BARRINGTON, ILL, MARCH 10, 1900,

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PALATINE LOCALS.

A. Q. SMITH, LOCAL EDITOR

Caucus Saturday.

Woodmen meeting to-night.

St. Patrick's day next Saturday.

Mrs. E. Beutler has been quite sick this week.

Mrs. C. W. Ost has been on the sick list this week.

L. Peck has dropped out of the race for town collector.

The Sturm house is occupied by a

family from Cary. James Carter and friend visited his

mother here Sunday. Irving Bentler has been confined to

the house this week.

ride Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wehrenberg were

Chicago visitors Monday. Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Arps visited

Evanston friends Sunday. Jack Forbes of Wauconda was in

town on business Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bennett visited

Barrington friends Wednesday. Mrs. A. S. Olms visited her son at

South Elgin the first of the week. Miss Mae Sefton tendered her school

mates a sleigh ride Wednesday after school. Miss Harriet Smith of Austin visit-

Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Beutler and son of Avondale visited relatives here

ed her brothers here Saturday and

Sunday. Fred Smith has been appointed city editor of the Chicago Journal for a

short time. Mr. Boyle was out from Chicago looking over his stock farm the first

of the week. to ride in the races.

Waukegan daily papers can be ordered of A. G. Smith during the Krueger murder trial.

Henry Knigge's birthday anniversary comes on St. Patrick's day. He will celebrate, be jabers.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Lytle, Mrs. Miller and Mrs. A. G. Smith and daughter visited relatives at Gilmer Thursday.

John Stahl has severed his apprenticeship with H. W. Meyer where he has been working for the past eight

A. L. Bennett and A. G. Smith have been summoned as petit jurors on the March Federal court, to appear next

Seven couples of young folks from Arlington Heights came in a sleigh Wednesday night and gave Mrs. Handleman a call.

The Ladies' Missionary society met Wednesday and decided to take a ride to Barrington that evening. A noisy, jolly time was had.

Palatine announce their candidacy for to the 5:09 train he filled up on enough March 14th. A very good program votes of the people at the caucus.

The following officers will be elected at the coming town election: Supervisor, clerk, assessor, collector, commissioner of highways, and school trustee.

and challengers at the republican cauand A. G. Smith as clerks.

The following officers are to be elected at the village election the first Tuesday in April: Mayor, clerk, four aldermen (one for one year to fill vacancy), one police magistrate.

Sam Camp and wife of Chicago visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baumgarten, last Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Johnson, who has been dangerously ill at the home of Mrs. Bissell, is improving nicely.

Mrs. John Umbdenstock and son, Allen, went to Chicago Tuesday to visit her sister for a few days.

Get your horses clipped at R. H. Lytle's stable by flexible shaft ma-LYTLE & NICHOLS.

Lydia Sophia Mary Holste, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holste, died last Thursday, aged 3 years, 1 month and 1 day. The funeral services will be held at the house to-morrow afternoon at 10 o'clock.

Rev. F. B. Harden will speak next Sunday evening in the M. E. church on "Various Altitudes Toward the The Athletic club enjoyed a sleigh Liquor Traffic." Pictures will be used to illustrate the subject. Do not be afraid to come and here the discourse.

> Attorney Upton of Waukegan was in town Wednesday to see Dr. M. Muffat in regard to the Krueger murder trial which opens in Waukegan Monday. Whitney and Upton, assisted by C. S. Cutting, will be the attorneys for the defense.

Palatine Lodge No. 708, L.O. O. F. elected the following officers for the ensuing term last Wednesday: I. M. Kuebler, N. G.; R. M. Putnam, V. G.; A. S. Olms, Treas.; G. H. Arps, Sec,; A. G. Mosser, H. W. Meyer, A. G. Smith, E. L. Lytle, Trustees.

Miss Marguerite Goldbeck of Irving Park celebrated her sixth birthday anniversary at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. H. Meyer last Friday for the town of Palatine. afternoon. A large number of little friends and their parents were present and a very pleasant time enjoyed.

The W. F. M. S. will observe their annual Thank Offering Day with an interesting program to be given at the Methodist church Tuesday evening, March 20, beginning at 7:30. See pro-James Baker started for Louisville gram later. Everybody plan to come judges in the caucus to be called soon. ness. 'Twill do you good.

> Postmaster H. C. Matthei has received instructions from the postmaster general that after April 1, 1900, he must collect 10 cents each quarter in advance from each box renter in the Palatine office and 25 cents from each box renter as required by the postal

A big crowd had a good time at the gun club shoot Saturday afternoon. The following scores were made:

ı	J. Moorhouse	4	5	2	2	5—18
	E. Baldwin	1	3	3	1	0-8
l	R. Putnam	1	3	1	2	3-10
١	W. Mosser	3	4	4	0	3-14
	E. Robertson	3	2	0	3	3-11
	M. Richmond	1	0	3	1	2-7
	T. Burgess	0	2	1	1	4-8
	A. G. Sutherland	1	1	2	2	3-9
	C. Richmond	0	1	2	1	5-9
	C. Seip	3	2	2	2	3-12
	W. Hicks	0	. 2	1	1	1-5

Miraculous Escape.

A miraculous escape from death occured at the depot Monday evening. A young man brought a horse from social entertainment in M. E. church The village officers of the village of Chicago to Mr. Rohde and before going Barrington, on Wednesday evening, re-election in a body and solicit the whisky to prevent the right use of his will be presented and dainty refreshbrains. When the train arrived at ments will be served by the ladies at the depot he was asleep in the waiting small tables in the church parlors. room and was awakened by Will All ladies who are to assist in the en-Daverman who was there. The man tertainment are requested to meet at in motion and attempted to swing on tables, etc. Any persons having Japthe depot platform and the train. The front truck of the last car threw him from the track and just before the hind wheels reached him he pulled his legs off the track and the hind truck threw him off the track. He only suf-Collector E. Preliberg had collected fered the loss of his coat tall and a \$13,071.43 up to Thursday night, mak- shock that he will not soon forget. ing a good showing for this year's col- The train backed up after reaching lection. He will receive taxes up to Wood's crossing and the brakeman ex-Monday night to accommodate the pected to find a corps to be taken to

Recitals at Palatine.

Invitations are out for the recital to be given by Prof. J. I. Sears' pupils at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Richmond on Friday evening, March 16, at 8 o'clock. The following is the pro-

'Country Dance" Misses Mary Harmening

Rondo. Miss Elsie Gainer Miss Gracie Van Horne Daughter of the Regiment" 'Miss Mamie

Keubler. Miss Cora Schultz 'Cricket Polka'' Miss Jessie Richmond 'Rose"..... Miss Mae Sefton 'Slumber Sweetly"..... Robert Schultz Grand Galop de Concert Clarence Harris

PART 2. Tarantelle..... Miss Jessie Nason "But a Dream"......Quartet "Nowegian Bridal Procession" Miss Elsie Pasquinade' Miss Cora Johnson

"National March" Miss Hattie Keubler Rhapsodie No. 2.... Miss Amanda Harmening Air Varie..... Prof. J. I. Sears Loreley Miss Mary Putnam La Corsican. Miss Cora Johnson and Mamie Keubler.

Palatine Announcements.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of collector for the town of Palatine and ask the support of my friends at the caucus.

C. H. GLADE.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of collector and ask the support of my friends in the caucus.

C. H. SCHROEDER.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of collector, subject to the result of the caucus and ask the support of my friends.

HENRY C. KOELLE.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of asssssor

J. H. SCHIERDING.

Palatine Board Meeting.

The village board met in regular session last Monday night and trans- Fancy acted what little business was necessary. Mayor Olms requested Trustees Groceries Horstmann and Taylor to act as the first of the week, where he expects and bring an offering of thoughtful- The following bills were presented and vouchers were ordered drawn in

payment of same:	
Fred Wildhagen, labor	\$1.00
H. W. Meyer, supplies	10.85
Standard Oil Co., oil	6.00
M. Richmond, radiator	10.00
W. R. Comfort & Co., coal	
Total	\$172.40

Republican Caucus.

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of the town of Palatine that a caucus will be held in Knigge's hall, Palatine, on Saturday, March 17, from 2 to 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination, candidates for the various town offices to be elected in April next. All republican voters are requested to attend by order of committee. A. G. SMITH, Sec'y.

Athletic Club's March Program.

15th-Ladies' night. Phonograph. 22nd-Ladies' night. Prize cinch. 31st-Club smoker.

Missionary Tea.

The Women's Foreign Missionarysociety will give a missionary tea and rushed toward the train after it was the church at 3 o'clock to arrange the rear platform of the second coach. anese dishes or other wear and will Chas. Wehrenberg, E. Beutler and It was a vestibule car and the door to kindly loan the same for the Japanese H. P. K. Bicknase will act as judges the platform was shut by the brake- exhibit are requested to send them to man just as he attempted to get on. the church with the name of owner cus Saturday, and H. F. Andermann He swung off and held on for about a and the ladies will see that they are rod when he let go and fell between returned. Everybody come. Admission 10 cents.

The following program will be ren-

dered:	
Song	
	Pastor
Solo	Miss Kingsley
Welcome	Mrs. J. B. Robinson
Vocal duet	Mr. Lines and Miss Meyers
Violin solo	Miss Blocks
Reading	Mrs. Winters
Vocal solo	Mr. Lou Bennet
Vocal solo	
Drill	By twelve little girls
Wassi sala	De C H Kandal

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All-Wool Ingrains. These carpets are strictly all-wool filling and worsted worp, 50, 55, 60, 65c a yard. Tapestry Brussells, extra quality, 70.80, 85c a yard.

Gurtains, 806, \$1.00, 1.20, 1.50, 1.85 a pair. New Royal Sewing Machine, \$16.

New Royal Sewing Machine, drop head, \$19.50.

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CURRENT TOPICS

CHINESE MINISTER'S SPEECHES.

Now that our relations with Asia are broadening out it is a pleasure to discover that the Chinese minister to the United States, Wu Ting-Fang, can express himself with facility in the English language and make a very good speech at short notice on almost any subject. He was in Philadelphia last week and delivered an extended address before the University of Pennsylvania on the proper relations of the United States with the orient. Before leaving the city he spoke to the pupils of several high schools and schools for girls, and, appearing in the garb of his own country was certainly an interesting figure. One point he emphasized in the university address was that the customs, manners, language, mode of education and way of thinking in Asia are different from those in Europe and America, and should be judged considerately. It is, for instance, a compliment in China for persons just introduced to ask each other's ages, a laudable action there, but one that would be unwelcome and misinterpreted in western countries.

THE BEAR AND THE LION. The St. Petersburg paper which declares that "England has fettered Rusma by many treaties, but the moment has come to break these fetters," may not voice the intention of the Russian government, but it undoubtedly expresses a desire of the Russian people. England has for fifty years stood in the way of Muscovite ambition in Turkey and elsewhere. In 1854-6 England tought Turkey in order to defend Turkey. In 1878 a British fleet stopped the victorious Russians in their march on Constantinople. In other instances also in the past forty or fifty years the British have prevented Russian expansion in certain directions in which the Muscovite government wished to expand. Still, the chances are that no Anglo-Russian treaties or agreements will be torn up on account of the pres-

BOARD OF TRADE FRAUDS.

ent war.

