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~~~~~~ PALATINE LOCALS.

A. G. SMITH, LOCAL EDITOR

W. H. Horsefield was in town Sunday.

Mrs. Hoke of Chicago visited Mrs. C. W. Ost this week.

John Williams has been able to be about on crutches all week.

Jimmie Baker of Chicago visited his mother the first of the week.

Miss Lela Catlow of Evanston is a guest of relatives here this week.

Charles Stewart of Chicago was a guest at Rev. Hardin's Thursday.

Charles Hutchinson of Barrington saw the foot ball game Thursday.

The various churches are arranging for their usual Christmas services.

ton were Palatine visitors this week.

George Helm of Arlington Heights was in town on business Wednesday.

A light covered spring wagon for sale. Enquire at PALATINE REVIEW office.

guest of Miss Mame Williams for a few days.

Attorney B. Francis Julien of Chicago visited his brother, C. E. Julien, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Catlow were guests of Hiram Schuerding Thanksgiving Day.

Walter Eckert of Woodstock was a guest of Peter Hartlett and family over Sunday.

Mrs. Owen has rented her farm to a horseman, who will use the place for training purposes.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Smith went to Nunda Wednesday to eat turkey with the latter's parents.

Edith and Lidia Dymond of Englewood spent Thanksgiving Day with W. L. Hicks and family.

The fire men's dance at Batterman's ball Wednesday night was largely attended. The music did not cease until after 4 o'clock Thursday morning.

The village has made application for three telephone stations for the police and fire departments. One will be placed at the town hall, one at the pumping station and one at the stand pipe. The telephone company agreed to put these in when it secured the franchise into the village. M. Richmond will put in a telephone and C. H. Patten will change his telephone from the house to the bank.

A small crowd saw the high school boys win a somewhat easy victory from the Marquette foot ball team on Thanksgiving Day. The final score was 17 to 0, and it appears to be more like a walk-away than a real contest just before time was called in the last half. The first touch-down was made Thomas Catlow and family of Evans- by Walter Lytle, who secured the ball on a fumble and ran about 20 yards to the goal line. Ernest Beutler kicked goal. Albert Mundhenk, who was in every play of the game, carried the ball over the line for the second touchdown. Beutler kicked a difficult goal, thus sustaining the reputation which Miss Lou Daverman has been a his right leg has earned. The ball was frequently lost by both sides on fumbles and Palatine lost some ground on this account. The defense against Marquette was good; the latter being held for downs several times. On a criss-cross play the ball was passed from Mundhenk to Ray Smith. Ray carried it around the left end for a pretty game. With but one minute more time to play Beutler called for an end run. He took the ball himself and ran over half the field for a touchdown. After the game several of the visitors became slightly war-like, but the two teams cheered one another

and the last game of the season ended with the best of feeling all around.

School Entertainment.

Although last Friday night was a disagreeable evening, the Methodist

Public School Entertainment. The entertainment for the benefit of the public school library occurred Friday evening of last week and was a complete success from/every point of

view. It is probably safe to say that the audience in attendance was the largest Barrington has ever seen at an entertainment where an admission fee has been charged. Yet, despite the crowded condition and that standing room was even hard to get, the audience was very orderly and attentive. This was undoubtedly due not only to the high character of the audience, but to the highly interesting program so gentlemanly and ably conducted by Mr. Meyer.

about 125 school children was excep-Mr. Meyer's training ability, but also the high intelligence and remarkable discipline of the pupils participating. Barrington may well feel proud of her than a big profit on one pair. school children. They are second to none in the state. This feature of the entertainment was delightfully received by the entire audience and the displaying of the flags of all nations was very instructive, as well as entertaining. The stereopticon yiews given of Cuba, Hawaii and the Philippine Islands were well chosen and remarkably clear and distinct. The moving pictures were something new to many in the audience and, being very good, Fine Shoe at \$1.65 a pair. were immensely appreciated, especially by the children.

The school authorities, teachers, pupils and the public at large feel very grateful to the Zion church trustees, Messrs. Landwer, Gieske, Plagge, Listarke, Hobein, Frye and Wiseman, for their kindness in granting the use of the church and in this manner publicly express to them their sincere thanks.

The proceeds of the evening netted over \$50.

Program of the Young Peoples' Missionary Society.

The regular meeting of the Young Peoples' Missionary society of the Salem church held Thursday evening



Our shoe department is stocked with new shoes for men, ladies and children, in all styles, sizes and widths. You will find in this department The "Trooping of the Colors" by the Strong Heavy Shoes for rough every-day wear; also the Fine Dress Shoes. Our Shoes are selected for the high quality of the material used tionally well given, displaying not only in them, and are finished by skilled workmen. They are stylish in appearance and fit the feet perfectly, making them easy and comfortable to wear. Our Shoes are sold at very close margins for the purpose of securing your Shoe trade. Little profit on many pair of shoes is better

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May, James and Guy Baker came out from Chicago to spend Thanksgiving with their parents.

Mrs. A. G. Smith and cousin, Miss Alice Wortman, of Sheridan, were Barrington visitors Tuesday:

I. O. Clay shook hands with old friends Thursday. He came from Cincinnati to eat turkey here.

A number of sidewalks have been moved the past week to conform to from the pleasing acts of the little the line authenticated by the village:

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sizer of Barrington have moved into Dr. Moffat's house. Clarence is tending to the doctor's horses.

The free lectures have all been first class so far, and those who have not been attending have missed some rare treats. Let the church be crowded to the doors next time.

John Williams watched the Palatine-Marquette game from the side lines Thursday. He now wears two crutches, but he expects to be able to go to work in a week.

Quite a number of joung people attended a meeting in the Methodist church Monday of the for the purpose of forming a lite ary society and much interest was punifested by those pres ent." The pr spects for a good society of this kind are bright.

Mrs. Bert Ralph of Washington state was a guest of Mrs. C. D. Tay- Piano solo, "Old Folks at Home" lor from Thursday to Monday. Mrs. Ralph was formerly Miss Gusta Glockson of this place. Her husbard was telegraph operator here some Piano solo-Valse years ago.

A big audience turned out to hear the lecture on "Our New Possessions" in the Methodist church Tuesday night by Rev. G. W. Jackman of Chicago. The lecture was a description of the Hawaiian Islands as seen by the lecturer by a visit there. His hearers learned a great deal in regard to this country. The lecture throughout was finely illustrated by means of stereopticon pictures of the best kind, which added greatly to the interest. A good collection was taken at the close of the lecture.

church was crowded to hear the en tertainment by the jubilee school pupils. Nearly \$47 was taken in at the door and the teachers are well satisfied with the results. The audience witnessed and heard one of the best

entertainments given in Palatine for a long time and all were well pleased with the manner in which they took their parts. The various exercises went throught without a hitch and every number was good. Everything, ones to the splendid glees of the High

school pupils, was heartily applauded. The audience at times requested a repetition, but owing to the lengthy program, none of the parts were repeated. The instructors are to be commended for the excellent drill and

A violin and piano recital will be given by J. I. Sears' pupils of Palatine at the home of Mr. Thomas E. Van Horne this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The following is the program: PART 1.

Piano solo, "Bubbling Spring"....Julia King Miss Elsie Baker. Piano solo, "May Bells Ringing". Miss Mamie Kuebler. Violin solo, {a Schottische de Concert b "Sirenes Waltz".....R Miss Hattie Kuebler. Piano solo, "Fifres de la Garde" Ascher **Miss** Cora Schultz. Violin solo, "Coming Through the Rye" Mack

Miss Delia Knigge Mills Miss Jessie Nason. Piano solo, "English Blonde Polka" Lamb

Miss Grace Van Horne. PART 2.Duvernoy

Miss Mae Sefton. Violin solo a "Flower Song".... Miss Hattie Kuebler.

"Allegro Vivace"....Duvernoy Allegro.....Duvernoy Piano solo Miss Cora Johnson. 'Zephyrette".....C. Bohn Piano solo.

Miss Addie Filbert. Violin solo, "In Old Madrid"..... Tortere Miss Della Knigge.

a"June Barcarole" Tschaikowsky Piano solo Miss Mary Putnam. Piano solo, "Air de Ballet"..... Chaminade

J. L. Sears.

Window glass, in all sizes, at J. D. Lamey & Co's, Barrington.

proved to be a very interesting one and met the hearty approval of all who were fortunate enough to be in attendance. The program was unusually good and was as follows:

Song...... Society Scripture reading. Song......Society Prayer......B. H. Sodt

Essay, "The Origin of Thanksgiving," Esther Lageschulte. 'An Old Thanksgiving Dinner by Talmage'

Henry Sodt. Address Trio-Mabel Stiefenhoefer, Mrytle and Almeda

Plagge. Recitation, "Landing of the Pilgrims," Mar-

tha Landwer. Reading of Washington's First Thanksgiving Quartette-Bert Gieske, Grace Landwer, Ezra

Meyer and Bertha Schaefer. Dialogue-Nelta Strickfaden and Esther Kampert. Song

Essay, "Why We Should be Thankful," Rev. Theo. Suhr.

Trio-Alma Strickfaden, Amanda Schroeden and Laura Boehmer.

Thanksgiving Day.

Thanksgiving Day, 1898, has passed and with it has passed one of the finest days of the season. The day was ushered in by fine weather, by far the finest we have had this season, and Thanksgiving weather, as a rule, is inclement. The sun was shining all day, which made it pleasant for pedestrians.

The day was fittingly and appropriatiely observed by all our churches and some elegant programs were rendered to the enjoyment of those in attendance. The schools were closed all day and most of the business houses had their keys turned at noon to give the employe and employer a half-day's recreation from the confinement of their labors to give thanks to the Almighty for the past year's blessings bestowed upon themselves and the nation.

No disturbances of any kind took place during the entire day to mar the peace and tranquility of one of the finest Thanksgiving days that Barrington has had for several years.

Horse Powers'for Sale.

I have five horse powers for sale-two 4-horse, two 8-horse and one 12herse power-and will sell them cheap. W. H. SANDMAN, Barrington.

The high reputation for wearing qualities has made the Snag Proof Rubber Goods familiar to all. They are the cheapest kind to buy, as one pair will outwear two of the other kind. They are sold only by us. Do not be misled when offered imitations, but come to our store and buy the genuine article and you will never use any other kind.

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.... Hats, Gaps, Rubber Goods, Etc.

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showing made by all. Violin and Piano Recital.

MY POOR WIFE.

BY J. P. SMITH.

CHAPTER I. "Don't, Paul-don't stare at me like that!" cried my wife, leaning forward on her chair and laying her small hot palm across my eyes, with a gesture half scared, half petulant, that irritated me vaguely. "I-I don't like it, | day!"

dear." "I beg your pardon, Helen," I responded somewhat huffily, drawing back. "I really was not aware you objected so pointedly to my looking at you."

"I don't-I don't!" she broke in eagerly. "How could you imagine such a thing? It was the expression of your face, Paul, that took me back for the moment, when I turned my head and found you sitting there watching me with such a critical, searching sort of look, almost as if you-you-"

"As if I what, sweetheart?" I asked, appeased by the carressing touch.

"As if you saw something in me you could not quite make out, and did not like at all-at all! But I was mistaken in that, wasn't I, Paul?"

Then, after a moment's pause, as I did not reply-

"Sure it was only foolish fancy on my part? Say it was only that-ah, say it was only that, love!" she whispered, in the soft drawling brogue I was learning to like.

"Well, dear," I answered slowly, "as you press me so, I must admit I was a little surprised, after leaving you on the lawn romping with the dogs in the very ecstacy of high spirits, declaring that even the twenty-first of June was too short a day to be happy in, to find you half an hour later sitting here alone, to all appearance a prey to the profoundest melancholy, your eyes perfect wells of despair, looking as if the burthen of existence was too heavy to be borne another summer's day."

"It was heavy-so heavy! You are right. I could not have borne it much longer. For the last twenty minutes I-I have been your widow, Paul."

"Oh," I said, with a feeling of unaccountable relief, stroking her tumbled silky hair, "I see! You were my widow, madam-a very flattering and

"You may treat my words lightly," she interrupted, leaning over me with half-closed eyes, a bright pink spot burning on her cheeks. "I still stick to my opinion, something tells me I shall lose you, as I say-some

"Feed your melancholy on the fancy," I retorted, with peevish uneasiness, feeling somewhat that I had said too much, "if it pleases you. I wonder if your morbid eye of prophecy sees any chance of my losing you as you are to lose me?"

She seemed at first not to understand, then answered quickly-

"You lose me? Oh, no, no! Whatever happens, no matter how bitterly you may make me suffer, you could not lose me that way."

