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BARRINGTN, ILL, MARCH 17, 1900,

PALATINE LOCALS.

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St. Patrick's Day.

Cumnock is coming.

See Karsten's new ad.

Town election April 3.

Village election April 17.

Theodore Freye is doing jury service this week.

William Heideman is on the sick list this week.

C. W. Ost was in Waukegan on business yesterday.

Arthur Bennett was a Barrington visitor Thursday.

Miss Lydia Hartung is visiting with friends in Chicago.

Miss Mae Baker of Chicago visited home over Sunday.

Miss Elnora Arps spent Sunday at Cary with relatives.

Dr. Ray Gibbs of Arlington Heights was in town Tuesday.

Miss Alma Frye has been on the sick list the past week.

Hosea Sawyer has been home all week with a severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas of Chicago visited friends here Sunday.

Charles Griswold is working for Comfort & Co. in the grist mill.

Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Schirding visited Chicago friends Sunday.

Mr. Crary was a guest at the Methodist parsonage over Sunday.

The Methodist Sunday school is singing from new song books.

Mrs. House and daughter of Chicago are visiting with her mother.

Mrs. Mary Johnson is improving and will soon be able to be out again.

A. G. Bennett of Ravenswood spent Sunday at the home of his parents.

Republican caucus for republicans

Mr. and Mrs. Turner of Chicago visited Mrs. D. Stroker and family Sunday and may decide to locate in Palatine for the summer.

Bessie and Eddie Pinney were called to the bedside of their mother in Chicago the first of the week. She is much better at present writing.

Charles Yates returned from Missouri Sunday. He reports more snow in that country than in Illinois. He had a nice visit and a good time.

W. S. Bennett of Cuba and Miss E. Etvidge of Barrington spent Friday of last week at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bennett.

Ben Wilson is confined to the house with a severe case of grip and be has been dangerously ill. He is resting quietly at present and his recovery is looked for.

Miss Clara Taylor was the recipient of a surprise by her schoolmates last Wednesday evening. About twentyfive were present and a very good time enjoyed.

Mr. Prellberg returned the collector's books last Tuesday. He collected \$15,840, leaving \$3,405 delinquent. All the personal tax was collected except about \$80.

The youngest child of Charles Plute fell into a boiler of hot water one day last week and was badly scalded on the left side. /Dr. Muffat was called in attendance and the little one is doing nicely.

Mr. Filbert had a very bad relapse Thursday and it was not expected that he would survive through the day. He has convulsions all day, but towards evening he became calm. He is now resting much easier.

Rev. F. B. Hardin will speak tomorrow morning on "The Causes and Cure of the Decline of Spirituality in Father Walsh officiating. Only the the Church." The subject of the bride's parents and Mr. and Mrs. Fred evening's discourse will be "The Three Moore of San Francisco were present. Most Notorious Bad Bargains in History."

This afternoon the Queen Esther

Thank Offering Meeting. The annual thank offering meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary socity will be held in the Methodist church next Tuesday evening, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Everybody is cordially invited to be present. The following is the program for the even-

Congregation Prayer ... Pastor Scripture Lesson Miss Jessie Nason Duet, with autoharp, "If Christ Abide With Me"......Floyd and Flora Hardin Essay Miss Lambert

Instrumental selection. Rev. Hoffmeister Dialogue, "Giving for Missions" Pearl Smith and George Andermann.

Recitation, "Mary's Lamb" Louis Baker and Ben Babcock

Recitation,"Two Offerings 'Jeannette Paddock Duet, "There is a Green Hill" Mesdames Smyser and Heise

Reading. "The Story of a Dime"... Mrs. Baker "The Penny Ve Meant to Gie". Mrs. Robertson Recitation, "Leta's Thank Offering" Helen Wienecke

Ladies' Trio--Mrs. Converse, Mrs. Smyser and Miss Salzer. Collection.

Voluntary Rev. J. C. Hoffmeister **Opening of envelopes** Doxology. Benediction

Miss A. Sinnott Married.

The following item taken from the San Francisco (Cal.) Examiner will be of interest, in particular to the old residents of Barrington, as the Mrs. Murphy spoken of is a daughter of one of Barrington's most popular and prosperous business men in the early days of the village:

Miss Antoinette Sinnott, one of San Jose, Cal., most prominent society ladies and an artist of more than local reputation, was united in marriage to Daniel Murphy, capitalist, of Los Angeles. The wedding was a quiet affair and a surprise to most of the friends of Miss Sinnott. It occured at LaG6 St. Joseph's church, San Jose, the Rev. The Sinnotts are an old family in San Jose, the late John Sinnott hav- Groceries ing been prominent for years in commercial affairs. Mrs. Murphy was a society will meet at the home of Miss social belle and enjoyed a large circle of warm friends among the younger set.



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Shades - We make and trim window shades to fit any window. We show a large stock of win-dow shades ready to put up at 25c and up.

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> Coston Ingrain Carpets, 25 and 27c a yard. Union Ingrains, half-wool filling, will wear and look well, 29c a yard. All-Wool Ingrains. These carpets are strictly all-wool fill-

> ing and worsted worp, 50, 55, 60, 65c a yard. Tapestry Brussells, extra quality, 70, 80, 85c a yard

Gurtains, 80c, \$1.00, 1.20, 1.50, 1.85 a pair. New Royal Sewing Machine, \$16. New Royal Sewing Machine, drop head, \$19.50. Fancy Fancy Gan h Goods. Try a sack of our dollar flour. Snow Flake, per sack, \$1.00.

only this afternoon from 2 to 8 o'clock.

Ray Catlow and friend of Evanston were out to attend the dance Saturday nlght.

The Woodmen are arranging for an entertainment to be given within a few weeks.

Miss Myrtle Smith went to Baraboo, Wis., Saturday to spend some time with friends.

Mrs. Mary Staples is making an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. A. H. Fosket.

Miss Ella Taurtelatt and sister of Bryant over Sunday.

C. D. Taylor has been appointed caucus enumerator for Palatine and will soon commence work.

The Athletic club entertained with a graphophone Thursday night and an enjoyable evening was spent.

Miss May Burkett and sister Floyd of Cuba visited Mrs. French's and A. L. Bennett's Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Evanson of West McHenry returned home the first of the week, after a short visit with her parents.

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

Mr. Lindbeck returned to his home in Wisconsin the first of the week, after a short visit with his daughter here.

attention here. About 50 Waukegan papers are distributed daily by A. G. Smith.

and Mrs. H. Lorenzen of Arlington of my friends in the caucus. Heights were guests of Mrs. Imhoff Sunday.

sary came out to attend the funeral ject to the result of the caucus and services of his little neice last Sunday ask the support of my friends. afternoon.

Attorney C. S. Cutting was in town pear as a witness in the Krueger trial for the town of Palatine. at Waukegan.

Blanche Schierding. Refreshments will be served after a literary and musical program has been rendered. Everybody who is interested in home missions is invited.

We lately had the pleasure of hearing something new, "The Office Boy," a pretty little dance for the piano. After the long, tiresome siege of ragtime, it is a relief to hear as jolly, piquant a little thing as this one. Trade supplied by Lyon & Healy, Chicago.

Market day proyed a big success Friday of last week. A big crowd was present from all directions and about Chicago visited Mr. and Mrs. John twenty horses were sold, there being more of them for sale than heretofore. The roads were bad, but this did not prevent the crowd from attending and the day was much more successful than the committee had hoped for.

> We don't know how it happened, but Prof. Smyser has secured Prof. Cumnock, the celebrated reader from Northwestern University, to come to home inducements liberal and friend-Palatine to give one of his readings in ly. There is something very beautiful the latter part of April. Prof. Cumnock stands at the head of all readers ity with one's neighbors. No man has and his coming to Palatine is a treat: He has been receiving fabulous prices for his entertainments in large cities. The church will be crowded to the doors when he comes.

Palatine Announcements.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of collector for the town of Palatine and ask the support The Krueger trial is attracting much of my friends at the caucus.

C. H. GLADE.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the of-Mr. and Mrs. George Peters and Mr. fice of collector and ask the support

C. H. SCHROEDER.

I hereby announce myself as a can-August Holste of Chicago Univer- didate for the office of collector, sub-HENRY C. KOELLE.

I hereby announce myself as a can this week to notify Dr. Muffat to ap- didate for the nomination of assessor J. H. SCHIERDING.

Daniel Murphy's interest in railroad, oil and mines has made him known throughout the state. He has been a frequent visitor to San Jose and has many friends there.

Pilgrim, Chapter 4.

Barrington may well be loyal to its stores and business men, for its places of mart and purchase are supplied with all the fruits of nature and the hand work of art. All that is substantial and desirable can here be had at an economy that competes with the big city. When transportation is added to the city prices our home market is far ahead. By the by, it is not a very loyal citizen who patronizes foreign stores. Barrington, as a unit, must stand or fall.

There are gentlemanly proprietors in all its stores and offices; and who is honestly willing to pay up will find and neighborly in a trading reciprocsympathy with that man who, reading the highly-colored, false advertisements, aglow with superlative adjectives in metropolitan papers, goes to the city to get bitten on shoddy, green goods.

And here, if true, will wealth accrue. A millionaire might prosper there.

How to Save Doctor Bills.

We have saved many doctor bills since we began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in our home. We keep a bottle open all the time and whenever any of my family or myself begin to catch cold, we begin to use the Cough Remedy, and as a result we never have to send away for a doctor and incur a large doctor bill, for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy never fails to cure. It is certainly a medicine of great merit and worth.-D. S. MEARKLE, General Merchant and Farmer, Mattie, Bedford county, Pa. For sale by A. L. Waller, Barrington and A. S. Olms, Palatine.

Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of unclaimed letters remaining in the postoffice at Barrington March, 15 1900: Michael Glennan, John Heinmann, John Rogman, Fred Martin, L. D. Somers, Jacob Spohn, Emiler Sullgens. H. K. BROCKWAY, P. M.

A. W. MEYER & CO., Barrington.

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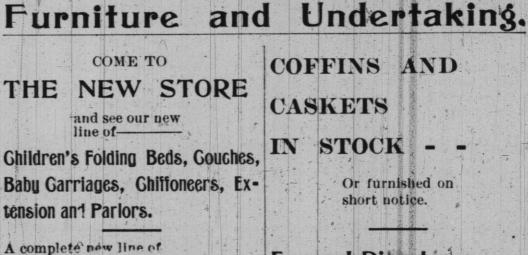
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CURRENT TOPICS

WILL START NATIONAL BANKS. Advices received by New York banking interests from small town's and villages throughout the United States indicate that state banks in all sections of the country are preparing to take out charters under the national system as soon as the currency bill becomes a law. It was estimated today that any one with \$3,000 capital could start a national bank under the new system. All that is required is \$25,000 in 2 per cent government bonds, which could be secured at ruling rates for about \$27,750. These, representing the capital of the bank, could be sent to Washington, and circulation for the full amount of the capital immediately taken out. The organizer of the bank then has \$2,750 tied up in the enterprise, but could take deposits in the regular way. Whether the system can be properly safeguarded under such requirements is not known.