The federal grand jury at Chicago has voted true bills against the members of a board of trade firm which is believed to have engaged in bucketshop operations. That there was pretty strong evidence of bucket-shopping in this particular case may be inferred from the indictments returned. Conducting a bucket-shop is an offense under the laws of the state of Illinois. But probably all men with experience in such matters would have considered it almost useless to attempt a prosecution in the state courts. The present indictment is for using the mails to defraud country patrons. What the country needs is a law that will prevent all kinds of speculating, whether it is trading in options or futures or anything that does not require legitimate labor.

RELIEF OF LADYSMITH.

The relief of Ladysmith and the withdrawal of the Boers from Colesberg and Jamestown mark the beginning of the fourth stage of the campaign in South Africa. The first stage opened with the advance of the Boers into Natal and Cape Colony, about the middle of October. The object was to drive the British from the coal districts of Natal, to gain possession of the railroads extending into the Free State and the Transvaal by way of Laing's Nek and Van Reenen's Pass. to prevent the use of the railroads in northern Cape Colony, and to promote a rising among the Cape Colony Dutch.

A UNIQUE MEASURE.

A unique piece of legislation is proposed by Senator Harbaugh in the Ohio legislature. He would make it a misdemeanor for any person to write or sell a student any essay, composition, or other literary production to be palmed off upon the unsuspecting teacher as the purchaser's own. The penalty proposed is a fine of not less than \$25 nor more than \$50 for the first offense, and between \$50 and \$100 for the second. The bill in one way is discrimination, in that it punishes some offenders while it lets others equally guilty of deception escape.

WHEN IS OHIO'S BIRTHDAY. Ohiofinds itself in a peculiar dilemma. The state intends to celebrate the centennial of its admission to the Union. but unfortunately the date is not known. The United States census report gives Nov. 29, 1802, but this is not final authority, nor, indeed, is it

generally regarded as correct in Ohio,

masmuch as most people favor holding

the centennial celebration in 1803.

CURRENT MARKET PRICES.

GRAIN, PROVISIONS, ETC. Milwaukee-Flour-Five cents lower. Wheat-Irregular; No. 1 northern, 65/20 Wheat-Irregular; No. 1 northern, 85/20 65%c; No. 2 northern. 63%c3½c. Rye—Firm; No. 1, 57½c. Barley—Steady; No. 2, 43c; sample, 35½%42c. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 25%25½c. Poultry—Dull; chickens, 6%7c; turkeys, 7%8c; ducks, 8½c; geese, 5%6c. Eggs—Lower; 13c. But-Steady; creamery, 20@241/2c; dairy,

ter-Steady; creamery, 20@244c; dairy, 16@19c.
Chicago—Cash quotations were as follows: Wheat—No. 2 spring, 64@664c; No. 2 red, 674@684c. Corn—No. 2 334c@334c; No. 2 yellow, 334c. Oats—No. 2, 234@234c; No. 2 white, 25@26c. Barley—No. 2, 38@39c. Mess Pork—Per bbl, \$9.70@10.65. Lard—Per 100 lbs, \$5.124@5.774c. Short R bs—Sides, 100se, \$5.70@5.95. Clover—Contract grade, \$8.25. Butter—Strong; creameries, 18@24c; dairies, 16@21c. Cheese—Firm at 12@13c. Eggs—Firm; fresh, 16c. Indianapolis—Wheat—Firmer; No. 2 red, 69c. track; 684c on milling freight; No. 3 red, 65@68c; wagonwheat, 69c. Corn—Steady; No. 1 white, 34c; No. 2 white, 34c; No. 2 white, 33c. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 31 @33c. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 31 @33c. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 27c; No. 3 white, 26c; No. 2 mixed, 24%c. Hay—Quiet; No. 1 timothy, \$11.50@12; No. 2 timothy, \$10.50@11.

LIVE STOCK.

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Indianapolis—Cattle—Good to steers, \$5@5.60; fair to medium
\$4.50@5; stockers and facility prime steers, \$3@4.60; steers, \$5@5.60; fair to medium steers, \$4.50@5; stockers and feeders, \$3@4.60; heifers, \$3@4.50; veals, \$5.50@7.50; calves, \$3.75@5.50. Hogs—Good to choice medium and heavy, \$4.85@4.90; mixed and heavy packing, \$4.80@4.85; good to choice lightweights, \$4.75@4.85; common light-weights, \$4.30@4.65; roughs, \$3.80@4.65. Sheep—Good to choice lambs, \$5@6; good to choice sheep, \$4@4.50; fair to medium sheep, \$3.50@3.75; common sheep, \$2.50@3.25; bucks, per 100 lbs. \$2@3.

@3.75; common sheep, \$2.50@3.25; bucks, per 100 lbs, \$2@3, Chicago—Cattle—Good to prime steers, \$5.30@6; poor to medium, \$4.10@4.30; stockers and feeders, \$3.40@4.75; cows and heiffers, \$3@4.60; Texas-fed steers, \$3.90@5. Hogs—Mixed and butchers', \$4.65@4.90; good to choice heavy, \$4.80@4.90; fough heavy, \$4.65@4.75; light, \$4.65@4.82½; bulk of sales, \$4.75@4.82½. Sheep—Sheep, \$4.50@5.90; lambs, \$5@7.40.

Milwaukee—Hogs—Light, 160 to 200 lbs, common to choice, \$4.50@4.75; rough to

common to choice, \$4.50@4.75; rough to good heavy packers, \$4.50@4.75; good to choice packers, \$4.75@4.80; plain to good medium weights, \$4.60@4.75. Cattle—Good to choice beef steers, 1.050 to 1,250 lbs average, \$4.25@5; fair to medium, 950 to 1,050 lbs average. \$3.75@4; heifers, fair to good, \$3@3.50; heifers, good to choice, \$3.50@4.15. Sheep—Fair to choice, \$3.75@4.25; poor to fair, \$2.50@3.75; bucks, \$2.75@3.50; lambs, common to good, \$4.75@6.25; good to choice, \$6.25@6.50.

Father of the House Dead.

Alfred C. Harmer, member of the national house of representatives for the Fifth district of Pennsylvania, died at Germantown, Pa., Tuesday. Representative Harmer enjoyed the distinction of being the "father of the house," he having served longer time continuously than any other member. He was first elected to congress in 1870, and reelected in 1872. He was not chosen again in 1874, but in 1876 he was once more elected, and he has been regularly re-elected every two years since.

Major James Barroll Washington, an ex-confederate soldier and president of various branch lines of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, died at Pittsburg, Pa. Tuesday, aged 61. His great-grandfather was John Augustine Washington, brother of George Washington.

Solon Humphreys died at Bayonne, N. J., Bergen Point, Tuesday. He was born in 1820, at Canton, Conn. He was the original promoter of the Ohio & Mississippi railroad through Illinois in 1851. The following year he aided to organize the Iron Mountain railroad through Missouri. In 1871 he participated in the reorganization of the North Missouri railroad as the St. Louis, Kansas City & Northern railroad. He also was a leading factor in the organization of the Wabash system of railroads, the coadjutor being Azariah Boody.

Novel Defenre in Suit.

Mrs. Catherine Eisele, widow of William Eisele of St. Louis, has sued Jefferson lodge, No. 119, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, for \$200, the amount of a benefit claimed to have been held by her husband in the lodge. The trustees of the lodge say Eisele before his death became a Catholic, and on his death bed, when the sacrament of extreme unction was administered, he renounced his allegiance to all secret societies. The contention is that this renunciation of allegiance vitiates all claims which he may have held against the lodge.

Mounds to Trail Criminals.

A. E. Coon, a hotel-keeper of Rhinelander, Wis., is in Chattanooga, Tenn., for the purpose of purchasing some bloodhounds. He says Rhinelander is in the heart of a dense pine forest, and that lawlessness is rampant. A meeting of business men was called, and it selected a committee, of which Coon was made chairman, to devise a way to prevent further outbreaks of lawlessness. Coon saw in a Chicago paper an account of the feats of Chattanooga bloodhounds in tracking criminals, and he went there to buy three to protect

Hospital for Consumptives.

Dr. Frederick Sellers, an organist and composer who recently came to Los Angeles from Chicago, has undertaken the erection of a sanitarium in this city for consumptive organists. that shall be open to both sexes and free from denominational influences. The home will contain seventy-five wards. More than \$14,000 has been subscribed for the project.

Hurt by an Explosion.

An acetylene gas tank exploded Monday at Warren, Ill., and severely injured George Stickman, a workman, and A. F. Grabner, the proprietor of the drug store where the explosion occurred. Besides burning the men about the head and body much damage was done to the store and the stock.

THE WAR IN SOUTH AFRICA

Boer Forces Are Fleeing to the North Country.

DECISIVE BATTLE IS NEAR.

The Republican Farmers Believed to Be Massing for a Last Desperate for Their Country's Liberty-Basotos Being Armed.

Thursday, March 1.

The siege of Ladysmith has been raised, the Boers flying to the north as Buller's army advanced. Great Britain appeals to her colonies to send more troops to South Africa, as British troops are required to protect the empire's interests elsewhere.

Friday, March 2.

Boers are said to be at Osfontein. near Paardeberg, and also at Makauw's drift, near Modder; 7,000 men; may intend to harass Roberts' march. Main body of Boers reported concentrating at Winburg, seventy miles northeast of Bloemfontein, which would mean abandonment of lower half of Orange Free State; Bloemfontein is small town, difficult of defense. Buller said he was surprised at decisiveness of his victory. Evident that Boers could have captured Ladysmith any time during last week, garrison being too weak to resist; 8,000 men in hospitals. Public sentiment in England insists upon absolute supremacy of Great Britain in Boer states after the war's end. Pope concluded birthday celebration with an invocation for peace in Africa. Colesberg's provisions almost exhausted when relief came. Paris subscription to present sword of honor to Cronje.

Saturday and Sunday, March 3-4.

Roberts has 60,000 men near Kimberley, 40,000 in Natal and 50,000 in Cape Colony. Boer force estimated at 50,-000. French found Boers in strong position on kopje near Osfontein. Shots exchanged without casualties. Four thousand British cavalry pursuing Boers retreating north from Ladysmith. Bank of France and French capitalists loaned money to England for Boer war. British government offers grants of land in the Transvaal to Australian settlers. Growing belief that ministry will dissolve to take advantage of war's popularity. Bourke Cockran declared that America ought to side with Boers against England. Princess Salm Salm arrived in Chicago to organize an ambulance corps. Cronje arrived at Cape Town and was imprisoned aboard the Doris. Brabant's norse took La Buschagnes nek. British captured position near Dordrecht.

Monday, March 5.

Roberts' plans carefully concealed. Natal army temporarily inactive. Mafeking's relief likely to be attempted next. House of commons adopted war budget. Irish opposed whisky tax, Healy declaring it an attempt to bleed

Ireland. Victoria stays at home because of possibility of European complications. Minister Venosta said time is inopportune for Italy to offer mediation. White planned pursuit of Boers, but found his men too weak. Basutos may fight Boers.

Tuesday. March 6.

The Dutch of Cape Colony are in armed rebellion and moving to aid Boers. London Times gives Roberts whole credit for recent British successes. Boers said to be intrenching at Osfontein, with Joubert in command. Case of bubonic plague discovered on transport to Cape Town. Buller lost 4,484 men in his expedition. Ladysmith has 800 typhoid fever cases. England refused 600 Italian volunteers. Gatacre occupied Stormberg.

lows Bank Robbed.