"Am I to thank the gods, I wonder? What, Helen! Through treachery, desertion, indifference, brutality even, you will still cling to me like a limpet -eh? Are you sure, quite sure there is no other way but commonplace dissolution through which I can shake you off? Think, wife-think!" I retorted banteringly, when, to my surprise and alarm, the look of scared, almost agonized, melancholy stole over her dark winsome face again, her arms tightened convulsively round my neck, her burning lips were pressed close to my ear, as she gasped out-

"You know-you know-you-you have guessed how you can lose me, then? I-I feared you would-soonsoon. Oh, they ought to have told you in time! It was wrong-wrong. I tried to tell you often, but the words wouldn't come. I-I am not to blame. Oh, Paul, Paul, my dear, if you had not taught me to love you so well-I-I---

CHAPTER II.

Thoroughly startled I sprang to my feet, roughly lifting her from the floor whither she had sunk, and held her firmly before me.

"Helen," I cried, "do you know what you are saying? What—what is the matter with you? This is the way you went on that day, at Lucerne, shortly after we were married; what do you mean? I-I insist on an

"Could civilize me more effectually. quite agree with you; Edith is doing her best to tone me down, Paul; I hope she may succeed. How pretty she is!" sighed Helen, as her visitor passed the window where we were sitting. "I think she looks fairer in blue than in any other color, Paul. I often wonder how you escaped falling in love with that girl." I shrugged my shoulders vaguely.

"You have known her since she was a child, haven't you?" she pursued, as I made no reply.

"Yes. During my sister's lifetime she almost lived with us. She and poor Lily had the same governess, studied together-all that, you know."

"And one seldom falls in love with a person one has known all one's life -looked upon as a sister, you mean Paul?"

"I suppose not."

"And yet your namesake, long ago, Paul, gives the lie to that theory." "My namesake?"

"Yes; the Paul who loved Virginia." "Oh! He was an unusual specimen of tropical produce; besides, it's not

fair to quote him as-"Hush! Here she is!"

Greetings of the new comer over, I retired to a distant window, and took up the Field; but my eyes wandered from the close, cramped print to the heads of the girls bending over their work, and thought what a charming picture they made in the chastened golden light, and how reflectively my wife's dark tumbled locks threw out the smooth coronet of burnished gold that crowned Edith's stately head.

She was a most beautiful woman -tall, fair, with soft blue eyes heavily lashed, and a faultless profile. Never before had I seen her look so attractive as she did on that evening while she directed Helen's little clumsy brown hand across that square of oatmeal cloth on which such wonderful birds, butterflies, and flowering vegetation were to blossom into life. Her dress, of a light blue stuff, trimmed with delicate lace, fitted her exquisitely, and there was a suggestion of graceful poetic perfection about her general appearance, her every movement, that was most soothing to the senses that lazy summer day. I felt as if I could have watched her with unsatiated pleasure for hours at a stretch-"a daughter of the gods, divinely tall and divinely fair"-while. Helen, my wife, was a most distinct child of earth, small, dark-haired, dark-eyed, with unformed babyish features, and a skin which, though pure and healthy, lacked the delicate peach-bloom of the other. Was she ordinarily pretty or almost plain? I still asked myself that question after nine months of matrimony,



Badly Injured Near Moscow, Iowa-Twelve Die in's Wreck on the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Two trainmen were killed and sixteen other employes badly injured in two collisions on the Rock Island near Moscow, four miles from Washington, Iowa.

The property loss to the company will exceed \$200,000. Three locomotives arep artially demolished and a large number of cars are smashed, and the freight badly damaged. No passengers were injured and the mail was not damaged to any appreciable extent. The cause of the accidents was the heavy fog which hung over the country and obscured the block signals from the engineers' view.

TWELVE MEN KILLED.

Train Cuts Down Section Hands on the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Through the fog which rolled in from the sea over the Hackensack meadows instant death came to nine section men on the Pennsylvania railroad. Three others died a short time later and two lie in Jersey City hospitals badly injured. The dead: Michael Lawless, Joseph Colleselo, Angelo Tuzo, Frank Rodinski, Frank Lukooski, Thomas Dougherty, Joseph Siminski, Joseph Broskie, Nicholas Roach, Joseph Smith, Frank Swazkowski, unknown man. The injured: John Wanell, Michael Miller.

The men had stepped back from one track upon another, to allow a freight train to pass, and because of the noise of this train did not hear the train approaching on the track on which they stood.

Convicts Attempt to Escape. There was a desperate attempt made by two convicts to escape from the penitentiary at Columbus, Ohio, as a result of which Guard Charles D. Lauterbach of Mount Vernon was shot and killed, while Convicts O'Neil and Atkinson received injuries of a serious nature.

Barrison Will Represent Venezuela.

Ex-President Benjamin Harrison has been retained by Venezuela to represent that government before the arbitration commission to settle the dis-

Catarrh

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Cured by a Collision.

From the Birmingham (England) Mail: A remarkable case of a woman regaining her hearing after years of deafness has been brought under my notice. Asked for an explanation she described how she was knocked down by a bicyclist a few days ago and fell on her head. She heard a peculiar "click" in her ear and since that time she had been able to hear perfectly well. So, after all, there is some virtue in being run down by a cyclist.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY, Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarth that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarth Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886 (SEAL) A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

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Largest Fruit Plantation.

Jamaica has the largest fruit plantation in the world, of which 28,000 acres are owned by an American company, and the other, 16,000 acres, are held under lease by the same company, making the total acreage owned and operated by them 44,000. This company owns and employs in the fruit carrying business twelve steamers, and last year shipped to America and elsewhere.

There Is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over one-fourth as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cents and 25 cents per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

Correct.

He-If I stole fifty kisses from you, what kind of larceny would it be? She-I should call it grand.-Yonkers Statesman.

satisfactory explanation of your appearance indeed! But, dear, don't you think, all circumstances considered, it is rather premature for either of us to don the weeds even in spirit yet?"

She was nineteen, as fresh and as hardy as the mountain heather she had lived among all her life. I was twenty-five, stood six feet one in my stockings, and had not known an hour's illness since I had the measles many years before.

"That was not the kind of widowhood I meant," Helen said, looking at me with a touch of pathetic reproach in her strange eyes. "Your death. your mere bodily extinction, Paul, would not grieve me for long; I should cease to mourn you soon enough."

"Mrs. Dennys," I exclaimed, in mock indignation, "explain yourself, please! You surely would give me the conventional year of crape at the least?"

"No, I wouldn't-not a year, not a week, not a day, for I would die the same moment you did. Do you think I could live and you dead, husband?" "And yet you say you were my

widow for full twenty minutes, true daughter of Erin?"

"That was because I had lost you in a way that severed us in life as well as in death."

"Lost me in a way that severed us in life as well as in death? This is dreadful weather for conundrums! I give it up!" I responded languidly.

"I-was widowed, Paul, because I had lost your love-because you cared for another woman more than for me," she returned, in a low voice, looking at me with eyes full of tragic denunciation, as Rebecca might have looked at Ivanhoe, as poor La Valliere at Louis when she bade him her last good-by outside the convent gates.

I laughed a little too boisterously, 1 felt, and drew her to my side.

"To be sure, to be sure," I assented volubly, "I never thought of that solution! How long is it since I first learned to care for you, ma belle? That day you and I slipped down the mountain side through the yellow broom ?let me see-seven, eight, why, nearly nine months ago! A long spell of constancy-almost time I should be wearying for another love, isn't it? Some men, you know, would like a change of whe with every change of coat; but as I happened to be of rather conservative kidney, I think I ought to be able to wear one wife to three coats at the least, and I believe I courted you in the very cloth your fingers are caressing now. It's getting a bit shabby, to be sure; but-"

nation! Speak out at once-I tell you at once!"

She looked at me with gleaming eyes, and utterly colorless face, her lips moving, but no sound coming.

"What is it?" I repeated, my wrath rising, horrible suspicion blackening my mind. "How have you deceived me? What have you done that I-I should have been told of before I married you? Helen, speak, or by Heaven, I'll---"

"I have done-nothing," she answered, standing straight before me, not the least sign of fear in her face. "You may kill me if you like, I sha'n't mind much; but I have done no harm. you should know that well. One day of my life was as dull, innocent, uneventful as another until I met you."

"Then what do you mean by these hints and wild words? Why-why do you thus torture, and try to raise a demon in me, little me?" I asked, very much ashamed of my brutal outburst. "Tell me, Helen?"

"I don't know-I don't know," she replied, bursting into tears and laying her white face on my shoulder. "I mean-nothing-nothing. / What should I mean? I-I can't help it, I suppose. Oh, pity me, pity me and bear with me if you can, dear boy! It's-it's not all my fault. My poor mother was like that before I-I was born."

"Your mother, dear?" I asked presently, when she was quite herself again, and apparently as much ashamed of her outburst as I was of mine. "I never heard you speak of her before. Do you remember her at all?"

"No; she died when I was a baby: but I often heard Molly speak of her," she answered quickly.

"And your father?"

"My-my father?"

"Yes, did you not know him?"

After a slight pause she said-"No. I did not know him. I believe

he died even before her. He was an Englishman, and they knew very little of him at home. Granny did not like him, I believe. Paul, let me sit up; Miss Stopford is coming up the avenue."

I withdrew my arm quickly, and, moving into the shade behind her chair, said as carelessly as I could-

"So she is. You and Edie seem to be striking up a powerful friendship, Helen; she was here yesterday afternoon, and on Tuesday morning also; wasn't she?"

"Yes; don't you like her coming?" "Of course I like it. I don't think you could have a pleasanter companion than Edith, or one who-"

and could arrive at no satisfactory lution. For Helen was seldom the same, either in mind, manner, or looks, two hours together.

One hour she would look, even in the most partial eyes, dull, commonplace, hopelessly unattractive-the next, for no apparent cause, her appearance would change, her cheeks glow, her eyes gleam with a light that I vaguely felt for a moment would, in most men's opinion, dim Edith's placid beauty into insignificance. She had certainly very strange eyes-I never could ascertain their exact shade. Sometimes they were deep, dark, still, like water in heavy shadow-again, they were all life with flickering tawny lights, as they were that moment, when raised to Edith's in rueful expostulation.

"Oh, Miss Stopford, please don't ask me to change my wool again! Let me finish to the stalk in this browny yellow."

"My dear Mrs. Dennys, impossible! You have only three shades in the leaf as yet, and I have changed my wool as many as three-and-twenty times in a single spray of virgin vine."

"Have you? Then I'll never be an artist in crewels!" laughed Helen, the cloth dropping lazily from her hands; whereupon Jim, her little terrier, thinking the lesson over, jumped briskly up on her lap, upsetting her workbasket, the contents of which rolled over the waxed boards-scissors, tapes, needles, bodkins went right and left. A stout reel of black cotton traveled languidly my way, and, stooping to pick it up, the golden hair of the only woman J ever loved brushed my forehead deliciously.

"Meet me at the end of the cedarwalk in half an hour," she said in a quick whisper, with downcast eyes, fumbling for the reel that I, in my agitation, had dropped again. "I have something to say to you."

I nodded, lay back in my chair, and instinctively held up the paper to shade my face from observation. When my wife called me over to drink a cup of tea, I glanced apprehensively into a mirror to see if the color had faded from my temples yet. No, it was still there, burning brightly, even through my tanned skin.

"Meet me at the end of the cedar walk in half an hour," I repeated stupidly, again and again, as I strolled across the lawn towards Bretton Hall, the residence of General / Stopford, Edith's uncle, and my grandfather's brother. "What does it mean? What can she have to say to me? I can't understand it."

(To be Continued.)

pute between Great Britain and Venezuela over boundary lines.

Long Wants More Battleships.

Secretary Long in his annual report will recommend the construction of three first-class battleships, five firstclass armored cruisers of the highest speed and power and five second-clast copper-sheathed cruisers.

Reduce Odd-Fellows Salaries.

The Illinois grand lodge of Odd Fellows adopted a resolution providing for ia reduction of one-third in the salaries of the grand master and grand secretary. Melvin P. Berry, Carthage, was chosen grand master.

Twenty-Eight Sallors Drowned.

The British ship Atlanta, Capt. Mac-Bride, has been wrecked at Alsea bay, sixteen miles south of Newport, on the Oregon coast. Meager reports received say that of thirty men abroad only two were saved.

John W. Keeley Dead.

John W. Keeley, who stirred the scientific world twenty-five years ago with a proposition to revolutionize mechanics by the use of a force called etheric vapor, died unexpectedly at his home in Philadelphia.