THE SIBERIAN RAILWAY.

The last rails have been laid on the trans-Baikal section of Russia's great Siberian railway. This establishes complete steam communication between St. Petersburg and the extreme eastern limits of the Russian empire on the Pacific coast. The section just finished is about 700 miles long, and it runs from the eastern shores of Lake Baikal to Stretensk on the River Shilka, which is a tributary of the Amur. Trains are carried across Lake Baikal by an ice-breaking ferryboat. From Stretensk the river route must be used to reach Khabarovsk, and thence the testations of love, back in New York Usuri section of the railway runs to state. Having followed her 3,000 miles Vladivostok. It is reported that considerable portions of the sections first built must be relaid with heavier rails.

RECALLS TROOPS FROM MANILA. By direction of Acting Secretary Meiklejohn instructions have been sent to Major-General Otis to return to the United States some time in May one battalion of the Fourteenth, Eighteenth and Twenty-third infantries.

SUFFERING IN MAFEKING. Defenders of the Town Are Despondent

but Determined.

A dispatch from Mafeking, dated Feb. 18, which in some way reached Lourenco Marques on March 5, and was forwarded from there, says: "The defenders are despondent, but determfned. Typhoid malaria has broken out in the women's laager, which the enemy is deliberately shelling. Dysentery is rife, and the garrison is reduced to horse flesh. 'The hospitals are full to overflowing, and the children's cemetery grows week by week. The natives have been reduced to a handful of meal a day. The enemy is raking the streets, and it is impossible to dodge the bullets. Like the saints we cry out, 'How long, O Lord; how long?' Our losses up to date have been 292."

Grewsome Tale Disproved.

What promised to be a big sensation. turned out to be a "fake" when the coroner and police exhumed the remains of Mrs. Suzanne Hanyrzewski, who was thought to have been buried alive at South Bend, Ind. From apparently reliable sources the story was heard that she had been buried while in a trance, and that when such discovery had been made the remains were in a terrible condition. The story was that after the body was placed in the grave, thirty-six hours after death, the hole was only partly filled; that next day, when the sexton went to finish his work, he discovered the box half turned and the coffin broken, while the remains were distorted, the hair pulled from the head, and the fingers bitten off. When the remains were disinterred this afternoon they were found to be in good condition and the story was proven to be untrue.

Kills Woman and Himself.

John Hammond of Buffalo, N. Y., arrived at Stone's Landing, fifteen miles north of Tacoma, Wash., Friday, and went to the home of Mrs. Guy Gale, wife of a prosperous rancher. He was Mrs. Gale's rejected lover. Two years ago she turned a deaf ear to his proacross the continent, Hammond demanded that she leave her home and fly with him. Mrs. Gale indignantly refused. She declared she did not love him and rebuked him for daring to meddle in her affairs. Hammond shot her dead and fired several times after she had fallen. He then shot himself dead.

Finds Fortune in Zine Mining.

Marx Carll has just returned to An-The withdrawal of these troops was derson, Ind., from Joplin, Mo., where recommended by Major-General Miles, he went a few months ago and invested \$10,000 in lead and zinc mining leases. Before leaving Joplin he was offered \$40,000 for one of his leases, which is now yielding him a royalty of \$250 per week. Mr. Carll has sunk a shaft through rock ninety feet, striking very rich paying zinc and lead ore.

THE WAR IN SOUTH AFRICA.

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DIES AT HIS POST.

Engineer on Illinois Central Dies in

His Cab.

Joseph E. Hoffman, engineer of a

passenger locomotive on the Iowa di-

thorne the speed was not lessened, as

is the custom, and the fireman glanced

across the cab at Hoffman in surprise.

for at Hawthorne there are a number

of switches. It chanced that the track

was clear. The fireman noticed that

something was wrong with the en-

gineer, and crossed the cab. Hoffman

sat upon the seat, his hand was on

the throttle, and his face was turned

toward the track ahead. The fireman

was horrified to find that he was dead.

American Bars at Paris.

has been incorporated at Trenton, N.

J., with a capital stock of \$100,000. The

company has secured a concession from

the commissioner-general of the

United States to the Paris exposition

for the exclusive privilege of establish-

The American Distributing company

Boer Forces Are Fleeing to the North Country.

END OF THE WAR SEEMS NEAR

Stories of Intervention and Mediation Are Being Corculated in Europe-Kruger Said to Have Asked for an Armistice-British Heavlest Losers.

Thursday, March 8.

Gen. Lord Roberts has approached fifteen miles nearer Bloemfontein. Boers now concentrating at Abraham's Kraal, thirty miles from the Free State's capital. German-Americans in pro-Boer mass-meeting at Auditorium adopted resolutions asking United States to stop the war. Secretary Reitz said Cronje's surrender will not discourage the burghers. Clements seized Norval's pont. Garrison at Mafeking in sore straits.

Friday, Mrrch 9.

Boers seem to be thinking of seek- ing and maintaining American bars ing peace. Dispatch from Pretoria ed- there.

DESTRUCTION OF A WORLD FAMOUS THEATER.



THE THEATER FRANCAISE OF PARIS DESTROYED IN THURSDAY'S FIRE.

History of the Theater Francuse.

Reopened as Theatre du Marais 1670

WATERING THE LAND

HOW IRRIGATION IS PROGRESS-ING IN IDAHO.

Heietofore Arid Regions Being Rapidly Transformed Into Gardens-Farmers' Societies in Many Instances Own the Irrigating Works.

(Boise, Idaho, Letter.)

Most of the people who farm in the rainfall regions suppose that the irrigation of land is a complicated process and that the art of doing it can only be acquired after years of experience, whereas, as a matter of fact, it is about the easiest and most simple. work the western farmer has to do. In most cases the children attend to it under the direction of their parents, and any boy of 10 or 12 can do a man's work when it comes to irrigation.

The western farmer is wholly indifferent as to rainfall. He doesn't depend upon it in the least. The water that interests him is that which flows down into the valley from the melting snows in the mountain ranges. These waters he diverts into great canals which run along the rim of the valley about the irrigable lands and are tapped at stated intervals by what are called "laterals" or sub-ditches which flow from farm to farm and out of which the farmer takes the water for his fields. In some cases the waters of these mountain streams are acquired by the community of farmers along their course, each one holding as many shares of stock in the co-operative canal scheme as he owns acres of land. and being entitled to so many inches of water for every acre of his ownership. This is the usual plan. But when the construction of the main canal, owing to engineering difficulties, is too expensive a piece of business for the farmer to afford, irrigation companies undertake the work and build the canal into portions of the country where large areas of land are to be reclaimed. These Irrigation companions are "common carriers" of water and furnish it for a nominal price per acre per annum to the farmer. Sometimes these Irrigation companies own large tracts under their ditch which they sell in small farms with the water right, to settlers at a nominal prices per acre. In other instances they do not own land at all; leaving that to be acquired by the settler under the various acts of congress.

Perhaps no portion of the Union is now making such active progress in irrigation development, or is receiving so large a quota of immigrants. as southern Idaho. There are millions of unoccupied acres in that state which only await settlement to become as productive as the lands upon the Nile. Efforts are being put forth by the state authorities to bring the advantages of these lands to the notice of the eastern farmer, and the several railroads of the state are engaged in the work. Perhaps the easiest and the best way to acquire information is from the General Passenger Agent of the Oregon Short Line at Salt Lake City, from whence conservatively prepared pamphlets descriptive of irrigation methods and containing reliable information about the various localities now open for settlement, are being mailed free.

vision of the Illinois Central, died at his post of duty Friday night with his hand on the throttle. Hoffman's train was due in Chicago at 12:30 Saturday morning. When it arrived at Haw-

who pointed out that the three regiments designated would have been two years in the Philippines in June next. There is no doubt that the decision to withdraw three battalions, which number more than 1,200 men, is influenced to some extent by the disorganization of the rebel army, and the prospect that the American troops will no longer meet with resistance from an organized force.

INDIA'S GREAT FAMINE.

The famine in India now affects a population of 60,000,000, of whom about 3,750,000 are already in receipt of relief. The viceroy, at a recent meeting of the Indian council in Calcutta, expressed fears of cattle, water and food scarcity of a terrible character. He promised that the government would spend its last rupee, if necessary, to save life, but intimated that India would have to struggle with her difficulties alone, as the attention of all Englishmen was concentrated on South Africa. Three years ago, when similar distress prevailed, large contributions were made by Englishmen. A relief fund has been opened in London, but it grows slowly.

THE GOVERNMENT OF HAWAIL.

The bill for the government of Hawaii, reported to the house of representatives by the committee on territories, proposes a territorial organization closely modeled upon that of existing territories. The plan includes the appointment of a governor and secretary by the president, and of other executive officers by the governor, the election of a legislature by the people, and representation in congress by a delegate. All classes of the population, except the Chinese and Japanese, are to be given rights of citizenship. The bill makes the islands a customs and revenue district, and places them under the tariff laws of the United States.

THE GOLD STANDARD.

The senate passed the gold standard bill by a vote of 46 yeas to 29 nays. The vote was a strictly party one, except that one elected republican, Mr. Chandler of New Hampshire, voted against the bill, and two elected democrats, Mr. Caffery of Louisiana and Mr. Lindsay of Kentucky, voted for it. A free silver substitute was rejected by a vote of 28 yeas to 47 nays. The populists and all the democrats except Messrs. Caffrey and Lindsay voted for, and all the republicans against it.

Kills Brother and Self.

Suffering mentally from the effects of a recent surgical operation and despondent from long illness, Alexander Carter, a resident of Berkeley, Cal., 22 years of age, shot and killed his younger brother, Charles C. Carter. president of the freshman class at the state university, at the home of their parents Friday morning. The murderous madman then sent a bullet into his own brain.

Buel Davis a Suicide.

The body of Buel Davis, son of the former superintendent of schools of Oshkosh, Winona and Topeka, was fished out of the Fox river at Oshkosh Tuesday. The young man left home Sunday night, and Monday noon his parents received a letter telling them that he feared his mind was breaking down under study and that he chose suicide in preference to death. Deceased was 17 years old.

May Cut Telephone Rates.

The Supreme court of Nebraska has decided that the act of the legislature giving the state board of transportation the right to regulate telephone rates is constitutional. A plank in the populist state platform declares for the lowering of telephone tolls, and it is commonly predicted that a sweeping reduction of rates will be ordered.

Tries Hard to Kilt Himself.

Charles D. Mims of New York attempted to end his life at the Snerman house in Chicago Tuesday afternoon by cutting his throat with a razor, and stabbing himself three times in the region of the heart with a penknife. The wounds are not deep enough to inflict serious injury, and physicians at the county hospital say Mims will be out of the hospital in a week.

Plague Is on Board.

It is now established beyond question that the steamship Nanyo Maru. which has been quarantined at Port Townsend, Wash., for a month, has had bubonic plague aboard her all that time, instead of beriberi, as reported by the health officers. The latter have endeavored to suppress, the facts, in order to prevent a scare on the Pacific coast.

