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RECEIVER DISCHARGED.

Court Will Not Appoint a Receiver for Divorced Wife's Cash.

The divorce case of Hill vs. Hill came up in court again this morning. The complainant had previously gone before Judge Brentano without giving any notice to the defendant, and, by a misrepresentation of facts and the suppression of the records, obtained an appointment of a receiver, including an order for Mrs. Hill to turn over \$700, and A. J. Redmond, her attorney, the \$100 paid to them, in accordance with the decree of the court rendered last November by Judge Haney. The motion this morning was made to enforce the order to turn over the money. The complainant's solicitor, in support of his motion, claimed that, as they had sued out a writ of error from the Appellate court, they were entitled to have this money placed in the hands of a receiver, pending the decision there. A. J. Redmond, attorney for Mrs. Hill, produced the records in the divorce proceedings and showed the court that there had been no fraud in the proceedings; that William Hill had filed his answer to his wife's bill for divorce; that he was represented in court by counsel, who examined complainant's witness, and after a full and fair hearing, a divorce was granted. Under the order of the court Hill's property was sold. No appeal had been taken, but, after two months delay, Hill comes into court and asks that the money from the sale of the property be paid back, because he might possibly get the decree set aside under a writ of error. This was sued out as a matter of course, and under the statute might be any time within five years, but has no significance whatever. Judge Brentano at once denied the motion and ordered the receiver discharged.—Chicago Journal, January 29th.

A REVIEW reporter who examined the testimony offered at the trial, which resulted in Mrs. Hill securing a divorce, finds that Mr. Hill was represented in the litigation by some able counsel, Judge McDonald conducting the cross-examination of the trial.

HAD A PLEASANT TIME.

Master Rex Henderson is Given a Pleasant Surprise.

On Tuesday evening a large number of the young friends of Master Rex, the 12-year-old son of Officer and Mrs. Al Henderson, marched to his home at 7:20 o'clock and surprised this popular young gentleman completely.

"Kiss the Pillow," "Postoffice," "Spin the Platter," "Pretty as a Red-bird," "Tin, Tin," etc., furnished amusement for those present. At 10 o'clock a most sumptuous lunch was served, which was highly appreciated by the young people. It was a late hour when the guests departed. Among those present were:

Misses Ida Hutchinson, Mary Ernst, Rosa Landwer, Beula Otis, Carrie Wessell, Ada Landwer, Jeanette Thorpe, Diana Donlea.

Mesdames W. Thorpe and S. R. Kirby.

Masters Willie Krahn, Willie Krueger, Bennie Schroeder, Elloré Thorpe, Eddie Kirby, Willie Kirby, Herbert Plagge, Walter Lageschulte, Sammie Naehner, Charlie Thorpe, Emil Meyer, Henry Wolf, Christian Scharf, Eddie Ernst, James Hutchinson and George Beinhoff.

A RARE TREAT.

An Entertaining and Instructive Lecture to be Given Next Thursday Evening.

On next Thursday evening the Young People's Missionary society of the Salem church have secured a rare treat for the citizens of Barrington. On that date, at 7:30 o'clock; Rev. W. H. Fouke, of Chicago, will lecture on "Africa," using a magic lantern to illustrate his subject.

The reverend gentleman has a wide reputation as a lecturer, and the subject is one of his best. No admission will be charged. Voluntary offerings will be accepted.

PALATINE.

The Palatine Athletic club tendered a reception to its friends on New Year's eve in Batterman's hall. The

function was a public one and was notable for the select concourse of people which assembled to participate, and for the enjoyable evening had. Almost everybody who is anyone in Palatine was there. About sixty couples took advantage of the occasion, and throughout the long program from the grand march until the last number had been exhausted, not one among the throng intimated to the committee in charge that there was anything about the affair that could possibly have been improved upon.

The reception was in the hands of the following committee, to whom the credit for the success of the occasion is due, though assistance of a valuable kind was given by individual members: H. F. Harmening, A. G. Sutherland, I. O. Clay, J. P. Williams and Otto Danielsen.

Owing to the favor with which their efforts were received the members of the club have decided to repeat them, but they will do so in another direction. A masque ball will be given at the same hall on February 14th, and the committee having the matter in charge are ready to assure all devotees of the Terpsichorean god a most enjoyable time.

The Palatine Athletic club is made up of energetic young men, and it is almost a certainty that this reception, giving to it as they are, their best efforts, will be the success their friends hope for. The committee in charge will be: W. J. Filbert, W. E. Daniels, Otto Danielsen, I. O. Clay, Robt. Mosser, H. J. Stroker, A. G. Sutherland.

RAILROAD SPECIALS.

TRAIN DITCHED AT CARY.—Last Saturday evening about 5 p. m., a freight train, which was to meet the Woodstock passenger train at Cary, broke into three pieces while coming down the hill, and as the head-end was stopping for the switch the other two parts crashed into it, completely demolishing seven loaded cars, and damaging about twelve others. No one was injured. Wrecking crews worked at both ends, and the track was cleared about 10:30 p. m., the Woodstock and Janesville trains not arriving at their destinations until quite late. The St. Paul trains were run over the Galena division.

CHARLES GROM SURPRISED.—A very pleasant surprise was given Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Grom Tuesday evening. A bus load of young, merry-making people, loaded down with cakes and other good eatables, drove out to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grom, about two miles south of Barrington, who had no inkling of their coming. The family were completely surprised. After formal greetings were exchanged, the house was put in shape for a good time. After the topics of the day had been discussed, dancing was indulged in. At 11:30 the guests were invited into the dining room, where an elaborate lunch was served. Mr. J. G. Graybill was called upon to act as toastmaster, and delighted the audience with a witty response. After the inner man had been satisfied dancing until the wee' small hours in the morning concluded the evening's enjoyment.

Fred Vermilya has resigned his position as brakeman on the midnight run, Guy Fisher taking his place.

J. G. Graybill made a flying trip to Sioux City, Iowa, Friday of last week, and on his return was accompanied by Miss Tressie Crauley, who is now visiting at his home.

Ray Fabritz has been promoted to baggageman on the midnight run, in place of Charles Vermilya, transferred.

Engine 9 was sent to Waukegan Monday evening to be used as the "pusher," which latter was sent to Joliet to be used in train service.

Engineer Cunningham, of the "pusher" was taken very sick Friday evening of last week while pushing a train up the hill. On his return to Barrington he was assisted up town and Dr. Richardson was called, who worked with him for two hours before Mr. Cunningham was able to return to his home in Waukegan. He was confined to his bed until Tuesday.

Fred Helmerding is pulling the throttle on Engineer FitzSimmons run, the latter gentleman taking a vacation.

PROVES A SUCCESS.

The Dancing School Is Now An Assured Success In Every Way.

About thirty couples assembled at Stott's hall Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock to attend the first dancing lesson given under the auspices of the Barrington Pleasure club. About 8:15 Prof. Tilden requested the gentleman to "take partners," and form in a circle, when the school began in earnest. Prof. Tilden started in by explaining the first rudiments of dancing, and gave practical illustrations of the "polka-step" and other dances.

The professor proved to be an artist in his profession; his manner of teaching being so plain that any 10-year-old child could readily comprehend his meaning.

Prof. Tilden was accompanied by his wife, and sister-in-law, Miss Cox, the ladies rendering valuable assistance. The lady in charge of the music proved herself to be efficient in every particular. The music was excellent. Everyone was pleased that they were present at the first lesson. At 12 o'clock the participants departed for home.

A REVIEW reporter, who walked around the town a short time after the dance, observed a majority of the young people trying the "steps," from which we judge that by next Wednesday they will have them down fine.

Those present were:

Messrs. and Mesdames—
G. H. Comstock F. E. Hawley
J. G. Catlow W. H. Snyder
C. A. Wheeler C. H. Kendall
Messrs.—
H. A. Drewes L. N. Donlea
Carl Ernst Frank Robertson
M. J. Kaub George Lytle
Geo. Helmerding J. D. Lamey
H. Killian L. H. Grebe
Miles T. Lamey Fred Beinhoff
E. J. Helmerding D. F. Lamey
Charles Dill Charles Hutchinson
A. L. Waller Clarence Sizer
George Otis Lloyd Robertson
James A. Kiteon Fred Helmerding
Ella A. Webb Harry G. Vermilya
Otto Sadt Charles Jahnke
Misses—
Lella Lines Susie Fletcher
Mae Hutchinson Kate Baker
Rose Robertson Clara Diekman
Myrtle Dixon Myrtle Robertson
Minnie Spiegel Olga Waller
Grace Otis Gertrude Kiteon
Belle Catlow —Coxe, Elgin
Mina Robertson Edna Hawley
Nellie Gray Emma Meyer, Lake Zurich
Mesdames—
W. H. Lamphere H. P. Tilden, Elgin
It is not too late to become a member. The club extends a cordial invitation to those wishing to attend the dances, which will be held every Wednesday evening from 8 to 12.

ELABORATE LUNCHEON.

The Thursday Club is Entertained by Mrs. M. C. McIntosh.

Mrs. M. C. McIntosh entertained the Thursday club at luncheon on Thursday afternoon. When the regular exercises of the society had been concluded, the ladies were entertained with a short program consisting of musical selections and recitations, after which an elaborate luncheon was served, the guests being seated at five small dining-tables. The tables were decorated with ferns, Roman hyacinths, Dutch tulips, jouquills and roses. It was one of the leading society events of the season.

The ladies present were: Mesdames Robertson, Redmond, Dolan, Shipman, FitzSimmons, Snyder, Wheeler, Austin, Meyer, Grunau, Howarth, Smith, Seibert, P. Hawley, Fred Hawley, Frank Hawley, L. A. Powers, Leroy Powers, Chas. Lines, Fred Lines.

Misses Higley and Brockway.

An Excellent Program.

The following program was rendered in Prof. Smith's room yesterday afternoon by the Crescent Literary society in an unusually fine manner:

Duet by Florence Smith and Esther Lageschulte; Pen Picture, Belle Catlow; Charade, Cora Palmer; Recitation, Lizzie Catlow; Essay, Ben Landwer; Recitation, Bennie Beinhoff; Reading, Della Gleason; Music, Chester Catlow; Recitation, Walter Roloff; Charade, Gertrude Kiteon; Essay, Ezra Meier; Recitation, Chester Catlow; Query Box, Della Gleason; Reading, Floyd Harnden.

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3 pounds Uncolored Japan Tea, 50c per pound quality.....	1.00	8 two-pound cans of the finest table Tomatoes.....	1.00
4 pounds Japan Tea.....	1.00	11 pounds large fancy dried Pears.....	1.00
5 pounds Crushed Java Coffee.....	1.00	11 " " " Peaches.....	1.00
5 pound-packages Prize Coffee.....	1.00	9 pounds fancy dried Apricots.....	1.00
4 pounds Fancy Peaberry Coffee.....	1.00	9 " large fancy Prunes.....	1.00
5 1-pound cans Meyers Regent Baking Powder.....	1.00	20 " good Prunes.....	1.00
17 one-pound packages Church's Soda.....	1.00	12 " fancy stem Raisins.....	1.00
12 packages Best Mince Meat (10c).....	1.00	13 " finest cooking Raisins.....	1.00
13 one-pound packages Fancy Clean Currants.....	1.00	21 " good Raisins.....	1.00
10 one-pound cans Good Salmon.....	1.00	4 gallons fancy table Syrup, 35c per gallon quality.....	1.00
12 one-pound cans Silver Sweet Corn.....	1.00	10 pounds Pure Vermont Table Sugar.....	1.00
16 two-pound cans Sugar Corn.....	1.00	2 gallons Pure Rock Drips Syrup 70c per gallon quality.....	1.00
8 three-pound cans first quality Pears.....	1.00		

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HISTORY OF A WEEK.

