

The 1900 edition of the Columbia Desk Calendar is on the same general plan as of late years, which has proved so entirely satisfactory that it is considered one of the first necessities on thousands of desks. It is a memorandum pad arranged for the days of the year, and, incidentally it supplies valuable information on the subject of quality in bicycles. The Pope Mfg. Co., Hartford, Conn., will send it for five 2-cent stamps.

The healthiest spot in the world seems to be a little hamlet in France named Aumone. There are only forty inhabitants, twenty-five of whom are eighty years of age, and one is over 100.



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BEHELD FALKLAND'S GAUNT FORM COMING TOWARD HER.

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"but Parker—both Parker and Sambo—they must be here."

"Yes—of course they must; have you not seen them yet? But you get in here, Miss Evelyn, and make sure of a carriage to yourself, and I will go and find Parker at once and bring her to you."

"But if she is not here—if she has mistaken the train?" The girl's tone was thoroughly hopeless.

"Take your seats! Take your seats!" came the voice of the guard. "Are you going, miss? Then take your seat," he said to Evelyn.

What was she to do? She was in despair as she mounted up quickly to the first-class compartment, and then paused with her hand upon the open door, gazing anxiously down the platform. The next instant, however, she beheld Falkland's gaunt form coming rapidly toward her.

"Where is Parker? Have you found her?" gasped Evelyn, as, to her horror, she perceived that he was quite alone.

"It is all right, Miss Luttrell—there is no need for alarm," and to Evelyn's astonishment, Falkland himself jumped into the carriage, pulling the door to with a vigorous slam, as the train immediately steamed out of the station.

"There—we are off at last!" He sank back into the seat opposite her with a sigh of relief.



**The Health and Pleasure Resorts**  
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The constantly increasing business of the B. & O. R. R. has necessitated very material additions to the telegraph service. During the past year nearly 2,000 miles of copper wire, 166 pounds to the mile, have been strung. New lines have been placed in service between Baltimore and Pittsburg, Baltimore and Parkersburg, Newark, O. to Chicago, Philadelphia to Newark, Philadelphia to Cumberland and Cumberland to Grafton. During the summer several of these wires were quadruplexed between Baltimore and Cumberland and duplexed west.

When the Boers form a firing line nobody is left to look after the horses, which are trained to remain where they are, as soon as they feel the reins dropped over their necks.

Wealthy relatives sometimes enable a man to deal in futures.

**A GENEROUS OFFER.**  
In this age of aggressive competition the fact is often overlooked that in every business transaction, large or small, reputation is at stake and that only such measures as are based upon honor and integrity will, in the long run, lead to the narrow road of success. Of late papers have been full of "free sample" advertisements, and as a rule—enough only was sent to represent one or two doses, hardly sufficient to get a taste of the remedy. M. R. Zaegel & Company, established in Sheboygan, Wis., since 1882, believing that the public is sick of this kind of treatment, offer to send to any of our readers enough roots and herbs, with full directions for two weeks' home treatment, free of all expense; all they require is that parties writing to them for a free sample enclose in their letter one two-cent stamp to pay the postage on the sample. If any of our readers are afflicted with rheumatism, headache, stomach, bowels, liver or kidney complaints, they should send for a free sample at once, addressing their letter to M. R. Zaegel & Co., P. O. Box 831, Sheboygan, Wis., and like others, once again enjoy the blessings of good health.

**Russians Want Typewriters.**  
The latest Russian information received indicates that a considerable modification of the Imperial Russian law affecting the use of typewriters in that country is about to take place. Hitherto the use of this machine has been restricted to such individuals as could obtain special permission, as it was feared that the general use of this apparatus would greatly facilitate the machinations of the Nihilistic element. Foreign business houses were almost the only ones making a liberal use of the typewriter. Of late years, however, Russian industry and commerce have extended at such rapid rate and the educated element available for the purpose of correspondence is relatively so small, that the Russian government has at last admitted the necessity of acceding to the wishes of Russian merchants. Of course, this means a considerable extension of American trade.

**La Porte, Texas.**  
The progress of the construction work at La Porte, Texas, the future great deep-water shipping point at the head of navigation on Galveston Bay on the Gulf of Mexico, is progressing favorably. The wharves and switching tracks are nearing completion and the work on the streets and on the sewerage and water systems is now under way. Mr. I. R. Holmes, the general manager of the La Porte Improvement Company and the La Porte Wharf and Channel Company, is personally superintending the improvements. Mr. Holmes makes his headquarters at the Sylvan Hotel and visitors to La Porte during the next six weeks and before the time of the first general La Porte sale, which will be held in February, 1900, should introduce themselves to Mr. Holmes and allow him to extend to them facilities for getting a thorough understanding of the conditions surrounding the La Porte enterprises.

**McClure's Magazine.**  
Which, almost from its start, has set the pace for competitors in the same field and has come to be almost synonymous with enterprise in magazine work, is now about to forge another link in that chain of notable features which began some years since with its life of Napoleon, and has been added to year by year with something striking and original. Beginning with the December number, and to be continued during the several issues of the new year, is an article by the Rev. John Watson (Jan. McLaren) on "The Life of the Master." This promises to be one of the most interesting and noteworthy serial articles that have so far appeared in McClure's. The color illustrations, from pictures specially made in Palestine by Corwin Knapp Linson, are a great though by no means the only chief feature of this new life of Christ.

**First Class in Arithmetic.**  
"These examples what's in the 'arithmetics aren't any good," writes a boy. "What I want to know is, if I trade my knife for a top and six marbles, and then trade the top for a mouth organ and the marbles for an apple and a jawsharp and then eat the apple, how much do I make.—Stray Stories.

**Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!**  
Ask your grocer today to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN-O has the rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. One-fourth the price of coffee, 15c. and 25c. per package. Sold by all grocers.

**Her Splendid Surroundings.**  
"Myrtle Gushion writes that she is now living surrounded by splendor—"I suppose she's got a new silk petticoat."—From World's Comic.

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

Timber lands in the northwest have doubled and trebled in price the last season, and are still advancing.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circular and testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

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From Life: Newspaper Man—"I should like to telegraph home that the commanding general is an idiot."  
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**Lane's Family Medicine.**  
Moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick headache. Price 25 and 50c.

When the Boers migrated from Cape Colony to the Transvaal they were forced to clear the way by killing 6,000 lions.

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Piso's Cure for Consumption is the only cough medicine used in my house.—D. C. Albright, Millburg, Pa., Dec. 11, '95.

Tangier is a city without vehicles. Donkeys are used for transportation.

**Coe's Cough Balm**  
is the oldest and best. It will break up a cold quicker than anything else. It is always reliable. Try it.

Pacing horses are not looked upon with favor in continental Europe.

**Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.**  
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Toronto, has, according to the assessor's returns, 192,907 people.

**Baker's Breakfast Cocoa**  
is delicious. Costs less than one cent a cup. Made only by Walter Baker & Co. Ltd., Dorchester, Mass.

London holds 63 per cent of its policemen for night duty.

**When All Else Fails, Try YI-KI.**  
Cures all kinds of rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica, dropsy, etc. or mail 5c. YI-KI Co., Grand Rapids, Mich.

Prescott, Wis., has a 16-year-old licensed girl preacher.

A great enemy of Dyspepsia and Indigestion is N. K. Brown's Iron and Quinine Bitters.

The more life we have the more we may have.

**AMERICA SAYS SO.**  
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From every part of America comes the news that sufferers from constipation have found relief in Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the wonderful modern scientific laxative and intestinal toilet. Cascarets are figuratively and literally in everybody's mouth. Thousands have tried Cascarets with the most pleasant and effective results, and voluntarily testify to their experiences. Here are a few extracts from some of the letters:  
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"I am so thankful for your Cascarets. They are better than any medicine I ever used." Mrs. M. Rew, Laclede, Iowa.  
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"Cascarets are the best cathartic I ever used." Tom Holt, Wellwood, Manitoba.  
"I have tried your Cascarets and I want to tell you how very splendid." John Wiegman, Box 961, Allegan, Mich.

We could fill the whole paper with expressions like the above. Thousands of similar recognitions of the merits of Cascarets have been volunteered and prove that this delightful laxative, so pleasant of taste, so mild and yet effective, has secured a firmly established place in the hearts of the people.  
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## BARRINGTON LOCALS.

Frank Dohmeyer is here on a visit. School opened Monday after a vacation of ten days.

Miss Emma Jahnke is visiting Mrs. C. A. Wheeler in Chicago.

Wm. Ewing of Cary called on Barrington friends Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. A. Grebe were Chicago visitors Thursday.

Reuben Plagge and Chas. Hutchinson spent New Year's day in Elgin.

Monroe Waterman of Petersburg, Ill., is visiting with relatives here.

Miss Ida Kingsley of Dundee was a guest of Mrs. Leroy Powers this week.

Mrs. A. Hind of Chicago visited at the home of G. M. Wagner this week.

Mark Bennett and family of Chicago visited with relatives here Sunday.

Many of the young people have been enjoying ice skating this week at the rink.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanbine of Minnesota visited with their uncle, B. Gieske, recently.

Dr. L. E. Teft, cousin of Mrs. F. L. Waterman, died at his home in Elgin Friday of last week.

Lloyd and Mina Robertson visited with their sister, Mrs. Dr. Black, at Palatine Wednesday.

Mesdames D. B. Warner and C. M. Vermilya made Crystal Lake friends and relatives a visit Thursday.

Mrs. Chris Hartz and children visited Sunday with her brothers, Henry and Lewis Landwer, at Deer Grove.

Miss Tillie Lageschulte, who has been spending the holidays with her parents, returned to Chicago Monday.

Joseph McCarthy returned to his home in Chicago Monday after spending a few days here visiting relatives.

Mrs. C. R. Church is enjoying a visit with her son, Dunham, and daughter, Mrs. Jennie Davis, at Hebron, Neb.

The special meetings at the Methodist church continue next week. They have increasing interest and attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. George Schoppé and the latter's sister have been visitors at the home of John Hatje during the past week.

Misses Ida and Esther Kuhl and E. Renan made a pleasant visit at the home of Louis Landwer at Deer Grove this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gieske and Misses Anna Bauman and Luella Plagge spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Lambert Bauman.

From last accounts received Mrs. Crouse, (nee Clara Sodt), who is ill with typhoid fever, has not as yet showed much sign of improvement.

Our laundry now has a handsome covered wagon on the streets for the collection and delivery of laundry work. It was built in Barrington by Zorno & Wichman.

Arnold Schauble is planning a three months' trip to Europe, visiting the Paris Exposition and different countries where he has many acquaintances. He expects to start in July.

It dulls the scythe of Father Time, drives away wrinkles of approaching old age—the elixir of life, that puts hope in the human heart—Rocky Mountain Tea. Ask your druggist.

