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BARRINGTON GIVEN A SEVERE BLOW.

The Most Destructive Fire That Ever Visited Our Village Razes to the Ground \$42,000 Worth of Property Early Thursday Morning.

SIX BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENTS IN RUINS.

Flames Lick Up "The Busv Big Store" of A. W. Meyer & Co., the Vermilya House, Hardware Store of L. F. Schroeder, Wagon Shop of August Jahn, Blacksmith Shop of Hatje & Stiefenhofer, and George Foreman's Building. The Fourteen Guests of, the Vermilya House Lose All Their Personal Effects and Barely Escape With Their Lives—Buildings to Be Rebuilt at Once.

One of the most destructive fires that ever visited Barrington razed to the ground an entire business block early Thursday morning, and consumed \$42,000 worth of property in a few hours.

The fire started in the rear of the first floor of A. W. Meyer & Co.'s big store, and was discovered at about 1:40 o'clock by Fred and Harry Vermilya, who occupied a room in the Vermilya House, conducted by their parents on the second floor of the building.

Fred awoke, and smelling smoke, aroused Harry. Rushing to the register they opened it, and were met by a dense volume of smoke, the floor beneath them presenting the appearance of a huge volcano. It took them but a second to realize the awful predicament of the guests of the hostelry and at once commenced to arouse them. The smoke became so dense in the hallways that it was with difficulty that they succeeded, and the guests had hard work to grope their way to the fire escape and safety. Glen Hawley finding his way blocked, threw his trunk out of the window and jumped out, alighting on top of it, spraining his ankles but otherwise receiving no injuries. None of the guests saved any of their personal effects, except what they had on their backs.

An engine passing over the E. J. & E. road blew a warning, and within a few minutes a large number of the citizens of Barrington were in the vicinity and watched the greedy flames eat up the largest and one of the best constructed modern brick buildings in this section.

It was the work of but a few minutes before the hardware store of Louis Schroeder, who shared the first floor with A. W. Meyer & Co., was in flames, and in a few minutes a terrific explosion shook the neighborhood, telling that the flames had reached a case of gun powder in the basement of the building.

From here the flames spread to the wagon shop of August Jahn, consuming everything, and next leaped to the blacksmith shop of Hatje & Stiefenhofer, but fortunately the contents had been carried to a place of safety. Next in line was Foreman's two-story frame building, the first floor of which was occupied by him as a saloon, and the second as a residence.

Considerable of the contents of the saloon and residence was saved.

Here the fire had spent its force. During the fire huge sparks were wafted by the wind across the railroad tracks towards Lageschulte Bros' feed store, J. D. Lamey & Co's building material store (the second floor of which is occupied by THE REVIEW office), and Charles Grom's saloon, but by wide-awake sentinel duty they were saved.

The Lageschulte brick block, directly across the street from the scene of the fire, suffered considerable from excessive heat. This block is occupied by A. L. Waller, druggist; E. W. Peterson, jeweler; Henry Butzow, bakery, and H. D. A. Grebe, hardware. The second story is used as residence flats.

Owing to the scarcity of the water and lack of hose, nothing could be done to stay the flames. If our water

works system, which is now in course of construction, had been in operation the fire could undoubtedly have been confined to the Meyer building. It was fortunate that the wind blew from the southwest, for a northwester would have carried the flames to the main business portion, and it is hard to tell where the flames could have been checked. It is very likely the entire business portion and a great deal of the residence district would have been destroyed.

Barrington has received a severe blow, but the business men who suffered the loss are made of the material that don't cry over spilt milk, but try to make the best of it.

The fire had hardly spent its force before Meyer & Co. had made arrangements to open up business early next week. They will handle groceries and wall paper to start with, and as soon as the loss is adjusted will commence to rebuild on the present site. L. F. Schroeder has rented part of the Stott building, where he can be found ready for business early next week. August Jahn and Hatje & Stiefenhofer have already begun the erection of a new building on their property, while George Foreman opened up for business in the Henning's building yesterday morning, and Chas. Vermilya has opened a hotel in the S. W. Kingsley residence.

Following is a list of the losses and insurance:

A. W. Meyer, loss on building, \$10,000; insurance, \$7,800.

A. W. Meyer & Co., loss on stock of general merchandise, \$23,000; insurance, \$15,000.

C. M. Vermilya, loss on hotel furniture, \$2,000; no insurance.

Prof. J. L. Sears, loss on musical instruments, wearing apparel and household furniture and stock of sheet music and books, \$3,500; no insurance.

L. F. Schroeder, loss on stock of hardware, \$3,500; insurance, \$2,075.

August Jahn, loss on wagon shop and contents, \$700; no insurance.

Hatje & Stiefenhofer, loss on blacksmith shop, \$500; no insurance.

George W. Foreman, loss on building, \$2,000; insurance, \$1,000; loss on saloon stock and household furniture, \$300; fully insured.

Lounsbury Lodge No. 751, A. F. & A. M., and Barrington Camp No. 800, M. W. A., loss on lodge paraphernalia, \$500; no insurance.

G. W. Lageschulte, loss on plate glass, \$400; fully insured.

A. L. Waller, Henry Butzow and H. D. A. Grebe sustained small losses on household furniture and to the contents of their stores; fully insured.

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and the building of the double track near Cary.

Dr. F. E. Wadhams won his law suit in Chicago last week and expects to go to Arizona at once.

Ed Morse, of Chicago, was out last Tuesday looking at his fast horses which Joe Williams is handling.

Quite a number from this place went up to Barrington Thursday to see the ruins of the fire.

The different churches are making preparations towards properly observing Easter Sunday. Get your new bonnets.

Henry Mundhenk is confined to his bed again. He tried to go to work too soon and consequently brought on a relapse.

The Ladies' Missionary society will meet with Mrs. G. H. Arps next Thursday afternoon instead of on Wednesday, as usual.

Mrs. M. J. Backus, of Lockport, visited with her sister, Mrs. C. D. Taylor, on Tuesday. Her daughter, Florence, accompanied her.

FOR RENT.—The farm known as the Wm. Wilson farm, containing 80 acres; good house and barn; two miles northwest of Palatine.

MASON L. STAPLES, Receiver.

Get out your bicycle and see if it is ready for use, as warm days and good roads will soon be here. Get your wheel repaired now before the usual spring rush puts repairers behind in their work.

Miss Lillian Hopkins, of this place, had quite an exciting experience in the Barrington fire early Thursday morning. She was the guest of Mrs. Prof. Sears that night, and when they awoke and found the building on fire they just had time to get out by means of the fire escape. Mr. Sears was away that night.

It is the duty of every legal voter to cast his ballot next Tuesday. Although only one ticket is on the ballot the citizen has a right to vote for anyone he wishes, and should some one person make a big fight for one of the offices he might win against the regular petition candidate. If you want to make sure of your candidate winning get up and vote early.

Dr. George Lytle, of Barrington, passed the civil service examination for meat inspector recently and was appointed to a position in the Chicago stock yards one week later at a salary of \$1,200 a year, with chances of promotion at the end of six months. George was the only one out of a lot of 50 to pass the examination, and his mark was high.

Sim Snider has received a patent on an invention he has devised for cooling cream and milk. It is an automatic affair and promises to revolutionize the manner of cooling liquids, especially milk and cream, and will, no doubt, be adopted by many creameries in this and other countries. The device consists of a steam pipe which passes through the vat full of cream, and water passing through this pipe fills little buckets at each side—one bucket at a time. When one bucket becomes full its weight throws the pipe through the vat sideways and empties the bucket; the bucket on the other side then fills up and the pipe is thrown back again. The device is contrived in such a manner that the switching of the pipe can be regulated as to the space of time between each throw, so that an unnecessary wasting of water is prevented. This is an essential point in the cooling of cream in the factories. The invention is the first ever produced which does this work automatically. Another device, now used extensively, requires machinery to run it, while Mr. Snider's invention will run 10 hours after the engine has been used one hour in pumping the water into a tank, thereby saving 9 hours' work for the engine, which amounts to considerable when fuel, engineer's expenses and cost of machinery are considered. Mr. Snider's invention only uses 90 gallons of water an hour which, any creamery could supply. The device has been in use in M. Richmond's factory in this place for several months and it has been found to do perfect work and has been the means of a big saving in expenses. Sim has not been pushing the article, but is waiting to put the device into practical use in other creameries to give it a thorough test and then show the worth of his patent before placing it on sale. When the article becomes known there will be no trouble in disposing of the patent or selling the wonderful little machine.

FOR RENT.—Farm of 100 acres, located 4 miles east of Barrington, known as the John Schoppe farm. Address M. T. LAM EY, Barrington.

A. W. MEYER & CO.

Announcement.

The loss of our store by fire Thursday morning, March 31, was a great calamity that fell to our lot. The flames made a clean sweep of everything we possessed, and for the moment it has paralyzed our business, but the amount of insurance carried will enable us to resume business at an early date to meet the immediate wants of our customers, and just as soon as the insurance on the building and stock is adjusted we shall rebuild on the present site. We sincerely ask for your hearty support and continued patronage. In return we will endeavor to give you full value. Our stock will be entirely new and of the very best and highest grade of merchandise in the market.

We will have no goods "damaged by water" or "fire sales" to offer you, but shall give you strictly first-class merchandise at the very lowest prices. We shall at all times endeavor to keep in front and merit the high reputation that we have earned in this vicinity for selling only first-class merchandise.

Thanking you for past favors and the kind sympathy extended to us over our loss, we remain sincerely yours,

A. W. MEYER & CO.

Friday, April 1st. 1898.

Barrington, Ill.

WALL PAPER

I respectfully call the attention of the public to the fact that I have just received another immense stock of Wall Paper. I have personally selected the cream of the 1898 designs. Only the prettiest patterns have been selected for the Barrington trade. They must be seen to be appreciated. You are cordially invited to call at my store and see my line of Wall Paper. My time and my clerk's time is at your disposal from morning until evening. Don't for a moment think that because you call at my store and ask me to show you my goods that you are expected to buy. I don't do business that way. I know that I can offer the best bargains in wall paper and consequently it is a pleasure for me to show you my stock. I know that an investigation on your part will bear me out in my claim that I have

THE LARGEST ASSORTMENT

PRETTIEST DESIGNS

AT THE LOWEST PRICES

F. A. WOLTHAUSEN, - - Barrington, Ill.

Bargains in Dry Goods, Groceries, Shoes, Hats, in fact everything in the general merchandise line.

WE WANT YOU TO COME

FOR BARGAINS

Our aim is to always give you full value for your money. We have an extra large stock of

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, HATS AND CAPS, BOOTS AND SHOES, GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, ETC.

Shoes

We have the largest stock of black shoes that was ever brought to town. Shoes that are up-to-date in style and will fit all. Prices are put down so cheap that other dealers "kick."

Men's Furnishing Goods

Men's Shirts, the 50c quality at 19c; Men's Working Shirts, usually retailed at 60c now 34c; Men's Working Pants at 22c; Soft and Stiff Hats, all the late and nobby spring styles, Soft Hats that cost \$1 now 50c; Derby Hats that sold for \$1.25 to \$2.25 we are going to sell for 24c.

Brooms 8c each.

Groceries

We have just received a large stock of groceries. Here are the prices on a few articles: Good Coffee, the 15c quality, now 10c per pound; also have some that costs a little more; 50c Tea at 25c a pound; 4 lbs. Soda Crackers, 25c; 10 bars good soap 25c; Washing Powder 13c; Molasses that is sold for 40c a gallon now 25c; 40c a gallon quality Syrup at 25c. A large stock of fresh Canned Goods at regular wholesale price.

Dry Goods

Calicos worth 8c marked down to 5c a yard; Ginghams that usually sold for 8c a yard now 5c; Bedspreads that always sold for \$1.50, now go for 68c.

