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PALATINE LOCALS.

A. G. SMITH, LOCAL EDITOR

Masquerade Friday.
Pure cider vinegar 15 cents per gallon.
L. PECK.

C. H. Patten started for California Wednesday.

A 7-pound daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lincoln Saturday.

Miss Libbie Carr is visiting her sisters in this place.

Miss Millie Page has been on the sick list the past week.

Ray Catlow of Evanston visited relatives in this place last Saturday.

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Miss Emma Newman of Chicago is visiting with her sister, Mrs. John Rohloff.

The Ladies' Aid society held a concert at the home of Mrs. Al Smith last evening.

Most of the ice houses have been filled the past week with a good quality of ice.

C. S. Cutting was appointed attorney for the town of Cicero at the last meeting of the Board.

The members of the Athletic club expect a big crowd at their masquerade ball next Friday evening.

The special assessment for the water works has been levied, and is payable in ten annual installments.

A. G. Smith went to Des Plaines Thursday to assist Editor Sadt in putting up a new Washington press.

The Maennerchor gave a dance in Batterman's hall last evening, and all present enjoyed a pleasant evening.

The I. O. M. A. lodge installed its officers Saturday evening and afterwards a banquet was served at Seip's hotel.

The school report for January does not average as high in attendance, as usual, owing to the severe cold days keeping many pupils away.

At the M. E. church tomorrow morning Rev. J. C. Butcher will preach on "God, Our Provider." His subject for the evening is "Loafers." Everybody is invited except loafers.

We correct our subscription list on Thursday of each week. The date on the mailing slip which may be found on your paper shows the date to which you are paid.

The grammar school has followed the example of the high school and has organized a literary and debating club, which has a program each Friday. Willie Abelman is president and Herbert Filbert secretary.

The B. S. A. C. of Barrington will give a dance at that place Monday evening, February 21st. The Palatine boys should show their good will towards the Barrington club by attending this dance. The proceeds are for the benefit of the club.

FOR SALE—The famous stallion, Mink, formerly owned by the late Dr. A. Owens; record 2:29 1/4, trial 2:20 1/4; can beat 2:30 now. Absolutely safe and fearless; a lady can drive him. Satisfactory reasons for selling. Professional horsemen need not apply. W. G. Davis, Austin Livery, Austin, Ill.

A stranger living north of town came to sample some of the "fire water" Tuesday. After having filled up with the same he pulled his revolver and walked the street looking for trouble. Officer Law quickly took him in charge and locked him up until evening, when he was bailed out.

The Athletic club members and their lady friends were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Pierman at their home Thursday evening. Those present report a most enjoyable evening. Progressive cinque was played. Mrs. Henry Harmening captured the ladies' prize, a beautiful framed picture. Joe Williams won the gentlemen's prize. An elegant luncheon was served. The evening was made most pleasant by the doctor and his wife.

I. O. G. T. Installs Officers.

Barrington Lodge No. 920, I. O. G. T., held a public installation of officers at their regular meeting Wednesday evening. The meeting was largely attended, and the fine literary and musical program proved exceptionally interesting. The following officers were installed:

Chief Templar—Abram B. Combs.
Past Chief Templar—Miss Lydia Robertson.
Vice Templar—Miss Maud Adams.
Assistant Junior Templar—Mrs. S. Seibert.
Secretary—Miss Gertrude Meyer.
Assistant Secretary—Miss Della Gleason.
Financial Secretary—Max Lines.
Treasurer—Albert Gieske.
Lodge Deputy—Rev. S. S. Hageman.
Marshal—Albert Kampert.
Deputy Marshal—George Lytle.
Chaplain—Mrs. S. S. Hageman.
Guard—Fred Stott.
Sentinel—Bert Henderson.

After the installation the following program was rendered:

Prayer—Rev. S. S. Hageman.
Address of Welcome—Rev. S. S. Hageman.
Selection by Quartet—Rev. S. S. Hageman.
Mrs. Luella Austin, Mrs. S. S. Hageman, Miss Della Gleason, Miss Alta Gretton.
Reading—Miss Lydia Robertson.
Recitation—Miss Gertrude Meyer.
Solo—Miss Della Gleason.
Recitation—Miss Della Lines.
Selection by Quartet—Earl Barnes.
Duet—Messdames Hageman and Austin.

The evening's entertainment was concluded with a farce entitled "A Family Strike."

GOOD, CLEAR WATER

The Barrington Water Works Well Throws a Good Stream of Soft Water.

On Saturday morning after a careful test had been made of the well for the Barrington water works it was accepted and the contractors commenced moving their tools and machinery yesterday.

The well throws a clear stream of soft water, and during the test threw 14,400 gallons an hour. The well as it stands costs the village \$1,018.

Attend This Entertainment and Encourage the Children.

Tomorrow evening an entertainment will be given by the Sunday school in the Town hall, Lake Zurich. A silver medal will be given as a prize to the person who brought in the largest number of new scholars during the past three months. The new organ which was purchased this week will be dedicated. A dialogue has been written especially for the occasion. The latest and best music has been selected, and the children have been patiently drilled to do their parts well. Admission will be free, but an offering will be taken for the benefit of the Sunday school.

Rev. Hall Dead.

On the 23d day of January Rev. Robert F. Hall died at the home of R. P. Andrews, at Cary, at the age of 33 years after a short illness.

The deceased was a native of Iowa, where he was born on July 5th, 1866, at Mt. Vernon, Lynn county.

At 12 years of age he was left an orphan and was thrown on his own resources. He entered Fayette University with the purpose of educating himself for the practice of law, but being compelled to earn enough to carry him through college his attendance was somewhat irregular. When he became converted he determined to study for the ministry and exchanged the study of law at the university at Fayette for that of the ministry at North-western University at Evanston, and the obstacles that he encountered while there would have discouraged any ordinary young man, but he had a spirit of determination that carried him to victory.

After five years of hard study he received an assignment to Diamond Lake from the presiding elder. His labors there resulted in the reorganization of the congregation and the erection of a new church building. His later appointments were at Rockford, Union and Cary, at which places he reaped new successes, his churches being filled at every service. His sermons were masterpieces that went straight to the hearts of his audience.

Rev. Hall seemed to be created for the ministry, and his future seemed bright, but his close attention to his studies had undermined his health to such an extent that he fell an easy prey to the grim hand of death.

In his death the world loses a most promising man and the church one of her most eloquent supporters.

NEARLY \$200,000 FAILURE.

Oatman Bros. of Dundee, the Big Creamery Men, Unable to Meet their Obligations.

RUIN IS COMPLETE.

The Patrons of Eighteen Creameries Caught by the Collapse for Sums Ranging from \$150 to \$1,000 Each for Back Milk Money—Two Many Irons in the Fire at One Time The Cause of the Failure.

The Oatman Brothers of Dundee, who operated eighteen creameries—ten in Northern Illinois and eight in Wisconsin—and who failed last Saturday are owing the dairy farmers at every one of their factories from two to three months' milk. There are few dairy farmers, who took milk to the Oatman factories that will not lose at least \$300, and more of them will lose from \$500 to \$1,000.

The immediate cause of the failure was the entering of judgments late Saturday night by the Elgin Butter Tub company for \$1,000 and the First National Bank of Elgin for \$37,000. The failure is complete.

Besides their many creameries the Oatmans' own several fine farms at Elgin and large fruit ranches in California. They also succeeded to the business of the Frey caramel factory in Chicago. In this alone they sank \$26,000. They lost about \$75,000 in the St. Charles Evaporated Cream company failure a few years ago, and have experienced other heavy losses. The liabilities are estimated at fully \$181,000; assets considerably less. The amount due farmers for milk alone is estimated at about \$50,000.

Among the creameries operated by the firm were those at McHenry, Dundee and Genoa, Washington, Maple Park, Spring Prairie, Ringwood, Bristol, Wilmet, Salem, Franklin, Big Foot, Ferris, Pikeville, South Hebron, Virgil and Pingree Grove. Nearly all of them were doing a fair business.

All the property is mortgaged, and executions have been entered in every county where they did business. The firm is composed of Edward J. and J. Frank Oatman, and has been in existence about thirty years. They are sons of the late Jesse Oatman, who was one of the pioneer residents of Kane county.

Sunday School Convention.

The Palatine Township School association held its annual meeting in the Methodist church Tuesday afternoon and evening. The following program was rendered:

Prayer and Song Service—Miss Grace Beutler.

Condition and Need of the Sunday School Work in Our Township: 1st. Brief reports from schools: 2d. Our Present Need and How to Meet It. (Conference.)—Led by F. J. Filbert.

Appointment of Nominating Committee.

Normal Bible Lesson—Stuart Muirhead.

Service of Praise and Prayer—Led by A. R. Baldwin.

"The Bible and How to Use it Effectively"—Rev. J. C. Butcher.

"The Front Line in Sunday School Work, and How to Get There"—Stuart Muirhead.

W. L. Smyser was elected president of the association and Miss Grace Beutler secretary.

Elgin's Sales of Butter.

Elgin, Ill., Jan. 31.—Nearly \$100,000 worth of butter and cheese have been sold here since the organization of the Elgin Board of Trade in 1872.

The secretary gave his annual report today. He finds that never was the volume of business as large as last year and while the average price of butter for the year was low—18 2-5 cents—it was better than in 1898, when it was 17 9-10 cents. The latter was the lowest in the history of the Board. The average for butter for the last twenty-six years was 27 2-5 cents. Butter has sold in Elgin for more than 50 cents a pound, but that was years ago.

Look and see if the date of expiration of your paper has been changed on the little pasteur, if you have renewed your subscription for the REVIEW.

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Ladies' Dress Shoes

The latest styles in nice Dress Shoes you will find at our store at \$2.50 to \$3.00 a pair. For finish, style and fine workmanship they excel all other makes. Our shoes fit the feet. We also sell a Lady's Fine Shoe at \$1.35 a pair

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Our W. L. Douglas Men's \$3.00 Shoes are known from the East to the West for their great wearing qualities and "foot-form" shape. They are easy on the feet. We also sell Douglas' Shoes at \$2, \$2.25, \$2.50 a pair. You always get your money's worth when you buy the W. L. Douglas' Shoe.

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We have a very large line of Children's School Shoes for heavy wear, also the fine Dress Shoes in the very best styles. We sell shoes that wear. Our prices are the lowest.

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Why buy two or three pairs of Overs in one winter when you can come to our store and buy a pair of the genuine Snag Proof Overs that will wear you through the whole season. They are the only kind of Overs to buy.

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Complete stock of Rubbers is always found here

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It is not necessary to pound the steaks with a mallet to make them yield up their juiciness. Nor to use great care in broiling or roasting.

Our beef, lamb, veal, mutton and pork is so good in itself that the chances of spoiling them in bad cooking are small.

Every piece of meat we sell is cut from prime, well fed and carefully handled animals.

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Fresh Home-Made Sausages, Oysters and Vegetables in Season. Highest Price Paid for Hides and Tallow.

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China, Crockery, Glassware, Graniteware, LAMPS, TINWARE, CUTLERY, TOYS, NOTIONS, ETC.

A FEW OF OUR OPENING SALE BARGAINS:

Finely Decorated China Cups and Saucers 9c pair; Finely Decorated Crockery Cuspidors 10c; Clear Glass Water Glasses 2 1-2c; Tin Wash Boilers, Copper Bottom. 48c; Best Granite-ware Extra Large Wash Basins, 19c; Dinner Pails 19c; 6 Doz. Clothes Pins for 1c; Sod Irons 2 1-2c per lb; 2 Doz. Shelf Paper for 1c; and a good many other bargains which we don't mention here, but invite you to examine same by calling at

The Barrington Fair Sadt Building

D. TICKTIN, PROPRIETOR BARRINGTON

BETTER THAN A SILVER MINE.
The editor estimates that the increase in yields had by the American farmer by planting Salzer's Potatoes and new creations in Wheat, Oats, Corn, Rye, Grasses and Clovers the past year amounted in round numbers to \$50,000,000. The reason of this is Salzer's farm and vegetable seeds are bred up to big yields. Salzer is the largest grower of grasses, clovers and farm seeds in the world; 100,000 barrels potatoes, \$1.50 a barrel and up.

