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## PALATINE HAPPENINGS.

Events Past, Present and Future of Village and Vicinity.

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

Celebrate the glorious Fourth at Barrington.

Miss Hunter, of Chicago, is visiting Mrs. Floyd Gibbs.

Mrs. James V. Carter spent Sunday with Mrs. V. V. Vincent.

Miss Fox of Grand Rapids, Mich., visited in Palatine Saturday.

Prof. Smyser is taking a course at Chicago University this summer.

M. E. Sunday school picnic at Lake Zurich tomorrow. Teams start at 8:30 o'clock.

The High school team will play the Americans at Barrington tomorrow afternoon.

Miss Mamie Schmidt, of Arlington Heights, visited with the Misses Freidberg Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Richmond and children have been visiting relatives in Waterman this week.

Mrs. H. C. Matthei and George went to Richmond Wednesday to visit John Meissner and family.

Mrs. Vincent entertained Mrs. E. A. Clark of Chicago and Mrs. L. Goven of Jefferson Park at dinner Tuesday.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. Henry Bicknose, Jr., next Wednesday afternoon.

John Hinn will sell a car load of cattle on his farm, north-east of town, tomorrow (Saturday) morning at 10 o'clock.

Misses Adella Smith and Vashli Lambert start their vacation today, the Chicago schools being closed for the summer.

Work has commenced on the water works extensions and the job will be rushed through to completion as rapidly as possible.

We understand that only lot-owners are entitled to vote in the election of trustees for the Cemetery association Saturday afternoon.

Harry Rea has gone to Grand Rapids, Mich., where he has entered the employ of Fox Typewriter Co., with good prospects of rapid promotion.

John Chidley, of Arlington Heights, lost four fingers of his right hand and two of his left while running a pressing machine in Bray & Kates factory last Tuesday.

Misses Vashli Lambert and Adella Smith attended the commencement exercises of Northwestern University at the Auditorium Thursday evening of last week.

A. S. Olms and wife started for St. Paul this week, where they will spend two or three weeks with relatives. Dr. R. M. Putnam will act as mayor during his absence.

The Suburbans, who played the tie game here Saturday, will come to try to win from Palatine on the Fourth of July. Come out and support the team by your presence.

The Ladies' Aid society are contemplating a patriotic social on July 4th. Songs, fire-crackers, speeches, fireworks, ice cream and other things appropriate to the day will be presented.

Clara Harrison and Emily Snider started Saturday for a visit with relatives in Canada. They went to Buffalo by boat and were accompanied by Miss Kean and mother of Evanston, who will make a short tour through the East.

Palatine is putting up some good ball games, even if the people do fail to take any interest in them. Last Saturday they played the Suburbans of Chicago and in the eighth inning the score was 8 to 8. Both teams settled down to win and the result was that after eleven innings the game had to be called off to let the Chicago boys make the train. It was a good game throughout and had it taken place in most towns a big crowd would have enjoyed the game.

Mr. and Mrs. Timmerman celebrated the fifth anniversary of their marriage Monday night by inviting a host of young people to spend the evening with them. Relatives and friends were present and the Palatine Military band, of which Mr. Timmerman is the leader, attended and played a number of pieces. A nice time was enjoyed and dancing on the platform on the lawn was a unique feature. A nice luncheon was served. The guests did not think of dispersing until the morning hours were growing large.

Robert Bennett returned from Chicago the first of the week, where he had an operation performed to remedy a lameness in one foot. The operation was a success and the patient is getting along nicely.

Mrs. George Fair entertained the Women's club of Arlington Heights at her home last Thursday, and the hostess gave her guests a very pleasant afternoon. The children's orchestra of Chicago rendered several selections which captivated the guests. The ladies departed feeling that they had spent the afternoon to great advantage and enjoyment.

We have always supposed that the talk of Philadelphia being slow was exaggerated, but must confess that we are now impressed with its truth. Fifteen years ago Dr. Hulett sent a letter there with the usual ten days' return card in the corner. Wednesday the letter came back to Palatine and was forwarded to the doctor, who moved to Chicago several years ago.

Anyone who has had occasion to drive to Lake Zurich when the roads were in poor condition, will be gratified to know that the road north of town, near Quentin's Corners, is being graveled. This has been the poorest piece of road between Palatine and Wisconsin and we are sure travellers over the road will say with us that this is a move in the right direction.

The recitals given by Prof. Sears in Methodist church Wednesday were not largely attended, but those present enjoyed a musical treat. Those on the program carried their parts exceptionally well and reflected credit to Prof. Sears' instruction. The orchestra rendered fine music and Walter Sears proved himself a musician of no mean ability. He was encoered on several presentations. Miss Esther Sargeant of Nunda gave a reading and rendered a solo in a pleasing manner.

Richard Taylor is having his share of runaways. Tuesday he was driving from the pigeon lofts, west of the village, when a bolt in the shaft broke and frightened the horse, which became unmanageable. When near his father's house Richard was thrown to the curbing and the wagon on top of him. He was unconscious when picked up, but soon revived under medical attention. Although badly bruised, he apparently sustained no serious injury.

The pupils of the High school are certainly hustlers. Nearly every High school boy is at work since school has closed. Herbert Filbert and Henry Schrader have been assisting in painting the stand pipe. John Slade has been working for the C. & N. W. Ry. in Chicago. Gilbert Shadle is running a job press in A. G. Smith's office. Charles Ost is assisting in the mill. Will Hannis is working in Evanston, where he will enter the University. Ora Sawyer is working for Nason Bros. and others are working at various trades.

Prof. Newton of Fergus Falls, Minnesota, has been engaged as principal of the Palatine High school. Mr. Newton comes highly recommended in every respect. He is a graduate of the University of Illinois and won the debate between that school and the Minnesota University. During the past year he has been teaching a normal school at Fergus Falls. He is an unmarried man who has worked up to his present audience by his own efforts. We trust that the patrons of the school will give him their hearty support in his school work.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bicknese escaped what might have been a serious accident last Sunday. They were returning home from the north of town when the horse stumbled and fell, when near the Vincent place. Mr. Bicknese got out the rig to get the horse out of its feet. Mrs. Bicknese also got out, as the harness was broken by the accident. When the animal got up it trotted off briskly and by the time it reached the village was going at a fast pace. When reaching home the horse ran the carriage into a tree, badly damaging the vehicle and tearing off the harness. The horse was caught south of the village.

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J. Jappa, watchmaker and jeweler, has established an office at Theo. Schutt's shoe store, adjoining the post-office where orders may be left for his services and articles left for repair. Tuesday of each week he will be there with a fine line of watches and jewelry. Prices the lowest.

## CONDITION CRITICAL.

King Edward Still Lives, but Danger not Passed.

Physicians Give Hope of His Recovery—All Festivities Abandoned.

All Britain is in the shadow of a great calamity. It would be difficult to find in history a more dramatic change of scene than that which has taken place in London during the past three days. The startling change from a scene of pagantry such as the old world has seldom witnessed, to one of gloomy apprehension, emphasizes by contrast the feeling of depression which has swept over those possessions whose ruler is King Edward VII. A season of rejoicing has been suddenly turned into one of prayer for the great ruler who hovers on the verge of death. The latest advices from the palace give an uncertain and most contradictory sound, and it is evident that Great Britain and the colonies must undergo a period of nervous strain, such as enveloped the American nation when its chieftain battled with death at Buffalo.

The greatest medical authorities of the world pass opinions on the condition of the King, but leave room for the greatest doubt as to his ever being able to stand the excitement attendant upon the ceremonies of a coronation.

However, we, the people of a free republic, may regard monarchical institution and royalty, we must appreciate the disappointment that has come to the King and his people.

For years he waited at the foot of the throne for this, the greatest honor (in the opinion of the British) that can be conferred upon man.

History recites no parallel to his sudden disappointment of a great ruler and the millions of his subjects. As that great English-speaking nation sympathized with us in our hour of deep sorrow over the passing away of our beloved president, so we, as a people, offer the family of the stricken ruler and people of his possessions our heartfelt sympathy in this their hour turned from rejoicing to one of mourning.

**Didn't Mind Changing.**

A young gentleman made his customary call upon the object of his affections, residing on Grove avenue, Sunday evening, and while there he displayed more than ordinary nervousness.

"What's troubling you —?" asked the love-sick maiden.

"Oh, I've something to confere to you, and I don't know how it will affect you."

"Well, never mind. I don't care; I am prepared for most anything."

"My dear girl, I'm a somnambulist."

"Oh, rats, don't let that worry you. Pa is a Unitarian. Ma a Congregationalist and I'm a hard-shell Baptist, but I don't mind changing. One is as near right as the other."

**Alumni Reception.**

The thirteenth annual reception of the Palatine High School Alumni was held last Friday night and it was a social and pleasant occasion. The members and their friends gathered at Batterman's hall and marched to the village hall, where a nice banquet was held. The hall had been tastily decorated in the colors of 1902—orange and yellow—and the combination was rich. The tables were temptingly spread and the eatables nicely served by young ladies of the High school. The toasts were excellent and were listened to with deep attention by all present. Robert Mosser spoke on "Our High School" in a forceful manner, and he severely condemned the opponents of the present standard of the High school and regretted the fact that so many were opposed to a good, reputable school. Miss Addie Filbert spoke on "Our Alumni," and her earnest address received flattering attention. She pointed to the fact that many members were holding positions of prominence and trust and felt that the other members should appreciate the fact and feel proud of the association. "Popular Education" was well presented by Jas. A. McCabe and he called forth hearty approval in his denunciation of those who would tear away the foundation of that which makes the best American citizen. He made a strong plea to the fellow members of the Alumni to assist in the upholding of our high school with its present four-year course. "The Class of 1902" was presented by Miss Winnie Sawyer in her usual hearty and earnest manner. She spoke of the outlook of the class and trusted that the association would be benefitted by the new members. Miss Agnes Danielsen acted as toast master and

she handled her part nicely. After the banquet the annual ball was held in Batterman's hall, where a very pleasant social hop was enjoyed by a crowd which nicely filled the floor. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—Ernest Beutler, Sr., President; Frank Kingge, Vice-President; Miss Addie Filbert, Secretary; Philip Malthiel, Treasurer.