Richard Sprouse, who has been connected with the Barrington laundry since its establishment, left for his home in Kansas City Thursday, where he will stay for an indefinite time. Albert Kampert accompanied him.

Messrs. and Mesdames F. H. Plagge, N. Stenger and Mrs. J. C. Plagge, of Barrington, and Messrs. and Mesdames Wm. Thies and John Nordmeier of Palatine spent New Year's at Edison Park at the home of Rev. C. J. Freye. An elaborate dinner was served which was much enjoyed by all.

In the joint debate at Powers' store on Wednesday morning between Wm. Collen and P. Houghtaling on the question of when the twentieth century begins it was decided by the referee in favor of Houghtaling who contended that the year 1901 would mark the beginning of the century, and now let it be understood that the question upon which so much has been said and written is finally settled.

Henry Hillman of Lake Zurich was in town on business Thursday.

Wm. Meister went to Chicago on Thursday to visit his invalid father.

The annual election of officers of the Zion church will occur Sunday.

Mrs. F. Birr of Chicago made a visit Thursday at the home of B. Gieske.

Mrs. Thorp and daughter Janette visited with relatives in Chicago Saturday.

Willard Overhue of Chicago visited with his cousins the Misses Clinge Sunday.

Willard Clinge of Elgin spent Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clinge.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoffman returned home Tuesday, after a visit with relatives at Spring Valley.

Misses Paulina and Emma Clinge visited with friends at West McHenry the first of the week.

Lieutenant-Will E. Gieske of the Elgin Guards spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Church.

Charles Westphal has moved into rooms on the second floor of Mrs. Clute's residence on North Hawley street.

Mrs. Kuhlman sr., Messrs and Mesdames G. Kuhlman and Miller returned from a visit to Minnesota this week.

Master Jacob Henning returned to his home in Chicago Tuesday, after a few weeks visit with his uncle, Ray Fabritz.

Emil Echtenacher, formerly in the employ of John Martin, was here on Tuesday. He is now conducting a hotel at River View, Ill.

B. Niemeier and family, Ed Renau and Mrs. Rickie Landwer, Ida and Esther Kuhl spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stockel at Quentin's Corners.

Among the Chicago visitors Thursday were: Wm. Elsner, Chas. Lind, Henry Brinker, Fred Grabenkort, Herman G. Lageschulte and Wm. Pepper of Lake's Corners.

Miss Nellie Donlea entertained a number of young people at her home in honor of Miss Mary McCarty Saturday evening. After the guests arrived games were played in which all present took part. Refreshments were served.

Why not have the Cook County Farmers Institute held at Barrington this spring? Such a meeting cannot be else than beneficial not only to the farmer, but to the entire community. Think it over, gentlemen, and encourage the idea.

Notices are being received on every hand by dealers from the many different manufacturers, informing them of an advance in prices in their respective lines of goods with the commencement of the new year. This is evidence that the good old times are again with us.

August Nerge, who lives a few miles east of Schaumburg, was in town on Thursday. Mr. Nerge had the fingers of his right hand badly crushed to the second joint while feeding his corn shredder a couple of months ago. He is now on a fair way to recovery, but still has to carry his hand bandaged.

At a meeting of the officers of the Barrington Court of Honor, who constitute the entertainment committee of that society, it was voted to have Mrs. Bennett furnish the supper on the evening of January 17 and that the social entertainment be left in the hands of a sub-committee. The chair named F. H. Plagge, C. H. Kendall and F. E. Lines to provide the music, and C. P. Hawley and M. A. Bennett to attend to the balance of the program. Each Brother has the privilege of inviting one guest.

The Barrington Maennerchor again distinguished itself on the eve of New Year's in the hospitality tendered a large number of invited guests, who gathered in their hall to join in watching the old year go out and the new one come in. The evening was spent until midnight in a social manner, that part of the evening being marked with songs by the society, tableaux, etc. At midnight a very nice lunch was served, after which a few hours' dancing was indulged in. Music was furnished by Prof. Stedman and Chas. Rachow. The society is enjoying a steady growth and promises to be one of Barrington's most prominent societies. Several new members were gained that evening.

James Doran of Leon, Iowa, has returned to Barrington.

Miss Julia Lamey of Chicago visited last week with her parents.

H. L. Grantham and M. W. Baseley of Wauconda were in town Thursday.

Wm. Collen returned home Thursday, after a visit with relatives at Crystal Lake.

F. B. Sodt of Chicago spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Sodt.

Mrs. E. W. Townsend left Thursday for a few days' visit with her son, George Jones, at Elgin.

WANTED—A few tons of good hay. Write or call at this office, stating grade and price delivered at Barrington.

Ernst Schenning spent Thursday in Chicago with an uncle, who underwent an operation there in a hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. McIntosh entertained Rev. and Mrs. Nate, Miss Rae Nate and Jessie Veile of Chicago at dinner New Year's day.

Charles Kuhn has gone to Woodstock where he expects to secure employment. Wm. Kuhn, his brother, is here for a few days assisting at F. G. Kuhn's.

The electric light plant was forced to shut down Thursday on account of a break in the boiler. It is expected that the plant will be in running order again this evening.

If fortune disregard thy claim  
Don't hang thy head in fear and shame  
But marry the girl you love best  
Rocky Mountain Tea will do the rest.  
Ask your druggist.

Miss Malinda Boehmer entertained a number of her young lady friends at her home on Lake street Sunday evening. Numerous games were played and refreshments were served. An excellent time was had by all. Those present were: Nelta Strickfaden, Clara Lageschulte, Esther Kampert, Rosa Lageschulte, Clara Freye and Nora Plagge.

THE REVIEW office, Barrington, is the place to get your auction bills printed on short notice, in a first-class workmanship manner and at reasonable prices. A free notice of the sale will be published in the paper, which alone is a quick, valuable and important factor in advertising sales throughout the western portion of Cook and Lake counties.

The Thursday club met at the home of Mrs. Etta Hawley Thursday afternoon. A very interesting program consisting of vocal and instrumental music and readings by the members was given. A paper on "Woman's Clubs" was read by Mrs. Ada McIntosh. After the program refreshments were served by the hostess. The club will meet at the residence of Mrs. S. Peck next Thursday.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society met at the residence of Mrs. J. B. Robinson Wednesday afternoon. The attendance was good and an interesting program pertaining to missionary work was presented. One new name was added to the membership roll of the society. The ladies expect to make arrangements for a missionary tea and social to be held some time in the near future.

A number of young people attended a party given in honor of Fred Brandt at the home of Wm. Brandt on east Main street Wednesday evening. The evening was pleasantly passed in games and an excellent lunch was served. Those present were: Misses Lydia Beinhoff, Emma Meier, Frieda Gottschalk, Sophia Schrage, Rieke and Mary Krueger, Emilie Pawelskie, Messrs. Fred Brandt, Fred Beinhoff, Albert and Wm. Krueger, Gustav Blum and George Beinhoff. Mr. Brandt left for his home at Fennimore, Wis., the following day.

Ray, the eighteen-month-old boy of Henry Schumacher, died Saturday after a short illness. The little child fell upon his face Wednesday, but at the time appeared to be, but little injured—getting up and continuing in his play as usual. The following evening he was taken seriously ill and medical aid was promptly summoned, but despite of all that could be done the child passed into the other world on the day stated above. The funeral services were held at St. Paul's church Tuesday, Rev. Menzel officiating. The remains were laid to rest in the Lutheran cemetery.

About twenty young people met at the home of Beulah Otis Saturday evening for the purpose of tendering Myrtle Comstock a surprise party. At 8 o'clock the party proceeded to the home of their "victim." After taking possession of the house and exchanging the usual greetings the party adjourned to the parlors where games of all sorts were indulged in. Refreshments were served to which all did ample justice. At a late hour all bade their hostess "A Happy New Year" and departed for their respective homes.

### Board Proceedings.

The board of trustees of the village of Barrington held their regular monthly meeting at the village hall Monday evening. The meeting was called to order promptly at 8 o'clock by President Boehmer and all of the trustees were present.

After the reading and approval of the minutes of the previous meeting, the treasurer's monthly report was read and adopted on motion of Trustee Peters.

The report shows the total amount on hand at date of last report to be \$1,248.06, total amount received from all sources since last report \$1,749.76, total amount paid out \$714.13, leaving a balance on hand of \$2,273.69.

The following bills were presented by the several committees and were allowed and ordered paid by a vote of 5 to 1, Trustee Richardson voting "no."

A. S. Henderson, night watch	85.00
Ernest Rieke, marshal	35.00
Wm. Hager, engineer	40.00
L. Krahn, painting	7.40
Luella Austin, gravel	2.13
John Page, ditching	3.60
Plagge & Co., lumber and tile	54.38
Henry Kirmse, painting	1.60
Henry Jahnke, labor	4.30
John Jahnke, labor	1.05
Henry Brandt, labor	2.40
Henry Gieske, labor	3.30
C. Hutchinson, ditching	1.95
James Sizer, hauling gravel	13.00
Frank Donlea, hauling gravel	6.00
Wm. Donlea, hauling gravel	6.00
Wm. Elsner, wood	2.25
A. D. Church, labor	.85
A. L. Robertson, light	65.00
Fred Meister, carpenter work	29.00
Total	\$311.21

The judiciary committee, to which was referred the matter of fixing a rate for the rental of hall for other than village purposes, recommended that a charge of \$2 be made for court purposes and \$5 for all other purposes. No definite action was taken on the report but it is generally understood that the above rate will govern.

Some discussion was brought forth on the policy of the village furnishing water for the skating rink free of charge. Trustees Peters and Richardson were of the opinion that the water should be paid for, but the other trustees were, apparently, of a different opinion. No action was taken.

The board adjourned on motion of Trustee Peters.

FOR RENT—House, containing 7 rooms. Good well and cistern. Apply at this office.

### New Grist Mill Opened.

The new mill at Barrington Center was formally opened on Wednesday evening by Jos. G. Catlow and John Brasel, the proprietors, in a social way. The only grinding done that evening was the grist of dances programmed for the evening by the floor committee and the consummation of a elegant lunch at midnight, to which nearly 200 did ample justice. The event afforded an opportunity for the residents of that community to meet and become acquainted with the proprietors of the new mill. At the opening of the dance Attorney L. Bennett made a short and appropriate introductory address. The dance lasted until the "wee sma' hours" and all voted it a most enjoyable affair. Excellent music was furnished by Sanford L. and Louis H. Bennett.

The building in which this party was given was formerly used as a cheese factory. Some few months ago Messrs. Catlow and Brasel purchased the property, and after weeks of diligent work have turned it into a first-class grist mill, which will be found of great convenience to farmers of Barrington Center. Mr. Brasel understands machinery thoroughly and is a shrewd business man. We hope they will meet with success in their new venture, which they deserve.

