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BARRINGTON, ILL., SATURDAY, JANUARY 8, 1898.

\$1.25 A YEAR.

PALATINE LOCALS. ************

A. G. SMITH, LOCAL EDITOR

Pure cider vinegar 15 cents per gal-L. PECK. Sam Snyder has received a vacation

owing to ill health. Mrs. Geo. Vehe visited relatives here

the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Wm. Tank of Chicago visited friends in this place last Friday.

Mrs. Cook of Little Falls, N. J. is visiting her brother, G. A. Horstman. Miss Grace Henry was much improved according to the latest reports.

Miss Minnie Pearman of Champaign is visiting her brother, Dr. Pearman. Miss Bertha Horstman is entertaining her cousin, Miss Meyer of

Chicago. W. L. Smyzer ate New Years dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Sears at Bar-

Several of our wheelmen have been trying the roads with their bicycles this week.

Will Ahlgrim started his labors in Attorney M. C. McIntosh's office in Chicago Monday.

Twelve of our firemen attended the dance at the Heights Friday night and report a pleasant time.

Congressman Foss has distributed copies of his speech made in the House at Washington on March 31 last.

Willis Johnson of Chicago is visiting his mother, Mrs. W. Johnson, who has been quite sick this week.

The P. A. C. dance on New Years Eve. proved a very pleasant affair, although the attendance was not large.

There are several first-class amateur photographers in town. The craze bids fair to equal that of bicycling.

Chas. H. Patten expects to leave for California next week where he will spend a couple of weeks, returning with his wife and two children. Chas. Yates returned to Missouri

with John Riggs Tuesday and expects to enjoy the excellent hunting of that country.

E. D. Cook and family of Gilmer and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cook of Libertyville, were guests of R. H. Lytle and family the first of the week.

Bert Van Vleck, who has been in Hoopestown, Ill., for several weeks returned to town the first of this

Mrs. Ed. Olcott of Chicago has been seriously ill with apendecitis, but is reported much better. Miss Marv Putnam has been attending her all

Harry Rea and Hosea Sawver have resumed their studies at Northwestern and August Holste has returned to Chicago University.

Dr. E. W. Wood and wife started for California Tuesday to be gone several weeks. They will visit the South

before their return. Mrs. M. E. Peterson of Milwankee and Miss Emma Weighe of Chicago visited with the Misses Flury over

New Years. Mrs. Katherine Oller of Dixon. Mrs. Etta Williamson of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Williamson of Ashton are occupying Mrs. Dr. E. W. Wood's house while they are away.

Herman Reese is recovering rapidly from his railroad accident and has been able to move about all week although his jaw will be in a plaster mould for some time.

Mr. and Mrs John Page celebrated their silver wedding anniversary at their home in Deer Grove, New Year's Day, Jan. 1, 1898. About twenty-five relatives were present and help celebrate the day.

Congressman Wm. Lorimer of the Second Congressional district has recently flooded this section of the country with matter relating to the raising of poultry. "Billy" says he is out of politics, but we wouldn't be surprised if he was "laying" for a county office and his using his poultry phamplet for its "hatching."

The Ladies Aid Society met with Mrs. E. F. Baker Wednesday afternoon and transacted important business. They decided to donate \$100 towards fixing up the interior of the church; \$100 towards the church debt and the balance in the treasury \$43.64 towards incidental expenses. ladies have done good work.

Walter Lytle's friends gave him a surprise Wednesday evening at the home of his parents in honor of his twenty-first birthday. About twenty young people were present and a very enjoyable time was spent. A light luncheon was served.

> The revival meetings in the Methodist church have increasd in intereest and attendance since the first of M. E. church. the week, and they will be continued a week longer, different pastors preaching each evening. Rev. Stewart of Arlington Heights will preach tomorrow evening, Everybody is most cordially invited to attend.

Palatine Village Board Meets in Regular Session.

Village Board met in regular ses sion Monday evening, all members being present with the exception of Horstmann.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Moved by Taylor and seconded by Ost that an order be drawn on the treasuer for \$2,000 in favor of C. H. Patten to apply on water works contract. Carried.

Moved by Taylor, seconded by Ost that F.J. Filbert be paid 1 per cent of all money paid out of the treasury as compensation for his services as treasurer, and collector of the special assessment taxes. Carried.

Mr. Filbert has served the village as treasurer for the past three years without any compensation. The/commission on the funds disbursed by him up to June 30, 1897, to which he was entitled by law, amounted to \$325 which he generously donated to the

Dr. W. P. Schirding was appointed Village Physician.

	The following bills were ordered
	paid.
Š	H. W. Meyer, supplies 8 6 52
	Reynolds & Zimmer, supplies 3 66
	Enterprise, printing legal notices 28 00
1	W. R. Comfort & Co., lumber and pipe 26 82
	F. Bicknase. labor
	C. Nichols, police duty 6 00
	H. Law, December salary 40 00
,	H. Schroeder, police service 5 00
	A VEADIS EVENTS

A YEAR'S EVENTS.

- No. 1 of THE REVIEW.
- Death of Benjamin M. Porter. Organ recital at M. E. church,
- 14. Mr. and Mrs. Al Smith enter-
- tain friends. 18. Miss Marie Nasse gives a birth-
- day party. 22. Sherman concert.
- 28. P. A. C. dance. February.
- 2. Ladies' Night at the P. A. C.
- 4 Henry Roper and Miss Millie
- Bluse married. 7 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hol-
- ste, a son? 12. P. A. C. masquerade ball. 16. Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Bauder en-
- tertain friends.
- 17. Gun club organized. 21. Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. Linnerman, a son.
- 25. Chris Christensen and Hannah Jensen married.
- 6. Literary society organized.
- 6. Death of Miss Lois Foskette in Chicago, 7. Born to Mr. and Mrs. John
- Gainer, a son. 11. Ladies Night at the club.
- 12. Born to Mr. and Mrs. James
- Young, a son:
- 13. Prof. Sears' recital at the home of H. Eschenhorst.
- 22. Snow storm.
- James Baker entertains friends.
- 2. High school elects officers. 3. Miss Annie Flentie and Wm.
- Smith married. 4. Hon. A. M. Howell of Chicago
- spoke in M. E. church, 4. Three of our hunters capture a
- live swan.
- 6. Town election.
- Scott-Storey entertainment in J. Slade's M. E. church.
- 17. C. Richmond goes to Scotland.
- 17. School election. 18. Confirmation services in Ger- cago.
- man churches.
- 20. Village election.
- Arbor Day observed by the Co., 0. Public school.
- Fire Department elects officers.
- 23. Poverty social in M. E. church.
- 3. St. Paul's parsonage burned.

- 7. Prof. Braun's concert in M. E.
- 10. Death of John Hunnerberg.
- 11. Epworth League elects officers. 12. The School Board decides on a
- four year's course. 19. Miss Clara Thies "surprised."
- 21. Miss Millie Page "surprised." 29. Hon. A. M. Hoswell lectures in
- 31. Memorial Day observed.
- June. Matthei-Brockway nuptials.
- 6. Death of Hiram Gainer. 7. Firemens' picnic at Plum Groye.
- 9. Death of Dr. A. Owen.
- 12 Chas. Julian jr. entertains
- 16. Class Day exercises in M. E.
- church. 17. Eighth grade graduating exer-
- cises. 19. Mrs. L. Putnam entertains old settlers.
- 21. Cycling club elects officers. 23. Olms-Walters nuptials at South
- Elgin. 24. Prof. Sears' recital in M. E
- church. 25. High School Alumni banquets and dance.
- 27. Death of Chas. Hartung.
- 29. M. E. Sunday school picnics at Lake Zurich.
- 30. A daughter arrives at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Anderman.
- 30. Gracie Bray entertains friends on her birthday.
- 30. Sears-Schultz nuptials. July
- Strawberry and ice cream social in M. E. church.
- 14 Hiram Schirding's shed discovered on fire.
- 17. Athletic club picnic.
- Death of John Torgler. 28. Fire destroys \$5,000 worth of
- property.

August.

- 4. Schirding-House wedding.
- 5. Massmeeting votes "no" waterworks.
- 6. Mosser's barn burns to the ground.
- 12. "Bonnet" social in M. E.church. 17. Football meeting in Club rooms. 18. Frank Hamann and Miss Annie
- Thies married. 18. Lincoln-Pederson nuptials.
- September. 1. Master Walter Stroker entertains on his Third birthday anniver-
- 3. Wreck at the rairoad switch.
- 6. School opened.
- 15. Nasse-Meissner wedding. 19. Mr. and Mrs. H. Thomas' silver
- wedding anniversary. 22. Death of little Esther Seip.
- 26 Death of Wm. Wilson.
- The Village Board votes for water works.
- 30 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Alver-

son a son.

- 1 "Experience" social at Mrs. Al.
- 2 Palatine, 22-Northwest Division, 0.
- 6 Death of Frederick E. Wood at the home of his father in this place.
- 8 Harvest supper in M. E. church. Palatine, 28-Princeton A. C. 0. 10 St. Paul's church celebrates its
- 25th anniversary. Palatine.20-Eggleston A.-C., 6 Bert L. Smith "surprised."
- 19. 20, 21 Stereoptican views in Artie and Delia Knigge "surprised.'
- Palatine H. S., 28; Mayfair, H. S., 0.
- Palatine, 6; First Regiment, 0. Death of Christopher Winklehaken.
- Mr. and Mrs. James E. Morris celebrates their golden wedding. 8 C. H. Patten awarded water
- Palatine, 16; Lincoln C. C., 6. 14. Firemen have their picture taken. 15. Mrs. Vincent's barn burned.
- Rob Mix entertains friends. Prof. Sears class recital at Mrs School entertainment in M. E
- church. Concordia society dance. Thies-Bierman nuptials in Chi-
- Kraft-Schultz nuptials. Wienecke-Armstrong nuptials.
- Palatine, 26; Hibbard, S., B. & 30. Republican club elects officers. December.
- 2, 3. Ladies' Aid society fair in M E. church.

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Clearing Sale.

MEN'S OVERCOATS

BOYS' OVERCOATS

MEN'S FUR OVERCOATS

MEN'S SUITS

BOYS' SUITS

MEN'S WOOL PANTS

BOYS' KNEE PNTS

MEN'S JACKETS

MEN'S OVERALLS

We do not wish to carry any Clothing over at the close of the season so we will start now to cut prices. Come and secure these bargains while they last

DRESS GOODS

Our Dress Goods Department offers a very complete stock to make your selection from. We have low price dress goods as well as the very best. We sell Dress Goods cheap, and want your trade. Come to us for Dress Goods.

LADIES' CAPES

CHILDREN'S JACKETS

We are selling Ladies' Capes and Jackets, and Children's Cloaks, regardless of cost price.

The Busy Big Store.

UNDERSELLS THEM ALL A. W. MEYER & CO., Barrington.

Holiday

are more important than holiday pres-Whether your family demands a whole ox or a small chicken, or a pound or two of nice steak, we can serve you

Our prices are only high enough to make it possible to sell the very best Meats and Poultry the markets afford. but you find them low enough to leave lots of change for many little presents.

in a satisfactory manner.

GEO. M. WAGNER. BARRINGTON, ILL Fresh Home-Made Sausages. Oysters and Vegetables in Season. Highest Price Paid for Hides and Tallows

The Way to Do It

Some people are born with "a golden spoon in their mouth" while others are born to toil. Everybody wants to lay up something for a rainy day. The best plan for the man of limited means is to economize in his expenses -buying

Groceries, Dry Goods, Boots, Shoes. HATS, CAPS, GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, ETC.

where you can buy for the least money. I desire to state that I have an unusually large stock of Groceries, Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Gents Furnishing Goods, etc., in fact everything in the merchandise line, in which I can give you exceptionally good bargains.