Annual	salary list\$160,00	U
Annual	receipts, approximately\$450.00	90
Annual	government subsidy\$48.00	10

Pheumatic Tubes for Mails.

itor, censored by Boer government, said if England is waging war of con-A hearing was given by the house quest Tranvaal and Orange Free State committee on postoffices and post roads Friday on the pneumatic tube will fight to a finish, but otherwise peace terms guaranteeing independmail service. Ex-Senator Faulkner, ence would be considered; English who represented a syndicate which press ridiculed demand. British will controls the patents on pneumatic invade Free State with 70,000 men; tubes, offered to put in the pneumatic White will lead one party: Boer forces tube system in the twenty-seven leadbelieved to be 35,000. -London Times ing cities in the country, including declared demonstration in honor of New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Chiqueen proved popularity of war. cago and Cincinnati, for \$2,500,000 a year. This service would include the Saturday and Sunday, March 10-11. transmission of all mails between pos-A censored dispatch from Pretoria

states that Kruger has asked Salisbury

for peace, conditional upon independ-

ence of Transvaal and Free State and

amnesty of colonial rebels. Kruger

asked consuls of powers at Pretoria to

urge their governments to intervene.

Roberts nearly at Bloemfontein. Five

regiments encountered Boers in strong

position in Dreifontein kopjes; after

stubborn resistance burghers fled, leav-

ing 102 dead and twenty prisoners.

Roberts officially informed Kruger and

Steyn he had seen Boers disregard

white flag and had found explosive

bullets after each battle. One report

that Mafeking was about to surrender;

another that siege had been raised.

Subscription books of Boer relief fund

opened in New York; aims to raise

Monday, March 12.

President McKinley to mediate be-

tween the Boer republics and Great

Britain. Lord Roberts is within fif-

teen miles of Bloemfontein; 'an army

of 12,000 Boers is on the direct road.

The parliamentary war secretary says

money is to be expended on the basis

of six months' active war. It is re-

ported in London that Salisbury has

rejected peace overtures; Mr. Balfour

promises to make the facts public

Tuesday, March 13.

tures from Kruger and Steyn, and war

will continue until the republics are

crushed. British forces under Lord

Roberts control the railways from

Bloemfontein and expect soon to occu-

in behalf of the Boers. It only asks

Lord Salisbury rejects peace over-

President Kruger has appealed to

\$1,000,000.

soon.

Dealing in Options a Wager.

main offices.

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between the railroad stations and the

The Supreme court of Nebraska has decided that dealing in options in the Chicago board of trade was a wagering transaction, and no suit for recovery of losses could be maintained. The case came up from Dixon county, where a grain buyer, who was dealing in options, induced a Chicago brokerage firm to carry him for \$1,400. He did not pay, and suit to recover was brought. The court holds that contracts for future delivery of grain where no grain is transferred or intended to be delivered are against public policy, gambling, void and non-enforcable.

Japs Must Remain at Home.

The steamship Tacoma brings the news that the Japanese government has prohibited further emigration of Japanese to Hawaii. For months thousands of Japs have been leaving Yokohama monthly, being shipped generally by employment bureaus. which expected a fee from each. It now develops that 4,000 more Japs have been shipped than the agencies had employment for. These laborers are now in distress, and the strict sanitary regulations enforced at Honolulu add to their troubles. Japan is contributing to their support.

To Ask Sharretti to Resign.

At a meeting of the opponents of Bishop Sbarretti it was decided to appoint a committee of four to call on him to protest respectfully against his presence in Havana. The protest will not be against him personnally, but officially. Gen. Maximo Gomez was made chairman of the committee, but it is not known yet whether he will accept.

The time is certainly not far distant when the unoccupied public domain of Idaho will be entirely taken up, a condition which will be most unfortunate to those who delay taking advantage of the rare opportunities now offered.

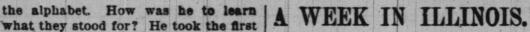
WOKE UP JOE JEFFERSON.

For Fear He Would Sleep Like "Rip" for Twenty Years.

A good story is told of an experience of Joseph Jefferson, the great actor. A number of years ago he played a onenight engagement in a small Indiana town, appearing in his favorite part of Rip Van Winkle. In the hotel at which he stopped was an Irishman "recently landed," who acted as porter and general assistant. Judged by the deep and serious interest which he took in the house, he might have been clerk, lessee and proprietor rolled into one. At about 6 o'clock in the morning Mr. Jefferson was startled by a violent thumping on his door. When he struggled into consciousness and realized that he had left no "call" order at the office he was naturally very indignant. But his sleep was spoiled for that morning, so he arose and soon after appeared before the clerk. "See here," he demanded of that individual, "why was I called at this unearthly hour?" "I don't know, sir," answered the clerk. "I'll ask Mike." The Irishman was summoned. Said the clerk: "Mike, there was no call for Mr. Jefferson. Why did you disturb him?" Taking the clerk by the lapel of the coat the Hibernian led him to one side and said in a mysterious whisper: "He were shnoring loike a horse, sir, and Oi heerd the b'ys say as how he were onct afther schlaping for twinty years, so Oi ses to mesilf, ses Oi, 'Moike, it's a cooming onto him agin, and it's yer juty to git the crayther out o' yer house tastantly!"-Leslie's Weekly.

py the capital. Papers of Paris predict blowing up of mines, and other disasters when British troops carry the war into the Transvaal. The United States has made no attempt to mediate

the terms of peace.



sentence. FWFSZU, and so on, meant. absolutely nothing, and could not be made to spell anything. Starting with A, the first letter of the alphabet, Rob tried to make F stand for it. But there was no way to fit the same rule to F. and make sense. This would be ARA. It might lead to something. But when he had gone through the sentence he found it would not do, and began on B. He kept this up, with all the ingenuity his young head was capable of, and tried C and D. He began to despair of reaching it, when he tried E. The first five letters gave the word

'Every."

With his heart beating faster now, Rob kept on his way. Each letter of the simple cipher really stood for the letter that came before it in the alphabet. And when he had studied it all out, the message read as follows:

"Everything is ready. You will at once assemble your forces and join me here."

This meant something, surely. It meant that a revolutionary army was to assemble under Richard Elvin and make an attack on the forces of the government. This means, perhaps, ruin to his uncle in Buenos Ayres. And if his uncle was killed, perhaps Elvin would take all his property and wealth.

With his heart filled with boyish courage. Rob wrote the letters in cipher, as he had been ordered to do. Then he addressed envelopes from list number two.

The message in form number three meant nothing to him. The nearest he could come to a guess was that it informed the persons to whom it was sent that the "Black Cat" had brought another cargo of contraband goods. But what had loyalty to do with smuggling? No, it was another revolutionary message, and the "Black Cat" had perhaps been taken as the symbol of the revolutionists.

Fortunately, Elvin remained away, and Rob had an opportunity to carry out the design he had formed. He wrote a letter to his uncle.

"Dear Uncle David," he wrote, "I was not drowned when I was thrown overboard from the Royal Mail. I was picked up by a smuggler, and am now a prisoner among some men who are smugglers, and also conspirators against the government of Argentina. The head man's name is Richard Elvin, and he thinks I am the nephew of Torrevo, the captain of the schooner that picked me up. If he knew I was writing this, he would kill me. The man who threw me overboard was Lemuel Starne, the same one who is trying to marry my cousin Elsie. He is a scoundrel. He is really the son of Elvin. He comes here, and I am race made in 1898 by M. F. Dunlap of afraid he will recognize me. So, as soon as I get this off with a lot of letters I am writing to other conspirators, I am going to slip out of the window and go back to the schooner 'Black Cat.' Captain Torrevo told me to come back if I was in danger, and I think I am. I could have gone last night, but I wanted to finish the job they set me at, so that I could get this letter off to you. There are three kinds of letters I am writing, and I can only read one. That is the very one that seems hardest to read. It is in cipher, but I made it out. It is being sent to several generals and colonels and captains in Argentina, and says: 'Everything is ready. You will at once assemble your forces and join me here .- Vin.' The name Vin means Elvin. 'Here' means a house not far from the river, at a spot called Black Cat Bay. -If I get back to the schooner I will be safe until Elvin finds me. But I hope you will come after me, or send someone. I warn you against Lemuel Starne, whose name is Elvin. He is trying to get Elsie and your money. He tried to kill me to prevent me from reaching you. 'Please try and get me away from these men. I am afraid they will kill me yet. Your loving nephew,

RECORD OF HAPPENINGS FOR

SEVEN DAYS.

The Chicago Canal Petition-Drainage Board to Go to Washington to Present It-The Memorial to Congress Asks for Appropriation.

Chicago.-Arrangements have been made by the drainage board to leave for Washington, D. C., to present its memorial to congress, petitioning the federal government to make the necessary appropriation for a deep waterway between Lake Michigan and the Mississippi river. The document, which is now in the hands of the printer, consists of more than 500 pages and numerous maps and pictures, illustrating the construction of the sanitary channel. The memorial reviews the history of the canal. its construction, measurements and cost, and asks congress to complete the work begun by the Chicago sanitary district by constructing a commercial waterway, fourteen feet deep, between Lockport and St. Louis. The estimated cost of the labor, which contemplates the deepening of the Illinois river for a distance of more than 300 miles, is \$20,000,000.

She Led a Double L'fe.

Chicago .- The sudden death of Nellie Tuttle in a resort on Dearborn street, of which she was proprietor, revealed the double life a south side society woman was leading at the Hotel Ranier, a fashionable apartment building, Cottage Grove avenue and Thirtythird street. She was known as Mrs. Frank Land, a widow. Here she lived in richly furnished rooms, and had a large circle of friends. Her son, 17 years old, was a student at Notre Dame university. Unknown to him and other members of her family, and equally unknown to her south side acquaintances, Mrs. Land had been a noted figure in the Chicago tenderloin district for several years, and had grown rich. Her son was shocked at learning of the life his mother led, Thomas Moore, a brother of the woman, is a leading citizen of Hyde Park. Mrs. Land was 47 years old.

Sixteenth District. Democrats.

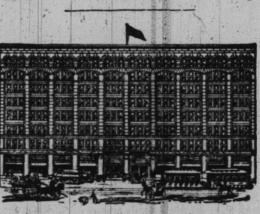
Jacksonville,-At a meeting of the democratic central committee of the Sixteenth congressional district, held here today, June 19 was fixed as the date of the convention, and this city the place. The candidacy of W. H. Crowe of Pike county for the office of attorney general was indorsed, and a resolution was passed commending the Morgan county for the state treasurership. Each of the counties in the district has a candidate for congress, and the convention will be an exciting one. The candidates are: Calhoun, T. J. Selby; Cass, Judge J. F. Robinson and F. E. Downing; Greene, Henry T. Rainey; Jersey, T. F. Ferns; Macoupin, W. L. Mount; Morgan, W. H. Hinrichsen; Pike, W. E. Williams; Scott, J. D. Dyer.

