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PALATINE LOCALS.

A. G. SMITH, LOCAL EDITOR

Rally Thursday night.

Republican rally at DesPlaines Tuesday night.

Chas. Patten is driving a fine new buggy horse.

Hutchins Hart is building a barn on his father's place.

Services as usual in the Methodist church next Sunday.

Floyd Gibbs is attending the Chicago Veterinary college.

Mrs. James Wilson has been entertaining a sister this week.

Oysters in bulk, all kinds of cheese and pickles at Handleman's.

Mrs. Williamson of Ashton is visiting Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Wood.

Charles Griswold is moving his family into the Ray Wilson house.

The best Key West cigar in town, "Chicos," at James Moorhouse's.

Register at the town hall on October 16th or 30th so you can vote.

Miss Carrie Roundy of West Chicago visited at the Methodist parsonage on Saturday.

Henry Imhoff is working in the general office of the C. B. & Q. Railway company at Chicago.

George House was shaking hands with former Palatine acquaintances the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norton Miller of Barrington Center were guests of Mrs. J. W. Smith the first of the week.

A. G. Smith has rented Aug. Kimmett's house and will move into the same as soon as repairs are completed.

Republican rally at Arlington Heights next Friday night. The Palatine Marching club and Glee club will attend.

Parties wishing Mr. Blum of Arlington Heights to act as auctioneer at their sales can make arrangements through A. G. Smith.

A good many odd plates are waiting for the owners to call for them at the Methodist dining room. Will the ladies please call for them?

Langhorst & Linnemann did some fast work at threshing for M. L. Staples. They threshed at the rate of 300 bushels per hour on the whole crop.

The experience social of last Friday evening was very good considering the rainfall. A good program was presented and nearly \$25 taken from earnings.

Dr. E. W. Olcott & Son, dentists, have arranged for two days of each week at their Palatine office. Dr. E. W. Olcott on Fridays and Dr. H. L. Olcott on Tuesdays.

I. R. B. Arnold goes to Arlington Heights with his stereopticon entertainment for a week. His entertainments here were greatly enjoyed by large audiences each night.

There will be no preaching at St. Paul's church tomorrow morning on account of Mr. Daverman's funeral. Sunday school as usual. Young people's meeting in the evening.

We want applications from farmers and business men. Join the Ideal Sick Benefit and Accident association. It pays you big benefits in case of accident or sickness. Only costs \$1.00 per month to belong. We pay doctor's bill. Address A. E. Brewer, care J. L. Black.

The republican marching club met and elected officers Saturday night as follows: Captain, Charles Lytle; lieutenant, A. C. Bennett. The club expects their suits the first of next week and will be ready for the rally Thursday night.

Charles Quindel had his leg broken just above the ankle while on his way home last Friday afternoon. His horses became unmanageable and threw him out and his foot caught in the buggy wheel. He is getting along nicely at present.

Mrs. E. Fenton is having her house remodeled to some extent.

The Young Ladies Coffee Kretchen met with Mrs. Henry Hartmening last Friday afternoon, it being the hostess birthday anniversary and on Saturday Miss Lydia Knigge received, it being also the occasion of her birthday anniversary. A very pleasant time was enjoyed at both places.

E. T. Paull, the "New March King," has written a new music composition, "Dawn of the Twentieth Century March," which is praised very highly by music critics. You can get a copy for half price, 25c, by mentioning this paper. Address E. T. Paull Music Co., 44 W. 29th street, New York.

The harvest supper given by the Ladies' Aid society in the Methodist church parlors Tuesday night was a decided success. The rooms were prettily decorated with vines, fruits and vegetables and was a credit to those who did the work. The supper was good, as usual, and there was scarcely anything left after all had dined. The ladies netted nearly \$30 from the affair. An interesting program was given after the supper.

Attend the Methodist annual conference now in session at Garfield Park church. This affords a splendid opportunity for our people who care about it to see the workings of the Methodist conference. The general conference of last May removed the time limit and now the presiding elders say there is more worrying than in any previous year. The prediction is that in four years' time the general conference will go back to the three or five year limit.

Married at St. Paul's Evangelical church, Thursday, October 4, 1900, Mr. Henry Daverman and Miss Lizzie Garms, Rev. J. C. Hoffmeister officiating. The groom is a young man well known here and is a hard worker and industrious. The bride is a daughter of Wm. Garms and is a young lady who is popular in her circle of friends. After the ceremony at the church a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents where many friends gathered to feast and make merry.

Henry H. Davermann, father of Mrs. G. H. A. Thomas, died last Thursday. The funeral services will be held at the home of Conrad Schroeder Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and the remains shipped to Graceland cemetery, Chicago, for interment. The deceased was nearly 77 years of age and was born in Germany. He came to this country 55 years ago. He was on his way to visit his brother north of town when taken ill and remained at the home of Mr. Schroeder.

Miss Cocroft, president of the Physical Culture society of Chicago, will lecture in the M. E. church Thursday evening, Oct. 11, subject, "Poise, Mental, Moral and Vital, or The Harmonious Woman." The lecture will be illustrated. The press speaks highly in her praise. Miss Cocroft's Josephine gown allows full play for the muscles and shows to an advantage the effect of a well developed physique. All are invited. While the lecture is free a collection for the incidentals of the church will be taken.

Republican Rally.

A big republican rally will be held in Battermann's hall next Thursday night. The meeting will be preceded by a torchlight procession and Congressman George Edmund Foss and Assistant United States Attorney Clark J. Tisdell will make addresses. Mr. Foss was elected congressman from this district in 1896 and since that time he has gained more than national distinction. He was placed at the head of the navy committee after the serious illness of Congressman Boutelle and has served in this capacity with wonderful adeptness. Our German friends will remember that Congressman Foss was highly honored by Kaiser William by being received on board his own ship and given special privileges in inspecting their naval equipments. Congressman Foss should attract people for miles around as he can talk on the issues of the day, having taken part in the recent acts of the government. Clark J. Tisdell is one of the brightest and inter-

esting young men in the campaign. Mr. Tisdell was elected to the Illinois legislature from this district in 1896, and while there he won the hearts of his constituents by standing for their interests at every opportunity. He resigned this office to enter United States Attorney's office in Chicago. Many people who heard him four years ago expressed a desire to hear him again.

The glee club will sing. Let everybody turn out and hear these distinguished speakers on the real issues of the campaign.

Village Board Meeting.

The Palatine village board met in regular session last Monday night and the meeting was exciting at times.

Trustee Taylor moved that Robertson avenue be graveled from Plum Grove avenue to Brockway street, and although the motion received no second, the matter occasioned an exciting discussion. The other trustees, however, agreed with the president that until the property owners filled in their curbs the gravel would not be forthcoming.

It was moved by Trustee Putnam, seconded by Trustee Taylor, that the chairman of the committee on police have the village cart, used by the lamp lighter, repaired. Motion prevailed.

The village clerk was instructed to notify various parties who were raising pigs in the village to keep pens in a sanitary condition or steps would be taken to compel them to do so. Instructions were also given to notify all property owners whose hedge extended over the walks, to trim same to the sidewalk line.

President Olms informed the trustees that the railroad company would put parks on both sides of the tracks between Bathwell streets and Plum Grove avenue, provided the village would stand part of the expense. The board took no action as the matter properly should be presented to the citizens. The following bills were ordered paid:

John Bergmann	40 00
Henry Law	45 00
Herman Schroeder	10 00
H. Allard, labor	18 15
W. Wittenberg	12 75
C. Bergmann	10 50
F. Fisher	5 55
B. Meyer	4 05
H. Othmer	7 30
Ed Knowles	4 05
W. Winke	7 13
H. Heide	6 00
H. Schoppe	55 70
W. Tegtmeyer	15 00
H. Andrecht	2 50
Keuffel & Esser Company, supplies	6 00
Battermann, Ableman & Ost	109 17
Reynolds & Zimmer	7 73

Village Board Proceedings.