When Barney Wall, cashier of the Farmers' Savings bank at Farmington, Iowa, opened the door to the vault of the institution Monday morning, it was discovered that robbers had secured entrance to the vault during Sunday and made off with a large sum of money, claimed to amount to \$17,000. The officials are reticent about the sum taken, and deny that it was \$17,000. The officials claim the bank will not be seriously crippled by the robbery, as a large amount of gold and silver was left untouched, the robbers taking nothing but currency.

Divorce for Mrs. Wolcott. An absolute divorce was granted Mrs. Frances Wolcott from United States Senator E. O. Wolcott in the United States District court in Denver Monday afternoon. The complaint of Mrs. Wolcott sets forth that she married the senator May 14, 1890. She charges desertion without cause from Feb. 27, 1899, until the present date. A verdict was reached for the plaintiff and a decree was issued. It provided that Mrs. Wolcott shall receive \$7,500 a year alimony. Senator Wolcott made no defense.

Scores of Miners Perish.

An explosion at the Red Ash mines, near Thurmond, W. Va., at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning killed 125 miners. The explosion is believed to have occurred near the mouth of the mine. The mouth of the mine was found jammed almost full of carts, mules and a few human bodies. It is believed that every man in the mines perished. The work of taking out the bodies is progressing slowly, from the fact that the interior is now burning.

Mrs. Rose Tauro is Missing.

Rose Tauro, whose case for seconddegree murder was called at Warren, Ohio, Thursday, is reported to have disappeared from Niles. Mrs. Tauro, it is alleged, shot Frank Augusta, who she claims killed her husband. She was released from jail under \$10,000 bail on account of her baby. Niles officers, acting on the story of a relative that she had started for Italy or South America, wired New York officers to watch for her.

MANY HURT IN WRECK.

Disastrous Collision on Illinois Central Near Broadview, Ill.

A rear-end collision on the Illinois Central railroad near Broadview, Iil., at 6 o'clock Monday morning, between a stock and a freight train, resulted in the injury of twenty-one men, two of whom may die, and the destruction by fire of a passenger coach, caboose and stock car. The accident was caused by the breaking of a coupling on a heavy grade at Junction "C." a side station, near Broadview, Ill., allowing the rear end of a stock train, to which was attached a passenger coach containing about thirty stockmen, to dash into the head end of a freight train that was following.

Preached for Sixty Years.

Elder Jonathan Van Cleave, living near Crawfordsville, Ind., who is now in his 95th year, is ill with the grip, and no hopes are entertained for his recovery. He is a minister of the Primitive Baptist church, or Hardshell Baptists, as they are sometimes called, and has preached for sixty years. He has never received a cent for his work all this time. Elder Van Cleave believes in the two-seed doctrine, or the doctrine of the elect; that there are two classes of people born into the world, one of which will be saved regardless of anything they may do, and the other class that will never be saved. He also believes in a literal hell, and that unsaved persons will be consigned to a burning lake of fire, to suffer eternally.

Smith Needs a Typewriter.

Attorney Frank Groninger filed a demurrer in the Indianapolis court to a complaint written by Robert E. Smith, on the ground that the complaint was illegible. The character of Lawyer Smith's handwriting is notorious. Judge Leathers, in taking up the question, said Smith would have to read his complaint before the court could tell whether there was anything in Groninger's objections. The demurrer was overruled after Smith had let the judge into the secret of what he had written.

Die from Blood Polsoning. Peter Gruenfelder and George Hubert died in St. Louis Monday from blood poisoning, developed from frost bites sustained during the storm of last week. Gruenfelder was on the way to the city when he was overcome by the cold and sank into a lethargy. He was discovered by a farmer and brought to the city. Both of Hubert's feet were frost-bitten while tramping in search of work.

To Test Liquor Law.

The city authornes of Harrisburg, Ill., have arrested R. H. Wills, agent of the American Express company, charging him, as agent of the company, with selling whisky without a license. Wills had been delivering packages containing whisky from a firm in Kentucky to parties here C.

STORY OF THE SIEGE OF THE CITY OF LADYSMITH.



Nov. 2-Boers surround the city. Nov. 15-Lieut. Churchill leads assault on besiegers; is killed with 58

Nov. 16-British driven from Willow Grange near Ladysmith; 11 killed. Nov. 30-Boers tighten their lines about city and are opposed by Gen. White with losses of 160.

Dec. 15-Gen. Buller crosses Tugela and is driven back with heavy loss. Dec. 22-Gen. White tries sortie and

is repulsed with severe losses. Jan. 16-Boers again tighten their lines about the city.

Jan. 17-Buller again crosses Tugela simple. on way to relieve besieged city and is

again repulsed.

Jan. 25-Battle of Spion Kop (south across the Tugela for fourth time. In gate to Ladysmith) ends with defeat of the meantime Roberts is moving to-Buller, who retires in disorder. In ward Bloomfontein after Cronje Gen. meantime Boer siege has been weak- Joubert sees the British strategy, and ened by voluntary withdrawals to de- instead of fighting Buller's advance fense of Spion Kop. Buller dispatches withdraws his entire army north to cut Dundonald's cavalry to north entrance Robert's advance. Ladvanith is no to city deserted by Boers. Dundonald longer besieged. encamps north of Ladysmith.

Feb. 24—Buller crosses Tugela again triumphal entry into Ladysmith. with 30,000 men and is driven back in March 2-Great joy in Ladysmith, disorder. Losses reported 1,500 men. and Gen. White, who held city against This effort further weakens Boer siege besiegers, declared the real deliverer lines and Dundonald's task becomes by Dundonald and the citizens.

Feb. 20-British defeated at Colenso.

Feb. 21-Buller, pushes his army

March 1-Dundonald's cavalry makes

Wheeler Home from Manila.

The transports Warren and Grant arrived at San Francisco Monday from Manila. On board the steamer were Gen. Joe Wheeler, his daughter, and Miss Davis, his niece. The Grant brought 201 sick soldiers, 67 discharged | Henry W. Lawton, a check for \$98,soldiers and 27 cabin passengers. During the voyage six of the soldiers died. Their bodies were brought to port.

Highbinder War On Again.

The Highbinder has broken out again in Chinatown in San Francisco, and the bitter feud between the Suey Sing and Sim Yup sides resulted in the killing of one man Sunday night, the murder of two more and the wounding of two Monday.

Mrs Lawton Gets \$98,407.07.

Adjt. Gen. Corbin and Acting Commissary General Weston, representing the committee having the Lawton fund in charge, have delivered to Mrs. Mary C. Lawton, widow of the late Gen. 407.07, representing the contributions of the American people. The money was placed to her credit in the Riggs National bank.

Business Part of Ciarion Burned. Fire destroyed the business section of Clarion, Pa., early Tuesday, and resulted in the death of former Judge W. W. Barr, who dropped dead from excitement. Fourteen business houses were destroyed. The loss will amount to \$150,000.

Cruisers Sent to Isthmus.

The cruisers Detroit and Marblehead have been ordered to Central America to protect American interests. The Detroit is on her way to the coast of Nicaragua. The Marblehead is at San Diego, Cal., and will go to the Pacific side of Central America. The latest information shows that the whole of Central America is excited, and that an outbreak may come at any time.

Wankeren Has a \$10,000 Fire The five-story frame stores and flats building at Nos. 220 and 222 South Genesee street, Waukegan, Ill., known as the Cliff House building, was destroyed by fire Sunday night, with a loss of about \$10,000.

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Little Lin Gin. Little Lin Gin has a sad story. A year ago he was found on a steamer entering San Francisco, with a woman who had stolen him away from China. They took him away from her and cared for him. But though he was a bright little fellow, nearly four years old, he could not describe his home, except that he had spent his time in playing pretty games. His clothes were of the finest silk, and he had many gentle ways that he could only have had in China by being the son of rich people. The Chinese mission kept him for one year, and now it has sent him back to China, and will try to find the "pretty mamma" he has prattled about so much.-Cincinnati Enquirer.

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We are permitted to publish an extract from a private letter written by gentleman who has recently been devoting his time to the personal investigation of practical farming by irrigation in the west. His vivid portrayal of the advantages of that system will no doubt interest our readers. He says:

"There is a vast, an immeasurable difference between farming in the east and farming in the west. If the farmers of the east could only be made to understand the advantages enjoyed by their western brethren, I verily believe there would soon be no land for settlement in the great irrigation states. The irrigation farmer has absolute certainty of crop, and certainty of its perfect maturity. He never plants that he does not reap, and when I say reap I don't mean the reaping of scattered stands of half matured grain such as the eastern farmer cuts at the close of a dry season; but the reaping of fields that frequently average 50 bushels of wheat to the acre-every grain of which has reached the perfection of development. There is no anxious scanning of the skies for the 'cloud no larger than a man's hand' and fervent prayers that it may envelop the heavens and send down water to the thirsty fields. The irrigation farmer never thinks about rain. He watches his growing crops, and the day and the hour moisture is needed, he is out with his hoe flooding his fields with water from canals that skirt them.

"Everything grows in the west that grows anywhere else in the United States north of Tennessee. Potatoes frequently yield 500 bushels to the acre, and barley is grown far better than any raised in the east. The fruits are delicious. I never saw any to compare with those grown in Idaho, where apples, peaches, plums, cherries, pears, apricots abound, and where there are thousands of acres of Italian and German prunes which I am told have made fortunes for their owners.

"To my mind, Idaho is the best watered and most inviting arid state in the Union. I made a careful investigation of the great Snake River valley in that state, along and tributary to the Oregon Short Line Railroad, and there evidences of prosperity such as I have never seen elsewhere in the United States. This wonderful valley is said to contain over 3,000,000 acres of arable land. It is threaded with great irrigation canals in every direction, and there are vast tracts awaiting only the touch of the farmer to make them productive. The sun doesn't shine on finer or more fertile land. When I saw the happy homes, the well filled granaries, the sleek, fat stock, and the smile on the face of nature reflected in a smile of contentment on the faces of the farmers, my heart went out in pity to the thousands in the east who are struggling along from year to year, toiling against adverse climatic conditions, and never knowing how soon a drouth will wipe out the profits of prosperous years.

"Lands can be had in this Snake River valley almost for the asking. but they are going, day by day. The Oregon Short Line is making extraordinary efforts to bring the advantages of Idaho to the notice of eastern farmers, and is flooding the country with conservatively written descriptions of the state. Write to the General Passenger Agent of this Railroad at Salt Lake for printed matter about Idaho, and read it carefully. It will be a revelation to you and I sincerely believe will end in your removal to the

An Incandescent Alcohol Lamp.

The Welsbach incandescenit gas burner is now pretty well known. Some attempts have been made to apply the same style of burner to a kerosene lamp. Still another use for it has been sought by a Frenchman, M. Denayrouze. He is one of the leading spirits in the introduction and application of the incandescent gas and oil lighting systems, and has lately explained to the French Society of Civil Engineers a system of incandescent lighting in which alcohol furnishes the heating flame. While, as is well known, alcohol under a Welsbach mantle produces a brilliant flame, it is not an economical one; but M. Denayrouze's plan is to charge the alcohol with hydrocarbons, in solutions, to such an extent that the carbon in the flame and deposited on the mantle adds greatly to the light without causing any increased consumption of alcohol.

Theatrical Manager-"What do you wish?" Actress-"I want to play Hamlet, now that Bernhardt and the rest are playing the role." Manager-"Oh, take my advice and play Hamlet's father."-Jugend.

Rob Gleverdale's Adventure.

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Brazil.

