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BARRINGTON, ILL., SATURDAY, MARCH 20, 1897.

\$1.25 A YEAR.

Local Society Formed

The milk producers held a meeting at the Village Hall on Tuesday with the object of forming a local society of the MILK SHIPPER'S UNION. The following officers were elected:

President—Fred Lageschulte.
Secretary—Fred Kirschner.
Treasurer—John L. Meiners.

Mr. B. H. Solt was elected a delegate to the meeting of the Milk Shipper's Union which will be held in Chicago, March 29th.

The next meeting of the local society will be held on Thursday, March 30th, at 8:30 o'clock, a. m., at the Village Hall, Barrington. All producers of milk should not fail to attend this meeting. This is an organization that fills a long-felt want, and its roster should have the signature of every man that ships or intends to ship milk to Chicago. Turn out.

Short But Sweet.

A good-sized audience assembled at the St. Paul's church, Sunday evening, the occasion being the regular monthly meeting of the Jugendverein.

After an opening song by the society, and prayer, the President, Rev. E. Rahn, made one of his most interesting and entertaining talks, taking for his subject "Church-going." Special mention must also be made of the solo by Miss Emma Meier; recitation by Charles Schultz; reading by Miss Frida Gottschalk; duet by Misses Minnie Meier and Emma Rachow; dialogue by Misses Amelia Pawelski, Lizzie Gilly, Emma Spiegel and Mary Krueger. These numbers were especially good.

It was decided to hold their entertainment on the evening of April 20th, at the Zion's church. The admission was fixed at 10 cents a person. President Rahn informed the Society that he had the assurance of several good attractions for the evening.

Village Caucus.

A caucus will be held at the school house in the Village of Barrington, Saturday evening, April 4th, 8 o'clock, for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following Village offices: One president, three village trustees, one village clerk and one police magistrate.

L. A. POWERS, Village clerk.

WAUCONDA.

Spring opens next Tuesday.

M. W. Hughes was a Chicago visitor Thursday.

Henry Golding transacted business in the city Tuesday.

Our "cooler" proved to be quite useful one day this week.

Will Wragg returned to his home in the city Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Jobson were Chicago visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus. Morton made a trip to Crystal Lake Monday.

Mrs. Fred Grabbe is reported very sick at present writing.

C. Vuille, optician of Libertyville, was in our village Wednesday.

Ben Sherman and Thomas Carr made a trip to McHenry Monday.

Ray Lamphere of Elgin spent Thursday with his brother in our village.

Chas. Lamphere of Elgin was a pleasant caller in our village Tuesday.

Arther Cook, our supervisor, returned from Waukegan Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Slocum went to Chicago Tuesday to spend a few days.

Jas. Freund went to Waukegan Sunday to serve on the petit jury this week.

E. A. Golding transacted business in Chicago Thursday and Friday of last week.

Will Sydam returned to our village Monday, after spending a few days in Chicago.

John Wells and family, who have been spending the winter in our village, moved on a farm near Ivanhoe this week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lamphere Saturday, March 13th, a little girl. Will is now a proud papa.

Last Thursday occurred the death

of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Magnus Ulrich. The interment took place in the Catholic cemetery at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Del Sherman of McHenry spent a few days of last week with the former's brother, Mr. Ben Sherman.

Mrs. J. McCusker, accompanied by her daughter, went to Joliet Wednesday to make a short visit with her parents.

The latest report is that our railroad will soon be a reality. The track has been built nearly to Wheeling and as soon as that place is reached it will pass through here or Libertyville. This report we received from a person who shortly returned from Wheeling.

Notice is hereby given that a Republican Caucus will be held in the Village Calaboose Saturday, March 20th, at 2 o'clock for placing in nomination candidates for the town offices of the Town of Wauconda and transacting any other business that may come before said Caucus when convened. PER ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

The high wind Thursday evening of last week proved to have some destructive effects inasmuch as it blew down and totally wrecked the smoke stack of the mill. This necessitated the erection of a new one which is up and the mill is now running full blast. The mill has been doing a big business for the past six months, in fact ever since Mr. Spencer has again taken charge.

CUBA.

Joy and Temperance and Repose.
Siam the door in the doctor's nose.

Ray O. Lamphere of Elgin called on friends in Cuba Monday.

Albert Gossell is on the sick list.

Mrs. Lavine was a Barrington visitor Monday.

Mr. Allen was a Wauconda visitor Thursday.

Miss Laura Pedersen entertained a number of her friends at her home Saturday evening.

Miss Cora Davlin began school in Dist. No. 11, Monday, March 15th.

Edson Harnden was a Wauconda visitor Saturday.

Mr. Grether has moved on the farm recently vacated by Mr. Sommerberg. The latter is now occupying Mr. Bennett's farm.

CARY WHISPERINGS.

Operator A. O. Hack is working in Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Andrews spent Sunday in Woodstock.

Postmaster James Nish is quite sick at present writing.

Mrs. James Dunn of Chicago spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. John Tomisky is visiting with her parents at Delavan, Wis.

Miss Mary Heath of Dundee is spending a few days at the home of Wm. Crabtree.

Arthur Kiltz, accompanied by his wife, of Crystal Lake, spent the latter part of last week with his parents here.

Miss Stella Catlow, who has been visiting relatives in Barrington, returned home Sunday evening.

Crabtree & Gruenwald have moved into the building recently purchased from M. B. Weaver.

DOUBLE-TRACKING THE NORTHWESTERN ROAD.

Great Progress Is Being Made in Laying Second Track from Chicago to Elroy, Wis.

Before the end of next year the Chicago & Northwestern railroad company expects to have double tracks all the way from Chicago to St. Paul. The company is now engaged in building a second track between Chicago and Elroy. At the latter point the Northwestern proper ends and the St. Paul and Omaha lines begin. Both roads are, however, practically under one management, Marvin Hughitt being the President of both.

The Omaha line, it is understood,

will commence laying double track from Elroy to St. Paul as soon as the Northwestern's second track to Elroy is completed. The track is already doubled between Chicago and Barrington.

Last summer \$1,000,000 was spent between Madison and Baraboo. In thirty-five miles nearly 100 feet of grade was cut down and a new steel second track was laid clear over the Baraboo Mountains. The line between Baraboo and Elroy, it is reported, will be double tracked next year.

The Town of Barrington Caucus.

The shortest verse in the bible consists of two small words, but this is not a marker to the dispatch with which the caucus of the Town of Barrington was held yesterday afternoon.

Amid the down-pour of a heavy rain the caucus was called to order promptly at 2 o'clock, and 8 minutes later a motion to adjourn was carried, all the business having been transacted.

Following was the program carried out:

Meeting was called to order by Supervisor Plagge.

F. O. Wilmarth moved that L. D. Castle act as chairman. Carried unanimously.

L. F. Elvidge nominated J. C. Plagge for clerk. Carried unanimously.

F. O. Wilmarth nominated J. C. Plagge for supervisor and he was chosen by acclamation.

L. F. Elvidge nominated Leroy Powers for town clerk, and there being no further nominations, he was elected by acclamation.

F. O. Wilmarth nominated J. W. Kingsley for assessor and he was elected by acclamation.

L. F. Elvidge nominated M. W. Prouty for collector and he was chosen by acclamation.

C. P. Hawley nominated E. D. Prouty for road commissioner and he was chosen by acclamation.

C. F. Meyer nominated F. H. Frye for justice of the peace, and he was nominated by acclamation.

F. O. Wilmarth nominated L. D. Castle for justice of the peace and the nomination was made by acclamation.

F. O. Wilmarth nominated H. M. Hawley for the office of constable and he was chosen by acclamation.

F. O. Wilmarth nominated C. F. Meyer and the nomination was made unanimously.

F. O. Wilmarth moved to adjourn. Motion was carried and caucus stood adjourned.

PALATINE LOCALS.

If you are interested in horses, read W. H. Flagg's ad. in this paper.

Mrs. Fuller of Chicago is visiting her mother, Mrs. Nichols.

Mrs. William Tank of Chicago visited friends here Monday.

Mrs. Tom Swick of Dundee visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

George Wilson, wife and child visited friends in Chicago this week.

Jay Johnson of Aberdeen, Tenn., was visiting in this place the first of the week.

Chas. Lytle has taken H. Farrar's position tending horses for Chas. Paten.

Mrs. Dr. E. W. Wood returned home from her southern trip last Monday night.

Ray Gibbs intends opening up a dental office in Arlington Heights in the near future.

The literary society met last Friday night and adopted a constitution and committees were appointed.

G. W. Miler has opened up a boot and shoe shop in the place formerly occupied by J. Day.

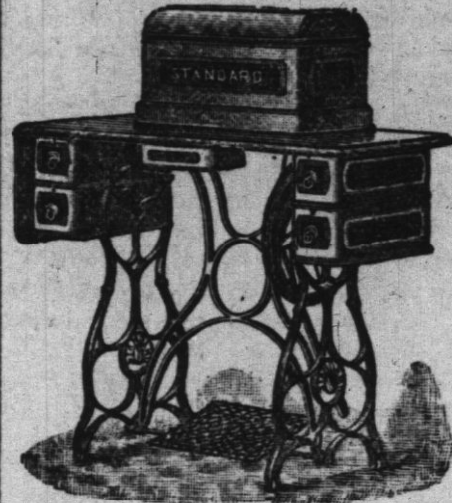
Thomas McMicking has moved back from Chicago to Palatine and has taken his former position as section boss at this place.

Rollo Lincoln had his hand badly bruised between a bent brake-rod of one milk car and the railing on another car last Friday.

The Nation's Pride

IS THE

Standard Rotary Shuttle Sewing Machine



Spring is here and most every lady is getting ready to do her spring sewing before hot weather arrives. Some may be thinking of purchasing a new sewing machine.

If so, we wish to inform you that we are agents for above, and would like to have you give it a trial before buying a machine. Below we give you, for reference, a list of ladies to whom we sold Standard Machines:

Miss B. Lamey	Miss Mary Spriggs	Miss Tena Sadlick, Dundee
Mrs. F. J. Buck	Mrs. Jos. Brown	Mrs. Henry Kampert
" Aug. Bierman (2)	" Aug. Reese (2)	" Henry Brinkamp
" Chas. Dodge	" Gustav Meier	" G. H. Comstock
" R. Lombard	" A. D. Parker	" A. W. Meyer
" Frank Waterman	" Chas. Witt	" Joseph Freeman
" C. H. Austin	" F. O. Wilmarth	" Julia Kirmse
" L. Langenheim	" John Welch	" Gustav Kirmse
" W. Donlea	" Aug. Sempf	" D. L. Pomeroy
" H. S. Meier, jr.	" E. Lamey	" John Mundhenke
" H. Rieke	" Harry Askew	" John Collen
" C. E. Meier	" James Sizer	" Thomas Freeman
" L. D. Castle	" Richard Earith	" Frank Hawley
" B. H. Landwer	" Wm. Mundhenke	" Frances Kalbra
" Henry Beinhoff	" George Hager	" John Almsby
" A. V. Kimberly	" Ed Peters	" Fred Wagner
" Ed Shipman	" Carl Miller	" E. W. Naehner
" Peter Jacobson	" Ernst	" C. Zahring, Chicago
" St. Clair, Nunda	" G. Arps, Cary	" Geo. Johnson, Chicago
	Mrs. Jennie Covey, Elgin	

The Machine is fully guaranteed.

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J. JAPPE, WATCHMAKER and JEWELER

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Price List:

Elgin Watch, stem wind, stem set, only \$5.00 and up, guaranteed for two years. Hampden, 17-jewel, adjusted, gold screw, stem wind and set, regulated hair spring, only \$15.00. Solid Gold Rings (Gents' or Ladies'), guaranteed, 75c upwards.

Extra Large Assortment of Jewelry

and Clocks always in stock. Extra inducements offered customers coming from Barrington, Lake Zurich and vicinity.

REPAIRING promptly attended to. All work guaranteed for two years.

They Always Come Back... For the Second Pair

We never fail to make steady customers of any person that buys a pair of boots or shoes of us. The reason of this is that we give this department our special attention. We give every customer VALUE RECEIVED. Our stock of

Boots and Shoes

has never been so large as at the present time. We have all the latest styles, and they are made of the best material, too. The prices have been placed at the lowest figure.

RUBBER FOOTWEAR

We have a large stock of these goods which we would be pleased to have you examine. They are just the things needed these rainy days.

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BARRINGTON, ILLINOIS

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.

At Shelbyville, Ind., Tabitha Sims, swallowed carbolic acid with fatal results. Disappointment in love.