Howarth Bldg. Lipofsky Bros. Barrington

FROM GLOOM TO SUNLIGHT

OR THE USURERS DAUGHTER.

BY CHARLOTTE M. BRAEME.

INTERNATIONAL PRESS ASSOCIATION.

CHAPTER XXII.—(Continued.)
Lord Caraven went over to him at once, shook hands with him warmly, and asked him how he had spent the day.

"Very happily, thanks to Lady Caraven," he replied—"she has been all kindness to me."
The earl looked both pleased and impatient.

"You certainly seem better," he remarked. "We shall have you well yet, Raoul."

"Please heaven," said the soldier, reverently. "And when I am well I shall rejoin my regiment."

Sir Raoul saw that, instead of joining in the conversation, Lady Caraven walked away to the other end of the drawing room, never paying the least attention to her husband—her behavior as cold, indifferent and neglectful as his had been to her.

"I will tell you one thing, Ulric," he said; "if I do recover, I shall owe something to your wife; she is the kindest nurse I have ever met with."

"Is she?" asked the earl, languidly.

"If you ever fall ill yourself, you will believe it, Ulric."

"I hope I never shall," returned the earl; "if I do I shall not expect the Countess of Caraven to nurse me."

"Ulric," said Sir Raoul, in a low voice, "what induced you to tell me that your wife was tall and dark—nothing more?"

"So she is," he replied.

"Soldiers are pretty good judges—"



A COLD, HAUGHTY LOOK.
They see the women of many lands—believe me when I say that I never met or saw a more beautiful woman than your wife."

"If she be not fair to me, what care I how fair she be?" quoted the earl. "I am glad you think so. I do not admire her style of beauty. If anyone else does, so much the better—I do not object. There is the bell. Isn't it dreadful that the sound of the dinner bell has a greater charm for me than the discussion of a lady's beauty?"

Lady Caraven hastened forward. Her husband said something to her; she answered him with a cold, haughty look. Sir Raoul spoke; it was quite another face that she turned to him—brilliant, tender, beautiful. She begged him to take her arm. He looked at her laughingly.

"It would be cruel to take so fair an arm," he said, "with a strong one like Ulric's near."

"Mine is strong with good-will," she said, smiling.

And Sir Raoul could not refuse. He leaned as lightly as possible on the lovely, round arm, but his heart was warmed by her kindness.

Then he set to work resolutely to watch her, to see if in any respect she was deficient. He could not discover anything. She took her place with consummate grace. She was well versed in all the etiquette of the table—she was a charming hostess. He saw, too, that with all her wealth and all her beauty, she was an excellent mistress of the household; her servants were well trained and obedient.

"I do not see myself," thought Sir Raoul, "what more Ulric can desire."

He could detect no fault in her; but he did stop to wonder what their dinners must be like when they were quite alone.

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CHAPTER XXIII.

SIR RAOUL LAURESTON had been for three weeks at Halby House; during that time he had grown to love the young countess as though she had been a sister of his own.

They agreed very well together; but then Raoul was always different from other men—a preux chevalier. For whole days together the earl did not see his wife, and oftener now than ever he dined from home.

One evening the earl was more than usually disagreeable. Some friends were dining with them, and during dinner Lord Caraven began to speak of one of his acquaintances who had gone abroad for his honeymoon.

"Another added to the long list of victims," he said—"another name written on the scroll of folly. He was a man who had everything he desired, yet he got married—I want a word for such folly."

"Ulric," said Sir Raoul sharply—"pardon me—that is not the way a married man should speak."

"Pardon me," said the earl, laughingly—"it is only a married man who can speak so. You outsiders know nothing of the matter. 'Distance lends enchantment,' you know."

Sir Raoul saw a crimson flush mount to Hildred's white brow. Suddenly the young countess spoke. Her voice sounded pitilessly sweet and was as clear as a bell.

"I quite agree with Lord Caraven," she said; "if there be one folly greater than all others, it is that which we call by the name of marriage."
There was a dead silence for a minute; even Lord Caraven felt that he had gone too far—that he had spoken in an undignified, ungentlemanly fashion; then came Sir Raoul to the rescue.

"It is an old institution," he said; "we will not abuse it. Talking of abuse, has any one read the 'Saturday's' stinging review of Captain Hartlake's great military work?"

This changed the conversation; but that night, when the young countess was about to retire, she went across the room to Raoul, and her soft fingers closed over his.

"I want to say good-night and to thank you," she said. "I want to say also that you have been very kind, and that I feel sure you believe in what is good; so pray for me—pray for me—for I am frightened at myself."

He repeated the words after her, wondering at them. "Frightened at herself, poor child!"
Amongst the friends who came to see Sir Raoul was Lumley Atherstone, the famous artist—a genius who lived for art.

He was sitting one morning talking to Sir Raoul when Lady Caraven entered. He had not seen her before, and he at once admired her. When Hildred had spoken to Sir Raoul, and talked for a few minutes with the artist, she went away. With dreamy eyes Lumley Atherstone looked after her.

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"Here, Sir Raoul," replied the artist, touching his temple—"here where I see pictures so tantalizing and so beautiful that I can not reproduce them. If she will but consent, I can make her and myself immortal. When may I ask her?"

"I do not understand much about the etiquette of such matters, but I should have thought it would be etiquette to speak first to Lord Caraven."

"To be sure—you are quite right; he might not like his wife's lovely face to be shown to the world. But in that case I should blame him; a man can not but be better after having seen such a face as that."

"I do not think he will refuse; but I should most certainly speak to him first."

He told the artist that he believed Lord Caraven was even then in the house, and that if he pleased he would send for him. The earl came in, wondering what could have induced Lumley Atherstone to ask for him. The artist soon explained. Lord Caraven looked at him in wonder.

"You wish to paint Lady Caraven's portrait?" he said, blankly. "But I thought you were rather particular, you know."

"I hope I am, my lord," was the cold reply. "No artist could have a fairer subject for his pencil than Lady Caraven."

"Well," said the earl, in a tone of resignation, "I shall begin to think that I am blind. All I can say is that, if Lady Caraven be willing, I shall have no objection."

"Thank you," responded the artist. "I shall hope to find time to call on the countess tomorrow."

"I am very pleased you have given your consent, Ulric," said Sir Raoul; "I was wishing only yesterday that Lady Caraven had had her portrait painted. Mr. Atherstone's picture will be one of the finest in Ravensmere."

"If it reaches there," thought the earl. "My opinion is that the whole world has gone mad together."

He was rather struck, after all; it startled him to find the best judge of beauty in England speak in such rapturous terms about the countess. It was a mistake, of course; but the strange thing was to find an artist of such note mistaken—it did not often happen. He left Sir Raoul to tell the news to his wife—he would not have complimented her so highly.

CHAPTER XXIV.

A SMILING JUNE morning. Lord Caraven had, for a wonder, breakfasted with the countess and Sir Raoul. They had been talking about their plans for the summer, when the earl looked up with a good tempered laugh.

"Do you know," he said, "that I am literally tired of hearing the constant repetition of titles? Raoul, you claim relationship with Lady Caraven, why not call her 'Hildred'? Hildred, why not give over your formal and ceremonious 'Sir' and simply say 'Raoul'?"

"I shall be only too happy," said Sir Raoul, "if my dear and beautiful kinswoman will permit it."

Before the young countess had time to answer Lord Caraven laughed again. "What old-world notions you have, Raoul! Fancy talking about a dear and beautiful kinswoman."

"And why not, Ulric? It seems to me that the people in your set sneer at everything simple and noble. I repeat the expression—my dear and beautiful kinswoman. Have I your permission to lay aside your title and call you 'Hildred'?"

"Yes," she replied, "if you wish it, Sir Raoul."

"It must be on equal terms, then."

"If you wish it, Raoul," she said. Her face flushed, her dark eyes drooped, and her fingers played nervously with the diamond cross on her breast.

"That is better," said the earl. "I always felt compelled to be formal myself when I heard you. Hildred, have you written those notes of invitation?"

"Yes," she replied, giving him a number of envelopes. "What shall you do, Lord Caraven, if they all say 'Yes'?"

"It will be so much the better," he replied. "But that is not probable; some always refuse. If they do accept, Ravensmere is large enough."

"I have some letters of my own to send to post with these," she said; and Sir Raoul saw, as she placed the letters in her husband's hands, how carefully she avoided touching him—so carefully, indeed, that two of the letters fell to the ground.

"My hand is not made of hot coals, Hildred," he cried, impatiently; "you need not be afraid of touching it."

She made no reply; but, drawing back with a haughty gesture, quitted the room.

(To be continued.)
Cute Beyond Her Years.
It was a Philadelphia little girl who, when her mother had given her a box of candy and had told her to invite one of her friends to partake of it with her, said that she would ask Fanny Brown, because candy always made Fanny's teeth ache, so she couldn't eat much.

GAINED 22 POUNDS IN 5 WEEKS.

From the By-Stander, Macomb, Ill.

Alderman Louis W. Camp, of our city, has quite astonished his friends of late, by a remarkable gain in weight. He has gained 22 pounds in five weeks. Those of his friends who do not know the facts of his sickness will read with interest the following:

"I was broken down in health and utterly miserable," said Mr. Camp to our reporter. "I was unable to work much of the time and so badly afflicted with a form of stomach trouble that life was a veritable nightmare. I tried various remedies, but during the six months of my sickness I obtained no relief. I had always been a robust, healthy man and sickness bore heavily upon me."

"About two years ago I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I purchased one box and received so much benefit that I used five more and was entirely cured. I gained twenty-two pounds in five weeks. Since I stopped taking the pills I have scarcely had an ache or pain."



Interviewing the Alderman.
"Dr. Williams' Pink Pills restored me to health and I most heartily recommend them."

L. W. Camp on oath says that the foregoing statement is true.
W. W. MELOAN, Notary Public.

Following is the physician's certificate as to Mr. Camp's present condition.

I am a regularly licensed physician of Macomb, McDonough County, Ill. I have very recently examined Mr. L. W. Camp as to his general physical condition, and find the same to be all that could be desired, appetite and digestion good, sleeps well, and has all the evidences of being in a good physical condition. SAM'L RUSSELL, M. D. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of September, 1897.

W. W. MELOAN, Notary Public.

Clever Stage Effect.

An ingenious stage waterfall devised by Mr. Gailhard has attracted attention at the Paris opera halls. It is made of tulle stretched on frames imitating the curves of a fall. Behind it little streams of water are discharged through perforated pipes against a metal plate, so as to throw a spray upon the tulle. When the electric light is played on this the effect is magical.

To Washington and Baltimore via the Monon Route.

There is not a pleasanter or more picturesque route from Chicago to Washington and Baltimore than the Monon, via Cincinnati and the B. & O. S. W. and B. & O. Railways. The train service of this line is comfortable and convenient, consisting of through palace sleeping cars and coaches. The time of leaving Chicago is 2:45 A. M., but the sleeper is ready for occupancy at any time after 9:30 P. M. This route traverses the garden section of southern Ohio, and passes through the historic section of West Virginia in the evening and down the beautiful and tradition laden Potomac valley in the early morning, arriving at the national capital at 6:47 and Baltimore 7:55 the next morning. Taken altogether it is a most comfortable and restful journey, a tour of education, that once taken will never be forgotten, and the oftener repeated, the more enjoyed.
FRANK J. REED, General Passenger Agent.

Repertee by John Wesley.

John Wesley, the father of Methodism, was brought before the mayor of a certain town, charged with having wrought disturbance by street preaching. "You ought to have known," said the mayor, "that this sort of thing is not permitted by the mob." "Pardon," said Wesley, "but I wasn't even aware that this town of yours was governed by a mob."

Home Seekers' Excursions.