He looked at it with a keen scrutiny. then his sharp eyes searched Torrevo's face. But he said nothing then. Rob was compelled by Torrevo to do

Torrevo the tally Rob had made in

his part in the unloading the same as before, but this time Torrevo did not beat him. Somewhere, deep down in that outlaw's heart, there was a tender spot, and Rob had found it.

When the cargo was all safely stowed away in the cave, the very dampness of which made Rob shudder at the memory of his former experience, Captain Elvin called Torrevo one side.

"Who wrote this?" he asked, thrusting the paper under Torrevo's nose. Why?" asked Torrevo, to gain time.

He did not know what was coming. "Because I want to know," answered Elvin. "This is not your writing. There is not one of your gang that can write like this. Who did it?"

"My nephew," said Torrevo, holding | vin. himself up proudly, as if to let Elvin see that there were educated people in his family, and he was proud of the fac. "When we loaded at Rio I was ill. I could not take the tally, and I set my nephew at it. He did it very well, as you see."

"Very well, indeed. And what is the name of this nephew of yours?" "Ricardo Torrevo-the same as my

"'M. 'M. He does not look like you. Where did he get his light complexion?"

"From his mother, Senor Captain. She was an American lady."

"'M. 'M. And how does he stand? Is he with us? Can he be trusted?"

Captain Elvin took from the hand of You are my nephew. If you let out the secret of your escape from drownand I will lose mine as well. Now, remember what I say. You are Ricardo do not allow Elvin to suspect. Keep out of the young one's sight. If Lemuel sees you he may know you. If he does, you are a dead man. Do you hear?"

"And if anything does occur-anything that you cannot help-and you think you are in danger, come here at once. I shall remain here with the schooner for some time, till I know that all is safe. Of course, I won't tell Elvin that. But you will find me here. if you need to escape in a hurry."

Rob thanked the peculiar captain of the "Black Cat," and with the few things he had on board, most of which | you?" Torrevo had given him, he rejoined El-

CHAPTER X.

The Englishman saw that the rock was securely placed at the opening of the cave, and then ordered Rob to follow him. He rode off towards the interior, and paid no further attention to the young fellow trudging behind him.

They traveled in this way for several miles, and at last came to an old estate on the plain. There was a stone house, one-storied, with many windows and wide porticos. Elvin turned into the avenue that led from the rough and little traveled road, and dismounted at the door of this house. There was little about the place that indicated it to be occupied. The land was not culti-"With our lives. That boy is true vated. There were men about the staas steel. Oh, you need not fear him, bles, and one came forward and took

"I don't know what this means," said ing your life won't be worth a peso; Torrevo. Remember your name, and

"Yes," said Rob. "I will be care-

chuck him overboard." "What did Horton say about it?" asked Elvin. "Oh, he was stricken with grief. But that will wear off. Elsie, the little fool. is crying yet. And she never saw the cub. Well, I'll take that out of her."

Lemuel Starne.

Starne laughed harshly. "Suspect me? Why, I was the most grief-stricken of the lot. When I reported the thing to the captain of the steamer I could scarcely control myself for weeping. And I've been assuaging Elsie's grief and comforting the old man ever since."

"Are you sure no, one suspected

the night, hearing voices outside in the office. The light of the moon came in through the one window of his

room, and Rob was enabled to see.

He lay there without trying to listen,

but suddenly became aware that a voice he knew was speaking. It was

"Yes," Starne was saying, "it was a

lucky thing for me I got rid of that

American cub when I did. Why, if he

had ever reached old Horton, it would

have been all up with me. And just

as I am getting on so well, too. I

have gained the old man's confidence.

and am well on to that of the girl's.

It would be a fine thing, after I work

up my case, ingratiate myself with

Horton and marry Elsie, to have the

old fool leave his wealth to that young

cub and leave me out in the cold. No,

no. If I win any, I must win all. Some

day old Horton will die, and then we

shall control the wealth of South

America. It was a most fortunate

thing that I heard of his coming. It

enabled me to meet him at Rio and

"When you are his son-in-law you can do it better."

"Oh! worlds better."

Both laughed.

Rob lay quietly listening to this diabolical conversation. It made the mystery clear to him at last. Starne was trying to win the hand of his cousin Elsie, to get David Horton's fortune. And he wanted it all. That was the reason he threw Rob overboard-to get him out of the way and leave the path clear for his own plots and plans. Rob clenched his fists and shook with rage at this shameless story. Then fear overcame the rage, and he trembled with apprehension. Truly, he was in a bad fix now. In the very house with his enemy. Oh! if Starne would only leave before morning.

"What about the letters?" asked Staine, after a few moments of silence, in which Rob could distinguish the clinking of glasses.

"I suppose you came to write them." answered Elvin.

"Yes."

brings you."

It seems that Torrevo had a nephew with him who was educated in New York. He wrote the tally of the last cargo, and did it so well that I brought him here to write the letters. The plans are ripe now, and we must hurry."

"True enough But was it safe to

bring a stranger into it?" "He is only a boy. And at any rate it was safer than for you to write them. You must not be known in the thing at all. There is always the possibility of failure, and if the revolution does not succeed, then you will have Horton's money to fall back on. You must not be known even as my son. I would advise you not to come here again, unless something important

"Just as you say. Had I better stay tonight?"

"No. Get back before daylight, and no questions will be asked. Don't run any risks. The stake you are playing for is worth all the caution you can use. Horton must be worth twenty millions."

"Forty, if a cent. And it will all be mine some day, and a lovely bride in

"Well, be careful, I will have the notices sent out in cipher tomorrow, and by the following day the first steps will be taken to overthrow this hateful government."

"Hateful! I should say so,"

Rob could now hear the preparations for departure, and soon a horse passed his window. Lemuel bade his father goodnight and rode away.

"I'll show them how to write letters tomorrow," said Rob to himself, as he denched his fists again. "Perhaps Mr. Remuel Elvin Starne won't come out so hig as he thinks he will. Oh! wasn't it locky that Torrevo made me write that tally? Now I can save my uncle and asie from the worst villain that ever

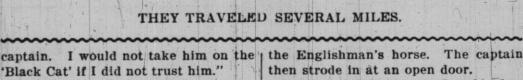
It looked so easy to Rob. But there ere difficulties of which he was entirely ignorant—difficulties that would blanch his cheek and make his heart almost stop beating when he learned

But at least his resolution was good. and proved the nobility of his soul.

(To be continued.)

Not in His Line.

"So your neck pains you?" said the physician. "Yes, terribly," walled the confronted him. And he did fall patient. "Sorry, sir, but I can't help asleep and remained in a doze for sev- you. I'm not a specialist in rubber."



'Black Cat' if I did not trust him." "How much does he know-about our plans, I mean?"

"All that I know. I am not in the secret correspondence, captain.". "No-you drink too much. But, tr

this nephew can be trusted. I can make good use of him."

Torrevo stared. "Good use, captain?" "Yes; bring him here."

Rob still wore the Spanish outfit, as Torrevo had ordered him to do. In fact, his own clothes had been thrown away at sea. That much danger of recognition had been done away with. "Ricardo," said Torrevo, when Rob

had answered his call, "Capt. Elvin speaks well of your work."

"Where did you learn to write?" asked Elvin. "At school in New York," replied

Rob, unthinkingly. "'Tis so," said Torreyo, quickly, 'His mother spent most of her time there, and Ricardo went to the American schools."

Elvin nodded. "You come with me, Ricardo," he said. "I need a penman like you."

Rob's heart beat faster, and Torrevo stood aghast. If Elvin took Rob away from him, what might not happen? By a word the young American might let out the secret, and then it would be all up with him and Torreyo.

"Get whatever you have on board," said Elvin, "and come along."

Torrevo and Rob went back to the schooner.

Rob found the place comfortably fur-

nished, but there was nothing about it, even with its interior comfort, that betokened the presence of a family. In the bargain." fact, this out-of-the-way place was simply the headquarters of Richard Elvin and the gang of conspirators of which he was the leader.

They passed into a large room, and the Englishman called for supper. This was soon spread, and Rob ate heartily, for he was hungry after his long and hurried tramp. He was also excessively weary, and the captain noticed

"What's the matter?" he asked: "Are you played out?"

"Yes, captain," said Rob. "I walked fast after your horse." "Well, go rest yourself. Tomorrow

you will have plenty of work." The plan of the house was commo-

dious, even though it was but one story high. Rob was shown to a comfortable room, in which was a bed and other necessaries, and even luxuries, of a bedroom. This room opened off from a larger one, which seemed to be a sort of library or office. There were other rooms like Rob's, all arranged on two sides of a great hall. Three only opened from the office.

Rob was not slow in obeying the captain, and after bathing his aching limbs with cool water he went to bed. He was weary enough to sleep; notwithstanding the new dangers that eral hours. He awoke some time in | Detroit Free Press.



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The Old and the New Treaty.

The Clayton-Bulwer treaty, which has been the subject of much diplomatic and congressional controversy for half a century, will at last be abrogated, or, rather, superseded, by the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, provided, of course, that the latter convention is approved by the governments of the United States and Great Britain. On our part the treaty must have the approval of the senate, and over it there will doubtless be much discussion. The purpose of the new agreement entered into by Secretary Hay and Embassador Pauncefote, which has the approval of President McKinley, is to "facilitate the construction of a ship canal to connect the Atlantic and Pacific oceans and to that end remove any objection which may arise out of the convention of April 19, 1850, commonly called the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, to the construction of such canal under the auspices of the government of the United States without impairing the 'general principle' of neutralization established in article 8 of that convention."

The treaty which it is thus proposed

to annul takes its name from John M. Clayton, who was secretary of state during President Taylor's administration, and Sir Henry Bulwer, who was then the British minister at Washington. By article 8 of the treaty the governments of the United States and Great Britain mutually bound themselves neither to obtain nor maintain any exclusive control over the Nicaragua ship canal and to abstain from erecting any fortification in the vicinity thereof. They further undertook to exercise no dominion over Nicaragua, Costa Rica, the Mosquito Coast or any other part of Central America, to make use of no form of protection and to enter into no local alliance in any way tending to give one power an advantage over the other. At that time this country and Nicaragua had entered into an agreement for the construction of a canal from the Atlantic to the Pacific ocean by the way of Lake Nicaragua, which was practically the same route as that now under consideration. Part of the territory, however, was held by the Mosquito Indians and known as the Mosquito Coast. Over this tribe England had asserted a protectorate and claimed certain rights in the premises. Accordingly the government of Great Britain was asked to permit the construction and operation of a canal under the joint auspices of Nicaragua and this country. As an outcome of these negotiations the Clayton-Bulwer treaty was promulgated, providing for a joint protectorate by England and the United States over the proposed The canal was never built, canal. though the treaty has remained in force. Many years ago the alleged British protectorate over the Mosquito Indians came to a formal close, England concluding a treaty with Nicaragua by which these pretensions were resigned. No longer having interests in that quarter, either actual or assumed, it was held by American statesmen that Great Britain should no longer insist upon the right to exercise any control in the building or conduct of an isthmian waterway. The continuance of the Clayton-Bulwer convention was regarded as inconsistent with the Monroe doctrine as well as a practical bar to the construction of the canal. Numerous efforts have been made to secure an amicable abrogation of the treaty or at least radical modifications of it, but up to this time Great Britain has steadfastly declined to consent to either abrogation or any essential change in the form of the

The Hay-Pauncefote convention does away entirely with the idea of any joint protectorate over the Nicaragua canal or any element of control by European nations, which features are and always have been highly objectionable, particularly if we are to maintain our contention that American affairs are to be free from European interference. It, however, guarantees the neutrality of the canal, the basis of such neutralization being substantially the same as the provisions of the convention between Great Britain and certain other powers, signed at Constantinople Oct. 20, 1888, for the free navigation of the through the South African campaign.

agreement.

maritime canal. The other maritime nations of the world will be asked to join in guaranteeing the neutrality of the Nicaragua canal, and if it shall be constructed under the agreement to which Secretary Hay and Embassador Pauncefote have pledged the good faiths of the governments which have given them plenipotentiary powers, the great highway across the barrier dividing the two greatest maritime areas of the world will be for the whole world's benefit, open to the ships of all nations, whether in peace or in war.