JULY 4th, 1902.

Will be Celebrated at Barrington in Old-Fashioned Way.

The one hundred and twenty-sixth anniversary of our nation's independence will be observed in Barrington this year. The program of the event is to be carried out under the auspices of Barrington camp, No. 809, M. W. A., and the several committees promise to please all who attend. The fun will begin early and be carried on until a late hour.

In a beautiful grove near the village the festivities will be held. There will be sports of all kinds, speaking by eloquent orators, music by the big M. W. A. band and dancing for those who wish to participate.

The attractions offered are equal to those announced by other towns in this vicinity and our people can vent their patronism here and patronize a home celebration. The Woodmen have gone to considerable expense in preparing for the observance of the day. The village people were not inclined to take upon themselves the hard work and expense which a proper celebration of the day calls for. The Woodmen are carrying forward the work not as a matter of financial gain, but that Barrington may hold its own with other progressive villages and give to the great day the observance it deserves. Celebrate at home and let it be said that the spirit of patriotism was as well displayed here as at any point on the map of the great and growing nation.

**Cannot Discriminate.**

The village board of trustees at its last meeting considered the petition of Waltersched Bros. for a license to operate a saloon, and upon requiring bond being furnished, granted said license.

In every community it is to be found an element inclined to find fault with every act of the authorities. Now comes a number of people who claim that the board had not ought to have granted a license for the fourth saloon in this village; that three places of kind were more than enough, etc.

It is hardly possible that three saloons in Barrington can take care of the trade, but the village board of trustees are not to be the judges in the matter. It is not within the power of the board to discriminate in the issuing of licenses to conduct a saloon or any other business. That body cannot, under the law, give the privilege to any particular person. The \$500 of one man is just as good as the \$500 of another. The board in this matter is in no way to blame. If the people of Barrington do not wish a saloon maintained in their village, they have the power to vote a prohibitory amendment to the laws of the village. If they desire to make this a prohibitory town they can do so—if enough votes are cast against granting licenses. As the matter stands now, the board has no choice in the matter. If a petition for license is presented, the proper bond filed, the fee of \$500 paid, the board must accept. It has no power to show partiality. This is the situation.

**Woodstock Will Celebrate.**

The progressive little city of Woodstock invites the world to join her in an old-fashioned celebration of the 4th of July. The affair promises to be the greatest ever held in this section.

For those who have decided to celebrate the great holiday away from home, Woodstock will furnish a program of the most attractive kind. There will be parades, sports, races, fireworks and music. If you go out of town that day go to Woodstock.

**How to Avoid Trouble.**

Now is the time to provide yourself and family with a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It is almost certain to be needed before the summer is over, and if procured now may save you a trip to town in the night or in your busiest season. It is everywhere admitted to be the most successful medicine in use for bowel complaints, both for children and adults. No family can afford to be without it. For sale by all druggists.

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We made a great purchase of Summer Dress Goods, a great variety of Dress Fabrics—all going to be sold at very low margins. Some as low as 5c per yard. Others are 8, 10, 12, 15, 17, 25 and 30c per yard.

### Millinery Goods.

It is a good time now to buy Ladies' and Children's Trimmed Hats. We are making a general clearing sale of all our Hats at about 50 cents on the dollar.

Men's and Boy's Straw Hats 5, 10, 15, 25 and 50c.

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Men's Silk Ties 25, 35 and 50c.

### MEN'S AND BOY'S SUMMER CLOTHING.

If you want bargains come to The Big Store. We are selling Men's and Boys' Clothing cheap. If you don't think so, come here and see for yourself. We want your trade and we are selling goods that are made up first-class—best material and workmanship—at low prices to get your trade. We sell just what you want. This week we make a big offer in Men's Work Shirts at 50c.

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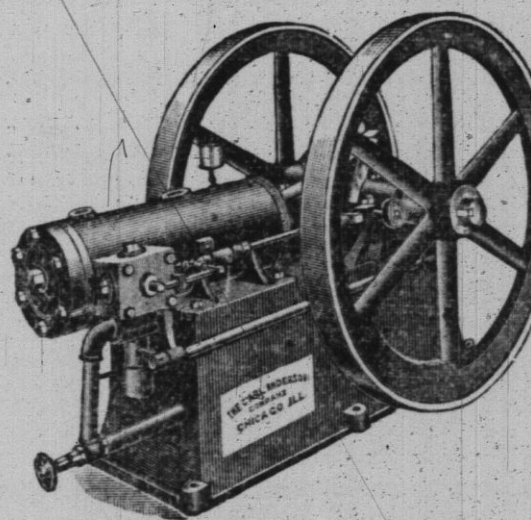
We cannot begin to fill the vacant positions we have for young men stenographers and private secretaries. And it is just time now to get ready for the fall positions. We will accept two bright students from Barrington this month, tuition to be paid when position is secured and salary is being earned. Prospective applicants, male and female, desiring to take advantage of this offer must give notification without delay and furnish references. For necessary information write at once.

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BARRINGTON





The body of Jesse James is to be exhumed at St. Joseph, Mo., and buried in the family lot at Kearney.

Supreme President Fries of the Knights of St. John, in convention at Rochester, N. Y., recommended a biennial convention, which suggestion is likely to be adopted.

Henry Taylor, colored, was hanged at Pittsburg for the murder of Edward Sewall, also colored.

Thomas Cromwell, colored, was executed at Lebanon, Pa., for killing Jacob Schmidt, an engineer.

Gus Ayers was hanged at Hally Springs, Miss., for wife murder.

A forest fire near Garfield, Col., caused a panic. A change in the wind saved the town.

Fire in East Dallas, Tex., destroyed twenty residences, covering an area of three blocks. Several firemen were injured.

Walter Kaempfein of Janesville, Wis., was drowned in Rock river. He fell out of a boat into deep water.

A new ruling of Secretary Shaw holds it possible for any American returning to the States after a visit to Mexico to take back goods purchased in the republic to the value of \$100.

Mrs. Frankie Willis at Racine, Wis., pleaded guilty to the charge of horse stealing and was sentenced to serve two years in the penitentiary at Wau-pun.

With a view to improving the condition of the schools and their grounds State Superintendent of Public Instruction Bayliss has prepared special diplomas which will be awarded those public schools which pass satisfactory examinations made by the county superintendent and are reported to be kept in good repair and condition.

Several thousand people gathered at Pennville, Ind., and heard United States Senator J. P. Dolliver of Iowa deliver an address on "American Patriotism."

The Planters' association, representing every important planter in Cuba, has petitioned President Palma to negotiate a commercial treaty with Great Britain, to continue until Sept. 1, 1903.

Jesus Rodriguez, of Victoria, Tex., attempted to drive a neighbor's horse from his field and was kicked in the stomach, dying in a short time.

John D. Morton, charged with the murder of Marion Thomas, was acquitted at Columbus, Kas.

At Muncie, Ind., after having waited ten years for her husband to return to her, Mrs. John Benjamin has filed suit for divorce.

D. M. Strong, a prominent attorney of North Bend, Neb., died of injuries received by being struck by a train.

Luan Thomas, a negro, shot and killed another negro from Forrest City, Ark., near McNeil. Both men were working on the Cotton Belt extra gang.

At Evansville, Ind., the attorneys in the case of Wilbur S. Sherwell, the former policeman, charged with choking to death three women, have agreed to have the case called in September and set down for trial. Sherwell has been in jail nine months.

Luther Orr committed suicide at Greenfield, Tenn., because of disappointment in a love affair.

Dr. McFall of Mattont, Ill., has deeded his farm of 20 acres near that city for a Protestant hospital. Others have donated \$20,000 in cash. The total endowment is \$60,000.

A fight in Cabin Hollow, near Middleboro, Ky., between rival dice owners resulted in the death of Henry and James Shackleford, brothers and the fatal wounding of Smith Overton.

In a collision between a wagon and a street car at Houghton, Mich., Cyrille Bolvin was fatally injured and Andrew Gaffney severely injured. Bolvin died later at St. Joseph's hospital. He was 45 years old, married and has ten children.

A total loss of \$20,000 was caused by a fire at Lexington, Mass.

Andrew Carnegie has offered \$25,000 to Lawrence, Kas., for a library, on the usual terms.

Frank Jones and John Johnson, negro murderers of Israel Badetsky, a Hebrew peddler, were hanged at Ellicott City, Md.

At Valley City, N. D., Jennie Daley was shot and killed in a quarrel by William Bennett, her partner in a restaurant, who then committed suicide.

The London Board of Trade has awarded a handsome piece of plate to Captain Freeman of the British steamer Roddam in recognition of his gallantry at St. Pierre, Martinique, when that town was destroyed.