On April 5th and 19th, 1898, the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul R'y will sell round trip excursion tickets (good 21 days) from Chicago, Milwaukee and other points on its line, to a great many points in South and North Dakota and other western and southwestern states, at greatly reduced rates. Take a trip west and see what an amount of good land can be purchased for the least money. Further information as to rates, routes, prices of farm lands, etc., may be obtained on application to any coupon ticket agent or by addressing the following named persons: W. E. Powell, Gen'l Immigration Agent, 410 Old Colony Bldg., Chicago; H. F. Hunter, Immigration Agt. for South Dakota, 291 Dearborn St., Chicago, or George H. Heaford, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Illinois.

Three Pairs Come Lively.

A prying correspondent has discovered in Piscataquis county, Maine, a family of six children, the oldest of whom (twins) are not yet quite 4 years of age. Other twins are 2 years younger, and the others 4 weeks. In each case of the twins there are a boy and a girl.

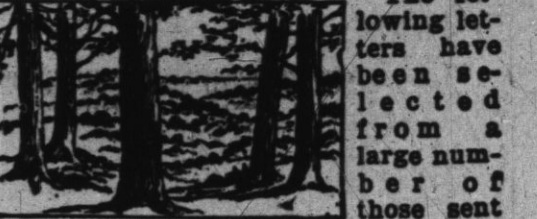
Colorado Gold Field.

Colorado is the banner gold-producing state in the Union. Production in 1897 over \$20,000,000. This year promises to exceed \$30,000,000. New strikes are being made every day. Nothing like it since the days of '49. Would you know all about these things? Then send twenty-five cents for a six-months' trial subscription to the "MINING WORLD," an eight-page illustrated weekly paper. Regular subscription, \$1.00 a year. The newest mining newspaper in the world. Address "World," P. O. Box 1611, Denver, Colorado.

Lady Poynter, wife of the president of the Royal academy, is, perhaps, the most graceful woman in London. Lady Burne-Jones is her sister, and Mr. Rudyard Kipling is her nephew.

VISITED WESTERN CANADA.

Report of Delegates Sent from Michigan to Alameda District.



The following letters have been selected from a large number of those sent by delegates to report on Western Canada to their friends in Michigan, and as a result of which hundreds of people expect to leave this spring for the Free Grant Lands of Western Canada.

Alameda, N. W. T., Aug. 31, 1897.

Dear Friends of Saginaw:—Those desiring to secure a good and sure home will do well to take our advice, and examine the land in the neighborhood of Alameda, as we know that everyone who sees this land will be agreeably surprised. Before seeing this land we were partly in doubt as to moving here, but after looking it over we at once decided to make our home here, and we beg those of our friends who are desirous of securing farms, not to let this chance slip by, as the soil is of the best and the water can not be excelled. The finest wheat we ever saw is also raised here.

We shall return home in haste, straighten out our affairs, and move here at once.

Yours truly,
(Signed) WILLIAM GOTTOWSKI,
ALBERT MAI,
WILLIAM RIEDEL.

—Of Saginaw.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 10, 1897.

Mr. M. V. McInnes, Chief Colonization Agent, Detroit, Mich. Dear Sir:—We are pleased to state to you that we have found the country in the vicinity of Alameda fully up to what you and Mr. Keller had represented it to be. It is, in fact, an ideal location for mixed farming. The soil is the best we ever saw, and as the farmers were all busy at threshing, we had an excellent chance to see its productive quality, which cannot be surpassed anywhere. The cattle could not be in better condition. We saw two year old steers equal to three year old raised in most places, and these, as are all others about Alameda, were fed on native hay in winter and herded in summer. As we had previous to this visited the Northwestern States in behalf of a large number of farmers, to locate suitable land for mixed farming, we are now in a position to say that the Alameda district of Western Canada surpasses them all. The country is equal to that about Thuringen in Germany. We were rather sceptic before starting, and our intention was to settle in spring, if we were suited, but we have now decided to move at once; that is, as early this fall as we possibly can. We left Mr. Riedel at Alameda, and take back his report, and we will take his family and effects with us when we go.

Yours sincerely,
(Signed) ALBERT MAI
FRED GOTTOWSKI.

Ludington, Mich., Nov. 1, 1897.

M. V. McInnes, Esq., Colonization Agent, Detroit, Mich. Dear Sir:—We have just returned from the West, and were exceedingly well pleased with the country. We are going back to take up our homesteads in early spring. We received \$35 per month and board working for farmers, and the board was the best we ever had—the beef and mutton especially were excellent. The fine flavor is owing to the fine grasses which the cattle and sheep feed upon. The people are very hospitable, and treat their hired help with much kindness.

The grain is much heavier than here; wheat being 62 lbs. to the bushel; oats 48 lbs., and barley often 55 lbs.

Any man with a good team and money enough to buy provisions and seed for six months can become rich there in five years. Many people who arrived there five years ago with little, or nothing, are well off now. One man I met held his wheat from last year and was offered \$16,000 for this year's crop and what he had held over from last year, and is holding at \$1 per bushel. We are going back in the spring to work for this same farmer until seeding, after which we will homestead between seeding and harvest. We think we will settle on the Manitoba & Northwestern R. R.

You can refer any one to us for this part of the country, while we are here, and we will cheerfully answer any questions which anyone may wish to ask.

Yours truly,
(Signed) CHAS. HAWLEY,
JOSEPH DOLA.

Sixty-Five Years a Blacksmith.

When a man has reached 81 years and has worked at blacksmithing unceasingly for sixty-five years one might excuse him if he abandoned the anvil evermore, but a smart old fellow down in Maine asks no release in these circumstances and continues merrily on.

Cheap Rates to the West and South.

On April 5 and 19, the North-Western Line will sell Home Seekers' excursion tickets, with favorable time limits, to numerous points in the West and South at exceptionally low rates. For tickets and full information apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Railway.

Other Things Worse.

A rural editor says: "The Georgia boys are ready for war. True, war is terrible, in many respects; but bloody though it be, it still beats cotton at five cents, and eggs three dozen for a quarter. Let it come!"

Although women frequently handle each other without gloves there are no female pugilists.

CONGRESSIONAL RECORD.

Condensed Report of the Doings in Senate and House.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE READ.

Report of the Court of Inquiry as to the Loss of the Maine Delivered to the House—Senator Money Advocates Intervention in Cuba.

Friday, March 25.

The house spent the day in consideration of the naval appropriation bill. There was much filibustering and only four pages of the bill were gone over. The senate was not in session.

Monday, March 28.

In the house the president's message in reference to the loss of the battleship Maine, and the report of the court of inquiry, were read, and referred to the committee on foreign affairs without debate.

The senate listened to the president's message and the court of inquiry's report. Mr. Money (Miss.) delivered a speech advocating the intervention of the United States to end the war in Cuba.

Tuesday, March 29.

The house devoted the day to the consideration of the bill to pay certain claims for stores and supplies furnished the union and loyal citizens of the south during the war. At an evening session pension bills were passed. After the introduction of Cuban resolutions and a speech by Mr. Mason, seventy-four private pension bills were passed by the senate.

MRS. PARNELL DEAD.

Sad End of the Mother of the Great Irish Leader.

Mrs. Della Tudor Parnell, daughter of the celebrated American naval officer, Rear-Admiral Charles Stewart, and mother of the late Charles Stewart Parnell, died at Avondale, Rathdrum, County Wicklow, Ireland, as the result of burns received from the igniting of her clothing while she was sitting before a fire. She was born in 1816 in Philadelphia.

Michigan Legislature.

Representative Shepherd introduced a bill March 28 providing that the state board of equalization, consisting of the lieutenant governor, land commissioner, auditor general, state treasurer and secretary of state, shall fix the valuation of railroad property and levy an annual assessment thereon of three-fourths of 1 per cent.

Arguments were made before the house and senate committee March 29 by prominent railroad attorneys in opposition to the Pingree bill.

Big Fire at Bristow, Iowa.

By the overturning of a lantern in the large warehouse belonging to Conley & Illenfriz, at Bristow, Iowa, the most disastrous fire in the history of the city was started and for a time the entire city was in danger of destruction. The total loss is \$50,000.

Engineers Favor Federation.

It is said that a majority of the engineers of the country are in favor of the federation of all the different labor organizations and at the biennial meeting at St. Louis in May this will be done, so far as the engineers are concerned.

Tragedy at Otterbein, Ind.

Frank Cunningham, a farm hand, aged 35 years, shot and killed Bertha Timmons, aged 13 years, at the home of her mother, Mary Timmons, in Otterbein, Ind. He then shot himself and died. He loved the girl, but she disliked him.

Ex-Auditor Fear Found.

Ex-City Auditor John F. Fear, who disappeared from Burlington, Iowa, two weeks ago, has been found in Chicago. He says he is short \$5,138.34, which he is arranging to settle.

Can Not Reopen the Mints.

Sir James Westland, financial member of the British legislative council, has announced that a silver standard or the reopening of the Indian mints is at present impossible.

Iowa State Fair Abandoned.

There will be no state fair in Iowa this year. The Omaha exposition will interfere so much that it has practically been decided to abandon the fair for one year.

Fire in Boys' School.

Fire damaged the Wisconsin Industrial School for Boys at Waukesha, Wis., March 25. Several of the boys are said to have run away, but none was injured in the fire.

Indiana Teachers Adjourn.

The southern Indiana teachers' association will meet next year at Shelbyville. J. P. Funk, principal New Albany high school, was elected president.

Illinois Populist Convention.

The populist party of Illinois will hold their state convention in Springfield Tuesday, May 17, the same date as the democratic state convention.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, 1888.

LUCAS COUNTY.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.
FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1888.
A. W. GLEASON,
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.
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Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Hair of Dolls.

The hair on the heads of most of the hundreds of thousands of dolls exhibited in shop windows is made from the hair of the Angora goat. This product is controlled by an English syndicate, and is valued at \$400,000 a year. After the hair is prepared it is sent to Munich and made into wigs by girls.

OH, WHAT SPLENDID COFFEE.

Mr. Goodman, Williams Co., Ill., writes: "From one package Salzer's German Coffee Berry costing 15c I grew 300 lbs. of better coffee than I can buy in stores at 30 cents a lb."

A package of this and big seed catalogue is sent you by John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., upon receipt of 15c stamps and this notice. w.n.a.

No Stones in Manitoba.

In Manitoba you can turn a furrow many miles long and not encounter a stone as large as your fist. The earth, for a distance down from three to five feet, is a rich, black loam, made by centuries and centuries of decaying vegetation.

Beauty Is Blood Deep.

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

Hid from Thieves in a Basket.

Masked men entered a meat market in Cambridge, Mass., a few days ago. The wife of the proprietor escaped notice by dropping to the floor and turning a big delivery basket over her head.

Going Around the World.

A traveler can now go around the world in fifty days.

New Method of Taming Lions.

Perzon, the great French lion tamer, owed his success to the use of electricity in taming his beasts. When a wild lion or tiger was to be tamed, live wires were first rigged up in the cage between the tamer and the animal. After a time Perzon would turn his back, and the wild creature would invariably make a leap at him, but encountering the charged wires, would receive a paralyzing shock sufficient to terrorize it forever. This lesson would rarely have to be repeated, as the mysterious shock was not readily forgotten.

AN OPEN LETTER TO MOTHERS.

We are asserting in the courts our right to the exclusive use of the word "CASTORIA," and "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," as our Trade Mark.

I, Dr. Samuel Pitcher, of Hyannis, Massachusetts, was the originator of "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," the same that has borne and does now bear the fac-simile signature of CHAS. H. FLETCHER on every wrapper. This is the original "PITCHER'S CASTORIA" which has been used in the homes of the mothers of America for over thirty years. Look carefully at the wrapper and see that it is "the kind you have always bought," and has the signature of CHAS. H. FLETCHER on the Wrapper. No one has authority from me to use my name except The Centaur Company, of which Chas. H. Fletcher is President.
March 8, 1897. SAMUEL PITCHER, M. D.

