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\$1.50 A YEAR IN ADVANCE.

PALATINE LOCAL NEWS

Events of Past, Present and Future of Village and Vicinity.

Gathered and Compiled by A. G. Smith, Local Editor.

James Moorhouse is able to be out again.

Mrs. A. G. Smith is visiting her parents at Libertyville.

Mr. Schneible Sr. has been quite ill and does not improve in health.

Mr. Shaddle has purchased the R. M. Putnam place on Benton street.

Mrs. M. Jolinson has been entertaining her niece from Cleveland, Ohio, this week.

Louis Keyes of Roselle was in town Monday and is thinking of starting a barber shop in this place.

Mrs. Chas. Julian is in Indianapolis where she has gone to attend her mother who is quite sick.

Will Schweitzer, who is working for Will Dahms in Chicago, visited his mother here several days last week.

The republican primary will be held in the village hall on Friday, March 6, 1903 from 12 o'clock to 7 o'clock p. m.

Pete Marx, who worked for many saloon keepers here for the past few years died in Blue Island last week Sunday.

Dr. Gibb's horse died in the harness last Sunday night of heart disease just before reaching home by dropping dead in the road.

C. D. Taylor has been at Springfield all week attending the state convention of the Court of Honor being a delegate from this county.

The Court of Honor will initiate 30 new members into their order in Battersman's hall Saturday night. Lunch will be served after the work.

We understand that a new blacksmith shop will be erected between Rappolt's saloon and the barber shop and will be run by a young man in the business at Jefferson park.

Cole's Carbolisalve has been a favorite household remedy with us for many years", writes Capt. J. W. Partridge, Belfast, Me. "We have never seen anything that compares with it as a cure for burns, cuts, catarrh, weak and sore eyes, chilblains, sores and all itching diseases." Cole's is guaranteed. Keep a box handy. 25 and 50c. Sold by all druggists.

A. G. Sutherland has been appointed traveling auditor for the International Harvester Co., the new billion dollar trust, and commenced work for them Monday. Bert has been employed in the county treasurer's office for several years and has become an expert accountant. He was offered a big increase in salary to continue his services for the county but concluded that his new offer was much better than a political job. His many friends are glad to see him get such a responsible position.

The concert given in the Methodist church Monday night was fairly well attended and was a good entertainment in the judgement of those present. Mr. Burnett, basso, was one of the best soloists we have listened to in a long time and his accompaniments were excellent. Mr. Gonzales has a tenor voice that is a rarity and his operatic rendition was exceptionally fine. Natalia Cones, soprano, and Cora Earle, contralto, were artists in their line and the readings of Cora Earle were highly pleasing.

Obituary.

Wm. Henry House was born in Soerelen, Hanover, Germany on Jan. 23, 1872, and died in Tuscan, Arizona, Feb. 17, 1903. He came to America with his father in 1879, his mother having died. Five years ago he was married to Matilda Schierding at Palatine and besides the widow two children a boy and girl live to mourn his departure, also a sister, Mrs. H. W. Harmening of Chicago. His father died ten years ago and the sister is the only remaining member of the family. The remains were brought to Palatine for burial and the funeral took place at the home of Mrs. H. Schierding last Sunday, Rev. J. C. Hoffmeister preaching the sermon.

School Entertainment.

The school entertainment held in Battersman's hall last Friday night was one of the best entertainments ever presented by the school. A good sized audience listened attentively to the lengthy program and were well pleased with the exercises. The pro-

gram was a varied and pleasing one, among the numbers being a debate and two farces which were very interesting. The proceeds amounted to over \$35 which goes to the library fund. The following program was rendered.
Address of Welcome.....Prof. F. E. Newton
Song.....America
Members of High School.
Violin solo.....Robert Schultz
Recitation.....The Fashionable School Girl
Harriet Kuebler.
Duet.....Mary Hofmeister, Daisy Paddock
Song.....Members of High School
Farce.....The Flying Wedge
Violin solo.....Harriet Kuebler
Essay....."The Chinese in America"
Richard Taylor.
Duet.....Elnora Arps, Emma Kuebler
Debate-Resolved, "That the Government should take possession of the coal mines."
Affirmative Amanda Kampert, Gibber Shadle; Negative Betty Bollman, Tom Hart.
Solo.....Elnora Arps
Farce....."The Burglars"
Music Henry Schroeder and Members of the High School.

Pay your Taxes.

I will be at the Palatine Bank on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday of each week until March 10 to collect the taxes for the town of Palatine for the year 1902. Barrington, Wednesday forenoons at Plagge's store. Christian Kublanck, Collector.

Death of Dennis Dunn.

Dennis Dunn, one of the pioneers of this section, passed away at his home in Cary, Friday, February 20, 1903, of paralysis of the heart, aged 77 years.

In the passing of Dennis Dunn this section loses a landmark—one of that band of rugged settlers who half a century ago took up residence on the virgin soil of Illinois; one of those who had witnessed this section develop from a collection of widely separated log cabins to a region thickly settled and dotted by beautiful and costly farm homes.

Dennis Dunn was born in the county of Meade, Rathmolyna, Ireland in 1826, and at the age of 21 was united in marriage to Catherine Keenan of that parish. They came to America in 1851, and for a time lived in Pennsylvania. Shortly after they came to Illinois and settled at Cary Station. Mr. Dunn entered the employ of the Chicago & Northwestern railway company, having charge of the water tank and fuel yard at Cary. For years he pumped the water and sawed the wood by hand for engines. He remained in the employ of the railway company from the fall of 1851 until 1878 when he purchased a small farm near Cary which he conducted up to the time of his death.

Dennis Dunn was one of those hard working, industrious, highly-respected citizens and had a legion of friends and acquaintances. He was a staunch member of the Catholic church.

He leaves an aged wife five sons, Dennis, Jr., John, and Joseph of Cary, Thomas, of DesPlaines, James Dunn, of Chicago, and one daughter, Mrs. James Neely of Cary.

Funeral services were held at St. Ann's Catholic church, Barrington, Monday forenoon, conducted by Rev. H. F. Quinn of Woodstock. There was a large attendance. Interment was in Evergreen cemetery.

Some Closing Out Sales.

Small lots which we wish to close out. We urge comparison. Ladies' flannelette wrappers, all fine makes, now 69 cents. Three doz. boys' three-quarter wool pants now 25 cents. Lot of 200 fine, all wool dress skirts, made of fine Venetian cloths and Broadcloths, all colors, now \$2.69. Special lot of Ladies' fine Taffeta silk waists, regular \$4.00 waists, now \$1.98. Ladies' Percalé dressing sacks at 25c; wool goods at 49c and 69c. \$20 Electric seal capes, satin lined, reduced now to only \$6.48. Elegant goods. Ladies' 32 inch double, cloth capes, trimmed with fur, now \$1.48. Pillsbury's Best flour at 98 cents.

ONE PRICE JACKET SALE.

Ladies' and Misses' jackets put in one lot, all new goods, and worth up to \$10.00, we offer now at \$3.73.

MEN'S VALUES.

Canyass coats, with fur collars, at \$1.29. Men's heavy working pants, three-quarter wool, now 98c. All overcoats at reduced prices, a good coat at \$3, A \$1.49 shoe, which we guarantee, a new pair if these do not wear well. Men's white shirts at 25c. Sample underwear, medium weight goods, save customers one-third.

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NEWS OF THE VICINITY

Items of Interest Collected by Our Reliable Correspondents.

Wauconda Residents Worried Over Slump of Stocks.

WAUCONDA.

James Barnes visited in Chicago Tuesday.

Dr. Dawson is reported seriously ill with the grip.

A. E. Kirwin and C. L. Pratt were Chicago visitors the first of the week.

Mrs. James Blanck, who has been on the sick list for the past week, is reported on the gain.

The Wauconda minstrels will appear in the Grayslake M. E. church, Saturday evening, March 7.

Services were held in the Catholic church Wednesday, that being the first day of the lenten season.

Riley Hill was calling on friends in the village this week. He states that he has a good position in Waukegan and that he is satisfied with the change.

Misses Vera and Agnes Geary and Maude Edwards, Messrs. Hatry Geary Herman Malman and Claire Edwards, visited at Long Grove, Saturday and Sunday.

Collector Otto Waelti started out Monday morning, being unable to get his receipts sooner. The taxes are larger this year than last, amounting to \$7,715. Mr. Waelti may be found at his office every day in the week except Friday. That day he will be in Volo.

The Nicaragua Company, in which a number of our people have invested—some of them quite heavily, received quite a setback according to accounts printed in Chicago papers a week ago, and it made things look gloomy for the shareholders. The president of the company writes that all will come out satisfactorily.

William Walsh and Wife Pass Away.

William Walsh, for many years a resident of our town, died at his home near this village Monday, February 16, aged 76 years and 4 months. He was born in Ireland in 1825, but almost his whole life was spent in this country. He was a temperate, industrious and congenial man and his old friends and neighbors speak of him in the highest terms. The funeral was held from the Catholic church, Wednesday, Feb. 18, Rev. Father Foley celebrating mass, after which the remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery.

Mrs. Walsh, the life companion of William Walsh, did not long survive her husband. One short week after the devoted husband had bid her final farewell she joined him in the unknown land, passing away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Grabbe, Tuesday morning, Feb. 24. She had been sickly for many years. Funeral was held from the Catholic church, Thursday the 26th, interment by the side of her husband.

Three daughters survive this aged couple—Mesdames Magnus Ulrich and Fred Grabbe of this place and Mrs. Dr. Johnson of Columbus, Kansas.

Mothers Rely on It.

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LAKE ZURICH.

Mrs. Emil Frank is on the sick list. Louis Ficke was a Chicago visitor Tuesday.

R. R. Kimberly was a Zurich caller Tuesday.

Miss May Dalley was calling on friends here Tuesday.

J. H. Forbes transacted business at Dundee Wednesday.

Sam Lifofsky of Barrington was in town Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Behan of Nunda visited relatives here Thursday.

Henry Branding and Fred Schutt were Dundee visitors Wednesday.

Dad Gifford of Barrington made our village people a call last Wednesday.

Ed Golding of Wauconda has finished a job of papering for J. H. Forbes.

Frank Geary and Walter Rooney of

Wauconda were pleasant callers here Sunday.

Chas. Sholtz has rented the Seip store for a term of years and will put in a new stock of merchandise and be ready for business about March 15.

Peter Hapke of Fremont and Minnie Graber of Fairfield were married at St. John's Lutheran church here Tuesday evening Feb. 24, Rev. Heinrich performing the ceremony.

CARPENTERSVILLE.

Mrs. Brown of Nunda was here Saturday.

J. Lucht who has been quite ill is much improved.

Charles Teckler of Nunda was here on business Thursday.

Mrs. Margaret Matthews is visiting a few days at Pleasant Valley.

Mrs. Wright Brown of Crystal Lake is keeping house for J. Bumstead.

Miss Ina Taylor of Cary has been a visitor among friends here this week.

Misses Maud Bollinger and Burnham of Elgin were visitors here Monday.

Miss Emma Matthews of McHenry was the guest of Mrs. Roy Gensing last week.

Tredway Tenanger and Arthur Fredrickson was a guest of the latter's parents here Sunday.

Misses Eva Calhoun of Ladd and Jennie Miller of Elgin were visitors here Tuesday.

QUEETIN'S CORNERS.

William Bauman will continue to work another year for August Grenes.

P. Young is having a tubular well put in on his farm. Steve Palmer has the contract.

Mrs. B. Landwer is under the care of the doctor, suffering from a severe attack of the grip.

Miss Ida Niemeyer of Barrington visited with her sister, Mrs. William Stokel, a few days this week.

Mrs. Herman Schneider celebrated her birthday last Sunday by entertaining a few of her friends.

Our winter term of school closes next week and the same teacher has been engaged to teach the summer term.

A large Newfoundland dog caused quite a commotion here Monday morning by biting several hogs chickens and dogs. It was finally run down and shot in John Bockelman's yard.

Fred Kropp, who for a great many years has been a resident of this section, is soon going to leave us and take up his residence in Palatine. Fred is well liked by all who know him and we regret to see him go.

March 1, will witness a general moving about among the farmers in this section of the country. Charles Meyer will move on the John Page place, Jacob Sturmb on the Gainer farm and Fred Fulleh takes possession of the George Ela farm.

SARCASM FOR NIBBLERS

A Few Hints for Those Who Feed at the Grocery Stores.

A man, woman or child has no more right to nibble at the goods exposed for sale in the store of a merchant than they have to extract money from the cash drawer, but they do it. We find an article on this nuisance in a Buffalo paper and for the benefit of the "nibblers" in this village, publish it.

"A west side merchant has formulated a series of placards for his store, which placed on various barrels and boxes, tell his customers in a joking way to keep hands off. Here are a few of them:

Customers will please not eat these cheap prunes. Obliging clerks will be pleased to serve you with a better variety kept especially for free lunches.

Customers will please not cut their corns with these pickles.

Customers are warned not to sample these codfish. The last person who did so caught a bone in his throat and died.

This is only 12 cent coffee, so do not chew any of it. Ask for a few beans of the 48 cent variety.

If you do not like to nibble raisins with seeds, take handful to the back of the store, where a boy employed for the purpose will remove the seeds with a corkscrew.

These peanuts are raw. If you want to eat half a pint or so while your coffee is being ground, tell the proprietor and he will order them roasted for you.

If you like these crackers, step up stairs and get a glass of beer and a piece of cheese to go with them.

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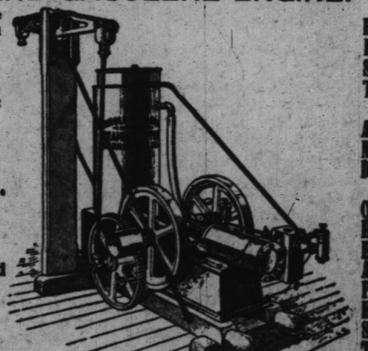
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NEWS OF THE WORLD

Industrial, Political, Domestic and Foreign Happenings of Minor Importance Told in Paragraphs.

The Nickel Plate road has granted an increase in wages averaging 7 per cent to conductors, trainmen and switchmen.

Mons Anderson of La Crosse, Wis., the "dry goods king," and once rated as a millionaire, has been served with papers intended to force him into bankruptcy.

Architect Elijah Meyers of Detroit, Mich., was given a verdict for \$14,750 in the United States court in his action against Luzerne county, Pennsylvania. Architect Meyers prepared plans for a new courthouse in Wilkes-Barre seven years ago. The plans were accepted, but the commissioners were enjoined by taxpayers from erecting the building.

Germany's pig iron production for January was 782,484 tons, beating that of December by 28,489 tons, though December broke all previous records.

Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain embarked from Cape Town on the Union line steamer Norman for Southampton. Immense crowds gathered at the docks and gave the colonial secretary an enthusiastic send-off.

The German Anti-dueling league, under the presidency of Prince Zu Loewenstein, is specially active at present organizing branches in the principal cities. One has just been formed in Berlin under the chairmanship of Count Von Bernstorff.

The Dutch tank steamer New York, Capt. Butz, bound from Rotterdam for New York, has been badly damaged at Maasuis, ten miles from Rotterdam, in a collision with the British steamer Woolwich, from Benisaf, Algeria. The latter vessel was struck amidships and immediately broke in two and sank.

