

# THE BARRINGTON REVIEW.

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\$1.50 A YEAR IN ADVANCE.

## PALATINE LOCALS

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

Mrs. Specht of Chicago is visiting here this week.

Mrs. E. Beutler visited at Arlington Heights Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lincoln returned from Michigan Saturday.

Miss Julia Bollenbach is now clerking for H. C. Hitzemann.

Mr. and Mrs. Lohse of Chicago visited relatives here this week.

The graduating class of the High school is reviewing geography.

Mrs. George Wilson's mother died at her home in Ashton Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Wood have returned from their Eastern trip.

Walter Flury of Chicago visited his sister, Mrs. Harry Schoppe, Sunday.

Dr. J. L. Black made a professional call at Arlington Heights Saturday.

Fred A. Smith of Chicago visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

George Brinkinger has sold his residence property to a Long Grove party.

Wm. Wagner and family visited friends in Arlington Heights Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schlitch of Elgin visited Mr. and Mrs. Schoppe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leseberg and Mrs. Meyer visited friends in Elgin Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milan Reynolds visited relative at Arlington Heights Sunday.

Herman Troyke and family of Ontarioville visited relatives here Sunday.

John Hirn had a very successful sale Saturday. He received \$540 for ten cows.

Mrs. Marston of Chicago visited Mrs. F. J. Filbert and family over Sunday.

Mrs. George Wilson went to Ashton last week to attend her mother, who is quite sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Garrison of Elgin visited with old acquaintances here Wednesday.

Miss Lottie Freeman of Barrington was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Schoppe the first of the week.

R. M. Putnam has had his acetylene gas plant running all this week and is well pleased with it.

George Gibbs of Minneapolis arrived in Palatine Wednesday to visit Mrs. Gibbs and other relatives.

Mrs. F. E. Hawley and Mrs. Lines of Barrington drove to Palatine to visit for a short time Monday.

Miss Selma Torgler returned to Palatine Wednesday. She will go to Milwaukee to live with her aunt this winter.

Mrs. W. H. Brockway returned from Wisconsin with her father-in-law, Friday, where she has been visiting all week.

The Kublank divorce case did not come to trial last week, as Mrs. Kublank consented to return home without further litigation.

FOR SALE—Good house and three lots in best location in Palatine at a decided bargain. Very cheap if sold at once. E. F. BAKER, Palatine.

There were no services in the Methodist church Sunday night, as St. Paul's church had invited the congregation to join them in their services.

WANTED—Immediately, extra good wages will be paid a good girl for household for a few weeks.

E. W. Wood, Palatine.

The Sayles farm was sold at public auction Tuesday and Mrs. Emma Freund of Long Grove purchased the farm at \$65 per acre, buildings included.

Mr. and Mrs. Cook of Libertyville visited here the first of the week and Mrs. Cook's mother, Mrs. Miller, returned with them to spend a couple of weeks.

Mrs. H. P. K. Bicknase went to Chicago the first of the week. Her nephew, Herbert Schrecke, underwent an operation in a hospital the first of the week and is improving.

Call on Attorney Roy Peck at Mrs. Wm. Wilson's residence when in need of a lawyer. He has come here to make Palatine his home and is deserving of the patronage of the public.

Mrs. Fenton has moved her bakery business to Chicago, where she is located on the west side. Mrs. Loomis went with her. Mr. and Mrs. Fenton are old settlers here and we are sorry to see them move away.

Ralph Beutler writes from Phoenix, Arizona, that he is feeling much stronger since arriving there and has met a few old acquaintances, who made him feel at home as much as possible.

Wm. Thiemann, of the State Board of Live Stock Commissioners, was here Monday and found that anthrax was as dead as the cattle it has killed. The quarantine over the infected farms has been raised.

James Moorhouse is lighting Palatine with gasoline lamps. He is selling lamps every day and they are giving the best of satisfaction. The old kerosene lamp has seen its best days and must give way to better lights.

"The decoys that threaten life and how to fight them," will be preached about next Sunday morning in the Methodist church by Rev. D. Holmes. All who are getting up in years are respectfully requested to hear the discourse.

The following property will be sold at public auction on the Pfeifer place, 14 miles south of Long Grove, Tuesday, November 12: 32 choice cows, including 10 with calves; 10 milchcows, 3 full blooded Jerseys, stock bull, bay mare, colt, pair of mules, harness, 20 shoats, 5 pigs, 2 cultivators, hay rake, feed grinder, 20 acres of corn. Mike Stevens, proprietor; John Hirn, auctioneer.

Thirty-two of the High school pupils rode to Evanston last Saturday to visit at the home of Miss Kean, the assistant principal of the High school. The young people had a very pleasant day for riding and they enjoyed the trip. They were most cordially received by the hostess who entertained them royally for the few hours they spent there.

### Renovation Exercises.

St. Paul's church was crowded Sunday morning and evening on account of the renovation exercises. Addresses were made by visiting ministers and the services proved interesting. The Young Peoples' society assisted in the exercises in the evening and the addresses were exceptionally good and highly commented upon.

The church has been remodeled at a cost of \$360, which has been paid for and a small fund remains. This shows a prosperous condition of the church and is a compliment to the excellent services of the pastor, Rev. J. C. Hoffmeister, who has labored hard to realize this change in the edifice. This church is as neat and comfortable as can be and the society feel proud of their house of worship, as they well may be.

### On the Wrong Road.

A young lady writes of her search for the royal road to beauty. She has consulted Mmes. Yale and Graham of Chicago; tried a dozen complexion beautifiers, so called, and now wishes to know "don't you think those beauty makers who advertise so many washes and creams, a lot of fakes?" Well, we guess you are not far out of the way with the question. They evidently have that appearance—that is the advertisements, for they claim impossibilities.

You have been on the wrong road, little one. On that track you will not find the road to beauty if you hunt for 2,000,000 years. To use patent face dopes, have a 14 inch waist and to blonde your hair, wear clothes that hurrah, that isn't beauty! Discard those hip pads, drive the "rats" out of your hair, throw away those rib-crushing corsets. Let your lungs have an air bath. Let your ribs out where they belong. Be a wholesome, strong, well-developed woman. To the dogs with fashion and "correct shape" corsets that make you look like the letter S. Read good books, choose good associates. Be happy and contented. Let beauty doctors and their skin-destroying nostrums alone.

### A Typical South African Store.

O. R. Larson, of Bay Villa, Sundays River, Cape Colony, conducts a store typical of South Africa, at which can be purchased anything from the proverbial "needle to an anchor." This store is situated in a valley nine miles from the nearest railroad station and about twenty-five miles from the nearest town. Mr. Larson says, "I am favored with the custom of farmers within a radius of thirty miles, to many of whom I have supplied Chamberlain's remedies. All testify to their value in a household where a doctor's advice is almost out of the question. Within one mile of my store the population is perhaps sixty. Of these, within the past twelve months, no less than fourteen have been absolutely cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. This must surely be a record." For sale by all druggists.

## TWO BAD ACCIDENTS.

Samuel Clarke Sustains a Broken Leg and Orlo Loomis Loses a Hand in a Corn Shredder.

A careless sportsman and the patent hand and arm amputator, better known as the corn shredder, are responsible for two accidents. In the first case it was plain, criminal recklessness on the part of someone bereft of even a small amount of common sense. In the second it was carelessness pure and simple.

Samuel Clarke, a resident of Cuba township, and well known farmer, is at the home of his son-in-law, George Nightingale of this village, and in a condition which alarms his relatives and friends. Sunday morning he was driving along the east bank of Lake Zurich and stopped to water the horses, driving them into a shallow spot on the beach. Suddenly one of the animals plunged forward and started to run. The horses became unmanageable and overturned the vehicle, throwing Mr. Clarke against the stump of a tree, breaking his left limb at the base of the knee, fracturing the bones above the break and tearing away a portion of the knee cap. He was brought to the home of his daughter here and Dr. Richardson summoned, who called in Dr. Pelton of Elgin to assist in dressing the injuries. It is possible the limb may be saved, though the surgeons are not positive.

Mr. Clarke is 55 years of age, a well-known G. A. R. member, and has a large number of friends who regret his misfortune.

The horses Mr. Clarke was driving were "old reliables," trusty and safe, and it was hard to account for their action until the breast of one of the animals was found lacerated by a bullet. A number of sportsmen were shooting on the west bank of the lake and a stray bullet struck the horse. Hunters up there are altogether too reckless. This accident is the result of criminal carelessness and nothing short of that.

### Victim of a Corn Shredder.

Hardly a week passes that the labor saving machine known as the corn shredder, does not disable some one. Of all machinery in use on the farm the shredder is responsible for more accidents than all other.

Orlo Loomis, a young man residing near Barrington Center, is the latest victim in this vicinity. Wednesday forenoon Mr. Loomis was feeding a shredder. The stalks were coming pretty fast and Mr. Loomis was crowding the machine, he got careless and reached over to prevent a clog, his left hand was caught and almost torn from the wrist. He was brought to Dr. Richardson's office in this village and the doctor, assisted by Dr. Black of Palatine amputated the member. Mr. Loomis has the sympathy of all in his affliction.

### SIX CHAPTERS

Of the Serial Story "A Lost Note," or A "Hunt for Justice."

Phillip Gonyo of Loon Lake, county of Lake, has arrived at the conclusion that the law is full of holes. He says it is a conglomeration of intricacies; that court procedure in this bailwick is of a special kind. Mr. Gonyo ought to know—he has made a five weeks study of the matter, and from the manner in which the law has worked in his case he speaks from practical experience.

Our readers are familiar with the action entitled Levy & Son, horse traders of Chicago, vs. Phil Gonyo, a farmer of the town of Antioch. If they are not we summarize the preceding chapters.

Chapter I.—Levy & Son bring suit against Phil Gonyo before Justice Morrison in Lake county, to recover payment on a note, amount \$100, said to have been given Sept. 5, 1897. The note is said to have been lost. It was to run for 30 days, at 7 per cent interest. It has accumulated \$79 in the four years. How? That's a story by itself. The plaintiffs never presented the note for collection, nor was the defendant aware of its existence, having no recollection of ever signing any such paper. The plaintiff's representative deposes and says that for four long, weary years search has been made for the maker of the note. The search did not extend to the county or township where the defendant resided and had resided for 12 years, but about the vicinity of Milwaukee Ave. and Cornelia street, Chicago. Case called for trial. The much-sought-for defendant ready. Plaintiff asks a non-suit. Granted.

Chapter II.—Mr. Gonyo enters the confines of Cook county and his troubles begin. A constable nabs him and he is summoned to appear before Justice McIntosh, to answer the action only five minutes before non-suit.

Chapter III.—Case called. Defendant present and ready for trial. The plaintiffs have had three years and eleven months to prepare a case but are not yet ready, and ask a continuance for a week. Granted, and Mr. Gonyo told to go home, "take a seat way back," and return in a week.

Chapter IV.—Again the defendant appears ready as usual. The justice is to appear, so the plaintiff's representative goes out, finds Justice Frey, and secures another continuance for a week.

Chapter V.—Again is the road between Antioch and Barrington traveled by the man who, the plaintiffs say, is evading a debt. Now, the defendant believes a prejudice exists against him in Justice McIntosh's court, so he asks a change of venue to Justice Frey's court. It is granted and another continuance allowed.

Chapter VI.—Case called as per continuance. Defendant ready for trial. Plaintiffs supposed to be. Henry Levy placed on the stand and testifies as to the lost note, etc. Attorney Winston of Chicago, proceeds to cross examine the witness when a representative of the plaintiffs again stops proceedings by asking for a non-suit. It is granted. The defendant departs from the court room with a mighty poor opinion of the law governing justice trials. At the foot of the elevator (?) he is met by a minion of the law who summons him to appear next Monday before Justice LaBuy at Chicago to answer the same action.

This is the story to date. It is a peculiar one because the plaintiffs do not seem to desire to try it, which is made evident by their mode of procedure. Where the case will end now that it has been carried into a district where justices are many but where justice is of the elastic variety, is a conundrum.

Mr. Gonyo says "they may continue persecuting me but they can't hang me." He is not familiar with the administration of so-called justice in the tenderloin districts of the great city. They hang men down there for paying their debts and elevate beneficiaries of the bankruptcy law and ex-convicts to positions of trust.

### Home From the Philippines.

Dr. F. M. Clausius, who for the past year has been acting assistant U. S. surgeon attached to the army of occupation in the Philippine Islands, returned to his home in this village Saturday afternoon, his term of enlistment having expired. The doctor is in excellent health and the year of service has been of great value to him, adding to his knowledge of surgery and allowing him an insight into the habits and customs of the people on the other side of the world.

His voyages to and from the islands allowed him the opportunity to visit the Hawaiian group and points in Japan. He has acquired a rich fund of information as to the country, and has secured hundreds of views, curios, etc., which are of more than ordinary interest to his many friends. He believes a great future is in store for the Philippines but many years must elapse before the natives are capable of self government. He was located at Mangataram, Province of Pangasinan, north of Manila and about 100 miles in the interior from the sea coast. This province was under military control and the doctor witnessed no warfare. While he enjoyed the years' sojourn in the islands and the taste of regular army life, he prefers a home mid the surroundings of civilization. We congratulate the doctor on his safe return and advancement in his chosen profession.

### Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of unclaimed letters remaining in the post office at Barrington, Oct. 24, 1901:

J. G. Harding, Mr. Berens, Thomas Lavelle, Edward Neely, Jos. Salzinski, H. K. Brockway, P. M.

### Home Seekers, It Will Pay You to Look up Lands in Northern Wisconsin.

The North-Western line has large tracts of land for sale along its lines in Northern Wisconsin at low prices and easy terms of payment.

If you are looking for a new location where good land is cheap, this is your opportunity and now is the time to buy. Markets near by are: Minneapolis, St. Paul, Duluth, Superior, Milwaukee, Chicago. The land is well timbered with a mixed hardwood growth, the soil fertile and easy of cultivation, and there is an abundance of pure cold water.

Remember the above points when you are looking for land.

For illustrated folder and further free information address George W. Bell, Land Commissioner, Hudson, Wis., or G. H. MacLae, assistant general passenger agent, St. Paul, Minn.

## WE ARE NOW READY



To show you a new stock of

LADIES' CLOAKS and CHILDREN'S JACKETS.



Our largest stock of Ladies' and Childrens winter Cloaks and Jackets are on sale. These new garments are of the latest styles and the best tailor-made, you will find them finely finished. Lining is of the best quality. Every garment is fully warranted by us to you. Come to The Big Store for your Winter Cloaks, marked them down cheap for you. See our large line of Fur Collarettes.