Daniel Muck, Sr., of Haven, Kan., accidentally shot his aged wife while handling a revolver.

Lizzie Lloyd, aged 20 years, while alone at the home of her parents at Palmyra, Ohio, was burned to death.

The curfew ordinance passed the Springfield (Ill.) city council by a majority of one vote and takes effect immediately.

Fred Leuder of the town of Plymouth, Wis., fell from his wagon, striking on his head and breaking his neck.

Near Fort Wayne, Ind., Jesse Foster, a Monroe township farmer, found the body of a man under a woodpile. Murder is suspected.

Seven toll-gates were destroyed in Mercer county, Ky., one house was burned, another fired and the keeper badly shot.

Asa Lilly, living near Dowagiac, Mich., while chopping wood accidentally cut his foot. Blood poisoning set in and death resulted.

Andrew Jensen swallowed strychnine and was found dead in his room at the Farmers' hotel, Sioux City, Iowa. He was desperately poor.

Abler Doble, pioneer hardware merchant, was severely injured while attempting to board a suburban train at Berkeley, Cal.

Gov. Bushnell has appointed Ray S. Kaylor of Alliance, Ohio, commissioner of railroads and telegraphs. Kaylor is a practical railroader.

Frank G. Sheldon was adjudged guilty of killing his wife and was sentenced to be electrocuted in Auburn prison, New York, during the week of April 25.

Near Wonevoo, Wis., John McDough was thrown from his sleigh and dragged about two miles by his runaway team, which resulted in his death twelve hours later.

The freight-handlers' strike at Ludington, Wis., is broken. About fifty strikers made a break for work and many secured their old places. Nearly 100 of the old men are now at work at 15 cents.

The jail at Dover, Tenn., was destroyed by fire. Four prisoners, one white man and three negroes, were the only occupants of the building at the time. The white man escaped, but the three negroes were burned.

M. G. Cope, ex-president of the First National bank of Paducah, Ky., is missing. He forged \$13,000 of negotiable paper, it is alleged, made a confession, resigned and left town. His bond is good.

Two thousand Spanish troops, under Colonel Salcedo, ordered to attack San Nicholas, were led on March 9 by the native guides into an ambush near a strong position occupied by the rebels, and were defeated with heavy loss.

Crook & Perham, wholesale coal dealers of New York, have assigned to Elihu B. Frost without preferences. The amount involved is reported to be over \$100,000. The firm has been in business for twenty-two years.

Judge Goff has appointed Z. T. Vinson receiver for U. K. Buskirk, merchant and timber man of Logan, W. Va. Assets, \$125,000; liabilities unknown. This is a result of the recent failure of the Sliger Lumber and Manufacturing company.

Mrs. Hermann Wilkie of Elwood, Ind., has made application for admittance to practice at the bar. She is the wife of an attorney, is well read and will be admitted. She is the first woman in eastern Indiana to make such a move.

The St. Paul railroad directors have declared the regular semi-annual dividends on the common and preferred stocks of 2 and 3 1/2 per cent respectively.

At Atlantic, Iowa, the stock farm barn of J. F. Griffin burned, together with sixteen head of cattle, five blooded horses, a span of mules, nine hogs with pedigree, over 500 bushels of oats, hay and farm implements valued at \$5,000.

While the crew of the old-fashioned cruiser Yantic were exercising at target practice in La Plata River one of the guns was discharged prematurely, killing one man and seriously wounding two.

The United States government is preparing to work on the coast defense fortifications at Dutch Harbor, R. I. It is expected they will be finished before December. The masonry work will cost the government nearly \$100,000.

CASUALTIES.

The Sheffield, Ala., compress, containing about 1,500 bales of cotton, was totally destroyed by fire. The loss on the cotton alone will amount to more than \$50,000, partially covered by insurance. The compress was operated by S. M. Inman & Co.

The American Plate Glass Company, whose plant at Alexandria, Ind., was partially destroyed by fire two weeks ago, has decided to put the two departments thus burned out under a canvas roof, work over the damaged machinery and put it in operation under this temporary cover on April 1.

Fire at Oconto, Wis., caused a total loss to the residence of George Beyer, occupied by L. O. Triebele. Loss on building, \$2,200; on furniture, \$1,000; partly covered by insurance in the Hanover.

The Jenney Electric Motor works at Indianapolis was destroyed by fire. The loss is \$80,000 to \$85,000, including building, machinery and patterns. The total insurance amounts to about \$35,000.

Full reports from the fire at Benson, Minn., Sunday morning show losses of \$13,400; insurance, \$7,000.

Edward Schoonover was instantly killed at the Paragon paper mill, north of Muncie, Ind. He was knocked from a rafter while at work.

At Burlington, Iowa, Mrs. S. H. Woodard's clothing took fire from a kitchen stove. She lay in agony for two hours before relief arrived. Her husband was seriously burned in putting out the flames.

Fire started in the engine-room of the mill feed store of George T. Menefee & Son, Sedalia, Mo., and the entire plant was destroyed. The loss on buildings and contents will exceed \$5,000; no insurance.

Charles Boyd, aged 18, stealing a ride on a passenger train, fell under the wheels at Carrollton, Ohio, and was cut to pieces.

Willie Steinhart, aged 15, of Clinton, Ill., while climbing on a freight train, fell under the wheels. He is dying.

FOREIGN.

The Berlin National Zeitung states that Admiral Von Hollmann has resigned the portfolio of the navy.

A dispatch received from Yalta, in the Crimea, reports that a sanguinary encounter has taken place there between Russians and Turks. Many shops were demolished. A number of the wounded men have been arrested.

By the collapse of part of the old walls of the town of Fez, Morocco, 180 workmen have been killed.

The Paris Temps says that by agreement between the French government and the vatican, the archbishops of Lyons, Rouen and Rennes and the director of the St. Sulpice seminary, (for the education of priests) are to be created cardinals.

A dispatch to the London Daily News from Berlin says that Prince Bismarck is suffering from neuralgia, and that the attack is so serious that he is unable either to sleep or to talk.

The pope has decided to send Monsignor Merry Del Val as apostolic delegate to Canada.

At a meeting of the Spanish cabinet an extraordinary credit was agreed to for the purpose of fitting out six additional warships.

It is stated that an American was among those arrested during the recent attack upon the barracks at Manila.

Terrific storms have raged over the coasts of Spain, doing considerable damage. In addition to the wreck of the French steamer Blanche at Pasages, near San Sebastian, another vessel has been wrecked near Pasages. Both crews, numbering twenty-seven men in all, were drowned.

CRIME.

The body of a stranger, aged about 50 years, was found in a culvert nine miles south of Decatur, Ill., on the Wabash. The skull was crushed and the neck broken. The name G. W. Leggett was found on the dead man's clothing.

Postoffice Inspector L. L. Letherman of Valparaiso, Ind., was badly injured near Cincinnati by being held up and sandbagged by two men. He was stabbed twice in the face.

In a row at Port Byron, Ill., Chas. Ross shot John Sullivan and escaped, but was captured.

Duncan Stewart, one of the leaders in the dockmen's strike at Ludington, Mich., has been arrested at Manitowoc, Wis., on a charge of using abusive language.

The body of Rev. George H. Wells of Dover, Ill., was found alongside the St. Paul track east of the Wauwatosa, Wis., station. He had been struck by a train and killed. Appearances and the surrounding circumstances seem to indicate suicide.

John Corwine, paymaster of the naval station at Newport, R. I., who is accused of obtaining money under false pretenses, was today granted a continuance until March 23.

W. H. Cox committed suicide at Kendallville, Ind., by shooting. He was 82 years old and a prominent Mason.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Pilgrim Congregational Church, in Sioux City, Ia., was crowded by railroad men, who gathered to hear Rev. E. H. Holman preach from the theme, "Why Is Life Like a Railroad?"

The mountain districts of the states of Michoacan and Colima, Mexico, have experienced severe earthquake shocks during the last three days, and there is much alarm among the inhabitants.

Barney McKernan, a survivor of the Light Brigade, which was made famous by the charge at Balaklava during the Crimean war, died at the home of his daughter in Phoenixville, Pa., aged 72 years.

An English Jesuit, Rev. Edward Purbrick, has been appointed by the father general of the order as provincial of the New York-Maryland province.

Sylvester Scovel, the war correspondent, recently released from prison at Sancti Spiritus, has arrived at Havana.

The fact has been made public that the Hoop Iron association has been dissolved. This was caused by the refusal of two leading firms to continue the organization and it expired by limitation. The market is now an open one.

Three hundred men were thrown out of employment at the Bay View (Wis.) works of the Illinois Steel company by the closing down of the puddling department.

Chauncey M. Black, president of the National Association of Democratic Clubs, has appointed Representative Benton McMillin, chairman of the executive committee. Mr. McMillin's early appointment is to allow him to arrange for the Jefferson banquet, to be held April 13.

In the Nebraska house a bill to extend the franchises giving women the right to vote at municipal elections was defeated by a vote of 50 to 40. One additional vote would have adopted the bill.

K. H. Wade, general manager of the Southern California Railway company, was found dead in his bath at the Hollenbeck hotel, Los Angeles, Cal. It is thought he died of apoplexy.

The attempt of the Iowa building and loan associations to amend the ways and means committee's revenue bill to relieve them from making a detailed statement of their shareholders and the value of each share for the purpose of assessment was defeated by a vote of 28 to 17.

In a conflict which has just taken place in the interior of Uruguay between the government troops and the insurgent forces, the latter have been victorious.

The state of Georgia is suing the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railway for property in Chattanooga worth \$250,000. The suit will be brought into the Supreme Court.

The American line steamer Illinois, Captain Broomhead, which sailed from Antwerp for Philadelphia, has returned with her shaft cylinder cover broken.

A call has been issued to Nebraska free silver republicans to meet in mass convention in Lincoln on Thursday, March 25, to name members of provisional national committees and otherwise perfect the organization of the party.

The populist measure providing for initiative and referendum legislation was defeated in the lower house of the Kansas state legislature, after having passed the senate. The resolution was defeated by a vote of 76 ayes to 47 noes, two-thirds majority being required.

John Foreman dropped dead at Rockville, Ind., aged 70.

At Bowmansville, Ont., three children of Frederick Buxen were drowned in a pool just outside their garden gate.

Galen Hitt, a noted criminal lawyer and an ex-member of the New York state legislature, is dead of apoplexy.

The road and other property of the South Jersey Traction Company was sold at Bridgeton, N. J., to Aaron Fries of Philadelphia, president of the company, for \$90,000. The bonds of the company aggregate \$250,000.

LATEST MARKET REPORTS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle, common to prime	\$2.00 @ 6.00
Hogs, all grades	2.50 @ 3.90
Sheep and lambs	2.60 @ 5.25
Corn, No. 2	.23 3/4
Wheat, No. 2 red	.81 1/2 @ .83 1/4
Oats, No. 2	.16 3/4 @ .17 1/4
Eggs	.10 1/2
Rye, No. 2	.33 1/2 @ .33 3/4
Potatoes	.19 @ .25
Butter	.03 @ .18

ST. LOUIS.

Cattle, all grades	2.00 @ 5.25
Hogs	3.40 @ 3.85
Sheep	2.90 @ 5.50
Wheat, No. 2 red	.92
Corn, No. 2 cash	.20 3/4
Oats, No. 2 cash	.17 1/4

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle, all grades	2.10 @ 4.40
Hogs, all grades	3.40 @ 3.80
Sheep and lambs	3.50 @ 4.65

NEW YORK.

Wheat, No. 1 hard	.86 3/4
Corn, No. 2	.28 1/2
Oats, No. 2	.22

PEORIA.

Rye, No. 1	.39
Corn, No. 2	.21 1/4
Oats, No. 2 white	.19 1/4

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

Full Text of McKinley's First Appeal to Congress.

"To the Congress of the United States: Regretting the necessity which has required me to call you together, I feel that your assembling in extraordinary session is indispensable because of the condition in which we find the revenues of the government. It is conceded that its current expenditures are greater than its receipts, and that such a condition has existed for now more than three years. With unlimited means at our command, we are presenting the remarkable spectacle of increasing our public debt by borrowing money to meet the ordinary outlays incident upon even an economical and prudent administration of the government. An examination of the subject discloses this fact in every detail and leads inevitably to the conclusion that the condition of the revenue which allows it is unjustifiable and should be corrected.