Mayor Rose of Milwaukee has arrived home from Indianapolis, feeling better, but not entirely recovered from his recent illness.

The Republican judicial convention at Bloomington, Ill., nominated Judge C. D. Myers for Circuit judge from McLean county.

In a fit of temporary insanity Emanuel Smith, aged 60, committed suicide on his farm near Cumberland, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hatch, prominent residents of Henry county, Illinois, celebrated their golden wedding at Kewanee.

Dr. W. E. B. Davis, one of the most prominent physicians in the southern States, was run over by a passenger train in Birmingham, Ala., and instantly killed.

The trustees appointed by Judge Hook of the Federal court at Topeka on Feb. 5 to ascertain the financial condition of the Kansas Mutual Life Insurance company have presented their preliminary report, which shows the company to be solvent.

The trains which were snow-bound in the interior of Newfoundland, having secured relief, are now moving backward to their starting points, where ample food and accommodations for travelers are available. It is impossible for the trains to attempt to cut their way through the snow-drifts across the summit of the island.

Naval Lieutenant Solari, a collaborator of Marconi in his wireless telegraph work, and Baroness Ida Di Rubini, were married at Turin.

The Cunard company is reported from London to be finding great difficulty in getting shipbuilders to undertake the construction of new liners owing to the clause in the proposed contracts that the builders shall guarantee the new vessels to have a speed of twenty-five knots an hour for twelve months.

A customs decree has been publishing in Paris continuing the provisional application of minimum tariff rates to certain classes of merchandise originating in the United States, Porto Rico, Nicaragua, Honduras, Jamaica and other parts of the world. The articles are specified in laws of Feb. 22 and July 17, 1900.

Peter Farrell of New Orleans, a prominent Democratic politician, was shot and killed by his son Edward. It is said Farrell tried to kill two of his sons for misbehavior.

Trainmen and conductors of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha road have been granted increase in wages, on some runs amounting to 25 per cent. Strict schedule regulations were secured.

Attorney Edward Knight of Lorimer, Ia., was shot and killed by a man named Wilson as a result of a quarrel.

The bill introduced in the house of commons by Mr. Scott-Montagu to authorize the next automobile race for the James Gordon Bennett cup to be run in Ireland has passed its first reading.

The chamber of deputies at Rome passed a bill providing for the construction of a wireless telegraph station to communicate with the stations now existing and the others contemplated. In the course of the debate there was considerable eulogy for Senor Marconi.

E. S. Cunningham of Tennessee, United States consul at Aden, Arabia, has resigned on account of ill health.

Republican primaries in McLean county, Illinois, resulted in victory for Judge C. D. Myers who, it is claimed will be renominated for the bench.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE LEGISLATURE

Measures Under Consideration in the Capitol at Springfield.

SHERMAN WINS OVER MILLER

Resolution for the Itemizing of Institution Appropriations Is Changed From Joint to House Measure by Vote of 82 to 64.

Representative Sherman had his way in the house in changing the resolution for the itemizing of institution appropriations from a joint to a house resolution. His followers are proclaiming the result as another victory over Speaker Miller and the "organization."

For Sherman's original resolution on this subject the appropriations committee had framed a substitute requiring concurrence of the senate to make it operative in preparation of appropriation bills. This substitute was reported out, and Rinkner moved to strike out the "joint" clause. Tindley explained it had been made a joint resolution in the interest of effectiveness.

Sherman spoke at length for confining the resolution to the house, growing sarcastic because the substitute had not been presented sooner, arguing for disregard of the senate's wishes in the matter, and predicting that if the resolution were sent to the senate it would be kept there "until the milch cows give good June buttermilk."

Representative Shanahan related how he had tried to have the itemizing experiment made six and four years ago, and had been told four years ago by Speaker Sherman and Chairman Curtis of the appropriations committee that bills could not be itemized without concurrence of the senate in the innovation. Hence, he argued, former Speaker Sherman ought to favor concurrence of the senate now.

Sherman got red in the face, quivered with rage and denied that he had ever said anything of the kind. Rising to a question of privilege, he said:

"I understood the gentleman from Cook to say that four years ago the speaker of the house at that time said that it could not be done in reference to the itemizing of appropriations bills. Do I understand him correctly?"

Mr. Shanahan—I beg your pardon. I did not say he said it could not be itemized, but did say it could not be done without the concurrence of the senate.

Mr. Sherman—I wish to say that I did not say anything of the kind; that it is absolutely untrue. I hope the gentleman from Cook understands what I mean.

Mr. Shanahan—I hope the gentleman understands what I say.

Finally the question got to a vote. The Shermanites clamored for a roll call, as if they thought it was going to be denied. Most of the Democrats from outside of Cook county voted with the Shermanites. The vote was 82 for Sherman's side to 64 on the side of the appropriations committee.

Look for Long Session.

A resolution for sine die adjournment April 17 was ready in the senate and Speaker Miller had agreed to put it through the House if sent over, but just before the chambers met he asked the senate to withhold it a while. I will be held until Speaker Miller thinks the house is ready to receive and act on it. There is no prospect of sine die adjournment that early—probably not before the first week in May. The house rules committee decided to extend the time March 3 to March 11, which is another sign against early adjournment.

The Senate appropriation committee has acted on Attorney General Hamlin's opinion that a salary fixed by statute cannot be increased by an appropriation bill.

To Amend Constitution.

A resolution for a constitutional convention was put into the house by Representative Church and referred to the judiciary committee. It recites that the rapid growth in population and development along commercial lines have brought about conditions which cannot be properly regulated by legislation under the present constitution, that a large number of proposed constitutional amendments have been submitted to the legislature in recent years, none of which has been adequate to bring to the state all of the needed reforms; that it is impossible to amend more than one article of the constitution at the same time, and that any proposition to amend the constitution

Workman Is Injured.

While attempting to thaw a manhole in the underground system of the new telephone company on the east side of the public square at Springfield there was an explosion of gas, and the heavy iron covers of the manholes along Sixth street for several blocks were thrown high into the air. Richard McGill, a workman assisting in the work, was blown 20 feet back from the opening of the manhole where the explosion occurred and sustained serious burns and bruises.

by embodying several subjects in an amendment to a single article is at best an experiment.

Child Labor.

The child labor question had a hearing before the house committee on labor and industrial affairs. The pending bill was prepared by Factory Inspector Davies and has been endorsed by practically all of the philanthropic and educational organizations of the state. Opposition is expected from the glass industry of the state, which employs large numbers of children and works them in night shifts. On this night feature, Clarence S. Darrow announced his intention of presenting an amendment forbidding the employment of children under 16 between the hours of 7 p. m. and 6 a. m. and cutting down the maximum working day for children from ten to eight hours.

Woman Suffrage.

The committee on elections heard Mrs. C. W. McCulloch on the bill introduced by Representative Owen providing that taxpaying women may vote at all elections affecting the public revenues. The question of the constitutionality of the measure was raised, and there was considerable discussion over this point. The committee was also divided on the question of reporting the bill with a favorable recommendation, but it is evident that there was a disposition to send the measure to the house. No action was taken, however, and the bill went over until the next meeting of the committee.

Show the Pay Rolls.

"Show the state pay roll," is the text of a joint resolution offered by Senator Parker. The resolution calls on all officers and departments of the state government, trustees and heads of state institutions and so on, to prepare a full and correct pay roll list of their "special, temporary, permanent or other employees," to swear to its accuracy and to file it with the state auditor every three months.

This resolution is almost certain to pass the senate. It has been referred to the committee on public accounts, of which Senator Parker is chairman, and he will see that it is reported out.

Hamlin on Salaries.

The State of Illinois has been paying a good many illegal salaries. Attorney General Hamlin has so informed the senate in answer to inquiries from the committee on appropriations. The chief point involved in the opinion given by Mr. Hamlin is: For the several offices created by statute the salary is fixed by statute. In the last session or two of the legislature the practice has been to appropriate for the salaries attached to these offices sums much larger than the statutory amount. The office incumbents, with the consent of the auditor, who draws all salary warrants, have been enjoying the salaries so increased.

The attorney general says this practice is clearly illegal. The legislature had no right to increase salaries by the appropriation bill route alone, and should, if it wanted to grant the raises, have amended the statutes creating the offices. The auditor is now wondering whether he can be held for the illegal excesses so paid.

Aids Famine Sufferers.

A bill appropriating \$5,000 to the relief of the sufferers in the famine-stricken districts of Sweden and Finland was passed by the lower house by a vote of 113 to 6. The six legislators who voted against the measure were Darrow, Gray, Hinds, Johnson, McClenathan and Tice.

For Willard Statue.

Clarence S. Darrow delivered his first speech as a lawmaker—an attack upon the appropriation of \$9,000 for a statue of Frances E. Willard, to be placed in Statuary Hall of the national capitol at Washington. He said:

"If this house is to appropriate the money of the taxpayers of Illinois to build monuments for every worthy man or woman who dies, I don't know where we will come out. I understand there are bills here to construct monuments for all the dead governors who have resided in Illinois, and to commemorate all the battle fields, ancient and modern. If this bill is passed, there can be absolutely no restrictions in the future."

Mr. Brundage explained that this money had been appropriated in 1899, but had not been drawn because the appropriation lapsed before the work on the statue was finished. The bill passed the house by a vote of 102 to 16. A similar bill unanimously passed the senate.

After Tax Dodgers.

A much discussed and often introduced bill for reaching tax dodgers who have large personal property holdings came into the Senate from Senator Coleman. It proposes that all evidences of indebtedness—notes, mortgages, etc., shall be void and uncollectible unless countersigned by the tax assessing officers in the town or county where held.

The negotiable instrument bill prepared by the American Bar Association, so as to secure a uniform law in all states, was transmitted to the senate by Governor Yates in a special message. It was later reported out of the judiciary committee.

Verdict Against Railroad.

Three years ago Sjolmon Fowler of the Dark Bend sustained injuries in a wreck near Ste. Marie on the Indiana, Decatur and Western railroad, and brought suit against the company. The first trial resulted in a verdict by the jury of \$200. This judgment was set aside and a second trial brought him a judgment for \$1,000. From this decision the case went to the appellate court and was affirmed, when it was taken to the supreme court, where it was again affirmed.

ILLINOIS STATE NEWS

LOGAN MONUMENT ASSOCIATION

Murphysboro Citizens Organize to Secure Aid From the State.

At a meeting held in the courthouse in Murphysboro the Logan monument association was organized, with E. H. Rogers president, John Rollo vice president, Chas. L. Ritter secretary and Willard Wall treasurer. Representative R. J. McElvain of this city, who introduced a bill in the state legislature to appropriate \$10,000 for a monument of Logan in Murphysboro, was present and addressed the meeting. The association will send a committee to Springfield to aid Mr. McElvain in getting the appropriation. It is expected to raise \$15,000 here to add to the appropriation. Gen. Logan was born and raised on a farm which is now the site of Murphysboro, and the log hut in which he was born still stands on South Seventeenth street.

UNIQUE NEIGHBORHOOD CLUBS

Farmers and Their Families Combine Pleasure and Profit.

A movement is on foot among the farmers of Carbondale to organize clubs in each community to better their condition. The movement is unique. Each club is to be composed of twelve families in the same neighborhood. They are to hold twelve meetings a year at the homes of each of its members. In the forenoon of the day of the meeting the male members examine the entire farm of the one at whose home they meet and discuss, approve or criticize the methods of farming. In the afternoon the ladies discuss their work along domestic science lines, while at night the young folks furnish exercises of a musical and literary nature. The plan is believed to be new and will be watched with intense interest.

Alton Schools Are O. K.

Supt. R. A. Haight of the Alton public schools has received information that the application of the Alton high school to be placed on the list of schools the graduates of which will be admitted without examination on presentation of diplomas to Washington university, will be favorably reported upon, and that the Alton schools will be accorded this honor. The graduates of the Alton schools have been admitted without examination to the universities of Illinois, Michigan, Missouri and Iowa and to many educational institutions.

Note Is Released.

John and William Hall, prominent farmers living near Alton, were victorious in a lawsuit started by their stepmother, Jane Hall, for payment of a note of \$800 made eight years ago. Mrs. Hall alleged that the note was not paid and the defendants had no receipt for their payments. The defendants showed by record, however, that a chattel mortgage they had given as security for the note was released, and on that evidence and the sworn statements of the defendants the verdict in favor of the defendants was found.

To Exterminate Dogs.

People in the eastern part of Alton are much wrought up over the depredations of a pack of dogs that have been causing much trouble and have attacked people without apparent cause. The dogs have attacked children and in several instances the children have been rescued by men armed with revolvers, who succeeded in killing several of the dogs. A war of extermination will be made on worthless and homeless dogs infesting that part of the city.

Reopen Famous Coal Pits.

The North Alton coal industry is being revived, and coal operators there say that the business is now better than it was thirty years ago when the North Alton coal fields were famous. The coal shortage has caused the opening up of new pits and the number of miners employed is the largest known in many years.

Remember Miss Willard.

Interesting memorial services were held at Springfield by the W. C. T. U. members in respect to the fifth anniversary of the death of Miss Frances E. Willard, national world's president of the Women's Christian Temperance Union. Mrs. D. C. Hoyt presided, and Mrs. A. H. Harlow, Mrs. G. C. Smith and Mrs. Thomas Mason made addresses.

Fear Foul Play.

Springfield police are searching for Gustave Lonchrist, a prominent farmer of Middletown, who left his home en route for Springfield. He had money on his person with which to buy a farm at Mechanicsburg. No word has since been heard from him and it is feared he has met with foul play.

Adopts Curfew Law.

The Hillsboro city council has passed a curfew ordinance forbidding all children under 16 years of age to be on the streets after 8 p. m. from October 1 to April 1 and after 9 p. m. from April 1 to October 1, except when accompanied by parents or guardian or when sent on some lawful errand, or when going to and from the public library, church or other public gathering and providing a penalty of from \$3 to \$25 for a violation of the ordinance. The night policeman is required to tap a bell at the curfew hour.

ALTON SCHOOL CASE COMES UP

Defendants May Apply for Change of Venue to Calhoun County.

It was said by a city official connected with the trial of the Alton school case, which is a suit of Alton negroes to gain admission to the public schools of the city with white children, that unless another judge is given to try the case in the circuit court a change of venue to Calhoun county will be taken by the defendants, the mayor and city council of Alton. Calhoun county is known as one of the counties in the state of Illinois where no negroes live, the inhabitants objecting to them remaining in the limits of the county. A change of venue was taken one year ago from the judges of the circuit in which Madison county is situated, and it was only by the most strenuous objections that the counsel for the city officers succeeded in preventing the case being called for trial in the circuit court before the regular circuit judges.

CELEBRATES GOLDEN JUBILEE.

Father Costa of Galesburg Receives Two Handsome Gifts.

The golden jubilee of the ordination of Rev. Father Joseph Costa of Galesburg was celebrated elaborately. Fifty outside clergymen were present. After the morning services, the sermon of which was preached by Bishop P. J. O'Reilly of Peoria, Father Costa was presented with \$500 in gold by the societies of his parish. Later, at a banquet, he was presented with \$300 by the priests of the diocese. Rev. Father T. E. Cox of Chicago referred to him as an illustration of the missionary spirit. Before going to Galesburg Father Costa served at Bloomington.

Illinois Press Association.