Prices \$4.75 to \$8.50.

Our Price only \$12.00.



New Stock Hats, Caps.

best quality. Every garment is fully warranted by us to you. Come to The Big Store for your Winter Cloaks, marked them down cheap for you. See our large line of Fur Collarettes.

### WINTER CLOTHING

A new stock of Men's Wool Pants have been placed on sale this week also a large line of Mens Canvas Coats at \$1 and up. A very large line of Men's Working Shirts at 50c. Men's Heavy Overalls at 65c and 75c. These goods are manufactured especially to our order and will give twice the wear you will get out of the ordinary garment. We want you to see our new stock of men's winter suits and boys' winter clothing.



THE BIG STORE  
Undersells All.  
A. W. Meyer & Co.

## UNDERWEAR SALE.

Wonderful bargains in this department that means money to the purchasers. We defy competition and invite inspection. Note a few of our prices:

50 DOZ. MEN'S FLEECE-ED UNDERWEAR, sold everywhere for 50c, at... 29c LADIES' FLEECE-ED UNDERWEAR, 50c quality, sale price.... 25c

CHILDREN'S FLEECE-ED UNDERWEAR 10c up.

Fancy French Flannels and Flannelette, imported 12, 15, 18, 20 25c and up Dress Goods, all wool 30 1/2 in, 15c. All wool, all colors, 42 in wide, 50c

Boys' and Men's Winter Caps, up from 15c 20 doz. Men's Plush Caps worth 50c to \$1, close at 25c

Ladies' Neck Scarfs \$1.25, 1.50, 2.50, \$4, \$5 and up.

We can save you money on any purchase that you make at our store, no matter in what department. We can save you fully 25 per cent and only ask for a sample order to back up our statement.

LIPOFSKY BROTHERS.

BARRINGTON, ILLINOIS

25 Cts.

A large assortment of fine quality, latest style, box paper, your choice for only 25 cents.

We also carry a line of Pens, Pencils, Inks, Tablets, Envelopes, etc., etc.

Chas. E. Churchill,

DRUGGIST.

BARRINGTON, ILLINOIS.



Buffalo, N. Y., telegram: New England's building at the Pan-American exposition was destroyed by fire. The contents, consisting of rich furnishings of historic value, costly oil paintings and other articles of great value, were also entirely destroyed. The building cost \$30,000, and the loss of the contents is estimated at \$100,000. The fire was discovered at 11:10 o'clock, and an hour later the building was in ashes. The structure was one of the finest of the so-called state buildings on the exposition grounds.

The university was the outgrowth of a meeting of 16 of the principal ministers of the New Haven colony, held at Branford in 1700. Their purpose was to found an institution of learning which would serve to maintain a high standard in the clergy. The Colonial Assembly granted a charter and in 1701 the school was established at Saybrook, its title being the collegiate school. In 1777 it was removed to New Haven, which has since been its home. During the revolutionary struggle Yale sank to its lowest point. In 1777 it practically broke up. Many of the students fought in the Continental army, the hero of the college being Nathan Hale, whose regret that he had but one life to give to his country enshrines him in the hearts of Americans. After the war Yale came upon better times. Timothy Dwight became president in 1795 and laid plans for the growth of the college into a university. Today there are 108 professors, 162 instructors and tutors and 2,582 students. The university, numbering eight departments—the academic and scientific departments, graduate school, art school, music school, law school, theological school and medical school—now occupies six city squares, exclusive of the Sheffield Scientific School, which is a semi-independent establishment, and which monopolizes three more blocks. There are altogether 37 university buildings. Such has been the growth of this institution under the guidance of President Timothy Dwight, first, Jeremiah Day, Theodore Dwight Woolsey, Noah Porter,

Brainerd, Minn., telegram: Deputy United States Marshal Joseph Langon arrived here, having in custody two Indians, John and Thomas Garbo. Though he was threatened with being scalped he made the arrest. The deputy marshal claims there are about sixty cases of smallpox among the Indians. The Garbos attacked him and their members of the party stood ready to back them up. They are charged with breaking quarantine and resisting an officer.

**Gage Will be Fund Custodian.**  
Secretary Gage has accepted the treasurership of the McKinley Memorial Arch Association at Washington. It is believed the \$2,000,000 needed will be raised in a short time. An executive committee has been incorporated by the election of United States Commissioner of Education W. T. Harris, the Rev. Dr. Talmage, ex-District Commissioner J. W. Douglass and President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor.

**Woman a Pension Swindler.**  
Mrs. Sarah J. Flynn of Lake Preston, S. D., where she is highly respected and has been prominent in Woman's Relief Corps circles, pleaded guilty in the United States court at Sioux Falls, S. D., to an indictment charging her with applying for a pension as the widow of Silas J. Flynn, a New York veteran, who served during the civil war. Flynn's widow, Mary C. Flynn, was a witness before the grand jury.

T. D. D. L. L. D.

Columbia, S. C., telegram: A report comes from Hampton of the lynching of an unknown negro, who committed burglary in the residence of Dr. Peeples. The man was run down with dogs and hanged. The negro, said to be a tramp, secured some jewelry from the Peeples residence. He fired at Dr. Peeples, the bullet passing near his head. The neighborhood was aroused and dogs put on the track. The man was hanged where caught.

made a tour of this section of Ohio at night, blowing several safes, robbing a postoffice and a hardware store, and stealing several horses and buggies. They secured nearly \$1,000 in money as a result of the night's work. They began operations at Pleasantville, where, Rose Bros.' hardware store was looted of cutlery and revolvers. Stealing a horse and buggy they proceeded to Junction City, where the postoffice safe was blown and \$400 in stamps and quite a lot of currency secured. At McElroy the Baltimore and Ohio safe was blown and several hundred dollars and valuable papers secured. The trail was lost at Rushville, this county.

induced.—Chicago Record-Herald.

thieves waked up Stephenson street with about a quarter of a million dollars in securities. They had stolen them from a safe in the residence of Daniel C. Stover during the absence of the family. The securities were in stock certificates of the German Insurance Company, the State Bank of this city, the various manufacturing companies of which Mr. Stover is the head, and bonds and mortgages, all gilt-edged. Failing to realize the value of the papers or else fearing detection, the thieves threw them under a bush on the lawn of Mrs. O. B. Sanford, some distance farther up the street, where they were found by the gardener and returned. They made two large armfuls.

Police Judge Snediker at Dayton, O., held Mrs. Mary Belle Witwer, charged with the murder of her sister, Mrs. Anna Pugh, to the Common Pleas court without bail. The prosecution rested its case and Attorney Long, counsel for the defense, made a motion to dismiss, asserting that the state had failed to show a crime had been committed and that not enough evidence had been presented to warrant the prisoner being held to the higher court. The judge would not entertain the motion and the defense offered no witnesses.

**Mowatt Wins from Irwin.**  
Jack Mowatt of Chicago was given the decision over Toby Irwin of San Francisco at the end of the fifteen-round contest at the Reliance Club in Oakland, Cal. The boys fought at 130 pounds and the former car conductor made the better showing in the opinion of the two judges, especially in the last couple of rounds, which were fought at a fast pace. Mowatt's aggressiveness throughout the bout also influenced the judges in his favor.

Spokane, Wash., telegram: In a deserted tunnel in the Blue Mountains in eastern Oregon Frank Vigord, a miner, found the body of a girl crowded into an old trunk. A deep gash in the head showed the manner of death. The body had evidently been placed there two months before and was terribly decomposed. Several months ago a man and his wife drove up the lonely trail to his cabin. They asked the privilege of camping in the old tunnel mouth. He gave them food. In the morning they had gone.

Great brutality is practiced on the frontier. The Turks have arrested more than a hundred Bulgarians residing on the frontier and tortured them with the view of wringing information from them regarding the whereabouts of Miss Stone. Several of them have died. The Bulgarian authorities are much worried over Miss Stone's capture, and is arresting and imprisoning Macedonian fugitives. The populace of Sofia are indignant over the obstinate refusal of the United States to pay the heavy ransom demanded.

Among the numerous stories printed by the Sofia newspapers is one ascribing the kidnaping of Miss Stone to the Sultan for the purpose of getting even with the United States for compelling

PLENDID ISOLATION.



John Bull—"Well, if they keep up this thing I'll be on a tight little island indeed!"—Chicago Record-Herald.

"It is reported from Sofia," says the Vienna correspondent of the Daily Mail, "that United States Consul General Dickinson has received intelligence from shepherds that Miss Stone was seen at Jakoonda, on Turkish territory, about two hours' journey from the Belgian frontier."

**Mme. Tsilka Reported Dead.**  
Sofia, Bulgaria, dispatch: It is reported that Mme. Tsilka, the compan-

tion of Miss Ellen M. Stone, the American missionary captured by brigands, has died in captivity.

**More Searchers to Go Out.**  
Constantinople dispatch: Should no news be received during the next forty-eight hours from the missionaries who

eight hours from the missionaries who are seeking the captors of Miss Ellen M. Stone and her companion, Mme. K. S. Tsilka, more missionaries will

be sent to assist in locating the brigand band. It is understood that

the missionaries have been waiting at places in the vicinity of where the brigands are supposed to be, expecting to receive a communication from them. It is proposed now that a search

party shall be organized to penetrate to the brigands' retreat.

### Cuba Wants to Come In

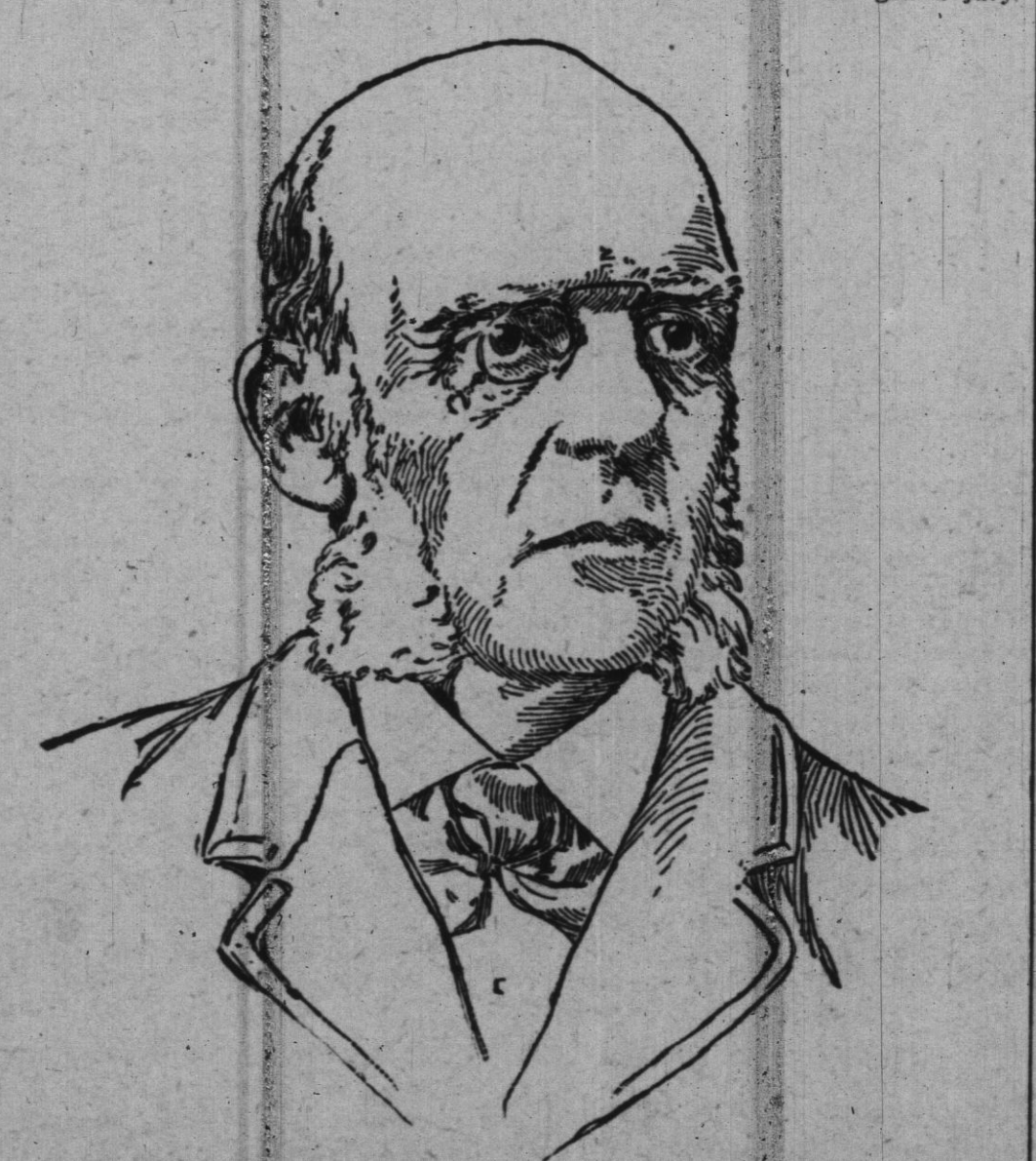
A petition asking that Cuba be annexed to the United States is being circulated among Cuban business men at Havana, and every effort is being centered upon annexation, as business men generally, it is alleged, believe that the reciprocity movement will amount to nothing. A meeting has been arranged for Wednesday next, at which, although held under the guise of reciprocity, it is said the first gun in the campaign for annexation will be fired by Cuba's orators, Senores Desvernine and Lanuza and the Marquis De Montoro.

## Gold Rush in Colorado.

The road to Buelah, in the southwestern end of this county, says a Pueblo, Col., dispatch, is lively with pilgrims on the way to the new gold field. Ore brought in is stated to assay \$1,200 per ton. The locality is not over five miles from Buelah, a well known summer resort, and the newly opened gold veins have been in plain sight for years.

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Two killed in Texas fight. Waco, Tex., dispatch: In a four-  
 -anded fight former Sheriff William  
 Harris and his grown son William  
 were killed by J. D. Lovelace and Z.  
 Reynolds, two of the best known  
 men in McLennon County. The four  
 men quarreled at a saloon and young  
 Harris opened fire with a shotgun.  
 Reynolds and Lovelace killed him al-  
 -most instantly with pistols and then  
 shot the father. Lovelace and Rey-  
 -nolds went to the jail and surrendered.



