

# BARRINGTON REVIEW.

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## PALATINE LOCALS.

**A. G. SMITH, LOCAL EDITOR**

Social next Thursday.

Will Williams is enjoying a vacation.

The depot has received some needed repairs.

School will begin a week from next Wednesday.

Miss Alice Filbert of Minneapolis is a guest at the home of F. J. Filbert.

M. Richmond is having a good cement walk built in front of his residence.

Fred Blum returned home from Minnesota last Tuesday on his wedding trip.

Mrs. G. H. Arps and children visited with Mrs. Arp's brother at Terra Cotta the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith of Des Plaines visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Flenti, the past week.

Mrs. Roberts and son, Arthur, of Des Plaines were guests at the home of R. H. Lytle and family on Wednesday.

Robert Mosser found it necessary to kill one of his dogs Monday on account of it being sick. Some of the boys gave it a proper burial with ceremonies.

James Everheart of Keeler, Mich., and Will Crittenton of Chicago spent Wednesday and Thursday at the home of G. H. Arps.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Filbert and daughters drove over to Hampshire Saturday, where they visited with friends over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleary sincerely thank their many friends in Palatine for the kind assistance rendered them during their late bereavement.

The new sewer which is being put in in the east part of town is being rapidly pushed to completion. When completed this will give that section of the village a good drainage.

H. J. Stroker, H. W. Harmenting, A. G. Sutherland and Dr. W. P. Schirring represented Palatine lodge of the Maccabees at Roselle last Saturday. They report an excellent time.

Frank Collier was in town Sunday filling the village with the latest popular airs. He came out Monday and enjoyed the cool, night breezes on Mr. Prellberg's front porch, which he considered more comfortable than a bed. Maybe it was.

The Barrington Social and Athletic club will give a dance in Oak Park pavilion, Lake Zurich, on Saturday evening, August 27th. Dancing commences promptly at 8 o'clock. A Chicago orchestra will furnish music for the occasion. Tickets, 50 cents. A cordial invitation is extended all.

The ladies will give an ice cream social in the Methodist church next Thursday evening, September 1st. The proceeds will be sent to the sick soldiers. The lawn will be used for an overflow crowd, and the ladies expect all who can to turn out and assist them in doing their share towards contributing to the needy boys in blue. Remember the date, and be there.

Berenice Frances, beloved daughter of Frank and Clara Cleary, died at the home of H. W. Thurston, in Palatine, Saturday August 20th 1898, aged 7 months 3 weeks and 4 days. The remains were interred in the Palatine cemetery on Sunday, August 21st. Mr. and Mrs. Cleary were visiting with Mr. Thurston for a few days. Their baby had been sickly for some time, and suddenly grew worse Saturday, and despite all that medical science and loving hands could do it was found impossible to preserve the little life.

### Excursion Tickets to the County Fair at Rockford.

Via the North-Western Line, will be sold at reduced rates August 27 to September 3, inclusive, limited to September 3. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

### Morris-Gibbs Nuptials.

Miss Eva Mae Morris and Mr. Ray Miner Gibbs were united in marriage at the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Morris, four miles northeast of Palatine, last Wednesday afternoon, Rev. N. McKelnie, pastor of the Arlington Heights Presbyterian church officiating. The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion. After the ceremony which made the young people one, the large gathering of relatives sat down to a grand wedding feast arranged by Mrs. Charles Morris. The wedding presents were many and costly. The happy couple drove to Wheeling to take the train to Chicago. From there they started for a trip to Michigan. After their return they will reside in Arlington Heights.

The groom is the eldest son of Mrs. R. L. Gibbs, and is a popular young man among his acquaintances. He is a graduate of the American Dental college and also of the Dental department of Northwestern university, and has been in practice at Arlington Heights for about a year, where he has built up a large and profitable practice.

The bride is a Palatine girl, having graduated from our High school with the Class of '94. She received a certificate to teach in Cook county, and in 1895 taught a district school west of Palatine; from there she went to teach at Wheeling, and afterwards secured a position as instructor in the Des Plaines Public schools.

Those present were: Messrs. and Mesdames James E. Morris, Charles Morris, Floyd Gibbs, George Anderman, W. Thomas of Chicago, David Wood, R. M. Putnam, and Rev. N. McKelnie of Arlington Heights; Mesdames R. L. Gibbs, Jeanette Johnson and G. Stroker, and Messrs. Alfonso Morris of Chicago, W. A. Putnam and Dennis Putnam.

### Our Poys Vin.

(BY HANS SCHMUCKER.)

As de poys vot belongs to de fire campny in Palatine went to Des Plaines last Sunday by invitashun of dose Des Plaines firemens, und von a nople victry at dot blace, I taut I would tell your reaters about dot. Vell der shief, Mr. Ost, und sixteen of his mens vent dere und dey looks purty mit dere plue shirts mit vite letters und dere shiney hats. Vell, poorty soon de feller vot runs de shebang he gets de firemens from Veeling, Bensinville, Arlington Hites'unt Palatine all together in a boonch und den he march dem in a proceshun troo dee streets uff dere village for der peoples to look at. Vell, den we goes mit de grove in, vere de fellers culd get vot dey wanted to drink—for de rifer runs rite troo de grounds. Vell ven ve gits dere de firemens vrom Bensinville, de Hites unt Palatine tink dot dey yud like to vin dot prise speakin trumpit vod de commidy gives away. So dey first try mit de hose cart. Dose fellers wanted de Palatine fellers to go ahet unt show vot dey coot do, but de Palatine fellers nefer saw dose tricks done, so de Bensinville fellers do it first to show dem how. Vell, dey dun purty vell, but two fellers fell down so it vas yust dirty-six seconds pefore dey vas reddy to put out von fire. Dot vas poorty goot, but dose Hites fellers dey vas besser, dey do dot same ting in dirty-von unt von-half seconds. Den de Palatine fellers come oop, unt de Hites fellers vinked mit dere eyes at de oder fellers und Doc he says "by shiminy, poys, I vouldn't do it ver I you. You yust get peat unt den de peoples laf at you." Vell, de fellers dey didn't care, so dey runs like glases mit dot cart unt dot Herman Geisikie feller grap de ent uf dose hose unt he yumps on de ground mit it and crawls fer to de plug aud puts she on quick like lightn already und dot leetle Lytle poy puts de nussel on de uder ent of dere hose unt Weely Ost he makes de pieces together und de umpire hollers dirty seconds unt everybody yumps oop unt hollers for Palatine unt de Palatine rellers take de trumpet to get she full. Vell, dot vas poorty goot seem as how dose Hites fellers vas vurkin efr y nite for sevl veeks to get dot trumpet unt dose Palatine fellers hat not praktrised vonce since dose new vater vorks vas put oop. Vell, de next ting vos de hook unt latter con-

test, unt dese fellers vent in to bring dot silver lantern home mit dose trumpet. Vell, dose Bensinville fellers vas goot stuff, but dey got tired so quick already pefore dey go de hundred yards dot dey do it in only twenty-eight seconds. Den dose Palatine fellers got reaty, ven Mr. Eckert, vot owns de grove, said dot he tinks he not like de Palatine fellers to do dot, cus dey run so schwift dey purnt de grass out. After vile he let dem go. Vell, dey come like shiminy Christmus unt dot leetle Geisiki feller he vent oop dot ladder like vas a monkey, unt de peeples cheered ven de umpire says twenty-seven seconds. Vell, de Heights fellers tried unt de umpire he says de same time vonce more, Vell, den de Heights fellers wanted de prise vetter dey von it or not, but dot old Lytle feller says dot in a horse rase if de rase is von tie den de rase must pe run vonce more, but if von of de fellers refuses den de uder feller he gets de prise. Vell, de Heights fellers vould not run again so de yudges helt anudder elecshun vot vos not on the Australian syshtem und dey fint dot dose Heights fellers von by von-quarter uf a second after all. Vell, we haf von goot time anyhow, soo goot pye.

### Excursion Tickets to Northern Illinois Fair at Freeport.

Via the North-Western Line, will be sold at reduced rates September 5 to 9, inclusive, limited to September 10. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

### Knights of the Globe Anniversary, Sycamore, Aug. 29, 1898.

On account of the above the North-Western Line will sell round trip tickets to Sycamore from all stations in Wisconsin and Illinois south of Madison, Wis., at one and one-third fares for the round trip August 28 and 29, limited until August 30.

The latest decision of the naval board as to what should be recommended to congress at the forthcoming session is in line with the lessons of the war. The conviction is not that we should have the biggest navy in the world, but the very best warships which can be built. The factor of speed has impressed itself on experts as a superlative need in the most effective work. The new programme proposes three battleships of between 13,000 and 14,000 tons displacement and not less than 19 knots of speed. These would greatly surpass any battleships now afloat. For armored cruisers three are to be recommended of about 12,000 tons and of 24 knots speed, if possible, but not less than 22. Besides these a number of protected cruisers superior in class to Admiral Dewey's Olympia and several 2,500 ton cruisers are deemed important. It is in the line of increased speed that naval improvement now recognizes the most need.

The establishment of game farms or private preserves by rich men is becoming more and more a fad, even by those who never fired a gun. Mr. William Rockefeller has purchased 25,000 acres in the Adirondacks with the purpose of stocking it with our finest game animals and birds. Nearby the place, which is in the vicinity of Paul Smith's, are the lands of other large game preserves and hunting clubs. Austin Corbin's experiment in New Hampshire is bearing multiplied fruit.

Senhor Mendonca, the new Brazilian minister to Portugal, on his presentation to the king indulged in an unusually flowery outbreak over the glories of the Portuguese race. "When at the end of the century about to begin, the Portuguese language will be spoken by 100,000,000 of men," said he. If other races increase in proportion, there will be standing room only.

The Snowquialmie falls in Washington bid fair to rival the marvelous resources of Niagara as a fountain of electric energy to be distributed for purposes of lighting and motor force. It is estimated that 100,000 horsepower will be easily made available when the plant is completed.

There is a hackneyed apothegm which says, "Strike while the iron is hot." The man who finally clutches fortune by the hair is he who does not wait for the iron to be hot. He makes it hot by hammering on it.

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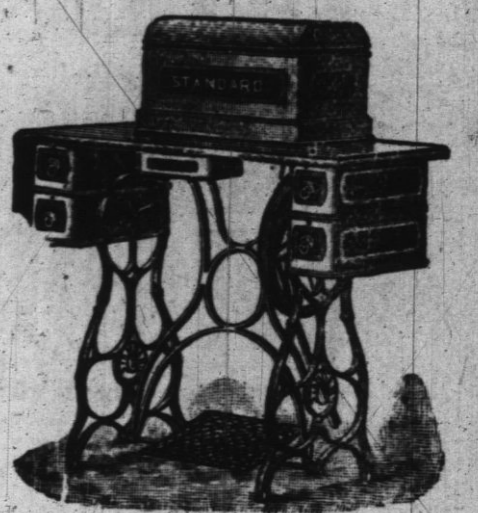
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# VALUE OF OUR NAVAL MILITIA

## They Have Won a Record for Their Coolness and Bravery.—Gallant Lads Who Have Acted Like Veteran Seamen in the War with Spain.