The authorities of the northern tier of Indiana counties are alarmed at the action of Berrien county, Mich., in expelling the berry-picking tramps on account of the mysterious murder of one of their number. Measures will be taken to prevent their crossing the Indiana state line.

H. L. Frank of Butte, Mont., has sold a three-fourths interest in his coal mines at Frank, B. C., to a French syndicate for \$1,300,000. A payment of \$85,000 has been made to bind the sale. The Frank mines are in the Crow's Nest region.

## KING EDWARD'S CHANCES SLIM

Doctors Show Care in Word-ing Bulletins, So as to Leave No False Hope.

### ROYAL FAMILY IS HOPEFUL

But Members Admit the Crisis Has Not Passed—Physicians Agree that Change for the Worse May Come at Any Moment.

London, June 26.—Britain's ruler is making a brave fight for his life, and the condition of King Edward now is declared even more satisfactory than had been hoped for.

The outcome still is a matter of grave doubt, however, and the physicians in attendance upon his majesty, while noting all the points in their patient's favor, make no secret of the fact that a change for the worse may come at any moment.

While the physicians and members of the royal family are most hopeful they admit that the crisis in the king's case has not been reached. Although it is nearly two days since the operation, there has not been time for the development of possible complications. It will be several days before the king can be pronounced on the way to recovery.

One most encouraging condition is that the king was able to take substantial nourishment last night.

#### May Make Wales Regent.

It is reported that arrangements have been made to install the prince of Wales as regent on Monday, it being believed that by that time the outcome of the king's illness will be evident.

A great mass of papers of an important nature await the signature of his majesty, and these must no longer be allowed to accumulate. Even if the king convalesces he will not be able to use a pen for some time, hence the necessity for a regency.

The most that can be said of the king's condition is that there has been no apparent change during the last twenty-four hours. The resort to nitroglycerin Tuesday night seems to have tided over the first danger of collapse from shock. This factor having been eliminated, it was not expected that any fresh crisis would arise within the time that has since elapsed.

#### Doctors Noncommittal.

The doctors still do not vouchsafe any information concerning the pulse or temperature, but it naturally is inferred from the tone of the bulletins that nothing seriously abnormal has manifested itself in this direction. It is carefully explained by medical experts, however, that the attending physicians must themselves remain in ignorance of any internal mischief until fatal symptoms appear, and then they will be practically powerless.

The situation in this regard is not unlike the case of President McKinley. The appearance of a high pulse and temperature would indicate the disappearance of the last vestige of hope. These symptoms might be preceded by a chill, which would be an equally ominous sign.

#### Watch Royal Patient.

Sir Frederick Treves, Sir Francis H. Laking and Sir Thomas Barlow spent the night within Buckingham palace, and they have arranged for Lord Joseph Lister to join them in consultation.

After midnight last night, as the palace was being closed for the night, it was learned that there was nothing to be added to the last bulletin and that King Edward's condition continued satisfactory. It was further pointed out as an assuring sign that the 11 o'clock bulletin had been issued after only a brief consultation, and that it had not been deemed necessary to call in Lord Lister and Sir Thomas Smith before issuing it.

It was further ascertained, with regard to the brief and to some extent vague character of the bulletins, which gave no information as to the king's temperature, pulse, etc., and which for this reason have been much complained of in some quarters, that this is not due to a desire to conceal anything, or to apprehension of the result of his majesty's illness.

#### Bulletins Disclose Little.

The doctors had the case of the late President McKinley in mind, and, in view of the fact that the crisis has not yet passed, they were determined to couch the bulletins in the most guarded language, so that the hope of the public should not be unduly buoyed up.

The markets and exchanges have been closed until Monday, and if the physicians expected an immediate collapse there probably would have been a darker tone in yesterday's bulletins. Unhappily, however, while the bulletins to the public are noncommittal or almost optimistic, the doctors are preparing the royal household for the worst.

One of the king's most intimate associates asked one of the physicians yesterday to tell him frankly just what chance his majesty had. The reply was:

"Yesterday I should have said about one in three. I am afraid I could not say that to-day."

#### Not Expected to Recover.

Members of the palace entourage quote medical opinion to the effect that the king may live a week, but he

is hardly expected to survive until Sunday.

It is quite true, as stated in the bulletins, that the king had a fairly comfortable day. He was even able to listen to some of the telegrams of sympathy, and his spirits improved considerably. His mind was quite clear when he was awake, and he had a fair amount of rest.

Frequent rumors of the gravest description have obtained circulation in London. One of the most persistent revived the story that the king was suffering from cancer. When questioned on the subject Lord Francis Knollys, the king's private secretary, said:

"I give my word of honor that the king has no cancer. He never had a symptom of cancer, and there is no malignant growth whatever in connection with his malady."

When asked his own opinion of the king's case the secretary, who was made a lord yesterday, replied: "The king is a man well on in years who has undergone a serious operation. You can judge as well as I."

#### Operation Was Serious.

It is not generally understood by readers of the semi-official account of the operation that it was necessary to remove a section of the bowel itself, and that even if the king rallies from the present crisis, another serious operation will be necessary as soon as he is able to bear it.

Lord Lister, one of the physicians in attendance, remarked to a friend yesterday: "The operation was the most serious to which a man of the king's age and condition could be subjected."

It is possible to state on the authority of a member of the royal family that the doctors hold out scarcely any hope of the king's recovery. They took what is described as a desperate chance. Not to operate meant certain death within forty-eight hours, and there remained the possibility of prolonging, if not of saving, life by the radical use of the knife. That possibility they seized, as it was their duty to do.

#### TRUTH IS BEING TOLD.

London Lancet Says Nothing Is Concealed from the Public.

London, June 26.—The Lancet says: "While it is impossible to disguise the serious nature of the king's condition it is also a joyful privilege to be able to contradict flatly some of the sinister rumors. The prevalent idea that some dreadful news is kept back ought to be dispelled. We would like to draw attention to the absolute sincerity of every bulletin issued. This sincerity should prevent the public from giving heed to the wild rumors that are rife. It is an unfortunate fact that the symptoms of perityphlitis may be entirely masked. Thus the necessity of an operation being apparent was absolutely prevented until the Tuesday before the coronation. There was no symptom of malignancy present."

#### STAFF OF THE SECOND BRIGADE

Various Appointments Are Made by Brigadier General Clark.

Springfield, Ill., June 26.—Upon the recommendation of Brig. Gen. Clark of the Second brigade the following staff appointments are made: Arthur J. Gallagher, to be judge advocate and rank as lieutenant colonel; Major George W. Huntoon, to be inspector of rifle practice, to rank as lieutenant colonel; Dr. John A. Wheeler, to be assistant surgeon general and rank as lieutenant colonel, and S. D. Scholes, to be aid-de-camp.

#### RAILROAD MAN TO BE MINISTER

Neenah Ticket Agent Will Study for Orders in Episcopal Church.

Neenah, Wis., June 26.—L. B. Hastings, who has been local agent for the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road in this city for several years, has resigned his position and left for Suwanee, Tenn., where he will enter the University of the South and study for orders in the Episcopal church. He will devote the rest of his life to the priesthood. He is a son of Superintendent Hastings of the Milwaukee road.

#### IOWA ELKS HOLD A CARNIVAL

Over 10,000 Persons Gather at Davenport to View Floral Parade.

Davenport, Ia., June 26.—The Elks' carnival drew 10,000 people to this city, the attraction being the floral parade, in which Miss Thekla Haak was the Davenport queen, Miss Bessie Gilmore the Rock Island queen and Mrs. A. R. First the Moline queen, all chosen by ballot in their respective cities. To-day is Elks' day and excursions will arrive from all directions.

#### Gives Up Manchuria.

Pekin, June 26.—It is stated that in the recent mining and railway concession agreement with Russia a clause exists under which China virtually renounces all claims to sovereignty in Manchuria.

#### Gives Up Life for Babe.

Waukegan, Ill., June 26.—Joseph Kucher, the brave foreigner who, three weeks ago, imperiled his life to save his two-year-old son from in front of a Northwestern engine, died in the Lake county hospital.

#### Probe Church Claims.

Havana, June 26.—President Palma's cabinet decided to direct Senor Quesada, the Cuban minister at Washington, to obtain the data explanatory of the settlement of the claims of the church by Governor General Wood.

#### General Strike in Spain.

Madrid, June 26.—The long feared general strike among the agricultural workers of Andalusia has begun. A mob of strikers assaulted and scattered a large procession at Alicante.

# Illinois State News

#### POTATOES IN BRISK DEMAND

Buyers on the Ground at Nameoki Offer 60 Cents a Bushel.

There is sharp competition for the potatoes which are being shipped from Nameoki to the large markets. The potato digging season is now on, and hundreds of men are engaged in digging and hauling the potatoes. Nameoki is the center of activity in the potato-raising district in the American bottoms near Alton. Many representatives of commission houses are staying there and are buying up the potatoes when they are hauled to that point for shipment in cars to the markets of Chicago and St. Louis. The price paid was 60 cents a bushel, but competition for the tubers is so sharp it is expected the price will be advanced.

#### WEDDING IS A SOCIAL EVENT

Marriage of Miss Maude M. Brown to Felix J. Streycckmans.

One of the most brilliant social events of the season was the wedding of Miss Maude M. Brown of Chicago and Felix J. Streycckmans at the home



F. J. STREYCKMANS.

of the bride's parents. Both are well known in Chicago and Springfield and the ceremony was witnessed by many guests. Mr. Streycckmans is private secretary to H. J. Hamlin, attorney general of Illinois. Mr. Streycckmans and his bride will be at home in Springfield after July 4.