Just Send This Notice with 10 Cents to John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., and get their great catalogue and 11 packages farm seeds, positively worth \$10, to get a start with. w.n.a.

Extremity.

"No," replied the chief of staff, "no flag of truce is yet displayed."
The commander of the beleaguering forces was at no pains to conceal his perplexity.
"You are sure the supply of dry goods is absolutely cut off?" he asked. Yes, there could be no doubt of that. "Strange," mused the strategist. "Certainly the women must long since have priced everything in town."—Detroit Journal.

AN OPEN LETTER TO MOTHERS.
We are asserting in the courts our right to the exclusive use of the word "CASTORIA," and "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," as our Trade Mark. J. Dr. Samuel Pitcher, of Hyannis, Massachusetts, was the originator of "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," 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.
March 8, 1897. SAMUEL PITCHER, M. D.

His Objection.

At one of the Mackinac hotels, loved by its frequenters for its associations, in spite of lax management, a new guest demanded a bath. "My dear sir," said the proprietor, "next year we shall have two or three of the finest and best-equipped bath rooms on the island."
"But," objected the guest, "I want a bath this year."—Chicago Post.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly upon the blood, and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

A Practical Politician.

"I'll be with you in ringing the old year out;
Hilarity must have its fling.
It's my custom to try
To let no chance go by
For getting in any old ring."
—Washington Star.

Some Good Caricatures.

Our clever contemporary, Life, is publishing a series of semi-caricatures of prominent people, by an unknown artist, that has attracted universal attention. The maker of these pictures never goes beyond the boundaries of good taste—a fault common to most caricaturists—and it is not too much to say that these pictures are the best representations of character we have seen in this country since Nast held sway.

Father's on Strike.

"Well, Charlie, don't yer mother want 'er carving knife sharpened?"
"Think not. We don't have meat at 'ome now, cep't the dog, an' 'e don't use a knife."—Punch.

If You Wish

to buy good homes cheap, in good climate, good fruit country, large and small farms, write J. W. CARPENTER, Holivar, Mo.

Don't forget that whatsoe'er a man seeweth that will he also easily rip.

A BENEFACTRESS' KIND ACT.

From the Evening News, Detroit, Mich.
Mrs. John Tansey, of 130 Baker Street, Detroit, Michigan, is one of those women who always know just what to do in all trouble and sickness. One that is a mother to those in distress. To a reporter she said: "I am the mother of ten children and have raised eight of them. Several years ago we had a serious time with my daughter, which began when she was about sixteen years old. She did not have any serious illness but seemed to gradually waste away. Having never had any consumption in our family, as we come of good old Irish and Scotch stock, we did not think it was that. Our doctor called the disease by an odd name which, as I afterward learned, meant lack of blood.

"It is impossible to describe the feeling John and I had as we noticed our daughter slowly passing away from us. We finally found, however, a medicine that seemed to



Most of the Time She Was Confined to Bed.

help her, and from the first we noticed a decided change for the better, and after three months' treatment her health was so greatly improved you would not have recognized her. She gained in flesh rapidly and soon was in perfect health. The medicine used was Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I have always kept these pills in the house since and have recommended them to many people. I have told many mothers about them and they have effected some wonderful cures.

"Every mother in this land should keep these pills in the house, as they are good for many ailments, particularly those arising from impoverished or diseased blood, and weakened nerve force."

Not Enough.

Kind Lady—I am sure you would learn to love my children.
Nurse—What wages do you pay?
Kind Lady—Fourteen dollars a month.
Nurse—I am afraid, ma'am, I could only be affectionate with them at that price.—Puck.

Rev. Mary A. Hillis the noted Evangelist writes: "I gladly give my testimony to the healing properties of Dr. Kay's Lung Balm. My son had a terrible cough every winter for five years and he took dozens of bottles of the leading cough medicines but nothing seemed to help him or quiet his cough. But two 25-cent boxes of Dr. Kay's Lung Balm cured him, and it has also been a great relief to other members of my family when afflicted with colds." We are positive that Dr. Kay's Lung Balm and also Dr. Kay's Renovator have no equals. If you have any disease write us and give your symptoms and our physician will send free advice and a valuable 68 page book with 56 recipes and giving symptoms and various methods of treating nearly all diseases. We will also send a free sample of Dr. Kay's Lung Balm or Dr. Kay's Renovator. Address Dr. B. J. Kay Medical Co., (Western Office) Omaha, Neb.

A Good Judge.

Jill—Is Gill a good judge of cigars?
Bill—I think he must be. He had two last night and he gave me one. He must have kept the best one.—Yonkers Statesman.

Beauty Is Blood Deep.

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 impurities 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.

His Hardest Job.

"I would rather," muttered Mr. Hanna under his breath, "undertake to elect half a dozen Presidents than one Ohio senator."—Chicago Tribune.

Do You Dance To-Night?

Shake into your Shoes Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It makes tight or New Shoes feel Easy. Cures Corns, Bunions, Chills and Swelling Feet. At all Druggists and Shoe Stores, 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

If a man is wise he never jars a hornet's nest to find what is in it.

FROM GLOOM TO SUNLIGHT OR THE USURER'S DAUGHTER.

BY CHARLOTTE M. BRAEME.

INTERNATIONAL PRESS ASSOCIATION.

CHAPTER XI.—(Continued.)

"I will care more," she said, making a desperate effort to rouse herself. "What am I to do?"

Amice was all animation. She brought out a beautiful dinner-dress, a dress that looked like a soft black cloud tinged with golden light.

"Amber and black!" said Lady Caraven. "Surely I am dark enough. Amice? Lord Caraven likes everything about him bright and fair; I should wear something lighter if I mean to please him."

"You promised, my lady, that I should dress you as I liked to-day."

"It does not matter," she said, indifferently; and so the amber and black was worn.

Nothing could have suited her better. The low dinner-dress showed the exquisitely molded neck and shoulders, the rounded arms; it displayed the beautiful contour of a figure tall and graceful. The mass of dark waving hair was arranged in thick shining coils fastened with a diamond arrow; one dark crimson flower lay in their depths. A pearl necklace was clasped round the graceful throat, a bracelet round one of the dimpled arms. Amice's pride was great; there might be a thousand ladies present—none could be so beautiful as hers.

Lady Courtenay looked up in wonder as her lovely young hostess entered the drawing-room. She turned to the earl, with whom she was most intimate—they had played together when children.

"How falsely people speak!" she said. "I heard that you had married a great heiress, but that she was quite a plain little school-girl. I must congratulate you on the rare beauty of your wife."

"Little she certainly is not," returned the earl, laughingly; "my—my wife is tall, I consider."

"And she is beautiful," said Lady Courtenay. "She looks like a Spanish princess. You do not often see faces like hers in England—we are all red and white."

"So you ought to be," he replied; "I can as soon imagine a dark angel as admire a dark woman."

"You retain your old love for the blondes," said Lady Courtenay. "I am a far better judge; and I tell you that the fair pink-and-white faces of most English women would pale into insignificance before the rich bloom, the exquisite coloring, the dark, lustrous eyes of your wife."

"I really ought to thank you in her name," he responded.

"You ought to love her very much, for she is worth loving," said Lady Courtenay, frankly.

"Has any one told you that I do not love her?" he asked.

"No, certainly not; but, though she is so beautiful, she does not look happy. Her eyes ought to be filled with sunshine—they are sad and dreary. It is not a happy face, Lord Caraven."



"NEVER HEARD YOUR WIFE SING?"

But he had heard quite enough of the topic—his wife's face did not interest him. He looked at her with some curiosity after Lady Courtenay had spoken, and for the first time he was impressed with her growing beauty. "Lady Alice has rightly described her," he said to himself—"she is like a Spanish princess. She would be perfect if she had a mantilla and a fan!"

Then he forgot all about it, and was soon busy talking over old Oxford days with Sir Charles.

It was not a happy face. Hildred took her place at the brilliantly appointed table. She was perfectly calm and self-possessed. In her thoughtful consideration for others she made an admirable hostess; her tact and graciousness were beyond all praise. But hers was not a happy face. She did not voluntarily join in the con-

versation—with a quick, flashing smile she answered when she was spoken to, but she seldom volunteered a remark. When she was not speaking, when her face was in repose, there came over it an air of dreary languor, of sadness, of thought, painful to see in one so young.

"What can be wrong here?" thought Lady Courtenay. "There is plenty of money, they are both young, both handsome—Saxon beauty and Spanish—why are they not happy?"—for, among all other gossip, she had not heard the fact that Lord Caraven had married for money and not for love.

It was a pleasant evening. The earl found out another accomplishment of his wife's—she was an almost perfect musician, she sang like an inspired. The love, the passion, the tenderness, that found no vent in her ordinary life found vent in song. The rich, low contralto voice was more beautiful than anything he had ever heard. She sang like one whose whole soul is turned to song. She had set to sweet sad music the poet's passionate words—

"Oh, cruel love—she changed her tone—

"Oh, cruel love, whose end is scorn! Is this the end, to be left alone,

To live forgotten, and die forlorn?"

She sang them with such sweet pathos. It was of herself she was thinking. Who was more forlorn than she—who more neglected?

"Oh, cruel love, whose end is scorn!"

"What charming music!" said Lady Courtenay. "Whose is it? I do not remember to have heard it before, and I am familiar with most modern songs—whose is it?"

"My own," replied Hildred. "Whenever words please me very much, they always set themselves to music in my own mind."

"The words are so sad—"To live forgotten and die forlorn?" How can they please one so young as you?"

"It is the fate of many," said Hildred, slowly.

"It may be, but it will never be yours—You, Countess of Caraven, young, gifted, beloved."

"There are many ways of dying," said Hildred. "It is more bitter than death to some to live without love; yet many live without it."

"You have strange thoughts for one of your age; I should have imagined that dresses and jewels, balls and dances, would have been in your thoughts rather than sad ideas of life and love."

"Should you? I like balls and dances very much," said Hildred, trying to speak lightly—she had no great desire to reveal to a stranger the secrets of her life and heart.

"You never told me," said Lord Caraven to his wife, "that you could sing so beautifully."

"Did I not? Perhaps you never asked me if I could sing at all."

"I do not remember doing so," he said. "Have you any more surprises?"

She looked up at him brightly. "You seemed half-horrified when I told you that I could speak German," she said. "I was afraid that you considered accomplishments something to be concealed. I shall never tell you of any of mine."

With a glance, half laughing, half haughty, she took up the sheet of music and crossed the room. Lady Courtenay looked curiously into the face of the earl.

"Had you never heard your wife sing, really?" she asked.

"No, I had not, indeed," he replied.

"If I were a man, and had wooed so sweet a songstress, I should have spent long hours over the piano," she said. "I thought you always liked music so much."

"So do I do. But I did not even know my wife could sing; she makes no parade of her talent."

"No," said Lady Courtenay to herself, "nor do I think that you have made any great parade of your love." But she said no more—the subject was evidently not pleasing to the earl.

CHAPTER XII.

BEAUTIFUL evening in October; it was as though some of the warmth and sweetness of summer had returned for a while. The sky was blue, the colors of the sunset were gorgeous, the foliage of the trees was magnificent, autumn flowers were blooming, autumn tints were over the

land. The day had been unusually warm and sunny. Lord Caraven had invited some friends to dinner; as they lived at some little distance, and they could not remain for the night, dinner was ordered earlier than usual. It was only twilight when the guests drove away, and Lord Caraven, having no one to play billiards with him, sauntered restlessly through the rooms, thinking to himself how foolish he had been not to provide himself with a companion for that most interesting of all games.

"I must not let this happen again," he said. "To live here alone requires more strength of mind than I am possessed of."

It did not occur to him that he was not alone—that he had a fair young wife near him. He never thought of her at all. He would not have remembered her existence but that, wandering aimlessly along the terrace, he saw her in the drawing-room.

Seeing her, he thought it was possible she understood something of billiards, although "women never know anything useful." She saw him, and, fancying from his manner that he wished to speak to her, she opened the window and went out to him.