The board of trustees of Barrington held their regular monthly meeting at the village hall Monday evening, President Boehmer presiding. All the trustees were present with the exception of Trustee Willmarth.

After the reading and approval of the minutes of the previous meeting, the treasurer's report for the month of September was read, approved and ordered placed on file.

The following bills were allowed and ordered paid:

A. S. Hendeason, night watchman	85 00
John Donlea, marshal	40 00
L. F. Schroeder, hardware	5 65
A. L. Robertson, light	66 00
A. L. Robertson, pumping water	75 00
John C. Plagge, oil, etc.	10 29
Barrington Fire Dept. services	23 50
J. D. Lamey & Co., oil	1 55
Plagge & Co., lumber, etc.	34 75
H. D. A. Grebe, sundries	1 06
do tapping mains and repairs	58 75
Clarence Fisher, labor	1 05
Zornow & Wiehmann, repairs	2 85
James Donlea, labor	75
R. C. Comstock	11 85
Fred Brandt	5 85
Wm. Schwank	6 00
Ben Clinge	5 85
John Lageschulte	4 35
Wm. Gieske	4 65
J. Broemmelkamp	25 50
Wm. Amis	2 85
M. Moldenhauer	2 85
Chas. Peters	3 00
Henry Pingle	21 00
Robt. Comstock	3 00
James Sizer	30 30
Frank Donlea	35 70
Fred Wolf	15 30
J. W. Bennett	7 87
Otto Rieke	15 30
S. Homuth	15 50
Ed Wiseman	12 50
Enoch Brandt	14 40
John Jahnke	16 20

On motion board adjourned.

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Lace Curtains—Notice our low prices on Lace Curtains, 40 inches wide, 3 and 3 1/2 yards long, 65, 75, 85, 95, 1.25, 1.65, 1.75, 2.00, 2.50 per pair and up.

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Ladies' Jackets, Children's Cloaks—Why pay way-up, big prices for a stylish Cape or Jacket. It isn't necessary. The price you pay for a jacket or Suit is high or low according to how much satisfaction it gives. The Big Store sells garments that are guaranteed. We show a large fall stock at \$3.75, 4.75, 5.39, 6.29, 6.48, 7.75, 10.50 and up. Children's Cloaks at \$1.89, 1.98, 2.95, 3.69, 4.39, 4.48 and up.

Fall and Winter Dress Goods—See our new fall and winter Dress Good patterns. Special bargains in plain and checked flannels at 65c, 75, 89, 98, \$1.00 1.25, 1.65 per yard and up. A large line of Wool Dress Goods at 35c, 49, 59 per yard and up. Cotton Plaids 9c, 12c per yard and up.

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Twelve Richmonds in the Field.

Twelve presidential tickets have been placed in nomination, and the voter at the coming election will have a great wealth of material from which to make a choice of candidates. Here is the list of nominations in the order in which they were made:

SOCIALIST LABOR.
Job F. Harriman, California..... President
Max S. Hayes, Ohio..... Vice President

SOCIAL DEMOCRAT.
Eugene V. Debs, Indiana..... President
Job F. Harriman, California..... Vice President

UNITED CHRISTIAN.
Silas C. Swallow, Pennsylvania..... President
John G. Woolley, Illinois..... Vice President

PEOPLE'S PARTY.
William J. Bryan, Nebraska..... President
Adlai E. Stevenson, Illinois..... Vice President

MIDROAD POPULIST.
Wharton Barker, Pennsylvania..... President
Ignatius Donnelly, Minnesota..... Vice President

DE LEON SOCIALIST.
Joseph F. Maloney, Massachusetts..... President
Valentine Remill, Pennsylvania..... Vice President

REPUBLICAN.
William McKinley, Ohio..... President
Theodore Roosevelt, New York..... Vice President

PROHIBITION.
John G. Woolley, Illinois..... President
H. B. Metcalf, Rhode Island..... Vice President

DEMOCRATIC.
William J. Bryan, Nebraska..... President
Adlai E. Stevenson, Illinois..... Vice President

SILVER.
William J. Bryan, Nebraska..... President
Adlai E. Stevenson, Illinois..... Vice President

NATIONAL.
Donaldson Caffery, Louisiana..... President
Archibald M. Howe, Massachusetts..... Vice President

UNION REFORM.
Beth Ellis, Ohio..... President
S. T. Nicholson, Pennsylvania..... Vice President

Never in any national campaign in the history of the country has there been presented such a long list of entries for the presidential stakes from which to "pick a winner." While most of those on the list will be found after Nov. 6 in the "also ran" column, the nominations were made with as much formality as if it were expected that each would poll several million votes. As election day is some little time hence, it is possible that there may be other entries before the list is closed. If there is any American citizen who has any notions as to the way this country ought to be run not embodied in the platforms upon which these several nominees stand, let him speak right up, and he will probably be provided with a new ticket.

In a recent issue of the New York Herald the Earl of Rosslyn tells in terms anything but complimentary what he thinks of Richard Harding Davis. This is in reply to a previous publication of Richard Harding Davis' opinion, which was in no respect flattering, of the Earl of Rosslyn in the latter's capacity as warrior and war correspondent. As Sir Lucius O'Trigger would say, it is a pretty fight as it stands, but it is not one in which the public at large has any considerable interest. It, however, gives The Herald an opportunity to remark upon the reprehensible manner in which some newspaper correspondents misinterpret their functions and neglect their obligations by giving their opinions and views of things instead of giving the news that they are sent to collect. The point is well taken, particularly as regards the work of most of the war correspondents in South Africa. But few of them have given us good descriptions of the battles fought there or of the movements of the contending armies. They have, rather, chosen to set themselves up as strategists and military critics on their own account, with results that have been confusing and unsatisfactory, to say the least. The same was true of the work of some of the correspondents in the Spanish-American war, nor was Richard Harding Davis above criticism in this respect while acting as a correspondent in Cuba. The best correspondents, whether they write in war or peace, are those who describe what they see and hear rather than those who tell what they think they ought to have seen and heard.

Agricultural reports indicate that there is a shortage in the California prune crop. If driven to it by extreme necessity, the people may be induced to forswear the prune habit.

It was perhaps fortunate for her that Atlantic City had her census taken while a good many shutters were up in so many other places.

The Galveston Disaster.

With all man's vaunted power, with all his science, with all his knowledge of the terrestrial ball upon which he spends his brief mundane existence, the elements are still his master. He may make the winds and the waves do his bidding, he may harness the electric currents and cause them to furnish light and propulsive energy and convey his messages over land and under sea, but he cannot abate the fury of the storm. The impotence of man as compared to the irresistible forces of nature is again illustrated in the terrible disaster which has overtaken the city of Galveston and a considerable section of the country bordering on the gulf of Mexico. The disaster is without doubt the worst that has ever been experienced in this country, not only in the number of dead and injured and the loss of property, but in the horror of the conditions following it—famine, pestilence and pillage.

It is highly creditable to the American people, whose sympathies are quickly stirred and who respond with alacrity to the call of distress, that efforts were promptly put forth to relieve these terrible conditions. Even before Galveston had sufficiently recovered from the stunning blow inflicted by the storm to appeal for aid preparations for the work of rescue and relief were begun all over the country, and as soon as her people made definite statement of their needs the universal sympathy took the form of prompt and generous assistance. This is no more than should have been expected, but it speaks well for the great heart of the American people and for the solidarity of the nation in the hour of peril and distress. Doubtless by this time all immediate and pressing cases of starvation and distress which it has been able to reach have been relieved, but the need of assistance will not soon be over, particularly in the outlying sections devastated by the storm. It will take the people of Galveston and its environs a long time after hunger has been appeased and shelter provided to again get upon their feet, and aid should not be discontinued with the passing of the first generous impulse. Tens of thousands of people have been made homeless by this greatest of our disasters, and their sources of subsistence for many months have been cut off. Months must elapse before a great majority of the survivors of the storm can emerge from a state of dependence. Let the good work be continued until the distress is fully relieved. There can be no worthier object of benevolence than the one which the sad picture of Texas' devastation presents.

