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PALATINE LOCALS.

A. G. SMITH, LOCAL EDITOR

Dance tonight.

Help the fire laddies celebrate this afternoon.

H. W. Meyer is hustling around in a brand new wagon.

Patronize home industry, with the accent on industry.

Henry Senne visited his folks here the first of the week.

Mrs. Fred Smith is visiting relatives in Indianapolis, Ind.

Mrs. Loomis visited friends in Chicago last Thursday.

Mrs. Van Vleck returned from a visit to Champaign last Saturday.

Mrs. M. J. Conklin visited her parents at Harvard the first of the week.

Sim Snider was in Arlington Heights on business last Thursday.

Mrs. W. H. Brockway was an Arlington Heights visitor Tuesday.

Dr. J. O. Pearman has been in Champaign on business all this week.

The new officers of the Epworth League were installed last Sunday night.

Last Thursday (Ascension day) was duly observed by the German churches.

John Wilson's wind mill was blown down during the wind storm Wednesday evening.

The price of bread has been increased to 6 cents a loaf in Palatine. Great is Leiter.

Mrs. Charles Lytle visited her sister, Mrs. George Dyan, in Chicago, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Marshutz of Champaign are guests at the home of Dr. Pearman this week.

Mr. Leonard Clark has moved his household goods from Chicago into Elmer Robertson's house.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Julian and Charlie are visiting with Mr. Julian's brother and family at Leland, Ill.

Drs. Black and Muffat and C. H. Patten will have private telephone wires running to their residences.

FOR SALE—A good single harness, a single seated top buggy and one road cart. G. H. ARPS, Palatine, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Evanson of West McHenry were the guests of relatives in this place the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacobsen and children of Galveston, Texas, are visiting with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fenton.

Fishing is good at Lake Zurich and several good strings of fish were brought back to town by some of our noted rodmen.

A number of those who worked on laying water mains in this place have gone to Barrington to hustle the job through there.

John Andrew and Cyril Jacobsen of Chicago, and Miss Mamie Schaad of Mayfair, visited at the home of Mrs. Fenton Sunday.

The water works was tested at Flury's corner last Sunday morning, and a stream was easily thrown over the top of Battermann's brick block.

Circus bills are covering the fences and show windows, and the small boy is anticipating a great time. Of course, the older ones will have to go to take the children.

Miss Millie Ahlgrim invited several of her little lady friends to her home last Sunday afternoon in honor of her fifteenth birthday. The little folks were well entertained.

The person who was seen to pick up a pocket book containing money, new railroad ticket, etc., will please return same to this office by mail or personally at once.

The Maennerchor tendered E. Prellberg a hearty surprise last Sunday evening, the occasion being his 59th birthday anniversary. A few

good selections were sung, after which refreshments were served, and then the guests departed for their respective homes. The occasion was thoroughly enjoyed by all, and congratulations were plentiful. Mr. Prellberg has been a member of this organization for 24 years.

Dell Sherland, who is John Wilson's best jockey, has done some good work at the Lakeside tracks this week. He rode two winning horses on Tuesday and has ridden first or second place every day.

C. H. Patten has his old house nearly on his new lot at the corner of Plum Grove Ave. and Wilson street. Henry Stroker is storing his household goods until the house is ready for occupation.

Dr. W. P. Schirding has been taking charge of Dr. Best's patients at Arlington Heights the latter part of this week, Dr. Best being in attendance at the Illinois State Medical Association meeting at Springfield.

The telephone poles are all up, and the wires strung, and as soon as the telephone instrument is put in place in Mosser's drug store our citizens can talk with Chicago parties. The village now presents quite a metropolitan appearance, having a first-class system of water works, good graveled roads and long-distance telephone service.

The committees appointed to make arrangements for the observance of Memorial Day met in the church parlors Monday evening. The Palatine band has been engaged for that day and Rev. W. H. Smith of Genoa, Ill., former pastor of the Methodist church in this place, will deliver the oration. Monday, May 30, will be observed as the day in which to remember the fallen heroes. Let all turn out on that day.

The Palatine fire department has arranged for a suitable celebration for the opening of the new system of water works which is completed. A test and exhibition will be given at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Supper will then be served to the various fire laddies from the surrounding towns who have been invited to be present. The affair will wind up with a grand public ball in Battermann's hall in the evening. Encourage the boys with your presence.

Some people use the word publish in an entirely different sense than what it really means. There is all the difference in the world between publish and print. We have known an editor of a local weekly to be so ignorant of the word as to state that he published the only paper in the town when there was another paper published in this village having three times the circulation that his had. "Where ignorance is bliss," etc.

RESOLUTIONS OF CONDOLENCE.

MRS. JANE BISSELL:

DEAR FRIEND: It is with profound sorrow that we have heard of the death of A. D.

While you have lost a noble and affectionate son, we have lost a friend and Sir Knight. Outside of yourself and relatives we are confident that none will mourn his loss more than the members of Palatine Tent No. 88, K. O. T. M., some of whom have had the pleasure of knowing him from childhood, and knowing him was to love and respect him for his many qualities.

We can hardly reconcile ourselves to the thought that we can no more meet him here. True, his death teaches us that sooner or later we must all make the journey across that mystic river. The angels called, and in the ways of an All-wise Providence it may be best that he should go. We all have the same ordeal to pass through. Fortunate it would be if we all were as well prepared as he was.

You have our deepest sympathy in this, the hour of your sad bereavement, and if we can be of any service now or at any time in the future command us. From your friends,

THE MEMBERS OF PALATINE TENT No. 88, K. O. T. M.

Memorial Day.

Barrington Post No. 275, G. A. R., assisted by the W. R. C. will observe Memorial Day in Barrington on Monday, May 30, in a befitting and imposing manner. The procession will form at the public square at 10 o'clock a. m., thence march to Evergreen cemetery, thence to the German cemetery on the County Line road, after which they will march to the post hall and break ranks for dinner. At 1:30 o'clock they will re-form and march to the platform, where the address of the day will be delivered by Rey. Col. VanHorn of Rockford. Music will be furnished by the Barrington Military band and quartette. On Sunday, May 29th, the Post will attend church at Barrington Center at 1 o'clock p. m. After these services, the graves of the dead heroes in the Barrington Center cemetery will be decorated. All are cordially invited to attend these services, and assist in remembering the brave dead.

"The School Ma'am."

The members of the Independent Order Good Templars made a decided "hit" Saturday evening when they presented "The School Ma'am" at Stott's hall, Barrington.

Despite the inclement weather a good-sized audience had congregated in the hall long before the curtain was pushed aside from the improvised stage. Mr. G. A. Lytle made the introductory remarks and, between each act gave a synopsis of the one following.

The play gave those present an insight into the trials and tribulations of the life of a country school ma'am, and all who have ever taught school in a rural district know that the play did only justice to the occasion.

The acting of Miss Gertrude Meyer as "Kate Bell, the School Ma'am," was realistic, and gave evidence of hard study.

Miss Grace Peck as "Mrs. Grump" was perfect in both acting and her "get-up." She caused an unusual amount of amusement by her solicitude for her overgrown "poor, abused little son."

"Marly Undertow," the spiteful daughter of Director Undertow, was well represented by Miss Delia Gleason, who showed a great deal of histrionical talent.

Miss Lydia Robertson took the part of "Mrs. Undertow," and the way she described the numerous advantages of her home as a boarding place for the school ma'am was well done. While Miss Myrtle Robertson, as "Minnie Trueblood" captured the hearts of the audience by her frankness and kind disposition.

"Johnnie Grump," as represented by Max Lines, was an incorrigible character, that aroused pity for the poor school ma'am, and at times provoked roars of laughter by his ludicrous and realistic "carrying on."

Roy C. Myers as "Mr. Undertow," appeared a trifle too hard on the school ma'am in the school board, but later reconciliation followed.

"Mr. Cypher," another director, was well represented by Ralph Vermilya. "Mr. Cypher" was a man who liked to have the proceedings of "the Board" unanimous at all times.

"Director Trueblood" was the school ma'am's true friend on the school board, and Albert Kampert done ample justice to the character.

Albert Gieske as "Milt Harmon" gave one abundant proof that no matter how dark the outlook, you will always have a friend left.

Charles Hutchinson made the hit of the evening by the quaint manner in which he represented "Jamie McQuack," the janitor. His impersonation was splendid.

Excursion Tickets to Bloomington, Via the North-Western Line, will be sold at reduced rates, May 23 and 24, limited to May 27, account of Epworth League State Convention. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

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BARRINGTON, ILLINOIS.

TOPICS OF TODAY

"HORRORS" OF WAR.

Jamaica and other West Indian foreign colonies now complain bitterly because the mail service between the islands and the United States is interrupted by the Spanish-American war. This naturally draws attention to the fact that the United States ports form a sort of clearing house, both mail and telegraphic, for all the islands in the West Indies, though, the latter claim allegiance to half a dozen different European governments. In this respect alone the present war has laid a heavy hand upon the free interchange of advices between various European governments and their West Indian colonies. The few remaining cables that are yet intact are almost certain to be cut by one or other of the belligerents before the war progresses much farther, furnishing an additional reason for a future consensus of the European powers that a short and decisive war will be the best for all concerned.

"STRONG MINDED" FEMALES.

Sentimental women of Georgia have been deluging with flowers the Spanish prisoners on their way to imprisonment at Fort McPherson and have been roundly scored for so doing. We incline to the belief that the hot-headed critics have entirely mistaken the motives of the women who carried bouquets to these wretched Spanish captives on American soil. It has become customary for mawkish sentimentalists to overburden convicted murderers in our city jails with floral offerings, and perhaps these Georgia women were of the same caliber. When a Spaniard expects momentarily to be hanged and instead is presented with a large complimentary bouquet of flowers he is at least justified in dubbing us a paradoxical race.

THE DEWEY WAY.

Admiral Dewey has surprised another Spanish commander in the bay of Manila and after informing him that there is a little fracas going on just now between the United States and Spain coolly relieved him of his command and appropriated his vessel for the use of the American fleet. It was only a small gunboat, it is true, but it has the honor of being the first Spanish naval vessel to run up the stars and stripes at its masthead. Admiral Dewey thus keeps up his reputation as a pioneer and we are tolerably sure that in his unbounded courtesy he did not forget to offer the Spanish captain a cigar in exchange for a gunboat that did not cost even an extra charge of powder.

SOUTHERNERS IN NAVY.

Nearly all the officers of the United States navy above the rank of lieutenant are from the northern states. The reason of this is apparent. No officer who entered the navy since the close of the war has yet reached the rank of commander. The navy was a favorite avocation for southerners and at the breaking out of the war that section had its full quota and, perhaps, more on the official list. But with few exceptions they resigned as their states seceded, and during the war none came to the academy from the south. The southerners in the service are now those who entered after the reconstruction. These are all in the ranks below commander at this time, and there are a great many of them.

"NO ENEMIES, NO ALLY."

It will be long, perhaps, before the busy Spanish typewriters and the foreign war writers learn that their repeated reports of this power and that power interfering to dictate the United States' action in conducting or closing this war have no terrors for this country. The people of this country are neither ignoramuses nor cowards. They are not ignorant enough to believe that any nation in Europe, even if it were to its interest, will dare interfere with the United States in this war, either as an enemy or as a pretended ally, and they are not craven enough to waver one hair's breadth in their course if it should.

UGHT TO ENLIST.

"Yes," we may imagine ex-President Cleveland remarking, as he pulls in a four-pound bass and baits a fresh hook, while his Lake Erie dugout rides safely at anchor, "they do say McKinley has to work pretty hard these days. I feel sorry for him, but then Spain had no business to go to war in the middle of the fishing season. By the way, Joe—" but just then there was another bite and in the excitement the cable was cut.

ILLITERATE SPANIARDS.