#### New Wheat Crop.

New wheat is now coming in to the Cairo mills. A shipment of the grain which came from Pulaski county graded No. 2, while another shipment from the same county graded lower. Some fine wheat has been received from Missouri. In fact, the Missouri wheat is generally superior to the wheat from this end of Illinois.

#### Franklin County Crops.

The crops in Franklin county are in want of rain. Hay, oats and potatoes are suffering and wheat has been considerably damaged by chinch bugs, which are also doing great injury to the growing corn. The farmers, in view of the fact that all the crops failed last year, are very much discouraged by the outlook.

#### Binder Injures Boy.

Archie Burchyett, aged 11 years, was seriously injured while driving a team for M. Otrich in a wheat field at East Cape Girardeau. The team became frightened and ran away, throwing the boy in front of a binder, the guards of which badly lacerated his right arm. He was also bruised about the body.

#### Vacation for Pastor.

The official board of the First Christian church of Charleston has voted its pastor, Rev. W. F. Shaw, a month's vacation, effective July 1.

#### THOMAS B. BLACKSTONE MEMORIAL LIBRARY.



The Thomas B. Blackstone Memorial Branch of the Chicago Public Library, which will be located at Forty-ninth street and Washington avenue, will be one of the finest edifices of its kind in the city. It will cost \$175,000, will hold 40,000 volumes and be of fireproof construction throughout. The plans show a structure following the pure Ionic order, crowned by a central dome. White granite will form the

#### EXPERIMENTS WITH GINSENG

Jefferson County Man Demonstrates It Can Be Raised There.

H. R. Allen of Jefferson county is experimenting in the culture of ginseng and so far has had good success, having demonstrated that the plant can be easily grown there. He now has 1,500 plants which are doing well. It will require six years before the plant will yield any returns. The root is used for medicine, etc., and is especially popular with the Chinese, who use it for many purposes.

#### EXPERTS ANALYZE THE SOIL

Seek to Ascertain Their Uses and Productive Capacity.

A corps of experts, including representatives of the bureau of soils of the United States department of agriculture and the agricultural department of the Illinois state university, are conducting an analysis of soils about Lebanon to determine the uses for which they are best adapted for productive purposes. They have lately completed similar work in Clinton and Tazewell counties.

#### Referendum and Ownership.

On July 5 a special election will be held in Pinckneyville for the purpose of voting on the proposition to grant a franchise to parties offering a bid, which has been accepted by the city council, subject to a vote of the people, to supply the city with twenty-five arc lights of 1,200 candle power each at a cost of \$1,980 annually, including the running of the pumps at the water plant for the sum of \$1,200 per year, in addition to the price of lighting, the city reserving the right to purchase the electric light plant any time after five years.

#### Religious Debate.

A joint religious discussion is being arranged for some time in August at Waltonville between Rev. Hughes of north Illinois, on behalf of the Universalists, and Rev. Todd of Indiana, on behalf of the Baptists. The discussion will be held at the Universalist church in Waltonville. Rev. Hughes is one of the ablest debaters of his denomination, is about 70 years of age and has participated in twenty similar discussions.

#### Congressional Convention.

After two failures to nominate a Democratic candidate for congress, the committee for the twenty-third congressional district has called another convention to meet at Mount Vernon July 15. Originally there were seven aspirants for the nomination, but since the last convention, which was held at Centalla on May 27, two others have shied their castors into the political ring.

#### Explosion Burns Girl.

A slight explosion in the factory of the Western Cartridge company at East Alton resulted in the injury of Miss Pearl Starkey, who was operating a machine for putting the primers in shells. An explosion occurred in the feeder of the primers and several thousand of the caps were set off. Miss Starkey was burned about the face and forehead, but suffered no dangerous injury.

#### Calhoun's Apple Crop.

There will not be a full crop of apples in Calhoun county this year. If there is a half crop it will go beyond the expectations of some conservative fruit growers. The "June drop" is in evidence and apples are falling. The best wheat crop known in Calhoun county for years is being harvested. It is estimated the crop will average thirty bushels per acre.

#### BUTTER MAKERS OF SANGAMON

Members Prepare for Fine Exhibit to Be Held Next Fall.

The Sangamon County Butter Makers' association has elected the following officers for the coming year: President, Mrs. Mildred Iles of Springfield; vice president, Mrs. J. M. Council of Lanesville, and secretary-treasurer, Mrs. E. A. Sterling of Springfield. Renewed interest is being manifested in the work of the association and the members are making arrangements for showing a particularly fine exhibit of their product next fall.

#### May Remove Boycott.

The troubles between the Alton building trades council and the Alton trades and labor assembly, which culminated in a boycott being placed on President Ralph Dixon of the building trades council and in a suit for criminal libel being instituted by Dixon against the officers of the trades and labor assembly, will be settled. Propositions have been made by the trades and labor assembly to withdraw the boycott if the proceedings for criminal libel are ended. Mr. Dixon will dismiss the suit if the boycott against his stone quarries is called off.

#### Diamond Anniversary.

The seventy-fifth anniversary of the organization of the Presbyterian church in Morgan county will be observed in Jacksonville June 28, 29 and 30. Rev. D. G. Schaaf of Cincinnati, Rev. John R. Sutherland of Burlington, Iowa, and Rev. S. M. Morton of St. Louis, who were formerly in charge of churches at Jacksonville, will take part in the exercises.

#### Hot Box Burns Binder.

Charles E. Brown, near Mount Vernon, suffered the loss of a new binder. He had been at work in the morning, having stopped for dinner, and when he returned to work he found the machine totally destroyed, having burned during his short absence. The origin of the fire is unknown, but is thought to have been the result of a hot box.

#### New Depot at Alton.

All the material for the new interlocking plant of the Big Four at East Alton has arrived and the work of constructing the plant will be started in a few days. It is also said that work on the new Big Four depot at East Alton will be started at once. The contract for the building has been let and the depot will cost \$4,000.

#### Struck by Lightning.

During an electrical storm Joseph La Beal, residing two miles east of Vandalla, was struck by lightning and for a time rendered unconscious. None of his family were at home at the time and he was discovered by a passerby lying in the yard. Near his head lay an earthen jar which was shattered by the electrical bolt.

#### Sues for Injuries.

Albert H. Ketcham has filed a suit against the city of Springfield for \$5,000, alleging damages to this amount, received from a defective sidewalk on Douglas street, between Twelfth and Thirteenth. He was a cripple at the time of the accident and suffered severely from his injuries.

#### Sunday School Picnic.

Dr. W. S. Wallace of Sparta, chairman of the committee on arrangements for the union Sunday school picnic to be held at Oak Park July 17, has appointed Prof. L. J. Sexton chairman of the programme committee and S. S. Taylor chairman of the committee on privileges.

#### Accused of Killing Her Babe.

Mrs. Emma M. Rasor of Staunton was conveyed to Carlinville and lodged in jail on the charge of murdering her babe. The child was born Saturday and an investigation resulted in the finding of the body of the infant wrapped in clothes in an out-building.

#### Find Petrified Foot.

Workmen engaged in sinking a well on the farm of Louis Kuntz, near the northwestern limits of Belleville, found a petrified human foot at a depth of eighteen feet below the surface. How it got there is a mystery.

#### Christian County Pioneers.

At a meeting of the vice presidents of the Christian County Old Settlers' association it was decided to hold the next reunion at Palmer, August 20 and 21, 1902.

#### High Price for Farm.

The Henry Cassell farm of 100 acres near Decatur has been sold to a Shelby county farmer at \$180 per acre.

#### Jasper County Apples.

The indications are that the apple crop of Jasper county will be abundant. There is some complaint of the fruit dropping, but practical orchardists assert that notwithstanding this the trees will contain all or more than they ought to bear.

#### Clinton County Wheat.

A number of farmers in Clinton county have had their wheat thrashed. It is of excellent quality. The yield is from eighteen to thirty-five bushels to the acre.



# BRITAIN'S MONARCH NEAR DEATH

## King Edward VII. Stricken with Fatal Illness on the Eve of His Coronation—All Ceremonies Indefinitely Postponed—Operation Performed in the Hope of Saving Life—Guests Go Home.

Upon the eve of his coronation, stricken while the world waited to applaud, Edward VII. emperor and rex, lies suffering and helpless in his gorgeous palace in his capital of London, scarcely saved from immediate death from perityphilitis by the torture of a surgeon's knife.

London, thronged with envoys from every nation under heaven, the streets filled as they never were before with crowds come to pay a loving homage and the vast stands and balconies towering in expectant grandeur where the coronation procession was to pass, all testify to the glories and the honor prepared for this man. And he, no

will rest upon the people themselves. Thousands of people in London are utterly bankrupt by the change of plans and throughout the country indescribable consternation prevails.

An order was issued by the archbishop of Canterbury, the Most Rev. Frederick Temple, and the archbishop of York, the Most Rev. William D. MacLagan, appointing special forms for the intercession services held Thursday.

A large congregation in St. Paul's cathedral listened to the bishop of Stepney, who is one of King Edward's intimate friends. The bishop asked his congregation to pray for his maj-

KING EDWARD VII. OF ENGLAND.



British Monarch, Who Lies Stricken with Serious Illness on the Eve of His Coronation.

the coronation would have to be postponed she quietly answered:

"Have I not felt that this would happen?" and asked:

"How does the king bear it?"

