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\$1.50 A YEAR IN ADVANCE.

L. D. CASTLE AT REST.

Pioneer Settler of Cook County and Prominent Resident of Barrington Passes Away.

Lester D. Castle, one of the pioneer settlers of Cook county and prominent citizens of Barrington village, departed this life at his home, Sunday afternoon, October 9, after a brief illness, at the age of 77 years. It was hoped that his life might be spared by an operation which was performed Sunday morning, but disease had so far developed it proved to be of no avail.

Mr. Castle was born near Mexico, N. Y., in 1827 and came to Illinois in 1853 with his father, settling on a farm near Palatine, which he owned at the time of his death. He received his education in the common schools and the academy at Waukegan, and in 1852 married Miss Lucy Taylor of that city.

In 1860 when Cook county was governed by a board of supervisors instead of a county board, Mr. Castle was elected a member from Palatine and served four years.

Mr. Castle was engaged in farming up to 17 years ago when he retired and moved to Barrington. He served as a Justice of the Peace of the town of Barrington and Police Magistrate of the village of Barrington. Mr. Castle was a staunch republican and always took an active part in the republican campaigns.

He is survived by a widow and seven children, Charles S. Castle, cashier of the Federal Trust & Savings Bank, Chicago; Arthur L. of Elgin; Percy V., a lawyer, Chicago; Percy D., cashier of the State bank of Austin; Ben B., cashier of the Arlington Heights State bank; Mrs. C. W. Coltrin of Austin, and Miss Eva Castle of this village.

Funeral services were held from the family residence Wednesday afternoon, Rev. T. E. Ram of Elgin, M. E. church and Rev. W. H. Tuttle of the M. E. church of this village officiating. Interment was in Evergreen cemetery.

REV. TUTTLE TO LEAVE HERE.

Popular Pastor of M. E. Church is Assigned to Dundee.

We regret to announce that the Rock River conference of the M. E. church has assigned Rev. W. H. Tuttle from this charge to the church at Dundee. During the four years Rev. Tuttle has presided over the M. E. church of Barrington he has attracted many warm friends and admirers outside of his church among all classes of our people. He has been foremost in all work that aimed for the prosperity and welfare of Barrington, and his parishioners are not the only ones who wish that the conference might have suspended the rules of that body and returned the popular minister to the work in this village.

Rev. Tuttle, estimable wife and daughter have accomplished a noble work for church work in this village and they will be missed, not only by Methodists but by all denominations and society circles as well.

Rev. Tuttle goes to Dundee. To the people of that village he is not unknown and will meet a cordial welcome there. While people of our village dislike to part with Rev. Tuttle and family it is pleasing to know that their home will be among as congenial a class of people as they will find at Dundee, and wish for them the full measure of happiness and success.

Rev. F. M. Lapham, who has been stationed at Waukegan, succeeds Rev. Tuttle here.

Will Attend Convention.

Sunday Oct. 16, the 32nd annual convention of the Young Peoples association of the North Illinois Synod of the Evangelical Synod of North America will be held at Elgin. The Young People's society of the Barrington St. Paul's church will be represented by seven delegates. Owing to the fact that Rev. G. H. Stanger officially has to be present at the convention there will be no services at St. Paul's church Sunday.

A Successful Affair.

Under the direction of the Misses Beulah Otis, Florence Peck and Mabel Banks a social was given in the Baptist church Wednesday evening which was well attended and thoroughly enjoyed by everyone present. The early evening was passed in the church proper where a program was presented by members of our village musical and elocutionary circles that interested and pleased, calling forth cheers. From the short readings of little

Misses Lenora Dolan and Flora Todd to the humorous and timely ones of Prof. Banta together with the various songs sung by good talent, each number was well liked and appreciated.

The entire audience was then invited to prepare to the church dining room where young ladies served a light luncheon.

The favorite village auctioneer, Dr. Geo. W. Lytle, succeeded in gathering in several shillings in the sale of the floral decorations. All the proceeds will be given the Sunday school. Those who assisted on the program were: Misses Beatrice Bennett, Lenora and Francis Dolan, Mabel Banks, Jennie Fletcher, Flora Todd, Viola Lines, Florence Collins, Bernadine Taylor, Jennie Lines, Beulah Otis, Mrs. C. Kendall, Mrs. E. Willmarth, Messrs. Banta, Shearer, Schroeder and Garth.

Melnscon-Gottschalk Nuptials.

Miss Emma Melnscon, daughter of William Melnscon of Long Grove and Louis Gottschalk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gottschalk of Cuba township, were united in marriage at the home of the groom's parents, northwest of this village, Wednesday afternoon.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. H. Stanger of St. Paul's church and was witnessed only by relatives and immediate friends of the contracting parties.

Mr. and Mrs. Gottschalk will reside with Mrs. and Mr. Will Rieke for the present.

The W. C. T. U. lately held a convention in Lake county and passed a number of resolutions condemning the liquor traffic and cigarette habit. The women then passed an extra resolution against features seen at the recent Lake County Fair, which was very strong, the members feeling that never had the objectionable attractions been so numerous as this year. Gue white ribbon stated that the people in the county outside of the W. C. T. U. are talking of the matter in very bitter tones.

Order Eastern Star Social.

One of the first social events of the season occurred last Friday evening in Masonic hall. It was in the nature of a reception to the members of Lounsbury Chapter, Order Eastern Star, given by Mesdames Carrie Kendall, A. Powers and Miss Robie Brockway, who so well filled their role of hostesses that an evening of sincere pleasure was passed by all attendants.

Entertainment was provided in a contest of answering in one word certain questions, the number of answers, and in "what's mine, and mine's mine," and none present could advocate that another prevaricate about or hesitate to meditate on the answers.

Albert L. Robertson was honored with a reward for succeeding in "stealing" the greatest number of answers, while Mrs. Edwin Olcott received a compensation for lack of words. A supper was served by Rhodes.

THE DUTY OF EVERY VOTER.

To Register Tuesday, October 19th.

When Booths Will be Open.

It makes no difference whether you are a died-in-the-wool republican or a democrat of the old school and have voted since 1812, if you don't register next Tuesday, October 18, or if your name is not placed on the register list by November 1st, you cannot vote at the election to be held November 8th, unless you swear in your vote.

Every four years the registration is made complete and this year the entire registration is required.

The election this year is peculiar in one respect, election day falling late in the year, it is possible that any national election to be held. It is on the second Tuesday in November, the first Tuesday falling on the 1st and not following the first Monday as is required in calling an election.

The registration booths will be opened Tuesday, October 18th, to commence the general and complete registration of the voters.

On Tuesday, November 1st, the registrars will meet to secure the names of the qualified voters out of the precinct or click on the registration day. Don't fail to see that your name is on the list. See to it personally.

Bradstreet's weekly trade review says: "The individual atmosphere is still disturbed by labor controversies and that it will be impossible to fully restore business prosperity until the proportion of unemployed is reduced. The era is materially reduced." Somebody is greatly in error. We read in the Chicago Chronicle that everybody is employed and factories are running overtime. Bradstreet's ought to be a pretty good authority for the reason it is neutral in this campaign.

WAUCONDA MENTION.

Succinctly Told by Our Regular Correspondent.

Lenore Todd, of Dundee, was a Sunday caller.

Dr. Dawson, of McHenry, was a Tuesday caller.

Harry Riley, of Chicago, spent Sunday with friends here.

M. L. Powers was a business caller at Dundee Wednesday.

A prize dance in the Oakland hall Saturday evening, Oct. 15th.

D. H. Murphy transacted business in the city the first of the week.

Mrs. Jas. Welch returned home Sunday after a brief visit with relatives at Waukegan.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Malmann, Henry and May spent Sunday with relatives at Des Plaines.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Derry, of Waukegan, are the guests of relatives here at present writing.

Messrs. R. R. Kimberly, L. E. Burdick, H. T. Fuller, and L. E. Golding are enjoying themselves at camp "Nowhere" near Mudgett's Lake this week.

Matt Malmann returned to our village Sunday after having held a position at Watertown, South Dakota, for the past four months. He will go to Waukegan next week, where he has secured a position in a barber shop.

The republican rally Tuesday evening was a tremendous success, even though the torch-light procession had to be abandoned because of muddy streets. Several of the Lake County candidates were present and were introduced by the chairman, Dr. C. R. Wells. They acknowledged in a few well chosen words their appreciation of the honor shown them by their nomination, and then Congressman George Edmund Foss was called upon. His speech was a complete and very able dissection of the statements set forth in Mr. Parker's letter of acceptance, of the issues of the day; of the comparison of the last seven years of prosperity with the four years preceding them; of the growth of our navy, and the necessity of having a formidable array of ships on hand to meet the emergency of a war.

With our own eyes we are convinced with our own organs of sense, of the personal characteristics of Theodore Roosevelt and Alton B. Parker; and other subjects which went to prove conclusively that we have a very able man at the head of the government and one whom we are proud of and who shall be elected by an overwhelming majority on election day.

Another squeeze for the consumer is promised. Commission men state the highest price ever known for eggs is in sight for this winter and before the "day" of the industrious hen is known again next spring housewives will have paid the high price of 50c a dozen for the product of the hen.

Don't forget to register Tuesday, October 18.

BAZAAR AT WAUCONDA.

Ladies of Transfiguration Church to Entertain the Public.

A bazaar and entertainment will be held in Oakland hall, Waukegan, the evenings of October 20th, 21st and 22nd, under the management of the ladies of Transfiguration church. An interesting and amusing program, in which local and Chicago talent will participate, will be rendered each evening.

The ladies are making every effort for a gorgeous display of fancy goods. Special attention will be given to the refreshment table and the Japanese tea booth, which will be presided over by bright young ladies in oriental costumes. Many other attractions will be offered all of which will insure a most enjoyable time.

Dancing will be allowed at the close of each evening. The proceeds of the affair will go to the benefit of the Catholic church.

Admission free. Doors open at 8 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

STORIES OF THE VILLAGE.

Told by Hackney.

If the township of Barrington ever returned a majority for democratic candidates it was so long ago that the memory of man runs weak, but it is a bright young lady in oriental costume. Many other attractions will be offered all of which will insure a most enjoyable time.

ship of Barrington. The dems are not making any effort whatever to attract the voter to the support of Alton B. Parker and his friends and just try the party in control by a majority of 16 to 1 should "view the situation with alarm." It is mysterious to all outside of that chosen band of "overworked" politicians. One of the leaders told me Monday night "we have a grave crisis to contend with; it seems to attack the very vitals of our government; we must meet it boldly, fearlessly and patriotically." I interviewed two leading democrats and they informed me that they hadn't reported any "crisis" or other bogey into the township and could not account for the activity of certain gentlemen to create an impression that the township was going democratic unless it was for the purpose of tapping the campaign barrel. "Why," said one, "those fellows wouldn't recognize a crisis if they met it in Lew Bennett's office."