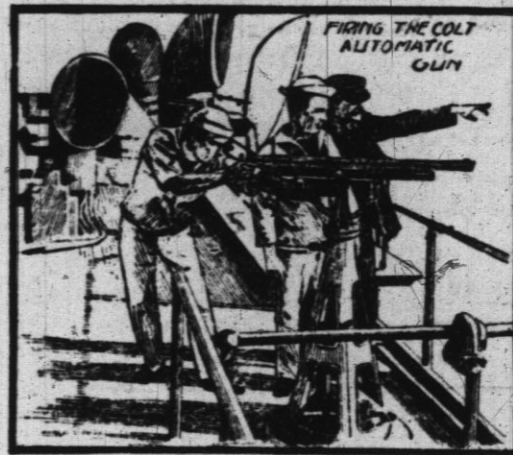
The gallant boys of the naval militia who are manning the auxiliary cruisers Yankee, Yosemite and Prairie, particularly the former, have already won for themselves a record for bravery and coolness in action which the regular marines may well envy. The naval militia is composed of young men, many of whom have been accustomed to lives of luxury, while few of them are used to hard work or rough, out-of-door life. Many naval experts have been skeptical of the efficiency of such troops in actual service. In the recent fighting off Santiago these recruits have covered themselves with glory while occupying a very dangerous and important position, and have won warm praise from Admiral Sampson.

The Yankee, with its crew of naval reserves, did not come into action until the bombardment of the fortifications guarding the harbor of Santiago. Her crew had been waiting for weeks for an opportunity to attack the Spaniards, and had grown impatient at the delay. The first chance came unexpectedly on the morning of June 6, when the second attack was made on the forts at the entrance to Santiago harbor. The signal was given for the ships to form in an immense crescent surrounding the mouth of the harbor, the Yankee taking up an exposed position near the shore batteries. Throughout the engagement she kept close in shore, fighting the batteries near the beach. The Yankee throughout made a fine showing, the young tars fighting like old bluejackets, and pouring in a savage fire without interruption. Their marksmanship was besides excellent, a large percentage of their shots taking effect.

Throughout this very spirited fight the Yankee was within range of scores of guns, most of which were in constant action. The vessel was meanwhile kept moving at a slow speed, thus enabling her to dodge the shower of solid shot rained upon her. The battle continued for more than an hour,

silenced it was a comparatively easy matter to fish up the cable and cut it. In the afternoon the Yankee returned, and entering the outer harbor took up a position near the forts and channel of the inner harbor. The audacity of the little boat in thus challenging the enemy's fire won for the reserves the respect of the entire fleet.

The most effective work the Yankee has performed so far was in assisting in the landing of marines and establishing a landing station near Guantanamo. The spirited firing of the Yankee proved to be of great assistance to the troops. The naval reserves have, therefore, the honor of striking a decisive blow at the Cuban



fortifications and making possible the first invasion of the island. The work of the young marines has so favorably impressed Admiral Sampson that he dispatched the Yankee to combine with the Oregon and Marblehead to take the most important positions in covering the landing of the first troops in Cuba. The landing was effected on the afternoon of June 11. The shallow waters of the bay would not permit of the heavy warships approaching near enough to the land to cover the landing of troops from the Spanish soldiers who were lurking in the underbrush, so that the smaller vessels were obliged to do practically all the work. After silencing the batteries the Yankee and Marblehead moved to within a hundred yards of the shore, followed by the troopship Panther, carrying the landing party.

The position of the cruisers Yankee and Marblehead was a particularly dangerous one, owing to the peculiar formation of the shore.

The work of landing the marines required several hours. After several broadsides had been fired into the thick underbrush to sweep out, as it were, any stray Spaniards who might be ambushed there, the Yankee and Marblehead lowered all their boats, and, manning them with their best crews, started for the troopship Panther. The naval reserves have shown themselves quite as skillful with their oars as with their guns, and on this occasion their service with the small boats elicited very favorable comment from the flagship.

The landing party consisted of some six hundred marines from the First battalion of Brooklyn, under the command of Colonel Collier. The boats manned by the reserves carried from twelve to fifteen of these marines and their guns on each trip ashore. The brave fellows, who had been cooped up in the ships' cabins for several weeks were delighted to get ashore. Had it not been for the warlike appearance which the guns and uniforms lent to the men it might have been supposed that they were starting on a summer camping expedition, and everyone was in the best of humor. The Yankee sent six boats to assist in the landing, and the work was push-



when the flagship, the New York, signaled "Cease firing." But the reserves had their fighting blood up by this time, and were in no mood to stop. Obedient to the orders the Yankee slowly and reluctantly turned seaward from the enemy's forts, but at the same time kept up a hot fire from her stern guns. The trick enabled her, while still obeying orders, to keep up the firing for several minutes after the other ships had ceased. The firing was kept up till she was entirely out of range. The old tars of the great battleships laughed heartily at the impudence of the smaller ship, and the officers good naturedly passed it by.

The reserves performed an important service the following day in the work of cutting the cables at Calmanera. A part of the fleet was detailed for this work, consisting of the St. Louis, Marblehead and Yankee, while a couple of gunboats fished up and cut the cable while the others engaged the forts. The attack was directed at the fortifications in Guantanamo bay at 5 o'clock in the morning. As in all previous engagements the fire of the Americans was most effective. The entire forces of all the forts guarding the harbor were directed on these three comparatively small boats, and the position soon became a very dangerous one. The men on the Yankee meanwhile returned the fire shot for shot with perfect coolness and with deadly accuracy. The gunnery of the Spaniards, it was soon noticed, was no better than on other occasions. The fortifications were soon reduced to ruins and many of the Spanish soldiers were killed. The Yankee meanwhile ran directly under the great forts and hammered away in a perfectly cool and business-like manner. Early in the engagement the cable operators were driven out of the cable station to the woods back of the town. With the enemy

splash in the water nearby, but this little attention from the enemy seemed only to lend a certain relish and air of excitement to the work. No one for a moment thought or suggested a retreat. As soon as a small party of the marines had been landed they formed in line of battle and advanced on some huts and a signal station standing back from the shore. These were found to be quite deserted, and almost demolished by the bombardment which the Yankee and Marblehead had administered the day before. The first work was, of course, to raise the stars and stripes above the ruined signal house. The flag pole, which was still standing, commanded an extended view of the harbor for several miles. As the flag floated gloriously above the palms a mighty cheer went up, which was answered by the marines on every ship in the harbor. Old Glory had at last been raised in Cuba to stay. The reserves had helped more than the marines of any other ship to place them there.

### OUR STORED-UP POWER.

Staybolt Considers Man Is Built Upon a Compartment Plan.

"Man is, as one might say," said Mr. Staybolt, "built in series of compartments, though he may not know this fact at the outset, and he may, indeed, go through life and die without knowing it, taking with him unused stocks of ability and strength that he had never known he possessed, simply because they were never brought into play. As to what will bring their qualities into play men differ. There are some few men who command themselves, and some who open at a touch; and then there are many who respond only to the most urgent call. But there are few men who cannot in some way be moved into action. This brings me, for illustration, to a brief consideration of the personal quality commonly denominated as sand, of which, I imagine, most of us possess far more than we suspect. For there are few men who finally run away; mighty few who will not stand up and fight when they feel that they are really called upon. But our sand is in compartments, and most of us, I fancy, open only one and make that last through life, and we die without knowing how brave we are, unless some great occasion, independent of ourselves, opens another compartment, and shows us what we really have in reserve. I might add that there are few, if any, revelations that come to us in life that give us greater pleasure or more enlarge our horizon. The moral of all this is that in our good qualities we should trust ourselves without hesitation. There are qualities which easily suggest themselves, which it would be better to leave unused, better for ourselves and for everybody else, if the compartments containing them were never opened; but as to such qualities as pluck, endurance, energy, capacity and moral strength, we should call upon ourselves freely. We should not take down with us, as otherwise we are almost certain to do, stores of these valuable qualities untouched, but rather we should draw upon them now and constantly and confidently, and in so doing we shall be gratified with our constant growth in strength and more than gratified with the attending substantial rewards."—New York Sun.

### THE SQUAW MAN.

Information Gleaned by a Lady at a Reception.

At a recent reception at which the fashion and beauty of Denver were assembled one of the ladies found herself next to General Sumner, says the Denver Times. He had been presented to her earlier in the evening, but she had not quite caught his name—certainly not his title. Beamingly, she asked: "May I ask what is your occupation? Don't think me rude, for I have made a study of determining such matters without asking questions, but I must confess that you puzzle me. I am at a complete loss to place you." "Madam," replied the commander of the department of the Colorado, with his most serious countenance, "I am a squaw man." "A—a what?" she managed to gasp. "A squaw man, madam." "I am afraid I don't quite understand yet," said the fair interlocutor after a few minutes' cogitation, in which she took in the general's whole tout ensemble and decided that there must be another meaning to the term besides that to which she had been accustomed. "Why, that is easy enough to explain. In army parlance a squaw man is an officer who, when the rest of the officers are at the front fighting and winning glory, is left at home to guard the women. Madam, I am such an officer." "Oh, that's different," she ejaculated. And then the whirl of the throng carried them apart.

### Links of Life.

Hardluk—"My life reminds me of the career of a golf ball." Feltz—"Why?" Hardluk—"Because I am helped out of one hole only to get into another."—Harper's Bazar.

### Wheeling in Brooklyn.

Bob—"Saw Tom and his wife out wheeling yesterday." Will—"Tandem?" Bob—"No; perambulator."—Tit-Bits.



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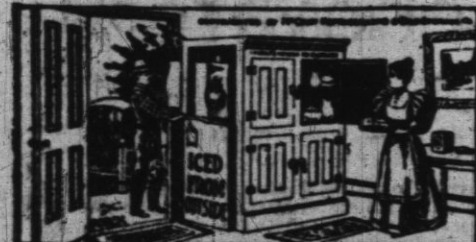
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## STORY OF THE RAILROADS.

General Showing Not So Good as that of the Previous Year.

Washington, Aug. 23.—From summaries which will appear in the tenth statistical report from the interstate commerce commission, prepared by its statistician, the following advance figures are obtained:

On June 30, 1897, there were 123 roads in the hands of receivers. These roads operated a mileage of 17,861 miles, the mileage owned by them being 14,894 miles. These figures, as compared with those of 1896, show that there was a net decrease of 12,614 miles in mileage operated, and 8,622 miles in mileage owned by roads in the charge of receivers. During the year ending June 30, 1897, 51 roads were removed from the control of receivers and 28 roads were placed under their management.

The capital stock represented by railroads in the hands of receivers on June 30, 1897, was \$486,064,610; funded debt, \$531,407,790, and current liabilities, \$113,806,348. A comparison of these figures with those corresponding for the preceding year shows a decrease in capital stock represented of over \$256,000,000 and in funded debt of over \$468,000,000.

The total railway mileage in the United States was 184,428 miles.

Ninety-five per cent of the railway mileage of the country is laid with steel rails. The total number of locomotives in service was 35,986, an increase of 36 for the year. The number of passenger cars was 33,626, and of freight cars 1,221,730.

Of the total number of cars 525,286 were fitted with train brakes, the increase being 76,432, and 678,725 were fitted with automatic couplers, an increase of 113,142.