Upon receiving an assuring reply Queen Alexandra exerted herself to appear cheerful and to devise means to lessen the king's grief and disappointment, although she was evidently greatly distressed.

The idea was mooted in some influential quarters that with a view of preventing the disappointment of the public Queen Alexandra should be crowned alone and the king should be crowned in a comparatively private manner upon his recovery. This idea was discussed, but it was rejected as a procedure calculated to mislead the public mind as to the purely relative importance of the queen consort.

The pope and the king of Italy and other monarchs have cabled anxious inquiries concerning King Edward's progress, and dispatches received from all parts of the world reflect the intensity of feeling occasioned by the unexpected news of his majesty's illness and sympathy with the British nation.

A significant feature and one which indicates the serious aspect of the king's condition is the fact that no orders were issued for the troops now in London to return to their various posts. Nor will there be any such orders issued until it is known whether they will be required for the funeral of the ruler or not. There is a growing fear that the whole pageantry will have to be changed from one of joy to one of woe.

Portsmouth is perhaps the keenest sufferer among all who lose financially as a result of the postponement of the coronation. The harvest Portsmouth expected to reap from the naval review will now be lost to the city.

The bonfires which top the hills of the United Kingdom from John O'Great's to Land's End will not be lighted; they will be kept intact, however, in the hope of the celebration being held at a later date.

King Edward is in a room facing the beautiful gardens of Buckingham palace and far from the noisy street and the crowd. If the present progress is maintained he will probably tide over the effects of his severe operation, which has successfully removed the local trouble.

But should any complication occur, such as septic peritonitis or blood poisoning, it is feared his majesty's present physical and nervous condition would prove unequal to the strain involved. There is consequently intense anxiety as to the outcome.

The king's doctors believe that his majesty would have been dead before now except for the operation. His condition became so alarming that at one time it was feared death might ensue before the surgeon's knife could afford him relief.

Intense swelling of the extremities, accompanied by alarming symptoms of mortification, constituted the emergency which demanded an immediate operation. To the last the king tried to avoid this and he was willing to be carried to the abbey for the coronation in order that it should occur as arranged.

The influence of Queen Alexandra was enlisted, however, and the royal patient was prepared for the operation, which even the skillful hands of England's best surgeons was fraught with grave danger.

Sir Frederick Treves performed the operation, which it is claimed was successful.

King Edward's first words when he returned to consciousness were to ask for "George," and the Prince of Wales, who was waiting in the next room, was immediately admitted to his father's presence.

While the operation was being performed the great central courtyard of Buckingham palace, so lately the scene of such brilliant gatherings, was utterly deserted and an impressive silence reigned throughout the building. The equestrian talks in whippers, servants tiptoed about and the tension grew almost unbearable. Then the word was passed around "all had gone well."

Lord Salisbury and Mr. Balfour then went in to congratulate Queen Alexandra, and afterward an informal and historic discussion occurred between the Prince of Wales and the Duke of Connaught and Lord Salisbury, Mr. Balfour and several other members of the cabinet, at which it was decided to proceed with affairs without securing the king's signature.

Personal messages of sympathy and expressions of sorrow were made by many of the leading diplomats in the city. Foremost among these were the expressions from the American colony.

Whitelaw Reid declared that he was pained beyond expression and could find no words to convey the earnestness of his hope that the king's illness would speedily yield to treat-

ment. He added that the king's gracious manner to his own people and to the representatives of other nations had made every emperor, king and president glad to send special representatives to felicitate him on his assumption of the crown of England.

Chauncey M. Depew voiced the sentiment of the official American contingent when he asserted that the king's illness went to the heart of every American and inspired an earnest prayer for his majesty's well-being.

### DISASTER WAS FORETOLD.

Prophecy Made That the King Would Not Be Crowned.

King Edward has long been haunted with a superstitious fear, engendered by several prophecies to the effect that he would never be crowned.

Reports have been current in London that the king has been much depressed over these prophecies, and at times has appeared moody and mor-



rose. It is said that he was apprehensive that he would never see his coronation day.

There is an old story that at the time of Edward's birth a prophecy was made which ran:

"King shall Edward be, but never shall he be crowned."

Another prophecy of a like foreboding nature was made early in the present year by Cheiro, the Parisian palmist, who predicted the death of Queen Victoria six months before it occurred. Cheiro said:

"The new king, near the months of May or June this year, will be in serious danger of his life."

Companies have been demanding a premium of 20 per cent on policies insuring the coronation within the month.

June 26, which was the date King Edward selected for his coronation, is the same date originally fixed for the crowning of Victoria in 1838. The young queen insisted upon changing it to June 28, because June 26 was the anniversary of the death of King George IV.

When the white coronation robes were decided upon it was pointed out that they had only been used on three occasions, and, curiously enough, each wearer came to a violent end. Richard II. was crowned in white satin. Next was the unfortunate Henry VI. Despite the strong persuasion of the Earl of Pembroke, Charles I. was also invested at his coronation in white satin.

The king has always had a superstition that he would never be crowned. It was pointed out by the super-

stitious that in the program of the procession in the thirteenth carriage was to be seated the Duke d'Aosta of Italy, Archduke Francis Ferdinand of Austria and hereditary Grand Duke Michael of Russia, all representatives of dynasties which have felt the hand of the assassin.

In February, 1901, the king's "expectation" was figured at fourteen years. With allowance for "moral hazard" this was reduced to ten years. Four big insurance companies in New York reported the king a bad risk. A New York doctor said he had Bright's disease.

An old gypsy saying passed through London to the effect that the "Prince of Wales would be killed as soon as a great honor was conferred upon him."

From Edward I. down sorrow, warfare and domestic tragedy have attended the Edwards. England hoped the magic number seven might turn the frown of fate from the Edwards. Edward I. spent most of his days rolling up trouble for himself and incurring a general hatred by his bitter warfare against Scotland.

Edward II., profligate and weakling, was murdered in prison.

Edward III. lived to see his only son—the Black Prince, whom he idolized—die and himself died knowing he was to be succeeded by a vacillating, delicate grandson, who might upset the grand dynasty the Black Prince and his father had built up.

Edward IV., after usurping England's throne and causing the death of Henry VI., lived but a short time in a court rent with dissensions; then, while young, died of disease.

Edward V. was murdered in the Tower of London by order of his father's brother, the Duke of Gloucester, afterward Richard III.

Edward VI. died while still a mere boy.

Edward VII. has been compelled to wait until he was over 60 before ascending the throne. Now, with the crown just within his grasp, he is stricken and may die an uncrowned king.

### POSSIBILITY OF A REGENCY.

Though Remote, Great Britain May Be Without a Hereditary Ruler.

A regency for Great Britain would only be possible in the event of the death of King Edward and his eldest son, the prince of Wales, duke of Cornwall and York. The latter is far above his majority and would succeed immediately. But all things are possible and even he may die before he becomes king and before his eldest son, Prince George, reaches his majority. In that event it will become the duty of parliament to designate the person upon whom the mantle of authority shall fall and be exercised during the heir's minority.

The British law of succession contemplates a regency, but is not explicit as to the person upon whom its duties shall devolve. The one selected is usually the next of kin to the future ruler—the father or mother preferably. This rule would give to the present princess of Wales, the wife of the duke of Cornwall and York, the royal place for a time. In case of her disability from any cause Queen Alexandra might be designated as the guardian of her grandson and the instrument of giving validity to royal decrees. But the contingency of a regency is exceedingly remote and is perhaps scarcely worth considering at this time.

## NURSE TOPPAN KILLS PATIENTS

### Woman Tells of Having Poisoned Thirty-one Persons in Ten Years.

#### CONFESSES TO HER COUNSEL

Is the Most Remarkable Criminal in History, Taking the Life of Those She Waited on to Satisfy a Craving to See Them Die.

Jane Toppan, the trained nurse acquitted of the charge of murder on grounds of insanity and sent to the asylum at Taunton, Mass., for life, says she has poisoned thirty-one persons during the last ten years. She says she has never felt remorse. Inspired by a mania, which fed on seeing a person die, she says she gave them poison and watched their death struggles.

The woman has given to her counsel, Judge Fred M. Bixby, the names of thirty-one persons whom she was called to nurse and to whom she administered fatal doses of morphine and atropine. Among them are men and women who were attended by the leading physicians of Cambridge, Somerville and Lowell. It is Miss Toppan's boast that in no instance did the physician suspect that death was the result of other than natural causes.

#### Has No Parallel.

If even a small part of her story is true, Jane Toppan stands as the greatest criminal ever arraigned at the bar in the United States. It is doubtful if, as a pioneer who successfully duped scores of men and women during her career, she has been equaled by any one of homicidal mania in modern times. Certainly none of standard medico-legal works contains a parallel case. In no volume in print have the authorities and investigators revealed such a multitude of offenses against law and nature.

The three alienists who examined into Jane Toppan's sanity marveled and thought she was an extraordinary criminal, when she confessed to them that she had poisoned eleven persons and attempted to kill two others. But to these men she told only one-third of the tale of her professional career.

#### Admits Poisoning.

Since her incarceration Jane Toppan has only once denied that she poisoned Mrs. Gibbs, Mrs. Gordon and Mr. Davis at Cataumet, which cases first started the investigation that led to her arrest, indictment, trial and sentence to the Taunton insane asylum for life. The exception was her old friend and junior counsel, James Stewart Murphy of Lowell. She hesitated to unfold the story of her acts to the friend of her youth. To her senior counsel and to the experts she has been frank, concealing nothing and telling that which was never suspected.