SMALLPOX DISTRIBUTORS.

Bow the Gorms Are Nurtured and the Disease is Spread.

It would seem that people will never learn to be careful. The recent alarming spread of that dire epidemic, smallpox, throughout different sections of the country has been traced by physicians and sanitarians in many instances directly to the moldy and rotting layers of paper and paste which cover the walls of many houses. The practice of laying layer after layer of paper on a wall, using common hour paste, is especially calculated to create homes for disease germs. People could not do more to effect such a result if they tried. The rotting vegetable matter affords caves from which are ready to dart forth the infection at every opportunity. There is no excuse for this practice, as walls and ceilings can be coated with a pure, cleanly and sanitary material like Alabastine, for instance, at no greater expense. Alabastine is a rock-base cement, which incorporates itself with the wall or ceiling. It is easily applied, comes ready to mix with cold water, requires no washing or scraping before renewing or retinting, is beautiful, long-lasting and safe.

For walls that have been infected, nothing is equal to Alabastine as a disinfectant to render them pure and clean and the rooms once more habitable.



The above illustration shows one of the

The above illustration shows one of the mammoth buildings occupied by the great Mail Order House of the John M. Smyth Company of Chicago. For one-third of a century this Com-pany has been in business. Beginning in a small way, they supplied their neigh-bors in the near-by towns, each year widening their field. They are now sell-ing merchandise direct to the consumer at wholesale prices throughout the Unit-ed States.

ed States Some years ago they began supplying their customers with an illustrated cata-logue. As the business expanded they were logue. As the business expanded they were obliged to increase the size of this cata-logue, until today it exceeds 1,000 filus-trated pages, quoting the lowest whole-sale prices on everything to Eat, Wear and Use. By a superior process of color photography they illustrate many of their goods in natural colors, bringing out the rich color value of curtains, carpets, draperies, and the latest designs in wall paper, etc., thus enabling the customer hundreds of miles distant to select goods at his own fireside, knowing by the deat his own fireside, knowing by the de-scription, illustration and price the class

of goods he may expect. This feature of their business is becoming more and more popular each year, for it not only saves long and thresome railroad journeys but is a great time saver. It leaves out the profit of the job-bing house, the retailer, the expensive commercial traveler, the general agent, the sub-agent and thus eliminates from one to four profits, saving this amount for the consumer. In short, it is a great wholesale store brought to the home, The mammoth catalogue referred to is s 20th century dictionary of economy. The illustration below shows the recent building added to this great enterprise. The success of this Company seems in-credible, considering the fact that they have advertised so little. Their spirit of

understand, it is the last syllable of my own name."

"Yes, sir."

"Yes, sir."

"Yes, sir."

casion by."

"Now, here are three lists of names.

You have the first letter marked num-

ber one. Did you mark the cipher

"The short one is number three.

These lists of names are numbered one,

two and three. You will send a letter

of each number to every person named

in the list bearing the same number.

"Here are envelopes. There are

stamps. Do it all up in good shape,

and perhaps in a week or two you will

have something to remember this oc-

Rob thought he would, too, if his

Elvin stood over him while he

List number one was made up of

names and addresses in cities of South

America, most of them being in Ar-

gentina. Some were even in New York,

two, or those to whom the cipher was

to be sent, were men in the republic,

itary title. Rob's curiosity was aroused

at this, and he resolved to read the

cipher, if possible. There were about

It was clear to Rob that he had more

Do you understand that?"

own plans did not fail.

studied the names on the lists.

Rob Gleverdale's Adventure.

By Seward W. Hopkins.

On the following morning Rob rose weary and aching from a bed on which he had tossed in wakefulness since he had heard the words of Lemuel Starne. Capt. Elvin nodded to him when he stepped out into the large room, and number two?" at once led the way to the diningroom.

CHAPTER XI.

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"Eat heartily." he said. "You have a day of hard work before you."

It seemed to Rob that every bone in his body ached from the excessive exertion of his walk the day before. But he was so thoroughly aroused to the necessities of his situation that he grimly bore it without a word, and fell to on the breakfast as if he was really a happy boy.

Breakfast over, Capt. Elvin lighted a cigar and offered one to Rob.

"Thank you, sir, I don't smoke," said Rob.

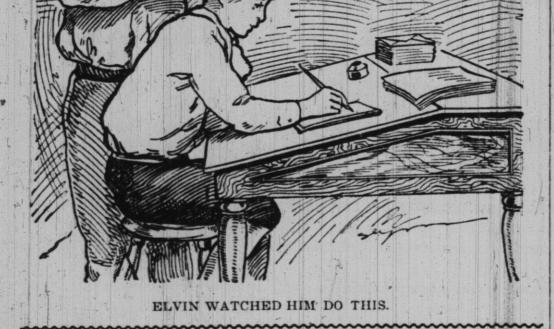
"Not smoke! A nephew of Torrevo not smoke!"

"But I was not always with my uncle Ricardo," said Rob.

"True. Boys in New York do not learn to smoke as early as they do a few in London and Paris. There here.) Well, Ricardo, come. Let's get were about 300 in all. List number to work."

The Englishman led the way to the. office again, and pointed to a desk on most of them with some kind of a milwhich there were paper and writing materials.

"That is your place," he said. "You are young for this trust, but Torrevo a hundred of these names. List number spoke highly of you. He said you three, to whom the "Loyalty" letter could be trusted. But, after all, I am was to be sent, were scattered all over not going to trust you far. You will the world, but most of them were civknow the names of the men you write ilians in South American countries. to, and that is all. Now, I will give you three forms of letters. They are in than one day's work before him. He cipher, and no one except those who began at once. He was methodical in receive them can read them. Then I habit, and as he wrote a letter from will give you a list of names for each | form number one he would address an



this down."

"I am ready sir," said Rob, dipping his pen in the ink.

"The blue flag waves," said Elvin. "Have you got that?"

"The blue flag waves," repeated Rob, writing it down.

"I will go on. The blue flag waves. La Plata smooth and friends find easy sailing. Splendid anchorage in Black Cat bay. Three days from this a storm is expected. Cover your house well."

"I have that down, sir." said Rob. "Very well. Mark that form number one."

"It is marked number one, sir." "Now another. Are you ready?" "Ready, sir."

"Write these letters, one after another, and write them very plainly."

"Yes, sir," said Rob. "FWFSZUIJOHJTSFBEZ, ZPVXJM

MBUPODFBTTFNCMFZPVSMPSDFT BOEKPJONFIFSF."

This was a terrible jumble to Rob, who knew nothing about writing in cipher.

"Got that all down?" asked Elkin. "Yes, sir."

"Read them over."

Rob repeated 'he letters.

"Correct, ' said Elvin. "It is an easy eipher, but none of the letters will get into the hands c the government, and even if one did, 1 don't think there is any one who would bother to make it out. Now take this down."

"I am ready, sir."

"Loyalty to loyalty, and Black Cat sends greetings."

"Is that all, sir."

"That's all. You will sign to each letter you write the name Vin. You must, then, stand for other letters in Stray Stories.

form. Now, take your pen and write | envelope from list number one, and then check off that name. Elvin watched him do this a few times, and then, with a satisfied nod of his head, he walked out.

> Of course, letter number one was not clear to Rob. It was evidently a form previously agreed upon among the conspirators, to be sent under certain conditions. Rob soon had it word for word in his memory, and wrote the letters rapidly. But it took him till late in the afternoon to finish list number one. He had stopped for lunch, but ate alone. Capt. Elvin did not return.

It had begun to grow dark, and Rob felt tired of the work. So he gave it up for the day and wandered around to look at the place. Capt. Elvin appeared for supper and looked over the letters Rob had addressed. Rob noted with pleasure that he did this carelessly and did not see half of them.

"You finished number one?" said the captain.

"Yes, sir. I got tired, and left the others till morning."

"That's all right. You did well. 1 could not do it. I could not sit down and write an hour at a stretch to save my life."

Rob had a good night's rest, and after his breakfast the next morning tackled number two. The captain went off again, and Rob's curiosity had faultless.-Stray Stories. grown so that now, while he was fresh, he felt like reading the cipher. But it was a mystery. Such a meaningless lot of letters he never saw before. Turn and twist them as he would he could

"ROB CLEVERDALE."

Rob addressed an envelope to "David Horton, puenos Ayres," and slipped the letter, folded neatly, into it. Then he placed this among the letters of number one, that he had written the previous day and which Elvin had looked over.

(To be continued.)

Engaging Frankness

Edith-There is one thing in particular that I like Mr. Tactin for. He is so frank, you know. He always tells me of my faults without the least hesitation. That was the agreement I caused him to make. Bertha-Do you mean to say that you do not get angry with him? Edith-Never. Bertha -Tell me some of the faults he has found in you. Edith-O, he hasn't found any yet. When I ask him to name them he always says that I am

Mechanical Argument.

Judge-And what did the prisoner say when you told him that you would have him arrested? Complainantmake nothing of them. Suddenly it He answered mechanically, yer honor. occurred to him that these letters did Judge - Explain. Complainant-He not spell the message at all. They hit me on the head with a hammer,-

Mount Vernon District Conferences.

Mount Vernon .- Presiding Elder Nathaniel Crow of the Mount Vernon Methodist Episcopal district has announced the third series of quarterly conferences for the year, to be held as follows: Waltonville, Mount Vernon circuit, Mount Vernon First church and Union Street church, March 30 to April 1: Duquoin and Pinckneyville, April 7-8; Chester and Steeleville, April 14-15; Opdyke and Tamaroa, April 21-22; Benton and Spring Garden, April 28-29; Marion, Carterville and Corinth. May 5-6; Frankfort and Crab Orchard, May 12-13; Blomfield. Belknap and Vienna, May 19-20; Elco Cairo and Makanda, June 2-3; Villa Ridge, Mound City and Vergennes. June 9-10; Carbondale and Murphysboro, June 16-17.

Galbally Out for Congress.

Alton .- Richard Galbally, superintendent of the Illinois Glass company. of Alton, announced his candidaty tonight for the republican nomination for congressman from the Eighteenth district. The announcement of Mr. Galbally's candidacy was a surprise, as but one candidate for the nomination was in the field, Senator John J. Grenholt of Alton. The new candidate was brought out by the political opponents of Senator Brenholt. The district is represented by Thomas M. Jett, a fusion democrat, who will probably be a candidate for re-election.

Illinois Militia Discharges.

The following members of the First infantry, I. N. G., have been discharged: Honorably-Corp. Jag C. Vankirk and Privates Charles E. Battershall and George A. Simkin, Company C; Sergt. George B. Holmes and Privates Fratk A. Coyle and John J. Maley, Company H; Corp. Daniel Creighton and Private Frederick C. Stevens, Company I; Private Harold B. Johnson, Company M. Dishororably-Private George R. Stull, Company C; Privates Harry C. Casper and Charles Haid, Company F; Privates Thomas S. Bartlett, Ira W. Byrnes and Thomac C. McDowell, Company I.

fairness and industry is the secret of this wonderful success. The quantity of goods they require in some lines enables them to handle train loads of merchandise se-cured at the lowest possible cost and freight rate. When goods in the rough are coming from the mills and factories in the East, the lake steemers are pressed into serve-

the lake steamers are pressed into serv-ice at a freight expense which is but lit-tle in advance of the iron ore rates.