A cablegram says that the officers' mess in South Africa object to having noncoms given commissions to fill up gaps. If the noncoms can make any worse mess of it than those who wear shoulder straps, then Britain is certainly in a very bad way.

It is said that after Majuba Hill Buller threatened to give up his commission because Gladstone determined to give up the war. And now some English people think they may have to give up the war because Buller won't give up his commission.

The Moon's Atmosphere.

The recent conclusions of the French scientists, MM. Leewy and Puiseux, as to the possible presence of some gaseous envelope on the moon's surface are of very general interest. After giving reasons for concluding that the formidable volcanic eruptions of which the moon has been the theater belong to a recent time in the history of our satellite, they point out that these eruptions must have set at liberty great quantities of gas or vapors, while the diffusion of cinders on the lunar surface to great distances infers a gaseous envelope of a certain density.

Has the time, they ask, which has elapsed since the great eruptions sufficed to bring about the total disappearance of this gaseous envelope? IKLOH, SALI ON SMOKED MEATS. Considering that the already solidified lunar surface could only have absorbed the gases slowly and with difficulty, they conclude that from their examination of the lunar surface there are serious grounds for believing that there exists at the present time a residue of atmosphere of which the detection, surrounded as it is with great difficulties, may yet be realized.

A Boston Author In Hot Water. According to the Brooklyn Eagle; America has a M. de Rougemont in its midst. The gentleman on whom the Brooklyn paper is endeavoring to foist this unique honor is Mr. William J. Reid of Boston, who recently published a book of travels recounting his adventures in Tibet and the wilds of western China. It is insinuated that at the time Mr. Reid was making his explorations he was not very far from the city of Boston, and The Eagle hints in a very unkind way that Mr. Reid found the Boston Public library a much pleasanter place in which to travel than Tibet, to say nothing of its con-

Naturally Mr. Reid is highly aggrieved. In a long communication to the newspaper aspersing him he defies any one to prove that at the time he says he was in Tibet and the far east he was not really there, he declares that the article attacking him was inspired by a coterie of enemies who, he says, had previously shown their animus to him in kindred ways, he denies that he has been an habitue of the Boston Public library and demands in conclusion that The Eagle publish the name of the author or instigator of the arti-

The affair is really a serious matter. It involves the honor of a young man-Mr. Reid is but 27 years old-who is endeavoring to make a living by literature. The charge against him should be either proved or disproved to the satisfaction of the reading public and for the sake of the young author. His publishing house is a reputable Boston firm, and it is due to them also to have the truth of the matter fully established. Altogether the Brooklyn Eagle has entered upon a task which may prove one of no small magnitude.

Admiral Cervera has written a book, in which he says he is sorry he didn't come out of Santiago harbor sooner. Possibly he believes that it is a poor rule to put off until tomorrow a good licking which you can get today.

Oyster cutlets will soon be on the menu of the Pacific states. Fifty barrels of the famous Yesso oysters of Japan, which grow to the length of a foot, will be planted in the tide water of Washington and Oregon.

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LAKE ZURICH.

Bruce Ice company's house is nearly full and car-loading is being carried

for a new church and it now looks as first of the week. though we are going to have one.

Charles White at the depot as Mr. stand up and hang onto a strap, while White's wife is sick in the Joliet hospital.

The Consumers' Ice company shut down last Saturday on account of poor ice weather and a number of employes have returned to their homes in the city.

Mort Kaiser offers to throw any four men in this vicinity, the parties he met a short time ago preferred, and will agree to the same wrestling rules as before and only wants one hour's duration. Any one who may be interested in the above may find him in care of Bruce & Boyer and a match can be made in short order.

The tax collector has been busy for the past two weeks making out receipts, counting money, etc. The levy on one hundred dollars in school district No. 13, Ela, is 71 cents this year; state tax, 42 cents; county tax, 48 cents; town, 3 cents; road and road tax in the village of Lake Zurich, \$1.98; dog tax in township, \$208.

The first accident in the history of ice harvesting at this lake occurred last Sunday afternoon when six men fell fifty feet, injuring all, though it seems lucky that they were not killed. The men from room No. 2 at Bruce's house were raising the slide when the fastenings gave way and fell to the ground with the above result. Drs. childhood days and whether western Kendall of Barrington and Best of life will suit them or not remains to Arlington Heights were speedily summoned and rendered surgical aid and the patients are now resting easily. The injured are: George Tiegrich, foreman and timekeeper, Lockport, back injured; Frank Watts, Parkersburg, W. Va., leg injured and lower jaw broken twice; August: Gossell, Wauconda, cut about head and back injured; Albert Lyons, Libertyville, head cut and leg and spine injured; James Givens, Wauconda, rib broken; with Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Schwermann. Charles Norburg, Joliet, cut about head and chest injured. All who fell are otherwise more or less injured. Watts is in a Chicago hospital where a dental specialist has him in charge. The tower hand for this ice firm fell forty feet a short time ago but escaped day. uninjured.

WAUCONDA.

- J. E. Glynch of Chicago is spending sport-sleigh-riding. the week in our village.
- A. R. Johnson of Chicago is spending the week in our village.
- J. E. Pratt of McHenry was a pleas ant caller in our village Sunday.
- T. V.-Slocum, the "Arkansaw Traveler," left for the south Tuesday morning.
- Mrs. C. L. Pratt is visiting with relatives and friends in the city at present writing.
- A. C. Stoxen returned from Wankegan Monday, having been excused from jury service.

Mrs. Entie Woodhouse and daughter, Helen, of Chicago are the guests of Miss Elois Jenks.

city Monday after spending a few days W. Morse's farm, H. Rineke of Lake with relatives and friends in our vil- Zurich has taken possession of L. lage.

Miss Emma Welch returned home from school last Friday stricken with quinsy. We hope to hear of her speedy recovery.

sick list at present writing. Klint six weeks' slumber Professor Cox, the Griswold is filling his position at the Chicago weather man, was quoted as Lakeside.

Marshal Reilly, no doubt, predicts we will have no more snow this season as he took his assistant, workman to Libertyville Wednesday.

past week but to say the least it could torium tower. have been no pleasure for those involved under the stormy conditions of the weather.

attended a dime social at the home of ceive taxes for the town of Barring-Geo. Benwell at Volo last Friday even- ton. Taxes must be paid on or before ing and a most pleasant time is re- the 10th of March. ported by all.

Mrs. Frances Bangs of Chicago is spending the week with relatives and friends in our village.

Sam Taggart, who has been spending the past few weeks in our village with relatives and friends, returned About \$1,500 have been subscribed to his home at Red Lodge, Mont., the

Spring, like Christmas, comes but Mr. Hogan of Joliet is substituting once a year, and sometimes she has to old Winter lingers in the car with his nose buried in a sheet of ice.

> A sleigh load of Wanconda W. R. C. ladies visited their sisters' meeting at Nunda last Saturday. They left at 10:30 a. m. and returned at 8 o'clck p. m. A very pleasant time is reported.

Supervisor Cook and Jurors Harry Fuller and Henry Maiman went to Wankegan Sunday, the former to attend the supervisors' meeting and Fuller and Maiman to attend the March term of court.

The Epworth League will give a dime social at the home of Mr. and Mrs F. B. Hammond next Friday evening, March 16. A cordial invitation is extended to all and a social good time is promised.

social at McHenry last Friday even- druggist. ing but failed to get any chicken pie, bridge 53 cents; delinquent district other substitutes, however, were found to fill the bill, and the trip on the whole is reported a very pleasant one. J. E. Gainer escorted the party and he also reports a very pleasant trip.

> Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ford and son, Bud, left for Pueblo, Col., last Thursday where they expect to make their future home, if all proves favorable. Mr. and Mrs. Ford have been residents of our village and vicinity from their

GILMER NOTES. # >>>>>>>>

- D. Huntington took a flying trip to Wankegan Monday.
- H. A. Schwermann shipped a car load of cattle from this place Monday.
- II. Olerich of New Jersey is visiting
- H. Schwermann and H. Olerich transacted business in Chicago Mon-

Lowis J. Knigge and Fred Feddler took a sleigh ride to Wavconda Satur-

For bargains in coats go to A. G. Schwermann, He gives them away at

25 cents each. Snow has come, sleighing is good, stock. and old and young are enjoying a rare

Fred Feddler took a cutter ride to Barrington and Cuba Sunday evening.

Fred says sleighing is all right. visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. Hocke-

meyer of Diamond Lake Sunday. We learn that the Diamond Lake creamery has paid a dividend of \$1.23

the 29 cents, butter manager? A number of young people responded to an invitation to participate in a pleasant party at the frome of Mr. and

Mrs. H. F. Schwermann Sunday night.

All report a very pleasant time. Considerable moving has been done in Gilmer and vicinity of late. M. Obenauf has moved on F. Thomas' Mrs. R. C. Kent returned to the farm, George Drury has moved on Morse's farm and W. Biermann of Lake Zurich has moved into Mrs. Rit-

the poultry business.

The day after the ground hog-wise Martin Thelen is reported on the beast-retired to his nest for another saying in substance that the wily animal did not know his business and cited various examples to confirm his statement. The ground hog has doubtless made mistakes but this time he surely knew his business regardless of Moving has been all the rage for the the man who holds sway in the Audi-

I will be at the Barrington bank Tuesday and Saturday of each week. Quite a number of our young people commencing with February 13, to re-

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QUENTIN'S CORNERS.

Wm. Smith made a business trip to Gilmer last Monday.

Wm. Steffens will be employed this summer by John Baker.

Miss Tillie Quentin will make her home with Mrs. James Young the coming summer.

Miss Bertha Weare has had a mild attack of scarlet fever but is reported better at this writing.

Stock buyers have been numerous in this vicinity recently and are picking up everything available.

Our school closes this week for the winter term. The summer term will open in about ten days.

Mrs. John Schneider and son, Henry, were in Chicago to attend her father's funeral which occurred last Sunday.

managers were re-elected as everything has been satisfactory the past

Girls, if you wish to be a June bride with red lips, laughing eyes, a lovely complexion, take Rocky Mountain Goosie party attended a chicken pie Tea this month. 35 cents. Ask your

> Fred Sturm died in Alabama February 15 of typhoid fever, aged 35 years. He leaves a wife and one daughter to mourn his demise. Mr. Sturm was formerly a resident of Quentin's Corners.

CARY WHISPERINGS. 3

M. B. Weaver was in Chicago Mon-

Wm. McGraw spent Wednesday in Chicago.

Mrs. Salisbury spent Saturday in

Woodstock J. Wetzel of Chicago spent Sunday

at J. Kenney's.

Leon NcNett of Chicago is visiting friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip of Algonquin spent Sunday at F. Burton's.