To Judge Bixby, upon his first visit, she made the tales of Lucretia Borgia appear mild. Her counsel went to the jail expecting to listen to an ordinary story of a professional nurse, satisfactorily accounting for the deaths of the three members of the Davis family at Cataumet, all of whom never were considered by their relatives and friends to have been strong physically. But before the lawyer left he was conscious of the fact that he had, if she was telling even a small part of the truth, become counsel for the most persistent, successful, unaffected criminal of centuries.

## R. N. RAMSAY'S ESTATE MUST PAY STATE BOND

### Shortage of the Late James D. Baker, Former Warden at Chester, Must Be Made Good.

Carlyle, Ill., dispatch: The supreme court of Illinois has decided that the state of Illinois is entitled to \$17,539 from the estate of the late Rufus N. Ramsay, formerly state treasurer. During the administration of John P. Altgeld the office of warden of the penitentiary at Chester was held by James D. Baker, now dead. When he retired he was discovered to be short as warden and treasurer of the hospital for the criminal insane at Chester the above amount. Ramsay was one of his bondsmen with Henry Selter of Lebanon. A claim for the shortage was filed against the estate of Ramsay and allowed. The claim was contested by the administrators. The circuit, appellate and supreme courts in turn affirmed the lower tribunal.

#### Finds Lost Gold Mine.

Helena, Mont., special: An old bed in Last Chance Creek, which produced \$15,000,000 in gold, has been found by a well digger after thirty-five years' search. It may prove another bonanza.

#### Is Killed by Nihilists.

Paris cablegram: A telegram from Eydtkuhen says that two Nihilists shot and killed M. Lotz, secretary to the governor of Warsaw, as he was passing through Coswollin. Neither of the assassins has been arrested.

#### Dies from Fractured Skull.

Warsaw, Ind., dispatch: Edna and Elsie Beigh, daughters of Nelson J. Beigh of Claypool, were thrown from a carriage in a runaway and the former died from a fractured skull.

## CHRONOLOGY OF THE KING'S LIFE

Age to-day, 60 years, 7 months, 15 days.

Born in Buckingham palace, London, Nov. 9, 1841, in the fifth year of his mother's reign.

Second child and first son of Alexandra Victoria, queen of England, and the prince consort, Albert of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha.

Created prince of Wales and earl of Chester Dec. 4, 1841.

Baptized in St. George's chapel, Windsor castle, Jan. 24, 1842, as Albert Edward, the first name being that of his father, the second that of his grandfather, the duke of Kent. King of Prussia his sponsor.

Education for the six years following conducted by Lady Lyttleton, sister of Mrs. William Ewart Gladstone.

Attained his eighteenth year Nov. 9, 1859, and so became legal heir to the crown, receiving on that day a letter from his mother announcing his emancipation from parental control.

Became colonel in the army and received the Order of the Garter on the same day.

Visited the United States and Canada in 1860.

Married Princess Alexandra of Denmark, March 10, 1863.

Grand master of British Masons, 1874.

Visited Egypt and India, 1875.

Visited Ireland, 1885.

Attended wedding of czar's daughter at St. Petersburg, April, 1894.

Won the Derby with Persimmon, 1896.

Grand master of the Bath, 1897.

Took the title of Edward VII., king of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and emperor of India at a meeting of the privy council on Jan. 23, 1901, the day after his mother's death.

At 4 o'clock of the same day the lords and commons took the oath of allegiance to the new sovereign.

Proclaimed king throughout his realms Jan. 24, 1901.

Opened his first parliament in person Feb. 14, 1901.

Proclaimed the day of his coronation for June 26, 1902, on Dec. 10, 1901.



THE KING AND HIS FAMILY.

FROM A PHOTO NOW PUBLISHED FOR THE FIRST TIME. THE KING, QUEEN AND PRINCESS OF WALES IN THE FIRST ROW; PRINCE OF WALES AND PRINCESS VICTORIA IN THE SECOND ROW. THE CHILDREN ARE THE LITTLE "WALESES."



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### HE GOT THE GOODS.

A Business Deal Between Potter  
Palmer and A. T. Stewart.

"At the time of the civil war," said an old merchant, "Potter Palmer was in the dry goods business in Chicago, and Levi Z. Leiter and Marshall Field were working for him. Palmer wasn't so well known, but he had a good reputation in the trade, and he didn't have to introduce himself when he called on old A. T. Stewart to buy some goods. After some dickering they agreed upon the price, and Palmer calmly said that he would take about \$100,000 worth. It was a little larger bill than Stewart exactly cared to sell young Palmer on credit, but he concluded to make the deal and told him to come in the next morning and arrange some final details. That night some big war news came, and it didn't require any declaration by the government to inform every dry goods man in the country that the price of goods would take a big spurt up. Stewart recognized it as soon as he had the news, and he immediately thought of Palmer. He also thought of the big bill of goods Palmer had bought of him. It didn't particularly tickle Stewart, that thought didn't. But it required only a few scratches of his red head to fix things to his satisfaction. He would simply tell Palmer that he was sorry, but that he didn't feel that he could sell such a big bill on credit, and as he knew that Palmer couldn't raise the cash immediately, why, that would end it, and the sale would be off. Well, young Palmer called early, and Stewart greeted him in his very abruptest manner, telling him how sorry he was, etc., but really he didn't think it wise business to extend credit for such an amount.

"Just how much does the bill come to?" said young Palmer, seemingly sorrowful-like.

"Just \$110,000," Stewart replied, and then he straightway gulped for breath as young Palmer drew an immense pocketbook from his inside vest pocket and, opening it, counted out 110 thousand dollar bills, and laying them quietly on Stewart's desk, said: "If you will kindly count them and give me a receipt, I'll be obliged, as I must take the next train home. Ship the goods soon as you can, and when you're out our way drop in. Always glad to see our friends."—New York Times.

### AROUND THE HOUSE.

If marks and stains are on papered walls, try French chalk on a piece of dry bread gently rubbed in.

To keep hardwood floors smooth and clean rub them with waste and warm paraffin oil and polish with dry waste.

Muslin curtains may be rendered less inflammable by rinsing them in alum water—two ounces of alum to one gallon of water.

To clean mirrors dip a cloth in methylated spirits and rub on the mirror. Allow it to dry on before polishing with a soft duster.

Galvanized iron pails for drinking water should not be used. The zinc coating is rapidly acted upon by the water, forming a poisonous oxide of zinc.

Make a splendid furniture polish by taking a wineglassful of olive oil, one of vinegar and two tablespoonfuls of alcohol; apply with a soft cloth and polish with fannel.

Rugs, mats or carpets can be cleaned thoroughly by generously sprinkling on them yellow cornmeal that has been well dampened in clean soap suds or weak ammonia water. Sweep off in a few minutes.

### Sensory Transmission.

It has been found that sensation is not absolutely instantaneous, but that a very minute time elapses as it travels along the nerves. Therefore, if a person put his finger to a heated iron or in the blaze of a candle there is a certain almost inconceivably small space of time, say the one-thousandth part of a second, before the brain knows of the burn. Now, suppose a man with an arm long enough to reach the sun. From the known rate of sensory transmission that man would have to live more than 100 years after touching the great luminary before he would know that his fingers had been scorched!

### Showed It Clearly.

A man who was called on to address a Sunday school in a Pennsylvania town took the familiar theme of the children who mocked Elijah on his journey to Bethel—how the youngsters taunted the poor old prophet, and how they were punished when the two she bears came out of the wood and ate forty-two of them. "And now, children," said the speaker, "wishing to learn if his talk had produced any moral effect, 'what does this story show?'"

"Please, sir," came from a little girl well down in front, "it shows how many children two she bears can hold!"

### A Difficult Case.

First Lawyer—How did you come out in settling up old Gotrox's estate?

Second Lawyer—It was a hard struggle.

"No!"

"Yes; I had hard work to keep the heirs from getting part of the estate."—Ohio State Journal.

Mont Pelée is certainly incorrigible. It recently plastered with hot mud one of our best advertised scientists.

### Ordinance No. 80.

An ordinance granting to Edward W. Stees the right, permission and authority to locate, lay down, construct, maintain and operate a single or double track railway across certain streets in the village of Barrington.

Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the village of Barrington, in the counties of Cook and Lake and state of Illinois.

SECTION 1. That in consideration of the acceptance of all the terms, conditions, provisions and limitations hereof and the undertaking by Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, at all times hereafter, to comply with all the terms, conditions, provisions, limitations and considerations herein contained, the right, permission, consent and authority are hereby granted to the said Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, for the period of fifty (50) years from the passage hereof to locate, lay down, construct, maintain and operate a single or double track railway with all necessary curves, turnouts, switches and sidetracks, and to operate cars thereupon for the transportation of persons and property, by any mechanical power whatever, across the following named streets in the village of Barrington, viz: Across Main street, parallel with and within fifty (50) feet of the Elgin, Joliet & Eastern railway; and across Walnut street North of, parallel with and within fifty (50) feet of the Elgin, Joliet & Eastern railway.

SECTION 2. The said Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, shall also have the right to connect the railway with any other railway tracks which are now, and may hereafter be located in said village of Barrington, subject to the consent of the company owning said tracks, and for the purpose of making such connections, to lay down and construct all suitable switches, curves and connections across intersecting streets, alleys and highways, and to operate cars and equipment upon or over such railway with which it may so connect, subject however to the consent, as aforesaid, of the company owning said tracks.

