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## PLAN FOR A STAMPEDE.

### Northcott May be Re-elected Head Consul of the M. W. A.

It would not surprise those who have watched the acrobatic performance of Lieutenant-Governor Northcott, of this state, if the following, taken from the Springfield News, should prove true:

"Politicians in the order say that the thing is all fixed and that despite the assertion of Northcott to retire he will be re-elected head consul of the M. W. A. The convention will be stamped in his favor when the proper time comes. Northcott is winning out on his plans for readjustment of rates. His ideas in part, at least, will be adopted and he will be fully vindicated in his position.

"This construction is placed on the results of the state convention of the order held last week in Bloomington. Prominent Modern Woodmen do not hesitate to say that it looks like Northcott for another term. Judge White, of Pontiac, who was endorsed for the position of head consul, is close to the head consul, so it is said, and the local Woodmen assert that he is being used by Northcott. If at the last minute before the convention Northcott sees that all his plans have carried he will stampede the convention for himself, so they claim.

"This proposition seems probable, from the fact that J. G. Johnson, of Peabody, Kan., who is the most prominent anti-readjustment man mentioned for the position, was defeated for indorsement and that in the face of the fact that he had already been indorsed by a number of states. Mr. Northcott was a delegate to the convention and hence had the privilege of the floor. He made a speech in favor of his plan and the election of his candidates, one of them being Mr. Riley, who failed of election on the first ballot, but was pulled through by the band wagon on the second.

"Some sort of readjustment plan will be decided upon, but it will not be the plan on which the great fight of the past year and a half has been waged. This seems to be the plan now mapped out by Mr. Northcott as near as can be determined by the men closest to his advisors and who are somewhat acquainted with his plans. The fight by the anti, however, will be carried on until the last minute and a pretty contest will be carried up to the time of holding the convention."

## SUMMER IN THE COUNTRY.

### The Farmers Offer Homes and Good Wages to All Who Will Come and Visit Them.

Here is just what you have been looking for, you who are weary of the grind of life in the skyscraper, of the turmoil of the seething street. Have you ever dreamed of a summer in the country with nothing to do but rake sweet smelling hay, feed the pigs and drive the cows home from the creek bottoms in the cool of an autumn twilight? and did your dream ever end with a farmer, nay a multitude of farmers, bending over you and offering you fabulous sums if you would but come and board with them? Well, the dream has come true.

In the first place, the farmers all over the west are facing a "hired hand" famine. In the field there are no men to care for the crops, and in the household there are no women to bake the bread, and skim the cream, and cook the harvest dinners. All the country boys have either gone to the cities or are on the way, and the girls are not far behind them. Their dreams are of skyscrapers and bargain counters, glowing electric signs, and beautiful, swiftly moving cable cars.

And so it happens that the farmers have got together and formulated an appeal to the people of the city. Their mouthpiece is the Orange Judd Farmer, an agricultural publication with offices in the Marquette building, Chicago. The farmers want to hear from any and all persons who would consider an invitation to spend a summer or longer in the country at a generous salary. Such persons are requested to send their applications to the publication, which will insert them as advertisements for positions wanted, and all free of charge. This offer holds good during May and June.

## Ancient History.

In the year 1723 the state of Illinois was bought from ten Indian chiefs representing ten tribes, by twenty-two white men of Pennsylvania and England. The territory was in two tracts, one called Southern Illinois, and the balance of the state and a

portion of Southern Wisconsin was called Northern Illinois. The consideration was 200 blankets, 360 shirts, 250 pounds of gunpowder, 4,000 pounds of lead, one gross of knives, 2,000 gun flints, 200 pounds of tobacco, two dozen gilt looking glasses, one gross of fine steel, sixteen dozen garterings, 10,000 pounds of flour, 5,000 bushels of Indian corn, twelve horses, twelve horned cattle, twenty bushels of salt and twenty-nine guns. The articles were paid and delivered in full council. The deed was signed and executed before a French notary public at Kaskaskia.