"You will be cold," he said with unusual thoughtfulness.

She went back to the drawing-room in search of a silvery scarf that she used. She threw it carelessly over her head and shoulders, where it looked so picturesque and became her so well that he could not help noticing it.

"This is dull work being here alone," he said.

"It is dull for both of us," she replied briefly.

"Ah, yes; do you know, I had quite forgotten you were alone as well. You must find it dull, too. We will ask some people down at once—this kind of thing will never do. I wanted to ask you, do you know anything of billiards?"

"Billiards?" she repeated, wonderingly.

"Yes—many ladies play remarkably well. Lady Courtenay does. It is such a great resource."

"Do you want me to play with you?" she asked, quickly.

"Yes, I am bored to death. I am tired of smoking, I never read much, and there is nothing to do."

"Extraordinary?" she cried—"nothing to do?"

"What do you mean?" he asked.

"I mean nothing. I am very sorry. I have seen a billiard table; but I have never played. I will try to learn, if you like."

"Beginners are generally very awkward," he said, frankly. "I cannot think how it is that I have forgotten to ask any one over. I must not be so remiss again."

"Do you never amuse yourself?" she asked.

"No. How can I? I am essentially a sociable being. I feel little interest in myself."

"You would rather be amused than interested?" she asked.

He thought for half a minute before he answered.

"I see," he said. "Yes, I prefer amusement to anything else."

"It is a great pity that you cannot imitate the kings of old, and keep a court jester with cap and bells."

Lord Caraven looked at her. It could not surely be possible that this



THE EARL SAT DOWN.

wife of his, this money-lender's daughter, was presuming to be satirical with him. They walked down the terrace until they reached the rustic garden-seat, and with an air of utter exhaustion the earl sat down. Hildred took her seat unasked by his side.

The night wind was sweeping round them, bending the tall chrysanthemums, stirring the dying leaves—a sweet fresh wind that was as odorous as palm. The twilight was fast fading, the birds had long since ceased to sing, there was a pleasant brooding sense of rest and of freshness.

(To be continued.)

It is said that less than 90 per cent of the regular church-goers ever complain of the sermons being too short.

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DEFIES GREAT BRITAIN.

Russia Has Thrown Down the Gage of Battle.

ISSUE IS SQUARELY RAISED.

The Demand of the Island Empire for Open Ports in China Will Not Be Granted—Revolt in India Predicted for an Early Date.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg to the London Daily Telegraph reports interviews with a Russian admiral and an eminent diplomat. Their statements, if true, amount to the declaration that Russia threatens Great Britain with war if she does not acquiesce in Russia's policy in China. Russia seems to have thrown down the gage of battle, and it remains to be seen whether Great Britain will take it up.

It is also said that in India a revolt infinitely more serious than the Sepoy mutiny is about to break out.

TALKS OF BIMETALLISM.

President McKinley Addresses American Manufacturers' Association.

President McKinley delivered an eloquent address at the third annual banquet of the National Association of Manufacturers of the United States at New York, Jan. 27.

The President complimented the association on the work which had been done, and urged the necessity of further efforts for the opening up of foreign markets.

On the currency question he said:

"Duty requires that our government shall regulate the value of its money by the highest standards of commercial honesty and national honor. The money of the United States is and forever must be unquestioned and unassailable. If doubts remain they must be removed. Nothing should ever tempt us—nothing will ever tempt us—to scale down the sacred debt of the nation through a legal technicality."

"It will not suffice for citizens nowadays to say simply that they are in favor of sound money. That is not enough. The people's purpose must be given the vitality of public law. The difficulties in the path of a satisfactory reform are, it must be admitted, neither few in number nor slight in degree, but progress cannot fail to be made with a fair and thorough trial. An honest attempt will be the best proof of sincerity of purpose."

The President then quoted the financial plank of the St. Louis platform and added: "This is in reality a command from the people who gave the administration to the party now in power, and who are still anxiously waiting for the execution of their free and omnipotent will by those of us who hold commissions from that supreme tribunal."

Senator William P. Frye of Maine spoke in favor of the immediate competition of the Nicaraguan canal and the annexation of Hawaii.

Charles Emory Smith predicted that the United States would in the coming century peacefully dominate the markets of the world.

Economy in Iowa.

Iowa Republican representatives in caucus hit the state binder and the state printer hard. They voted to pass a bill to reduce the rate of compensation for state work at once instead of January, 1899, as provided for in the code. It is claimed this will save the state \$20,000 during the coming year.

Assets, \$3.30; Liabilities, \$100,000.

The Odd Fellows' Mutual Aid association of Indianapolis voted to go out of business. Its assets amounts to \$3.30 and its liabilities to \$100,000, consisting of unpaid death claims.

Whole Spanish Fleet for Havana.

The whole Spanish fleet is to be concentrated at Havana, though not immediately, unless circumstances demand.

Free Homes for Settlers.

The free homestead bill, giving over 20,000,000 acres of public lands as free homes for settlers, has been favorably reported to congress.

Will Not Meet Corbett.

Until James J. Corbett meets and defeats Peter Maher, Robert Fitzsimmons, the champion, says he will pay no attention to him.

To Found a University.

The late Andrew M. Moore of Philadelphia left an estate of from \$6,000,000 to \$10,000,000 to found a university in that city.

Gen. Blanco Is Confident.

Captain General Blanco says the Cuban revolution will be put down by February.

Black Diphtheria at Kewanee.

Black diphtheria is prevalent at Kewanee, Ill. One death from the disease has resulted.

Wisconsin Judge to Retire.

Norman S. Gibson, judge of the Fourth judicial district of Wisconsin, is soon to retire.

THE LOUD POSTAL BILL.

North Dakota Editor Thinks It Would Injure Country Publishers.

Washington, Jan. 28.—M. H. Jewell, publisher of the Bismarck Tribune, has addressed a letter to publishers of country papers, daily and weekly. The letter is a protest against the Loud postal bill now before the senate, and is as follows:

"Dear Sir:—Hereon you will find printed what is known as the Loud bill, relating to second-class postage, which if passed will disastrously affect the publishing interests of this country by cutting off all sample copies, which would include all exchanges, all copies to advertisers and advertising agents, all copies issued and paid for by campaign committees or advertisers, all copies desired to be circulated for the purpose of securing new subscribers, and in the language of the bill would only allow you to send copies of your paper 'to persons who voluntarily order and pay for the same,' except that you do so by paying the ruinous rate of postage of 'one cent for each four ounces or fraction thereof.' The provisions of this law can bear no other reasonable construction than that a subscriber must be cut off at the expiration of the time to which his subscription has been paid."

"Mr. Perry S. Heath, who is the first assistant postmaster general, in a personal letter to Mr. Loud has expressed his opinion on the matter, urging an amendment to the bill which would, in his opinion, protect the interests of legitimate publishers."

"Mr. Loud is reported to have said, in conversation with a publisher, that when this bill was passed he proposed to introduce a bill prohibiting free circulation of country papers in the country where published. This is borne out by a paragraph in Mr. Loud's report, which reads as follows: 'They (the committee) do not assume that the bill they recommend to you is perfect; far from it. Neither does it wholly remedy this evil. It is, however, a step in the right direction, and goes as far as they thought prudent at this time.' A large amount of advertising contracts are being held up by advertisers because of the general belief among them that the adoption of this measure will reduce circulation among the weekly papers at least 33 1-3 per cent."

"Not the least objectionable feature of this proposed legislation is its effect upon immigration matters. For if the Loud bill becomes a law, extra copies of special editions of the country press containing that information which prospective settlers and investors all over the country most desire, will be denied the privilege of second-class rates now enjoyed. Not even a single extra copy, with some specially marked article, descriptive of the country, or of some enterprise or industry, can be sent out except at enormously increased rates of postage. Publishers generally will not fail to appreciate the far-reaching effects of this measure and the importance of securing its defeat or effecting sweeping modifications. We expect your co-operation in an effort to amend or defeat this bill. We urge you to act at once. Telegraph and write your congressman to use his influence and utmost efforts to defeat this dangerous measure. It would materially aid us in our work here if you would mail us a copy of your telegram and letter to your congressman together with such other suggestions as you see fit to make. Please let us hear from you at once."

ILLINOIS LEGISLATURE.

Condensed Report of Proceedings of Senate and House.

When the house met Jan. 27 it was apparent that there were not enough Republican votes to pass the revenue bill. To save the measure from defeat the Republicans decided to postpone further action to next Tuesday, and this was done by the house.

In the senate the Crawford primary election bill was passed, and was at once sent over to the house.

The session of the house Jan. 28 was slimly attended, less than a score of members being in their seats. The house adjourned to 5 o'clock Jan. 31.

No business was attempted in the senate and an adjournment was taken until 5 o'clock Jan. 31.

The house met at 5 o'clock Jan 31 with a light attendance. The senate primary election bills and Harnsberger's primary election bill were advanced to second reading.

President Pro Tem. Fisher called the senate to order without a quorum present.

Bad Fire at Mt. Sterling, Ill.

The finest business block in Mount Sterling, Ill., was wiped out by fire Jan. 27, with a loss of \$50,000, partly covered by insurance. Jack Nichols and Clay Piper were fatally hurt.

Madrid Police Prevent Rioting.

The precautions adopted by the police of Madrid prevented the students of that city wrecking the newspaper offices.

Will Exclude Immoral Shows.

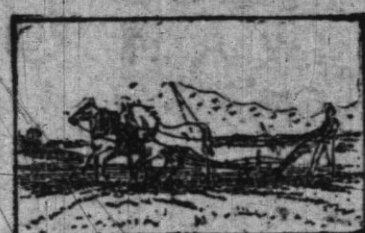
State, district and county fair associations in Indiana decided to exclude immoral shows from fairs.

To Make the Judiciary Elective.

The Mississippi house and senate voted to submit a constitutional amendment as to make the judiciary elective.

CANADIAN CREAMERIES.

How They Are Operated and Made to Pay the Farmer.



A correspondent of a Brown City, Michigan, paper writes as follows: "An industry which is proving very advantageous to the settlers of North Alberta, Canada, and is truly a boon to the farmers, is the establishment of creameries by the Government at regular distances apart. The Government furnishes the entire plant, puts it in and operates it without direct cost to the farmer. From the sale of the butter the Government retains 5 cents per pound, the balance going to the farmer. This is continued for three years, when the government turns over the plant and business to the farmers, giving them a clear title of it. Thus these creameries are put in at a minimum cost to the farmer and paid for in a way that he least feels it. When we were there butter was selling at 21 and 22 cents per pound. Cheese factories were being established, too, along the railroad and much of the freight loaded on the cars on our return trip consisted of butter and cheese, as it was in the best season for milk. The produce found a ready market in the mining and lumbering towns and districts beyond the Rockies, through the British Columbia country, where it was, we were told, difficult to supply the demand."

The Klondike is another field now open to the Western Canadian farmer for all produce of the farm, and the officials in the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, Canada, are kept busy sending out literature describing this great agricultural country. The agents of the Government throughout the United States are also supplied with literature, which they distribute free.

Didn't Forgive the Interruption.

"It's a shame," said Mr. Faraway, as he borrowed a lead pencil from his wife, "that people have so little compunction about wasting a man's time." "What is the matter?" "A man has just insisted on interrupting me in the midst of a game of chess in order to pay some money he owed."—Washington Star.

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Hunting For Ancestors.

It is not a good sign, this scouring the earth by Americans to see if they are not descended from somebody who was somebody a hundred or a thousand years ago. There is the attempted organization of the so called order of Ruhnymede, composed of the descendants of the Magna Charta barons. There are this, that and the other organization whose members set much store by themselves because they had ancestors historic for noble and useful qualities. The exploitation of our forefathers is a tacit confession that we are nothing in and of ourselves, therefore we fall back on our ancestors.

The number of such societies indicates that there is not now blue blood enough in Americans to make them try to be noble on their own account. The ancestors from whom they are so proud to be descended were powerful people, with tremendous convictions of right and wrong. They acted out these convictions, struck with mailed hand at opposing obstacles and conquered. They were every one the heretics, the rebels, the radicals and come outers of their generation. If they were alive today, nine out of every ten of them would be ostracized and speered at by the very people who now fall down and worship their dust.