According to Rudyard Kipling, the Mongolians are likely to overwhelm the world. Mr. Kipling must have been away on a vacation and failed to have heard about Chaffee and his brave boys.

An usher in a fashionable New York church stole \$50,000 from his employers and got off with a reprimand from the court. This seems to be a rather reckless use of the church pull.

Couldn't Translate It.

We received a letter recently we were unable to read. We failed to determine the nationality of the writer. The only words we were able to make out were, "Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin cures Indigestion." Chas. E. Churchill.

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WAUCONDA.

Chas. Davis of Woodstock was a pleasant caller in our village Wednesday.

Mrs. C. L. Pratt and family moved to the city Tuesday where they will spend the winter.

Henry Stadfield, who has been in the employment of J. S. Hass for the past month, has resigned his position.

M. F. Fleming of Wadena, Ind., a former resident of this vicinity, was a pleasant caller in our village Monday.

Messrs. L. E. Golding and C. W. Sowles and Misses Ruth Neville and Ada Hicks were Barreville visitors Sunday.

Miss Daisy Grosvenor left for Grayslake Monday where she has secured employment and expects to spend the winter in that village.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Fitch, who have been residents of our village for the past three years, moved to Grayslake the first of the week where they will make their home.

Messrs. A. L. Price and W. S. McClain returned home last Wednesday after spending the last few weeks at St. Paul painting and repairing the residence owned by Price Brothers in that city.

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The Market Day again has come and gone but not without its results. The attendance was a great deal larger than it was last month, people coming from many surrounding towns and the sellers found buyers. What could not be sold at private sale was sold at auction and all that was offered was sold except a few Dakota horses. The day is bound to be a great success in our village.

Orton Hubbard left for Chicago Monday where he will begin his course in surgery at the Northwestern Medical college. Mr. Hubbard who has been a resident of our village the greater part of his life, was the principal of our school for the past three years is meeting with excellent success and was again appealed to to take the school for another year but having decided to take up surgical work would not reconsider. He is starting upon a good profession and when once accomplished will be well provided for the rest of his life. We wish him the best of success.

James Blanck sr, one of our old residents passed away at his home in our village Monday morning at 9 o'clock, at the advanced age of 85 years. He had been very feeble for the past few years although in apparently good health, but the final stroke came and his age could not withstand. The funeral was held from the M. E. church at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning, Rev. Dutton officiating, the remains being interred in the Wauconda cemetery. The deceased leaves a wife four sons and two daughters. James, the eldest, resides in the city and has a good position with a commission house; Mrs. Bessie Comstock also resides in the city; Andrew is a resident of our village making his home with his parent, and John, who also lives at home, is employed in The Leader office. Laura and Willard, the two younger children, are at home.

FROM OUR NEW POSSESSIONS.

SANTA CRUZ, P. I. Aug. 11, 1900.

Dear Brother:—I received your letter a few days ago and it found me in the hospital, but I was there only a few days and am alright now. We have been so busy marching the last few days that I have not found time to write to you.

We left Majajjay the first of August and went to Santa Cruz but we had gone only a few miles when we were attacked by the niggers and they made it pretty warm for us for a little while. We had a doctor killed and one man wounded out of this. We found three mules wounded. We found one nigger wounded after everything was over. The troops are having lots of trouble with them all over the Islands.

Norman Granger came back from Calamba last night where he has been in the hospital since last May. He is looking good now. I had a letter from

Geo. Walmsley a few days ago and one from Will Hodge. Walmsley is in Co. M. of the 36th and Hodge is in Co. E. of this regiment.

It is pretty warm in this town. It rains half of the time and we are having lots of guard duty. We are living fine here in town. Some days we get beefsteak for breakfast and supper and for dinner we get roast beef. We get mustard greens for dinner four times a week; if they only keep this up I think I will get fat. We can buy fish in this town for 15 cents apiece; one will make two fellows a good meal. Chickens 25c each; eggs are 5 for 10c.

Hoping this will find you as well as it leaves me, I remain,

Your brother,
OSCAR FLEMING,
Co. B. 37th U. S. Inf. Manila, P. I.

LAKE ZURICH.

Mrs. Knigge visited at Libertyville Friday.

Miss Edith Seip visited Barrington Sunday.

I. B. Fox is in the city on business this week.

Miss Gusta Eichmann has returned to the city.

Mrs. Scholz and Mrs. Wilke visited Elgin last week.

Louis Ficke is employed in the Libertyville creamery.

Miss Bertha Holland is at home from Arlington Heights.

Mr. Benen of Chicago visited the Consumers plant this week.

Mrs. Bicknase is entertaining her friend Miss Snyder of Chicago.

Two automobiles passed through here Sunday enroute to Wauconda.

E. A. Ficke was called to Waukegan, this week to serve on the petit jury.

Miss Belle Dickson accompanied by her brother visited Libertyville last Friday.

Mr. Flichman has returned to Chicago after a week's visit with H. Branding.

Messrs. H. Branding, H. Seip, H. L. Prehm and N. Lindstedt transacted business in Chicago this week.

Mr. Dymond and family have returned to Chicago after spending the summer at their cottage here.

A grand harvest ball will be given in the pavilion at Oak Park this (Saturday) evening. Music will be furnished by the Lakeside orchestra. The floor managers are Henry Buesching, Lake Zurich; Lawrence Donlea, Barrington; Fred Feddeler, Gilmer. Tickets 50 cents. Aug. Dettmann, proprietor.

QUENTIN'S CORNERS.

Wm. Hoelt and son George visited at Aleerts last Sunday.

The automobile made its appearance here Sunday afternoon.

John Schneider of Lake Zurich was calling on friends here Sunday.

Jacob Sturm sr. contracted to have a tubular well put in on his farm.

Mrs. H. Weaser of Chicago has been visiting at Wm. Stockel's the past week.

Corn husking is now in full blast and the yield is reported as the largest in many years.

Fred Fulleth has purchased a new McCormick corn harvester which does excellent work.

Herman Schneider has put up a new wind mill and he claims to have a well of excellent water.

Mr. Laube and wife have arrived here and will make their future home with Henry Weise and wife.

Miss Paulina Depuhl of Waukegan has been engaged to teach the winter term of school at Quentin's Corners.

Miss Bertha Sturm has gone to Normal Park where she will reside with James Dymond's family this winter.

Lake County Farmers' Institute.

The executive committee of the Lake County Farmers' Institute met at the town hall in Libertyville, Saturday afternoon, to fix upon a time and place of holding the next institute. The members present were R. Chittenden, president; H. B. Pierce, treasurer; J. J. Burke, secretary. Director H. D. Hughes, who had just returned from the State Fair at

Springfield, was also present. Messrs. Just, Grabbe and others met with the committee and agreed on their part to do all in their power to make the coming institute a success in every way, pledging the citizens of Libertyville to do their part. After discussing the matter the committee decided to fix upon Thursday, Friday and Saturday, December 6, 7 and 8, as the time, and Libertyville the place for holding the institute this year, believing it to be for the best interest of the institute that it be held in various places in the county each year.

The following committees were appointed to look after the work of the institute and the pleasure and comfort of those who attend:

Committee on Music—Miss M. Alice Davis and Frank Kern.

Literary Program—Benj. H. Miller and Blanche Vuille.

Reception Committee—Frank H. Just, Henry Cater and Fred Grabbe.

Committee on Entertainment—J. W. Miller, O. E. Churchill, C. J. Keir.

Committee on Domestic Science—Mrs. F. P. Dymond, Miss E. A. Bush, Libertyville; Mrs. A. J. Raymond, Volo; Mrs. John McClure, Gurnee;

Mrs. Wm. Wigham, Aptakisic; Mrs. A. L. Hendee, Waukegan; Mrs. E. B. Sherman, Grayslake; Mrs. D. Ferris, Antioch; Mrs. Richard Smith, Prairie View.