"We find by the reports of the secretary of the treasury that the revenues for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1892, from all sources, were \$425,868,260.22, and the expenditures for all purposes were \$415,953,806.56, leaving an excess of receipts over expenditures of \$9,914,453.66. During the fiscal year \$40,570,467.98 was paid upon the public debt, which has been reduced since March 1, 1889, \$259,076,890, and the annual interest charge decreased \$11,684,576.60. The receipts of the government from all sources during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1893, amounted to \$461,716,561.94, and its expenditures to \$459,374,887.65, showing an excess of receipts over expenditures of \$2,341,674.29.

"Since that time the receipts of no fiscal year, and with few exceptions of no month of any fiscal year, have exceeded the expenditures. The receipts of the government from all sources during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1894, were \$372,892,498.29, and its expenditures \$442,605,758.87, leaving a deficit, the first since the resumption of specie payments, of \$69,803,260.58. Notwithstanding there was a decrease of \$16,769,128.78 in the ordinary expenses of the government as compared with the previous fiscal year, its income was still not sufficient to provide for its daily necessities, and the gold reserve in the treasury for the redemption of greenbacks was drawn upon to meet them. But this did not suffice, and the government then resorted to loans to replenish the reserve.

"In February, 1894, \$50,000,000 in bonds were issued, and in November following a second issue of \$50,000,000 was deemed necessary. The sum of \$117,171,795 was realized by the sale of these bonds, but the reserve was steadily decreased until on Feb. 8, 1895, a third sale of \$62,315,400 in bonds for \$65,116,244 was announced to congress.

"The receipts of the government for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1896, were \$390,373,203.30, and the expenditures \$433,178,426.48, showing a deficit of \$42,805,223.18. A further loan of \$100,000,000 was negotiated by the government in February, 1896, the sale netting \$111,166,246, and swelling the aggregate of bonds issued within three years to \$262,315,400. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 1896, the revenues of the government from all sources amounted to \$409,475,408.78, while its expenditures were \$434,678,654.48, or an excess of expenditures over receipts of \$25,203,245.70. In other words, the total receipts for the three fiscal years ended June 30, 1896, were insufficient by \$137,811,729.46 to meet the total expenditures.

"Nor has this condition since improved. For the first half of the present fiscal year the receipts of the government, exclusive of postal revenues, were \$157,507,603.76, and its expenditures, exclusive of postal service, \$195,410,

000.22, or an excess of expenditures over receipts of \$37,902,396.46. In January of this year the receipts, exclusive of postal revenues, were \$24,316,994.05, and the expenditures, exclusive of postal service, \$30,269,389.29, a deficit of \$5,952,395.24 for the month. In February of this year the receipts, exclusive of postal revenues, were \$24,400,997.38, and expenditures exclusive of postal service, \$28,796,058.64, a deficit of \$4,395,059.26, or a total deficit of \$186,061,580.44 for the three years and eight months ended March 1, 1897. Not only are we without a surplus in the treasury, but with an increase in the public debt there has been a corresponding increase in the annual interest charge from \$22,893,883.20 in 1892, the lowest of any year since 1862, to \$34,387,297.60 in 1896, or an increase of \$11,493,414.40.

"It may be urged that even if the revenues of the government had been sufficient to meet all its ordinary expenses during the last three years the gold reserve would still have been insufficient to meet the demands upon it, and that bonds would necessarily have been issued for its replenition. Be this as it may, it is clearly manifest, without denying or affirming the correctness of such a conclusion, that the debt would have been decreased in at least the amount of the deficiency, and business confidence immeasurably strengthened throughout the country.

"Congress should promptly correct the existing condition. Ample revenues must be supplied, not only for the ordinary expenses of the government, but for the prompt payment of liberal pensions and the liquidation of the principal and interest of the public debt. In rising revenue duties should be so levied upon foreign products as to preserve the home market so far as possible to our own producers; to revive and encourage agriculture; to increase our domestic and foreign commerce; to aid and develop mining and building, and to tender to labor in every field of useful occupation the liberal wages and adequate rewards to which skill and industry are justly entitled. The necessity of the passage of a tariff law which shall provide ample revenue need not be further urged. The imperative demand of the hour is the prompt enactment of such a measure, and to this object I earnestly recommend that congress shall make every endeavor.

"Before other business is transacted let us first provide sufficient revenue to faithfully administer the government, without the contracting of further debt or the continued disturbance of our finances. William McKinley. Executive Mansion, March 15, 1897."

Fatality at a St. Louis Fire.

Fire broke out in the store of the Ely Walker Dry Goods Company, at St. Louis, at 7 o'clock Monday night. During the progress of the fire part of the east wall fell, killing one fireman, injuring two, and burying a street car and an extension ladder truck. The street car had been caught between those lines and was deserted. One thousand persons were thrown out of work by the fire.

Aim at the Gold Clause.

The Nebraska house passed Wooster's bill prescribing what shall be a legal tender in Nebraska. This bill is intended to prevent the insertion of the gold clause in contracts, notes or mortgages.

Peach Crop Is Damaged.

Fruit growers in northern Indiana have concluded their investigations of the damage done to peach prospects by the severe cold weather and find that the crop will be almost a complete failure.

HONOR FOR AN OHIO GIRL.



INVITED BY MRS. M'KINLEY TO SING AT A WHITE HOUSE MUSICAL.

Ella Russell, the American prima donna, who has won such signal success abroad, is to be the recipient of an unusual compliment in honor of her return to her native land. She has been invited by Mrs. McKinley, it is

reported, to sing at a musicale at the White House. Miss Russell, whose married name is Mme. Righini, is a native of Cleveland, and it is said the invitation from Mrs. McKinley is in recognition of the success of an Ohioan.

ILLINOIS LEGISLATURE

REPORTED BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

March 9.
Springfield, Ill., March 9.—By a vote of 55 to 52 the house today adopted Mr. Revell's resolution providing for the appointment of a committee to investigate the drainage canal trustees. A long debate preceded the vote, and Mr. Revell, in the course of his remarks, declared that Lyman E. Cooley is a paid lobbyist of the trustees. Representative Weidmaier today introduced a bill "to prohibit sensational or false advertisements in newspapers or otherwise." Following is the full text of the measure: Section 1. That no person, firm, association or corporation doing business in this state shall insert, or cause to be inserted, in any newspaper circulated in this state, or display or exhibit any sign, placard, transparency, or distribute, or cause to be distributed any handbill, circular or pamphlet whereby any goods or merchandise shall be falsely represented or advertised as stocks damaged by fire, water or otherwise, or as bankrupt or insolvent stocks, or as offered as closing out or sacrifice sales, or whereby the same are falsely represented to be of a greater worth or value than the selling price at which the same are offered for sale.

Sec. 2. Any person, firm, association or corporation violating any of the provisions of section 1 of this act shall forfeit and pay not less than \$250 for the first offense, and not less than double the penalty inflicted for the second offense or each subsequent offense.

During a short session of the senate today, lasting half an hour, business was resumed in earnest, after a ten days' vacation. Several bills were advanced on the calendar and a number introduced. Among the bills introduced was the following: By Senator Stubblefield—Fixing the maximum rate of fares for the transportation of passengers on railways at 2 cents per mile. This bill was introduced at the request of the Traveling Protective association.

March 10.
Mr. Boyd's bill amending the garnishment law was taken up on second reading. This bill was prepared by the State Grocers' Association and provides that the wages of a defendant who is the head of a family shall be exempt to an amount not exceeding \$50, but that where the claim or demand was incurred for the expenses of the family of such defendant no more than 75 per cent of such wages shall be exempt. A motion by Mr. Barricklow to strike out the enacting clause was lost—yeas, 52; nays, 61. The bill was discussed at length and was finally ordered to third reading. The house adjourned to 10 o'clock to-morrow morning. Among the bills introduced were the following: By Mr. Brignadelle—Fixing the minimum compensation of laborers on public works at \$2 per day. By Mr. Johnson of Fulton—To prohibit the playing of base ball on Sunday outside of incorporated cities, villages and towns. By Mr. Revell—Providing for the creation of the office of inspector of beer and malt liquors; also a bill requiring all common carriers and express companies to carry, free of charge, all packages of less than 100 pounds from the office or depot of such common carrier or express company to the place of the destination of the package in any city, town or village.

In the senate a number of bills were reported back from committees and several petitions were presented. One by Senator Stubblefield was from the railway employes of Bloomington asking that the railway bill fixing the maximum rate of fare at 2 cents per mile do not pass. Among the bills introduced were the following: By Senator Hunt—To prohibit the coloring yellow of any substance designed to be used as a substitute for butter. By Senator Sparks—Amending the flag law so as to leave it to the discretion of the school directors when the flag shall be displayed.

March 11.
The proceedings in the house this morning opened with the following fervent prayer by the chaplain, Rev. David G. Bradford: "Lord, bless and pity us; shine on us with thy face, that republicans and democrats and populists and prohibitionists and socialists and suffragists and lobbyists may all know thy saving grace." Responsive "amens" came from different parts of the house. "Then the song prayer and the prayer song of the sweet singer of Israel will be our prayer and song—let the whole earth be filled with thy glory. Amen and amen!"

Gov. Tanner transmitted to the senate the following appointments as trustees of the Illinois eastern hospital for the insane at Kankakee; Len Small of Kankakee, to fill vacancy heretofore existing; John J. Magee of Chicago, to succeed Edward Sill, resigned; George T. Buckingham of Danville, to succeed J. W. Orr, resigned. Senator Leeper offered a resolution of condolence on the death of Senator Wells of Quincy, who died last Friday, and asked that it be considered Tuesday. Senator Sparks offered a resolution of respect on the death of Senator Herb of Alton, who died just after the close of the thirty-ninth general assembly, to be considered Tuesday. Among the

bills introduced was the following: By Senator Stubblefield—To prohibit the manufacture and sale of cigarettes and imposing a fine of not less than \$100 or more than \$200 and imprisonment for violation of the act. Senator Munroe, on behalf of the citizens of Joliet and the board of drainage trustees, invited the members of the senate to take a trip over the canal with them to-morrow for the purpose of investigation and looking into the needs of the trustees. The senate went into executive session and confirmed the appointment for trustees of the Illinois eastern hospital for the insane at Kankakee sent in to-day.

March 12.
Representative Suttle introduced a bill designed to abolish department stores. It provides, in substance, that no corporation shall carry on the business of retailing merchandise. The title of the bill read, "A bill for an act in relation to revenue," and Mr. Suttle asked to have it referred to the committee on revenue, but Speaker Curtis, upon making examination of the bill, ordered it referred to the committee on municipal corporations, of which Mr. Schubert is chairman. Mr. Suttle was disappointed that the bill was sent to this committee. In an interview after adjournment, he said: "I purposely entitled my bill 'in relation to revenue,' because I am a member of the revenue committee and could make a fight for it there. It is not a revenue bill, except to the extent that it provides that one-half of the fines recovered shall go to the state. All of the department stores in the city of Chicago, so far as I know, are owned and conducted by corporations, and the object of this bill is to drive them out of the department store business, or at least to minimize the evils arising from department stores. The bill does not prevent an individual or a copartnership of individuals from retailing merchandise to any extent to which he or they may be able so to do." The House spent some time in the discussion of Mr. Salmans' bill amending the law in regard to evidence and depositions, providing among other things for the repeal of the section which makes the husband or wife incompetent to testify for or against the other except in certain cases. After several amendments had been adopted the bill was killed by the adoption of Mr. Selby's amendment striking out the enacting clause. The following bills were ordered to third reading: Cochran's in regard to appeals and writs of error in courts of record; Barnes' bill to legalize the judicial proceedings of the March terms, 1896 and 1897, of the Clay County Circuit Court, and Hammer's bill providing that in townships constituting one election district the judges of election shall be appointed by the county board and not more than two of them shall belong to the same political party. The House adjourned to 5 o'clock Monday afternoon.

March 13.
Representative Salmans introduced a bill in relation to "truck stores," which he believes will stand the test of constitutionality. It applies not alone to the owners and operators of coal mines, but to manufacturers and those engaged in any other business. It does not prohibit the owning of truck stores, but requires the owners thereof to sell goods at prices as low as prevail in stores not owned by a person or corporation engaged in mining, manufacturing or other business. As Mr. Salmans is one of the leading lawyers of the house his bill will receive full consideration.

All the house bills on the calendar on the order of first reading were advanced. The house adjourned to 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. Secretary Pro Tem. Fisher called the senate to order today at 5 p. m. There was no quorum present. An adjournment was taken until Tuesday at 10 a. m. after the following bills were introduced: By Senator Crawford—Providing for the appointment of a jury commission in Cook county, to consist of three members selected by a majority of the judges of courts of record. By Senator Hunt—To compel persons prosecuting to pay the cost of suit before the same is commenced. By Senator Munroe—Providing that persons convicted of treason, murder or rape shall not be paroled until they have served at least one-quarter of their maximum terms. Also providing that banking associations loaning more than one-tenth of their capital stock may collect the same from the debtor.