The Illinois press association will meet in Cairo, May 12, 13 and 14. The date was decided upon at a meeting of the executive committee held in Springfield. Eugene E. Ellis of Cairo, vice president of the association, was present at the meeting and outlined the plans for the convention. The event is being anticipated with pleasure by Cairo citizens. Three other large conventions are to be held at Cairo within the next few months, the Odd Fellows' interstate convention, the State Federation of Women's clubs and the Supervisors and County Clerks' association.

To Open Coal Mine.

W. D. Ward and S. B. Eaton of Perry county are soon to open a coal mine near Duquoin. They have spent \$50,000 in making purchases of lands in the past few months, and have squared up one of the finest tracts of coal land southeast of Duquoin. They secured 340 acres, which were very much needed to give their boundary line a desirable shape, and now they have a body of 1,441 acres, at an average cost of \$13 per acre.

Want Money for Cemetery.

Dr. H. C. Simpson, G. W. Wright and W. A. Pinkerton of Chester, commissioners of the Garrison Hill state cemetery, to which the remains of those interred in the old Kaskia graveyards were removed a few years ago, have asked the legislature for an appropriation of \$3,000 for the purpose of cleaning up and repainting the grounds, which are situated on an eminence near the site of old Fort Gage.

Sues for Large Sum.

A suit for \$30,000 damages has been filed in the circuit court at Carbondale by Oscar Becker, aged 13 years, by his next best friend, his father, Peter Becker, against the Illinois Central railroad for damages. Last May the boy was a passenger on an Illinois Central train and while going through the tunnel at St. Louis the car window fell, striking him on the head, from the effects of which it is claimed he became insane.

New Y. M. C. A. Building.

State Secretary Bruner of the Y. M. C. A. railway branch addressed the employees of the Illinois Central railroad and residents of Beechwood at the Congregational church regarding the matter of the new Y. M. C. A. building the railroad company will build at Beechwood. He exhibited plans and specifications of the building, and stated what the railroad company would do toward furnishings.

Springfield Humane Society.

Springfield's humane society is at last considered to be operating upon a sound basis. Its membership now reaches past the 200 mark, and the moneys netted by the successful prosecution of city ordinance violators, added to several liberal donations, have placed a considerable sum in the treasury.

Death of Judge Jones.

Judge Benjamin Jones, for years a prominent lawyer orator and politician of southern Illinois, died suddenly of heart failure at Metropolis. He was the city attorney of Metropolis, and had been a member of the legislature, state's attorney and county judge. He started the movement to have old Fort Massac made a national park and a few years ago published a history of the fort. He was also engaged in writing a novel founded on the history of Fort Massac, Kaskaskia and Vincennes.

CUPID PREFERS A LAMP.

God of Love Has Little Use for Gas or Electric Light.

"Electric lights and gas are no good for courting purposes," said a Washington young man who is more than attentive to the object of his affections, a sweet girl of the west end.

"But do not the parents of your fiancée insist on there being light in the room?" asked a friend.

"Oh, yes; we use kerosene. There is nothing like it. Give me the good old coal oil for courting. My girl is of an inventive turn of mind. You can't beat her."

"What do you mean?"

"The piano lamp provides the parlor with light," replied the young man, accordingly to the Washington Star. "It has a large red shade, which softens the light when it is burning. But, do you know, my girl has that light completely under control? She sees to the filling of the lamp and she has it down so fine that she knows just how much oil is needed to burn to a certain hour, the time that the old folks usually go to bed. When the flame begins to get dim you may bet every dollar you have that it is 9:30. That lamp, controlled by so charming a girl as mine, is a bonanza."

Just in Time.

Broadland, So. Dak., Feb. 23d.—Broadland county has never been so worked up as during the last few weeks. Every one is talking of the wonderful case of G. W. Gray of Broadland, the particulars of which are best told in the following statement which Mr. Gray has just published:

"I was dying. I had given up all hope. I was prostrate and as helpless as a little babe. I had been ailing with Kidney Trouble for many years, and it finally turned to Bright's Disease. All medicine had failed and I was in despair.

"I ordered one box of Dodd's Kidney Pills and this first box helped me out of bed. I continued the treatment till now I am a strong, well man. I praise God for the day when I decided to use Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Everybody expected that Mr. Gray would die and his remarkable recovery is regarded as little short of a miracle by all who know how very low he was. Dodd's Kidney Pills are certainly a wonderful remedy.

Happy Women of India.

The Women's Press club of New York gave a recent reception at which one of the most distinguished guests was Edmond Russell, artist and poet, recently returned from India. In the course of a speech Mr. Russell made the following statements:

"Don't pity the women of India. They don't need your pity, your money, your old clothes or your civilization. They are better educated than you are, and probably happier. There are no women's clubs in India, because the women are so highly civilized. They have no need for such kindergarten training."

Does Away With Telegraphers.

A new telegram transmitter, in general appearance, resembles a typewriter, and is so constructed that anyone, with a knowledge of telegraphy, can send messages with complete accuracy and with greater speed than the most expert operators of the present system.

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The Hen and Her Wealth.

It is said that the profitable hen eats sixteen times her weight in a year. Her eggs are worth six times her own weight and worth six times the cost of her food. Feed plenty of wheat, oats, grits, clover and bone and less corn.

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CHAPTER XI.—(Continued.)

"Don't disturb yourself; you are to sing," she cried to Struthers, who started up as though to take his turn at swinging her. "I am enjoying it so much."

He thought a little and began once more with one of Moore's short love songs, and a second, and still a third time he made a new choice before the humor seized him to desert or her to speak. Then they chanced to look up at the same moment and to perceive that the professor's head had fallen forward on his breast and that he was no longer smoking.

"He is asleep," said Eleanor, in a whisper. Then, as she watched the electrician play the banjo softly beside him, she added with enthusiasm: "It must be an endless delight to be able to sing like that."

"It is a relaxation to me from my work, at any rate. Your uncle seems to like to hear me, and none of the neighbors have complained as yet."

Eleanor, shrouded in the hammock, was able to peep at him through the network without being observed. The moonlight fell upon him in such a way that his features were thrown into relief. They were refined and suggested a sensitive temperament. Eleanor said to herself that he was fifty-fold more interesting to her than Owen Page and the other young men with whom she had associated during the past year. There was, moreover, something shy and unsophisticated about this one, which gave her a sense of composure which it was rather pleasant to feel.

"Have you lived here long, Mr. Struthers?" she asked.

"Only about six months in this house. But I was born and brought up in the city. Last summer I was graduated from the school of mines."

"So you have begun your life-work," she replied, wistfully.

"I am immensely interested in electricity. Sooner or later I hope to obtain a position either with some large concern that puts in electrical plants or regular employment as a consulting engineer in such matters."

He spoke with a direct simplicity that attracted Eleanor. He seemed so modest and yet so self-reliant withal.

"Then we are somewhat similarly situated," she was tempted to reply; "only you have your work already in a measure provided and mapped out, and I am still an idler perforce."

"You?" he ejaculated, wondering. She enjoyed his astonishment for a moment without responding, then she said:

"You did not know, then, that I was looking for a position?"

He became confused, and it was plain that he was nonplussed, doubtful whether she was bantering him or no. Again she waited, finding his embarrassed silence and almost distressed mien delicious, by way of contrast to the veneered audacity of the young men who visited her Aunt Emma.

"Yes, I am going to be a teacher; that is, if any one will engage me. I have come here to ask my uncle about it. He does not know as yet. I should like a position in a college if possible, so that I might become a professor in time, if I were fit for it. But I am ready to begin at the bottom of the ladder, and accept anything that offers. Does the idea shock you, Mr. Struthers?"

"Shock me? Why should it?" he said, simply. "Only—" he added, and then precipitately halted, while renewed discomfort betrayed itself on his cheeks.

"Only what, Mr. Struthers?" Eleanor asked, with a delighted laugh. For a moment he hesitated, then suddenly raising his eyes, he answered:

"Only I had not supposed you to be that kind of a young lady."

"And what kind of a young lady had you supposed me to be, Mr. Struthers?"

He evidently realized that his boldness had merely drawn him on the thinner ice, for he seemed to undergo contortions before her interrogatory and laughing glance. She had raised herself in the hammock as she spoke, and was looking full at him. But it plainly was not his wont to rescue himself from peril by subterfuge, for after a moment of agonized confusion, he said, with the same directness as before:

"I assumed you were rich, and that it would not have occurred to you to do anything of that sort."

"In other words, you took me for a frivolous butterfly of fashion?"

Eleanor was sorry the moment she had spoken, and realized the flippancy of her remark the more keenly as he answered in a tone that was free from any suggestion that he was punishing his tormentor:

"I do not follow, does it, because one is rich, that one has to be a frivolous butterfly?"

There was a naive searching for truth in the interrogative form of his reply, and the sole evidence of intentional satire lay in the fact that he returned her gaze without flinching. Even the wounded worm will turn.

"I deserve the rebuke, Mr. Struthers. But I am neither rich nor a butterfly, I hope. Since I have said so much, I should enlighten you exactly as to the truth. I suppose you meant that because I have a more or less prosperous air, it was fair to assume that it was not necessary for me to earn my own living. Well, in one sense it is not. I have an uncle—another uncle—who is very rich, I believe, and who is willing to have me

live with him as long as I like. He has been very kind to me. When my father died a year and a half ago, he—Uncle Harold—came out West and insisted that I and my brothers should return to New York with him to his home, and there I have lived ever since. I came on my brother's account. They were to be sent to school, and I told my Uncle Harold then that it was my wish to be a teacher. The boys are well cared for now, so that I am at liberty to carry out my intention. The only trouble is—" Eleanor paused, realizing that it was rather ludicrous that she should unobscure her perplexities further, yet an inexplicable impulse unseated her lips again, and she continued—"the only trouble is that they—or particularly my aunt—do not understand at all why I should wish to leave them. She and my uncle have both been exceedingly kind and generous to me; they have an exquisite house, where I have everything my heart could desire in the way of luxury, and nothing would please them more than that I should remain with them until—until I am married," she said, with a little laugh. "Aunt Emma is bent upon my marrying, and I'm afraid it will break her heart if I don't. But a woman can't afford to throw away her whole future merely in order to be married. Why should a woman give up her life-work more than a man?" she added, eagerly. "Would a man—would you, Mr. Struthers?"

Struthers blushed. "I have never been in love," he said.

"For the matter of that, neither have I," she responded, gayly. "It is merely a supposititious case, so far as that goes. But does it not come to the same thing when Aunt Emma says that if I become a teacher I shall cut myself off from the possibility of ever making a brilliant match; for, of course, Mr. Struthers, I shall never put up with a match that is not brilliant?"

The fall of the professor's pipe relieved the young electrician from the necessity of replying to this last observation, for, aroused by the noise, Uncle Phineas opened his eyes and sat upright.

"I verily believe I have been snoozing."

"I verily believe you have, Uncle Phin," Eleanor answered, and she and Mr. Struthers laughed gleefully.

The professor looked at his watch. "Twenty-five minutes to eleven!" he cried. "Here, you young people, this will never do. Roof Park closes at half-past ten sharp. And what is more, young man, you forgot our coffee."

"So I did, sir," stammered Struthers. "I apologize."

"The professor shook his head incredulously.

"Again I verily believe that it was done on purpose, in order that I might fall asleep. The young against the old! History repeats itself night after night, and, worst of all, the moon, who used to have the reputation of being circumspect in such matters, winks half the time at what is going on, and leaves us in the dark the rest." He rose, and after a last survey of the brilliant heavens, led the way to the opening. "Come, it is time for bed."

"I shall petition the trustees of Roof Park to-morrow that in future the gates remain open an hour later," said Struthers, quietly, as he offered his hand to Eleanor to assist her over the sill.

"But that will not help us to-night," she replied, with a sigh, looking up regretfully at the glorious moon. "A woman never thinks of to-morrow."

CHAPTER XII.

A fortnight had slipped away before Eleanor had realized that time was passing. The days were so very much alike. What delightful afternoons they passed together! When the picture-stores and book-stores were no longer new, they visited the markets and the hospitals and the school houses and the public institutions—places where Eleanor had never been and which she had longed to see. And while they perambulated thus, she never wearied of her uncle's discourse. He had sojourned in many strange places and seen many strange things in the course of the quarter of a century he had devoted to studying the earth's formation, and he had facts and anecdotes at his fingers' ends.

So matters went until dinner time, then Mr. Struthers descended from his attic, and they all set out to dine together at some restaurant, and twice the electrician was lured from his work in the early afternoon and carried off to one of the popular resorts beside the sea. But Roof Park was not neglected. Almost every evening the moon found them there drinking the coffee prepared by Mr. Struthers in his laboratory, and notwithstanding this beverage it invariably happened that Uncle Phineas fell asleep before the singing was at an end.

Over and over again Eleanor was on the point of broaching to her uncle the question of her future, but somehow the words lingered on her lips. Was it not probable that, like her Aunt Emma, he would suggest that she paint on china or give lessons in whist in order to satisfy her yearnings to be usefully employed? The more she pondered the matter the greater was her doubt as to what view he would take, and yet her desire for a definite occupation was growing daily.

On several occasions, while she and the professor were sitting together, his face had assumed the peculiar con-

strained expression observable when he was ill at ease, and he, too, had seemed on the point of speaking of something on his mind. Ever since his shrinking from her proffered confidence, he had, unknown to Eleanor, been a victim of remorse and had been trying to screw up his courage so far as to request her to make a statement of her perplexities. Thus it happened that there were occasional lapses in their conversation, when each sat tongue-tied in the presence of the other, yet wholly unaware of the other's uneasiness.

Remore proved in the end the more potent factor, and Uncle Phineas was the first to speak. It was just after luncheon, when he had fortified his flagging resolution with beer and sandwiches.

"My dear," he began, and then halted.

As this was not his ordinary phrase in addressing her, Eleanor looked at him inquiringly, realizing that what he had to say must be out of the common run.

"My dear," he resumed, "I am afraid you got an impression the other day—the day you arrived, you remember—from my manner when you spoke to me of wishing to ask my advice as to some matter—that I was—eh—not exactly encouraging. You see, I felt some natural diffidence, as I told you at the time, in meddling with affairs of the heart, which are rather outside the experience of an old bachelor like me."

He paused, and laughed nervously, then, as though he were determined, now that the plunge was taken, to face the situation squarely, he said, with an earnest air, "But, my dear, if I can really be of service to you in helping you reach a decision about any matter, you must speak and let me know what it is, and not mind my bearishness, for you are the apple of my eye, as you ought to know, and I am more anxious that you should be happy, and make a success of life, than I am for anything else in the world. Come," he added, more blithely, gaining ease through his own sincerity, "make a clean breast of it. Let me know the facts in the case, and I will do the best I can to solve your difficulties."

Eleanor, who had listened to him at first perplexedly, was regarding him now with blushing merriment.

"There is a matter I wish to speak to you about, Uncle Phin, but it isn't in the least of the kind you evidently suppose. I rather think that I quite agree with what you said the other day, that in love affairs a woman had better make up her own mind without asking anybody's advice—even advice as sensible as yours would surely be; and you must once and for all get the idea out of your head—I can't imagine how it ever got there—that I am in love or engaged, or thinking about being engaged, or, in fact, that the notion of marriage is anywhere lurking in my brain. Now, if you will promise me this, and say that you believe me on your word of honor, I'll tell you what I really wish to have your advice about. You believe me, don't you, Uncle Phin?"