Let present day Americans stand upon their own feet. There are in all of them latent those seeds of strength and brave character that made their ancestors what they were. Let the descendants try to evolve something out of themselves, genius or goodness or moral and intellectual force. Let them do and be something of themselves and leave their various ancestors to the rest so well earned. Not to our ancestors, but to ourselves let us turn for distinction.

Canadian Loyalty.

Canada is a queer lot. She professes the most burning loyalty to the British empire. Many of her newspapers rage when any treasonable, base person suggests the possibility of an independent Canadian nation or of the annexation of the Dominion to the United States. All the same, however, Canada lets up on her loyalty when her little pocket is touched. She puts up the bars of a stiff tariff law against her own mother, charging on goods imported from England in some cases a higher duty than even on American goods. This is one instance of how she loves her mother. Again, English money helped build the Canadian Pacific railway, largely as a military enterprise. English money subsidizes the merchant ships that ply between Victoria and Asiatic ports. This, too, is the result of military policy. What Canada does in return for this protection is shown in a sentence from the speech at Bristol of Sir Michael Hicks Beach, chancellor of the British exchequer. He said, "It is not creditable to Canada or fair to English taxpayers that such a colony should contribute practically nothing to the naval defenses of the empire." Thus it appears that Canada gets the benefit of all England's naval prestige, and it does not cost her a cent. Canny Canada!

Canada is a chronic kicker on the matter of seals in Bering sea. She keeps England in hot water over this question. She is loyal to Great Britain for what she can get out of her.

Fitz-Hugh Lee has conducted the affairs of his difficult and trying office as consul general to Cuba in a way that calls for only approval and admiration. He has proved himself to possess wisdom, good temper and courage, the three splendid qualities necessary to succeed anywhere. The courage all knew him to have before he went to Cuba. The statesmanlike tact and good temper have shone conspicuously when occasion demanded. One result of his appointment to the Cuban place and his continuance in office under the McKinley administration is that the southern people are intensely interested in the Cuban cause. They are a unit in favor of Cuban independence and are devoutly hoping that it may soon be brought about.

Mrs. Margaret Neet recently took paris green on her husband's grave and died. That was a poor way to keep a husband's grave green.

Our esteemed American fellow citizens do not appear to be tumbling over one another to secure consulships in Cuba.

HERE AND THERE.

An unknown man was found frozen to death in the snow on Wednesday morning of last week near Waukegan.

R. E. Haeger of Algonquin has been offered \$70 a month to play with the New Orleans ball club.

Tuesday morning was one of the coldest days we have had this winter. The thermometer registered 10 degrees below zero.

The ordinance passed by the Aurora council compelling milk dealers having more than two cows to take out a license has been declared valid.

McHenry county has fourteen newspapers published within her borders. The formation of a county association by the newspaper men is favorably being talked of.

The lynx, which was seen in the vicinity of Waukegan about two weeks ago, was again seen, and in consequence the people in that district have been busily engaged of late in cleaning their guns.

Louis Bennett, the young man who placed a rail on the track in front of a passenger train, near Ringwood, and was indicted for malicious mischief, was given a term in the reform school, until he is twenty-one years of age.

The state conference of the Swedish-Lutheran denomination will be held at Sycamore during the latter part of February. Delegates and preachers to the number of one hundred and fifty are expected. Sycamore has one of the handsomest churches of that denomination in the country.

A farmer named Hintt, living in Schaumburg cut a deep gash across the back of his hand while chopping wood. He was brought to Dr. Burhngame's at Elgin for surgical aid. The doctor found the muscles were severed and the ends had to be drawn together and stitched. The hand will be more or less crippled.

The incorporators of the Geneva Lake and Sycamore and Southern Electric railway are now engaged in securing the right-of-way along the proposed route, and they are experiencing but little difficulty. Property owners are glad to have an electric railway pass their premises.

The Bluff City Electric Railway company, whose franchise for right-of-way through the village of Lake Bluff was to have expired January 31st, has secured an extension of time. At a meeting of the Village Board of that village Saturday evening the franchise was extended in return for the promise to pay the village \$300 and gravel the road on which the trolley runs.

A big woods farmer had who imagined he was old enough to have a girl called on a young lady a few nights ago. The girl's mother very quietly left the room but in a few minutes returned with a big piece of bread and molasses which she handed to the caller, telling him to eat it and run home as his mother might be uneasy if he should stay out late.—*Harvard Independent.*

A tramp called at a house in Capron a short time ago and asked for something to eat, offering to work for it. The lady of the house pointed out the woodshed and soon heard the sound of an ax. After a time the tramp returned to the house and was given the lunch. After he had gone the lady went to the woodshed to get some of the wood the tramp had cut. She found that the hobo had cut the saw frame into small bits, made kindling wood of the sawbuck, and cut the handle off a good shovel besides hacking a few other articles.—*Nunda Herald.*

Mrs. Lucy E. Spoor, alleged by the United States authorities to be Mrs. Benj. Beach, is confined in the county jail in Chicago, charged with swindling the government by illegally drawing a pension of \$8 per month. As the widow of Miles J. Spoor, a soldier, she made application for and received the pension in 1892. Later she married Benj. Beach, at Wauconda, where she resided until about a year ago, when she left her husband and, together with her son, moved to Chicago. Since her second marriage she has continued drawing the pension under the name of Lucy E. Spoor, hence her arrest for swindling. The case will be presented to the federal grand jury.—*Waukegan Weekly Sun.*

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WEEK DAY TRAINS--NORTH.		
LV. CHICAGO.	AR. PALATINE.	AR. BARR'TN.
8 00 A. M.	8 32 A. M.	8 50 A. M.
9 30	10 19	10 30
10 50	11 58	12 10 P. M.
1 30	2 45	3 10
3 30 P. M.	4 47 P. M.	5 02
5 00	5 57	6 09
6 01	7 08	7 20
6 35	7 42	7 55
11 35	12 42	12 55

* Saturday only.

WEEK DAY TRAINS--SOUTH.		
LV. BARR'TN.	LV. PALATINE.	AR. CHICAGO.
6 30 A. M.	6 40 A. M.	7 25 A. M.
7 00	7 10	8 25
7 55	8 09	9 15
9 08	9 18	10 20
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SUNDAY TRAINS--NORTH.		
LV. CHICAGO.	AR. PALATINE.	AR. BARR'TN.
4 00 A. M.	4 32 A. M.	4 50 A. M.
9 10	10 19 A. M.	10 30
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4 45	6 00	6 12
6 35	7 42	7 55
11 35	12 42	12 55

SUNDAY TRAINS--SOUTH.		
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6 45 A. M.	6 53 A. M.	7 45 A. M.
7 50	8 00	9 15
12 25 P. M.	12 34 P. M.	1 40 P. M.
4 35	4 45	5 45
5 02	5 12	6 20
8 57	9 08	9 55
9 10	9 23	10 25

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NORTH.		
TOILET.	2.30am	8.40am
Barrington	7.00am	2.00pm
Lake Zurich	7.15am	2.35pm
Leighton	7.45am	3.05pm
Rondout	8.00am	3.25pm
Waukegan	8.30am	4.10pm

Turkeys Disappear in a Mysterious Manner.

On Thursday morning, Justice Crawford's court room was crowded with those interested in the Dvorak turkey case. Anthony Dvorak, who lives near Spring Lake, lost during December fourteen turkeys, which he had reason to suppose were taken and consumed by a party of wood choppers who were camped on adjoining land. The turkeys disappeared two or three at a time, and gun-shots were heard each time. At one time the plaintiff claims he opened a bag lying near the camp, and in it found two of his turkeys, dead. He endeavored to secure a settlement, but was unable to do so, consequently he caused the arrest of Hobart and Lester Belshaw, Willis and Elmer Brown, all of Dundee, charging them with malicious mischief. The case came to trial Thursday, with Attorney Spitzer of Woodstock prosecuting and Fred Raymond of Elgin defending. Justice Raymond returned a verdict of guilty in regard to Elmer Brown, fixing the fine at \$10 and costs, and discharged the other defendants. Notice of appeal was given, and Brown's fine was remitted.—Dundee correspondent in *Elgin Courier.*

Full of interest and picturesque was the ceremony of launching in an American shipyard, the Cramps' at Philadelphia, the Japanese cruiser Kasagi. Such a ceremony goes to strengthen the friendship which without a break has existed 46 years between the United States and the strong young nation of the orient. The fact that Japan, with the skill and resources of the marine architects of the world at her command, comes to the United States for her warship shows American naval construction to be even with the best. It must be confessed that the Japanese way of christening a ship is more appropriate and impressive than ours. In America a lady breaks a bottle of wine over the new vessel's bows as she slides down the ways. The Japanese style is to free six pigeons, sacred messenger birds, from a cage above the ship's bow at the moment of her gliding into the water. Couldn't we have a warship christening in Japanese fashion?

Parisians are obliged to have a storm of passion periodically to keep themselves in good health. It may be aroused by the Panama scandal; again, the bursting of the copper syndicate, or the trial of an anarchist. Just now it is the Dreyfus case, which is made the pretext for the French to lash themselves into fury against the Jews. Captain Dreyfus is a Jew; hence the excuse. In these periodical teapot tempests the Parisians use enough violent language to overthrow an empire, but it ends there usually, and they settle down to thrift and money getting again. That these tempests mean nothing serious is shown by the fact that France steadily maintains herself as a republic.

The position taken by resident Dole of Hawaii is altogether correct and dignified. He is not here to lobby for annexation, he says, but to give information.

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Every evening, at the store.
Congregate a dozen or more.
But it does not take them a minute
To realize they are not "in it."
(Come early and get the chair.)

February.

Another sign in town.

Rather chilly mornings.

Oh, hail! St. Valentine's day.

Sleighting parties are in order.

Roney shipped cattle Saturday.

George Baker was in town Sunday.

Louis Seip visited here the first of the week.

Sunday school entertainment to-morrow evening.

There is no danger of an ice famine next summer.

Wm. Russe visited in town the fore-part of the week.

George Jones of Elgin was observed in town Tuesday.

H. Pepper entertained relatives from Lakes Corners Sunday.

C. L. Hokeymeier of Diamond Lake was a Tuesday caller.

Tell your expectations, probably we can enlighten you.—X RAYS.

Arrived at the home of Wm. Prehm on February 1st, a little son.

The basket social for the benefit of of the church was a financial success.

What does it mean? A passenger coach went over the "J" this week—one day.

Of late, considerable gravel has been hauled to the grounds about the golf club house.

Last month of winter according to the almanac—according to the ground hog it's the commencement of winter.

A special meeting of the Elia Mutual Fire Insurance company was held in the town hall Monday. Some important business was transacted.

The remains of Henry Fischer, who died last week, were buried at Fairfield cemetery. Rev. Kasten officiating.

Forbes & Roney opened their saloon at Wauconda Tuesday. "First-class imported and domestic refreshments and cigars at popular prices" is their motto.

The funeral of Mrs. E. Lohman, who died on Friday of last week after a brief illness, occurred on Monday. The remains were interred in the German Lutheran church cemetery.

A large force of men is now employed at Hargis & Foley's ice plant, and it presents the appearance of a veritable bee hive. The ice is of a fine quality.

QUENTIN'S CORNERS.

Wm. Knigge of Lake Zurich was in town Sunday.

E. Quentin of Chicago was at the Corners Sunday.

Fred Greber was in Chicago Friday of last week.

John Meyer is taking instruction in blacksmithing at present.

Our school is progressing nicely, with Henry Allard as teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stempel spent Sunday at the home of H. Berghorn.

Our factory paid a dividend of 90 cents per 100 pounds of milk for November.

Mr. and Mrs. George Quentin of Long Grove visited at the Corners Friday of last week.

If you know of any news items leave them at W. Quentin's store, and they will be forwarded to THE REVIEW.

The Heller farm was sold on January 25th by the County Court to F. Greber for \$46 an acre.