Most every town has a number of men who delight in a game of draw occasionally. Barrington is just like other towns in this respect. The individuals who open jack pot games and while, choose the title "Sunday Afternoon Study Club." Why they adopted that title I don't know, and it doesn't have any particular effect on the story which was told me by one whose husband came in contact with the tiger.

"My husband went to the Sunday Afternoon Study Club one, and while I didn't believe the men were studying any religious work, I disliked to tell Hubby that he was deceiving me. So one Monday morning at breakfast I asked him what was the subject of study the previous afternoon, and he replied, 'The Hebrew Children.' 'How many Hebrew children?' I inquired. 'This isn't as good coffee as you get at Leroy's,' he said, gasping into the cups. Our daughter said 'Why papa, there were three.' 'That's correct,' said papa. 'What became of them?' I asked. 'I've about forgot, but I think Isaac was eaten by a ram in the chariot of fire; Dan was thrown into the lion's stomach; and Jonathan into a mix up with a bullhead and Moses fell into the red sea.' 'That settled it in my mind. He was short still, mislaid while listening to the story of the Hebrew Children.'

It don't very often happen that the lady of the house borrows the place for the so-called social. It is generally charged up to the domestic that she is the guilty one. Of course there always comes a time when some old established custom must be broken. That time came last week when the lady of "one of our first families" dressed herself in the hired girl's new velvet suit and went to Chicago. The girl heard of it, told the lady and there was an eruption in the household. The girl expressed her opinion that a person who was "parasitic borrowed role" and told the story so to go to the next door neighbor quicker than a telephone message over a four party line. Then the lady fired the girl. The girl flatly refused to take the dress because the lady had "stretched it out" and was worn and spoiled the shape" as far as the Venus of the culinary department was concerned. The lady (?) let her temper get the best of her and heaved the delicate garment out on the lawn. Act 3 was rehearsed before Judge Moore in chambers. The story was told for by the lady (?) who tried to (and did) wear a 23 waist over a 26 corset.

I have reason to believe that Barrington has been overlooked by the promoters of the "Hall of Fame." On our midst we are a person (if he is true) and also a man who "put down the rebellion," and a first voter, by his vote, is going to sweep the country for the republicans. The "hero" saved the life of General John A. Logan when the johnnies had a shot (and a great one) at the great struggle by taking the gun from the battery and spiking it. The other veteran drove General Lee's army all over the southern country. The first voter received a printed circular from campaign headquarters (one of the 300,000 sent broadcast) and in great struggle hinges on his efforts. Andrew Carnegie has not heard of this trio.

The Thursday club met at the residence of Mrs. Nellie Ryan Oct. 13. The subjects for the meeting were: "St. Petersburg the Russian Capital," "The Russian Revolution," and "Brooklyn read a paper on 'The Women of the Orient.'" Next Thursday the club will meet with Mrs. Laura Hawley.

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PALATINE LOCAL NEWS.

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

Ilmo cattle sale to-morrow.

Mr. Lincoln died last night and funeral services will be held Sunday.

Rev. Young has been appointed pastor of the Methodist church here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Peck entertained relatives from Chicago over Sunday.

The Democratic headquarters in the old Masonic building are open every night.

Mrs. D. J. Holmes has been attending the Rock River conference in Chicago this week.

The foot ball team goes to Des Plaines to-morrow to play the Maine Township High school eleven.

Charlie Meyer, who is traveling agent for the International Harvester Company was visiting friends here last night.

Bert Pierce came home from Cincinnati last Wednesday to spend a few days with his mother and other friends here.

The W. H. C. will hold their annual Country Fair in Woodmen hall on Nov. 11 and 12th. A number of interesting features are being arranged.

Miss C. Koelle will give a dance in Woodmen hall Saturday night, October 29. Every ticket holder gets a chance on a hand made fancy article.

It was Ladies night at the club rooms Wednesday night. Five tables were filled and an enjoyable evening spent. Tonight the club holds a smoker.

A. G. Sutherland, Robert Baxter, Simon Sander, Fred Moser, Henry Godknecht, Will Abgrinn, and George Baker start on their trip to Oregon Saturday night.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ballard Muskegon, Mich., a daughter. Mrs. Ballard was formerly Miss Ilett Salmon of this place. They have two sons beside the new arrival.

The last of the reporters left here last Monday and Palatine is once more in a peaceful state of mind. You can judge which papers are reliable by the way they wrote up the affair.

The Harvest sermon at St. Paul's church which was to have been given last Sunday morning was postponed to next Sunday morning. A special collection will be taken. Every body is invited.

The High school foot ball team defeated a team from Chicago last Saturday by a score of 6 to 10. No score was made in the first half and only in the last end of the second was Palatine close to the goal. A good crowd was present.

The Republican club met in Hunsberg's hall last Monday night and listened to a strong republican speech by attorney R. L. Peck. No definite arrangements have been made for the campaign. Headquarters will be opened in A. G. Smith's office and the place be open for meetings of party members.

Charles Paddock met with a distressing accident last Sunday morning. He with a gentleman friend and a young lady started from Arlington Heights at 3 o'clock in the morning. It was so dark that the road was kept with difficulty and when about a mile from the Heights the rig tipped over into the ditch and smashed things up so that another rig had to be obtained from Arlington Heights.

Executors' Sale.

The executors of the last will of the late William Bruns, will sell at auction, Tuesday afternoon, October 25, 1904, at the old William Bruns home, southwest of Palatine, Ill., on the Chicago and Dundee road, ten acres of timberland, 20 acres of meadow and cultivated land, forming part of the William Bruns home farm, and forty acres of land in the Town of Barrington, across the road from the Jacob Popp farm. Abstracts of title will be furnished purchasers.

Terms, 10 per cent cash at the time of sale, balance ten days after abstracts are examined and title found good.

DANIEL BERGMAN, CHARLES W. OWEN, Executors.

From the Auld Sod.

Eugene Sullivan, Cook county constable, has lately returned from an extended trip to the home of his childhood in the Emerald Isle. His

trip included the principal cities, villages and towns of the lovely island as well as the hamlets dear to the heart of every Irish lad. He viewed the beauties of Killarney's lakes and fell mountain paths and winding bays; he wandered where when a lad himself and Kathleen Mavourneen tramped upon the moss and recited tales of love.

In County Cork, the place of his birth, he met the boys and girls at Ballinacree, Mt. Mary, Crosshaven, Blarney, Glanville and Ballinacree, and watched the sun creep over the beautiful Brehon mountains.

In the vicinity of City of Cork, Mr. Sullivan cut several beautiful black-thorn sticks one of which he has presented to Police Magistrate Morrison of this village, who is familiar (from narratives oft recited to him when a boy by loved ones passed away) of the ground which Mr. Sullivan visited.

Bowman Contract Day.

Wednesday was contract day at the plant of the Bowman Dairy company. The amount of milk contracted for was approximately 25,000 pounds daily and the price to be paid as follows:

November	..... \$1.40
December	..... 1.45
January	..... 1.40
February	..... 1.35
March	..... 1.30
April	..... 1.25
May	..... 1.20
June	..... 1.15
July	..... 1.10
August	..... 1.05
September	..... 1.00
October	..... .95

The average for the last month is \$1.37. While the price paid is a little lower than the market a year ago it is as good a price as is being paid by other companies.

NATIONAL ELECTION BETS.

One Man Will Stand on Six Feet—

of the Loses.

The season of frank bets on the presidential election has begun, says the New York Evening World. An interesting spectacle will be presented in case of Roosevelt's election by the Parkers, who have bet themselves, should his candidate be defeated, to stand on a 300 pound cake of ice with the bare feet until the ice melted. The bet was made with the Hoffman House in New York, and the man on the other side of the bet, agreed in case Parker is elected, to let his hair and whiskers grow to the cold end of 1905.

A Parker man in Brooklyn, in case of Parker's defeat will roll a peanut across Brooklyn bridge, but that will be nothing compared with the amusement which his opponent will offer should Roosevelt be beaten. He has agreed to share only one side of his face for one month.

Another bet is that of a Democrat of Harlem who agrees, in case of Parker's defeat, to walk bare footed, on the hands and feet, the street for 24 hours to Thirty-fourth street on Broadway, in New York, with his opponent seated on his back. The Roosevelt man has promised to sit once a week.

Among the bets are the following: Walking through the rapid transit subway with a lantern, standing on one hand with both feet against the wall for two minutes every day for a week, wearing clothes backward.

Subways are also being offered that the losers will not "make good." One man has bet that he will stand on his head five minutes on Broadway's busiest corner if a friend takes the cold bath designated.

Petted Dog as a Plagiarist.

A Lehigh Valley railroad passenger train was brought to a sudden stop near Yateville, Pa., the other day by the engine driver seeing a dog ahead with a red danger signal flag in his mouth, says the New York Herald. The crew investigated, and finding a clear track, placed the animal on board and took him to Yateville, where it was learned the dog belonged to Bernard Dougherty, an old Lehigh Valley track walker. For six years he was accompanied on his beat by the dog. Dougherty died the other morning and at the usual time for going on duty the dog, not seeing his master about, evidently thought he had left the house without him. The dog ran to the railroad, and, having a shanty in his mouth, the red flag was kept, took the bundle between his teeth and started down the track, as he had been taught to do many times before by his master.

American Boy and the Czar.

An eleven-year-old boy of Hamilton, Ont., recently wrote to the czar asking for a collection of Russian postage stamps, says the New York Evening World. His majesty was pleased to respond to the request, and the boy received a handsome album containing a complete set of all the stamps issued by the Russian postoffice. The covers of the album are of embossed Russian leather. On the front is an illustration in gold the Russian coat of arms and on the back the imperial monogram, surrounded by a crown, while the inside is mounted by the czar's autograph. The collection of stamps is estimated to be worth several hundred dollars.

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TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

Andre Bobrov, second secretary of the Russian embassy at Washington, has left St. Petersburg for his official post.

Fanny Moran Olders, formerly one of the really great sopranos, is in a hospital for mental diseases in a suburb of Berlin.

Israel Zangwill, the critic and author, leaves Liverpool for New York to enlist the sympathy of wealthy New Yorkers in the proposed establishment of a Jewish colony in east Africa.