South American Wind Flower.

It is said that a flower has been found in South America which is visible only when the wind is blowing. The shrub belongs to the cactus family, and is about three feet high, with a crook at the top. When the wind blows a number of beautiful flowers protrude from little lumps on the stalk.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

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

Can't Throw Straight.

Woman vote? Never. She never in the world could learn to throw mud straight enough to hit the right candidate. Woman is no politician.—Puck.

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.

The shoe dealer always sells his goods at bottom figures.

Hopeful Words to Childless Women.

The darkest days of husband and wife are when they come to look forward to a childless and desolate old age.

Many a wife has found herself incapable of motherhood owing to some great lack of strength in the organs of generation. Such a condition is nearly always due to long continued neglect of the plainest warnings.

Frequent backache and distressing pains accompanied by offensive discharges and generally by irregular and scanty menstruation, indicate a nerve degeneration of the womb and surrounding organs, that unless speedily checked will result in barrenness.

Read Mrs. Wilson's letter:
DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—No one could have suffered from female troubles more than I. I had tumors on the womb, my ovaries were diseased, and for fifteen years I was a burden to myself. I was operated upon three different times, with only temporary relief; also tried many doctors. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me by a lady friend, and after taking four bottles I was like a new woman. I had been married nine years, and had no children. I now have a beautiful little girl, and we feel assured she is the result of my taking the Compound.—MAY B. WILSON, 323 Sassafras St., Millville, N. J.

Modern science and past experience have produced nothing so effective in treating diseases of the female organs as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Sanative Wash used according to special directions.

If you know any woman who is suffering and who is unable to secure relief, or who is sorrowful because she believes herself barren, tell her to write to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., and ask her advice. The thousands of Mrs. Pinkham's cures are all recorded for quick reference, and a reply will be promptly sent wholly without charge, that will direct her what to do.

Mrs. B. BLUMH, 4940 San Francisco Ave., St. Louis, Mo., writes:—"It has been my great desire to have a babe. Since taking your medicine my wish is fulfilled."

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound; A Woman's Remedy for Woman's Ills



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is a good thing to be rid of, because bad blood is the breeding place of disfiguring and dangerous diseases. Is YOUR blood bad? You can have good blood, which is pure blood, if you want it. You can be rid of pimples, boils, blotches, sores and ulcers. How? By the use of Dr. Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It is the radical remedy for all diseases originating in the blood.

"Dr. Ayer's Sarsaparilla was recommended to me by my physician as a blood purifier. When I began taking it I had boils all over my body. One bottle cured me."
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Yours truly, GEORGE YEAGER, Portland, Ind., Feb. 17 1898.

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MRS. GEO. H. HOWELL, Stratford, Vermont, Feb. 18, 1898.

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Military Departments.

The new arrangement and division of the military departments are of interest as showing the future attitude of the United States toward other nations. The rearrangement is a result of the complications and possible war with Spain. That prospect impelled the president and his advisers to look around at our national defenses and see what was lacking. They saw so much that they began energetic measures to supply the need, and one of the first of these was the redistricting of the country's military departments and the creation of two entirely new ones, so that there are now eight of these departments.

The new shuffle and deal were made with a view particularly to our coast defenses. Of the two newly created districts one is composed of the states fringing the lakes and will be known as the department of the lakes, headquarters at Chicago. The other is to be called the department of the gulf and is composed of the states bordering the south Atlantic beginning with South Carolina and following the ocean and gulf coast around till it ends with the southwestern border of Texas. Its headquarters are at Atlanta, which will delight the citizens of that ambitious town. The department of the east, headquarters Governor's island, New York city, includes the Atlantic states north of South Carolina.

On the Pacific coast the department of Columbia includes all the coast line from the farthest corner of Alaska to the northern corner of California, headquarters at Vancouver barracks, Washington. The rest of the Pacific coast line belongs to the department of California, headquarters San Francisco.

It will thus be seen that of the eight military departments into which the country is henceforth to be divided five are along our coast lines, north, east, south and west.

It is to be noted that the house committee on election of president, vice president and representatives has reported in favor of a joint resolution amending the United States constitution so that representatives will be elected every four years instead of every two years. If the resolution should pass the house, it would have to pass also the senate. Then it would be submitted to the legislatures of the states to vote whether they would have it or not. If it were submitted to the people at large, they would be unanimous in its favor. If a congressman were elected for four years instead of two, he could spend all the first half of his term learning the business instead of planning to get in a second term, as he now does. Congressional elections in that case should come in the off year from presidential contests.

Mr. Ernest Lyman is a schoolteacher at Delmont, S. D. He writes to The Outlook that his pupils are the children of Russian Germans. They have no chance to learn English except as he teaches it to them in school, and one of the greatest obstacles to their learning our language is the scarcity of books. Now if any well disposed person has children's books, illustrated newspapers, magazines or other reading matter to spare, here is opportunity to make the most and the best of such literature. Send it to Mr. Ernest Lyman, Delmont, S. D. He says he will pay charges of transportation, though few would ask him to do that.

One fact in connection with the Maine disaster shows up human nature in its meanest possible light. It is that here, there and everywhere are springing up alleged heirs to the men who lost their lives on the ill fated ship. Persons who never thought of claiming kin with these heroes during their lifetime are appearing like carrion flies to batten on the dead. If the sum that will be appropriated by congress were divided among all those who will try to claim a share, there would not be a dollar apiece.

Everybody knows it is dangerous to throw a banana peel or fruit skin upon the sidewalk, yet not a month of the year passes that legs are not broken and skulls fractured from this very cause. Everybody likewise knows it is dangerous to throw a lighted cigarette or match down anywhere. Yet from this cause came the terrible fire in the Bowery mission building in New York, where 11 persons were roasted to death.

SPECIMEN BALLOT.

TOWN OF CUBA.

Election April 5th, 1898.

James A. Kitson

TOWN CLERK.

PEOPLES' TICKET.

For Supervisor

MILES T. LAMEY.

For Town Clerk

JAMES A. KITSON.

For Assessor

FRED KIRSCHNER.

For Collector

E. F. SCHAEDE.

For Road Commissioner

JOHN JAHNKE.

For Justice of the Peace
(To Fill Vacancy)

F. L. WATERMAN.

For Constable
(To Fill Vacancy)

RAY KIMBERLY.

PETITION NOMINATION.

For Supervisor

For Town Clerk

For Assessor

For Collector

For Road Commissioner

For Justice of the Peace
(To Fill Vacancy)

For Constable
(To Fill Vacancy)

JOHN KAMPERT.

SPECIMEN BALLOT.

TOWN OF ELA.

Election April 5, 1898.

E. A. Ficke

TOWN CLERK.

UNION TICKET.

For Supervisor

D. HUNTINGTON.

For Town Clerk

E. A. FICKE.

For Assessor

D. F. KRUEGER.

For Collector

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For Collector
- F. A. LAGESCHULTE.
For Commissioner of Highways
- JAY W. WATERMAN.
For School Trustee

Village Caucus.

Notice is hereby given that a village caucus will be held in the new Barrington village hall on Saturday evening, April 2, 1898, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of placing in nomination the following officers, to be voted for at the village election to be held on Tuesday, April 19: One president, one village clerk and three village trustees.
L. A. POWERS, Clerk.

A few months ago Mr. Byron Every of Woodstock, Mich., was badly afflicted with rheumatism. His right leg was swollen the full length, causing him great suffering. He was advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. The first bottle of it helped him considerably and the second bottle effected a cure. The 25 and 50 cent sizes are for sale by A. L. WALLER, Barrington, and A. S. OLMS, Palatine.

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Now is the time of gentle spring
Which as of yore will bring
Loving couples to the altar to wed
And the gardeners' musical machine
In the onion bed.

—Zurich Poet.

April showers.
Town election Tuesday.
April fooled some yesterday.
The political pot is boiling over.
Vote for the wide-awake candidate.
Grand Easter ball at Ficke's hall on April 11th.
Wm. Prelm will move to Cloverdale, Ill.
Will Searls was observed on our streets this week.
Seip & Tonne are doing a big business in feed.
Joe Collins has gone into the calf-buying business.
L. H. Ficke transacted business in Chicago this week.
The new meat market will be ready for business April 15th.
There is lots of chin music in town. Have you had any?
Mrs. Wm. McDowell will soon join her husband in Pennsylvania.
Don't forget the Sunday school entertainment on April 10th.
Fred Kropp and son, Henry, were at Diamond Lake Wednesday.
Henry Pepper sold one of his pet jacks for a fair price on Monday.
The mud roads of Ela were scraped somewhat the past week.
Henry Lohman made a business trip to Chicago the first of the week.
The board of auditors of the town of Ela met in the town hall on Tuesday.
Gustav Fiedler and John Forbes transacted business at Barrington Thursday.
The heavy fall of rain this spring has plainly demonstrated the need of gravelled roads.
Charles Meyer of Long Grove and Nic Becher of Quentin's Corners were observed here on Tuesday.
There will be no services held in the town hall tomorrow evening, owing to the absence of Rev. Brown.
Barrington parties drive the bus between the golf links and the depot at Barrington.
Charles Rowson of Pennsylvania, a resident here some fifteen years ago, visited here recently.
Eighteen children of the German school will be confirmed at the Lutheran church tomorrow (Palm Sunday) by Rev. Casten.
Mr. and Mrs. H. Schaefer and son are visiting in Chicago. Charles Olson is working in the chutes during Mr. Schaefer's absence.
The home of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Harman was the scene of a jolly time Sunday, the occasion being the christening of their youngest child.
For the benefit of THE REVIEW's readers we kindly ask that when you hear of news items report them to Al R. Ficke, at the Zurich House.
Baseball talk is brewing in town. There will be some "hot" games on the diamond the coming season. 'Rah for the Lake County Unions of '98.
The flag pole at the school house was raised last week. But is it vertical, John? The plumb must have been leaning towards the North pole since that is the direction the flag pole favors.
H. L. Berghorn has ordered the lumber for a new barn to be built on the old Brockway place. The residence will be remodeled and when finished it will be occupied by Henry, who recently committed matrimony. He will engage in farming on his own account.
ELEGANT EASTER CARDS—When you want a work of art in the line of cards bearing your name and embellished with flowers, scroll work, etc., call at the Zurich studio. Call and see samples. The prices are moderate.

CARY WHISPERINGS.

George Hanson was in Barrington Saturday.
John Tomiskey is taking a two week's vacation.
Miss Mabel Osgood visited school at Nunda Monday.
E. P. Andrews visited school at Harvard and Woodstock.
Miss Tena Arps was a Chicago visitor Monday.
Frank Griffith will move on his own farm April 1.
J. Fossit spent Friday of last week in Chicago.
Mr. and Mrs. Mentch visited Chicago Monday.
F. Walsh is now day operator at the tower in the gravel pits and A. E. Boomer has taken his place as night

operator in the gravel pits. A. E. Boomer has taken his place as night operator in the depot here.

Mrs. K. Porter of Barrington was seen on our streets Monday.

George Yale spent Sunday in Janesville, Wis.

Miss Mary Anderson is visiting relatives in Elgin.

Fred Wildhagen and Jack Hauck were in Chicago Monday.

C. Perry of Barrington was seen on our streets Tuesday.

Mrs. Coss and Miss Etta Kerns spent Thursday in Chicago.

Frank Halthusen of Elgin visited with friends during last week.

Mrs. E. J. Severns of Nunda was seen on our streets Monday.

Mrs. Chas. Kiltz and niece, Miss Elridge, were in Algonquin Tuesday.