Must Yield to America. President McKinley has directed instructions to Gen. Otis at Manila to send enough troops to the islands of Panay and Negros to subdue the insurgents if necessary and protect life and property.

Russia and China Allied. Russia and China have concluded a secret treaty, and the Chinese government is to employ Russian officers and soldiers to guard the frontier until the Chinese military organization is settled.

Glass Plants in Operation All the window glass plants in the country are in operation, the result of an agreement between the manufacturers' and workers' national wage committees. About 30,000 men go to

The Tin Plate Combine.

work.

Indiana will be the principal factor in the organization of the tin plate combine, and when the trust is perfected it is quite probable an Indiana man will head the organization.

- Large Imports of Gold.

The importation of gold into the United States in the year 1898 are by far the largest in the history of the country, and the exportations the amallest in many years.

Lane's Family Medicine.

Moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys, Cures sick headache. Price 25 and 50c.

Georgia's Untaxed Property. The controller of Georgia estimates that \$300,000,000 of intangible property escapes taxation each year in that state.

Florida.

Are you going to Florida? Do you want rates, maps, routes, time-cards and full information? If so, address H. W. Sparks, 224 Clark street, Chicago.

It is right to be contented with what we have, but never with what we are.

Mason City, Ill., May 19, '98: I have tried many kinds but I find nothing like Coat's Headache Capsules.—R. Suman. 10 and 25c at druggists.

There are 400,000,000 Chinese.



WESTWARD HO!

Information for the Traveler.

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Gargantuan Wedding Cake. From the London Daily News: The last Indian mail brings some interesting particulars of the marriage of Lady Elizabeth Bruce and Mr. Babington Smith at Simla. Among the wedding gifts were a pearl and diamond bracelet presented by fifty-seven young ladies of Simla, and a turquoise and pearl necklace from a hundred Simla children. The wedding cake was a masterpiece by M. Tancredi, the viceroy's cook, who had been at work on it for two months. It weighed seven hundred pounds, stood nine feet high, and was surmounted by a beautifully executed vase full of orange and orchid blossoms./

Free Government Lands.

There are still thousands of acres of government lands in the states of Washington and Oregon, also prairie and timber lands near railroad or water communication that can be bought for \$5 an acre and upwards. There are no cyclones, blizzards, long winters or real hot summers, no failure of crops. Take your choice. If you wish to raise grain principally or finest stock on earth, you can find locations in these two states where you can do this to perfection. I have no lands for sale but if you want information where it's best to locate write me at 199 East 3rd St., St. Paul, Minn. Yours, R. E. WERKMAN.

Airy Persiflage.

"Where's Bob?" "He's back there getting his second wind." "Second wind? We haven't gone a mile yet." "He's pumping up his tires again."

Coughing Leads to Consumption.

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

'Frisco has an anti-civil service league.

Mizpah Cancers! Tumors! Mizpah Cancer Remedy. Perfect cure at your



Matrons.-The Home.

Stylish Street Frock. An attractive gown for a young woman has a yoke and sleeves of dark green velvet. The collar is high and rolling. The rest of the gown is of mohair. A pretty band of black and green embroidery ornaments the edge of the yoke and also trims the side of



the skirt. A dainty cravat of ecru net edged with narrow yellow lace and a touch of yellow lace at the wrists complete a very stylish costume especially designed for street wear.-The Latest.

Bachelor Women.

Just now there is going on a very nice little storm in a teacup about "Bachelor Women." It was started by an article in the Contemporary, which informed the world-rather late, one would have thought-that there exist in London alone a large number of single women who earn their own living, have their own "rooms" and clubs and, in fact, prefer a single life. Whereupon up rose a certain lady, well known in the writing world, and poured out her soul in indignation. "Time was," she declared, "when we should have flatly refused to believe that women voluntarily gave up their chances of becoming wives and moth-

ers in order to live the selfish and useless life of the bachelor about town. It is still difficult to believe that the bachelor woman can ever become a recognized feature of our social life. She must ever remain a phenomenon, selfish and self-centered, calling for the pity rather than the envy of those who keep to the beaten track." Dear, dear! Why all

the fair writer were to see the inner workings of some of these coteries of earnest, industrious women, she would be surprised at the espirit de corps, the mutual charity, the absence of pettiness which she would find. Such a life develops in us a kind of manliness which includes some of .he better characteristics of the other sex. As a matter of fact, the happy married woman is far more "selfish and self-centered" than the working spinster-hers being none the less selfishness because it includes a second self. There are exceptions, of course, but not many. Now, modern conditions of life cause London and the other big cities to be flooded with female labor. Young, untried girls go out into the field to fight their poor, little battle. Believe me, they will stand far more chance of help from the bachelor woman who has gone through her own struggle than from the matron who has never looked beyond the four walls of her narrow vineyaru. Sympathy is not taught by .aexperience. To cultivate it, as Ruskin says, "you must be among human beings, and thinking about them."

Just an Everyday Frock.

A simple little frock suitable for wool or cotton goods, for children of 4, 6 or 8, is given in the "Muriel." The waist, which is plain in the back and slightly full in front, is cut low-neck-

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 55. The genuine has L B Q on each tablet.

But few people worry themselves to death because of other people's hatred.

Piso's Cure for Consumption is the best of all cough cures.-George W. Lotz, Fabucher, La., August 26, 1895.

The man who says that all men are thieves will bear watching.

Lady canvassers find profitable employment selling Dr. Sennett's Enamel Cream for the Teeth and "Souspura" for cleaning the hands and nails Address Box 495, Bloomington, Ill.

Switzerland has a deaf and dumb Salavation Army corps.

Coe's Cough Balsam is the oldest and best. It will break up a cold quicker than anything else. It is always reliable. Try it.

Don't strain your eyes looking for faults in your neighbor.

When All Else Fails, Try YI-EL. It positively cures, comp etely removes coras and bun-ions. Try Yi-Ki and find comfort. 15c. all drug stores-

In every million people in the world there are 800 blind.

Coughs and Colds Cured Quick With Dr. Seth Arnold's Cough Killer. All Druggists and Country Stores. 25c. a bottle.

Gladstone's coffin was made by the village carpenter.

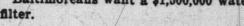
Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gams, reduces in fammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle

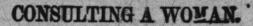
Meals are given poor Paris school children.

There is nothing like Coat's Headache Cap-sules for nervous headache,guaranteel to cure or money refunded, 10 and 25c at all druggists. In France Orleanists wear white

daisies.

towa Parms for sale. \$2 per acre cash, bela to G crogfintil paid. J. Mathell, Signa City, In-Baltimoreans want a \$1,500,000 water





Mrs. Pinkham's Advice Inspires Confidence and Hope.

Examination by a male physician is hard trial to a delicately organized woman.

She puts it off as long as she dare, and is only driven to it by fear of cancer, polypus, or some dreadful ill.

Most frequently such a woman leaves

a physician's office where she has undergone a critical examination with an impression, more or less, of discour-

agement. This condition of the mind destroys the effect of advice; and she grows

worse rather than better. In consulting Mrs. Pinkham no hesitation need be felt, the story is told to a woman and is wholly confidential. Mrs. Pinkham's address is Lynn, Mass., she offers sick women her advice without charge.

Her intimate knowledge of women's troubles makes her letter of advice a wellspring of hope, and her wide experience and skill point the way to health.

"I suffered with ovarian trouble for seven years, and no doctor knew what was the matter with me. I had spells which would last for two days or more. I thought I would try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I have taken seven bottles of it, and am entirely cured."-MRS. JOHN FOREMAN, 26 N. Woodberry Ave., Ballimore, Md. The above letter from Mrs. Foreman

is only one of thousands.





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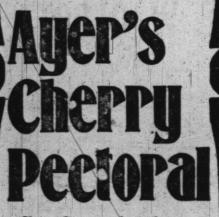


Do not think for a single moment that consumption will ever strike you a sudden blow. It does not come that way.

It creeps its way along. First, you think it is a little cold; nothing but a little hack-ing cough; then a little loss in weight; then a harder cough; then the fever and the night sweats.

The suddenness comes when you have a hemorrhage. Better stop the disease while

it is yet creeping. You can do it with



You first notice that you cough less. The pressure on the chest is lifted. That feeling of suffocation is removed. A cure is hastened by placing one of

Dr. Ayer's Cherry **Pectoral Plaster** over the Chest.

A Book Free.

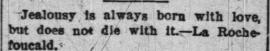
It is on the Diseases of the Throat and Lungs.

eq. to wear with a separate guimpe. The puff in front is finished with a broad band and pointed revers. In the back there are revers and a narrow band. The circular shoulder caps are



little one-sided. It is very easy to call people selfish, though why that epithet and that of "useless" should be applied to a woman who supports herself without burdening her relations I fail to see. Accusations should be backed by proof. I think that if

this excitement? The argument is a | of the same material as the waist. The skirt, which reaches just to the knees, is a plain, round pattern without gores.



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ntered at the postoffice at Barrington, IIL, as Saturday, November 26, 1898.

Commercial Education.

A report was recently made to the New York chamber of commerce by a committee appointed for that purpose on the question of the best preliminary equipment for the commercial man. This question is one of interest for all parts of the country, as it touches the requirements of what is now rising to the importance of a profession. The tremendous competitions of modern life and the more intricate elements which enter into that competition require a far better preparation on the part of the young man adopting the life of trade than they did even a guarter of a century since. The report referred to above recommended that advanced commercial courses should be inaugurated in the high schools of our public system and also that special schools, free of tuition, should be endowed by the merchants of large cities to carry commercial education perhaps still further.

No better example can be cited of the value of the higher commercial training than can-be drawn from the experience of the German schools. The German clerks have proved themselves so thorough and useful that in England and her dependencies they have steadily crowded out the English themselves in the employment of English merchants. Commercial training has by this example been steadily improving in a variety of special schools in England, and the standard has been greatly raised there. In France large commercial schools are maintained in the principal cities either by government aid or through endowment. In the United States it is felt that the so called commercial colleges, though useful in their day, do not fully provide the requisite instruction, and there are special courses of a commercial value in some of our leading colleges and universities, but such advantages are closed to many, and the importance of ingrafting the choice of such a course on our high school system has been realized in a variety of ways. One thing is certain-the man who succeeds today in commercial enterprises on a large scale must bring to his work a special fitness to grapple with conditions such as he never needed before. While this is specially true of the great seaport cities, where international trade is so important, it is also true in a noticeable degree of all considerable commercial enterprise everywhere. The awakening interest in the subject gives guarantee that it will not be neglected in practical effort. The warclouds which are now disturbing the horizon of European civilization in view of oriental questions give interest to the latest official figures of the strength of European navies. Great Britain is credited with 52 battleships, 18 armored cruisers, 95 protected cruisers, 16 unprotected, and 100 destroyers. These which are now ready for immediate use with others near completion make a total of 359 ships of war, most of them of the highest degree of efficiency. Against this showing France has a total of only 140 war vessels, including 27 battleships and 9 armored cruisers. The English ships are said to be not only superior in number, but as much ahead in gun power, speed and coal capacity. More than 50 of the English cruisers can steam at 20 knots an hour without forced draft. In battleships and cruisers Great Britain is equal to France, Germany, Russia and Italy combined, while in torpedo boats and destroyers ber aggregate is somewhat less. As any war now in sight would be fought mainly on the sea, the fitness of our British cousins for an emergency needs no comment.

General Corbin's Report. The report of the adjutant general of

the army furnishes a very interesting rammary of the statistics of the army during the late war, including the regplars and volunteers. In August the full strength of the regular army was 2,823 officers and 58,865 enlisted men, while that of the volunteers was 8,785 officers and 207,244 men, a total of 274,717 officers and men either engaged in campaigning or ready to move at a moment's notice. To fill up the quota there were during the fiscal year 24,248 enlistments and 5,273 re-enlistments among the regulars and over 40,000 to round out the quota of the state troops. Four times as many applied as were accepted, and seven-eighths of the enlisted men were native born. The whole army was essentially an army of Americans, and what glory it won by its gallantry was peculiarly national.

The troops sent to Manila up to the end of October numbered 18,868 officers and men, those dispatched to Porto Rico 17,003, and General Shafter's atmy in Cuba consisted of about 18,000. men of all ranks. The total number of officers and soldiers, then, whose services have been used in the field reaches a little more than 48,000, a very small showing of military power to have achieved the remarkable results secured in so brief a campaign. In spite of the impression current of the great mortality in our organization camps from sickness, the statistics show up to Oct. 3 a total death list from all causes of 2,910, a trifle more than 1 per cent. This mortality under all the conditions was astonishingly small, and it is worth remembering that there were at least half a dozen instances when the number killed on one or the other side on single battlefields of the late civil war was more than double this grand total.