"Of course, if you say so, Peach Blossom; you ought to be the best judge," he answered, with an equivocal air, as he struck a match to light his meerschaum.

Eleanor leaned forward and blew out the flame, and snatched up the matchbox from the table.

"You are a perverse, obstinate man," she cried. "Now you shall not have a single whiff until you tell me you are convinced I am speaking the truth." She sat down on the arm of his easy chair, and bending over, looked into his eyes. "What have I said or done to make you imagine anything so absurd?"

"Why absurd?" he asked, restored to equanimity.

"Of course it would be absurd. I don't intend to think of marriage for five years—if ever."

"'Tis the woman doth protest too much."

(To be continued.)

MRS. PULLMAN WAS SURPRISED

Widow of the Late Car Magnate Gets a Severe Jolt.

A well known Cambridge (Mass.) doctor, in the meeting of a society held at his house a short time ago, gave the following anecdote relative to Mrs. George Pullman, widow of the late car magnate. A friend or mine (the name might have been Anderson) was ill with shaking palsy. He was a wistful man and had many peculiarities. One was that when he went into a place where it was warm he would take off his jacket. He came to me for advice, and I referred him to a New York specialist. He called upon the doctor one day and, taking off his coat, sat down in a chair.

Shortly afterwards two well dressed ladies entered and both looked at him in astonishment. One was about to leave. The other said that she would send in her card and have the man removed. They evidently thought he was intoxicated. The doctor came out in response to the card, with smiling face. He bowed to Mrs. Pullman and then to Mr. Anderson. He then introduced the latter to the great lady.

When Mr. Anderson caught the name "Pullman" he asked if she was the wife of George Pullman. She answered affirmatively. He said: "Well, I am glad to meet you. I remember 'George' when he used to work for me for \$2.50 a day."

The First Locomotive.

The centenary of the locomotive was celebrated at Camborne last Christmas eve. The inventors of the first locomotive to make a successful run were Richard Trevithick and Andrew Vivian.

ROUTINE WORK IN CONGRESS

Outline of Business Transacted by the Members of Both Houses.

WITH NATIONAL LAWMAKERS

Brief Summary of the Doings of the People's Servants in Session at Washington Cleverly Condensed by Special Correspondents.

Friday, Feb. 20.

The senate spent the entire day in executive session considering the Panama canal treaty. No vote was taken on any of the amendments prepared by Senator Morgan.

The house passed the fortifications appropriations bill, adopted the conference report on the bill for the Protection of the president and on the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, and then spent three hours wrangling over the Fowler currency bill. A resolution was adopted to print 24,000 copies of the memorial address on president McKinley delivered in the house a year ago by Secretary Hay, 16,000 for the use of the house and 8,000 for the senate.

Saturday, Feb. 21.

The Senate spent nearly the entire day in executive session. It was the legislative day of Thursday, as the Senate had taken recesses, instead of adjourning. The Senate met at 11 o'clock, opened the doors at 12, and for more than an hour disposed of routine business, consisting of the presentation of petitions and reports, the introduction of bills, and the passing of unobjectionable bills on the calendar. Upon resuming the executive session the Colombian canal treaty was taken up. Senator Quay had a report to read, and Senator Pettus spoke at some length. Senator Platt of Connecticut also discussed the treaty.

The day in the House was devoted to debate upon the Fowler currency bill. Mr. Fowler, the author of the measure, spoke for over two hours. The general conviction is that the bill has no chance to become a law, and the fact that there are divergent views on both sides of the House detracted from the interest in the debate. A communication from the President transmitting a request of the anthracite coal strike commission, asking for authority to publish 5,000 copies of its report when completed, was laid before the House. The message of the President said he concurred in the request.

Sunday, Feb. 22.

The House held a session to pay tribute to the memories of three deceased members, the late Representative Tongue of Oregon, the late Representative Rumble of Iowa, and the late Representative Moody of North Carolina. Representative Moody of Oregon presided in the absence of Speaker Henderson. The customary resolutions were adopted. At 4:25 p. m., as a further mark of respect, the House adjourned.

Monday, Feb. 23.

A large crowd was attracted to the Senate, most of them visiting Daughters of the American Revolution. Washington's Farewell Address was read by Mr. Dubois of Idaho. The omnibus public building bill was passed, and the postoffice appropriation bill was considered, without final action. Mr. Tillman spoke for nearly two hours, principally in reply to Mr. Spooner, on the Indianola postoffice case. He said that if the policy of the administration in regard to the equality of the negro was carried on and Booker Washington should be appointed to the Cabinet, he would vote for his confirmation. He did not conclude his remarks.

The House passed the general deficiency appropriation bill, the last of the regular supply bills. It carried \$13,698,781. The only amendment of importance was one appropriating \$1,100,000 to replace the stores and storehouse at the Rock Island arsenal, recently destroyed by fire. The bill to amend the railroad safety-appliance act was sent to conference, and the conferees were instructed not to insist on that portion of the House amendment giving the interstate commerce commission power to reduce below 50 per cent the number of cars equipped with patent air brakes.

Tuesday, Feb. 24.

The Indianola, Miss., postoffice case occupied the major portion of the time of the senate. Mr. Tillman spoke for three hours on the race question and was followed by Mr. Carmack. During the morning hour consideration was given the bill to further provide for the safe keeping of public money on deposit in national banks. Amendments were agreed to excluding the bonds of street railway companies as security for deposits in national banks; accepting as security the first mortgage bonds of any railroad.

Wednesday, Feb. 25.

The Senate made rapid progress. The statehood riders to the agricultural and postoffice appropriation bills were withdrawn and both bills passed. The House amendments to the Philippine currency bill were agreed to. The sundry civil bills were also completed. A large number of pension bills were also passed. There was a lengthy discussion of the appropriation of \$200,000 for Queen Liliuokalani for the loss of the crown lands in Hawaii. In the course of the day Civil Service Commissioner Foulke was severely criticised on account of a letter written by him to Mr. Spooner regarding the dismissal of an employee of the surveyor-general's office, Idaho, who had been charged with receiving campaign contributions.

The House adopted the conference report on the army appropriation bill. The bill to establish a union station in this city also was finally passed. The Fowler currency bill was debated in a desultory way. Mr. Clayton (Ala.) delivered a mock funeral oration on the bill.

Thursday, Feb. 26.

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road company which has paid dividends of not less than 4 per cent per annum "regularly and continuously" on its entire capital stock for a period of not less than ten years previous to the deposit of the bonds; that the United States shall have a lien on "current" assets of banks in which public moneys are deposited; that any legally authorized bonds issued for municipal purposes by any city or county may be accepted as security for deposits, and requiring the secretary of the treasury to report at each session of congress the amounts deposited in individual national banks. A resolution was adopted calling on the postmaster general to furnish information regarding the effect on the revenue of the postoffice department in the event of the adoption of the amendment to the postoffice appropriation bill giving all periodicals the same rate and terms as those now given weekly periodicals. A bill was passed authorizing the secretary of the treasury to issue a number of souvenir medallions for the benefit of the Thomas Jefferson Memorial association of the United States.

The house passed the Philippine currency bill, accepting the senate bill so far as it relates to the islands. The committee amendment striking out the international monetary conference was agreed to. The contested election case of Wagoner vs. Butler was under consideration for a time and the Democrats began a filibuster, which they threaten to continue if the case is pressed.

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The House adopted the conference report on the army appropriation bill. The bill to establish a union station in this city also was finally passed. The Fowler currency bill was debated in a desultory way. Mr. Clayton (Ala.) delivered a mock funeral oration on the bill.

ASKS FOR BIG SUM.

Secretary Cortelyou's Estimate For New Building Is High.

Washington special: A scheme for the organization of the new Department of Commerce and Labor was laid before Congress by Secretary Cortelyou in the estimates transmitted to that body through the Secretary of the Treasury. In addition to the twelve branches transferred to the new department from other departments Secretary Cortelyou asks for appropriations for salaries aggregating \$669,690. The salaries cover the secretary's office, the bureaus of corporations and manufactures and subordinate divisions. In his recommendation for a building for the department Secretary Cortelyou says it should be so planned as to be not inferior to convenience or beauty to the structures which commercial and financial houses at the great centers of American trade are erecting for the transaction of their daily business. He states it should have at least one hall, suitable for conferences or congresses, international or national, and dwells on the present inadequacy of the present department buildings. He asks for \$7,000,000 for the building, exclusive of the site.

Unseats Butler.

Washington dispatch: Elections committee No. 2 of the House has adopted a report in the Wagner-Butler election contest from the twelfth Missouri district, recommending adoption of resolutions declaring Mr. Butler not elected, and that Mr. Wagoner is entitled to the seat. The report rejects entirely the returns from forty-one precincts. All Republican members voted for the report. The Democrats were not present.

Not Liable for Damages.

Washington special: In the case of William Samuel Bigby of New York the United States Supreme court has decided that the United States is not liable for damages sustained by an accident in a government elevator. Justice Harlan said the government is under no form of contract to maintain its elevators for the accommodation of the public.

Votes Retirement Bill.

Washington dispatch: The president sent to the senate a veto of the bill to place Francis S. Davidson, late a first lieutenant of the United States, on the retired list. He points out that the officer was dismissed twenty-seven years ago and has rendered no service to the government since.

Boy Free of Murder Charge.

Webster City, Ia., dispatch: The grand jury failed to return an indictment against Bankie Flygstad, the 16-year-old boy who killed his father Feb. 10. The failure to indict is equivalent to an exoneration.

Fractures His Skull.

Milwaukee, Wis., special: Thomas M. Ligon of the Ligon Dustless Floor Sweeper Company of Chicago fell down the steps of the Postal Telegraph office and fractured his skull.

Commits Murder for Child.

Noblesville, Ind., special: In a dispute over the possession of his child Benjamin Anderson shot Bert Lane, with whom the child was living. Anderson is in jail and will be charged with murder in the first degree.

Girl Triplets.

Terre Haute, Ind., dispatch: Mrs. George Mashino, wife of an employe at the Highland Iron and Steel company, gave birth to triplets, all girls, weighing nine, seven and six pounds.

Escapes from Prison.

Washington special: Senator Fairbanks submitted an amendment to the sundry civil appropriation bill which provides for a site for a hall of records for the government in Washington to cost \$440,000.

Yaqul King Is Sent to Prison.

Hermosillo, Mex., special: The Supreme Court of Mexico has placed in confinement for two years Temberide, the first king of the Yaquils, and thirteen members of his royal court.

RETURNS BOAT TO VENEZUELA

German Flag Is Hauled Down on the Restaurador for Castro's Emblem.

CRUISER THEN FIRES SALUTE

Commander Scheder Turns Over the Gunboat to South American Authorities and Immediately Sails Away on the Vineta of the Kaiser's Fleet.

Porto Cabello cable: The Venezuelan gunboat Restaurador, which was captured by the Germans, has been handed over by them to the Venezuelan authorities here. At 11:30 o'clock a. m. the German flag was lowered, the German cruiser Vineta firing a salute. At 2 o'clock p. m. the Restaurador hoisted the Venezuelan flag, and was then handed over to Commander Chalband by Commodore Scheder. The Vineta immediately afterwards steamed away.

Revolt Is Near End.
Caracas cable: The last army of the revolutionists under Gen. Rolando recently advanced to within four hours' march of Caracas. The revolutionists present a sad spectacle, being almost naked and practically without provisions. Gen. Rolando is still at Guarenas with about 1,200 men. President Castro intends sending troops to Rio Chico from Barcelona in order to cut off the retreat of the revolutionists.

While the revolutionists were remaining inactive between Petare and Guarenas, a few leagues from Caracas, President Castro was actively making preparations to attack them. He ordered all troops stationed at Barcelona and Carupano to come to Caracas by way of Rio Chico and to attack the rear guard of the revolutionists. The plan was successfully executed by Gen. Olivares, who, upon reaching Rio Chico, attacked the rebels and defeated them, taking numerous prisoners. Among the wounded is Gen. Vidal, one of the revolutionary leaders. The only persons here who profess to believe in the ultimate success of the revolution are the Germans.

American Claims.
London cablegram: In the house of commons Viscount Cranborne, under secretary for foreign affairs, was asked whether the claims of American citizens against Venezuela would be paid in full, while British claims must await the decision of The Hague tribunal. He replied that the information of the government was to the effect that the American claims would be dealt with at The Hague court also.

Bowen Again Refuses.
Washington special: Having failed in the effort to obtain from Mr. Bowen the immediate payment in cash of the \$27,500 due from Venezuela on March 15, Germany requested Mr. Bowen to give a draft for the amount payable in Caracas on the latter date. This latter request was made on behalf of the German embassy by Herr Baitz, formerly chargé d'affaires at Caracas. Mr. Bowen declined the request. Just what reason was given by the German representative for making the request is not known. Such a draft, however, it is presumed, would be negotiable, and the result would be that the Germans could immediately obtain the money it called for.

PRISON CELL FOR CLERGYMAN
One of His Girl Victims, Though His Wife, Convicts Him.

Onawa, Iowa, dispatch: Rev. C. B. McKay, a Methodist Protestant minister, was sentenced to two and one-half years in the state penitentiary at Anamosa by Judge Wakefield. He was convicted at the December term of court on the charge of having committed assault upon the daughter of one of his parishioners and of having led astray an older sister. The younger girl he married, but she appeared against him in court. The case will be appealed to the Supreme court.

ESCAPED CONVICT IS SET FREE
Fugitive Twenty-Seven Years Found Not Guilty on Retrial.

Nashville, Ill., dispatch: Wm. Murray, who escaped from jail at Williamsburg in this county twenty-seven years ago and fled to Tennessee, where he lived an exemplary life under the assumed name of Howard, but was finally arrested and brought back to Jefferson county for trial on a charge of murdering his brother-in-law, Joel Woodmore, has been found not guilty. The verdict was received with cheers. Murray proved that he killed his brother-in-law in self-defense.

New Military Attache.
Washington dispatch: The British ambassador has presented to the president the new military attache of the British legation, Col. H. Foster. Col. Foster is the successor of Col. Kitson, who returned to England last summer.

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The Folly of Breathing.

The declaration of Dr. Albert T. Atkins, lecturer on the principles of medicine of the California Medical college, that electricity and not oxygen purifies the blood in the lungs, opens the way for hygienic reform of incalculable benefit to mankind. According to the learned doctor, no oxygen gets through the membrane of the lungs into the blood stream. The air cells secrete carbon, he tells us, and the nitrogen and oxygen of air coming into contact with the stored up carbon cause combustion, thus generating electric currents. It is the electricity that does the business.

The process is so simple that it is surprising that people will go on breathing in soft coal smoke and the dust of unswep streets when by simply connecting themselves with convenient batteries they might put their lungs out of commission and bid defiance to catarrh and the hangman. Breathing is foolish, to say the least. A vast majority of the world's wisest and greatest men quit it long ago, and all the rest of us will sooner or later drop the habit. Why not equip ourselves with pocket batteries that would cost perhaps but the trivial sum of \$1.25, thus supplying the system with ready made electricity in place of that generated by means of the combustion occurring way down in our interior economy every time we breathe?