One of the compensations of the 68 per cent of illiterate in Spain will reside in the fact that they will not be obliged to read the history that she is now making.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Rock Island, Ill.—The new Illinois western hospital for the insane at Watertown was opened for the reception of patients.

Louisville, Ky.—Capt. Michael Bauer, secret service agent for Kentucky, dropped dead in front of the custom house from hemorrhage of the lungs.

Andover, Mass.—Miss Phyllena McKeen, for thirty-three years principal of Abbott Academy, is dead. She was one of the leading educators of New England and a personal friend of Harriet Beecher Stowe, Whittier, Holmes, Longfellow and other literary celebrities.

Denver, Col.—Col. Sumner, in command of the department of the Colorado, sent two troops of cavalry, recruited in this city for the regular army, to Fort Huachuca, Ariz., to protect settlers against anticipated raids of the Apaches.

Ottawa, Kan.—This city is experiencing the greatest flood known for over twenty-five years. Heavy rains on Saturday and Sunday throughout the state raised the Marais des Cygnes to such an extent that 250 families have been compelled to move.

New York.—The body of Edouard Remenyi, the famous violinist, who died in the Orpheus theater in San Francisco, was brought to New York, where it was given a public funeral by the Hungarian societies.

Terre Haute, Ind.—A compromise settlement of the suits against the Collett estate has been effected.

Portsmouth, Va.—The torpedo boat destroyer Yankton and the torpedo boat McKee went into commission at the navy yard here.

St. Thomas—Vasquez del Jor, Spanish consul here, has, in his anger, declared that all American newspaper correspondents captured by the troops or ships of Spain would be treated as spies.

Anderson, Ind.—Intervention by the Indiana labor commission and a consultation between the managers and the workers at the American plate glass plants in this county resulted in the strike and threatening trouble being settled by the company withdrawing the wage reductions announced.

St. Louis—John F. Donovan, proprietor of the Lindell hotel, died from the effects of an operation for appendicitis.

Cleveland—It is authoritatively stated in railway circles here that General Superintendent Blodgett of the Lake Shore railway will be made the general manager of that road, to succeed W. H. Caniff.

Washington—The following Illinoisans were appointed fourth-class postmasters: Thomas Hankins, Cadwell; William Roberts, Waipole.

Kansas City, Mo.—John M. Nuckols, a newspaper man, who has held responsible positions on the Illinois State Journal at Springfield, the St. Louis Republic, and the Kansas City Times, died here at the home of his father.

New York.—Stewart M. and William Kirk Brice, sons of former Senator Calvin S. Brice, have enlisted in the United States army.

Rockford, Ill.—Arrangements have been completed for the big picnic of the Modern Woodmen of northern Illinois and southern Wisconsin, to be held in Rockford, June 2, when 30,000 visitors are expected.

Newark, Ohio.—Mrs. Suen Rose, widow of Timothy Rose, died in Granville this morning. Mrs. Rose celebrated her 100th birthday March 23 last.

Omaha, Neb.—Governor Silas A. Holcomb has proclaimed June 1 the opening day of the trans-Mississippi exposition a public holiday in Nebraska.

Topeka, Kan.—The people of Clay county, Kansas, claim the honor for naming the first town in the United States after the hero of Manila, Deweyville, in that county, has just been laid out, and a boom in real estate is the result.

Minneapolis.—The Luxemburgers' sixth annual national congress met in this city. There were 100 delegates present from various parts of the country.

Springfield, Ill.—Maj. John C. Buckner, commanding the 9th battalion, colored troops, Illinois national guard, has resigned. The resignation has been accepted by Gov. Tanner.

LATEST MARKET REPORTS.

CHICAGO.	
Cattle, all grades	\$2.60 @ 5.25
Hogs, common to prime	2.50 @ 4.55
Sheep and lambs	2.75 @ 5.35
Corn, No. 2	36% @ 36%
Wheat, No. 3 spring	1.15 @ 1.26
Oats, No. 3 white	32% @ 31%
Eggs	0.09
Butter	.10 @ .15 1/2
Rye, No. 2	.67 1/2
TOLEDO.	
Wheat, No. 2 cash	1.40
Corn, No. 2 mixed	.38
Oats, No. 2 mixed	.30
Rye, No. 2 cash	.67
Cloverseed, prime cash	2.05
ST. LOUIS.	
Wheat, No. 2	1.21
Oats, No. 2 cash	.30 1/2
Corn, No. 2 cash	.35
Cattle, all grades	2.75 @ 5.25
Hogs	4.00 @ 4.45
Sheep and lambs	4.00 @ 6.00

NEWS TOLD IN PARAGRAPHS.

Minor Happenings of the Past Week.

EVENTS OF LAST SEVEN DAYS.

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

St. Louis, Mo.—The fourth biennial convention of the Catholic Knights and Ladies of America met here with 125 delegates present.

Mount Vernon, Ill.—Solomon J. Howard is dead, aged 68 years. He was a Kentuckian by birth, and was postmaster at Owensboro, Ky., during Buchanan's administration. He was one of the oldest Masons in Mount Vernon.

St. Louis.—Captain Duval of the United States commissary department has made a contract with local bakers for 610,000 pounds of army crackers. This is equivalent to 80,000 barrels of flour. On each cracker will be printed the words, "Remember the Maine."

Galesburg, Ill.—The annual meeting of the Illinois State Medical association was held here.

Owensboro, Ky.—The Sour Mash Distilling company plant, owned for the most part by M. V. Monarch, has made an assignment for the benefit of its creditors. The liabilities are, in round numbers, \$100,000, with assets approximating the same.

Williams Bay, Wis.—A conference of the committee of organization of the World's Unity league was held here. Arrangements were made for a series of summer conferences to be held during the summer at Camp Collie.

Minneapolis, Minn.—The northwest has never known such a shortage of wheat as is now felt. Minneapolis has a little more than 4,000,000 bushels of contract wheat in store in public houses, but this total will not remain unimpaired long.

Boston, Mass.—By the falling of an elevator used for hoisting building material at the uncompleted warehouse of the Boston Wharf company four men were killed and four were injured.

Grand Rapids, Mich.—The twenty-ninth annual meeting of the Homeopathic society of Michigan was held here.

Galesburg, Ill.—The forty-eighth annual meeting of the Illinois State Medical society met here.

San Francisco, Cal., May 17.—The directors of the Pacific Coast Rolling-mills in this city have decided to close the establishment and terminate the business.

Rock Island, Ill.—Colonel William R. King, U. S. A., engineer in charge of the improvement of the upper Mississippi, is dangerously ill at his home in this city and his life is despaired of.

New Brunswick, N. J.—At the annual meeting of the United States Rubber company, held in this city, a dividend of 6 per cent on preferred stock and 2 per cent on common stock was declared.

Chicago.—Eugene Jenkins, two years old, was run over and instantly killed by a Calumet electric car while playing at Sixty-seventh street and Greenwood avenue.

Portland, Ind.—The joint senatorial convention of Randolph and Jay counties at Ridgeville nominated T. H. Johnson for state senator.

Madrid.—Instructions have been given to the maritime authorities of Barcelona not to permit the departure of large steamers which might be used for "auxiliary" cruisers.

New York.—Samuel J. Minot, assistant secretary of the Victoria Fire Insurance company, died at South Orange.

Davenport, Iowa.—The Davenport Ladder works burned. Loss, \$8,000; insurance, \$4,500.

Worcester, Mass.—The consolidation of ten of the most prominent envelope companies in the country, representing 90 per cent of the output of commercial envelopes, has been effected, excepting some of the details.

Springfield, Ill.—The railroad and warehouse commissioners issued a final citation to the railroad companies whose roads center in East St. Louis to appear before the commission in this city June 7, at 2 o'clock p. m., to answer the petition of citizens for a new and more commodious depot at that place.

London.—The missionaries belonging to the American Sudan mission have arrived at Sierra Leone from the stations in the Marampa district owing to the threatening attitude of the Africans.

Washington.—Ex-Senator Aaron H. Cragin of New Hampshire died here of congestion of the lungs. The deceased was one of the organizers of the republican party.

Vincennes, Ind.—Mrs. Eliza Hulien of Edwardport, this county, was burned to death. She was over 100 years old and was paralyzed.

Dubuque, Iowa.—The citizens of Durango will petition to have the Spanish name of the town changed to Deweyville.

NEWS OF ILLINOIS.

MINOR HAPPENINGS THROUGHOUT THE STATE.

Black Made Commandee of the State G. A. R.—Officer Elected by State Sunday School Convention—Political Meetings—Minor State Items.

Black Made Commander.

Streator: The thirty-second annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, department of Illinois, selected Danville as the next place of meeting and chose the following officers: Department commander, General John C. Black of Chicago; senior vice commander, W. H. Coffman of Champaign; junior vice commander, S. McFeeley, Streator; chaplain, Elder Haney; adjutant, C. L. Partridge. The Women's Relief Corps chose the following officers: President, Mrs. Carrie T. Alexander, Belleville; senior vice president, Mrs. Ross, Streator; junior vice president, Mrs. Buffington, Chicago; chaplain, Mrs. Snow, Ottawa; secretary, Mrs. Bell, Belleville; treasurer, Mrs. Lewis, Aurora. The Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic elected these officers: Department president, Mrs. Mary E. Clark of Springfield; senior vice president, Charity Nichols, Galena; chaplain, Mrs. Ridley, Chicago; treasurer, Nellie Barr, Chicago; secretary, Emma Armstrong, Springfield; inspecting officer, Mrs. Frank Pillow, Springfield. The Sons of Veterans elected: Division commander, W. T. Church, Chicago; senior vice commander, Guy Cleveland, Prophetstown; junior vice commander, Charles H. Egbert, Streator; division council, George G. Campbell, Lincoln; W. C. Smith, Knoxville; R. C. Stine, De Kalb. Delegates to annual encampment at Omaha—At large, Isaac Cutter, Camp Point; delegates, James B. Lidders, Rock Island; R. D. Hoolihan, Chicago; George C. Powers, Peoria; P. A. Durant, Aurora; W. C. Snyder, Kankakee. The encampment adjourned this evening.

Sunday School Convention.

Galesburg: The State Sunday school convention elected these officers for the ensuing year: President, John Farnson, Chicago; vice president, J. S. Thompson, Lakin; second vice president, Dr. G. D. Litherwood, Bloomington; general secretary, W. B. Jacobs, Chicago; treasurer, R. W. Hare, Chicago; superintendent normal work, Professor H. M. Hamill, Jacksonville. The district presidents are: First district, I. R. Jeffers, Chicago; second, Dr. C. C. Miller, Onarga; third, I. M. Phillips, Sterling; fourth, Professor W. E. Simmonds, Galesburg; fifth, C. T. Franks, Mendota; sixth, Rev. G. B. Stafford, Onarga; seventh, H. M. Smith, Hope Dale; eighth, Rev. J. A. Renwick, Biggsville; ninth, W. S. Rearick, Ashland; tenth, J. B. Joy, Concord; eleventh, David Ziegler, Greenview; twelfth, W. B. Rendle, Clinton; thirteenth, R. C. Willis, Toledo; fourteenth, Rev. J. G. Tucker, Vandalia; fifteenth, N. L. Crost, Olney; sixteenth, E. E. Exter, Belleville; seventeenth, Townsend Blanchard, Tamaroa; eighteenth, Dr. W. E. Buxton, Samsville; nineteenth, J. G. Hodge, Concord; twentieth, H. E. Lufkin, Anna.

Democrats at Paxton.

Paxton: The democratic county convention decided not to nominate a county ticket before September. J. A. Scott of Mona township, W. C. Reeves of Drummer, N. S. Richardson of Dix and Joseph Burger of Piper City were nominated delegates to the state convention. Resolutions were passed renewing the allegiance of the convention to the financial principles embodied in the Chicago platform and to W. J. Bryan, favoring a vigorous prosecution of the present Spanish-American war and heartily indorsing the action of the democratic senators and representatives in forcing the people to unite in condemning with their votes the Allen law and removing the stain now resting upon the name of the state. E. H. Harry, mayor of Gibson City, was chairman, and C. S. Schneider of this city, secretary of the convention.