### Woodmen Install Officers.

Barrington camp, No. 809, M. W. A., installed their newly elected officers Tuesday evening. L. H. Bennett acted as installing officer. The officers installed are as follows:

Venerable consul, F. E. Smith.  
Worthy Advisor, D. F. Lamey.  
Excellent banker, H. K. Brockway.  
Clerk, Miles T. Lamey.  
Escort, Wm. Grunau.  
Physician, Dr. C. H. Kendall.  
Manager, Fred Beinhoff.  
Watchman, Fred T. Hoffman.  
Sentry, M. A. Bennett.

W. B. Shales, chief forester, was presented with a handsome sword and belt from the foresters. L. H. Bennett made the presentation speech, which was very appropriate and full of good advice.

### B. S. & A. C. Elect Officers.

The regular meeting of the Barrington Social and Athletic club was held in the club rooms Thursday evening. It being the close of the year, reports were made by the various committees and showed that the organization is in a flourishing condition.

It was decided to give a masquerade dance on Wednesday evening, February 21.

Officers were elected for the next six months as follows:

President, D. F. Lamey.  
Vice-president, Henry Kilian.  
Secretary, Henry Meyer.  
Assistant Secretary, John Sizer.  
Treasurer, Miles T. Lamey.  
Members of executive board, Lawrence Donlea and Glenn R. Hawley.

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## LATEST ILLINOIS NEWS.

### One Killed and Eight Hurt.

Mendota.—A rear-end collision occurred here on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad in which one man was killed and eight were injured. W. H. Wilson of Corydon, Iowa, was killed and the injured were: J. H. Girdner, Princeton, Mo., strained spine and scalp wound; J. E. Girdner, Princeton, Mo., slightly scalded; John Lezenby, Cainville, Mo., badly scalded and bruised; T. A. Troster, Corydon, Iowa, slightly injured; Andrew Conway, Memphis, Mo., bruised considerably; J. J. Springer, Cambria, Iowa, sprained back and chest; J. E. Lynch, fireman, sprained back and hand; H. B. Hurlburt, engineer, bruised and badly scalded. Except the two last mentioned, those hurt are stockmen. The first section of a stock train was standing on the main track when the second section ran into it. The way car was thrown to the top on the engine, where it caught fire and was nearly consumed. A fire alarm from the city waterworks brought out the fire company, which extinguished the flames. The great force of the collision threw the engine tank from the track, and piled several cars of stock in great confusion behind the engine, killing a carload of horses, and also several cattle and hogs. The wrecking gangs were promptly on hand, and traffic was not delayed by the accident.

### Acquittal at Vienna.

Vienna, Ill., telegram: All the defendants in the Lauder riot case are acquitted. The jury took its final ballot at 5 o'clock Sunday morning, and the court and defendants' counsel were notified. The prisoners were brought to the courtroom and just at 6 o'clock the verdict acquitting all the defendants was read. There was general hand-shaking and congratulation, court, attorneys, prisoners and jurors participating.

Sheriff Hankins rearrested Durden, Hicks, Boker and Richie on warrants sent him by the deputy United States marshal charging them with violating an injunction issued by the United States court. The sheriff took them to Grantsburg and turned them over to the deputy United States marshal there, who took them to Springfield.

Court convened at 10 o'clock this morning to set the time for trying the other change-of-venue case coming here from Williamson county.

### Writ of Error in Harding Case.

Springfield.—A copy of the writ of error from the Supreme court of the United States to the Supreme court of Illinois, in the case of George F. Harding and others against the American Sugar company and others, sued out by the Glucose Sugar Refining company, was lodged in the office of the clerk of the Supreme court here, together with a bond to cover the cost and damages, and an order of Justice Brown that the writ operate as a supersedeas upon the filing of the bond.

### Smallpox in Normal School.

Springfield, Ill., telegram: The state board of health has received a message from Dixon stating that smallpox is spreading in the Northern Illinois normal school. Thirty-five cases have been reported among the students, over twenty occurring in the college buildings. The health commissioner of Dixon has had all the patients removed from the college and has ordered a thorough revaccination among the students.

### Train Injures Two Men.

Springfield.—Prof. E. E. Turney, a teacher in the Springfield high school, and Robert Smiley, owner of the Smiley screen works, were struck by a Wabash passenger train while crossing the tracks in a buggy. Both were terribly injured, their recovery being very doubtful. Both were taken to St. John's hospital, where each had a leg amputated.

### Sympathy for the Boers.

Joliet.—The city council of Joliet, by a vote of 12 to 2, adopted resolutions sympathizing with the Boers in their fight against the British. The resolutions were introduced by Alderman Joseph Braun, and were opposed by Aldermen Mecham and Howk. The latter declared the resolutions were all nonsense.

### Stock Trains Collide.

Chicago telegram: A rear-end collision between two stock trains on the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad occurred at 3 o'clock this morning near Mendota, Ill., killing one man and injuring three others. The man killed was in charge of stock. No names have been obtained.

### Glanders Appears Near Shelbyville.

Shelbyville.—A horse disease on Adam Kull's farm, in the southern part of this county, has been pronounced glanders by the state veterinary expert, and four fine horses have been shot. Others in the neighborhood are similarly afflicted.

## NEW WAY TO PRESERVE CIDER.

Substrate of Bismuth and Citric Acid Will Keep It Sweet and Clear.

This year's large apple crop has made cider abundant and cheap, and by reason of processes discovered in recent years cider made early in the fall when apples are cheapest remains palatable all winter. With this improvement in the method of preserving cider has come a change of theory as to the wholesomeness of the beverage. Twenty years ago cider was denounced as a dangerous drink; now it is recommended especially to persons suffering from some stomach disorders, and to those of a rheumatic or gouty tendency. The French have made a medical study of cider, doubtless partly because it takes the place of wine in parts of France, and the result of such study has led the French experts to the conclusion that the presence of malic acid and of tannin in cider makes it of great hygienic value. Some dyspeptics cannot drink it, but in some forms of intestinal trouble it is helpful. It is recommended especially to gouty persons. To be wholesome, however, cider must be in good condition, and especially it must not be too hard. The old method of putting up cider in a strong and securely corked bottle, along with three or four raisins and a tablespoonful of sugar to a pint is still practiced in this country, and the result is a delightful beverage with all the effervescence of champagne; but this method of preserving cider is expensive and troublesome. The French have discovered a cheaper method, and that is to place in cider that is to be preserved from hardening a small quantity of the substrate of bismuth. It is found that a partly consumed barrel of rapidly hardening cider may thus be preserved for many months. The hardening process is not altogether arrested, but it goes on very slowly. The French have also discovered a method of preserving the bright transparency of cider. Most cider when exposed to the light becomes clouded and brown. This change is due to the chemical action of tannin and sometimes of iron contained in the cider. Save in appearance the beverage is none the worse for the change, and indeed a cider that quickly turns brown is regarded as especially wholesome for some persons because of its being rich in tannin. To preserve the clear beauty of color, however, the French use citric acid in quantities varying with the natural acidity of the cider, usually about 60 grains to the gallon. With citric acid and substrate of bismuth cider may thus be kept indefinitely not only fine in color but almost at a uniform condition of fermentation.

## NOT FISH STORIES.

But Tales of a Hardened Mountain Climber.

Fish stories are all very well in their way, observes the New York Commercial Advertiser, but when it comes to an out and out "yarn" the man of the woods can outdo any fisherman who ever pulled a sea serpent aboard while fishing for black bass. Bear, deer and wildcat yarns enliven the cool evenings in the Adirondacks just now, but the other day an Englishman who has a passion for climbing added his mite to the fund of romance. He is climbing all the mountains of America systematically. Pike's peak, Mount Washington and Whiteface, he considered worthy of his skill. But Blue mountain is an ant hill. He went up on its crest one morning to see the sun rise, and after trotting home to breakfast and spending the day fishing he went up again to see the sun set (most people start at 5 in the morning and come home at 7 in the evening when they climb Blue mountain. "Of course, I'm a hardened climber," said this energetic Briton, "as he stirred the fire of pine boughs, and I've had some funny experiences. Climbing isn't dangerous out here, that's why I get about so quickly. I remember once, years ago, when I was quite a young fellow, my two brothers and I were clambering about the Gornier glacier with an elderly uncle of ours. He was a roly-poly old chap, and he slipped and got wedged up to his waist in a crack in the ice, so firmly that we almost despaired of ever getting him out again. We pulled and tugged and nearly dragged all his clothes off; then we gave him our flasks to drain. He said he didn't know what was the use of writing and talking so much about the St. Bernards when a fellow could get in such a plight as his and not be able to get any assistance. Then he called the whole party together and began to dictate a codicil to his will, cutting out any legatees 'who might happen to be present on the occasion of any accident resulting in his demise.' I remember the wording of it to this day—it made such an impression on me at the time!" "How terrible! And then I suppose he perished miserably?" broke in an awed voice. "Oh, dear, no," said the bold Briton, cheerily. "My brothers and I made a super-human effort and hauled him to the surface just in time."

### Phoebe Had Heard Her Sing.

Frances—I understand Bessie has offered to sing at the charity concert. Phoebe—I should call that more of a threat than an offer.—Stray Stories.

## REBELS FLEE INTO BATANGAS

Filipinos Still in Rapid Retreat Southward.

## TOWNS BEING GARRISONED.

American Troops Left to Hold Captured Points—Pacification of Cavite Province Nearly Complete—Natives Suffering from Want of Food.

Cavite province, the hotbed of the insurrection, is now fully garrisoned. The civil government will be organized promptly. Peace is assured if the troops are not withdrawn. The attempted concerted movement of Gens. Bates and Schwan to surround and destroy the insurgents failed, owing to Col. Berkheimer causing the Filipinos to make a general retreat by his brilliant killing fight at Cavite Viejo. The rebels have fled into Batangas.

Nolan's squadron of the Eleventh cavalry drove a body of insurgents from Maig. One American was killed and two were wounded. Thirteen dead Filipinos were found.

The inhabitants of the islands of Leyte and Samar are suffering from lack of food, resulting from the long blockade, the arbitrary confiscation of property and the levying of tribute by

## THE WAY THEY DO IT IN PRETORIA.



ARRIVAL OF FORTY-TWO BRITISH OFFICERS IN PRETORIA, CAPTURED AT THE BATTLE OF MODDERSPRUIT. (From a photograph by a staff correspondent in Pretoria.)

the so-called government of the Philippines.

### Casualties During the War.

During the war with Spain and in the Philippines, 1,227 Americans were wounded, 288 killed and 4,015 died of disease. No Illinois soldiers were injured in action, though 287 died of disease.