N. B. Kerns and E. Kilty were in Dundee on business Monday.

John Kern of Woodward, Wis., is visiting his brother, Ed Kern. Mrs. J. Hubert and son, who are on

the sick list, are improving slowly. Sam Messenger and Herman Mark-

ward were Wauconda callers Sunday. Spencer: Abbott spent the latter

part of last week in Nunda and Wood-

Goldie Sprague and Emma Wascher enjoyed a pleasant ride to Silver Lake

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Messrs. Louis Messenger, Will Meper hundred for January. How about Graw and Misses Annie Messenger, Josie McGraw and Mrs. McMannahan, enjoyed a sleigh ride to Algonquin Friday night. %

What to Do Until the Doctor Arrives.

It is very hard to stand idly by and see our dear ones suffer while awaiting the arrival of the doctor. An Albany (N. Y.) dairyman called at a drug store there for a doctor to come and see his child, then very sick with croup. Not finding the doctor in, he left word for him to come at once on his return. He also bought a bottle of Cham-berlain's Cough Remedy, which he hoped would give some relief until the doctor should arrive. In a few hours he returned, saying the doctor need not come as the child was ter's house. Will intends to go into much better. The druggist, Mr. Otto Scholz, says the family has since recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to their neighbors and friends until he has a constant de mand for it from that part of the country. For sale by A. L. Waller, Barrington and A. S. Olms, Palatine.

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"What may, what can, we colonial Africanders do in this sorrowful time? Join in the work of warfare with the weapons? The law and our duty as British subjects forbid this, even should other circumstances not oppose such a course of action.

"But what neither the law nor the duty of the subject forbids, and what, moreover, agrees in every respect with all principles of religion and humanity, is the offering of help to the wounded, to the widows and the

orphans." In the name of the Africander bond, on behalf of the citizens of the South African republic and their noble ally, the Orange Free State, I appeal to all Americans to show their sympathy with the brave people who are now, in the words of John Hancock, literally offering all that they have, all that they are, and all that they hope to he, upon the altar of their country, fighting to the death the arrogance and imposition of the great British empire, in order to remain free and independent, as did our American forefathers in 1776 and 1812. THERE WILL BE NO BOER WOUNDED ON THE BRITISH-AMERICAN HOSPI-TAL SHIP.

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Puerto Rico Tariff Bill in the Senate.

REPUBLICANS DIVIDE ON IT.

enator Davis Offers a Substitute Free Trade Bill-A Condensed Report of the Five Days Proceedings in Both

Thursday, March 1.

In the senate the bill providing a form of government for the territory of Hawaii was passed without division. Mr. Clay delivered a carefully prepared speech on the Philippines. He favored the adoption of the Bacon resolutions, declaring it to be the policy of the United States to turn over the islands to the Filipinos as soon as a stable government could be established by them under the protection of this country, At the instance of Mr. Foraker the Puerto Rican tariff bill was made the unfinished business and will be considered as soon as the conference report on the finance bill shall have been disposed of next Tuesday. It was decided to take a final vote on the conference report on the financial bill next Tuesday at 4 p. m.

In the house the democrats scored their first victory of the session on the motion to take up the contested election case of Aldrich vs. Robbins from the Fourth Alabama district. On two separate votes the democrats, with the aid of two republicans. Mr. Mondell of Wyoming and H. C. Smith of Michigan, beat the republicans upon the question of consideration. An agreement was made to consider the Loud bill relating to second-class mail matter March 20. A bill was passed to grant an American register to the ship Windward, in which Lieut. Peary will make an attempt to reach the north

Fridar, March 2.

In the senate Mr. Hoar made a speech in favor of the seating of Mr. Quay. Debate on the Puerto Rican tariff bill consumed the rest of the day. The house, on receipt of a message from the president, passed a bill placing in the president's hands all the money collected upon Puerto Rican goods since the Spanish evacuation, to be used for the relief of Puerto Ricans. Mr. Mann (Ill.) called up the contested election case of Aldrich vs. Robbins from the Fourth Alabama district. The democrats attempted a filibuster, but the case was taken up, 136 to 129. The case was debated for the remainder of the day.

Saturday, March 3.

on account of the death of Representative Epes of Virginia. Mr. Ross spoke in opposition to seating of M. S. Quay, and Mr. Teller spoke in criticism of the conference report upon the currency bill. A number of private pension bills were passed. In the house the chaplain in his invocation made feeling reference to the death of Mr. Epes. It had been intended to proceed with the Aldrich-Roberts contested election case, but unanimous consent was given to vacate the order heretofore made and postpone the final vote until Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. Resolutions on the death of Mr. Epes were adopted, and a committee appointed to attend the funeral.

Monday, March 5.

In the senate Mr. Carter of Montana dealt vigorously with the Quay case in the course of an explanation as to why he will vote for the former senator from Pennsylvania, notwithstanding he voted against the seating of Mr. Corbett in the last congress. The near approach to the time of voting on the conference report on the financial bill brought out two speeches on that measure, one by Mr. Fairbanks and the other by Mr. Butler,

In the house considerable business, much of a minor character, was transacted. During consideration of a bill to incorporate the Frederick Douglass Memorial and Historical association the speaker and Mr. Bailey of Texas exchanged sharp words, and the latter filibustered and ultimately prevented the final passage of the bill by demanding the reading of the engrossed bill. The bill proposes to collect at the residence of the late Frederick Douglass in Washington a record of the anti-slavery movement.

Tuesday, March 6. The senate, by a vote of 44 to 26 passed currency reform bill as agreed upon in conference. Received from Mr. Scott a resolution authorizing the president to govern the Philippines

The house devoted the day to discussion of the Aldrich-Robbins contested election case from the fourth Alabama district.

until congress shall otherwise pro-

vide.

Watson Is Ordered Home. The navy department announces that Admiral Watson has been ordered home and the command of the Asiatic. station assigned to Admiral Remey, on account of the delicate condition of Admiral Watson's health.

LAWTON'S SLAYER AN ASSASSIN Story Printed in Manila Says General's Death Was Result of a Plut

The New Orient, a newspaper published in Manila, prints a sensationai story of a conspiracy among prominent Filipinos, who have posed as "amigos." The story, for which the paper does not stand sponsor, asserts tnat the members of the conspiracy raised a fund to reward those who should pick out and kill prominent American officers. "It is known," the story goes on, "that the insurgents attempted to kill Gen. Lawton while on the north line, and the occasion chosen was when Major Howard was killed on a river boat. The rebels had learned that Lawton was to-take that boat and made a desperate attempt to kill him, but killed Major Howard instead. Gen. Lawton, owing to some accident, did not take the boat as he intended. When the news of Gen. Lawton's death reached Manila there was great rejoicing in certain native circles. In Binondo and Tondo districts particularly was this the case, and it was at once proposed to raise a purse to reward the man who slew him, and he was paid \$25,000."

"SAPHO" IS UNDER THE BAN.

Olga Nethersole and Others Held in \$500

Bail-The Play Stopped. Miss Olga Nethersole, Proprietor Moss of Wallack's theater in New York, and several others concerned were held in \$500 bonds each for trial in special sessions by Magistrate Mott Monday for producing the play 'Sapho." Chief of Police Devery, as soon as the decision was announced, ordered the police to suppress all further attempts to produce the play. There was no performance of "Sapho" at Wallack's Monday night.

How to Oppose Sheldon. Second only to the Sheldon Christian newspaper experiment is the novel plan of the Topeka State Journal in. combating the "What Would Jesus Do?" idea. D. W. Howe is preparing lay sermons to be published in the Journal during the Sheldon week. He will take strong grounds against the idea that the modern newspaper needs advice from the pulpit, and will declare that the newspapers of the present are the greatest moral and educational agencies in the world.

Will Look Into Charge.

The navy department recently received a letter from an unofficial source in the Philippines, said to be reliable, charging that some of the officers of the cruiser Charleston were drunk when the vessel was wrecked off the north coast of Luzon. Some enlisted men of the Charleston are quoted In the senate the session was brief in support of the charge. The navy department has forwarded the letter to Rear Admiral Watson at Manila, with instructions to investigate.

Mrs. John A. Logan Going Abroad.

Mrs. John A. Logan has decided to spend a year abroad, and will leave Washington Thursday to sail from New York Saturday for the Mediterranean. She will be accompanied by Mrs. Jay, wife of the St. Louis congressman. The trip is for the benefit of Mrs. Logan's health, which has been much impaired since the death of her son, Maj. Logan.

Christian Science Church Dedicated.

The Marinette (Wis.) Christian Science church was dedicated Sunday. Scientists from Chicago, Milwaukee, Green Bay, Oshkosh, Iron Mountain and many other places attended the services. The church cost \$10,000, all of which has been paid. The handsome pipe organ was the gift of Mrs. A. C. Merryman, wife of a wealthy lumberman.

McKinley Liable to a Fine,

The city clerk has discovered that President McKinley has violated a city ordinance. The president is having his residence, recently purchased, remodeled, and he neglected to take out a building permit. The ordinance provides that in case of its violation the guilty party shall be fined from \$10 to \$50. The permit costs 25 cents.

Lord Pauncefote to Stay. Lord Pauncefote of Preston, the British ambassador, has received a telegram from Lord Salisbury, the British minister for foreign affairs, informing him of the decision of her majesty's government to retain him indefinitely as the representative of Great Britain in Washington.

Weekly Pay Days Are Granted,

Work was resumed Monday in the four departments of the Republic Iron and Steel company's plant at Alexandria, giving employment to 400 men. The men were notified that they will be paid weekly. This is the first victory won by Indiana employes of the company in their fight for the enforcement of the state law.

Smallpox Seizes a Stude

Miss Clara Davis, a student of Indiana university, has smallpox. She was exposed to the disease by her roommate, who clandestinely kept company with a young man who was quarantined a few weeks ago.

NOTED JUDGE SAVED

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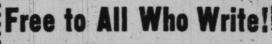
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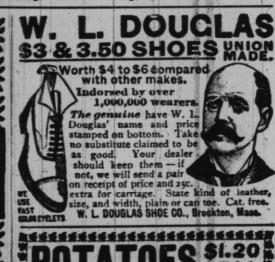


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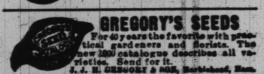
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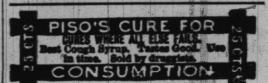
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MARCH AND APRIL

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the Year in the North. In the South, they are the pleasantest and most agreeable. The trees and shrubs put forth their buds and flowers; early vegetables and fruits are ready for eating, and in fact all nature seems to have awakened from its winter sleep. The Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company reaches the Garden Spots of the South, and will on the first and third Tuesdays of March and April sell round-trip tickets to all principal points in Tennessee, Alabama, Georgia and West Florida, at about half rates. Write for particulars of excursions to P. Sid Jones, D. P. A., in charge of Immigration, Birmingham, Ala., or J. K. Ridgely, N. W. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

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Among the well-to-do Japanese a demand is rapidly growing for foreign boots and shoes. Japan, accordingly, offers a promising market in the new future for American manufacturers of these goods, provided that they are specially made for the Japanese trade. The principal requirement is that the toes be wide and roomy, because in c...ldhood the sandals and clogs which are worn give freedom to the front part of the foot. Most of the foreign made shoes hitherto imported have failed to give satisfaction through neglect of this requirement in construction.-Philadelhpia Record.

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Contain Mercury, As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Foledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists, price 75c per bottle.

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Cures Corns and Bunions without pain. Never falls.
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Home Seekers' Excursions.