Thomas Cooper Endorsed.

Waukegan: Lake county democrats met in convention at Libertyville with a full representation present. Resolutions were passed reaffirming allegiance to democratic principles, especially free silver. Four delegates were selected to attend the state convention, eight to the seventh district congressional convention and nineteen to the eighth senatorial district convention. No instructions were given them, save that the senatorial delegates should vote as a unit for the nomination of a Lake county man for representative. There are two candidates already—S. F. Knox of Highland Park and George Wait of Grant.

New Convention Called.

Mount Carmel: The new apportionment having been declared unconstitutional, the senatorial convention for the new forty-fourth district has been called off. The senatorial committee for the old district, composed of Washburn, Edwards, White, Gallatin and Hardin, met here today and called a convention to meet at Carmi Thursday, June 9.

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A Gigantic Flower.

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Shake Into Your Shoes.

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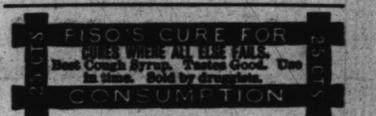
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HISTORY OF THE WAR.

Important Events Reviewed and Condensed Into Reliable Form for Our Readers.

Thursday, May 10.

The Spanish fleet, which sailed from Cape Verde on April 23, ostensibly for by insurgents after the battle on May 1.—The war department chartered thirty steamers to transport troops to Cuba.—The transport Gussie sailed from Port Tampa for Cuba, carrying arms and other munitions for Gomez. A detachment of United States regulars accompanied the expedition.—All the regulars at Chickamauga were ordered to move south, there to be coalesced with the volunteer forces preparatory to the occupation of Cuba.—Secretary Alger and officials of the post-office department in anticipation of the early departure of troops, made arrangements for postal communication between this country and the army of invasion in Cuba.—There was a stormy scene between Monarchists and Republicans in the Spanish Cortes. It was brought out that Spain could not furnish the necessary supplies of coal and war munitions until credits were voted. The chamber voted the war credit. A cablegram from Cadiz, Spain, says: "In well informed circles it is reported a flying squadron has gone across the Atlantic, steaming slowly to reserve its coal supply and with its fast torpedo destroyers as scouts, so as to be able to ascertain the relative strength of the adversaries sent to meet it. The flying squadron will only accept fight with tolerable hope of success." Admiral Cortes, with four captains on the cruisers and four lieutenants in charge of the torpedo destroyers are able officers with picked and trained crews. They carry an ample reserve ammunition and torpedoes. In Spain their doings are looked forward to with even more eagerness than was the news from Manila ten days ago.

Wednesday, May 11.

General Miles decides to go to Tampa, Fla., to take charge of the army that is to invade Cuba.—Three regiments of cavalry started for Tampa from Chickamauga.—The quartermaster of the department of the east received orders to prepare for the mobilization of 27,000 men at southern points before the end of the week.—Commodore Dewey was nominated and confirmed as a rear admiral.—Minister Bermejo of Spain denied that the Cape Verde fleet had returned to Cadiz.—The cruiser Charleston was ordered to sail immediately with ammunition for the fleet at Manila. Troops and provision go forward later.—The first transport ship arrived at Mobile for the purpose of taking



CAPT. C. C. TODD.
Commander of the gunboat Wilmington.

troops to Cuba.—The auxiliary cruiser Yankee was sent to sea. It is under orders to join Schley's flying squadron.—The Destructor, a Spanish torpedo boat destroyer, was reported to have been accidentally blown up in Algeiras Bay, all hands perishing.—British admiralty decides that Spain has a right to send warships to Manila via Suez Canal, another "friendly" act to this country.—Word comes from Madrid that a formidable Spanish expedition is being organized to attack Admiral Dewey at the Philippine islands.—Gen. Merritt has been given command of the volunteer forces to be sent to the Philippines; and it is said he will also become military governor of the islands.—Senate committee on finance has agreed upon the war revenue bill.—General movement for an aggressive campaign against Cuba is taking form.—South Dakota militia company refuses to muster in because its officers are rejected.—Two regiments of cavalry of the regular army leave Chickamauga Park for Tampa.—Gov. Tanner reviews Illinois' 8,000 soldiers at Springfield.—Water famine is threatening the troops and others at Key West.—The strategy board has prepared plans for the bombardment of Havana in connection with the land invasion.—Instead of 6,000 troops 15,000 are to be sent to the Philippines.—The senate finance committee has stricken the bond provision from the war revenue bill and favored the issue of \$150,000,000 greenbacks and the coinage of the silver seignorage. This would increase the circulating medium and would avoid a national interest bearing debt.—Reports from Madrid are that

Spain will soon sue for peace, and that Marshal Campos will become premier.

Thursday, May 12.

Orders were issued at Tampa for the troops to discard all needless equipments and to be in readiness to board the transports now in waiting.—General Merritt, who is to command the expedition to the Philippines, left Washington for New York en route to the Pacific.—Admiral Sampson's squadron arrived at San Juan de Puerto Rico and at once silenced the batteries and reduced the fortifications to ruins.—Admiral Bermejo, Spanish minister of marine, admitted that the Cape Verde fleet was at Martinique Island, in the West Indies.—In an engagement, at Cardenas on Wednesday Ensign Bagley and four men on the torpedo boat Winslow were killed, the Winslow badly damaged, a Spanish gunboat and two torpedo boats sunk, and the town practically destroyed.—The battleship Texas of flying squadron, Hampton Roads, left for Key West. It was announced the St. Paul would join Admiral Sampson's fleet.—The cruiser Concord of Admiral Dewey's fleet at Manila was reported to have sunk a Spanish warship after a fight lasting two hours.—It was announced from Madrid that four members of the cabinet had resigned and that the ministry would be reorganized, though Premier Sagasta might remain at the head of the government.—Rear Admiral Sampson, with the nine warships of the north Atlantic squadron from Key West, arrived before the harbor of San Juan de Puerto Rico shortly before sunrise.—The bombardment of the fortifications guarding the entrance to the harbor began immediately. The battleship Iowa fired the first shot, a shell from one of the big twelve-inch guns taking effect.—The battleship Indiana, followed with its thirteen-inch guns, and the bombardment became general.—The Spanish guns on Morro fort responded feebly and were silenced almost immediately.—Morro fort itself was reduced to a heap of ruins in a few minutes.—The people of San Juan were panic-stricken at the sound of the guns, and thousands fled into the country beyond range. The foreign Consuls also took refuge in the interior.—The Spanish steamer Rita was captured by the United States auxiliary cruiser Yale, which took the crew on board.

The full list of the dead as a result of the attack on Cardenas is as follows: Worth Bagley, ensign; John Varveres, officer; Elijah B. Tunnell, cabin cook; George B. Meek, fireman; J. Denfee, fireman. These five men were killed during a terrific attempt of the torpedo-boat Winslow to destroy five Spanish gunboats in Cardenas harbor Wednesday afternoon.—In addition to the five killed the following were wounded: R. E. Cox, gunner's mate; Daniel McKeown, quartermaster; William Patterson, fireman; E. Gray; Lieutenant J. H. Bernandou, commander. All are slightly wounded except Patterson, whose condition is serious. During a two hours' engagement one of the gunboats was sunk, the Spanish signal station at Diana Key was desolated, a portion of Cardenas was burned, the United States torpedo-boat Winslow was disabled and five Americans were killed.—In the attack on the Spaniards the Winslow was supported by the Wilmington, Machias and Hudson.

Friday, May 13.

Admiral Sampson reported to the navy department that he had bombarded the forts at San Juan Thursday morning without injury to his ships. He lost one man killed and seven wounded.—The flying squadron, Commodore Schley, left Hampton Roads last evening, supposedly to join Admiral Sampson's fleet.—The Spanish fleet received scaled orders at Fort de France, Martinique, and its next move is expected to be in the direction of Cuba.—The first fight between United States troops and Spanish soldiers took place on Cuban soil Thursday afternoon. The Americans landed couriers and arms for Gomez and were attacked by a strong force of cavalry. The Spaniards were repulsed, leaving four dead on the field.—Lieutenant Rowan, U. S. A., returned to Key West from his conference with General Garcia of the Cuban army. He reported Garcia as anxious for the help of United States troops. Garcia and his forces occupied Bayamo on April 24, the Spaniards withdrawing with heavy loss.—The war department gave orders for the wives and children of officers stationed at Fort Warren, at Boston, to be removed to places of safety in anticipation of an engagement with the Spanish fleet.—The third and fifth regiments of Illinois infantry were ordered to leave Camp Tanner for Chickamauga.

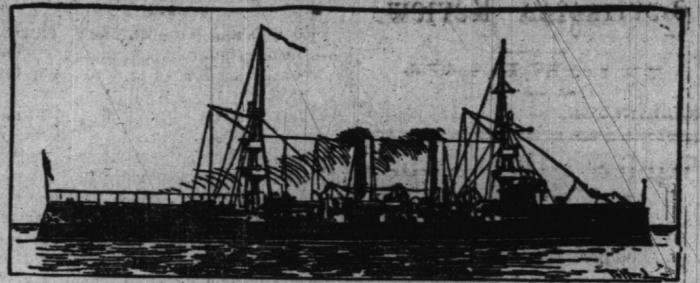
Saturday, May 14.

The Spanish squadron was sighted off the Island of Curacao, north of the coast of Venezuela.—The Marblehead, Nashville and Windom on Wednesday shelled the batteries at Cienfuegos, while a landing party under heavy fire from shore cut

two cables. The American loss was one killed and six wounded. The Spanish loss, it is believed, ran up into the hundreds.—Admiral Sampson's fleet was reported at Puerto Plata, on the north coast of San Domingo.—The battleship Oregon was reported at Bahia, Brazil.—The Third and Fifth Regiments of Illinois Volunteers left Springfield for Chickamauga Park.

Sunday, May 15.

The gunboat Wilmington reported that it entered Cardenas harbor Thursday and sent 300 shells shoreward. Signal stations, masked batteries and forts were completely destroyed and two Spanish gunboats were riddled and sunk. An unknown number of Spaniards was killed.—The revenue cutter McCulloch arrived at Hongkong bearing the following dispatch from Admiral Dewey: "Cavite, May 13, Hongkong, May 15.—Maintaining strict blockade. Reason to believe that the rebels are hemming the city in by land, but have made no demonstration. Scarcity of provisions in Manila. Probable that the Spanish governor will be obliged to surrender soon. Can take Manila at any moment. Climate hot and moist. On May 12 captured gunboat Callao attempting to run blockade. Have plenty of coal. One English, one French, two German and one Japanese vessel here observing.—Dewey."—Schley's flying squadron touched at Charleston and received orders to proceed to Key West.—The navy department called on Illinois for 200 volunteers from the State Naval Reserve to report to Sampson at once.—Six hundred members of the First Ohio Cavalry, the vanguard of volunteer troops, arrived at Camp Thomas, Chickamauga.—Companies G, E, C and L, Fifth Infantry, Illinois volunteers, arrived at Chattanooga.—The Fourteenth New York Regiment, commanded by Colonel Fred D. Grant, was ordered to Chickamauga.—The Third Michigan Infantry and the Second Wisconsin Regiment started for Chickamauga.—Adjutant General Reece of Illinois received orders from Washington to get the First Regiment, I. N. G., in readiness to depart from Camp Tanner to Chickamauga Park not later than May 17.—Twelve hundred volunteers left Camp



THE BATTLESHIP NEW ORLEANS.
(Formerly the Brazilian Amazonas.)

officer killed, a North Carolinian, is an American, probably of many generations. Two enlisted men who fell by his side were Irishmen born, another was an "unspeakable Turk."