Miss Tillie Hooker of Dundee is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. C. Lamkee.

Miss Lawson of Elgin—visited with friends here a few days of last week.

The J. H. club met at the home of Miss Myrtle Kiltz Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lamkee and children visited in Chicago on Sunday.

Monday was a visiting day for the scholars and pupils of the Cary High school.

Miss Vivian Comstock returned home this week from a visit to Barrington Center.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Catlow and two children of Barrington spent Sunday at the home of James Catlow.

Miss Josephine Thompson of Elgin spent a few days of last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. West.

Edward Shonfelt was hurt Monday by a stone dropping on his hand while working on the river bridge.

Misses Edna and Genevieve Burton spent Sunday and Monday visiting with friends and relatives in Nunda.

Mrs. F. Miller and children of Wheaton are guests at the home of Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. West.

The concert given in the M. E. church Friday evening by Miss Bunton Fox, was a success both socially and financially. A large crowd was in attendance.

WAUCONDA.

M. W. Hughes was a Chicago visitor Friday.

George Kern was a Chicago visitor the first of the week.

Messrs. and Mesdames Gilbert and Roberts visited in Chicago Thursday.

W. Sanborn and J. McCormick transacted business in Chicago Tuesday.

Harry Wightman of McHenry was a pleasant caller in our village Tuesday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lamphere, Saturday, March 26th, a little daughter.

J. Hironimus has been engaged to fill the position of clerk at Price Bros.' store.

Our schools opened Monday for the spring term, after enjoying a week's vacation.

G. Burnett will assist Mr. Hoefft the coming spring and summer in his market.

W. D. Wentworth and family moved into Mrs. Slocum's tenant house last Saturday.

L. G. Bangs, who spent the winter with his brother, W. J., returned to Dakota last week.

Frank Quigley returned to Chicago Wednesday after spending a few days in our village.

Phillip Malman returned to Waukegan Thursday, after a few days' visit with his parents.

Miss May Spencer returned from Chicago Saturday, where she has been spending the week with relatives.

Clyde Golding, after spending a few days' vacation at home, returned to school Monday at Valparaiso, Ind.

The town meeting and election will be held at the engine house next Tuesday. Only one ticket is in the field.

The annual election of officers of the fire company will take place next Tuesday evening at the engine house. All members are requested to attend.

The "dime social" held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Glynch Saturday evening was a very pleasant affair. The attendance was not as large as the social merited.

The order of Mystic Workers will be organized in our village next Thursday evening. The new order starts out under very promising prospects.

A fire at 3 o'clock Monday morning destroyed a woodhouse belonging to G. W. Hubbard's tenant house. No other damage was done.

SPRING LAKE.

Wm. Gibson was an Elgin caller Tuesday.

John Redell visited at the home of A. Forn Sunday.

John Dworak of Carpentersville visited his parents last Sunday.

Joe Ebel purchased several cows at J. Lowe's sale at Algonquin Friday.

School closed Monday for a week on account of the prevalence of measles.

Fred Cady, whose accident we reported last week, is rapidly recovering.

Dame Rumor has it that two of our young people were married. We can't vouch for the rumor.

A party of sportsmen camped at the lake, were suddenly routed out by the high wind Sunday night, compelling them to seek refuge in S. Smith's barn.

A GOOD LETTER

From the Clerk of the Circuit Court, FERNANDINA, Fla., Feb. 28, 1896.

MR. J. GEORGE SUHRER, Druggist, City.
Dear George:—Please send a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I would not feel easy if I knew there was none of this valuable Remedy in the house. I have given it a fair test and consider it one of the very best remedies for croup that I have ever found. One dose has always been sufficient, although I use it freely. Any cold my children contract yields very readily to this medicine. I can conscientiously recommend it for croup and colds in children.

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NOTICE!

Please read this and note that I am still with you, and have on my Sales Grounds in Barrington, a large stock of fruit trees, consisting of Apple, Cherry, Plum, Peach and Pear trees; also Currant, Raspberry, Gooseberry, Grape, etc. Come early and get some choice trees cheap. Apple Trees 15c; Cherry 25c; Plum 25c; Pear 50c, Mulberry 50c, Peach 25c.

I have also something new in the way of a spraying pump which it will be to your interest to examine—the New Perfection Brass Spraying Pump. This force pump will throw, when in operation, a continuous stream 50 to 75 feet, or a fine, mist-like spray, as desired. It sprays all kinds of trees and shrubs, and destroys Potato Bugs, Cabbage Worm, Chinch Bugs, Squash Bugs, Plant Lice, Aphis Bark Lice, etc.

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TOPICS OF TODAY.

FIGHTING BY MACHINERY.

Warfare, like manufacturing, has degenerated into machine work. The preparations for a real or apparent danger of war make this conspicuous. The great battleships are fighting machines not constructed to kill human beings, but to attack and destroy or disable other fighting machines like themselves. To man such fighting engines requires a small force, and a battle with modern ordnance does not of necessity involve great carnage. This was exemplified in the Japanese-Chinese conflict. In fact, nations settle their contentions by a mere comparison of strength with that of their antagonist—a quick estimate of their own fighting machines, their armor and armament, their speed and coal capacity. A like estimate of the enemy, a footing of figures and the battle is postponed by one or the other belligerent to enable further preparation and augmentation of the enginery of modern warfare.

MOVEMENT IN LOMBARD STREET.

A London cablegram says: The imminence of the Cuban crisis has prompted financiers to make efforts to avert war. A movement to this end is on foot in Lombard street, and American bankers, who are leading it, are supposed to have the sympathy and perhaps the co-operation of the Rothschilds. The American bankers are endeavoring to secure the influence of financiers and governments, representing to them the damage to the commerce of all nations which a war would involve. The financiers are willing to invest liberally to prevent war, but apparently they are unable to devise a plan promising success. The American bankers tell the diplomats that if the United States demands an indemnity, and Spain is willing to pay, financiers will gladly furnish the funds.

LIGHT ON NEBRASKA DECISION.

When the decision of the federal supreme court in the famous Nebraska maximum freight-rate case was handed down the summary of it given in the press dispatches from Washington indicated that the opinion merely reaffirmed principles enunciated in former decisions of the court. A perusal of the text of the opinion, however, shows it to contain features that are new and of far-reaching importance, especially to the western states. Theoretically, the decision gives to states the right to regulate rates within their borders. In practical operation, the ruling of the court is likely to make state control of transportation rates, in the west at least, impossible of realization.

THE APPEAL FROM SILENT LIPS.

The masterly address of Senator Thurston of Nebraska upon the Cuban situation opened with these memorable and melancholy words: "Mr. President—I am here by command of silent lips to speak once and for all upon the Cuban situation." If any one had felt inclined to comment upon the good taste of the senator in making a public speech so soon after his wife's death, that comment was suppressed by the first words that fell from his lips. Every criticism was hushed, and added solemnity and emphasis were lent to the speaker's eloquence as he fulfilled the mission of love and duty, of sympathy and pity, which had been entrusted to him by the noble woman who died while on an errand of mercy among the helpless victims of Spanish cruelty.

P. D. ARMOUR SHIFTS.

There is suddenly evidence from every direction of a change in the Armour attitude on wheat. He and Leiter have certainly struck a treaty. Everything indicates it—withdrawal of Armour agents from the northwest, lessened receipts at Chicago caused by higher railroad rates, cessation of sales in the pit by the rich elevator operator, and a dozen other signs. The wheat scalper has dropped every other topic to theorize about it. The car lots at Chicago tell the story. There is a decided falling off already. In three days the figures will be small enough to start every one talking. As Armour was bringing three times as much wheat as everybody else, the inevitable conclusion is that his favor has at last been enlisted.

RUSSIA WINS AT LAST.

Russia's schemes for obtaining possession of the Chinese ports of Port Arthur and Ta-Lien-Wan have been crowned with success. While she appears to have submitted to a modification of her demands by accepting a lease for twenty-five years, no one need doubt that the result will be practically the same, as the Russian government has never been known to release its hold upon any territory of which it has once gained possession without reaping an advantage in some other direction.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Kankakee, Ill.—Thirty families from Kankakee county left for Edmonton, Alberta district, Northwest territory, Canada. They will found a colony on the Saskatchewan river, twelve miles from Edmonton.

Lima, O.—All the officials of the Detroit, Toledo & Milwaukee road, including General Manager Down, have resigned and their places have been filled by the Brice syndicate.

Milwaukee, Wis.—Attorney General Mylrea has decided that the pure food law is not adequate to prosecute the druggists for selling patent medicines, as these articles are not injurious to health when taken in single doses.

Monroe, Mich.—Mrs. Nancy Degraff Toll, relict of the late Phil R. Toll, died here in the one hundred and first year of her age.

St. Paul—David M. Emmons, a heavy holder of the Southall time check securities, assigned to Attorney J. C. Michael.

Des Moines, Iowa—John MacVicar, republican, was re-elected mayor of this city by a majority of about 1,250 over Jerry Hartenbower, democrat. The entire republican ticket is elected with the exception of two democratic councilmen, a gain of one democrat.

Washington—The famous filibustering tug Dauntless has been offered for sale to the navy department. She will be inspected and will probably be purchased.

Milwaukee, Wis.—W. C. Williams, the foremost criminal lawyer in Wisconsin and attorney in some of the most celebrated cases in this city and state, is dead.

Washington—Representative John Simpkins of the thirteenth district of Massachusetts died at his residence in this city of heart failure, induced by gastric complications.

Washington—By unanimous vote of the executive committee of the Society of the Army of the Cumberland, Gen. David S. Stanley has been designated to act as president of the society, vice Gen. Rosecrans, deceased, until the next annual reunion.

Salem, Mass.—Abner Cheney Goodall died here, aged 93 years. He perfected the first printing press that printed on both sides in one operation.

Topeka, Kan.—By a vote of 53 to 18 the Central Methodist conference in session here cast its influence against the resolution for equal lay representation in the general conference.

New York—A letter was received at the Manhattan Chess Club from Arthur H. W. George, honorary secretary of the Oxford University Chess Club, accepting on behalf of that club the challenge of the United States universities.

Canton, Ill.—R. B. Underwood, aged 67 years, a prominent business man, and president of the First National Bank of Canton, is dead.

La Salle, Ill.—John T. Donoghue, a prominent member of the La Salle county bar and one of the prominent leaders of the "sound money" movement in 1896, died here of heart disease.

San Francisco—Mayor Phelan has appointed a committee of fifteen to devise a plan for an international exposition to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of the admission of California into the union.

Seattle—A party of thirty-seven men from Sioux City, Iowa, with Dr. J. N. Henry as leader, has left for Yakutat Bay aboard the steamer Alliance. The party expects to spend two years prospecting in Alaska.

Washington—Secretary Wilson has designated C. C. Georgeson special agent of the agricultural department in Alaska to conduct experiments with a view to determining what vegetables and cereals are best adapted to grow in Alaskan soil.

Philadelphia—John S. Hopkins, cashier of the People's National Bank, died suddenly of heart disease.

Wabash, Ind.—Democrats in the eleventh district will hold their congressional convention in this city June 2.

Louisville, Ky.—Lieut. and Acting Gov. Worthington has vetoed the recently passed anti-cigarette bill.

Des Moines—The Iowa State republican committee has selected Dubuque as the place and Sept. 1 for the time of the state convention.

Webster City, Iowa—Charles Banks is dead, aged 90. He was one of the pioneers of this country, and a man of wide acquaintance in this section.

LATEST MARKET REPORTS.