JOHN C. PLAGGE:

DEALER IN GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

Barrington,

Illinois

Minor Happenings of the Past Week.

EVENTS OF LAST SEVEN DAYS.

Political, Religious, Social and Criminal Doings of the Whole World Carefully Condensed for Our Readers-The Aceldent Record.

Wheeling, W. Va.-Joseph Nichols, a wealthy farmer, died near here of hydrophobia, having been bitten by a pet house dog in September.

Lima, Ohio Nehemiah Ward, a rich farmer, disposed of a quantity of stock involving several thousand dollars, was assaulted and robbed and is dead. Monticello, Ill.-Ezra Marguiss, one of the pioneer settlers of Piatt county,

died near Deland. He was the father of Representative Marquiss of this dis-Waukesha, Wis.-William Malone,

aged 23 years, a teacher at the Wisconsin Industrial school in this city, died of blood poisoning resulting from cold sore.

Richmond, Ind .- Dr. W. W. Neff of Greensfork is defendant in a suit brought by Aaron M. Gunckel, asking \$5,000 for alleged alienation of his wife's affections.

Perry, O. T .- Mrs. Christine Pontis, a widow living on Pole Cat creek, near Ingalls, Q. T., east of Perry, during church services drank an ounce of poison and died,

Minneapolis, Minn.-John Moschik, a murderer, condemned to death, threw a handful of cigar ashes in the eyes of Special Watchman Peterson and tried to escape, but failed.

Carlinville, Ill.-Cooper & Son, operators of the Nilwood mine, have locked out their 125 employes. The operators granted numerous concessions to the men and demanded in return that they send up cleaner coal and do honest

Wheeling, W. Va.-At the Baptist church at Big Sycamore Benton Jarrett was shot in the breast and back by William Dorsey, a lawyer, whose wife Jarrett is alleged to have insulted. Dorsey gave himself up.

Tiffin, O.-Mrs. Hannah Sherman aged 101, the oldest resident of this county, is dead.

Quincy, Ill.-Enoch Long, an old resident, dropped dead in the street. He was 73 years old.

Eau Claire, Wis.-William Carson, president of the Valley Lumber company, is seriously ill with pneumonia. Huntington, Ind .- John McKnight keeper of stock at the county infirmary, was attacked by a mad bull and fatally injured.

Lima, O.-Mrs. Jacob Brown of Fremont went into the cellar with a light. Natural gas exploded. She was burned to a crisp.

Chattanooga, Tenn.-Edward Weller, aged 17 years, fired a single-barreled shotgun at his brother, William Weller, killing him. Logansport, Ind .- The Vandalia de-

pot caught fire from a furnace and burned; loss, \$10,000. Money and tickets could not be saved. Indianapolis, Ind.—Robert S. Camp-

bell of North Salem hanged himself in his barn. He had been unable to collect some accounts.

Bloomington, Ill.-While popping corn the clothing of the 9-year-old daughter of George Tedron caught fire. She will probably die.

Lexington, Ky.-John Blackford was fatally injured by a train. Blackford was one of Kentucky's most successful trotting-horse breeders.

St. Louis, Mo.-John Heron, a negro laborer, while intoxicated lay down by a stove in his room. The firemen found Heron's charred remains.

Pana, Ill.—The police believe that in the arrest of William Hatfill and Charles Orey they have captured the leaders of a gang of counterfeiters.

Madrid-An official dispatch from Manilla, capital of the Philippine Islands, announces that the Spanish flag has been hoisted at Camoerent and Biacubato. It is added that the insurgents rendered military honors and cheered for Spain.

Cleveland, O.-The brick rag warehouse of Koblitz Brothers, at 219 West River street, was destroyed by fire. The loss was \$55,000.

Paris-Gen. Saussier, the military governor of Paris, has decided to try Maj. Count Esterhazy by court-martial behind closed doors on Jan. 10.

Gov. Tanner has appointed F. Lueder of Peoria a member of the board of pharmacy, to succeed Albert Zimmerman, also of Peoria, whose term has expired.

Girard College, Philadelphia, celebrated its fiftleth anniversary with an elaborate programme of exercises. The event of the celebration was the oration delivered by Speaker Thomas B. Reed.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Detroit-Gouverneur Morris, a great grandson of Robert Morris, the revolutionary patriot, died suddenly here aged 50 years. He was well known throughout the country as a civil en-

Richmond, Ind .- Professor W. P. Reeves of this city has accepted a call to the chair of English at the Iowa State University. He will enter upon his duties at the opening of the next

Havana-Captain General Blanco has signed the appointments of the president of the council and the five secretaries. The name of Eduardo Dolz was substituted for that of Amblard as minister of commerce.

Toronto, Ont.-The Rev. William Burns, while preaching in Galt, dropped dead in the pulpit of heart fail-

Racine, Wis.-The Shaw Hardware company made an assignment to Hyland Daymond. The assets are given at \$5,000. Saginaw, Mich. Sewell Avery, one

of the wealthiest lumbermen in the Saginaw valley, died in a private sanitarium in Flint.

Astoria, Ore. Capt. Whitney and crew of ten men of the bark Oakland, which went ashore in Cape Flattery, were picked up by the schooner Laura

Boston, Mass.-Judge Edmund H. Bennett, the venerable dean of the Boston University law school, died after an illness of a few weeks, aged 74

Lansing, Mich.-Henry L. Becker of Hesperia died here of a combination of ailments brought on by excessive training for athletic sports.

Stevens Point, Wis.-Captain Rich. formerly chief engineer of the Wisconsin Central and later connected in the same capacity on the Soo line, has been appointed director general of railways in China.

Indianopils, Ind.-The demand of creditors for the removal of Trustee Perkins and the appointment of a receiver for the Krag-Renolds wholesale grocery firm resulted this evening in the appointment of D. W. Coffin, who gave bond in \$200,000.

New York.-The steamer Concho, which arrived from Havana, brought 968 bales of Cuban tobacco.

Bar Harbor, Me.-Miss Lucille Pulitzer, oldest daughter of Joseph Pulitzer of the New York World, died at Chatwold, his summer residence, of typhoid ever.

Milwaukee, Wis.-The freight steamer Alice Stafford, for whose safety considerable apprehension has been felt, arrived safely at Frankfort, Mich.

Burlington, N. J.—The state masonic lodge has taken possession of the magnificent mansion recently purchased here for a home for indigent members of the fraternity and their widows and orphans. It was erected and furnished by a Cincinnati millionaire at a cost of \$225,000. The figure paid by the masons for the entire property, within and without, was a trifle over \$20,000.

San Francisco, Cal.-George B. King, author of numerous religious works, is dead. He was born in New Ipswich, N. H., eighty-six years ago.

Alexandria, Ind.—The Gas Belt Electric railway from Anderson to Alexandria is completed and cars are ruaning. The line will be extended to Ma rion next spring.

St. Louis, Mo .- Henry W. Steinbiss, recently elected national secretary of the United States Building Trades Council, has resigned the position. Henry Moore, secretary of the Plumbers' Union, will succeed him.

Altoona, Pa.-Adam Pfeffer, who had second-class transportation from New Ulm, Minn., to Hamburg, Germany, jumped through a car window of the Atlantic express east in the vicinity of South Fork and was instantly killed.

Anderson, Ind .- The 9 and 13 yearold sons of Robert Jackson (colored) were skating, when the ice gave way. and one boy went in. His brother jumped in and finally managed to save him. The brave boy, however, was unable to draw himself out, and was drowned.

Denver, Col.-Gov. Adams appointed Theron Stevens of Ouray district judge to succeed William H. Gabbert, resigned.

LATEST MARKET REPORTS. CHICAGO.

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Hogs, all grades 1.70	@3.521/2
Cattle, common to prime 1.80	@5.40
Sheep and lambs 2.50	(#5.90
Corn, No. 2	@ .27%
Wheat, No. 3 spring85	@ .92
Oats, No. 3 white	.241/4
Eggs	@ .21
Rye, No. 2	.46%
Butter12	@ 21
PEORIA.	- Maria
Rye, No. 2	.40

Oats, No. 2 white..... .223/4 Corn, No. 2..... KANSAS CITY. Cattle, all grades..... 1.50 @5.00 Hogs, all grades 3.25 @3.45 Sheep and lambs 3.00 @5.50

ST. LOUIS. Cattle, all grades 2.35 @5.25 Hogs 3.30 @3.50 Sheep and lambs..... 4.00 @5.75 Wheat, No. 2....... .9734@ .98 Oats, No. 2 eash..... .221/2 Corn, No. 2 cash.....

DIES WITH HIS CHILDREN.

New Jersey Father Proves Himself a Hero.

SIX KILLED DURING A FIRE.

Entire Family Almost Wiped Out-Father Found With the Charred Remains of His Little Son Clasped in His Arms.

Six members of one family were killed by flames and smoke in a fire that occurred early in the morning of Jan. 2 in Jersey City. The dead are: Adolph Reich, 42 years old, the father; Emma Reich, 42 years old, mother; Tillie Reich, 22 years old; Albert Reich, 14 years, and Gustav Reich, 8 years old. Several others were injured, and it may be that another member of the ill-fated family will die. He is the 19year-old son, and his body is covered with burns. The father had escaped from the building, but went back to save his children. When found he had fallen upon the daughter, and his son was in his arms. They were be a small surplus available for exburned almost beyond recognition. | port.

OUR TRADE AT STAKE.

President McKinley Watcking Develop-

ments in China. The president and members of congress who follow foreign questions are watching developments in China with interest and even anxiety. American ambassadors and ministers have been notified to keep close watch on the moves made by the European powers in China, and to let those powers clearly understand that the United States will demand recognition of all treaty rights as now existing.

Prof. Currier Elected President.

The Iowa State Teachers' association elected Prof. A. N. Currier, Iowa City, president. The selection of a place for the next annual meeting was left in the hands of the executive com-

Counterfeit \$100 Notes Out.

Counterfeit \$100 silver certificates are in circulation. Secretary Gage has decided to call in all the notes of that denomination. There are \$26,000,000 of the bills outstanding.

Will Have Wheat for Export. The wheat yield of New South Wales is 9,745,000 bushels. There will-

THE MONETARY COMMISSION AND ITS REPORT.



The monetary commission appointed by the Indianapolis convention of bankers has made its report. This report will be presented to congress as a recommendation. It will receive the same attention that would a similar document from any other body of citizens. Be it remembered that the board is not official. It was not appointed by congress. It came into existence of its own accord, with the best interests of the country at heart, as each lars shall be coined, but those now member sees it. They have unani- coined shall be made redeemable in mously agreed that the kind of finar- gold on demand. We present portraits cial reform needed in the United States of the members of the commission is embodied in the following propositions. (1) An absolute gold standard

A CUT OF 10 PER CENT.

Wages of Employes.

in wages, affecting thousands of em-

ployes, has gone into effect in most of

the cotton mills of New England. The

reduction was general in Massachu-

setts. Next week it will take effect in

New Hampshire and Rhode Island, and

on Jan. 17 will probably be ordered in

Michigan State Teachers' Association

The Michigan State Teachers' asso-

ciation indorsed the compulsory school

law and declared it should be so

amended to apply with equal force to

the country as to the city. The asso-

ciation urges upon all localities the

adoption of free text books as provid-

ed by the law of 1897, and deprecates

any movement which looks toward the

state publication or state adoption of

Kirtley Committed Suicide.

county, Indiana, committed suicide.

There are grave fears of a large deficit

be put on the books. At this time of

the dead man's books show about

President Sturgis Disappears.

rest of President H. C. Sturgis of the

bankrupt Citizens' bank of Oelwein,

Iowa, the charge being embezzlement

of school funds deposited in the bank.