General Corbin in discussing the question of a reconstruction of army methods is opposed to a general reorganization of the staff, arguing that it had done excellently well in the civil and the Indian wars, and asserting that its more recent work is not appreciated because not fully understood. In this connection, however, it may be said that the adjutant general's views are not shared by a majority of the most experienced of our military authorities. This whole question will probably be thoroughly thrashed out in the next congress.

The Delaware Indians, the most in-

ear.s Address E. Loomis, Barrington.

side is a map of the United States.

the approach of the disease. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough has appeared, it will prevent the attack. Many mothers who have croupy children always keep this remedy at hand and find that it saves them much trouble and worry. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant to take. For sale by A. S. Olms, Pal-tine and A. L. Waller, Barrington.

REEFTON, New Zealand, Nov. 23, 1896.



Mr. Andrew Carnegie, in an after dinner speech recently made at Pittsburg before a great company of the most prominent manufacturers, asserted that nowhere else in the world could steel be made so cheaply. Yet the leading companies are organizing a trust with the purpose, as alleged, of advancing the price of rails and structural steel fully 10 per cent.

The crop of absurd rumors anent the Philippines which the Paris press during the sittings of the peace commission have evolved from their inner consciousness would make Baron Munchausen blush for his own incompetency. Yellow journalism in America is feeble in comparison.

men on the North American continent, will soon emigrate in a body to Mexico, according to present probabilities. The name will at once recall Chingachgook and Uncas, those splendid heroes of Cooper, to every romance lover. With this tribe also William Penn made his celebrated treaty. Originally the Delawares and the other septs of the Lenni Lenape nation occupied a large part of the eastern United States, numbering about 200,000 souls. They were faithful to the colonies during the Revolutionary war and to the north during the civil war, not only with their sympathy, but with their rifles. What were left of them were settled under treaty rights in Kansas in 1866, and the land was solemnly guaranteed to them in perpetuity with the faith of the nation behind the title. But it is the old story over again, and the Indian finds he has no rights. The Delawares will dispose of their valuable Kansas lands and probably accept the proposition of Mexico, which has offered them valuable holdings of land in Sonora. And so will pass from the United States a tribal remnant of the red men so interestingly involved with the whole earlier history of the United States.

The versatile Li Hung Chang, who has been a jack at all trades in Chinese politics, it seems has not fully secured his favor with the dowager empress, who now wields the scepter. He has been sent to co-operate with another viceroy, he of Shangtung, to devise measures to prevent the inundations of the Yellow river. As this problem has been the despair of China and modern science as well, the billet is like that of accepting the Chilton Hundreds in England-retiring to political obscurity. No wonder the wily old politician kicked and swore Chinese fashion.

The new republic, the United States of Central America, has a rebellion on its hands with great promptitude. The president of the state of San Salvador has been captured and another of the fizzling eruptions with which the Spanish Americans amuse themselves will needs be corked up. The principal bloodshed will probably be that of a fiting party and a few captured rebels ranged against a blank wall.

J. Golding transacted business in Physical Endurance. LAKE ZURICH. the city Wednesday. Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Stoxen Winter has arrived. on Friday, November 18, a boy. Vincent Davlin was in town Satur-Mrs. Charles Lamphere of McHenry

George Knigge is working for John Forbes

Self-feeding heater for sale by C. W. Kohl.

George Frank returned from the city Saturday.

J. J. Stevens returned from Joliet last Friday.

Emil Frank was a Barrington visitor Monday.

There was no school Thursday-Thanksgiving.

E. Bruce and family spent Thanksgiving at Joliet.

R. C. Hill of Wauconda was in town last Wednesday.

John Forbes spent a few days in Chicago last week.

caller last Monday.

Henry Branding gave a turkey shoot and raffile Thursday.

John Forbes was a business caller at Wauconda Tuesday.

Matt Freund of Wauconda was in town last Wednesday.

Charles Givens called on Wauconda friends last Saturday.

A. G. Stevens of Waukegan called on friends Wednesday.

Mr. Reynolds of Joliet was the guest of Ed Bruce this week.

Wm. Knigge went to Wauconda Tuesday, where he is at work.

Daniel Gilfoy of Chicago was the guest of Chas. Givens this week.

Miss Emma Seip went to Palatine Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving.

Misses Mary, Annie and Emma Schaefer visited in Chicago recently.

The dance was well attended and a good time was had by all present,

Harry Kennedy and Ray Lamphere of McHenry were visitors here Monday.

Misses Emma Seip and Annie Meyer returned home from the city Saturday.

The first presidential Thanksgiving proclamation was made by George Washington, naming November 26. 1789.

was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fuller a few days last week.

Messrs. Lamphere and Kennedy of McHenry spent the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lamphere.

C. A. Golding and E. L. Harrison came out from the city Friday to attend the dedication of the M. E. church.

Prof. Bryhn of McHenry, who has been secured to conduct the dancing class, was unable to make the trip Tuesday, but will be here next Thursday, December 1st, to give his first lesson. Don't forget the date and all be there.

Our little burg was quite thoroughly aroused last Saturday evening by the statement in the evening papers that Sergeant Price, of the Minnesota regiment, had been killed while on police Adolph Gieser was a Highland Park duty in the city of Manila, but a later report denied the statement and stated that he had not been killed, but severely wounded. Mr. Price went to the city Sunday to find out further particulars.

> The concert given at the M. E. church last Friday evening was fine, although it was considerable shorter than previously arranged. Miss Smythe, the pianist, being sick and unable to come and the elocutionist detained for some unknown cause. The program was as follows: Piano. solo, Mrs. Carrie Jacob Bond; yocal solo, Mr. James Bouchier; vocal solo. Mrs. C. J. Bond; violin solo, Miss Winifred Townsend; vocal solo, Mr. James Bouchier. After the program was rendered a free-will offering was taken up, which netted about \$20.

QUENTIN'S CORNERS. ******

Mr. John Pahlman has bought the John Stearn farm.

Mr. H. L. Bockelman is building a hog barn on his place.

Mr. Sandman of Barrington made a call at the Corners lately.

Mr. Lewis Ernsting is entertaining his nephew from Kansas for the winter.

Mr. George Heckertswiller of Long Grove made a call on old friends, last Sunday.

It should be impressed upon all young persons that during life each member of the body, in the very act of living, produces poison to itself, notes a writer in Popular Science Monthly. When this poison accumulates faster han it can be eliminated, which always occurs unless the muscle has an interval of rest, then will come fatigue, which is only anothsr expression for toxic infection. If the muscle is given an interval of rest, so that the cell can give off its waste product to keep pace with the new produc-tions, the muscle will then liberate energy for a long time. This latter condition is what we call endurance.

The power and endurance of the human machine is limited according to our understanding of the above facts, and also our recognition of its slowness in getting started. Like any other ponderous and intricate machine, the body requires time to get in harmonious working order. The brain, nerves, heart and skeletal muscles must be given some warning of the work they are expected collectively to perform. Ignorance of this fact has broken down many a young man who aspired to honors on the oinder path.

The necessity of getting all the parts of the body slowly in working order is well understood by trainers and jockeys on the race track, as is evidenced by the preliminary "warming up" they give

His Wonderful Curios.

The author of "Idyls of Spain" speaks of a notary whom he met, whose naive simplicity surely could not be exceeded. "He asked for our autographs, and] inquired whether he was a collector of such triffes.

"'Yes, sir,' he replied, 'I am, and among others I have a most precious collection of anonymous ones.

Beaming with delight, he produced a rare manuscript of the time of Ferdinand and Isabella, exquisitely written, and with the initial letters beautifully painted.

"Senores,' he cried with enthusiasm, 'look at this. Isn't it a beauty? I'm always collecting such things. Then I have just purchased by letter the manuscript of the "Iliad," written by Homer himself, his own handwriting. The pity of it is that the work is not written in Greek.

"At this Miguel came to the rescue for Luis and I were almost hysterical with amusement.

"''I say,' inquired Miguel, 'what document would your worship like most to have in your possession?'

telegram from Christopher Columbus announcing the discovery of the new world. '"

Bananas In Typhoid Fever



preliminary "warming up" they give their horses, although it is doubtful if the trainers could give any physiologic reason for this custom. It's a Straight Road

To successful Painting when you use the best materialsthe kinds that are known to be the best. Remember that the best is the only kind we carry in stock and it won't pay you to use any other, for the best will always be found the cheapest in the end. Our stock of White Lead, Linseed Oil, Varnishes, Mixed Paints, Etc., is the best procurable.

DON'T BE PUT OFF

By that old "Chestnut" frequently rung up such as : "Selling At or Below Cost," "This Is Just as Good," Etc. You cannot afford to experiment with something not known and well tried-the expense to do so is too much. We want your trade and we are putting up the best materials at exceeding low prices to get it.

"Why,' answered the notary, 'the We Have a Large Stock of Window Glass in all Sizes.

.. GIVE US A CALL ..

Herman Snyder, who has been suffering from inflammation of the bowels, is improving. Drs.' Dawson and Muffet are in attendance.

The farmers are joining in the crusade against bad roads, and consider it their duty to pledge themselves to encourage the good roads movement. It is said that resolutions make a poor pavement, which accounts for the bad roads in Ela.

Herman Ernsting, father of Wm. Ernsting, died at his home, a few miles east of Lake Zurich, Monday, November 21, having been ill for almost a year. Mr. Ernsting was an old resident of Ela township, and has served as school trustee and assessor for a number of years. He leaves a wife and four children.

The threshers throughout this section of the country have been laid by but the husking and shredding machines have not been able to get in up here. their work on account of the continuous rainy weather, which also has 1 acre of ground, 45 bushels of winter done much damage to the corn shocks outstanding. The stalks are badly bleached, moulded and soured. The ears have lost in quality from the same cause. The fodder will be inferior to what it usually is when shredded and it will be more likely to of Wm. Quintin. be damaged in the mow.

WAUCONDA.

Get prepared for the cold winter blasts.

Harry Fuller was a Chicago visitor Friday.

streets Monday.

Wm. Tidmarsh spent a few days at Ringland last week.

G. W. Pratt is now the proud papa of a 124 pound boy born Tuesday, November 22.

Claude Pratt went to the city Satwith a coffee house.

E. Quintin of Chicago was here to attend to the sale of his real estate this week.

The beggars and bears have come and gone. The bears were the better of the two.

Henry Bergham, sr., has been somewhat indisposed of late, but is better at this writing.

Mr. Wm. Ernstien, sr., is quite sick at present writing. He has been ail ing for a year or so:

Born to Phil Young and wife, ein schanes machen, so Phil says. Mother and child are doing well.

Sports say it is poor hunting around these parts, and still, there are bears, wolves and foxes around.

Our blacksmith has bought the old Quentin's Corner inn and will make it his permanent home. He has built up quite a business since he opened

How is this for a crop of fruit: From apples, 15 bushels Concord grapes, 3 bushels early Richmond cherries, 2 bushels strawberries, + bushel Japanese plums, I bushel raspberries, # bushel Bartlett pears, } bushel extra choice peaches. This was done on the farm

To California.

Attention is called to the excellent service of the North-Western line to California and the favorable rates which have been made for single and clear. round trip tickets for this season's travel. Best accommodations in firstclass or tourist sleeping cars, which run through every day in the year. J. Miller of McHenry was on our Personally conducted tourist car parties every week to California and Oregon. Choice of a large number of different routes without extra charge.

Particulars cheerfully given upon application to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y., of connecting line.

WANTED-Three cords of green or urday, where he hassecured a position dry wood. M. C. McINTOSH, Barrington. Ill.

After a long experience with typhoid patients, Dr. Ussery of St. Louis maintains that the best food for them is the banana. He explains by stating that in this disease the lining membrane of the small intestines becomes intensely inflamed and engorged, eventually beginning to slough away in spots, leaving well defined ulcers, at which places the intestinal walls become dangerously thin.

Now, a solid food, if taken into the stomach, is likely to produce perforation of the intestines, dire results naturally following, and, this being the case, solid foods or those containing a large amount of innutritious substances are to be avoided as dangerous.

But the banana, though it may be classed as a solid food, containing as it does some 95 per cent nutrition, does not possess sufficient waste to irritate the sore spots. Nearly the whole amount taken juto the stomach is absorbed, giving the patient more strength than can be obtained from other food.-American Druggist.