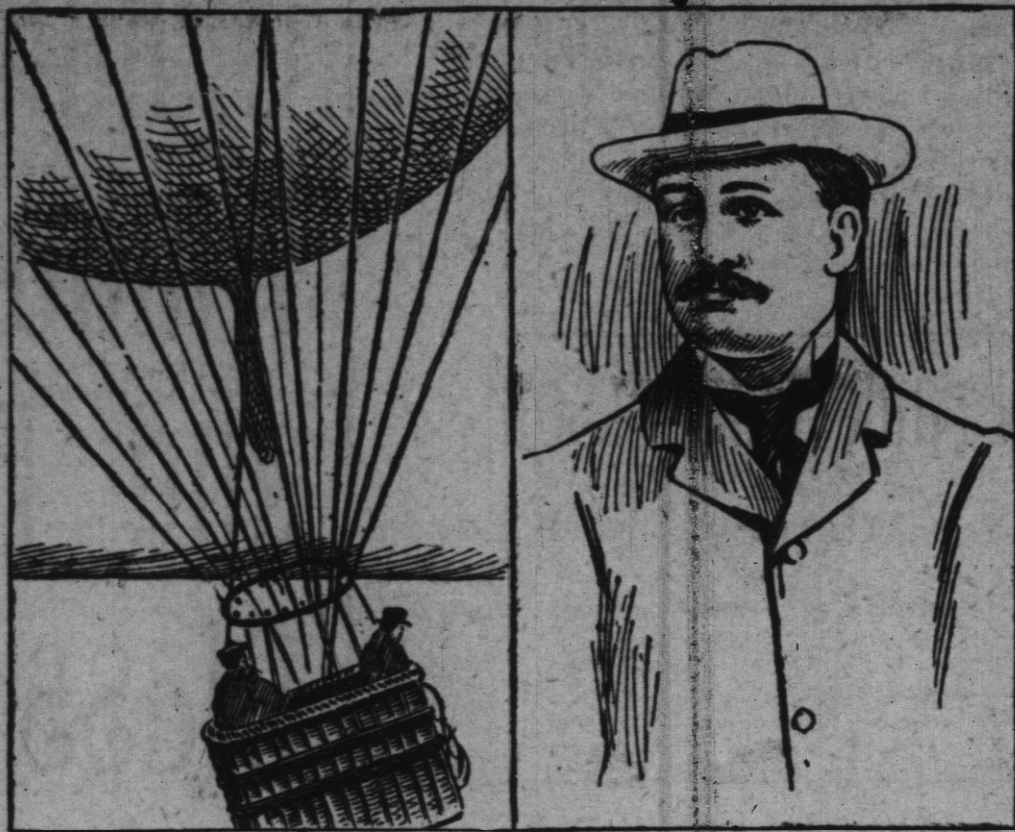
TIMOTHY DWIGHT T. D. D., L. L. D.



# Comte de la Vaulx and His Balloon.

The Comte de La Vaulx last week made an unsuccessful attempt to cross the Mediterranean sea in a balloon under the escort of two French naval vessels, is one of the most daring aeronauts in Europe. This young nobleman is in love with his exciting pastime, but he has likewise a desire to help his country and to benefit mankind. Last year he attracted the attention of the world by making one of the longest balloon voyages on record. He and a companion crossed a large part of the continent of Europe in his balloon, the "Centaure." They traveled upward of 1,300 miles through the air and alighted none the worse for the journey. Vaulx's constant companion in his aerial flights is Castillon de St. Victor, who, like his darling friend, is a nobleman of an old and aristocratic family.

The new governor of Porto Rico was a classmate of the governor-general of the Philippines. Judge Taft and Judge Hunt were friends throughout their course at Yale and graduated together in 1878.



**Russia's Success in Manchuria.**  
A correspondent of the London Chronicle who recently traversed Manchuria, gives some interesting details showing how complete is the Russian domination in the province. The only thing left of the former Chinese regime is the accumulated filth in the streets, over which Cossack orderlies dash with the indifference of lifelong familiarity.

The significant feature of this sweeping change is the fact that the Manchus rather like it. These nomad Tartars never had much sympathy for the fossilized conservatism and absurd ceremonialism that seem so dear to the Chinaman. Their independent spirits revolted against the abject kowtow demanded by every petty Chinese official.

They find that they can speak freely and informally to Russian officials, and they appreciate the difference. The Russians also are developing the mines and industries of the country with amazing energy, and have brought prosperity in their train. Tartars who formerly worked for \$1 a month now can earn 50 cents, or even \$1 a day. The Russians do not trouble the natives with any sanitary or social reforms, and their ideas conflict with none of the ancient prejudices of the Mongols.

The net result is that the Manchus are fairly reconciled to Muscovite rule. The silent methods of Russian conquest have averted a struggle. On the whole the change appears to be as beneficial to the Manchus as it is profitable to the Russians, for, when all is said, the Russian government is to be preferred to that of the Chinese Empire.

## Louisville Girl and Her Titled Fiance.



Miss Patti Ellison.

Miss Patti Ellison, the Louisville girl who is to marry Sir Charles Henry Augustus Frederick Lockhart Ross of England, is a descendant of one of America's most distinguished revolutionary families. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ellison of Louisville. Her great-grandfather was General Charles Scott, third governor of Kentucky and a general on the staff of Washington. Sir Charles is the third largest landowner in Great Britain, his estate, Balmagowan Castle, Parkhill, Ross-shire, Bonnington, Lanarkshire, being rated at 356,600 acres, with more than 2,000 tenants. His deer forests are the most extensive in Scotland. He has many interests in Canada, copper mines in British Columbia and in the Klondike.

The marriage is to take place in Louisville about the middle of November. After spending the winter months in London and in Scotland Sir Charles and Lady Charles will return to Montreal, where they will reside for a year. Sir Charles is the ninth of his title, to which he succeeded in 1883. A lieutenant of the Seaforth Highlanders, he rose to the rank of major of volunteers in the campaign in South Africa. His education was received at Eton and Trinity, Cambridge. He is fond of sports, is a skillful athlete, and is a crack shot. He has invented a rifle which has won him some fame.



Sir Charles Ross.

that the volunteer system had not shown itself inadequate and that "ballooning for service" under the ancient law would "inevitably lead to conscription, which if put in force would provoke a reactionary feeling against the war in South Africa."

A few months later, however, an act was passed "to increase the usefulness of the volunteers" in "great emergency." The militia, the yeomanry and the volunteers have hitherto been free from compulsory service abroad. According to tradition that was the duty of the regulars exclusively. The reserve and the auxiliary have been maintained as home defense, with no exception of being called into action. The yeomanry are an ancient corps of mounted men with an organization of their own.

**An English Duster.**  
The ordinary feather duster in the hands of the housemaid has the faculty of stirring up the dust and causing it to alight elsewhere about the room instead of cleaning it up, as should be done. There are already in use pneumatic dusters, which will draw the dust into a tube connected with the brush. But it was impossible to use them for light work on account of the motor necessary to run the suction fan at the end of the hose. The illustration shows a duster which applies practically the same principle but with the suction arrangement inside the back of the brush. The mechanism is formed of front and back plates, with a flexible fabric joining them and an internal spring to hold them normally apart. The handle is attached to one plate and the brush to the other, with a valve at the rear of the brush. A slight pressure on the surface to be dusted closes the bellows-like plates and shuts the valve to prevent the outflow of air through the bristles, and as soon as the pressure is removed the opening of the bellows sucks air in through the bristles, drawing the dust with it. As the plates again close the air inside is filtered through a second valve, leaving the dust inside, where it remains until the duster is opened for cleaning.

Minnesota is called the "Bread and Butter State," and rightly, too, for the last year her mills turned out 26,630,500 barrels of flour and churned over 60,000,000 pounds of butter.

**NOTHING EQUALS**  
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**Mistakes of the Polar Bear.**  
Nordenskiöld found that the white bears generally went through a long performance of stalking his sailors, clearly on the mistaken conclusion that they were seals. As the men were clothed partly in seal skin, it was a very natural mistake. But the interest of the story lies in the generalization made by the bear. The bear said: "There are two or three seals, one standing up on its flippers in a very unusual way. I will therefore stalk them unseen as long as I can and when they see me pretend to be doing something else." So the men, with their guns and lances, who wanted to shoot the bear, had the pleasure of seeing him carefully crawling behind rocks and ice hummocks, making long detours this way and that, and every now and then clambering up a rock and peeping cautiously over to see if the seals had gone. On the open snow the bear would saunter off in another direction, and then, falling flat, push himself along on his belly with his great front paws covering his black muzzle, the only thing not matching the snow about him. Just as the bear thought he had got his "seal" the latter fired and shot him, a victim of false analogy.—The Spectator.

**Mrs. Dyer's Heart.**  
McCarron, Mich., Oct. 21.—In April last the sensational case of Mrs. Samuel G. Dyer of this place was reported in these columns. Mrs. Dyer had suffered for years with a very bad case of Heart Trouble and was cured in a few weeks by Dodd's Kidney Pills.  
Since then Mrs. Dyer has received hundreds of inquiries as to her condition and many may be interested to hear that she is at present enjoying the best of health and has not had the slightest return of the Heart Trouble. Formerly she had to sit up in bed for hours to get relief; now she goes about as smartly as any lady of 62 years in the State. Dodd's Kidney Pills have made many friends in Chippewa County through their cure of Mrs. Dyer's case, and have proven beyond doubt that their cures are not only very complete, but absolute and permanent.

**Early Vermont Barred Circuses.**  
Not until twenty years ago were circuses allowed to exhibit in Vermont, but the circuses used to skirt three sides of the state closely, and it was most gratifying to the proprietors to see the way in which men, women and children of the Green mountains used to troop across the border into New York, Massachusetts and New Hampshire, to enjoy the feasts forbidden to them at home.

**How's This?**  
We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.  
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**Foreign Names of Corporations.**  
A social club in Pennsylvania, named Deutsch-Amerikanischer-Volkstest Verein applied for a charter of incorporation, but was refused on the ground that the name was in a foreign language. On appeal to the Supreme Court, however, the charter was granted, the court holding that there is no requirement under the statute that the title of the corporation shall be English.

**The McKinleys' Little Girl.**  
The National Magazine of Boston has the unique magazine feature of the month. This is a portrait of President McKinley's little daughter, Katie, who died at the age of three and a half years. The portrait, which has never before been published, adorns the first page of The National Magazine for October.

**Humor in the Century.**  
The November Century—in many respects an unusually striking number—will begin the magazine's thirty-second year, which is to be a Year of American Humor. It will contain humorous stories, etc., by Mark Twain, Carolyn Wells, Oliver Herford and other humorists.

**The November Delineator.**  
A seasonable atmosphere rises from the various useful and valuable features of the November Delineator. The styles shown are those for early winter; the dressmaking article tells about the making of coats; the fancy needlework article bears upon Thanksgiving and Christmas gifts.

**Queen Elizabeth's Red Nose.**  
Elizabeth, in her old age, had a red nose and was very much ashamed of it. One of her maids of honor has left a very curious account of the scrupulous care with which the queen's nose was painted and powdered before any public appearance.

China imported \$429,000 worth of beer from Germany last year.

## ILLINOIS ITEMS

The trial of Bedford Phillips, Thomas V. McCoy and Henry Holt, charged with the murder of William Edgar McCoy, which occurred at Hunt City, Jan. 29, was concluded at Newton Monday. Phillips and McCoy were convicted of manslaughter. Holt was acquitted. The slaying occurred at a dance given by William E. McCoy. Among the guests was a stranger, whose attentions to Mrs. Thomas McCoy angered her husband, a cousin of the host, and an affray occurred in the ballroom, in which clubs and knives were freely used. William McCoy strove to separate the combatants and received fatal wounds.

Linn Bidler committed suicide at Springfield by hanging. Despondency was the cause. Bidler was appointed postmaster of Mount Pulaski by Lincoln, was removed by Johnson, and reappointed by Grant in 1869, holding the position until 1882. He was editor and publisher of the Mount Pulaski News from 1885 until a year ago, when he retired on account of ill-health. He leaves a wife and nine children.

The National Shorthand Reporters' association has decided to ask Congress to pass a law providing for the appointment of an official reporter in every Federal court of the country. In all such courts the parties litigant are compelled to provide their own stenographers, and the lack of an official reporter prevents the compilation of official records, and much testimony which might be needed in after years is not saved. It is now planned to formulate a bill providing for the appointment of a reporter in each Federal court, the judge being empowered to make his own selection, and also that a file of all testimony be preserved. A committee consisting of the following members of the national association will meet in Washington next month to draft such a measure: President R. Small, official, Congressional reporter, Washington, D. C.; Secretary J. D. Campbell, Charleston, S. C.; C. C. Beale, Boston, Mass.; C. F. Roberts, New Haven, Conn.; E. V. Murphy, Washington, D. C.; B. F. Duke, Nashville, Tenn., and C. C. Herr, Bloomington, Ill.

Some well drillers at work in the bottom of a slough on the farm of Harvey Schriber near Rock Island when at a depth of about fourteen feet struck sand and stone that crumbled readily at the touch. All through it can be seen particles of a shining yellow metal believed to be gold. The bed in which it was discovered proved to be about eighteen inches in depth and of unknown extent. Specimens of the ore were taken to the jeweler at Reynolds and he pronounced it to contain gold. Other pieces have been brought to this city and have been placed in competent hands for analysis.

George Debarr, for several years employed in Chicago as a bookkeeper, is in the custody of the officers at Joliet awaiting requisition papers that will authorize his return to Missouri on a charge of forgery. Debarr was apprehended at Wilmington, where, it is alleged, he has been in hiding for several weeks under the name of De Vane. A Chicago man who saw him there notified the surety company which had to make good Debarr's alleged shortage with the Missouri firm and he was arrested. Debarr is 28 years old and asserts his innocence.

Charles Scott was taken from the county hospital at Chicago in an ambulance to Judge Kavanagh's court to testify in the Harry Armstead murder trial, and lay on a cot in front of the jury box while he told his story. Scott is suffering from a broken leg, the result of having been shot in the thigh on Sept. 29. Armstead is charged with stabbing Harry Henley, alias Bush, on July 5.

George Sumner, head bookkeeper for A. M. Rothschild & Co., Chicago, disappeared, taking firm checks for \$3,500.  
Women's clubs in convention at Decatur got into a row over report on teachers' pension fund. Mrs. Flower resigned chairmanship of legislative committee.

Comiskey's association football team, 6; Milwaukee, 1.