Rockefeller's Princely Gift.

000 to enable the Chicago University to

swell its income for the year begin-

ning July 1, 1898, to \$729,000, the sum

Looks Bad for Hanna.

from Ohio, lost two skirmishes in his

battle for re-election. Both branches

of the legislature were organized by

democrats and anti-Hanna republicans.

Novak Fails to Secure Ball.

failing to secure the \$18,000 bail bond

fixed by Chief Justice Kinne, was tak-

en to the Anamosa penitentiary.

Novak, the Walford, Iowa, murderer,

M. A. Hanna, United States senator

needed to carry out its work.

John D. Rockefeller has given \$200,-

Sturgis has disappeared.

James Kirtley, treasurer of Benton

uniform text books.

\$17,000.

An average reduction of 10 per cent

for the United States. (2) Retirement of greenbacks. (3) Prohibition of money issued by the government. (4) A national bank currency based on gold bonds of the United States. (5) The abolition of the 1 per cent tax on national notes. (6) The gradual retirement of bonds on which bank circulation is based, so that finally bank notes will be secured by assets of the bank exclusively. (7) No more silver dol-

STEEL AND WIRE TRUST.

New England Cotton Mills Reduce Capital Stock of \$87,000,000 Incorpora tors of the Company.

> Chicago, Jan, 5.—Dispatches from Springfield yesterday predict that this week there will be filed with the secretary of state articles of incorporation for the largest stock company capitalized in Illinois. The name of the new company will be the American Steel and Wire company, and the capital stock will be \$87,000,000.

The incorporators are: John W. Gates, president of the Illinois Steel company; Isaac L. Ellwood of the Ellwood company, and Elbert H. Gary, general counsel for the Consolidated Steel and Wire company, of which Col. John Lambert of Joliet is president. It is said that the general offices of the company will be located in the Rookery building and that Henry T. Oliver of the Oliver-Snyder company, Pittsburg, will be president of the combination.

Minister Woodford Is Silent. Madrid, Jan. 4. There is absolutely no truth in the rumors so industriously circulated that the American minister in the county funds and experts will here has protested to the Spanish government against General Weyler's let-ter to the queen regent. Minister the year the treasurer's books should show about \$30,000 on deposit, while Woodford confines himself strictly to the public matters at issue Letween Spain and the United States, and does not meddle in the inner affairs of Spain. A warrant was sworn out for the ar-

> Makes the Reduction General. The action of the cotton manufacturers in New Bedford and Rhode Island in deciding to join the movement to lower the wage scale in January, which was inaugurated by the big corporations of Fall River, makes the reduction general throughout the New England states,

> Heavy Purchase by Hanna. By the Youghiogheny Gas Coal company's purchase of 500 acres of land from Capt. S. S. Brown several days ago United States Senator M. A. Hanna will become the coal king of the Pittsburg district.

World's Production of Gold.

The directors of the mint, from information now at hand, say that the world's product of gold for 1897 will approximate \$240,000,000, an increase of nearly 20 per cent over 1896

Scrofula and All other blood Diseases are promptly And Permanently Cured By Hood's Sarsaparilla.

If you suffer from Any form of Blood Disorder, you should Take Hood's and Only Hood's.

Gentle Editorial Hint. A Georgia eduor says: "We publish the governor's message as a supplement. We're too patriotic to charge anything extra for it, but we embrace this opportunity to say that we need wood badly."

In Olden Times

People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects and were satisfied with transient action; but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently overcome habitual constipation, well-informed people will not buy other laxatives. which act for a time, but finally injure the system. Buy the genuine, made by the California Fig Syrup Co..

Some people use very poor material when they make up their minds.

That's what Miss Fannie McDonald, of Louisville, Ky., writes. DROPS One of many thousand unsolicited (TRADE MARK) testimonials, regarding the efficacy of "5 DROPS."

Hotel Broadway, Louisville, Ky., Oct. 7, 1897.

SWANSON RHEUMATIC CURE CO., 167

Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill.: DEAR SIRS: After a long silence I write you to know how I am. I owe my life to you, or at least believe I do, for I was given up by two doctors (good ones too) to die, but after taking two bottles of your medicine I was able to get about. I am trying to induce everybody that

SUFFERS FROM RHEUMATISM to try your "5 DROPS," and I know of some that have tried it, and pronounced it the best they ever tried. Yours truly, FANNY McDonald.

A DEAD SHOT FOR RHEUMATISM.

Horsehead, Ark., Nov. 13, 1897.

SWANSON RHEUMATIC CURE CO., 167
Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill.: Thank the Lord, Iam on footonce more. The "5 DROPS" knocked
the Rheumatism in the head and put me on my
crutches, so I kept taking it, and now I have
thrown away my crutches, and walk about like
a man. May God bless the man that got up the
"5 DROPS," it is a dead shot for Rheumatism
and Gravel. Three different doctors gave me
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Monetary Commission Announces Its Plans.

DETAILS OF THE REPORT

Suggests a Scheme for the Redemption and Retirement of Treasury Notes and for Various National Bank Reforms.

Washington, Jan. 4.- The report of the monetary commission, containing the plan of currency reform proposed by it, together with a full discussion of the subject and a mass of valuable statistics and other information, has been sent out by the executive conmittee of the Indianapolis convention. Following are the main points of the plan:

"The existing gold standard shall be maintained; and to this end the standard unit of value shall continue, as now, to consist of 25.8 grains of gold nine-tenths fine, or 23 22 grains (pure gold, as now represented by th one-tenth part of the eagle. All ohligations for the payment of money shall be performed in conformity to the standard aforesaid; but this provision shall not be deemed to affect the present legal-tender quality of the silver coinage of the United States, or of their paper currency having the quality of legal tender. All obligations of the United States for the pay ment of money now existing or here after entered into shall, unless other wise expressly provided, be deemed and held to be payable in gold coin of the United States, as defined in the standard aforesaid. No silver doilars shall hereafter be coined.

"There shall be created a separate division in the treasury department to be known as the division of issue and redemption. A reserve shall be established in this division by the transfer to it by the treasurer of the United States from the general funds of the treasury of the amount of gold in coin and bullion equal to 25 per cent of the aggregate amount of both the United States notes and treasury notes issued under the act of July 14 1890, outstanding, and a further som in gold equal to 5 per cent of the aggregate amount of the coinage of sil-

ver dollars. "The division of issue and redemption shall on demand at Washington and at such subtreasuries of the United States as the secretary of the treasury may from time to time desig-

"(a) Pay out gold coin for gold cer tificales.

"(b) Pay out gold coin in redemp-

tion of United States notes or treasury notes of 1890. "(c) Pay out silver dollars for sil-

ver certificates of any demonmination. "(d) Issue silver certificates of denominations of \$1, 2 and \$5 in exchange for silver dollars and for silver certificates in denominations above \$5. ((e) Pay out coin in exchange for silver dollars.

"(f) Pay out silver dollars in ex change for gold coin, United States notes or treasury notes.

"(g) Pay out United States notes of treasury notes, not subject to immediate cancellation, in exchange for gold coin.

"(h) Pay out and redeem subsidiar and minor coins as provided by existing laws.

"(i) Pay cut United States notes in exchange for currency certificates.

"United States notes or treasury notes once redeemed shall not be paid out again except for gold coin, unless there shall be an accumulation of such notes in the division of issue and redemption, which cannot then be canceled under the provisions of the act. in which case the secretary of the treasury shall have authority, if in his judgment that course is necessary for the public welfare, to invest the same or any portion thereof in bonds of the United States for the penefit of the reremption fund: such bonds to be held in the division of issue and redemption. subject to sale at the discretion of the secretary of the treasury for the bondfit of the division of issue and demption, and not for any other pur

"The secretary of the treasury shall be authorized to sell from time to time, at his discretion, any silver bullion in the division of issue and redemption, and the proceeds in gold of such sales shall be placed to the account of the gold reserve in the division of issue and redemption.

"The gold certificates and currency certificates shall, whenever presented and paid or received in the treasury. be retired and not reissued.

"No United States note or treasury note of 1890 of a denomination less than \$10 shall hereafter be issued; and silver certificates all hereafter be issued or paid out only in denominations of \$1, \$2 and \$5, against silver dollars

held by or deposited in the treasury. "The assistant treasurer in charge of the division of issue and redemption shall, on demand, pay in gold coin all United States notes and treasury notes presented for payment, and as paid cancel the same up to the amount of \$50,000,000. After that amount shall said outstanding notes.

have been paid and cancelled he shall then from time to time cancel such further amounts of notes so paid as shall equal but not exceed the increase of national bank notes issued subsequent to the taking effect of the proposed act.

"If at the end of five years, next after the taking effect of the proposed act any United States notes or treasury notes shall be outstanding, a sum not exceeding one-fifth of such cutstanding amount shall be retired and cancelled each year thereafter, and at the end of ten years after the passage of the proposed act the United States notes and treasury notes then outstanding shall cease to be legal tender for all debts public and private, except for dues to the United States ..

"It shall be the duty of the secretary of the treasury to maintain the gold reserve in the division of issue and redemption at such sum as shall secure the certain and immediate redemption of all notes and silver dollars presented, and the preservation of public confidence; and for this purpose he shall from time to time, as needed, transfer from the general fund of the treasury to the division of issue and redemption any surplus revenue not otherwise appropriated; and in addition thereto he shall be authorized to issue and sell; whenever it is in his judgment necessary for that purpose, bonds of the United States bearing interest not exceeding 3 per cent, running twenty years, but redeemable in gold coin, at the option of the United States, after one year; and the proceeds of all such sales shall be paid into the division of issue and redemption for the purposes aforesaid.

"To provide for any temporary deficiency which may at any time exist in the fiscal department of the treasury of the United States the secretary of the treasury shall be authorized, at his discretion, to issue certificates of indebtedness of the United States, payable in from one to five years after their date, to the bearer, of the denomination of \$50 or multiples thereof, with interest at the rate not to exceed 3 per cent per annum.

"Whenever money is to be borrowed on the credit of the United States, the secretary shall be authorized, instead of issuing the usual forms of engraved bonds, upon receiving lawful money of the United States in sums of not less than \$50 in any single payment, to cause a record of all such payments to be made in hooks to be kept for that purpose in Washington, and thereafter from time to time, to pay to those so registered on such books interest not exceeding 3 per cent per annum in gold coin, on the amount with which they shall severally stand credited on such books in the same manner and at the same dates as if they were the holders and owners of registered bonds of the United States.

"The total issues of any national bank shall not exceed the amount of its paid-up and unimpaired capital, exclusive of so much thereof as is invested in real estate. All such notes shall be of uniform design and quality, and shall be made a first lien upon all assets of the issuing bank, including the personal liability of its stockholders. No suchinotes shall be of less denomination than \$10.

"Up to an amount equal to 25 per cent of the capital stock of the bank (the whole of its capital being unimpaired), the notes issued by it shall not exceed the value of United States bonds, deposited with the treasurer of the United States. The additional notes authorized may be issued without further deposit of bonds.

"Beginning five years after the passage of the proposed act, the amount of bonds required to be deposited before issuing notes in excess thereof shall be reduced each year by onefifth of the 25 per cent of capital herein provided for; and thereafter any bank may at any time withdraw any bonds deposited in excess of the requirements thereof.

"Every national bank shall pay a tax at the rate of 2 per cent per annum. payable monthly, upon the amount of its notes outstanding in excess of 60 per cent and not in excess of 80 per cent of its capital, and a tax at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, payable monthly, upon the amount of its notes outstanding in excess of 80 per cent of its capital.

Provision is made for payment by the banks to make a guaranty fund.