Walter Fitch, one of the best-known mining men in the Lake Superior region, has accepted the general management of the mines and smelters of the United States Mining company.

John B. Ward, secretary of the legation at Constantinople, under Lord Wallace, who assisted in the production of "Ben-Hur," is at the point of death in the county hospital at San Bernardino, Cal.

Robert Woods Bliss has been appointed second secretary of the embassy at St. Petersburg; Montgomery Schuyler, Jr., secretary of the legation and consul general at Bangkok, Siam, and Paul Nash consul of the United States at Venice.

Maria Klavinski of Athens, Wis., is believed to be dying as a result of a mistake made by attendants in giving her some disinfectant instead of beef tea.

The convention of the Massachusetts state branch of the American Federation of Labor adopted resolutions condemning Gov. Bates for his veto of the overtime bill and calling for political action against him.

Walter S. Keene, leather merchant of Stoneham, Mass., has filed a petition in bankruptcy with liabilities at \$121,785 and assets at \$11,615.

The cost of feeding the United States army during the past fiscal year was \$42,757, according to the report of the commissary general, just issued. The enlistment of bakers in the army is recommended.

Attorney General Wilson of Alabama has filed impeachment charges against Sheriff A. D. Rogers of Madison county, who is charged with neglect in not protecting the negro, Horace Maples, lynched in Huntsville.

Myrtle Randall and her companion, Jennie Waidley, who escaped from the state girls' home in Geneva, Ill., recently, were arrested in Aurora.

The bronze statue of Frederick the Great, Emperor William's gift to the United States, will be unveiled by Baroness Speck von Sternberg in Washington, Nov. 15.

Gen. F. S. Dodge, paymaster general of the United States army, argues in his annual report that higher allowances should be paid army officers for house rent.

A silver American dollar bearing date of 1904 was sold in New York City at auction for \$11.25. W. F. Dunham, a Chicago collector, was the purchaser.

The coroner's jury investigating the train wreck at Warrensburg, Mo., on the Missouri Pacific, in which twenty-nine persons were killed, held the five men composing the crew of the colliding freight train.

The fifth International Sunday rest congress convened in Festival hall at the World's Fair, St. Louis. It will discuss ways and means for the promotion of a more general observance of the Sabbath day.

Albert J. Adams, the former police king of New York, was released from Sing Sing.

D. L. Miller, returning from Chicago, who was found unconscious beside the railroad track at Oakland, Cal., is dead.

National Secretary W. B. Wilson of the Miners' union, spoke at Jellico, Tenn., advising the miners to discontinue the strike.

The annual convention of the Massachusetts branch of the American Federation of Labor appropriated \$200,000 for the Fall River cotton mill strikers.

R. M. McFarland, vice president of the defunct National bank at Holdenville, N. T., was arrested and placed under \$50,000 bond on a charge of misappropriation of funds.

Thomas L. Wilson, fourth vice president of the International Association of Machinists, was arrested at Washington, Kan., for interfering with a Santa Fe nonunionist during the machinists' strike.

Earl O. Devore, a bookkeeper in the First National bank of Toledo, Ohio, has been arrested on the charge of robbing the Woodfield postoffice Sept. 20.

J. Isaac Bickel, aged 66, and his son, Charles I. Bickel, aged 23, were taken by a train on the Pennsylvania railway at Muhlenberg station, near Reading, Pa.

Oscar C. Murray, president of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, who returned from Caribbea, has arrived in Baltimore.

Frank Van Fluer, an aeronaut, died from injuries received in falling while making a balloon ascension in Grand Junction, Colo.

Hugh N. Swain, an attorney in Houston, Texas, is under arrest there on the charge of kidnapping C. W. Jones, secretary of the Houston Fire and Marine insurance company, who was shot down in his office. The case is veiled in mystery.

LATEST CASH MARKET REPORTS

WHEAT.
Liverpool-American, 74 1/2, 75 1/2, 76 1/2, 77 1/2, 78 1/2, 79 1/2, 80 1/2, 81 1/2, 82 1/2, 83 1/2, 84 1/2, 85 1/2, 86 1/2, 87 1/2, 88 1/2, 89 1/2, 90 1/2, 91 1/2, 92 1/2, 93 1/2, 94 1/2, 95 1/2, 96 1/2, 97 1/2, 98 1/2, 99 1/2, 100 1/2.
Chicago-American, 74 1/2, 75 1/2, 76 1/2, 77 1/2, 78 1/2, 79 1/2, 80 1/2, 81 1/2, 82 1/2, 83 1/2, 84 1/2, 85 1/2, 86 1/2, 87 1/2, 88 1/2, 89 1/2, 90 1/2, 91 1/2, 92 1/2, 93 1/2, 94 1/2, 95 1/2, 96 1/2, 97 1/2, 98 1/2, 99 1/2, 100 1/2.
Kansas City-American, 74 1/2, 75 1/2, 76 1/2, 77 1/2, 78 1/2, 79 1/2, 80 1/2, 81 1/2, 82 1/2, 83 1/2, 84 1/2, 85 1/2, 86 1/2, 87 1/2, 88 1/2, 89 1/2, 90 1/2, 91 1/2, 92 1/2, 93 1/2, 94 1/2, 95 1/2, 96 1/2, 97 1/2, 98 1/2, 99 1/2, 100 1/2.
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CINCINNATI-American, 74 1/2, 75 1/2, 76 1/2, 77 1/2, 78 1/2, 79 1/2, 80 1/2, 81 1/2, 82 1/2, 83 1/2, 84 1/2, 85 1/2, 86 1/2, 87 1/2, 88 1/2, 89 1/2, 90 1/2, 91 1/2, 92 1/2, 93 1/2, 94 1/2, 95 1/2, 96 1/2, 97 1/2, 98 1/2, 99 1/2, 100 1/2.
CHICAGO-Standard, 74 1/2, 75 1/2, 76 1/2, 77 1/2, 78 1/2, 79 1/2, 80 1/2, 81 1/2, 82 1/2, 83 1/2, 84 1/2, 85 1/2, 86 1/2, 87 1/2, 88 1/2, 89 1/2, 90 1/2, 91 1/2, 92 1/2, 93 1/2, 94 1/2, 95 1/2, 96 1/2, 97 1/2, 98 1/2, 99 1/2, 100 1/2.
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POSITIONS NORTH AND SOUTH.

The pope has decided to hold both a secret and a public consistory Nov. 14, merely for the preconization of new bishops. No cardinal will be nominated.

In the chamber of deputies at Madrid Finance Minister Omsa introduced a bill abolishing all transport duties on cereals, flowers, potatoes, dried vegetables, cattle, coal and manure conveyed by sea, river or rail.

In the speech from the throne at the opening of the storting at Christiania, Norway, there was nothing of international interest, with the exception of the announcement of the introduction of a tariff bill with the object of affording national labor greater protection.

A Missouri Pacific passenger train from Kansas City and another from St. Louis collided at California, Mo. No one was hurt.

It is reported that the South Sharon plant of the American Steel and Tin plate company will resume operations within three weeks.

The republic of the Argentine was inaugurated as president of the republic of Argentina. The republic is calm.

Admiral Dewey has again offered to assist the United States in the combined fleet in the Caribbean sea early in January and direct the winter maneuvers. Secretary Mott will accept the admiral's offer if he can be spared from the presidency of the United States.

The German Baptists of the United States will hold their 1905 meeting in Buffalo, N. Y.

Two Wahab freight trains collided near Chillicothe, Mo., and George Runyon of Moberly, Mo., conductor, was killed.

The plant of the Century Coal Company at Tower Hill, Ill., has been closed down indefinitely, throwing out of employment 200 miners.

It is reported that a finger amputated by a surgeon at St. Louis Alvin Schreiner, 50 years old, committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid.

Secretary Morton has returned to Washington from the west, accompanied by Mrs. Morton and Miss Pauline Horton.

Miss Adele Aus der Ohe, the pianist, arrived on the steamer Koelnig Albert from Bremen and will open her tour in Milwaukee Oct. 18.

Secretary Morton and former Secretary of War Hilary Root died with President and Mrs. Roosevelt at the White House Tuesday night.

Baron Sternberg, the German ambassador, introduced to the president Marco Graf von Ballestrem, an officer of the German army who is making a tour of this country.

VICTORY IS WITH JAPS.

Gen. Kouroupatkin Seemingly Unable to Advance in the Face of Oyama's Opposition—Fighting Is Fierce.

London, Oct. 12.—In spite of the boast of Gen. Kouroupatkin that there would be no retreat when once he had ordered an advance of the Russian army in Manchuria, it is apparent that his forces are no match for the Japanese. Not only has Kouroupatkin been repulsed, but he is actually driven back toward Mukden all along the line. The battle is still in progress with relentless fury. Field Marshal Oyama's Japanese soldiers, however, are steadily forcing the Russians to retreat.

Scenes of slaughter unprecedented in modern times are marking the line of battle. The dispatches from various places at the seat of war show that the heaviest fighting is taking place north of Yentai and the Yentai mines. In those positions Kouroupatkin delivered a frontal blow with 100,000 men. The Japanese met the terrible onslaught with artillery and machine guns, and the Russian line was broken. A big battle will surely take place.

St. Petersburg Is Elated Over Kouroupatkin's Advance. St. Petersburg, Oct. 12.—The heavy clouds of pessimism which have hung over the St. Petersburg public so long have been replaced by an elation which shows how strong has been the pent up feeling of the country during the last months of reverses and retreats.

Today Russians say that Kouroupatkin has surely made a great victory, remembering that that commander said that once the advance was begun it would go rapidly.

The battle of the Japanese army is reported to be massed upon the positions occupied by them after the battle of Liaoyang. There a big battle will surely take place.

Plans of Russian Commander Have Not Been Divulged. St. Petersburg, Oct. 12.—A battle upon which the fate of this year's campaign in Manchuria depends seems only a few days ahead. Advances from the front are meager. All that is positively known officially is that Gen. Kouroupatkin has about-faced his army and is marching against the enemy.

It is not clear whether Gen. Kouroupatkin contemplates a blow on the left, center, or right of the Japanese army, but the fact that stress is laid upon the capture of Hentsaiyuan, which opens the road and leads to Benashu, twenty miles east of Liaoyang, where Gen. Kuraki crossed, and that Cosaks are already reported in the neighborhood of the stream, might forebode an exact reversal of the battle of Liaoyang, this time the Russian commander flanking and turning Liaoyang with his left, as Field Marshal Oyama did with his right.