After a long contest over the license question in Carbondale the city council by a ballot of 5 to 3 voted saloons out of the city. It repealed the license ordinances. After Nov. 1 all saloons are ordered closed.

The state board of pardons has continued for three years the case of Harry Hubbard of Franklin county, who is an applicant for a parole. It is the longest continuance on record. Hubbard is now serving a term at Chester for the killing of Frank Eskey in Franklin county a few years ago. Recently a petition in favor of a parole for the prisoner was circulated in Franklin county and several hundred citizens signed it. When Eskey's friends heard of the movement they circulated a counter petition. Three thousand people signed the petition and in the face of this demonstration of public feeling the board decided to continue the case for three years.

Merchant mill, the last of the departments of the Illinois Steel Company to resume since the settlement of the steel strike at Joliet, starting up Monday, employing about 200 men. It is reported that several men active in the strike were not re-employed. Advance lodge of the Amalgamated association held a special meeting at Joliet to consider the situation, and appointed a committee to see that the rights of the men are protected. There may be new trouble as a result of the alleged attempt to bar some of the men.

Seth Abbott, father of Emma Abbott, died Tuesday at his residence in Chicago of old age. Mr. Abbott was born in Concord, N. H., in 1817 and went to Chicago fifty years ago. For years he was a leading spirit among musicians in that city. Two weeks ago he took to his bed and failed gradually. Three children survive him. They are: Leon H. Abbott of Waukegan and Frederick M. Abbott and Mrs. Lizzie Abbott Clark of Chicago.

Charles Redlich, Edward Flack, and August Renn of Vienna, Austria, members of the commission of engineers appointed by the Austrian government, inspected the Hennepin Canal feeder and the site of the dam at Rock River. Major Willard of Chicago and Captain L. L. Wheeler, in charge of the canal work at Sterling entertained the visitors.

Delegations from various organizations in the City of Chicago appeared before the state board of equalization Wednesday morning to plead for an honest tax assessment. Interest among the board members is centered in the Supreme court decision in the mandamus case of the Chicago Teachers' Federation. The court's decision will be made public probably Thursday. It is expected that the ruling of this tribunal will have considerable influence on the action of the board in assessing the capital stock of the franchise corporations of Chicago, and it is now generally believed that the decision will be adverse to the equalizers.

The State Bureau of Labor Statistics has submitted to Governor Yates a report of its investigation into the conduct of the State Mining Board, finding the board innocent of the charges preferred against it. As a result of the investigation the resignation of John Felker of Chicago as chief clerk of the bureau of labor was handed in. Felker was accused of circulating the stories about the mining board. He was appointed, it is said, through the influence of Judge Haney.

The corner stone of the new First Presbyterian church at Virginia was laid with appropriate exercises, Dr. W. H. Penhallegon of Decatur making the principal address. The building will be of brick, with stone trimmings, is two stories high and of modern style of architecture. It will have a seating capacity of 500 and will cost \$10,000.

Riley Fox, aged 18, and Miss Maude Brown, aged 15, of Cottage township, were married at Harrisburg Tuesday. The parents of the couple accompanied them to the clerk's office and gave their written consent in order to secure a license.

Reports are in circulation at Springfield, and are going out from there to the effect that the supreme court is about to sustain Judge Thompson's decision in the famous mandamus case brought by the Teachers' Federation of Chicago to compel the state board of equalization to assess the capital stock of certain corporations on a different basis than that adopted by the state board last year. There is no truth in such reports—no foundation for them. Nobody in Springfield knows what the supreme court's decision will be. The best authority has it that the court has not yet reached a conclusion.

Y. M. C. A. state convention began its sessions at Dixon, with an address on McKinley by Congressman Foss.

The trial of Rev. Edward Fleming of Chicago, charged with unbecoming conduct, continued all day Thursday before the judicial commission of the Presbyterian synod, and occupied part of the night session. The defendant was represented by Eder C. C. Mayburn of Bloomington. The prosecution was conducted by Rev. A. S. Clark, Rev. W. S. P. Bryan, Dr. Frank Talmadge and Rev. F. Carson, all of Chicago. Rev. B. Y. George of Elmhurst was chairman of the commission and Rev. W. H. Bradley of Carlinville was secretary. The case was remanded to the presbytery of Chicago with instructions to suspend the appellee from the exercise of the gospel ministry until such time as he shall give satisfactory evidence of repentance.

Saturday's football games settled the hopes of Chicago and Northwestern. Final honors in doubt.

The Aurora city council at a special session tried to solve the Carnegie library controversy. On Tuesday evening Aurora Post, G. A. R., voted consent for the removal of their memorial hall to the rear of an open court adjoining its present site, and at a meeting Wednesday morning the library board rescinded its action locating the building in Lincoln Park and formally chose the site of the memorial hall, on Stolp's Island, provided the hall be removed at the expense of private subscription. The city council Wednesday night, however, failed to approve the action of the board and the offer of Aurora post. If Mr. Carnegie will consent to joint occupancy by the library and the Grand Army, the new building will be a joint memorial to Mr. Carnegie and to the old soldiers. If not the location solution appears hopeless.

The twenty-ninth annual state Y. M. C. A. convention opened at Dixon Thursday at the Methodist church. Thursday evening Congressman Foss delivered a memorial address on "William McKinley, the Christian Statesman."

Josephine Brudling died at the Ursuline convent, Alton. She was known in the world as Rosine Brudling and was born February 25, 1825, in Bavaria. In 1859 she founded a house of the Ursuline order in Alton. In 1861 one in Litchfield, and later on in Mattoon.

**Leaves**

As I went for my walk this autumn day,  
The beautiful leaves falling round my way  
Like a sleeping babe's sigh they softly fall,  
The nothing but leaves what a lesson to all.

Emblems of our lives in this world of unrest  
That we soon shall sleep on our earth mother's breast,  
Not death! all is life to the eternal vaults of heaven  
To him who believes, life everlasting is given.

Leaves—universal links to God and life they bring  
A threat for the unknown power of things,  
They banish sad thoughts and doubts so grim  
And fill my heart with great love for Him.

Armistia Roselle Smith

**British Conscription.**  
Kitchener's demand for 25,000 more men ready for immediate service in South Africa is interpreted by semi-official army and navy journals as equivalent to resort to conscription. The decline of volunteering, the worthlessness of city raffia for military duty, point to the more respectable manhood as the only available contingent whence the new and urgent call for fighting men can be satisfied. A year and a half ago motion was made in parliament that the ancient constitutional law of compulsory military service be put in force in such modified form as would not make it unduly burdensome upon the people. The ministry objected on the score



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### Our Trade With South America.

In view of the meeting of the pan-American congress at the City of Mexico some figures just published by the treasury bureau of statistics at Washington touching our commerce with South America are of timely interest. They are none too encouraging and indicate that the trade of the United States with the Latin-American republics has not been increasing in the same proportions as our trade with Europe.

Among other things the figures show that of the total imports of all South America 87 per cent is taken by the countries bordering upon the two oceans and but 13 per cent by those upon the Caribbean. On the eastern coast of South America we find Brazil importing in 1899 goods to the value of over \$105,000,000, of which the United States supplied about 10 per cent; Uruguay and Paraguay, \$26,000,000, of which our share was less than 7 per cent, and Argentina, \$112,000,000, of which about 10 per cent was from the United States, while a tour of the Pacific coast shows imports into Chile of \$38,000,000; Peru, \$8,500,000; Bolivia, \$11,600,000, and Ecuador, \$7,000,000, the proportion from the United States averaging about 10 per cent. Thus the northern coast of South America, fronting on the Caribbean sea, imports goods to the value of \$26,000,000, of which we supply an average of 25 per cent; the eastern coast, fronting upon the Atlantic, \$275,000,000, and the Pacific coast, \$60,000,000, of which our proportion is in each case about 10 per cent.

An examination of our list of purchases from Central and South America seems to increase the anomaly presented by their small purchases from us. Of Brazil we are by far the largest customer in her chief articles of export—coffee and rubber—while from Argentina and Chile our purchases of wool and hides are also heavy, and for the tropical products of other countries of South America—sugar, spices, fruits, dye woods, cabinet woods, textiles and chemicals—the United States offers a constant and rapidly increasing market. From the countries of South America the United States in 1901 purchased goods valued at \$110,329,667, while her sales to them in that year were but \$44,770,888, less than one-half of her purchases from them.

While our delegates to the conference at the Mexican capital are using their best endeavors to strengthen international comity and political good fellowship, it is hoped that they may be instrumental in starting something of a commercial boom in the countries where trade should naturally come to us.

Every young woman who may have two or more suitors seeking her hand should heed the impressive warning of the case just brought to notice in the Chicago postoffice. A Kansas City young woman, it seems, who has two wooers in Chicago wrote letters to each, but mixed the envelopes, so that the letter accepting the preferred suitor was mailed to the lover whom she meant to decline, and the letter of refusal was sent to the man whom she meant to accept. Only the prompt intervention of the postoffice authorities in response to the young woman's frantic telegrams saved her from the painful necessity of making explanations. Those ladies who have two or more wooers with whom to carry on correspondence should consider the advisability of using different kinds of stationery and assigning a given color to each suitor—red, for instance, for the favored one and yellow for the least desirable. Thus an effort to place a yellow letter in a red envelope, or vice versa, would be checked by the involuntary mental processes, just as the railway engineer is checked by a red light.

Ernest Seton-Thompson, the teller of animal stories, was arrested in Colorado, charged with baiting a beartrap with a deer. The well known guide John Goff was arrested as his accomplice. Mr. Seton-Thompson, who was triumphantly acquitted, proved in court that he had never had a beartrap, that he had not shot or trapped a single animal during his trip through Colorado and that his only weapon was a camera.

The sixth wife of a man, who recently died in New York, leaving a large estate, is holding the fort in the house of her late and much married husband, with the aid of a large staff. A woman who had the nerve to marry a man who had already had five wives ought to be able to guard her interests without the aid of a dog.

A McKinley memorial postal card is to be issued by the postoffice department. The stamp will be a portrait of President McKinley, with the date of his death and birth, his name and "series of 1901" printed around the design.

### High Speed in Electric Propulsion.

Interesting experiments are going on in German, near Berlin, for the purpose of determining the speed at which electric cars, taking their circuit from overhead wires, can be run on an ordinary standard gauge railway track. The experiments are under the direction of the military authorities, who hope to be able to demonstrate that cars capable of carrying from fifty to sixty passengers can be safely brought, by means of electric motors, up to a speed of 125 or 150 miles an hour. The scene of the experiments is a military railway line running between Marienfelde and Zosen, extending southward from Berlin and having a length of a little over fourteen miles. This line is of standard gauge and is level and nearly straight, there being but one slight curve near the southern extremity. The rails are comparatively light, weighing about sixty-five pounds to the yard, and are laid on wooden ties.

Along the line of the road at intervals of about 100 feet stout poles twenty feet in height have been set, and at the top of these, in the form of a bow or arch, a structure ten feet in length has been placed in a vertical position, the cord of which supports three brackets for insulators, from which three lines of conductors are hung. These will carry a three phase alternating current of from 10,000 to 12,000 volts. One of the conditions of the problem is that this high voltage shall be reduced to a safe and practical pressure by transformers carried in the car itself. These transformers are to be carried under the floor of the car and are to reduce the initial voltage to a working power of something under 1,800 volts, which, it is assumed, will be sufficient to attain the proposed speed without damage to the machinery or the operatives.

The experiments, which will cover a period of some weeks, will be of interest all over the world, and, if successful, may be the first step toward extremely radical changes in methods of transportation.

### Better Late Than Never.

It is asserted that the state of Texas is about to begin criminal prosecutions against the officers of nearly a hundred fraudulent oil companies which during the Beaumont oil boom have sold worthless stock to the amount of millions of dollars.

While it will naturally afford some satisfaction to the people who have paid their good money for waste paper in the shape of oil stock to see the men who deceived them properly punished, prompt action on the part of the Texas authorities would have benefited many innocent investors and prevented the gathering of a cloud of suspicion which hangs over Texas oil investments. There are many reliable and profitable investment companies in the Texas oilfields, but they have been injured in reputation by the freedom which has been permitted in the floating of absolutely fictitious securities.

It is well for the reputation of Texas as well as for the pockets of overcredulous people throughout the country that the oil booming swindlers are to be brought up at a round turn, though it is painfully reminiscent of locking the stable door after the horse has been stolen.

The conviction and sentencing to the penitentiary for publishing incendiary articles of the notorious Herr Most will, if sustained by the New York state supreme court, prove of far-reaching importance. Justice Hinsdale of the New York city court of special sessions in his opinion said that the case of Herr Most was not affected by the recent assassination of President McKinley; that his crime would have been as detestable if that terrible tragedy had never occurred. Nevertheless the assassination has had such an effect on public opinion that measures against anarchists which would not have been countenanced a year ago will now meet with hearty approval.

The American invasion of Russia has culminated in a proposal by an American syndicate to take over the entire street railway system of St. Petersburg under a twenty-five years' contract. If the proposal is accepted, the lines will be relaid and extended in all directions, and horse cars will be replaced by electric cars. The capital, to be raised in the United States, will be 100,000,000 rubles (\$77,000,000).

Leopold, king of the Belgians, promises to make us a visit in the near future. King Leopold has been extensively exploited by the press agents of European actresses, and American music hall artists are looking with eagerness for the arrival of the royal traveler.

It is said that the bituminous coal trust in the Ohio district is being rapidly consummated. J. Pierpont Morgan is said to be back of it. If Mr. Morgan had been Adam, he might have been credited with the creation of the world.

The emperor of Austria has just completed his seventy-first year. He has reigned fifty-two years—longer than any other living sovereign.

### The Molineux Decision.

But for the tenacious and determined efforts of General Molineux, backed by abundant means, to save the life of his son and clear his name from dishonor Roland B. Molineux would doubtless months ago have suffered the death penalty. The crime for which young Molineux was sentenced to death was committed nearly three years ago, and one year and eight months have elapsed since he was pronounced guilty. The father, who is a man of considerable wealth and high standing, evidently had faith in his son's innocence and has worked unceasingly, sparing neither effort nor money to secure a reversal of the trial court's decision. Every process known to the law has been employed to this end, and at last a decision has been secured from the highest judicial body of the state of New York reversing the judgment of conviction and ordering a retrial. The court of appeals bench was unanimous in the essential point of its finding—that Molineux had not been convicted by due process of law. The majority opinion held that a reversal must be ordered on the ground that the trial court erred in admitting certain testimony not directly bearing upon the crime for which the accused was indicted, setting forth clearly the principle that a man on trial for one crime should be sheltered against the introduction of evidence going to show that he committed another crime not mentioned in the indictment.