Their references are: Any bank or ex-press company, or any man, woman or child in Chicago.

Why He Laughs.

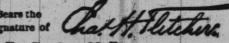
"What awful rot Funnysmith's jokes are."

"Well, I cannot say that I am able to detect any merit in them, but I notice that you laugh heartly at every one."

"Laugh? I've got to laugh. Owe him \$10."-Harlem Life.

Important to Mothers.

aine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, Tran a safe and sure remedy for infants and children and see that it



In Use For Over 30 Years, The Kind You Have Always Bough

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The public has read so much of late about the "open door" in China and the partition of the Celestial empire that political changes in that country attract more than passing attention. The announcement of the abdication of Emperor Kwang Su and the enthronement of Pu Chun was therefore regarded as important, though it apparently does not signify any material change in the policy of China, either as to her domestic affairs or her relations with foreign powers.

For some years the real power behind the throne and the real ruler of the Chinese empire has been the dowager empress, though she was never really empress nor even imperial consort. She was the concubine of Hien Feng, the Chinese emperor who in 1860 fied from Peking on the arrival of the Anglo-French troops. As the mother of Hien Feng's Leir, Ting Chi, however, she took the title of empress. There is no law of hereditary succession to the Chinese throne, but each ruler is expected to appoint his successor from the members of the younger generations of his own family. Ting Chi was followed by Kwang Su, a weak candidate, really chosen by the empress. Her power now grew so rapidly that in 1898 not only the higher officials, but the emperor himself, "kotowed" or paid reverence to this vigorous if venerable lady. But she was not entirely satisfied. Within a twelvemonth it was evident that, further to strengthen her power, she was preparing the way for the dethronement of Kwang Su. Later the emperor was reported to be strangely ill. Now we learn that an edict has just been published to the effect that, as he is unable to conduct the business of state owing to his poor health, he appoints Pu Chun his heir. This is accepted in China and elsewhere as tantamount to an abdication. The new emperor is a 9-year-old boy, son of Prince Tuan, who was a son of the Emperor Hien Feng. Like his predecessors, Pu Chun will unquestionably be only a tool in the hands of the empress. While the dowager empress is the power behind the throne, her latest move indicates that there is a still greater power behind the dowager empress, and that is Russia, which for the present finds it convenient to further her intrenchment against Chinese progressives and foreign reformers. At last there has been found one place where the organ grinder is appreciated. It is the Kongo Free State, and the people there are so fond of the music that the missionaries have turned it to excellent account. When they first went there, they found that the natives had a decided antipathy to the marital yoke, but they overcame it by announcing that at every wedding a hand organ should play. The innovation was accepted with enthusiasm, and the rush to the hymeneal altar was tremendous. So infatuated were some couples with the music of the ceremony that they insisted upon being married daily for several successive days. The Kongo Free State appears to be the organ grinder's paradise, and if widespread publicity is given to the fact it may prove a double blessing by multiplying the number of marriages in that country and relieving this from the tortures of the much abounding barrel organ.

Twe Billion Dollar Country. Every year's developments seem to justify the assertion that this is "a billion dollar country." The year 1899 brought our foreign commerce for the first time past the \$2,000,000,000 line, and the month of February, 1900, shows our money in circulation for the first time as more than \$2,000,000,000. Thus by a curious coincidence the announcement of \$2,000,000,000 of foreign commerce and \$2,000,000,000 of money in circulation are made within a single month, the totals indicating that the \$2,000,000,000 line had been crossed in our commerce for 1899, having been only completed by the treasury bureau of statistics on Jan. 14, while the treasury bureau of loans and currency on Feb. 1 announced that the total money in circulation had also crossed the \$2,000,000,000 line, while gold and gold certificates alone had crossed the \$800,000,000 line.

The total foreign commerce for the year 1899 was \$2,074,345,242, while the total money in circulation on Feb. 1 was \$2,003,149,355. The use of ten figures with which to show the business conditions of the country is indeed becoming surprisingly frequent. The tables of the December summary of commerce and finance show, for instance, the total resources of national banks at \$4,475,343,924, the latest report of the comptroller of the currency shows the deposits in savings banks to be \$2,230,-366.954, the total resources of all banks in the United States are given by the same report as \$5,196,177,381, and the latest number of the summary of commerce and finance shows the December clearing house returns of all cities outside of New York at \$3,012,896,144 and those of the city of New York at \$5.-348,285,867.

The treasury bureau of loans and currency publishes each month a statement of the amount of money in circulation and, by combining with this the actuary's estimate of population, presents a monthly statement of the amount of money in circulation per capita. This statement puts the population on Feb. 1, 1900, at 77,116,000, the money in circulation at \$2,003,149,355 and the circulation per capita at \$25,98. On Feb. 1, 1899, it was \$25.42; on Feb. 1, 1898, \$23.42; on Feb. 1, 1897, \$23.05, and on Feb. 1, 1896, \$22.47.

The navy department is endeavoring to secure the appropriation of money to build a small experimental plant for the manufacture of powder; but, according to information received from Washington, it is not likely to be successful, because the powder manufacturers of the country want to make all the powder used by the government. Some such reason as this is alleged against some other measures which, it is believed, would be conducive to the public good. The people, it may be fairly asserted, favor postal savings banks; but, though strongly urged by the postal authorities for a number of years, there is apparently no prospect of the immediate adoption of the plan. The private savings banks are opposed to it, and this seems to outweigh in congress popular favor and the indorsement of the postoffice officials. Again, the parcel post is urged by Postmaster General Smith, and the people apparently want it. The press of the country is almost unanimous in favor of it, and the experience of other nations proves its feasibility. But the indications are that there will be no legislation in congress in the direction of the establishment of the parcel post. The express companies are against it. And there you are. Less than three years ago the Klondike seemed so far away that even stout hearted Americans of the pioneer and adventurous types hesitated before setting out to cross the savage fronted Chilcoot pass. Today news reaches the States from Dawson City within six days. If new discoveries of gold are made in the far north, as there are abundant reasons to believe there will be, a few years hence Cape Nome newspapers will be publishing press dispatches hot off the wire, and the daily output of ore from the Klondike region will be known in the money centers of the world almost as soon as it is posted at Dawson.



The report of the South Carolina dispensary liquor bureau for the year 1899 shows that the total net profits of the system were \$414,181. In contrast with the South Carolina dispensary system is the New York license system, which during the past year returned a net profit of \$12,582,248. New York's population is nearly six times larger than South Carolina's, but its receipts from its liquor traffic are about 30 times greater.

The federal courts are considering the case of a woman accused of forgery. The case is unique in that the defendant has been known for years as a man and has not only done a man's work as carpenter, plumber, stone mason, plasterer and in other capacities, but has also made love to several young women. Verily, the way of the new woman passeth understanding.

Mrs. U. S. Grant is certainly a remarkable woman. Her tact has put an end to the bad feeling between the Mexican and Austrian ministers growing out of the shooting of Maximilian. It was General Grant who said, "Let us have peace," while Mrs. Grant has proved herself to be one of the greatest peacemakers.

General Leonard Wood appears to be amply demonstrating that "peace bath her victories no less renowned than war."

WAUCONDA.

J. H. Forbes visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Fuller was a McHenry visitor this week.

James Wallace is visiting with old friends here.

Mrs. Herman Hicks is on the sick list this week.

Amos Compton called on friends here last week.

Editor Burnham has moved into Mrs. Poils' residence.

Lester Burdick transacted business in Rockefeller this week.

Wm. Torrence and Wm. Harris were in Waukegan last week.

F. L. Carr was in Barrington and Chicago Sunday and Monday.

Will Wragg of Chicago is visiting with his grandfather, who has been quite ill.

M. C. Smith is a victim of la grippe and has been confined to his home the past few days.

Mrs. Gerke returned to Chicago Friday after a visit here with her sister, Mrs. Wentworth.

L. C. Price left for Fulton the first of the week as a delegate to the supreme lodge of the Mystic Workers of the World.

The town of Wanconda caucus will town hall in the village of Lake Zurbe held this afternoon. An exciting ich this afternoon at 1 o'clock for the time is expected in the balloting for some of the offices.

Henry Loefner was taken to Waukegan last week to be tried for insanity. He was accompanied by J. L Harris and J. Hironomus.

The funeral service of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis was held at the M. E. church Sunday. Rev. Dutton conducted the services.

B. O. Seymour of Grand Forks, N. D., visited with relatives here this week. He publishes The Courier, a weekly paper, at that place.

Miss Laura Harrison gave a "rag bee" Monday evening. Many responded to the invitation and a good social time was had by those who attended. Refreshments were served.

R. C. Hill was in Waukegan Tuesday and reports the condition of his irday. wife about the same. On account of Mrs. Hill's advanced age the outcome of the accident is a matter of uncer-Monday. tainty.

Huntley to visit relatives. He returned home Tuesday.

Frank Roney and F. L. Carr, stock buyers of Wauconda, shipped a car of live stock to Chicago Sunday night.

Frank Ulrich is a candidate for the office of collector, subject to the action taken by the caucus this afternoon.

E. S. Bruce, Wm. Boyer and Anton Jensen went to Wauconda, where the latter got a judgment for \$100 against the former.

Henry Seip and wife attended the funeral of their nephew, Henry Haverly, in Chicago Wednesday. They returned home Thursday.

Henry Seip returned from the county seat Friday, after being honorably discharged from jury duty for the spring term of court.

Dr. Kendall of Barrington made professional calls in this village during the week. The doctor seems to be getting more popular with our people.

Twenty-eight of our townsmen left at 6:30 a.m. Monday on a special train for Waukegan to attend trial of Geo. Krueger, who is on trial for murder in the first degree, being accused of killing his wife and mother-in-law last

July. The jury was selected and the trial began at 1 o'clock Thursday.

The legal voters of the town of Ela are requested to meet in caucus at the purpose of nominating the following town officers: Supervisor, collector, assessor, town clerk, commissioner of highways and to transact such other

business as may properly come before the meeting. Henry Branding was the victim of a

surprise party Wednesday evening of last week. A number of his friends took possession of his home about 8 o'clock, it being the 36th anniversary

of his birth. Card playing and other games were indulged in and refreshments were served, to which all did justice. The merry making continued until the wee small hours and all re-

port a splendid time.

CARY WHISPERINGS.

George Hansen was in Nunda Sat-

Last Saturday Frank Meyer went to GILMER NOTES.

Edward Cook is on the sick list. Sheriff Griffin of Waukegan was here m business Friday.

Joe Dietz of Wanconda was seen on our streets Sunday. H. Olerich visited with Barrington

friends Thursday and Friday.