Impurity.
Impurity is in its nature a curse and a crime, and is one of the highest importance that this truth should be understood. Some vice may be private, but it is not secret, and leaves its out-breaking impress on the features, the mind, and the character, which proclaim it as directly as would a placard hung about the neck.—Bishop H. Vincent

TROOPS SENT TO MANILA.

Recruits Raised in Spain by Offers of Bounty—Treasury Is Empty.

Six thousand troops that were to have sailed from Cadiz for Havana have been sent to Manila, and General Weyler has been asked to send as many troops as he can spare to Spain. These recruits were raised by offers of bounty, as in the present state of public opinion in Spain it was not deemed safe to exercise the draft.

The Spanish troops in Cuba are harassed day and night, and the insurgents have evidently begun an active campaign, which was to have awaited the fall of the spring rains.

The arrears due the troops and for supplies now amount to \$46,000,000, and there is not a cent of good money in the treasury for the daily expenses. The question of paper money billets still remains unsolved, and is likely to remain so. The authorities in Havana seem to think that the war will end by evacuation and withdrawal from the island.

IN SPECIAL SESSION.

Congress Gathers to Pass a New Tariff Measure.

The LVth house of representatives organized Monday for the work before it. The most striking feature of the scene on the floor was the number of new faces. The Rev. Mr. Couden, the blind chaplain of the house, delivered the invocation. The clerk of the house then read the president's proclamation convening congress, after which the roll was called. The vote on speaker resulted: Reed (rep.), 199; Bailey, (dem.), 114; Bell (pop.), 21, and Newlands (silverite), 1. The message of the President, urging the speedy passage of a measure to provide the country with more revenue, was read and received with applause. Representative Nelson Dingley (Maine) introduced the proposed new measure. The house then adjourned until Thursday. Vice-President Hobart called the senate to order.

Postmaster General Gary has made the definite announcement that the ad-

WIDOWS OF THE REVOLUTION.

Seven Pensioners Whose Husbands Served Under Washington.

Seven women are still drawing pensions as the widows of men who saw active service in the war of the revolution; women whose husbands served under Washington more than 120 years ago, says the Ladies' Home Journal. The eldest of these surviving widows of the revolution is living in Los Angeles, Cal. She is Mrs. Lovey Aldrich, now in the 98th year of her age. Her husband was Private Caleb Aldrich, who was born in the year 1763, and served as a soldier boy in the New England campaigns of the war. Mrs. Nancy Jones of Jonesborough, Tenn., whose husband was Darling Jones, a private in one of the North Carolina regiments, is the youngest of the revolutionary widows, being now about 83 years of age. The other five are Nancy Cloud, who is living at Chum, Va., and is the widow of Sergt. William Cloud of Capt. Christian's Virginia line; Esther S. Daman of Plymouth Union, Vt., whose husband was Private Noah Daman of Massachusetts; Mary Snead, living at Parksley, Va., widow of Private Bowdoin Snead; Nancy A. Weatherman, who lives at Elk Mills, Tenn., and whose first husband was Robert Glascock, a flier in one of the Virginia regiments, and Rebecca Mayo, living at Newburn, Va., widow of Stephen Mayo, a soldier from Virginia. That these women can be the widows of revolutionary soldiers can be readily understood in view of the fact that their husbands were well on in years when they married. As, for example, when Esther Summer married Noah Daman in the year 1835—fifty-two years after the close of the war—she was but 21, while he was 67. The last revolutionary pensioner who had married prior to the close of the war, and had therefore actually lived during revolutionary times, was Nancy Serena, widow of Daniel F. Bakeman. She died about twenty-seven years ago, only a year or two after her husband, who was the last of the revolutionary soldiers on the pension roll.

HUGE MUSICAL INSTRUMENT.

Harp Made in an Open Lot—Why It Was Constructed.

The most gigantic harp ever constructed, as far as the record goes, was that made by Veritan, the provost of Burkli, near Basel, Switzerland, in 1787, says the St. Louis Republic. That was a long while ago, but the fame of M. Veritan's gigantic harp was such that it is still occasionally mentioned by writers on the rare and the wonderful, just as the sea serpent, bloody rain, live mastodons, etc., are. M. Veritan's colossal musical instrument was 320 feet in length, and, on that account, was constructed in an open lot instead of in a harp factory. It was most simple in construction, consisting of fifteen wires strung tightly between two poles. These wires were of different sizes, the largest being one-sixth of an inch in diameter and the smallest one-twelfth of an inch. They were stretched north and south and inclined in such a manner as to form an angle of from 20 to 30 degrees with the horizon. This queer instrument was not intended as an exaggerated toy, but was constructed for the express purpose of foretelling changes in the weather, which were calculated by Prof. Veritan according to the different tones the instrument made when the wind was blowing through it.

St. Blaise.

St. Blaisius, or Blaise, was an Armenian bishop and suffered martyrdom in the early centuries. While in prison he cured a boy of a serious throat trouble, and has been recognized as the special saint who may be prayed to for help in obtaining cures for diseases of the throat. He is also the patron saint of wool-combers, from the fact that iron combs were used in tearing his flesh when he was being put to death.—New York Tribune.

Claim Brambel Infringed.

A firm at Anderson, Ind., has served notice on capitalists that the wonderful grant said to have been invented by Brambel, of Sleepy Eye, Minn., is an infringement, warning them against its manufacture in the United States, Germany and England.

His Epitaph.

"Hear what they are going to put on the old planter's tombstone?" "No. What?" "He wouldn't raise anything but corn on his plantation, so the epitaph is to be: 'Corn, but not for cotton.'"—Cincinnati Tribune.

His Interest.

"Yes, sir," said Mr. Winbiddle to a stranger, "I insist that all water used for drinking and culinary purposes should be boiled at least half an hour." "You are a physician, I presume." "No; I am a coal dealer."—New York Journal.

A Feminine Flew.

He—Isn't she a mighty pretty girl? She—No-o. She only looks like it.

C. H. HARRISON THE YOUNGER.



HE IS CANDIDATE FOR THE HONOR ONCE HELD BY HIS FATHER.

Carter H. Harrison was born in 1860, in Chicago. From 1873 to 1876 he attended the Gymnasium of Altenburg in Sax-Altenburg. On his return home, owing to his father's absence from Chicago on account of being a member of Congress, was unable to attend an Eastern College, and took a full collegiate course at St. Ignatius' College on the West Side, whence he graduated as bachelor of arts in the

class of 1881. Took the degree of bachelor of laws after a two years' course at Yale in 1883. Followed the law until 1889, when he embarked in real estate, with his younger brother, William Preston Harrison, under the firm name of Harrison Bros., until November, 1891, when, his father having purchased the Chicago Times, he devoted his time until the winter of 1894 as publisher of that paper.

FOUR WERE KILLED.

Lives Lost in a Wreck on the Evansville & Terre Haute Road.

If corroborative testimony is worth anything, only four lives were lost in the wreck of the Evansville & Terre Haute train near Hazleton Wednesday afternoon. The dead are:

GEORGE A. SEARS, of Terre Haute, conductor.

JOSEPH BOLEMAN, of Evansville, fireman.

HERBERT ALLEN, of Evansville, late doorkeeper Indiana legislature.

ONE PASSENGER, NAME UNKNOWN, supposed to be a traveling salesman.

The fact that some business cards were found floating about after the wreck having given rise to a report that two passengers were missing. One of the cards bore the name of J. T. Phillips, Fort Wayne, and the other the name of a book firm at Chicago.

The injured: John McCutcheon of Evansville, engineer, cut, bruised and scalded, but not seriously.

Baldwin Hauelsen of Evansville, Ind., brakeman, foot horribly mashed and otherwise bruised.

W. F. Henderson of the Henderson comedy company, leg broken.

The wreck was caused by the recent heavy floods, which had undermined an embankment over which the train passed.

Transvaal Preparing for War.

The Cape Town correspondent of the London Daily Mail states that Germany has recently landed large shipments of munitions of war at Wal-fisch Bay, a circumstance which causes suspicion. The Transvaal is also arming steadily, the shipments of ammunition, guns and military supplies from France alone amounting to 300 tons monthly.

ministration has decided to adhere to the four-year-tenure-of-office policy for all postmasters.

RUSSIA'S DEEP GAME.

The Czar Is Said to Be Secretly Negotiating with King George.

Frederick Palmer cables from Athens as follows: "I learn that secret negotiations are proceeding between King George and the Russian government. Russia undoubtedly is playing a two-faced game with the Turkish government, and with the powers as well. There is an explicit understanding that, when the Greek army crosses the frontier, Russia shall find a pretext to seize Constantinople."

Railroad Wreck in Georgia.

A frightful passenger train wreck occurred near Rome, Ga., early Saturday morning on the approach to the high bridge of the Southern Railway over the Etowah river. The engine plunged down a bluff sixty feet high into the river with the engineer sticking to his post. The wreck caught fire and seven cars were burned. Two men were fatally hurt, and several badly bruised. Heavy rains caused the trestle to give way and the freight cars, baggage car and smoker fell into the cut, while the engine jumped the track and plunged into the river.

Death of Ex-Senator Dolph.

Ex-Senator Joseph N. Dolph of Oregon, died at 11:30 o'clock Wednesday. On Monday his leg was amputated in the hope of saving his life, which was threatened by blood-poisoning. Joseph N. Dolph was born in Watkins, N. Y., in 1835, and came to Oregon in 1862. In 1882 he was elected United States senator, and served two full terms. Since his retirement from the United States senate Mr. Dolph had practiced law in Portland.

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Colorado Cowmen.

In the matter of keeping things lively Colorado is nearly equal to Kansas. The echoes of the miners' strike only died away sufficiently to allow the wary of the Colorado cowmen to shiver the air.

In the great grazing lands of the northwest a condition exists which is little understood at the east. There are millions of acres of pasturage not yet held by private owners. In the parlance of the country, a ranch is a small farm, while a range is one of the great open areas where live stock grazes by the 100,000 and cattle are rounded up to be branded or separated out for fattening and slaughter.

For fully 15 years the cattle barons have held undisputed sway over the great Colorado ranging grounds. They have been strong enough in many cases to override private rights. Within the past four years, however, an enemy has risen to dispute their kingship. It is the sheep owner from the Wyoming border.

What constitutes a flock of sheep in the big western eye may be known from the fact that one owner has 40,000 on a Colorado range which the cowmen claim as their own. Bringing sheep upon the grounds heretofore occupied by their cattle enrages the cowmen, and they threaten a war of extermination. They say the sheep ruin the pastures for their cows. The cattlemen got possession of the ranges before sheep began to be raised to any great extent in that region; therefore they claim the sole right to the grazing grounds. Beef and mutton war with each other.

Convict Labor.

Labor Commissioner Carroll D. Wright is of opinion that the question of prison labor should be considered in its relation to the best interests of the future of the convict himself rather than in the light of mere profit to the state. A convict is a sick man morally. He should be dealt with in a way to cure him, whether he earns his board or not.

Colonel Wright sums the question up in The North American Review:

It is the state's duty to treat its moral invalids with the same fairness in recognizing their illness that it shows to its mental and physical invalids. It certainly has no right to expect to make profit out of either. Its whole duty, then, is to approach all three classes—the dependent, the delinquent and the defective—from the point of view of the physician. Their bodies must be kept in the best condition and their moral and mental attributes trained and strengthened. By giving more attention to this ethical side of the problem the best economic results will be reached sooner or later.

Prisons have not been so effectively deterrent as it was formerly supposed they would be. Punishment has not accomplished the ends sought. Revenge is not a part of the state's duty, but the protection of society is its sole duty, and criminals are a part of society. That method of treatment, therefore, which will reduce the number of criminals and bring them back to society as cured and industrious citizens will also eventually reduce the expense to the state and the annoyance and irritation and danger which come from the presence of a body of criminals. Whatever conduces to this result, whether it be the employment of prisoners solely for the benefit of the state or teaching them how to employ their minds and hands when they leave the prisons, must be the true course. The size of the deficit in the state treasury resulting therefrom or the trifling competition which follows is of but little account. In place of the old rule for the running of prisons—profits, with incidental reformatory results—the new rule will hold sway—reformation, with incidental profits.