"Upon the failure of any bank to redeem its notes they shall be paid from the said guaranty fund, and forthwith proceedings shall be taken to collect from the assets of the bank and from the stockholders thereof, if necessary, a sum sufficient to repay said guaranty fund the amount thereof that shall have been used to redeem said notes; and also such further sum as shall be adequate to the redemption of all the unpaid notes of said bank outstanding.

"If the said guaranty fund of 5 per cent of all the notes outstanding shall become impaired by reason of payments made to redeem said notes as herein provided, the comptroller of the currency shall make an assessment upon all the banks, in proportion to their notes then outstanding, sufficient to make said fund equal to 5 per cent of

"The present system of national bank note redemption should be continued, with a constantly maintained redemption fund of 5 per cent in gold coin, and with power conferred on the comptroller of the currency, with the approval of the secretary of the treasury, to establish additional redempt tion agencies at any or all of the subtreasuries of the United States, as he may determine.

"National banks shall hold reserves in lawful money against their deposits of not less than 25 per cent and 15 per cent for the respective classes as now provided by law, at least one-fourth of which reserve shall be in coin and held in the vaults of the bank. Neither the 5 per cent redemption fund nor the 5 per cent guaranty fund shall be counted as part of the reserve required. No bank shall count or report any of its own notes as a part of its cash or cash assets on hand.

"Permit the organization of national banks with a capital stock of \$25,000 in places of 4,000 population or less.

"Provision should be made whereby branch banks may be established with the consent of the comptroller of the currency and approval of the secretary of the treasury.

"For the purpose of meeting the expenses of the treasury in connection with the national bank system, a tax of one-eighth of 1 per cent per annum upon its franchises, as measured by the amount of its capital, surplus and undivided profits, shall be imposed upon each bank."

In conclusion geveral minor amendment to the existing law are suggested, among them these:

To make it penal for any bank to loan money or grant any gratuity to an examiner of that bank and penal for such bank examiner to receive it."

"Existing banks may accept provisions within one year."

"Existing banks which do not accept the new law within one year to be wound up."

"State banks may come in as provided for."

Explosive Sea Shells.

Walking along the beach on Mobile Bay, a young woman, a relative of the writer, picked up a handful of little shells, left by the tide, and among them several shells of a small marine "snail," the largest of which was probably a half-inch in diameter and the smallest some three-eighths of an inch. She dropped them into her pocket and forget all about them until several days afterward, when an unpleasant odor in her wardrobe attracted her attention to them. On taking them out of her pocket some fell on the floor, and in recovering them she placed her foot on one. The act was followed by an explosion, quite sharp, and loud enough to be heard all over the floor on which her room is. Astonished, she concluded to try another, and the same result followed. The shells were then brought to the writer, who on examination found the mouth of each firmly closed by a membrane of greater or less thickness, formed by the drying of the animal slime. This had probably occurred soon after the removal from the moisture of the beach, and the little inhabitant of the shell dying, the gases of decomposition had quite filled its internal space. On exerting a little pressure by squeezing the shell between two blocks of wood quite a loud explosion was produced. the fragments of the shell being thrown several feet. Subsequently, on trying the experiment, out of a dozen shells only two failed to exploite. The conditions most favorable to success in making the experiment seem to be removal from the beach in very hot, dry weather, which cause the slime to be exuded in greater quantity than usual and dries it up rapidly as it exudes.

Washing the Face.

There are some misguided persons who object to washing the face often, especially with soap, thinking this is an injury to the complexion. Those, however, who have made a specialty of skin diseases, will say that no part of the body needs soap so much; that the face being constantly exposed to dust, collects so much that it is not enough to wash it in clear water. They agree that if soap makes the face shiny, as so many claim, it only shows that it' is the more needed, and that the work of drying after the bath has not been properly performed. The face, however, should not be wet immediately before or after going out. Its most thorough ablutions should be performed at night before going to bed, and the following method should be observed in the process: Fill a basin with soft, warm water, lather a medium-sized sponge with good soap, and wash carefully. Then take fresh water without soap, and wash again with the hands, and rub thoroughly with a Turkish or crash towel until the face is dry and tingling. This will do much towards improving and preserving the complexion.

Dasherly-Too bad Mrs. Swift doesn't like her husband. Flasherly-Why, I thought she did. Dasherly-Oh, noshe gives him cigars for Christmas presents.-The Yellow Book.

Fearful Disaster at London, ONTARIO.

FLOOR CITY HALL FALLS.

Crowd That Had Gathered to Listen to Political Speeches Hurled Down with the Heavy Timbers-Building Was Notoriously Unsafe.

Thirty-one persons were killed and many injured by the collapse of a floor in the city hall at London, Ont., Jan. 3. The night glosed the municipal campaign, and the hall was crowded to hear the addresses of the successful candidates.

During the course of a speech there was a sudden sagging of timbers and the next moment hundreds of people were hurled twenty feet to the floor below. A beam running along the center of the half had given way and the crowded mass standing above that section of the floor was thrown into a heap to the basement. A large safe stood in one corner of the hall, and with a huge steam coil weighing half a ton, came crashing down on the heads of the victims.

Following the crash there was a rush for the doors and a wild panic, during which some thirty persons received injuries.

The building was an old one, having been erected in the early '50s, and of late years additional stories had been placed on the old walls. It had been pronounced unfit for use.

Surplus for November.

The preliminary figures of the government receipts and expenditures show that the total receipts for the month of December amounted to \$59,-646,698 and the expenditures \$27,095,-000, which leaves a surplus for the month of \$32,551,698.

State Piles a Brief.

The state of Indiana has filed a brief in the supreme court in the contention affecting the constitutionality of the anti-gas waste law, raising the point among other things that every gas consumer has a right to enjoin against its useless waste.

Uniformity Scheme Falls.

The scheme to place coal operations in the Pittsburg district on a fair equitable basis has failed. The meeting adjourned without putting the uniformity agreement into effect. It was decided to meet again in Janu

HOME FOR ODD FELLOWS

Indiana Members of the Order Will Erect a Building.

Indiana Odd Fellows are making preparations to build a home for indigent members and widows of Odd Fellows. A location for the home is already being sought. The home will be very elaborate and maintained by the lodge in good style. It will be large enough to accommodate several hundred.

The Odd Fellows are also preparing to build a temple at Indianapolis that will compare with the one which has just been erected by the Indiana Masons. There are now 43,186 members in the state, members of 628 different lodges.

Indiana Teachers Elect Officers.

The Indiana State Teachers' association elected F. M. Stalker, Terre Haute, president.

The Indiana Academy of Science elected C. A. Waldo of Purdue university president.

The State Association of Elocutionists elected T. J. McAvoy of Indianapolis president.

Monetary Convention Called.

H. H. Hanna, chairman of the executive committee of the Indianapolis monetary convention, has mailed to the boards of trade and commercial organizations of the country the notice of the call for the reconvening of the convention in Indianapolis Jan. 25.

Wheat "Corner" Hurt No One,

December wheat went out peaceably with the old year at Chicago at 95 cents. The much-talked of "corner" was nowhere in evidence. Not a short was squeezed and not one default in delivery was recorded.

Thirty-Six Buildings Burned. Fire at Farmville, Va., Jan. 2, de-

stroyed thirty-six buildings. The loss is estimated at \$150,000, on which there is insurance of about one-third that amount.

Young People Commit Suicide.

Miss Viola Marquand, aged 23 years, daughter of a wealthy farmer, and Michael Miller, aged 26, a saloonkeeper, committed suicide at Monroeville, Ind.

Mexican Miners Rescued.

The thirty-five miners who were supposed to have perished in the disaster at the mine of San Jose de Garcia, at Guanajuato, Mexico, have been rescued.

Major Butterworth Seriously Ill. Mai. Benjamin Butterworth of Ohio was attacked by convulsions Jan. 3 and is in a very dangerous condition



Professor J. H. Collins, the new president of the Illinois State Teachers' Association, is a type of the best educators in the country. He is by study and practice thoroughly versed in the applied science of education, and in addition he has the practical experience which emphasizes the virtues and faults and needs of the public school system—that experience which comes in all completeness only to the selfmade man. Professor Collins was born about forty years ago on a farm in central Missours. His early life was like that of most country boys of that period. He attended the district school in the winter and on rainy days, otherwise he worked on the farm. His ambition went beyond log schoolhouse. By diligent study he fitted himself ior and thoroughly progressive element.

college and by hard work and ingenuity he made his expenses along the road toward a degree. More than seventeen years ago Professor Collins came to Springfield, and he has served there continually since. He was principal of the Palmer school three years, princ pal of the high school five years, and for nine years has been superintendent. His reputation as an educator has not been confined to Illinois. Last year he was elected a director of the National Educational Association, and he is in charge, for the national association, of the movement to get a large attendance for Illinois at the national gathering in Washington next summer. Among the school men of Illinois Professor Collins is allied with the solidly

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China, Korea and the Powers.

The Yellow sea is the stage whereon is enacted the beginning of the drama to be performed by the powers of Europe and Japan. The two nations whose interests are most vitally concerned in the play, China and Korea, do not count at all. They are as helpless as hares in the clutches of wolves.

By right of conquest the suzerainty which China and Japan mutually held over Korea previous to the China-Japanese war two years ago passed to Japan, which prepared to exercise it at the close of the war. At this point, however, Russia stepped in and objected to such extension of Japanese influence. She intended Korea for herself. Then by some sort of flummery arrangement so well known to the diplomacy of Europe the control of Korea was intrusted mutually to Russia and Japan instead of to China and Japan, as before. Since then the wily Russian has been quietly bringing all his powers of both force and persuasion to bear to turn everybody but himself out of Korea. The Russian aims at both China and Korea. When his plans were ready, the first overt act was the occupation of Port Arthur. The Yellow sea makes a leep indentation in the east coast of China, and an arm of the Yellow sea extends far inland toward Peking itself. This arm is called the Gulf of Pe-chi-li, and at the entrance to the gulf of Pe-chi-li. on the north, is Port Arthur, where the Russian fleet is. It will thus be seen that Russia is comfortably ensconced not a great distance from the very capital of China.

Farther to the southeast, at the entrance to the Yellow sea, southward from the peninsula of Korea, lies the island of Port Hamilton, where the fleets of England and Japan are at anchor. Port Hamilton covers the entrance to the Yellow sea on the north. Meantime on the opposite point, not far from the southern entrance to the Yellow sea, is Kiao Chou, of which the German naval vessels have taken possession. But was France to be left out? By no means. France, with the approval of England at least, takes possession of Hainan, a great and rich island off the south coast of China. This is the present situation of the respective naval forces of the nations lying in wait for the signal to pounce upon their prey. No wonder the emperor of China and his people believe that the eclipse of the sun on the Chinese New Year's day betokens impending calamity. It certainly does in the present instance.

While Russia was preparing to enter Port Arthur she worked among the Koreans by means of spies who threatened and coaxed and in time succeeded in ousting Japanese, British and even German civil officers and replacing them with Russians. She has been at the same crafty work in China as well. Russia has decidedly the start in the grab game.

General Blanco admits that Lieutenant Ruiz, put to death by the Cuban General Aranguren, bore no flag of truce when he approached the patriot camp. He simply went as an unofficial individual to sound the Cuban general and see if he could not get him to sell out to Spain and to make terms for the transfer. Aranguren's answer was a military execution for the man who presumed on private friendship to try to induce the Cuban commander to betray the patriot cause. The sneaking Spanish plan was to back out of the enterprise if Ruiz's mission failed and say that no flag of truce had been sent to the insurgent camp. If the mission succeeded, then great glory would be made for Blanco publicly. Aranguren answered the shallow ruse with the stern logic of bayonet and bullet. Ruiz deserved his fate as much as John Andre did when Washington condemned him to execution.