The one American citizen killed at the bombardment of San Juan, where we wasted much good ammunition to little purpose, was a native of Finland.

Our ships and our armies are full of this kind of material. This republic is, by no means distinctly Anglo-Saxon. It is recruited from all creation. We have our language and in some form our political institutions from England, but a nation whose army and navy is composed of American citizens having their origin in all the countries of the world is too cosmopolitan to be claimed by any particular race.

Our mother is all Europe, not England alone. We have all we can do to rake our own chestnuts out of the fire. To be at the beck and call of England to take care of her interests everywhere in the round globe, now struggling with Russia, Germany and France in the dismemberment of China, again aiding her suppress in India insurrection we encourage in the Antilles and the Philippines, is to enter into an engagement not at all to our profit.

discipline. They were merely playing at soldier and when the blast of actual war blew in their ears they quit. The governor has issued an order to disband the regiment. He has done well, for an organization that is full of the pomp and circumstance of war in time of peace and will not show in time of war even ordinary physical courage is an organization that the state can well dispense with. Such instances, happily, do not occur in the west. Here militia organizations are something more than gatherings for the purpose of giving hops and refreshing themselves at pink teas.

The American people are now in the midst of the most momentous struggle in the history of the world. The triumph over Spain will work an advance in our progress as a nation scarcely dreamed of by prophets of history. But in the midst of the fruits of victory over a foreign foe, the tories at home must not be overlooked. There are only a few of them, but even one is too many to breathe the free air and partake of the glories of peace. Keep a list of them.—Ex.

In Cardenas Harbor.

First reports of Wednesday's engagement in Cardenas harbor gave the impression that the killing of Ensign Bagley and four American seamen was the result of reckless daring and unnecessary exposure to the enemy's fire. Later advices, however, make it clear that the men were in the harbor in the pursuance of important duties.

Being on board small craft they could venture into a harbor full of mines where larger vessels would be in danger of complete destruction. It was, in fact, the purpose of the boats that went within range of the Spanish batteries to make a survey of the harbor and locate the mines so that larger vessels could enter in safety. The courage with which the perilous task was undertaken shows the superb bearing of American seamen in the face of danger. The five men who lost their lives in Cardenas harbor were faithful in what they undertook, and courageous to the last degree in executing the task. These first Americans to lose their lives in open conflict with the enemy have died gloriously in battle in the name of humanity.

All honor to the memory of the heroes of Cardenas!

The Revenue Bill.

The senate has agreed on a revenue bill with the following provisions: No interest bearing bonds; issue of \$150,000,000 non-interest bearing treasury notes convertible at the option of the holder, the free coinage of \$154,000,000 silver dollars, heavy tax on national banks, mortgages, inheritances and a general tax on all corporations of nearly one per cent. The bill as it will go back to the house will guarantee a revenue of \$200,000,000 besides putting an additional \$200,000,000 in circulation. The prospect of the passage of this bill is at once felt on general prices, all staples having joined wheat on the upward grade. The bill may not pass the house.

OUR LAST ANNEXATION.

It is now thirty-seven years since William H. Seward predicted in his speech at St. Paul that "the outposts of St. Petersburg on the verge of our own continent would become the northwestern outposts of the United States. At that time St. Paul itself was the northwestern outpost of continuous settlement. If the proposition attracted attention at all at the time it must have seemed a wild vagary. Yet before the decade closed the "out posts of St. Petersburg" had been changed into what he termed, in the same speech, "monuments of the civilization of the United States in the northwest."

The traditional friendship of Russia for this nation made possible the execution of our project of aggrandizement.

The future is likely to show that it was no mere coincidence that the same year of grace saw the flag of Russia float over the long-coveted ice-free harbor of Port Arthur and the flag of the United States waving over Manila bay.

These two great nations of the future, linked rather than separated for more than thirty years by the narrow waters of the Behring Sea, are now brought into an unexpected closeness of friendly relations in the orient.

Alaska may prove only the prelude to a concert of most far-reaching consequence. Russia not England is our coveted ally.

It was the unsuccessful attempt of 1866 to assassinate the czar that afforded the opportunity for negotiations for the acquisition of Alaska. Not content with the usual expressions of congratulation by the state department, supplemented by a resolution of congress, our government sent a special envoy and warship to convey to St. Petersburg the greeting of good will to Russia and the emperor of the Russias. Not long after that friendly episode the purchase of Alaska was proposed and accepted by the czar of all the Russias.

The anglomaniac sissy men in the United States may say what they will, but they will find the United States and Russia hand in hand solving the great eastern question. We are the only two great nations on earth not seeking new colonies. What we do want though are ports of free entrance in every part of the globe and what is more we are going to have them.

John Bull will soon be aware that the country is not going to pull his chestnuts out of the fire. Like the Spaniards his hands are red with the blood of oppressed peoples (including our own ancestors) and we want none of him.—Ex.

In a new Paris bicycle the front forks instead of being connected to a single tube in the head, have three or more tubes fitted together, each one connected to a flat steel crown.



CAPT. W. T. SAMPSON.

Mount, Indiana, for Chickamauga, under command of Colonel Studebaker.—The entire Spanish cabinet resigned yesterday, and an official statement made at Madrid says Senor Sagasta will form a new cabinet.

Monday, May 16.

Admiral Sampson's fleet left Cape Haytien for Cuba with the intention of heading off the Spanish squadron, supposed to be on the way to Cienfuegos. Commodore Schley's flying squadron is also endeavoring to intercept the Spaniards.—It was reported at London that the Spanish reserve fleet at Cadiz sailed last Friday for the United States.—The Russian ambassador yesterday demanded an explanation from Lord Salisbury of Mr. Chamberlain's remarks on the subject of an Anglo-American alliance.—Premier Sagasta presented to the Queen Regent of Spain the resignations of the cabinet. Sagasta was requested to retain office and organize a new ministry, which he will do.—Troops from the several states that left for points of rendezvous were as follows: Four companies of the First Regiment of Nebraska for San Francisco; One Hundred and Fifty-eighth and One Hundred and Sixty-second Regiments from Indiana for Chickamauga; Twelfth and Fourteenth Regiments from Minnesota for Chickamauga; and the Thirtieth Regiment for San Francisco; Twentieth Regiment from Topeka, Kas., for San Francisco.—Major General Wade established a new rendezvous for troops at Lakeland, Fla.—The Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh Batteries from Indiana and the Third and Fifth Infantry from Illinois arrived at Chickamauga Park.—The war department has learned that Canada is harboring several hundred Spanish spies and that the cables from Halifax to Queenstown, Ireland, are always at the service of the Spanish government.

Chamberlain's Jug Handle.

We have a pretty strong "alliance" in the United States of America, an alliance not with foreign governments but with foreign subjects who have surrendered their allegiance to the country of their birth to become citizens of America by adoption.

This is a kind of alliance that carries no entanglement. It provides most excellent fighting material and is loyal to the core. We have a hint of it in the mortality list thus far made on our side in our war of vengeance against Spain. The one

We can help England in her schemes of aggrandizement, but how can England help us? She has refused, properly enough, to aid us in our war with Spain.

Where's the profit for the United States in an alliance such as Jo Chamberlain proposes? In what "just and holy cause" can the United States with honor and more substantial reward fight side by side with Great Britain?

The Tories of Today.

The opening of hostilities with Spain reveals in his true light the "patriot" who struts about in times of peace, with a miniature flag in his buttonhole, and seeking whom he may devour—when there



GEN. JAMES H. WILSON.
(United States Army.)

is no one to devour. That noble band of human shysters, the thirteenth infantry of Brooklyn, is chiefly made up of the kind of patriots referred to. It has followed the example of the "dude" Seventh Regiment of New York city. A few days ago the governor ordered it out for service. The men—at least part of them—declined to enter into the volunteer service of the United States. They wanted to put up stipulations as to when they should go and where and how and by whom officered and various other conditions entirely incompatible with military



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Naval Engineers.

At the suggestion and under the direction of Assistant Secretary of the Navy Theodore Roosevelt a bill has been prepared looking to the reorganization of the officers of our fighting ships and a large addition to their number. The 82 senior naval cadets now on the sea on their practice cruise will, when the bill becomes law, be commissioned as full fledged ensigns so soon as they reach home. An important change will be made in the standing of the engineer of naval vessels under the new law. There has been a long contention over the rank of the engineer of a fighting ship—a question, it was whether he was to be treated as a gentleman and an officer or a mere greasy mechanic.

In spite of his Knickerbocker lineage no one is able to puncture snobbery or see an absurdity more quickly than Mr. Roosevelt. He heard the arguments of engineers and regular naval officers on each side. Then he recommended that engineers should have under the reorganization their place as regular officers, with rank of captain, commander or lieutenant, and that they should have authority to issue commands to seamen as well as to machinists and firemen. The bill recommends that 100 extra machinists be employed as such, besides the engineers who are to have rank and title. Henceforth, however, the cadets at the Naval academy are to be instructed, all of them, in running engines and managing machinery on board a man-of-war, and they will perform services as engineers. There will not therefore be a chance for promotion to outside engineers.

Canada will get money enough from American miners without trying to "hog down" their whole outfit, even to the food they take over the passes to supply them. It is said for a fact that American miners crossing the passes must now pay duty on every pack animal that transports their supplies on all their clothing and mining tools and on every pound of provisions, besides being compelled to pay also for the logs that build their cabins and the timber which goes into the boats to convey them through the lakes and down the Yukon. The Canadian government has the right, of course, to charge a moderate price for the timber used, but when it comes to taxing the miner's whole personal outfit it is a hogish proceeding, and the Canucks who do it will certainly overreach themselves. They cannot afford to drive away American miners. We have gold territory on the Alaska side of the line.

Strong people do not talk much. They are silent, but when the hour comes they strike with all their force. They do not waste their powers on gab. There is no surer proof of the weakness and degeneracy of the Spaniards than their impotent scolding and abuse of the United States.

The notable reply of Colonel Ingersoll when asked how he thought one could best succeed as an orator is commended to all who hope in future to thrill the earth with thoughts that breathe and words that burn. "In the first place," said the colonel, "I would advise him to have something to say."

The United States treasury contains at present \$500,000 in prize money won by men of the navy in the civil war, but which was never claimed by them. Well, the United States will be able to make excellent use of the money if they never do claim it.

The only creature that is as plentiful as the mosquito is the rabbit. Dozens of ways have been devised to exterminate him in particular localities, but he merely laughs and grows fat. In Iowa it is said that there are now to be established rabbit sausage factories to do him up. That ought to finish him.

In the absence of actual photographs of Andree in the car of his balloon on the northwest coast of North America we take it that the story of the discovery of traces of him anywhere in those parts is a deliberately made up falsehood.

It is said that Denmark would not sell St. Thomas to us while the war scare is on, because such a sale might be considered as an act hostile to Spain, a nation friendly with Denmark. That is what we get for our fiddling delay.

And After?

It was not to maintain the Monroe doctrine that the war with Spain was begun. It was from considerations of philanthropy and the American pocket. American citizens and American trade alike suffered by the war, while nobody with a human heart could stand by and refuse to lift a finger to stop the starvation and cruelty in Cuba. Starvation as a military policy does not meet the approval of the majority of the American people, while there are some among us who were honestly opposed to a war with Spain. They said, for instance, France would have exactly the same right to cross the channel and make war on England because she had misused Ireland.

But these opponents were in the minority, and the war began. All indications point toward sweeping victories for the United States. By these she will change entirely her attitude to the nations. She will show she is by sea as she has already proved herself on land, in peace and in war—one of the earth's very greatest nations. We shall have an illustrious prestige among all peoples.