Jacob Sturm, sr., has bought L. Hackel's 7-acre lot at this place on which he expects to erect a residence in the spring.

We are pleased to report the recovery of Wm. Berghorn, who has for a long time been suffering with throat troubles.

J. Westphal and Charles Horn of Barrington, accompanied by their families, spent Sunday at the home of H. L. Boekeiman.

WAUCONDA.

Fred Hoeft was a Nunda visitor Monday.

Geo. Wragg spent Sunday at his farm.

J. Forbes transacted business in our village Monday.

Will Johnson made a trip to Rockefeller Friday.

Will Golding was on the sick list the first of the week.

John Ladd, who is now in the employ of the Sovereign Lubricating Co. at Waukegan, was in our village the first of the week.

Miss Jennie Green returned home

Saturday after a spending a few days at Valparaiso.

Mort Baseley made a trip to Libertyville Sunday.

L. C. Price transacted business in the city Wednesday.

F. Thomas of Gilmer was a caller in our village last Friday.

Duane Smith called on friends at Libertyville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hapke were McHenry visitors Sunday.

James Donlea of Barrington was a pleasant caller in our village Sunday.

Asa Joyce of Ivanhoe was a pleasant caller in our village last Friday.

Messrs. J. E. Gainer and Miles Fuller were Chicago visitors Sunday.

A. and J. W. Cook transacted business at Waukegan a few days last week.

Mrs. B. F. Felt of Wesley, Iowa, visited with relatives and friends in our village the past week.

Our M. W. A. camp initiated two new members Tuesday evening. The riding of the goat seems to be a hard task.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Hammond of Chicago, who have been spending the past few weeks with relatives in our village and vicinity, returned home Tuesday.

A masquerade ball will be given at the Oakland hall next Friday evening, February 11th. Good music will be in attendance and a jolly good time is promised all. Tickets including supper and care of horses, \$1.75. Spectators, 25 cents.

The Wauconda Anti-Horse Thief association will hold its annual meeting for the election of officers at the calaboose Saturday, February 5, at 3 o'clock p. m. All interested in a mutual organization for protection against horse thieves should not fail to attend.

The joint debate which was to have been held last Friday evening between Wauconda and Rockefeller, was postponed on account of the blocked condition of the roads. As yet we have not learned what future time has been set.

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CARY WHISPERINGS.

Will Smith is on the sick list.

John Dunn was in Algonquin Sunday.

Edwin Kiltz of Ridgefield Sundayed at home.

George Boomer of Chicago Sundayed at home.

Mrs. R. P. Andrews spent Sunday at Evanston.

Frank Tomisky of Chicago is spending a few days at home.

Mrs. Kiltz and daughter, Laura, drove to Ridgefield Saturday.

Bert Munshaw and sister, Phronie, spent Sunday in Nunda.

Master George Hackman and friend of Chicago spent Sunday here.

Mr. Nolan, who has been on the sick list, is now able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman entertained friends from Chicago Sunday.

The J. H. C. club met at the home of Mary Taylor Tuesday evening.

Mr. Warner and son of Dundee spent Sunday with relatives at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Grether and family of Cuba visited old friends at Cary last Sunday.

Misses Mayme Dunn and Bessie Fitzgerald of Chicago were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dunn Sunday.

Miss Pearl Weaver of Janesville, Wis., is spending a few weeks with relatives here.

James Catlow returned home Saturday, after spending a week with relatives at Barrington.

Mrs. C. Griswold and daughter, Nellie, of Palatine spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Catlow.

Rev. Brooks of Austin filled the pulpit of the M. E. church Sunday evening. He took the place of Rev. Nickel, who was called to Greenwood to conduct funeral services.

A number of young folks enjoyed a sleighing party Friday evening of last week, and which was given by Jimmie Haskins and Louis Meschenger. After one of the number fell in a snow drift it was declared that "there was a cold time in the snow drift one night."

Miss Mary Taylor was pleasantly surprised on Monday evening of last week by a number of her schoolmates, the occasion being her 14th birthday. Among the number present were: Misses Genevieve Burton, Lucy Garben, Goldye Sprague, Mamie Richter, Emma Wascher, Ethel Thomas, Vera Mentch, Elsie Kiltz, Annie Dolan and Marie Dolan.

Following is the program given by the Literary Society of the Cary public school on Friday, January 28th:

Opening song by School.
Recitation—Gertrude Abbott.
Pen Picture—Emma Wascher.
Reading—Wallace Lamm.
Rebus—Myrtle Kiltz.
Song—School.
Instrumental music—Estella Catlow.
Recitation—Oliver Grantham.
Recitation—Glen Lindsey.
Prophecy—Vera Mentch.
Spoken Box—Ruth Holiday.
Recitation—Cora Brant.
Instrumental music—Myrtle Freeman.
Conunrums—Josie McGraw.
Recitation—Laura Kiltz.
Closing Song—School.

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The Sterling Placer Company is a stockholders' company, and will be run for their profit. It has no bonds nor bondholders.

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EVENTS OF LAST SEVEN DAYS.

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

Salt Lake City, Utah.—The wholesale and retail hardware house of George M. Scott & Co., one of the largest and oldest hardware houses in the intermountain country, has made an assignment.

Berlin.—The health of Prince Bismarck is improving. There has been a marked diminution in his pain and his insomnia.

Vienna.—A hurricane did great damage to property, tearing off roofs and blowing in windows. It was dangerous to venture on the streets, and there have been many accidents.

Marseilles.—Baron Carlingford (Chester Samuel Parkinson-Fortescue), formerly president of the British Board of Trade, and lord president of the council, is dead.

Paris.—The French chamber adopted the bill for razing the Paris fortifications between Point Dujour and Pantin.

Berlin.—The reichstag adopted the measure increasing the salary of Prince Hohenlohe, the imperial chancellor, to 100,000 marks.

Teheran, Persia.—A conspiracy has been discovered to murder the Shah, Muzaffer Ed-din, and install a younger brother in his place.

London.—The engineering works throughout England reopened, owing to settlement of the strike. About 85 per cent of the men were employed.

Rome.—The minister for foreign affairs announced in the Italian parliament that no official or agent of the Italian government had any relations with Dreyfus, the convict French captain.

Lawrence, Mass.—The 5,000 operatives at the Atlantic and Pacific cotton mills have decided to accept the 10 per cent reduction in wages.

Greenville, Ohio.—A fast train caught C. F. Young, wife and 4-year-old girl in a top buggy, killing father and child and terribly injuring the mother.

Iola, Kan.—W. L. McNail, claiming to be a son of Webb McNail, Kansas insurance commissioner, is lying at the point of death from the effects of a dose of arsenic taken with suicidal intent.

Louisville, Ky.—"Virginia Bill" Freley, aged 80, and his wife, about 70 years of age, were murdered at their home in Elliott County and robbed of from \$800 to \$1,200. The crime is shrouded in mystery.

Washington.—The comptroller of the currency has declared dividends in favor of the creditors of insolvent national banks as follows: First National Bank of Decorah, Iowa, 10 per cent; Northwestern National Bank of Great Falls, Mont., 5 per cent.

New York.—The senate, by a vote of 25 to 9, adopted the assembly resolution in favor of the general government taking such action to restore peace in Cuba as seemed wise.

Tracy, Cal.—Thomas Caffery was shot and fatally wounded by Joseph Byenes during a saloon fight.

Lafayette, Ind.—The officers and committee chairman of the Indiana State Medical Society have decided to hold the annual meeting of the society here in May, the exact date to be fixed later.

Eureka, Ill.—Earl Heston, 17 years old, is dead from excessive use of tobacco and cigarettes.

Terre Haute, Ind.—Mrs. Sarah Deming, the wealthiest woman in the state, is dead at the age of 83 years.

Burlington, Iowa.—J. O. Riordan & Bro., dry goods, assigned for \$6,098. Among the creditors are J. V. Farwell & Co. of Chicago.

Brussels.—Paul Felix Taillade, the prominent French actor, died suddenly in the Alhambra theater.

Paris.—Jules Emile Richebourg, the well-known French novelist, died at Bougival. He was 65 years old.

London.—A dispatch to the Daily Graphic from Sebastopol says it is rumored there that a portion of the Russian Black sea fleet will be dispatched to China.

Charleston, Ill.—Dr. McAlester, reputed to be the oldest pioneer in Coles county, is dead. He was born in Alabama in 1815 and lived on his farm in Morgan township continuously for over sixty years.

Milwaukee, Wis.—The county board has decided to accept \$4,000 from Ex-Superintendent Wetenkamp of the Almshouse in settlement of his shortage. There will be no prosecution and the ex-superintendent will be allowed to go free.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Champaign, Ill.—W. S. Maxwell, a prominent citizen and pioneer druggist, is dead.

Fort Wayne, Ind.—Thomas Mannix dropped dead. He had been connected with the mail service many years.

Joliet, Ill.—Kilmer Bale Tie Company, whose ships were on the route of the Chicago drainage canal, will remove to Des Plaines, Ill.

Denver, Col.—A crazy man, believed from letters in his possession to be Charles Heyn of New York, demanded \$5,000,000 from the cashier of the Colorado National Bank. The cashier said he would get the money from the vaults. He then telephoned to police headquarters and Heyn was locked up.

City of Mexico.—The Spanish minister, Duke de Arosos, and the duchess left here for the United States. They will, after a visit to the States, go to Spain.

Columbus, O.—The Ohio law which says the sum of \$5,000 may be collected from a county by friends of a person lynched therein has been declared unconstitutional.

Jefferson City, Mo.—Chief Justice Shepard Barclay of the State Supreme Court resigned, and Gov. Stephens appointed W. M. Williams of Booneville to fill the vacancy.

St. Joseph, Mo.—Seven prisoners escaped from the Buchanan county jail. A garden hose, which had been left in the jail, was used by the prisoners in clearing the roof.

Aurora, Ill.—Cressy Tia Fann Ang, the infant son of a Chinese merchant, was baptized at the New England Congregational Church. The parents expect to join the church.

St. Paul, Minn.—The Probate Court decided the famous Waters-Mintzer will contest in favor of the heirs, declaring the marriage certificate presented by Joseph Waters to be a forgery.

Eau Claire, Wis.—Mrs. Reuben C. Bartlett filled a washtub with kerosene, and, standing therein partly disrobed, poured kerosene over her hair and set fire to it. She died in agony. She was insane.

Oshkosh.—State librarians of Wisconsin held a session here Jan. 28.

Beardstown, Ill.—William H. Wells, a pioneer resident of this place, has been sent to the asylum.

New Orleans, La.—A receiver has been asked for the Abattoir Company, which is said to be heavily involved.

La Crosse, Wis.—The jury in the case brought against W. F. Ferguson to test the plumbing law passed by the last legislature disagreed.

Ottawa, Ont.—The bicycle manufacturers of Canada have asked the government for a specific duty of \$9 on each bicycle imported from the United States. The present tariff imposes a duty of 30 per cent on bicycles.

London.—In a fistic bout of twenty rounds at Birmingham between Joe Elms of Boston and Johnny Simpson, the Englishman, Simpson knocked Elms out in the fourteenth round.

Detroit, Mich.—O. W. Shipman, one of Detroit's oldest business men, is dead. He was 60 years of age.

Richmond, Va.—In the general assembly the McCune anti-filting bill was defeated.

Almonte, Ont.—Three hundred operatives in the Rosamond woolen mills are on strike against a proposed reduction of wages.

Cleveland, O.—It is stated that Tom L. Johnson has sold out his interest in the big consolidated street railway of this city.

Tacoma, Wash.—Loaded to the guards with 240 passengers and 800 tons of freight, the steamer City of Topeka sailed from Tacoma for Juneau and way ports.

Detroit, Mich.—June 14 has been fixed as the date for the convention in this city of the National Association of Labor Commissioners.

Denver, Colo.—The executive committee of the National Live Stock Association has decided to hold the next convention here Jan. 23, 1899.

Ottawa, Canada.—The government has passed an order-in-council renewing the modus vivendi covering fishing rights on the Atlantic coast for another year. The terms are the same as last season.