President McKinley and his cabinet show true wisdom in declining to have anything to do with the proposed Anglo-Japanese alliance or any other alliance of any kind. We are strong enough to stand on our feet, but it would be fatal to us to be mixed up in the grab games of European nations. One of the greatest utterances from the lips of any American was Washington's prophetic warning to our government to avoid entangling alliances with other nations.

Sneak and snake are two words very much alike. They are derived from the same root.

Cotton Goods North and South.

The dullness in the New England cotton goods mills is marked at this time when so many other manufacturing insustries are livelier than in half a dozen years. The reason is attributed largely to competition from the cotton mills of the south, which are increasing immensely year by year in number and in quantity of output. Some of them are also beginning to make a finer grade of cotton cloths than has hitherto been attempted. Living is far cheaper for the factory operative in the south than in the north. The climate is mild, every man can have a house and garden to himself, and the price paid for food is in the main considerably less than in the New Eugland cities. Another point, too, is that in the south the cotton is manufactured where it grows. In New England not only the raw material but the fuel that makes steam to run the cotton mills must be shipped a long distance, involving expensive freights.

The situation becomes graver for New England each year. Some of the cotton mills there are already preparing to meet it by going into the manufacture of linen goods, abandoning cotton. Others are removing bodily to the south. Indications certainly are that the south will in a few years monopolize the manufacture of common cotton cloths. The New England mills can, however, as certainly work into the manufacture of those finer grades of goods which now are imported under heavy duty from Switzerland, France and England. These goods are as beautiful in texture as silk and nearly as high in price. American ingenuity is surely equal to the making of them, especially in New England.

Wo Chang's Book.

A queer volume, containing much of sith satire and humor, is that written by a Chinaman and published in English under the title of "England Seen Through Chinese Spectacles." The author, Wo Chang, remarks politely that since for many years Chinamen have accepted English criticisms on their social life good naturedly he takes it for granted the British mind will receive in the same spirit his strictures on society and customs in her majesty's realm. Then he proceeds to give the British such a dressing down as will make them think a Chinaman is not such a fool as they took him for.

Wo Chang says the British bestow more care by far on purity of breeding in their horses, dogs and barnyard fowls than in their own families, which is quite true for that matter, and as true of Americans as of English. In China, Wo Chang informs us, marriages are arranged on scientific principles by parents and guardians. On each side the contracting families must give a guarantee that they are free from crime or hereditary insanity or disease. In no case are a young man and woman related to each other even distantly allowed to marry. In Christian England though, declares Wo Chang, the only questions asked by parents are those connected with the fortune and social position of the family in which their son or daughter is about to enter.

Wo Chang says he never visited any country in which the "great goddess of appearances" was worshiped as she is in England. He holds up the Christians of the United States also upon his little pen point in the following:

"Some years since I passed through the Christian city of San Francisco, where 40,000 hardworking, sober and quiet Chinamen have had a long experience of the persecuting spirit of Christians. They treat my countrymen like dogs during the week, while on Sundays praying for their conversion to Christianity."

Superstition is one of the most powerful mental influences that can be brought to bear on those who have not risen above its sway. The Chinese are drawing direful portent from the fact that the eclipse of the sun falls on their New Year's day, Jan. 22. Scientists of the western world look forward to the event with intense interest and pleasant expectation as something from which they may gain useful information. The Chinese await it with trembling dread.

Secretary Gage's plan for pensioning off old treasury clerks proposes to give them, say, half or two-thirds work after the age of 70, with a salary reduced to \$900. Whether this would induce the old boys to spruce up and do full work and practice gentle deception in regard to their ages, so as to put off the evil day, is hard to say.

An English paper has made a discovery, which it announces to the world. It is that Emperor William of Germany is not so foolish as he seems.

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White House Receptions.

The superintendent of government buildings and grounds at Washington, Mr. Bingham, has made an examination of the floors and walls of the fine old White House and reports that it is no longer safe for the crowds that throng there to attend the presidential receptions each winter. It would be certainly unsafe, he declares, for 4,000 persons. o attempt to enter it at one time. Fully that number sometimes throng the mansion at the evening receptions, and it is at considerable bodily risk that one would try to pass through this surging. crushing mass. The floor of the grand east room is already propped up.

The truth is the executive mansion, quite large enough and strong enough to accommodate the guests of the nation's president half a century ago, has been outgrown. Even since 1860 our population has been nearly doubled. At the time the presidential receptions were instituted it was thought, properly enough, that any decently dressed and behaved citizen had the right to call on his president, but the citizens are now so many that the custom will have to be done away or a new and vast presidential home built. This winter President McKinley will try to prevent some of the crushing by giving five public evening receptions instead of four, that his callers may be distributed as to time.

The province of Manzanillo has been pacified, as was reported long since by Weyler to the Spanish government. It has been indeed, according to the word of a man who has been there, but not pacified in the way Weyler wished it to be understood. The pacification consists in the complete abandonment of the province to the insurgents, who inhabit it peacefully and raise flocks and herds and till the soil and even make gunpowder, arms, shoes and other supplies for the forces of the Cuban republic in the field. This is the sort of peace which will altimately extend throughout the whole island.

It is difficult to understand by what authority the United States government stops vessels merely carrying a cargo of arms as merchandise, the property of private citizens, to any point whatever. Under the strictest construction of Spain's treaty rights our government has no authority to stop in her behalf a vessel sailing from an American port unless that vessel actually carries men journeying with arms in their hands to fight against Spain. There is such a thing as this government overriding the rights of its own citizens in its zeal to help Spain conquer Cuba.

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this week.

Miss Scholz went to Chicago on Mon-

C. W. Kohl has returned from Ne-

John Miller of DeKalb was a New Years caller.

Charles Prouty of Elgin was here

New seats were put in the school room this week.

Courtney Bros, shipped stock to Chicago Tuesday.

Miss Annie Steinhofer went to Wau-

kegan Tuesday. F. Roney shipped a good lot of hogs

the first of the week. Wm. Bierman made the Bluff City a business call on Monday.

The boarding houses in this village are crowded with boarders.

Charles Froelich made Wankegan a business call on Thursday.

Wm. Zimmer of Long Grove was among the Tuesday callers.

School began on Monday, after enjoying the holiday vacation.

Everybody seems to have a cough. They say hot lemon sage is good.

Don't miss the masquerade ball at Ficke's hall on Saturday, January 15. Joe Spunner took a carload of cattle to Chicago the first of the week.

MONEY TO LOAN. -In amounts to suit, up to \$3,000.-M. C. Mc Intosh.

The New Year's hall given in Ficke's hall was a social and financial success.

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Daniel Gilfoy of Chicago, formerly station agent at this place, was a New Years caller.

A very large force of men is now employed by Harris & Foley to harvest

the crop of ice. Fred Seip was over from Wheeling on New Years Day to visit his parents

and his many friends. Mrs. Gustav Fiedler has been on the sick list. Dr. Clausius of Barrington was in attendance.

vices as usual on Sunday. The atten- enjoyable visit. dance was very large last Sunday.

A grand masquerade ball will be given at Ficke's hall on Saturday eve- day evening by a number of her ning, January 15th, by the Ela Cornet friends at the home of Miss Mary band. See bills for particulars.

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The dance given by the Lake Zurich Volunteer Fire Company given in the village hall on New Years Eve was a success in every particular.

Complaints have been coming in rather thick of late on account of the rough condition of the roads by the traveling public. Our town gets what large eastern city, and in Chicago: the it needs-a roasting.

tual Fire Insurance Co. took place in the town hall last Tuesday. There was no change made in the personnel of the officers. All claims presented were satisfactorily adjusted. The claims of E. Kleinsmith for a horse lost in the Long Grove factory was also allowed.

WAUCONDA.

We now write 1898.

G. C. Roberts was a Chicago visitor Tuesday.

H. Maiman transacted business in Chicago Tuesday.

Otto Waelti met with quite a serious accident Sunday evening. While at-

tempting to open a can of sardines with a pocket knife his hand slipped, cutting three of his fingers so severely that he was unable to work.

> School opened Monday, after enjoying a week's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Pratt transacted business at Waukegan Monday.

H. C. Vaille of Libertyville was a caller in our village Wednesday.

A few of our young people attended the dance at McHenry last Friday.

Arthur Kirwan of Fox Lake visited with his mother and sister Tuesday.

Miss Estella Grace spent Friday and

Saturday with relatives in Chicago. J. Miller of DeKalb visited with Mr.

and Mrs. C. Hapke Friday of last week. Jos. Stilling of McHenry visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Freund Tues-

C. A. Hapke and A. L. Mullen atended the dance at Johnsburg Mon-

Richard Baseley visited with Mr. and Mrs. James Wells, at Barrington, Tuesday.

Will Wragg returned to Chicago Friday, after spending a few days in our village.

F. D. Wynkoop returned to Elgin Saturday, after spending the holidays

Joseph Schubiger of McHenry was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Maiman Saturday.

B. G. Sherman and L. Schuetz of Nunda were pleasant callers in our village Saturday.

Fred Horton of Elgin is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Powers at present writing.

Frank Harrison came out from Chicago Saturday to spend New Years Day with his parents.

Wallace Wood has opened a tonsorial parlor in the room next to H. Nordmeyer's sample room.

Mrs. A. Hapke and son, August, visited with relatives and friends in our village a few days this week.

and friends in our village Monday.

The Literary Society elected officers this week. A full report of the proceedings will be given in next week's

Miss Mary Underwood spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in the Rev. Daniel Brown will conduct ser- city, and reports having had a most

> A pleasant surprise party was tendered Miss Madie McGinty last Satur-Glinch, where she has been spending the past week, and a very pleasant evening was spent by all present. Refreshments were served. It was at a late hour when the merry congregation bid their charming hostess a reluctant farewell. Miss McGinty will return to spend the summer here.

An Ideal Holiday Gift.

The holidays are near at hand. You are thinking about what you will give. Could anything be as appropriate or as welcome as a plano? Encouraged by the overwhelming success of our October Clearing Sale, in preperation for the holiday trade we have placed on our floors a very large number of the Bradbury Pianos in the latest styles of cases and in all woods. Remember the Bradbury since 1854 over forty years-has stood in the first rank: that thousands are in use in every world's greatest artists endorse them; The annual election of the Ela Mu- our enormous capital-over one miltion dollars - and our large output reduces the cost to the lowest point consistent with standard workmanship; and that you buy direct from the maker and save all dealers' profits: We guarantee these pianos superior to any piano on the market. We also show several makes at lower prices. For those whose needs can be met with a second hand piano we offer very excellent instruments in good repair from \$25 up. Selections now may be delivered later if desired. Cash or time payments to suit your convenience. F. G. SMITH, M'f'r Bradbury Pianos. J. M. HAWXHURST, Western Manager, 255-257 Wabash Ave., Chicago. Telephone Harrison 771. Factories-Brooklyn, N. Y., and Leomin- Therefore the longer a man sleeps the ter, Mass.

CARY WHISPERINGS.

James Catlow is on the sick list.

John Tomisky Sundayed at home.

Arthur Boomer was in Cuba Friday. Ray McNeil visited in Nunda Mon-

Oliver Grantham is visiting in Chi-George Sprague visited at home Sat-

urday night. Mr. and Mrs. Wascher spent Tues-

day in Chicago. Miss Angie Sweet of Nunda visited with friends in this town last week.

Ebb Dunn and daughter of Algonquin spent a part of last week here.

Edwin Blank and Ray McNett spent Sunday of last week at Barrington.

Miss/Estella Catlow visited with Miss Anna Meschinger in Hagell Dell Friday.

A large number of young folks enjoyed skating on the river on New Years Day.