Work has been recommenced on the old Panama canal. What is more, a board of expert French engineers has pronounced the De Lesseps scheme entirely practicable. While the United States congress is humming and hawing and wasting wind over the Nicaragua canal the French will go on and complete theirs. It has been well said that there is not room on this continent for two isthmian canals. Where shall we be when France finishes the Panama canal? We shall have wantonly and wickedly thrown away the grandest chance ever offered to a western nation to control the gateway of half the world. If the Panama canal is permitted to be finished before we build the one across Nicaragua, then we never will build the one across Nicaragua. President Zelaya invites us. Destiny herself invites us. Why don't we go in and do the work? Let congress answer.

To the crude American eye the Greek soldier's uniform would be improved if he took some of the cloth out of his skirt and made of it a larger covering for his head.

It was a remarkable coincidence that Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher should die March 8, 1897, ten years to the very day after her illustrious husband passed away.

Twentieth Century Carriage.

It is already here. Unless we die very soon we shall live to see mechanically propelled vehicles as common upon the streets as those drawn by horses. Already in London the authorities have passed an ordinance licensing mechanical wagons and carriages. In Paris such vehicles were licensed two years ago. Now a resolution permitting their use is under consideration by the board of aldermen of New York. A firm have put motor carriages on sale in that city. Their factory is in Philadelphia.

Really it seems only a question of a little time when the sorry livery stable horse must go. Everybody will be glad of it too. It cannot be much fun to be a cab or omnibus horse.

Those who keep horses for public hire will do well to prepare for gradually introducing among their present carriages a few of the mechanical motor pattern. The new horseless carriage is propelled by electricity stored in batteries within the vehicle itself. The first cost of the whole outfit is at present rather more than that of a horse and carriage. After the vehicle is once paid for, however, it will be cheaper than the old style, for there will be no horse keep. The horseless carriage is fitted with pneumatic tires. It will be a delight to ride in, and the streets of a city will be nothing like so dirty or dangerous as they are at present. There is no room in a city for live stock of any kind.

When speed has been required and there was a clear road, it has been found that the mechanical carriage will travel 26 miles an hour, thus beating the horse all out.

Friends of the Gardener.

Mr. George E. Walsh contributes to The Cosmopolitan a short paper on the friends and enemies of man that spring up in myriads, seemingly from nowhere, at the time, as Poet Whitcomb Riley phrases it, "when the green gits back in the trees."

As is customary with man in all positions, he knows his enemies better than his friends in the garden. At least he thinks he does and so makes indiscriminate war on all the insects and other small creatures that abound among his fruits and vegetables. Thus he sometimes destroys his best, most helpful servants.

Among these humble friends the toads stand first. The French gardeners appreciate so highly their services in devouring hurtful worms and insects that in Paris they are sold by the dozen to be put into the gardens. The "common hop toad" is the best. Lizards and the small garden snakes are man's good friends too. The little snakes are entirely harmless and may even be tamed. Those too small to swallow toads should be protected in the garden. The pretty, speckled ladybird beetle, commonly called "ladybug" by the country children, is a great help to the fruit and vegetable raiser. It destroys plant lice. The long legged dragon fly, looking something like a mosquito, should under no circumstances be killed. Ground beetles are man's friends too. So are wasps. But the best friends of all are the birds.

Amiable and public spirited ladies of Chicago want to suppress the evils of cigarette smoking. They take the usual woman's view that they can law cigarette smoking out of the boys. They have instituted a crusade to forbid the manufacture and sale of cigarettes in Illinois. But there is nothing in the Bible to indicate that cigarette smoking is a sin. Its inordinate indulgence is to be fought. The ladies can reach their aim best by working to get a stiff tax placed upon the manufacture and sale of cigarettes. That will make it less profitable to make and sell them. It will also bring in a considerable public revenue. Then let the good teachers of Chicago and elsewhere continue laboring earnestly on the moral and æsthetic plane, as they are now doing, to convince the lads of the danger, dirt and uselessness of cigarette smoking. This course seems in accordance with common sense and feasibility.

The secretary of the navy is advertising for bids for the making of 8,000 tons of nickel steel with which to plate more American war vessels to go out to sea and get disabled and have to put back ingloriously into harbor. We would be in a pretty predicament just now if suddenly it became necessary to send a large number of our war vessels across the ocean. It is to be hoped that some of the newer ones would in case of necessity be able to make the run to Havana, however. The old ones could do it, but would the newest, crackest cruisers and battleships be equal to it?

"Nobody helps me, nobody obeys my orders, yet mine is the responsibility," cries Weyer. Poor thing!

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TIME TABLE.

WEEK DAY TRAINS--NORTH.

LV. CHICAGO.	AR. PALATINE.	AR. BARR'T'N.
8 00 A. M.	8 32 A. M.	8 50 A. M.
8 15		9 11
9 10	10 19	10 30
10 50	11 58	12 10 P. M.
11 30 P. M.	12 45 P. M.	1 00
3 30	4 47	5 02
5 00	5 57	6 09
6 01	7 08	7 20
6 35	7 42	7 55
11 35	12 42	12 55

* Saturdays only.

WEEK DAY TRAINS--SOUTH.

LV. BARR'T'N.	LV. PALATINE.	AR. CHICAGO.
6 10 A. M.	6 55	7 55
7 10	7 22	8 20
7 56	8 09	9 15
9 10	9 20	10 20
9 52	10 02	11 00
12 25 P. M.	12 34 P. M.	1 40 P. M.
3 08	3 19	4 30
5 02	5 12	6 15

SUNDAY TRAINS--NORTH.

LV. CHICAGO.	AR. PALATINE.	AR. BARR'T'N.
4 00 A. M.		5 02 A. M.
9 10	10 19 A. M.	10 30
1 30 P. M.	2 45 P. M.	3 00 P. M.
4 45	6 00	6 12
6 35	7 42	7 55
11 35	12 42	12 55

SUNDAY TRAINS--SOUTH.

LV. BARR'T'N.	LV. PALATINE.	AR. CHICAGO.
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THE REVIEW several weeks ago predicted that the leading event of the season would be the recital given by J. I. Sears and class at the Barrington M. E. church Friday, March 12th. This prophecy has come true beyond expectations.

Long before the hour set for the afternoon recital the church was comfortably filled. The junior class, which had charge of the afternoon recital, did splendidly and reflected great credit on themselves and their talented teacher, and the same must be said of the senior class, who rendered their program in the evening, when standing room was at a premium.

On the whole, the class showed great improvement over last year's work.

Before rendering their selections the pupils gave short explanatory remarks, which were as follows:

Afternoon, Part I.

Piano solo, "The Woodruff." Smallwood
Miss Madge Bennett.

This composition is written in the key of F, changing to C and ending with first theme in the key of F. It is called "The Woodruff," being named after a plant that grows in Europe, the root of the plant being used in flavoring wine. Smallwood has written principally an easy grade of piano music.

Piano solo, "The Flower Girl Waltz." Godfrey
Master Walter Lageschulte.

This composition is written in the key of C flat, changing to A flat, and ending in E flat. The composer, Charles Godfrey, is a concert pianist and composer of music.

Organ solo, "Fly Away Waltz." F. Root
Miss Martha Kampert.

The composer of this composition, Frederick Root, is a teacher of voice culture in Chicago, and has written some organ music. We would suppose that this piece "Fly Away Waltz" was given this name on account of the few rapid scale runs, although Mr. Root has said nothing in regard to the name of this piece.

Piano solo, "Carmen Waltz." Aletter
Miss Florence Peck.

This composition called "Carmen Waltz" is taken from the opera called "Carmen" by Bizet, which has been played on every important stage both in Europe and America, and shows no signs of losing its popularity. It was played at the Auditorium, Chicago, on February 22, 1897.

Piano solo, "Fair Columbia Waltz." H. Lamb
Miss Beulah Otis.

This piece was written during the World's Fair. The first part is in the key of G, changing to F, then returning to first theme, ending in the key of G, and is called a waltz, which is always in three-fourths or tripple time.

Piano Solo, "Ivy Leaf Waltz." Brainard
Master Charles Thorp.

This piece is written in three-fourths or what is called waltz time, and changes keys. First, in the key of B flat, changing to F, back to B flat, and then the last part in E flat. Brainard some years ago was connected with a music journal called *Brainard's Musical World*.

Organ solo, "May Bells" Nos. 1, 2 and 3....
Miss Rose Lageschulte.

"May Bells" is the name of a collection of twelve short pieces, each complete in itself yet all written in such a way as to form a complete composition. I have selected the first three numbers for this recital which are entirely different in form. The first is a slow, stately movement in four-fourths time, in the key of F; the second number is a movement in three-fourths time in the key of A minor, and the third number is a lively movement in one-half time in the key of F.

Piano solo, "In the Twilight." Gurlett
Miss Helen Waller.

This piece is written in the key of A in 6-16 time, and is an impromptu composition, which is a piece written without following strict rules in harmony. We would suppose it was given this name on account of the quiet melody at the close of the composition. Gurlett is one of the best composers of first grade teaching pieces.

Part II.

Rudiments of music by Class.
Piano solo, "Maiden Blush Waltz." Gottschalk
Miss Alta Powers.

The composer of this composition, L. M. Gottschalk, was born May 8th,

1829, and died December 18th, 1865. He began the study of music at 3 years of age, and at the age of 7 played as well as his teacher. At the age of 10 he gave his first concert. This composition is written in the key of E flat in three-fourths time.

Organ solo, "Admiration March." Kline
Miss Luella Plagge.

This organ solo is written in the key of F and played in strict march time, and is also published for brass bands. The composer, G. H. Kline, is a resident of Chicago, and has written a large collection of organ and piano music, the majority of which is waltzes, quicksteps and marches.

Piano solo, "Mazurka" No. 3.... G. Schumann
Mrs. Emma Brockway.

This composition is written in the key of B flat minor, and has three leading parts, each composed of two sections, forming a period, yet so arranged as to have a complete ending. This number is called a mazurka, which is a lively Polish dance in three-fourths time. Schumann was one of the greatest writers of piano music.

Piano solo, "Pasquinade" Gottschalk
Miss Myrtle Dixon.

The composer of this composition, L. M. Gottschalk, was at one time one of the popular concert pianists. As a composer his compositions are not classed with the heavy classics, but he is one of the best of the medium grade composers. The meaning of the word "pasquinade" is to make light of.

Violin solo, "Ben Bolt" Variations.... D. May
Mr. Sanford Bennett.

"Ben Bolt" is the name of a song composed by Kneass, and has been before the public for a great many years. It is arranged for brass band, orchestra and also as a violin solo. It is written in the key of G and has four variations.

Piano Solo, a. "Narcissus" Nevins
b. "Gavotte" Godard
Miss Lois Baldwin.

Narcissus, a genus of plants, is a native of North Africa, Southern Europe and the temperate parts of Asia. Many varieties are in cultivation, it not only being grown in green houses and gardens but also in water glasses, like the hyacinth. It is very common in India, where it is highly esteemed as a flower. The narcissus in general is grown from bulbs or seeds.

Piano solo, "The Rose" A. Schmolli
Miss Maude Meyer.

This composition called "The Rose" is written in the key of C in three-fourths time and is called a mazurka, which is a lively Polish dance. Anton Schmolli is a composer of a great many piano pieces, principally first and second grade.

Piano solo, "Mazurka" Leschetizky
J. I. Sears.

Last summer when I was studying advanced piano music with R. A. Parsons I attended his recitals, and at one of them he gave this number as an example of Leschetizky's peculiar style of writing, which indicates the firm method with which he taught his pupils to play, having none of the delicate shading that Liszt has, but on the contrary is given to contrast in syncopated notes of a very decided character. Mr. Parsons studied six years with the composer, and is the author of the synthetic method for piano, which, as I have stated before, I intend to adopt in my teaching, and at the present time am arranging a course of study to begin with next season.

Evening, Part I.

Piano solo, "March de Nuit" Gottschalk
Miss Myrtle Robertson.

This composition, called, "March of the Night," is the most deserving composition of Gottschalk. Its origin is said to have been due to a sudden inspiration consequent upon a reading of Fingal in one of the most brilliant of Paris salons.

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Violin solo, "Petite Berceuse" Hermann
Mr. Reuben Plagge.

This violin solo called "Petite Berceuse" is a cradle song and is written in the key of G in four-fourths time. The composer, Th. Hermann, was born 1808, being a gifted German musician. He studied the violin with Spohr, and has been prominent in musical circles as a conductor since 1849, as well as a composer of opera, as teacher, etc.