Stoical Glee December as His Limit of Resistance. London, Oct. 12.—The Morning Post's Shanghai correspondent says it is stated that Lieut. Gen. Stoessel has reported that unless he is relieved before December he must surrender.

Japs by Storm Recover Position They Had Lost. Tokio, Oct. 12.—The Japanese after crossing the Hun river yesterday assaulted a position occupied by Gen. Kuraki's right wing. The assaults greatly confused the Russians, and they were driven out, the Russians occupying the position.

Later the Japanese were reinforced and they stormed and retook the position, thereby checking the Russian advance. Both sides sustained severe losses.

Another dispatch from the front says the troops engaged were Gen. Hentia's and Gen. Kuraki's. The Russian force was repulsed and the Japanese were advancing.

HERO OF RUSSIAN RETREAT. Gen. Meyendorff was in command of the Russian troops which fought back the pursuing Japanese on the retreat of Kouroupatkin's army from Liaoyang. He was the hero of the Russian retreat to Mukden. It was the dogged resistance that he offered to every attempt of the Japanese to attack the fleeing Russians that enabled Kouroupatkin to escape north with his main army.

Meyendorff gallantly fought the enemy in his orderly backward march almost to the walls of Mukden, while the artillery and baggage trains, 12,000 wounded men and the main army escaped in safety.

Mumensu's detachment. They were suddenly attacked yesterday by a Russian force of 10,000 men. The Japanese drove the Russians from their position occupied this morning, and the Japanese retook the position after severe fighting.

The Japanese troops are pushing northward in great force.

Revive Kne Breaches. A number of young men in London have organized a club for the encouragement of a revival of breaches and stockings for the wear of breeches. Fifty of these pioneers have arranged for a dinner at the Carlton hotel, when all will wear knee breeches.

ROBERT J. WYNNIE SUCCEEDS PAYNE

First Assistant Postmaster General Becomes a Member of the Cabinet.

PLACE WILL GO TO CORTELYOU

President Roosevelt Temporarily Promotes Official to Show Approval of His Conduct in Office During a Trying Period.

Washington special: Following his formal appointment as Postmaster General by the President, Robert J. Wynne, acting Postmaster General since the death of Mr. Payne, took the oath of office at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon. The oath was administered by John J. Tierney, chief clerk to the Assistant Postmaster General.

The appointment of Mr. Wynne as a member of President Roosevelt's cabinet was announced at the White House in the morning. To those in close touch with the situation the announcement was not unexpected. It was fully expected that in the event of Mr. Payne's death the President would designate Mr. Wynne acting Postmaster General for the reason that his duties as First Assistant Postmaster General made him familiar with the affairs of the department.

To Act for Cortelyou. Two days after the death of Mr. Payne the President so designated Mr. Wynne and to those of his friends to whom he talked confidentially of the subject he indicated his intention if there should be no change in the situation of naming him as Postmaster General until such time as George Bruce Cortelyou, chairman of the Republican national committee, could arrange to return to the country to assume the duties of Postmaster General.

In addition to other reasons, the President desired, by appointing Mr. Wynne, to make his own approval of his conduct of the business of the First Assistant Postmaster General's office.

Mr. Wynne was appointed First Assistant Postmaster General on April 17, 1902. For nearly a quarter of a century he had been a Washington newspaper correspondent, serving at various times some of the most important newspapers in the country.

Term of Office Indefinite. How long Mr. Wynne may continue as Postmaster General has not been determined. Beyond the statement that the appointment is temporary in character nothing is known. The probability is that he will be succeeded by Mr. Cortelyou about Jan. 1.

At present it is not believed that a successor to Mr. Wynne as first assistant will be appointed. He will continue to direct the business of the bureau with the assistance of the officials now in the department. When Mr. Cortelyou assumes the duties of Postmaster General Mr. Wynne again will undertake the business of the office of First Assistant Postmaster General.

IMPURE LIQUOR CAUSES DEATH. Coroner Will Investigate to Ascertain Reason for Fifteen Persons Dying. New York special: Fifteen deaths within eight days in the neighborhood known as Stryker's Farms, on the west side, have started an investigation by the police and coroner's office. Coroner Scholes says the deaths were caused by impure liquor. Of the fifteen deaths in the eight days four were in one house and two each in three other houses.

All were reported to the coroner as "sudden deaths." Coroner Scholes says: "If I can link the deaths of these men with any kind of whiskey and find out where they bought this cheap stuff I will take immediate action."

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WHAT ROME THINKS

THE POPE'S PHYSICIAN ENDORSES AN AMERICAN REMEDY.

Dr. Laponi Uses Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in His Practice Because Results Meet His Expectations.

Dr. Laponi, the famous physician to the Vatican, whose name has recently come so greatly to the front on account of his untiring attention to His Holiness, the late Pope Leo XIII., and the high esteem and confidence with which he is regarded by the present Pope, His Holiness, Pius X., is a man of commanding genius. He is more than a mere man of science; he is a man of original and independent mind. Untrammeled by the "etiquette" of the medical profession, and having used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People in his practice with good results, he has recently avowed the facts and endorsed the value of this remedy with an authority which no one will venture to question.

Dr. Laponi's Letter. "I certify that I have used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in numerous cases of the simple anemia of development. After a few weeks of treatment, the result came fully up to my expectations. For that reason I shall not fail in the future to extend the use of this laudable preparation not only in the treatment of other forms of the category of anemia, or chlorosis, but also in cases of neurasthenia and the like." (Signed)

GIUSEPPE LAPONI, M.D. Via del Gracchi 212, Roma.

The "simple anemia of development" referred to by Dr. Laponi is, of course, that tired, languid condition of young girls, whose development to womanhood is tardy and whose health at that period is so often imperiled. His opinion of the value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People at that time is of the highest scientific authority, and he confirms the many published cases in which anemia, as well as diseases of the blood, as so nervous diseases, such as neurasthenia, or chlorosis, or hysteria, or paralysis, and locomotor ataxia have been cured by these pills. They are commended to the public for their efficacy in making the blood and strengthening weak nerves. For such an endorsement they will be accepted by the medical and scientific world at their full value.

Harmworth Criticizes Americans. Sir Alfred Harmworth, who is an expert on the subject of motor cars, has been riding cars of the motor car class during his visit to this country and has come to the conclusion that it is an absurd waste of money for Americans to buy an automobile instead of purchasing the domestic article. "Indeed," says Sir Alfred, "I can not understand the folly of Americans in buying cars of this class, which are sold at such ridiculously high prices for them, when, as everybody knows, the larger portion of these exorbitant prices goes into the pockets of the dealers and the makers of the cars. It is a waste of money of more than doubtful reputation. It may be, as Harman said, that the American people like to be humbugged."

To Write an Economic History. George P. Grimes, formerly of Washington college and now assistant state geologist of West Virginia, has been selected by the Carnegie Institute of Washington as one of the eight contributors to a voluminous economic history of the United States. He will write on the history of petroleum and gas development in the United States, from the first discovery to the present time.

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SEEKING MISCREANT WHO SOUGHT TO RUIN WARSHIP

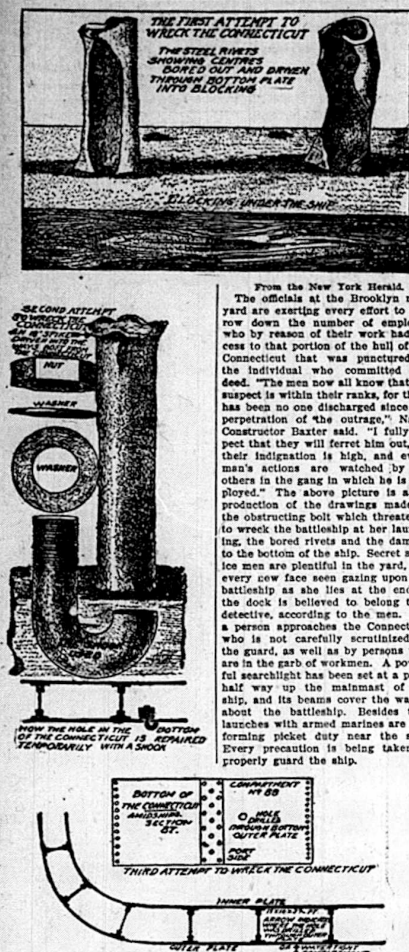


Diagram showing the three attempts made to destroy the Connecticut.

First to Be Photographed.
Lord Avebury is said to be the first person to have his photograph taken in England. M. Daguerre, the inventor of photography, came to London to patent the invention which bears his name, and paid an early visit to the present Lord Avebury's father. The enthusiastic Frenchman was soon explaining the details of his new discovery. Young John Lambcock, as he then was, was playing in the garden, and M. Daguerre, pointing to him, asked to be allowed to give a practical illustration of the art. The request was, of course, granted, and a successful result followed.

First New York Central Passenger.
The privilege of being the first passenger of the New York Central railroad under the new pension system has fallen to Samuel Lane of Poughkeepsie. Mr. Lane has the unusual record of never having had but one employer. He has been in the service of the New York Central for fifty-three years, has never cost the company a cent by reason of neglect or carelessness and has never figured in an accident. He is now 71 years of age, hale and vigorous. He will receive \$20 a month from the railroad company as long as he lives.

Balloonist in Hard Luck.
Joseph La Roux, a balloonist who makes ascensions at county fairs, had rather a hard streak of luck the other day near Trenton, N. J. In attempting to get tangled up with the lightning rod on a farmer's barn, the balloonist citizen made him pay \$5 for the damage done. Then, when he attempted to re-enter the fair grounds in his ballooning costume a guard put him under arrest. This was too much, and Mr. La Roux related the officer, which indiscreetly resulted in his being held in \$200 bail to await grand jury action.

Mysterious Hospital Visitor.
The "flower lady" is an interesting and so far mysterious visitor who frequents the lives of patients in a New York hospital. Philadelphia. Every visiting day she arrives in an automobile with a quantity of flowers, which she distributes among the sufferers. When anyone asks her name she merely laughs and says: "I was once in a hospital for a long time. A good woman brought flowers to me and made me very happy. I made up my mind that I would do the same some day."

ILLINOIS NEWS

Choose items from over the state, especially selected for our readers

WILL THE PRICES GO HIGHER?

That is the Question That Puzzles Broom Corn Growers.