Miss Ella Baldwin of Nunda spent last week with her cousin, Miss Grace

Misses Sadie and Clara Ferson of St. Charles visited with their cousin, Miss Grace Dike.

Mrs. Garben and daughter, Lucy, spent Thursday and Friday with relatives in Chicago.

Miss Burke, who has been visiting old friends here, returned to her home in Chicago Sunday.

Edwin Kiltz and Miss Etta Kerns spent several days of last week with friends at Ridgefield.

Frank Brown, while working on the ice at Crystal Lake Tuesday, had the misfortune to break his leg.

The "hard times dance" given in Krapitcka's hall on Friday of last week was enjoyed by all who were

Willie Thompson and sister. Norma, who have been visiting friends here, during the holidays, returned to their home in Chicago Sunday.

Mrs. Abbott, a sufferer from cancer, George Dobner and sister, Mary, of died at her home Tuesday morning. Worthington, Mfun., visited relatives Funeral services were conducted in the Free Methodist church at 2 o'clock

CUBA.

W. Toynton is convalescent.

Estella Grace is on the sick list.

V. E. Davlin called on friends in Fremout New Years.

Robert Reynoldson entertained a friend from Chicago Friday.

"One laugh is worth a hundred groans in any market."" LAMB. Prof. Hodge called on a number of

school marms the past week. Miss Mary Courtney returned from Chicago recently.

CHIMMIE. A number of our young folks at tended the dance at McHenry Friday

D. J. Gilfoy and wife of Chicago are guests at the home of the latter's pa rents, Mr. and Mrs. Given.

Corbett and Sullivan each met his Waterloo after declaring that he had retired permanently from the ring and then entering it again for one more victory. This has been the history of nearly every champion prizefighter on the list. However mighty he was, if he continued in the ring after winning a great fight, he found a man who was mightier. Will Fitzsimmons repeat the chapter?

Of all systems of discipline, domestic, educational or political, the spy system is the worst. The spy is infinitely meaner than the one spied on.

shall a big job and private advertisement be made of the benevolent government enterprise to feed the hungry, if there be any, in the Alaskan gold region and the Klondike?

'A man receives a certain term of

life," Nikola Tesla said recently, "so many hours to pass on this earth-I mean hours when he is alive, awake. I do not count the hours when he is sleep ing. I do not believe they are, strictly speaking, included in his term of life. When a man really lives, he is dying hour by hour, but when he sleeps he is accumulating vital forces which will make him go on living. In other words, in measuring out our dole of hours to each one of us, the great timekeeper stops his court while we are sleeping. longer he will remain on earth."



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The career of Dr. Thomas W. Evans, the dentist, in Europe shows how genius always makes itself manifest. Here was a man who made his living at a mechanical occupation and gloried in his work, yet fashionable and scientific circles throughout Europe were alike been the same if instead of being a popular dentist among the rulers of Europe he had wrought at any other occupation. even the humbles. The worker honors the work.

It is to be hoped our government will be able to lease fine Denmark a strip of land along to northwest coast of Greenland on which to establish naval and coaling stations. Such stations will be a benefit not only to us, but to Denmark itself and to all other nations that send ships to the arctic waters in that part of the world With such stations exploring operations whose end and aim is the reaching of the north pole will be greatly facilitated.

ine interest of the United States in the eastern question lies in preserving the treaty rights which we have with China and the securing of convenient naval stations. We are at peace with all the world, however, and it is not likely that either Russia, England or Germany would seek to deprive us of friendly treaty rights we have long enjoyed. Our task is merely to look out for the maintenance of our commercial and other rights.

Canada has been ahead of the United States in sending supplies to the Klondike. During February 100 tons of food in charge of the Canadian mounted police will begin to arrive in dog sleds at Dawson by the route down the Yukon from Lakes Bennett and Tagish.

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> The reduction of New York's 400 to seventy-five was doubtless due to a slump in the social market.

> be progressive ladies of Westfield. Ind., issued a "Woman's Edition" of the Westfield News, bearing date of April 3, 1896. The paper is filled with matter of interest to women, and we notice the following from a correspondent, which the editors printed, realizing that it treats upon a matter of vital importance to their sex: "The best remedy for croup, colds and bron-chitis that I have been able to find is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. For family use it has no equal. I gladly recommend it." 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by A. L. Waller, Barrington, and A. S. Olms, Palatine.

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CHAPTER V.

was to send a note to the earl, saying

tore it into shreds and threw it under

He would have given the whole world

to escape from Arley Ransome; but

the choice was plain enough-ruin,

shame, despair, or marriage with the

dark-eyed girl who was "not his style,"

The marriage should take place in

were drawn him-nay, forced him

into it; the consequences must recoil

on themselves. In his own mind he

considered the daughter quite as bad

as the father-indeed he made little

distinction between them. The union

was to be; there was no further need

of cruple. They wanted his title, he

civil to them, they could not expect

On that evening Hildred Ransome

received a letter and a ring. The en-

velope bore a crest and she knew at

once that it was from Lord Caraven.

The contents were short, but to the

thank you for your consent to my"-

then came a word that had been care-

call to-morrow. I have sent you an en-

"ULRIC CARAVEN."

never like.

ble word-

and desolate.

of good things to come.

for the coming Lady Caraven."

remembered. Mr. Ransome, hoping to

make matters smooth and pleasant, had invited his future son-in-law to

dine with him, and that he might not

to strike Hildred dumb. She looked

at him whenever she found that he

him very handsome. His indolent,

She wondered why the earl looked

worn and haggard. He was only

twenty-eight, her father sald. She

wondered, too, why he was not more

empresse in his manner. He took her

down to dinner, and the only words

they exchanged were about the warmth

of the day. During dinner they never

spoke, save for the most ordinary civ-

ilities. When dinner was over, the

earl evidently preferred the society of

"Why had he asked to marry her if-

he did not care to talk to her?" she

said to herself. "How strange it

rocom to where she was sitting. He

stood by her side, tall, stately, de-

spite his indolent grace of manner.

Her heart beat. What was he going

to say? He bent his head somewhat

Mr. Carwey to hers.

stiffly.

her to settle the wedding day.

ILDRED

gaged to be mar-

Arley Ransome

ness early. The

first thing he did

some," he said, for honoring me by wearing my ring RAN-SOME was en-

She looked up at him, and there was something in the calm gaze of the ried; she was to be pure eyes before which he shrank as Lady Caraven, and her father had done.

on this day her "You wished me to wear it, did you lover was to visit not?" she asked. "My father thought so."

"Certainly. I am delighted." went off to busi-Try as he would, he could not conceal a tone of irany. She detected it and looked at him again. He bowed

and continued-

that all difficulty was removed; his "I am fortunate indeed. I have to daughter had consented: the only ask you, Miss Ransome, now that you thing remaining was for him to ask have consented to to become Lady Caraven, to tell me-that is to saywhat day will suit you?" Lord Caraven road it through, then crushed it in his hands, and finally

"Day for what?" she asked, innocently. "A day to be married on." he re-

his feet. He had not brought himself to a proper state of submission yet. plied. A look of rebuke stole over the girl-

ish face. "You spoke of it so lightly," she said, "that I fancied you meant a day

for going out somewhere. You spoke as if you were asking me to arrange and whom he was quite sure he should a day for boating on the river." "What shall I say, then?" he asked smiling despite his annoyance. due course. The Ransomes had as it

"It is not for me to tell you," she replied, in all simplicity. He laughed aloud.

"Shall I say 'leveliest, fairest'?" With an air of grave displeasure she rose from her seat. "Lord Caraven, I will hear no more,"

she said; "your manner does not

wanted their money. He would be please me." He longed to retort, "Nor do you please me," but he was merely a fly in the spider's web-he could not escape. He followed her. After all, he was a gentleman, and she was to bear

his name. "I am unforturate, Miss Ransome," he said, "in having displeased youpurpose; it was not a love letter, for there was no semblance of love in it. pardon me. I had every intention of "My Dear Miss Ransome: I have to asking you the question with all decorum-pray permit me to repeat it."

She was still so much of a child fully obliterated and "wishes" written that she was puzzled what to answer. over it. "With your permission I will Her manner rather puzzled him tooit was so calm, so self-possessed. There was not the faintest flush on gagement ring-will you wear it? I sm yours"-here there was an illegiher face, no light in the grave, beautiful eyes, no latent smile-there were no little airs and graces such as surely She laid the letter down with a sigh belong to a young countess-elect. and a smile. She had fancied that a

"Do I understand you rightly?" said



PARDON ME.

the grave, sweet, girlish voice. "Are you asking me to dic de as to my wedding day?

feel dull had asked the humorous and "I am indeed so brave," he replied. brilliant talker Mr. Carwey to join "Then I must decline to do so-my father will know best what time will It was well that he had done so, for the actual presence of her lover seemed

"I understood from Mr. Ransome that six weeks from now would be convenient," said the earl.

was looking elsewhere. She thought Her face did not change-no flush or paller told that the words had affected carcless grace contrasted so favorably her. with her father's sharp, brisk manner.

"Six weeks," she said, musingly; "I shall be eighteen in four weeks from "I wish," he said, "that I could be

eighteen over again." "Would you be better for it?" she asked, curiously.

"I should at least be wiser." he answered, and she made no comment. "You will speak then to Mr. Ransome?" he continued, after moodily

reflecting upon all he had lost. "I speak to my father?" exclaimed Hildred. "No. I am ignorant enough of the world, but surely that should be done by you."

was!" Then her father invited Mr. She went away then under the pre-Carwey to have a game at chess, and text of seeking something, leaving the earl walked slowly across the Lord Caraven alone.

"She has a little more spirit than I thought she had," he said to himself. Then, when he had the opportunity, he told Arley Ransome that he had been unfortunate in his interview with his daughter. Mr. Ransome quickly "I have to thank you, Miss Ran- made everything smooth—the wedding the hair had grown eighteen inches,

day was to be on the third of August. "Something may happen before then," thought the earl; "if not, I have always one resource, always one haven. Much may happen before the third of August."

While Hildred Ransome said to herself that, if she liked her future husband no better in six weeks' time than she did now, it would be but a sorry wedding day.

CHAPTER VI.



HE days intervening between her engagement and that fixed for the wedding had come to an end. How time had passed so quickly Hildred Ransome could not tell. The preparations for

her marriage were There was a slight dispute between the earl and the lawyer. Lord Caraven wished to have the ceremony performed quietly and away from London-Arley Ransome insisted that the marriage should take place at St. George, Hanover Square.

"And so, my lord," he said, "let us distinctly understand each other. My daughter is bringing you a fortune that might be the dower of a princess, and she must be treated with due respect. I will not have one detail omitted. The marriage must be conducted as though you were espousing a lady of your own rank."

Lord Caraven laughed; he knew that there was no opposing such a decree -it must be complied with. He made the best of it. He invited his halfcousin, the Lady Francis Riche, a superannuated coquette, who still believed herself young and charming, to be bridesmaid. Lord St. Maure was "best man." A small but select party of guests were invited. Nothing was omitted.

"You must have a clever maid, Hildred," said Arley Ransome. "Ask Lady Riche to find you one."

Lady Riche succeeded, and Hildred rejoiced in the attendance of a bright, quick Parisienne, who foretolld that the day would come when her mistress would be adknowledged one of the most beautiful women in England.

"She wants a little training; she will have to travel and mix in scc etythen you will see," reported Amice. "I have never seen a fice or figure of greater promise."