Piano solo, a. "Valse," Op. 34, No. 2. Chopin
b. "Rondo" Beethoven
Miss Florence Morris.

The composer of this valse, like Beethoven, was one of the greatest writers of piano music. As a pianist he had no superior excepting Liszt. He was born 1809 and died 1849. This valse is written in A minor.

This "Rondo" is the last movement of the Sonata, Op. 26, by Beethoven. It is to be played rapidly and in strict time. Beethoven was one of our greatest composers, was born 1770, and

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Benjamin Godard was born in Paris in 1819, and is a highly popular composer of chamber music and piano pieces for the salon, besides two concertos for piano and orchestra. Lately he has produced some beautiful songs. This composition is written in the key of B, and is called a gavotte, which is a dance, consisting of two light, lively strains in common time.

Piano solo, "The Butterfly" Bendix
Miss Milla Mitchell.

The composer of this composition, Theo. Bendix, is a publisher of sheet music and books, and has also written a great many solos for piano. We would suppose that the piece called "The Butterfly" was given this name on account of the light and cheerful manner in which it is to be played, although Mr. Bendix has given us no explanation.

Part II.

Rudiments of music by Class.
Piano solo, "Prisoner of Zenda" Whitmark
Miss Mina Robertson.

The Prisoner of Zenda is the name of an opera in four acts, which has been played in most of the large cities during the last two seasons. The composer having made a great success with the opera, selected these melodies and had them published for piano. It is composed of an introduction, four parts and a coda.

Violin duet, "Op. 168" Dancila
Messrs. Will Cannon and Reuben Plagge.

Piano solo, "Danse Ecossaise" F. Baker
Mr. E. L. Wilmer.

This composition called "Danse Ecossaise" is a tune or air in the Scotch style, and is written in the key of G flat in four-fourths time. F. T. Baker was a noted performer on the violin and piano, also composer of vocal and instrumental music.

Violin solo, "Schlummerlied" Eulenstein
Master Joel B. Thomas.

The composer of this slumber song, Eulenstein, is a noted violinist. He appeared in concert when quite young, and as a writer of violin music is very popular. This piece is written in the key of D in four-fourths time, the melody being very quiet throughout.

Piano solo, "Villanelle" J. Raff
Miss Lydia Robertson.

This composition is called "Villanelle," which is an old Italian dance. It is written in the key of E flat and is played in an even tempo. The principal thought or melody is given throughout with additional parts, similar to a transcription. The composer, J. Raff, was born in 1822 and died in 1882. His compositions are almost innumerable, more than 200 having been published. His symphonies, however, are thought to be the best.

Violin solo, "Berecuse Slave" Neurder
Mr. Will Cannon.

This number is written in the key of D minor in two-fourths time, and is similar in form to a boat song. The composer, Neurder, was born in 1840, and is well known as one of the greatest violinists of our time.

Piano solo, "Alice" Ascher
Miss Nellie Lines.

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answer at once that a good touch is the first requirement and to give that time is needed in which to practice a certain amount of finger exercises, scales and arpeggios. This piece is a review of scales and arpeggios accompanying a simple melody, and is called a transcription. Ascher is a popular composer and pianist of drawing room music.

Three Violins, Clarinet and Piano, "Hope March" Gudo Papine
Messrs. Will Cannon, Reuben Plagge,
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CHAPTER IX.—(CONTINUED.)

My thoughts flew to my missing love. Oh! if she were but beside me—beside me! for jealousy of Grant had left me. If we were but gazing together on that bright moon! If my arm were around her, and my lips whispering the words of love into her ear! If her fingers, with the soft, caressing touch which I so well remembered, were resting in mine! If—

I could bear it no longer. I turned to Grant, and cried in a voice of anguish:

"Tell me all! Tell me where she is! Give me Viola again!"

He turned at my cry. The moonlight was full on his pale face. His eyes—his features—evinced deep sympathy and compassion. A fearful thought ran through me.

"She is not dead?" I gasped out.

"No; she is not dead."

"Then where is she? For mercy's sake tell me! See! I have been patient—I have not even asked you! But the time has come—I must know!"

I saw him knit his brows, not angrily, but as one in deep thought. My lips were trembling; my emotion so great that I could not repeat the question.

Breathlessly I waited for Grant to speak. At last, in a grave voice, he broke silence.

"You believed the words I spoke when—I thought I was dying?"

"Could I be with you now if I did not believe them?"

"Will you believe me when I say that it will be happier for both of you, if you never meet or hear again of one another?"

"No; I will not believe that. How can I? She, the wife I loved, leaves me without one word. With my kiss still warm on her lips, she passes away from me, it seems, forever! Let me see her—let me hear why she did this thing!"

Grant was silent; but once more he took my hand and pressed it.

"Tell me," I continued. "Remember, even after all that has recently passed, I am justified in asking you to explain your part in the flight. This is at least due to me."

"Yes, you are right, it is. All that I will tell you."

CHAPTER X.

I CLINCHED my hands, and leaned forward, eager to catch every word that fell from Grant's lips. My future seemed to rest on what I learned during the next few minutes. Grant began speaking in a calm and deliberate manner. It struck me even then that he was weighing every word, so as to be sure of saying no more or no less than was needed.

"Julian," he said, "in order to understand my action in the matter, you must first of all bear in mind the truth which you guessed intuitively when we first met. I loved Viola with all the strength of my nature. I had loved her for years, and I was waiting in the hope that some day she would be mine. It was a bitter blow to return home and find that another man was about to marry her. It needed all my power of will to hold my feelings from her, and do what I could to insure her happiness."

He sighed and was silent for a while. "However," he continued, "sharp as the pang was at the time, it is now a thing of the past. I have conquered myself. My love now for Viola is that of a brother to a sister. You will believe this Loraine?"

I nodded. He resumed in a lighter manner.

"Yes, I have conquered it. I think I now pour all of my love into my books. But at that time I worshiped her. I would have given my life to have saved her from grief. Her wish was to me a command; her smallest request an obligation to be discharged at all cost. Leaving this out of the question, her mother confided her to me. This is why I did not tell her I loved her. I forced myself to wait until she was twenty-one, then it was too late."

Another pause. I glanced at his face. Its expression was one of actual pain. If Eustace Grant had conquered this hopeless passion, the memory of it was still keen.

"Remember, also," he went on, "I mistrusted you. I hesitated long before I made up my mind not to interfere. Your romantic suppression of your true name and position is accountable for the mistrust I felt. So I

start with two strong emotions to sway me—love for Viola, and mistrust of the man who was to marry her. Do you understand?"

"Yes; but for mercy's sake, let me hear what happened!"

"On Viola's twenty-first birthday," he began—

No; I will not give his story in his own words. I should be bound to break it a hundred times by the insertion of my ejaculations and expressions of wonderment. When ended, it left me as completely in the dark as before. If it cleared Viola from the accusation of vulgar infidelity, it plunged me in ten-fold perplexity as to the motive which induced her to fly from me. This, briefly, is what Grant told me: Upon reaching the solicitor's, according to appointment, he found that Viola had already arrived and was waiting for him in the room into which I was afterward shown. Grant exchanged a few words with her, then went back to Mr. Monk and spoke about details of business. Everything was in order and ready for my inspection when I should arrive; so Grant rejoined my wife. He had much he wished to say to her, many questions to ask, and, as he hoped, congratulations to offer.

She appeared strange, absent-minded and oppressed. He thought she must be ill. Suddenly, to his bewilderment, she fell at his feet, and, in a passionate way, besought him to take her away at once. Take her anywhere. Hide her from her husband. Let him never know where she was; never see her again. At once—this moment—before she arrived, she must go, and leave no trace! All this she prayed Grant to do—besought it, absolutely, on her knees.

The man's blood boiled. Here, a fortnight after her marriage, was the woman he loved begging him, in wild accents, to save her from her husband. He could jump at only one conclusion. I had, in some way, maltreated her. I was an utter villain! My wife had found out my true nature, and her only refuge was flight. Was it for the man who loved her to urge her to return to what, from her wild and despairing prayers, he gathered must be absolute misery? No. She besought his aid. Let him fling prudence to the wind and do her bidding without asking why or wherefore. There was no time to spare for questions. Viola seemed in an agony of fear. At any moment my step might be heard. Grant, who believed that I had, in the course of a few days, turned my wife's love into hate, felt no inclination to show me any mercy. He raised Viola and promised to save her. He led her out through the door which opened to the outer world, called a cab, placed my wife in it, and drove off, without troubling as to direction. Her only wish at the moment was to avoid meeting me.

Once within the cab, Grant tried to induce Viola to talk rationally; to give some reasons justifying the rash step. His efforts were unavailing. All she would say was that never could she meet me again. She must fly—go far away. If Grant would not aid her she must go alone. Finding her so firm, and not doubting but that my conduct had brought all this about, he consented to do as she wished. They drove straight to Charing Cross and took the first train to Folkestone. Here he left her for the night at a quiet hotel, returned to town, made his preparations, and had the encounter, which I have already described, with me. The next morning, as my spy informed me, the fugitives crossed to Boulogne. At this point Eustace Grant finished his tale. As I have said, it increased my intensity tenfold. Until the moment when Grant made what we both thought a dying avowal of his innocence, Viola's flight admitted of a natural, if shameful, explanation. Now that the elements of faithfulness and criminal love were removed, the matter was simply inexplicable. Eustace Grant might have thought, might even now think, that my ill-treatment of my wife had forced her from my side; but I knew better—she knew better.

But Grant had not revealed all. "Go on," I said; "tell me more."

"I have told you all I can, Julian. I have explained the part which, rightly or wrongly, I acted. I promised nothing more."

"Tell me where she is, that I may see her, and learn all from her own lips."

"She is with good friends, who love her. I can say no more."

"Is she happy? Tell me the truth."

He hesitated. "I dare not say she is happy," he answered; "but I believe

she is as happy as she can be in this world."

These unsatisfactory answers were simply maddening.

"Grant!" I said fiercely, "for some reason you are concealing the truth from me. I can not force it from you. Until I know it I can not say whether that reason is right or wrong; but I will work until I find out everything. But tell me this: do you now believe that my wife left me on account of wrongs which I did her? Speak!"

He made a pause. "I can not answer that question," he said. "Doing so would lead to others. I have already said too much."

"You have answered it!" I cried, triumphantly. "You answered it when you threw that pistol away; you answer it every time you take my hand—every time you speak a word of friendship to me."

"So be it," he said wearily.

"And now, knowing, as you do, all, tell me if you approve of Viola's leaving me—me, who loved her above the world—the husband who worshiped her; tell me this!"

"I can say no more. I am weary, worn out. Help me to my room."

I did so. We parted for the night. As he took my hand he looked me straight on the face.

"Julian," he said, "be wise and ask no more. Leave this place and forget Viola. There is no hope. All this concealment—all that has been done—is for your sake. Good-night."

CHAPTER XI.

I WENT to my room and threw myself into a chair. Here, until dawn, I sat puzzling over Grant's words, and trying to turn them into a key that might unlock the secret door which stood between my wife and myself. My efforts were useless. I seemed like one surrounded by stone walls, through which there was no escape. Each way I turned I was met with some impervious obstacle.

"For my sake!" This concealment was for my sake! I am plunged in despair. I am told there is no hope. Yet all this was for my own sake! The riddle grew more and more difficult of solution. Grant could doubtless solve it if he chose, but would he do so?

Not he. The next day I once more attacked him. I implored, commanded, even threatened; not one word would he speak. I was on the verge of quarreling with him; but as I fancied it was only by his direct or indirect aid I could find Viola, I restrained my very natural wrath, and on the subject of Viola a sullen silence succeeded my useless questions.

I lingered on at the farm long after Eustace Grant was well enough to dispense with my services. Where else could I go? From whom but Grant had I a chance of ascertaining my wife's present abode? I must wait and watch. A chance word, a letter, anything, might put me on the track. Moreover, I had a presentiment that Viola was not far away. People, when driven to their wits' end, put a vast amount of faith in presentiments.

Much as I had learned to love him, severe as were the twinges of remorse still felt for my murderous act, it was all I could do to force myself to believe that Grant was single-hearted in his determination of keeping me in the dark respecting my wife. The more so, as it was my conviction that, could I once meet her, my pleading would be eloquent enough to bring her back to me, to begin once more the happy life so strangely cut short. Only let me see her once more, take her by the hand, gaze into her eyes, call up the memory of those few short days when we were all the world to each other; surely I must then be told the truth and conquer.

One morning Eustace seemed distracted and ill at ease. He answered my questions absently. Presently he said: "Do you mind making a short journey for me?"