Numerous southern newspapers are preparing to secede from the union again, having just heard that a squad of negro cavalry led the presidential procession out in California somewhere.

## PALATINE LOCAL NEWS

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

Election Monday. Mrs. Fred A. Smith started for her home in Brooklyn, N. Y., to-day.

Mrs. Knowe is rapidly recovering from her recent severe illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Schering, of Duidee, visited relatives here this week.

Mrs. Will Filbert and mother from St. Paul visited Mrs. F. J. Filbert and family here last Wednesday.

The W. F. M. society will hold its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. W. L. Hicks Wednesday, June

3. A 'bus will be at the church at 2 o'clock to convey all those who wish to go. Fifteen cents for the round trip.

Mrs. T. J. Julian and daughter Blanche, of Wayne, Ill., have been guests of C. E. Julian and family the past week.

Paul Patten has not been improving as well as he should, but hopes are entertained that the fever will soon begin to disappear.

The Woodman camp of this place will attend the Woodman Memorial day exercises in Barrington on the afternoon of Sunday, June 7.

The Palatine Mannerchor will give one of their laughable plays in Battermann hall on next Monday night. A dance will be given after the program.

Harry and Della Rea were robbed of nearly all their wearing apparel and jewelry by burglars entering their flat in Chicago while they were away last week Monday.

C. D. Taylor has been attending the supreme court of the Court of Honor at Kansas City, Mo., this week, being a delegate from this county and on one of the important committees.

Miss Elsie Baker started on the road with a theatrical troupe from Chicago last Monday. She has been taking lessons in this line of work and was fortunate in securing a contract with a good company.

The village board will meet to-night instead of Monday night, owing to the Mannerchor concert. The appropriation ordinance, new sidewalk ordinance, and the ordinance to extend the water works into Richmond's subdivision and issue bonds for cost of same will probably be passed.

The marriage of William H. Stott and Miss Olive A. Murdock, of Des Plaines, was largely attended, and many elegant presents were received by the couple. The father of the bride was married thirty years ago by Rev. D. J. Holmes, of this place, so the bride requested him to officiate at her marriage, which he did.

Several of the railway officials were here Tuesday to look over the grounds where the village contemplate putting in sewerage on Smith street, to drain the Kitson and adjoining property. The company will probably do their share of the work. They also looked over the prospective park site along the track in front of Matthie's, Renack's and Prellberg's places of business, and will make the village an offer to make a fine park front at that place.

## Memorial Day.

The following is the program for Memorial Day exercises to-morrow afternoon:

Palatine band and pupils of the Public schools meet at school-house at 1 o'clock and march to Methodist church. Exercises will begin at 1:30 o'clock. Music by the band. Song, "Star Spangled Banner." Oration, by Hon. Harry Attwood. Song, "Marching Through Georgia." Reading roster of soldiers, A. R. Baldwin. Song, "Garland Their Graves." Reading notice of Memorial meeting. Reform procession and march to the cemetery to decorate graves. Music by band, while children form around the unknown grave. Address in honor of the unknown dead, by Rev. D. J. Holmes. Song and benediction. March to South Side cemetery. March to church to disband.

## Judicial Election.

Next Monday's election is one of the most important of our elections, as the representatives of the law are to be chosen by the people. They are the ones to construe the law and give justice between man and man. Every voter should cast a ballot on next Monday in the judicial election. This is an election where every voter cannot conscientiously vote a straight party ticket. If you have no particular choice between the candidates, inquire from parties familiar with the court work and get their judgment of the candidates, and you can soon pick out good men, as there are but a few poor candidates on the list. In our opinion neither party deserves a cross in the circle, as each has at least one or two candidates who should not sit on the bench.

Remember to vote for only one judge of the Superior court—there are three candidates. Vote for only fourteen judges of the Circuit court—if you vote for more none will be counted. Vote for only three provisional judges. You can vote for less than these numbers, but you must not vote for more, or your vote will not count.