This appears to be good law and common sense, whatever may be the ultimate finding as to the guilt or innocence of the accused, but why has it been necessary to wait so long and to incur vast expense to correct judicial errors which were made over two years ago? Why has it been necessary to hold in the death cell for nearly two years a presumptively innocent man, since every man is presumed to be innocent until proved guilty, and this the court of appeals declares has not been done "by due process of law?"

Aside from the perplexities and injustice of the law's delay, there comes up the question of expense in carrying such cases to a tribunal of last resort for the correction of errors of the courts below. Had Roland Molineux been a poor man, friendless and without influence, could his case ever have reached the court of appeals? Could the varied and expensive processes of law have been employed to prolong or save his life? The law presumes to make no distinction between rich and poor, nor does it in terms, but frequently it does in effect. In cases of capital crime, where the accused is unable to bear the expense of securing stay of execution and appeal and where there is reasonable ground for such stay and appeal, the state, which freely furnishes counsel, might properly bear the other necessary expenses incurred in the administration of justice.

General Buller has joined the ranks of the soldiers who talk too much. In a recent speech he admitted that he had advised General Sir George White by heliograph to surrender Ladysmith when he was supposed to be moving to the relief of that officer. The storm of newspaper criticism which has been beating upon the head of General Buller since he made this unfortunate admission puts the Alger, Eagan and Schley-Sampson incidents far into the shade. General Buller, it was expected, was about to be raised to the peerage, following his appointment to the command of the first army corps. His lapsus lingue has lost him his peerage and may result in the loss of his command.

The fiscal of Havana has handed down indictments in the case of the men alleged to have been responsible for the Cuban postal frauds. The trials, which will be begun soon, will be entirely under the supervision of Cuban officials. The United States will take no part in the prosecution and will therefore be absolved from any hostile comment, whatever may be the result of the trials. The fiscal asks for penalties of from twenty-five to thirty years in the cases of Neely, Rathbone and Reeves.

The London Times' observation that the Protestant Episcopal church of the United States will probably be discussing the marriage and divorce question a quarter of a century hence, with no clearer prospect of its solution than exists today, is not altogether encouraging. This would make it almost as perennial as the deceased wife's sister bill in the British parliament.

A well dressed and intelligent appearing citizen of Jersey City has been arrested on the charge of robbing slot machines. He said he did it to obtain money with which to purchase cigarettes. The penalty in such a case should be about forty years' imprisonment.

Great Britain seems to have done some rather graceful side stepping in the matter of the isthmian canal treaty if all accounts are true.

An automobile race course is being built in Rhode Island. This will make country roads a little safer, perhaps.

Russia appears to be cutting her wisdom teeth. She is adopting American dentistry.

### Stricken with Paralysis.

Henderson Grimett, of this place, was stricken with partial paralysis and completely lost the use of one arm and side. After being treated by an eminent physician for quite awhile without relief, my wife recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and after using two bottles of it he is almost entirely cured.—GEO. R. McDONALD, Man, Logan county, W. Va. Several other very remarkable cures of partial paralysis have been effected by the use of this liniment. It is most widely known, however, as a cure for rheumatism, sprains and bruises. Sold by all druggists.

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### LAKE ZURICH.

Indian summer is here. Most of the wells have gone dry. E. A. Ficke was a Chicago visitor Monday. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Parker, a baby girl. Mr. and Mrs. Emil Frank took a ride to Gilmer Wednesday. Frank Roney shipped a car load of stock from here Monday. Dan Gilfof of Chicago called on friends here Wednesday. Mrs. Wm. Lorenz is visiting with relatives at Elgin this week. John Donlea of Barrington was a caller in our burg Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Carr of Wauconda were visitors in our village Thursday. Luther Clifford has been employed by John McGraw husking corn the last week. The dance Saturday evening was well attended. About fifty tickets were sold. Miss Emma Ficke has returned from Dwight and is staying with her mother here. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seip of Palatine visited their parents here Saturday and Sunday. E. A. Ficke has commenced moving his household goods in his new residence on the lake front. Emil Frank continues keeping a line of fruits. He also keeps the best line of candies and cigars in town. Wm. Lorenz and Mrs. Gustav Fiedeler went to Elgin Monday. Mrs. Fiedeler visited the Elgin hospital. Makes assimilation perfect, healthy blood, firm muscles, strong nerves. Quickens the brain, makes and keeps you well. Great medicine, Rocky Mountain Tea. 35c. Ask your druggist. The following Lake Zurich people attended the Schaumburg picnic Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. L. Seip, Frank Meyer, Wm. Bicknase, Misses Anna Meyer, Emma and Edith Seip. They all report a good time.

### WAUCONDA.

Miss Belle Taggart was a Chicago visitor Tuesday. H. Maiman transacted business in Chicago Tuesday. Leon Oaks of Chicago spent Sunday with friends and relatives in our village. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wicke of Des Plaines were pleasant callers in our village Tuesday. Mrs. Jane Carr of Ringwood is the guest of Mrs. and Miss Lora Harrison at present writing. Messrs. H. T. Fuller and Carl Erikson transacted business in Chicago on Thursday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. J. Reynolds, two of our oldest residents, are preparing to move to Chicago in the near future. Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hughes of Dixon, Ill., are the guests of the latter's parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Wells, at present writing. Mrs. E. Sensor, who has been spending the past week at the home of her daughter Lulu in Waukegan, returned home Tuesday. Two bus loads of the Wauconda camp, R. N. of A., went to Nunda on Tuesday evening to attend a meeting of the Nunda camp. A pleasant time was had. Mrs. L. Shumway, who has been spending the past two weeks in our village at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Harris, returned to her home in Waukegan Monday. Twenty Odd Fellows went to Antioch last Thursday in response to an invitation to Wauconda lodge. A most enjoyable time is reported by those in attendance. L. C. Price, H. E. Maiman, Page Smith and Will Underwood started Tuesday morning for Buffalo, where they will take in the sights of the Pan-American exposition.

### LANGENHEIM.

Joe Wiemuth and Herman Moserman spent Sunday in Chicago. Mrs. Beck and Mrs. Goodrich visited friends at Algonquin Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. J. McGraw will leave for Buffalo and parts of Canada today. Misses Lizzie and Clara Langenheim of Chicago spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Dora Schumacher.

Mrs. Frank Kelsey and Mrs. D. Kelsey made a trip to Dundee Wednesday.

Superintendent Marvin of Waukegan visited the Kelsey school Thursday.

Frank Miller returned to Chicago Monday, after a brief visit with D. Kelsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Winkler, Mrs. Frost and Mrs. Barager spent Saturday in Dundee.

Father Alexandria, a Polish priest of Chicago, visited Mrs. J. Doyle on Tuesday.

Miss Lizzie Goodrich of Algonquin spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Goodrich.

Mrs. Spherd and son Lloyd of Algonquin spent Sunday with Mrs. O. Zimmerman.

Misses Nellie Riley and Mildred Kelsey visited with friends near Wauconda Sunday.

Mr. Peckham made a trip to Dundee Thursday, where he purchased a new corn thrasher.

Mrs. Peckham and daughters, Lucile and Hazel, spent Saturday with friends in Dundee.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Peterson of Dundee spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. Peterson and family.

James Weasner of Rockford spent Sunday with old friends here. He spent his early boyhood days here.

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### Last Week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Welch made a trip to Dundee Saturday.

Mrs. L. Peterson returned home from Chicago Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Welch made a trip to Chicago Wednesday.

Frank Miller of Chicago is spending a few days with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Kelsey and family spent Sunday with relatives at Cary.

Miss Lizzie Riley spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at Crystal Lake.

O. Zimmerman and daughter Winifred spent Wednesday and Thursday with friends in Chicago.

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### CARPENTERSVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Shufeldt of Algonquin were visitors Sunday.

Wm. Riley was at home from Franklin Park over Sunday.

Miss Zulu Hendrickson is taking mandolin lessons in Elgin.

Mrs. Ray Harrison will visit her mother, Mrs. J. Lumm, several days at Hebron.

The Misses Grace Miller and Ella Matthews are here from Evansville, Wisconsin.

Miss Sarah Eggleston and niece, Miss Katie Eggleston, were Woodstock visitors lately.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Unwin took letters from the M. E. church at Dundee and united with Congregational church here.

Miss Florence Baker has returned from the insane asylum, where she was an attendant.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Arvedsen spent Sunday at Nunda with Mr. and Mrs. St. Clair, the latter's parents.

Clark Miller was in Chicago Saturday to witness the ball game between Chicago and Campaign teams.

H. J. Eathing and Miss Ethel Warren were married at Harvard Wednesday, October 16, and one week later Mr. Eathing's twin sister, Miss Daisy, was married to a Crystal Lake gentleman.

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### The Adornment of an Arab Girl.

Arab girls before they enter the harem and take the veil are a curious sight to behold. Their bodies and face are dyed a bright yellow with turmeric. On this ground they paint black lines with antimony over their eyes. The fashionable color for the nose is red, green spots adorn the cheeks, and the general aspect is grotesque beyond description.—"Southern Arabia," by Mr. and Mrs. T. Bent.

### Cologne Cathedral.

One would think that the identity of the architect of such a superbly designed building as the Cologne cathedral could not possibly be lost to the world. But it is. The cathedral took centuries to build, and many architects have modeled parts of it according to their own ideas. The result is the most beautiful cathedral in the world.

### The Ivory Nut.

The vegetable ivory nut of commerce is the albuminous seed found in the drupes of a dwarf palm. From these nuts European turners fashion the reels of spindles, small boxes and many other little fancy articles, which can be colored with sulphuric acid.—Chambers' Journal.

### Antiprofanity.

In Switzerland and Italy good people go about with little cards containing pledges against swearing. These are presented whenever the bearers hear some one indulging in profanity. The penalty for violating the pledge is a small self imposed fine, to be paid to charity.

### 'Twas an Irish Bull.

Before the days of proper safeguards a good many cattle got in the paths of Michigan railroads and were killed outright or so badly injured as to necessitate putting them out of misery. These happenings frequently afforded the owners of the cattle an opportunity to bring suit against the railroad companies, so that the employees were required to be very careful as to details and to keep a strict record of the manner of a cow's death, etc. Regular printed reports of such cases had to be turned in by the section master, who was required to fill out blanks stating the probable age of the deceased animal, weight, color, distinguishing marks and disposition of carcass, the animal being sometimes cut up and sold for beef.

Naturally it was an Irish section "schuperintindher" who, like Pinnigan in his terse report of a wreck, simply stated, "O' ag'in, on ag'in—Pinnigan," made out the record of a certain bovine tragedy in a characteristic way. Mike guessed pretty well at the age and weight and color of the dead cow, but when he came to the line "disposition of carcass" he scratched his head reflectively. "Sure," he muttered, "she doled aisy, anyway." Then opposite the line he scrawled, "Kind and gentle."—Detroit Free Press.

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### CHAPTER XVII.

#### A Man of Nerve.

On the very summit of a high hill, almost worthy of the name of mountain, a man was standing. From his splendid point of vantage he could look far to the east, west, north and south. He calmly raised a pair of field-glasses to his eyes and scanned, with seeming indifference, the horizon on all sides of him.

Not far distant a man, clad in leathern jacket and great boots, knelt on the ground piling up some fagots of dried wood he had collected, and under them he placed a handful or two of long, dry grass. Then, taking a match-box from the pocket of his leathern jacket, he proceeded, solemnly and with an air of performing a most important duty, to light a fire. Close by his side lay the carcass of a deer, and not far away, tethered to a short, thick tree, were two horses.

The man with the field-glasses, having finished his survey of his vast surroundings, calmly let them fall to the length of the strap that passed over his stalwart shoulder, and taking a leathern pouch from his pocket, proceeded to extract enough tobacco therefrom to fill a short black pipe which he also drew forth from the same convenient pocket.

"William, a match," he said, turning toward his companion and standing with outstretched hand.

"Yes, me lord," was the reply, and William leaped to his feet, whipped out his match-box again, and proceeded to light his master's pipe.

"Did you see hantink hot them, me lord?" he asked, returning to his task of cutting a roast from the carcass of the deer.

The man addressed, who was no other than the renowned sportsman and globe-trotter, Lord Chugmough, of Chugmough Heath, puffed at his pipe a moment, so that the light obtained from William might be made to hold.

"No, William," he replied at last, speaking with the inimitable drawl that had made him famous in London, New York, Algiers, Australia, Africa, and every other spot on the footstool where a wealthy, eccentric and adventurous Englishman is likely to be found. "No, William, I do not see them." Then, eyeing critically the culinary performances of William, Lord Chugmough leaned against a stumpy tree and puffed contentedly on his pipe.

"William," he drawled again, "do you know, I fear they may be lost?" William, who was by that time turning the savory hunk of venison over the fire, nearly lost it, but by an effort of his will retained his composure, which at all times he endeavored to make equal to that of his world-renowned master.

"Very well, me lord," he said.

The fact was that Lord Chugmough and William were lost themselves.

Now, Lord Chugmough had hunted elephants in India, gorillas in Africa, and had been, in his turn, hunted by the mammas of marriageable young ladies in England until his tranquil soul rebelled, and hearing that the untamed forests south of the Orinoco teemed and swarmed with animal life, and were, in fact, a veritable paradise for sportsmen, he had forthwith set sail in his yacht, *Cheerway*, with as gay and adventurous a party as he could collect.

The *Cheerway* had put in at La Guayra; Lord Chugmough and his party had visited Caracas, and endeavored to obtain there a guide to the southern forests, and failed for much the same reason that a sportsman wishing to hunt the few remaining lions on the American prairie would fail to find a suitable guide in Washington or New York.

So the *Cheerway* set sail again, Lord Chugmough having satisfied the government that he was not engaged in filibustering, and after a pleasant sail, ascended the Orinoco to Bolivar, where the party landed, obtained guides and horses, and started for the mountains and forests far to the south.

But before they reached the mountains they enjoyed some sport, and it was not many miles from the Castle of Salazar that the party had espied a deer, and Lord Chugmough, in following it, had become separated from his party; but, heedless of that fact, he kept on, covering mile after mile, followed by William, until his companions were no longer to be seen.