W. F. Hall took a flying trip to Waukegan one day this week.

H. Olerich visited with C. Gruber and family the first of the week.

H. Krueger of Long Grove transacted business in town Saturday.

Herman Fischer shipped a/ car of young heifers from this place Friday. Mr. and Mrs. H. F Schwermann visited with the latter's mother, Mrs. Clute, Thursday.

The E., J. & E. ran a special train place at 4:30 a. m.

Henry Rineke is now employed by A. G. Schwermann. W. Kruckenberg will return home to help his father with the summer's work.

Spring politics are already being discussed. Who will be supervisor is a frequent query. Village affairs, as vet, are not much talked, although there is some little speculation along that line. Interesting developments are predicted, which will make it exciting in "this neck o' of the woods."

Announcements. CUBA.

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

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

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

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for commissioner of highway of the town of Cuba, and solicit the support of the voters at the caucus to be held March 17. R. R. KIMBERLY.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of collector for the town of Cuba, subject to the ac-

Clearing sale on Winter Goods

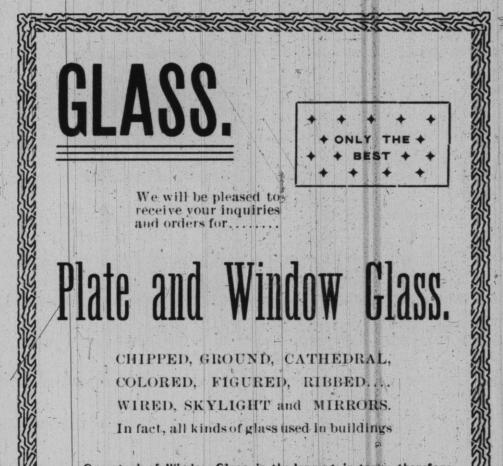
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The Peoples' Cash Store. DUNDEE. **ILLINOIS**



G. W. Pratt, who has been in business here for a number of years, will retire. He has leased the Lakeside to Mr. Cary of Chicago, who comes highly recommended as a business man.

Messrs. Kirwan and Lamphere returned from Wankegan Tuesday. They intended to return Monday night but were summoned by Deputy Sheriff here last week. Brown as jurors on the Krueger trial and held until Tuesday afternoon, when they were examined and dismissed.

Wm. Monaghan has sold out his tonsorial parlors to Harris & Blanck. Both of the latter gentlemen are well known in Wauconda and vicinity, and we predict for them success, as they merit the patronage of our citizens. Mr. Monaghan has secured employment on the road and will commence work in his new line, and if push and energy count for anything, he cannot Algonquin on business Saturday. help but be successful. We are sorry to lose a citizen of Mm. Monaghan's calibre and hope to see him among us often.

LAKE ZURICH.

Will Knigge and Elmer Ford were in town Wednesday.

Miss Anna Scholz visited friends in Lake Forest recently.

Henry Branding and Charles Givens had business in Chicago yesterday.

August Dettmann and Luth. Clifford visited Dundee friends Thursday.

John Schneider has moved onto the farm which he purchased of William Bierman.

father is very sick, came home the first of the week.

kegan last Monday subpoenied as a witness on the George Krueger murder ple were present. The recital far trial, returned home Thursday even- eclipsed all previous efforts and the ing, having been discharged until pupils carried out the program to percourt convenes next Monday.

C. W. Floyd of Nunla was in town

Mrs. Wm. Swartz spent Tuesday in Chicago.

Miss Estella Catlow is visiting at Barrington.

Herman Markward spent Sunday at Hazel Dell.

Miss Lillian Eells is visiting at Ge--neva Lake.

Mrs. Ryan of Barrington was a caller

Miss Josephine McGraw is visiting my friends. in Elgin this week.

Miss Elnora Arps of Palatine spent Sunday at A. Arps.'

Mrs. George Heimerdinger was in Barrington Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. King spent Saturday and Sunday in Elgin.

Miss Tena Arps will give a musicale at her home Friday evening.

W. Weaver and J. Catlow were in

Mrs. Ed Heimerdinger entertained friends from Woodstock last week.

Messrs, Charles Allen and Foy Mentch were in Algonquin Sunday.

Mrs. Sprague and daughter Goldie pent the latter part of last week in Chicago.

Don't forget to attend the dance to be given in Kruptichka's hall Friday evening, March 23.

Henry McGraw, who had been employed on the ice at Crystal Lake, returned home Monday.

Elmer Dodd, who had been working for M. B. Weaver, returned to his home in Algonquin Saturday.

The Ladies' Aid society spent Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Will Linteman of Nebraska, whose Houghtaling and report having a very pleasant time.

Prof. Sears' pupits gave a recital at Henry Hillman, who went to Wau- the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Allen on Wednesday evening and about 80 peofection.

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

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

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of collector of the town of Cuba subject to action taken by the caucus on March 17.

EDWARD HORN.

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

BARRINGTON.

I hereby announce myself as a can didate for the office of collector for the town of Barrington and ask the support of the voters at the caucus, which will be held in March.

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

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

I hereby announce myself as a canditate for the office of collector of the town of Barrington, and solicit the MATH HURTER, aid of the voter at the caucus. II. D. A. GREBE.

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

What to Do Until the Doctor Arrives.

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

Our stock of Window Glass is the largest in town, therefore we are able to supply the trade upon short notice.

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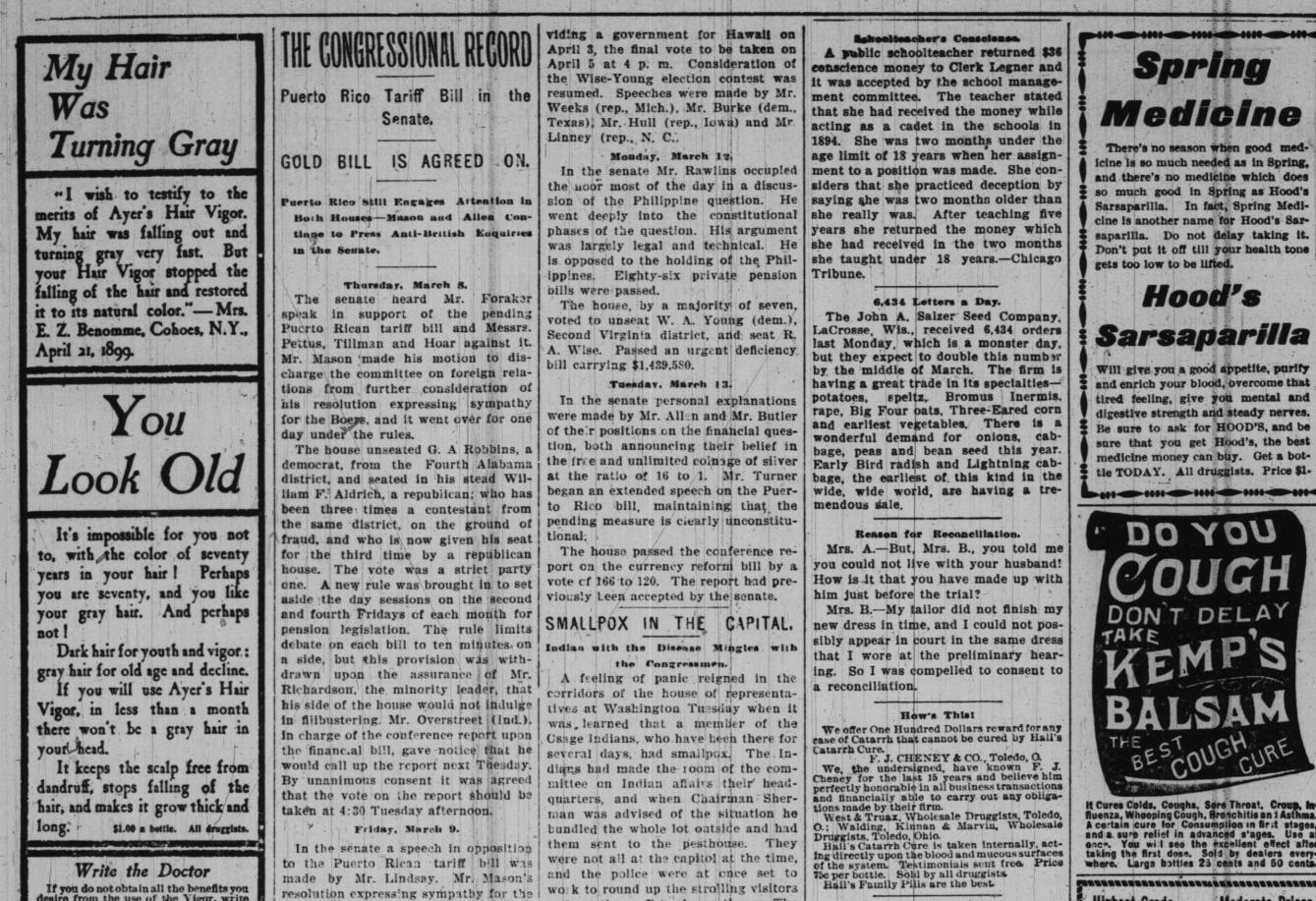
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tice that he would call up the measure Saturday. At a night session reading of the Alaska code bill was resumerd.

In the house the first day pension session provided for under the new rule proved a great success. There was

resolution expressing sympathy for the

Boers was discussed in executive ses-

sion, the question being the discharge

of the committee from consideration.

Mr. Allison reported from the commit-

M.mr Sins Washed Awar. There was a great baptizing at the

Mount Olivet B: plist church (colored) in West Fifty-third street, New York, Sunday. One hundred and eightyfour of the 408 pe sons who have been added to the church by the revivals of the last few weeks were dipped in the marble_font of the church."

work to round up the strolling visitors

and get them off to the pesthouse. The

necessary fumigation was made and no

serious results are feared from the ex-

posure to contagion.

Feminine Superiority. "Leonidas," said Mrs. Meekton, sharply, "whom do you regard as the greatest general in history?"

But he was not to be caught napping. Without a moment's hesitation he answered: "Joan of Arc."-Washington Star.

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.

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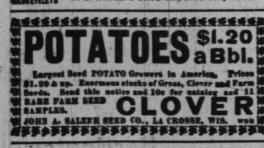
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comparatively little friction, and ninety-seven bills were favorably acted upon in committee of the whole and subsequently passed. The only incldent of the session was a brisk exchange between Mr. Loud of California and Mr. Sulloway of New Hampshire upon the general policy of special pension legislation, in which the former attacked and the latter defended the system.

Saturday, March 10.

The senate passed the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill, after defeating an amendment to give former Queen Liliuokalani of Hawaii \$20-000 and an annuity of \$10,000. The house agreed to take up the bill pro- | company.