A Mountain of Sulphur.

The "Soufriere," or sulphurous mountain, is considered to be the greatest natural curiosity of St. Lucia, and. in fact, of the West Indies. It is situated about half an hour's ride from the town of Soufriere, to which it has given its name, and nearly two miles to the east of the Pitons, and is at the foot of two small hills, both of which are quite bare of vegetation on the sides facing the crater.

It covers a space of about three acres and is crusted over with sulphur and alum. There are several caldrons in a perpetual state of ebullition. The water is quite black in the larger ones and boils up to the height of two or three feet, but in the smaller ones it is quite

Visitors never fail to boil some eggs in one of the smaller caldrons, obtaining them from one of the creole guides, who keep a supply on hand on purpose.

Personal Reflection.

"Are you a resident of this ward?" asked the challenger.

"I reckon I am, sir," replied Tuffold Knutt.

"Where do you have your washing done?" pursued the challenger, still unconvinced.

"Sir," rejoined Tuffold Knutt witheringly, "I've been votin off an on fur 29 year, an nobody ever axed me that question before."-Chicago Tribune.





These plants if planted now will bring a fairly good crop next spring. Give them a trial in this nice moist season.

Klehm's Nurseries,

Arlington Heights, Illinois



There can be but one best. The fact that the O. I. C.'s are not liable to contract cholera and other diseases is attracting widespread attention. I also sel Silver's Live Stock Powders. Located on the High Hawley Farm, 2 Miles North of Barrington.



Parrington Review. M. T. LAMEY, Ed. and Pub BARRINGTON. . . ILLINOIS. NEWS TO D IN PARAGRAP Minor Happenings of the Past recently retired from the United States Week. EVENTS OF LAST SEVEN DAYS. Political, Religious, Social and Criminal

Doings of the Whole World Carefully Condensed for Our Readers-The Accident Record.

Washington-The president has appointed John Morgan to be collector killed and three other trainmen were of customs for the southern district of | injured. Oregon.

Holyoke, Mass .-- J. C. Keogh, formerly tax collector, has been arrested on the charge of embezzling \$115,000.

London-Ten thousand or more fishermen living on Etrup, northern Japan, are on the verge of starvation. Transportation between the island and Bokkido is suspended.

Milwaukee, Wis .- John Harvey Meyers, the wrecker of the Milwaukee Home Building and Loan association. pleaded guilty and was sentenced to four years in the state prison in Waupun.

Philadelphia-Nelson G. Green of New York and City Councilmen J. Emery Byram and Charles Seger of Philadelphia, who are charged with corrupt solicitation and bribery, have entered bail for their appearance in court.

San Francisco-The women of Honolulu will furnish a Thanksgiving dinner for all the soldiers now in Honolulu. Col. Barber will lend all the aid possible. The business houses have subscribed funds enough to defray all expenses.

Baltimore, Md.-The attorney general of Maryland has been asked for a written opinion touching the legal right of the board of public works to dispose of the state's holdings of Baltimore and Chio first preferred stock at private sale.

Philadelphia-The Pennsylvania superior court has granted a new trial to Rev. Silas C. Swallow, who was convicted in the Dauphin county court of criminal libel against John C. Delaney, state superintendent of public grounds and buildings.

CASUALTIES.

Baltimore-Miss Alice Clendenning and Lillian Rawlins, young women of this city, were seriously injured in a driving accident. Portland, Ind .- The residence of N.

B. Hawkins, cashier of the Citizens' bank of this city, was totally wrecked by an explosion of natural gas. No one was injured.

Cincinnati-Judge George R. Sage, district court of the southern district of Ohio, died at his home in Lebanon, Ohio.

Webster City, Ia .- Fire destroyed H. E. Daley's livery barn. It is feared that a hostler was burned to death. Lansing, Mich .- While quail hunting, Gerald R. Van Buren, a prominent business man, was accidentally killed. Huntington, Ind.-By the explosion of a locomotive on the Chicago & Erie railroad, David Little, fireman, was

Rahway, N. J.-G. W. Rogers and H. G. Rue, conductor and baggageman respectively on the Amboy division of the Pennsylvania road, were killed by the Chicago limited.

Fairbanks, Wis.-August Wendt, Jr., was shot while hunting deer. It is not known who fired the shot.

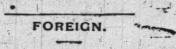
New Albany, Ind.-Walter Cook, aged 13 years, fatally shot himself with a rifle at his home. He did not know the gun was loaded.

New York-Fire in the Green Point district of Brooklyn caused a loss of \$103,000. The largest loss is sustained by Joseph Schriver & Co., furniture dealers.

Brazil, Ind.-Six years ago the breech-pin flew from a shotgun and buried itself in Edward Hill's skull. The pin was removed and the wound healed. Hill is dead of the injury.

Valparaiso, Ind.-Three hunters from Pittsburg, Pa., who were in camp on the Kankakee river near Kouts, this county, have mysteriously disappeared, and are supposed to have been drowned.

Butte, Mont.-Robert McFadden, William Henderson, John Kell and George Morgan were killed in the bottom of the Berkeley shaft by an explosion.



Dublin-The anniversary of the death of the "Manchester martyrs" was celebrated with much enthusiasm.

Paris-The government, according to the Temps, has ordered a modification of the prison treatment of former Capt. Albert Dreyfus.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Danvers, Ill.-John L. Shorthose died very suddenly at his home near this place. He was aged 71.

Streator, Ill.-The congregation of the Church of Good Will Toward Men dedicated its new home.

Pontiac, Ill.-Judge R. R. Wallace has been appointed receiver of the Pontiac Water, Light and Power company.

Montgomery, Ala.-The Alabama senate has passed a resolution inviting President McKinley to visit the state capital Dec. 17.

Watertown, Wis .- Dr. W. F. Whyte has been appointed a member of the state board of health to succeed the late Dr. F. H. Bodenius of Madison.

Havana, Cuba-W. W. Mohun, one of the stenographers attached to the United States evacuation commission, died of pneumonia.

Washington-Jotura Komura, who succeeds Toru Hoshi as envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of Japan to the United States, has reached this city.

St. Louis, Mo .- The Forum club has compiled an address to President Mc-Kinley asking him to recommend to congress such legislation as will do away with the massacre of negroes in the south.

States marine hospital service, Washington, has examined W. E. Herbert, the yellow fever suspect, whom he found without any of the symptoms of the fever.

Panama-The correspondent in Bogota, Colombia, wires that the congress of Colombia has been called in extraordinary session to discuss pending important and knotty financial and other questions.

Topeka, Kan.-Information comes to the live stock sanitary board that cattle in many sections of central Kansas are dying from eating frost-bitten oats.

Los Angeles, Cal.-If the present drouth continues prodigious flocks of sheep of San Clements island will perish miserably.

Washington - Representative - elect Roberts of Utah may be excluded from the house of representatives if the charge that he is a polygamist. living openly with more than one wife, can be sustained.

Washington-The war department has received word from Honolulu that Gen. King is ill.

Baltimore-The national fraternal congress, which has been in session, has adjourned to meet in Chicago in August of next year.

Frederick, Md.-Admiral Schley is



THE RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED.

Planks of the Party on the Tariff and Monetary Questions Indorsed-Next Meeting to Be Held at Philadelphia in 1900.

The American League of Republican College Clubs adopted resolutions indorsing monetary reform legislation, upholding the republican planks on the tariff and money questions, indorsing the administration of President Mc-Kinley and commending the work of Secretary of War Alger. Arnold L. Davis, University of Michigan, was chosen president. The next meeting will be held in Philadelphiain 1900.

Agreement is Made Public.

The agreement between the striking coal miners and operators at Virden. Ill., is as follows: "The Springfield scale is to be paid; the men are to receive yardage; no discrimination to be made in the employment of men; the pit boss and the top boss to be dis-Pittston, Pa.-Dr. Cook of the United | charged; the immediate destruction of the stockade."

Extra Session Is Probable.

Many influences are at work to force an extra session of congress next spring. There is a difference of opinion among public men, but the majority appear to think a special session cannot be avoided.

Three Passengers Seriously Injured. A fast passenger train on the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton crashed into the rear end of a freight near Toledo, Ohio. Three persons on the passenger train were seriously injured.

Official Returns from Illineis. Official returns on members of the lower house of the Illinois general assembly show eighty republicans, seventy-two democrats and one prohibitionist elected.

BRIBERY IS CHARGED.

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Fred Bechel of Omaha, who has been chief auditor for the Pacific Express company, was placed on trial for embezzling the funds of that company. His accounts are \$150,000 short. He alleges the money was paid to members of the Nebraska legislature during the last ten years to head off hostile legislation.

True Bill Against Quay.

The grand jury at Philadelphia found a true bill against Senator M. S. Quay, R. R. Quay (the senator's son), and ex-State Treasurer Benjamin J. Haywood, charged with conspiracy in connection, with an alleged misuse of state funds deposited in the People's bank.

Senator Hoar Sees Danger.

Senator Hoar in an interview said: "My opinion is that if the United States acquires the Philippine islands to govern them as a subject or vassal state the destruction of the American republic will date from the administration of William McKinley."

Has Ordered an Inquiry.

The secretary of the navy has ordered a court of inquiry to meet at the navy yard in Norfolk for the purpose of investigating the circumstances attending the abandonment of the Spanish cruiser Maria Teresa.

Counterfeit Money in Indiana."

A large amount of counterfeit money is in circulation throughout northern Indiana and is causing the banks and merchants no end of trouble. The bogus money is in nickels, quarters, halves and dollars.

Admiral Dewey's Strong Opinion,

Admiral Dewey has written a letter in which he says: "I trust the entire Philippine archipelago will be retained by the United States. Any other arrangement will lead to no end of trouble."

Will Improve Glass Plant.

The American Plate Glass company appropriated \$100,000 for additions to the plant at Anderson, Ind., which is now the largest in the United States.



St. Louis, Mo.-The supreme court of Missouri has ordered a new trial for Dr. Jefferson D. Goddard, convicted in Kansas City of the murder of James Jackson and sentenced to ten years' imprisonment, on the ground of improper instructions by the trial court. East Berkeley, Col .- The supposed suicide of Lillian Brandes, a pretty 15year-old girl, is likely to prove a case of murder. The autopsy/showed that the girl had been beaten, that her body was covered with bruises and there were no signs of strangulation.

Paris-It is announced that a commercial treaty has been concluded between France and Italy granting mutually favored treatment except for silk goods

Pana, Ill.-An explosion of gas in the Pana Coal Company's mines seriously injured three negroes, two of whom may not survive.

Cripple Creek, Col.-Thomas W. Scott was arrested here on telegraphic advice from Capt. Colleran. He is raised a loan in this city. charged with the embezzlement of \$1,-700 from two Chicago firms.

Fort Dodge, Iowa-Mrs. Seth Rogers of Ayrshire, Iowa, became insane while in this city in search of her 14-months-] old boy taken from her at Gillmore City, Iows, Nov. 17.

Washington-A cable message has been received at the navy department announcing the death of Ensign Geo. L. Fermier, attached to the gunboat Petrel, on the Asiatic squadron.

London-Sir John Fowler, who was engineer-in-chief of the Forth bridge. for which services he was created a baronet in 1890, is dead. He was born in 1817.

Warsaw, Ind .- The Pierceton sanitarium, ten miles east of here, was destroyed by fire. The loss is \$10,000. It was owned by a stock company.

Dunsmuir, Cal.-A freight train crashed into a caboose three miles from here, killing J. U. Lewis, a brakeman.

Rochester, Ind .- Josiah Bowers attempted to murder his son-in-law, William Carr, and then committed suicide by shooting himself with a rifle. Bowers was a farmer and 67 years old.

Allentown, Pa.-James Sicher of Minesite died from the effects of arsenical poisoning. His wife and a boarder named Thomas Beidler are charged with administering poison to him in apple dumplings.

Shanghai-Prince Henry of Prussia unveiled the monument to the officers and sailors of the German third-class cruiser litis, which was lost in a typhoon July 23, 1896, north of the Shan-Tung promontory.

London-Sir George Smyth Baden-Powell, the eminent political economist and authority on colonial affairs, died here in his fifty-first year.

Belfast, Ireland-Rev. Dr. Kane, rector of Christ church, Belfast, and grand master of the Belfast Orangemen, died from a stroke of apoplexy. London-Sir Stuart Knill, head of the firm of John Knill & Co., and lord mayor of London for the term of 1892-93, is dead.

Yokohama-Advices received here from Seoul say that the Corean government has issued orders that foreigners are to be stopped from trading in the linterior.

