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## DEATH OF MRS. MILLER

Woman Who Has Resided in Cook County Over Half a Century.

Mrs. Eliza Drew Miller, aged 77 years, 11 months and 5 days, died Sunday at the home of her son and daughter at Barrington Center. Mrs. Miller was born in the town of Putney, Steuben county, New York. In 1850 she came west to Illinois, first living with a sister at Barrington Center and teaching school near there and later going to Hebron, to which place her parents had moved. In 1852 she was united in marriage to William Marcus Miller and to them were born three children: Helen, who died in infancy, and Mary and Drew, who now live at Barrington Center and with whom Mrs. Miller has resided since the death of her husband in May, 1890.

Mrs. Miller was a member of the Baptist church and a true Christian and her death was the cause of sorrow to her relatives and many friends.

The funeral was held at the home Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock p. m. and burial was in the Barrington Center cemetery.

**Epworth League Meeting.** The Epworth league was out in force on Tuesday evening last about forty being present. They were entertained for their business and social meeting by Mr. and Mrs. John Robertson at their home on Main street.

In the absence of the president, Miss Hattie Frye acted as chairman of the meeting.

The social hour of two that followed was made pleasant by readings from Miss Jennie Lines and Miss Alberta Horn, the latter whom read an account of Rubenstein's playing. Miss Almira Plagge rendered a piano solo and Miss Louisa Rieck sang. Other forms of diversion followed.

Mr. and Mrs. Robertson as host and hostess, added much to the enjoyment of the evening by their genial hospitality. No refreshments were served and everybody had a good time.

**Young People Made Nest Sun.** An amusing evening was confining to all who patronized the supper served by the young people of the Salem church Thanksgiving night in the Y. M. C. A. rooms and who tried to give their supper order "young men's" cards. Each dish served was designed by a question and many were the futile guesses as to the nature of the food. Lunch counters and small tables were used.

One hundred and fifty people is said to be the number partaking, and at an average of twenty cents apiece, the result was satisfactory. The money will be used by the Christian Endeavor society.

**Day Passes Quietly.** Thanksgiving day passed very quietly in this village last Thursday. It was a day of reunion a large number of visitors being entertained by local families. Everyone seemed to be greatly interested in the Thanksgiving dinner as the town was deserted until after vast quantities of turkey and "dinner" had been consumed. This town has much to be thankful for as this has been an exceptionally prosperous season for the farmers and laboring classes.

**Medicine that is Medicine.** "I have suffered a good deal with malaria and stomach complaints, but I have now found a remedy that keeps me well, and that remedy is Electric Bitters; a medicine that is medicine for stomach and liver troubles, and for run down conditions," says W. C. Kessler, of Halliday, Arkansas. Electric Bitters purify and enrich the blood, tone up the nerves and impart vigor and energy to the weak. Your money refunded if it fails to help. You see at Harrington Pharmacy.

**Get An Air Ship.** If safe aerial navigation were possible—yet the telephone toll lines would be the fastest, most satisfying means of communication between distant points. Chicago Telephone Company.

**Mysterious Language.** Without stopping to discuss whether cryptic phraseology is not, at least as cryptic as that used by doctors or in looking on the fact that every science must have what the toilers in other fields of intellectual labor call a "key" to its own mystery, it is admitted that there is in medical terminology a good deal not only of bad Greek, but of needless mystery. —British Medical Journal.

**Remember your subscription.**

## PROGRESS IN CHEMICAL INVENTION.

A novel and very plausible reason for the eagerness of a certain class of discoverers to have their processes patented is given by Professor Duncan of the University of Kansas in Harper's Magazine. A few years ago, we are told, the university professor who "degraded his science" to utilitarian purposes became a pariah among his fellows, and to take out a patent was of all sins against the cloth the one least forgivable. It was the duty of the man of science to "give his discoveries to the world." But things are now "sweepingly different," according to Professor Duncan, and no man, no matter how noble his desires, can "give his discoveries to the world."

The author cites the case of a recent discovery in color photography to show that the patenting of a discovery actually forwards its introduction. The inventor of the process in color photography refused to patent the fundamental ideas, and nobody would touch it. Coming to the trend of modern chemical invention, Professor Duncan says it "is always and ever toward the conservation of natural products to use more valuable than those for which they were originally employed." Cheapness, improvement of product, or economy in material is aimed at.

Two new processes, both of foreign origin, are described in the article, and the writer gives American manufacturers to be alert. In Germany water is being evaporated from pot bog by electricity with the expenditure of an infinitesimal amount of energy, and a London chemist has succeeded in welding iron together so that the weld is stronger than either of the metals that constitute it. The author concludes that efficiency in factory practice must necessarily follow the application of pure science to industrial ends.