The number of men employed by the railroads of the United States on June 30, 1897, as reported, was 932,476. These figures assigned on the mileage basis show that 449 men were employed per 100 miles of line. The corresponding figures for the year 1896 were slightly larger.

## SAGASTA'S POSITION.

Will Not Recognize Surrender of the Philippines.

Premier Sagasta states that Spain does not recognize the surrender of the Philippines, as the islands were relinquished by the Spanish commander after the signing of the protocol.

## FOUR CHILDREN BURNED.

Appalling Fatality on a Farm Near Stanley, Iowa.

Four children lost their lives by fire on the farm of Peter Foy, three and one-half miles southeast of Stanley, Iowa. They were sleeping in a barn, which burned.

## Sulphite Plant Is Burned.

Potsdam, N. Y., Aug. 23.—The plant of the High Falls Sulphite Pulp and Mining Company, located at Pyrites, has been destroyed by fire. The cause is not known. The loss is placed at \$300,000, insurance \$50,000. The capital stock of the company is \$150,000, held mostly in Potsdam.

## Five Children Drowned.

A cloudburst in Saw Mill Run, near Pittsburg, caused a tidal wave in that stream which endangered the lives of a dozen persons. Five children are missing and are supposed to have been drowned.

## Fast Torpedo Boat Destroyer.

Twenty-eight knots an hour without a break, without a jar to her machinery and without a mishap is the record of the torpedo boat destroyer Farragut on her fourth trial.

## Insurgents Ordered to Leave.

Owing to the threatening attitude of the insurgents Gen. Merritt has ordered all armed rebels to withdraw at least ten miles from the vicinity of Manila.

## Miners Appeal for Funds.

An appeal has been issued by authority of the executive board of the United Mine Workers of America for funds to aid the striking Pennsylvania coal miners.

## Mighty Fleet to Be Gathered.

Fifty-seven warships are under orders to rendezvous at Fort Monroe, and the orders still to be issued will raise the total to the neighborhood of seventy.

## Spanish Commission Appointed.

The Spanish Porto Rico commission, it is announced, has been appointed. It is composed of Admiral Vallarino, Gen. Ortega and Senor Sanchez Dela guilla.

## Will Muster Out at Once.

After a careful survey of the situation the president has decided to immediately muster out of service all volunteers except 110,000.

## To Settle Border Differences.

The first session of the United States and Great Britain joint high commission was held in the parliament building in Quebec, Aug. 23.

## Big Concerns Unite.

The consolidation of the Minnesota Iron company and the Illinois Steel company is perfected. The capital stock of the new concern is \$29,500,000.

## THE YELLOW METAL.

BRING FOUR TONS OF GOLD FROM THE KLONDIKE.

Argonaut's Return from Alaska on the Roanoke—Joaquin Miller Says the Mines Are the Richest in the World and Hardest to Work.

Seattle, Wash., July 19.—The North American Trading and Transportation Company's steamer Roanoke arrived here at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon from St. Michael's, Alaska, with 240 passengers and with about four tons of gold, which, reduced to dollars, amounts to between \$1,500,000 and \$2,000,000.

Of this amount the Canadian Bank of Commerce had 5,000 ounces and the North American Trading and Transportation Company 20,000 ounces. Probably 50 per cent of the returning miners have fortunes averaging at least \$10,000 each.

Joaquin Miller, the well known poet, who was among the Roanoke's passengers, briefly expressed the general tenor of the stories told by the Roanoke's passengers as follows:

"The Klondike mines are certainly the richest ever found on the face of the earth, but this gold is tenfold harder to get than in any camp I have ever seen."

This is a list of those having the largest individual amounts:

William Sloan.....\$110,000	Robert Linsley.....\$ 6,000
N. Berrette..... 50,000	Ed. Simpson..... 5,000
Alex. Boudette..... 50,000	Charles Welsh..... 5,000
G. N. Beiden..... 51,000	R. C. Walker..... 4,000
G. Anderson..... 49,000	H. Cheatwood..... 4,000
Frank Conrad..... 49,000	Jack Shay..... 4,000
James Ladd..... 49,000	W. H. Dryden..... 3,000
Ed. Monahan..... 35,000	Frank Leslie..... 3,000
L. Spencer..... 30,000	J. Merritt..... 3,000
A. D. Gray..... 30,000	John White..... 3,000
Jos. Chronister..... 20,000	E. Singleton..... 3,000
W. F. Cobb..... 17,000	Charles Allen..... 3,000
Asa McIntosh..... 15,000	J. C. Stewart..... 2,500
J. A. Miller..... 13,000	T. Beveridge..... 2,500
Oie Olsen..... 10,000	John Briggs..... 2,000
Swan Peterson..... 10,000	W. J. McAlpin..... 2,000
J. S. Opedell..... 10,000	David Penstock..... 1,500
Frank Smith..... 8,000	Alex. Little..... 1,500
H. Lackman..... 8,000	James Reed..... 1,500

The miners are reticent about the amounts they brought. The reason for the observance of such secrecy lies in a desire to evade the payment of the 10 per cent. royalty exacted by the Canadian government. Not in every case have the miners paid royalty on the full amount taken out of their claims, and many of them have smuggled out larger sums than they will admit.

It is said that the shipment of gold on the Roanoke would have been much heavier had those in the interior not felt some apprehension of an attack at sea by privateers.

The North American Trading and Transportation Company will, it is stated, ship most of their gold on later boats. Some of the wealthiest miners will come out later in the season.

## G. A. R. Cincinnati Encampment.

The Monon Route, with its four trains daily, is the best and most comfortable line to Cincinnati. The rate will be only 1 cent a mile. Tickets on sale Sept. 3d, 4th, 5th and 6th, good to return Sept. 6th to 13th inclusive, and by extension to Oct. 2d. Send 4 cents in stamps for the Monon's beautifully illustrated book on the Cincinnati Encampment. Frank J. Reed, G. P. A., Chicago. L. E. Sessions, T. P. A., Minneapolis, Minn.

No Room. "There is one good thing about flats." "What is it?" "People who live in them have to put their children to bed when company comes."—Chicago Dispatch.

Wheat 40 Cents a Bushel. How to grow wheat with big profit at 40 cents and samples of Salzer's Red Cross (80 Bushels per acre) Winter Wheat, Rye, Oats, Clovers, etc., with Farm Seed Catalogue for 4 cents postage. JOHN A. SALZER SEED CO., La Crosse, Wis. w.i.u.

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## Cuban Reconstruction.

One thing is becoming clear every day. The conditions of life and social order in Cuba are chaotic and need to be guided with a firm hand. It is vain to disguise from ourselves that our allies in the late war do not fairly represent the intelligence, the industry, the trained skill in doing things and the wealth of Cuban society. For the sake of the Cubans of every class, and the insurgents have as great a stake in the solution as their late opponents and the neutrals, we owe it to ourselves and the world to see that all the elements which make for a healthy reconstitution of affairs in the hitherto distracted island shall have full play. No one who has observed the bias of events can question for a moment that this can be accomplished in aught but one way. The United States must for the present exercise a thoroughgoing protectorate over judicial and political methods. To do otherwise would be to unleash horrors not less woeful than those which we have banished. It is natural that the better class of insurgents should suffer vexation at not being invested with the expected degree of power as builders of a new order of things. But a little reflection should teach men of this stamp that it is the part of wisdom to join hands with all those who frankly accept the new regime and forget the past as soon as possible. If Cuba is to be regenerated, it will be, too, in great measure by American money and enterprise. No thinking Cuban can blink the fact that this movement will be slow, till the American has absolute confidence in the social order.

## Commerce and War.

It is customary to think of wars in the past as having been in large degree the fruit of lust of conquest, of greed of territory, of religious hate, of wounded pride or of the chivalric desire to match the power of one nation against that of a rival power. The modern war is associated with the more prosaic and practical origin. A little study, however, shows that the commercial spirit has been in the earlier ages of the world not less potent than in our own as the radical inducement leading up to great conflicts, some of which have shaken the world and molded succeeding civilization. Scanning remote antiquity, we find the Ninevite kings, impelled by the energy of their Assyrian subjects as active traders, to move forward in their most ferocious conquests. Athens offended the Great King by its attempts to protect the commercial interests of its kindred cities in Asia Minor, and so opened the way to the Greco-Persian wars, in which the fate of the world hung in the balance. The death grapple between Carthage and Rome was commercial in its inception. As an example, in the feudal period, the romantic and chivalrous epoch of civilization, we note the Hundred Years' war between France and England springing from a trade quarrel. This world famed struggle grew out of the monopoly of the London guilds in dealing with the woolen manufacturers of Ghent and Liege. So when we return to our contemporary period and discover England and Russia on the verge of a great war over the issue of the larger control of the Chinese trade we merely find the same old world's story in a modern form. People as nations indeed never went to war for the fun of killing each other.

## Carlism.

So much has been said about Carlism in Spain and its relations to the Spanish monarchy that a clear exposition of just what it means and its origin will be of interest to many readers. When Bourbonism was stamped on Spain by the accession of the grandson of Louis XIV of France, thus leading to what is known as the "War of the Succession," the Salic law, as understood in France, was adopted. So the course of succession remained till the reign of Ferdinand VII, who, for a long time childless, permitted his brother, Don Carlos, to look on himself as the heir. But a daughter by a fourth wife was born, and the king induced the cortes to approve a revocation of the Salic law and restore the old pragmatic law of succession, which recognized female heritage of the crown. So the infant Isabella became queen under the regency of the queen mother, the infamous Christina. Don Carlos at once took up arms, claiming title by the double right of Salic

law and the ancient hereditary law of Castile, Aragon and Navarre, under which a woman could inherit only in default of a male heir. This first Carlist war was a veritable pandemonium for Spain, when the most terrible cruelties were exercised on both sides, and the scenes of debauchery at Madrid were such as rivaled those at Rome under Claudius and Nero, so strikingly depicted in "Quo Vadis." The pretender, Carlos, was finally beaten, and he slunk out of the kingdom to die in disgrace as one who had shown himself a curious compound of coward and imbecile. With the growth of Isabella to mature years and her marriage to Don Francis d'Assisi, her cousin, the licentious atmosphere of the Spanish court became even more rank than before, and high society at Madrid was the scandal of Europe.

Toward the end of Isabella's royal career came the second Carlist war. The new pretender was the son of the second son of the first, known to his adherents as Carlos VII. He secured the support of General Cabrera, who had also been the right arm of his grandfather and his uncle in their attempts to secure the throne, one of the ablest and the cruellest soldiers of his time. The war proceeded, with an apparently good chance of Carlist success, till Cabrera, who was as corrupt as he was able, sold his patron and betrayed his trust. So the accession of Alfonso XII was ultimately assured after the short lived experiments of an Italian king and a republic. As the moral influence of Europe is opposed to the present Carlos, as it was adverse to his grandfather, the first pretender, Queen Christina stands an excellent chance of keeping the monarchy safe for her son.

## A Misapprehension.

Many and grateful are the tributes paid to this country for the heroic stuff which enters into the composition of her volunteers. Among others is a glowing compliment from the London Daily Chronicle, involving, however, a slight misconception, which may be corrected. Quoth The Chronicle after enumerating the results of the war and specially emphasizing the results of the Santiago victory:

"Above all, they have improvised the army with which they did this part of the work. Not bad for the interval between rent day and rent day! The manner of this improvisation is a striking vindication in some ways of the American system. Most of the troops who swarmed up the slopes at Santiago and captured entrenched positions held by seasoned troops and swept by artillery were mere untrained butchers, bakers and candlestick makers at the beginning of the war."