This constant combustion is indelicate. Just think of a beautiful girl placidly looking a man in the face with oxygen, nitrogen and carbon combusting right along in her lungs. Besides, it is unnecessary and wasteful. The human throat was made for swallowing food and drink only and not for taking in oxygen and nitrogen and, incidentally, the poisonous germs and other things with which the air is impregnated for the sole purpose of producing combustion for electric generation when artificial electricity is almost as cheap and a good deal better. Dr. Atkins has done well to show the world the folly of it all.

Forests and Irrigation.

In the last report of the commission of the general land office at Washington the following statement is made:

Irrigated agriculture, as representing the leading industry in the future of a vast portion of the country, and in particular of the arid region, is rapidly forcing to the front the question of irrigation as one of the great national issues of the day, since without water there can be no agriculture, and in like manner the need for irrigation is equally forcing to the front the question of forest preservation, since without forests there can be no water. Forests are an essential factor in any scheme of irrigation of sufficient magnitude to contemplate the reclamation of our six or more millions of acres of irrigable lands which are now arid.

That irrigation depends upon the water supply and that the water supply depends upon the forests is potent, and the necessity of maintaining the forests for this if for no other reason is equally apparent. There are substitutes in plenty for wood in the construction of buildings, of barns and of fences, but there can be no substitute for agriculture. We must have wheat and corn and vegetables. The necessity of forest preservation for the reclamation of the great areas of public lands now wholly arid in the new states and territories finds an equal demand in the older states, where land now arable is in danger of becoming arid by the destruction of the forests. If the fertility of our soil is to be maintained, the forests must be preserved.

An ingenious dueling sword was shown the other day in Paris by the well known fencer, M. Hissard, to the members of the Societe d'Esclime a Epee. By a novel arrangement when the fencer touches his opponent the blade of the sword enters the handle a short distance and sets a marker in motion, which registers any number from cipher to three. The idea of the invention is to prevent disputes between fencers and enable them to judge of the value of their coups. Moreover, this sort of sword would be very useful in real duels fought in France.

The house of representatives passed 234 private pensions and military record bills the other day. Thus it seems that the house can legislate fast enough when it gets started, and it ought to get started on some of the more important matters before it.

A murder trial in Carbondale, Ill., has been delayed by the illness of a juror. Why did not the court exercise its prerogative and issue an injunction restraining the juror from being sick?

Coal inquiries are more or less interesting, but when the facts are all known the consumer is still likely to be confronted with the question, What are you going to do about it?

At a charity bazaar in Chicago the other day Marshall Field gave \$1,000 for three wieners he had eaten. Perhaps he knew that the dog had been a valuable one.

The Review, \$1.50 per year.

James Smithson, whose bequest brought into existence the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, led a lonely life and died among strangers and was buried at Genoa, Italy. The authorities of that city are going to use the ground where he was buried for another purpose and have called for the removal of his remains. The regents of the Smithsonian Institution arranged for reinterment in another part of Genoa, but there is a general feeling in Washington that the remains should be brought to Washington and buried in the Smithsonian grounds. The suggestion is a reasonable one and may well be followed.

Aronson's Scarlet Fever Serum.

Some notable advances are of late being made in the science of medicine and surgery, which, though they may not furnish remedies for all the ills flesh is heir to, promise mankind a longer tenure of life. Not long ago Dr. Lorenz was here and gave the medical faculty of this country much valuable instruction in bloodless surgery for the treatment of congenital deformities of children. While his methods were not absolutely new they were novel and unfamiliar to our physicians and surgeons. Closely following came the successful experiments of Dr. Barrows with the formalin treatment of blood poisoning, which marked a distinct advance in medical science, though no claim could be put forward that an unfailing remedy had been found for septicaemia. Now we have reports from Berlin of the successful conclusion of Dr. Aronson's experiments with scarlet fever serum, which is believed to be a specific in the treatment of this dread disease, which has been well described as "the scourge of the nursery."

Dr. Aronson is well and favorably known as a bacteriologist of good repute and high capacity. If he authorizes the announcement of such a discovery, what he says will receive respectful attention. Professor Baginsky of the Emperor and Empress Frederick Children's hospital of Berlin stands at or very near the head of German specialists in children's diseases, and if, as the cable reports, he has announced Dr. Aronson's discovery and made himself responsible for its therapeutic value, the profession everywhere will await full information concerning it with eager impatience.

The value of Dr. Aronson's discovery, if it shall be found upon further experiments to do what is claimed for it, will be of inestimable value to the world. To rob scarlet fever of its terrors as completely as diphtheria has been robbed of its dread significance by the serum treatment would be a service to humanity with which the greatest man in the medical profession might be proud to link his name.

How They Love "Doc" Monroe.

The late protestations of loyalty to the Monroe doctrine coming from Berlin and London are very touching, particularly in view of the apparent fact that the Sandringham conference which led to the Anglo-German-Italian alliance was primarily for the purpose of bowling over that doctrine.

Consumption

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It is especially refreshing to observe the semi-official Vossische Zeitung taking Ambassador von Sternburg to task for his assurances of loyalty to the Monroe doctrine upon his arrival at our shores, on the ground that Germany is already and repeatedly committed to that article of the American faith. Loyalty to the doctrine, the Berlin organ avers, has become so commonplace a merit that "neither the German government nor the German people are interested" in the matter.

In England they wear their Monroe doctrine with a difference and more cheerfully. There the doctrine appears to be regarded as friendship's garland between the United States and the rest of the world, and if we may believe the outgivings of certain British statesmen it is even dearer to them than to us. In one of the happiest of hands across the seas speeches the other day at Birmingham Mr. J. Austen Chamberlain insisted that "no nation more loyally accepted the Monroe doctrine than Great Britain."

How very sweet! However, it would "butter no parsnips" if there were not behind the Monroe doctrine ships and guns and men to use them.

An interesting case is before the courts of Topeka, Kan., in which the entire police force of the city is plaintiff and the pastor of one of the local churches is defendant. The force accuses the pastor of slander, alleged to have been uttered by him in a sermon recently delivered from his pulpit, in which sweeping accusations of inefficiency and corruption were made. The police officers naturally regard the pastor's criticisms in the light of a reckless charge, and they are determined to have him bring forward his proofs if he has any, which really seems to be reasonable.

Sentiment Against Child Labor.

It is gratifying to note the growth of public sentiment throughout the country in favor of the restriction or prohibition of child labor. The evil seems to be no worse nor more widespread in the south than in the north, and agitation against the employment of child labor is equally active in both sections of the country. The legislatures of North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia and Alabama are considering bills to do away with the abuse, and restrictive legislation has been recommended by the governors of New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Illinois to the legislatures of those states. Such legislation has been thwarted by the mill owners at various times and in various states in the past, but the demand for it is now apparently too strong to be resisted.

Tennyson's Memory.

Tennyson when a young man had a strong liking for Gray and clasped him and Burns as the two greatest lyric poets of any age or country. He much loved some of Burns' poetry. But before all Tennyson placed his Bible. He had also a great liking for Dante's "Inferno" and knew it line for line. He would boast in his pleasant way that if any one read one line he could give the next from memory, and he invariably did it.

An Effusive Combination.

Waggsby-Gracious! If young Gotrox and Miss Biubud are so fortunate as to have their marriage blessed with children, the rising generation will be terrible talkers.

Naggsby-Why so?
Waggsby-Why, if "money talks" and "blood will tell," their progeny will inherit two mighty strong inducements to be communicative.—Baltimore American.

Old London Street Names.
A writer in the London Argus gives the following peculiar old street names, with the modern substituted:
Adam-a-Digging-yard—St. Peter street.

Aggat's passage—Cutler street, Houndsditch.
Alphabet court—Clare Market.
Baalzephon street—Long lane, Bermondsey.
Bully Rag row—Bethnal Green.
Jéalous row—St. George's-in-the-East.
Antigallican passage—Temple Bar.
Lally Pot lane—Foster lane.
The derivations of these names, continues the writer, would be an interesting study, but I think it would be found that in a large number of instances the love of eccentricity had led to the selection

It is only the elect among travelers who find their way to Berchtesgaden, in Bavaria, not very far from Salzburg, writes a correspondent of the London Tatler. If you drive in a carriage from thence by road, you are stopped midway at a customs house and find yourself leaving Austrian territory for Bavarian. Berchtesgaden is beautifully situated, and it has two noteworthy attractions, one of them the Königsee, thought by many the most beautiful lake in the world, and the other the salt mines. A visit to the salt mines gives one an exciting hour.

Many tourists take tickets at the top, but many of the fair sex are deterred from using them when they see the costume that is rendered essential to the visit. In other words, they have to abandon skirts and adopt a special "rig out." One may frequently observe that ladies, torn between what they consider modesty and curiosity, go two or three times to the mines before they screw up their courage sufficiently to don the attire and pay the visit.

The necessity for women to abandon the usual garment arises from the fact that a portion of the mine can only be visited through the medium of a kind of slide. This slide is, however, the best thing in the whole visit. It is a great deal better than tobogganing, and, as one is in the dark and with only a candle fastened to one's dress, it is not a little exciting.

The strangest incident in the trip is that of the illumination of what is called "the salt lake." You are rowed across this lake in almost absolute darkness, the illumination being provided by a number of miners' lamps round the lake, and the journey has a very considerable weirdness. The next best experience in the trip is the final ride into daylight on the trucks. This is a journey through absolute darkness for a very considerable way until finally one sees a little gleam of light in the distance. Altogether, as I have said, between the toboggan slide, the car ride and the boat journey across the salt lake the visitor to the Berchtesgaden salt mine has plenty for his money. But, curiously enough, he sees very little salt. At any rate, the prepared salt that one uses on one's breakfast table is not at all in evidence.

HE WENT TOO FAR.

What the Sweet Girl Did, Could and Could Not Accept.

Who shall fathom the heart of a woman? If he had not been so young, he would not have tried to.

But the ingenuousness of youth was upon him.

There was no uncertainty about his action as he put his arm around her waist and, drawing her to him, kissed her fervently—kissed her with that acquired ease, that sureness of touch, that lack of embarrassment, that comes from a perfect understanding.

And she did not even blush.

"Dearest," he said, "I have just been thinking that we have known each other a whole week."

"It seems, oh, so much longer than that," she replied.

"Doesn't it? Isn't it wonderful how much feeling, how much love, can be compressed into such a short time? I like to dwell upon it."

"It is nice."

"Yes," he went on. "The first evening we met as I looked into your eyes I felt that I loved you, and yet I did not dare that night to do anything more than press your hand as we parted."

"But afterward you were?"

"Yes; the next evening, with that sort of confidence that came to me I know not why, I went further. I held your hand in mine, I drew closer, and then I suddenly left you, not daring to frighten you with the sudden intensity of my love."

"And then the next night?"

"Ah, then it was that my arm unconsciously and as it were inevitably stole around your waist, and, inspired by your sweet acquiescence, I kissed you. Since then I have loved you more and more until now I feel I must show you some real substantial token of my love."

He drew from his pocket a small package. He handed it to her triumphantly. She opened it rapidly. It was a diamond pin.

There was a silence. Then she handed it back to him slowly, reluctantly.

"What?" he cried. "Are you not going to accept it?"

She shook her head.

"I cannot," she replied. "Don't you know that it wouldn't be proper for me to accept anything more than flowers or candy from a man I have known only a week?"—Tom Masson in Brandur Magazine.

The love of no man is an insult until it begins to demand.—Daniel Everett.

A plant in the room on washday is worth more than a bunch of flowers on Sunday.—"Nature Portraits."

Men folks is like pickles, some. Women is the brine they're pickled in. They don't keep sweet without 'em.—"Mrs. Tree."

Readiness to answer all manner of questions involving book learning is the beginning of a species of idioy.—"The Unspeakable Scot."

A person who can't argue is like a person who can't chew; he swallows the facts of life unprepared for digestion.—"Those Delightful Americans."

The good right arm of the breadwinner is strengthened more by an unexpected caress or an encouraging word from loved ones than by all the roast beef in Christendom.—"Buell Hampton."

That never was a plant as hard to get rooted as charity is, and a body ought to have it whar they kin watch it close. It'll die a heap o' times if you jest look at it, and it mighty nigh always has had soil ur a drought to contend with.—"Abner Daniel."

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MEN WHO DELIVER MAIL.

Heart Tragedies That Line the Route of Letter Carriers.

"Tell you a story? Why, yes, I might tell a good many stories if that was in my line." The letter carrier blew a pearly wreath of smoke upward and fecked the dead ash from his cigar, says the Denver News. "Let me see. There's an old lady on my route down in Alabama who sits knitting the living-long day by the front room window. Every morning and afternoon when I whistle at the door of her next door neighbor she lays down her knitting and peers with a tired, eager face out of that window until I go by. She's got a boy somewhere out west. He doesn't write to her twice a year, yet twice each day the whole year through she sits there, with that anxious look, waiting, waiting, waiting. I feel a twitch at my own heart every time I pass by and see the look of expectancy fade into disappointment. Sometimes I'd give \$50 to be able to stop and give her five lines from that good for nothing boy of hers for whom she's eating out her heart."

"That reminds me," said a younger man who heard the letter carrier's story, "of a pretty baby on my route in a Louisiana city. She's a dainty tot about four or maybe five years old. She has blue gray eyes like a wood violet that look a fellow straight to the heart. Some little girls can do that after they are older. This tot's mamma died six months ago, and for a month afterward she used to come tripping down the walk to meet me with a little white note in her hand, and, looking me to the heart out of those big trusting eyes, she would say, 'Mr. Postman, won't you please take this letter to my mamma in heaven?' I used to take the dainty missive from the wee pink hand. I couldn't tell her how far away her mamma was. One day she came without a letter, and there was pain in the great, sweet eyes. 'Mr. Postman, baby wants a letter from mamma. Please, Mr. Postman, tell my mamma we want some letters too.' And, boys, every day for a week I had to pass that baby with the pain in the gray blue eyes, and I wondered the angels did not find some way somehow to make her baby heart understand."

FRUITS AND FLOWERS.

Water in which mignonette has been placed should be changed often, since it quickly becomes foul.

The best use to make of old bones is to break them up and bury them near the roots of fruit trees and grapevines.

By sowing nitrate of soda in small quantities in showery weather under trees a most beautiful verdure will be obtained.

It is not a good plan to fill an old orchard with young trees. The soil is too much exhausted by the growth of the former occupants.

Geraniums bloom most satisfactorily when grown in comparatively small pots and soil which is termed rich, but not rank with excessive manure.

Stir, spade, rake and pulverize soil thoroughly before planting or sowing. The importance of this work cannot be overestimated if you desire fine blossoms.

Geraniums that have been used for summer bloomers will not flower again until the late spring months. Plants for winter blooming should be grown especially for this purpose.

Care of Puppies.

Puppies after weaning will keep strong and healthy and will grow fast if fed only on fresh buttermilk and corn bread, with soup instead of the buttermilk twice a week, till they are five or six months old. Do not feed them sweet milk. Keep the puppies where they can get plenty of exercise. Do not crowd them. Arrange their kennels so that they can go in and out of their sleeping quarters. If fed in the same vessels, some dogs get more than their share of food and lose their manners also. Fasten a number of chains where they eat at such distances that no one can reach the other; then feed in individual pans. Give little medicine and plenty of exercise, and you will then have strong, healthy dogs. An hour's run every day in the year in the fields and woods, weather permitting, is essential to good health.