Committee on Finance—W. E. Miller, E. W. Parkhurst.

The secretary was instructed to correspond with a number of speakers on agricultural topics and engage their services for the institute if possible. The committee will meet at the office of the secretary, on Monday, October 15, to make final arrangements for the institute.

Mrs. T. E. Ream.

Our many readers will learn with deep regret of the death of Mrs. T. E. Ream, wife of Rev. T. E. Ream, former pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church in this village, now in charge of Grace church, Rockford.

Mrs. Ream died of tuberculosis at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. A. Collins, at South Elgin, Thursday forenoon. During the pastorate of her husband in this village the deceased drew about her a large circle of friends and associates by her earnest, Christian life. To the husband and motherless children is offered the heartfelt sympathy of this community.

NEOGA, ILL., Oct. 14, '99

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Gratefully yours,

CHARLES CURRY.
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Adjudication Notice.

Public notice is hereby given that the subscriber administrator of the estate of Joseph D. Lamey deceased, will attend the county court of Lake county at a term thereof to be holden at the court house in Waukegan, in said county, on the first Monday of December next, 1900, when and where all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to present the same to said court for adjudication. MILES T. LAMEY, Administrator.
Waukegan, September 11, 1900.

Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of unclaimed letters remaining in the postoffice at Barrington, October 4, 1900:

Mrs. F. W. Karstens. R. M. Barker, Jas. C. Cannon, Geo. Hoertal, F. C. Payers.

H. K. Brockway, P. M.

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The subscription price of THE REVIEW is \$1.25 per annum when paid in advance. If not paid in advance the price is \$1.50. The time of expiration is printed on the label with your name each week. You are requested to see as to whether the date printed thereon is correct. If found not correct report to this office at once and oblige.

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In the Desert

A Story Illustrating the Horrors of War

By H. B. WELSH...

CHAPTER VII.—(Continued.)

"You have come," he said, pantingly, his voice so weak she could hardly hear what he said. "It is good—brave—of you. If you knew all you would shrink from me—with loathing."

"No, no!" she said quickly. "None of us have a right to do that to another, Major Rayburn. If you have wronged me in any way, and are sorry for it, I forgive you freely, as I hope to be forgiven."

"God bless you for these words!" he said, weakly; "I have never known an hour's happiness since I vowed that, if you would not be mine, you should never be another man's. I am bad enough, God knows; but not so bad as that."

And then, weakly and pantingly, he told her all.

"I knew where the Khalifa was," he said. "I had a black boy who had deserted from his camp in my boy, and he told me. I felt confident Cleland would take that direction, and sooner or later fall into their clutches. And I believe he has done so. I believe he is still there, unless he is—dead."

He paused. Adrienne lifted her head to speak, but he went on rapidly:

"I have more to tell you. Wait! It is about myself. I wish to tell you that you may tell Doctor Margaret Crawford, who is in Cairo just now."

"I joined the army under a false name. My real name is, strangely enough, the same as that of the man I counted my enemy. It is Paul Story Cleland. We spell it with two 'l's.' We were not connected in any way with the other Clelands. It is a common enough name in Scotland."

"Dr. Margaret Crawford's father believed that he had done me a great wrong—he had altered a cheque of my father's which I went to cash. But I had committed a greater crime. I had forged my father's name to it! The shock killed my father. I left home, changed my name, joined the army, and worked my way upwards from the ranks."

"That is all. Will you tell Doctor Crawford? It is possible her father may have told her."

"I will tell her," whispered Adrienne. Her lips were as white as death. With a woman's intuition she had guessed the whole truth; the dying confession had been to her as a revelation.

"Will you also say once more—that you forgive me?" asked the dying man. His voice was almost gone now.

Adrienne bent her head for a moment; then suddenly she laid her hand on the fingers that were so restlessly toying with the white fringe of the coverlet.

"I forgive you," she said, slowly, and may God in His great mercy also grant you forgiveness. We all have need of that forgiveness, and of His great help."

A strange sound left the dying man's lips. It startled Adrienne, who beckoned to the nurse who had just entered the room. Ere the nurse had reached his bedside all was over. Paul Cleland, so long known as Phillip Rayburn, had gone into the presence of the only Judge who dare temper justice with mercy.

CHAPTER IX.

"Yield, you Christian dog! Become a Moslem, or, by Allah, you die! Look out there and see the end of those who have refused to bow to Islam or yield to the power of the Khalifa!"

Paul Cleland staggered feebly to the door of the miserable hut, in whose black and filthy depths he had spent the last few days, and looked out on the scene pointed out to him by his grim gaoler. It was one that might make the boldest shudder.

It was Metemneh—the corpse of a town. The mud houses were mere shells—broken beams, tattered curtains fluttering in the breeze, shattered roofs, through which the rain poured. Facing Cleland and his guardian stood a strange construction of wood—two upright posts with a cross-bar between. Below lay some brown palm-fibre rope, and mixed with it a decaying mass of human bones.

For what Cleland was looking upon was a gallows.

He was weak—almost too weak to walk. For three months of starvation, torture, suspense—three months passed in dark and loathsome huts, black as the mouth of a pit, close and foul as the black hole of Calcutta, with hardly any water to drink, and only the loathsome food offered him—were sufficient to reduce any man to the lowest ebb. Sometimes Cleland almost prayed for death; then, again, the love of life, common to every human being, came back to him with full

force, and he told himself that while there was life there was hope—hope of rescue or of escape.

How often in those days and nights of misery and physical suffering did the memory of Margaret's pale, sweet face come to comfort and strengthen him!

He turned now to his gaoler—no other than Osman Agrak himself—after his first involuntary shudder and shook his head.

"I have already given you my answer, and that scores of times. I shall not renounce my faith to escape death!"

"Then, by the sword of the prophet, you have chosen your own fate!" exclaimed the fierce fanatic. He turned away from Cleland and uttered a peculiar call.

In answer to it half a dozen black-bearded, fierce-eyed dervishes sprang as it were from the earth itself—in reality, out of some of the trenches near at hand—and came to his side. Osman uttered his instructions in low, rapid tones, and two of the tallest and strongest, coming forward, laid each a hand under Cleland's arm, and led him forward towards that awful black thing facing him.

Then he knew that the end had come at last. Without preparation he was to be hurled out of life into the great Unknown beyond. In five minutes more he would be beyond all hope of rescue or escape—he would be in eternity.

Only those who have seen death thus suddenly near at hand know how dear life is to all. "The weariest and most loathed worldly life" becomes the most precious of all possessions, because to lose it is to lose all that we have ever been familiar with.

Thus Cleland felt for a moment; but it was only for a moment. The next he was ready to meet death like a man and a Christian.

One thought of Margaret—rare, pale Margaret, soon to be separated from him more completely than ever she had been by the "unblinded, salt, estranging sea"—who might never even hear of his death; one passionate, mute farewell—"Good-by, my love, my one, first and last love. We shall meet some day, some day, Margaret"—and then his thoughts were turned to the solemn moment before him.

"My God, I commit myself into Thy hands. Thou wilt keep me, for I have trusted in Thee." The wordless prayer in his heart might so have been translated.

They were at the gallows now. One of the dervishes held Cleland, while the other skillfully threw a long strand of brown rope into a noose. It was finished; he was just about to throw it over Cleland's neck, when—

A wild shriek broke on the sultry air, the sound of galloping horses accompanied it; and Cleland, looking up, saw many-colored flags and banners floating on the air. At the same moment Osman's voice was heard calling something in Arabic. At the sound the dervish who held the rope dropped it, and turned from Cleland with a scowl.

The next moment Osman himself approached.

"It is the will of Allah you should be spared just now," he said, addressing Cleland. Then to the dervishes: "Take him back to the hut."

But Cleland, unable to stand any longer from sheer weakness, had dropped on the ground. They lifted him up and carried him to the hut, where he was chained to a huge stone. Presently he recovered himself a little; and was able to get up to his feet.