### To Repatriate Spanish Prisoners.

The secretary of war wants \$750,000 to supplement the \$1,500,000 heretofore appropriated for the repatriation of Spanish prisoners and their families held by the insurgents in the Philippines.

### Ask McKinley to Intervene.

The executive committee of the International Peace society has sent a telegram to President McKinley asking him to intervene with a view of ending the war in South Africa.

### Four Deaths from Plague.

The bubonic plague at Manila is yet sporadic. There have been six cases and four deaths. Preparations are being made to establish hospitals for disinfecting and quarantining.

### Military Department of Alaska.

The president has created a military department consisting of the territory of Alaska and has assigned Col. George M. Randall, Eighth United States infantry, to command.

### Bank Can Not Reopen.

The comptroller of the currency has determined to proceed with the liquidation of the Broadway National bank of Boston, under receivership, as rapidly as possible.

### Powderley and Gage Clash.

Powderley will try to prevent the admission of 55,000 Finns imported for railway work, but Secretary Gage will admit them if they come as did the Croatians.

### Riot Indictments Are Quashed.

The indictments against the Pana (Ill.) mine operators were nolle prosequed in the Circuit court at Taylorville, by the state's attorney.

### Money for Foreign Missions.

The American board of foreign missions made public its eighty-ninth annual report. The sum of \$633,016 was collected during the year.

### German Emigration Falling Off.

German emigration to the United States by way of Bremen in 1899 shows a falling off of about 50 per cent since the year 1896.

### Illinois State Fair Dates.

The state board of agriculture has fixed upon Sept. 24 to 29 inclusive as the dates of holding the Illinois state fair of 1900.

## CRITICISM OF PARIS TEMPS.

Declares the United States Has Become a Great Power.

The Paris Temps, referring to the assent of the powers to the American Chinese policy, says: "President McKinley and Secretary Hay have assured themselves a place in history by assuming responsibility for the advent of the United States to the rights and obligations of a great power."

## M'GOVERN IS THE WINNER.

Dixon Loses Featherweight Championship in Eight Rounds.

Terrance McGovern, in eight rounds of the swiftest punching, the fastest in-and-out give-and-take fighting ever seen in a Horton-law ring, lifted the featherweight championship of the world at the Broadway Athletic club, New York, from George Dixon. Dixon was not knocked out.

### White Honored in Iowa.

The Iowa democratic joint legislative caucus selected Fred E. White, democratic candidate for governor in 1897 and in 1899, as the democratic nominee for United States senator against John H. Gear.

### Children Freeze to Death.

At Muenichschlag, a small town near Neuhaus, Bohemia, thirteen school children on their way home from school were overtaken by a severe snowstorm and frozen to death.

## MINOR EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Items of General Interest Told in Paragraphs.

## COMPLETE NEWS SUMMARY.

Record of Happenings of Much or Little Importance from All Parts of the Civilized World—Prices of Farm Produce in Western Markets.

Milwaukee.—The National Building Trades Council is opposed to the anti-scalping bill now before congress, and said so in the strongest terms.

Washington.—Congressman Prince introduced a bill in the house asking for an appropriation of not less than \$100,000 for a government postoffice building at Sterling, Ill.

Alton, Ill.—The city council of Alton adopted a resolution of sympathy for the Boers in their war with England.

Winnipeg, Man.—Manitoba's new cabinet was sworn in by Lieut. Gov. Patterson.

Florence, Ala.—Judge W. B. McClure, judge of the Probate court of Lauderdale county, was assassinated.

Oxford, Miss.—News reached here of a disastrous fire at Taylor, ten miles south of here, on the Illinois Central railroad. The flames swept away every store in the little town.

Washington.—Representative Shafroth of Colorado has introduced a resolution proposing a woman suffrage amendment to the constitution.

Washington.—The president sent to the senate the nominations of Henry L. Howison, Albert Kautz, George C. Remy and Norman H. Farquhar as rear admirals.

Denver, Colo.—The Davis iron works burned. Loss, \$100,000; insured.

Philadelphia.—The trial of the alleged Pennsylvania legislative bribers, growing out of Senator Quay's re-election, has been postponed until March 22.

Washington.—Rev. Benajah L. Whitman, president of Columbia university, has tendered his resignation to accept the pastorate of Calvary Baptist church, Philadelphia.

Black Point, Ont.—Three children of Thomas Brown—Thomas, Jr., aged 19 years; Margaret, 21, and Jane, 17—were drowned while skating on the Lake of Bays.

Paris.—The manager and artist of the paper La Caricature, who published a cartoon grossly caricaturing Queen Victoria, were acquitted of the charge of outraging public morals.

McPherson, Kan.—Worried over the incarceration of her husband on a charge of drunkenness, Mrs. Joseph Christie murdered her two children, cut her own throat and then set fire to her home.

Chillicothe, Mo.—The Nelson Kneass Monument association has been organized for the purpose of erecting a monument over the grave of Nelson Kneass, the musical author of "Ben Bolt."

Washington.—The contract for the erection of an electric lighting plant at the Norfolk, Va., navy yard was awarded to L. L. Leach & Son of Chicago, at their bid of \$73,371.

New York.—John D. Rockefeller has presented \$100,000 to Columbia university for the endowment of a chair of psychology.

Duquesne, Pa.—By an explosion of dynamite at the Carnegie blast furnaces six laborers were injured.

Lancaster, Pa.—The county commissioners have sworn out a warrant for the arrest of ex-County Treasurer Hershey, claimed to be \$65,000 short in his accounts.

Buffalo, N. Y.—James W. Chase, a builder and contractor of this city, was adjudged a bankrupt. His liabilities are given as \$223,309, with assets of only \$15.

Topeka, Kas.—J. F. Crennan, manager of the Topeka branch of the Standard Oil company, was run over and killed by a Santa Fe switch engine.

Philadelphia, Pa.—Paul Kyriss, a native of Wurtemberg, Germany, was arrested here as an alleged fugitive from justice. He is charged with having embezzled public funds in Germany.

Bellefontaine, Ohio.—Ernest Austin was sentenced to the Ohio penitentiary for life for the murder of his brother, William. Ernest was a volunteer in the American-Spanish war.

Shelbyville, Ind.—The Knights of Pythias here have arranged to begin the construction of a \$40,000 castle hall and opera house.

Harford City, Ind.—The Montpelier tin plate mill, employing 200 men, was closed, and it is believed that it will not resume.

Washington.—Congressman Hopkins of the house ways and means committee states that there will be no revision of the war internal revenue tax law at the present session of congress.

Bangor, Maine.—The latest reports from Congressman Boutelle are of an encouraging nature.

London.—Another effort to float the American line steamer Paris out of dock at Milford Haven failed. The vessel filled as soon as the water was let into the dock.



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London Truth has been calculating how long the Witwatersrand gold mines will continue to attract uitlanders to that region for which so many men are now laying down their lives. The rand is a limited deposit of gold bearing earth and rock extending about 20 miles around Johannesburg. The ore runs so evenly that the output can be calculated for years ahead. A consensus of the best experts places the total future yield of the rand at \$483,000,000. John Hays Hammond estimates the probable annual yield at \$20,000,000. On this basis the entire deposit will be exhausted in 24 years. It is more than likely that the new influx of men and of improved machinery after the present war will considerably shorten this period. The sum of gold is great, but what will become of the uitlander mining population after the mines are exhausted? They will no doubt pick up their belongings and leave the country. They will then care nothing for the franchise which now so greatly interests them or for the arid veldt wrested from the Dutch farmers. In the light of this probable course of events the present "grievances" of the British appear comparatively temporary. The whole wealth of the Witwatersrand would hardly seem full payment for the blood now being spilled in South Africa.

It is commonly charged that railroads try to suppress news of accidents and prohibit employees from giving any information even to friends of those who may have been killed or wounded. That such a charge is not always justified is shown by the following emphatic order issued by the management of the Lackawanna at New York on the occasion of a fatal wreck at Paterson, N. J.: "Communicate at once by telephone with every newspaper in New York. Tell them that we have had a bad accident in Paterson and that while it reflects seriously on us we do not care to have it made worse by ignorant misrepresentation and guesswork. Ask them to send reporters, the more the better, to Paterson right away, and tell them that if it is not possible for their men to reach Hoboken in time for our last train at 9:30 o'clock we will find some way to get them out there. Meanwhile give all inquirers all the information that comes into your possession."

The New York fire department boasts a new automobile carriage in which the chief marshal goes flying to every fire with ease and alacrity. Paris is still ahead on this score, however. The fire brigade of that city has designed and built an electric hose carriage which is said to have been used with admirable success at several recent fires. It has usually outdistanced the apparatus drawn by horses. The Paris fire department has ordered six automotor machines, including hook and ladder trucks and steam fire engines. It would appear that the automobiles have come to stay in more than one form.

General Gatacre met his "sunken road" in the Stormberg mountains. The colonial police who guided the British blundered, and their pretended knowledge of geography turned out to be the tragedy of a guess. So the peasant at Waterloo by a nod of the head sent the flower of Napoleon's cavalry to defeat and death. Upon such small chances hang the destinies of war and the hopes of humanity.

Harper's Weekly calls attention to the fact that if you want to be a successful writer of fiction it is just as well to be an American. The four new books of which over 100,000 copies each have been sold this year are by American authors.

A Tokyo newspaper praises the good behavior of American troops who have touched at Japanese ports. The standard of manhood of our army impresses all foreigners who have a chance to inspect it.

An interesting art note comes from New York. Artist Gillmartin has been awarded \$10,000 by a New York jury for the alienation of his wife's affections by a mere tradesman.

The British poets appear to be divided on the Boer war. Swinburne, Rudyard Kipling and Alfred Austin are vociferous for it, while George Meredith, Thomas Hardy and William Watson raise their voices and wield their pens in earnest protest. However, their work might all be said to be a verse to hostilities.

The Prince of Monaco has expressed himself as favoring the Boers, and the Count de Castellane has not yet ventured a word of reproof. Either the prince has made an impression as a dangerous man or the count is losing his interest in politics.

The handwriting experts appear to be cutting an important figure in the Mollieux murder trial in New York, and yet this is supposed to be the era of the typewriter.

The Harvard-Yale debate which occurs at New Haven a few months hence will attract considerably less attention than a Yale-Harvard football game.

At first glance the latest ruling of the commissioner of internal revenue, calling for the mutilation as well as the cancellation with ink of documentary and proprietary stamps when they are put to use, looks like superfluous botheration, and yet when due appreciation is had of the trouble which the government is having with dealers in washed stamps the new regulation is reasonable enough. It is necessary for the public to co-operate with the government authorities in suppressing this apparently growing fraud.