All this is very nice and warms the cockles of the American heart. But it is based on a misconception. The excellence of our militia and volunteer system is that it draws into its service all classes, not merely that of the "butcher and baker and candlestick maker" alluded to by the English paper. If any feeling of caste exists in times of peace, it is completely burped away by the fierce flame of patriotism which blows across the country in time of war. The dude fought splendidly by the side of the cowboy in the ranks of the rough riders and the butcher boy by the side of college graduate in the storming of the heights of San Juan. War is almost worth making and suffering when it teaches a lesson so effectively that "a man's a man for a' that," no matter what kind of a coat he wears.

Commissioner General Peck has changed his earlier note and is greatly worried over the backwardness of American preparation for the Paris exposition of 1900. Promised award of space will needs be revoked unless American zeal takes a fresh spurt. The American commission is in dire straits for funds, yet no fresh appropriation is possible till congress meets. What had been hoped for in virtue of the immense superiority of America in electrical invention and manufacturing—that our showing in this department would be at least among the best—is now almost a faded dream. The country has been too busy in fighting the Spaniard to think of showing off before the Frenchmen. There may be yet time, however, to save our credit.

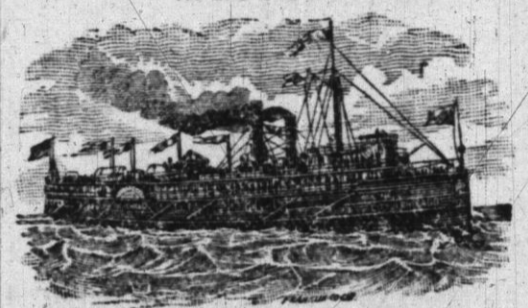
Japan is just now on the eve of another political change which fully consummates what she began when the mikado emancipated the country from the old feudalism of the Daimios. She has instituted a directly representative system like that of England. In other words, future ministries will stand or fall with the success of important measures, and, if need be, the country will be appealed to by a dissolution of parliament.

The work before congress cut out by recent events is more delicate and difficult than any burden laid on legislation since the reconstruction period. It has the advantage, however, of being free from that passion of exacerbated partisanship which made the debates of that time so extreme in their energy of expression. All parties can now join in discussion, however variant in their views, with a certainty of calm and impartial treatment. In view, however, of the subject in its different phases and the lack of accurate knowledge it is the growing conviction at Washington that it will be wiser to take more time and leave the new issues for an extra session. The forthcoming four months' session, it is felt by many, would better be devoted to the Nicaragua canal and ordinary business. The canal bill, indeed, may justly be regarded as an all important preliminary to an adequate settlement of the things beyond.

The policy of establishing great national wheat storehouses in England is being worked out by a parliamentary committee as an item of national defense. England must have had a dream of seven fat kine and seven lean kine with a modern Joseph to interpret. Perhaps in the present case his office is that of Chamberlain.

There are two significant "trade" terms, introduced of late years, which show vividly the modern tendency in doing and seeing things. The theatrical man always refers to a stage performance, whether tragedy or farce, as a "show;" the newspaper man designates every article of news or information as a "story."

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Miss Anna Murray has returned to Chicago.

Lester Burdick of Waukegan called here Sunday.

H. L. Prehm was a Chicago business caller Monday.

O. B. Whitmore of Gurnee was in town Monday.

E. A. Ficke and wife were Ivanhoe callers Monday.

Henry Lemke of Long Grove was in town this week.

Louis Keller of Long Grove was in town Wednesday.

Will Knigge visited his mother Wednesday evening.

The bumper degree in the Platt-deutsche Gilde is a corker.

H. Branding has added a nanny goat to his family of pets.

George Foreman and friends of Barrington were in town Monday.

Miss Lena Hillman is now employed at the home of Lawyer Wood.

The hum of the thresher is heard on the farms in this vicinity.

Fred Seip and Louis Decker of Wheeling were in town Monday.

Herman Arndt of Dundee was a business caller at this place Monday.

John Forbes was among those that took in the Woodstock fair Thursday.

A great many car loads of Joliet stone are being unloaded here at present.

Nick's ice cream parlor is the place to go to with your best girl, these warm days.

A slight difficulty on the west side of the lake the first of the week is reported here.

Louis Luersen and family of Plum Grove visited with Wm. Eichman and family Sunday.

John Fink and friends of Palatine are enjoying camp life on the shores of the lake.

Work is in progress on the foundations of the large ice houses to be erected by Bruce Bros.

Grand harvest picnic will be given by the Palatine Maennerchor at Oak Park on September 4th.

A large excursion of picnickers will come from Joliet on Monday to spend a day on the shores of the lake.

It is reported that H. Hillman has sold his store building to Dundee parties, who will open a new saloon.

George Batz went to Waukegan the first of the week, where he expects to get employment in the wire works.

The merry-go-round has enjoyed a lively patronage since it arrived in town, and in consequence will remain a while longer.

The interior of the school room is being renovated. School will begin on Monday, September 5th, with John Hodge as teacher.

Mr. Laughner, the shoemaker, will be pleased to repair all the shoes that you may bring him, and do it on short notice and at a reasonable price.

Elvin J. Griffin, candidate for sheriff of Lake county, was a pleasant caller here this week. He made a favorable impression on all with whom he became acquainted.

Our town marshal has had his hands full lately. The rooms of his hostelry have been rather warm to cool off in but nevertheless they invariably put the inmates in a docile mood.

**Bicycles at All Prices.**—Don't be out-of-date. Get a '99 model Three Crown wheel for \$25; a Navy wheel, only slightly used, for \$15; one Sterling, built like a watch, \$20 spot cash. Repairing, sundries, etc. Have your name put on your wheel.

AL R. FICKE, Zurich House.

The Barrington Social and Athletic club will give a harvest dance at Oak Park pavilion, Saturday evening, August 27th. Dancing will commence promptly at 8 o'clock. Leone's orchestra of Chicago will furnish music for the occasion. Tickets 50 cents. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

John Forbes became dizzy while taking a ride on the merry-go-round Sunday evening, and in falling off

struck a tree. Medical aid was at once summoned, as the injuries were considered quite serious, but later it was discovered that no serious results need be feared. Jack would like some one to explain how that tree escaped injury.

## WAUCONDA.

Soldiers and sailors reunion at Grayslake next week.

A. W. Reynolds of Chicago was a pleasant caller here Sunday.

Miss Alice Poole of Lake Forest visited with friends here this week.

J. E. Pratt and Harry Fuller transacted business in Chicago Monday.

James Blanck of Chicago spent Sunday with relatives in our village.

P. J. Maiman of Waukegan spent Sunday at the home of his parents.

J. D. Lamey of Barrington was a pleasant caller in our village Sunday.

Miss James of Ravenswood is spending a few days with Miss Irene Golding.

Robert Harrison and son, Earl, transacted business at Waukegan Monday.

Fred Edgars, Mrs. Martin and daughter are guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Smith.

C. A. Golding went to Chicago on his bike Sunday and reports a pleasant trip.

Messrs. Davlin, Studley and Welch attended the dance at Libertyville Friday evening.

Ed Nickoley of Long Grove is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. George Glynn.

Lester Burdick and Herman Koblanck of Rockefeller were pleasant callers here Wednesday.

Miss Sadie Hill, who has been spending a few days in Chicago, returned home Saturday.

Clarence Hill of Chicago spent the first of the week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mort Hill.

Martin Murray of Chicago is spending a few days with friends and relatives in this village and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald of Strawberry Point, Iowa, are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Meyer and daughter, of Missouri are spending a few days with relatives in this vicinity.

Miss Irene Roney came out from the city Saturday to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Roney.

Prof. Hubbard was a Chicago visitor Tuesday. He rode to Barrington on his wheel, but on his return was overtaken by the rain, and—well he got home the next morning. He thinks bicycling ain't what it's cracked up to be.

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Our village was a lively place place last Saturday evening—a Prohibition lecture, lawn social and a dance being the order of the evening. The lecture and social were both well attended, but the dance, being the last number on the program, proved to be a small drawing card. Who says Wauconda is behind the times? If we only had that electric road!

A jolly party of picnickers left here Sunday morning for a day's outing at Pistaqua Bay. All kinds of "goodies" could be seen protruding from the well-filled lunch baskets, and a general good time was enjoyed by all present, and all expressed the wish that they might again be able to enjoy as pleasant a day's outing in the near future. The following composed the party: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dowell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ham and son, Mr. and Mrs. Thad Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Grosvenor, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Seymour, Mrs. Grosvenor, Misses Daisy Grosvenor, Jennie Seymour and Ada Dowell, and Messrs. J. F. Grosvenor, Robert Dowell and Richard Dowell.

**National Encampment, G. A. R., Cincinnati, Ohio, Sept. 5-10, 1898.**

On account of the above all agents of the Chicago & North-Western R'y

will sell excursion tickets at greatly reduced rates to Cincinnati, September 3 to 5, and for trains arriving Chicago September 6. Apply to agents for full particulars.

About one month ago my child, which is fifteen months old, had an attack of diarrhoea accompanied by vomiting. I gave it such remedies as are usually given in such cases, but as nothing gave relief, we sent for a physician and it was under his care for a week. At this time the child had been sick for about ten days and was having about twenty-five operations of the bowels every twelve hours, and we were convinced that unless it soon obtained relief it would not live. Chamberlain's Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was recommended, and I decided to try it. I soon noticed a change for the better; by its continued use a complete cure was brought about and it is now perfectly healthy.—C. L. Boggs, Stumpdown, Gilmer county, W. Va. For sale by A. L. Waller, Barrington, and A. S. Olms, Palatine.

### Excursion Tickets to the Omaha Exposition.

Via the North-Western Line will be on sale daily, beginning June 1, limits of tickets providing for longer or shorter sojourn, according to rate. This exposition will be well worth seeing. For further information apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Perhaps Augusti did not care to encounter the terrible American hand-shake habit.

The Rev. W. B. Costley of Stockbridge, Ga., while attending to his pastoral duties at Ellenwood, that state, was attacked by cholera morbus. He says: "By chance I happened to get hold of a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and I think it was the means of saving my life. It relieved me at once." For sale by A. L. Waller, Barrington, and A. S. Olms, Palatine.

If the insurgents will surrender they will get just as good rations as the Spaniards.

### Homeseekers' Cheap Excursions.

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### Excursion Tickets to County Fair at Belvidere.