After the war has closed, what then will be our policy? Suppose we have on our hands Spain's islands in the eastern and western hemispheres—Cuba, Puerto Rico, the Philippines and possibly the Canaries? What shall we do with them? Shall we take possession of them and annex them, thus having in all parts of the oceans stations where our ships may coal and put in for repairs and obtain necessary supplies of all kinds? Such stations in every part of the globe will be necessary if we follow up our advantages and decide to become one of the world's sea powers. If we do not thus maintain our prestige as a great naval power, shall we sell our ships for old iron, leave the islands we have taken for some European power to grab and retire into our shell of former isolation till some other war forces us out and compels us again at an extravagant expense to hurry together a navy, man it with seamen and fit it out with supplies all in three weeks? This is the age of sea wars, not land fights. If we only take Cuba and the Philippines in order to let some other great power seize them, what was the good of our taking them from Spain?

These are questions we as a nation shall be called on to answer sooner or later. They are questions that concern more intimately than any other the future of the United States of America.

Those naval officers who insisted on tacking to the appropriation bill in congress a clause that they should receive separate compensation when the government accepted and used inventions they had made showed very poor taste. If they were patriots pure and simple, they would gladly lay at the feet of the nation just now anything they could devise to help us to victory. If their inventions are really worth much, it will be time enough to talk of compensation when this war is over. The United States government educated them free and immediately put them into good places, besides insuring a permanent living to them and a pension to their widows after them. What more could be asked of a generous and appreciative government? These officers recall the story of that skiffman who attended a celebration of victory at the close of the Revolutionary war, shouting, "Beef, beef!" because the government owed him a small sum for meat supplied to soldiers.

Portsmouth, good old Portsmouth, N. H., has been a dead town ever since the decline of the great fisheries that used to keep her wharfs lively looking. The historic frigate Constitution, lying in her harbor, seemed scarcely more a thing of the past than the quaint and interesting city itself. New life has come to the place from this war. Her navy yard buzzes with activity, her ancient guns are being refitted and cruisers make flying visits to her harbor on their way north and south along the New England coast.

The fact that at this moment, with a fleet actively engaged in war on the east side of Asia, the United States has absolutely no spot where that fleet can obtain coal and supplies nearer than San Francisco, 5,000 miles away, and that it will take over two weeks for assistance from that point to reach Commodore Dewey at the Philippines, is respectfully commended to the attention of the American people.

Another reason for French sympathy with Spain is apparent. French capital is very largely invested in Spain. The Spanish railroad Compania del Norte is leased to a French company, and the tobacco monopoly has also much French capital invested in it.

A People Always Rich.

That queer people, the Mennonite brethren, have two ruling principles, to live in peace and help one another. They also have an unwritten doctrine, apparently, and that is to always get rich. At any rate, they always do.

They migrated from their native Russia because they were opposed to the military service required of all the czar's subjects. There are settlements of them in various parts of the earth, always founded on the same plan, partly communal. They are chiefly agriculturists. Other people starve, commit suicide, become tramps or steal. Mennonites do none of these things. They simply go on and work and plan honestly and justly, and everything they take hold of seems to prosper.

Even when they engage in trade they reap fortunes. They prove beyond all doubting that in order to become prosperous it is not necessary either to cheat, steal or rob.

When a Mennonite colony is to be formed, delegates are sent forward first, to select the land. They buy it in a block, as Prince Krapotkin tells us in The Nineteenth Century, and build a village thereon. They always stipulate that they shall be left entirely to themselves. They obey the laws, pay their taxes, settle down to business and grow rich. Wherever they are, in tropical South America or in Greenland, they are prosperous and happy, and they are so simply by observing the precepts of primitive Christianity and minding their own business. In blizzardy Manitoba they have evolved immense realities of comfort and happiness. In the paper already alluded to Prince Krapotkin writes:

The unanimous testimony of all Canadians is that the Mennonites are the wealthiest settlers in that neighborhood. Their houses are spacious and have an air of homeliness which is often missing in other hamlets. There are more trees in their villages than in all the surrounding prairie, and these plantations protect the houses and the yards from the snow-drifts, and there are no signs of poverty, although the Mennonite population has multiplied in 20 years out of every reasonable proportion. They proceed as they proceeded in Russia—namely, a special communal fund is reserved for buying more land when need is felt.

Rev. Dr. C. S. Swallow, Prohibition and independent candidate for governor of Pennsylvania, is making his canvass on the platform, "Thou shalt not steal." This is awfully suggestive, but we hope Dr. Swallow does not mean to insinuate that only his own party is honest.

It was very odd that the first heavy fighting of the war between Spain and the United States on account of Cuba should have taken place in Asia.

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WAUCONDA.

Miles Fuller was a Chicago visitor Friday last.
Guy Granger was a Waukegan visitor the first of the week.

The Fire company was out for drill Monday evening.

E. W. Brooks was a Chicago visitor Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grimolet of Ringwood spent Sunday here.

M. W. Hughes transacted business in the city Wednesday.

Messrs Harrison, Pratt and Rose made a trip to Mc Henry Sunday.

The Republican County convention will be held at Libertyville today.

Clarence Wells of Valparaiso called on friends in our village Saturday.

T. V. Slocum started on his semi-monthly Arkansas trip Tuesday.

Walter Evanson of McHenry was a caller in our village the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. McGurran of Chicago spent Sunday with relatives at this place.

Raymond Studley visited with relatives at Gurnee last Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. W. J. Bangs went to Belvidere Tuesday to spend a few days with relatives.

George Hapke of Waukegan was a pleasant caller in our village a few days last week.

Louis Harris went to Waukegan Tuesday, where he expects to get a position as bus driver for one of the hotels.

Mrs. H. H. Ruggles transacted business in the city Saturday. Mrs. F. E. Green conducted the business during her absence.

Miss Nina Pratt and sister, Winnie, who have been spending the past week with relatives in Chicago, returned home Sunday.

Messrs F. Green and J. F. Grosvenor, and Misses Evaleen and Priscilla Davlin were Nunda visitors Sunday.

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Chas. Derry and John Ladd came over from Waukegan Tuesday to look after the interests of the Sovereign Oil Co.

H. Maiman transacted business in the city last Friday. He was accompanied to Barrington by Mrs. Maiman, who spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Solt.

Mrs. L. C. Price returned from St. Paul Wednesday accompanied by Mrs. J. C. Price and child, who will remain here until her husband returns from the war. Mr. Price leaves for the Phillipine Islands this week.

The Alpha Tennis club will have an elegant court this summer. They have rented a piece of ground of W. J. Bangs, opposite Miss Glynche's residence. The sod has been removed, leaving a clay court.

Messrs. Kirwan and Fuller, successors to Wm. Tidmarsh, took possession of the business last Saturday. The gentlemen are first-class workmen, and will, no doubt, receive their share of the business.

Excursion Tickets to Winona.
Via the North-Western Line, will be sold at reduced rates, May 26 and 27, and for trains arriving at Winona by noon May 28, limited to May 30, account of annual meeting Grand Council of United Commercial Travelers. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

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CARY WHISPERINGS.

Mrs. H. Burton is on the sick list.

Mr. Nish spent Tuesday in Woodstock.

George Boomer of Chicago Sundayed at home.

George Yale spent Sunday at Che-mung.

Miss Sarah Newbolt is visiting in Chicago.

Mrs. George Smith spent Monday in Woodstock.

Mrs. J. C. Lamkee spent Tuesday in Chicago.

D. C. Moore of Chicago was seen on our streets Sunday.

Mrs. McClung of Elgin spent Monday with friends here.

H. Goldbach entertained friends from Chicago Sunday.

Charles Gunderson visited in Chicago the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith were in Algonquin Sunday.

Miss Tillie Nelson returned to her home in Chicago Sunday.

Miss Angye Sweet of Nunda is visiting with friends at this place.

Mrs. Eya Ives and son, Tine, were guests at Mr. Brown's this week.

Mrs. Nish and daughter of Elgin visited with friends here last week.

Miss Yarnell of Woodstock visited with Miss Etta Salisbury Monday.

Dar Brown and daughter of Waucon-da visited with friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Fray and daughter, Mrs. T. Munshaw, visited in Chicago last week.

Arthur Boomer of Sharon, Wis., called on Cary friends Monday and Tuesday.

The members of the Botany Class of the Cary High school have analyzed sixteen plants.

Mr. and Mrs. Ryan and children visited at the home of Mrs. Andruss in Algonquin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown returned home Sunday, after spending a week with friends at Waucon-da.

Mrs. H. E. Greunwald, who has been in the hospital in Chicago, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. E. Target and Misses Mamie Richter and Angye Sweet were in Algonquin Friday of last week.

The Y. M. C. A. of Woodstock held services in the M. E. church here Sunday afternoon and evening. A large audience was in attendance at both services.

Misses Anna Newbolt, Rose Allen and Mabel and Maud Osgood, and Messrs. Charles Wheaton, Bert Munshaw, Nate Palmer and Harry Newbolt attended the dance at Nunda Friday evening.

Another horrible and blood curdling war idea is in the air. Nikola Tesla is accused of owning the powerful mind that gave it to us. It is that fearful waves of electricity, "electric currents of high potentials," to speak in the lingo of the learned, can be sent out in any direction desired and that each one is warranted to shrivel up a whole Spanish squadron like a potato bug before a blast of paris green. In short, it will be artificial lightning sent out in oscillating waves. Tesla, if he is the originator of this fearful scheme, should try it on a dog first. There are plenty to try it on, and if the supply ran short there are the cats that make night hideous and keep people awake.

The American navy enjoys now a prestige that it never had before, thanks to Dewey, who had nerve and courage and was not afraid of torpedoes or anything else. The only thing necessary to maintain this prestige is to finish and maintain the additional vessels ordered by congress. These, with those we have bought at home and abroad, will make us without more ado the second naval power on the globe.

The various explosions of powder mills and bombs in different parts of this country and the cutting adrift of submarine mines in our ports are not accidental. They are the work of dastardly Spaniards. Our free, generous land is honeycombed with Spanish spies.

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WEEK DAY TRAINS--NORTH.		
LV. CHICAGO.	AR. PALATINE.	AR. BARR'TN.
7:30 A. M.	8:32 A. M.	8:50
8:30		9:25
9:10	10:19	10:30
10:50	11:58	12:10 P. M.
1:30	2:45	3:10
3:30 P. M.	4:47 P. M.	5:02
5:00	5:57	6:09
6:01	7:08	7:20
6:35	7:42	7:55
11:35	12:42	12:55

* Saturday only.

WEEK DAY TRAINS--SOUTH.

LV. BARR'TN.	LV. PALATINE.	AR. CHICAGO.
6:10 A. M.	6:19 A. M.	7:25 A. M.
6:30	6:40	7:50
7:00	7:10	8:25
7:56	8:09	9:15
9:08	9:18	10:20
9:48	9:58	10:55
12:25 P. M.	12:34 P. M.	1:40 P. M.
3:08	3:19	4:30
5:02	5:12	6:20

SUNDAY TRAINS--NORTH.

LV. CHICAGO.	AR. PALATINE.	AR. BARR'TN.
9:00 A. M.		9:02 A. M.
9:10	10:19 A. M.	10:30
1:30 P. M.	2:45 P. M.	3:00 P. M.
4:45	6:00	6:12
6:35	7:42	7:55
11:35	12:42	12:55

SUNDAY TRAINS--SOUTH.