The preacher at the Tremont temple in Boston recently told those of his congregation who got up and went out when the contribution box was started around never to darken the doors of that sanctuary again. Is not this rather shortsighted? The better way would seem to be to let them come and listen to the preaching of the gospel as often as possible, to the end that they may be made to see the error of their ways and deposit their shekels on the plate.

It is said that a number of the general officers of the American army now in Cuba will resign rather than serve under General Leonard Wood. The country can probably manage to worry along without their distinguished services.

South America last year increased its purchases of agricultural machinery from the United States \$500,000 and thereby announces its methods of tilling the soil are improving rapidly.

General Joubert, the Boer commander, is reported to be seriously ill. Possibly some of those English war poems have fallen into his hands.

And now Belgium wants to buy a couple of million dollars' worth of approved killing machinery for her army in order to keep pace with the advance of civilization.

In view of the fact that over 600,000 of Brooklyn's 1,197,100 people never attend church, ought it longer to pose as the City of Churches?

It seems as if the old saying that "it pays to be honest" ought to have been especially applicable to the Chicago man who made 25 cents a night by stealing and carrying away 100 pounds of iron ingots. Almost any job would have paid better than that.

According to a Paris cable, there is skating in that city, but the ice is thin. For that matter, a good many of the people of the gay French capital are skating on thin ice all the year round.

That Indiana man whose horse ate up a pocketbook containing \$85 may be justified in claiming that it is not always profitable to have money in live stock.

After looking over the returns from South Africa young Waldorf Astor has concluded that he doesn't want to be a member of the Queen's guard anyway.

### Reflected Greatness.

When, as a boy, the Duke of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha visited the island of Barbados, his washing was done for him by a negress named Jane Ann Smith, who was over 6 feet in height. She was so puffed up at being patronized by royalty that she claimed precedence at once over all the other washerwomen and retained it for many years.

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#### WEEK DAY TRAINS--NORTH.

LV. CHICAGO	AR. PALATINE	AR. BARR'TN
7:30 A. M.	8:25 A. M.	8:45 A. M.
8:10	9:05	9:17
10:50	11:40	12:00 M.
1:30	2:25	2:50
3:27 P. M.	4:25 P. M.	4:36
5:02	5:53	6:03
6:01	7:03	7:15
6:35	7:35	7:50
11:35	12:35	12:50

#### WEEK DAY TRAINS--SOUTH.

LV. BARR'TN	LV. PALATINE	AR. CHICAGO
5:55 A. M.	6:50 A. M.	6:55 A. M.
6:35	6:45	7:45
7:00	7:09	8:10
7:35	7:45	8:40
9:15	9:25	10:00
12:30 P. M.	12:40 P. M.	1:40 P. M.
2:35	2:45	3:50
4:59	5:09	6:05

#### SUNDAY TRAINS--NORTH.

LV. CHICAGO	AR. PALATINE	AR. BARR'TN
4:00 A. M.	4:55 A. M.	5:10 A. M.
9:10	10:15 A. M.	10:27 P. M.
1:30 P. M.	2:35 P. M.	2:50 P. M.
4:45	5:46	5:58
6:35	7:35	7:50
11:35	12:35	12:50

#### SUNDAY TRAINS--SOUTH.

LV. BARR'TN	LV. PALATINE	AR. CHICAGO
7:35 A. M.	7:45 A. M.	8:40 A. M.
12:30 P. M.	12:40 P. M.	1:40 P. M.
4:25	4:35	5:40
5:59	5:09	6:05
8:48	8:58	9:45
9:05	9:15	10:15

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	NORTH.	SOUTH.
Joliet.....	2.30am	8.40am
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Lake Zurich...	7.15am	2.25pm
Leighton.....	7.45am	3.05pm
Rondout.....	8.00am	3.25pm
Waukegan....	8.30am	4.10pm
		7.30am
		8.00pm

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## LAKE ZURICH.

A scarcity of news prevails this week.

Luther Clifford is reported on the sick list.

E. Runey of Waukegan was in town Tuesday.

Leave your laundry at Emil Frank's barber shop.

L. Dickson of Wauconda was here on Wednesday.

E. Robertson shipped a car-load of hogs Wednesday.

Joseph Catlow of Barrington was in town Wednesday.

Fresh oysters at the meat market of Charles Schute.

Wm. Hutchinson of Elgin was in Zurich this week.

Otto Waelti of Wauconda was a business caller Tuesday.

Edward Lageschulte of Barrington was in town Tuesday.

The feed and grist mill is doing a rushing business of late.

See bills for the next grand masquerade ball at Ficke's hall.

Frank Barbian of McHenry was a business caller on Tuesday.

Herman Arndt of East Dundee was a business caller here this week.

M. E. Cameron of South Bend, Ind., transacted business here last week.

John Whitney and son of Diamond Lake were among the Sunday callers here.

Louis Knigge is selling tickets to dispose of a camera. Buy the lucky number.

Our ice men are hoping for cold weather to resume work haryesting the crystal.

Several of our young people took in the masquerade ball at Wauconda on Thursday evening.

Frank Roney, our hustling stock buyer, shipped a car-load of hogs to Chicago Wednesday.

For a good smoke call at the Zurich House. Lovers of the weed, smoke the best cigars made.

The interior of the Zurich House has been renovated this week and presents a fine appearance.

Charles Steffens has accepted the agency for the Champion Reaper Works, H. Lohman resigning the position.

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## WAUCONDA.

H. E. Maiman transacted business in Chicago last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Acker called on friends and relatives here this week.

J. E. Glynh returned to Chicago Sunday, after spending a few days in Wauconda.

Dell Ford returned to Chicago Sunday, after spending a few days in our village with relatives and friends.

Messrs. Judge Fitch, E. N. Burham, S. O. Darrell and W. J. Bangs transacted business at the county seat last Friday.

Supervisor Cooke is in Quincy this week attending the supervisors, county clerks and county commissioners' annual meeting.

Raffles are becoming quite popular in our village of late and if you have any relics that you wish to dispose of, now is the time—before the fever dies out.

T. V. Slocum returned to our village Saturday, after an extended sojourn in Eastern Arkansas. He reports everything lovely in the South and intends to return in the near future.

Elmer Ford, who has been seriously ill with typhoid fever for the past four weeks, is now on the gain. Elmer has had quite a tussel with the fever and we are happy to report his improvement.

Nile Wynkoop of Woodstock called on old friends here Thursday. He speaks well of his new home and expects to spend the winter there at least, but says it seems good to see old Wauconda once in awhile.

Miss Ida Ladd of Rockefeller was a pleasant caller in our village the first of the week.

Thomas Carr of Ringwood is spending a few weeks in our village with his brother, F. L. Carr.

Wauconda camp, M. W. A., installed the following officers Tuesday evening: V. C., E. Brooks; W. A., J. W. Cook; E. B., M. S. Ford; Clerk, H. Hicks; Escort, W. S. McClain; Sentry, Page Smith; Watchman, Carl Erickson; Managers, B. J. Barker and A. C. Stoxen.

Wednesday morning A. C. Stoxen came uptown with a broad smile on his face, looking about him in a vivid way and everybody wondered what tickled him so, but suddenly the news was flashed that a pair of twin boys had been born unto Mr. and Mrs. Stoxen.

Miss Ruth Neville entertained a number of friends at her home last Friday evening. Several hours were pleasantly passed in a variety of games, intercepted with refreshments and it was a late hour when the guests bade their hostess good night and departed for their homes.

Messrs. L. E. Golding and C. W. Sowles returned to Chicago Sunday, after a two weeks' vacation. They will, no doubt, get lots of hard work during the ensuing term, but the boys are equal to the occasion and we expect to get our teeth repaired free of charge when they come home for their summer vacation.

At a regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors Tuesday afternoon the following officers were installed: Oracle, Mrs. E. J. Cook; Vice-Oracle, Mrs. J. Manicom; Recorder, Mrs. M. C. Smith; Receiver, Mrs. E. W. Brooks; Marshal, Miss Sadie McClain; Chancellor, Mrs. J. B. Turnbull; Inner Sentinel, Mrs. J. A. Brand; Outer Sentinel, Miss Orfa Darrell; Manager, Miss Mary Glynh.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Bennett were given an agreeable surprise at their home Thursday evening of last week by ten of our citizens. Mr. Bennett had already retired when the party drove up, but upon the arrival of the guests quickly arose and greeted them most heartily. The evening was most pleasantly spent playing euchre and various social games until about 12 o'clock, when refreshments were served, after which the happy assemblage dispersed, thanking Mr. and Mrs. Bennett for their kind hospitality and hoping to renew the pleasures of the evening at some future time.

### BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

Board of trustees met in regular session January 1, with President A. Cooke in the chair and Trustees Roberts, Neville, Brooks, Cook and Jenks present.

The minutes of last meeting were then read and approved and the following bills were presented for approval:

Globe Light and Heat Co., 3 fonts.....	\$4.73
Fuller & Wentworth, supplies.....	35.69
Frank Garland, labor.....	.75
E. J. Reilly, constable.....	35.00

On motion of Roberts it was voted to allow the bills and orders drawn on the treasurer to pay same.

Moved and carried to adjourn.

### Philippine Island Letter.

SANTA BARBARA, P. I., Nov. 23, 1899.