THE NEWS OF SEVEN DAYS UP TO DATE.

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

A bloody tragedy was enacted near Palon, Greene County, Iowa, Saturday. John Brown, an aged farmer, was attacked by John Fleck and his son with shotguns and revolvers. Brown's two sons came to the rescue and in the fight one of the boys and John Fleck were killed.

General Joseph H. Porter died at the Grand Hotel at New York. His death was due to heart failure, superinduced by wounds received during the civil war. He was 54 years old.

Rumors are floating about Jersey City to the effect that the Astors have, after determined efforts, effected a meeting between Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Drayton, and that something like a truce has been effected.

William E. Burr, Jr., who, as cashier of the St. Louis National Bank, embezzled \$30,000 of the funds of that concern, was sentenced by Judge Adams in the United States court to five years' imprisonment in the state penitentiary.

A caucus of the new republican state central committee it was decided to reelect John K. Gowdy as chairman.

The London Daily Telegraph understands that the net total of the navy estimates for the year will be at least the same as in 1895, namely, £18,701,000. The estimate voted for shipbuilding will be as large as £5,393,642.

There is a rumor at Constantinople that Russia is arranging with the sultan for the occupation of Armenia, but it is not confirmed by any discoverable signs and is discredited in diplomatic circles.

John Wahlert, a Michigan City, Ind., switchman, was caught between the cars and killed.

George Faust, an Ann Arbor railroad employe, was killed while making a coupling at Durand, Mich.

Theodore Magel of Sidney, Iowa, died from injuries received on a saddle horse, his horse swerving suddenly.

Motorman Charles Girtman was struck by an electric car at South Bend, Ind., and probably fatally injured.

James Gillespie, a glass blower from Pittsburg, Pa., was accidentally killed by the cars at Elwood, Ind.

W. T. Jacobs, George Props and Thomas Higgins were drowned at Sewall, W. Va., while crossing New river in a boat.

William H. Kates was overcome by smoke while fighting fire in a Fairbury, Ill., schoolhouse and died from the effects.

The schooner John W. Bray and crew of fourteen men of Gloucester, Mass., has been given up as lost. Her captain was Alexander McCleod of Cape Breton.

F. J. Pakenham, British minister at Buenos Ayres, has been transferred to Stockholm.

Work on the exposition building at Guatemala City, Guatemala, has begun. The exposition opens next December and but few nations have so far accepted the invitations to exhibit.

Louis Magnus was found frozen to death in his room in Quincy, Ill. He was recently divorced from his wife and lived alone. He leaves a farm and several pieces of improved city real estate.

While hunting with two companions, Robert Adair, 19 years old, of Menomouth, Ill., was fatally shot, his gun being accidentally discharged when he thrust it stock foremost into a brush pile to scare a rabbit.

Sheriff E. A. Baxter of Springfield, Ill., went to Sedalia, Mo., with a requisition for Fred Brown, charged with forgery by the Farmers' National Bank of Springfield. Baxter was prevented from taking his man to Illinois by a writ of habeas corpus.

Governor Rich pardoned Bartholomew Sands, one of the oldest convicts in the prison at Jackson, Mich. He was convicted in the circuit court from Oakland county of criminal assault and sentenced September 20, 1869, to life imprisonment. He has always maintained he was innocent of the charge.

H. M. Hood, professor of the high school in Mitchell, S. D., was thrown from a buggy and killed.

Mrs. S. O. G. Hopkins was thrown from her buggy in a runaway in Marshall, Mo., and was instantly killed.

Dan Rider, a young farmer residing south of Creston, Iowa, was kicked by a horse and instantly killed.

Emil D. Greiner of Lawton, Mich., a popular business man and prominent in secret society circles, committed suicide by taking poison.

J. I. Fry, of Andrews, Ind., who sued the Wabash railroad for \$10,000, alleging improper treatment at the hands of the company's physician when he was sick, lost his suit.

CASUALTIES.

While suffering from temporary insanity Hannah Moyley, of Boston, leaped from the fifth floor of a hotel and was killed.

John Troyer of Kokomo, Ind., was killed by a train at Council Hill, Ill. He was a mute graduate of the state deaf and dumb institution.

Fire completely destroyed the reclaiming mill of the rubber plant at Lambertville, N. J. The loss of \$50,000 is fully covered.

James Kilday, a deaf mute, was struck by an electric car at Elkhart, Ind., and dragged under the wheels. He will die.

Fire broke out at St. Johnsbury, Vt., in the lamp-room of the Avenue hotel, a four-story brick structure and the largest hostelry there. Three guests were hurt in the panic. The financial loss is \$75,000.

George Thorne and Andrew McDugan both married and residents of North Lawrence, were struck by a passenger train on the Fort Wayne road at Massillon, Ohio, and instantly killed.

The ice gorge in the Maumee river, about eight miles above Toledo, Ohio, broke, and in running out carried away two spans of the new bridge in course of construction. The loss is estimated at \$50,000.

The two boys of Isaac H. Claggett, aged 7 and 9 years, were burned to death in his house at Montevideo, Minn. Both he and his wife were absent at the time.

While operating a buzz saw at Three Oaks, Mich., the balance wheel broke and a piece of it killed Arthur Davis.

FOREIGN.

Emile Hokenesen, a second cabin passenger on the Aurania, died on the passage from New York and was buried at sea.

Relatives of Charles P. De Garmo, of Cincinnati, O., who was reported killed in the Transvaal, scout the story and believe he is in Egypt.

Theodore Runyon, United States ambassador to Germany, expired suddenly and unexpectedly at 1 o'clock Monday morning at Berlin of heart failure.

Several naval officers of the imperial army have been summoned to Ottawa to consult with the militia department in regard to the Canadian militia and the army and defenses of the dominion.

The coastwise steamer Julia from Santiago de Cuba, which had on board a battalion of Spanish troops, commanded by Gen. Canella, went ashore near Batabano, and was so far injured as to be made useless.

It is reported that Gen. Gomez, the Cuban revolutionary leader, is dying of consumption. Physicians say he cannot live longer than two months.

The London Chronicle has a mysterious editorial assuming that the Venezuela difficulty will be surmounted, but it expresses the belief that grave dangers surround the future relations of England and the United States.

The National Zeitung understands that the Bundesrath on Thursday refused to approve the resolution passed by the Reichstag last February, proposing an international conference on the use of both gold and silver coinage.

The Nova Scotia schooner Minnie C. Lee, which left Halifax for St. Pierre December 10 with a general cargo, has been given up for lost, with Captain Forgeat and a crew of four men.

CRIME.

William T. Houston, formerly a judge of the Louisiana supreme court, is dying in a hospital at New York, the result of injuries inflicted by footpads.

Kate M. Nellis, wife of a hotel proprietor at Girard, Pa., and Edward Gardner, a bartender, have been arrested, charged with attempting to murder Nellis by slow poison.

Blanche Lynch, 16 years old, of Muncie, Ill., committed suicide by jumping into a coal shaft 200 feet deep.

Grave robbers made an unsuccessful attempt to steal the recently buried body of Mrs. Schepper at Huntington, Ind.

At Monticello, Ill., Ote Woolington, Todd Dillon and others got into a drunken row and Woolington stabbed Dillon five times. It is thought his injuries will prove fatal.

A patient named Mitchell, confined in the insane asylum at Mattewon, N. Y., set fire to the building in five places. The flames were quickly subdued, the patients helping in the fight.

Benjamin Johnson, a lumberman, hanged himself in a lodging house at Duluth. He was despondent because he could not stop drinking.

Robbers at Isabella, O. T., looted the residence of J. C. Roberts and fatally shot his son, 14 years of age.

Fred Brown, wanted at Springfield, Ill., for forgery, has been arrested at Sedalia and will be returned.

George Canning, who shot and killed a boy at Monmouth, Ill., Halloween, has been arrested at Cairo, Ill.

Lee Scott, indicted at Burlington, Iowa, for betraying Mary Lewis, has been captured at Chillicothe, Mo.

Charles Lange, of Naperville, Ill., is in jail at Oshkosh, Wis., charged with forging his father's name to a check.

George W. Powell blew out his brains at Freeport, Ill., during his first visit at his father's home in eight years.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

Senator Cullom's resolution appealing to the European powers for concerted action to put an end to the Armenian massacres was adopted by the senate Friday after a spirited debate.

The House committee on foreign affairs adopted the diplomatic and consular bill.

The Choctaw national convention will ask congress for one more year to urge allotment of land equally upon the Indians.

The conference of silver leaders at Washington decided to form a national party with the object of securing the coinage of that metal at the ratio of 16 to 1. Their national convention will be held at St. Louis on the same date as the populist meeting.

MISCELLANEOUS.

E. D. Rood, a well-known turfman, dropped dead from heart failure at Pana, Ill. He was 63 years of age.

Mrs. Elizabeth Clearwater, widow of the late Dr. Jacob Clearwater, died at Litchfield, Ill., aged 73 years.

Lindley Hoffman Chapin, the millionaire New York clubman, died in that city of heart failure.

Vergie Copley fell dead of heart disease at Danville, Ind., while playing a parlor game with his sisters.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the distillers' association at Peoria, Ill., it was decided to make no change in prices at the present time.

John Tyler, the eldest son of President Tyler, died at Washington, aged 76 years.

Mrs. Betsy Moody, mother of Dwight L. Moody, the evangelist, died at her home at East Northfield, Mass. Mrs. Moody lacked but a few weeks of being 91 years old.

John Russell Young, ex-Minister to China, returns this week to the United States, having completed his prolonged study of the Mexican battle fields, in which Gen. Grant distinguished himself in the war of 1847.

The American line steamship St. Paul grounded near Sandy Hook, N. Y., early Saturday morning. She is not badly damaged and will be floated by the end of the week.

It is said an attempt is being made to unite the Populist and Prohibitionist forces in the state of Michigan for the fall campaign. The plan is to have them unite on one platform with one plank, that to be the initiative and referendum.

It is rumored that Colonel R. E. A. Crofton, commander of the Fifteenth regiment of infantry at Fort Sheridan, Ill., has been asked to retire from the army.

The Indiana state supreme court has decided a case involving a vast amount of land in Lake county. The decision gives the disputed land to Edward Roby.

Dun's review of trade reports business in an unsatisfactory condition, and blames the United States senate for its delay in acting on important legislation.

Mrs. Lease, the Kansas woman suffragist, is seriously ill with pneumonia at Windom, Minn., at the home of E. J. Weillike, a populist member of the legislature.

Supervisors of Jasper county, Iowa, are considering plans for a poor house.

Mrs. Judge Scott, sister-in-law of General Harrison, who was assaulted at Seattle by an insane domestic, is recovering. Her assailant has disappeared.

Judge Lacombe, in the United States circuit court at New York, adjourned the hearing in the matter of the appointment of receivers for the Northern Pacific railway until February 7.

The State veterinarian of Indiana has discovered a case of glanders among the horses in Johnson township.

Citizens of Bangor, Mich., have formed an improvement association to secure the location of manufacturing establishments.

Francis Bloodgood, of Milwaukee, has been appointed by Gov. Altgeld commissioner of deeds for the State of Illinois in Wisconsin.