Via the North-Western Line, will be sold at reduced rates, September 5 to 9, inclusive, limited to September 10. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

### Lake Bluff Summer Meetings.

The North-Western Line will sell excursion tickets from points in Illinois to Lake Bluff and return at low rates until August 31, tickets limited for return until August 31 inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

### ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF TRAINS.

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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 A. M.
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--SOUTH.		
LV. CHICAGO.	AR. PALATINE.	AR. BARR'TN.
4:00 A. M.		5:02 A. M.
9:10	10:19 A. M.	10:30
1:30 P. M.	2:45 P. M.	2:00 P. M.
4:45	6:00	6:12
6:35	7:42	7:55
11:35	12:42	12:55

SUNDAY TRAINS--NORTH.		
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
12:25 P. M.	12:34 P. M.	1:40 P. M.
4:25	4:35	5:45
5:02	5:12	6:20
8:57		9:55
9:10	9:23	10:25

#### E. J. & E. R. R.

	NORTH.	SOUTH.
Joliet.....	2.30am	8.40am
Barrington...	7.00am	2.00pm
Lake Zurich...	7.15am	2.35pm
Leithton.....	7.45am	3.05pm
Rondout.....	8.00am	3.25pm
Waukegan.....	8.30am	4.10pm
	10.15pm	6.15pm
	10.35am	6.15pm
	10.15am	5.55pm
	9.20am	5.05pm
	9.00am	4.45pm
	7.30am	3.00pm

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Review, Barrington

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 Ad-vent Record.

Battle Creek, Mich.—Scott Hayward writes from the Klondike that he will return with \$45,000. He was a poor man when he went there three years ago.

Atlanta, Ga.—The crossing of electric light wires caused the destruction of the Southern hotel, the Casino and four cottages at Tybee Island. Loss, \$25,000.

Battle Creek, Mich.—The 5-year-old child of Levi Bartholomew of Charlotte, scratched its foot with a rusty nail and died of lockjaw resulting from blood poisoning.

Portland, Ind.—Fire broke out in Frank Wright's restaurant at Penna-ville, destroying a block of buildings valued at \$25,000 and causing injuries to several persons.

Springfield, Ill.—Gov. Tanner pardoned James H. Kirkhouse out of the Chester penitentiary. He was convicted in 1894 of the murder of Newton L. Fowler and sentenced to the penitentiary for fourteen years.

St. Louis, Mo.—Dr. C. M. Hibbard, house physician of the Planters' hotel, was instantly killed by falling down an elevator shaft from the second floor of the hotel.

Valparaiso, Ind.—Ex-sheriff Robert P. Jones, aged 74, is dead.

Brazil, Ind.—In a runaway Miss Meda Howard was fatally injured.

Colorado Springs, Col.—Mrs. J. W. Lescher of Galesburg, Ill., died here.

Danville, Ill.—Frank Durand, Ill., committed suicide at St. Elizabeth's hospital.

Brandon, Wis.—The wife of William Turner gave birth to triplets, three boys.

Richmond, Ind.—Van D. Brown leaped from the fifth story of the Westcott hotel and died.

Peru, Ind.—Walter Ullman, 10 years old, was killed with a shotgun in the hands of a playmate.

Mahitowoc, Wis.—Edmund Jewett Smalley, a pioneer resident of this city, died at the age of 81.

Joplin, Mo.—Robert Eberstein was killed by the premature explosion of dynamite in the Norsewothy mine.

Charlotte, Mich.—Tramps held up a local Michigan Central freight and were captured in an adjoining swamp.

Ashland, Wis.—Two section men, named Hanson and Benson, were badly hurt in a wreck. Benson died shortly after.

Danville, Ill.—Effe Martin of Glenburn, in love, attempted suicide by eating heads of matches. Will probably die.

Paxton, Ill.—A Lake Erie & Western switchman, R. M. Nelson, was bruised in the thigh, and an operation resulted fatally.

Flora, Ind.—While walking in her sleep, Mrs. Riley Rife at Poplar Grove, fell out of a second story window. She is likely to recover.

Potsdam, N. Y.—The plant of the High Falls Sulphite Pulp and Mining Company was destroyed by fire. Loss, \$300,000; insurance, \$50,000.

Wichita, Kas.—It is announced that D. K. Pearsons of Chicago has offered to give \$50,000 to Fairmount college if others will give \$150,000.

Monmouth, Ill.—John Sprout, Wm. Hickman and Jack Wallace, pioneer farmers of Warren county, died within the last three days.

St. Louis, Mo.—James A. Baker, superintendent of the Majestic Steel Range Company, was shot and killed by Campbell Allgater during a quarrel.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Plymouth, Wis.—Mrs. Horace Gardner died at the age of 83.

Shelburn, Ind.—Joshua Beckett, a pioneer of Hymera, Ind., is dead.

Madison, Wis.—Gov. Scofield pardoned Patrick McDonald, aged 80, an inmate of the state prison.

Old Orchard, Me.—The Rev. Dr. Simpson, Christian alliance leader, raised at a camp meeting \$50,000 for foreign missions.

Washington—Agents of Chief Wilkie of the secret service division of the Treasury at Detroit captured the plates, press, seal and all of the paraphernalia used in printing the counterfeit Windom \$2 notes.

San Francisco, Cal.—The men of almost every one of the volunteer regiments are circulating petitions to the Secretary of War requesting that they be mustered out of the service.

San Francisco—Engineers sent by the navy department to prepare proposals for bids for the construction of a naval station at Pago-Pago harbor, Samoan Islands, have arrived.

Fishkill Landing, N. Y.—Rev. Thomas Burgess, a son of Episcopal Bishop Burgess of Illinois, died, aged 55 years.

Los Angeles, Cal.—Destructive forest fires are raging in the Sierra Madre range. Great damage has been done to the San Gabriel river water shed.

Havana, Ill.—The construction of the big Lacey levee, one mile south of here, in the Lacey levee and drainage district of Fulton county, is now well under way. The dike will cost over \$50,000, and will be the largest in central Illinois.

Pana, Ill.—John Vidler, aged 72, one of Pana's wealthiest and most influential residents, died of heart trouble.

Knoxville, Tenn.—The Black Diamond coal company, with mines at Coal Creek and offices here, failed, T. H. Head being appointed receiver. Liabilities were \$150,000; assets unknown.

Lexington, Ky.—James Bradley, aged 32, the well-known turfman, died at his home here.

Panama, Colombia, via Galveston, Texas. The insurrection headed by Prospero Morales is finally crushed, ending in his death.

Elgin, Ill.—Annas Hathaway died at his home here of paralysis and congestion of the brain after an illness of eight days.

New York.—John H. Haverly, the minstrel manager, filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of \$327,749, and assets nominally \$16,100.

Washington.—Major General Kent has been transferred from the fifth army corps to the seventh, and has been ordered to report to General Lee for assignment to duty.

Utica, N. Y.—A White Lake Fred Rocknall mistook his son Philip for a deer and shot him. Another son, George, was killed for a bear a few years ago.

Richmond, Ind.—The Rev. F. M. Moore of Hagerstown sued the Central Union Telephone company for \$2,500 for a mistake in delivering a message by which he was kept from officiating at a funeral.

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FOUR PERSONS KILLED.

Fatal Rear-End Collision on a Massachusetts Railroad.

In a rear-end collision at Sharon station, a summer resort, twenty miles out of Boston, on the Providence division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, four persons were killed outright and thirty-eight seriously injured, and besides there were several score bruised and shaken up.

Explosion in Powder Mill.

An explosion occurred in the plant of the Chattanooga Powder Company at Ooltewah, Tenn., eighteen miles above Chattanooga, killing two men and injuring slightly a number of others.

President to Visit Omaha.

President McKinley has given a positive assurance that he will be the guest of the Omaha exposition during the peace jubilee, which will be a feature early in October.

Money for Christian Work.

Dr. Simpson of the Christian alliance took \$55,000 in cash and pledges Sunday from the pockets of the people who came to hear him in the grove at Old Orchard, Maine.

Deaths Due to Fever.

Homesickness and fevers are shown to have had a worse effect than bullets among the troops invading Cuba and Porto Rico.

Illinois Town Burned.

The town of Carterville, Ill., was partially destroyed by fire. It is impossible to tell the exact loss, but it is estimated at \$100,000.

Favor Annexation.

An immense majority of the Spanish conservatives in Cuba and the natives favor the annexation of the island to the United States.

Needs No More Troops.

Gen. Merritt is master of the situation at Manila. He sent word to the war department that he needed no more troops.

Dynamite Cruiser a Failure.

It has been decided to place the dynamite cruiser Vesuvius out of commission. The vessel is considered a failure.

McLean May Succeed Alger.

It is rumored that John R. McLean is to succeed Gen. R. A. Alger as secretary of war in McKinley's cabinet.

Shafter Reports Surrender.

Gen. Shafter reports that with the fall of Santiago 23,726 Spaniards surrendered.

OUR FLAG RAISED.

Annexation of Hawaii Is Now an Accomplished Fact.

The American flag was raised over Hawaii Aug. 12, and the islands formally annexed. The oath of allegiance to the United States was administered by Chief Justice Judd to President Dole, as "president of Hawaii, now territory of the United States," and to Ministers Cooper, Smith, Damon and King.

ALL THE ISLANDS CEDED.

Entire Philippine Archipelago Now in Our Possession.

The terms of the capitulation of Manila, as agreed upon between Gen. Jaudenes and Gen. Merritt, include the cession of the Philippine archipelago to the United States.

Roosevelt Would Accept.

Col. Theodore Roosevelt will accept the New York gubernatorial nomination, but the nomination will have to come to him from the republican party as a whole and not from any faction.

Will Go to State Capitals.

The muster out of volunteer regiments and their final payment will take place at the state or regimental rendezvous, except when otherwise ordered by the war department.

Knights of Pythias Meet.

Fifty thousand members of the order of the Knights of Pythias, including 12,000 members of the uniform rank, took part in the annual meeting of the order at Indianapolis.

Fear Conflict with Aguinaldo.

There is a feeling at the war department that there will be a conflict between the American forces and those of Aguinaldo.

Pilgrimage Is Postponed.

Owing to the critical state of the pope's health the American pilgrimage has been postponed until some time in October.

Capt. Sigbee Promoted.

The president has promoted Capt. Sigbee by advancing him three numbers on the list of captains in the navy for "extraordinary heroism."