DEAR PARENTS:

I will write you a few lines today and let you know how I am and also about the fight. We left Jaro Tuesday morning at about 8:30 and started out on the Santa Barbara Road. About 600 yards from our outpost on the road is an old sugar mill and we had passed by it and were about 300 yards beyond it, when the insurgents opened fire upon us. Some of the bullets came pretty close and we all jumped to one side of the road and laid down on the grass and the artillery was ordered up and we cleared the road for them. As they went by us with the mules on the dead run, we gave them three cheers. They went down the road and planted their guns about 700 yards from the insurgent trenches and then began to fire sharpshoot shells at them. Co. G was in advance and they deployed as skirmishers on the left of the road. The other companies came up and Co. A deployed on the right and started out across the rice and cane fields. As we were going through a line of trees Lieut. Conrad ordered us to throw off our blanket rolls and leave them there and he left me to guard them. The artillery kept up a heavy fire on the trenches all the time and the skirmish line opened up fire and then the air was full of whistling bullets. The insurgents kept firing and their bullets went through the tree tops where I was guarding our blanket rolls. I was sitting on the ground, at the foot of a large tree, and was glancing around and happened to look across the river. Up in the top of a tree I saw something red and it flashed across my mind that it was an insurgent sharp shooter. I kept my eye on it and it began to move towards a crotch, near the top of a tree, but he hadn't got himself in a good position before I shot him and he fell to the ground. I did not go across the river to see if he was dead, but am sure that I hit him. The firing line kept up a heavy fire all the time and all at once they gave a large cheer and charged over the breast works. That was more than the insurgents could stand and they left their breast works and ran. Some of the shells of the artillery had torn big holes in the breast works and right back of the trenches there were three trees that had been cut down by the shells. Four companies that were on the firing line kept after the insurgents and drove

them in their trenches across the river. They were ordered to halt and wait for the artillery and second battalion to come up. While they were waiting Lieut. Conrad sent the hospital back to get Co. A's blanket rolls. After they had taken the first set of breast works they had to cut a hole through it so as to let the artillery and wagon train through. One of the men from Co. F was wounded in the arm and he went back to Jaro. He told the hospital steward that there were some dead and wounded in the rice field on the left of the road. I went out with the hospital steward and two Chinamen and we were spread out so as to cover as much ground as possible and not miss any bodies. I found the body of a sergeant of Co. F and he was dead, the bullet having gone through his heart, and he must have died instantly. We put him on a stretcher and the Chinamen carried him out to the road and left him. As we were going across a rice field I picked up a government revolver and a pouch full of cartridges that some one had lost when they went across the field. The doctor had none so I gave it to him. We did not find any more bodies, some of the other hospital corps having found them. All together, there were seven wounded and three killed, one from the battery, one from Co. F and one from Co. G. The wounded were men belonging to Co's. F and G and the battery. The first time I went over the rice fields I saw about fifty blanket rolls that the men had thrown away. When coming down the road towards where our blankets were I saw a man sitting on the ground beside the road and when I got to where he was I saw that he was wounded in the left leg and was trying to dress the wounds himself. I stopped and dressed the wound with his first aid package and then helped him up and we started toward where the blankets were. He had his left hand on my left shoulder and I had my right hand on his right shoulder. It was very hard getting along as he could only go a little way and then stop and rest. We finally got there, and then I made a bed for him out of our blankets and he laid down in the shade waiting for the ambulance to come along, when he got in and rode back to Jaro. When our men came back after their blankets I went back with them and we all had to carry five rolls apiece, besides our guns, but kept on until we reached the rest of the company. A soon as they saw me everybody began to ask how I happened to see the insurgent in the tree. There were bayonets and bullet pouches scattered all along the line, which the insurgents had dropped while running, but we found no guns. There was a deep ditch we had to cross and had to build a bridge across it before the artillery and wagon train could advance any further. It took about an hour and a half to build it and then the artillery came across and went down the road and began firing at a big building about a mile away. The insurgents had burned the bridge after they crossed the river and thought it would stop us. The first battalion formed a skirmish line, with Co's. D and B on the left of the road and Co's. A and C on the right. Away we went across the rice fields with water half way up to our knees, but never stopped for that, but kept right on and had reached the edge of the woods when they opened fire on us from their trenches across the river. We laid down on the ground and opened up all along the line and I tell you, those old "Krag's" made things fly. The artillery kept up a fire from the road and those old sharpshooters made a whistling noise as they tore through the air. We fired a few volleys and then advanced through the woods and on the river bank. Co. B was getting the heaviest part of the firing and Co. A was away down on the right, around a small bend in the river, pouring in a cross fire on the insurgents. It must have unnerved the insurgents to see the Americans come right up to the river bank in plain view and lay down and fire at them, for pretty soon they began to leave their trenches and make for the woods; but some of them never reached it, for down on the right of the line we could see them running across an open field and dropped right of them. One fellow had on red pants and we all took him for an officer, and about twenty of us shot at him, but he never stopped, although the bullets tore the dirt up all around him.

After the firing stopped we began to cross the river and the water was up to our waists, but we went through and up to the other bank and crossed a plowed field toward a piece of woods. We passed through the woods and came out on the edge of a low mud ridge, but found that the insurgents, although the mud was away about our knees and held our feet, making it hard work for us to get over. After some of us had got through we took poles and helped the others out. We went on again and came to a small town and stopped there over night. We then washed the mud off of us the best way we could and got something to eat. There was not the least sign of Filipinos in town when we arrived there, but along towards night the women and children came back and some men were with them carrying white flags. As soon as we had stacked our arms and taken our other things off, some of us began to hustle around after chickens for supper and it wasn't long before we had pies going and chickens boiling.

Pretty soon we saw the artillery coming up the road and maybe we didn't give them some hearty cheers. About five o'clock the wagon train came along and they unhitched and stopped for the night. There was a large church here and on one side was a great hole in the roof, where one of our shells had passed through. Four companies slept in the church and the rest of them slept around in the other building.

About five o'clock the next morning we were roused up and had our breakfast and about 6:30 Wednesday we started for Santa Barbara with the second battalion in the lead. We expected to be fired upon all along the road and we were marching along when all of once the insurgents fired four shots from old smooth-bore cannons and then ran. The artillery advanced and fired one shot and that was the only shot that was fired. We stopped beside the road and the scouts rode on ahead, when pretty soon one of them came back and said it was Santa Barbara. When we marched in town it was deserted and we marched out on the plaza and stacked our arms. Every one was greatly surprised at the way we took the town, for all the officers expected a hard fight here. As soon as the soldiers stacked their arms they began to search the houses but the insurgents had taken everything of value with them. In one of the houses they found a band outfit and we were soon treated to some martial music. There is a large church here and it is fixed up very nice inside, but there are not any seats in it. The office are quartered in a wing on one side of the church and "Old Glory" flies in the breeze above the church.

All the afternoon we were rustling around getting ready for night and pretty soon the women and children began to return for the night and today they keep coming in from all directions. We expect to meet the column under General Hughes and get orders from him, but I do not know how long we will stay here. I am sitting in a large arm chair in the house that was occupied by the insurgent commander, General Del Godis.

Well, I will have to close for this time as it is very near supper time. Hoping to hear from you soon, I am, as ever,

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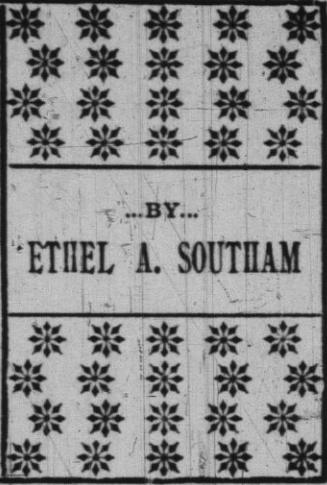
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# That Mysterious Major...



...BY...  
**ETHEL A. SOUTHAM**

CHAPTER XIII.—(Continued.)  
"Dropped it! You do not mean to say that the letter is lost?" exclaimed Falkland, starting forward with a look of terrible anxiety on his face. "Really, Miss Luttrell, how very— But, discovering Miss Luttrell's gaze concentrated upon him in absolute amazement, he seemed suddenly to bethink himself, for, leaning back against the cushions, he folded his arms with an air of calm complacency and laughed indolently. "It is so annoying, I always think, to lose one's correspondence; one never cares to have one's private affairs published from the housetops. But, great heavens, why are we stopping here?" Falkland sprang up from his seat and let down the window with a bang as the train began to slacken speed.

"Why, what do you mean? We stop at Redhill, of course; this is where Parker will be waiting with the luggage," and Evelyn commenced rubbing vigorously at the window nearest her, at the same time peering out anxiously through the dimmed glass in the hope of catching a glance of the missing maid.

But Falkland, who had his head half way out of the window as the train came to a standstill by the side of the lamp-lit station, all at once drew back into the carriage and brought up the window again with a resounding bang.

"Redhill, Miss Luttrell? Oh, did I not explain?" As he turned his face toward her Evelyn noticed that he was deadly pale. "This train was not down on the time table to stop here. Lynwood is the first stopping place; so that it will be the next station where Parker is to be found."

"Are you sure?" Evelyn bent forward anxiously. "Had you not better ask somebody to make certain? Yes, here comes a guard; ask him."

She had risen to her feet and was

going now," she added falteringly, "to join my aunt, who has hurried off at a moment's notice to one of her boys, who has met with an accident at school."

"I do not understand. An accident? And Lady Howard has left Saltcliffe?"

"Certainly! Lady Howard left by the 8:30 express," supplemented Falkland in a tone of some impatience. "Miss Luttrell had a letter to that effect; but of course, it is quite likely that you have heard nothing. The whole affair has occurred in the space of about an hour."

"Oh, no, of course not—that is quite likely," was the major's reply in a voice which made Evelyn survey him in silent wonder, whilst Falkland's face became simply livid. "Only, as it happens, it was fully ten minutes to nine when I took my departure from the hotel; and I can assure you that barely two seconds before I was in your aunt's room, talking to Lady Howard herself!"

"At ten minutes to nine you were talking to Aunt Lydia at the 'Royal George'! What on earth do you mean?"

"I mean what I say, Miss Luttrell; and, if it is true that you are now off to join her in London—because this is the express, which does not stop before you reach town—I am afraid you are the victim of another forgery and some vile scheme concocted simply with an idea of inveigling you away."

And, having so delivered himself, the major folded his arms and, with an air of studied calmness, stood looking from one to the other of the two horrified countenances.

## CHAPTER XIV

There was an awful silence, and then Evelyn passed her hand with a gesture of dazed bewilderment across her eyes and slowly recovered herself.

interrupted Falkland, with a harsh laugh.

The major smiled.  
"Well, perhaps not, when one takes into consideration that on the one hand the statement comes from a man who would stoop to anything in order to secure his own ends—an individual, in fact, who habitually carries about with him a supply of a most dangerous drug, which he administers, as occasion requires, to any passing acquaintance. That reminds me, Mr. Falkland. For the future, a third of that amount which you gave to me last night will be quite enough; and even then you will have plenty of time to make a thorough search and disappear, bag and baggage, before your unfortunate victim, whoever he may be, has enjoyed more than his allotted share of dreams; only be quite sure he does drink it—that is all. I had the sense not to do so."

"I beg your pardon, Major Brown; but, if you wish to insinuate—"

"Thank you, I wish to insinuate nothing. I am merely anxious for you to know that you have not been quite as lucky as usual in the choice of your subjects." Here the major raised his foot to the carriage step and looked steadily at Falkland. "You may never have seen me before—I do not suppose so, or you would hardly have behaved as you have—but I once had the pleasure of seeing you. Possibly," he continued, "you may recollect the time of which I am thinking. It was at Monte Carlo, just before the notorious forgery affair was made public. But perhaps my name is not altogether unfamiliar to you. Most likely"—and he pulled out a case of cards and handed one across to him—"you will recognize it."

A deathly paleness came over Falkland's face.

"Sir Adrian Beauchamp indeed!" he muttered, flinging the piece of pasteboard to the ground in a sudden tumult of wrath. "Who do you suppose would be fool enough to be taken in by such a piece of trickery as that?"