A little broom corn changed hands in the central Illinois district, although the buying has not been extensive. Growers as a rule are unable to make up their minds whether to sell at the prevailing prices, \$50 and \$55 a ton, or wait for an advance, which they are not sure will come. If the Illinois grower holds his crop, Oklahoma brush will be shipped here in larger quantities. One crop sold here for \$91 a ton and another at \$90, but the quality was unusually good. Roads were never better and it is an easy matter to deliver the brush. From the best information obtainable it is estimated that 150,000 acres were planted in broom corn in Oklahoma this year. In the territory it requires six acres to raise a ton of brush, the yield therefore being about 25,000 tons. However, the crop was damaged to the extent about 15 per cent, owing to lack of harvest hands and poor handling, and therefore the Oklahoma crop is estimated at 21,500 tons. The total crop of the country is estimated as follows: Oklahoma, 21,500 tons; Illinois, 11,000 tons; Kansas, 6,000 tons; and others, 5,750 tons. Total, 44,250 tons.

Boy Wins W. C. T. U. Medal.
The state W. C. T. U. convention held a speakers' mass meeting in the Lucifer opera house at Murphysboro, presided over by Mrs. L. M. Stevens of Maine, national president. The principal speaker was Mrs. Leonard Lake of St. Louis, vice president of the Catholic Women's National Temperance association. Rev. Anna Shaw of Philadelphia, at Murphysboro, Ill., president of Illinois, and several other speakers. Women were urged to vote and to make efforts to secure equal suffrage. The diamond medal contest, in which eight contestants participated, was won by Allen Atchinson of Upper Alton. He was the only male contestant. Each of the other contestants were given a small gold pin by Mrs. Carman, state superintendent of the medal contest department.

Dead on Railway Ties.
With his head crushed and both legs cut off, the body of Henry Leuckemeyer of Belleville was found today in death by a crew on the Illinois Central passenger train at the crossing of Richmond street and the South Belleville tracks. He was last seen alive at 5 p. m. by Joseph Scheffknecht of Belleville. It is believed that he was either waylaid or accidentally run over. The fact that his body was cold leads to the theory of murder. He leaves a divorced wife and children. He was about 30 years of age and the son of Henry Scheffknecht, Sr.

W. C. T. U. Fixes Salaries.
The report of the executive committee of the state W. C. T. U. convention at Murphysboro was adopted. Fixing salaries and appropriations as follows: President, \$1,200 per year; recording secretary, \$500; corresponding secretary, \$500; treasurer, \$300; editor Watch Tower, \$300. Total appropriations amount to \$2,300. The report of the treasurer, Miss Amelia Crane, shows all bills paid and a balance of \$1,623. The membership is 12,523, a gain of 1,202 over last year, with gains in fifty-eight counties.

Indict Boy for Murder.
The Marion county grand jury has returned an indictment for murder against William Jackson, the 15-year-old Indian boy who is alleged to have used a pocketknife with fatal effect upon his cousin, Edward Patterson, aged 17. The boy fought while working on the farm of his grandfather, H. H. Lualien, and the Patterson boy died two days later.

Morgan County Dentists.
The Morgan County Dental society was organized at Jacksonville with the following officers: President, Dr. Charles B. Sawyer of Jacksonville; vice president, Dr. McKinney of Barry; secretary, Dr. W. B. Young of Jacksonville; treasurer, Dr. Smith of Cass county; librarian, Dr. C. B. Powell of Jacksonville.

New Rural Carrier.
J. J. Lacey has been appointed mail carrier for the new route just opened out of Carlyle. His route takes a southerly course towards Bartolo and Zachary, eight miles from Carlyle.

Seven Electoral Tickets.
The voters of Illinois will have seven electoral and state tickets at the general election, the People's and Constitutional parties having filed their nominations for electoral state tickets.

Crushed Under Car Wheels.
J. H. Thornton of Vandalia, who had just returned from a week's visit to his five brothers living in West Grove, Mo., as he was about to get off the train fell under the wheels and was crushed to death.

Pastor Is Re-elected.
Rev. W. H. Nell, who has been pastor of the Carlyle Methodist Episcopal church during the past year, has been re-elected for the ensuing year. He will assist in organizing a new church at Buxton.

GRADE CROSSING PROTECTION

Number of Death Traps in State Is 1,196, of Which Chicago Has 300.

While the city limits of Chicago extend to the south, the railroad between street and electric railroads which Engineer F. G. Ewald of the state railroad and warehouse commission declares should be protected, in order to prevent further fatalities. This statement was in a report which Mr. Ewald made to the commission, and which the commission presented to a gathering of railway officials and railway attorneys. Opposing this needed protection of the public, however, a majority of the managers of electric lines, which would be compelled, under existing laws, to stand the bulk of the expense in installing interlocking plants or other safety devices. In the state of Illinois, according to the engineer's report, there are 1,196 grade crossings made by steam roads with electric roads, 916 of which are wholly unprotected. The commission told the railroad men that they had hoped the railroads would have the railroad men in the matter of crossing protection, but as they had failed to do so the commission would go as far as it can within the law.

Missionary Workers' Election.
The Lebanon district of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal church held a two days' annual session in Carlyle. The following were on the program: Mrs. Eleanor Trent, Mrs. J. G. Vogt, Trenton; Mrs. Franc P. Wilson, Lebanon; Dr. Lucy Gaynor of China; Miss Nora Gelwick, Belleville; Mrs. E. H. Hines, Lebanon; Mrs. T. J. Trenton; Mrs. Cella Farmer, Trenton; Miss Sadie Pusong, Lebanon; Mrs. Agnes Hamill, Lebanon; Mr. and Mrs. G. Barker and Anna, Mrs. Guy Barker. The next annual meeting will be held at Greenville. The officers elected are: Mrs. N. E. Jenson, president, East St. Louis; Mrs. A. W. Isdel, vice president, East St. Louis; Mrs. J. C. Eismeyer, treasurer, Trenton; secretary of children's work, Miss Mary Flint, Belleville; secretary of young women's work, Mrs. Rebecca Bellville; superintendent of mite boxes, Mrs. Cella Farmer, Trenton.

Narrow Escape From Death.
Joseph Wataker, a plain mill employee, of Alton, had a narrow escape from a Chicago & Alton train near Wood river. A wagon belonging to one Mrs. Wataker, who was being driven over the track as the train approached. Wataker jumped and fell between the rails, where he was held by the wagon wheels until the driver succeeded in getting his team clear of the track. Wataker was trying to rise when the engine knocked him off the track. He sustained only slight bruises, although the train was making good time.

Southern Illinois Dentists.
The Southern Illinois Dental society will hold its annual convention in Belleville, Oct. 25 and 26. Dr. J. K. Conroy of Belleville is president of the society. The address of welcome will be delivered by Mayor Kern and the response by Dr. Edward A. Woolk.

Settle Will Contest.
The case of the heirs of the late Robert Lee Wilbanks of Mount Vernon, who filed objections to the report of the administrators, was settled by the payment of \$2,210.98 by the administrators to the trustee of the Wilbanks estate heirs.

Ministerial Changes.
Rev. G. L. Fletcher of Lebanon has been appointed as minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church for Waterloo circuit and succeeds Rev. D. W. Wright, who goes to Hamburg, Ill.

Shoots His Companion.
Edward Welch was playing with an air rifle at Waterloo, when it was accidentally discharged and shot his companion, Louis Weisenborn, aged 9 years, in the left eye.

Work for 200 Men.
The fires at the Putz plant works at Belleville were started October 10 and it is expected that work will be resumed next Monday. Two hundred men will be employed.

Another Rural Route.
Frank Nielsen of the United States postal service of St. Louis is mapping out the 6th rural route for Pana. There will be 31 routes in Christian county.

Seek Sinners in Tent.
Tent meetings under the auspices of the First Baptist church of Vernon are in charge of Rev. Rodman of Duquoin, a Southern Illinois missionary.

Home from Philippines.
Prof. Brown Morton, a teacher in the United States schools at Manila, P. I., returned to Belmont five days ago to visit his parents. Prof. Morton has been in the Philippines for five years. He will return January 1.

Band Is Reorganized.
The Litchfield band has reorganized, electing the following officers: T. J. Burdette, Belmont, conductor; Arthur Krueber, vice president; Dr. Alzy Strasser, secretary; Max Krueger, treasurer; T. A. Gasaway, director.

DEAD MAN HID HIS IDENTITY

Administrator of Estate Receives Many Letters From Alleged Heirs.

D. Blodgett, administrator of the estate of the late J. C. Cotter of Brighton, who died leaving \$25,000 and no known relatives, is receiving hundreds of letters from people claiming to be relatives of the deceased and entitled to the estate. Mr. Blodgett has been conducting an inquiry as to the identity of the man and he believes that Cotter was an assumed name. Cotter would never tell any one of his family and always evaded questions about his life before arriving at Brighton. He never had a photograph taken, and there is no means of identifying him. Mr. Blodgett says that all the claimants for the estate must establish their rights in the courts, and in the event of a suit the estate will become the property of Illinois.

Postal Receipts at Cairo.
The receipts of the Cairo postoffice for the quarter ending Sept. 30 amounted to \$9,655.40, as against \$9,451 for the same quarter last year. This is a gain of nearly 15 per cent. Assistant Postmaster Reno says that if the present rate of increase is kept up Cairo will be a first-class postoffice by the end of the year, which closes March 31. The receipts must reach \$40,000 for the year before the office will advance in rank. Last year they amounted to \$32,537.94.

Boys to Exhibit Corn.
Interest in the farmers' institute of Madison county, to be held at Troy Nov. 16 and 17, will be increased by the fact that the display of corn grown by the farmer boys of the county from seed furnished by the state in the spring by the executive committee will be made. About 100 boys have entered their products for the prizes offered.

Switchman Is Killed.
Charles M. Turner, a switchman in the employ of the Terminal railway, was run over at East St. Louis and killed. Turner was 34 years of age. He attempted to make a coupling of a work train, when a portion of a derrick fell and knocked him to the ground. Before he could regain his feet the train passed over his body.

Gives Sister \$1.
The will of Eugene G. Hagee of Hillsboro, who was presented for probate. After making provision for the payment of debts and funeral expenses the testator gives his sister, Alice W. Hagee, \$1, and devotes the rest of his property to his wife, Mary C. Hagee, naming her executrix without bond.

Family Reunion at Nashville.
A family reunion of the Schleifer family was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Schleifer, north of Nashville. Many relatives from Illinois and Missouri were in attendance.

Missionaries to Burnham.
Prof. and Mrs. E. H. Roach of Upper Alton are preparing to leave next month for a five years' stay in Rangoon, Burma, where Prof. Roach will be an instructor in a Baptist college.