Three-quarters of all the patents of real chemical interest are German in origin, and it is of course in Germany that we find efficiency in factory practice the sine qua non of its operation. The American manufacturer, then, "must stand or fall by the degree of efficiency he has obtained in his factory."

**Little and Yet Great.** How little a thing comparatively an individual life may be and yet do great service to the world that knows it and is emphasized by the recent death of the author of the lines—  
Little drops of water,  
Little grains of sand,  
Make the mighty ocean  
And the wide world stand.

Millions of American children learned this verse and remembered it throughout life to rehearse to their own children and grandchildren. But the career and personality of the girl who penned it at the age of twenty were known to only a handful, though she lived on over three-score years.

Mrs. Carney also wrote the poem "Deal Gently With the Erring," which became popular on its own merit, but was not so catholic in its appeal as the schoolroom gem opening with the lines—  
Encourage him, encourage him,  
Give him a chance to do his best,  
For inspiration for a score of others turning upon the same wholesome sentiment. These vagrant thoughts of a schoolman's crowded hours may be compared to little drops of water, and for a study of their evolution from ocean of influence to individual form, their contemplation is another thing. "Till" talks from little oceans grow.

**Resources and the Public Good.** The Iron Trade Review suggests that the national conservation movement is in mind the sum total of million keep in mind the millions in this country who are able to do anything. While it is planning for economy in the use of the natural resources. Says this paper:  
"Enthusiasm and ambition are to be commended, but the same enthusiasm, when sometimes a question whether they may not lead to the detaching of a more larger than can be mastered property. At any rate, it is painfully evident that thus far the conservation movement is a thing of statistics rather than practical things. It may be well to learn just what our resources are, but in the long run it is more important to find practical means whereby they can be conserved."

Encouragement to the use of natural resources in a way which will give the people the greatest good with the least depletion is one thing, and general restriction to activity is another thing. The former is the line of action which most commends itself.

The "bottling" of the kale's hot air by the German public and the earthquake in the fatherland were not exactly simultaneous, but still close enough to illustrate the play of cause and effect.

For the bearing of the popular vote upon the political scene, the political candidate may get a pointer from a certain historic document known as the United States Constitution.

## SEASON OF BAZAARS

Baptists Bring Out Goodly Crowd. \$90 the Result.

We are passing through a "Bazaar Zone" in this village at present, but the worthy causes for the benefit of which they are given, bring out the people, and at the Baptist bazaar Wednesday night the attendance was splendid.

However, where are the men at these affairs? The ladies of the Dorcas society of the church were chief promoters and most active, but the younger women were also working for every dime to be acquired. The donations were many, among them being a large consignment of soaps, household toilet articles and perfumes, and all the necessary red and green crepe paper, umbrellas and novelties to erect a Japanese booth given by Crofts & Reed's wholesale house of Chicago. This display attracted much attention and was secured through Mrs. George Banks. The firm's kindness is greatly appreciated.

Two fancy-articles booths in green and white effects were presided over by Mesdames Henry White, Kendall and Colleen and Miss Dawn Silbermann. Fine home made candies were sold by Misses Lawson, F. Peck, V. Lines, G. Palmer and F. Colleen in a dainty yellow and white booth.

Mesdames Keeler, Broughton and Miss M. Peck were in the Crofts & Reed booth.

Supper was served by a corps of ladies as chefs and waitresses who gave good service.

William Peters auctioneered all of the unsold articles late in the evening, so that the total result is about \$90.00 to be used in church work.

**PARALYSIS CAUSE OF DEATH**

Diedrick Minnecker, aged 75 years, was stricken with paralysis last night and died at noon today.

Hurra for the "Panama canal veteran," who is to wear a bronze medal, showing that he was two years on the job. And, by the way, the job will last long enough to earn a service stripe of two in addition to the medal.

Among the earliest callers at the Outlook san-tum to congratulate Associate Editor Roosevelt there will be a contingent of congressmen and senators wearing smiles that link ear to ear.

"Shall the people rule?" is the cry of the masses in Bulgaria, and they began knocking Prince Ferdinand the monarch he declared an emperer instead of a republic.

It would undoubtedly add to the happiness of New Year's if some one would publish a census of all the American couples who are "happy though married."

"China can trot out an heir to 'my policies' any minute, for she has an assortment of all ages in the palace cold storage.

That "Order of the Eagle" badge worn the Kaiser planned on the breast of Count Zeppelin is in the right place.

There was no celebration of the anniversary of the panic on the surface, but many a reminder of the event turned up under the surface.

Under parcels post the wife can make her letters too uncomfortable to be overlooked for a whole month in her husband's pocket.

If another fellow might the pole's site ahead of Peary he'll be sorry he missed the election fun too.

Despite her 225 honorable and useful years, Philadelphia is still anxious to grow old.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hawley returned to their home in Bruce, Wisconsin, today.

Last Friday Harry Askew celebrated his 50th birthday. The occasion was marked by a supper for a few friends.