LATEST MARKET REPORTS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—Com. to prime	\$1.40	@4.75
Hogs	2.75	@4.20
Sheep—Good to choice	1.75	@3.65
Wheat—No. 2	.58	@.59
Corn—No. 2	.26	@.27
Oats	.17	@.18
Rye	.40	@.41
Eggs	.16	@.17
Potatoes	.15	@.23
Butter	.07	@.19

MILWAUKEE.

Wheat—No. 2 spring	.58	@.59
Corn—No. 3	.26	@.27
Oats—No. 3 white	.19	@.20
Barley—No. 2	.34	@.35
Rye—No. 1	.39	@.40
Rye—No. 2	.36	@.37
Corn—No. 3	.25	@.26
Oats—No. 2	.18	@.19

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle	1.50	@4.25
Hogs	3.80	@4.05
Sheep	2.50	@3.60

TOLEDO.

Wheat—No. 2	.68	@.69
Corn—No. 2 mixed	.27	@.28
Oats—No. 2 mixed	.19	@.20

IOWA FARMERS FIGHT

PIERCE BATTLE NEAR PALON, GREENE COUNTY.

John Fleck and Son Attack John Brown at His Home—The Latter Saved from Death by His Sons—Two of the Participants May Die.

The bloodiest episode in the history of Greene county, Iowa, was enacted near Palon Sunday night. As John Brown, a respected and peaceable farmer, was sitting in his home about 9 o'clock there was a knock at the door. Supposing a neighbor had come to spend an hour he opened the door, only to look into the muzzle of a double-barreled shotgun leveled by his neighbor, John Fleck. Quick as lightning he knocked aside the weapon and jumped upon his assailant; the gun fell without having been discharged and the two men grappled and went down. At this juncture a new factor appeared on the scene in the person of George, the 17-year-old son of John Fleck, who had accompanied his father upon his murderous errand. George carried a six-shooter in each hand, and was no sooner in the house than he began firing. Brown was shot in the cheek and Fleck received a bullet through his hand.

Scarcely had the echo of the shots died away when John, eldest son of Brown, entered the house, and young Fleck began pumping lead into him. One bullet took effect in the breast, just above the heart, and another carried away a big chunk of skin from his forehead. At this moment Jim, the youngest son of Brown, a lad of only 16 years, attracted by the firing, entered the room. Realizing the situation, he grabbed a stick of stove-wood and knocked the revolvers from Fleck's hand. John Brown, Jr., although desperately wounded, reached for one of the revolvers and shot George Fleck in the back just as he started to run. Jim followed and caught him, clubbing him until he was insensible.

Meantime the fearful struggle between the old men continued, and Jim returned to the house just in time to save his father from being choked to death. He dealt Fleck a blow on the head, rendering him insensible, and then turned his attention to his injured brother. As soon as the elder Brown recovered sufficiently to take a hand he seized a bottle containing powder that had fallen from Fleck's overcoat pocket and smashed it over the latter's head. Then, seizing the jagged bottle, he punched and gouged at the latter's face and head until it was literally a mass of pulp.

Within a few moments the neighbors, attracted by the shots, came to the scene. They found old man Fleck lying in the middle of the room, his head on a pillow and his feet and arms chained with a log chain. He was unconscious and a frightful sight. George Fleck was found insensible in the road, shot through the body, and Mary Brown, the daughter, who had been milking at the time the affray commenced, was found in the cow yard, where she had been knocked over with a milking stool by one of the Flecks before they came to the house.

It is thought John Brown, Jr., and the elder Fleck cannot survive. The

elder Brown and George Fleck, though badly used up, will recover, and Mary Brown's injuries were not serious. The Flecks will be placed in jail to await the action of the grand jury as soon as they are able, if both of them ever are, for when John Fleck is moved it will probably be to the cemetery.

The motive for the attack is not known. The Flecks bear a hard name, and it is asserted that the neighbors, among them the Browns, have accused them of chicken stealing. It is also stated by the neighbors that the Flecks, while on their way to Brown's Sunday night, remarked at a couple of places where they stopped a few moments that they would shoot Brown or die. The latter and his family are honest and peaceable.

TO PARTITION TURKEY.

Rumor that Russia Is Preparing to Move in the Spring.

London, Jan. 28.—The Daily News prints a dispatch from Vienna which asserts that news has been received there from Constantinople and Sebastopol which agrees that Russia has a fleet lying at Sebastopol and at Odessa, and that the Caucasian armies of Russia are being concentrated upon the Armenian frontier in readiness to move next spring to realize the plans of Peter the Great for the partition of Turkey between the powers, Russia taking Armenia and Constantinople, France taking Syria and Palestine, and Great Britain taking Egypt and the eastern shores of the Persian gulf, the remainder of the Turkish empire to be divided among the other powers.

The Daily News has a dispatch from Sebastopol which records that secret preparations are going forward there of shipping armaments for a volunteer fleet. It is the general belief there, this dispatch affirms, that these preparations foreshadow some action in the spring.

Constantinople, Jan. 28.—There is a rumor here that Russia is arranging with the sultan for the occupation of Armenia, but it is not confirmed by any discoverable signs and is discredited in diplomatic circles.

London, Jan. 28.—The Chronicle has an editorial recalling the success which attended President Jefferson's sending a fleet to Algiers and advocates the great powers formally inviting the United States to send a fleet to Turkey. "The mere sight of such a formidable display," says the Chronicle, "would suffice to bring the sultan to his senses." If, however, action were needed, the Chronicle urges that the British fleet should co-operate.

Susan B. Anthony Re-elected.

Washington, Jan. 28.—At the woman suffrage meeting officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: President, Susan B. Anthony (re-elected unanimously); vice-president-at-large, Anna Howard Shaw, re-elected; corresponding secretary, Rachael Foster Avery, recording secretary, Alice Stone Blackwell; treasurer, Harriet Taylor Upton; first auditor, Miss Laura Gay; second auditor, Mrs. Anna Diggs.

Germany's Claim on Venezuela.

Berlin, Jan. 28.—It is semi-officially announced that the German minister at Caracas has presented a note to the Venezuelan government, demanding payment of the guarantee fund due to German subjects as a result of the building of the Great Venezuelan railway.

PRESIDENT TYLER'S SON.

John Tyler, Who Died Amid Poverty Near Washington, D. C., Sunday Afternoon.



NEWS OF ILLINOIS.

A RECORD OF THE DOINGS OF SEVEN DAYS.

Some Social, Religious, Political, Literary, Matrimonial, Criminal and Miscellaneous Happenings That Have Taken Place Since Our Last Issue.

John Casey, a Morris farmer, has been stricken with hydrophobia, the result of a dog bite.

William Evans, a stock raiser of Herk, has mysteriously disappeared. It is believed he was murdered.

The two-year-old daughter of William Dodson of Mount Auburn fell into an open fireplace and was burned to death.

The Odd Fellows of Springfield held their annual celebration. J. S. Miller of Springfield and Grand Representative E. S. Conway of Chicago made addresses, followed by a banquet.

Trainmen on the Effingham accommodation report that at Pierron, a small station on the Vandalla line west, a lot of wood choppers who were camping in the woods got on a spree. One of the number would not imbibe as freely as the rest desired. They finally stripped him of his clothing and held him on a hot stove. Not satisfied with this, they took a red hot poker and rubbed it up and down his back, burning deep furrows in his flesh and finished the fiendish work by taking molasses and flour and smearing it over his entire body.

William Cousins, a farm hand, was fatally injured in the timber near Champaign while attempting to discharge a blast of dynamite. The explosion hurled him thirty-five feet. He was taken to the hospital and it is thought he will not live. He was sent to the penitentiary twenty-five years ago on the charge of having murdered a boy whom he met hunting in the woods. Gov. Altgeld pardoned him last fall. It is a peculiar fact that the accident which will cost his life occurred within 100 feet of where the murder of the boy was committed.

Ex-Congressman W. S. Foreman of East St. Louis is letting it be known that some one besides Ben T. Cable was interested in William R. Morrison as a presidential candidate. Most of the Chicago leaders do not like Mr. Cable, and for that reason he was not cordially supported when he brought Mr. Morrison out as a candidate. Mr. Foreman spent a day in Chicago in consultation with the politicians this week. When he had ended his conferences he said he found nothing that would be discouraging to Mr. Morrison. All the silver democrats, he said, would be with him, as well as the gold men. He believed that should Vice-President Stevenson become a candidate and make a fight for the state delegation, Morrison could defeat him in the contest.

A braid of brown hair, one end of which was neatly tied with a red silk ribbon, is in the possession of Capt. John Mahoney, of the Desplaines street police station, Chicago. The owner is thought to live in the vicinity of West Adams street and Center avenue and officers are searching for her. The tresses were found in an alley near Center avenue and West Adams street by a boy. Late Tuesday night a telephone message was sent to the Desplaines street station saying the man who has caused so much worry among school girls and their parents had made his appearance in Center avenue near West Adams street. He had attacked a young girl and had cut off a braid of her hair with a pair of scissors. The police, however, could find no trace of the man or girl.

The decision of the secretary of state that the new law governing the incorporation of companies and increases in capital stock of existing corporations applied with regard to such increases both to companies before as well as after the passage of the act last spring, is causing much litigation. The question at issue involves the possession of fully \$50,000 so far collected by the state under the provisions of the act. Some time ago the Columbia Construction Company of Chicago, wishing to increase its capital stock from \$2,000,000 to \$5,000,000, tendered Secretary of State Hinrichsen the old fee of \$1. The secretary ruled that the fee provided for under the new law, amounting to \$3,100, would have to be paid. The company then applied to the attorney-general for an opinion, which was rendered, confirming the position it has assumed. Secretary Hinrichsen declined to be governed by the opinion of Attorney-General Moloney, and the Columbia Construction Company has gone into the Supreme Court through its attorneys and asked leave to file a petition for a writ of mandamus to compel the secretary of state to file its certificate of increase. The attorney-general having rendered an opinion contrary to the ruling of the secretary of state, cannot, of course, appear for him, and Mr. Hinrichsen has employed his own counsel to defend the suit. The statute now in force was passed by the last legislature, with the usual provision that "all acts and parts of acts in conflict with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed."

A lodge of the Patriots of America has been organized at Gordon.

The attorney general decides that the state law governing the running at large of live stock cannot be affected by the optional vote of any village or township.

The state board of railroad and warehouse commissioners has heard the complaints of the Illinois State Millers' Association against the railroads of the state, charging them with discrimination in freight rates in favor of northwestern millers. Committees were present from the millers and the railroad companies, and after both sides had been heard further consideration was postponed until a committee of arbitration could meet and attempt an amicable settlement of the matters at issue. It is agreed that the matter is one of the most important considered by the state board this season. The people of Northern and Central Illinois are especially interested.

A new east and west through railroad route is soon to be opened up, to the great advantage of the central portion of the state. The Quincy, Omaha & Kansas City Railroad, running from West Quincy to Trenton, Mo., has virtually been transferred to a syndicate composed of Drexel & Co., Gilman, Son & Co., and the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Trust Company. The deal was effected by the purchase of about \$1,500,000 of the preferred bonds of the company. This lien will be foreclosed and the syndicate thus take possession and reorganize. The road will at once gain entrance to Kansas City and St. Joseph, and a new line will be built from Trenton to Pattonsburg to connect with the Omaha & St. Louis road. A new line will also be built from Quincy to Decatur, paralleling the Wabash and connecting with the Indianapolis, Decatur & Western. This will make another through trunk line from Kansas City, Omaha and Quincy to the seaboard. Bondholders of the present company have been operating the road for several years, and Manager Savin has built it up into good property. These shareholders will be paid in cash or shares in the new company. The deal is the most important one in railway circles of the season. The general offices of the company are now in Quincy, and will probably remain there until after the reorganization.