LATEST MARKET REPORTS.

CHICAGO.			
Cattle, all grades	1.90	@	5.50
Hogs, common to prime	2.00	@	3.85
Sheep and lambs	2.75	@	5.85
Corn, No. 2			27%
Wheat, No. 3 spring			.34
Oats, No. 3 white	.24	@	24%
Eggs			.16%
Rye, No. 2			.46
Butter	.11	@	18%
NEW YORK.			
Wheat, No. 2 red	1.05%		
Corn, No. 2	.35%		
Oats, No. 2	.28%		
ST. LOUIS.			
Cattle, all grades	2.00	@	4.90
Hogs	3.00	@	6.00
Sheep and lambs	4.00	@	5.75
Wheat, No. 2			.96
Oats, No. 2 cash			.23
Corn, No. 2 cash			.25%
PEORIA.			
Rye, No. 2			.24
Oats, No. 2 white	.24	@	24%
Corn, No. 2			.27

CONGRESSIONAL RECORD.

Condensed Report of the Doings in Senate and House.

SILVER WINS IN THE SENATE.

Mr. Teller's Resolution Adopted by a Vote of 47 to 32—The House Defeats the Proposition—Majority of Fifty Against the White Metal.

Thursday, Jan. 27.

In the house the Indian appropriation bill was passed. The features of the day were the speeches of Mr. Hartman (silver Republican, Montana), in denunciation of the financial policy of the administration, and of Mr. Dolliver (Republican, Iowa) in reply to the general attacks of the opposition.

The day was spent in the senate in debate on the Teller resolution. It will be voted on at 6 p. m. Jan. 28.

Friday, Jan. 28.

In the house the bill to pay the book publishing company of the Methodist Episcopal church south \$288,000 for damages sustained by that corporation during the war, was passed. An evening session for the consideration of other private bills was held.

The entire day in the senate was taken up by consideration of the Teller silver resolution. It was passed by a vote of 47 to 32. Five amendments in varying form and declaring for the existing gold standard until an international agreement for bimetalism could be secured, were proposed, but they were all laid on the table by majorities varying from 11 to 26. On the final vote all the democrats except Caffery, populists, silver men, and seven republicans voted in the affirmative.

Monday, Jan. 31.

All day was spent in debate on the Teller silver resolution. It was defeat-

ed by a vote of 132 to 182. The republicans were solidly arrayed in opposition, with two exceptions, Mr. Finney (N. C.), who voted with the democrats and populists, and Mr. White (C. C.), the only colored member of the house who answered "present" when his name was called. The desertions from the democratic side were Mr. McAleer (Penn.) and Mr. Elliott (S. C.).

In the senate two of the general appropriation bills, that for the army carrying \$23,243,492, and that for the legislative, judicial and executive departments, carrying \$21,653,520, were passed.

IOWA LEGISLATURE.

Measures of Importance Introduced at Des Moines.

In the house Jan. 27 the committee on woman suffrage reported for passage the joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution striking out the word "male" from the limitations in regard to voting.

The house Jan. 28 passed the amendment to the constitution providing for the reapportionment of the state to seat 115 representatives instead of 100, as now.

The house passed a bill Jan. 31 providing that the seven members of the state board of health shall be selected from seven prescribed districts instead of at large; also a bill that girls shall be detained in the Eldora reform school until they are 21 instead of 18 years of age.

The senate passed a bill reducing from 40,000 to 25,000 population the size of cities which may levy taxes for city parks and appoint park commissioners.

Supreme Court of Honor.

The annual convention of the Supreme Court of Honor chose Peoria, Ill., as the place of the next convention. A. L. Hereford, Springfield, Ill., was elected supreme chancellor. The sessions of the supreme court will hereafter be held biennially, and the next one will be in the first week of May, 1900.

JOHN W. MACKAY'S HOME AFTER DEATH.



John W. Mackay's "home after death" has just been finished. The Mackay tomb, or mausoleum, near the Ninth avenue entrance of Greenwood cemetery, Brooklyn, will soon be dedicated. This structure, which Mr. Mackay has erected after the fashion set by several of New York's prominent men, who built their tombs before they died, is one of the noblest in the necropolis. The proximate cost will be \$300,000. The design was selected by Mrs. Mackay, and John R. Lowe, a sculptor of no small fame, was the man who made the design. Within the tomb is an altar at which any visitor may worship. In the material of the altar is wrought a reproduction in Marble of a Madonna painting with

which Mrs. Mackay was struck while she was traveling over the continent. The Mackay mausoleum is within, like a miniature church auditorium. No evidences of the real character of the place appear. It is lighted and heated with electricity, and at least 50 persons could attend mass said in its space. Yet in no way is it catacomb-like. There are 22 crypts for bodies. The interior is lined throughout with marble, with a wainscoting of black Belgian capped with Connemara green. The roof is formed of a tremendous slab of granite—the largest ever quarried in this country. It came from Maine, and its dimensions are 22 feet square by 16 inches thick. Its weight is 50 tons.

Call on Senator Lindsay to Resign.

The lower house of the Kentucky legislature adopted a resolution calling upon United States Senator William Lindsay to resign if he cannot support the Chicago platform.

Dr. J. K. Blackstone Dead.

Dr. J. K. Blackstone, aged 71, dropped dead in the depot at Hebron, Ind. Dr. Blackstone had been prominent in Republican politics since the organization of the party.

Indiana Labor Trouble Settled.

The Indiana labor commission has effected a settlement for one year among the thousand workmen in the Elwood and Kokomo plate glass plants and the Pittsburg Glass company.

Iowa Supreme Court Decision.

The Iowa Supreme court decided that placing stockholders' names in one box, lot numbers in another, and apportioning real estate in a box edition, is not a lottery.

THE BLAND-ALLISON ACT.

Its Constitutionality Attacked in the Michigan Courts.

The constitutionality of the Bland-Allison act of 1878 is directly attacked in a suit begun by Stephen Baldwin, a millionaire capitalist of Detroit, against Fred A. Baker, chairman of the state central committee of free silver democrats. The suit is brought expressly to determine the validity of the act, along with other decrees bearing on silver as a circulating medium. Chairman Baker, in his defense, will contend that the Bland-Allison act is unconstitutional because it did not provide for free coinage. He says that the act legalizes the stealing of the seigniorage.

Indiana Glass-Workers Organize.

Indiana glass-workers have laid plans for the campaign of 1898 for unionism. It has been decided to hold big Sunday rallies every three weeks, beginning Feb. 20, at different points. The first will be held in Anderson.

Always Delicate

But Hood's Sarsaparilla Has Made Her Strong and Rugged.

"My little girl has always been very delicate, and has been using Hood's Sarsaparilla. She has taken several bottles of this medicine and is a rugged child now. We believe Hood's Sarsaparilla has done what no other medicine could do." S. S. CARR, 1316 Grand Ave., Racine, Wis.

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Where to Find It.

Two sons of Erin sharing the same bed, as well as the same bottle of whiskey, Pat waited till he found Mike slept, when he quietly arose and emptied the bottle. Soon after Mike, waking, stole out of bed, and groping about in the dark, was asked by his companion:

"Phwat are yez lookin' fer, Mike?"
"Oh, nothin'!" says Mike.
"Well, Mike," says Pat, "ye'll find it over there in the corner in the bottle."
—Chicago News.

All Kinds of Seeds.

The attention of our readers is called to the advertisement of the John A. Salzer Seed Co., which appears elsewhere in this issue. Those who expect to make any seed purchases will make a mistake not to write this concern. They are thoroughly reliable, and are the largest seed growers in America. It is advisable to make seed purchases without further delay, as the season is rapidly advancing. The John A. Salzer Seed Co. will send their interesting catalogue for 5 cents in stamps to defray the postage. They have made numerous offers this year, which deserve consideration.

A Family Diagram.

Lively Lionel—"There goes poor old Wayside Willie; his son has fairly broken his heart."

Languid Lucy—"Why, what's the boy done now; turned teetotal?"

Lively Lionel—"No, wuss than that; he's been an' gorn an' got work—an' in a soap factory."—Punch.

It Keeps the Feet Warm and Dry.

And is the only cure for Chilblains, Frostbites, Damp, Sweating Feet, Corns and Bunions. Ask for Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder to be shaken into the shoes. At all Druggists and Shoe Stores, 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Quite a Spattering.

"I guess God got tired when He made the sun and moon," said Willie, "and threw away the stuff He had left over, and that just scattered everywhere and made the stars."—Judge.

Coughing Leads to Consumption.

Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once. Go to your druggist to-day and get a sample bottle free. Sold in 25 and 50 cent bottles. Go at once; delays are dangerous.

The little boys and girls who play together seem to like it all the better as they grow older.

To Cure Constipation Forever.

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CONSUMPTION

FARM AND GARDEN.

MATTERS OF INTEREST TO AGRICULTURISTS.

Some Up-to-Date Hints About Cultivation of the Soil and Yields Thereof—Horticulture, Viticulture and Floriculture.

All Around the Farm.

"As the day lengthens the cold strengthens." This old saw gathers added force if we have a bunch of calves to feed. Cold and carelessness are calculated to knock a spring calf in the head. Then when spring comes and they have all the grass they can eat they are liable to take to blackleg. A neighbor went to Chicago and bought a carload of calves and brought them home. This was early in the spring. He was quite a young man and it was his first venture. They were thin and so at once he fed them liberally. They would eat until they were satisfied and then lie down. This was kept up quite a while and then nine of them died of blackleg. The idea struck the young man that they needed exercise, so every day for a week or more, as soon as they were through with their corn in the morning they were driven around for a couple of hours. The result was not another died of blackleg. Safety is reached by commencing with a poor lot of calves so gradually that there is no suddenness in the change. When they have reached full feed no harm results. I myself, last spring, bought seven head of calves, yearlings, which were so warty they looked hideous. I commenced gradually and kept it up until they ate every ear they could. The warts commenced to drop off before grass came. Good pasture finished making them smooth. My opinion, after noticing calves for a goodly number of years, is that blackleg is simply paralysis of the surface blood vessels. They fail to circulate the blood. Exercise keeps up the circulation; lying down induces torpidity of the veins and paralysis. I am no doctor, but them's my sentiments on blackleg.

Cattle should not be fed on corn alone. It is natural for them to chew the cud, and roughness fed with corn brings both up from the first compartment of the stomach and all is digested. Without roughness scarcely half the corn goes through the process, and so it passes from them in whole grains. Hence there is waste, unless hogs follow, and in any event the corn does only a part of its office in the fattening process.

The drouth in these ends of the earth was beneficial in making, not only sound corn, but in maturing the young wood on the fruit trees. It is true that numbers of trees and plants set out in the spring have perished. Especially is this the case with cherry trees, which seem more susceptible to drouth than any other sort. Plums are all right and so are the young peach trees. Pears have stood it well. Apples not so well. Many ornamental shrubs perished; notably the hardy hydrangea and the clematis. Among evergreens the Siberian arbor vitae is the most susceptible to drouth. The hydrangea and the evergreen must be watered liberally or they will certainly perish. On many plants drouth is more destructive than cold weather.

Co-operation is gaining ground among farmers. Near me a creamery of this sort has been running now over a year, and so well has it prospered that a 13 per cent dividend has been declared. This and the fact they get the milk back, minus the cream, has given cows a boom. Properly and honestly managed, there is not the least doubt but that it is a good thing for the farming community, and especially for the stockholders. Another creamery run on the same plan a few miles farther away, has done as well as the above, and one year it did better, for the past six years.

Men are hauling up to the house great piles of logs, which before long, will be sawed by horse or steam power. Half a day's sawing will last a round year. To cut the wood for that length of time as it is needed with the axe is no fool of a job, which I know by sad experience. Cutting wood at the woodpile in July and August is a watery job. A man at the woodpile then seems to be the subject of "continual dissolution and thaw." I prefer the steam power in the winter.

How cheerful the evergreens look around the house when all the ground is covered with snow. They are the ideal windbreak. I have a good many of various kinds, but prefer for the rank and file the white pine. It grows rapidly and, with room, very shapely. There should be two rows twenty-four feet apart. The outer row should break joints with the inner row. By that means a solid shelter is made.