Madrid - The Spanish transport Puerto Rico has arrived at Malaga, with 1,217 troops from Cuba. There were thirty-one deaths during the voyage.

London-Count de Rascon, the Spanish ambassador here, denies that Don Carlos, the Spanish pretender, has

Madrid-Prime Minister Sagasta is now convalescent. He is able to go out doors.

Paris-The announcement that two advocates will be sent to Cayenne, capital of French Guiana, to assist Dreyfus in the preparation of his defense, gives rise to the belief that he will not after all be brought back.

London - Maj.-Gen. Sir Francis Grenfell, commanding the British army of occupation in Egypt, has been appointed governor of Malta,

CRIME.

Middle Inlet, Wis.-William Menoso, a laborer, shot Matt Durfee and then turned the weapon on himself. Both are expected to die.

Cleveland, O .- John Stefancin was shot and killed and John Fedorco mortally wounded by Sam Carr, a colored man from North Carolina.

Oshkosh, Wis .- Two girls, aged 15 and 17, are under arrest here charged with kidnaping their brother. They are Kate and Orphia Landig.

Janesville, Wis.-Stephen Spaulding of Villa Ridge, Ill., committed suicide in Oak Hill cemetery. His body was found lying on his daughter's grave. Havana, Cuba-T. A. Hauxhurst. agent of the Pan-American Express company of Brooklyn, attempted suicide by cutting his throat. His condition is serious.

Macon, Ga .- The Sixth Virginia negro regiment is under arrest for having indulged in a riot. The men threaten further trouble when released from the guardhouse

visiting relatives. He was given a popular welcome.

Fort Hamilton-There is a slight change for the better in the condition of Gen. William M. Graham, who is suffering from typhoid-pneumonia.

New York-Creditors are to wind up the affairs of H. B. Coho & Co., dealers in electrical supplies. The liabilities are \$60,000 and the assets \$40,000. Springfield, Ill .- The executive committee of the Illinois Press association has selected Chicago as the place and Feb. 8, 9 and 10 as the time for holding the next meeting of the association.

Washington-Officials are said to have issued orders directing the cruiser Topeka to leave the League Island navy yard at once for Havana and the auxiliary cruiser Panther for Porto Rico.

Washington-According to a report by United States Consul Gen. Stowe, in Cape Town, South Africa, there is a heavy and growing demand for American corn and corn meal in South Africa, and big prices are paid.

LATEST MARKET REPORT.

CHICAGO.

Cattle, all grades\$1.50 @5.60 Hogs, common to prime. 1.00 @3.621/2 Sheep and lambs 2.00 @5.75 Wheat, No. 2 red68 Oats, No. 3 white25 Eggs19 @ .191/2 Rye, No. 2501/4 @ .501/2 NEW YORK. Wheat, No. 2 red76 Corn, No. 239% Oats, No. 229 KANSAS CITY. Cattle, all grades 2.10 @5.35 Hogs, all grades 3.00 @3.55 Sheep and lambs 3.00 @5.25 TOLEDO. Wheat, No. 2 cash70% Corn, mixed331/2 Oats, No. 2 mixed25% Rye, No. 2 cash52 Cloverseed, prime cash. 4.55 PEORIA. Rye, No. 2 40 Oats, No. 3 white2! @ 251/4 Corn, No. 232 MILWAUKEE. Wheat, No. 1 northern671 Oats, No. 2 white25 @ .27 Barley, No. 247 @ .48 ST. LOUIS. Wheat, No. 2671/4 Oats, No. 2 cash26 Corn, No. 2 cash3016 Cattle, all grades 2.10 @5.50 Hogs 3.25 @3.60 Sheep and lambs 4.00 @5.25

THE SUCCESSOR TO FRANCES E. VILLARD AS PRESIDENT OF THE WOMAN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION.

Will Raise Spanish Ships. Admiral Dewey will raise three fine Spanish warships sunk by his own guns in Manila bay. The cost of raising the ships and putting them in thorough repair will be \$500,000.

Women May Receive Franchise. Returns from thirty-seven counties in Minnesota on the proposition to extend the franchise to women on school matters show 27,860 for and 18,079 against, which carries it.

Police Officer Mortally Wounded. Three robbers shot and mortally wounded Officer William Prinslow at Fond du Lac, Wis. The county board has offered a reward of \$500 for the capture of the murderers.

Dawson Being Rapidly Rebuilt.

The latest arrivals from Dawson, Alaska, report that the rebuilding of the burned portion of the town was started before the fire was entirely ex-

Will Meet at Seattle.

The post-executive committee of the W. C. T. U. has selected Seattle as the place for holding the next convention, the time to be about the middle of Oc-

Squadron for Admiral Schley. Rear Admiral Schley will probably be assigned to the command of a special squadron to be assembled at Hampton roads and later sent to Europe.

Hitt May Be Embassador.

The president is said to have the name of Congressman Robert R. Hitt under consideration for ambassador at London, as he regards Mr. L'itt an ideal man for the highest diplomatic work.

To Increase Standing Army.

Secretary Alger, in his annual report, and the president in turn, in his ann al message to congress, will recommend that the standing army be placed on a permanent peace basis of 100,000.

Troops Will Be Paid.

Capt.-Gen. Blanco has received from Paris a cablegram authorizing him to draw on Paris for \$2,000,000 in gold to be applied in the payment of the Spanish troops in Cuba.

Want Depew for Senator. Several pages of interviews in the Buffalo News indicate that Chauncey M. Depew is the popular choice of the people of western New York for Unit-

ed States senator.

Fire Causes Heavy Loss.

A fire in the shipyards of John H. Starin at West New Brighton, S. I., burned seven buildings and their contents and caused damage estimated at \$400,000.

Favors the Nicaraguan Canal. Senator Caffery of Louisiana in an interview said he heartily favored the building of the Nicaraguan canal under the direct control of the United States.

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FARM AND GARDEN. OF INTEREST TO MATTE ICULTURISTS. Some Up-to-Date Hints About Cul-

tivation of the Soll and Yields Thereof-Horticulture, Viticulture and Floriculture.

Orchards in Hard Places.

In an address before the Wisconsin State Horticultural Society, Geo. J. Kellogg said in part:

In recommending the best plan most likely to succeed on low situations and poor orchard soil, I would go back to the foundation and plant four seeds of the most hardy apple or crab known, such as Duchess and Hibernal or Virginia crab, plant these in a well prepared spot where the future orchard tree is to stand, protect by a bit of fence board on the southwest side, and so staked and cultivated that a good growth may be secured; the first fall remove all but two of the most vigorous seedlings, bank up for winter andif the size is sufficient to carry a cion, the following spring graft two inches below the crown with Duchess, Hiberral. Charlamoff and Virginia crab for those kinds less hardy. If the seedlings are too small at one year then continue the growth another season and graft at two years.

The advantage of grafting the seedling without transplanting is to get the benefit of the whole root and in no other way can the full benefit be obtained; grafting two inches below ground will insure the rooting of the scion; using Virginia crab as a stock upon which at two to three feet to graft, or bud in the limbs, varieties which are less hardy. Such varieties as Duchess, Hibernal, Glass Green and a few others may be grafted at the ground. The grafts should be shaded by a bit of board till large enough to be protected by the lath shield. Graft two seedlings, then remove one later

Second plan. Set two root grafts of short roots and long scions where the future orchard tree is to stand; protect the same as before; take up the weakest if both grafts grow; always prune the growing tree when the bud can be removed with the thumb; have one central trunk and side branches at right angles six to twelve inches apart; stimulate the tree to early growth but do not cultivate after July, or cause more than a moderate growth of wood each year. After trees come to bearing do not let them overbear, or starve to death; a tree should be fed in proportion to its fruitage. Most old orchards are starved to death. The best fertilizer for fruit is hard wood ashes sowed broadcast at the rate of 100 bushels per acre annually. I would recommend for hard places only Duchess, Hibernal, Glass Green, Charlamoff, McMahon, Wealthy, Repka Malenka, Longfield and Patton's Greening of apples, and all but the first four top worked on Virginia crab. Whitney, Virginia, Martha and Sweet Russet for crabs. Apple seed must be planted fresh from the apple in the fall, or if dry, soaked till it is plump, then frozen, mixed with sand and planted in spring.

eggs soon hatch into small, footless, larvae, that eat out the substance of the kernels, and become full-grown in a few weeks. They then change to pupae and soon after again transform to adult beetles. There are several broods each season, so they may be found at almost any time during the summer and autumn. While there are several species of these grain weevils, the same remedy will do for all. As these insects penetrate all through the entire bulk of grain, it is necessary to apply some substance that is equally penetrating in its nature. This is found in carbon bisulphide, which may be had at any drug store. The vapor of this substance is very poisonous and will destroy all insect life with which it comes in contact. This material is also very explosive when brought in contact with fire. Keeping these two points in mind it may be handled with perfect safety. In applying the material it is well to keep in mind the fact that it is very volatile and quickly passes into vapor, which diffuses itself throughout the entire mass of grain, and as the vapor is heavier than air it will have a tendency to settle. But in order to insure perfect results it is best to introduce the material well down toward the middle of the mass of grain by means of a gaspipe with a screen over the lower end, which will prevent the wheat filling the pipe, and through which the poison may be poured. The pipe is then withdrawn. One pound of the bisulphide is sufficient for fifty bushels of grain. One application will be sufficient unless the grain is to be kept over winter, when a second application may be necessary. The material does no harm to the grain in any way, as the poisonous fumes all pass away as soon as brought in contact with the air outside .- James Troop, Horticulturist.

small, dark reddish snout beetle, which,

deposits its eggs upon the grain. These

The German Farmer.

John E. Kehl, the United States consul at Stettin, Germany, says that the American farmer enjoys great advantages over the German farmer in the way of modern labor-saving machinery, larger tracts of land, etc. As an offset to this, the German farms in a more intensive way, and generally produces full crops. These facts, however, would not enable them to fight against depression if they did not receive state aid and had not quite a perfect system of co-operation. At many of the old universities, such as Berlin, Gottengen, Leipsic, Halle, Munich, etc., there have been founded agricultural colleges, and in all other colleges there are chairs of agriculture, with professors to lecture on the subject, thus disseminating a valuable amount of practical scientific knowledge. "Co-operation," say the Germans, "is the farmer's stronghold and bulwark." 1.ere are co-operative credit banks, co-operative dairies, co-operative steam plows, and there is co-operation in drainage and irrigation. As a rule, the farms are devoid of small undergrowth, stumps, stones, creeping vines, etc. Timber is equally well cared for. In draining and irrigating, the farmers are experts. At present a perplexing question is how to stop or check the exodus of labor to the cities, where wages are higher. The salaries paid farm laborers vary, but average 33 cents per day (50 cents during harvest), with the use of a small house, patch of ground (about one-half acre), and the privilege of using the implements for cultivation of same, Single men who board with their employer are paid considerably less. The German government is endeavoring, both by legislation and education, to enable the farmer to compete with his rivals.

EVENTS IN ILLINOIS,

Seven Days' Doings in the Prairie State-Telegrams Received from Various Points.

Joke May Result in Death.

Moline, Ill .- Dr. William P. Sensibaugh, a dentist of Port Byron, just east of this city, is in a serious condition as a result of pranks played upon him while being initiated in a fraternal insurance lodge in that village. During the initiatory ceremon-ies he was blindfolded and given several slight shocks from a live wire. The bandage over his eyes having become loosened, he sought to outwit those who were having fun at his expense by locating the wire and attempting to avoid it. One of the initiating team seeing the candidate was about to evade the wire, gave him a little shove, which unfortunately proved sufficient to throw him off his balance, and he fell hands down upon the battery itself, receiving a shock which rendered him unconscious. After working over him for two hours and finally reviving him it was discovered that his right arm hung limp and loose, and in this condition it has remained ever since. A week ago the doctor was stricken with an affection of the pneumogastric nerve. Saturday night he was in a serious condition and it became necessary to beat and chafe him and stand him on his head to secure circulation and action of the heart and lungs until a doctor arrived. Since then he has been kept up mainly through electrical treatment. One of the attending physicians says that paralysis of the nerves is threatened, in which event the sufferer cannot live.

To Buy War Goods in Chicago.