The grand jury, which ended a ten days' session at Ottawa last week, covered a much greater scope than was ever attempted, by a similar body there. They not only indicted the saloon-keepers in several cities and towns who have persistently violated the law by keeping their places open Sunday, but the mayor or president of the village board of these places has also been indicted. In the list of indictments are: Frederick W. Matthiessen, mayor of La Salle, millionaire zinc manufacturer; Andrew Hebel, mayor of Peru, a wealthy brewer; John Tollman, president village board of Kangley, foreman of the Star Coal company; Samuel J. Russell, president of the village board of Utica. The grand jury in a lengthy report on the subject says: "There can be no evidence of persistent violation of law against the law breaking class of any community which does not equally testify to the insufficiency, neglect, or misconduct of local officers. Holding conscientiously to these opinions, the grand jury submits the following indictments and recommends that hereafter when it is found necessary to punish saloon keepers for frequent and open violation of the law, the officers of such communities wherein these violations occur be also held to strict accountability." In addition to the usual indictments for criminal offenses every saloon keeper of La Salle, Peru, Utica and Kangley was indicted.

The comptroller of the currency has made a statement of the condition of 199 national banks in Illinois, exclusive of Chicago, at the close of business December 13. The individual deposits amounted to \$44,868,525. This is a decrease of a trifle less than \$3,000,000 since September 28, when the last previous report was made. The loans and discounts in December aggregated \$49,172,208, which is about \$1,000,000 less than the loans and discounts in September. The individual deposits of the twenty-one national banks in Chicago alone exceed by \$20,000,000 the deposits in the other national banks of the state, and the loans and discounts are \$40,000,000 greater. The 199 Illinois banks outside of Chicago now hold \$2,942,841 in gold coin, which is about \$220,000 less than the sum of gold in the same banks in September. These banks now hold \$342,300 in gold treasury certificates, or about \$13,000 more than they held in September. The silver dollars now number \$261,797, against \$217,334 in September, while the silver treasury certificates amount to \$267,976, against \$302,642 in September. The indebtedness of the Illinois banks to other national banks is \$410,594, while there is due to Illinois banks from reserve agents and other national banks, \$7,573,338. Their indebtedness to state banks is \$1,734,683, and from state banks, \$415,449. The total specie holdings of the Illinois banks December 13 were \$4,016,341 and their total holdings of legal tender notes was \$1,564,236. The average reserve held was 27.31 per cent.

FROM WASHINGTON.

THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE LIVTH CONGRESS.

A Brief Report of the Doings in Upper and Lower Houses of the National Legislature — The Work of a Week Condensed.

Thirty-eighth Session. The Turkish-Armenian resolution was then called up by Mr. Cullom. The senator spoke of the serious conditions prevailing in Turkey, saying he was appalled by the carnival of blood prevailing. A Turkish army had bayoneted, robbed, murdered and flayed alive the people of Armenia. There was no war, but a pitiless, merciless tornado of ruin, bloodshed and death. The demon of fanaticism had been let loose. There was a responsibility somewhere. It did not rest with the slavish ruler of Turkey, the sultan. Back of this were the

man empire, and that Christians should be protected from the Kurds, we had the right to summon those powers before the high court of good faith to explain why they rested idly while 10,000 Christian homes were destroyed, while men and women were murdered, women dishonored and children sold into bondage because they refused to cry out that Mahomet was the great prophet.

After transacting some minor business relating to the District of Columbia the house at 4:55 p. m. adjourned.

Mr. Baker (rep., Kan.) presented a petition from Mrs. Waller, wife of the United States ex-consul in Madagascar, reciting her husband's arrest, his trial by a drum-head court and his transportation in chains to a French prison, and asking congress to take suitable action.

At 1 o'clock Mr. Hansbrough (rep., N. D.) addressed the senate on the resolution instructing the secretary of agriculture to execute the law concerning the distribution of seeds, etc. Mr. Hansbrough severely criticised the se-

SUSAN B. ANTHONY.

Presiding Officer of the National Woman's Suffrage Association in Session at Washington.



disputes of the countries of the European alliance, seeking their territorial advantages. These countries were responsible. The sultan was but a puppet in their hands. It was a matter of regret and embarrassment, continued Mr. Cullom, that the policy of the United States was such as to prevent the sending of a fleet to Turkish waters to put a stop to the bloody rule prevailing. But Europe had assumed the obligation of protection to Armenia. It was amazing to the people of the United States to witness this appalling slaughter, and at the same time to see the indifference of the Christian powers. There was a double obligation upon Great Britain, and yet nothing had been done to stay the hand of the sultan except by fruitless diplomatic correspondence. The powers, said Mr. Cullom, appear to be waiting for the dissolution of the Ottoman empire, but he expressed doubt as to the reported alliance between Russia and Turkey.

The free-coinage bill was then laid before the senate and Mr. Baker (rep., Kan.) addressed the senate in support of an amendment offered by him to confine the coinage of silver to the American product. Mr. Baker declared it to be his opinion that the questions of tariff and finance would be settled unaided and alone by the republican party. Concerning the coinage of American silver the senator said it would give employment to idle laborers and would lead to the gradual healthful expansion of our primary or redemption money.

Thirty-Ninth Session.

When the passage of the senate Armenian resolution was announced Mr. Quigg moved that the senate resolution be substituted for that of the house. He made a brief statement of the facts which called upon congress to express its indignation at the situation in Asia Minor. It was not necessary for us, he said, to inquire into the motives which actuated a European power which cheered the outrages in Turkey with one hand and upheld the sultan with the other. But, since European powers in the name of government and humanity had pledged the sultan, and he had acknowledged the pledge, that liberty and conscience and freedom of worship should exist in every part of the Otto-

retary of agriculture for the alleged failure to distribute seeds in accordance with the law. At 2 o'clock the Hansbrough resolution went over until today and the silver-bond bill was taken up. Mr. Nelson (rep., Minn.) addressed the senate for the first time. He said the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 by the United States alone at this time and under existing conditions would destroy the last vestige and last hope of genuine bimetallicism, and would reduce us to a state of silver monometallism, with Mexico, China and Japan as our chief metallic money associates.

Mr. Bacon (dem., Ga.) followed, it being his first speech since he entered the senate. He compared gold monometallism with the true bimetallicism, viz.: silver and gold as primary money. The evidences were abundant that gold alone was not sufficient for all redemption purposes. The United States continued paying gold only by continual borrowing at a ruinous cost. Of the seven great powers only Great Britain and Germany had sufficient gold to maintain gold payments. At the present time the United States stood begging the world for gold, although the richest nation on the globe. "We are rapidly becoming vassals of Great Britain," said Mr. Bacon. "Bonds are being issued for the sole purpose of maintaining the single gold standard." Mr. Bacon expressed his belief that there was no law warranting the issue of bonds, and if there was it should be repealed. He showed a cost of \$4,000,000 annually to the state of Georgia in meeting its share of bond obligations incurred by the government.

Mr. Lodge (rep., Mass.) offered an amendment to the pending bond-silver bill, providing for an issue of \$100,000,000 of bonds for coast defense purposes, the issue to be 3 per cent twenty-year bonds. Mr. Lodge said the amendment had no bearing on the main financial issue involved, but was merely a practical plan to build the necessary coast defenses.

Lasker Wins Chess Championship. St. Petersburg, Jan. 28.—Yesterday the chess tournament was ended. Lasker took the first, Steinitz the second, Pillsbury the third, and Tchigorin the fourth prize.

CHICAGO THEATERS.

AMUSEMENT ATTRACTIONS FOR COMING WEEK.

What the Managers of the Various City Play-Houses Offer Their Patrons—Drama, Vaudeville and Operatic Engagements.

McVICKER'S THEATER.—Conspicuous among this season's theatrical attractions is Frederick Bancroft's the Prince of Magicians, dazzling spectacular production of magic that he brings to McVicker's Theater for a week's engagement beginning Sunday, Jan. 26. The press in all the cities where Mr. Bancroft has appeared this season have given him unqualified praise, not only for his own feats of legerdemain, but for his magnificent artistic spectacle that we are assured has never before been attempted by any magician. But in order to give a variety to his program, Mr. Bancroft has engaged, as his aides in the entertainment, a number of clever specialty artists selected with a view to their fitness with the Oriental surroundings. The performance is given in four parts and two transformation tableaux. Every item of the scenery has been made expressly for the representation. The first part scene represents the Magician's Palace of Fable, the second the Sultan's Palace, and the third act a picturesque scene in the Snow-Bound Arctic. The usual matinee Wednesday and Saturday will be given.

CHICAGO OPERA HOUSE.—"The Merry World" is entertaining the patrons of the Chicago Opera House, and it found great favor this week. Miss Marie Laurens, a young lady of sumptuous physique and possessing a good voice, is the new Mephisto; and Willard Simms plays D. Boucicault Simpkins, the impetuous dramatist, with grace and unction. Then there is the ever popular Lee Harrison, the droll and original David Warfield, the sprightly Jeanette Bageard, and last but not least, Miss Amelia Summerville in her famous characterization of Tribby and Mme. Sans-Gene. The scenic effects are brighter than when the entertainment was last presented here.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.—Mme. Modjeska commences an engagement next Monday evening Jan. 27. Her repertory will include "Mary Stuart," "Measure for Measure," "Macbeth," "Much Ado About Nothing," "Twelfth Night," "As You Like It," "Magda," "Camille" and "Mistress Betty." It is two years since Modjeska was last seen here. The revival of "Measure for Measure" will be made with a magnificent production. Modjeska and Adelaide Neilson are the only two actresses in the past twenty years who have appeared in "Measure for Measure."

HOOLEY'S.—Mr. Goodwin continues in "Ambition," and the third week opens next Monday night, Jan. 27th. Whatever may be thought of the play or of Mr. Goodwin's conception of Obadiah Beck as a legitimate study, there is no doubt at all that he is exceedingly funny in his new role, and fun is very much in demand at this particular time. For this reason Mr. Goodwin will probably be able to maintain this play in his repertory for a long time. There is medicine in a hearty laugh, and Mr. Goodwin seems to be amply supplied with this titillating nostrum.

SCHILLER.—"For Fair Virginia" runs all this week. It is a sterling play, powerful in patriotism, virile in passionate intensity, and strongly sustained in sentimental interest. As this public knows, it is from the pen of Russ Whytal, who has already achieved distinction from this, his premier, which lends rosette promise for his future as a dramatist. Mr. Whytal now plays the villain with as much satanic force and finish as he formerly gave the wholesome and ingenious air to the hero, which is a compliment to his versatility. Mrs. Whytal gives to the heroine the dignity and artistic distinction that justly won such marked commendation at the former engagement in this city. The cast is essentially the same as before, which means capability in all roles.

General Mention.

Managers Will J. Davis and Harry J. Powers left for New York yesterday on a business trip.

Miss Vernona Jarbeau and John E. Henshaw close their connection with "The Passing Show" this week, preferring to make this move rather than play at the Fountain Square theater, Cincinnati.

At the end of the play last Monday evening Mr. Goodwin appeared before the curtain and spoke in scathing terms of a paper that had accused him of gambling. He stated that the suit for damages against the newspaper, commenced during the day, would be pushed to the limit. Mr. Goodwin added that he intended to make Chicago his home and didn't propose to be slandered by any medium here or elsewhere. He further intimated that he might become interested in the ownership of Hooley's theater.