Any quantity of men don't seem to care a copper whether their half of the line fence is kept up or not. Bad fences make, as a rule, bad neighbors. After the fence is first made, ordinary care will keep it in working order. I often wonder why it is that farmers don't see that it is much easier to be on the best of terms with their neighbors than to be otherwise. Years ago when I commenced farming on this prairie I resolved that my stock should never trouble my neighbors, and they never have.

The sheep industry is looking up. A near neighbor has now 1,000 head. An-

other 600, and both tell me that sheep are very profitable. It is a comfort to see that diversified farming is better than hogs, cattle and corn, or corn, cattle and hogs, and nothing else.—Edward B. Heaton in Farmers' Review.

Illinois Dairymen.

According to announcement the Illinois State Dairymen's association held its annual convention January 11, 12 and 13, at Red Bud, a quaint old town which bears many substantial evidences of thrift and prosperity. Not far from Kaskaskia, the first capital of the state, it is situated in the very heart of the country celebrated in the historical romances of Mary J. Catherwood. The convention was a great success if it was held "way down in Southern Illinois."

Like other meetings of its class it brought together such a clean-hearted, keen-witted, jovial set of men, and was conducted with an absence of restraint that proved so enticing that the secretary was fairly harassed by applications for membership.

The character of the dairy discussions has changed materially since the days when the relative merits of breeds was the all-important topic. This subject was so generally ignored at most of the sessions that an ignorant attendant might reasonably have supposed that "any old cow" would do for dairy purposes. The attention of the convention was chiefly devoted to a consideration of the comparative values of forage crops and how to preserve them in the best, most economical manner. All arguments for old methods or principles not sustained by the recent experiments of the agricultural stations were received with cynical good nature and the professors in agricultural lines of whom a liberal sprinkling was present, commanded at all times the most respectful attention. Indeed nothing was more apparent than the growing confidence in and dependence upon the work of the experiment stations by the progressive and practical farmers of the state who recognize their inability as individuals to conduct such tests with the scientific accuracy attained by the stations and are glad to avail themselves of the results.

The most valuable contribution to the program was generally conceded to be the address by Mr. R. A. Pearson, assistant secretary of agriculture, who exhaustively described the work which the department has done and is doing to further the dairy and general agricultural interests of American farmers. We hope to give these papers and discussions in detail in later issues of the Farmer's Review.

Chief among the resolutions passed by the convention was one condemning the so-called free distribution of seeds, which the Farmer's Review has for many years so aggressively opposed. Another of the resolutions passed was addressed to the Illinois legislature and petitioned that body to so amend the present anti-color oleomargarine law as to provide for the appointment of a dairy commissioner and for an appropriation for the maintenance of such an office, the association pledging itself to work by individual vote and personal influence for such legislation.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, George H. Gurler of DeKalb; vice-president, John Newman, Elgin; secretary, J. H. Monrad of Winnetka; directors, Jno. Stewart, Elburn; R. R. Murphy, Garden Plain; S. G. Soverhill, Tiskilwa; R. G. Wilford, Red Bud, and A. G. Judd, Dixon.

After the reading of the scores on the butter exhibit and announcement of awards, Mr. F. W. Brockway addressed the convention on the "Demands of the St. Louis Market," which he summarized in the statement: "St. Louis demands good butter." Mr. Brockway was one of the judges of the butter exhibit and explained the points of the score card. He considered color a point of secondary importance and said that the tendency of the trade is towards a lighter shade, that the Chicago and New York demand is for a paler hued butter than St. Louis. In the discussion which followed, Mr. Wilford expressed the opinion that the various state dairy associations should unite to adopt a standard color for butter and urge its general adoption.

One would think that three days of three sessions each would have exhausted the debating zeal of even such enthusiastic dairy farmers as these, but no, at the parting of the ways as the trains bore them north, south, east and west, wherever two or three were gathered together the discussions went on and butter, cream, ensilage, corn, and all the other terms in the "bright lexicon" of the Illinois dairymen floated out upon the night air and doubtless mingled in their dreams as they sped across the rolling prairies of our beloved state.

The quality of the cheese is not determined by the percentage of fat in the milk. The fat is but one factor in the problem. Experiments indicate that an excess of fat is of no advantage to the cheese. To make cheese from milk containing over 4 per cent of fat, we advise cooking to about 100 deg. and salting from one-quarter to half pound extra, to improve body and texture.

The New Hog.

In these days when everything "new," even including the "new woman," is being discussed, it may not be amiss to put in a word about the new hog, says Western Swineherd. We have seen in the year just closing 200 pounds of pork "standing up on its toes" worth more in the market than 200 pounds of pork put up in oak staves and hickory hoops. There is evidently a change of taste coming about, and the lard hog seems to have had his days. The boys who were down on the Potomac and who marched with Sherman to the sea, and who thought a slice of raw "sow belly" on steel-armored hardtack a meal fit for the gods—of war—are being gathered to their fathers, and while the present generation has, we trust, inherited their patriotism it has evidently missed inheriting their taste by several points. The lard hog was a war measure and to his glory be it said he filled and important part in that struggle. With the stubbornness characteristic of him, whether he goes on two legs or four, he held his ground of vantage long after his supreme usefulness had departed. He never confessed his waning popularity till cotton seed oil entered the lists against him and won over the pastry cooks. But he has served his country and served it well, and in memory we will ever hold him dear. The new hog, if we may call that new which is old, is the bacon hog—on authority of the secretary of Agriculture himself. Fifty years ago we had him in all his glory. He bred and fed in the forest, fastnesses and in the wilds unutilized by other animals domestic. He had sides like cottonwood plank with deep saw marks, a nose that would have won him a marshal's rank under Bonaparte, hams that resembled an exaggerated baseball bat and shoulders according. He produced two streaks of lean to one of fat, and there was a gamey flavor to his flesh that yet brings the water to the mouth of those who have feasted on the delicacy. He stood age well and was as good at four years old as at four months. In all the gamut of meats nothing was superior to the pork of the acorn-cracker and the prairie rooter of our grandmothers' days. We won't have him back in the new hog, they say. And the problem now is, how to produce him profitably. The commercial instinct is too strong within us to abandon the lard hog which produces 300 pounds at nine months old for the bacon hog that will yield no greater weight six months later, provided the bacon hog doesn't command a price that will justify it. But we want the trade of our European neighbors and they want bacon hog. The problem that confronts us is, can we make the bacon hog at a fair profit; if we can the new hog will be forthcoming. It is not the "know how" that is lacking, but is the incentive. We are ready to supply the market with what is wanted provided it pays to do so, and that's all there is to it. So far the bacon hog has not climbed far enough ahead of the general market to justify much expenditure of energy in producing the new hog, but the trend of sentiment indicates that he may do so at no distant day.

Salting Cows.—Salting the cows is one of the little things that is sometimes lost sight of under the pressure of other, and what is regarded as more important work, but a trial recently made at the Mississippi experiment station, indicates that inattention to this point may be a rather expensive oversight. Three cows were kept without salt for four weeks, and their milk record kept during the last two weeks of this period; then they were given the usual allowance of salt for two weeks, and on comparing the milk records it was found that the cows gave 454 pounds of milk during the first period when salt was withheld and 564 pounds during the second, when salt was furnished, a difference of 110 pounds of milk in two weeks in favor of salting.—Ex.

Secretary Wilson has asked congress to give him the authority and the money to employ a number of microscopists in the inspection of butter, fruit and other farm products intended for export. If he can have his way every article of food that is shipped to a foreign market will carry a certificate that it has been microscopically inspected under the supervision of the United States government and found to be pure, unadulterated and healthful.

Secretary Coburn of the state board of agriculture of Kansas has completed a tabulation of the values of farm products and live stock marketed in that state during the last ten years. The figures show that Kansas farmers realized over \$1,300,000,000 for these products. Contrary to the general impression the report shows that wheat is not king in Kansas. Corn outranks it. In the ten years the total value of corn has exceeded that of wheat by \$177,000,000.

Combinations of linseed, peanut, rape or mustard oil with sulphur form rubber-like substances which are said to be largely used in the manufacture of india-rubber compounds. Pure, unvulcanized india-rubber will float, nearly submerged, in water, while the oil substitutes, being slightly heavier in proportion to their bulk, sink.

NEWS OF ILLINOIS.

IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS OF LAST SIX DAYS.

Death of "Father" Dawson Near Troy—He Had Prophesied That the World Would Come to An End This Year—General State Items.

It Came True for Him.

Troy.—Rev. T. W. B. Dawson, an aged recluse, was burned to death in his hut, near Troy, Friday night. He was once pastor of the Baptist Church of Troy, and taught for years in the public schools. "Father" Dawson, as he was affectionately called in Madison county, was ordained a minister in 1848, and took charge of the little Troy church, in which he worshiped for fifty years. In 1850 he resigned to teach the village school. Thirty years ago Father Dawson bought a forty-acre farm and built the house in which he was burned to death. His wife died in 1878, and he never ceased to mourn her departure, becoming melancholy to such a degree that he kept himself aloof from all others and remained in his house. Ten years ago he startled the Baptists of Southern Illinois by announcing that he had become a Second Adventist to the extent of believing Saturday was the Sabbath day, but declared he would continue to be a Baptist. In 1880 he published a prophecy that the world would be destroyed by fire in 1898.

Like Old Times.

Chicago.—The Chicago wheat deal is attracting international attention. Six months ago Joseph Leiter decided that wheat was certain to reach a high price, owing to the failure of foreign crops, and began to purchase large quantities of that grain. His holdings are now estimated at 14,000,000 bushels, and he is still purchasing cash wheat at ten cents above the May quotation. Wheat is steadily rising in price, and the bread riots in Italy followed by a repeal of the tariff duty on wheat in that country, has given an impetus to the market. The indications are that there is no surplus wheat in this country for seeding purposes and home consumption, and many predict that wheat may reach \$1.25 and possibly \$1.50 a bushel. George B. French, who is Leiter's agent, declares that not a bushel of the wheat now in storage in Chicago will be shipped abroad, but will be used for seed or milling purposes.

Chicago Cat Club.

Chicago.—Chicago women who are lovers of fine cats organized a club last week at the residence of Mrs. Leland Norton, 4011 Drexel boulevard. The objects are to bring together the owners of thoroughbred animals, to work for better breeding, and to see that Chicago has a cat show once a year. Mrs. Norton was declared president. Dr. E. M. Hale will be asked to serve as honorary vice president. Mrs. Josiah Cratty of Austin, who presided at the gathering, will serve as temporary secretary. The rules of the new club will not be ironclad. Men who can show a certificate of ownership of a Persian or an Angora kitten will be admitted as honorary members. Applications for membership will be received from any owner or prospective owner of a really fine cat.

A Mystery.

Mascoutah.—Irre Rogers, a Belleville insurance agent, left his wife and six children and started for Chicago. A few days ago a telegram, dated at Chicago, was received by his wife announcing that Rogers had been accidentally killed by falling on the ice. The message was signed by "Mary Weatherman, 572 Lincoln avenue." A letter received from the Chicago chief of police states that there is no record there of Rogers' accidental death, and there is no such street address as the one given. The case has caused much comment here. Many think Rogers is

Dog Hunts Ginseng.

Stone Fort.—There is an old man by the name of John Runnels who has a dog that is up to date with any dog of the time. He is a common old yaller dog, but he is not like the most of his brethren. He will start in the morning with his master, and it will not be long till you hear him bark. He will have a bunch of ginseng. John says he never makes a mistake, and always makes from \$1 to \$1.50 a day. John says he is worth his weight in gold.

Minor Mention.

Waukegan.—One death is reported as a result of yesterday's blizzard. This morning some farmers driving to town found the body of an unknown man lying in the drifts five miles out on the plank road. He was evidently a laborer, about 45 years old.

Paris.—The third annual session of the Edgar County Farmers' Institute convened in this city to-day, the attendance being large. An address of welcome was delivered by Mayor D. D. Huston and responded to by President J. M. Hollingsworth.