LV. BARR'TN.	LV. PALATINE.	AR. CHICAGO.
6:45 A. M.	6:53 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
7:56	8:09	9:15
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4:25	4:35	5:45
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Joliet.....	2:30am	8:40am	4:10pm	10:15pm
Barrington.....	7:00am	2:00pm	10:35am	6:15pm
Lake Zurich.....	7:15am	2:35pm	10:15am	5:55pm
Lethington.....	7:45am	3:05pm	9:20am	5:05pm
Rondout.....	8:00am	3:25pm	9:00am	4:45pm
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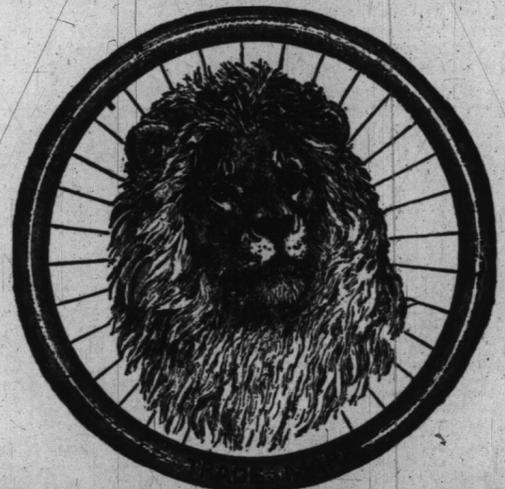
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March 8, 1897. SAMUEL PITCHER, M. D.

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Johnny's Opinion.

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Some men rather enjoy being told of their sins if nobody asks them to reform.—Ex.

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And what it led to.

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AN ANCIENT CUSTOM.

From Republican Traveler, Arkansas City, Kan. Pilgrimages to some shrine of St. Vitus, to cure the disease known as St. Vitus' dance are no longer made. The modern way of treating this affliction is within reach of every household, as is shown by the experience of Karl A. Wagner, the eleven-year old son of George Wagner, of 515 9th St., Arkansas City, Kan. The father tells the story as follows:

"Over a year ago," he says, "Karl was taken with St. Vitus' dance and continued to grow worse during five months he was under a physician's care. His tongue became paralyzed and we could not understand a word he said. He became very thin, lost the use of his right leg and seemed doomed to become a hopeless invalid. We had about given up hope when Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People were recommended to my wife by a lady whose daughter had been cured of a similar affliction by the pills.

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The Perils of a Critic.

Robert Southey was saved from the danger into which his vocation as a critic threw him only by his anonymity. At one time he found it necessary in reviewing a book written by a native of the Emerald Isle to treat it with unwonted severity. In conversing of this book and the incompetence of its writer with a literary friend one day, the author, a gigantic Irishman, entered the room in a great rage, vowing vengeance against the remorseless critic. Standing very near the critic, he raised his huge fist and exclaimed, "And if I knew who it was, I'd bate him!" Mr. Southey observed a profound silence and quietly retired, reserving his laugh for a less hazardous occasion.

A Clergyman's Story.

Rev. J. B. Wade, Morrison, Colo., writes: "I am astonished at the mildness and yet the efficiency of Dr. Kay's Renovator in moving constipated bowels, and in producing a regular natural daily discharge. I have been afflicted with constipation for twenty-five years."

"We know Dr. Kay's Renovator never has had an equal as a Spring Medicine, or for dyspepsia or any stomach trouble, constipation, liver or kidney diseases. Why not give us a chance to prove it to you? Send address for our 88-page book of recipes and prescriptions. Several have said it is worth five and ten dollars. Druggists sell Dr. Kay's Renovator at 25c and 50c, or six for \$5, but if they do not have it, do not take any substitute they may say is 'just as good' for it has no equal. If they do not have it, you can get it from us by return mail. Dr. B. J. Kay Medical Co., Omaha, Neb."

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If the parental example is a sowing of bad seed, how absurd to look for a good fruitage in the lives of the children.—Ex.

many a younger woman. Ever since my recovery I have taken a couple of bottles of Dr. Ayer's Sarsaparilla each spring, and am quite satisfied that I owe my good health to this treatment. I give this testimony purely in the hope that it may meet the eye of some poor sufferer."

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CHAPTER XXXII.—(Continued.)

He listened without reply, but she saw that his face had grown very pale and that his lips trembled. She spoke with passionate earnestness; there should be no mistake about the matter—he must thoroughly understand.

"All this," he said, "while I have been sleeping here! Hildred, I will see for myself what is the truth. I will trust to no one's opinion—I will go over to Bromhill. Will you ride over with me?"

She looked at the broad golden beams of the sun.

"It is so warm," she said, "you will not care to go out."

"Warm!" he repeated, almost wrathfully. "What matters a little heat when so much is at stake?"

Then he looked quickly at her.

"If it is too warm for you," he said, "I will go alone."

She sprang to her feet with a glad light in her eyes.

"No," she replied, "it is never too warm for me. I love the sun. Let me go with you, Lord Caraven."

"Will you ride or drive?" he asked.

"I will ride," she replied, having heard him say that morning that he would rather ride ten miles than drive one.

He looked pleased.

"I will see for myself," he repeated. "Do they think that I am so blind as to be hoodwinked with false stories?"

"No, but they have believed you too indolent even to care whether the stories were true or not," said Hildred.

There was some little surprise even amongst the servants at seeing the young earl and countess ride off alone. What did it mean? Were better times really coming?

Sir Raoul watched them start; and he said to himself, as he looked after them:

"The greatest gift of heaven to men is surely the noble influence of a noble woman."

The earl would see for himself—and he did see. It seemed to him that he must have been asleep for years. Where were the smiles of welcome that years ago used to greet him? Now laborers passed him with a sullen face, with a touch of the cap and a muttered curse. He saw the wretched tenement's where disease reigned triumphant—he saw mothers whose children had died for want of nourishing food—he saw strong men whose just condemnation of him was written in their averted eyes and closed lips. He saw that for him there was no affection, little respect; yet he was lord of the soil—in some fashion master of the destinies of these people.

He rode in silence—silence that his young wife did not care to break, for she saw that he was aroused at last. They went to Bromhill, and there the earl saw matters for himself. There was little need for words to tell him how the prestige of the old name had sunk. Those honest yeomen, the Moores, whose forefathers had served his ancestors so gallantly and well, had no smiles, no welcome for him; they were sturdily respectful, they said little—the old man who had pleaded so passionately to Hildred, least of all. But the young, indolent, pleasure-loving earl shrank before the calm, stern faces; he knew that he was in the wrong.

Nevertheless, if they were stern and cold in their reception of the earl, they had a warm welcome for his beautiful young wife. She had not ignored centuries of service; she had not broken the bounds between master and servant; she had not left the best interests of their lives to Blantyre. They crowded round her—even the little children came to give her the flowers they had gathered, and to look at the pleasant shining face. There was a court of inquiry held within the old farm walls; the earl listened attentively to the old man and his sons, then he looked gravely at them.

"You have done well to speak out boldly," he said. "I could as soon imagine Ravensmere without a Caraven as Bromhill without a Moore. You need not go to Blantyre again. I will sign the lease—and it shall be done at once."

He spoke only once on his way home, and then it was to say to his wife:

"I have done justice there; and if I can, I will do justice wherever it is needed." And as they rode on through the sunlight, she told him heaven would bless him for it.

CHAPTER XXXIII.

LADY CARAVEN was pleased as she dressed for dinner. She recalled the happy faces, the graceful words that she had seen and heard but a few hours before at Bromhill; it was worth living for, this power of doing good.



She had seen something in her husband's face that day which had surprised her, something that drove away the indolent, easy expression. Was the sleeping lion roused at last? Had her passionate words, her keen indignation, moved him? Had he grown ashamed of his indolence? Had he tired of his pleasures?

Sitting opposite to him at dinner-time, she looked at him attentively. Certainly there was a change in his face. It was brighter, keener, more on the alert; the eyes were full of light; he seemed interested in what was going on. Once during dinner she met Sir Raoul's glance, and it was full of pleased surprise.

"Now is my time," thought Hildred—"now I may secure what I want."

When the gentlemen came into the drawing room she made herself most fascinating and charming. She sang, she talked; the whole party thought her exceedingly entertaining. It was when her husband was looking most pleased, and listening to her with real interest, that she went up to him.

"I have a little favor to ask of you," she said. "Will you give me five minutes of your time this evening?"

His look was one of pleased, bright expectation.

"Assuredly, Hildred—as long as you like. I am beginning to think that my interviews with you are welcome ones."

So, when most of the visitors had gone to their respective rooms, the earl lingered. It was something novel to him, this appointment with his own



SHE LEFT HIM THERE.

wife—something piquant. He waited for her in the drawing room, where the blinds were still undrawn; and through the windows of which a lovely moon was shedding floods of silvery light.

Presently the door opened and his wife came in. She had removed the jewels from her hair and her breast; her lovely face shone with a new light; her rich dress, her dark hair, made her a most attractive picture. She went up to him.

"You are very kind to wait, Lord Caraven," she said. "I could not get away before. Lady Darners insisted on my going to her room to see a new-fashioned head-dress Worth has sent her. I could not get away. I am afraid you are tired."

"No," he replied; "I have been watching the moon and thinking."

"I have come to ask of you," said the young countess—"a favor on which the whole of my life depends. In granting it you will make me happy; if you refuse it I shall be miserable."

"That shall not happen if I can prevent it," he answered.

His wife continued: "I have never complained, because I saw no use in it; but I assure you that I have not been happy—far from it. Perhaps I am graver by nature than some women. I can not fill my life with gaiety, visiting, luxury, and pleasure. I want something more. Other women have love to live for—I have none."

She stopped suddenly, looking terribly confused.

"I understand," he said, quietly. "Go on, Hildred."

"My time hangs heavily on my hands. I have nothing to do—no occupation. Oh, Lord Caraven, be patient with me! I want to ask you for something that will give me interest—that will occupy me—that will stand to me in the place of happiness and love."

"I will help you to it if I can," he replied.

She looked so fair, standing before him pleading her own cause. She drew a little nearer to him, as though her confidence in him were increasing.

"That is what I want you to do for me, Lord Caraven," she said. "I am not ignorant in such matters; you might sneer at me, and say my talent is hereditary; but you will not do that. I have some little experience, and I should improve day by day."

He looked at her, half wondering, half amused.

"What is it, Hildred?" he asked. "I do not in the least understand."

"It is this. I want you to let me be your steward—I mean, let me have charge of your estate. I could do the duties far better than Mr. Blantyre."

"I give him a large salary," said Lord Caraven, half laughing—"he ought to do them well."

"But you have seen for yourself that he does not," she returned; "he is not a just steward."

"No," was the grave admission, "he is not just. It is that which grieves me. He has abused my trust. I shall never believe in him again."

"Then let me take his place, she cried eagerly. "I do not mean in the mere keeping of accounts—you will always want some one for that—nor even in the looking after little details; but let me be your head steward, Lord Caraven, and the welfare of your tenants and dependents, the well-being of your estate, the care of your property, shall be my one interest in life. I will be content to work early and late, to live without pleasure, if you will only grant my prayer."

"But you are a lady, Hildred. How could you find time for it?"

In her eagerness she forgot her reserve—she laid her head upon his arm, and looked into his face.

"I am not a fine lady; I am a lawyer's daughter. It may even be that I inherit my father's liking for business. I shall find time, believe me, if you will give your consent."

"What would you do, Hildred, supposing I gave my consent?" he asked.

"Say rather what would I not do. I would reform all abuses, I would make Ravensmere a model estate—people should point to it as a pattern. I would make your laborers men; they are now only soulless drudges. I would pull down those wretched cottages where squalor and disease run riot, and build in their places houses such as even the poor could love. I would educate the children. What a question it is you ask me! What would I not do?"

The earl rose from his chair; he bent his head with chivalrous grace before her.

"My wife," he said, "you shame me."

"No," she cried, "you must not say that to me."

"I repeat it—you shame me," he went on. "Yes, I give my consent—my free, full, hearty consent. You will make a better mistress of Ravensmere than I do a master. You shall be the queen regnant; I will be your prime minister. I place and leave all authority in your hands, and I promise you most faithfully that I will never interfere; you shall pull down and build up, you shall do just as you will, I will never interfere."