The war department has again begun to make purchases through the quartermaster's office at Chicago. During the past few days Captain C. D. Palmer, acting chief quartermaster of the department of the lakes, has received orders to buy goods valued at from \$375,000 to \$675,000, the quantity purchased depending somewhat on the prices. Bids for 25,000 blankets and 25,000 pairs of shoes will be opened tomorrow by Captain Palmer, and if the goods can be purchased advantageously the quantities will be doubled. The value of what the bids call for is about \$150,000. Other articles for which requests have been made are tents, tent stoves, piping, cots and litters. The purchases are the most extensive which have been called for since the large one made through Chicago at the outbreak of hostilities with Spain, and Chicago merchants take it as a hopeful indication that much will soon again be ordered by the war department through Chicago.

Trouble in Chicago The fight between ex-Gov. Altgeld and Mayor Harrison has been expected for a long time, and now that it is on the Harrison people, at least, are prepared for it. Mayor Harrison's friends have already opened his campaign for a renomination and re-election, and their fear now is that Altgeld will make an effort to defeat him at the primaries and on the floor of the convention. The fight is not so much between Altgeld and Harrison as between Chicago platform Democrats and those who incline to the gold .standard. Twenty-five thousand of Altgeld adherents refused to vote for the Cook county ticket because of its anti-silver complexion. That this vote defeated it is plainly shown by the fact that Dunlap, candidate for state treasurer, run 30,000 ahead of the ticket in Cook. Fifteen thousand more silver Democrats remained did not vote at all. When the election returns were scrutinized the way was clear for the present fight.

Mystery Is Solved.

The body of the girl who committed suicide in the Hotel Davidson, Milwaukee, Saturday afternoon, Nov. 5, was identified last week as that of Maggie Toomey, aged 21 years, a daughter of William Toomey of Chicago. A sister of the deceased called at the morgue and recognized the body as that of her sister, who had left home Friday, Nov. 4, about 8 o'clock in the morning. Melancholia is given as the cause for the act, the sister saying that Maggie, who was a great student, was of a quiet and at times a morose disposition. The morning she left home her mother asked where she was going, but received no reply, and since then no word had been heard of her, though a strict search had been made. The girl went to Milwaukee by a Goodrich line steamer and went direct to the hotel, where she took a dose of carbolic acid.

Papers Read to Stock Breeders.

Springfield, Ill.-At the session of the Illinois Live Stock Breeders' Association John Clay, Jr., of Chicago, delivered an interesting address on "The Marketing of Live Stock," and Thomas Shaw, professor of animal husbandry at the agricultural station of the University of Minnesota, at St. Anthony Park. Minn., addressed the convention on "The Bacon Hog." A paper on "Horse Breeding," by Norman J. Coleman, editor of Coleman's Rural World, of St. Louis, was read by Levi Chubbuck. The convention closed with an address on "The Horse and His Marks" by John A. Craig, professor of animal husbandry of the Iowa Agricultural College of Ames, Iowa.

What Constitutes a Good Beef Animal Prof. C. F. Curtis, writing in the fourteenth annual report of the Bureau of Animal Industry says: It was not until within recent years that the heavy, inordinately fat, or rough and patchy bullock, became unpopular to such an extent as practically to drive this class from the market and to banish the type from the breeding herds. It is well that this was done; for the modern type makes beef at decidedly more profit and economy to both the producer and the butcher and furnishes the consumer a far superior article. The parts furnishing the high-priced cuts must thickly and evenly covered be with firm yet mellow flesh of uniform good quality and alike free from hard rolls and blubbery patenes. Coarse, harsh, and gaudy animals will no longer be tolerated, much less those that are bony and bare of flesh on the back and ribs. The men who buy our cattle and fix their market value are shrewd enough to know almost at a glance how much and just what kind of meat a. steer or carload of steers will cut out, and if the producer overlooks any of the essential points he is compelled to bear the loss. Then, in addition to securing the general beef'form and makeup, together with good backs, ribs, and loins, there is a certain quality, character, style and finish that constitute an important factor in determining the value of beer cattle. One of the first indications of this is to be found in the skin and coat. A good feeding animal should have a soit mellow touch and a soft but thick and heavy coat. A harsh, unyielding skin is an indication of a sluggish circulation and low digestive powers. The chara ter and hnish exemplified by a clear prominent yet placid eye, clean-cut f stures, fine horn, and clean, firm bon, all go to indicate good feeding quality and a capacity to take on a finish of the highest excellence, and consequen y to command top prices. Coarse-b ned, rough animals are almost invariably slow feeders and hard to finish properly. A certain amount of size is necessary, but it should be obtained without coarseness. The present demand exacts quality and finish rather than size. Besides these qualities, and above all, it is necessary to have vigor and constitution. We find evidence of these in a wide forenead, a prominent brisket, broad chest, well-sprung ribs, full heart girth, and general robust appearance; and without these other excellence will not

Effect of Silage on Milk.

have its highest significance.

Repeated experiments have shown that no fear is to be entertained as to the effect of ensilage on the quality of milk. Some of the most progressive dairymen in the country feed it, even those that are shipping milk at fancy prices to thousands of customers. Good silage fed properly is bound to improve the quality of the r'... and butter rather than detract from it. If the silage is kept in the barn with the cows, and parts of the silage refuse allowed to pile up and rot in the corners of the cow stable till it becomes a fetid mass, then very likely the milk will be affected, for it is believed that the odors of such masses will readily impart themselves to the milk. This is denied, we know, by those who assert that milk will not take in odors when in the warm state, but we are suspicious of that kind of reasoning. One dairyman says that he began the feeding of silage with a good deal of fear, but after he had fed for some time his commission man wrote to him that his butter was the hest in quality that it had ever been at that time of year. As the seller of the butter knew nothing about the allage being fed, the letter was taken as a proof that silage, rightly fed, improves rather than detracts from the quality of the butter. Similar incidents are constantly coming to light, and this is only part proof that silage is one of the best friends of the dairyman.

The San Jose Scale.

We fear our readers may become tired of seeing this heading in the various farm papers, but we assure them there is reason for a frequent mention of this pest. We know that some men that have orchard stock to sell are trying to belittle the danger, but the danger exists in spite of their efforts to lull the country into a fancied security. The state entomologist of California says that without doubt the San Jose scale is the greatest pest that has ever menaced the orchards of this country. In California it has become so prevalent that it is no longer considered possible to eradicate it. The only thing left to do is to fight it in every orichard and try to grow fruit in spite of it. Spraying has only the effect of keeping down the generations of young ones when they make their appearance on the orchard trees in large numbers. But in the forests where the scale has got a foothold no spraying that will lows: Royal Australian, 32.47; Jones' be effective can be done. This should stimulate the horticulturists east of the Rocky mountains to do what they can to prevent the spread of the scale, knowing as we do that once the pest is among our wild trees it will be impossible of extinction. Every state should take energetic measures to protect its borders. We raise troops and spend millions to keep out foreign invaders when they come in the form of men. Why not spena money as freely when it is necessary to repel an insect invasion?

The Grain Weevil.

A bulletin sent out from the Indiana experiment station says: Numerous. inquiries have recently come to the experiment station concerning a small insect which is described -as doing great damage to the wheat in granaries. With one exception no specimens have accompanied the letters, but from the descriptions given it is very evident that the insect is one of the grain weevils which commonly infest wheat stored in bins.

One of the most common of these

Varieties of Wheat.

The Pennsylvania station has been testing wheats for more than ten years. Of those that were tested for eight years it says:

For the varieties tested eight years the average yield of the first five is as follows: Reliable, 32.70; Fulcaster, 32.10; Ontario Wonder, 31.19; Wyandotte Red, 30.66, and Dietz Longberry Red, 30.64. For those tested four years, the yield of the first three is as fol-Square Head, 31.27 and The Pool, 31.25. It will be noted that the order of yield for 1897 varies considerably from that of all the years in which the varieties were tested, proving that the results obtained from a single year's trial, is not an accurate test of the value of a variety but that it should be continued through at least two or three years in order that the test be of any material value.

Farm Buildings Too Far Apart .-- We see guite frequently houses and barns located quite a distance apart, so far indeed that it requires several minates' time to go from one to the other. If, house and barn are only 100 feet too far apart, and we make but three trips back and forth each day, in a week's time we have traveled about an extra mile and in twenty years will have gone a thousand miles out of our way, or farther than necessary. We would think it a hard task indeed if compelled to start out once even in twenty years and walk a thousand miles without any compensation therefor .- Ex.

Too much corn for the chickens will tittle beetles is Calandria granaria, a bring on indigestion and liver troubles.

Suffragists Elect Officers.

Springfield, Ill .- The Illinois Equal Suffrage association elected the following officers:

President-Mrs. Julia Mills Dunn, Rock Island.

Vice-presidents-Mrs. Julia Holmes Smith, Chicago; Mrs. Eva Munson Smith, Springfield.

Recording secretary-Miss Lena Morrow, Freeport.

Treasurer-Mrs. C. F. Long, Barry. The executive committee consists of the officers and Mrs. Catherine Waugh McCullough, Chicago; Mrs. Angeline Draven, Harvey; Mrs. Gertrude Blackwelder, Morgan Park; Mrs. Loretta Moore, Danville; Dr. Julia C. Blackman, Geneva, and Dr. Catherine Miller, Lincoln.

Pekin vs. Drainage Canal.

Pekin, Ill., Special .- Pekin will not be officially represented at the meeting of the Illinois Valley association. called by Chairman Kingman of Peoria, no date for which is yet fixed. Pekin will take action on its own account regarding the drainage canal and will co-operate with other towns of the Illinois Valley in their demands for Chicago to live up to its promises. Feeling is running high in regard to this matter in this and adjoining towns, and St. Louis will be heartily indorsed in her fight to force Chicago to fulfill the pledges it has made in regard to the amount of water to be turned into the canal from Lake Michigan.

Odd Fellows Elect Officers.

Springfield, Ill .- At the grand lodge of Illinois Odd Fellows M. P. Berry of Carthage was elected grand master without opposition. L. L. McKinley of Ottawa was elected deputy grand master and J. R. Kewley of Chicago was elected grand warden.

The state convention of the Daughters of Rebekah elected the following officers:

President, Mrs. Effie A. Glazier, Chicago; vice-president, Mrs. Olive J. C. Blackman, Harrisburg; warden, Mrs. Eva R. Withey, Springfield; secretary, Mrs. Lola L. Rickard, Olney; treasurer, Mrs. Carrie E. Skaggs, Harrisburg.

Luncheon for Jutare Komura.

Chicago.-Jutaro Komura, the Japanese envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary, recently appointed to the United States, and suite, will arrive in Chicago on Thursday morning at 7:45 o'clock on the Overland Limited of the Chicago, Union Pacific & Northwestern line. A luncheon wi'l be given Thursday noon at the Union League Club by Mr. Alex. Bevelle, the president. The party will leave for Washington Friday morning, where Mr. Komura will call upon President McKinley as a direct representative of the emperor. The newly appointed minister is a graduate of Harvard University.

Martin Sentenced to Be Hanged.

Charleston, Ill., Special.-Judge Dunn heard arguments for and against a new trial in the case of Carter Martin, who murdered Albert Buser on the night of Oct. 3. The verdict of the jury was affirmed and Martin was sentenced to be hanged Dec. 16. He seemed indifferent when the judge pronounced the fatal words, but his mother, who was present, fainted and was carried from the courtroom.

Illinois Veterinarians' Election.

The Illinois State Veterinarian Medical association at its second session at Chicago elected officers as follows: President, Dr. W. J. Martin, Kankakee; vice-president, Dr. E. A. Pierce, Elgin; secretary, Dr. S. S. Baker; treasurer, Dr. R. G. Walker; board of censors-Dr. G. F. Matrass, Delavan; Dr. L. F. Brown, Galesburg; Dr. Albert Brown, Chicago.

Deserts of a Chicago Counterfeiter, John C. Wilson was gentenced by Judge Grosscup to one year. in the house of correction at Milwaukee for counterfeiting. A. E. Burner, an accomplice, pleaded guilty.

Sewage in City Water.

Health Commissioner Reynolds, by nalyses, found all the city water polluted with sewage last week and repeated his warning-"Boil all vater." fowla.

Stock on Western Ranges.

William Penn Anderson of the railway bureau of live stock statistics, Union Stock Yards, Chicago, has just completed a canvass of the range cattle of the country for the Associated Press. He says along from souther? Texas to northern Montana the grass on the ranges, with the exception of a few droughty spots in the fall, was excellent. An abundant hay crop was harvested, and a greater number of cattle in proportion will be sustained throughout the coming winter than ever before. He also says there is a wonderful increase in the calf crop, as shown by the records of "round-up" foremen on the open ranges. The movement of cattle and sheep to feed lots and other eastern markets during October is almost without parallel. There is a veritable stockcar famine in the Rockies and intermountain states. There are thousands of cattle being held in close herd awaiting shipment.