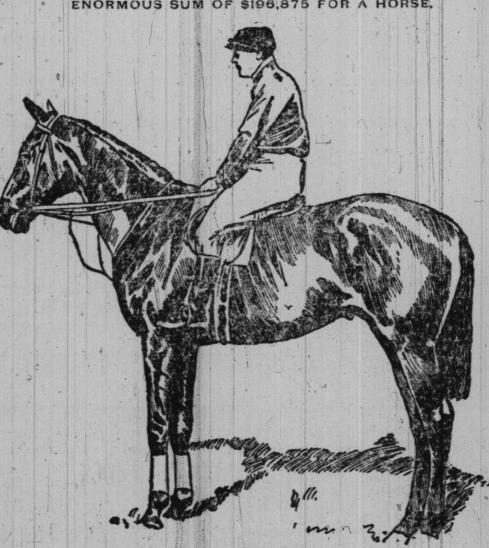
Toledo Commercial Sold.

The Toledo Commercial has been sold by John R. McLean, who held an option from S. M. Heller and others. to H. P. Crouse and J. H. Eoff, of Findlay, Ohio, and will be changed to a straight republican administration paper. The change will be effective about April 10.

\$50,000 Blaze at Fort Wayne.

A loss of fully \$50,000 was caused in Fort Wayne, Ind., by a fire which completely gutted the building at the corner of Harrison and Columbia streets, occupied by the Imperial Waist company and the B. W. Skelton Grocery

ENORMOUS SUM OF \$196,875 FOR A HORSE.



The Duke of Westminster's famous horse, Flying Fox, the winner of the Derby, the Two Thousand Guineas, and many other races, has been sold to M. Edmond Blanc. The .price paid was 37,500 guineas, or \$196,875.

The price paid for Flying Fox is the largest sum of money ever realized on Fox, was sold for \$159,000 to McDona horse sold at public auction. The

late Charles Reed bid \$105,000 for St. Blaise, which, like Flying Fox, was trained for his racing engagements by John Porter, but the price paid for the great 4-year-old that won the English Derby last year leaves all former bids for thoroughbreds far in the shade. Ormonde, the grand sire of Flying ough.

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Indianapolis-Wheat-No. 2 red, 701/20 track, reg on miners wheat-No. 2 Fed, 70/20 track, reg on miners freights; No. 3 Fed, bt/2005/20: Corn miner; No. 1 white, 35/20; No. 2 white, 55/20; No. 3 white, 35/20; No. 2 white, 55/20; No. 3 white, 35/20; No. 4 white, 52/2004/20; No. 2 white mixed, 350; No. 3 white mixed, 350; No. 4 white mixed, 30/300; No. 3 white mixed, 350; No. 5 white mixed, 35c; No. 4 white mixed, 32a3c; No. 2 yenow, 35ac; No. 3 yellow, 55ac; No. 4 yenow, 35acabc; No. 2 mix-eu, 5bc; No. 5 mixed, 5bc; No. 4 mixed, 3245ac; ear, 35c. Oacs irmer; No. 2 white, 25ac; No. 5 white, 25ac; No. 2 mixed, 25c; No. 5 hixed, 24c, may firmer.

LIVE STOCK. Chicago, March 10.-hiogs-Active, 2½c higaes; mixed and buchers, \$4.1094.91/2; good to choice heavy, \$4.87/294.97/2; rouga heavy, \$4.004.85; l.gnt, \$4.0094.92/2; park of sales, \$4.8094.32/2. Sneep-S.eady; sheep, \$4.7595.90; lamos, \$5.5094.50.

Milwaukee-Hogs-21/2c lower; light, 163 to 200 los., common 1. cnoice, \$4.60/04.80; rough to good heavy packers, \$4.60/04.8212; good to choice packers, \$4.80,94.85; choice, 225 to 300 lbs average, \$4.80,4.92; Cattle -Good to choice beef sieers, 1,050 to 1,253 lbs average, \$4.25,94.75; fair to medium, 353 to 1,050 lbs average, \$3.75,94.00; hefers, fair to 1,050 lbs average, \$3.75@4.00; heifers, fair to good, \$2.00@3.50; heifers, good to choice, \$3.50@4.25; canners, \$2.40@2.65; cows. fair to good, \$2.85@3.25; cows. good to choice, \$3.25 @3.65; bulls, common to good, \$2.90@3.50; bulls, good to choice. Milkers and Spring-ers-Common to good, \$25.00@35.00; good to choice heavy cows, \$35.00@30.00. Sheep-Fair to choice, \$4.25@4.75; sheep, poor to fair, \$2.50@4.25; bucks, \$2.75@3.50; lambs, common to good, \$4.75@6.25; lambs, good to choice, \$6.25@6.53.

GRAIN IN FARMERS' HANDS.

Mrrch Report of the National Department of Africulture.

The March report of the statistician of the department of agriculture will show the amount of wheat remaining in farmers' hands on March 1 to have been about 158,700,000 bushels, or 29 per cent of last year's crop, as compared with 198,000,000, or 29.3 per cent of the crop of 1898 on hand March 1, 1899. The corn in the farmers' hands is estimated at 773,700,000 pushels, or 37.2 per cent of last year's crop, against 800,500,000 bushels, or 45.1 per cent of the grop of 1898, on hand on March 1, 1899. The proportion of the total crop of last year shipped out of the country were grown is estimated at 16.8 per cent, or about 348,000,00) bushels. The proportions of the total crcp last year that was of a merchantable standard is estimated at 86.9 per cent. Of oats there were reported to be about 290,900,000 bushels, or 36.5 per cent, of last year's crop, still in farmers' hands, as compared with 283,-000,000 bushels, or 38.7 per cent of the crop of 1898, on hand March 1, 1839.

Lead City Wiped Out by Fire. A million-dollar blaze swept over

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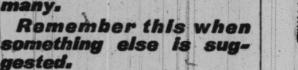


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Lead City, S. D., Thursday. The city is practically wiped out, little remaining but smoking ruins. Early in the day the water supply was exhausted and the fire was fought by blowing up buildings. The scene was indescribable, as tons of debris were sent in every direction by the explosion of dynamite, Several hundred pounds of giant powder was furnished by the Homestake Mining company for this purpose, and several of the largest buildings, comprising the main part of the city, were demolished by the explosives.

Outbreak at Copper Mines. A pitched battle, in which knives and pistols were used, was fought Monday. night between Mexican and American laborers at the Helvetia copper mines. near Tucson, Ariz. The fight was precipitated by drunken Mexicans "shooting up" the camp. One Cisneros was killed. Two Americans and three Mexicans were wounded seriously. More trouble is expected.

The big general store, including the Northwestern station and postoffice, also the general store of Ross Bros. & Co., at Spaiding, Mich., was wiped out by fire Tuesday evening. The loss is nearly \$20,000 and is fully insured.

Respond to Sheldon's Appeal. The sum of \$25 was collected by the people of the Seventeenth ward in Milwaukee Tuesday to help pay for a cargo of grain to be shipped to India, in response to Editor Sheldon's appeal. The persons having charge of the movement in this city propose to continue the work of soliciting, and an effort will be made to collect at least \$1.000.

Barkley Files Pankroptey Petition. Gen, James H. Barkley and daughter, Mrs. Cora B. Lax, composing the firm of Barkley & Lax, furniture dealers of Springfield, Ill., which failed a year ago, have filed a petition in bankruptcy. The liabilities are placed at \$13,-000, with no assets. Gen. Barkley also filed a personal petition, in which his liabilities are placed at \$3,600; assets, \$4,700.

Federal Officials Fight a Duel. United States Commissioner Douglass Wight and Horace H. Blanton, an attorney of Nevada, Mo., fought a street duel with pistols Friday afternoon. Wight received a scalp wound and Blanton was shot in the abdomen. The trouble arose over the approach- | ing mayoralty election.



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Mention This Paper.