ARE YOU TO LIVE IN ALASKA?

Some Requirements That Will Be Found Indispensable.

The universal article of diet in that country, depended upon and indispensable, is bread or biscuit. And to make the bread and biscuit, either in the camp or upon the trail, yeast cannot be used—it must be baking powder; and the powder manufactured by the processes of the Royal Baking Powder Company, miners and prospectors have learned, is the only one which will stand in that peculiar climate of cold and dampness and raise the bread and biscuit satisfactorily.

These facts are very important for every one proposing to go to Alaska and the Yukon country to know, for should he be persuaded by some outfitter to take one of the cheap brands of baking powder, it will cost just as much to transport it, and then when he opens it for use, after all his labor in packing it over the long and difficult route, he will find a solid caked mass or a lot of spoiled powder, with no strength and useless. Such a mistake might lead to the most serious results. Alaska is no place in which to experiment in food, or try to economize with your stomach. For use in such a climate, and under the trying and fatiguing conditions of life and labor in that country, everything must be the best and most useful, and above all it is imperative that all food supplies shall have perfect keeping qualities. It is absurd to convey over such difficult and expensive routes an article that will deteriorate in transit, or that will be found when required for use to have lost a great part of its value.

There is no better guide to follow in these matters than the advice of those who have gone through similar experience. Mr. McQuesten, who is called "the father of Alaska," after an experience of years upon the trail, in the camp, and in the use of every kind of supply, says: "We find in Alaska that the importance of a proper kind of baking powder cannot be overestimated. A miner with a can of bad baking powder is almost helpless in Alaska. We have tried all sorts, and have been obliged to settle down to use nothing but the Royal. It is stronger and carries further at first, but above all things, it is the only powder that will endure the severe climatic changes of the arctic region."

It is for the same reasons that the United States government in its relief expeditions, and Peary, the famous arctic traveler, have carried the Royal Baking Powder exclusively.

The Royal Baking Powder will not cake nor lose its strength either on board ship or in damp climates, and is the most highly concentrated and efficient of leavening agents. Hence it is indispensable to every Alaskan outfit. It can be had of any of the trading companies in Alaska, but should the miner procure his supplies before leaving, he should resist every attempt of the outfitter to palm off upon him any of the other brands of baking powder, for they will spoil and prove the cause of great disappointment and trouble.

PEDDLERS IN MEXICO.

Why an Old Woman Wouldn't Sell All Her Honey at One Time.

"While traveling in Mexico a few years ago I had a funny experience with a Mexican vender which goes to show what little business ability the lower classes have," said E. F. Guignon of St. Louis. "I was en route to look at some mines away up in the mountains. At the station where we left the train to take the stage I saw an old woman selling some honey. She did not have more than ten pounds of it altogether and as it looked so good I wanted to buy it all to take along with us. I asked our interpreter to buy it. Much to my surprise the old woman would sell him but two boxes, claiming that if she sold it all to him she would have nothing to sell to other people, neither would she have anything else to do during the remainder of the day!"

Lucky Numbers.

The superstition that thirteen is unlucky, which is traced back to a sacred source, meets with as many contradictions as confirmations. The fact that the horrible fire in the Paris bazar started at booth 13 was telegraphed all around the world, whereas little notice is attracted by Nansen's success with thirteen men. At one time two was a dreaded number in England, owing to the dynastic disasters to all monarchs second of their name from Ethelred II. to George II. Yet Napoleon's number through all his life was two, and who could wish for better luck than came to Goody Two Shoes or than that which results at times from having two strings to your bow? Three, which since the days of Pythagoras, has been the divine number, shows that it is not invariably fortunate, for, though the fates are three, so also are the furies. The graces are three, but so also are the judges in hades and the heads of Cerberus. Then there the records of three disloyal tribes in Welsh history; there are the three robbers in Orion's belt; there were the three tyrants at Athens and three in mythology is as unlucky as it is divine.

BARRINGTON LOCALS.

Henry Drewes of Elgin is visiting in town.

Henry Sadt has an attack of la-grippe.

Ed Wichman made a trip to Dun-dee Sunday.

Ray Elvidge, who has been sick, is much better.

P. A. Hawley was called for jury service Monday.

Dr. Jackson of Cary was here on business Tuesday.

E. W. Peterson, the jeweler, visited in Chicago Sunday.

Ray Elvidge is visiting friends in Chicago this week.

John Meiners transacted business in Waukegan Tuesday.

Edward Catlow of Chicago visited his father during the week.

L. D. Castle is confined to his bed with an attack of lagrippe.

Mrs. G. Arps of Palatine was a Barrington visitor Saturday.

Guy Fischer is taking a short vacation on account of ill health.

Some of our young people enjoyed a sleigh ride to Palatine Sunday.

The regular meeting of the village board takes place Monday evening.

MONEY TO LOAN.—In amounts to suit, up to \$3,000.—M. C. McIntosh.

Miss Olga Walter of Chicago visited at the home of her parents Sunday.

Geo. Wagner and family visited at Palatine and Arlington Heights Sunday.

Fred Stott took advantage of the good sleighing Sunday and drove to Palatine.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brockway of Palatine visited at the home of E. M. Cannon Sunday.

D. C. Moore of Cary and W. H. Watson of Chicago were Barrington visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Kitson of Palatine visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Kitson Sunday.

Mrs. T. E. Ream, who has been very ill with the lagrippe for the past two weeks, is now recovering.

"Remembering Christ" will be the topic at the Baptist church tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

Gustav Fiedler, the popular proprietor of the Lake Zurich meat market, was in town on business yesterday.

Theodore Schutt, the shoe dealer, has an "ad" in this week's issue of THE REVIEW. He quotes some low figures.

Henry Brinker received three carloads of lumber Tuesday for his new barn, the contract of which has been let to Elvidge & Roloff.

Albert Kampert left Thursday morning for Blairstown, Benton county, Iowa, where he will make a few weeks visit with relatives.

D. Tictin has opened a "fair" store in the Sadt building. His advertisement appears on the first page of this paper.

Chas. Lipofsky will be married to a Chicago lady the first of next month. They will make their home in Barrington.

The regular monthly meeting of the Barrington Social-Athletic club will take place in the club rooms Monday evening.

Mrs. Arthur Jayne and little daughter, Alice, who have spent the past two months at Roseville, returned to Wauconda Saturday.

The Knights of the Globe will observe Washington's birthday by giving an entertainment in Stott's hall, Tuesday evening, February, 22.

FOR RENT.—Farm of 200 acres, located 4 miles south-west of Barrington, known as the S. N. Church farm. Address H. H. Church, Barrington.

The residence of S. W. Kingsley, situated at the corner of Station street and Grove avenue, is offered for sale at a price that will prove a bargain to the buyer. For particulars enquire of LEROY POWERS, Barrington.

Next week at the M. E. church on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings special meetings will be held. Rev. Wm. Forkell will be here to conduct services from February 13th to 20th. All are invited to these services.

The Jugendverein will meet at the St. Paul's church tomorrow evening.

Use A. W. Meyer & Co's fancy patent flour—"Our Best" or "White Swan." Always gives satisfaction.

A good program was rendered at the meeting of the Young People's Missionary society at the Salem church on Tuesday evening.

PAY YOUR TAXES.—Wm. Paddock, tax collector for the Town of Cuba, will be at the office of J. D. Lamey & Co. on Tuesday and Saturday of each week on and after January 25th.

FOR SALE.—Three houses and four lots in Barrington, being part of the estate of Wm. G. Sharrin, deceased. M. C. MCINTOSH, Attorney for Executor.

A man living in the vicinity of Sycamore, who signed a contract with a traveling doctor, found it presented at a bank as a judgement note for \$130. Another party from Sycamore was swindled in the same way for \$230.

LOST OR STRAYED.—A 3-year-old yellow pug dog. Weighs about 40 pounds. Liberal reward will be paid for information as to whereabouts, dead or alive. Address, GEO. STIERENHOEFER, Barrington.

Tickets have been issued for a dance to be given by the Barrington Social-Athletic club at Stott's hall Monday evening, February 21. A special effort is being made to make this a success and those who attend are assured of a pleasant time.

On Monday, February 14, the local branches of the Milk Shippers' union will elect officers. At this election delegates will be also selected to attend the convention to be held in Chicago on the last Tuesday in March.

Election and installation of officers of the Knights of the Maccabees will take place at their regular meeting next Monday evening at their hall. Every member is requested to be present.

Rev. T. E. Ream will preach at the M. E. church tomorrow evening on the topic "The Outward and Inward Man," from the text I. Samuel 16: 7: "Man looketh on the outward appearance, but the Lord looketh on the heart." A cordial invitation is extended to all.

NOTICE—TOWN OF BARRINGTON TAXES.—Commencing with February 9, M. W. Protty, tax collector for the Town of Barrington, Cook county, will be found on Wednesday and Saturday of each week at the Barrington Bank of Sandman & Co., Barrington. M. W. PROTTY, Tax Collector.

Lageschulte Bros. will erect a 2-story and basement brick veneered building 36x50 feet on the Colburn property as soon as the weather will permit. The building is to be built for hotel purposes, and will be occupied by C. M. Vermilya as soon as completed. Wm. Eisner has the contract for the mason work.

The Junior Union occupies the time of the evening service at the Baptist church at 7 o'clock tomorrow. The program for the same will consist of recitations, dialogues and songs pertaining to missions. A splendid time is anticipated. All are welcome to this special service.

The electric light company met with a little set-back in the operating of their plant this week. The pulleys for the new dynamo recently installed in the plant arrived Thursday, but were found to be of a wrong size and they had to be returned. It is expected that the plant will be in running order this evening.

The joyful sound of "Surprise" was the greeting that Master Roy Collen received Tuesday evening from twenty-four of his young friends. After depositing their "goodies" and divesting themselves of their wraps and ulsters the happy crowd soon made the home ring with laughter and good cheer. At 8:30 o'clock cake, popcorn, candy, fruit and nuts were served, and ample justice was done the refreshments.

A grand Masquerade ball will be given in Oakland hall, Wauconda, on Friday evening, February 11. Good music will be in attendance. The dances given in Wauconda are always enjoyable affairs, and this will eclipse all previous efforts. An extra fine supper will be served. Ed Golding will have a large assortment of costumes on hand which can be rented at reasonable rates.

NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the Evergreen Cemetery association of the village of Barrington, Ill., will be

held at the office of M. B. McIntosh on Tuesday, February 8, from 2 to 4 o'clock p. m. One superintendent and five directors are to be chosen. All lot owners are voters. A general attendance is requested. By order of the president. M. B. MCINTOSH. Dated February 1, 1898.

It was reported that Mrs. Hannah Wollert, who was taken from Woodstock to Joliet last week, sentenced for life on the charge of murder had died. Some of the rumors were that she had committed suicide. Upon investigation it has been proven that these stories are without any foundation whatever. Mrs. Wollert is still alive and fully as well as she was before being taken to prison.

The lunch rooms of the Mrs. Clark Co., on Wabash Ave., between Madison and Monroe Sts., Chicago, is a very popular eating place. Home cooking prevails, and everything is neat and inviting. The company also serve a special evening dinner for young men in the Association building on LaSalle St., near Madison.

He Got the "Shivers."

It is rare indeed when a physician gets the "shivers," but when a host of Dr. C. H. Kendall's friends put their heads together and determined to give him a surprise on Saturday evening, their efforts were crowned with victory. When they arrived in a bunch the jolly Doctor was caught napping.

It did not take long to get over the formalities of greeting and soon the entire congregation were indulging in progressive "cinch." Nine games were played, Mrs. E. W. Shipman winning the ladies' prize and L. A. Powers the gentlemen's prize, while "Bill" Peters, not to be outdone, "bid in" the booby prize.

Refreshments of many tempting kinds were served during the evening and heartily enjoyed.

Those present were:
Messrs and Mesdames:
Fred Kirschner
P. A. Hawley
John Collen
Geo. J. Hager
C. B. Otk
E. W. Shipman
M. A. Bennett
L. A. Powers
Mrs. Maule Meyer
Mr. C. B. Hawley

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