She was so overjoyed with his promises, with the change in his manner, with the earnestness of his face, that she forgot all about her restraint and indifference, and she kissed the hand that held her own. She saw her husband's face flush crimson, and she drew back suddenly.

"I beg your pardon," she said. "I am very sorry. I did not think of what I was doing, I was so overjoyed."

He took no notice of the involuntary caress, nor of the apology, though both had struck him.

"I am glad that you are pleased, Hildred," he said. "In placing my interests in your hands I feel that I have done today the wisest action of my life. Tomorrow we will send for Blantyre, and you shall confront him."

She left him then, pleased, happy, confused, with an overwhelming sense of the responsibilities she had assumed and with something, she could hardly tell what, stirring in her heart, while Lord Caraven looked in amazement at the hand she had kissed. He wondered if he should ever understand her; and he began dimly to perceive that in the money lender's daughter he had found a noble, high-souled, glorious woman.

Then he smiled to himself, thinking that in these strange days it was impossible to understand anything, and that it was within the bounds of possibility that Hildred inherited her father's talents for business.

"And an excellent thing it will be for me," he said, "if she has."

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CERVERA HAS HIS ORDERS.

Spanish Admiral to Attack an American Port.

MAY BE TAMPA OR MOBILE.

Spanish Squadron Expected to Take Desperate Chances and Attempt to Make an Entry into the Gulf of Mexico—Sampson and Schley on the Alert.

Information comes from a secret source that Admiral Cervera has received orders to attack an American port. It is thought by naval officers that the Spanish fleet will try to slip into the Gulf of Mexico and bombard Tampa or Mobile. Admirals Sampson and Schley are seeking an engagement.

WANT MORE MEN.

Fifty Thousand Volunteers Are to Be Called for Soon.

It is reported that President McKinley will issue a proclamation for 50,000 more volunteers, 10,000 from the nation at large and 40,000 to be appropriated among the various states and territories, according to population. The regiments selected at large will be comprised of yellow fever immunes. The commander in chief has now, or soon will have at his disposal an army of 189,000 men.

Gen. Merritt in Command.

Maj. Gen. Merritt is in command of the expedition to Manila and is to become military governor of the Philippine Islands. His troops constitute the first army corps, which, in addition to the regulars already on the Pacific coast and the volunteer forces of California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, and Utah includes all the volunteers called into the service by the president from Colorado, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota and South Dakota. The aggregate is 15,000 men.

Ordered to Level Spanish Forts.

The Pacific blockade of the Cuban coast has ended. Commodore Watson commanding the blockading squadron, has been given orders to attack and destroy the Spanish fortifications. The order covers the whole line of the blockade, except at Havana, and is intended to clear the way for the army of invasion.

Indiana Regiments to the Front.

The one hundred and fifty-seventh regiment, Indiana national guard, the twenty-seventh and twenty-eighth batteries, the one hundred and fifty-eighth regiment and the one hundred and fifty-ninth are now at Chickamauga.

Spanish Warships Receive Arms.

A number of Spanish warships, which were recently destitute of armament, have been supplied with Krupp guns. German artillerymen have been secured to serve with the Spanish forces.

Soldiers Land in Cuba.

About forty soldiers of the First United States Infantry effected a temporary landing near Cabanas, Cuba. Our troops suffered no casualties, but ten Spaniards are reported killed and wounded.

Could Not Land in Cuba.

The steamer Gussie, which was to have landed an expedition in Cuba with a large quantity of arms and ammunition, returned to Key West without having accomplished its purpose.

To Be Made into a Republic.

It is rumored in Europe that the Philippines will form the nucleus of a republic under American protection and gradually be increased by the addition of other Pacific islands.

San Juan Surrenders.

San Juan has capitulated to Sampson. Admiral Sampson has secured many thousands of tons of coal, which will either be destroyed or appropriated to the use of the fleet.

Illinois Regiments Mustered In.

The First Illinois regiment of infantry was mustered into the service of the United States as volunteers. The Third and Fifth regiments have left for Chickamauga.

Spanish Loss at San Juan.

The Spanish loss during the bombardment of San Juan was one officer and three soldiers killed, thirteen soldiers wounded, one civilian killed and thirty wounded.

No Protest Has Been Made.

It is officially denied that the United States government protested to the government of the Netherlands against the presence of Spanish warships at Curacao.

Volunteers Sent to Tampa.

The war department has sent 13,000 volunteers to Tampa in order that they may become seasoned to the climate and improved by association with the regulars.

Manila Must Soon Surrender.

Rear Admiral Dewey remains in Manila bay, blockading the city, which is beginning to suffer from the lack of sufficient food. It must soon surrender.

CONGRESSIONAL RECORD.

Condensed Report of the Doings in Senate and House.

THE PRESIDENT'S FIRST VETO.

By a Unanimous Vote the House Sustains the Chief Executive—War Revenue Bill Has Its First Introduction to the Senate.

Friday, May 13.

The entire session of the house was devoted to pension and private claim bills. The house agreed to adjourn until Monday and at 5 p. m. recessed until 8 o'clock. The evening session was devoted to pension business.

Monday, May 16.

President McKinley sent to the house his first veto. He disapproved the passage of a bill intended to authorize the reopening of a claim against the government by the heirs of Isaac P. Tice for the use of a whisky meter, which was settled more than twenty years ago by the judgments of the court of claims and of the supreme court. The house by a unanimous vote on reconsideration refused to pass the bill over the veto.

The debate on the war revenue measure was begun in the senate. It was estimated that the bill, as it came from the house, would raise about \$100,000,000 a year. As reported from the senate committee, Mr. Allison estimates that it will raise \$151,497,066.

Tuesday, May 17.

During the session of the house two important bills affecting labor were passed, one limiting the labor of persons employed upon government works and in government service to eight hours daily, and the other providing for the equipment of a nonpartisan labor commission to consider legislative problems affecting labor.

ILLINOIS PEOPLE'S PARTY.

State Convention at Springfield Results in a Split.

The Illinois people's party state convention resulted in a split. The "middle of the road" men got control of the state central committee. The fusion delegation under the leadership of Dr. Howard S. Taylor left the hall in a body. The ticket nominated by the "middle of the road" men is: State treasurer, John W. Hess, Milton; superintendent of public instruction, Charles M. Haskins, Chicago; trustees, University of Illinois, A. C. Vantine, Iowa; Dr. Mary Bradner Lincoln, Chicago. Members of the national committee, J. D. Hess, Pittsfield; F. R. Cole, Chicago; G. W. Wickline, Belvidere.

Indiana Democrats Meet June 22.

The Indiana democratic state central committee decided to hold the state convention on Wednesday, June 22. After some discussion of the matter it was determined that the call shall include nominations for appellate judges, notwithstanding the last legislature extended the terms of the present judges to 1900.

Britain Will Fortify St. Johns.

The Newfoundland government has been advised that, owing to complications between Great Britain and France, which are likely to result in war, and to the constant friction always developing along the French shore of Newfoundland, the imperial authorities intend to fortify St. Johns.

Fatal Fire at St. Hyacinthe, Que.

A disastrous fire burned the Matera St. Joseph, at St. Hyacinthe, Quebec, causing the loss of seven lives and the injury of a number of inmates, of whom there were 200 in the institution, by jumping from windows. There are also five persons unaccounted for.

Balance of Trade in Our Favor.

The foreign commerce of the United States for the fiscal year ending June 30 will be the most remarkable ever known in the history of the country. The balance of trade in favor of the United States for the twelve months, will approximate \$600,000,000.

Japan to Make a Protest.

It is said that Japan intends to protest vigorously against the anticipated American seizure of the Philippine Islands. Japan seeks countenance in such a protest from Russia, with whom she has already communicated on the subject.

Paris Press Abuses America.

The Paris press continues its campaign of abuse against the United States. The Patrie is especially ingenious in devising new forms of insult. It informs its readers, under livid headings, that general anarchy prevails in the United States.

Wheeler to Command Cavalry.

Gen. Joseph E. Wheeler, the old confederate cavalry leader, will command the United States cavalry in the Cuban army of invasion.

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J. D. Lamey made a trip to Chicago Saturday.

Emil Schaefer and family spent Sunday in Elgin.

Mr. and Mrs. Nic Stenger were Chicago callers Tuesday.

Spare the rod and you miss half the pleasures of fishing.

Henry Lageschulte was a Chicago visitor Monday.

August Boehmer made a trip to Dundee yesterday.

Al Pearson is now employed in Geo. Schaefer's meat market.

James Gainer of Wauconda was here on business Thursday.

George Helmerdinger of Cary, Ill., visited with his parents Tuesday.

The stand pipe of the Barrington water works was filled Tuesday.

Rev. H. E. Clark of Chicago visited friends here the first of the week.

Waukegan has a big building boom. Not a carpenter is idle in the city.

L. F. Schroeder and A. W. Meyer made a trip to Aurora Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lipofsky left yesterday for Chicago to visit friends.

Miss Annie Kosmin of Wheeling is visiting with her sister Mrs. Paul Miller.

H. J. O'Hara was out to his summer home on Fox river the first of the week.

L. C. Price of Wauconda was a pleasant caller at this office Wednesday.

Ascension Day was appropriately observed at the Barrington churches Thursday.

The Modern Woodmen lodge of Algonquin will give a picnic in the near future.

Mrs. Louisa Bennett has sold her hotel business at Woodstock and is now living here.

Fred Sommerfield and August Algrim returned from a trip to Wisconsin Wednesday.

The Palatine fire department will test the water works system at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

G. W. Johnson left for Woodstock Thursday, where he will spend a few days visiting friends.

Arnold Schauble is agent for the Minneapolis thrasher, an inexpensive machine of unusual merit.

John Westphal, William Elsner and Fred Anderson were Dundee visitors Friday evening of last week.

Miss Rosa Lock of Marseilles is a guest at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Butzow.

If men would never frequent any place unfit for ladies to go, the standard of morality would be very much raised.

Get your buggy painted for Decoration Day by Louis Todd on the Dodge farm, 1 1/2 miles west of Barrington.

Two thousand dollars to loan in amounts to suit. For particulars call on or address M. T. LAMEY, Barrington, Ill.

Miss Wendell, accompanied by Mr. Fred Delaney, of Chicago, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Schaefer Sunday.

Thursday was celebrated by Barrington's blacksmiths by going fishing. We did not ascertain how many fish they caught.

All who desire flower plants for Decoration Day should leave their order at Wm. Grunau's barber shop early next week.

Rev. A. Strickfaden left yesterday for Ohio, Ill., to look after some property which was damaged by the big cyclone Wednesday.

Mrs. Fred Beinhoff Sr., accompanied by her children Miss Lydia and Master George, made a visit to Chicago Tuesday.

Rev. Menzel, of Barrington and Rev. Jacoby, of Elgin were guests of Rev. and Mrs. Hausmann Monday.—Elgin Courier of May 14.

The Chicago Ceylon's will cross bats with the Lake County Unions at the Lake Zurich ball grounds tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. H. Kimberly, after spending the winter months in Massachusetts, returned to their summer home at Honey Lake Saturday.

The annual picnic of the M. W. A. of Illinois and Wisconsin will be held at Rockford, Illinois, on June 2nd this year. A "big" time is promised.

Brother Burke of the Antioch News has enlarged to a seven column folio size. He prints a good, lively paper, of which the people of Antioch should be proud.

W. H. Snyder of the Chicago Telephone Co. was at Lake Zurich Monday making arrangements for completion of the long distance telephone to Zurich.

Fred Schaefer was tendered a surprise party Thursday evening by a host of his friends. A most agreeable evening was spent by all.

A picnic will be given by the Jugendverein of St. Paul's church on Thursday, June 9th, in Comstock's grove. An excellent time is assured all who attend.

Mrs. Koss Martin of Cary spent Thursday with her son, John C. Martin. Mrs. Martin was accompanied by Mrs. Wagner and Miss Bollman of Crystal Lake.