CHICAGO.	
Cattle, all grades	2.00 @ 5.60
Hogs, common to prime	2.80 @ 3.97 1/2
Sheep and lambs	3.00 @ 5.60
Corn, No. 2	28 1/2
Wheat, No. 2 spring	.90 @ .93
Oats, No. 3 white	.27 1/2 @ .29
Eggs	.09 1/4
Rye, No. 2	.49
Butter	10 1/2 @ .18 1/2
TOLEDO.	
Wheat, No. 2 cash	.95 1/2
Corn, No. 2 mixed	.29 1/2
Oats, No. 2 mixed	.26
Rye, No. 2 cash	.50
Cloverseed, prime cash	2.85
ST. LOUIS.	
Wheat, No. 2	.96
Oats, No. 2 cash	.25 1/2
Corn, No. 2 cash	.26 1/2
Cattle, all grades	1.75 @ 5.50
Hogs	3.50 @ 3.90
Sheep and lambs	4.00 @ 5.50

Spring Medicine

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Very Much Run Down,

as I had been troubled with dyspepsia. The drain on my system was so severe and my stomach was so weak I became a ready victim of malaria. I feared I could never regain my health. My stomach rebelled at the simplest food, and the medicines prescribed for me gave but little relief. I sent for a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I had taken this medicine but three days when I began to improve. Continuing with it, I am now better and stronger than I ever expected to be. It has purified my blood and given good circulation. I have had no return of my old troubles since." Mrs. W. KANE, Media, Pa. Hood's Sarsaparilla's

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Scolded the Stove.

A suit for divorce in Chicago the other day brought out the fact that the husband and wife had not spoken to each other for eleven years. When the husband wanted to jaw his wife he would go into the room where she was and call the stove all sorts of names.

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Maine Disaster in Congress.

OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE NAVAL BOARD OF INQUIRY TRANSMITTED.

Accompanied by a Special Message by the Executive.—A Clear Case of Circumstantial Evidence Against Some Person or Persons in Sympathy With the Spanish Reign of Blood and Butchery in Cuba.—The President Sticks Close to Absolute Facts and Makes no Recommendations.—Enjoins Careful Consideration.—Some of the Direct Evidence.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.
The president on Monday sent the following message to congress:
"To the Congress of the United States: For some time prior to the visit of the Maine to Havana harbor our consular representatives pointed out the advantages to flow from the visit of national ships to the Cuban waters, in accustoming the people to the presence of our flag as the symbol of good will and of our ships in the fulfillment of the mission of protection to American interests, even though no immediate need therefor might exist."

MAINE SENT TO HAVANA.
"Accordingly, on the 24th of January last, after conference with the Spanish minister, in which the renewal of visits of our war vessels to Spanish waters was discussed and accepted, the peninsular authorities at Madrid and Havana were advised of the purpose of this government to resume friendly naval visits at Cuban ports and that in that view the Maine would forthwith call at the port of Havana. This announcement was received by the Spanish government with appreciation of the friendly character of the visit of the Maine and with notification of intention to return the courtesy by sending Spanish ships to the principal ports of the United States. Meanwhile the Maine entered the port of Havana on the 25th of January, her arrival being marked with no special incident besides the exchange of customary salutes and ceremonial visits."

"The Maine continued in the harbor of Havana during the three weeks following her arrival. No appreciable excitement attended her stay. On the contrary, a feeling of relief and confidence followed the resumption of the long interrupted friendly intercourse. So noticeable was this immediate effect of her visit that the consul general strongly urged that the presence of our ships in Cuban waters should be kept up by retaining the Maine at Havana, or in the event of her recall, by sending another vessel there to take her place."

BLOWING UP OF MAINE.
"At forty minutes past 9 in the evening of the 15th of February the Maine was destroyed by an explosion, by which the entire forward part of the ship was utterly wrecked. In this catastrophe two officers and 200 of her crew perished, those who were not killed outright by her explosion being penned between decks by the tangle of wreckage and drowned by the immediate sinking of the hull. Prompt assistance was rendered by the neighboring vessels anchored in the harbor, and being especially given by the boats of the Spanish cruiser Alphonso XII, and the Ward line steamer City of Washington, which lay not far distant. The wounded were generally cared for by the authorities of Havana, the hospitals being freely opened to them, while the earliest recovered bodies of the dead were interred by the municipality in a public cemetery in the city. Tributes of grief and sympathy were offered from all official quarters of the island. The appalling calamity fell upon the people of our country with crushing force and for a brief time an intense excitement prevailed, which in a community less just and self-controlled than ours, might have led to hasty acts of blind resentment."

CALMNESS OF OUR PEOPLE.
"This spirit, however, soon gave way to the calmer processes of reason and to the resolve to investigate the facts and await the material proof before forming a judgment as to the cause, the responsibility and, if the facts warranted, the remedy due. This course necessarily recommended itself from the outset to the executive, for only in the light of a dispassionately ascertained certainty could it determine the nature and measure of its full duty in the matter. The usual procedure was followed as in all cases of casualty or disaster to national vessels of any maritime state. A naval court of inquiry was at once organized, composed of officers well qualified by rank and practical experience to discharge the onerous duty imposed upon them. Aided by a strong force of wreckers and divers the court proceeded to make a thorough investigation on the spot, employing every available means for the impartial and exact determination of the causes of the explosion. Its operations have been conducted with the utmost deliberation and judgment and, while independently pursued, no source of information was neglected and the fullest opportunity was allowed for a simultaneous investigation by the Spanish authorities. The finding of the court of inquiry was reached, after twenty-three days of continuous labor, on the 21st of March, and having been approved on the 22d by the commander-in-chief of the United States naval force on the North Atlantic station was transmitted to the executive."

SUMMARY OF COURT'S EVIDENCE.
"It is herewith laid before the congress, together with the voluminous testimony taken before the court. Its purpose is, in brief, as follows:

"When the Maine arrived at Havana she was conducted by the regular government pilot to buoy No. 4, to which she was moored in from five and one-half to six fathoms of water. The state of discipline on board, and the condition of her magazines, boilers, coal-bunkers and storage compartments are passed in review, with the conclusion that excellent order prevailed and that no indication of any cause for an internal explosion existed in any quarter. At 8 o'clock in the evening of Feb. 15 everything had been reported secure and all was quiet. At 9:40 the vessel was suddenly destroyed. There were two distinct explosions, with a brief interval between them. The first lifted the forward part of the ship perceptibly, is attributed by the court to the partial explosion of two or more of the forward magazines."

WAS FROM THE OUTSIDE.
"The evidence of the divers establishes

that the afterpart of the ship was practically intact and sank in that condition a very few minutes after the explosion. The forward part was completely demolished. At frame 17 the outer shell of the ship, from a point eleven and one-half feet from the middle line of the ship and six feet above the keel when in its normal position, has been forced up so as to be now about four feet above the surface of the water; therefore about thirty-four feet above where it would be had the ship sunk uninjured. The outside bottom plating is bent into a reversed 'V' shape, the after wing of which, about fifteen feet broad and thirty-two feet in length (from frame 17 to frame 25), is doubled back upon itself against the continuation of the same plating extending forward. "At frame 18 the vertical keel is broken in two and keel bent into an angle similar to the angle formed for the outside plates. This break is about six feet below the surface of the water and about thirty feet above its normal position. In the opinion of the court this effect could have been produced only by the explosion of a mine situated under the bottom of the ship, at about frame 18 and somewhat on the port side of the ship."

CONCLUSION OF REPORT.
"The conclusions of the court are: That the loss of the Maine was not in any respect due to fault or negligence on the part of any of the officers or members of her crew.
"That the ship was destroyed by the explosion of a submarine mine, which caused the partial explosion of two or more of her forward magazines, and,
"That no evidence has been obtainable fixing the responsibility for the destruction of the Maine upon any person or persons."

"I have directed that the finding of the court of inquiry and the views of this government thereon be communicated to the government of her majesty, the queen, and I do not permit myself to doubt that the sense of justice of the Spanish nation will dictate a course of action suggested by honor and the friendly relations of the two governments."

"It was the duty of the executive to advise the congress of the result, and in the meantime deliberate consideration is invoked."
(Signed) WILLIAM M'KINLEY.
"Executive mansion, March 28, 1898."

THE BOARD'S SUMMARY.
FULL TEXT OF THE REPORT.
This that follows is a synopsis, covering all main points, of the 100,000 words of testimony upon which the United States naval court based its findings in the case of the Maine:

U. S. S. Iowa, First-Rate, Key West, Fla., Monday, March 21, 1898.—After full and mature consideration of all the testimony before it, the court finds as follows:

1. That the United States battleship Maine arrived in the harbor of Havana, Cuba, on the 25th day of January, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, and was taken to buoy No. 4, in from five and a half to six fathoms of water, by the regular government pilot. The United States consul-general at Havana had notified the authorities at that place, the previous evening, of the intended arrival of the Maine.

2. The state of discipline on board the Maine was excellent, and all orders and regulations in regard to the care and safety of the ship were strictly carried out. All ammunition was stowed away in accordance with instructions, and proper care was taken whenever ammunition was handled.

Nothing was stowed in any one of the magazines or shell rooms which was not permitted to be stowed there. The magazines and shell rooms were always locked after having been opened, and after the destruction of the Maine the keys were found in their proper place in the captain's cabin, everything having been reported secure that evening at 8 p. m.

CONDITION OF MAGAZINES.
The temperatures of the magazines and shell rooms were taken daily and reported. The only magazine which had an undue amount of heat was the after 10-inch magazine and that did not explode at the time the Maine was destroyed. The torpedo war heads were all stowed in the after part of the ship under the ward room, and neither caused nor participated in the destruction of the Maine. The dry gun cotton primers and detonators were stowed in the cabin aft and remote front of the scene of the explosion. The waste was carefully looked after on board the Maine to obviate danger. Special orders in regard to this had been given by the commanding officer. Varnishes, driers, alcohol and other combustibles of this nature were stowed on or above the main deck and could not have had anything to do with the destruction of the Maine. The medical stores were stowed aft under the wardroom, and remote from the scene of the explosion. No dangerous stores of any kind were stowed below in any of the other storerooms.

INSPECTION OF BUNKERS.
The coal bunkers were inspected. Of those bunkers adjoining the forward magazines and shell rooms four were empty—namely, B 3, B 4, B 5, B 6. "A 15" had been in use that day, and "A 16" was full of New River coal. This coal had been carefully inspected before receiving it on board. The bunker in which it was stowed was accessible on three sides at all times, and the fourth side at this time on account of bunkers "B 4" and "B 6" being empty. This bunker, A 16, had been inspected that day by the engineer officer on duty. The fire alarms in the bunkers were in working order, and there had never been a case of spontaneous combustion of coal on board the Maine.

The two after boilers of the ship were in use at the time of the disaster, but for auxiliary purposes only, with a comparatively low pressure of steam, and being tended by a reliable watch. These boilers could not have caused the explosion of the ship. The four forward boilers have since been found by the divers, and are in fair condition. On the night of the destruction of the Maine everything had been reported secure for the night, at 8 p. m., by reliable persons, through the proper authorities, to the commanding officer. At the time the Maine was destroyed the ship was quiet and therefore, least liable to accident caused by movements from those on board.

THE HOUR OF THE DISASTER.
3. The destruction of the Maine occurred at 9:40 p. m., on the 15th day of February, 1898, in the harbor of Havana, Cuba, being at the time moored to the same buoy to which she had been taken upon her arrival. There were two explosions of a distinctly different character, with a very short but distinct interval between them, and the forward part of the ship was lifted to a marked degree at the time of the first explosion. The first explosion was more in the nature of a report, like that of a gun, while the second explosion was more open, prolonged and of greater volume. This second explosion was, in the opinion of the court, caused by the partial explosion of two or more of the forward magazines of the Maine.

EVIDENCE NOT DEFINITE.
4. The evidence bearing on this, being principally obtained from divers, did not enable the court to form a definite conclusion as to the condition of the wreck, although it was established that the after part of the ship was practically intact, and sank in that condition a very few minutes after the destruction of the forward part.