The deer was at last killed, but so far had Lord Chugmough traveled and so many ways had the deer turned that Lord Chugmough had not the least idea in which direction he ought to go to find his friends.

Therefore, having first gained possession of the dead deer, he went up on the summit of a hill of which he had come within a short distance, to survey the country, and learn, if possible, where the remainder of his party was; but not a sign of them could he see.

Thus it may well be understood how difficult it was for William to restrain his mirth when his master uttered his solemn announcement that he feared his companions, with their guides, were lost.

Now it so happened that Sir Galloping Grace and George, Viscount Elsmere, were next of importance in the *Cheerway's* party to Lord Chugmough himself, grew pale with apprehension when their host failed to appear after several hours' absence. They knew he had started in a northerly direction, but no one had ever yet

known Lord Chugmough to keep in one direction very long, and it was highly probable that if a search-party was sent off to the north Lord Chugmough would calmly walk into camp from the south, and then it would be necessary to send out another party to recover the first one.

So they waited, and continued to wait until it became the unanimous opinion of the party that Lord Chugmough and William had been killed or lost their way, and the indecision of Sir Galloping Grace and George, Viscount Elsmere, gave way to a firm determination to go in search of their companion. But this resolve was nullified by the refusal of the guides to go a step.

"No, señor," said one of them, "it would be dangerous. See there!"

Sir Galloping Grace followed the index finger of the guide with his glance, and at once began to fear, not only for Lord Chugmough's safety, but for his own and everybody's.

For the guide was not without reason in refusing to go farther into danger.

The sky, which had so far been decent enough, clear now and then, with intermittent rain clouds, was now frightful to behold.

Great banks of hideous blackness were rolling and tumbling toward them, and the wind, which had suddenly risen, increased to the force of a tempest.

"To shelter!" cried one of the guides, "Francisco's house is not far away. Follow me."

Forgetting Lord Chugmough and everything else save their own impending danger, they mounted their plunging, snorting horses and followed their fleeing guides over the long grass, now flattened to the ground by the wind, to a large two-story structure of wood and cement, where Pedro Francisco had his home.

Pedro, as we know, was away from home, but his house-servants welcomed the Englishmen and gave them shelter, and it was not a moment too soon that they reached the friendly roof.

The wind increased in fury, the clouds grew blacker and thicker and overspread the sky, and then there came a downpour of rain such as Venezuela had never known before.

The tiny streams in the mountains swelled to the dimensions of rivers. The rippling brooks became roaring, rushing torrents. The streams that flowed north into the Orinoco tumbled and roared and lashed their banks, and then rushed over them on the flatlands. The streams flowing into the Orinoco from the north copied after those on the south until the great river itself was lashed to a fury never seen on its broad bosom before, and up, up its angry waters came until even the hog-back was covered, the Turtle was torn from her moorings and carried out to sea, and the people of Bolivar were compelled to seek higher ground to save themselves from the overwhelming flood.

It was an occasion to wring the souls of men, to destroy hope, to plunge humanity into despair.

It even elicited from Lord Chugmough, as he watched the roaring, seething torrents about him, the remark to William:

"William, this is quite a—quite a shower, don't you know?"

### CHAPTER XVIII.

#### The Ruined Temple.

When the wind first began to roar and shriek over the hill on which Lord Chugmough and William had pitched their temporary camp, the first disastrous result was that their horses, which, perhaps, knew enough to recognize the warning in the sound, broke their bounds and galloped away.

As the patter of their feet on the hillside died away, Lord Chugmough shrugged his shoulders.

"Our 'osses' ave gone, me lord," said William.

"So I have discovered, William," was the calm reply. "But I was getting rather weary of the brutes, to tell the truth. We will walk awhile now."

"Just so, me lord. Walkin' his 'ealthy herexise, providin' a man 'as a comfortable sidewalk to take 'is constitutional hon'."

Lord Chugmough waved his hand depreciatingly.

"About the deer, me lord, the 'osses bein' gone—"

"Don't alarm yourself needlessly, William," said Lord Chugmough. "I will carry the deer on my shoulder."

Suiting the action to the word, when Lord Chugmough had got his pipe fairly alight, he seized the half-skinned carcass of the deer and slung it across his shoulder with apparently no effort.

"Come, William," he said, and he led the way down the eastern slope of the mountain.

After he had walked some distance through cedar, caoutchouc and ebony trees, he paused.

"William," he said, "it seems to me that we have here a sort of path where people have recently walked."

The path did not lead straight up the mountain, toward the top, but wound around it. Lord Chugmough struck into the path, and William followed him.

After walking a short distance, they came upon an old stone ruin.

"What have we here, William?" asked Lord Chugmough.

"Looks werry like a hold stone chapel, my lord."

"Stone chapel! Stone prison, you mean. However, it has a roof and three sides. We will occupy it, William."

"Yes, me lord."

The old ruin to which they had accidentally found the way was one of the relics of an ancient barbaric power, the truth concerning which is vaguely guessed at by students of today.

Inside this strange place, the entrance to which was nearly the entire open front, the stones having here fallen down, there were the charred remains of what had once been a fire, and other evidences that the natives had adopted the ancient ruin for their modern worship, even though they were ignorant of its early uses.

Lord Chugmough threw the deer down on the eastern floor.

"William," he said, "it must occur to you that we are two most fortunate men."

"Hit 'as, me lord, werry true."

"I wish, William, that our friends had not been so careless and lost themselves. Judging from present indications, we are going to have a storm, and they may be less fortunate than ourselves in finding shelter. If they had not been so reckless—if they had kept closer to us, William—"

"Yes, me lord," said William, thinking that the portly Sir Galloping Grace and others of the party would have some difficulty in keeping close up with Lord Chugmough.

"William," said the English sportsman, "to be prepared for emergencies, you had better gather some sticks while they are dry. You know, William, that we have been in similar situations before, and our greatest trouble has always been in trying to make wet sticks burn."

"Werry true, me lord; they most halways splutter some."

William began at once, just outside the solid inclosure, to gather wood, and he was none too soon, for the gale had become so furious and the sky so black that it seemed impossible for even the old ruin to remain standing, and with a sudden "boom," the rain began to fall in torrents.

The wind wailed and shrieked around the thick stone walls, and the slanting roof of thatch and hide seemed in danger of being carried away.

But the ruined temple was not more than twenty-five feet high at the highest point, and the trees that towered above it and bent before the awful blast broke its power, so that down in its sheltered spot the fastenings of the roof held good, and the interior of the old temple was dry and comfortable.

All day it rained, and at night William made a fire of a portion of the wood he had gathered, and another chunk of the appetizing venison was swung into it to roast.

All night it stormed, and torrents of water rushed down the mountain past the stone ruin where Lord Chugmough and William slept as calmly and as peacefully as they would in their beds on board the *Cheerway*, or at Chugmough Heath, where, in fact, they slept most uncomfortably of all.

And another day worse than the first followed, and Lord Chugmough began to wonder if the monotony of it would last much longer.

It was the evening of the second day of the storm, and Lord Chugmough sat smoking in one corner of the stone ruin, and William was preparing the usual meal of venison, when, in the gloom, a peculiar shadow loomed up in the opening at the end. Lord Chugmough at once saw that it was a man carrying a heavy burden.

He seized his rifle and took aim. (To be continued.)

### Emerson as a Model.

Mr. D. C. French, the sculptor, tells with much relish, the story of his experiences when he was commissioned to make the bust of Ralph Waldo Emerson, which is now in Memorial hall of Harvard university. At one of the sittings, says Mr. French, Mr. Emerson rose suddenly and walked over to where the artist was working. He looked long and earnestly at the bust, and then, with an inimitably droll expression, he said: "The trouble is, the more it resembles me the worse it looks."

After the sculptor had finished the bust he asked Mr. Emerson to inspect it. The philosopher's opinion was characteristically terse.

"Well," he said at last, "that is the face I shave." Mr. Emerson, Mr. French relates, made one of his quaint observations about another bust, the work of another artist. It was a characterless kind of thing, and showed not the slightest hint of the Emerson character. After looking it over, Emerson said:

"It looks as harmless as a parsnip, doesn't it?"

### Slatin Pasha.

A most exciting career has been that of Sir Rudolph Slatin, better known as Slatin Pasha. He left Vienna, his birthplace, when a lad of 17, to become a clerk in a commercial house in Cairo, and six years later came under the notice of Gordon, who appointed him governor of Darfur. In this position he became known as "The Hammer of the Arabs," owing to his many victories over the turbulent tribes, but in 1883 he had to surrender to the Mahdi. Then began an imprisonment that lasted till 1895, when, by secret aid from the authorities at Cairo, Slatin managed to escape. The late queen had Sir Rudolph at Windsor several times to hear him relate his adventures.

Little minds get tamed and subdued by misfortune; but great minds rise above it.—Washington Irving.

## Current Topics

### OTTO SVERDRUP.

#### Explorer Who May Have Found the North Pole.

A rumor has sprung up in Christiania that Captain Otto Sverdrup, the Arctic explorer who won his reputation as an assistant of Nansen, whom he accompanied in 1888 on his famous expedition across Greenland and on Nansen's still more famous voyage on the *Fram*, has reached the north pole and is now returning home. There is no confirmation of this report, nor is anything known of its origin, but even the rumor has aroused the keenest interest.

Captain Sverdrup sailed on his expedition to the arctic on June 14, 1898. The ostensible purpose of the expedition was to explore Smith's sound and the Robeson channel, discover the northern limits of Greenland, study the origin of the palaeocryptic ice, and to note the tides and temperatures; but there was no doubt at the time the expedition sailed on the *Fram* from Christiania that the bold Sverdrup and at least one or two of his companions would push on and try to reach the pole.

The outfit of the expedition consisted of ski, sledges, canoes, snowshoes, and everything necessary for transportation. Clothing and sleeping bags were taken along, while the food supplies were large and varied. The draft animals on the *Fram* numbered ten splendid elk dogs, a large variety of the Finn dog, wolfish in appearance. To these were added eighty Eskimo dogs, secured in Greenland. Of the sixteen members of the expedition five were executive officers and five were scientists.

The last heard of Sverdrup was during the summer of 1899, when he was on the northwest coast of Greenland.



CAPT. OTTO SVERDRUP.

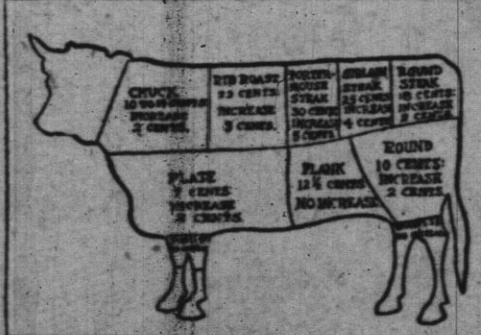
Lincoln's Sea, to the northwest of that point, was ice-free the following summer, according to the American explorer, Lieutenant Peary, and Scandinavian scientists declare there is a strong probability that Sverdrup seized the opportunity and reached the pole.

### College Education and Marriage.

Professor E. L. Thorndyke of the Teachers' College, connected with Columbia College, has been discussing the problem, now beginning to be an old one, whether women who are college graduates marry, and, if so, at what age they decide in favor of making the momentous change. To arrive at some solution of the problem he has been studying the cataoques of Vassar, Smith, and Wellesley Colleges, as well as of the educational institution at Oberlin, and the result is summed up in the conclusion that as time goes on college women are less inclined to marry. He says: "It is absurd to suppose that college women differ from others in possessing superior attractiveness in mature years, and we are, therefore, led to conclude that the college graduate has been growing less and less inclined to get married, or less and less able, or both."

### Price of Beef Soars.

The retail price of meats in Chicago is higher than for years, says the Tribune. The housewife, the restaurant-keeper, and the hotel proprietor all are feeling the effects of the drought which extended over the country last summer. Scarcity of corn and other feed for fattening stock is the reason assigned for the increased price of all meats. Within the last few months beef has been advanced from two to three cents a pound, the heaviest increase in prices being on the finer grades and choice cuts. Although those who can afford to buy the better meats are bearing the bulk of the burden, even the poorer consumers are



### SHOWING INCREASE ON DIFFERENT PARTS OF BEEF.

finding that their money goes only a little way in a butcher shop. There is only one consolation for the consumer in the general rearrangement of prices. The high prices of corn and feed is compelling the stock raiser to ship his beef to the market before it is fat enough to be classed as choice grade. As a result, the advance has been moderate in the price of poorer grades of beef.

### The Presidential Train.

When President Roosevelt decides to take a short rest and goes to his Oyster Bay home he will find waiting for him at the Long Island railroad depot in Brooklyn what will hereafter be known as the "presidential train." It will consist of a special engine and combination coach and one of the two famous club cars used by the millionaire travelers on the line on their trips to their summer homes. This car is now being refitted and when completed will have all the comforts of home without being gorgeous.—Chicago Chronicle.

### Awarded the Highest Prize.

Buffalo, N. Y., Oct.—The New Domestic Sewing Machine Co. has today been awarded, at the Pan-American Exposition, the highest prize, the coveted gold medal, for the best family sewing machine.

### Takes No Money from Pupils.

Professor Hubert Herkomer, although generally accounted an Englishman, is really a Bavarian. He refuses to accept money from his art pupils and is an enthusiastic cricketer.

It is announced that the leading feature of Pearson's magazine during 1902 will be the popular science article, carefully and fully illustrated, while the articles on natural history will, as they have always done, have a prominent place in the magazine.

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Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 10, 1901.—The judges at the Pan-American exposition, Buffalo, have awarded three gold medals to Walter Baker & Co. (Limited), Dorchester, Mass., for the superiority of their breakfast cocoa and all of their cocoa and chocolate preparations and the excellence of their exhibit. This is the 37th highest award received by them from the great expositions in Europe and America.

### First Western Boer Baby.

The first Boer baby born in the west, and perhaps in this country, is the infant son of Dr. and Mrs. T. A. Beddy of Denver, Colo. The parents came to this country in 1898. They were born in the Orange Free State and educated in the public school there. Before the war broke out, Dr. and Mrs. Beddy went to New York, the former to take special training and the latter to continue her musical education. Then, with the war, came loss of property, and Dr. Beddy concluded to remain and practice in this country.

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EVANS ALSO IN THE WRONG.

Newspaper Correspondent Graham Is Chief Witness Before the Naval Inquiry Court—His Testimony Is Corroborated by Schley's Orderly.