SECTION 3. The track or tracks authorized to be constructed by this ordinance shall be laid and completed, and said railway shall be in operation within the period of twenty-four months from the date of the passage of this ordinance, and its acceptance as herein stated, and unless so completed and in operation within said time, then at the expiration of the said period of twenty-four months, the right, permission, consent and authority hereby granted to construct and operate the same shall be forfeited and be thereafter null and void, and all rights and privileges herein granted shall thereupon, without notice, revert to the said village of Barrington, without compensation in any manner. To the said Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, shall be restrained or prevented from proceeding with the work upon said railway by the order or writ of any court, the time which said Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns shall be added to the time herein prescribed for the completion of said railway tracks and the operation of said railway. The said village of Barrington shall have the right, however, to intervene in any suit for the injunction to restrain said Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, and move for the dissolution of the injunction in the name of the said Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, or otherwise in case such suit shall be deemed by the said village of Barrington collusive or for the purpose of delay or extending time for the completion of said tracks and operation of said railway.

SECTION 4. The tracks of said railway shall not be elevated above the surface or grade of said streets, as the same are now or may be hereafter made or established by said village, said village hereby reserving the right to alter or change said grade at pleasure, and said tracks shall be laid, raised or lowered and maintained to conform thereto by the said Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns. The right of way of said railway where it crosses the said streets to be planked with good pine plank inside and outside the rails and so maintained by the said Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns to the satisfaction of the village board of said village of Barrington. All rails shall be so laid that the top surface thereof shall be flush and on a level with the upper surface of the street where laid.

SECTION 5. The said Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, shall within twenty-four months from the date of the passage of this ordinance and acceptance as hereinafter specified, maintain and run at least four (4) passenger trains or electric cars, meaning two (2) each way, over said railway, to and from the village of Barrington, Cook and Lake counties, Illinois, to the village of Wauconda, Lake county, Illinois, every twenty-four (24) hours, the rate of fare to be charged between the said village of Barrington and the said village of Wauconda shall not exceed fifteen (15) cents for each passenger. And the rate of fare for one continuous ride over said railway shall not exceed five cents within the corporate limits of the village of Barrington.

SECTION 6. The right, permission and authority hereby given and granted, are so given and granted upon the further condition that before the issuance of the permit hereafter provided, to the said Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns to proceed with the construction of its tracks across the streets specified, said Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns shall execute a bond with good and sufficient sureties to the village of Barrington in the penal sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000), conditioned to indemnify and save harmless the said village of Barrington from all damages judgments, decrees, loss, costs and expenses which may accrue or arise by reason of the construction of said railway or any part thereof. The said bond to be subject to the approval of Finance and Judiciary com-

mittee as to its form and sufficiency.

SECTION 7. Should said Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, fail or refuse to comply with any of the terms or conditions of this ordinance, or to operate said railway in accordance with the provisions hereof and such failure or refusal shall continue for a period of thirty days (unless such failure shall result from unavoidable accident) the said village may at its option at any time thereafter declare the rights herein granted forfeited upon sixty days written notice to said Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns of its intention so to do, and said rights shall thereafter cease and determine and be forever null and void, provided, however, that it shall be the duty of said village to briefly state in said notice the acts of omission or commission, and said Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns shall have the right within the said sixty days named in said notice in which to correct or remedy the same, and in case the same shall be so remedied within the time aforesaid, there shall be no right to declare this ordinance forfeited.

SECTION 8. The said Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns shall at all times save and keep harmless the village of Barrington from any and all damages, judgments, decrees and costs connected therewith which may accrue against said village of Barrington by reason of the granting of the rights and privileges herein contained, or which may in any way accrue, arise or grow out of the exercise by said Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, of the rights and privileges hereby granted.

SECTION 9. Before proceeding with the construction of said railway across the streets specified herein the said Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns shall procure from the president and village clerk of said village of Barrington a permit certifying that the conditions hereof as to the execution and approval of the bond heretofore mentioned have been duly complied with, and that said bond has been delivered to the village clerk, and that permission is therefore granted to proceed with laying the tracks across the streets specified herein.

SECTION 10. The right, permission, consent and authority hereby given and granted are so given and granted upon the further condition that the said Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns shall within twenty-four months from the date of the passage of this ordinance and its acceptance as herein stated by said Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, establish and maintain during the term of this franchise a neat and suitable depot or station on the line of the said railway within the corporate limits of the said village of Barrington for the purpose of receiving and unloading passengers and which depot or station shall be provided with suitable room or rooms for passengers or protection of property, and said franchise is hereby granted upon the further condition and consideration that in no case shall the space occupied by the said railway in crossing the streets specified herein exceed the distance of one hundred feet.

SECTION 11. In the construction, operation and maintenance of said railway the said Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns shall be subject to and comply with all general ordinances of the village of Barrington now in force or that may hereafter be adopted, not inconsistent with the rights hereby granted.

All the provisions of this ordinance shall extend and apply to and be binding upon the heirs, executors, administrators or assigns of said Edward W. Stees.

SECTION 12. This ordinance shall take effect when the said Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns shall accept in writing the terms and conditions of this ordinance, provided that if the said Edward W. Stees, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns shall not file with the village clerk an acceptance in writing of this ordinance within ten days from the passage hereof then this ordinance shall be of no force and effect, and all rights herein granted shall absolutely cease and determine.

Passed May 26, A. D. 1902.

The within and above ordinance became a law without the signature of the President of the Village Board by statutory limitation.

LEWIS H. BENNETT,  
village clerk.

### Read it in His Newspaper.

George Schaub, a well known German citizen of New Lebanon, Ohio, is a constant reader of the Dayton Volkzeitung. He knows that this paper aims to advertise only the best in its columns, and when he saw Chamberlain's Pain Balm advertised therein for lame back, he did not hesitate in buying a bottle of it for his wife, who for eight weeks had suffered with the most terrible pains in her back and could get no relief. He says: "After using the Pain Balm for a few days my wife said to me 'I feel as though born anew,' and before using the contents of the bottle the unbearable pains had entirely vanished and she could again take up her household duties." He is very thankful and hopes that all suffering likewise will hear of her wonderful recovery. This valuable liniment is for sale by all druggists.

### Announcement.

Confident I may lawfully hold the office for the coming term I hereby announce myself as a candidate for county-treasurer subject to the approval of the Lake County Republican convention.

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### WAUCONDA.

Fourth of July next.

H. Maiman and J. Brand were Chicago visitors Tuesday.

J. F. Grosvenor called on friends in our village Saturday and Sunday.

A large number of our teachers attended the institute at Waukegan this week.

Clarence Hill returned to Chicago Wednesday, after spending a few days with relatives here.

Earl Harrison and Perle Pratt of Chicago came out Monday to spend a two weeks vacation.

Mrs. Asel Stevens and son of Waukegan are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hill.

Herman Maiman and cousin, Miss Mamie Maiman, visited with relatives and friends at Des Plaines the first of the week.

Arther Graham, who has been spending the past few months in Chicago taking osteopath treatment, returned home Wednesday, greatly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Demick returned to their home in Chicago Thursday after spending the past two weeks with friends and relatives in our village and vicinity.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jenks Friday morning, June 13, a bouncing 13-pound baby boy. Mother and child are doing nicely and C. E. is the happiest man in town because it is a boy.

Miss Jennie Brooks entertained several of her friends at her home Thursday evening. Although the pleasure was somewhat marred by the rain, as it was intended to be a lawn party, the guests assembled in the house and spent the evening most enjoyably. Refreshments were served and a most pleasant time is reported.

Ten members of the Woman's Relief Corps went to Barrington Wednesday to attend the celebration of the Barrington W. R. C. flag day. They arrived in Barrington just in time to join in the regular services of the meeting, after which the flag day exercises were taken up. The affair concluded with refreshments, consisting of coffee, sandwiches, ice cream and cake, to which the Wauconda members did ample justice. They arrived home about 8:30 o'clock without the loss of any gloves or mittens and are high in their praise of the enjoyable entertainment the Barrington Corps afforded them.

Married, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Ray, at Diamond Lake, Wednesday, June 25, Mr. John Hodge and Miss Ruth Ray, Rev. Anderson of Rockefeller performing the ceremony. Miss Mathilda Mitchell, cousin of the bride, acted as bridesmaid and Mr. Paul Ray, brother of the bride, acted as groomsmen. Only immediate relatives were present and after the conclusion of the ceremony an elegant banquet was served. Mr. Hodge was formerly a resident here, but for the past two years has acted as principal of the Rockefeller schools, where he has won the esteem of all. Miss Ray is a most estimable young lady, having taught the Rockefeller primary school for the past year. We wish the young couple a most happy and successful career through life.

### LAKE ZURICH.

Chas Kohl was a Chicago visitor Wednesday.

Jno. Forbes and wife visited at Fox River Monday.

Nick Linden is now assistant in Feddler's market.

Teddy Ficke is now busy painting the exchange building.

Willis Torrence, of Wauconda, was a caller in this village Tuesday.

Miss Ama Meyer left for Chicago Thursday for a visit with her relatives there.

Chas. Klepper and wife are entertaining relatives from Long Grove this week.

A. W. Worts, traveling auditor of the E. J. & E. R.R., was here Wednesday.

Carl Hewitzer made a lucky catch in the shape of 11 pickers from the lake Wednesday evening.