The Missouri Pacific Railway and Iron Mountain Route are now running a series of excursions to the West and South-West, tickets on sale March 6th and 20th, April 3rd and 17th, at very low rates. Maps, folders, time cards and illustrated pamphlets on the various states mailed free on application to H. C. Townsend, G. P. & T. Agent,

An Apt Illustration.

An inspector of schools has been giving in the Humanitarian a selection of the leading "howlers" of his acquaintance. The shrewdest of all the answers came from a very small boy, who was asked to give the text which forbade a man to marry two wives. Without a moment's pause he replied: "No man can serve two masters."

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Be watchful over thyself, stir up thyself, admonish thyself, and, whatever becomes of others, neglect not thyself.

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Why trifle with health when the easiest and surest help is the best known medicine in the world?

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

is known everywhere and thousands of women have been cured of serious kidney derangements by it.

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His Only Course.

Judge (to witness)—I understand that you overheard the quarrel between the defendant and his wife. Witness—Yes, sir. Judge—Tell the court, if you can, what they seemed to be doing. Witness—He seemed to be doing. Witness—He seemed to be doing the listening.—Collier's Weekly.

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Special bargains in land. Improved and unimproved land in tracts of 10 to 250 acres among the foot-hills in the celebrated Newcastle Fruit District, the greatest deciduous fruit center of Collifornic. Some character of the seemed to be doing that the greatest deciduous fruit center of Collifornic. Some character of the service of the set of best steel attachments, carefully packed in a handsome VELVET lined cass. Weight of the machine, westher wrapped and crated, is about 1100 bis. It is shipped at first-class rate. The freight will average about \$1.00 within 30 miles of Chicago. The cabinst work is ornamental, the seven drawers and cover being HAND OARVED and highly finished, having the heavy NICKEL-PLATED Ring Drawer Pulls, etc. Each machine is carefully tested before leaving our factory. A MELBA sale to us means a new friend and customer for our general line of EVERYTHING you EAT. WEAR and USE: therefore we can afford to sell to machine, all complete, is \$1.00 flustrated pays part of express charges, and will be refunded on receipt of first order. This catalogue quotes wholesale for the machine, all complete, is \$14.25.

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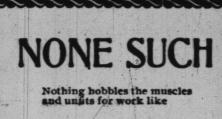
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No cross babies or sick babies in families that so Erown's Teething Cordial.

Beware the fury of the patient Man.

Union soldiers and widows of soldiers who made homestead entries before June 22,1874 of less than 160 acres (no matter if abandoned or relinquished) if they have not sold their additional homestead rights, should address, with full particulars, giving district, &c. ITHET E. COPP. Variages. 2. 6



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Sore Hands



One Night Treatment

Soak the hands on retiring in a strong, hot, creamy lather of CUTICURA SOAP. Dry, and anoint freely with CUTICURA, the great skin cure and purest of emollients. Wear, during the night, old, loose kid gloves, with the finger ends cut off and air holes cut in the palms. For red, rough, chapped hands, dry, fissured, itching, feverish palms, with shapeless nails and painful finger ends, this treatment is simply wonderful, and points to a speedy cure of the most distressing cases when physicians and all else fail.

Sore Hands 8 Years Cured

Pain So Intense Would Nearly Twist Fingers From Sockets. Hands Puffed Up Like a Toad. Water Ran Through Bandages to Floor. Had to Walk the Floor Until Would Fall Asleep. Fingers Would Peel Like an Onlon.

Doctors Could Not Cure.

Eight years ago I got sore hands, commencing with a burning sensation on my fingers and on top of the hand. When I rubbed them, you could see little white pimples. I felt like twisting my fingers out of their sockets. I had high fever, and cold chills ran over me, and so I kept it going until I was tired out. Nights, I had to walk the floor until I fell asleep. My hands peeled like an onion, the finger nails got loose, and the water ran out, and wherever there was a little pimple there the burning fire was — that happened at least ten times. I am running a blacksmith shop, horseshoeing, and I would not shut up the shop for anybody, but it was hard. My hands puffed up worse than a toad. When I drove horse nails, the water from my hands ran through the bandage, on to the floor. My customers refused to look at my hand. I had a friend take me to the doctor; he gave a solution of something to bathe my hands. I went to another doctor, I think, for a year. I found your advertisement in a Utica newspaper, and I got the CUTICURA remedies. As soon as I used them I began to gain, and after using a small quantity of them I was entirely cured. I would not take fifty dollars for a gake of CUTICURA SOAP if I could not get. anv more. I would not suffer any more as I did, for the whole country.

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Consisting of Curicura Soap (25c.), to cleanse the skin of crusts and scales and soften the thickened cuticle, Curicura Ointment (50c.), to instantly allay itching, inflammation, and irritation, and southe and heal, and Curicura Resolvent (50c.), to cool and cleanse the blood. A Single Set is often sufficient to cure the most torturing, disfiguring, and humiliating skin, scalp, and blood humors, with loss of hair, when a leise fails. Fold throughout the world. Potter Drug and Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Besten, U. S. A. "All about the Skin, Scalp, and Hair," free. Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor,

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Exclusively for preserving, purifying, and heautifying the skin, for cleansing the scalp of crusts, scales, and dandruff, and the stopping of falling hair, for softening, whitening, and soothing red, rough, and sore hands, in the form of baths for annoying irritations, inflammations, and chafings, or too free or a consive perspiration, in the form of washes for ulcerative weaknesses, and for many sanative antiseptic purposes which readily suggest themselves to women, and especially mothers, and for all the purposes of the toilet, bath, and nursery. No amount of persuasion can induce those who have once need it to use any other, especially for preserving and purifying the skin, scalp, and hair of infants and children. Cuticuna Soar combines delicate emollient properties derived from Cuticuna, the great skin cure, with the purest of declaring ingredients and the most refreshing of flower odors. No other medicated soap ever compounded is to be compared with it for preserving, purifying, and beautifying the skin, scalp, hair, and hands. No other foreign or domestic toilet soap, however expensive, is to be compared with it for all the purposes of the toilet, bath, and nursery. Thus it combines in ONE SOAP, at ONE PRICE, via, Twenty-Five Cents, the Best skin and complexion seep, the Best toilet and made haby soap in the world.

BARRINGTON LOCALS.

John Horstman of Palatine was here

Henry Pingel is enjoying a week's

Charles Rochaw was in Chicago Wednesday.

Auctioneer Miles of Woodstock was here Monday.

Vincent Daylin of Wauconda was here Monday.

Charles Miller was in Chicago Tuesday on business.

Albert Hawley visited friends in Janesville Sunday.

Vote for Ray Kimberly for commissioner of highways.

Dr. T. H. Rath, dentist, office over Waller's drug store.

Fred Wiseman is doing grand jury work at Waukegan this week.

Fred Pomeroy and family were Chicago visitors the fore part of the week.

Supervisor Lamey attended the board of supervisors' meeting this

Mrs. Frick, sr., has moved from her farm in Cuba into Mrs. Schumacher's

WANTED-At once, small farm. Cash rent. Call on L. H. Bennett, Barrington.

The St. Paul's Jugendverein will hold its regular mentily meeting tomorrow evening.

Mrs. Aug. Jalin and daughter, Mary, and Mrs. M. Schumacher were Chicago visitors Wednesday.

Aug. Krueger of Chicago spent a few days at the home of Wm. Wiehardt the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meister are happy over the arrival of a 10-pound girl at their home on February 25.

Ray Kimberly, candidate for commissioner of highways, solicits your vote at the caucus on March 17.

FOR SALE-Eleven lots, fine location, east front, 66 by 300 feet.

M. C. McIntosh. Dr. Robinson's morning theme is:

'An Hour at the Greatest Theater.' Evening: "Christ in Our Business."

Dr. C. H. Kendall, F. J. Hawley, P. A. Hawley and L. H. Bennett have formed a male quartet for campaign purposes.

FOR SALE - 180-egg incubator. brooder and bone cutter. Will sell entire outfit for \$15. B. H. Sodt, Barrington.

right to Algonquin Thursday evening to attend the Woodmen meeting at that place.

tion on Tuesday, March 13, at 1 o'clock p. m. on the old Buck farm, one and a half miles north-west of Barrington, about 40 tons of good hay.

Otis Blair of Belleview, Ohio, spent Monday and Tuesday in Barrington with his many friends. Mr. Blair passed his childhood days in Barrington and has not been here for twenty

A surprise party was held on Robert Frick last evening. A large number gathered to help make the occasion a merry one. Dancing was the chief feature of the evening and a light luncheon was served. All report a pleasant evening.

The Barrington Military band will give a concert at Arlington Heights next Friday evening under the auspices of the Arlington Heights Pleasure club. The band has improved wonderfully this winter and the people of that place will miss a treat if they fail to attend.

A delegation of ladies from Palatine, who are members of the Women's Foreign Missionary society, enjoyed a nitz, Ida Peterson, Mary Spiegel, Emsleighing party Wednesday evening ma Spiegel. and attended the meeting at the residence of Mrs. C. O. Winter. They furnished some very nice vocal and instrumental music for the Barrington society.

candidates for the offices of the town victim where they ably took the fort of Barrington will be held on Satur- by surprise. After the exchange of of Barrington will be held on Satur- by surprise. After the exchange of prowls an outing in our suburb. day, March 17. A supervisor, col- greetings the evening was spent in For you must know that besides the lector, assessor, town clerk, highway pleasant games. At 10 o'clock a fine many angels that reside in Chicago, commissioner, school trustee and a luncheon was served to which all did constable to fill vacancy caused by the ample justice, and at a late hour they resignation of C. F. Meyer will be bid their host a happy good-night and itself will be a search-light set on a placed in nomination.

Fred Kirschner was in Chicago on uesday.

Henry Brinker was in Chicago Thursday.

Mrs. Ulrich of Elgin has moved into the Lageschulte block.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Higley were Chiago visitors on Wednesday.

Thomas Gibson was a pleasant caller at the home of F. Cady last Friday.

Ed Riley of Langenheim went to Waukegan Friday on law business.

Fred Kirschner went to Woodstock Thursday as a delegate to the senatorial convention.

John Westphal and wife of Dundee visited with friends and relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Fred Vermilya is now brakeing on the Chicago and Milwaukee division of the North-Western.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Harvey of Carpentersyille were guests at the home of Leroy Powers on Sunday.

Ray Kimberly is a candidate for commissioner of highways of the town of Cuba. Caucus March 17.

WANTED-A girl at once to do general house work.

MRS. E. M. FLETCHER, Barrington. A number of the high school pupils: went to Chicago Saturday to see the representation of the Battle of Manila.

A party of Barrington young people took a sleigh ride to Dundee Wednesday evening and report a pleasant

and Miss Lena and Emma Wegner of day evening to retire, of the many bob Chicago spent a few days visiting Bar- sleds filled with jolly people approachrington friends.

Herman Semler, who has made his home in this vicinity the past four years, left yesterday for Chicago to accept a position with the American Express company.

jewelry and watch repairing store on Mr. Kirschner evacuated to get his April 1st. The place will be conduct- slippers. Dancing was the most promed by his son, D. Lewitan, who is a first-class jeweler and watchmaker.

General George Daily Lawton, who was recently killed in the Phillipines, was a student of Fort Wayne college in 1869-70. Dr. J. B. Robinson was president of that college at the time. The school is now called Taylor University in honor of Bishop Taylor.