Nicht Wahr.  
You break a limb, or miss a train.  
And cannot reach your home;  
Remember your best messenger.  
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## Good Lecture December 7th.

Make place in your plans for the lecture on "Popular Fallacies," to be given by Rev. Ernest Wray Oneal on December 7, at the Methodist church. Mr. Oneal has an established reputation as a popular and eloquent platform speaker, and his lecture will equal that given by Dr. Quayle last spring. You will be sorry if you miss it. It will cost you only twenty-five cents to hear it. Oneal is scholarly, witty, eloquent, fluent and fervid and "suits the action to the word," as Shakespeare says. If you think it is a sin to laugh, you would better not come.

**The One-Room Country School.** The superintendent of public instruction has had prepared a thirty-two page pamphlet on the one-room country school in Illinois. It contains drawings, plans and specifications for two up-to-date schoolhouses, one that can be built for about \$1,400 and one that can be erected for about \$1,000. The plans provide for every convenience that is needed. The bill of materials will enable any builder to figure closely on its cost, and the drawings are so clear that all concerned may know just what is contracted for.

**Marked For Death.** "Three years ago I was marked for death. A grave yard was tearing my lungs to pieces. Doctors failed to help me and hope had fled, when my husband got Dr. King's New Discovery," says Mrs. A. C. Williams, of Isaac, Kentucky. "The first dose helped me and improvement kept on until I had gained 55 pounds and my cough and hoarseness were fully restored. This medicine holds the world's healing record for coughs and colds and lung and throat diseases. It prevents pneumonia. Sold under guarantee at Barrington Pharmacy. 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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**The Readiness of Tommy.** "Tommy is such a good boy," said Mrs. Taddells to the minister as he served the pastry. "You know, Mr. Choker, that pie isn't good for little boys."

"That is very true, Mrs. Taddells," the minister answered. "When I was a boy I was not allowed to eat pastry and all mothers must watch their children's diet very carefully."

"But I am not at all harsh with Tommy, you will understand, doctor," Mrs. Taddells went on. "Whenever I have something for dessert which Tommy cannot eat, for example, I give him 5 cents to pay for his deprivation. And Tommy takes it so cheerfully, doctor, Tommy is such a dear boy, Dr. Choker."

"I am glad to hear it, Mrs. Taddells," said the minister. "I could not think of eating more than one piece of pie, excellent as it is. But I am truly glad to hear of Tommy's maturity and cheerfulness when deprived of pie. I suppose, Tommy," the clergyman went on, "you like pie?"

"Yes, sir."

"What makes you take the 5 cents so cheerfully to go without?"

"Oh, with the nickel I can get a whole pie at the grocery around the corner."

**Not Introspective.** The minister of a large parish in a certain western diocese had for some time been much troubled by the scandalous gossip that seemed to be occupying the minds of a portion of his flock and after exercising a great amount of tact and perseverance in a special discourse was prepared and the following Sunday afternoon literally buried at the offending member as he sat on a desk in the corner of the sanctuary.

Everyday present the seemed to fully appreciate the situation and at the close of the service departed quietly and somewhat mysteriously, except the thoughtfully for hours, and to assist "person" to hitch up his team and to remark: "That were the sermon, sir. I'll bet that fit some on 'em pretty hard." —Belmont.

## READ THIS AND HEED IT

A Lesson in the Recent Panic

Which Should Be a Warning.

No one can object to calling it a "prosperity panic" if that explanation of the slump in 1907 is taken as a warning to go slow as prosperity smites again. A year is much too short a time for learning how to do without and to find the simple life agreeable all around. The "burned child dreads the fire" only when the burn was a smarting one and the smearing of the hand on kind.

With the panic for tests the preaching of sermons upon the national sin of waste will continue. But the best sermon is the lesson that is burned in, and if we cannot believe that the panic was a real scourge we can at least make sure that the prosperity of today is the real thing before we plunge into a prosperity gait of high living.

**The Majestic.** The Majestic theatre, Chicago, will have a wonderful bill of acts for the week of December 7th. A dramatic playlet from the brilliant pen of Israel Zangwill is a rare offering in vaudeville, but the Majestic announces one when his intense dramatic episode "The Never, Never Land" will be presented by Miss Helen Grantley, supported by a selected cast which includes A. S. Lipman, Fred Lindsay, the Australian jester wonder who was a feature of the great London Hippodrome will present his great novelty act. The principal musical event of the bill will be Miss Cheridan Simpson, the American prima donna, late star of "The Red Feather." The Big City quartette has been called the "sweetest singing quartet in vaudeville" by eastern critics, and are at the Majestic for the first time. The Three Mosbros are expert cyclists and are considered about the leading exponents of fun and skill. Pentelle and Carr are twelve-year-old singing comedians, while Le Ville and Sinclair have a novelty number consisting of eccentric dancing creations, some bright dialogue or chatter and original songs. There are a number of other smart acts which promise an unusually good bill of entertainment.