		Mrs. Fred Wolf is seriously ill.	Frank Searls was a Chicago visitor	and Mrs. T. Allen; Thursday, Nunda,	held, Sunday evening a general mis-
	BARRINGTON LOCALS.	Lawrence Donlea spent Sunday in	Thursday.	at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben	sionary service will be held, at the
		Chicago.	Herman Gieske is serving on jury	Throop; Friday, Palatine, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Richmond and to-	
	Attend the caucus this afternoon.	Roy Peck spent Saturday and Sun-	this week.	night a recital will be given at the	
1 -	Wm. Naggatz left for Wisconsin	day in Barrington.		home of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Whiting	the English language. Special services
	Monday.	Dr. T. H. Rath, dentist, office over	Thursday on business.	at Arlington Heights.	will be announced by a placard in the
	Gustav Blum made a trip to Chi-	Waller's drug store.	Miss Ella Frick of Cuba is visiting	Invitations are one for an are ca-	postenice.
	cago Tuesday.	Wm. Pepper of Lake's Corner was		hibit of the Le Naid Decorative Art	Dorcas Society Menu.
		in Barrington Wednesday.	Frick.	society of New York and Chicago at the residence of Mrs. M. C. McIntosh	The following menu will be served
	list this week.	P. H. Miller is suffering from a se-	James London of Fort Dodge, Ia., visited at the home of Charles Otis	Wednesday, March 21 at 3 o'clock.	by the ladies of the Dorcas society
	Mrs. Henry Wolthausen is very sick	vere attack of rheumatism.	Thursday.	This exhibit is under the management	for Ricents in the Baptist church par-
	with pneumonia.	Dr. T. H. Rath, dentist, office over	Louis M. Miller of Chicago was in	of Mrs. M. N. Strickland of Chicago,	lors Tuesday evening, March 20: Biscuit Sauce
	Miss Howard of Ravenswood is vis-	Waller's drug store.	Barrington Monday in the interest of		Cold meat Pickles
	iting at R. Purcell's.	James Prefam of Algonquin spent			Escolloped Potatoes Assorted Cake Coffee
1	Miss Deina Donlea visited with rel- atives in Chicago Sunday.	Saturday with George Klein.	E. A. Hall of Libertyville, while on		Supper will be served from 5:30 to 9
		Mrs. M. Curnick of Chicago visited	his way home from Elgin where he had		o'clock. The proceeds will be applied
1	Vote for H. C. Frick for collector at the caucus this afternoon.	with Mrs. J. K. Bennett Sunday.	been visiting a brother, made Barring- ton friends a short visit.	its seventh annual session in the Sa-	on the tax of the church property.
		Thomas Gibson is visiting at the		lem church at Barrington, begining	Music during supper. All are most cordially invited.
	sister, Mrs. E. W. Shipman.	home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cady.	There promises to be a large turnout at the caucuses to be held today ow-	march	
17	WANTEDSmall quantity of poplar	Miss Laura Wolf of Chicago visited relatives here the first of the week.	ing to the great number of candidates		Monthly Program.
	wood. Apply to M. C. McIntosh.		in the field. Vote for the best man.	Tuesday, March 20, at 9 a.m. These,	The St. Paul's Jugendverein held its
1	Miss Nellie Warner Sundayed at	L. O. Brockway of Waukegan spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives	Girls, if you wish to be a June bride		monthly meeting Sunday evening. It
1	Woodstock with her sister, Mrs. Wm.	here.	with red lips, laughing eyes, a lovely		was well attended and the following program was rendered:
- +	Soles.	Miss Minnie Gieske visited with	complexion, take Rocky Mountain Tea this month. 35 cents. Ask your	Naperville will preach at 4 o'clock p. m On Tuesday Rev. E. K. Yeakel,	Song a
	N. Stenger, who has been connected		druggist.	P. E. of Naperville district, will de-	Recipition
•	with the firm of Plagge & Co., has re-	week.	The Barrington Military band gave	liver a lecture which promises 'to be	Dialogue-"Das Kommitee zur Untersuchung
	tired.	Charles Beinhoff of Chicago visited	a concert at Arlington Heights last	both entertaining and instructive.	der Bucher," H. C. Frick, Mary Krueger, Charles Meier, G. A. Blum, Beka Schultz,
4	Miss Marie McCarthy of Chicago is		evening. They were accompanied by	On Wednesday at 2 p. m. the annual Missionary meeting will begin Rev	and Louis, Lydia and Eliza Gilly.
	visiting with friends and relatives here.		quite a number of their friends and	W. H. Kouke, P. E. of Freeport dis-	Recitation"The Wreck of the Hesperus"
		Miss Olga Waller came home Thurs- day to spend a few days with her		trict and president of the Missionary	SongSociety
	Collen visited in Chicago on Thursday	mother.		society of the Illinois conference, will deliver the annual address, after which	Song
	and Friday.	John Wolf of Chicago spent Sunday	twenty of her young friends at her	reports from the different fields of la-	
	Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Clinge and son	at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C.	home near Honey Lake Wednesday	bor will be given. At 7:30 a Mission-	
	Archibald visited with relatives in	M. Vermilya.	evening. The evening was enjoyably		Want to Donto
	Chicago last week.	Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lincold and Fred	spent in playing social games. Refresh- ments were served.	public will be heartily invited. It is expected that Dr. Clinton F. Rife,	Malle PA Velle
	Rev. A. W. Strickfaden attended the entertainment at the Porter school	Schumacher visited relatives in this	W. C. Trestrail, who has been em-	The second secon	
	district Friday evening.	vicinity Sunday.	ployed for some time here as night	as well as several other prominent	
	' Miss Adele Finke and nephew, Ver-	FOR SALE-Eleven lots, fine loca-	operator for the North-Western rail-	men, will give addresses.	
	non Schoppe, of Chicago are guests of	tion, east front, 66 by 300 feet. M. C. MCINTOSH.	road, has secured a position in the	On Thursday at 9 a. m. the confer-	We have a number of houses
	Mr. and Mrs. John Hatje.		train dispatcher's office in Chicago. P. H. Marvin of Joliet has secured	siding bishop, Rev. Dubs, D. D., L. L.	in different parts of Barting- ton listed for rental. If you
	At the town of Barrington caucus	WANTED-A girl at once to do gen- eral house work.	the situation vacated by Mr. Trestrial.	D. The bishop will deliver the an-	want anything in this line,
	to be held this afternoon vote for G.	MRS. E. M. FLETCHER, Barrington.	The W. R. C. took advantage of the	nual opening address, after which the	call and see what we can do if for you.
	M. Wagner for constable.	Louis Collen solicits your support	last run of sleighing last week when	I LUIU S SUDDEL WITH DE CETEDIAUCU, LU	
	Misses Pauline and Emma Clinge	for constable of the town of Barring-	two double sleigh loads, with John	On each day of the session a lecture	
14	visited at the home of E. L. Horn's at	ton at the caucus to be held this af-	Robertson, and C. P. Hawley acting as	will be given by some of the speakers	
	Langenheim the first of the week.	ternoon.	pilots, left for Carpentersville, where they spent the day with Mrs. Stuart	for the charch. Incy with be given in	
	Mr. and Mrs. Fred Klein and child-	Vote for Louis Collen for constable	Miller, who, when a resident here, was	Sunday at 10 a. m. the bishop will	THE REVIEW
	ren left Saturday for Jefferson Park to spend a few days with relatives.	at the town of Barrington caucus, which will be held at 2 o'clock this af-	an honored member and an officer of	preach the ordination sermon and at	
		tampon i i i i i i i i i i	the corps. At noon, dinner was served the corps, which would have tickled		BARRINGTON
	Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Froelich who reside near Lake Zurich, on		the palate of an epicure and reflected		
1	Saturday of last week, an eight-pound	man, George Brinkmeyer and Louis	much credit upon the skill and ability		
	hav	Krugger of Palatine visited at John	of the hostess. The day was charac-	Inneuncoment to t	he Deenle of Der

Regular services at Baptist church

terized as one pre-eminent among the social gathering of the corps and will

Sunday morning. In the evening the pastor will preach a sermon to young rington and all work uncalled for will women.

Miss Lulu Ames and lady friend, Miss Alma Meier of Gilmer, visited with her grandmother, Mrs. A. Leonard, over Sunday.

Caucuses will be held in the towns of Barrington and Cuba this afternoon. Every voter should turn out and vote for men of their choice.

George M. Wagner is out for the office of constable of the town of Barrington and solicits your vote at the caucus to be held this afternoon.

At the M. E. church tomorrow, the pastor, Dr. Robinson, will preach on the following topics: Morning, "Christ at his home near Springfield. Mr. on Trial;" evening, "Christ in Politics."

I will reopen my dress-making parlors in the McIntosh building, on Station street, next Tuesday and hope to receive the patronage of my old customers, as well as new ones. 3

MINNIE GIESKE.

E. W. Peterson, who has conducted a jewelry and watch repairing store in Barrington the past three years, has closed his business here and moved to Dundee. He had many friends here, who wish for him success in his new field of labor.

The committee in charge of the Japanese Tea given Wednesday evening wish to extend thanks to all those who assisted on the program, and to the ladies who took charge of tea tables. Also to those who kindly loaned articles for the Oriental exhibit.

The Japanese Tea given by the ladies of the Woman's Foreign Missionary very pleasant social affair. After a church auditorium, tea was served by in the church parlors: Mesdames J. B. tosh, Minnie Hawley, Schwemm, Rob-Intosh, Pauline Clausius.

I have sold out my business in Barbe found at Mr. Abbott's drug store.

Hatje's Sunday.

E. W. PETERSON.

There is prospects of a big building boom in Barrington the coming summer. Ground will be broken for several new buildings as soon as the frost is out of the ground.

6,000 years have we waited for the greatest spring blessing ever offered. It doubles your joys and halves your sorrows. That's what Rocky Mountain Tea does. 35 cents. Ask your druggist.

Charles Waterman, who formerly resided east of Dundee, dropped dead Gothard farm near Barrington Centhe early settlers. He was about 60 years of age.

The Barrington Social and Athletic club will give a dance in Stott's Hall on Friday evening, March 23. Good music has been secured for the occasion and all lovers of the terpsichorean art should attend. Good social time assured.

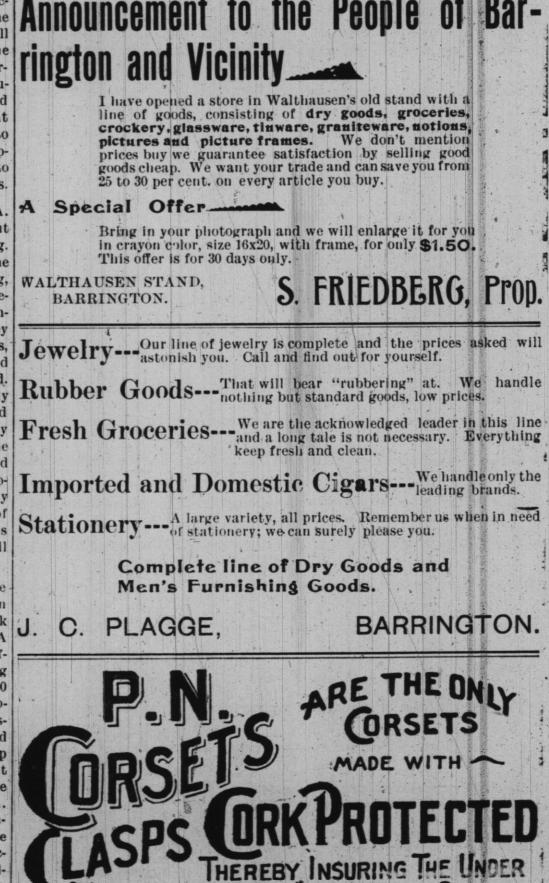
A surprise party was tendered Miss Augusta Nitz at her home near Spring Lake on last Wednesday evening, the occasion being the nineteenth anniversary of her birth. The evening was one of pleasure and all left wishing their fair hostess many happy returns of the day. sister of Mrs. McIntosh.

event been quietly at work forming vancement made in his pupils since which they did successfully. About vicinity make no mistake when they ertson, Hipwell, Sherwood, Misses El- twenty members of the society with place their children in his care to be vidge, Frye, Kingsley, Kitson, Grace ladies were in attendance and passed educated in music. Prof. Sears also Young, Myrtle Allensby, Violet Mc- the evening at cards and other games, gave the following recital this week:

long be remembered on account of the jollity occasioned by the male quartet, who so kindly furnished the music. A delegation from Elgin and Barrington Center joined the corps at Carpentersville, which added much to the pleasures of the day and upon separating kindly invited the corps to visit them at their respective homes.

Lounsbury lodge, No. 751, A. F. & A. M., was tendered a surprise by about twenty-five ladies Saturday evening. They made their appearance at the lodge room door late in the evening, though unexpected, they were gracefully and cordially received. The members of this society thought they would not be outdone by the fair ones, so they entertained them at cards and Waterman formerly owned the Wm. dominoes, in which all participated. The entire program was completely ter, and was well known to many of changed when Chef Butzow reported to the ladies that the lunch was ready to be served. For a second time the jolly members were surprised and were compelled to surrender to the appeal of their appetites and heartily joined with the ladies in disposing of a dainty luncheon. A good time was enjoyed and all returned home well satisfied with the evening's pleasure.

Prof. J. I. Sears and pupils gave three recitals in the Salem church on Tuesday afternoon at 1 and 4:30 o'clock and in the evening at 8 o'clock. A large number were present in the aftermoon, but in the evening standing room was at a premium-nearly 500 people being present. The programs were very interesting and pleasing from start to finish, and showed Dr. M. F. Clausius and Prof. Sted- excellent judgment in the make-up man were tendered a most pleasant of the program. The class went surprise on Thursday evening at the through their compositions in an able society on Wednesday evening was a former's home on Cook street by the and creditable manner, and Mrs. A. members of the Maennerchor. It was L. Robertson proved a very good acmusical and literary program in the the birthday anniversary of the two companist. Prof. Sears is to be gentlemen and the members of the so- congratulated upon the great sucthe following ladies at small tables ciety had for several days prior to the cess of the recitals and upon the ad-Robinson, Winter, Harnden, McIn- plans to give them a genuine surprise, the last recital. The citizens of this A nice lunch was served at midnight, Wednesday, Cary, at the home of Mr.



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