Miner Is Hurt.
James Rhoades of Edwardsville was badly injured in the Bank mine at Marysville, falling in front of a string of empty coal cars and being dragged a considerable distance.

Injured Man Is Recovering.
Edward Fink, the Carlyle contractor, who was seriously injured by falling from a building in course of erection at Bowling Green, Mo., is recovering.

Ruptured Artery Causes Death.
Michael Bellier, aged 47, died at his home at Alton from a rupture of an artery in his neck. He had been at work, although complaining of feeling unwell.

New Drainage System.
A new drainage system is being installed for the northern outskirts of Carlyle, the main pipe to be drained into the Kaokasika river.

Intercollegiate Prize Winners.
C. E. Lyon of Eureka college won the first prize in the intercollegiate contest at Galesburg. E. S. Edgerton of Knox was second.

Survey New Electric Line.
The engineers have begun work for the survey for the proposed electric railway from Fildon, Jersey county, to Alton.

Asks \$5,000 Damages.
James White of Pana has brought suit in the circuit court for \$5,000 damages against the Springfield coal company.

Brothers Pay \$20,000 for Farm.
The Cal. brothers have purchased the H. D. Zepp stock farm of 400 acres near Taylor Hill, considering it \$20,000. They also purchased the Cradick residence and sixteen acres adjoining for \$5,000.

Woman Is Found Dead.
Mrs. Henry Ware of Butler Grove township was found dead at her home. It was thought that she died of heart disease. Her husband had gone to the state fair at Springfield in the morning.

GOOD STATE POLICY.

Should Adopt Constitutional Amendment—Would Benefit State—Give Chicago New Charter and Stop Legislative Class.
Every voter in Illinois should know that an amendment to the state constitution is pending. It is the duty of every voter to vote on every constitutional question submitted to the electors by the general assembly. This proposed amendment is unusual in that it applies only to one city in the state—Chicago. It is in reality an enabling act. If ratified it will lift certain constitutional restrictions from the legislature and enable that body to provide a special charter for the great city on the lake.

Chicago needs a new charter which will give the city broader powers in conducting the local government. Ever since the cities and villages act, provided by the constitution of '70, went into effect Chicago has felt that the provisions of the constitution were too restrictive. The rapid growth of the city, its cosmopolitan character, its widely varied interests, and the problem of raising the revenue to meet these needs have for years been a serious embarrassment. These restrictions have not been felt in other cities in the state, or at least, they have not caused any serious effect, but with Chicago the harm has been constantly increasing until the situation is almost unbearable.

The amendment itself changes no existing law. It does not empower the legislature to change any law for any part of the state outside of the limits of Chicago. It can not change any law applying to that city to the detriment of the rest of the state. Under the provisions of the amendment the legislature can change the revenue system of Chicago as it applies to raising funds for corporate purposes, but it can not affect the laws of the state. It can not raise the same proportion of the state taxes as she pays now, nor is the movement intended to increase taxation in any city. It is expected to get better results from the revenues raised, and to make Chicago a cleaner, better governed, and a more up-to-date metropolis. The amendment requires a majority of all the votes cast at the November election. Every voter in the state should mark his special ballot in favor of this proposition.

Thought He Saw Double.
Herbert Standing, the actor, who is sometimes introduced as "the father of Guy Standing," says that he was once blessed with twins in his family.

"One day a friend, whose habits would have discouraged a temperance advocate, called to see me," said Mr. Standing. "While he was in the room he brought in the twins and sat them in a chair. 'What do you think of that?' I asked the bibulous one, pointing at the chair and its fat and smiling occupants. 'He gazed at the babies a minute, rubbed his eyes and shook his head, looked again and then said: 'He is a mighty fine baby.' 'He saw them both all right, but would not believe his own eyes.'"

Give Chicago a chance to conduct its public affairs in a direct, intelligent, properly-timed manner. It can do so by the adoption of an amendment, and that can be secured only by a new charter. The amendment will be in line with economy, both city and state. It will give the city a more efficient government. The governing principle of the situation is that when two people ride the same horse one must ride behind. The question, therefore, whether the city should pass a law granting Chicago a special charter providing for its municipal government—St. Louis Glorious Democrat.

Rights of Married Persons.
Without inviting discussion of this thorny question, I may say, writes Labourer, that the woman's opinion is supposing anybody wants it—that a husband's rights are what he can get. My view of a wife's rights is the same. Whether it is for either party to get all that he (or she) can is a question of expediency to be decided according to circumstances and individual inclination. The governing principle of the situation is that when two people ride the same horse one must ride behind. The question, therefore, whether the city should pass a law granting Chicago a special charter providing for its municipal government—St. Louis Glorious Democrat.

Lovers' Quarrel.
"Mary's young man has left already and Mary's just gone up to her room in tears," said Mrs. Mary's mother. "I wonder what the trouble is." "I know," chimed in Mary's little brother. "They had a scrap. I heard him say she was giving him more kisses than he was a 'given' her, and he said it wasn't so. Then they both got mad."

No Deadbeats Wanted.
"I want some live bees," said the young housewife. "Live bees!" echoed the groceryman. "Yes," she replied. "My husband says he has no use for dead ones." **A Situation Defined.**
"Did you hear if I can get a 'practitioner' how to defend you in a case?" asked the lawyer. "Yes," answered the prisoner. "I was practising law as I was de feller he was practising on."

LEGENDS OF THE SEA

WEIRD SPECTRAL SHIPS DOOMED TO
ENDLESS VOYAGES.

The Flying Dutchman of Evil Fame
Appears in Many Kinds of Sea Lore.
Black Island's Flery Headliner of the
Wreckers of Colonial Days.

Among the multitude of superstitions to which the sea has given birth not the least interesting are those concerning weird spectral ships doomed by some irrevocable decree of fate to sail the wide seas over till eternity, without hope of ever once entering a harbor of safety. Concerning among these is the Flying Dutchman, or, rather, Flying Dutchmen, for there are innumerable versions of this legend, which have been colored and designed to concure with the various fancies and ideas of different nationalities.

It is not improbable that the original Flying Dutchman was that described in the old Norse tradition of a Viking who had sacrilegiously stolen a ring from the gods, and whose skeleton was ever afterward seen seated on the mainmast of a black spectral ship, developed in fire, to leeward which robed wreck and disaster. A later Danish variation of this story no doubt inspired Longfellow's "The Ship of the Dead."

A ship of the dead that sails the sea
And is called the Carthagen. . . .
Without a human crew.

Tradition says of this ship that a hideous-faced goblin invariably sat on the bowsprit smoking a horrid pipe and with a more poisonous weed than tobacco, and ill betide the luckless vessel that encountered her, for—

Over her decks the sea will leap
She must go down into the deep
And perish doom and man.

The most generally accepted version of the Flying Dutchman is that of that of the pious Dutch captain who swore he would round the Cape of Storms in the teeth of a terrific hurricane. His furious determination scared the crew out of their wits and culminated in threats of mutiny. Eventually they became obstreperous, but the bold skipper, not daunted, clinched matters by throwing a few of them overboard, and terrifying the remainder, reiterated his oath with terrible violence. Then an apparition endeavored to turn him from his purpose, to receive a most impolite, not to say irreverent, reception. It doggedly persisted and so enraged the captain that he fired at it with his revolver. But instead of hurting the ghost the ball lodged in his own arm, at which misfortune he, not unnaturally for a sailor and a Dutchman, became even more sacrilegious in his expressions. He was forthwith condemned to navigate his vessel forever and ever, with gail to assuage his thirst, relief from his hunger, forever sleepless and without hope of arriving at port. By the aid of his friend Satan he was able to bring about disasters and terribles and his ship was "the harbinger of wreck and woe" alluded to by Scott in "Hokky."

The French equivalent of this ship was the Courrier Hollandaie, which was said to sail around the world in twelve hours, with terrible disasters following in her wake.

German tradition is rich in phantom ships and tells of one on board of which was a nobleman who had been forced to leave his fatherland because of a great crime and who was alleged to toss dice with the devil for his own soul, while another Teutonic creation was a death ship which was supposed to be chock full of murderers and criminals of the lowest order. A skeleton holding an hourglass stood in a conspicuous position, and—

*** The ship was black, her masts were black,
And her sails coal black as death,
And the evil one steered at the helm and
Laughed
And mocked at their falling breath,

which undoubtedly must have been a most gruesome spectacle to run against and something akin to the appearance on All Saints' day of the souls of sailors drowned during the year, a belief which was prevalent in this country. It was said that in the darkness of the night the women on the wharfs would observe a boat within hail, and, hastening to cast it a line, it would disappear, and simultaneously frightful shrieks would rend the air.

Black Island, on the Atlantic coast of the United States, was alleged to have its ghastly ship, which, rising in three pyramidal flames into the roving sensation of a ship, was supposed to be a perpetual reminder of the wickedness of its former inhabitants, who in the colonial days cruelly lured an immigrant ship on to the rocks, with great loss of life, and then looted and burned it.

Another phantom ship, so the story goes, appears occasionally off Cape d'Espoir, in the bay of Gaspe, in the Gulf of St. Lawrence. She is crowded with soldiers, conspicuous among whom is an officer pointing shoreward with one hand and supporting a woman with the other. Suddenly the lights go out, there is a shrill cry, and the ship sinks. This is supposed to be the ghost of a British transport which was lost at the time of the Anglo-French wars in Canada—London Globe.

"Different." The abuse to which the word "different" is subject from writers who imagine that "two different men" means nothing more than "two men" was illustrated by the following sentence from a report in a daily newspaper of a terrible powder mill explosion: "Two human heads were found in the ruins of the mill. They are supposed to have belonged to two different employees."

If you be poor, do not seem poor if you would avoid insult as well as suffering.

Try for Health

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Eight months ago I was so ill that I was unable to get up and I lay down nearly all the time. My stomach was so weak and upset that I could have nothing on it and I vomited frequently. I could not urinate without great pain and I coughed so much that my throat and lungs were raw and sore. The doctors pronounced it Bright's disease and others said it was consumption. It mattered little to me what they called it and I had no desire to live. A sister visited me from St. Louis and asked me if I had ever tried Wine of Cardui. I told her I had not and she bought a bottle. I believe that it saved my life. I believe many women could have much suffering if they but knew of its value.

George Dinker

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WINE OF CARDUI

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Good Reasons Why the Pending Measure Should Be Adopted—Would Have:

1. A Whole State—Chicago in Great Need of It.

Every voter in Illinois should know that an amendment to the state constitution is pending. It is the duty of every voter to vote on every constitutional question submitted to the election by the general assembly. This proposed amendment is unusual in that it applies only to one city in the state—Chicago. It is in reality an enabling act. If ratified it will lift certain constitutional restrictions from the legislature and enable that body to provide a special charter for the great city on the lake.