Fresh Air .- Fresh air is absolutely necessary for the health of your flock. Windows should be opened wide every day for a shorter or longer-time, depending on the outside temperature Fresh air dries out your houses and dispels dampness, which is fatal to

BARRINGTON LOCALS.

Stella, daughter of Frank Walthausen, is ill.

T. E. Ream was in Elgin a few days this wcek.

Albert Leonard visited relatives here yesterday.

Miss Anna Kosmin is visiting at the home of Paul Miller.

Henry Beinhoff of Chicago was a visitor here this week.

Mr. Elvidge of Iowa is visiting his brother, L. F. Elvidge.

Miss Culp of Chicago is visiting at the home of F. A. Lageschulte.

Walter Harrower of Chicago visited Hawley. relatives in Barrington this week.

F. B. Sodt of Chicago is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Sodt.

Miss Grace Bennett of Chicago visited with relatives here Saturday.

Mrs. Golding returned home Saturday after a visit at Ernest Rieke's.

A. W. Meyer and family were guests of A. K. Townsend of Elgin Thursday.

Miss Esther Elfrink of Chicago is a guest at the home of Henry Lageschulte.

Mrs. Wm. Meister and Mrs. H. Wallbaum visited with relatives at Nuuda Sunday.

Alvin Horn of Harvard spent Thanksgiving at the home of P. A. Hawley.

Mrs. A. D. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. M. Covey spent Thanksgiving Day at Elgin.

Mrs. F. H. Plagge and children visited Rev. J. C. Freye at Edison Park Saturday.

Mrs. Foles of Woodstock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warner, here on Monday.

John Schwemm won the organ which was raffled by Wilkes Wilmer Thanksgiving Day.

Mesdames A. Clinkenbeard and Edward Swanson of Chicago are visiting with relatives here.

George Foreman has purchased the Warner house pool table and has it set up in his saloon.

John Mundhenke intends to rent h

Almost anyone could win a chicken, duck or turkey Thursday.

This sudden change of weather is good-for the coal dealers.

H. Hillman of Lake Zurich was Barrington caller Tuesday.

P. Byer of Arlington Heights was here on business yesterday.

Miss Maude Adams is visiting with her parents at South Elgin.

Miss Grace Otis is at home this

week for a few day's vacation. Miss Rose Hallen of Chicago is a guest at the home of Mrs. Flora Lines.

Miss Alice Hawley of Chicago is visiting at the home of her father, F. E.

Henry Branding and Gottlieb Waltz of Lake Zurich were here on business yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Graybill, is very ill duet by two charming young ladies. with fever.

Bichard Foreman of Palatine visited with his brother, George W. Foreman, yesterday.

Messrs. Renau and Steinway of Ann Arbor are visiting at the home of John Landwer.

John Donlea of Chicago visited this week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Donlea.

Mrs. H. Gieske, Mrs. Roloff and Mrs. F. H. Frye and daughter, Miss Mary, were Chicago visitors yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Seebert' took Thanksgiving dinner with their daughter, Mrs. A. E. Hawley at Elgin.

The pupils of the M. E. Sunday school are making arrangements for the Christmas exercises to be held at that church.

The Firemen's dance held at Lake Zurich Thursday evening was atreport having spent a pleasant evening.

Several members of the Barrington Social and Athletic club enjoyed (?) a bus ride to Randall's lake Thanksgiving Day and had a pleasant time skating.

10:30 a. m., "Comfort-Present and Fu- from \$100 up. Come before stock is and Praise service, topic, "The Chris- 269 Wabash ayenue, near Van Buren tian Optimist." All are welcome.

The sale of pianos remaining from the Lyon & Potter stock now in progress at Lyon & Healy's affords close buyers an unparalleled opportunity to secure dependable instruments at almost nominal rates. In slightly used and second-hand uprights, they offer quite a choice at prices from \$85 upward, and in strictly new 1899 style instruments, including Steinway and Knabe pianos, they offer values equally as great. You cannot afford to neglect this occasion. Easy monthly payments may be arranged. Visitors welcome. Lyon & Healy, Wabash avenue and Adams street, Chicago. A copy of the Lyon & Healy Annual for 1898 contains new popular music. Free to callers.

Well Appreciated.

The entertainment Thursday night at the Baptist church was thoroughly appreciated.

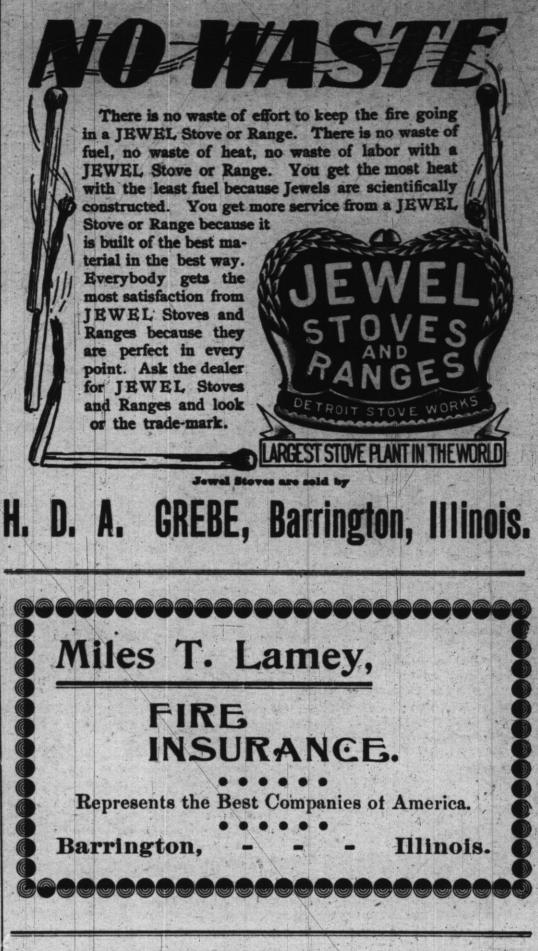
The three dances of Menry VIII Madge, second oldest daughter of turned out to be a harmless plano The Victor male quartet pleased the audience not only by its finely rendered and well selected pieces, but by a certain clearness which enables one to hear and understand every word. Miss Hester Bennett of Des Plaines has a fine soprano voice, enhanced by a pretty face and costume. Miss Rose Hallen held her audience through a varied range of selections, comprising pathetic, humorous and patriotic pieces, in all of which she did equally well, of which the numerous encores bore testimony.

OUR OFFER ACCEPTED.

WONDERFUL. WONDERFUL. WONDERFUL.

CINCINNATI, O., NOV. 24, 1898. THE THOMPSON MUSIC Co., Chicago. Gentlemen: Your cash offer for 250 planos is below the cost of production, but we have manufactured very heavy for fall trade and wish to close out for our spring business, so will give tended by eighty-five couples and all the Chicago public the benefit of these prices to get our planos better known in Chicago, and make the sacrifice and accept your offer. Yours truly,

THE KRELL PIANO CO. The bargain we have in purchasing from Krell Piano Co. of Cincinnati, O., 250 pianos at less than cost to manufacture we offer you. Pianos at Services at the Baptist church for lower prices than ever known. Terms tomorrow are as follows: Topic at to suit customers. New upright planos



A Satisfactory Dress

Needs first a satisfactory material. The best dressmakers in the world cannot make a good dress out of poor stuff. You will find that our stock of Dress Goods consists of the latest styles, first-cla material and are reasonable in price.

rington in the spring.

I have \$4,000 to loan on real estate security at low rate of interest.

M. C. MCINTOSH.

J. W. Kingsley, who has been sick with heart trouble the past two weeks. is much improved and able to be out again.

William and Charles Dodge of Chicago and John Dodge of Lake Mills, Wisconsin, spent Thanksgiving with their mother here.

the Standard Life and Accident In- the auctioneer. surance company, an association confined to the insurance of railroad men.

Barrington Court of Honor, No. 373, nominated officers at their meeting Clerk A. L. Hendee of Waukegan will Tuesday evening. The election will take place Tuesday evening, December 27.

Another change in the North-western time card went into effect November 20th. A correct time table of Barrington and Palatine trains will be found on the fourth page.

John Sbrocchi, who was confined in a Juliet prison awaiting trial for slaying a man near that place several weeks ago, broke jail with four other prisoners and their whereabouts are unknown.

Invitations are out announcing the marriage of Wm. E. Gieske of Elgin to Miss Addie Church of this village. The ceremony will be performed at the home of the bride's parents next Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Besides the mail now unloaded for Barrington from the 4 o'clock morning train the mail bags for towns between this place and the city are also unloaded. They are transferred to the 7 o'clock Barrington train from which they are distributed to the several towns along the line.

Tomorrow evening Rev. T. E. Ream, of the M. E. church, will preach on the topic "The Great Now," from the text found in 2d Corinthians, 6th chapter, 2d verse: "Behold, now is the accepted time; behold, now is the day of salvation. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The regular meeting of the Jugendverein of St. Paul's Evangelical church held Sunday evening was a very interesting one. An elaborate program was rendered, which was highly appreciated by a large audience.

On Tuesday, November 29th, Doran Bros. will sell at public auction on their farm at Honey Lake, 3 miles north of Barrington, some choice cattle and other stock, also their farm-John Graybill is now traveling for ing implements. Wm. Peters will be

> Supervisors Thomas Strang of Newport, E. B. Neville of Avon, and W. E. Miller of Libertyville, with County attend the state meeting of supervisors, county commissioners and county clerks to be held at Belleville.

> The Firemen's dance at Palatine Thursday eve was attended by a large crowd and all present had an excellent time. An elaborate supper was served by Mr. Charles Seip, to which ample justice was done. Among those in attendance were several from Barrington. The proceeds of the evening will be used to purchase paraphernalia for the company.

As Mr. and Mrs. August Porep alighted from their buggy at Evergreen cemetery Sunday noon the horses became frightened and started down through town at full speed. When they arrived at the corner of Main and Ela streets an effort was made to bring the team to a stop by a passerby, but they took to the side of the street and pluuged into a lamp. post in an effort to make their escape. But little damage was done.

The three stinglest men in LaSalle county live in Mendota. The first will not drink enough water unless it comes from a neighbor's well. The second forbids his children writing anything but a small hand, as it wastes ink to make large letters. The third stops the clock at night to save the wear and tear on the machinery, They all refuse to take a newspaper on the ground that it is a terrible strain on the spectacles to read.

street, Chicago, Ill.

Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of unclaimed letters remaining uncalled for in the postoffice at Barrington November 25, 1898:

Mrs. R. H. Hassell, Mrs. Sophia Liessmann, Hugh McEachern, M. S. Pierce, Miss Stober, Arthur Smith, Adolph Stern, Mike Shaughesy, A. L. Sonnenberg, J. A. Yesner.

H. K. BROCKWAY, P. M.

Lord Herschell on Anglo-American Union.

The annual dinner of the chamber of commerce in New York was notable specially for the address made by Lord Herschell, the president of the joint high sommission. Aside from its adequate voising of the feeling which exists in Great Britain, its chief interest lay in its discrimination of the factors which enter into this strong reciprocal sentiment which has brought the two nations so close together. Due stress was laid on the essential kinship which exists, on the solid community of sympathy and general point of view growing out of a common language and literature, on similar laws and institutions and on the traditions of a common history. Yet this tie had been frequently strained almost to the breaking point in times past by diverging interests and that tendency in a large way which is parallel to family bickering. Passing from the ground of sentiment as a basis of union to that of practical interest, Lord Herschell pointed out that the new condition of things which had arisen within the last year sealed the bond with a firmness never before existing. Like the hard headed lawyer he is, he enforced the value of the new issues in cementing the tie of race and sentiment. The commercial interests of Great Britain and the United States run now through the same channels, and there is no perceptible reason why this business union should not remain permanent. In this hand to hand clasp of the two countries Lord Herschell recognized a guarantee of the peace of the world superior even to that of the ezar's policy of disarmament.

farm and move in his house in Bar- ture; " at 7:00 p. m., Peoples' Gospel gone, THE THOMPSON MUSIC Co., OUR LINE Of Ladies' Ready-Made Black Dress Skirts

Is attracting considerable attention on account of the varied sortment, the excellent quality of material and the remarkable low price we have placed on them. Better come and look at our stock. We also have a fine line of Flannelette Wrappers.

Our Stock

Of Felt Boots, Rubber Goods, Gloves and Mittens consists of a large variety. You will make no mistake if you give us a call, for we know that both prices and quality of goods will suit you.

JOHN C. PLAGGE,