Be sure to vote on the bond question, an extra ballot being given for that purpose. If you vote for issuing \$1,250,000 county bonds vote opposite the word "yes." If not for it vote opposite the word "no."

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**1861 Memorial Day. 1903**

Bring flowers to strew again  
With fragrant purple rain  
Of lilacs, and of roses white and red.  
The dwellings of our dead, our glorious dead!  
Let the bells ring a solemn funeral chime,  
And wild war-music bring anew the time  
When they who sleep beneath  
Were full of vigorous breath,  
And in their lusty manhood sallied forth,  
Holding in strong right hand  
The fortunes of the land,  
The pride and power and safety of the North!  
It seems but yesterday  
The long and proud array—  
But yesterday when even the solid rock  
Shook as with earthquake shock—  
As North and South, like two huge icebergs ground  
Against each other with convulsive bound,  
And the whole world stood still  
To view the mighty war,  
And hear the thundrous roar,  
While sheeted lightning wrapped each plain and hill.

Yes, bring fresh flowers and strew the soldier's grave,  
Whether he proudly lies  
Beneath our northern skies,  
Or where the southern palms their branches wave!  
Let the bells toll and wild war-music swell,  
And for one day the thought of all the past—  
Of all those memories vast—  
Come back and haunt us with its mighty spell!  
Bring flowers, then, once again,  
And strew with fragrant rain  
Of lilacs, and of roses white and red,  
The dwellings of our dead.

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**N**ATIONAL Memorial day, or Decoration Day as it has become to be popularly known, has been set apart as the day on which to pay special tribute to the soldier dead, and to place flags and flowers upon their graves. Nearly 300,000 soldiers of the civil war lie buried in the seventy-nine national cemeteries established and maintained by this government. The liberality of the United States towards its living soldiers, and its faithfulness in the care of its dead soldiers, are unique and unheard of in the history of nations. After no war, whether of ancient or modern times, have any such systematic exertions been made to secure the collection of the dead and their interment in permanent resting places, as have been made by the government of the United States. But the national cemeteries do not hold all of the dead soldiers, for thousands lie buried in public cemeteries throughout the country, and their graves are visited annually and decorated in living tribute to bravery and patriotism. The soil of this nation has been made sacred by the bodies of the dead heroes who now sleep within its bosom. The life of this nation has been enriched by the blood which has been freely shed in defense of its honor and its unity. It is well that we have provided an annual national Memorial day. It is important, yea, even vital, that we fail not to faithfully observe it, and remember in gratitude and love the sacrifices which gave to us the nation in which we are so proud to claim citizenship.

The old guard will never die. The posthumous influences is imperishable. Their heroism has an immortal expansion. Those who have struck tent are with us still in every pulsation of our republic. The first division of the grand army fought and won in the war of 1776. They have passed on, but have cast a fragrance into the centuries never to die.

Another heroic army was in the march—the patriots of 1861. Many of them now sleep. Every memorial anniversary multiplies the forces of their Americanism. Who has not heard the tramp of our splendid boys in 1898, the heroes of the Spanish-American war, the new Grand Army of the Republic? These without the old guard of 1861 would have been achievementless. The soldiers of 1898 were victorious because the army of the union triumphed in the salvation of the union. From the most ancient battlefield in our land down to the latest are significant in the fact of the red-ripe fruit of the American atonement.

Forty-two summers have shed their fragrance since this republic was divided into two great hostile camps. A new generation has arisen to be trained in the higher duties of American citizenship. To those born after the star of peace returned Decoration day is a school of patriotism wherein they may learn the sacrifice, the devotion of our citizen soldiers and the stupendous cost of free institutions.

Memorial Day is virtually the Sabbath of the nation and it cannot be too sacredly guarded from profanity. A hush should fall on the abounding activities of life that we might hear its message. The day is not a day for keeping alive the bitter memories of the war, but for recalling the unselfish sacrifices of the patriots in the field, the forum and the fireside; a day, too, for throwing the mantle of charity over those arrayed against us, a day when puritan and cavalier sit together around the national hearthstone.

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