Chicago needs a new charter which

that this was impossible without abolishing the system in the whole of Cook county. To this the residents of the county outside of the city would not submit. They were satisfied with the operation of their local township governments, and the legislature would not deprive them of it. Chicago in its growth has spread over eight or nine townships. These town governments were superfluous and became notoriously corrupt as political machines. It was pretty largely the same with the justices of the peace and constables. This system of minor courts has been proven as excellent one in country districts and towns and villages. In Chicago it has proven a source of corruption and oppression, especially upon poorer litigants, which is the class that suffers most at its hands. Yet Chicago could do nothing to free herself from the system because the constitution is mandatory as to its application over the whole county. The oppression has resulted largely from the uniform jurisdiction of these minor courts over the whole county. Suits are brought against residents of the city and taken before justices in remote parts of the county and set for unreasonable hours. When the defendants appear the cases are continued, the object being to worry the defendants until they fail to appear, when judgments are obtained by default. This is going on constantly on a very large scale. Poor people are the main sufferers. Those of the foreign nationalities suffer the worst, and their ideas of American justice are poisoned thereby.

Under the amendment and new charter it is hoped to reform this abuse.

Then there are many taxing boards of the city. These are really governments within the government. Besides city, county and state there are seven townships wholly within the city, five park boards, school library, military affairs—all with tax levying powers—to the confusion not only of the levying of taxes, but to the economical and effective application of the revenues. Consolidation and simplification have long been demanded, and no one disputes that by such change of system the city would be greatly benefited.

It is not asserted that mere change of governmental system will do everything for Chicago. Adequate administration, the election by the people of honest officials, are indispensable, but under such a cumbersome and inadequate system as Chicago has at present there must be a minimum of results for the revenues raised and expended irrespective of the quality of the administration. The evils which it is aimed to eradicate under the proposed amendment and the new charter that will follow are of the

STYLE IN WRITING.

An incident that showed how well Choate knew De Quincey. It is the fashion to laugh gently at any claim of a special sense for style in writing. Most people really believe that Mr. Brown and Mr. Johnson will order a car load of potatoes in substantially the same words and that Lord Bacon and Master Shakespeare wrote enough alike to deceive their dearest friends. But occasionally one comes upon an illustration that goes to prove style in writing is as distinctive to the trained eye as color is.

Many years ago James T. Fields was making a collection of the writings of De Quincey. The essays were widely scattered in various periodicals and were often hard to identify. Mr. Fields knew Rufus Choate as a devoted student of De Quincey and wrote him one day asking his opinion as to a certain article. Was it by De Quincey or not?

Mr. Choate replied that it certainly was. There could be no mistake in the style of the piece. A few weeks later Mr. Choate received, through Mr. Fields, a letter from De Quincey denying absolutely and somewhat indignantly the authorship of the article. But Choate was not of the stuff to yield his opinion for a trifle like that.

"I still believe that De Quincey wrote the essay," De Quincey wrote the contrary notwithstanding. "I still believe that De Quincey wrote the essay," De Quincey wrote the contrary notwithstanding. "I still believe that De Quincey wrote the essay," De Quincey wrote the contrary notwithstanding.

Months elapsed. One day there came a letter from De Quincey containing a humble apology for his previous blunder. By chance he had found in his desk the manuscript of the very article in question. Written as it had been years before, it had passed entirely from his mind, "and you may tell your young Boston lawyer," he concluded, "that he knows my style better than I know it myself!"—Youth's Companion.

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Perhaps the most important feature of the constitution of 1870 is its provision for the limitation of the legislature. There had been prior to that year a great deal of special legislation, much of which had been regarded as an abuse of the power of the legislature. This power the new constitution took away. It is now sought by the pending amendment to bestow that power upon the legislature in the limited extent of giving Chicago a charter adequate to its peculiar conditions and needs.

The necessity for such a special charter for that city is not a matter of speculation. It is not a recent demand. It is not advocated by any one party, or interest, or the people and the press of the city are united in the movement.

The movement is not new. Many efforts have been made in the same direction. More than a quarter of a century ago efforts were being made to get rid of the evils of township government in the city. It was found

kind that can not be wiped out in any other way.

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Do the voters prefer to stake their ballots on promises or on records?

The venerable Mr. Davis and his barrel are a source of considerable anxious concern among the Democratic campaign leaders these days.

If the Democratic spellbinders will confess that their chief desire for success is founded on anxiety to get their hands on the spoils their speeches will ring with a sincerity that is now painfully lacking.

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BARRINGTON LOCAL NEWS NOTES

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1906.

Don't forget to register Tuesday October 18.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rieke, Monday, October 10th a daughter.

For Sale—Five colonies of Italian Bees. Address 'B' Barrington, Ill.

Mr. Hotchkiss of Oak Park will assist the W. R. C. in an entertainment given the last week in October.

Beatrice Bennett has returned to her work at the Soper School of Oratory. Miss Bennett is doing her third years work at that school.

Open now, in the Walthausen bldg., over 1100 stock general merchandise to be closed at once at big sacrifice. Come and investigate. G. H. Landwer.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Epworth League will be held in the M. E. Church parlors Monday evening Oct. 24, instead of Oct. 23.

The Baptist congregation on Sunday welcomed home their pastor, Rev. John Garth, who returned from a three months' visit with his parents in California.

The closing dance given in Forbe's pavilion Saturday night proved to be an enjoyable affair although not as largely attended as parties given there earlier in the season.

Edwin Gleske, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gleske, died Tuesday from malignant diphtheria aged 10 years. The funeral services were held at the house Wednesday. Interment in Evergreen cemetery.

John F. Edwards of Chicago has purchased of Mrs. A. A. Kennel her farm near Honey Lake consisting of 15 acres for \$3000. Mr. Edwards has moved on the place and will engage in the poultry business.

Rev. Wm. Jones of St. Paul, Minn., a pioneer presiding elder of the northwest will preach in the Salem church Sunday morning and evening. Sunday evening services will be conducted in the English language.

L. A. Powers, H. K. Brockway, Fred Kirschner, George J. Hager and Miles T. Lamay attended the republican rally held at Wauconda, Tuesday evening. Congressman George Edmond Fox was the principal speaker.

The "Lend A Hand" girls have purchased an organ for the M. E. Church parlors. The little ladies have given three very successful entertainments during the last year, and will give their first one for this year the latter part of November.

Wichman & Riley (who had the contract for the building of the stone abutments for a bridge over Flint creek, near Peterson's) completed their work Saturday. Darr & Hughes will put on the iron work within a few days making the bridge ready for travel.

F. B. Bennett, administrator of the estate Louisa Bennett, will offer for sale at public auction, commencing at 9 o'clock, tomorrow, Saturday, morning, the entire lot of household furniture, consisting of stoves, beds, bedding, table, chairs, crockery, etc., used in the Columbia Hotel. Terms cash.

Eight boys, ranging in age about ten to fourteen, who are members of the Baptist Sunday school entertained young lady friends at a basket social in the church parlors Tuesday evening. The affair was planned by their teacher, Mrs. Wilkes-Wilmer, and afforded a most enjoyable evening for the young people, besides netting a little sum to swell the Sunday school fund.

The Chicago Chronicle of Monday contains an account of the accident on the Illinois Valley Electric railway between LaSalle and Springfield, Ill., which occurred Sunday afternoon near Webster Park, three miles from Springfield. Quite a number of passengers were severely injured, among whom was Fred T. Hoffman, a former resident of this village, now publisher of the Springfield Valley Gazette. Fred escaped with a badly sprained knee and a few bruises.

Presiding services at the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening. Morning topic, "The Unsearchable Riches of Christ." Evening subject, "The Cost of Discipleship." Prayer meeting Saturday evening; subject, "How Christ Still the Storms of Life" Ps. 107:23-31. Upon request of a number of the young people a bible club will be started in connection with the Sunday school composed of young men

and women. This class will be led by the pastor. An invitation is extended to the young men and women of the community to become one with us in this class.

The climate of Cuba (township) is conducive to the raising of small fruits. When two crops of strawberries and two crops of red raspberries are produced in this part of the country, it is a first-class advertisement for northern Illinois. Last week we mentioned the luscious strawberries picked from a bed on the Job Thompson farm. Tuesday Frank A. Cady brought to this office some red raspberries which he picked the day previous from bushes in his garden. A branch from the bush was well-filled with green and half-ripened fruit.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Priscilla Davlin of Wauconda called on friends here Wednesday.

Mrs. G. A. Carmichael is entertaining her sister Mrs. McClood of Odell, Ill.

Fred Anderson of Woodstock visited with friends here the first of the week.

Dr. C. C. Dalton was called to Lancaster, Wis., Monday on professional business.

L. H. Bennett went to Watervliet, Mich., yesterday to attend to legal business.

Mrs. Harris, formerly Anne Hollister, of Chicago is visiting Mrs. C. H. Hollister.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gault of Elgin are visiting at the home of F. L. Waterman.

J. R. Bowman of the Bowman Dairy Co., Chicago, was here on business Wednesday.

Mrs. D. A. Smith of Irving Park, Ill. was here, George Comstock, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Meyer and family visited Mr. Carl Meyer in Oak Park Sunday.

Miss Louise Stark visited W. H. Snyder and family at Mayfair Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mary Ernst of Chicago was the guest of her mother and brothers here Sunday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Parker and little son of Atlanta, Ill. visited this week at M. B. McIntosh's.

Clement Strickland of Chicago was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. M. C. McIntosh, Sunday.

Mrs. F. E. Hawley entertained Miss Ella Blester and Miss Mary Livingston over Sunday.

Mrs. E. D. Prouty returned home Saturday after a few days visit at the St. Louis exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Johnson and daughter visited his mother Mrs. Kate Johnson this week.

Mrs. E. Colby and Mrs. Johnson and Miss Ruth Homer spent several days in Chicago this week.

Mrs. Newton Meier and three children of Mayfair are guests at the home of Rev. H. S. Meier.

Mrs. John Myers and Miss Ruth Meyer on Sunday visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harrower in Chicago.

Reuben G. Plagge and Miss Jennie Fletcher visited friends at Highland Park and Fort Sheridan Friday.

Miss Clara Dickman of Chicago visited with her aunt Mrs. John Mundhenke Wednesday and Thursday.

Charles Kosmlo, a former resident, now of Arlington Heights, visited his sister, Mrs. Paul Miller, Sunday.