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CHURCH NOTICES.

THE EVANGELICAL SALEM.—Rev. T. Suhr, pastor. Services every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 9:15 a. m. Teachers' meeting Sunday at 6:45 p. m. Children's Mission Band meets every first Sunday in the month at 2:30 p. m. Young people's meeting Tuesday evenings at 7:30 o'clock. Prayer meetings Wednesday and Thursday evenings at 7:30 o'clock. Choir practice Friday evening at 7:30. On Saturdays the pastor holds school for the children of the congregation. Young People's Missionary Society meets first Tuesday in the month at 7:30 p. m. Women's Missionary Society first Thursday of every month 1:30 p. m. Mission Prayer meeting first Wednesday of every month at 1:30 p. m.

ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC.—Rev. J. F. Clancy, pastor. Services every alternate Sunday at 9 o'clock a. m.

GERMAN EVANGELICAL.—Rev. J. B. Elfrink, pastor. Services every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 9:00 a. m.

BAPTIST.—Services every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sabbath school at 12 m.

GERMAN EVANGELICAL ST. PAUL'S.—Rev. E. Rahn, pastor. Services every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Sabbath school at 9:30 a. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.—Rev. T. E. Ream, pastor. Services every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sabbath school at 12 m.; Junior League at 3 p. m.; Epworth League at 6:15 p. m.; Sunday school teachers' meeting Fridays at 7:30 p. m. at the parsonage; prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. in the church.

ODD NAMES AND OLD ONES.

What Parents Are Responsible For In Selecting Names For Tot.

Molly, Polly, Annie, Maggie, Peggie, Nancy and Nan are as much in vogue today as in the olden time, and in all probability will continue to be given as Christian names to baby girls for all time.

We do not find Frenchwomen taking their ancestors to task for bestowing upon them ungainly names, for the taste of the French in names is proverbial. There is no Peggie in the French tongue. When they tired of Mary, they changed it to the sweet name Marie. Ann became Annette, sprightly and bright.

Some parents refuse to give first names to their children, preferring that the children themselves should choose their own names. It is often a positive handicap to a man of parts to have an ineuphonious name. In many cases ignorant parents have gone wrong in their selection of names for their offspring, and more than once a girl baby has been called Jezebel and a boy baby Ananias. The Rev. James B. Walely, a Methodist minister, who preached many years in New York, told, with great enjoyment, of a lisping mother who took her baby to the font in the church to be christened. When the worthy divine took the child in his arms, preparatory to christening it, he asked the lisping mother what he should name it. The parent replied "Luci' thir." Indignantly the minister remarked:

"Lucifer! Lucifer! Never will I name a child that." Then he continued, as he sprinkled the water upon the brow of the girl baby, "George Washington, I baptize thee," etc., and the girl was thereafter so called.

It is a fact that fashion in names changes in cycles of less than a century. At present there seems to be a tendency toward odd names. Some of the popular ones are Dorothy, Rhoda, Edna and Angeline. Ada is quite common, and Almira comes down, it would appear, from the country towns to adorn city beauties. Agatha, Viola, Maude, Jessie, Olga, Odette, Olive, Inez, Isabel, Hortense, Rosalind, Beatrice, Naomi, Mignon, Mildred, Lillian, Leonora, Kathleen, Ida, Estelle, Gertrude, Gladys, Grace, Genevieve, Gabriella, Henrietta, Edith, Felice, Fedora, Frederica, Eunice, Florence, Eloisa, Emeline, Eleanor, Elsie, Effie, Doris, Eveleen, Cora, Cynthia,

Cloe, Cordelia, Beulan, Bertha, Blanche, Ruth, Veronica, are among the hundreds of uncommonly odd names, chosen not only for their oddness, but for their euphoniousness as well, while their meaning adds interest to them and makes the burden of their weight an easy load to carry.

A mother sometimes delights in perpetuating the name of her grandmother, who bore the name of her great-grandmother, and thus these very old names descend by the choice of the parent. Ann nowadays sounds harsh, and Betsy seems common. Betsy comes to be Bessie and Ann Annie, and an instance is known of Mindwell having the audacity to call herself Minnie. Jerusha has printed on her visiting cards Jennie, and Mehitable loves to hear herself styled Hitty.—New York World.

Progress Among the Negroes.

Nearly 20 years ago Rev. Dr. Bellows, making a commencement address to the students of Wilberforce university (colored) near Xenia, O., bade them cultivate their mouths. He exhorted them to hold their mouths closed and firm, and thereby they would in time chisel away the thick lips and loose facial muscles. Looking through the pages of Peterson's Magazine, in which Margherita Arlina Hamm describes the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute, the reader discovers from portraits of the teachers there that they at least have cultivated their mouths. They represent the product of the best culture among the African race in America. The result is distinctly pleasing. These men have clear, bright eyes; good, strong chins and are good to look upon. The bronze and ebony features have taken on a comeliness and regularity that can only come from intellectual development. The chins show that they can measure their powers against other men and not be afraid.

Booker T. Washington, the principal of the institute, has faithfully pursued his hobby of industrial education for the negro, and now he begins to reap his reward. There are between 1,100 and 1,200 students at the school, young men and women. Every year they go out trained workers in the best industrial methods and trades. Tuskegee institute has opened a new era for the black man.

The Bicycling Year.

The editor of Harper's Magazine calls 1895 the great bicycling year. He does not think that treading the wheel is a graceful performance for either men or women, but he is sure all the same that wheeling for both sexes has come to stay. Well, whether bicycling looks graceful depends on whether one is accustomed to seeing it. It looks well enough after people are used to it. But the editor protests powerfully against women on the wheel deforming their waists and their feet by tight lacing and toothpick shoes. The aesthetic editor speaks right out in meeting and says "corsets" plainly. He says the man who admires tight lacing ought to be put into corsets himself. The editor grows fairly eloquent in the following: "Women will never be really emancipated by the bicycle or the ballot until they free themselves from the two curses that enfeeble them and incapacitate them for the enjoyment of life—the tight corset and the misshapen shoe."

As to the war between skirts and bloomers he remarks:

Women are more graceful in bicycling than men because they sit more erect and have a regard for appearance, and do not hump the back and imitate the cunning attitude of the monkey on the ring pony. It is doubtful whether the skirt, which gives the rider the appearance of "wallowing" along, is any addition to the attractiveness of the wheel. Women may ride in tights, but it is certain that men never will adopt the skirt. It is too dangerous. Man has not courage to risk the complications of an overthrow in a skirt.

Burial Alive.

Burial alive is by no means so uncommon as we like to believe. Under the present laws of Great Britain no sworn certificate of death is required. A physician must declare what he believes to have been the cause of the death of a patient, but the fact of death need not be certified, nor so much as ascertained. In Germany all supposed corpses are either inspected several times by a local official or sent to a mortuary, where signs of life may be watched for. Authorities agree that decomposition is the only infallible sign of death, and urge delay in burial when there is room for doubt. "As a German," writes one gentleman, "I should be afraid to die in England (excuse the paradox) for fear of being buried alive."—London Tit-Bits.

Even in the flush California days there never was a gold region that built up more rapidly than Cripple Creek, with its 155 paying mines, has done.

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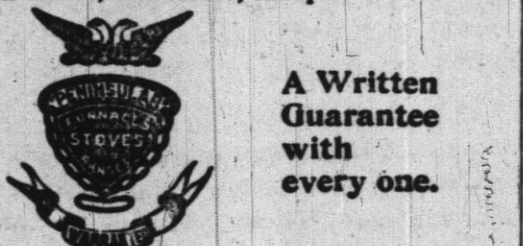
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WAUCONDA.

Mr. and Mrs. Joslyn visited with Mrs. Joslyn's parents, Judge and Mrs. H. B. Burritt, over Sunday.

Several changes in business circles contemplated for the spring. Do not forget to make announcements in THE REVIEW.

Miss Zoa Morse is rapidly convalescing.

Little Hattie and Master Frankie, two of Joe Glynn's children, are quite sick.

Mr. Stoneberger, of Chicago, made a flying call the other day.

C. L. Pratt spent Sunday with his family.

Ambrose Bangs and Mrs. Fannie Pratt spent a few days in Waukegan the first of the week.

G. C. Roberts and Wm. Gilbert, two of our business men, are on the sick list.

Mr. Worthington, of Harvard, spent Wednesday of last week here.

V. D. Kimball is running a meat market at Stoxen's old stand.

John Blank, foreman of The Leader office, realizes that there may be too much "pressing" in the press. He has two very sore fingers, which is the price of his discovery. THE REVIEW hopes that he will soon be able to resume his duties.

Mrs. V. D. Kimball is quite sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Hammond, of Chicago, visited with Mr. Andrew Oakes.

One of the future historians said in class the other day: "At the battle of Fredericksburg, Burnside tried to march his army around the Confederates so he could capture them in the rear."

Every man (of the feminine gender) talks of the disagreeable effluvia that comes from his neighbor's backyard, but his olfactory nerve generates no molecular motion at the disagreeable odor that arises from his own dominions.

Last Saturday Misses Laura Courtney and Mae Geary passed the examination in Waukegan, and now hold certificates to teach. The young ladies have been attending our village school here, and will continue till they open their spring terms. Wauconda sends out a larger per cent. of its pupils as teachers than any school in the county.

Miss Myrtle Dixon, of Barrington, spent Sunday with her mother.

Rev. Alger tendered his resignation to his congregation here, and leaves for a charge in Northern Iowa. Not only his own little flock but the people generally of the village and community, are reluctant to part with him. In his short stay here he has endeared himself to all. He is a strong and fearless preacher, and his highest ideal is to be like Him whose gospel he preaches. The good wishes and love of the people go with him. Last Wednesday evening, at the residence of Mrs. Frances M. Bangs, a grand reception was given in the reverend gentleman's honor. Seventy-five people, old and young, assembled and spent a very pleasant evening. The Wauconda band furnished some excellent music. Rev. Alger has become very popular with the young men, and many of them were out to bid him farewell.

When sorrows come, they come no single spies, But in battalions." The M. E. congregation are sorrowing that their pastor, Rev. Davidson, has been moved from this charge. He has only been here this conference year, and was just getting acquainted with our people. He is an earnest, talented young man, and will draw earnest people to him wherever he goes. At the residence of Mr. Henry Golding Rev. Davidson was given a royal reception. A host of friends gathered to bid goodbye and cheer him with expressions of gratitude and love for his good works among us.

May Wauconda be successful in securing men who can fill the places made vacant by the resignation of these two noble pastors.

THOMPSON'S COLT.

CARY WHISPERINGS.

Miss Grimm, of Chicago, organized a juvenile temple here Friday of last week.

The following officers were elected by the I. O. G. T. lodge Wednesday evening, January 29th: C. T. Matie

Nish; V. T., Francis Munshaw; secretary, Florence Kerns; treasurer, Ada Smith; financial secretary, Wilson Smith; M., Mildred Lawson; G., Frank Breane, sentinel. Mary Tomisky; D. M. Kerns; superintendent of J. T., Nettie Tomisky; L. D., N. B. Kerns.

Mrs. John Tomisky, of Harvard, is spending a few days at the home of F. Tomisky's.

THE REVIEW will consider it a special favor if our readers will mention our paper when they make a purchase of goods advertised in this paper.

Miss Dora Dodd spent Wednesday with Mayme Boomer.

Mrs. Coss and Miss Florence Kerns were Nunda callers Friday of last week.