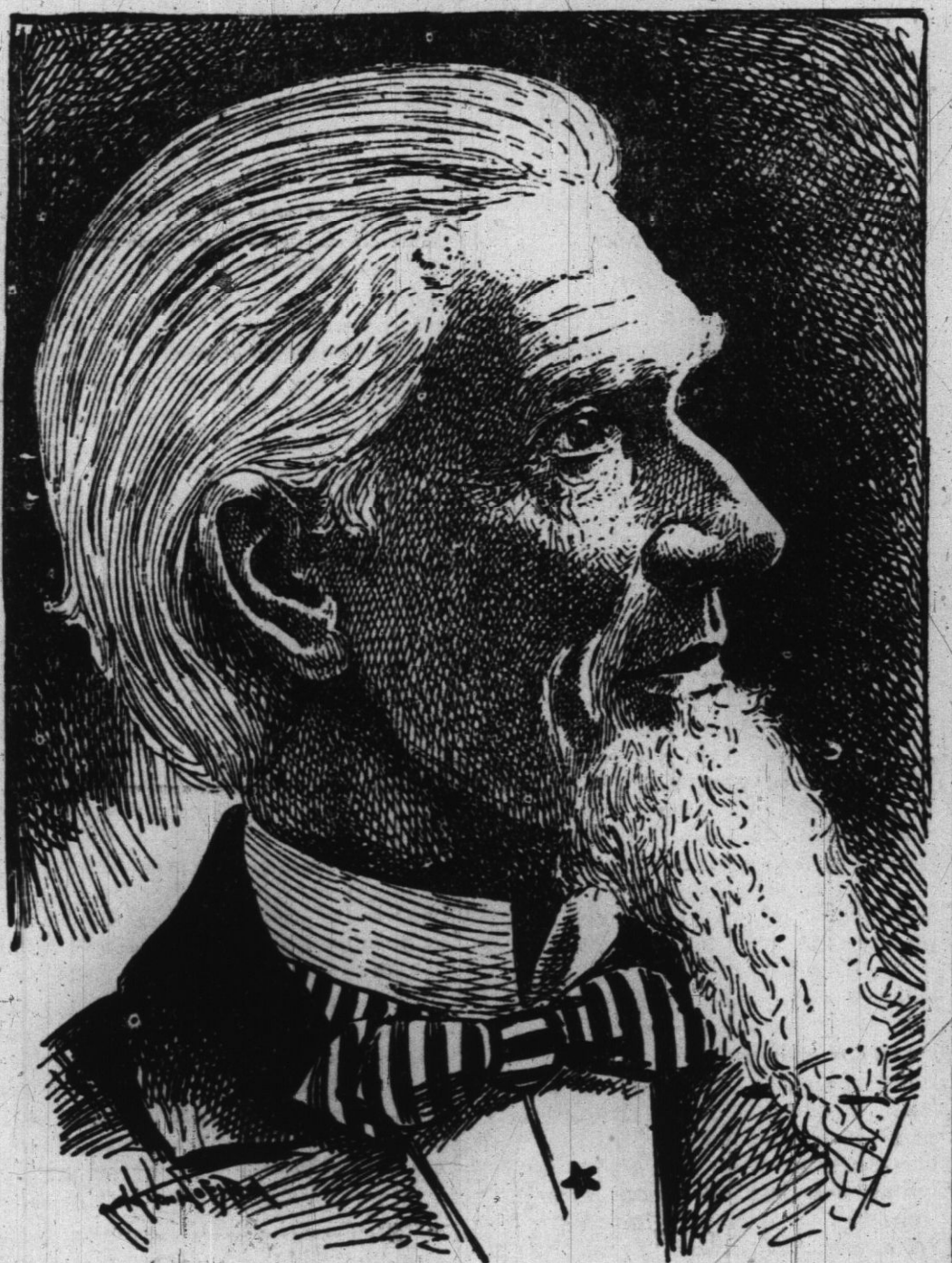
Camp Thomas Abandoned.

Camp Thomas is to be abandoned. Bids have been asked for transportation to the state capitals of all troops now in camp.

Will Sail Sept. 24.

Col. Hay, the retiring American ambassador, will sail for New York on the steamer Teutonic Sept. 24.

HE LOOKS LIKE UNCLE SAM.



Davenport, Iowa, correspondence: Uncle Sam's double lives in this city. He is John B. Young, who has been superintendent of the splendid public school system of Davenport for twenty years. There is a striking resemblance between the superintendent and the man who is used to represent the United States in the pictures drawn by the political caricaturists. He has the same goatee, with smoothly shaven cheeks wrinkled by many smiles, while his mouth is firm, and shows as great determination of character. If he were to wear the old white beaver that Uncle Sam usually has on his head and the trousers with straps he would look as if he had stepped from one of the popular cartoons of the day. As it is, the stranger who is introduced to Mr. Young is instantly struck by the striking resemblance, and if Uncle Sam had not been drawn generations before Mr. Young's birth you would swear that the superintendent had been the model for the artists. Superintendent Young comes of a long line of American ancestry and is as American in every respect as he looks. He was born in New York state, graduating from Middlebury college in 1861. For seven years he was at the head of academies at Lawrenceville and Fort Covington, New York. In 1868 he came to Davenport as superintendent of the school system of this city, and his record of twenty years' continuous service in that office is one that is believed to be unequalled in any other American city. His popularity in Davenport is said to be greater than that of any other man.

Good Excuse.

A western teacher in a town in which the women have the right of suffrage, received the following note accounting for the absence of one of her pupils on election day: "Dere Teacher—Please be so kind as to excuse Lizzie for not having went to school yesterday. I kept her home to mind the baby while I give out votes glad I kept Lizzie home and done what I could to elect the right man, who, as you will see by the morning paper, got there by a big majority. So I am glad I kept Lizzie home and done what I could at the poles."—Harper's Round Table.

Wouldn't Marry Him.

"So you are going to marry Herr Meissner?" "Hardly. Papa is not altogether satisfied with his position; mamma doesn't like his family; he doesn't strike me as quite stylish enough—and, besides, he hasn't asked me."—Punch.

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## DAIRY AND POULTRY.

### INTERESTING CHAPTERS FOR OUR RURAL READERS.

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

#### Suggestions on Beef-Producing.

Recognizing the tremendous significance of beef-production as a factor in Kansas agriculture and Kansas prosperity, the State Board of Agriculture, with a view to gathering and disseminating practical information pertaining to this important subject, has interviewed several hundred of the men longest, most successfully and most extensively engaged in cattle fattening especially, in the various counties of the state. In connection with much other pertinent and useful matter, the statements of a large and representative number of these are given in the remarks that follow. A resume or average, made from a careful analysis of the statements furnished by these cattlemen as to many principal features connected with and discovered from their business operations, is presented thus:

The average length of time those who reported have been in the business of beef-production in Kansas is 19 years.

The average of the ages they recommend for the castration of bull calves, ranging from one hour to one year, is 54 days.

Their recommendation for the feeding of calves the first winter is wheat bran and shelled corn, or bran and oats, in sufficient quantities, with hay or other coarse feed, to keep them thrifty and growing.

A large majority favor dehorned or hornless cattle, and say that for the fattening lot such cattle have a 10 per cent greater value than those with horns. Thirty reports give them a greater value of 17 cents per 100 pounds; 26 place it at \$2.05 per head. The higher price they say fat cattle without horns are likely to sell for averages 13 1-2 cents per 100 pounds.

The time required for properly and safely changing cattle from a grass to a full or maximum grain diet is 23 days, or from corn-stalk fields, 16 days.

With two exceptions, all say, extra labor considered, it is not profitable in Kansas to keep fattening cattle tied in stalls.

Forty-four per cent advise keeping grain constantly accessible to fattening cattle, and 56 per cent say it is best to feed twice daily, and only so much at each meal as will be eaten before the next feeding.

Ninety per cent say it is profitable to grind some or all of the grain; and the average cost of grinding is given as 13-4 cents per bushel. Ten per cent say grinding is not profitable.

Those who have soaked corn for fattening cattle say its value is enhanced 21 per cent thereby.

Those who have fed wheat bran with corn esteem it highly, saying it aids digestion, lessens the quantity of other and perhaps more costly foods required, and hastens fattening. From 15 to 25 per cent (by weight) of wheat bran fed with shelled or ground corn is reported profitable, when bran costs no more than \$3.40 per ton.

Linseed oil-cake meal is praised by those who have fed it with corn, and 40 feeders say they are justified in using more or less of it at a cost not exceeding \$19.70 per ton, as a very desirable adjunct of corn costing 25 cents per bushel. A smaller number report favorably on the use of limited quantities of cotton-seed meal.

The cost of grazing in pastures averaged with that on open ranges is 32 cents per month.

Eighty per cent favor the use of loose or barrel salt, and 20 per cent prefer rock salt for the feed lot or pasture. The principal objections offered to rock salt are, that cattle spend too much time licking it in order to satisfy their wants, and that in doing so their tongues are likely to be made sore.

Using as a basis of comparison of value wild prairie (blue-stem) hay at \$2 per ton as forage or "roughness" for cattle being fattened with grain, the Kansas cattlemen on the average rate other forage with it like this: Red clover, at \$3.80 per ton; alfalfa, \$4; alfalfa straw (threshed), \$2.35; millet, \$2.90; sorghum or Kafir-corn grown in hills, with the seed on, \$3; sorghum or Kafir-corn hay (broadcast or in drills), \$2.50; oat straw, \$1.70; and wheat straw, \$1.05.

The reports show with practical unanimity that, with her mild, dry winter climate, abundant cheap grains and forage, unequalled transportation facilities, and possessing within her borders the second greatest live-stock market of the world, Kansas must be and is the appropriate and most suitable maturing ground for not only her own, but the vast numbers of range-reared steers from the Southwest and West, and a large proportion of those native to the plains and valleys of the Northwest as well.—F. D. Coburn, Secretary.

#### Over-Feeding Poultry.

The American Cultivator remarks that it may be true, as a writer in an exchange says, that those who have pure bred fowls, as we prefer to call them, standard-bred birds, are so much

interested in them that they feed them too liberally, giving them more than is sufficient for their sustenance, and perhaps tempting them with such a variety that they take more than they would if they were fed as the farmer usually, or often, feeds his, with a little grain thrown out when he happens to be near the grain bin and sees the fowls standing about looking as if they were hungry. We had not thought of this as a reason why some people complain that their hens, well fed and well cared for, do not furnish as many eggs as other flocks which apparently receive but little care. We had thought that the man who had invested the money required to start a flock of standard-bred fowl would also read poultry or agricultural papers to know how to feed them; but as our memory goes over the list of such parties that we know, it recalls many an one who knows but little about fowls or their care, and who are not likely to know much more unless they learn it by sad experience. They are in almost every neighborhood where we are acquainted. But such people usually either go out of the poultry business entirely and assert that it does not pay, or that they started with the wrong breed, or they make two or three crosses until they get a lot of mongrel fowls, and then by neglect and semi-starvation they keep them down so that they give more eggs than did the over-fed darlings with which they started. It is with hens as with some of the larger animals in farm stock. To manage the thoroughbred or standard bred as they should be, the one who cares for them should have a thorough knowledge of his business, and should attend to it thoroughly. Some one said that to properly care for thoroughbred cows a thoroughbred man was needed. Certainly, with stock bred for an especial purpose, whether it is milk, butter, eggs or broiler chickens, the one who has the knowledge of that especial branch of agriculture should meet with the best success, and if he has the liking for it that should result from his thorough study of it, he will be the most careful and painstaking.

#### A Cuban Milk Man.

"How many cows there are about the streets!" somebody exclaims, and then he is calmly informed that the morning's milk is simply being delivered. I says a writer in Ladies' Home Companion. A bunch of cattle and their driver stop before a house, and the portero comes out with a cup for the morning's supply. It is seen then that the cows are being milked from door to door by the dairymen, for this is the way the acute Cuban housewives have taken to assure for their tables a lacteal supply which is entirely fresh and absolutely pure. Otherwise the guile-loving vender might dilute the milk before delivering it to his customers, and craftily stir into the watery fluid the juice of the sweet potato to color it up to a duly rich and creamy cast. Even with the cows milked before the door one must continue to watch the milkman, for I have even heard of their having a rubber bag of water concealed under their loose frocks and connected with a rubber tube running down the inside of the sleeve, its tip being concealed in the hollow of the milking hand. Only a gentle pressure upon the bag of water within is needed to thus cause both milk and water to flow into the cup at the same time. The milk venders of Italy and India have also learned their trade to perfection, for they practice this identical trick.