Get a True Focus.

A habit of looking at things from a distorted angle, of focusing the vision on things that depress and suggest unhappiness and misery, is a destroyer of happiness and success. A man who goes about with a funeral face, thinking "hard times," fearing "dull seasons," disaster, panic and failure wherever his interests center, is never a happy man, rarely a successful one. Pessimism is a destructive force in men's lives, just as optimism is a constructive agency.—Success.

Immune.

"My!" exclaimed the old lady who was taking her first trolley ride. "I should think it would be mighty dangerous workin' on these cars all the time. Ain't you 'feared of the 'lectricity strikin' you?"

"No'm," he replied as he took her nickel and neglected to ring it up on the register. "You see, I'm not a good conductor."—Philadelphia Press.

Get Even the Tramp's Money. Harmless Hank—Wot's wrong, pal? Youse as w'ite as a ghost. And w'ere did youse git dat book? Luckless Harry—Don't ast me! All I remember is stoppin' at a house where a book agent lives an' askin' fer a couple o' matches.—Chicago News.

The Middy of It.

The man who is looking for trouble can find trouble without trouble.—Philadelphia Record.

WOMEN WARRIORS.

Many Have Fought Bravely—Espaces of a Queen.

The muster rolls of the civil war show a number of cases of soldiers who were discovered to be women.

One of the most remarkable women was Christiana Cavenagh, who lived in England in the nineteenth century. She was married and had three children. Her husband was carried off to Holland, where he had to enlist as a private soldier. His wife dressed as a man and enlisted so as to be near her husband. She was wounded at the battle of Landen, made a prisoner by the French and carried to St. Germain-en-Laye, where she remained until she was exchanged. Then she quarreled and fought a duel with her sergeant and was transferred to another regiment. Again she was wounded at Ramillies, when her secret was discovered. She was, however, permitted to remain with the regiment as a cook.

Many English officers recall the case of "Dr. James Barry." This woman served in the British army about fifty years ago as a surgeon at the Cape, at Malta and at Barbados. At the Cape "he" fought a duel with an officer who had called "him" a woman.

Mrs. Lindley, the wife of a soldier, went through some of the sharpest engagements of the civil war. She enlisted in Company D, Sixth Ohio cavalry, and fought at Fort Magruder, Hanover Court House, Bull Run, Antietam and Boonsboro. She is said to be still living and the mother of several children.

Christina, queen of Sweden, was educated and dressed like a boy from her birth because her father was disappointed at not having a son. She was more a king than a queen and after four years of rule resigned her crown and went off to amuse herself in Europe. She was dressed in men's clothes and acted as uproariously as any man who ever owned his clothes by right of sex. She was only twenty-eight at the time.—Savannah News.

BOILING IT DOWN.

A Valuable Lesson in the Gentle Art of Omitting.

"It was this way," was explaining a quite fresh and young appearing gentleman to a much older companion as I took a seat near them in the restaurant. "I thought that it was quite a clever short story, and as the professor had asked me to read it to him for the purpose of criticism he listened patiently for the thirty minutes that it took me to go through it.

"Good for the first writing," he said, "but you must learn the art of omitting. You have unnecessary sentences. Find them, omit them and come and read it again."

"I followed his advice, and the next time it took me twenty minutes to read it.

"Better," he said. "Try it again, for there is more you can omit."

"I didn't show the annoyance that I felt, but did some more cutting and condensing. Then I read it to him again in fifteen minutes.

"That is nearer to the correct thing," he said, with an approving nod, "but there is chance for a little more pruning."

"It was with an effort that I restrained myself, but knowing that he is an authority in literary matters for the third time I went to the slaughter of the innocents and, returning the next day, read it to him in ten minutes.

"That is something like," he exclaimed, slapping me on the back. "Another little omitting seance will fix it."

"This is a little too much," I answered as I seized my manuscript, with a show of feeling. "You had better tell me to omit every word of it."

"That's it, my boy, that's it," he replied. "It is too much. Omit the rest, and you will never hear a word of adverse criticism."

"I'll be hanged if I didn't take his advice again and throw the story in the wastebasket."—New York Herald.



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ECCENTRIC METHODS.

Why Alexandre Dumas Did Not Succeed as a Publisher.

The Mousquetaire, a Parisian journal founded by Alexandre Dumas, grew and flourished for a short time and then became extinct. It was carried on during a brilliant existence with an astonishing disregard of business methods commonly in vogue. Its staff was the largest and most varied ever known. Persons would walk into the office, propose working for the paper and find themselves at once accepted.

"What will you allow me?" a new man would ask.

"Whatever you like, my boy," Dumas would return. "By the way," he would explain to every new aspirant, "we must understand one thing: I mean you to be handsomely paid. You must have 1,000 francs a month, and if you should want a month's pay in advance now, don't scruple to ask for it."

Everybody was dazzled, and Dumas himself more than all the rest. No business enterprise, however, could exist on such a basis, and the journal began to languish. Then a man named Boule proposed taking the speculation out of Dumas' hands. He offered the great man 100 francs a day, which meant more than \$7,000 a year.

"Here," said Boule, is a checkbook full of those little tinted leaves you are so fond of. Every morning you have only to write your name at the foot of one, send it into the office and touch your 100 francs.

Dumas loved money, and his face beamed with delight. "But suppose," said he, "that some day I should want 300 or 400 francs?"

"Well, all you have to do is to send in three or four of your checks. Nothing is more simple."

The book lay on the author's desk, a delightful and ready resource. Did a creditor call? A slip of paper, and he was paid. A poor woman was about to be turned out into the street. A few more slips, and she was relieved. At the end of the week nothing was left of the book but the cover. Then Boule changed his mode of procedure.—Youth's Companion.

Took the Order Literally.

A suburban golf club has a Japanese steward named Oeka. He is an excellent cook and his neatness and good taste are beyond question, but he has a very slight knowledge of English, and this sometimes causes him to make ludicrous mistakes. A young woman gave a tea at the clubhouse and sent for Oeka a few days ahead of time, so that all the details of her party might be perfected. She arranged for everything and at the end said: "Now Oeka, at the tea we must have apple pie order." "Yes, madam, apple pie," Oeka returned. "No, apple pie order," said the young girl. "All right, me understand. Apple pie," Oeka repeated with an obstinate smile. "Apple pie order," the other corrected again, and Oeka took his leave. He served at the tea along with the dainty little sandwiches and cake twenty huge pieces of apple pie.—Philadelphia Record.

Cinders in the Eye.

Persons traveling by railway are subject to continued annoyance from the flying cinders. On getting into the eyes they are not only painful for the moment, but are often the cause of long suffering that ends in a total loss of sight. A very simple and effective cure is within the reach of every one and would prevent much suffering and expense were it generally known. It is simply one or two grains of flaxseed. These may be placed in the eye without injury or pain to that delicate organ, and shortly they begin to swell and dissolve a glutinous substance that covers the ball of the eye, enveloping any foreign substance that may be in it. The irritation of cutting the membrane is thus prevented, and the annoyance may soon be washed out. A dozen of these grains stowed away in the vest pocket may prove in an emergency worth their number in gold.

Future Vengeance.

"You'll be sorry for this some day!" howled the son and heir as his father released him from the position he had occupied across the paternal knee. "I'll be sorry? When?" "When I get to be a man." "You will take revenge by whipping your father when you are big and strong and I am old and feeble, will you, Johnny?" "No, sir," blubbered Johnny, rubbing himself, "but I'll spank your grandchildren till they can't rest!"—New York Times.

Owls in Asia Minor.

Perhaps Asia Minor is richer in crude and interesting fancies than any other country. When children hear an owl hooting from the cypress groves, they cry, "Good news for us; good messages for you." If they catch an owl they hold it up by the beak and chant, "Palm Sunday owl, how does your mother dance?" The meaning of the rite is lost, but the habit lingers.

Unreasonable.

"Why did she leave him?" "Oh, he was so unreasonable. She wanted to frame her divorce decrees and hang them in the library, but he insisted that they were not artistic and wouldn't have them there."—Chicago Record-Herald.

A simple decoction of hemp was used in China 1,700 years ago as an anesthetic in surgical operations, according to a Chinese manuscript in a Paris library.

Is the fact that our army is using balloons in its maneuvers to be taken to indicate that we are all "up in the air" in regard to recent military science?

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An Ann Arbor graduate, skilled chemist and scientific botanist, he was manager of the famous Funk Brothers' farm in Illinois for several years, where he raised 7,500 acres of corn. It produced when he took charge just about 300,000 bushels or more. Every year thereafter he raised 350,000 bushels or more.

Here he has organized a winter school in corn testing and planting, teaching farmers simple methods by which they can add to their corn yield. The school this winter has been a great success, this being the first season for it. The course takes two weeks and is free.

CIRCUS CARS ARE DESTROYED

Fire at Bridgeport Causes Loss of \$100,000 to Big Show.

Bridgeport, Conn., dispatch: Fire partly destroyed the new brick car barn at the new winter quarters of the Barnum & Bailey circus and burned a number of cars belonging to the circus. The loss is estimated at \$100,000, on which there is an insurance of \$33,000. The fire was caused by a lamp falling to the floor in the midst of a quantity of benzine and other inflammable material.

While the fire was at its height a cornice fell carrying to the ground with it twelve firemen who were at work on the roof. The men were considerably bruised, but not seriously injured.

Six new Pullman cars valued at \$13,000 each and two new flat cars, valued at \$4,000, were entirely destroyed.

IS AFTER THE DUCK HUNTERS

Deputy Game Warden of Indiana Sent Out to Enforce Law.

Indianapolis, Ind., dispatch: James Hamilton, deputy game warden, has been directed to go to the marshes of the Kankakee and other similar parts of northern Indiana to look after duck hunters. Men found with more than twenty-five ducks, the number allowed under the law, will be arrested. Hamilton will spend most of his time in the swamps and will keep track of the hunters by the sound of their guns. At night he will visit the clubhouses accompanied by an officer. He will also pay attention to that section of the law relating to the number of ducks each man is allowed to ship from the state.

SEND A GOLDEN INVITATION

Black Hills Mining Men Forward a Unique Note to Roosevelt.

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LAY KEYSTONE FOR SEA WALL

New Protection for Galveston Harbor Will Defy Tidal Wave.

Galveston, Tex., special: The corner stone of the \$1,500,000 sea wall was laid with imposing ceremonies and a parade of citizens and marines and officers from the United States battleships at anchor in the harbor here. The wall will be three miles in length and will give absolute protection to the city even from a stage of water equal to the great and disastrous tidal wave of the 1900 storm. The funds for its construction were raised by popular subscription to a bond issue.

ARCHBISHOP PICKS SECRETARY

Dr. August Mueller of Buffalo Will Be Taken to Chicago.

Buffalo, N. Y., special: Archbishop Quigley has appointed Dr. August Mueller, assistant rector at St. Boniface's church, Buffalo, as his private secretary. Dr. Mueller is a protege of the archbishop, having been sent by him to Rome and elsewhere to complete his studies. Dr. Mueller is regarded as one of the best informed men on canonical law in the country.

Milwaukee Wants Convention.

Milwaukee, Wis., special: An effort is to be made to secure for Milwaukee the next national convention of the Republican party. It is reported that President Roosevelt does not want the convention next year to be held east of the Alleghenies, as his chief strength lies in the Mississippi valley and the far west.

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Some Sort of Change Needed. Something is wrong with our superior civilization. A woman died lately in a New York hospital from starvation. When she collapsed she was standing in a line of prisoners in a police court waiting to be tried for the heinous offense of asking help in the streets for her extremity of need. Professional begging is rightly classed by the law as an offense against society deserving of punishment, but there is some hauling over of the law required when real and abject poverty is dealt with as a crime.—Baltimore American.

Home Seekers' Information Office. Every month the great idea of federation—men looking for homes where the climate and the soil are better than in their own homes—has been the main office through Kansas City. Improved homes at from \$10 to \$150 in Iowa, Illinois, Indiana and Ohio at double the price. Thousands of acres of land in Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas and West on tracts ranging from 10 to 100 acres. Upwards of 20,000 Iowa farmers bought homes in Missouri while 100,000 acres of land in 1902. Thousands of families from every state located in Kansas and Oklahoma. We have opened an information bureau for home seekers. You need not write fully and freely to us regarding your wants. To get our part from the other side if our correspondence should happen to "leak" you, you say "just another real estate agent's trick." But if you are a man who is looking for a home, we will send you a list of homes. Each agent is only interested in his own territory. It is able to sell the home which is "the good" for him. Now, we have corresponding agents in 17 sections in Missouri, all over Kansas and Oklahoma, and a few in the Indian Territory. It is in our interest to find just what will suit you and your pocket book. In the quiet of your own home you may find daily the latest list about the kind of a place you want fit can be found. This is where you need us. Write fully and freely to us regarding your wants. Your preference in locality, about how large a farm you want, about how much money you wish to pay for it. If you need land, what kind of soil, but all we want is that you will let us see your own desires and we will then, from the thousands of homes listed in hundreds of separate sheets, let that come nearest to your description, and you can investigate them. We will also put your name on our mailing list and send you our Home Seeker's Bulletin free of charge.

Address: Lead Department, E. S. SHELTON & CO., 200 Commerce Building, Kansas City, Mo.

Hens Help a Church.

A novel plan to raise money for church purposes has been successfully exploited in Lycoming county, Pa. At the suggestion of the pastor, the Rev. A. E. Cooper, the members of the Ladies' Aid society of Christ Lutheran church entered into a scheme to sell separately all eggs laid by their hens on Sundays and set aside the money thus derived for the use of the church.

How's Dollars?

We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Proprietors, Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him. West & Truax, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.; Waidling, Kinnear & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 50c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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Children and fools are always cunning, but clever people never.—Byron.

Will Undermine Your Health.

Constipation

Mull's Grape Tonic Cures Constipation.

When the sewer of a city becomes stopped up, the refuse backs into the streets where it decays and rots, spreading disease-creating germs throughout the entire city. An epidemic of sickness follows. It is the same way when the bowels fail to work. The undigested food backs into the system and there it rots and decays. From this festering mass the blood saps up all the disease germs, and at every heart beat carries them to every tissue, just as the water works of a city forces impure water into every house. The only way to cure a condition like this is to cure the constipation. Pills and the ordinary cathartics will do no good.

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ASKS JUSTICE FOR THE NEGRO

Booker T. Washington Holds Race Question Should Be Solved.

URGES DISCUSSION BY BOTH

Says Southern and Northern White Men Should Hold a Meeting and Face the Problem in Calm and Sane Manner.

New York dispatch: Booker T. Washington, at a memorial meeting held in the Academy of Arts and Sciences, suggested that a conference of representative men of the North and South should be called together to discuss the race problem. He declared that the time of settling the question by the shotgun method had passed, and that his people asked only for justice and a chance to continue their present progress.

In discussing the question the speaker said:

Must Face Facts.
"Unlike the Indian, the original Mexican or the Hawaiian, the negro, so far from dying out when in contact with a stronger and different race, has continued to increase in numbers to such an extent that whereas the race entered bondage twenty in number, there are now more than nine millions. So, I want to emphasize the truth that whether we are of Northern or of Southern birth, whether we are black or white, we must face frankly the hard, stubborn fact that in bondage and in freedom the negro, in spite of all predictions to the contrary, has continued year by year to increase in numbers until he now forms about one-seventh of the entire population, and that there are no signs that the same ratio will not hold good in the future.