Washington, D. C., telegram: Rear Admiral Schley has every reason to be entirely satisfied with the developments at the court of inquiry, as witness after witness appeared and testified to facts which, standing alone and without any other support, badly shattered the case which the department has attempted to make out against Schley. George H. Graham, a newspaper correspondent, who was on the Brooklyn from the time the flying squadron was formed until long after the war, was the most important witness, and he not only gave evidence which was extremely favorable to Schley, but put Rear Admiral Evans and Captain Sigsbee in unenviable positions. Graham testified positively that Captain Sigsbee went on board the Brooklyn when the flying squadron arrived off Santiago, and in response to a question from Schley, "Have we got them?" meaning the Spaniards in Santiago harbor, Sigsbee replied, "No, we have not."

Sigsbee Wrong Regarding Fox. "Are you sure they are not here?" inquired Schley. "Yes," replied Sigsbee, "I am sure of it. Cotton has been in and cut a cable. We are sure they are not there."

This conversation occurred shortly before Schley started on the retrograde movement toward Key West for coal, believing the Spanish fleet was not in Santiago. Sigsbee, when on the stand, declined to say whether or not he had given Admiral Schley this information, asking the court to excuse him, as the professional reputation of two officers was involved. Sigsbee did, however, in a communication to the Senate, but which was not sworn to, say that he did not give this information to Schley.

Graham's testimony is supported by that of Dennis J. Cronin, Schley's orderly during the war. Cronin was within hearing when the conversation occurred, and while he did not hear the question asked by Admiral Schley, he did hear Captain Sigsbee's answer, which was, "No, they are not in there. The Spanish fleet is not in there."

Shows Brooklyn in Peril. One of the most important developments of the day was the testimony of Lieutenant Fitzgerald, assistant engineer, who said special orders had come to him in the fireroom "to stand by to ram or for collision quarter." The significance of this order lies in the fact that the Brooklyn was in danger of being rammed by the Spanish ships as they left the harbor, and that the Brooklyn made the loop to avoid being rammed.

One Ship Fighting Three.

Lieutenant Simpson's testimony, in common with that of the other officers who were on the ships that did the real fighting, showed that the Brooklyn was alone with three of the Spanish ships. It was feared some of them would get away, as the Brooklyn could not care for them all. During the hottest part of the engagement this fear was dissipated when the smoke cleared a little and Lieutenant Simpson saw a great wave, indicating the presence of a ship. At the next instant he saw the two thirteen-inch guns of the Oregon, which kept almost parallel with the Brooklyn from that time until the conflict was ended. An effort has been made to show that Schley had not made efforts to mask the movements of the flying squadron when it left Cienfuegos for Santiago. Simpson testified that Schley was always particular about this point, and before the ships had left Newport News the fleet had practiced making its movements and the Commodore himself had gone aboard a steam launch and steamed away from the fleet to observe the effect of the practice in which his men had been engaged. Just before the loop was made by the Brooklyn Lieutenant Simpson said he heard the whiz of bullets, which indicated that the Brooklyn was fighting the Spaniards in close quarters.

Macedonians Offer Aid.

The idea that the capture of Miss Stone originated with the Macedonian committee is corroborated, according to the Vienna correspondent of the London Mail, by the fact that numerous Macedonians in Sofia have offered to mediate with the brigands.

New Cabinet for Ecuador.

Guayaquil, Ecuador, telegram: In the new cabinet Senor Jose Luis Tamayo is minister of interior; Dr. Cesar Borja, minister of foreign affairs; Senor Ramon Mejia, minister of finance; and Gen. Flavio Alfaro, minister of war.

Sells \$2,500,000 of Bonds.

Benton Harbor, Mich., telegram: The West Michigan Traction Company announces that it has sold all its bonds, amounting to \$2,500,000, and on Monday a trust deed will be executed in favor of the Knickerbocker Trust Company of New York city and filed with the register of deeds in St. Joseph. This deed will be filed in five counties. This company now has 106 cars of rails on track in this city, besides ties and other material, and is operating a boat between this city and Chicago.

Drastic Terms for Traction Company.

In Berlin the street railway company is required to grant a ten hour day to its employees, to provide waiting-rooms properly warmed and lighted, and, from January, 1901, to fix a uniform fare of 2.38 cents for the whole length of the line, both within and without the city. The city receives 8 per cent of the gross profits plus half the net profits over 12 per cent on old capital and 6 per cent on new capital. At the end of the year 1919 the lines and rolling stock will become city property. These terms are drastic, indeed; yet the citizens are not satisfied, and additional lines are now planned.

A Publisher's Find.

The Publisher—You say this is your first novel. A Chinese romance. Never been abroad, hey? Just made it up as you went along. Well, this is a find. (To Clerk)—James, order fifty thousand copies printed at once, advertise whole edition of two hundred thousand sold before publication, and get out lithographs of the young lady.—Life.

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Names Given South Carolinians. South Carolinians are "Weasels," "Sand Hillers" and "Rice Birds"; the first an allusion to the thinness of the early natives; the second, to their place of residence; the third, to a common crop and bird which feeds on it.

Elliot Gregory, whose writings over the pen name of "The Idler" are widely known, is preparing for The Century Magazine a group of papers on various phases of social life in New York.

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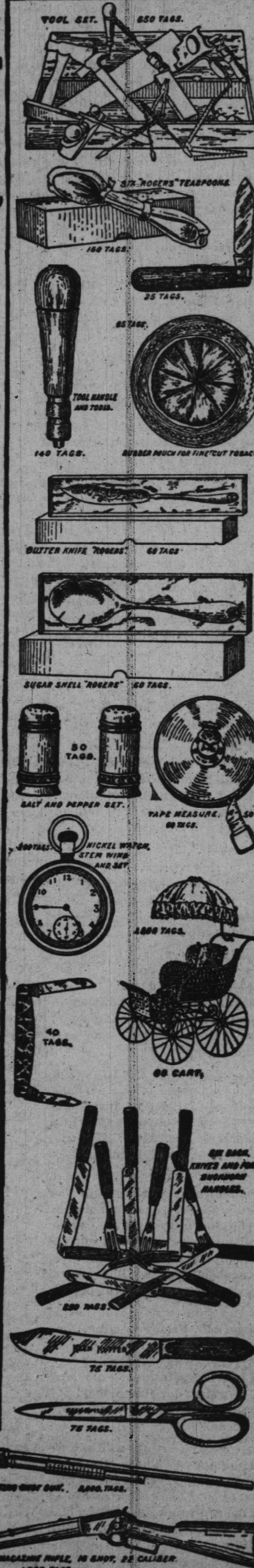
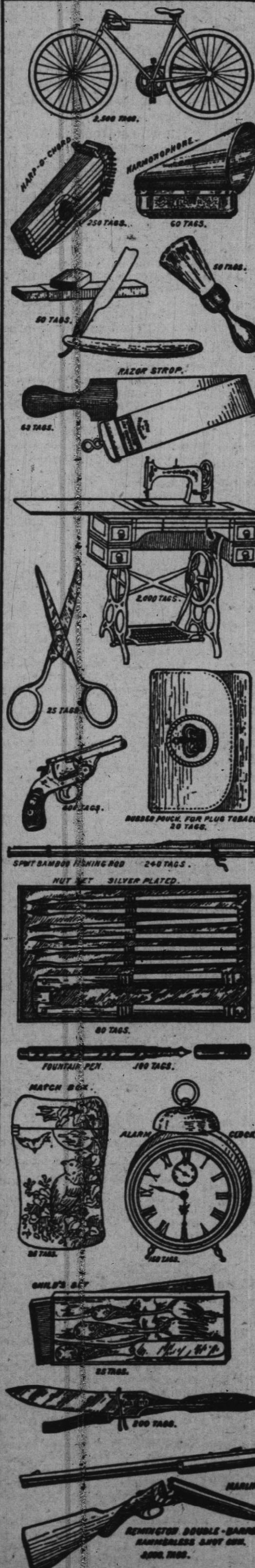
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Lieutenant Governor Northcott the head consul of the M. W. A., has tendered his resignation as head consul to take effect June 15, 1902.

The public schools were closed yesterday to allow the teachers to attend a meeting of the Northern Illinois Teachers' association at Elgin.

The mercury registered 82° Wednesday at 2 p. m. On the same date in 1899 the same point was reached. On October 15, 1897, the temperature registered 87°.

Whenever you hear a girl refer to a man as an idiot it's dollars to doughnuts that she is in love with him and he is in love with some other girl.

F. O. Willmarth will offer for sale at auction, this Saturday morning at 9 o'clock, a large assortment of household goods, at the home on West Main street.

The Bee Bee Dancing club will give its first annual ball in Stott's hall on Friday evening, November 8. The O'Connor orchestra of Chicago will furnish music.

The Thursday club met at the home of Mrs. Ryan Thursday afternoon. An entertaining program was rendered. Next Thursday a musical program of ten numbers will be given.

Fred Wahler, father of Mrs. Fred Reinhold of this village, died at his home in Chicago, Wednesday morning. He was 83 years of age. The funeral was held from his late residence Friday afternoon.

The Daily News says: "It seems to require more force to hold the Filipinos pacified than it did to get them in that calm and desirable condition in the first place." This condition of affairs was foretold a year ago, so it is not surprising.

The Mercy and Help Department of the Epworth League wish to thank the people who assisted in furnishing fruit sent to the Methodist Old People's Home at Edgewater, Ill., also for flowers sent to the Home and to Wesley Hospital, Chicago.

A good indication of the stability of Barrington real estate is the increased values paid for property sold. There are excellent prospects now of our village to enjoy a season of building prosperity the coming year. Idle capital can find safe investment right here.

Go to the Spinsters' convention at the village hall, Friday evening, Nov. 1, and witness the old maids of Barrington (Lord, what a sight!) transformed into beautiful young maidens. That'll be a show for your money. It's not a beauty congress but a transformation scene.

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"Hello, Central, please ring me up the chief that has charge of that oyster supper at Baptist church Nov. 9."  
"Hello."  
"Hello. Say, please save for the club fifty plates at that supper."  
"All right."  
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The McHenry Plaindealer speaks of how "cheap some men will work" and tells of an individual who "labored all day—10 hours" for 70 cents. That is not a circumstance when compared with an instance that came under our personal observation in this town. A man sat around the sidewalks and depot platform five short autumn days to earn 50 cents. He neglected the chores at home, was on the main street from 6 a. m. to 5:30 p. m. How that for cheap labor?

Boys sometimes have an idea that to help mother by taking upon themselves some of the trying household tasks would be to show themselves lacking in many qualities. But let them have no such fear. The boy who is not afraid to show his fondness for his mother, who is thoughtful and considerate of her comforts, tries to help her in every way he can, holds a high place in the respect and esteem of those who know him best.

The Young (?) Ladies' Single Blessedness Debating Society and Gossip League will hold a convention in the village hall next Friday evening. They call it a "Spinsters' Convention." The conductor is Prof. Makeover of Boston. See the transformation scene in which a blushing (patent blushing) damsel of 19 summers and 28 winters develops into a 20th Century beauty, paint, powder, pads and all. You may have read of miracles performed. This is one of 'em.

"Experience Socials" are the rage. We have them in Barrington regularly. The trouble is that those who attend do not always hew to the line when telling their experience. A gentleman of our acquaintance attended a social lately and, of course, contributed, but we will wager a Canadian 10c piece against our chances of going to—the St. Louis World's Fair that he didn't tell how he earned the dollar. If he even hinted at it he is forever barred from Barrington experience socials.

We overheard an individual make a remark, the other day, to the effect "that any d— fool could conduct and edit a country newspaper." As he has that necessary qualification—he is a full-fledged graduate—he ought to try it. After the first issue he would be requested by his subscribers "to go away back and sit down." He would discover after he had put on the editorial harness that he must work. His present occupation (bottoming chairs) is heaven compared to the duties of a country editor.

President Roosevelt appears to be of opinion that every man's house is his castle, and that he may invite to dine at the white house whom he pleases without being called to account. The country, with rare exception, will agree with him. He also has an opinion that he has the right to appoint democrats to office. In this the democrats agree with him, but a great many republicans do not. The president says he is the servant of all the people and not a part of them. Qualification for the position, not politics is what the president considers when making appointments.

It is said the ladies of one of our church societies contemplate a "Rummage Sale." If husbands are wise they will immediately cart their personal belongings to a safety vault—lock up everything that's worth one nickel. A Rummage Sale is an event of importance to the women but a catastrophe to the home. We have survived one, and have been obliged to go without a number of necessary articles acquired for souvenirs, ever since. Maybe you don't know what a Rummage Sale is. The women get together and decide to strip their homes of everything they don't need or have become tired of, carry it over to the church parlors and auction it off for the purpose of raising money to purchase blankets for the Fiji islanders. When a woman gets started to rummage, look out for your family relics.

Any "old thing" is an appropriate contribution for a sale of this kind. Some of them would offer their husbands on the bargain counter if they were dead sure of finding another one.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

Fred Church M. D., of Racine, Wis., was here Tuesday.

Miss Anna Krahn departed for New York City Thursday.

Mrs. M. C. McIntosh has been on the sick list the past few days.

Miss Priscilla Davlin of Waukegan visited with friends here Sunday.

Edward Lamby has been confined to his home the past week by illness.

Attorney M. S. Miller of Lake Villa was here on legal business, Monday.

Miss Sadie Finkelnstein of Chicago visited with Samuel Lipofsky Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Snyder of Mayfair visited her father, E. Lamey, Wednesday.

Philip Gonye and son George of Loon Lake were in the village Monday.

Rev. Father Quinn of Woodstock was calling on prisoners here Tuesday.

Miss Julia Lamey of Chicago visited at the home of her father, E. Lamey, Sunday.

John Drewes, who has been in Elgin the past few weeks, returned here Monday.

Mesdames Herman Garbisch and Henry Schroeder were Chicago visitors Monday.

John Coleman of Chicago transacted business in Justice Morrison's court Wednesday.

Mrs. Stone of Waukegan was a visitor at the home of Mrs. G. W. Freeman, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Behrens of Chicago visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Reese, Sunday.

Dr. Pelton of Elgin was here Monday assisting Dr. Richardson in the treatment of Samuel Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Boehmer and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Plagge visited the Buffalo exposition this week.

C. A. Winston, of Winston & Munro, attorneys, Chicago, was in the village on legal business, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bienhoff and daughter Miss Lydia, went to Chicago yesterday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Beinhoff's father.

Dr. and Mrs. M. F. Clausius and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kirschner, departed Tuesday morning for a visit to the Buffalo exposition.