"Yet the mere question of identification becomes the simplest matter in the world," was the major's reply, as he gave one swift, furtive glance in Evelyn's direction, a smile involuntarily crossing his face. "The difficulty has been to remain incognito all this time. As for you, I suppose you would prefer to sail along under false colors as long as possible. As Gilbert Falkland you have more scope altogether—a better chance, in fact, of claiming an acquaintance with the absent relatives of any of your fellow travelers—than as plain, unvarnished Samuel Cripps the forger."

"You blackguard—you!"

"Pray do not forget that Miss Luttrell is present," interrupted the major in low, concentrated tones. "But it is useless to attempt to argue the point. Your guilt is now thoroughly established. That check, which fortunately fell into my hands last night, also a few lines of your writing and the impression of the forged signature upon a piece of blotting paper, are all the proofs that were needed to join the links in one long chain of evidence; and, since the whole affair rests with the authorities at Scotland Yard, you will very speedily have an opportunity of explaining anything that you wish to be made known to one of their representatives."

Here a warning shriek from the engine made him suddenly stop short and, with an anxious glance at the advancing porter, turned hurriedly to Evelyn.

"Miss Luttrell, what can I say for myself? You have heard both Falkland's statement and my own. Which do you believe? I am afraid that my story sounds almost as suspicious as his. In fact, you know less of me. But, on my honor, I assure you that Lady Howard is now at the hotel! If you can trust me"—with a supplicating look that was far more potent than words—"come! I will take you straight back to her at once."

Already the train was beginning to move. The porter had actually reached the carriage; his hand was on the door. For one instant Evelyn hesitated, whilst her gaze wandered from the cold, cynical countenance of Gilbert Falkland to the dark, handsome one of Major Brown, and then, with a little shiver, she thrust out her hand to the one held out to her, and answered in a low, hurried tone—

"I will come!"

And the next moment she was standing on the platform watching the crimson lamp of the departing train rapidly disappearing in the gathering mists of the summer evening, alone with the man whom for the past four-and-twenty hours she and her aunt, and even Falkland himself, had been regarding in the light of the most notorious criminal.

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about to lay her hand upon the window, but Falkland was before her. He had seized the strap and seemed to be making a vain attempt to let the window down, when suddenly a key was inserted in the lock, the door was hastily thrown back, and the light of a lantern was directed into the carriage.

There was a momentary pause as both Falkland and Evelyn, completely dazzled by the light, stared vacantly at the dark figure before them, and then—

"Great heavens! Miss Luttrell, is that you? I thought I must have been mistaken."

It was Major Brown himself who stood there indistinctly defined in the darkness; and at the sound of his voice Evelyn's heart gave a great bound, whilst every particle of color retreated from her face. Only now did she realize that after that evening she would most probably never see him again—never again! Full of this new thought, she immediately thrust out her hand, forgetting as she did so all terrible suspicions of the past four-and-twenty hours.

"Yes, I am here," she answered; "and, as there can be only a second to wait, I suppose it is—good-by? I am

"A forgery—that letter!" she gasped. "Oh, surely, you are mistaken! It—it cannot be!"

Yet, even as she spoke, even as her eyes rested for one brief moment upon the major's face, a terrible fear took possession of her, and, starting to her feet, she made one quick movement toward the door. Instantly, however, a hand was laid upon her arm.

"Miss Luttrell, what are you doing? Are you mad? Have your senses forsaken you?" expostulated Falkland, with a sudden vehemence, "that you can believe such an absurd, really outrageous fabrication?"

"You mean to say—"

"That it is a lie—a downright lie," he exclaimed, all his pent-up fury bursting into a flame—"as I myself happened to see Lady Howard passing on her way to the station now more than an hour ago!"

"You saw her driving past?" Evelyn gave one wild despairing glance around.

"And at ten minutes to nine I left her sitting in her own room at the 'Royal George,' Miss Luttrell," declared the major in the same peculiarly calm tone. "Which do you believe?"

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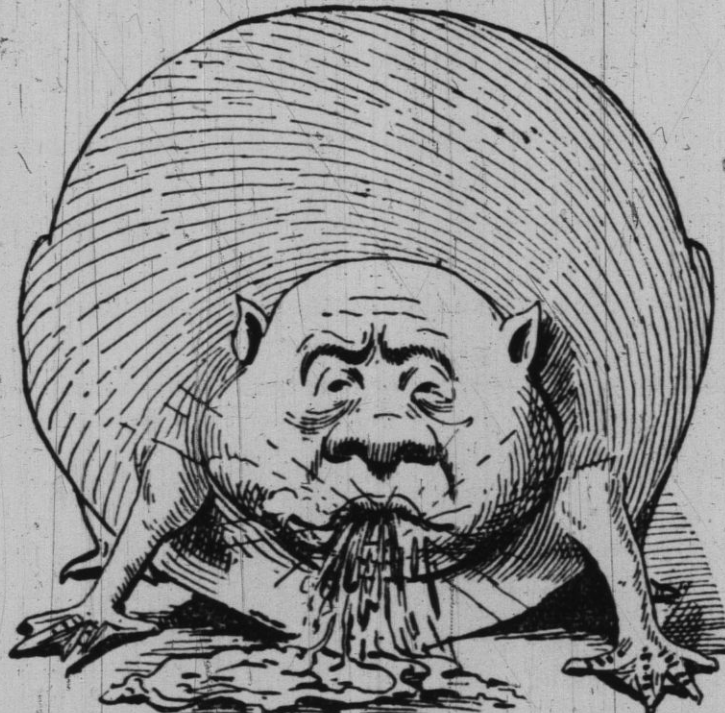
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Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Meyer spent Thursday in Chicago.

Edward Peterson made a business trip to Chicago Thursday.

Joseph Catlow lost quite a valuable horse by disease Saturday.

Mrs. James Catlow of Cary visited Barrington relatives Saturday.

Mrs. Samuel Seebert visited her sister, Mrs. Gates, in Chicago Thursday.

Miss Carrie Dix is visiting with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lassetter, in Chicago.

A few from here attended the masquerade dance at Wauconda Thursday night.

Arch Houghtaling has been spending his vacation at the home of his parents.

Henry Meyer of Arlington Heights made a business call in Barrington on Tuesday.

M. C. McIntosh returned Thursday from a business trip to Dakota and Minnesota.

Frank Evans and family of Long Grove visited at the home of Paul Miller Thursday.

Mesdames Edward Wiseman and F. L. Lageschulte spent several days this week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Heimerdinger spent Sunday at the home of their sons, Edward and George, at Cary.

Gus Wewitzer of Marshall, Minn., was the guest of his cousin, Mrs. P. Jacobson, a few days this week.

Dr. and Mrs. M. F. Bishop have located in Barrington and commenced housekeeping in Mrs. Bute's residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Nordmeyer of Palatine spent a few days the first of the week at the homes of their daughters.

P. H. Miller is again firing on one of the Barrington trains after a several months' lay-off on account of rheumatism.

Several Barringtonians attended the horse sale at Palatine yesterday. There was a large number there to purchase horses.

John C. Plagge and L. F. Schroeder went as delegates to Knights of the Globe convention, which was in session this week at Freeport, Ill.

Mesdames Fred, George and Edward Heimerdinger drove over from Cary Monday and spent the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Heimerdinger.

Frank Pfoner, accompanied by Conrad Kraus, attended the wedding of his niece, Miss Carrie Strober, to a Chicago gentleman Wednesday evening.

Mesdames P. Murray and McGearn, former residents of Wauconda, made a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Lamey Wednesday, leaving for their home in the city the following day.

L. A. Jones of Chicago, formerly connected with H. T. Abbott's drug store, has purchased a fine stereopticon outfit and upon his trip may favor Barrington people with an exhibition in the near future.

Mr. Koch, aged 83 years, died at the home of his son, Chris Koch, 4 miles south of Barrington January 5, after a few days illness. The funeral was held at the Plum Grove Lutheran church and the remains were interred in the cemetery there.

John Alexander Dowie and about 100 of his followers went by special train to Benton township, north of Waukegan, Saturday to view the immense lot of land purchased there recently and which will be converted into a "New Jerusalem." Work will be commenced in the spring.

We understand that a surprise party has been planned for this evening upon one of our young men who lives beyond the boundary lines of the village. We would advise the young men to put on their best smiles, be at home and in readiness, for they might be the chosen one.

Carl Ernst and G. H. Comstock are on the sick list.

John Harrower made a short visit in Chicago this week.

George Frye of Crystal Lake was here on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wolf of Chicago are visiting relatives here.

Mesdames McKinley and R. Purcell were Chicago visitors Thursday.

F. C. Kueck of Lake Zurich transacted business in town Tuesday.

Edward Wessel visited at Arlington Heights and Chicago Wednesday.

Chas. Wood of Chicago spent several days this week at the home of A. W. Meyer.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Reese, a 9-pound girl Sunday morning, January 7.

Miss Mabel Spriggs of Chicago is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Spriggs.

FOR RENT—House, containing 7 rooms. Good well and cistern. Apply at this office.

The W. R. C. will meet for charity work at the home of Mrs. John Robertson next Tuesday.

Messrs. and Mesdames John Gessel and Charles Miller visited relatives at Park Ridge Tuesday.

Miss Mary Lind, daughter of Chas. Lind, left yesterday for a few months' visit with her sister at Waukegan.

The organ recently purchased for St. Paul's Lutheran church arrived here Thursday and has been placed in the edifice.

Miss Anna and Charles Wewitzer of Lake Zurich were visitors at the home of their sister, Mrs. P. Jacobson, this week.

George Stiefenhofer and Henry Schroeder attended the meeting of the State Volunteer Firemen's Association held at Princeton, Ill., this week.

Burglars broke open the safe in the Libertyville post office Monday and made away with \$60 in currency and stamps, besides stealing a horse, harness and buggy from a citizen there.

The horse sale at Palatine yesterday was attended by a large crowd of people hailing from miles around. People as far out as Wauconda and Elgin were in attendance. Many sales of horses were made.

At school district No. 8 (Humphrey) a stereopticon entertainment, conducted by A. H. Barber of the Loomis school in that vicinity, was given on Wednesday evening of last week. It not only proved to be a success financially, but socially as well.

Supervisors Arthur Cooke, J. L. Swayer and Miles T. Lamey and County Clerk A. L. Hendee returned from Quincy, Ill., yesterday, after attending the 13th annual convention of Supervisors, County Clerks and County Commissioners of the state of Illinois. They report a very interesting meeting.

Rev. Bailey, a former pastor of the Baptist church at this place, visited in Barrington Sunday, and occupied the pulpit in the Baptist church in the evening. Since leaving here he has graduated from the Magnetic Healing school at Nevada, Mo., and is on his way to LaCrosse to establish a sanitarium. He seems thoroughly imbued with his new calling.