"Certainly not. Where to?"

"I want several things not procurable here. Will you go to L'Orient for me?"

"Of course I will. But how am I to get there? The diligence does not run to-day."

"Jean could drive you in the light wagon, but that would be tedious. I will try and borrow a horse."

I favored the horse. Twenty miles in old Bouley's wagon was not a tempting prospect. So the horse was procured and I decided to stay at L'Orient for the night and ride back the next day. My purchases could be sent by diligence.

Grant gave me a list of the articles he wished bought. Some of them, it struck me, seemed superfluous and trivial and all might have been ordered by letter. Then I mounted and rode along the table-land, down the hill, through the sleepy little village, up the other hill, and away on the dusty road to L'Orient.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

GRANT'S HAMMERING.

THOSE WHO CRITICISED IT WERE STAY-AT-HOMES.

The Soldiers in the Field Were as Anxious as the Commander to Fight the War to a Finish—Paper Bullets Were Not Effective.



GEN. HORACE Porter's "Campaigning with Grant," now running in The Century, deals with the battle of Cold Harbor in the current issue. General Porter says: There were critics who were severe in their condemnation of what Grant called "hammering" and Sherman called "pounding," but they were found principally among the stay-at-homes, and especially the men who sympathized with the enemy. A soldier said one night when reading by a camp fire an account of a call issued by a disloyal newspaper at home for a public meeting to protest against the continued bloodshed in this campaign: "Who's shedding this blood, anyhow? They better wait till we fellows down here at the front hollo, 'Enough!'" The soldiers were as anxious as their commanders to fight the war to a finish, and be allowed to return to their families and their business.

Grant could have effectually stopped the carnage at any time by withholding from battle. He could have avoided all bloodshed by remaining north of the Rapidan, intrenching, and not moving against his enemy; but he was not placed in command of the armies for that purpose. It had been demonstrated by more than three years of campaigning that peace could be secured only by whipping and destroying the enemy. No one was more desirous of peace; no one was possessed of a heart more sensitive to every form of human suffering than the commander; but he realized that paper bullets are not effective in warfare; he knew better than to attempt to hew rocks with a razor; and he felt that in campaigning the hardest blows bring the quickest relief. He was aware that in Wellington's armies the annual loss from disease was 113 out of 1,000; in our Mexican war, 152; and in the Crimea, 600; and that in the campaigns thus far in our own war more men had died from sickness while lying in camp than from shot and shell in battle. He could not select his ground for fighting in this continuous siege of fortified lines; for, though he and his chief officers applied all their experience and skill in endeavors to manoeuvre the enemy out of strong positions before attacking him, his foe was often too able and wily to fall into the traps set for him, and had to be struck in positions which were far from Grant's choosing. When Lee stopped fighting the cause of secession was lost. If Grant had stopped fighting the cause of the Union would have been lost. He was assigned one of the most appalling tasks ever intrusted to a commander. He did his duty fearlessly to the bitter end, and triumphed. In thirteen months after Lincoln handed him his commission of lieutenant-general, and intrusted to him the command of the armies, the war virtually ended.

NO USE FOR AN UNDERTAKER.

The Expected Corpse Traveled in the Same Train With His Coffin.

Robert Richmond, a young man from St. Louis, was taken sick at Marfa, a small town 400 miles west of here on the Southern Pacific railroad, says a San Antonio correspondent of the Philadelphia Record. He grew rapidly worse and became unconscious and his attending physician telegraphed the patient's parents in St. Louis that their son was dying. The parents wired instructions for the body to be embalmed and shipped to St. Louis. There is no embalmer and undertaker nearer than San Antonio, and a telegram was sent there for one. The young man was still alive, but his physician was positive that he would be dead in a few hours. The San Antonio undertaker arrived at Marfa next morning and found the young man still alive. He waited thirty-six hours and Richmond showed signs of improvement. The undertaker left with the coffin for San Antonio and Richmond was brought here on the same train, arriving last night. The trip did so much good that he will leave the hospital in a few days a well man.

Dull in Pumpkinville. Hodge—Hello, old man, what's goin' on in Pumpkinville?

Podge—Nuthin'. W'y, it's got jest so blamed dull house rent has stopped an' the interest on what a feller owes has plum quit.—Atlanta Evening Journal.

Secret Societies in England. The Ancient Order of Foresters have a membership of 883,000 in England; the membership of the United Order of Odd Fellows is 256,000, and the Manchester Unity of Odd Fellows has 751,000 members.

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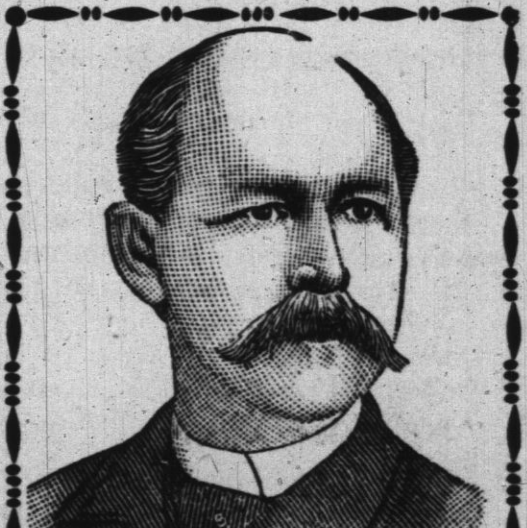
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Very Easy. Russian women are said to be the most brilliant and accomplished in Europe. They are great linguists, too. At a swell function recently given in Vienna, the Princess Helene Gottschofskoyevsky was the only one present who could pronounce her own name.



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Needed in Both Places.
A Western member of congress was describing to Thaddeus Stevens a certain township in his district, and after expatiating upon the fertility of its soil, the salubrity of its climate and the magnificence of its scenery, wound up by saying that all it wanted was plenty of water and society. "That is all they want in hell," said Mr. Stevens.

Shady Wit.
Shade of Pharaoh's Daughter—"Say, if you were on earth now you'd make a fine sailor."
Shade of Lot's Wife—"Why?"
Shade of Pharaoh's Daughter—"Oh, you're such an old salt, you know."—New York Press.

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Dramatic Deaths.
What is a dramatic death? Of course, the most dramatic death ever recorded was that of Placut, who dropped dead while paying a bill. Then there was the death of Fabius, who was choked by a hair in some milk; that of Louis VI., who met his doom because a pig ran under his horse and caused him to stumble; that of Saufeu, who was poisoned by the albumen in a soft boiled egg; and that of Zeuxis, who died from laughter at sight of a hag he had painted.—Boston Journal.

No Alternative.
"Every person," said the thoughtful young man, "ought to carry a notebook."
"Yes," was the reply, "I carry one. Since my checkbook became passe I'm obliged to."—Washington Star.

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ILLINOIS NEWSLETS.

RECORD OF MINOR DOINGS OF THE WEEK.

Seven Days' Happenings Condensed—Social, Religious, Political, Criminal, Obituary and Miscellaneous Events from Every Section of the State.

John M. Handy, founder of the Chicago Evening Herald, died Saturday at Los Angeles, aged 44 years.

Mrs. F. M. Dobson, wife of a Shipman, Ill., merchant, was struck by a fast Chicago & Alton freight late Friday afternoon and fatally injured.

The South Ottumwa bank closed its doors Monday. The bank was a small private institution, with deposits of \$17,000.

Warden McLaughrey has already placed some 1,600 applications on file for the seventy-five positions at his disposal.

The Pontiac shoe factory employs 250 people, has a daily output of 1,300 pairs and the monthly pay roll is \$7,000 to \$8,000.

John Van Nostrand, a Chicagoan who has been visiting in Western Nebraska, says: "The farmers out there get about \$80 for a car of corn, and it costs about \$140 to haul it to Chicago."

The work of putting in plumbing and sanitary appliances in the jail at Decatur has commenced. The place is described as a hole of death. One man is said to have died from the effects of confinement.

Colonel William R. Morrison, as chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission, made a formal visit to the White House Monday and paid his respects to President McKinley. Colonel Morrison had not been in the White House during the four years of Cleveland's occupancy.

In the trial at Mount Pleasant of Arthur Courtney, a prominent farmer, and Sam Ehrhart, his hired man, for the theft of a steer from S. A. Gees, Ehrhart turned state's evidence, confessing that he and Courtney committed the theft, and now Levi Ehrhart has testified that the defendant offered him \$1,000 to get his brother, the prosecuting witness, to change his story.

Local bluecoats are interested in what is known as the humane policeman club, which, while elastic enough to avoid fracture, will stun for the time. It is made of a hickory core and covered with an elastic envelope of soft India rubber. The surface can be made either polished or not as desired. The club was tried on animals and on cadavers before it was offered to the trade and since then it has been recommended by many police superintendents, and is considered effective, safe, humane and nearly indestructible.

The will of Jesse A. Deis, who died last Friday at Mount Vernon, Ill., was probated Monday. He leaves an estate valued at \$70,000, about half of which is given to various relatives. The remainder, among which is 600 acres of land and a great deal of personal property, is bequeathed to the school fund of Jefferson county and is to be converted into cash and invested in United States bonds or other equally good securities, if United States bonds are not obtainable. The interest divided from these bonds is to be equally divided among the townships of the county and paid to the school treasurers of the same. The fund is to be a popular one. Dr. I. G. Gee of this place is executor.

Three bloodhounds belonging to Maney Archey of Garrett, Ill., seven miles west of Tuscola, figured conspicuously in an attempted burglary at the store of C. C. Wood & Co., dealers in general merchandise, perpetrated by some unknown persons at an early hour Sunday morning. Shortly before noon it was discovered that the store had been entered at the rear, the marauders having reached the window ten feet from the ground, by making a pile of empty boxes. Mr. Wood at once dispatched a handcar over the I. D. & W. Railway to Garrett for the bloodhounds. The dogs were given the scent and twice by a roundabout route laid the alleged burglary at the door of two men who live three-quarters of a mile from the store. No arrests have been made.

Decatur Herald: Major G. R. Steele has now received his pay in full for services rendered the government during the war. It took a long time and the amount received was not large, but it was a satisfaction to Mr. Steele to know that the government had squared its number of occasions when the major did not get his full salary. The claim was proved up, and yesterday he received a check for the amount, \$16.29.

School Census Taker Frankeberger of Bloomington has completed his task for 1897 and prepared his usual report to the Board of Education. The figures for this year show a decrease of 180 from those of 1896. This result will be something of a surprise to Bloomington citizens, who thought at least the town had held its own the past year. The decrease is partially accounted for by the fact that greater strictness was exercised this time in taking the county near the city limits.

Letters from Farmers.
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He Knew Her.
Wife—"Did you put that button in a place where I would find it the first thing in the morning?"
Husband—"Yes, dear; I put it in my trousers pockets."—New York Tribune.

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BARRINGTON LOCALS.

Now get ready for the Village caucus.

Candidates for office are plentiful this year.

Frank Krahn is ill with typhoid fever.

Clarence Sizer is now working for Dr. Clausius.

Silas Robertson left for Colorado Wednesday.

Fred Pomeroy entertained visitors Wednesday.

James Doran visited his mother Sunday.

Fred Hosman spent a few days last week with John Meier.

Chris. Bruns of Elgin visited relatives here Monday.

E. H. Sadt of Oswego, Ill., visited his parents Tuesday.

Mrs. S. M. Cronk of Edison Park called on friends here Monday.

Jay Palmer visited relatives at Crystal Lake Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Pachaly of Iowa is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Meier.

A little son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lemke this week.

L. F. Schroeder is putting a furnace in Henry Meier's residence.

Mrs. L. H. Bute has purchased a lot of Charles Witt. Consideration, \$300.

Clayton Peebles left last Wednesday evening for Wisconsin to spend a few days.

Rumor has it that August Boehmer will erect a new residence in Barrington this spring.

August Rohlmeier, tax collector of the Town of Barrington, returned his books Tuesday.

Charles Coltrin of Austin, Ill., visited at the home of L. D. Castle Sunday.

Mrs. W. M. Jayne of Nunda visited several days last week at the home of E. M. Cannon.

Wm. Hill wishes to announce that he is prepared to do painting and paperhanging and will be pleased to get your work.

If you want to rent a house, call at THE REVIEW office and look over our list. We believe we have something that will suit you.

A. J. Leonard and family has removed from Mayfair to Grayslake. Mr. Leonard is traveling for Durand & Kasper.

Willis Dempster will live with his grandfather, Mr. Kingsley, at Barrington for the spring and summer. —Dundee Hawkeye.