Miss Lulu Nicolai who taught at the White school the past two years is now teaching west of Lake Forest.

Miss Irene Allen of Chicago visited with her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Reagan Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Mrs. D. H. Richardson and daughter returned Wednesday from Chicago where they visited Mrs. Edward Zalus since Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lagache returned Sunday night from Atlanta, Ind. where they visited Mrs. Lagache's sister a few days.

Alderman Silas Robertson is enjoying his son Lloyd in Carlsbad, Arkansas, and purchasing another big section of southern land.

Mrs. Susanna Alverson and Mrs. Mary Webster of Janesville, mother and sister of F. J. Alverson have been guests at his home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Comstock returned from their visit to St. Louis exposition the first of the week. It was an enjoyable trip to them.

Byron and Milton Williams, who have been visiting at the home of E. D. Prouty, departed for their homes near Seattle, Wash., Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Foreman and family are in Elgin Wednesday to be present at the marriage of Mrs. Foreman's cousin, Joe Kellerman to Miss Ella Becker.

SEEING THE FAIR IN DETAIL

Brazil and Her Pathological Forests—A Little Display That Represents More Forests Than All Other Forests Exhibits at the World's Fair—Brazil's Most Valuable Trees The Rubber Producer—Strange Winged Things in the Moth and Butterfly Cases—Barks That Do Remarkable Things in the Way of Tanning—Colonel Agular's Exquisite National Palace—The Human Chute of the Brazilian Fire Department—Brazil Firemen as Manufacturers of Fire Apparatus.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE BY MARK BENNETT.)

Even so late in the season as this one is filled with regret that the Palace of Forestry, Fish and Game was not made of rubber, so that Brazil might have had more room. I am sure Brazil could have furnished the rubber. The mention of rubber recalls a young lady's declaration: "Oh, I'm going to rubber and rubber to my heart's content. That's what I pay my 50 cents for. So we are all 'rubberized' every where. It cuts our necks protest with lameness."

Brazil! Vast beyond our appreciation! Wonderful beyond our comprehension! If you are losing flesh worrying over the future timber supply, if you are trying awake nights wondering where the succeeding generation are going to get good wood to keep the family sawbuck from snoring, just turn to Brazil. The Amazon forests contain 2,000,000 square miles of timber. Think of the village newspaper subscriptions still untouched in those billions of trees—and the paper pulp, too, worth up to \$25 a cord. Two million square miles! Two times the area of France! Two-thirds the area of the United States!

Here at the world's fair Brazil has a very narrow space—no more than a state allotment—but she was a late comer, and regrets are mutual. The Brazilian forest contains more than 17,000 species. A vast expanse of the Amazon forests is inundated yearly, and it is here that the water loving trees grow in tropical luxuriance and density. Upon the uplands are the other forests, as old as Mount Ararat perhaps, and containing trees 300 feet high and infinite in variety. As well might you expect a prince's bride to crowd her trousseau into a collar box as to expect Brazil to display her woods in this narrow space. But she has made a brave effort and has ornamented it with cases of birds and reptiles and strange things of many sorts.

The tree of greatest value to Brazil and to the world at large is the *Hevea* tree, the tree that produces the India rubber of commerce and of manifold usefulness. Here are some huge round balls of the pure rubber, except for the smoke that has been put into it in the preparation of the material for export. The rubber gatherer prepares a stick, which he dips into the white milk sap of the rubber tree which he has gathered and then holds it in the smoke of an outdoor fire to coagulate. The dripping and smoking process goes on till a large ball is formed, and it is ready to ship to market. In 1902 Brazil shipped nearly \$7,000,000 worth of raw rubber and imported only \$500,000 worth of manufactured rubber products. The immense forests of northern Mato Grosso have not even been explored, and Brazil is able to assure the rest of the world that she has enough rubber for the world's use for a long time to come.

Collectors of butterflies and moths are attracted by the several ornamental collections of these insects. Here is one of the emperor moths ten inches or more from tip to tip and worth \$15 in the moth collector's catalogue. Brazil has many brilliant species of butterflies, from the changeable or iridescent blue to the variegated kinds of infinite number. Very curious is the one known as the "living leaf"—a large insect whose wings are the exact counterparts of tree or bush leaves. Why nature so carefully shields the identity of one insect and makes others so brilliant as to catch the eye is one of the mysteries of creation. It would take sharp eyes indeed to find a "living leaf" in its natural habitat, for in color and veining the wings are perfect leaves. Huge tarantulas are centerpieces in two collections. Such big fellows are the more deadly, so it seems to be a law of nature that the more insects and reptiles of the poisonous species are the more to be feared. The bite of such a tarantula is certainly likely to result fatally within a few hours.

Brazil has more kinds of barks than a dog show. Here are eighty-three varieties of bark, roots and woods whose chief value is in their tanning qualities. And with the tanning is the coloring, too, from a creamy chocolate to a brick red. These barks range in their richness from 22 to 35 per cent tannin, or nearly double the tanning of oak bark, one of the American tanning crops.

Three of the barks are said to produce white leather, extracting from the hide all the coloring matter and depositing none. Another bark, the arseru, cures the leather black when tanning it. Other barks produce reds and blues. While tanning agents may become scarce in some parts of the world, the scarcity is only local. The forests of Brazil and other countries of South America are a guarantee of an abundance of tanning materials for generations to come.

Confessions of a Priest.

Rev. Jno. S. Cox of Wake, Ark., writes: "For 15 years I suffered from Yellow Jaundice. I consulted a number of physicians and tried all sorts

of medicines, but got no relief. Then I began the use of Electric Bitters and feel that I am now cured of a disease that had me in its grasp for twelve years." If you want a reliable medicine for Liver and Kidney trouble, stomach disorder or general debility get Electric Bitters. It's guaranteed by Geo. C. Roberts & Co. Only 50c.

Announcement.

Having purchased the meat market formerly conducted by George Schaefer we announce that the business will be conducted along the same lines as when Mr. Schaefer was in charge.

I will be prepared at all times to meet your demands with a complete stock of fresh and salted meats, fish, oysters, and game in season, canned goods, vegetables and bakery goods.

Soliciting a share of your patronage, I am, Yours respectfully,

W. W. WELCH.

Buyers' Price List.

C. F. Hall Co., cash buyers and sellers of Bargain values. Keep posted. Buy wisely. Extra wide flannellette 5 and 6 yard. Black sixteen remnant 5c yard. 2000 yards Tennis flannel, special, 5c yard. Fancy silk and wool dress braid 10c yard. Double width linings 5c yard. Ticking remnants 5c yard. Men's double front and back health fleece shirts 4c. Ladies' 4c. 50 and 50.50 grade 7c. Kid and Patent cloth skin shoes, assorted styles, \$1.99, 2.29 and 2.99. Boys' solid calf shoes 8c. Girls' double knit Gull mittens 15c. Full size blankets 55c; extra size and weight blankets \$1.00; 200 heavy, wool walking shirts, assorted colors, 5c. 50 and 50.50 grade \$1.99. Men's full size Tennis flannel night shirts 25c. Ladies' black, tan or grey all wool jackets, lined and well made, in sizes 32 to 38, special sale, \$1.99. Girls' fur-trimmed, all-wool, lined coats, in sizes 12 to 18, \$2.99. Three-fourth length wool coats, storm collars, for men, for warm riding coat, now \$2.98. Men's overcoat values, medium weight, all wools, cut full and long, \$4.95. Taffeta ribbons, Nos. 12 and 9 at 5c yard. 22 lb. good raisins \$1.00. Good rice 3c a lb. Soda 3c per box. Pigeons 25c per box.

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S. Le Quinn of Cavendish, Vt., was robbed of his customary health by invasion of his privacy by a burglar. When Dr. King's New Life Pills broke into his house, his trouble was arrested and now he's entirely cured. They're guaranteed to cure. 25c at Geo. C. Roberts & Co., drug store.

Auction Sale.

B. L. Clinge will offer for sale on the Michael Welch farm 2 miles northwest of Barrington and 2 miles north of Cuba, Thursday, October 20, commencing at 1 o'clock p. m. sharp: 10 cows, new milkers and springers, 2 Durham bulls, bay colts, 2 brood sows, 2 horses, 2 tons millet in stack, shingles, slough hay, 600 shocks corn in field, and his entire lot of farming implements.

Frank West of Waukegan was here today in the interest of the Western Coal company.

Wm. Waterschled of Chicago is visiting for a few days with W. D. Amis.

Special Special!

Go to Geo. C. Roberts & Co. drug store and get a full size \$1.00 bottle of Pratt's Herb Tonic for 25c. The very best blood purifier, nerve tonic and system regulator. The only spring tonic. Every bottle guaranteed by the compounders. Don't forget it! October 27th is the last day at 25c.

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Jackson, Tenn., June 4, 1901.—This is to certify that one bottle of the Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, has cured my wife and myself of kidney blander and rheumatic troubles, and we most cheerfully recommend it to the public.

P. O. HICKS and WIFE.

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One small bottle of the Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women; regulates bladder troubles in children. If not cured by your drugist, it will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Dr. E. W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. Box 628 St. Louis, Mo. Read testimonials. Sold by all druggists.

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Our stock is new, well-selected and marked at reasonable prices. Here is where you will get exceptionally good bargains in bed blankets. The lot that we are selling at 50c, 75c, 85c \$1.00 and \$1.25 are worth 20 to 35 per cent more than the prices we are asking for them. We are also selling bed quilts the same way—good values at 85c, \$1.00, 1.10, 1.20 upwards.

Roll Cotton Batten 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c per roll.

Underwear

We have just received our new Winter stock of Men's, Ladies' and Children's underwear. Our prices are low. We are selling underwear at close margins.

Best Footwear

In this line we show several styles of the best make, low prices. Children's School Shoes. Our children's shoes are the best made and our prices are the lowest. We are now showing the Winter styles at \$1.00, 1.25, 1.50 a pair.

Ladies' Shoes. If you want to purchase dressy shoes that are strictly new styles we can please you. We are offering good values at \$2.50 and 3.00 a pair. We also sell a line of cheaper grade Ladies' shoes at \$1.50, 1.75 and \$2.00 a pair.

Men's Shoes. Try a pair of our \$2.50 and 3.00 a pair. Men's shoes. They are guaranteed. New stock of Men's, Ladies' and Children's Robbers.

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Did you know that we sell the best Tea and Coffee in town and our prices are right? We sell a good 50c Japan Tea at 40c per pound. Our 50c Coffee is what you generally 25c a pound for.

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