Rev. Rilbert, of Evanston, filled the M. E. pulpit Sunday.

A large delegation of Good Templars attended the county lodge at Ridgefield Saturday.

F. Tomisky, sr., is on the sick list.

Clyde Dugan and bride are spending a few days at the home of John McManaman.

Mrs. Garben visited Chicago Wednesday.

Don't forget that THE REVIEW can print you wedding invitations at the lowest figures. Work done with new type, and the stock is the finest obtainable.

Miss Fay Brink, of Crystal Lake, spent a part of last week at the home of S. R. Brown.

George Spragne was home Sunday evening.

CUBA.

When in the course of human life, Five things observe with care: Of whom you speak, to whom you speak. How, when and where.

Otis Murray, of Volo, visited relatives in Cuba Sunday.

James Courtney shipped a number of cattle from Lake Zurich Friday.

A stupid young man, supposed to be cracked-brained, who was slighted by the girls, very modestly asked a young lady if she would let him spend the evening with her? "No," she angrily replied, "That's what I won't!" "Why," replied he, "you needn't be so funny; 'I didn't mean this evening, but some stormy one, when I can't go anywhere else.'" See!

Miss Estella Grace visited relatives in Park Ridge Saturday and Sunday.

Fremont Curr and family were guests at the home of Wm. Toynton Sunday.

M. C. McIntosh has money to loan. Small amounts on short time preferred. Call at his Barrington office.

James Grace, Sr., who was violently thrown to the earth from a load of straw, Wednesday, is slowly improving under the skillful care of Dr. Wells.

A gushing, but ungrammatical editor says: "We have received a basket of fine grapes from our friend, Mr. Thompson, for which he will please accept our compliments, some of which are nearly one inch thick."

Miss Nellie Donlea visited relatives in Volo the first of the week.

John Daily's children are convalescent.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Wells, January 11th, a boy.

J. D. Lamey & Co. are headquarters for window glass, mixed paints, oils, varnishes, etc. They have a large stock; therefore you can always find just what you want there.

V. E. Davlin is able to navigate once more. BEN BOLT.

A very oily tongued individual is making the country selling pianos. He represents a first-class company and sells the instruments at exceedingly low prices. The payments are to be made in two-dollar monthly assessments. Of course he collects the first two dollars, and the donator never sees him again.

It is safe to say that many of the politicians who are carting booms to Springfield will not be charged for excess baggage on their return trip.

At the love feast in Springfield not the least important of the courses will be soup.

The love feast of the republicans is likely to leave some of the banqueters with incurable dyspepsia.

There is a grave suspicion that some unregenerate son of Belial wet the fuses of the McKinley fireworks at Springfield this week.

Not a few who read what Mr. Robert Rowls, of Hollands, Va., has to say below, will remember their own experience under like circumstances: "Last winter I had lagrippe which left me in a low state of health. I tried numerous remedies, none of which did me any good, until I was induced to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. The first bottle of it so far relieved me that I was enabled to attend to my work, and the second bottle effected a cure." For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by A. L. Waller, druggist.

All the gold-standard democratic colonels in the legislature of the Blue Grass state have united in supporting for the senate Col. Henry Watterson, the famous orator with the silver tongue and custodian of the Star-Eyed Goddess.

It will be an agreeable surprise to persons subject to attacks of bilious colic to learn that prompt relief may be had by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. In many instances the attack may be prevented by taking this remedy as soon as the first symptoms of the disease appear. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by A. L. Waller, druggist.

"Out of nineteen leading republicans of Plainville, Wis." says the telegraph, "fifteen have expressed themselves in favor of McKinley for president!" That settles it.

For a pain in the chest a piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on over the seat of the pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, will afford prompt relief. This is especially valuable in cases where the pain is caused by a cold and there is a tendency toward pneumonia. For sale by A. L. Waller, druggist.

A man who died yesterday left a letter to be sent to his sister, whose name he didn't know. The old adage, that it is a wise man who knows his own father, will have to be brought up to date.

Many merchants are well aware that their customers are their best friends and take pleasure in supplying them with the best goods obtainable. As an instance we mention Perry & Camoron, prominent druggists of Flushing, Michigan. They say: "We have no hesitation in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to our customers, as it is the best cough medicine we ever sold, and always give satisfaction." For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by A. L. Waller, druggist.

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William Gilbride, of Assumption, Ill., writes: "Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is the best remedy I have ever used for stomach troubles....I never felt better in my life, and I think every family should keep it on hand. It does more than is claimed for it." Sold by A. L. Waller, druggist.

A Chicago alderman's signature has been forged!! Respectfully submitted as a timely tip to County Commissioner McNichols.

A TRUE SAYING.

It has been said that habitual constipation is the cause of fully one-half the diseases that flesh is heir to. Keep your bowels regulated by Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, and your system will be in proper condition to keep off diseases of all kinds. Get a sample bottle (10 doses 10 cents) of A. L. Waller, druggist, and you will bless the day you did.

As to Candidate Hertz, it seems almost a pity to waste a state treasure-ship on a man who can make \$1,300 a month as special assessment commissioner.

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Should be closely watched and regulated by mothers. Carelessness in childhood often leads to serious troubles in after life. The digestive organs and bowels should be kept in the best possible condition to insure good health, not only for the present, but for years to come. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, a harmless but potent remedy, corrects all such evils in children. Twenty doses (for children) 10c. at A. L. Waller, druggist.

Wisconsin prohibitionists have called their convention to meet at Clear Water. What was the matter with Ryeville?

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CHAPTER XI.—(CONTINUED).

"What an honest man should do. I will write to all our clients and creditors, assemble them, lay the whole matter before them, read them the letter and put myself absolutely in their hands."

"That's it, boy—yardarm to yardarm and have it over."

"I must go at once." He put on his top-coat and his hat. "But I have ten minutes yet before I can catch the train. There is one little thing which I must do before I start."

He had caught sight through the long glass folding door of the gleam of a white blouse and a straw hat in the tennis ground. Clara used often to meet him there of a morning to say a few words before he hurried away into the city. He walked out now with the quick, firm step of a man who has taken a momentous resolution, but his face was haggard and his lips pale.

"Clara," said he, as she came toward him with words of greeting, "I am sorry to bring ill news to you, but things have gone wrong in the city, and I think I ought to release you from your engagement."

Clara stared at him with her great questioning dark eyes, and her face became as pale as his.

"How can the city affect you and me, Harold?"

"It is dishonor. I cannot ask you to share it."

"Dishonor! The loss of some miserable gold and silver coins?"

"Oh, Clara, if it were only that! We could be far happier together in a little cottage in the country than with all the riches of the city. Poverty could not cut me to the heart, as I have been out this morning. Why, it is but twenty minutes since I had the letter, Clara, and it seems to me to be some old, old thing which happened far away in my past life, some horrid black cloud which shut out all the freshness and the peace from it."

"But what is it, then? What do you fear worse than poverty?"

"To have debts that I cannot meet. To be hammered down upon change and declared a bankrupt. To know that others have a just claim upon me and to feel that I dare not meet their eyes. Is not that worse than poverty?"

"Yes, Harold, a thousand fold worse! But all this may be got over. Is there nothing more?"

"My partner has fled and left me responsible for heavy debts, and in such a position that I may be required by the law to produce some at least of this missing money. It has been confided to me to invest, and he has embezzled it. I, as his partner, am liable for it. I have brought misery on all whom I love—my father, my mother. But you at least shall not be under the shadow. You are free, Clara. There is no tie between us."

"It takes two to make such a tie, Harold," said she, smiling and putting her hand inside his arm. "It takes two to make it, dear, and also two to break it. Is that the way they do business in the city, sir, that a man can always at his own sweet will tear up his engagement?"

"You hold me to it, Clara?"

"No creditor so remorseless as I, Harold. Never, never, shall you get from that bond."

"But I am ruined. My whole life is blasted."

"And so you wish to ruin me, and blast my life also. No, indeed, sir, you shall not get away so lightly. But seriously now, Harold, you would hurt me if it were not so absurd. Do you think a woman's love is like this sunshine which I carry in my hand, a thing only fitted for the sunshine, and of no use when the winds blow and the clouds gather?"

"I would not drag you down, Clara."

"Should I not be dragged down indeed if I left your side at such a time? It is only now that I can be of use to you, help you, sustain you. You have always been so strong, so above me. You are strong still, but then two will be stronger. Besides, sir, you have no idea what a woman of business I am. Papa says so, and he knows."

Harold tried to speak, but his heart was too full. He could only press the white hand which curled round his elbow. She walked up and down by his side, prattling merrily, and sending little gleams of cheerfulness through the gloom which girt him in. To listen to her he might have thought it was Ida, and not her staid and demure sister, who was chatting to him.

"It will soon be cleared up," she said, "and then we shall feel quite dull. Of course all business men have these little ups and downs. Why, I suppose of all the men you meet upon 'change, there is not one who has not some such story to tell. If everything was always smooth, you know, then of course every one would turn stockbroker, and you would have to hold your meetings in Hyde Park. How much is it that you need?"

"More than I can ever get. Not less than thirteen thousand pounds."

Clara's face fell as she heard the amount. What do you propose doing?"

"I shall go to the city now, and I shall ask all our creditors to meet me tomorrow. I shall read them Pearson's letter, and put myself into their hands."

"And they, what will they do?"

"What can they do? They will serve writs for their money, and the firm will be declared bankrupt."

"And the meeting will be to-morrow, you say. Will you take my advice?"

"What is it, Clara?"

"To ask them for a few days of delay. Who knows what new turn matters may take?"

"What turn can they take? I have no means of raising the money."

"Let us have a few days."

"Oh, we should have that in the ordinary course of business. The legal formalities would take them some little time. But I must go, Clara. I must not seem to shrink. My place now must be at my offices."

"Yes, dear, you are right. God bless you and guard you! I shall be here in The Wilderness, but all day I shall be by your office table at Throgmorton street in spirit, and if ever you should be sad you will hear my little whisper in your ear, and know that there is one client whom you will never be able to get rid of—never as long as we both live, dear."

CHAPTER XII.

FRIENDS IN NEED.



"OW, PAPA," SAID Clara that morning, wrinkling her brows and putting her finger-tips together with the air of an experienced person of business, "I want to have a talk to you about money matters."

"Yes, my dear."

He laid down his paper and looked a question.

"Kindly tell me again, papa, how much money I have in my very own right. You have often told me before, but I always forget figures."

"You have two hundred and fifty pounds a year, under your aunt's will."

"And Ida?"

"Ida has one hundred and fifty."

"Now, I think I can live very well on fifty pounds a year, papa. I am not very extravagant, and I could make my own dresses if I had a sewing-machine."

"Very likely, dear."

"In that case I have two hundred a year which I could do without."

"If it were necessary."

"But it is necessary. Oh, do help me, like a good, dear, kind papa, in this matter, for my whole heart is set upon it. Harold is in sore need of money, and through no fault of his own."

With a woman's tact and eloquence, she told the whole story. "Put yourself in my place, papa. What is the money to me? I never think of it from year's end to year's end. But now I know how precious it is. I could not have thought that money could be so valuable. See what I can do with it. It may help to save him. I must have it by to-morrow. Oh, do, do advise me as to what I should do, and how I should get the money."

The doctor smiled at her eagerness. "You are as anxious to get rid of money as others are to gain it," said he. "In another case I might think it rash, but I believe in your Harold, and I can see that he has had villainous treatment. You will let me deal with the matter."

"You, papa?"