The day before Hildred's wedding day the Hollies had been one scene of excitement and confusion; there had been so many visitors, the number of presents was so great. Late in the evening, a magnificent bridal bouquet arrived from Lord Caraven. The wedding breakfast was all prepared; the trunks containing all that was needed of the grand trousseau were packed and corded—the labels were already addressed, "Lady Caraven, passenger to Paris," for the earl had decided on spending the so-called honeymoon there; every detail of the morrow's ceremony was arranged, and late at night Hilldred Ransome stood with the

earl's bouquet in her hand. They revealed nothing to her, those odorous flowers; they were of magical sweetness, but they brought her no message. There was something pathetic in the picture—the drawing-room full of strange shadows, the light of the lamp falling where she stood, a contrast to the darkness around. She wore a dressing-gown of white, soft, e iraing material, fastened with crimson cards, her wealth of dark hair lay negligently over her shoulders, her eyes were bright with unshed tours.

It was a sweet, sad, girlish face; a motherly woman looking at it would have drawn the girl's head down to her breast, and have sooched her with loving words. The morrow would be her wedding day; the tired servants were all sleaping, her attentive little maid had gone to rest, her father had retired quite early to his room. The morrow would be her wedding day, and they had told her that she could live without love. Her wedding day! (To be continued.)

Proved True.

A lawyer whose office was on one of the upper floors of a tall building was about to enter the elevator one morning, but stepped back in order to let a lady who seemed to be in a hurry precede him. The "conductor," it appeared, had been waiting for just one more passenger to complete his load, and when the lady stepped inside he shut the door and the elevator shot upward. "Politeness," muttered the lawyer, "is not always its own reward." A few minutes later, however, ascending by another "lift," he passed that load of passengers stuck half-way between floors-where they remained half an hour-by some accident to the machinery. "I take it back," he muttered, in the same tone as before, "Politeness is its own reward!"

Hair Grew After Death.

The body of little Edna Driver, who dled five years ago, was exhumed at Columbia City, Ind. It was found that

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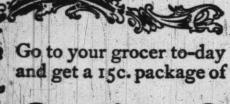
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Cooker, which is sold at the low price IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS OF LAST SIX DAYS.

> Cruel School-Teacher in Jail-Henry Allen Bell Vs. Carter H. Harrison-Dr. Smith Chesen -- Tarmer Loses by -Minor State Events.

Lindstrom in Jal'.

Galesburg-Nels Lindstrom, who so brutally whipped Loren Rumbo and Ellory Morse, during school hours in the Cook school house in Orange township, is now in jail here until he pays the fine and costs imposed on him in a justice court. Lindstrom is a powerful man. The two boys on whom he wore out a rawhide are but 14 and By feeding poultry and stock with 11 years old respectively. Lindstrom admitted his guilt, and said that he was enraged by the report that the boys had offered an affront to his little girl in the same school. This the boys denied under oath. The fact came out that some of the smaller boys were so terrified by the whipping and screams that they have not yet fully recovered. Robert F. Anderson, the teacher who allowed the performance in his school room, was so humiliated by it that he has resigned. He is a graduate of Lombard University, and stands high. His explanation is that he lost his head in the excitement. The school directors yesterday decided also to institute action against Lindstrom.

More Gincose Talk.

Bloomington, Ill .- A very wealthy man has been here several days interesting local capitalists in the erection of a large manufacturing plant. To build and equip such a plant as is required will cost close to \$1,000,000. In it will be manufactured glucose and various by-products, such as starch, oil, gum, cattle feed, etc. The glucose business is now in trust and is practically controlled by one man in Chicago. The price has been advanced by the trust from 85 cents to \$1.50 per barrel. The gentlemen who are about to erect a plant are heavy users of glucose in other manufacturing enterprises representing a total capital of millions, and have decided to become their own glucose producers.

Farmer Loses by Fire.

Wenona-Thomas McGraith's farm residence, five miles east of Wenona, together with his barn, all outbuildings, hay, oats, corn, harness, farm machinery, household goods and in fact everything in his possession were totally destroyed by fire at an early hour this morning. The family had a narrow escape from cremation; in fact. they were not cognizant of the fire's presence until the burned roof caved in. They emerged, meagerly attired, only to find that the remainder of their property was being devastated. The loss will foot up close to \$6,000, with but \$700 insurance.

stell May Beat Harrison.

Springfield-Henry Allen Bell is likely to be heard from in state politics. If Harrison is defeated for mayor of Chicago, Beil will be candidate for governor. If Harrison wins then he must contest with Bell for the nomination. In the latter event Bell is likeamong the Democrats of the rural diswhere he was frequently pointed out as the next democratic condidate for governor.

Dr. Smith the Choice.

Bloomington, Ill.-The trustees and board of visitors of the Illinois Weslesan University, located in this city. after a session of only four hours. elected Dr. E. M. Smith, a graduate of the Connecticut Wesleyan University and president of the Montpelier Seminary, Montpelier, Vt., as president. The institution has been without a president since Dr. Wilder's resignation in June last. The new president is 52 years old and comes highly recommended.

Minor State News.

Eureka, Ill.-The old court house at Metamora was deeded to that village by Woodford county or the promise of the people of that plee to keep it up because of its interesting history. The building is probably one of the most historic in the state. It was built over half a century ago, and its halls have often echoed with the eloquence of Lincoln, Ingersoll, Stevenson and Davis. The building was used as a court house until a year ago, when the county seat was moved to this city.

Mattoon, Ill.-The proposition of establishing a city court in Mattoon was yesterday submitted to the people. The total vote cast was 1,490 for court, 1,075 against, 415 being 82 over a twothirds majority, as required by law. An election for judge will be held in January, and among the probable candidates are J. F. Hughes and L. C. AN OPEN LETTER TO MOTHERS. We are asserting in the courts our right to the exclusive use of the word "CASTORIA," and exclusive use of the word "CASTORIA," and "PITCHER" CASTORIA," asour Trade Mark. I, Dr. Samuel Pitcher, of Hyannis, Massachusetts, was the originator of "PITCHER'S CAS-TORIA," the same that has borne and does now bear the fac-simile signature of CHAS. H. FLETCHER on every wrapper. This is the original "PITCHER'S CASTORIA" which has been used in the homes of the mothers of America for over thirty years. Look carefully at the wrapper and see that it is "the kind you have always bought," and has the signature of CHAS. H. FLETCHER on the Wrapper. No one has authority from me to use my name except The Centaur Company of which Chas. H. Fletcher is President.

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Long Fasts of Animals.

Animals are often able to bear very protracted fasting. In the Italian earthquakes of 1795 two hogs were buried at Soriano in the ruins of a building. They were taken out alive forty-two days later, but very lean and weak. A dog at the same time and place was buried for twenty-three days and recovered.

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Col. Inglis Hamilton, who led the Scots Grays at Waterloo, was a Glasgow man. The colonel was so devoted to his regiment that, having lost both arms that day, he held the reins in his teeth, made a final charge at the head of his troopers, and fell dead.

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Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic cleans your blood and keeps it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all im-purities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets, -beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

Phonographic Factory for Muskegon.

It is reported that Chicago capitalists will soon establish a phonograph factory in Muskegon, Mich., capitalized at \$100,000. Philip D. Armour is credited with being one of the principal investors.

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vere burning pains which were almost unendurable, and a dull, heavy pain in the lower portion of my back. If standing I was most relieved with my foot resting on a stool or chair. The doctor told me I would have to take my bed and keep quiet. I had not used half a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Verce table Compound before it worked wonders with me. I now owe my health to the Compound. To those who are suffering from diseases peculiar to women, I would say that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is just what they need."

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Henry A. Landwer has been on the sick list this week.

R. C. Comstock of Cary was in town on business yesterday.

Samuel Landwer made a business trip to Hanoyer Tuesday.

J. Regan and wife spent New Years Day with his mother.

H. G. Miller spent New Years Day with friends in Chicago.

George W. Foreman and Wm. Ewing were at Cary Wednesday.

Emil Schaede spent New Years Day in Chicago, the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Rev. Daniel Brown will occupy the

pulpit at the Baptist church tomor-Mrs. Paul Miller is visiting with her

mother, Mrs. M. Kosmin, at Wheel-Mrs. M. F. Clausius spent New

Years Day at the home of Prov. O. Fischer. Mrs. P. A. Starck and family visited at the home of Mrs. J. Zimmerman

the past week. John Collen is in Wisconsin and will return the first of next week with

some choice cattle. Warren Jorden of Rockford visited with his mother, Mrs. Susan Jorden, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Townsend of Elgin visited with friends and relatives

here this week. The B. S. A. club rooms were wired this week for electric lights, and the

light was turned on. Ed. and Bert Lawler of Chicago visited at the home of L. E. Runyan Saturday and Sunday.

The Barrington Military band now meets for practice in Sodt's hall on business. Mr. Collen deserves the pa-Thursdays of each week.

Miss Myrtle Dixon, who is now making her home at Belvidere, visited with friends here this week.

Michael Doser received the sad intelligence that his mother died in Germany on December 16th.

Attorney and Mrs. A. J. Redmond and daughter visited with relatives here the first of the week.

Carl Nacher killed an unusually fine specimen of an owl on Monday. He intends to have the bird stuffed.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thies of Plum Grove visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Landwer Wednesday.

The M. W. A. give an entertainment in Stott's hall next Friday evening. It will be an invitation affair.

Miss Mary Frye and Mrs. John Kampert were elected organists for the Salem church for the coming year.

Officers will be elected by Barring ton Court of Honor, No. 373, at their regular meeting Tuesday evening.

Henry Beinhoff and family of Chicago came out New Years Day and spent a few days with relatives here.

Max Gottschalk of Chicago visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Gottschalk, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dockery returned from their wedding tour Saturday They are living on Liberty street.

A number from here attended the dance given by the Palatine Athletic club at Palatine on New Years Eve.

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James Murray of Wauconda was a pleasant caller at this office Monday and renewed his subscription for THE REVIEW.

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It is reported that Charles S. Kilbourne, who failed at Elgin and Barrington Center a good many years ago, has decided to pay up all his old claims. It will take \$10,000 to do so.

On Sunday evening at the usual hour Rev. T. E. Ream will preach on the following topic: "Introspection," or "A Glance at Ourselves;" from Psalms 119, 59v.: "I thought on my wavs.

At a business meeting of the Salem Church society it was decided to put the basement of the church in proper repair and fit it up for a Sunday school room for the primary classes.

Revival meetings have been conducted by Rev. Troyer in the Zion's church the past week, and will continue all of next week. All are welcome to attend these services.

Irene Cronk of Chicago visited at the home of Mrs. S. M. Cronk the past week. Tuesday afternoon a party was given by Mrs. Cronk in honor of her

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Last Sunday morning Mrs. H. A. Kellogg joined the M. E. church by certificate of membership. Mrs. Kellogg was a member of the First Presbyterian church of Reedsburg, Wis., where she has made her home for some years past.

The regular annual business meeting of the Salem Church Society took place on Saturday morning and elected Fred Lageschulte president, F. H. Frye secretary and John L. Meiners treasurer. The Society selected John C. Plagge and J. L. Meiners for chor-

As will be seen in another column Peters & Collen have dissolved partnership. John Collen continuing the tronage of the public. Mr. Peters will devote all his attention to auctioneering.

DEAR GRACE: How did you enjoy Christmas. I received lots of presents. Take luncheon with me tomorrow and I will tell you all about them. We will take luncheon at the Mrs. Clark Co. lunch rooms on Wabash Avenue, Chicago to eat.

RUTH.