Then he was conscious of a great noise outside—braying of donkeys, stamping of horses' feet, the shrill cries of Arabs, the sound of camels' heavy tread. It lasted for about ten minutes, then suddenly ceased, and perfect silence succeeded it and it reigned so long that Cleland felt vaguely uneasy. He moved at last slowly across the hut, and, by pushing away some of the brushwood, was able to look out.

The place was deserted! There was not a tent, a donkey, a camel, or an Arab to be seen. He was alone—alone and chained up like a dog, with little or no hope of being able to release himself.

Even if he could, what then? He knew he was at Metemneh, in the heart of the desert, without food or drink. Even if he were free could he ever find his way to the British camp? He had no idea as to where they were; he had not even heard that they were again on the move.

Despair came to Cleland. It would have been better if they had killed him at once. Swift death was to be pre-

ferred to this fearful thought of dying inch by inch.

Still, he must do something rather than lie down in inaction and despair. He would try to file away his chain that bound him.

It was five days later when the Anglo-Egyptian troops marched through Metemneh on their southward way.

"A town of the dead! But, good heavens! what is that, Reid?" exclaimed Colonel Beauchamp, as he rode by the side of one of his subalterns, pointing to the hut. "I could almost fancy there seems to me something like a man lying there on the sand!"

A moment later the command "Halt!" was given; the moving mass of camels and men came to a dead stop. The colonel and his subaltern dismounted and ran up to the hut.

True enough, there was a man in British attire, lying there on his face. They turned him over; the colonel uttered a startled exclamation!

"Oh, God! It's Paul Cleland!"

He was to all appearances dead. They raised him up, poured brandy-and-water down his throat, and had at last the satisfaction of hearing him sigh faintly.

(To be continued.)

THE CAPTAIN SWORE

And He Wasn't the Only One Who Cursed.

It was supposed that the captain never swore because he had been a minister, but it was only one of the lieutenants who had been a minister, and he had decidedly fallen from grace. The right of swearing had been a question of continued discussion aboard ship. The executive officer swore because he was all bile, the navigating officer because he was jolly, and when the captain remonstrated with him he said: "What can I do? The whole shipload of men are swearing, captain, ensigns and seamen, and I've got to beat them all to show my position, haven't I?" However that was, excitement generally followed a public swearing by the captain, except on one day when the excitement preceded it. That day the sea was calm and nothing much was going on aboard ship save the constant watch of the blockading Cuban port and the sea horizon. The air was clear, the sun was bright, and for some unusual atmospheric reason everything that appeared over the horizon was tremendously magnified. A puff of smoke was seen beyond the sky line and all hands watched eagerly for the appearance of the steamer. Up she came, puffing away, and in the clear light she looked like the Great Eastern. She flew no signal flags, she looked strange, and she bore down on the blockading cruisers as straight as a die. On she came, growing larger and larger, while the crew waited breathlessly for some word from the captain. The officers on the bridge stood watching her fixedly, muttering because they could not make her out. Finally the captain said: "Well, she doesn't answer our signals, and it's not our fault if she gets hurt." Then turning to the bugler he said: "Sound 'clear ship for action.'" This process was no mean job, but when a scrap was in sight it could be done quickly, and in five minutes all hands were ready to answer the call to quarters. Again there was anxious waiting. Then a queer change came over the appearance of the approaching craft. She had gotten well out of the horizon zone, and as she came near enough for the water to be seen foaming at her bow she grew peculiarly small. Officers and men began to look foolishly at each other, and still the stranger grew smaller. Looks of surprise grew to looks of disgust, and despite the fact that they were standing at quarters, the men began to act as if they were unconscious of the approaching vessel, as though no one had ever suggested a scrap. The steamer, shrunken to a tug, turned broadside as she came within hailing distance, displaying a large white flag at the stern labeled "New York" and a tin horn voice spoke through a megaphone: "Can you please tell me where the main fleet is, and if you expect to encounter the enemy's ships?" Then it was that the captain swore.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Magnificent Gift Modestly Made.

The Presbyterian hospital, New York, was this week made the recipient of a handsome gift in a rather unusual manner. On the condition that the name of the donor be not divulged, \$200,000 was appropriated for the erection of another building, to afford quarters for the nurses and members of the resident staff, who at present occupy nearly one-third of the ward building of the hospital. The donation may be said to be rather the building than the money, as the structure is to be built at the expense of the benefactor on property at present owned by the hospital. It is expected that the new building will be completed within a year.—Utica Globe.

STRIKE IS NOT YET SETTLED.

No Offer of a Compromise Has Been Announced.

MITCHELL SURE OF VICTORY.

A Big Parade Tuesday in Wilkesbarre, Pa.—Ten Thousand Men and Boys Marched Through the Streets—The Union Claims It Has Come to Stay.

"The strike is drawing rapidly to a close," said President Mitchell to 20,000 striking miners at Wilkesbarre Tuesday afternoon, and the 20,000 cheered wildly. Then came the surprise of the day, which had been expected to mark the turning point in the strike. President Mitchell brought no news of a compromise. He made no statement to show that the coal companies would grant more than their formal notices indicated. He had no tidings from the independent operators, who at present hold the key to the situation.

Ten thousand miners, men and boys, paraded through the streets of Wilkesbarre Tuesday. Another 10,000 stood on the sidewalks and cheered the marchers, while probably 20,000 gathered at the West Side Park, and listened to the speeches of Mitchell, Dilcher, Purcell, and their other leaders. These leaders predicted great results from this show of numbers, for the 20,000, to a man, promised not to go back to work until they went as a solid body, 140,000 strong. A number of operators watched the vote at the meeting, but made no move to compromise.

The parade was one hour and thirty-five minutes passing the reviewing place, and several thousand marchers from outlying districts never found that place. Many marched with the precision of soldiers, for a large portion of the miners here are foreigners who have served in European armies.

Mottos on the Banners.

There were numerous banners in the column, all voicing steadfast devotion to Mitchell and the miners' cause. Among the most noticeable were these:

"We want our dinner pails filled with substantial food, not coal baron's taffy."

"We are fighting a cause that is just and right."

"Stand by President Mitchell and the union."

"Our union must be recognized."

"We will no longer be slaves."

"2,240 pounds for a ton."

"We want two weeks' pay."

The breaker boys carried banners which read:

Will Ignore Operators' Offer.

The operators are in no hurry and will wait the pleasure of the strikers. The miners, however, have about made up their minds that they will not consider the offer. The increase, they say, is a mere trifle and not worthy of consideration.

The fact that the operators have made what appears to be a studied effort to ignore the miners' union is what aggravates the strikers most. They say it is useless to talk of a settlement unless the presidents of the big coal companies make up their minds to recognize the union. One of the officers of the United Mine Workers' council of this district said today:

"I don't see how an agreement can be reached so long as the union is left out of the negotiations. The operators might as well understand now as later on that the union has come to stay and that it will insist on its demands being granted."

Reading the First to Act.

The following notice, bearing date of Oct. 1, was posted Sunday in the vicinity of all the collieries of the Philadelphia & Reading Coal and Iron company in the anthracite region:

"This company will pay an advance of 10 per cent on the wages of all men and boys employed at its collieries. This advance takes effect today."

"R. C. LUTHER,

"General Superintendent."

Beneath this notice another was posted which read as follows:

"Fellow Mine Workers, United Mine Workers of America: Do not pay any attention to this notice posted by Mr. Luther of the Philadelphia & Reading Coal and Iron company, but wait until you hear from President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America, or until you have decided by your own locals what is right for you to do."

"POTTER."

Mr. Potter is an officer in the district branch of the United Mine Workers of America. President Mitchell said he did not order the mine workers' notice to be placed along with that of the Reading company, but he thought it was done as a result of his warning to the strikers last week to the effect that they should not go back to work until ordered to do so by the union officials. The strikers, he said, probably chose the poster scheme as one of the methods of keeping the men in line.