S. Friedberg has opened up a general store in the old Walthausen stand this week. He will carry a complete line of groceries, dry goods, crockery, glassware, tinware, pictures, picture frames, etc. He comes from Coal ing to order. A load of Woodmen took a sleigh City, Ill., where he has been in business for a number of years.

The Busy Brownies are not only busy The Busy Brownies are not only busy A. L. Robertson be accepted and letting their light shine but it has placed on file. Motion carried. Fred Hobein will sell at public auc- been whispered that they have had a communication from a Mrs. Sweet, allowed on motion of Trustee Peck: who is making a tour of the different prominent cities giving entertainments with her seven talented daughters, and they will no doubt engage them in the very near future.

> The Barrington Social and Athletic club gave a progressive cinch party at the club rooms Saturday evening. About 25 couples were present and a Tuesday, March 13, at 1 o'clock p. m. most enjoyable time was had. The on the old Buck farm, one and a half prizes were won by Henry Donlea and miles north-west of Barrington, about Miss Edna Hutchinson, while Chas. Hutchinson and Miss Ethel Warner will be moved and hay must be sold. Wm. Peters will be the auctioneer. captured the booby prizes. Light refreshments were served.

A sleighing party from Elgin took a spin to Barrington last Saturday evening. Before their return home heathendom. It exalts any people to A they banqueted at Butzow's and a most enjoyable evening was spent. are but a fraction of the expense of Those who enjoyed the occasion were: Messrs. Adolph Meyer, Joe Rogers, Will Zander, Fred Naegele, August Czischke, Paul Rambon, Aaron Carson, L. D. Compton. Misses Mary Zander, Hilda Sanberg, Fanny Sanberg, Minnie Beckman, Anna Kene-

A number of friends of Miss Vivian Comstock tendered her a surprise party Wednesday evening at her home on Main street. They met at the home of Miss Maud Meyer and at 7 The caucus to put in nomination o'clock started for the home of the departed for their several homes.

John E. Catlow has moved on his farm east of Barrington.

Mr. Underwood of Wauconda has moved on the Webb farm.

Messrs, Joseph and William Spunner were Waukegan visitors this week Miss Bertha Rachow is visiting her sister, Mrs. Chas. Nathan, in Chicago.

Wm. H. Brandt returned home Thursday after a two week's trip through Wisconsin.

Mr. Burtis, who has for several years conducted the Webb farm, has located on the Wm. Howarth farm.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Anderson of Carpentersville were visitors at the home of J. W. Kingsley on Sunday.

Miss Leila Lines met with a painful accident on Thursday by cutting one of her thumbs with a broken glass

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Catlow and daughter, Evelyn, returned to their home in Chicago Wednesday, after a visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Julius Kirmse met with a painful accident Saturday while opening a window. A sash fell and caught her hand, breaking one finger besides badly bruising the hand.

The Chicago Millinery store, conducted by Misses Edelson, will be opened in about two weeks in part of the building occupied by S. Friedberg. Misses Edelson conducted a millinery and dressmaking store in Palatine last year and gave good satisfaction.

The caucus to put in nomination candidates for the various offices of the town of Cuba will be held at the Columbia Hotel on March 17 at 2 o'clock p. m. The following offices will be filled: Supervisor, assessor, collector, town clerk, highway commissioner, one justice of the peace to fill vacancy and one constable to fill vacancy.

Took Him by Surprise.

Little did Fred Kirschner think, Miss May, Clara and Luella Weinert | when he removed his shoes on Wednesing his comfortable home to tender him a surprise. A rap at the door and the greeting which followed he was fully apprised of the fact that the delegation had come to remind him of his birthday anniversary. Mr. Kirsch-B. Lewitan of Chicago has leased house to his pleasant looking guests, the Sodt building and will open up a of which they took possession, while inent part of the evening's program, which was broken occasionally by a vocal or instrumental selection. Re-

freshments were served at midnight. Fully fifty people participated in the celebration of the event and it was well along in the morning before the surprisers could fully make up their minds to leave for their homes.

Council Proceedings.

The council met Monday evening at the village hall in regular session. All the trustees were present except Trustee Richardson, and President H. Boehmer called the meet-

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved on motion of Trustee Robertson.
Trustee Peck moved that report of

The following bills were read and

Ernest Rieke, marshal	\$35.00
A. S. Henderson, night watchman	35.00
Wm. Hager, engineer	40.00
Frank Robertson, court costs	16.00
Herman Schenk, labor	3.00
M. T. Lamey, insurance	60.00
John Robertson, expense as witness	12.00
Fire Department, services	18.00
Frank Robertson, attorney fees	65.00
A. L. Robertson, light	61.00
A. J. Redmond. attorney fees	25.00

Hay for Sale.

Fred Hobein will sell at auction on 40 tons of good hay in barn. Barn

Pilgrim, Chapter 3.

Barrington is as felicitous in its moral light as in its electric and mental. The city is quite the antipode of be observant of the gospel and the decatogue. Churches and clergymen prisons and policemen. While the reforming and elevating influences of the former are clearly to be preferred

to the latter. Here, the Catholic has his devout worshiper at St. Anns. The Lutheran is well supplied with Christian mo-tives at his church. The Baptists are in full activity. The Methodists covet the Van. And two Evangelical churches are well manned With all these are Sabbath schools and other Christian organizations. So that the Barrington churches are a savor of life. They are well seconded by a good, moral citizenship. As a consequence there is excellent public order and sobriety. Life and prosperity are safe from violence, unless some Chicago scape-goat evades the vigilant there are also many devils there. If Barrington will continue to heed hill to give light to all.

and the fire

Musicale at Salem Church.

class will give recitals at Salem church in attendance. March 13. The programs have been games the remainder of the evening. carefully prepared and a cordial invitation is extended to all to come. Admission free.

The following programs will be rendered:

1 O'CLOCK P. M. Valse Alex Boehmer "The Merry Go Round". Miss Marguerite Mc-Kinley. "Cricket Polka".... ... Ellorie Thorpe Frank Foreman .Prof. J. I. Sears Miss Vivian Comstock

Minuet Miss Lillie Smith
"Message of the Flower" George Froelich
Valse Prof. J. I. Sears
"A Happy Hour" Miss Virginia Purcell
Opus 8 Miss Florence Collens
Trio—Edwin Austin, Verne Hawley and Prof. J. I. Sears. 4:30 O'CLOCK P. N. Vogel concert" Miss Maude Meyer Mazurka Miss Nora Plagge

Piano accompaniment Miss Nora Plagge
No. 4. Alexander Boehmer
"Wayside Rose" Miss Madge Bennett
Dance Walter Shipman
"Tauzund Spiel

Tauzund Spiel......

Country Dance Misses Louise and Malinda
Boehmer.
Air Varie

Air Varie Prof. J. I. Sears
"Wohin" Miss Ethel Kitson
Valse E. L. Wilmer Sanford Bennet Miss Beulah OtisOrchestra

Sixth Anniversary Celebration.

The Thursday club celebrated the sixth anniversary of that organization by giving a reception and banquet at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. T. Dolan Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Dolan were assisted in receiving their guests by Mr. and Mrs. Silcox of Chicago. The house was handsomely decorated with cut flowers and potted plants. The banquet was served at ten small tables set throughout the parlors and ner was compelled to surrender the dining room, and the decorations were white carnations and daffodils. The which will be held in March. fellowing menu was served:

Escolloped oysters. Olives—Pickles. Small biscuit—Cold meats. Fruit salad. Assorted cake-Ice cream. Coffee.

After the banquet a social time was enjoyed until a late hour, when the guests departed, each one feeling that one more pleasant evening's enjoyment had been added to the many others enjoyed during the past six years, and that their genial host and hostess were among the best of the

The Poverty Social.

The poverty social held in the parlors of the Baptist church Saturday evening was well attended and proved a grand success in a social as well as a

financial way.

About 8 o'clock the large gathering present was examined and all those hat were dressed in "their best" were given the maximum fine. It was a grave offense to have a polish on your shoes, tan shoes especially, which meant a heavy fine for those that could afford such a luxury.

After all the law-breakers had been rounded up and made pay their fines Rev. L. N. Stratton, a fine program, consisting of songs,

readings and recitations, was rendered The pupils of Prof J. I. Sears' music to the delight and enjoyment of those

on Tuesday afternoon at 1 and 4:30 A light luncheon was served, after and in the evening at 8 o'clock on which the gathering indulged in social

congratulated upon their successful effort, and those present hope to soon again be entertained by the people of the Baptist church.

Announcements. CUBA.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of supervisor of the town of Cuba, subject to the decision of the caucus to be held March 17.

MILES T. LAMEY. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of commissioner of highways of the town of Cuba, subject to the action of the caucus.

CHARLES MILLER. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of collector of the town of Cuba, subject to the action of the caucus to be held March 17.

H. C. FRICK. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for commissioner of highways of the town of Cuba, and solicit the support of the voters at the caucus to be held March 17.

.. Orchestra tion taken by the caucus on March 17. M. A. BENNETT.

> I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of collector of the town of Cuba, subject to the action ken by the voters at the caucus to be held on Saturday, March 17.

JAMES KITSON. I hereby announce myself as a canidate for the office of collector of the own of Cuba subject to action taken by the caucus on March 17. EDWARD HORN.

I hereby announce myself as a canidate for collector of the town of Cuba subject to the action taken by the caucus to be held on Saturday, March 17, and solicit the support of my friends. FRED KAMPERT.

BARRINGTON.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of collector for the town of Barrington and ask the support of the voters at the caucus,

L. F. SCHROEDER. I wish to announce myself as a candidate for the office of collector of the town of Barrington, subject to the action taken by the voters at the cau-H. A. BRANDT.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of collector, town of Barrington, and solicit the votes of my friends at the caucus to be held on Saturday, March 17. JOHN BROEMMELKAMP.

I hereby announce myself as a canditate for the omce of conector of the town of Barrington, and solicit the aid of the voter at the caucus.

H. D. A. GREBE.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of constable for the town of Barrington to fill vacancy and ask the support of the voters of said town at the caucus, which will be held March 17. GEO. M. WAGNER

Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of unclaimed letters remaining in the postoffice at xarrington March 8, 1900

D. A. Price, Mr. T. W. Quinby, Mr. Jonn Rogman, Mr. Eddie Rinderly,

H. K. BROCKWAY, P. M.

Announcement to the People of Barrington and Vicinity_

I have opened a store in Walthausen's old stand with a line of goods, consisting of dry goods, groceries, crockery, glassware, tinware, graniteware, notions, pictures and picture frames. We don't mention prices buy we guarantee satisfaction by selling good goods cheap. We want your trade and can save you from 25 to 30 per cent. on every article you buy.

Special Offer

Bring in your photograph and we will enlarge it for you in crayon color, size 16x20, with frame, for only \$1.50. This offer is for 30 days only.

WALTHAUSEN STAND, BARRINGTON.

S. FRIEDBERG, Prop.

Jewelry---Our line of jewelry is complete and the prices asked will astonish you. Call and find out for yourself.

Rubber Goods---That will bear "rubbering" at. We handle nothing but standard goods, low prices. Fresh Groceries --- We are the acknowledged leader in this line and a long tale is not necessary. Everything

keep fresh and clean. Imported and Domestic Cigars --- We handle only the leading brands.

police (?) of that metropolis and prowls an outing in our suburb. Stationery --- of stationery; we can surely please you.

Complete line of Dry Goods and Men's Furnishing Goods.

ANON. J. C. PLAGGE,

BARRINGTON.