Miss Eugenie Hutchinson of Barrington, teacher in oil and china painting, expects to locate here in the near future. —Woodstock Sentinel.

Mrs. Sarah Bristol, a former resident of this place, was reported on Tuesday as being very low at the home of relatives in Leighton, Ill.

The Maccabees at Algonquin received 20 applications for membership on Thursday evening of last week and all were accepted. This speaks well for the Algonquin Tent.

The city council of Marengo has gone Chicago one better by passing an ordinance forbidding the sale of cigarettes and cigarette wrappers in that city. If all other towns would follow suit the deadly cigarette would soon be extinct.

Henry Meier, Sr., will move onto his farm, which is located about a mile east of this place. J. E. Heise will occupy Mr. Meier's residence, while Ray Fabritz will move into the house now occupied by J. E. Heise.

Robert Frick, collector for Town of Cuba, closed his books Wednesday. The total amount of taxes levied in the town amounted to \$7,609.81, of this amount Mr. Frick collected \$7,419.82 which leaves delinquent \$276.99. This speaks well for the Town of Cuba.

Antioch, which is located in the northern part of Lake county has purchased a chemical fire engine. A thorough working test was made recently and was witnessed by a large number of the citizens and taxpayers of that village. The outcome of the test was so satisfactory that the village board voted to accept the engine.

James Catlow of Cary was in town Thursday.

John Ulrich, our jeweler, made a business trip to Chicago.

White-wash and paint brushes of all kinds at J. D. Lamey & Co's.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Flint are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Sizer.

Fred Wiseman and daughter, Mrs. Fred Benson, spent Tuesday at the home of H. Wiseman.

Misses Carrie Plagge and Esther Wiseman visited at the home of Ed Wiseman Sunday.

Mrs. Loughran of Cary moved her household goods into the Lamey brick block Thursday.

A farewell surprise party was tendered to Mr. and Mrs. H. Meier on Thursday by a number of their friends.

Christ Hartz is able to be about again. Dr. Clausius operated on him a short time ago, successfully, removing a tumor (lipoma) from his shoulder.

Barrington Camp No. 809, M. W. A., is enjoying prosperity. Applications for membership are being received at each meeting. The camp will have 100 members before another month passes away, from present indications.

An industry that is capable of being made a financial success in southern Wisconsin is the manufacture of sugar from whey. A factory is located at Big Foot, near the state line, where a light, dirty looking brown sugar substance is made and sent to the refinery at St. Charles, Ill., to be refined into a beautiful white sugar that sells equally as well as the imported article.

The members of the Knights of the Maccabees are requested to attend a meeting at their hall Tuesday evening, March 23d, 8 o'clock. There is important business to transact. The lease for hall expires April 1st, and it is necessary to take immediate action for future good of the order.

L. A. POWERS.
M. T. LAMEY.

The two first towns in Lake county to make return of delinquent taxes were Wauconda and Antioch. Both of them show that the taxes have been paid much better this year than last. In 1896 the delinquent taxes in Wauconda were \$426.03 and in Antioch \$1115.03. This year the delinquents are \$235.78 in Wauconda and \$601.60 in Antioch. This shows an improvement in money matters.

Lemke & Martin is a new firm that has recently located at Barrington. They keep on hand all brands of the best liquors and wines, cigars and tobaccos. Their sample room is located in H. Diekmann's building, opposite the Columbia hotel. An elegant free lunch, consisting of the delicacies of the season, is served all day. They will have their "grand opening" on Saturday, March 20th, all day and evening, to which they extend an invitation to the public.

Henry Boehmer is the owner of a half-interest in a piece of machinery which can be connected with any boiler and will keep any boiler free of incrustation created by the water used. The machine has already been tested and is now in use in a number of factories and has met all expectations. Mr. Boehmer says that in spite of the fact that it has only been in the market recently, orders are already pouring in at a lively rate. Mr. Boehmer also has been showing his friends the model of a new patent fish cleaner, which will be made out of one piece of steel, and consists of a knife blade the back of which is arranged for a toothed scraper and a saw. The knife looks as if it would be invaluable in household or for camping purposes.

A party was given at the home of P. A. Hawley Saturday evening in honor of Mr. Rispahe, who leaves for Milwaukee. Games and songs were the prevailing amusements of the evening, after which a very nice lunch was served. About twenty couples were present. Those present were; Messrs. A. F. Kampert, R. F. Vermilya, F. Harnden, Reuben Plagge, A. Horn, A. L. Runyan, D. F. Lamey, B. A. Beinlich, W. C. Harnden, Ezra Suhr, H. Meyer, Roy Myers, Max Lines, and Misses Dorrit Rouse, Myrtle Almsby, Rose Sadt, Esther Elvidge, Maud Adams, Alvina Myers, Laura Wilmer, Mary Cowden, Carrie Meyer, Amanda Meyer, Myrtle Runyan, Flora Nelson and Delia Gleason.

Miss Annetta Sinott of California was the guest for a few days this week of Mrs. G. Ela.

Mrs. Stroker and daughter, Emma, of Palatine, visited at the home of Aug. F. Miller Thursday.

Miss Dolly Bennett visited at the home of A. S. Henderson a few days this week and returned to her home in Chicago yesterday.

FOR SALE—Second-hand store fixtures, consisting of show cases and shelving. Review office.

Mrs. Oscar Maynard would like to do your plain washing. Flannel underwear washed without shrinking.

Lounsbury lodge No. 751, A. F. & A. M., entertained a number of guests at a social, last evening, at Stott's hall.

Mrs. Otto Muelbeguar and Miss May Winert, who attended the funeral of L. Listarke, left for their home in Chicago Monday.

Mrs. Loughran wishes to announce that any work in the line of house-cleaning, washing or plain sewing given to her will be greatly appreciated. Residence in the Lamey brick building.

Attorney F. B. Bennett and A. J. Cannon and wife and Miss K. C. Hibbard, of Woodstock, attended the Masonic Banquet.

H. S. Meier has located in the Kampert residence, in Cook street, and is now prepared to weave carpets. Give him a call.

CARD OF THANKS—Rev. Theo. Suhr of the Salem church desires to thank the members of the Young People's Missionary Society for the substantial way in which they remembered him on his birthday anniversary Thursday.

Rev. W. C. Pierce of Chicago, the state Sunday-school worker, so well known to our people in Barrington, will preach at the M. E. church Sunday morning at the usual hour. All are invited to hear his earnest sermon.

FLOUR.—The lowest prices in flour is at A. W. Meyer & Co's: "Our Best," per sack, \$1.10; "Snow Flake," per sack, \$1.05; "Baker's Best," per sack, 95 cents. They sell "White Swan" flour.

Supervisor E. B. Neville of the town of Avon, was renominated by acclamation at the Republican caucus held at Grays Lake last Saturday. Mr. Neville has made an efficient officer and the voters of the town of Avon will make no mistake in re-electing him.

Supervisor A. W. Fletcher of East Deerfield was re-nominated at a caucus held last Saturday evening. Mr. Fletcher is one of the most prominent members of the County and the citizens of E. Deerfield make no mistake in re-electing him. W. F. Hogan received the nomination for Assistant Supervisor.

By some mistake the name of Rev. Suhr of the Salem church was omitted from the program of the County S. S. convention which will convene this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Baptist church, and tomorrow afternoon and evening at the Salem church. Rev. Suhr was billed for the subject of "A Model Sunday School," and will deliver his subject at the Salem church tomorrow morning.

The Modern Woodmen trustees in session at Fulton Monday of this week found the condition of the order so prosperous that they voted to levy no assessment for April. An assessment was omitted only last December, making two omitted in four months. This is a pretty good record.

News of the death of Mrs. Mary Bird has just reached friends here. Mrs. Bird whom death occurred the 15th of November last at Des Moines, Iowa, was the daughter of Rev. Earle, who was pastor of the Baptist church of Barrington during the years of '60 and '61. Mrs. Bird's husband was taken ill on the same day his wife was, and never regained his health. He died at his home on the 11th of the present month.

The following is a list of unclaimed letters remaining in the postoffice at Barrington, March 19th: John Arndt, Mrs. Geo. Behrens, Bertha Below, Henry Combard, Chas. A. Colson, Henry Johnson, Aug. Kruckebach, Chas. Lind, J. Neuman, S. E. Spaulding, I. N. Wilson, and Wm. Walsh.

M. B. McINTOSH, P. M.

LAKE ZURICH.

HURRAH FOR ZURICH NO. 1

A Good Fire Company Organized.

The meeting held Monday evening for the purpose of organizing a volunteer fire department was well attended, and great enthusiasm was manifested. The meeting was called to order by E. A. Golding of Wauconda.

On motion J. C. Whitney was elected temporary chairman and those present formed themselves into a volunteer fire department.

Motion by J. H. Forbes, seconded by J. C. Meyer, that E. A. Ficke act as permanent chairman. Carried.

On motion J. H. Forbes was elected secretary of the meeting.

Motion by H. Prehm, seconded by C. Sholtz that the company elect their officers by informal ballot. Carried.

The following officers were elected: Chief, E. A. Ficke; Captain Engine company, J. H. Forbes; Captain Hose company, Herman Prehm; Secretary, J. C. Meyers; Treasurer, Henry Hillman.

Motion by E. Dorr, seconded by H. Schafer that the chair appoint a committee to draw up by-laws and a constitution. Carried.

The chairman selected the following committee: A. B. Mitchell, B. Dustin, and L. Clifford.

The next regular meeting will be held Monday evening, March 23d.

This is as good material as could have been selected to fill the offices.

L. Wolf was in Wauconda Monday.

Mrs. H. Hillman was in Barrington Monday.

J. H. Forbes was in Elgin Wednesday.

George Bowditch was in Joliet Wednesday.

Mrs. Henry Hapke is on the sick list.

Miss Mary Schaefer visited in Barrington Monday.

Mrs. Wm. McDowell visited in Wauconda Tuesday.

Dr. Alverson of Palatine made Zurich a call Tuesday.

Fred Thies of Long Grove was seen on our streets Tuesday.

E. Dorr and L. Seip transacted business in Barrington.

C. W. Kohl sold his farm to a horse dealer from Niles Centre.

F. Krzikowsky and son were here Monday to test the new fire pump.

The barber will be here on Mondays and Saturdays of each week.

Mrs. Andrew Kroff is entertaining her father from Waukegan.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Mitchell attended the piano and violin recital given by J. I. Sears and class at Barrington Friday evening. Their

daughter, Miss Millie, scored the big-
gest triumph of the evening.

Mrs. Gustav Fiedler is visiting friends in Chicago this week.

Our village has been visited by two government inspectors this week.

Wm. Buesching is now busy hauling lumber for his new house.

Charles Lush of Harvard, Ill., was a guest of A. W. Hill last week.

The next regular band meeting will be held Tuesday evening, March 23d.

Lyman Anderson attended the St. Patrick's ball at Joliet Wednesday evening.

Our roads within the village limits are almost impassable. Our trustees should see to it that the contract for graveling them is let at once.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seip and C. W. Kohl were Palatine visitors Wednesday.

The many friends of Al R. Ficke will be pleased to learn that he is improving in health.

Mrs. Wm. Tank of Chicago is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. Prehm, this week.

E. Hays of Chicago, representing the Hartford Insurance company, was here Tuesday.

Unless we get our "cooler" in working shape very soon, the "hobo" element will run our town. They need something to cool them off.

I. B. Fox left Zurich Monday morning for Carson, Nev., to witness the Corbett - Fitzsimmons "mill." Ike says he will get all the points of the fight.

The Lake Zurich brass band has engaged Godfrey Waltz for another year as instructor. The band will start out in a flourishing condition this season.

Rumor has it that our citizens will make an effort to compel the E. J. & E. railroad to run a passenger train so that connection can be made at Barrington with the Northwestern. We hope the effort will prove successful.

Mrs. Louis Wolf celebrated her 26th birthday anniversary Wednesday evening by entertaining a number of her friends at cards. Refreshments were served.

The town caucus held in the town hall Saturday was attended by a small crowd. Very little interest was manifested. D. Huntington called the meeting to order, and E. A. Ficke acted as secretary, while J. C. Whitney and Fred Berghorn were chosen to act as judges. The following ticket was the result:

Clerk—E. A. Ficke.
Assessor—D. Krueger.
Collector—Henry Hillman.
Justices of the Peace—J. C. Whitney and D. Huntington.
Constables—J. C. Meyer and Peter Nimsgearn.
School Trustees—(to fill vacancy) J. C. Whitney.

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