Misses Emma and Rhoda Wiseman, who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Fred Lageschulte at Randolph, Neb., returned home Tuesday.

George Nightingale is looking after his father-in-law's farm interests this week. He says the change from railroading is not exactly a pleasant one, but it's healthy work.

William H. Tatge of Chicago, a well known attorney, was here on business Wednesday. Mr. Tatge was assistant city prosecuting attorney under Mayor Swift's administration.

Messrs. Geo. Hager, L. R. Lines; H. H. Church, Phil Hawley and Arnold Schaubert returned, Saturday, from a visit to the Pan-American exposition. The gentlemen report a pleasant trip. They made a trip to the moon, walked through the streets of Cairo; explored sections of Asia, Africa, France and other foreign countries; visited Niagara Falls and other attractions.

### A Temperance League.

It is said that the ground work is being laid for the formation of a temperance league in this village; that the league will begin an active warfare for the wiping out of the liquor traffic in this section of Cook and Lake counties. A temperance worker and organizer has looked the field over and finds material from which to form a society. In fact he should have no trouble whatever in forming here a league of large membership, as this is regarded as one of the best fields—best in every way—in this section.

Sometime ago, say advocates of the cause, the Union Signal, official organ of the W. C. T. U., expressed surprise that a village supporting five church societies; a village whose population by a large majority, are active church workers, would tolerate a saloon in its corporate limits, because "temperance and religion go hand in hand."

This fact may "be surprising" to those unacquainted with existing conditions. Like many other communities the people of Barrington look upon the saloon as a necessary evil. There is no disguising that fact for the very reason that they have voted to allow its existence in their midst. The fact also stands undisputed that if the people of Barrington—advocates of prohibition, desired to drive "the saloon" out of business in this village they have the power to do it. There was a time when this was a prohibition town. What caused the change?

The men who cast the ballots can answer the question.

A representative of this paper asked a business man and anti-saloon advocate, why if he and many others believed that the village would profit by the abolition of the saloons, they did

not abolish them? He replied, "Because they are useful to help pay the municipal expenses. The money derived from the licenses, \$1500, helps out considerably. Otherwise the taxpayers would have to stand a heavier taxation."

It would seem from that statement that the majority were favorable to prohibition but opposed to paying increased assessments for municipal improvements; found an opportunity to secure assistance and took the saloon into partnership to furnish capital.

Almost every town in the state has taken the same action, and but few "dry villages" are found nowadays. If, as it is stated; the to-be league will make a direct issue of the question of license or no license, the people will decide it. There is one thing to be considered. Men do not always vote as they talk, especially on the question of personal liberty.

### THE PHILIPPINES

An Appropriate Present For a Deadly Enemy, Says Mr. Orvis.

Much has been written and said relative to Uncle Sam's new possessions in the far east. THE REVIEW has from time to time given its readers bits of interesting information from special correspondents and reprinted extracts from government reports. The men behind the guns have had but little to say, or rather but little of their opinions have appeared in print. We republish herewith an interesting letter from E. V. Orvis of Iowa City, Ia., a U. S. volunteer, who served in the partial conquest of the Islands. The letter was addressed to the Richmond Gazette. It is the opinion of an educated man who kept his eyes open while fighting in "the invested blot on the face of the earth." It is as follows:

"While in McHenry county a great many people asked me my opinion of the Philippines, based on my own personal experience. I have prepared an estimate which will give your readers an idea of a soldier's opinion of them. The Philippines are a bunch of trouble gathered together on the western horizon of civilization. They are bounded on the north by rocks and destruction; on the east by typhoons and monsoons; on the south by corruption and earthquakes; and on the west by hoodlums and smugglers.

"The climate is a combination of electrical changes especially adapted to raising Cain. The soil is very fertile, producing large crops of insurrection and trickery. The inhabitants are very industrious, their chief occupation being trench building, the manufacture of bolos and knives, and reloading Remington cartridges. Their amusements are cock-fighting, gambling, thieving and cheating. Their food consists, principally, of boiled rice, stewed rice, fried rice, baked rice and—rice. Their marriage ceremony is very impressive, especially the clause wherein the wife is given the privilege of working as much as the husband desires.

"The beasts of burden are the caribou and the Chinaman. On a two mile 'hike' only ten days' rations are required. For a trip of 100 miles the driver would die of old age before reaching his destination. The rivers are serpentine in course, their currents running contrary to all laws of gravitation.

"Manila, the capital and principal city, is situated on Manila Bay, a large pond of water, full of filth, dead fish, sharks and submarine mines. Cavite, the next city, is noted for its natural facilities for a naval station, mosquitoes, saloons and Chinamen. The principal exports are rice, hemp, tobacco, war bulletins and dead soldiers. The principal imports are live soldiers and arms, ammunition, beer and tobacco for them.

"Malaria is so prevalent that the islands have a chill and the mosquitoes are said to have it. The native costume is a flour sack tied around the waist and children under 12 are not allowed to wear even that much.

"The smaller towns consist of shacks, which are full of filth, fleas, cur dogs, cats, ponies, pigs, chickens, flies and "Gaggs," all occupying the one room on terms of equality. The native drink is beno, which is made out of centipedes, barbed wire and lightning. Condensed we have the following:

"The Philippines: An appropriate present for a deadly enemy.

"The natives: Friends—at the point of a gun.

"The climate: Pleasant for roaches, centipedes, spiders, tarantulas, alligators, scorpions, mosquitoes and snakes.

"The soil: Adapted for raising foul odors and disease.

"The islands: A God forsaken, cannibal infested blot on the face of the earth."

### A. Daniel Come to Judgment.

Bridgeport, Conn., Oct. 20.—Judge Ralph Wheeler has decided that women are not competent witnesses as to "jags" and has handed down an opinion to the effect that their evidence is worthless as to conditions of intoxication.—Chicago Journal.

O great! O righteous Judge! O just! We festive brethren laud thee to the skies! Not since old Solomon gave ponderous word, Has a decision vast as thine been heard! At one keen stroke our bonds are shorn away, And, freemen all, we face the joyous day! In future, when wives give maddening note, The digests of Connecticut we'll quote—With many a lie we'll open up the book, And bid our baffled, helpless partners look—We'll leave our shoes suspended in the hall, And into bed with coat and hat we'll fall—'Me drunk? Why I'm sho shober, honest dear—'I'm not? Well, you don't count—'Zust read right here!"

O matchless Judge, O staunchest friend of men— Four million slaves were freed by Lincoln's mighty pen— But thou, O man of intellectual dome, Has freed ten million jags from chains at home.

The man who invented work ought to have finished it.

### CHURCH NOTES AND NEWS

Methodist Episcopal.  
Rev. W. H. Tuttle, Pastor. Services held each Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12.

Salem Evangelical.  
Rev. A. W. Strickfaden, Pastor. Preaching each Sunday morning and evening. Sunday school at 9:15 o'clock.

Baptist.  
Rev. W. L. Blanchard, Pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 11:30 o'clock.

Zion Evangelical.  
Rev. J. Haller, Pastor. Services each Sunday morning and evening. Sunday school at 10 o'clock.

St. Ann's Catholic.  
Rev. Father Quinn, Pastor. Regular service the first Sunday and third Saturday in each month. Sunday school every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran.  
Rev. Alfred Menzel, Pastor. Services each Sabbath morning at 11 o'clock, Sabbath school at 9:30.

To pastors of churches and secretaries of church societies, we wish to state that this column is set apart for the publication of matters pertaining to religious work. Announcements of meetings, services and topics, are requested. You can advance the interests of your church and society by devoting a few moments in preparing a contribution for this department.

One act of charity will teach us more of the love of God than a thousand sermons.

The regular business meeting of the Epworth League will be held at the home of Miss Grace Freeman, Tuesday evening, October 29.

Regular services will be held at St. Ann's Catholic church, Sunday morning, Nov. 3, at 9:00 o'clock.

The Keystone League of the Salem church will meet Tuesday evening. It is pledge meeting. Mrs. Geo. Stiefenhofer will lead. All are invited.

As the principle of love is the main principle in the real Christian's heart, so the labor of love is the main business of a faithful Christian's life.

It is easy to say, "Jesus has forgiven my sins; I am a Christian." But how are others to believe it, unless there is something they can see? If our hearts are changed our lives ought to show it.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Baptist church will meet at the regular hour, 8:45 Sunday evening. The subject: "Every Day." Scripture reference: 2 Tim. 3:1-17. Miss Cora Higley, leader. All friends cordially invited to attend.

We are to be but channels through which God's blessings shall flow past us to some other thirsting soul. To withhold our riches of comfort is more than selfish. It is absolute wrong done not only to God but to our fellowmen. It is the most sorely wounded spirit who should be able to give out the richest experience.

At the M. E. church Sunday morning the pastor will preach from theme "How to Overcome." At the evening service it is expected the electric light system will be ready for use, and will furnish the theme for the discourse, "The Lights of the World." The public invited. All services resumed in full at this house of worship.

Let princes wear their crowns, let kings sway their scepters, let kingdoms rise and wane, the kingdom of Christ is the same, and for all it matters not if amid Arctic snows or traversing the burning sands of the tropic, if under Oriental skies or in the dim twilight of the Occident, when the heart accepts the Christ and obeys the gospel, there is the Church of the First-born, "the pillar and ground of the truth."

We have cast anchor just for a little while beside this island of a world, but we are bound for the continent of Immortality; and since the ship must soon lift its anchor, since its gleaming sails beckon us now even as a friend's hand towards yonder fair and mystical horizon, let us take on board a cargo that shall be worth something in the country where we are to spend the longest time. Then fix your eyes upon the fadeless vision of immortality; for whoever has that hope or expectation in his soul cannot be balked or daunted.

Though time may dig the grave of creeds  
And dogmas wither in the sod,  
My soul will keep the thought it needs,  
Its swerveless faith in God.

No matter how the world began,  
Nor where the march of science goes;  
My trust in something more than man  
Shall help me bear life's woes.

Let progress take the props away,  
And moldering superstitions fall,  
Still God retains His regal sway,  
The Maker of the All.

Why cavil over that or this?  
One thought is vast enough for me.  
The great Creator was, and is,  
And ever more will be.—Selected.

Our only source of hope is in Jesus Christ. There is but one place in the universe where a man can stand and

claim freedom from condemnation. That place we are told in Rom. 8:1 is "in Jesus Christ." You may pray, but unless with the prayer there is sincere repentance and a turning from the old habits of sin, we are not in Jesus Christ. He is the door, and by that sacred way no sin can enter. Having now entered the door, and passed into close companionship with him, we find that he is not only the One who saves from past sins, the One in whom is our strength for the new life upon which we have entered, but he is likewise the source of power.

Among current newspaper flings at the fair sex is a story of a husband and wife who, while driving in an eastern city, turned the corner into a narrow street and encountered a heavy wagon. There was no room to pass and the lady in toplofty tones demanded that the teamster go back. The husband mildly suggested that it was difficult for the man to back his horses out of the way, but madam was determined. Finally the teamster said: "Never mind, mister. I'll back out. I'm sorry for you. I've got a woman at home just like that."

The pumpkin and apple crop in this section of Uncle Sam's great domain is so near a failure this year that the thrifty housewife is at her wits end to provide for the family, says a McHenry county exchange. The squash, sometimes called the pumpkin's first cousin, is also conspicuous by its absence. The few pumpkins that weathered the long dry spell have a decidedly woe-begone and downcast appearance, the crop being hardly sufficient to supply Young America with jack lanterns. The Thanksgiving board will not groan under the weight of pumpkin pie and mashed squash this year.

Take the home paper. It pays.

### PEOPLE'S COLUMN.

FOR SALE—On the Rethmeier farm, 11 head of cattle.

M. C. MCINTOSH, Owner.

FOR SALE—Four choice lots near my house, pair light bobs, cutter, surrey, horses cheap, harnesses, wagons. Will be sold right; no use for them.

F. J. HAWLEY, Barrington.

FOR SALE—6 tons of good baled upland hay.

M. C. MCINTOSH.

FOR RENT—Farm containing 175 acres, 3 miles south of Barrington. Inquire of C. B. Otis, Barrington.

Lost—Newfoundland dog, about 9 months old; black, 3 feet high; at Gilmer, Ill. Answer to name of Jeff. Good reward for return.

A. G. SCHWERMANN.

### Arrival and Departure of Trains

C. & N. W. Ry.

WEEK-DAY TRAINS.

NORTH. SOUTH.

LV. Chicago	AR. Pal'ne	AR. Barr'tn	LV. Barr'tn	LV. Pal'ne	AR. Chicago
7:30am	8:59am	8:45am	5:55am	5:31am	6:35
8:25	9:50	9:12	5:50	5:58	6:55
10:50	12:40	12:00	6:35	6:45	7:45
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1:30	2:55pm	2:50	7:30	7:40	8:40
3:27	4:25	4:35	8:22	8:30	10:15
5:01	5:54	6:05	9:30	9:40	10:40
6:01	7:03	7:15	12:30pm	12:40pm	1:40
6:35	7:35	7:50	2:35	2:45	3:50
8:30	9:55	10:05	6:07	6:16	7:00
11:35	12:28	12:40	6:40	6:57	7:45

### SUNDAY TRAINS.

NORTH. SOUTH.

LV. Chicago	AR. Pal'ne	AR. Barr'tn	LV. Barr'tn	LV. Pal'ne	AR. Chicago
4:00am		4:59am	7:30am	7:40am	8:35pm
8:00	8:53	9:03	12:30pm	12:40pm	1:40pm
9:10	10:19	10:32	4:25	4:35	5:40
1:30pm	2:35pm	2:50pm	5:45	5:55	7:00
4:45	5:46	5:58	6:40	6:50	7:45
6:35	7:35	7:50	9:05	9:15	10:15
11:35	12:28	12:40			

Saturday only.

E. J. & E. R. R.

SOUTH.

Waukegan.....7:00am 8:00pm

Rondout.....8:10am 9:10pm

Letherton.....9:30am 10:30pm

Lake Zurich.....10:00am 11:00pm

Barrington.....10:30am 11:30pm

Joliet.....11:00am 12:00pm

NORTH.

Joliet.....6:45am 12:30pm 3:30pm 10:30pm

Barrington.....1:30pm 6:30pm 8:45pm 3:45am

Lake Zurich.....2:30pm 6:55pm 9:15pm 4:10am

Rondout.....3:00pm 7:55pm 10:00pm 4:40am

Waukegan.....4:15pm 8:30pm 10:35pm 5:00am

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