The Baptist people observed the week of prayer by holding cottage prayer meetings. One of the most helpful and enthusiastic was held at the home of Mrs. Fred Kirschner and her mother, Mrs. Hawley. Mrs. Hawley requested the 14th chapter of St. John be read. The meeting was very beneficial to all. The firm trust and faith that this good lady expressed will long remain and bless all present. After the meeting light refreshments were served by Mrs. Kirschner and daughter Stella.

The U. S. Civil Service Commission announces that the annual examinations for positions in the classified service will be held all over the country in March and April. There were over 8,000 appointments last year and, judging from present indications, there will be nearly 10,000 this year. Anyone who wishes to try for a place can do so without expense. One can obtain full information about dates, places and character of the examinations free by writing the Columbian Correspondence College, Washington, D. C.

Ed Riley made a business trip to Waukegan Thursday.

Defores Kelsey made a business trip to Chicago Wednesday.

Fred Rachow left Wednesday for Chicago to accept a position.

Frank J. Meier, who is employed at Mayfair, spent Tuesday in town.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Karnick on January 10, a 9-pound girl.

Lloyd Robertson returned to Champaign Sunday to resume his school duties there.

The "Busy Brownies" honored Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Powers with a serenade on Monday night.

Fred Hoeft of Cary transacted business here Wednesday and visited at the home of Gus Radke.

Philip Starck, jr., of Chicago spent Sunday and Monday with his grandfather, J. Zimmerman.

Mrs. Chas. Wagner of Crystal Lake spent a few days this week with her sister, Mrs. John Martin.

George M. Pettis will leave Monday evening for Western Iowa to spend a couple of weeks with his brother, Wm. Pettis.

Revival meetings have been conducted by Rev. Strickfaden at the Salem Evangelical church last week and this.

Mrs. B. H. Sadt went to Chicago yesterday to spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. D. H. Crouse, who is still very ill.

Night Watchman Al Henderson has been quite ill since Sunday. He was somewhat better yesterday but unable to leave the bed.

Roy Smith visited a few days this week with Chicago friends and relatives. He attended the wedding of his uncle, Rudolph Novark on Wednesday.

The Maennerchor will give a masque ball in their hall Thur. evening, February 8. To a certain extent it will be an invitation affair, each member having the privilege to invite two who are not members.

Mrs. Charles Ridel and family, accompanied by Miss Laura Kirmse, returned to their home in Chicago on Thursday after a few weeks' visit with Mrs. Ridel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Kirmse.

George P. Eckert of Woodstock has leased the Henning building and will take possession today. Frank Kuhn, the present occupant of the building, has accepted a position at Woodstock and will move there within a few days.

The Thursday club met at the residence of Mrs. S. Peck Thursday afternoon. The book "One Hundred Days in Europe" was completed, and the members will next take up "The Pleasures of Life," by Sir John Lubbock, for the second reading. The club will meet at the residence of Mrs. Austin next week.

The new electrical machinery recently put in at the electric light plant was started for the first time Wednesday evening and is giving good satisfaction. The Electric Lighting company, although their contract with the village only calls for 32 candle power lights on the streets, has discarded the old ones and instituted 40 candle power lights in their stead at the company's own expense and no extra charge will be made the village for the additional light gained by this change. The company is entitled to commendation for its efforts to furnish better light and to please our citizens.

A surprise party was given Misses Ida and Esther Kuhl, of Manchester, Mich., at the home of Herman Garbisch Saturday evening. The plans for a complete surprise were so well formed that the young ladies were put to utter astonishment upon their entrance to Mr. Garbisch's comfortable home early that evening in company of Miss Ida Gieske, with whom they had been visiting. It was then that they found that a large number of their acquaintances had gathered there during their absence to give them a hearty welcome and to have a general good time. Everybody enjoyed themselves at the many games played and in diminishing the delicious supper which was served at the conclusion. The party was reluctantly broke up by the participants shortly before the midnight hour arrived, when all departed for home. The Misses Kuhl left for their home in Michigan Tuesday evening.

Fred Vermilya was out from Chicago on a visit Sunday.

Mrs. E. N. Gifford visited a few days this week with relatives in Chicago.

Herman Garbisch and Edward Reau were Chicago visitors Tuesday.

Miss Mame Pettibone of Chicago spent Sunday with Miss Nellie Warner.

Miss Nellie Warner was the guest of relatives in Chicago Sunday and Monday.

Miss Evelyn Davlin is taking up a course of dressmaking at Miss Nellie Gray's dressmaking parlors.

The Court of Honor will give an entertainment in their hall Wednesday evening, January 17. It will be an invitation affair.

Richard Barker of Chicago attended the dancing school Friday evening of last week and was a visitor here with friends Saturday and Sunday.

If fortune disregard thy claim  
Don't hang thy head in fear and shame  
But marry the girl you love best  
Rocky Mountain Tea will do the rest.  
Ask your druggist.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. McIntosh entertained at a dinner party Saturday evening, January 6, in honor of the 83rd birthday of M. B. McIntosh. A very fine menu was served and a most pleasant evening enjoyed by those present. The guests were: F. E. Lines and family and M. C. McIntosh and family. Mr. McIntosh and three other members of the Senior Croquet club celebrated the day by playing three games of croquet, Mr. McIntosh and his colleague winning two out of the three.

John Colten arrived here from the West Wednesday evening with a carload of cattle. The demand here for new milch cows has been so great, on account of a shortage of new stock, that Mr. Colten found but little difficulty in disposing of ten of them the following day at private sale. Through an excellent offer made Mr. Colten he has recently associated himself with a large stock dealer in Chicago. While in the West he also purchased a carload of stock which he shipped East for the Buffalo market. His business in the sale of cattle here will be continued by him the same as usual and his association with the Chicago firm will not necessitate his removal from Barrington.

"The Brownies" is the name that the bright and wide-awake girls of Mrs. Flora Lines' Sunday school class have chosen for themselves. They are just now showing that great characteristic of Brownies by raising the money needed to furnish the Baptist church with electric lights. To further this end they gave a very enjoyable social and entertainment Thursday evening in the church basement. The program consisted of a song by the Brownies, a recitation by Myrtle Comstock, a paper by Lottie Palmer, a very pretty and graceful Delsarte drill by the Brownies, ending with a number of selections by Mr. Lind with his phonograph, one of the finest instruments of the kind we have ever heard. After a historical contest in which, of course, Prof. Smith won, dainty refreshments were served.

Away back in the '50s, Dr. Robinson had a classmate in New Carlisle Seminary, Ohio. His name was Edward H. Funston. They had many a tussle in discussion in the Literary society, as well as reading, Latin and sciences together. But time sent them apart. Funston went to Kansas and later became a congressman for ten years. Last year his son Fred, by very brilliant dashes and especially swimming a river in face of the enemy in a charge against the Filipinos, won the promotion to brigadier general's epaulets. Dr. Robinson wrote him last week, asking which of the many handsome girls at New Carlisle was so fortunate as to be the mother of General Fred Funston. His reply, very congenial and full of friendship and old memories, tells the mother's name. It was Ann Eliza Mitchell. She is well remembered by Dr. Robinson as a beautiful young Miss of sweet sixteen.

### Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of unclaimed letters remaining in the postoffice at Barrington Jan. 12, 1900:  
J. Harris, Asher Bell, E. W. Miller and Edwin Wolaver.  
H. K. BROCKWAY, P. M.

### Decided by a Game of Golf.

A unique procedure in a justice court was brought to light before Judge Tuthill Saturday, when the court ordered judgment against Justice of the Peace M. C. McIntosh of Barrington for refusing to issue a writ of transcript. Albert A. Kraft, 609 Reaper block, was attorney for the complainant in the mandamus proceedings before Judge Tuthill. Kraft had been retained by Joseph Empl, in a replevin suit brought by A. J. Kalkus, C. R. Napier of the Unity building was the attorney for Kalkus. When the parties interested in the case appeared before Justice McIntosh at Barrington November 28, there was a dispute as to a change of venue and McIntosh suggested that he show them the town while they were deciding what should be done.

McIntosh proposed that the clients and their attorneys play a game of golf and settle the dispute over \$31. The lawyers consented to settle in that way, but the clients refused. However, McIntosh hustled them in to his double carriage and drove over to Lake Zurich, six miles away, where a "duffers" five-hole foursome was made, with Justice McIntosh as master of ceremonies.

The game was called and at the third tee Kraft "sliced" into a pond and had to put up 25 cents for a new ball. At the fifth tee, when the game was at its hottest, the score standing "all leak," Kalkus, with a desperate stroke "slopped" and broke the driver, which made the victory easy for Kraft and Empl. All returned to the court room at Barrington and Kraft and Empl won there.—Chicago Journal, January 8th.

### Week of Prayer.

The services held in the Methodist church last week were very interesting and inspiring. Such has been the interest and attendance that a continuance of the meetings was asked for and granted. Dr. J. B. Robinson, the pastor, selected the following themes for this week's discourse:

Sabbath, Jan. 7, at 10:30 a. m. "God in Moral Government."  
Sabbath, Jan. 7, at 7:00 p. m. "The Last Come."  
Monday, Jan. 8, at 7:30 p. m. "Your Funeral!"  
Tuesday, Jan. 9, at 7:30 p. m. "Lost Man's Lawyer."  
Wednesday, Jan. 10, at 7:30 p. m. "Bread Winners."  
Thursday, Jan. 11, at 7:30 p. m. "Public Highways."  
Friday, Jan. 12, at 7:30 p. m. "Uncrowned Kings."  
Sabbath, Jan. 14, at 10:30 a. m. "God in the Bible."  
Sabbath, Jan. 14, at 7:00 p. m. "The Awful Problem."

### W. R. C. Installation.

At the installation of officers of the W. R. C. on Wednesday the following were installed:

Mrs. James Sizer, president.  
Mrs. E. M. Bute, Sr. vice-president.  
Mrs. Leroy Powers, Jr. vice-pres.  
Miss Robie Brockway, treasurer.  
Mrs. Kate Gray, chaplain.  
Mrs. M. A. Bennett, secretary.  
Mrs. Charles Wool, conductor.  
Mrs. John Robertson, guard.  
Mrs. Fletcher, ass't. conductor.  
Mrs. C. G. Senf, ass't. guard.  
Miss Robie Brockway, acted as installing officer. A beautiful poem, dedicated to "Our New President," was read by Mrs. Bute, it being her own composition.

THE REVIEW office, Barrington, is the place to get your auction bills printed on short notice, in a first-class workmanship manner and at reasonable prices. A free notice of the sale will be published in the paper, which alone is a quick, valuable and important factor in advertising sales throughout the western portion of Cook and Lake counties.

## Want to Rent?

We have a number of houses in different parts of Barrington listed for rental. If you anything in this line, call and see what we can do for you.

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