"It can be done best between men. Your capital, Clara, is some five thousand pounds, but it is out on a mortgage and you could not call it in."

"Oh, dear! oh, dear!"

"But we can still manage. I have as much at my bank. I will advance it to the Denvers as coming from you, and you can repay it to me, or the interest of it, when your money becomes due."

"Oh, that is beautiful! How sweet and kind of you!"

"But there is one obstacle: I do not think that you would ever induce Harold to take this money."

Clara's face fell. "Don't you think so, really?"

"I am sure that he would not."

"Then what are you to do? What horrid things money matters are to arrange!"

"I shall see his father. We can manage it all between us."

"Oh, do, do, papa! And you will do it soon?"

"There is no time like the present. I will go in at once." He scribbled a cheque, put it in an envelope, put on his broad straw hat, and strolled in through the garden to pay his morning call.

It was a singular sight which met his eyes as he entered the sitting-room of the admiral. A great sea chest stood open in the center, and all round upon the carpet were little piles of jerseys, oil-skins, books, sextant boxes, instruments and sea boots. The old seaman sat gravely amidst this lumber, turning it over, and examining it intently, while his wife, with the tears running quietly down her ruddy cheeks, sat upon the sofa, her elbows upon her knees

and her chin upon her hands, rocking herself slowly backward and forward. "Hullo, doctor," said the admiral, holding out his hand, "there's foul weather set in upon us, as you may have heard, but I have ridden out many a worse squall, and please God, we shall all three of us weather this one also, though two of us are a little more cranky than we were."

"My dear friends, I came in to tell you how deeply we sympathize with you all. My girl has only just told me about it."

"It has come so suddenly upon us, doctor," sobbed Mrs. Hay Denver. "I thought I had John to myself for the rest of our lives—Heaven knows that we have not seen very much of each other—but now he talks of going to sea again."

"Aye, aye, Walker, that's the only way out of it: I was thrown up in the wind with all aback. I give you my word that I lost my bearings more completely than ever since I strapped a middy's dirk to my belt. You see, friend, I know something of shipwreck or battle or whatever may come upon the waters, but the shoals in the city of London upon which my poor boy has struck are clear beyond me. Pearson had been my pilot there, and now I know him to be a rogue. But I've taken my bearings now, and I see my course right before me."

"What then, admiral?"

"Oh, I have one or two little plans. I'll have some news for the boy. Why, hang it, Walker man, I may be a bit stiff in the joints, but you'll be my witness that I can do my twelve miles under the three hours. What then? My eyes are as good as ever except just for the newspaper. My head is clear. I'm three-and-sixty, but I'm as good a man as ever I was—too good a man to lie up for another ten years. I'd be the better for a smack of the salt water again, and a whiff of the breeze. Tut, mother, it's not a four years' cruise this time. I'll be back every month or two. It's no more than if I went for a visit in the country." He was talking boisterously, and heaping his sea-boots and sextants back into his chest.

"And you really think, my dear friend, of hoisting your pennant again?"

"My pennant, Walker? No, no. Her majesty, God bless her, has too many young men to need an old hulk like me. I should be plain Mr. Hay Denver of the merchant service. I daresay that I might find some owner who would give me a chance as second or third officer. It will be strange to me to feel the rails of the bridge under my fingers once more."

"Tut! tut! this will never do, this will never do, admiral!" The doctor sat down by Mrs. Hay Denver and patted her hand in token of friendly sympathy.

"We must wait until your son has it out with all these people, and then we shall know what damage is done, and how best to set it right. It will be time enough then to begin to muster our resources to meet it."

"Our resources!" The admiral laughed. "There's the pension. I'm afraid, Walker, that our resources won't need much mustering."

"Oh, come, there are some which you may not have thought of. For example, admiral, I have always intended that my girl should have five thousand from me when she married. Of course, your boy's trouble is her trouble, and the money cannot be spent better than in helping to set it right. She has a little of her own which she wished to contribute, but I thought it best to work it this way. Will you take the check, Mrs. Denver, and I think it would be best if you said nothing to Harold about it, and just used it as the occasion served?"

"God bless you, Walker, you are a true friend. I won't forget this, Walker." The admiral sat down on his sea chest and mopped his brow with his red handkerchief.

"What is it to me whether you have it now or then? It may be more useful now. There's only one stipulation. If things should come to the worst, and if the business should prove so bad that nothing can set it right, then hold back this check, for there is no use in pouring water into a broken basin, and if the lad should fall, he will want something to pick himself up again with."

"He shall not fall, Walker, and you shall not have occasion to be ashamed of the family into which your daughter is about to marry. I have my own plan. But we shall hold your money, my friend, and it will strengthen us to feel that it is there."

"Well, that is all right," said Doctor Walker rising. "And if a little more should be needed, we must not let him go wrong for the want of a thousand or two. And now, admiral, I'm off for my morning walk. Won't you come too?"

"No, I am going into town."

"Well, good-bye. I hope to have better news and that all will come right. Good-bye, Mrs. Denver. I feel as if the boy were my own, and I shall not be easy until all is right with him."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Dies on a Bed of Diamonds.

Carrie Pomeroy was found dead in a hovel in New York. Detectives found over \$2,500 worth of diamonds and fine jewelry concealed in the pile of rags which served for a bed. The room was filled with rare theatrical wardrobes. She was known in western mining camps as Carrie Lipsis, and is not known to have any relatives.

Need Something Stimulating.

"Marlar, I want ter tell yer one thing; I kin never marry a girl wot chews gum."

"Well, why don't you give up yer horrid cigarroos?"

"With us men it's different; we needs a stimulant."

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Once upon a time Col. A. T. Van Tassel, of the west side, was colonel of a regiment of soldiers. One evening, before he had committed his book of military tactics to memory, he gave an exhibition drill on Detroit street. The colonel and his little band of soldiers made quite a display marching down the thoroughfare. They were greatly admired by a large number of spectators, who formed in line on each side of the street. It is claimed that not a single error was made by either the colonel or the soldiers until an attempt was made to turn around in the street. It was the colonel's fault, too. He forgot the command necessary to turn the faces of the soldiers. The situation was becoming unendurable when a happy thought came into the colonel's mind. He glanced upon his little band of soldiers and yelled: "Break ranks and charge on Blanchard's saloon!" Cleveland Press.

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Great victories are not always won on fields where great armies fight.

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You are discharged I have no use for any one that has not sense enough to chew

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The largest piece of good tobacco ever sold for 10 cents

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Growing the Rubber Plant.
Some persons start rubber plants by making a cut half way through a woody branch. About this blind Sphagnum moss, which should be kept wet. Roots will be thrown out in it, and after a time the branch can be severed and planted in a pot. You will hardly be successful in rooting cuttings in sand unless you can give them bottom heat. It is much more satisfactory to purchase young plants of the florist.—January Ladies' Home Journal.

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By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When the tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.
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A Children's Building.
One of the buildings at the Tennessee centennial exposition will be erected entirely with money provided by the children of the state. Everything in it and around it will be arranged for the pleasure and profit of the children. In the tower will swing a fine set of silver chimes.

Frost, Frolic and Business.
The wind over frozen ponds and lakes, over snow-fields of plains and open country, is heavily charged with frost and fine particles of frozen matter. It is the most penetrating way for chill to set in. Sudden warmth, sudden chill, and severe colds. Girls and boys skating, driving for pleasure or business, and men at work afield know the difference in temperature. Yet the youngsters skate away and with mouth open laughing take in a dose of sorethroat. Drivers and workmen throw aside wraps and all know the next day from soreness and stiffness what sudden chill means. Now the best thing to do when housed is to rub well at once with St. Jacob's Oil. If you do, you will not have sorethroat; or if you are stiff and sore, it will cure by warming the surface to throw out the chill.

Peanuts in Arizona.
Peanuts have been successfully raised in Arizona this year. One man near Phoenix had a crop of 300 sacks. The first load of peanuts ever shipped out of Phoenix left there last week.

A Pennsylvania Farmer.
M. M. Luther, East Troy, Pa., grew last season over 207 bushels Salzer's Silver Mine Oats from one measured acre! How is that for old Pennsylvania? Over 30,000 farmers are going to try and beat this in 1896 and win \$200 in gold! Then think of 116 bus. barley from one acre and 1,200 big full bushels of potatoes and 230 bushels of Golden Triumph Corn!
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If there is any of his work the devil is proud of, it must be the drunkard's home.—Ram's Horn.

"BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES" are unequalled for clearing the voice. Public speakers and singers the world over use them.

A lazy man does his hardest work looking for an easy place.

I believe my prompt use of Fiso's Cure prevented quick consumption.—Mrs. Lucy Wallace, Marquette, Kans., Dec. 13, '95.

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If the Baby is Cutting Teeth,
Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy. **Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup** for Children Teething.

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OUR WIT AND HUMOR.

SOME LATE PRODUCTIONS OF THE FUNNY WRITERS.

The Up-to-Date Man—How a Colored Minister Blessed a Gambler from Ohio—His Experience Did Not Explain—A Fable of To-day.



I'VE GROWN SO very weary of My light and airy clothes, They did not half protect me from The cold and winter's snows; The northwest wind that used to wrap My form in its embrace I have discarded; in its stead I wear the golfer's face. I used to wear my beard unkempt, Bedraggled, hanging down, 'Twas hoary white—'tis Vandyke now And dyed a lovely brown. My dull, old scythe I've laid away And in its place I swing A golfing stick—I'm up to date In every blessed thing.

My bald old pate you'll see no more, I wear a fetching cap; A monocle adorns my eye— Oh, I'm a gay old chap! My hour-glass is all I've kept Of my old-fashioned frills—I keep it just to time me when I go the pace that kills. Now that I'm all dyked out so fine— Aw—demme, don'cherknow! I'm sorry that through ages past I've been so very slow. I might have posed through eons as A dudelet most sublime, For it is such an easy thing To get good clothes on Time.

—George V. Hobart.

Blessing the Gambler.
From the Washington Star: A. M. Cleland, of Dayton, O., tells a good story of a gambler from that city who has made a large fortune out of a saloon and faro room. Last winter he was in Florida with some friends, and visited a church where a few colored people were engaged in worship. The roof leaked, and the pastor prayed most fervently that the Lord would provide a way to repair the roof. Then a collection was started, the pastor saying that special blessings would be asked for all contributions. One good brother put in a dime.

"A dime from Brudder Jones. De Lor' bress Brudder Jones."

Then a quarter was received.

"Brudder Johnson a quahah. De Lo'd bress Brudder Johnson."

The collector reached the gambler, who had made a big winning the night before, and flashing his roll, put a \$20 bill in the hat.

The almost breathless collector said: "Wha's de name, sah?"

"Never mind the name. I'm a gambler from Ohio."

The pastor rolled his eyes up, and, raising his hands, said in a voice choking with emotion:

"Twenty dollars—gambler from Ohio. May de good Lo'd bress and prospah de noble gambler from Ohio."

The gambler says he has prospered ever since.

Not That Kind of a Truck.
She stood up in a Broadway car And tried to hold the strap, But every time the cable jerked She sat in a young man's lap.

At Fourteenth street she carromed about

And finally gasped with a smile:

"Will some one kindly tell me, please, How many laps to the mile?"

—Truth.



Interviewer—I suppose Miss De Roarer can reach almost any range of notes.
Manager—Oh, yes, mostly fifties.

Ungrateful.
"Papa." (She knelt beside the dejected figure and fondly kissed the drooping head.) "Papa, can I not keep the wolf from the door with my singing?" He was without hope, although he smiled. "My child," he sighed, "your singing would keep almost anything from the door, but the wolf is pretty nerry, you know."—Detroit News-Tribune.