Installation of officers of Barrington Camp, No. 809, Modern Woodmen of America, took place at their regular meeting Tuesday evening. F. E. Smith acted as installing officer and D. F. Lamey Chief Forester, H. S. Meier tendered his resignation as watchman and Peter Fackelman was elected to fill the vacancy.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Miller were tendered a pleasant surprise on New Years Eve at their home in Walnut games, vocal and instrumental music, street. Dainty and delicate refreshments in abundance were served. A most enjoyable evening was spent by all present, among whom were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gieske, Mr. and Mrs. Musskamp, John Landwer and daughter, Miss Rieke, Mr. and Mrs. Chris

Frank Donlea, and Ed Wichman of the firm of Zorno & Wichman, have purchased the county rights for Cook and Lake counties for Frey's patent gate, which is an exceedingly simple and inexpensive gate, one that should be found on every farm as it saves time and labor. The gentlemen propose to sell farms rights. A sample of the gate in use may be seen at the corner of Williams and Railroad streets.

Monday evening the following officers of the M. E. Sunday school were elected for the ensuing year: Superintendent, E. Wilmer; assistant superintendent, H. A. Harnden; secretary, Miss Sadie Krahn; assistant secretary, Max Lines; treasurer, Miss Allie Meyer; librarian, Miss Ethyl Harrower; chorister, Miss Carrie E. Kingsley; organist, Miss Allie retained, and three new ones were finally decided to run it out. Hager's elected, as follows: Mrs. C. O. Win- team was to run to the milk platform ter, Miss Gertrude Meyer and Mrs. H. A. Harnden. Three supply teachers lumber yard. A train coming up Barrington. We get out auction bills were elected to fill vacancies in case answered the purpose for a signal, and enjoyed a season of great success.

WANTED-Girl for general housework. \$3 per week. Apply to Commercial Hotel, Barrington.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. McIntosh entertertained at dinner New Years Day. Covers were laid for twelve. The table was decorated with ferns and pink and white carnations. Those present were Rev. John Nate and family, J. C. Nate, Miss Sutherland and Miss Skinner, of Chicago; J. J. Nate of Madison, Wis., and Arnett Lines of Barrington.

Miss Frances Sharman has just returned from a three months trip to England where she visited the birthplace of her father, and was the guest of her uncle, John Sharman. Mr. Sharman presented her with several pieces of family plate, which had been in the Sharman family for 200 years or more.

Wm. Peters will hereafter make a business of auctioneering. You will find it to your interest to see him before making arrangements for your sale. Satisfaction guaranteed or no pay. Mr. Peters can be found at THE REVIEW office, where arrangements can be made for his services at any

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.—This is to certify that the firm of Peters & Collen dissolved partnership on January 1st, 1898, by mutual consent, John Collen continuing the business, and Wm. Peters retiring. All accounts owing the firm are to be paid to Wm. Peters. All persons holding notes endorsed by Peters & Collen are hereby notified unless they are collected when due that we will not stand good for them after that time.

> WILLIAM PETERS. JOHN COLLEN.

The election of the Salem church Sunday school, held Sunday, resulted as follows: Superintendent. John C. Plagge; assistant superintendent, August Boehmer; secretary, Frank Plagge; treasurer, John L. Meiners: librarians, Samuel Landwer and Charles Schaefer: organists, Misses Luella Plagge and Amanda Schroeder. The secretary's report showed the school to be in a very flourishing condition. The penny collection for the year amounted to \$185.82, an average of \$3.64 for each Sunday.

The B. S. A. C. held their regular meeting in their rooms in the Howarth building Monday evening. The Constitution and By-Laws were adopted, and two new members were Thomas, Frank Bollister and Wm. received into the club, making the total membership twenty-five. Under the By-Laws adopted the membership is limited to thirty-five, with the membership fee at \$5. It is required that all applications shall be bulletined at least ten days previous to the meeting at which they are to be acted on. Regular meetings are held on the first Monday evening of each month.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thies gave a wedding reception at their home at Plum Grove on New Year's Day, which was attended by about sixty relatives and friends from Chicago, Itasca and Barrington. The reception was in new the policies after their expiration. the form of a reunion. In the evening the young people participated in etc. At 8 o'clock an elaborate banquet was spread. The day was spent in an enjoyable manner by all pres-

Mrs. M. B. McIntosh entertained the members of her Sunday school class at her home on Friday of last week. At 6 o'clock the guests repaired to the dining room, where a large table was spread with all the dainties of the season. Rev. Hageman responded to the toast "The Old Year," while "The New Year" was responded to by Rev. Holt, followed by a very pleasant address by M. B. McIntosh, wishing the assembled guests a happy New Year. Those present were: Rev. and Mrs. Hageman, Rev. Holt, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Lines, Mrs. M. C. McIntosh and daughter. Violet: Mesdames Lombard, Leonard. Ela and Harrower, and Misses Hazeltine and Lombard.

On Wednesday afternoon while Theodore Gildemeister and George Hager's teams were standing at Lageschulte's feed store an argument was begun between them as to which team was entitled to the championship rac-Myer. All of the old teachers were ing record of Barrington. It was while the other was to run to Plagge's of the deal, for when both teams were with their water works. Payments of

consisted of a pound of rice.

The 9th annual banquet was given by the Barrington Military band on New Year's Eve. in Sodt's hall. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Geo. Stiefenhoefer; Vice-President, Samuel Landwer; Secretary, F. H. Plagge; Treasurer, Samuel Gieske; Librarian, Charles Peterson; Sergeant-at-Arms, John Ricke: Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, Emil Nacher: Leader, John Kampert. The treasurer's report showed the band to be in a most prosperous condition. After the election a banquet was spread, at which Emil Nacher presided as toastmaster. The evening was such a pleasant one that it will long be remembered by the boys, who, without a single exception recommend Chef Emil Nacher as one of the best.

Started The New Year Right.

A cleverly arranged and most pleasant surprise party was tendered Mrs Fred Kirschner on New Years Eve

It is hard to tell which was the most pleased—Mrs. Kirschner at being surprised or the many friends who tendered the party. Games of various kinds, delicate and elaborate refreshments, good cheer, etc., will make the evening one long to be remembered by both host and hostess and the guests. Those present were: Messrs. and

Mesdames Dr. Kendall, P. A. Hawley, F. J. Hawley, L. A. Powers, John Collen, H. K. Brockway, Wm. Peters. George Hager, Charles Otis and L. H. Higley; Miss Cora Higley, Mrs. Luella Austin, and Dr. Lytle.

ADVERTISED LETTERS. List of unclaimed letters remaining in the Barrington postoffice Friday, January 7:

Marrell Strong, John Rogman, Al bert Leeman, I, W. Guther, John H. Mallery & Co., Carl Bowman, Moses Cohn, George Hetrich.

H. K. BROCKWAY, P. M.

Ela Mutual Insurance Company Elects Officers.

At the meeting of the Ela Mutual Fire Insurance Company, held at Lake Zurich on Tuesday, the attendance was unusually large. The following persons were elected to compose the Board of Derectors: H. C. P. Sandman, D. Hatington, Heary grocery business. His many friends Berghorn, Joseph Whitney, George Schneible, John Froelich, Frank Ernsting.

The report of the secretary was read and adopted. The condition of the treasury shows a balance on hand of about \$60.

It was agreed to pay the loss of Fred Fischer, amounting to \$1450.

It was also decided to pay the loss of Chas. Kleinsmith for the loss of a horse burned in a fire in a barn at Long Grove. A motion was made to cancel all policies now held on buildings situated within the limits of any incorporated village. The motion was lost, but it was decided not to re-

The Board of directors held a meeting yesterday for the porpose of organizing and auditing accounts.

Proceedings of the Village Board. The regular meeting of the Village Board was held Monday evening.

The following bills were allowed and ordered paid:

A. S. Henderson, night watch, \$35. H. A. Sandman, marshal, \$35. Leroy Powers, oil etc., \$7,23. Western Electric Co., light, \$57.62. Barrington Beview, publishing ord-

nances and printing, \$85.48 A. J. Redmond, court costs on ac count of special assessment, \$72.

L. A. Powers, stationery, L. D. Castle, commissioners fee Station street, \$12.50. F. H. Frye, commissioner fee Sta-

tion street, \$12.50

Gray Bros., the firm having the contract for sinking the water waks well were unmercifully scored for not making better progress. The city engineer reported on Thursday that the firm had got the well down 170 feet. Fram December 14th to January 3 they aly got down 20 feet. The contract was looked into, and, inasmuch as it can for the completion of the contract March 15th the Board decided to let the matter rest and see whether Gray Pros. intend to fulfill their contract, and if not

then to take action. The Electric Light company sent a proposition to the Village Board as follows: The Board to take the light plant at 60 per cent of the actual money

again brought back to the starting \$57 is to be made monthly (the amount point an inventory showed all the loss now paid for street lighting) and this to fall on Mr. Gildemeister. The loss \$57 to apply on the purchase price. In other words the company wants the village to take the lighting plant, and run it and apply the amount they now pay for street lighting each month on the purchase price, and in the course of a few years they would own the plant. The company says they are not in the business of running electric light plants and want to get rid of it. The cost would probably be between \$4,000 and \$5,000.

> The county surveyor seat a communication informing the Board that the village had no title to the south extension of Cook street, the property owners having signed no release of the property. Peters was appointed a committee to get the property owners to sign a release along that portion of the street.

> Mr. Arnold of Woodstock was present and made application for the position of spreading the special assessment. He said he got 5 per cent at Palatine. The Board of Local Improvement was instructed to agree on a price to be paid Mr. Arnold.

C. H. Patten was allowed an installment of \$2,000 for work completed on the water works plant.

M. T. Lamey was instructed to place \$2,000 insurance on the city hall and pump house.

On motion Board adjourned to Thursday evening. THURSDAY'S MEETING.

For lack of a quorum Thursday evening meeting adjourned until next Tuesday evening.

(>>>>>>>> SPRING LAKE.

Miss Clara Cady returned to Chicago Monday, after a two weeks' visit with her parents.

Joe Eble and S. A. Jaynes were Chicago visitors Thursday.

Joe and John Dworak are helping the condensing Co. at Dundee put up ice this week;

Simon Smith has rented the W. H. Heath farm and took possession of the same last Thursday.

W. H. Heath will leave for Chicago soon, where he will embark in the wish him abundant success.

Anton Dworak was a Barrington visitor Tuesday.

William Gibson and family spent New Years at the home of Alex Scott at Miller's Grove.

Y. P. M. S. Meeting.

On account of the illness of Rev. Theo. Suhr of the Salem church the regular meeting of the Young Peoples' Missionary society was held Sunday evening. A large and appreclative audience was in attendance, and the literary program rendered was exceedingly fine. The program was as follows: Instrumental music by Miss Amanda

Song by seciety. Scripture reading and prayer by Misses Mary Frye and Luella Plagge, Mesdames John Kampert and Geo. Stiefenhoefer: Ezra and Theodore Suhr, Geo. Stiefenhoefer and John Kampert. Report of the delegates to the Chicago con-

Schroeder.

vention Instrumental music by Miss Luella and Reuben Plagge Reading by Mrs. George Stiefenhoefer.

Duet by Little Misses Myrtle and Almeda Plagge. Duet by Little Misses Alma Stiefenhoefer

and Lydia Sodt. Reading by Miss Esther Lageschulte. Solo by Miss Carrie Dix.

Song by society. Edwin Rieke and Hannah Meyer tendered their resignations, and Miss Mary Thomas, Walter Lageschulte and H. G. Miller were accepted as members.

PALATINE.

Continued from First Page,

2. Miss Carrie Thies "surprised." 3. Death of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Meyer's child.

7. Miss Amanda Harder "sur-

10. Richard Taylor "surprised." 11. Football team entertained by the Athletic club.

13. Palatine Band reorganized. 17. "Uncle Josh" in Batterman's

hall. 24. Christmas exercises in the

churches. 28. Prof. Sears' recital at Mrs. H. Schirding's.

28. Herman Reese struck by fast

mail train.

31. P. A. C. dance.