Blacks Gain in Number.
"Further than this, despite of all the changing, uncertain conditions through which the race has passed and is passing, you will find that every year since the black man came into this country, whether in bondage or in freedom, he has made a steady gain in acquiring property, skill, habits of industry, education and Christian character.

"To deal practically and direct with the affairs of my own race, I believe that both the teachings of history, as well as the results of every-day observation, should convince us that we shall make our most enduring progress by laying the foundations carefully, patiently, in the ownership of the soil, the exercise of economy, the saving of money, the securing of the most complete education of hand and head and the cultivation of Christian virtues.

One Law for All.
"I cannot believe, I will not believe, that a country that invites into its midst every type of European, from the highest to the very dregs of the earth, and gives these comers shelter, protection and the highest encouragement, will refuse to accord the same protection and encouragement to her black citizens.

Lynching is Out of Date.
"The negro seeks no special privileges. All that he asks is opportunity—that the same law which is made by the white man and applied to the one race be applied with equal certainty and exactness to the other.

"The age for settling great questions, either social or national, with the shotgun, the torch, and by lynchings, has passed. An appeal to such methods is unworthy of either race. I believe the time has come—and I believe it is a perfectly practical thing—when a group of representative Southern white men and Northern white men and negroes should meet and consider with the greatest calmness and business sagacity the whole subject as viewed from every standpoint."

TIPSTERS SECURE \$200,000,000

Racing Men Estimate Public Has Lost Heavily in Turf Concerns.

New York dispatch: Conservative racing men estimate that \$200,000,000 has been garnered from a gullible public during the past two years by the "get-rich-quick" turf tipsters, who are now being raided by the police in all the big cities. Jack Sheehan, a race tout who six years ago started in by selling three winners for ten cents on the Long Island race tracks, was the originator of the general scheme, which has since developed and grown to such great proportions. The uprising of the public against these so-called speculators, however, and the publicity given to their peculiar methods in a very brief time has scattered them to the wind.

L. R. McKIBBIN HEADS TRUSTEES

Conservative Presbyterians Will Control Lane Seminary.
Cincinnati, O., special: Dr. William McKibbin, pastor of the First Walnut Hills Presbyterian Church, has accepted the presidency of the board of trustees of Lane Theological Seminary. His acceptance determines that the conservatives will control the institution. Three trustees known as liberals have resigned from the board since the election of Dr. McKibbin.

Lynch a Black Man.
Shreveport, La., dispatch: Frank Brown, a negro, was lynched at Mc Dade station near here. Brown shot and wounded Connell, a companion.

PROSPERITY IN CANADA.

The Farmer in Western Canada Achieves Wonderful Success.

One of the first things that the man who wishes to change his residence endeavors to find out is where he can go and succeed. It need be a matter of little doubt or indecision now. During the past four or five years the development of Western Canada has been so rapid, and the conditions of life there so widely known, that upwards of 100,000 Americans have taken up their homes there, and the experience of these people is that they are thoroughly satisfied with their choice of home.

The methods of farming there are similar to those adopted in the United States, but the operations are simpler, the yield of grain greater and the profits more satisfactory. Ranching is carried on with lots of success. Mixed farming is always profitable, while the results in grain-raising are as certain as splendid soil, excellent climate and lots of sunlight can give.

The yields of—, but nothing is as satisfactory as the experience of the farmer himself, and extracts are selected from one.
A good, intelligent farmer named Mears, John Mears to be exact, left Cavalier county, North Dakota, two years ago and followed the thousands who had already gone to Canada. He had twenty-five years' experience in Minnesota, in buying grain, including flax, but in all his experience he never saw a district so well suited to the growth of flax as Western Canada. The financial results of Mr. Mears' operations in a single season are as follows: Wheat, 3,000 bushels, 1 hard, at 57½c, \$1,725; 2,680 bushels 1 Northern, at 54c, \$1,447.20; Oats, 1,750 bushels, at 35c, \$612.50; Speltz, 154 bushels, at 75c, \$115.50; Flax, 324 bushels, at \$2, \$628. Total, \$4,598.20, a return of more than \$4,500 from a little over 250 acres, an average of \$18 per acre, is surely testimony sufficiently strong to satisfy the most incredulous as to the money to be made out of the soil of the Canadian West. It is to facts like these—arguments expressible and demonstrable in dollars and cents—that the steady northward movement of American farmers is due. Mr. Mears is settled near Arcola, Assa.

A number of Americans who have chosen Western Canada as a home had the idea that a man enjoyed less freedom in Canada, but they soon found their mistake, and say the laws of Canada are the most liberal in the world, and such as prevent the litigation which breeds so much bad feeling between people in the United States and costs them so dear in lawyers' fees.

The government has established agencies at St. Paul, Minn.; Omaha, Neb.; Kansas City, Mo.; Chicago, Ill.; Indianapolis, Ind.; Milwaukee, Wis.; Wausau, Wis.; Detroit, Sault Ste. Marie and Marquette, Mich.; Toledo, Ohio; Watertown, S. Dakota; Grand Forks, N. Dakota, and Great Falls, Mont., and the suggestion is made that by addressing any of these, who are authorized agents of the government, it will be to the advantage of the reader, who will be given the fullest and most authentic information regarding the results of mixed farming, dairying, ranching and grain-raising, and also supply information as to freight and passenger rates, etc.

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Tip to Mr. Carnegie.
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A fine person or a beautiful face are in vain without the grace of deportment.—Churchill.



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Cold Weather at Billville.

It was impossible to keep the meeting house warm on Sunday last—even with two stoves and a warm sermon on hell.—Atlanta Constitution.

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To have ideas is to gather flowers; to think, is to weave them into garlands.—Madam Swetchine.

Piso's Cure cannot be too highly spoken of as a cough cure.—J. W. O'Brien, 322 Third Ave., N., Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 4, 1903.

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Tonsiline Cures Sore Throat.

Virgil was the son of a porter.

Leaves in the Hair.

It is eminently correct to wear leaves in one's hair, and apparently many women are forsaking their tiaras and crowns for simple green leaves. At a recent dance of December these small chaplets were extremely popular and Mrs. John Jacob Astor has been seen with her brown hair clasped by white leaves, tipped with brilliants. The jewelers who followed closely the approval of the fashionable women are manufacturing silver and enameled leaves, but the simpler silk bits of trimming are in better taste. Flowers are not worn in the hair this winter, although the holiday season brought forth the use of holly, and; with some women, sprigs of mistletoe. Begonias are enjoying popularity this year and some headresses are made gay with these waxy flowers. Pink, however, is not used this year and begonias suffer in consequence.—New York Press.

Scientific Facts.

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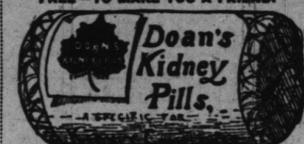
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SOUTH BARTONVILLE, ILL., Feb. 3, 1903.—"I received the trial package of Doan's Kidney Pills and have bought several boxes of my druggist. They have done me much good. I was hardly able to do any work until I began taking them; now I can work all day and my back does not get the least bit tired." BRID GRAY.

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tended down into my chest was all gone, and my neck now seems to be perfectly well.

"About five or six years ago my sister had a similar experience. She had two large lumps come under her right arm, the result of a sprain. They grew rapidly, and our physician wanted to cut them out. I would not listen to it, and she tried the Cuticura Remedies (as I did a few months ago) with magical effect. In six weeks' time the lumps had entirely disappeared, and have never returned.

"I have great faith in the Cuticura Remedies, and I believe they might be as efficacious in similar cases with other people, and thus save much suffering, and perhaps life. I have derived so much benefit from the use of them myself that I am constantly advising others to use them. Recently I recommended them to an office boy for his father, who was disabled with salt rheum. The man's feet were swollen to an enormous size, and he had not worked for six weeks. Two bottles of Cuticura Resolvent and two boxes of Cuticura Ointment worked a perfect cure. You never saw a more grateful man in your life.



"My friends tried to persuade me to consult my physician; but dreading that he would insist on using the knife, I would not consent to go. Instead I got a small bottle of Cuticura Resolvent and a box of Cuticura Ointment. I took the former according to directions, and spread a thick layer of the Ointment on a linen cloth and placed it on the swelling. On renewing it I would bathe my neck in very warm water and Cuticura Soap. In a few days the Cuticura Ointment had drawn the swelling to a head, when it broke. Every morning it was opened with a large sterilized needle, squeezed and bathed, and fresh Ointment put on. Pus and blood, and a yellow, cheesy, tumorous matter came out. In about three or four weeks' time this treatment completely eliminated boil and tumor. The soreness that had ex-

and was unable to speak, when her daughter, at my suggestion, tried the effect of the Cuticura Ointment and Cuticura Resolvent. Strange to say, she was very shortly relieved of the most distressing symptoms. The swelling seemed to be exteriorized, and she is now able to be around her house, and can talk as well as ever.

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1903.

Grip is prevalent in this vicinity. Village board will meet in regular session next Monday evening.

The Boys' Reading circle met at the home of Dr. E. W. Olcott, Wednesday.

The touch of spring weather during the past few days has caused a gloom to hover about the coal barons.

J. I. Sears will give his annual class recital at the M. E. church, Tuesday evening, March 10. Admission free.

Dr. and Mrs. George Lytle will make their home with Mrs. James Sizer during the construction of their new residence.

Steve Palmer has secured the contract for the sinking of a tubular well on the P. Young farm near Quentin's Corners.

Postmaster Brockway has received his commission from President Roosevelt. It is a very handsome piece of parchment.

It is reported that a fair grade of aluminum has been discovered on the Miller farm near Chicago Highlands. Tests of the find are now being made in Chicago.

Sam Elfrink will sell on his farm 2 miles southeast of Barrington on Saturday February 28, his entire dairy consisting of 21 cows and his farm implements and grain.

All members of Barrington Lodge No. 856, I. O. O. F. are requested to be present at the next regular meeting, Thursday evening, March 5th. Election of officers for ensuing term.

Albert Schurring and Miss Scheer of Barrington Center were united in marriage at the parsonage of St. Paul's church, Wednesday, February 25th, at 12 o'clock noon, Rev. Alfred Menzel officiating.

Paul J. Vernon, who was formerly in the employ of the American Malleable Iron Co., at Chicago Highlands, moved his family to 1627 N. Hoyne Ave., Chicago, Monday. Mr. Vernon is now with the Deering Harvester Co.

Miss Laura Riecke will dispose of a large assortment of household goods at the home on Liberty street, near Williams street, Tuesday morning, March 3, at 9 o'clock a. m. William Peters will conduct the sale.

Miss Mary Albrecht of this village and William Mitchell of Richland, North Dakota, were united in the bonds of matrimony by Rev. Alfred Menzel, at the parsonage of St. Paul's church, Wednesday evening, February 25, at 9 o'clock.

The following is the Roll of Honor of the Fifth Grade of our public school for month of February: Milton Kampert, Fred Bennett, Jennie Homuth, Arthur Heise, Arthur Moorhouse, Martha Naeher, Mabel Peck, Ethel Wilmer.

Nunda Herald: "Conductor Davey, who held the crossing with his train beyond the time limit, one day last week, was fined \$10 and the costs by Police Magistrate Gardner. He paid the fine." Why can't Barrington pick up a few dollars that way? The opportunity is presented often enough.

Aspirants for the office of tax collector in the town of Cuba are looming up and perhaps the town caucus may not prove such a tame affair after all. The north end of the township lays claim to something besides highway commissioner this year and has candidates for two or more positions. The primary is open to all comers.

Just as was to be expected. The spring robin has not yet put in an appearance, but rumors of active work to begin "as soon as practical" on the proposed railroad between Wauconda and Barrington, has started in circulation. There are some things which refuse to lie still even in death and Edward Stees' railroad seems to be one of 'em.

John Nicholson, that prince of good fellows, whose handsome Castilian visage used to beam from the cab of Will Thorp's 678, is acting master mechanic at the West 40th street shops, Chicago. Thorp says that there is no telling where a pie-face fireman will land when he gets on the slide. That's the way Will pays compliments, and in r. r. vernacular it is all right.

The farmer who reads of the great corporations that bear so important a part in the commercial and industrial world of today is apt to think himself as outside the pale of those who exert a controlling influence on the community at large. And yet in this

assumption he is far from the fact. The time never was in the history of this country when the farmer occupied the prominent and important position as concerns his relations to the city that he occupies today. The city was never more absolutely dependent on the country than now, and the degree of that dependence is steadily increasing.

The plans for George Lytle's new residence to be built on his property corner West Main street and Cemetery avenue, show a pretentious and modern home—one of the handsomest and convenient in the village. Contractors are now figuring on the work and construction will be started as soon as the weather will permit.

John J. Healy, well known here, was elected city judge of the courts of Elgin and Aurora by a majority of over 300 votes. Francis Hanchett of Aurora and Morris Manley of Elgin made a strong fight against Healy. Judge Goodwin of Aurora is the retiring judge. A recent law increases the salary of city judge from \$1,500 to \$3,000. He can also preside in Cook county.

John L. Meiners has rented his farm located 2 miles south of Barrington and 2 1/2 miles west of the C. & N. W. R. viaduct, and will offer for sale at public auction, Wednesday, March 4th, commencing at 11 o'clock a. m., horses, cattle—15 helpers 3 fine Jersey cows, pigs, sheep and poultry. A fine lot of farm machinery, grain and other articles. Wm. Peters will conduct the sale.

The supper served last Friday evening in the Baptist church, by the Dorcas society, was well patronized and a success socially. The table decorations were artistic in arrangement and the menu appetizing. Owing to unavoidable occurrences the program was subjected to several changes, but nevertheless proved interesting. The financial proceeds will be used for the benefit of the Baptist church.

We have noticed that if a man has a bull pup or setter dog he looks after it carefully and will not let it run around at night all over town. But if he has a boy it is different. He is turned loose at a tender age, to go to the devil, and then the people wonder where the great army of tramps, bums loafers and deadbeats come from each decade. They are germinated from the "pure seed," gathered from the homes and sown broadcast upon our streets. It may be that your boy is making a growth in that direction. At all events the boy ought to be given equal showing with the dog.

Funeral Notice.
Mary Ann Catlow died at the home of her son, Thomas Catlow, in Evanston, Thursday night, aged 74 years. Funeral services will be held at the Baptist church in this village, Sunday at 11 o'clock.
Obituary will appear next week.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. J. White is a guest at the home of J. Kingsley.

Miss Evelyn Davlin is visiting relatives in Chicago.

Julius Kirmse of Chicago visited his son, Henry, over Sunday.

John Dalton visited with relatives at Wilmette over Sunday.

M. C. McIntosh has been in New York the past week on business.

Misses Mary and Anna John visited with friends in Chicago Saturday.

Charles Patten of Palatine was in town Wednesday transacting business.

Mrs. Fred Heimerdinger of Chicago visited with Mr. and Mrs. G. Heimerdinger, Sunday.

W. H. Dales, representing the Capewell Horse Nail Co., was here on business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Davlin of Wauconda visited with the latter's parents here Sunday.