#### Crossing Fowls Impairs Them.

Nine persons in ten who begin with pure breeds somehow become inclined to cross them with some breed that, in their opinion, will make an improvement, and the result has always been a failure. The breeders of cattle do not even entertain such an idea as crossing breeds; as they well know that to cross a Holstein (milk-producing) with a Shorthorn (beef-producing) would result in an animal inferior as a milk or beef producer. But some poultrymen who have good breeds will deliberately cross with no object in view. The majority suppose that to secure hardiness the new blood should be from another breed. Take the Dorking—a fine table fowl—and its owner desiring more eggs with table qualities, crosses his Dorkings with Minorcas. The result is that the offspring are reduced in table quality and are inferior to the Minorcas as layers. The same happens with other breeds and crosses. If one desires to combine two breeds, the nearest approach there-to should be to keep two breeds and have them in separate yards. When crossing the breeds begins it never ends until all the fowls are mixed and become nondescript. But for the tendency to cross the breeds there would be fewer common fowls on farms. Many farmers give the pure breeds their attention at times, but destroy their flocks by crossing with the belief that they will gain by so doing.—American Gardening.

Lime exerts a decided influence on the mechanical condition of soils, rendering heavy compact soils looser in texture and tending to bind particles of loose leachy soils.

# THE NEWS OF ILLINOIS.

## Happenings of a Week Recorded in Short Telegrams.

#### Wants Its Own Terminal.

Peoria, Ill.—The Glucose sugar refining company, which is behind the incorporation of the Chicago, Peoria and Western railroad, means to eventually handle its own output over lines which it will own or control. Difficulties with the terminal company at Peoria have forced the glucose people to act, and it is said the trust is now in a position to establish its own terminal facilities within thirty days. It will thus do away with any connection with the Peoria and Pekin Union, which for years has controlled the terminal business here. When the terminals are established and an agreement has been entered into with one of the Chicago lines for the leasing of a right of way the trust will be in a position to handle its immense output. The same trouble here has been experienced by the whisky trust and the two companies will be allied in the new deal. With the shipment of glucose products alone the trust could support its own railroad system. The possibilities for the glucose line are great, for it practically controls the handling of grain and would probably secure the shipment of all spirits. Negotiations are said to be on whereby the trust railroad company is to enter into a deal with the Chicago and Alton, the latter road to handle the business between Chicago and Peoria.

#### Is Proud of Col. McCoy.

Bloomington, Ill.—All Bloomington is proud of the bravery of Lieutenant-Colonel Henry B. McCoy, of the First Colorado volunteers, who in the fight at Manila on Aug. 13 led a battalion of his regiment when it stormed and captured the Spanish stronghold. It was he who also hauled down the Spanish flag and raised the stars and stripes. Col. McCoy was reared in Bloomington and lived here until he moved with his family to Pueblo, Col. He is the son of Rev. J. S. McCoy, a retired Methodist minister, well known throughout this state. Henry was a clerk in a wholesale stationary house here and began his military career as a private in the Bloomington militia. He joined the Colorado national guard on his arrival in that state and rapidly rose in rank until he was made a brigadier. He represented Colorado in the military display at the world's fair, and won great distinction in the mine riots in his state two or three years ago. He was recently married, and his wife followed him to Manila and is now with him. He was clerk of the United States supreme court at Pueblo and also chief clerk of the Denver and Rio Grande railway at that place.

#### Figuring Far Ahead.

There is a well-defined plan brewing to nominate ex-Gov. Altgeld for governor in 1900. What is being said now on the subject is just whispered, especially in Chicago, where there is an individual known to have a bee buzzing, and who now controls valuable patronage. The plan is to name Altgeld for governor and a certain individual from southern Illinois for lieutenant governor. If Altgeld is elected and the Democrats carry the legislature he will be chosen senator. The lieutenant governor will succeed to the governorship. The southern man is John N. Perrin of St. Clair county, one of the best informed men in his party and a staunch Bryan man. He is now on the stump for the state ticket and in a few weeks will be joined by Altgeld, who is to make a complete tour of the state for the same purpose. Since the recent state convention Harrison stock has been going down. The state Democrats feel that he is not strong enough on national issues to run in a presidential year.

#### Camper Shot by a Negro.

Mound City, Ill.—Harvey McDowell was assaulted and mortally wounded by four negroes in the outskirts of this city. McDowell and his wife were on their way to Kentucky in a wagon and had camped for the night. The negroes were on their way from Cairo to Beechwood in a hack and as they passed the wagon their noise aroused McDowell and he got out of his vehicle to ascertain the cause. As he stood on the double-tree peering through the darkness of the negroes, who gives his name as Sam Sampson, it is claimed, fired five shots at him, one of which penetrated the bowels, causing a mortal wound. The wounded man was taken care of in this city. The colored men were arrested in Beechwood this afternoon and three of them are in jail here. Sampson, who is accused of doing the shooting, stands in danger of being lynched.

#### To Quit the Order.

Peoria, Ill.—Frank P. Sargent, grand master of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, has formally announced his purpose of leaving the order with the expiration of his present term, which is Dec. 31, 1898. Immediately thereafter he will assume his new duties as a member of the industrial commission, to which position he was recently appointed by President McKinley. Speaking of his intentions Mr. Sargent said: "Having advised the president of the United States that I will accept an appointment on the industrial commission created by the last congress, if I should be named, I shall retire from the grand lodge at the end of my present term, Dec. 31, unless sooner removed. It will be with a feeling of reluctance that I sever my official relations with the brotherhood. It will be my purpose to do all in my power as an humble member of the order to advance its interests whenever I can. In leaving the grand lodge I shall not lose sight of my obligation as a member, but will perform my part with a full appreciation of what the order has done for me."

#### Labor Case at Pana.

Pana, Ill.—At the preliminary trial of James Palmer and Ed Jones, arrested for attempting to murder miners on the highway near the Springside coal company's mine last Monday, held in Judge Crosby's court, both waived examination and were held to the grand jury. The charge against Palmer and Jones was "assault with deadly weapons and intent to murder." There were three charges against Palmer and two against Jones. Judge Crosby placed the bonds of Palmer at \$1,500 and those of Jones at \$1,000. State's Attorney Humphreys and the union miners' attorney, C. C. Leforge, of Decatur, and City Attorney Morgan prosecuted, and Attorneys J. C. McQuigg and H. A. Sawyer of Pana, employed by the Springside coal company, were on hand to defend. The men gave bail, with Attorney J. C. McQuigg, Walter Puterbaugh of the Pana coal company and D. J. Overholt of the Springside coal company, each of whom made affidavit that they were worth the amount of the bonds over and above the rights of the state exemption laws, which was demanded by Judge Crosby.

#### Family's Narrow Escape.

Bloomington, Ill.—Early Thursday morning the residence of Bartlett Hall, 404 North Lee street, was burglarized and the thieves set fire to the house. But for the discovery of the fire by a nurse, watching a sufferer in George W. Parke's residence next door, Bartlett, his wife and son would have perished. Bartlett and his son attempted to lower Mrs. Bartlett to the ground from a window by a rope improvised from bed sheets. She weighs 250 pounds. The rope broke and she was very dangerously hurt by the fall. Bartlett was robbed of \$600 in cash and drafts collected for Armour & Co., for whom he travels. The fire loss is about \$2,000.

#### A Good Soldier.

The mustering in of company G, the last to take the oath, was marked by an incident worthy of a patriotic soldier. G, at the last moment, was lacking a man, and the sergeants were out scouring camp for someone to take the place, so that the entire regiment could be sworn in. Learning the need, Captain Beyland, who brought down an extra company for the Third, thus making one more than the required number and requiring division among the other companies, retired to his tent without a word to the other officers, who were standing before the men anxiously waiting for one more man to be found. Hope was almost gone, when from the tents of the Third an erect figure came striding toward the line. When he came in full view, someone said, "It's Capt. Beyland." The young man marched up to the line of privates and silently but determinedly took his place in the ranks. He had cut off his shoulder straps, and he took the oath as a private. The noble act thrilled the men, though there was no demonstration of approval from these military men. Speaking afterwards of Captain Beyland's conduct, Colonel Fyfe and Captain George Le Roy Brown commended him in the highest terms. "It is just what we might have looked for in a man like Beyland," said the colonel.—Nashville Banner.

#### Danish Dairy Methods.

Professor Wing of Cornell University, in his observations on dairying in foreign countries, says, with regard to Denmark: "Denmark is the most important country to an American from the butter standpoint. The Danish butter, judged from the market standpoint, reaches the highest quality in the world. This has been brought about largely by official and semi-official government aid. The development has been rapid, and is, probably, now near to the maximum. The dairies are largely co-operative, what we call creameries. These creameries take the whole milk, the cream is extracted in separators, then pasteurized, and afterward ripened by pure culture starters. A very large proportion of the creameries voluntarily place themselves under government inspection in this way: They agree to send at any time, twice a year, to government stations, whenever required, a tub of butter, which, after it is received at the station, is examined as to water, and then judged by a committee of nine judges selected by the station. This committee is made up of two representatives from the dealers' standpoint to one from the manufacturers'. The average judgment of the nine is transmitted, with suggestions, to the maker. For the past seven or eight years bi-monthly shows have been held in Copenhagen, which have resulted in markedly improving the butter. When the butter from a creamery does not, upon its second appearance, come up to the required standard, the creamery is obliged to employ a government expert. The shows are held under the auspices of the Royal Agricultural Society. From factories of established reputation no samples are required; but from the poorer factories several are required."

#### Poultry and the Farm Boys.

How to keep the boy on the farm. We will venture to assert that if each boy is given a flock of fowls, if only Bantams, and he alone have the management, and the receipts—a very important adjunct—the flock of fowls will cause the boy to take an interest in farming from the start. Let him become accustomed to the breed and he will soon learn the points of all breeds. And he will not stop there. He will aim to know the breeds of cattle, sheep, horses and hogs. He will look forward to the exhibitions of the country fairs, and strive to win prizes. He will have a love for the farm bred in him from the start, and when he is a man he will yearn for the happy days spent on the farm, and will get back to it if he can, should he be induced away. When one becomes interested in poultry on the farm he becomes educated to an interest in everything else. As soon as your boy can manage them, give them a few Bantams, and after he is older start him with some pure breed of standard size. It is the best plan for teaching the boy to remain on the farm.—Maine Farmer.

Fixed the Kicker.—The stanchion should be so made that the cow can see the milker, and he should always speak to her when approaching before sitting down to milk. We pet and handle our heifers and have them tame and gentle before they have their first calf and scarcely ever have any trouble with them. We had a large and strong cow which when fresh objected to a substitute for her calf and kicked the milker away and kept on doing so. I finally remembered that Wagner, in his horse book, recommended the war bridle for kicking cows. We used it and it was a success. The war bridle is made in this way: Take a small rope or cord half an inch thick or less, and tie one end around her horns, in the absence of horns around her neck; the take a half hitch over the under jaw just back of the front teeth. Take the other end of cord in one hand and milk with the other hand. Every time she kicks give a sharp jerk on the cord. She will soon give up kicking.

Material for Farm Buildings.—There was good reason when the country was new for making all buildings of wood. Forests had to be cleared away, and before saw mills could be put up the house made of hewn logs, tightly framed together, made a warm and cheap house for the settler and his family. Log houses were often made for stock. The frame building after a while superseded logs, as being more economical. Nowadays, in most sections where there is either stone or clay suitable for making brick, houses of stone or brick are superseding those of wood. In one respect nearly all farmers are agreed. A good basement under a barn built with walls of stone makes a much warmer and cheaper room for stock than can be prepared in the frame building above the basement.—Ex.