LIKE A FLASH OF LIGHTNING

MR. JONES COULD NOT MOVE HAND OR FOOT.

From the News, Union Mills, Ind.
Learning that Mr. N. W. Jones, a respected citizen of Willow Springs, Ill., had been restored to health after months of suffering with that dreaded disease rheumatism, a reporter of the News was detailed to investigate, and in reply to an inquiry concerning his illness and cure, Mr. Jones cheerfully made the following statement:

"About three years ago, while running a steam pump for a railway company, I was attacked with a severe spell of rheumatism and became so badly afflicted that for a long time I was unable to move even with the aid of crutches. A local physician whom I called in gave me such help that after being assisted from bed, I could walk around the house by having two canes to lean upon.

"I continued in this manner all winter, thinking that when warm weather came I would be better. I was somewhat better in the spring and returned to my work, but one day I became very much heated and took a severe cold, which brought back the old disease with renewed vigor.

"Sharp pains would start in one limb and run all over my body like a flash of lightning. When I tried to move the pains would seize me and I could not move hand or foot, and suffered all the tortures of the damned.

"I tried the magneto-electric treatment for several months, using the battery a number of times each day. This treatment, however, had but little effect on my malady; my general health began to fall and I was told that the only hopes of prolonged life was to seek a different climate, and unless this was done I could not live another year.

"About this time I was induced to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills by reading a testimonial of one who appeared to be similarly affected and was being greatly benefited by their use. I did not dare think of being cured but hoped to gain strength that I might get to a southern climate, which appeared to be my only salvation.

"I took one box and felt such a decided improvement that I sent for three more boxes and before they were used I was a well man and able to resume my work. Had I known of their virtues before I might have saved more than a year of suffering and several hundred dollars besides. I feel that for rheumatism they cannot be recommended too highly.

(Signed) N. W. JONES.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of September, 1895.

F. N. SMITH,
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Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain, in a condensed form, all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. Pink Pills are sold by all dealers, or will be sent post paid on receipt of price, 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50, by addressing Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

Chicago's Antithesis.

Paris is said to be the cleanest city in the world. Every morning 2,000 male and 600 female scavengers, divided into 149 brigades, turn out to perform the toilet of the capital. The men work from four in the morning to four in the evening, less two hours off for meals, or ten hours a day. The women are engaged in the morning only.

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The barley wonder. Yields right along on poor, good or indifferent soils 80 to 100 bus. per acre. That pays at 20c. a bushel!

Salzer's mammoth catalogue is full of good things. Silver Mine Oats yielded 209 bushels in 1895. It will do better in 1896. Hurrah for Teosinte, Sand Vetch, Spurry and Giant Clover and lots of grasses and clovers they offer. 35 packages earliest vegetables \$1.00.

If you will cut this out and send it with 10c. postage to the John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., you will get free ten grain and grass samples, including barley, etc., and their mammoth catalogue. Catalogue alone 5c. for mailing. w.n.

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BARRINGTON LOCALS.

Don't forget the lecture at the Salem church next Thursday evening.

Miss Maud Otis is very ill with pneumonia.

Postmaster M. B. McIntosh visited Chicago and Elgin this week.

E. Miller visited with J. I. Miller, at Nunda, Tuesday.

Fred Vermilya visited at Nunda Tuesday.

FOR RENT—For cash, farm containing 200 acres. Address, or inquire of Chas. Schufeldt, Barrington, Ills.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kampert, Saturday morning, a boy.

Mrs. Schaefer is visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Elfrink.

Genuine fresh Cape Cod Cranberries at J. C. Plagge's.

Fred Brasel, of Desplaines, made a short visit here Sunday.

F. O. Willmarth has been on the sick list this week.

Mrs. H. P. Askew visited with relatives in Chicago this week.

Col. Sam Seebert visited at St. Charles the first of the week.

Wm. McCredle, of Elgin, was a Barrington visitor Tuesday.

John Helm has secured a position with the Chicago Street Railway Co., Chicago.

Miss Estella Grace visited at the home of Wm. Young Wednesday.

F. S. Burtiss is on the sick list this week.

Barber John Sbrochi, of Lake Zurich, attended the meeting of the Macca-bees Tuesday evening.

Mrs. William Lamphere, of Elgin, visited with friends here Thursday. Mrs. Lamphere will spend a few days at her parent's home near Wauconda.

Miss Gertrude Kitson entertained Miss Danielsen, of Palatine, a few days this week.

Mr. Prellburg, of Palatine, was a Barrington visitor Tuesday.

Wm. Dawson, Jr., is taking a vacation.

Messrs. Sam Landwer and John Thies were Elgin visitors Monday.

Mrs. N. D. Brown, of Woodstock, visited with relatives here Sunday.

S. Peck made a business trip to the central part of the state this week. He may visit Arkansas before he returns.

Miss Rachael Runge and Miss Boehning, of Elgin, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Wolthausen.

Charles Beinhoff visited Woodstock friends Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hawley spent Sunday at Palatine.

George Heimerdinger, accompanied by his mother, visited Chicago Sunday.

Will Landwer, who has returned from Oswego, where he was employed in the store of Edward Sodt, is now working in the hardware store of H. D. A. Grebe, as is also Ed. Bauman.

J. M. Thrasher desires to announce to the public that Mr. Jappa did not buy any of his (Mr. Thrasher's) stock of jewelry.

Justice Plagge's decision in the suit of Hobein vs. Haase, which was tried a week ago Wednesday, was a judgment in full for the complainant.

Miss Rose Sodt returned home Thursday evening from Oswego, where she has been visiting her brother, E. H. Sodt.

Roy, the 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Waterman, is suffering with measles, but at last accounts was improving.

Little Ethel, the daughter of Mrs. Luella Austin is sick with measles.

Mr. W. H. McClure, our watchmaker, made a trip to Chicago Saturday. His office is in the postoffice. Work of all kinds promptly attended to.

Misses Rieke and Tillie Fischer of Beloit, Wis., are guests at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Hannah Sodt.

Myrtle, the 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Comstock, met with quite a serious mishap, Monday, while out skating. She made a misstep in getting on the ice which caused her to fall, disfiguring her face quite badly.

Mrs. M. Brockway is in poor health.

An interesting lecture at the Salem church next Thursday evening. Admission will be free.

Jno. C. Plagge was a Chicago visitor Tuesday.

Jas. Gainer and John Blank of Wauconda made THE REVIEW a call yesterday.

Miss Nellie Gray left for Chicago yesterday, to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. Frank Fitzgibbons, who is ill.

Mrs. Carl F. Meyer and son, Leslie, were Chicago visitors Thursday.

Did you think it was a fire yesterday morning?

Marshal Sandman deserves special mention for his efforts in trying to keep the crossings clean. He was working like a "trooper" yesterday, and by evening a most creditable showing was made through his efforts.

Albert Gleske will work in F. E. Hawley's creamery at Libertyville.

A young people's society was organized by the St. Paul's church Sunday evening. The name of the society is Yugendbund.

M. C. McIntosh has for sale a few good notes of \$100 to \$500 each, well secured, which will net the investor 6 to 6 1/2 per cent.

You are all cordially invited to attend the Young People's Missionary meeting which will be held in the Salem church next Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Voss, of Palatine spent Tuesday and Wednesday at the home of H. Diekman.

Miss Robie Brockway is again able to attend to her duties in Leroy Powers' store.

Mrs. S. Seebert attended church at Cary Sunday.

Mrs. C. White, of Chicago, is visiting at the home of Mr. H. A. Harnden this week.

George Searls is digging a well for Mrs. Beinlich.

Mrs. Paris Sinnett spent Tuesday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wells.

Miss Martha Hennings visited her sister at Woodstock Sunday.

Miss Ada Bignold spent Sunday with Miss Effelyn Runyan.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hawley celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary at their home Sunday.

The committees of the G. A. R. post and W. R. C. met Tuesday evening to arrange for a camp fire.

Mrs. H. M. Hawley has been very sick, but is slowly improving at the present writing.

Roy Myer has been suffering with the lagrippe.

The teachers' meeting of the M. E. Sunday school met at the home of Mr. Fred Lines last evening.

We have received a most interesting letter from our townsman, Mr. A. W. Meyer, describing his trip South, and from there to California. Mr. Meyer writes from Alameda, Cal. Next week we will publish his letter in full.

Mrs. C. Winter, who has been visiting in Chicago, returned Tuesday.

Mrs. P. W. Gates returned to her home in Chicago Tuesday morning.

Rev. T. E. Ream will preach next Sunday evening on the topic: "Building Bethels or Babels." All are invited to attend.

Mr. Austin was a Barrington visitor recently.

The Garvin family, who gave entertainments here some time ago, are now giving entertainments throughout Lake county.

PAY YOUR TAXES.—After February 1, 1896, I will be at L. F. Schroeder's hardware store, Barrington, Tuesday and Saturday of each week, to receive taxes for the town of Cuba.

WM. LEONARD, Collector.

Wolthausen and Landwer are making extensive alterations in the second story of their store, to make room for their immense consignment of wall paper, carpets, etc., which will arrive soon.

THIS IS SOMETHING ALL THE LADIES NEED—The best automatic washing machine in the world. No washboard needed. This machine will be sent to any address on receipt of \$2.00. Address, Mrs. ERMA BEUCHAT, Dundee, Kane county, Ill.

There will be a prize masquerade at Batterman's hall, Palatine, Friday evening, February 7th. Music will be furnished by a celebrated orchestra. The prizes to be awarded will be valuable. Dance tickets, 50 cents; spectators being charged 25 cents. Arrangements have been made to have costumes at the hall to accommodate all who desire to rent one. All are invited to help make this party a grand success.

Wm. Gothard and Louis Wolf will sell at public auction, on the Nelson farm, two miles north of Barrington, on Wednesday, February 5th, commencing at 10 o'clock, the following property: 20 choice cows, 4 horses, a lot of hay, corn, straw, oats, and farm implements. Good lunch will be served at noon.

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Barrington Camp, No. 809, Modern Woodmen of America, have made arrangements to give an entertainment at Stott's hall next Friday evening. About 100 invitations will be issued to the friends of the members.

Mrs. Fred Weseman spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. H. Wolthausen.

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Ben Beinlich Surprised.

A most agreeable surprise party was given to Benjamin Beinlich Thursday evening. The time was most pleasantly passed in playing social games. Miss Amelia Beinlich served a dainty lunch, to which was done ample justice, and was highly appreciated. Among those present were: Messrs. Henry Schroeder, Chas. Schaefer, Theo. Suhr, Jr., Ezra Suhr, John Kampert, Albert Gleske, Sam Lageschulte, George Lageschulte, Sam Landwer, John Rieke, John Schwemm, August Schwemm, Edward Bauman, Frank Bauman and Carl Naehner.

Misses Anna Schaefer, Amanda Schroeder, Lydia Suhr, Sallie Baker, Esther Lageschulte, Ida Gleske, Minnie Schwemm, Grace Landwer and Laura Landwer.

This Week's Honor Roll of the Flint Creek School.

Pupils neither absent nor tardy during the week ending January 24th, 1896:

Louis Shoemaker, Arthur Harnden, Louis Peterson, Herman Kuhlman, Leigh Wells, Gottlieb Kuhlman, Myron Wells, Freddie Summerfield, Charley Ahlgrum, John Ahlgrum, Ray Wells and Rose Peterson.

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