Charles Smale Jr., salesman for Heath & Milligan Mfg. Co., was here Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Minnie Bock of Chicago visited with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Kirmse Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Solt visited with their daughter, Mrs. D. H. Crouse, in Chicago the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wienecke of Butterfield, Minn., are visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Wienecke.

Mrs. Frances E. Clarke, widow of former County Judge Clarke, died Tuesday in Waukegan of heart disease after a long illness. She had lived in Lake county for fifty years. In her earlier life she was a teacher at Mount Holyoke and elsewhere.

Notice to Water Takers.
Water rents for the six months from March 1st to September 1st, 1903 are now due and payable at the collector's office before April 1st. If not paid by that date the water will be shut off. H. K. BROCKWAY, Collector.

MAY PROVE VALUABLE FIND

Deposit of Cryolite Producing Aluminium Discovered Near Here.

It is reported, and there is some foundation for the report, that a deposit of clay which may produce a fair grade of aluminum, has been found on the farm of H. H. Miller bordering on Randall's lake, and located about 2 1/2 miles west of Barrington. Samples of the clay is now undergoing tests in Chicago.

While there is some foundation for the talk about this discovery, a large amount of the talk is nothing more nor less than hot air. The fabulous sum, which report says Mr. Miller has been offered for his 39 acres of land, is that gentleman says, greatly exaggerated.

If the tests now being made shows that there is a deposit of clay producing aluminum on that farm prospectors will be tearing up the earth in that section in short order and every ton of dirt will be worth money.

A. L. Hendee Honored.

At the sixteenth annual state convention of supervisors, commissioners and county clerks, held at Bloomington, a week ago Tuesday, A. L. Hendee, county clerk of Lake county, was elected secretary of the state association.

Entertainment and Tea.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the M. E. church will give an entertainment and tea in the church parlors, Wednesday evening, March 4, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

A musical and literary program will be given in the auditorium of the church after which the ladies will serve tea in the main parlor. Admission, including tea, 10 cents. The public is cordially invited. Don't forget the date—Wednesday evening March 4.

Y. M. C. A. in New Home.

The local branch of the Young Men's Christian association, organized here some months ago, has gained rapidly in membership and is doing a noble work in the way of assisting many young men—and some older ones as well—to forsake bad habits and companions and leading them to a higher plane of life.

The branch has occupied a room in the Grunau building since its organization, but the quarters were found inadequate to the wants of the number who find pleasure in passing an evening in pleasant surroundings and with good companions. Better accommodations were found necessary. Negotiations were entered into with George Stiefenhofer and the upper floor of his Main street building leased for a term of years.

This has been nicely arranged into two large parlors, a good-sized entrance and wardrobe room and other rooms. The same have been nicely decorated, fitted with electric lights and other conveniences, and makes a comfortable home for the branch of an organization whose influence is world-wide for the betterment of mankind, not only in a religious way, but in many other ways.

The organization meets a want in this community; deserves unstinted support, and all wish for its continued success.

A Farewell Supper.

There was a pleasant affair, held at the H. H. Landwer farm home, southeast of this village, one evening this week. The occasion was a farewell supper tendered by Mr. and Mrs. Landwer in honor of their friends and neighbors, T. H. Reynoldson and family, who will move to the S. R. Kirby farm, 4 miles west of Barrington, on or about March 1.

The evening was heartily enjoyed. An orchestra of three pieces furnished music, Frank Reynoldson offered an address and took occasion to speak of the strong bond of friendship which had existed between the families there assembled. The supper served was a feast and elicited words of praise from all.

Those present were, T. H. Reynoldson and family, Frank Reynoldson and family; Harry Cowie of Chicago; Mrs. Lizzie Cady and son of Goodwin, S. D.; George Wilson and Johnnie Wilson of Palatine.

There is a Reason.

During the past week several entertainments of a social nature have been given in the school districts in this immediate vicinity and each has attracted a large attendance, proved enjoyable and very successful in a financial way. The proceeds of a basket social at a little school house in the woods near here netted \$58; at another hall of learning an entertainment of a similar character realized \$39, while a pie social at the White school Wednesday evening brought \$41 good round dollars to the library fund.

A lady interested in promoting like events for societies in this village is at a loss to understand why the "rural" socials are so well attended and so successful from a financial standpoint. There is a reason for it. If you will attend one of the "country school socials" you will find that there is no

line drawn—everybody is greeted in a manner which denotes a genuine welcome. No one is left to sit unnoticed: the woman in calico dress and home-made hood is looked after just as much as the woman who wears a tailor-made gown and headgear with barnyard-fowl feathers flying from the rear. A man don't have to wear a dress suit and patent leathers to be recognized as eligible to civil treatment. There is no "society" tinge about the "country school social."

Give people a genuine welcome; abolish the "clique" line, then and not until then, will the crowd and the dollars come to your entertainments. Pretty plain talk, isn't it? But is it not true? Ask the people who take their money to the district school entertainment.

\$40 For Pies.

The Pie Social held at the White school, Wednesday evening, proved a big success and Miss Nicoll, the teacher, must be given credit, not only for being an excellent instructor, but as a promoter of an entertainment full of enjoyment and a pie sale that attracted many dollars.

A program of recitations, declamations, readings and other exercises was given before an audience which packed the little school room until it overflowed outside the school lot. The entertainment prefaced the most hotly contested scramble for pie ever held in that school district.

Fred Kirschnr mounted the block, pushed back the luxuriant tresses on his well-rounded cranium, and announced that those not supplied with money had best retire as he was going to sell pies—good, digestible pies, and no ten cent bids would be considered. The way the pies sold is a high testimonial to Mr. Kirschnr's qualifications as an extractor of his neighbor's dollars. The smallest pie in the stack of 50 or more, brought \$5.80 and was knocked down to Charles Jahne, who evidently is fond of that kind of diet. The proceeds of the sale amounted to over \$41.00. The ladies of the White school district make pies that sell.

Condensing Factory at Cary.

The Richmond-Smith Co. of Chicago will erect a bottling and condensing factory at Cary. The building will be 136x50 feet, three stories high. The cost of building and equipment is to cost \$35,000. The factory will be located at the corner of Cary and Depot streets. Work on the building will be under way soon and the plant is expected to be ready for business early in May.

This will prove a valuable addition to the interests of that place.

Rheumatism

Is caused by an acid which flows in the blood, and to cure it you must remove the cause. Cole's bludblder does this effectually. It is the greatest maker of new, rich blood. It produces natural healthy action of the kidneys, liver and bowels and restores vigorous health to the system. If you have rheumatism take Bludblder. It is guaranteed. \$1.00 a bottle. Sold by all druggists.

FOR RENT—House on Williams st., owned by the Zimmerman estate. Apply at this office.

PRIVATE SALE—22 head large draft horses on the Heimerdinger farm 5 miles north west of Barrington and 3 miles south of Wauconda.

For Sale—\$2,500 buys house and 3 lots known as the Peter's place corner Ela and Washington streets, if sold before March 15, 1903. Inquire of the owner, Geo F. Mengerson, 387 So. California Ave., Chicago, or Edward Peters, Barrington. 4t-4

Lost—Between the residence of Dr. Weichert and Ela and Chestnut street a fine table cloth, chrysanthemum pattern. Finder please return to Mrs. A. Weichert.

FOR RENT—The Regan farm three miles north of Barrington; 1 1/2 miles west of Lake Zurich 120 acres nine room house; large barn; three wells. Inquire of M. D. Regan, Barrington, Ill. 4t

Women and Jewels.

Jewels, candy, flowers, man—that is the order of woman's preferences. Jewels form a magnet of mighty power to the average woman. Even that greatest of all jewels—health—is often ruined in the strenuous efforts to make or save the money to purchase them. If a woman will risk her health to get a coveted gem, then let her fortify herself against the insidious consequences of coughs, colds and bronchial affections by the regular use of Dr. Boschee's German Syrup. It will promptly arrest consumption in its early stages and heal the affected lungs and bronchial tubes and drive the dread disease from the system. It is not a cure-all, but it is a certain cure for coughs, colds and all bronchial troubles. You can get this reliable remedy at H. T. Abbott's. Price 25c. and 75c.

The Review \$1.50 a year.

HEARD BY THE REPORTER

Pointed Expressions Credited to Citizens Who Say Little.

Pie—one of the luxuries of this life. —Charles Jahne.

There is nothing that hurts a man's vanity more than the discovery that some one has worked a lead nickle off on him.—Charles Dill.

The farm telephone is mighty handy for the young folks, heard a fellow the other day, ask his girl to go to meeting, times are changing, I should say! —Fred Kirschnr.

A piece of colored glass looks well in a church window but it doesn't show up well in a finger ring.—Williams the Jeweler.

Knowledge is power but it can't always provide straws for a drowning man to clutch at.—Prof. Smith.

The actual weight of a ton of coal as sold by some dealers is a dark secret—Everybody.

Marriage is a permanent injury resulting from falling in love.—Thomas Creet.

It is said that the good die young. Perhaps that accounts for so many aged inhabitants.—Leroy Powers.

The average man may look all right in a new suit of clothes, but it's a cheese sandwich to a bakery that he doesn't feel that way.—Larry Donlea.

The inventor of tailor-made garments furnishes us with proof that figures will lie.—Lyman Powers.

A woman thinks it must be great fun to lie back in a barber's chair and get shaved—but she hasn't the face to try it.—William Grunau.

The only reason I know why justice is represented as a woman is because it is something a man is always after.—M. C. McIntosh.

Don't get the idea into your head that you can pull yourself out of trouble with a corkscrew.—Rev. Tuttle.

If some men in this locality had to work in order to obtain a living they wouldn't live very long.—Will Hager.

You can't judge a ham by the canvas cover or the intelligence of a man by the size of his hat.—L. R. Lines.

It is not absolutely necessary for newspaper men to be liars—but they generally are.—Everybody's Opinion.

FOR SALE—Good, heavy milk wagon thirty cans capacity. Reasonable. Inquire at this office. 1 t-8

Farm for Rent.

I will rent my 150 acre farm for cash. Located one mile north-east of Cary station, call on me at Dundee, Ill., or write me P. O. box 186, Dundee, Ill. JOHN LEMKE.

Constable's Sale.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given. That by virtue of an Execution issued by C. H. Morrison, a Justice of the Peace in and for the County of Lake and State of Illinois, and to me delivered, in favor of Plagge & Co., and against Frank Weber, I have levied upon and seized the following described goods and chattels, as the property of the said defendant, Frank Weber, to-wit: One 125 lb. Anvil; One 36 inch Bellows; 1 Hand power drill; 4 Hammers; 6 Swedges; 1 set Stocks and Dies; One Grindstone and frame; 4 lots nails and bolts; 1 piece slab steel; 1 set milk wagon wheels; 6 wrenches; 6 veneers; 4 whiffletrees; 1 welder; part of corn marker, which I shall offer for sale, at Public Vendue, as the law directs, at Barrington, in said County, on the Seventh Day of March, A. D., 1903, at 9 o'clock a. m., to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said Execution and costs. Dated, the 24th day of February, A. D. 1903. I. B. FOX, Constable.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

Methodist Episcopal.
Rev. W. H. Tuttle, Pastor. Services held each Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 11:45.

Baptist.
Rev. J. C. Garth, Pastor. Preaching each Sunday at 10:30 a. m., and 7:00 p. m. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.

Salem Evangelical.
Rev. J. G. Fidler, Pastor. Preaching each Sunday morning and evening. Sunday school at 9:15 o'clock.

Zion Evangelical.
Rev. Wm. Klingbell, Pastor. Services each Sunday morning and evening. Sunday school at 10 o'clock.

St. Ann's Catholic.
Rev. Father Quinn, Pastor. Regular service the first Sunday and third Saturday in each month. Sunday school every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran.
Rev. Alfred Menzel, Pastor. Services each Sabbath morning at 10:30 o'clock. Sabbath school at 9:30.

AGENTS WANTED. 50 per cent Commission on sales of our SEEDS. Write for Particulars and send for Catalogue. MCGREGOR BROS. CO., Springfield, Ohio.

The Review

Prints The News

Pay your Taxes.

I will be at the Barrington Bank every Wednesday and Saturday to receive taxes of the town of Barrington. JOHN BROEMMELKAMP, Collector.

Pay your Taxes.

I will be at the office of the Barrington Review Tuesday and Saturday of each week, after date, to receive taxes for the town of Cuba. I am obliged to make my returns to the county treasurer on March 10. The tax payers will do me a favor by calling and making payment before that date. HENRY KIRMSE, Collector.

For Collector.

At the solicitation of a large number of voters I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Collector of the town of Cuba and request support at the caucus to be held in March. A. J. CORNWELL.

For Collector.

I desire to announce myself as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector for the town of Barrington and solicit the support of the voters at the caucus to be held in March. A. R. SMITH.

For Highway Commissioner.

I desire to announce myself as a candidate for the office of Highway Commissioner of the town of Cuba, and solicit the support of the voters of the town at the caucus to be held in March. CHARLES GROM.

Announcement.

To the voters of Cuba township. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Collector at the coming Township election. EDWARD W. RILEY. Feb. 10, 1903.

For Road Commissioner.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Highway Commissioner of the town of Cuba and solicit support of the voters at the caucus to be held in March. W. O. SCHUMACHER.

To Cure a Cold in the Head.

Apply Cole's Carbolisalve in each nostril at night and your head will be clear in the morning. Guaranteed to cure catarrh and inflamed conditions of the mucous membrane. 25 and 50c. Sold by all druggists.

Later departure from Chicago for Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., via the North-Western Line. The Through Sleeping Cars for Manistique and Sault Ste. Marie, which have been leaving Chicago at 8:00 p. m. daily except Sunday, now leave at 10:30 p. m. daily except Saturday, thus affording connection with trains arriving in Chicago at a late hour. The only through sleeping car line between Chicago and "The Soo." For tickets and full information apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

A bill has been introduced in the Illinois legislature providing for the examination and licensing of music teachers. If such a law could be made to apply to music pupils, with reasonable restriction as to licenses, it would be a decided boon to many crowded communities.

More than likely the next time England goes gunning with Germany it will insist upon having something to say in the matter of controlling the trigger.

Lard oil in quantities to suit at Lamey & Company's.

SAVED HIS HORSES.

Farmer Hurries His Spring Work and Another Cures Barb Wire Cut on Colt.

R. Collins, farmer, Seney, Iowa: "In two week's time I cured an old sore on a valuable colt, sore caused by cut of barb wire. I tried many remedies but the wound kept getting worse until I began use of Silver Salve. Before I used up half a box my colt was well." Jacob Barth, Scotland, S. D.: "My horses all had sore shoulders this spring. I began using Silver Salve and healed their shoulders while working them on a breaking plow." Silver Salve is a staple remedy sold by leading dealers. It is the most rapid healer known. If your dealer does not have it send 35 cts. in stamps to Diehl Chemical Co., LeMars, Iowa. They are the manufacturers and will send you a big box, postage paid. Mention this paper. 4-9 5t.

A Bad Breath

A bad breath means a bad stomach, a bad digestion, a bad liver. Ayer's Pills are liver pills. They cure constipation, biliousness, dyspepsia, sick headache. 25c. All druggists.

Want your mustache or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Then use the BUCKINGHAM'S DYE for the Whiskers. 50 CTS. OF DRUGGISTS, OR R. P. HALL & CO., BARRINGTON, ILL.