Many a woman, sick and weary of life, dragged down by weakening drains, painful irregularities, depression, and the hundred and one ailments which affect women only, has found in Pe-ru-na a bright star of hope, which has changed her misery to joy, her suffering to health.

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Wanted in Life and Death.

Some sixty years ago six young ecclesiastics of the Roman Catholic diocese of Rosenau, in Hungary, completed together their theological course in the seminary, and were together ordained priests. For sixty years they labored side by side as priests in the same diocese. On the very same day they all celebrated the diamond jubilee of their ordination. United as they had been in life, they were united in death, for within the space of two months all six have died, at the respective ages of 82, 83, 88, 86, 80 and 81.—Philadelphia Record.

Odd Lawsuit Between Brothers.

William H. Utter and Jeffrey W. Utter, brothers, own adjoining farms at Amity, Orange county, N. Y. William's farm is peaches, while Jeffrey goes in for bees. William alleges that his brother's bees in seeking material for honey have punctured and so destroyed his finest peaches. He therefore sues for \$100 damages. Jeffrey's defense is that even if the peaches were injured by bees, it cannot be shown that his bees are at fault. Good lawyers have been retained and as both brothers are wealthy there is prospect of a stubborn fight.

South Carolina Insurance Decision.

A stipulation that suit can be brought on an insurance policy only "within twelve months next after the fire" is held, in Sample vs. London and Liverpool Fire Insurance company (S. C.), 47 L. R. A. 696, to give the insured twelve months after the accrual of his right of action, where the policy provides that suit cannot be brought until after full compliance with numerous requirements, and that the loss shall not be payable until sixty days after notice and proof of loss and an award by appraisers, if appraisal is required.

Preserve for Elk.

M. V. Giltner of Jackson's Hole, Wyo., seeing that elk were becoming scarce and having in mind the fate of the buffalo, has established a preserve of twenty acres, inclosed by a fence, in which he has a herd of nineteen elk. He started four years ago with half a dozen and, as these animals, in their wild state are rapidly exterminated, he hopes that in a few years handsome returns will come for his foresight.

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A native priest says of the Chinese articles of religion: "The men believe them. The women don't. There is no religion in China."

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Many people are spoiled by success because the spoils belong to the victor.

A WEEK IN ILLINOIS.

RECORD OF HAPPENINGS FOR SEVEN DAYS.

Dr. Hobbs Has Raised \$600,000 for the Indian Famine Sufferers—Dr. Lectuyse, Who is Touring the World Afoot, Walks into Illinois.

Want an Earlier Fair Date.

Considering the inclemency of the weather, the attendance at the state fair Thursday was something phenomenal. The people spent the day inside the great buildings viewing the exhibits, and every building was crowded. The unfavorable weather that has prevailed for several years during the week of the state fair has created a sentiment among the members of the state board of agriculture for an earlier date and an effort will be made to hold the fair hereafter during the second week in September. To make this change may necessitate the breaking away of Illinois from the western state fair circuit, which would mean a reduction in the size of the livestock exhibits. Thursday was governor's day at the fair, and Gov. Tanner and several members of his staff were entertained at luncheon by the state board of agriculture and afterward made a tour of the buildings. The executive board of the State Poultry association had a meeting at the fair grounds and arranged for holding its next annual poultry show at Bloomington Jan. 12 to 19, 1901.

New Illinois Corporations.

The secretary of state has licensed the following corporations: New York Ice Cream company, Chicago; capital stock, \$2,500; incorporators, Alexander H. Mackay, Paul B. Cummings and William B. Moore. Suburban Service company, Chicago; capital stock, \$100,000; incorporators, Gordon J. Murray, Harry H. Phillips and F. M. Walters. Buckskin Fiber Box company, Chicago; capital stock, \$2,400; incorporators, Charles Silverman, Charles D. Woolworth and Henry Waterman. Dixon Cereal company, Dixon; capital stock, \$9,000; incorporators, John Forrest, Hugh MacCartney and J. A. Forrest. Drexel Railway Supply company, Chicago; capital stock decreased from \$600,000 to \$100,000.

Sues Asylum Officials.

Daniel W. Storms, said to have been a member of the Chicago board of trade for the last twenty-five years, has filed in the Kankakee county court a declaration in a \$25,000 damage suit against the Eastern insane hospital, William S. Booth of Chicago, Dr. W. G. Stearns, former superintendent, and several attendants at the insane hospital. Storms bases his claims for damages on injuries he is alleged to have received at the hands of attendants, permanently affecting his health, and the fact that he was kept at the hospital for twenty months, although quite sane. The records show that Storms was regularly committed to the insane hospital by a jury of six, including Dr. Bluhardt.

Alleged Highwayman in Jail.

James Bennett, who attempted to hold up John Collier, the wealthy Ipava farmer, and his son, near Enion last Saturday night, and when Collier refused to obey his orders to halt, shot him in the head, was arrested Thursday at Beardstown, Ill., and taken to Lewiston and lodged in the county jail. Bennett refuses to talk. He has been in prison before for the same crime, having been liberated from the penitentiary at Joliet on Sept. 3. The younger brother, Fred Bennett, who was arrested Tuesday, has confessed the crime and implicated the older brother.

Aid For Famine Sufferers.

Rev. Dr. Richard S. Hobbs, who has been engaged for several months past in securing subscriptions with which to purchase corn for the relief of the famine sufferers in India, has returned to Springfield from New York. Dr. Hobbs states that \$600,000 has been secured by him, acting as manager in the enterprise for Editor Klopsch of the Christian Herald of New York, for the starving people in India, and 200,000 bushels of corn purchased.

Sees the World Afoot.

Dr. Arnold Lectuyse of Brussels, Belgium, who is making a tour of the world afoot, visiting all its countries, was at Waukegan Friday. He left for Chicago, where he met his parents on Saturday. He began traveling on Dec. 18, 1898, his plan being to traverse each continent from north to south.

John Waite Is Dead.

John Waite, one of Jefferson county's pioneer citizens, died at his home near Mount Vernon at the age of 70 years. He was born in England, saw active service throughout the war of the rebellion as a member of Company I, 44th Illinois Volunteer infantry, and lost an arm in the service of his country. He followed the occupation of farmer the latter part of his life and died possessed of a large fortune.

Biggest Dwarf in the World.

A north side commuter, says the Chicago Chronicle, tells this among other stories of his recent trip across the water: While in England he attended a country fair where a showman was exhibiting a dwarf. A bucolic spectator denounced the show as a humbug, saying: "Why, your dwarf is nearly as big as I am, and I'm not a small man." "That's just it," blandly said the showman; "it's the biggest dwarf in the world."

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists, price 75c per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Mortgage Foreclosure Decision.

Balance of a mortgage debt, after deducting the amount for which the property was bought by the mortgage on foreclosure is held, in First National bank vs. Elliott (Ala.), 47 L. R. A. 742, not to constitute a "lawful charge" which the statute requires a creditor of the mortgagor to pay on redemption from the sale.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. At your grocers. 10 cts.

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The prairie chicken, it is predicted, will soon become extinct in Kansas.

I do not believe Piso's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds.—JOHN P. BOYER, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1900.

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Mrs. Sarah Swoder, 103 West St., La Porte, Ind., writes:



"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—It gives me great pleasure to tell you how much good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I had been a sufferer for years with female trouble. I could not sew but a few minutes at a time without suffering terribly with my head. My back and kidneys also troubled me all the time. I was advised by a friend to take your medicine. I had no faith in it, but decided to try it. After taking one bottle I felt so much better that I continued its use, and by the time I had taken six bottles I was cured. There is no other medicine for me. I recommend it to all my friends."

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Owing to the fact that some skeptical people have from time to time questioned the genuineness of the testimonial letters we are constantly publishing, we have deposited with the National City Bank, of Lynn, Mass., \$5,000, which will be paid to any person who will show that the above testimonials are not genuine, or were published before obtaining the writers' special permission.—LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO.