Advantage of Milk Inspection.—The rigid inspection of the milk brought into this city, by the state inspector, forced the milkmen to test their cows, get better cows, take better care of their cows, stables and utensils. It has led them to a study and consideration of the question of individual merit in their cows, and today the milkmen are making more money per cow than they ever did.

Why is a good and sensible girl nearly always homely?

## BARRINGTON LOCALS.

Henry Killian is very ill with rheumatism.

Miss Mamie Hutchinson is enjoying a vacation.

Will Hobein is reported as slightly improving.

Mrs. George Schafer was a Palatine visitor Sunday.

Wm. Barnett of Chicago visited his mother this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gieske were Elgin visitors Tuesday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Church, Sunday, an 8-pound boy.

Prof. and Mrs. J. I. Sears returned from New York Thursday.

Miss Nellie Graybill returned from an extended visit in Chicago.

The Plattdeutsche Gilde gave a picnic at Lake Zurich last Sunday.

Charles Lipofsky now occupies rooms in the Howarth building.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Westphal last Saturday morning.

Don't forget to attend the B. S. A. C. dance at Lake Zurich this evening.

Lawyer M. C. McIntosh returned from his Eastern trip the past week.

Spain now has on her hands a large line of army mules—including Blanco.

Miss Edna Hawley was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sadt at Oswego last week.

Flour on the drop. Lageschulte Bros. sell their Pure Gold for \$1.25 per sack.

Miss Ida Ultsch visited several days the past week with relatives in Chicago.

Miss Emma Schaefer of Pontiac is a guest at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Haller.

Attorney A. J. Redmond attended the Village Board meeting Tuesday evening.

Miss Gussie Mundhenke spent Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Dill.

Presiding Elder Kleist of Elgin will conduct quarterly meetings at Zion's church tomorrow.

Mrs. Maurice Cohn of Nunda spent Tuesday with her brothers, Sam and Charles Lipofsky.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Burkitt were baptized in Lake Zurich yesterday, Rev. Hageman officiating.

We are pleased to note that Frank Wolthausen is recovering from his attack of rheumatism.

A large number from this vicinity attended the McHenry County fair at Woodstock the past week.

Carl Ernst, Charles Beinhoff and M. T. Lamey made a trip by boat to Milwaukee Saturday night.

The remains of Will Grace of Chicago were taken to Wauconda, the home of his parents, yesterday.

WANTED.—At once, girl to do general housework. Call at the residence. J. ZIMMERMANN.

H. S. Sercomb of Sprague's Collection Agency, Chicago, was in town Thursday in the interest of his firm.

Miss Grace Lawrence, accompanied by her brother, Will, of Aurora, were guests at the home of S. Peck the past week.

Mrs. M. F. Pressl, who has been the guest of her parents in Chicago several days the past week, returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Wagner made a trip to Benton Harbor Saturday night and spent Sunday in the Michigan fruit belt.

Col. Nate Reed of Chicago delivered a temperance lecture at the Baptist church on Wednesday evening to a small but appreciative audience.

Rev. T. E. Ream was called to Camp Epworth last Saturday to deliver the annual address before the Epworth League of Rockford District. The attendance was large.

FOR SALE.—Small building on my lot, size 12x18 on inside. Suitable for workshop or store room. A great bargain if taken at once.

C. F. MEYER, Barrington.

Several from here attended the picnic given by Woodmen and Royal Neighbors of Cary at Fox River grove last Saturday, and all report having spent an excellent time.

Ezra Suhr was tendered a surprise party at the home of his sister, Mrs. John Kampert, on Thursday evening. About twenty-five young people were present. Refreshments were served.

The following services will be held in the Baptist church tomorrow: Morning, 10:30 o'clock, "The Excellency of Contentment;" evening, at 7:30, "Some Natural Gifts." The public is welcome.

Misses Frida and Clara Hachmeister of Chicago are guests at the home of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hachmeister. Misses Hachmeister are accompanied by their cousin, Miss Martha Miller.

The Barrington Social and Athletic club dance will take place at Oak Park pavilion, Lake Zurich, this evening. First-class music has been secured, and a good time is assured all who attend.

CARD OF THANKS.—Mrs. Fred Reese and family desire to express their heartfelt thanks to the neighbors and friends who so kindly tendered their assistance during the illness and death of their beloved one.

Postmaster Brockway reports the following unclaimed letters remaining in the Barrington postoffice up to Thursday, August 25: Nic Linden, Miss Mary Hopper, Mr. Harrington, Mr. Lingrin, Miss Marquette Rauch, Nickola Sarno, Smith, Brown & Co.

At a special meeting of the Village Board held Tuesday evening Trowbridge, McDonald & Niver Co., the firm which bought the special assessment bonds, were allowed a bonus of \$100, in addition to the \$70 previously allowed, as an inducement for them to take the bonds.

Sunday evening, at the usual hour of service, Rev. T. E. Ream of the M. E. church will preach on that welcome topic "Uttermost Salvation," from the text Heb. 7th chapter and 25th verse: "Wherefore he is able to save to the uttermost them that come unto God." A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Fred Landwer had an exciting experience Tuesday morning. While getting out of the wagon to pick up his little girl's hat the horse ran away. As the horse was crossing the railroad tracks Rudolph Karsnick, the flagman, made a jump and run for the horse and caught it, thereby probably saving the little girl from harm, who was coolly holding on to the seat.

The annual picnic of the Salem church Sunday school will be given at the camp grounds next Thursday, September 1. An elaborate program of races, games, etc., has been arranged for the occasion. All who attend this picnic can rest assured that they will be royally entertained. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The firm of Frank R. Jackman and Fred B. Bennett, lawyers, from Woodstock, will open an office in the Plagge block, and will be here on Tuesday and Saturday of each week after September 1st, and from our long acquaintance with the members of this firm we know they will do an honorable law business and we recommend them to our citizens who may need the services of a lawyer.

David T. Webb, candidate for sheriff of Lake county was in town Thursday. Mr. Webb has been deputy sheriff two terms, and has proven himself capable. He has a host of friends throughout the county who would be pleased to hear of his nomination at the convention to be held at Libertyville on September 10th. Deputy Recorder Churchill accompanied the gentleman.

Gus Radke, while attempting to cross the railroad tracks near THE REVIEW office between 8 and 9 o'clock Saturday evening, had as narrow an escape as any man ever experienced. He waited for one train to pass and then proceeded to cross. In doing so he was struck by a freight train coming along at a lively rate on another track. He was knocked senseless parallel with the track, just clearing the wheels of the moving train. Charles Peterson picked him up and carried him to the drug store, where he was revived. After an examination it was found that he was not seriously injured, and at present is able to walk around.

All kinds of fresh Bread and Rolls

received every morning from the

Piper Baking Company, Chicago.

George Wagner.

The committee soliciting subscriptions for the college is meeting with good success. Nearly one-half of the amount asked has been subscribed. This speaks well for Barrington, but it would be wise for the property owners to get a little hustle on themselves and contribute their mite as soon as possible, and thereby clinch the opportunity to do something for their community that will be a living monument to their generosity and a lasting financial benefit to the community. It will prove to be a good investment. Think this matter over so that when one of the committee asks you to subscribe you will be ready to do so and not take up much of their time.

### Conversation as a Fine Art.

A brilliant young Lochinvar in the shape of a woman professor of the art of conversation has come out of the west (in this instance she hails from Denver) to teach the young women of New York how to talk. She professes to have studied her art in the most polished European circles. With new world energy and originality, combined with old world culture, she has made a descent on the crude girls of Manhattan to gild their intellects with the highest of social accomplishments, while she gilds her own pocket withal in the operation. Her pluck is admirable, and it is to be hoped that she will make a financial success in her novel business, for there would seem to be ample field for its use. But we fear she proceeds on an unsound premise. The art of charming conversation is born in the individual and cannot be taught. It is a matter of tact and temperament and sympathy even more than of intellectual culture and vivacity. The most brilliant talkers are not always adepts in the art of agreeable conversation. To evoke from others their best, to put them at their ease and smooth away all sense of friction, to mingle with the stream of talk unobtrusively, as oil does with the dressing of a salad, blending and perfecting diverse elements—this it is to know conversation as a fine art. All the teaching in the world will not bestow it. A simple country girl may possess it. The most brilliant woman of society may lack its suave delightsomeness. If the equipment exists by nature, the higher the culture and intellect the more charming the art. Without the other essential gifts mere culture, wit and knowledge amount only to the beating of tomtoms, a pyrotechnic display of vanity. To converse delightfully is to be intent on making others talk well, no less than the personal achievement of display.

The Royal Geographical society has for a long time refused the persistent attempt made to have it father new schemes of antarctic exploration. But Sir George Newnes, founder of a number of successful periodicals, has taken up the rejected burden and given £50,000 to capitalize an expedition. It is proposed to exercise the tactics of Nansen in taking advantage of the drift of the polar current. And a boat the exact model of the Fram will be used for the purpose. The head of the expedition will be a Norwegian naturalized in England, Carsten Egeburg Borobgrevink, who is a member of the Geographical society, an intimate friend of Nansen and an enthusiast in polar exploration, in which he has had some experience. The party, it is believed, will be gone at least two years. What end of science not already secured by north polar adventure can be achieved except the advancement of purely geographical knowledge it is difficult to see.

"The moral amelioration of man constitutes the chief mission of woman," says M. Comte, the philosopher. True. And the pursuit has always been so tantalizingly elusive and bewitching that it has remained a labor of love with her from the first.

The Chinese mandarins were firmly convinced that locomotives were devils when they first saw them. With the commotion made in China by the railroad question today this notion about the diabolism of the iron horse will not be very soon dissipated.

The small worries of life wear out the spirit more than the great misfortunes. Against the one the mind rebounds and often gathers new strength. The attack of the other is the constant friction of the dropping water.

It took Lord Albermarle and the English fleet more than a month to capture Havana, and then he succeeded only by breaking in at the back door. Instantly Uncle Sam was ready, he took it by one shot from Washington.

**A Good Man Called to His Reward.**  
The many friends and acquaintances of Frederick Reese were shocked to hear of his sudden death on Tuesday at his home on North Hawley street, after an illness of only two weeks' duration.

The deceased was born on January 21, 1838, in Griessen, Hanover, and when a young man came to America. In 1866 he was united in marriage to Miss Johanna Haeger. Four children blessed this union—two of them preceding the father to the great beyond and two daughters living, to comfort and cheer the bereaved mother.

Mr. Reese was a member of St. Paul's church, holding the office of treasurer of the congregation.

The funeral services were held yesterday, Rev. Menzel officiating, and taking for his text John 3:10. The choir rendered some beautiful selections. The pall-bearers were the trustees of St. Paul's church. Interment was in the Lutheran cemetery.

Mr. Reese was a man of strict integrity and kind disposition—a man always approachable and willing to help his fellow men. Naturally such a man could have aught but friends, and the large concourse of truly sorrowing friends that attended the funeral services and followed the remains to their last resting place was ample evidence of the high esteem and love in which he was held by all.

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