Rev. Thos. F. Leyden, former pastor of St. Ann's Catholic church, of this place, but now of Apple River Ill., visited with friends here the first of the week.

Mrs. James Brockway, who resides at Augusta, Oklahoma, was killed in a cyclone Wednesday evening. Her daughter, Miss Sadie, was slightly injured.

The Hampshire Register came out four pages stronger than usual last week, owing to the demand for advertising space, and The Register gave a good write-up of the minister's meeting of the Rockford district.

Commencing with today the ice-cream parlors of Henry Butzow will be found a most attractive place to take your best girl on Saturdays and Sundays. Delicious ice cream and prompt service is Mr. Butzow's motto.

Where but a small quantity of paint is required it will pay you to call on J. D. Lamey & Co. They have a nice assortment of colors in half-pint, pint, quart, half-gallon and gallon cans.

The committee appointed by the President of the Village Board at the last meeting purchased 800 feet of fire hose and a hose cart on Wednesday. The hose was purchased at a cost of 53 1/2 cents per foot.

The McHenry Journal started on its second year last Saturday. Few country weeklies present a better typographical appearance than The Journal, and its columns are full of spicy news items.

The Dundee correspondent of The Elgin Courier says: "The Dundee Clippers went to Lake Zurich and lined up against the Lake County Unions. The home boys admit they were defeated but are unable to remember the score."

NOTICE—All persons owning lots in Evergreen cemetery are requested to clean them and cut the grass before May 30th. The cemetery must be cleared of all rubbish. M. B. MCINTOSH, Superintendent.

Five cars of lumber arrived this week for the new residence of John Robertson. Plagge & Co. have the contract for furnishing the lumber. When Mr. Robertson's house is completed it will be the largest and most imposing in this vicinity.

George Wagner has on exhibition at his meat market a stuffed calf that has two heads and six legs. It is one of the biggest curiosities that we have ever seen. It was born at Roselle, and lived only a short time.

The camp meeting of the Salem Evangelical Church association, which will commence on June 17th, promises to be an interesting one this year. Good programs have been arranged. Accommodations will be prepared for a large crowd.

The telephone to Chicago is now in working order. In fact, if you want to talk with anyone in any city or town in the United States that has telephone connection you can be accommodated. The toll station here is at J. D. Lamey & Co.'s office.

Don't forget the picnic at Lake Zurich on Sunday, May 29th, given by the Plattdeutsche Gilde of this place. Tickets, including the dance in the evening, only 50 cents. Good music and plenty of amusements will be furnished.

The painting and repairs have just been completed on the Barrington Center M. E. church; and the first services of the season will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. Rev. Ream will preach. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these afternoon services.

The caucus held in F. H. Plagge's office yesterday morning for the purpose of selecting delegates to the Republican convention to be held at Libertyville at 1:30 this afternoon resulted as follows: F. H. Plagge, Fred Kirschner, M. T. Lamey, W. Leonard and F. H. Hollister.

The following services will be held at the Baptist church tomorrow: Morning, at 10:30 o'clock, topic, "Behold, the Man," illustrated from Christ and Gladstone; evening, a lecture delivered by Col. John Sobieski, who is a temperance reform lecturer for the State of Illinois. All are welcome to these services.

Tomorrow evening at the M. E. church, Rev. T. E. Ream will preach on the topic: "Lessons From a Life" or "The Death of Mr. Gladstone." The text is from 2nd Samuel 3rd ch. 38 v: "A Prince and a great man is fallen in Israel." Special singing will be rendered and all are cordially invited to attend.

Little Stella Harnden had a very happy time last Saturday afternoon with sixteen of her little friends whom she had invited in honor of her fifth birthday. The little guests were served with tempting refreshments, and Stella received many pretty gifts. Those present were: Viola and Jennie Lines, Mable Peck, Grace Shipman, Leslie Meyer, Edwin Austin, Linda and Irene Wiseman, Robin and Freddie Hawley, Madeline Blocks, Ruth Myers, Lydia Decker, Florence Colten, Emma and Roy Pingle and Howard Harnden.

Marshal Sandman had quite a time "jugging" a prisoner Tuesday. As the marshal passed Peck's store he saw a man sitting on the walk swearing like a trooper. He turned out to be a railroad laborer who had imbibed too much fire-water. It did not take long for Marshal Sandman to make up his mind what to do. He took the man in charge and started to walk him off to the "cooler," but before he got far the man made up his mind that he did not like the officer's company, and refused to go, but when our police officers make up their minds to do a thing they generally succeed, and so it was in this case. The inebriate was jailed, and Police Magistrate McIntosh decided that the marshal had earned \$3 and costs for the village.

At the last regular meeting of the Independent Order of Good Templars of Barrington Lodge No. 920, a motion was unanimously carried to secure the services of Col. John Sobieski to spend one week lecturing in Barrington. Mr. Sobieski is very entertaining and helpful. He is a Poleander by birth, has spent a number of years in America, 10 years of which were in the United States army. Lately he has entered the work of reform. Sunday evening there will be speaking in the Baptist church; Monday evening, Salem church; Tuesday evening, M. E. church; Wednesday evening, Lodge room; Thursday evening, Zion church and Friday evening at the M. E. church. Meetings will commence at 7:30 o'clock. All are welcome to these meetings.

The benefit that the village derived from the renting of their hall to the B. S. A. club for their dance last evening was that a new sidewalk was laid from Hough street to the front door of the hall. About six members of the club, including the officers, doffed their coats, rolled up their sleeves and worked like beavers for a few hours, the result being a good walk. We can't say whether it is on grade line or not, though, or who was "boss" of the job. LATER—(Daylight yestery morning) Street Commissioner Sandman, after a careful inspection of the walk discovered that it did not meet the requirements of the sidewalk ordinance, for part of the walk was above and part below grade line, besides it resembled a triangle, consequently the street commissioner ordered it torn up. [As this was the

boys' first experience in building sidewalks, and that was done in the dark, they need not feel bad about the commissioner's poor (?) taste.

Mission Band's Annual Meeting.

The little folks that compose the Mission Band of the Salem church never do things by halves when it comes to preparing the program for their annual meeting, and last Sunday evening's program was admitted to be the best ever presented by them, and was as follows:

Song, "Jesus Liebt Die Kinder"—By Mission Band.

Solo, "Sing, Kleiner Bobolink"—Six girls. Scripture reading and prayer by Rev. Strickfaden.

Recitation—Clara Homuth.

Recitation—Lena Thies.

Solo—Almeda Plagge.

Dialogue—Jennie and Ada Landwer.

Musical Selection—Junior Orchestra.

Recitation—Samuel Naehner.

Recitation—George Meier.

Dialogue, "Frage und Antwort"—Rosa and Clara Lageschulte.

Solo and chorus, "Who'll Be a Soldier, Fighting for the Lord?"—George Landwer, soloist, and eleven boys, all dressed in uniforms and carrying their guns.

"Drei Edelsteine der Weisheit"—Luella Landwer, Tillie Thies and Alma Heinrich.

Song, "Komm zu Jesu"—Alma Stiefenhofer, Lydia Sodt, Irene Alberding and Louisa Boehmer.

Dialogue, "Der Uhrmacher"—Herbert Plagge and Ben Schroeder.

Duet, "Just a Little Pansy"—Mabel Stiefenhofer and Myrtle Plagge.

Musical Selection—Junior Orchestra.

Dialogue, "Anschauungs Unterricht"—Eight girls.

Song—Four little girls.

Song and march, "Why Should Children Be So Happy?"—Twelve girls dressed in white and carrying flowers.

Dialogue, "Das Goldene Thor"—Luella Plagge, Herbert Plagge, Nelta Strickfaden, Willie Sodt, Nora Plagge, Irvin Landwer, Esther Kampert, Martha Naehner, Mabel Stiefenhofer, Almeda Plagge, Wellington Strickfaden and Clarence Landwer.

Song, "Dankbar Sollen Wir Kinder Sein"—Mission Band.

It was just 7:30 o'clock when Miss Luella Plagge played a march, the signal for the Mission Band to march, from the ante room to the stage usually occupied by the choir.

Especial mention must be made of the dialogue, "Das Golden Thor," which was especially well rendered, as was also the solo, song and drill "Who'll Be a Soldier Fighting for the Lord." These two numbers were excellent.

There is one thing that must be said to the credit of the members of Barrington's Mission Band, and that is that if they agree to take part in the program they never back out and when the time comes to render it they are found to be as perfect as can possibly be so.

This society is about five years old, and numbers seventy members. A meeting is held every month, and a collection of 2 cents monthly is taken, which goes towards the missionary cause. The age of the members is from 4 to 14 years of age. Miss Luella Plagge is President.

Miss Mary Frye is the leader, and Miss Ella Schaefer assistant. Great credit is due these young ladies for the painstaking care they exercise in drilling the young folks.

The Village Fathers Meet in Adjourned Special Session.

Saturday evening our village fathers again assembled, and talked over various matters of interest to the village.

The first matter brought up was the injunction case against the C. & N.-W. Railroad company. Trustee Willmarth said that Village Attorney Redmond had informed him that the railroad company was ready to have the case come to trial. It was decided to interview the property owners affected and see what they want done. [This case resulted from the railroad company attempting to fill in the ditch along their right-of-

way, and which ditch is claimed by the village to be a natural waterway.]

A communication from the Western Electric Co. requested the Board to appoint a committee to ascertain what terms could be made to run the water works and electric light plant in connection. This matter was laid on table till next meeting.

It was decided by the Board to purchase 800 feet of fire hose. Peck, Richardson and Plagge were appointed a committee to purchase the hose.

No further business being before the Board the meeting adjourned.

Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of unclaimed letters at the Barrington postoffice May 13, 1898:

Firre Francesco, Barney Gillis, Loman Pauls, McBride & Son, A. J. Pettyjohn.

H. K. BROCKWAY, Postmaster.

Notice of Letting Gravel Contracts in the Town of Cuba.

Notice is hereby given that proposals will be received by the Commissioners of Highways of the Town of Cuba, at the office of J. D. Lamey & Co., in said Town, on the 28th day of May, at 9 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of receiving bids to gravel roads as follows:

1st. From Hollister's corners thence north 160 rods.

2nd. From F. A. Cady's gate thence west 140 rods.

3rd. From G. W. Johnson's house thence east 120 rods.

4th. From Burkitt's thence west 150 rods.

5th. From near Kelsey's school east 60 rods.

6th. On Milkstand road, 200 yards for repairs.

7th. From Gottschalk's thence west; 100 yards for repairs.

8th. From Donlea's thence east 180 rods.

9th. From Davlin's thence north to gravel 180 rods.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

American trade is very valuable to foreign nations. If any European country should seek to interfere on the side of Spain, all that would be necessary in order to bring it up standing would be to follow out the recommendation contained in a resolution passed by the Federation of Labor and boycott in America the productions and manufactures of that country.

The public baths of Philadelphia go to sustain the charge of a certain disgruntled Englishman that men are cleaner than women because men bath oftener, as proved by the use of public baths. Philadelphia has provided one-third fewer baths for women than for men in the establishments where for a very small fee anybody may wash and be clean.

The Spanish warry, "Down with the American pigs!" The American warry, "Remember the Maine!"

The running expenses of one of our big battleships amount to as much as \$1,500 a day.

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If you have a party, have visitors, go visiting, know of anyone sick, etc, inform

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BARRINGTON, ILL.

If you want to sell or buy real estate, want a hired girl or man, advertise in The Review.

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About our meats that is appreciated by the cook.

It is not necessary to pound the steaks with a mallet to make them yield up their juiciness. Nor to use great care in broiling or roasting.

Our beef, lamb, veal, mutton and pork is so good in itself that the chances of spoiling them in bad cooking are small.

Every piece of meat we sell is cut from prime, well fed and carefully handled animals.



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