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THE BEST \$3.00 SHOE. Your dealer should keep them; we give our dealer exclusive sale in each town. Take no substitute! Insist on having W. L. Douglas shoes with name and price stamped on bottom. If your dealer will not get them for you, send direct to factory, enclosing price and 25c. extra for carriage. State kind of leather, size, and width, plain or cap toe. Our shoes will reach you anywhere. Catalogue free.

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BARRINGTON LOCALS.

George Elvidge is home on the sick list.

J. H. Hatje was a Chicago visitor Wednesday.

Charles E. Churchill was at River View Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Kirschner visited in Chicago Thursday.

C. A. Wheeler of Chicago was visiting here Thursday.

Edward Wichman visited at Dundee Sunday and Monday.

Henry Brandt and wife were Dundee visitors Sunday.

Dr. T. H. Rath, dentist. Office over Churchill's drug store.

Blue Trading Stamps at Churchill's drug store. Ask for them.

Mrs. J. B. Robinson is visiting at Lena and Galeua this week.

Wm. Ewing of Woodstock called on friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Fred Kirschner served on the grand jury at Waukegan this week.

Dr. Robinson is attending the Rock River Annual Conference at Chicago.

Dr. Sheldon and wife visited with Rev. Strickfaden the first of the week.

L. B. Lips of Woodstock visited friends and relatives here Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Richard Earith visited with her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Maybury, at Chicago this week.

Rev. John Hitecock, a former pastor, will occupy the pulpit of the M. E. church, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Seebert spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. A. E. Hawley at Elgin.

Miss Anna Lindgrom of Cary is learning the dressmaking art with Mrs. G. H. Comstock.

Charles H. Horn and son Walter of Chicago visited with relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Anna Krueger of Chicago, visited with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Brandt, during the past week.

Mrs. Adella Kennicott is visiting her aunt, Mrs. M. B. McIntosh, at Linden Park, this village.

Mrs. G. H. Culver and daughter Florence spent a few days this week with Mrs. E. M. Fletcher.

Louis H. Hobbs, representing the Stenben Wine Co., of Chicago, was here on business Saturday.

Miss Minnie Maclenburg returned home Sunday after a two week's visit with her parents at Walworth, Wis.

Wm. Gieske and family will leave for Manchester, Mich., this morning to spend two weeks visiting relatives.

Wm. Grunau was at Libertyville several days last week in the interest of the Woodmen Accident association.

Paint your floors with Heath & Milligan's floor paint, especially prepared for that purpose. Sold by J. D. Lamey & Co.

John Hauschild has purchased a house and lot of G. W. Lageschulte, located on Station street, and will occupy it soon.

Mrs. M. C. McIntosh attended a recital given by the students of the Cumcock School of Oratory at Evanston Wednesday.

Fred Kirshner is authority for the statement that the republicans will carry Cook county by 25,000 majority. Fred ought to know.

Aug. Sempt, Geo. Froelich and W. Meister were called to Waukegan to serve as petit jurors. The jury was excused until November 7.

You little knew when first we met That some day you would be The lucky fellow I'd choose to let, Pay for my Rocky Mountain Tea. Ask your druggist.

A harvest ball will be given in the pavilion at Oak Park, Lake Zurich, this (Saturday) evening. Music by the Lakeside orchestra, tickets 50 cts. Enjoyable time assured.

Sixteen friends of Miss Beulah Otis tendered her a surprise party last Friday evening. A most delightful program of amusements entertained the participants until a late hour.

FARM FOR RENT—The Higley and Hawley farm, comprising about 300 acres, will be rented for a term of years to responsible tenant. Inquire of Fred Hobeln, Barrington.

A. L. Robertson will depart Monday for a trip to Iowa.

For window glass, all sizes, go to J. D. Lamey & Co's.

Dr. T. H. Rath, dentist. Office over Churchill's drug store.

Miss Lella Innes leaves today for a visit in New York City.

George Dunlea of Rowley, Iowa, is visiting with relatives here.

If you want good machine oil you can get it at J. D. Lamey & Co's.

Mixed paints for carriages and wagons will be found at J. D. Lamey & Co's.

Editor Carr of the Wauconda Leader made this office a pleasant call Friday morning.

John Nicholson has been enjoying home comforts the past week owing to a sprained ankle.

H.C.P. Sandman attended the State Fair at Springfield last week returning home Saturday.

W. W. Benedict has purchased the Sherman residence, corner of Franklin and Elm streets.

Lewis Comstock, who has been with the Melbourne Shows the past season, returned home Thursday.

Mrs. D. C. Dobner, daughter Clara, and Mrs. Hunting of Elgin, visited Mrs. E. Schuede, Thursday.

Registration days October 16 and 30. If you neglect to register you cannot vote, unless you swear in your vote.

Farm for rent or sale. The farm known as the old Cady farm, 138 acres. Inquire at Fred Roloff's residence.

Mrs. Fred Wiseman departed Tuesday for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Lageschulte, at Randolph, Nebraska.

The Red, White and Blue club of Dundee will give its first annual clam bake at Schuring's lake, Dundee, Sunday, October 21. Tickets 25 cents.

FOR SALE—Three-horse tread power, feed cutter, corn thresher, Carpentersville make. Call at my farm. E. D. PROUTY.

The republicans of Barrington and Cuba townships opened the campaign with a mass meeting at Stott's hall last evening. Congressman Foss was the principal speaker.

Your blood goes through your body with jumps and bounds, carrying warmth and active life to every part of your body. If you take Rocky Mountain Tea. Ask your druggist.

The democrats of Barrington and Cuba townships and vicinity will hold a campaign rally at Stott's hall, next Thursday evening, October 11. Good speakers will entertain. Watch bills for particulars.

The board of supervisors of Lake county subsidized the Farmers' Institute with \$75 and the citizens of Libertyville added \$75 more, thus assuring an expense fund sufficient to entertain the people.

The funeral of Mrs. Dr. F. C. Knight was held at Waukegan Monday afternoon from the residence on North Genesee street. Mrs. Knight was an active church worker and well known in Lake county.

Some fifty gentlemen interested in the property of the Chicago Highlands syndicate came out from Chicago by special train Thursday morning and viewed the site of the proposed manufacturing center and surroundings.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society will meet at the residence of Mrs. M. C. McIntosh, Wednesday evening, Oct. 10, at 7:30 o'clock. At this, the first meeting of the conference year all members, and all ladies interested, are cordially invited to be present to plan the work for the coming year.

Tuesday evening, October 23, has been set aside by the members of Barrington Camp, No. 809, M. W. A., to discuss the question of the advisability of establishing an emergency or reserve fund. Every member is expected to turn out and express his views in this matter.

J. M. Clark & Son will sell at public auction on the Sebb. Ford farm, one mile south of Wauconda, on Friday, October 12, commencing at 9:30 o'clock the following property: 55 head of cattle, 3 head of horses, 48 pigs, 5 fat hogs, 2 brood sows, 15 shoats, farming implements, grain, feed, etc. Usual terms. Wm. Peters will be the auctioneer.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is now for sale by Chas. E. Churchill.

Dr. E. W. Olcott and wife of Chicago were visiting here Thursday.

Mrs. A. J. Lyon and three children of Wilmette are guests at the home of B. H. Sodi.

Charles E. Churchill is beautifying his drug store with a complete line of new shelf bottles.

Mrs. A. L. Knopf of Chicago visited with her sister, Mrs. Fred Pomeroy, during the past week.

Mrs. H. H. Collur and son Harold of Belvidere, were the guests of Mrs. Flora Lines this week.

The Barrington Township annual meeting of the Sunday schools, held at Zion's church Sunday afternoon and evening was a grand success. Mr. Pierce, the secretary for Cook county, rendered very valuable service; his addresses were superior. The musical selections furnished by each church was beautiful and finely rendered. The attendance was large. The old officers were reelected.