The following facts in regard to the forward part of the ship are, however, established by the testimony:

That portion of the port side of the protective deck, which extends from about frame 30 to about frame 41, was blown aft, and over to port. The main deck, from about frame 30 to about frame 41, was blown up, aft, and slightly over to starboard, folding the forward part of the middle superstructure over and on top of the after part. This was, in the opinion of the court, caused by the partial explosion of two or more of the forward magazines.

CONDITION OF THE WRECK.
5. At frame 17, the outer shell of the ship, from a point 11½ feet from the middle line of the ship, and six feet above the keel when in its normal position, has been forced up so as to be now about four feet above the surface of the water; therefore, about 34 feet above where it would be had the ship sunk uninjured. The outside bottom plating is bent into a reversed V shape, the after wing of which is about 15 feet broad and 32 feet in length (from frame 17 to frame 25) is doubled back upon itself against the continuation of the same plating extending forward.

At frame 18 the vertical keel is broken in two, and the flat keel bent into an angle similar to the angle formed by the outside bottom plating. This break is now about six feet below the surface of the water, and about 30 feet above its normal position.

In the opinion of the court this effect could have been produced only by the explosion of a mine situated under the bottom of the ship at about frame 18, and somewhat on the port side of the ship.

CAUSED BY A MINE.
6. The court finds that the loss of the Maine, on the occasion named, was not in any respect due to fault or negligence on the part of any of the officers or members of the crew of said vessel.

7. In the opinion of the court the Maine was destroyed by the explosion of a submarine mine, which caused the partial explosion of two or more of her forward magazines.

8. The court has been unable to obtain evidence fixing the responsibility for the destruction of the Maine upon any person or persons.

W. T. Sampson, President Board of Inquiry.
A. J. Marix, Judge Advocate, Board of Inquiry.

The court, having finished the inquiry, it was ordered to make, adjourned at 11 a. m.

TOLD BY WITNESSES.
EXCERPTS FROM TESTIMONY.
The testimony taken by the court of inquiry which investigated the destruction of the Maine, as submitted to congress, comprises about one hundred thousand words. Following are important excerpts:

"Ensign W. V. N. Powelson was called the third day of the court. He testified that he had been present on the Maine every day from the arrival of the boat Fern and during a great deal of the diving. In reply to a question to tell the court about the condition of the wreck, he said the forward part of the ship, forward of the after smokestack, had been, to all appearances, completely destroyed. The conning tower lay in a position opposite the door leading to the superstructure aft and to starboard, inclined at about 110 degrees to the vertical, with the top of the conning tower inboard. Continuing, he described, with close detail, the condition under the main deck on the port side. The fixtures were completely wrecked, while fixtures in the same position on the starboard side were in some cases almost intact. The port bulkhead between the main and berth decks at the conning-tower support had been blown aft on both sides, but a great deal more on the port than on the starboard side. The fire room hatch immediately abaft of the conning tower had been blown in three directions—aft, to starboard and to port. The protective deck under the conning tower supports was bent in two directions, the plates on the starboard side bent down."

BEAM BENT TO STARBOARD.
"In reply to an inquiry as to whether he meant with reference to their original positions, Ensign Powelson replied affirmatively. The beam supporting the protective deck a few inches abaft of the armored tube, to port of the midship line, was bent up to starboard of the midship line. Just forward of the conning tower, underneath the main deck two beams met at right angles; one beam was broken and pushed from port to starboard. A grating was found on the poop awning just forward of the after searchlight. A piece of the side plating just abaft of the starboard turret was visible. This plate was bent outward and then the forward end bent upward and folded backward upon itself. This plate was sheared from the rest of the plating below the water line. This plating below the water line has been pushed out to starboard. The armored gratings of the engine room hatch were blown off. A composition strainer was picked up at a point about opposite the poop capstan and about seventy feet from it. The chief engineer thought the strainer was from the fireman's wash-room. It was not a strainer in the ship's side. Near the piece of outside plating, to which witness referred above, he said there were pieces of red shelled planks. On these planks was bolted a composition track two inches wide and an inch thick."

NEWS OF ILLINOIS.

IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS OF THE LAST SEVEN DAYS.

Gen. Wheeler Gave Seventh Regiment Permission to Parade on St. Patrick's Day—Money for the Willard Temple—Will Not Be a City.

Gen. Wheeler Gave Sanction.
Springfield.—Adjutant General Reece has, by direction of Governor Tanner, written to Brigadier General Harris A. Wheeler, commander of the First brigade, I. N. G., asking him if it was true, as stated by Colonel Marcus A. Kavanagh, commander of the Seventh Infantry, that he had granted permission to the latter to parade his command on St. Patrick's day, and if true to explain by what authority said permission was granted.

Gen. Wheeler in reply says that he had granted permission to Col. Kavanagh to parade his command on St. Patrick's day and that he did not understand wherein Colonel Kavanagh had violated the provisions of the code. "If I understand the law correctly," said General Wheeler, "it applies to those who march in the ranks of an unauthorized military body, and has no bearing on organizations of the national guard which may march in the same column. This is my interpretation of the law, as near as I can arrive at a conclusion at present. I have received no communication on the subject from headquarters at Springfield."

Willard Temple.

Chicago, Ill.—Money offerings to save the Woman's Temple collected at the hundreds of Willard memorial meetings held throughout the country last Sunday are beginning to pour in at the W. C. T. U. national headquarters in this city. Though the sum realized will not meet their first expectations, it is a source of gratification to those working in the cause that the donations are not confined to branches of the temperance society, but have come from churches of all denominations and from young people's societies and similar religious organizations. A meeting of the national officers, executive and finance committees of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held tomorrow for the purpose of discussing further steps to add to the temple fund.

Closing It Up.
The following brief extract from the Bloomington Pantagraph concerns the old Distilling and Cattle Feeding company of this city and is of general interest here: "Receiver John McNulta, of the Whisky trust, will soon be ready to close his receivership. Saturday he submitted to the Federal Court his report of the finances of the receivership for the period covering June 30 last to March 1. The total receipts were \$49,000, not counting the cash on hand July 1 last, principally advancements by the American Spirits Manufacturing company to meet claims. The disbursements were \$83,000 and there remains a cash balance in the hands of the receiver of \$28,762. There was paid in rebates \$17,352, and to the receiver \$9,500."

Expense of Bradley Polytechnic.
Peoria, Ill.—The managers of Bradley Polytechnic Institute have completed their estimates for the year, and determine that the actual expenses of operating the university with its present force will be \$37,000 a year. It is estimated that when all the departments contemplated by the founder, Mrs. Lydia Bradley, are added, the working expenses will run about \$50,000 a year, which will bring them well within the income from the endowment. Dr. Harper of the university of Chicago met with the other directors this afternoon and it was decided to appropriate \$37,000 for the current year.

Chicagoan Is Horseshoers' President.
Aurora, Ill.—The State Master Horse Shoers' Association held its third annual convention in Aurora last week. It was decided to meet next year in Rockford. The following officers were elected: President, S. F. English, Chicago; vice presidents, John Rose, Aurora; John Rosenthal, Rockford, and Fred Jones, Yorkville; recording and corresponding secretary, Bernard Gorman, Chicago; financial secretary and treasurer, C. F. Fensk, Aurora; state organizer, C. H. Wilson, Rockford; sergeant-at-arms, Peter Morgan, Chicago; executive board, S. F. English, T. E. Octogon and John Foley.

Will Not Be a City.
Wilmette has decided to remain a village and voted down by a vote of 181 to 56 the proposition to make a city of the suburb. The citizens do not desire city government, and, with the exception of a few residents, who a month ago started the movement, there has been no agitation over the question. At the special election held in the village hall yesterday there was no enthusiasm on either side. It was generally understood when the election was ordered that the scheme was impracticable for Wilmette, and two-thirds of the voters did not vote.

Went Back to Ha.
A sloop left Philadelphia primed for the Klondike gold fields by way of the Horn. Going down the Delaware river the party struck a snow flurry and five of them at once lost all appetite for nuggets and expressed a feverish desire to go back home. They were accordingly landed at Cape May and the rest went on.

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The Longest Arch in the World.
A steel arch is to be thrown across the Niagara river near Clifton which will be 840 feet span—a greater distance than was ever yet spanned by an arch.

An Opinion.
Abner—What did you think of that free lecture the other night? Hiram—I thought it was worth just about the cost of admission.—Puck.

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BARRINGTON LOCALS.

Miss Emma Wiseman is ill. Charles Grom made a trip to Chicago Thursday.

H. Bock, of Chicago, is the guest of Henry Kirmse.

Rev. E. R. Troyer will leave for Freeport tomorrow.

C. Weaver sells strawberry plants that bear well the first season.

M. T. Lamey visits with W. H. Selleck at Janesville, Sunday.

Louis and Al. R. Ficke were Barrington visitors yesterday.

Miss Dollie Wilson of Palatine spent Sunday with Miss Gertrude Kitson.

L. F. Schroeder can be found in the Stott Building the first of the week.

On next Friday morning (Good Friday) services will be held at 10 o'clock at St. Paul's Church.

Chris Drewes, of Des Plaines, visited with his father, who is quite ill, Sunday.

John Froelich, of Lake Zurich, was a pleasant caller at this office yesterday.

WANTED—Two cords of dry wood at once. Address REVIEW, Barrington.

Mrs. Frank Wolthausen, Sr., who has been very ill, is considerable better.

Pass the cream, please. Are they not delicious? C. Weaver's strawberries.

A. Horn entertained his mother and niece from Harvard the first of the week.

Samuel Jayne, of Chicago, visited with his mother, Mrs. Delilah Jayne, Sunday.

Rev. Strickfaden, of Ashton, will take the pastorate of the Salem Church.

S. W. Kingsley, of Dundee, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Leroy Powers.

Miss Lillian Ellison, of Chicago, visited with her sister, Mrs. W. Thorp, this week.

Election in the towns of Ela, Cuba, Palatine and Barrington next week Tuesday.

Don't plant 50-cent plants and expect a crop the first season, you will be disappointed.

Mrs. Chas. Rench and daughter of Woodstock visited with Mrs. C. C. Hennings this week.

Peter Beck and Mr. and Mrs. C. Kraus of Lagenheim were in Chicago on business the first of the week.

George Foreman has bought out Louis Lemke, and will conduct a saloon in the Hennings building.

The Baptist Sunday School is preparing a fine general program for the observance of Easter.

The Jugendverein will hold their meeting on Easter Monday, April 11, at St. Paul's Church.

The Young People's Missionary Society will meet next Tuesday evening at the Salem Church.

Rev. Hageman preaches in the First Baptist Church, of Kerney, on this coming Sunday.

Rev. C. W. Wolthausen, of Minnesota, is the guest of his mother, who is very ill.

Henry Diekmann spent part of the week with his brother-in-law, Mr. Dierke, near Palatine.

Miss Lillian Miller and Ben Haben, of Chicago, were guests of Paul Miller Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Hiller, of Chicago, visited at the home of Dr. M. F. Clausius, Saturday.

Misses Helen, Addie and Clara Frey were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Plagge and other relatives and friends last Sunday.

Grand millinery opening in progress today at the Gretton Millinery Parlors in the Sott building. A good chance to secure a bargain in pretty Easter hats.

Don't go to your neighbors' old strawberry bed this season, for your plants, when you can have new ones of C. Weaver, that bear well the first season.

Mr. Dierke, of Lake Zurich, was in town this week endeavoring to secure some trace of his 13-year-old son who had run away from home some two weeks ago.

Rev. D. B. Brown will occupy the pulpit in the Baptist Church tomorrow. The morning subject will be "What It Is to Be a Christian." The evening service will be especially for young people. All are invited.