**A Great Lecture.** Persons who heard Bishop Quayle's great lecture last spring in Barrington were enthusiastic over it. They will be as much so over that of Rev. Oneal. He will speak at the Methodist church in Barrington, on Monday next, December 7, at 8 p. m.

The subject of the lecture will be "Popular Fallacies," a timely theme for these days of popular hubbub.

Mr. Oneal has received the very highest commendation as a platform speaker and orator, and we are very confident that all who hear him will feel well repaid for the pains they take. Admission 25c.

Tuesday evening the Modern Woodmen re-elected the following officers for the ensuing year:  
Consul, T. H. Cret  
Advisor, Harry Frick  
Banker, Henry S. Meier  
Clerk, William Grunson  
Escort, William Snyder  
Watchman, August Sempl  
Sentry, Harry Askew  
Manager, A. L. Robertson.  
Physicians, Dr. A. Weichelt and Dr. W. A. Shearer.

**This is Worth Reading.** Leo F. Zelinski, of 68 Gilson street, Buffalo, New York, says: "I cured the most annoying cold sore I ever had with Bucklen's Arnica salve. I applied this salve once a day for two weeks, when every trace of the sore was gone." Heals all sores. Sold under guarantee at Harrington Pharmacy, 25c.

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## WAUCONDA.

Bennie Clough returned to school in Wauconda the first of the week.

Mrs. L. E. Golding is visiting at Clyde Golding's in Chicago this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Golding are expected home soon from a visit with Florida relatives.

Will Schumacher's sale Saturday was poorly attended as not many had seen notice of the same.

Miss Nettie Murray, Elmer Diers, Carl North and Clyde Carr of Chicago spent Thanksgiving at their respective homes.

Hope-coming gathering at the M. E. church last Sunday was a pleasant affair and drew out a goodly attendance.

O. J. Phillips et al. have sold to Blanche J. Brooks, 292 acres of land in sections, 27, 28 and 29, Wauconda township for \$12,000. The deed was filed for record Saturday.

Solemn requiem high mass was celebrated at the Catholic church here Tuesday for a sister of Rev. S. F. Wolfe, at which a half score of visiting priests gathered to show their sympathy for their brother priest and to honor the memory of his deceased sister.

**PALATINE.** Born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Garmas, Tuesday, December 1, a girl.

The annual bazaar of the W. R. C. will be held this Friday evening.

The shrubbery in the newly laid out school grounds were set out this week.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. William Nolting died Saturday morning. Funeral was held Tuesday.

William C. Davenport sold his lively business at auction Tuesday, which leaves only one born in Palatine.

The dance Thanksgiving night given by the Gilbert six-piece orchestra was well attended and the boys promise more dances in the near future.

Mrs. Butcher, wife of a former Palatine pastor, but who has just returned from ten years missionary work in India, spoke Wednesday afternoon before the W. F. M. S. and at a social the same evening at the home of Mrs. Emma Wood.

**SCHOOL NOTES.** Report cards for the month of November were issued on Monday.

The pupils of Miss Paddock's room are taking daily readings of a barometer.

On Wednesday, December 2nd, the Physical Science class visited the Bowman dairy.

Miss Smith, a former teacher in this school, took Miss Burrows' place Tuesday, December 1st.

Twenty of the pupils in Miss Hawley's room were perfect in attendance last month. There was no case of tardiness.

William Gottschalk and Vernon Hawley, graduates of this school, visited the high school on Wednesday of last week.

Beatrice Bonnia and Gertrude Naeher of Miss Paddock's room were perfect in spelling for the week ending November 25th.

The board of education heartily desires to secure the co-operation of the parents in minimizing the tardiness throughout all parts of the school.

The use of the abridged academy song book was begun in the high school Tuesday. It has been introduced into the school by the vote of pupils.

**LAKE ZURICH.** H. Belp is on the sick list. York State apples 40c a peck at A. W. Meyer's.

Lena Lense is visiting her aunt, Mrs. George Klepper.

Mrs. August Froelich was at Barrington caller Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hapke are the proud parents of a baby girl born November 27th.

Mrs. Harvey Smith returned home Monday after spending several days with her parents at Carpentersville.

Christ Hokeneyer of Shepherd, Michigan, spent several days here visiting friends and relatives last week.

Thirty relatives of Mr. and Mrs. C. Ernst spent Thanksgiving day at their home. Their son was christened the same day by Rev. Tildmans.

The M. W. A. of the Lake Shore gave a masquerade at the Lake Shore pavilion Thursday, December 10, 1908. Good music. Tickets 50c, supper 25c. Four prizes will be given for the most comical dressed girl and lady and the best attired girl and lady.