The highway commissioners of Cuba township met at Buck's crossing Monday afternoon to hear remonstrances relative to the changing of the railway crossing at that point by the syndicate people. No one appeared to oppose the petition and the commissioners will grant the prayer of the Chicago Highlands management and accept the new road as laid out on the plat of the proposed town.

This year the ballot given out to the voters of Chicago will be the biggest, longest and fattest ever voted in that city. On every ballot there will be 625 names. If all of the tickets printed for Chicago and the town of Cicero could be placed end to end they would cover a distance 564 miles in length, and if they could all be piled up one on top of the other they would make a stack 154 feet higher than the Masonic Temple, or 508 feet in height.

Town Federation in Conference.

Last Saturday afternoon the Federation of Country Towns in Cook county held a meeting in Chicago. About thirty representatives were in attendance and the session proved interesting. Henry C. Senne of Maine, carried there a resolution which he desired should pass. Senator Humphrey was there and led the opposition to Mr. Senne and a tempest was the result. Charges were made that what is known as the "machine republicans" of Chicago were preparing to oppose the new county scheme because it would deprive them of power—that Cook county would be democratic.

Mr. Senne's resolution called for the appointment of a delegate from each town in the county to ascertain the feeling of the people on the proposition of a withdrawal by country towns from Cook county. Senator Humphrey spoke against the passage of the resolution and to the consternation of many the same was tabled.

Mr. Senne thrust his point of view the fifth rib of Chairman Thielmann accompanied by the following: "If a certain gentleman who two months ago so warmly favored the formation of a new county has now changed his mind the resolution will not be offered. If we do not want to know the will of the people I have no more to say." Mr. Thielmann denied having changed his mind but said he was opposed to the formation of several small counties and was in opposition to the Senne proposition.

The change of front on the part of several delegates was hard to understand—by some. It is said that at the next meeting a full representation will be present and the resolution will be taken up and passed.

A communication was read by the secretary by which the Civic Federation invited the executive committee of the County Towns' Federation to a conference on the points of difference. A tax of \$5 per towu was laid to pay for stationery and necessities. The next meeting will take place Saturday Oct 27, at 10 o'clock.

Will Vote on Reserve Fund.

The question of an emergency or reserve fund for the Modern Woodmen of America will be voted upon by the members at the first regular meeting in the month of December of the several camps and the head camp which will meet at St. Paul next summer will take such action as the members throughout the country direct them.

It has been patent to thoughtful members of the M. W. A. as of all

other fraternal insurance societies that some provision for the future must be made or sometime in the future the society would find itself up against it. Some fund must sooner or later be established for reinforcement of the society's benefit fund in case of possible future excessive death losses or increased cost of carrying Woodmen insurance. It is the belief of leading men of the order that now is the time to change to a reserve fund basis. The cheap insurance—in fact, the cheapest to be had—has been one of the main causes for the remarkable growth of the order, although to students of life insurance it has all along been clear that such cheap rates could not be maintained forever. This fact has been freely admitted by head officers of the order. The change to an emergency fund or reserve basis can be made in the near future without danger of rupture in the order.

Those advocating the change believe that the reserve fund is the only safe plan of fraternal insurance. Without it the increasing age of members will bear heavily upon the growth.

The settlement of the question is in the hands of the membership. They possess the power to make the certificate now in force—worth over \$950,000,000—as good as gold at maturity, ten, twenty or thirty years hence; or they may so vote next December that the Woodmen society will be compelled to yield its place at the head of the fraternal column to some more vigorous rival.

Subscribe for THE REVIEW.

High School Literary.

Friday afternoon the pupils of the Barrington High school devoted the closing hours of the session to literary work. It is the intention to render an entertaining program every two weeks during the present school term. The initial program was most successfully carried out. The essays showed careful preparation; the declamations delivered in a creditable manner.

PROGRAM.

Song..... Society
Declamation..... Nella Strickfaden
Essay, "The Just Taxation of the Bachelor for Support of Schools"..... Alta Powers
Essay, "My Vacation"..... Beulah Otis
Declamation..... Rex Henderson
Essay, "Schools"..... Emil Myers
Essay, "Sir Lawntal"..... Irvin Landwer
Declamation..... Rose Lageschulte
Essay, "My Studies"..... Lula Ames
Debate—Resolved that McKinley should be elected President at the coming election.....
Affirmative.....
Negative.....
Jennie Fletcher. Amanda Kampert.
Decision in favor of the affirmative.

Democrats to Organize.

The democrats of the townships of Barrington and Cuba are requested to meet at the Village hall in Barrington, Monday evening, October 8, at 7:30 to organize for campaign work. All voters are invited.

Curbstone Musings.

In competition's arduous race
Dost thou desire a foremost place?
Does high ambition fire thy soul,
Men's minds and pockets to control?
Then listen to this counsel wise,
And largely—freely—advertise.

Four souls with but a single thought
Four hearts that beat as one, occupied
4 square feet of sidewalk in front of
Wagner's market Saturday evening
and quoted poetry on the departure
of suzmer. The Adam's of that quartet
are confirmed bachelors but not
insensible to the bewitching glances
cast by rustic beauties. Just such
innocent flirtations have often led to
matrimonial entanglements. We hope
for the best.

While strolling down Ela street the
other evening our attention was at-

tracted by the music of a buck saw. The saw was operated by female power and was making good headway through a stick of scrub-oak while an able-bodied ought-to-be-ashamed-of himself descendent of Adam stood by and witnessed the work. We are told that the young woman indulges in the exercise because she is obliged to and not as a calisthenic. The man who captures that girl will get a general all-round helpmate.

He had seen better days. There was no doubt about that. His raiment was of sufficient quantity to flag a hand car. His nasal appendage was polished a royal purple by the liberal use of O.F.C., Belle of Nelson, Hunter, and other complexion promoters. He was a victim of the labor trust. He was willing to make an affidavit that not a morsel of food had entered his stomach for 48 hours. He only required a dime to appease his hunger. His appeal did not go unheeded. Ten minutes later we noticed him satisfying his hunger from the contents of a tin can that had once contained barn paint.

We are requested by one of the 200 of Barrington smart set, who has accumulated sufficient reserve fund to become the possessor of an umbrella of his own, to announce to the lady or gentleman who abstracted that umbrella from the vestibule of the Methodist church, that if she or he will send address he will mail free of charge a good roads map to that place where brimstone is used quantitles.

A young lady asked us the question lately, "Why do you use the plural pronoun 'we' in Musings? Why do you not use the singular 'I'?" Well, there are several reasons. Self preservation is the first law of nature, and there is some human nature about a newspaper reporter, public opinion to the contrary, notwithstanding. When speaking of some slab-sided individual who is not your admirer it is far better to say "we." It creates an impression that the editorial force consists of a small army. When a victim comes around to wipe the earth with the writer of an item it is pleasant to have the identity of the guilty party buried in the obscurity of the plural "we." When advising the minister how to preach "we" is used to induce the belief that the staff is composed of ex-ministers. There are many good reasons. In fact "we" is used because of the writer's modesty.

Six events were pulled off in the ring erected in the audience room of a well-patronized livery stable the first day of the week. Lovers of the manly art were there and enjoyed the fun. It opened with a bantam contest and closed with a pretty bout between two gentlemen who had evidently donned the gloves on previous occasions. A number of citizens were present who would not countenance a boxing contest at a ring side in Chicago or elsewhere, but they will show up early and stay to see the finish of a semi-public clawing match. That is consistency.

Two Barringtonians are in deep trouble. They desired to know what the misty future held in store for them and also to be assured that the present was being properly observed by two hearts joined in matrimonial contract. They consulted a clairvoyant who lately visited here, paying \$1 out of the family treasury for the information which has caused them to look savagely at each other since the eventful day. Probably a great deal of truth was revealed, but some things are better for domestic happiness, unrevealed even if true.

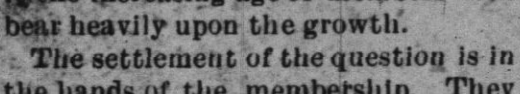
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