L. F. Schroeder can now be found in the Stott building, where he will be prepared to furnish his customers with anything in the hardware line the first of next week. He will also be in a position to do repairing in a first-class manner on short notice.

Rev. Charles Wolthausen, of the Minnesota Conference, will preach in the Zion's Church Sunday morning at 10:30. All are cordially invited.

Mrs. F. L. Lageschulte returned to her home in Nebraska last Wednesday, after spending a few weeks with her parents and friends.

There were eight who became members of the M. E. Church last Sunday morning by certificate and on probation.

The M. E. Church Sunday School is preparing to give an excellent program on the evening of Easter Sunday.

T. A. Dunklee, who is attending school at Valparaiso, Ind., visited with his sister, Miss Dunklee, Saturday and Sunday.

Edward Dodge of Lake Mills, Wis., who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Julia Dodge, returned home Monday evening.

For good life, strong and healthy grape roots, two-year-old, you can have them of C. Weaver, at from \$4 to \$7 per hundred.

There will be no meeting of Barrington Camp No. 809, M. W. A., next Tuesday evening, no arrangements having been made for a hall as yet.

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Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Stark and family, of Chicago, Mrs. B. Sears, nee Zimmermann, and children, of Elgin, and Messrs. and Mesdames Jacob Zimmermann, Jr. and Dr. Dornbush, of Des Plaines, were called to Barrington this week by the death of Mrs. Jacob Zimmermann.

Next Monday evening, April 4, the Epworth League will give a basket social in the basement of the M. E. Church. Each lady is requested to bring a basket filled with a lunch for two, with her name on the inside of the basket. All are invited to come and enjoy a good time.

On Sunday evening Rev. T. E. Ream will preach on the topic, "The Blessings of Ambition," from the text found in Phil. III, Chap. 142: "I press toward the mark." Services will commence at 7:30 instead of at 7 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

We take pleasure in announcing to our many friends and patrons in Barrington the removal of our merchant tailoring establishment from the Ely Building to our new and elegant quarters on the first floor of 44 East Jackson Boulevard, Chicago. Where we are showing the brightest and most exclusive novelties, the newest fabrics in all shades, and the largest variety of patterns for fine trade. James McMillan & Co.

The following class underwent examination at St. Paul's Church last Sunday: Henry Gotschalk, Andrew Grom, Max Nagatz and Adolph Buhmann; Misses Anna Schenning, Minnie and Sophia Reuter, Anna Koffen, Amelia Krueger, Lydia Gilly, Anna Schultz and Olga Hennig. Tomorrow (Palm Sunday) they will be confirmed. The ladies of the Jugendverein having decorated the church in an attractive manner in honor of the occasion. Services will commence at 10 o'clock, Rev. Menzel conducting the services.

The Board of Education is having some difficulty in making room for the large number of scholars starting in school this spring. There are now 86 scholars in the primary room. At a meeting of the Board Tuesday evening it was decided to purchase ten more desks to be put in the other rooms and take that number of scholars out of the primary room. It is generally conceded that it will be necessary to add another room at the commencement of the school year in September, as there will be more than 300 scholars at that time.

Miss Alta Gretton, who has been conducting a millinery store in the Plagge block, has moved into the Sott building, opposite the postoffice. Miss Gretton's mother, Mrs. J. Gretton, is now associated with her in the millinery business. The new firm is now known as the Gretton Millinery Parlors. They are having a grand millinery opening today, and are displaying a fine line of the latest spring styles in millinery goods.

Rev. Theo. Suhr will preach his farewell sermon at the Salem church tomorrow morning. There will be no services in the evening, as Rev. Suhr will occupy the pulpit at the Plum Grove church. The reverend gentleman has been transferred to Ashton, Ill. Rev. Suhr and part of his family will leave for their new home next week. Ezra and Theodore staying in Barrington, the former to finish his school year, and the latter continuing to teach. Their many friends wish them success in their new field and hope that they will visit Barrington often.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that on this day the firm known as Lempe & Nagatz has been dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due the firm must be paid to Wm. Nagatz. The business will be continued by Louis Lemke. Dated at Barrington this 23d day of March, 1898. WM. NAGATZ.

F. A. Meinel, special agent of the London & Lancashire Fire Insurance Co., which is represented in Barrington by M. T. Lamey, was here this morning and adjusted the loss caused by fire Thursday morning on the saloon stock and household furniture owned by Geo. W. Foreman. The loss was adjusted to the satisfaction of Mr. Foreman and the amount of \$230.08 was paid promptly in cash.

This is only an evidence of the promptness in which claims are paid by the companies represented by M. T. Lamey.

An Old Resident Gone.

Mrs. Jacob Zimmermann succumbed to congestion of the brain at her residence in Barrington at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning, after an illness of only a few days.

She was first attacked by this disease on Sunday evening, and from that time on grew rapidly worse until her death, despite the combined efforts of her family and medical aid to stay the hand of the grim reaper.

Mrs. Zimmermann was born in Baden, Germany, on January 16, 1829, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bohn.

In 1847 she was united in marriage to Jacob Zimmermann at Chillicothe, Ohio, thirteen children blessing the alliance, of whom nine have preceded the mother to the great beyond.

The deceased accompanied her husband to Barrington in 1862, where they have lived continuously since, and where she had made many staunch friends. She was a woman of great business sagacity and proved a great help to her husband in laying up a competence for their old age. She was a devoted member of St. Ann's Catholic Church, and always ready to further the interest of the Great Master.

A bereaved husband and four children, three daughters and one son, and fifteen grandchildren mourn the loss of a devoted wife, kind mother and indulgent grandmother.

Funeral services were held at St. Ann's Church this morning at 10 o'clock. Her remains were entered in Evergreen cemetery.

Pleasantly Remembered.

A pleasant surprise party was given in honor of Miss Hulda Sahr at the residence of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Suhr. Social games were indulged in until a late hour by the little folks, and a most enjoyable evening was enjoyed by all. Dainty and delicate refreshments were served. Those present were: Misses Rex Henderson, Arnett Lines, Emil Meier, Walter Lageschulte, George B. Buhoff, Fred Boehmer, Elroy Thorp, Paul Kampert, Alex. Boehmer, Frank Broemmelkamp, Ben Schroeder, Herbert Plagge, Sam Naehner, Will Sott, Charles Thorp, Lewis Comstock and Irwin Lanawer.

Misses Grace Freeman, Ethyl Austin, Beulah Oels, Carrie Schaefer, Mary Erns, Malinda Boehmer, Myrtle Comstock, Ida Hutehinson, Ester Kampert, Minnie Gilde-meister, Alta Powers, Nora Plagge, Clara Frey, Frelia Naehner, Rose Lageschulte, Clara Lageschulte, Ethyl Kitson, Martza Wagner, Jennie Fletcher, Amanda Kampert and Hulda Sahr.

An enjoyable surprise party was tendered Miss Gertrude Kitson Tuesday evening at her home on East Main street by a party of her friends.

After congratulations had been extended the genial and merry party indulged in many pleasant social games until a late hour.

Delicious refreshments were served during the evening to which all did ample justice. All present report having had a most delightful time.

Those in attendance were: Misses Edna Hutchinson, Carrie Dix, Belle Catlow, Flora Nelson, Mary Cowden, Martha Kampert, Mildred Page, Lillie Colby, Esther Kampert and Ethel Kitson. Messrs. Ralph Vermilya, Ezra Suhr, Max Lines, Roy Myers, Albert Kampert, Fred Stott, Abe Combs, George Page and Lloyd Kitson.

A Good Entertainment.

The following program will be rendered at the entertainment to be given at the residence of Mrs. Luella Austin, Barrington, this evening:

Piano solo by Miss Nellie Lines.

Reading—Mrs. M. A. Bennett.

Recitation—Master Willie Grunau.

Piano Solo—Mr. Reuben Plagge, with piano accompaniment by Miss Luella Plagge.

Reading—Miss Lella Lines.

Solo—Dr. C. H. Kennell.

Piano Solo—Miss Myrtle Robertson.

A tea test will be one of the features of the evening, prizes to be awarded the successful ones.

Caucus Tonight.

Every voter of Barrington should turn out this evening and help place in nomination candidates for the village offices. The caucus will be held in the new village hall. Anyone who fails to attend the caucus has no just grounds to "kick" if the board nominated does not suit him.

Annual Town Meeting and Election.

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters, residents of the township of Palatine, County of Cook, Illinois, that the annual township meeting and election of officers of said township will take place Tuesday, the 5th day of April proximo, being the first Tuesday in the election month.

The election will begin at the hour of 7 A. M. and close at 5 P. M. in the place designated as follows: At the Village Hall.

The officers to be elected are: One Supervisor, one Township Clerk, one Assessor, one Collector, one Commissioner of Highways, one School Trustee.

The town meeting will open in the

Grand Millinery Opening ! Today.

The Very Latest Spring Styles at Prices to Suit All

Miss Alta Gretton has removed her Millinery Store from the Plagge Block to the SOTT BUILDING (down stairs), opposite the Postoffice. Mrs. J. Gretton, mother of Miss Gretton, is here to assist, and the firm will henceforth be known as the GRETTON MILLINERY PARLORS. A large stock will be carried, and their main object will be to please the people.

Grand Millinery Opening ! Today.



GEO. M. WAGNER, BARRINGTON, ILL.

Village Hall at the hour of 2 P. M., and after choosing a Moderator will proceed to hear and consider reports of officers, to appropriate money to defray the necessary expenses of the township, and to deliberate and decide on such measures as may, in pursuance of law, come before the meeting.

Given under my hand this 25th day of March, A. D. 1898.

IRA M. FRYE, Township Clerk.

Annual Town Meeting and Election.

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters, residents of the township of Cuba, County of Lake, and State of Illinois, that the annual township meeting and election of officers of said township will take place Tuesday, the 5th day of April in Lamey's brick building in said town. The election will begin at the hour of 7 o'clock a. m. and close at 5 p. m.

The officers to be elected are: one supervisor, one township clerk, one assessor, one collector, one commissioner of highways, one justice of the peace to fill vacancy, and one constable to fill vacancy.

The town meeting will open at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., and after choosing a moderator, will proceed to hear and consider reports of officers, to appropriate money to defray the necessary expenses of the township, and to deliberate and decide on such measures as may, in pursuance to law, come before the meeting.

Given under my hand this 21st day of March A. D. 1898.

J. A. KITSON, Town Clerk.

SEED POTATOES.

C. F. Hall Co., Dundee have on sale a choice stock, fully guaranteed, of the following varieties: Beauty of Hebron, Burbank Seedlings, White Star, Kings, Peerless, Rutland Rose, Early Ohio. All carefully selected, in Wis., and Minn., by Mr. L. Andrews and exactly as represented. Wholesale and retail. Also 7,000 bushels choice table potatoes. Table potatoes now 65 cents. Price subject to market changes.

From everywhere come words of praise for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. "Allow me to congratulate you on the merits of your Remedy. It cured me of chronic bronchitis when the doctor could do nothing for me."—CHAS. F. HEMEL, Toledo, O. For sale by A. L. WALLER, Barrington, and A. S. OLMS, Palatine.

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The source of supply is carefully considered and we buy only from packers that have earned a high reputation for the quality of the goods they send out.

Inferior goods of meats never enter our store.

Our prices will be found low enough to please.

Fresh Home-Made Sausages. Oysters and Vegetables in Season. Highest Price Paid for Hides and Tallow.

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The Style, Fit and Wear could not be improved for Double the Price.

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We are constantly adding new styles to our already large variety, and there is no reason why you cannot be suited, so insist on having W. L. Douglas Shoes from your dealer.

We use only the best Calif. Russia Calf (all colors), French Patent Calf, French Enamel, Vici Kid, etc., graded to correspond with price of the shoes.

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