Remember the Fourth of July celebration at Barrington will be a hummer. Come and take part.

A. J. Raymond, of Volo, candidate for county treasurer, was here looking after his interests last Sunday.

Herman Prehm is representing the township of Ela at the republican convention at Peoria this week.

## BLOOMS THAT POISON

ODORS OF FLOWERS THAT ARE HARMFUL TO HEALTH.

Beware of the Poppy, as it Contains Opium and Induces Drowsiness. Tulips That Are Dangerous and Produce Light Headedness.

The majority of people think that the tulip has no smell, and this is true of a great number of the fashionable variegated kinds. The old self colored sorts, however, particularly those of a deep crimson hue, have a powerful odor, which is dangerous when inhaled. This odor is of saffron flavor and affects many people in a very peculiar manner. If breathed deeply, it has the effect of producing light headedness, which continues for some time, causing the sufferer to do and say all manner of remarkable and ridiculous things. Its influence often lasts for an hour or two and is followed by deep depression.

Another common flower whose odor has evil properties is the poppy. This is doubtless due to the quantity of opium which the blossom contains. Numbers of individuals, especially young ladies of highly strung temperament, complain of the drowsy sensation which comes after walking through a field of these flowers and afterward of violent headaches and a disinclination to move about. In Asia Minor, where the poppy is grown in vast quantities for the purpose of extracting the drug, tourists are frequently incapacitated for many hours after inspecting a poppy plantation, and two cases of death among English tourists were traced to the same cause last year.

All flowers grown from bulbs are dangerous in rooms where there is illness. Although bunches of flowers are invariably taken as presents to patients, such blooms as hyacinths, lilies of the valley, tuberose and even daffodils and narcissuses should be carefully avoided. The perfume is as dangerous to a person in a critical state of health as a dose of morphia would be, without possessing the benefits which that drug sometimes confers.

Perhaps the most remarkable effect which any garden flower has on the human body is that which follows the handling of the particular variety of primula known as obconica. Experienced gardeners are always careful to wear gloves when potting this plant, as should there be ever such a slight scratch or prick on the hands or fingers, evil results are almost certain to follow.

The first noticeable result is a slight itching of the hands and arms, and this precedes the breaking out of a skin disease which frequently extends to the body. It dies away in the autumn when the leaves fall, and by Christmas the sufferer is free, but the primula has by no means finished its deadly work; When spring comes again and the sap rises in plants and trees, the dread disease makes its reappearance and continues all through the summer.

This continues for many years, frequently for the whole of the victim's lifetime, and there is no known remedy for it, although years of the most rigid dieting have in some cases produced a diminution in its violence. If blood poisoning by the primula obconica does not take this form, it brings about the still more dreadful erysipelas. Cases of poisoning through eating the berries of the belladonna, or deadly nightshade, are all too frequent but there is the gravest danger in even handling this attractive plant.

It is a very common practice in the country among parties of young people to pick the berries and flick them at each other with the fingers for sport. Then, when heated by the fun and fistulade, the face is sometimes mopped with a handkerchief upon which fingers sticky with the juice of the berries have been wiped.

Should but just a little of this get into one of the eyes a fearful calamity may ensue. Iritis, or paralysis of the iris of the eye, which invariably results in blindness, has been known to come on, and against this dread disease medical skill has as yet proved unavailing. This, too, is in face of the paradoxical fact that treatment with tincture of belladonna is the one usually adopted in the elementary stages of iritis.

The fainty heroine who is so often to be heard of as idly plucking to pieces the petals of a flower must beware which blossoms she chooses for the purpose. Lilies, begonias, rhododendrons and peonies are likely to set up festers, with consequent loss of finger nails, if treated in this way.—London Answers.

### Russia's Many Holidays.

In addition to the fifty-two Sundays Russia has about thirty-nine holidays or feast days of the church. They are kept as rigidly almost as a London Sunday. Business ceases except in nooks and corners, while drunkenness, the bane of the Russian, cripples work for twenty-four or forty-eight hours after each feast. In round numbers there are thirty days on which the western world works while the Russian stands idle.—Scribner's Magazine.

### Dog's Fate Not Such a Happy One.

Higgins—They talk of leading a dog's life as though anything could be more pleasant. A dog does not have to work for a living, and he does not have to dress and undress every day. Higgins—True; but think of the wretched truths that are tried upon the dog!—Boston Transcript.

### The Backward Tenant's Peril.

The man who owes his landlord lives, figuratively speaking, over a volcano. Why? Because he is likely to be blown up.—Philadelphia Times.

The story going the rounds of the press about the keeper of a country store in Connecticut who accidentally burned up a pocketbook containing \$800 reminds the Alken (S. C.) Recorder of a queer incident in 1862 of which it claims to have personal knowledge. In that year, says the Recorder, when Captain Mickler, a noted Confederate scout, was prying among the Federals around Hilton head, he, with a few comrades, raided a United States quartermaster's store, captured the guards and among other booty brought back about a peck of United States green-back notes. And in order to injure the enemy's government as much as possible they made a bonfire of the "Yankee money." Three years afterward these men would have been very glad to have had a small portion of that same money. The burning of an enemy's money was certainly an original method of showing hostility.

Joaquin Miller, writing in the literary supplement of the New York Times, says that Bret Harte was always disgusted with the "He then Chinese" glory and always begged his friends never to mention it. Once Miller and Harte went to breakfast with Lord Houghton in London, and on the way Harte asked if the guests would be likely to quote from that awful poem. This prompted Miller to tip Lord Houghton a wink, and the jolly old nobleman gave the tip to a lot of good fellows at his table, and they all talked nothing else. However, Harte soon saw through the joke, and he never betrayed his impatience on the subject again.

In the early days of his journalistic career Frank R. Stockton was standing with a group of newspaper men, listening to the eloquence of one of their number, who on the strength of some small authority was giving his views on "higher journalism" in a pompous and bombastic manner.

At the close of a sonorous period he paused for breath, when Stockton, speaking for the first time, ventured mildly to disagree with the opinion expressed.

"Who are you to dispute me?" blazed the great man. "Why, you are only a literary hack!"

"Not even that," responded Stockton meekly. "I'm only a coupe."

### The Souls He Saved.

The pastor called at a Columbus home the other day, where little Freddie, a bright youngster, is a great pet. Freddie had previously heard his mother say that the pastor was very successful in saving souls.

During a pause in the conversation Freddie, who was sitting on the pastor's knee, asked:

"Do you save souls?"

"Yes, Freddie," replied the man of the cloth.

"With you tell me," went on Freddie seriously, "how many souls you got saved up?"—Ohio State Journal.

### A Small Philosopher.

Little George is an embryonic philosopher. He said the other day at table, "Now, when I sit in my chair my feet won't touch the floor, but when I walk around they touch the floor just as well as anybody's."—Woman's Home Companion.

Habit is the modern slavery, and the will of the individual is the only emancipation.—Saturday Evening Post.

## Gray?

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### CHAPTER IV. Desperate Tactics.

About this time Merrick's attention was drawn to a commotion in the crowd, caused, as he soon discovered, by the advance of a tall figure that pushed and pressed with a determination nothing could daunt.

Of course it was Jones. Mark slapped him on the back, and the look of anxiety upon Jones' bronzed and rugged face at once gave way to one of pleasure as he turned to look upon his comrade.

"Not hurt? Good! We're off at an early hour."

"For where?"

"Oh! Monte Carlo."

Merrick looked at him—he saw the glow of triumph in Jones' eyes, and did not need to be told of the success that had come.

"You secured it," he whispered, remembering that there might be emissaries of Count Leon in the crowd around them, and not desirous of giving them more points than were necessary.

"You bet," laconically answered the Yankee. "Let us go in; the danger is all over."

Jones apparently had something on his mind.

"Who set this fire going?" he asked.

"Great Scott! How could I tell? The hall above was full of smoke when I first heard the racket. I took care to lock your door and here is the key."

"I have my grave suspicions. Perhaps I may be wrong in this case, but we shall soon see—we shall see. Come up with me and help unlock the door."

Something strikingly significant in his voice impelled Merrick to follow.

"Ah! yes, you locked the door?" said Jones, with fine satire, and Merrick confessed that his word seemed doubtful, since that door now stood wide open.

"By Jove! perhaps you were right, after all, my friend," he declared. "The paper is gone."

"Are you sure?"

"Yes, as positive as that I stand here."

Jones grinned.

"Come, close the door if you can, and we'll examine the queer legacy of the man I helped. Part of it we will trust to our memory, and with that portion destroyed none else can utilize the paper, even though it be stolen from us."

So they amused themselves by studying the intricate problem which the magician had left behind him. Merrick did not wholly understand the geometrical puzzle, but the result proved that it was a good thing, and results are what count.

It was midnight when the two friends parted. Arrangements had been made for an early start, for, though the season at Monte Carlo had hardly been fairly inaugurated, Jones was keenly desirous of commencing his crusade against the dragon that yearly slew his scores, and ruined hundreds, aye, thousands, of others.

He barricaded his door, made sure of the window, and then lay down to rest, with his revolver close to his hand.

When morning came he joined Merrick at the breakfast table.

Both of the comrades were genuinely glad the time had come to make a move.

While Merrick in reality cared very little about the successful issue of the "system" at Monte Carlo, he was human enough to take some solid pleasure in the knowledge that Jones' triumph meant a bitter dose for the count.

Jones had sewed the precious plan of campaign in the lining of his coat, under the belief that it would be safe there, since they must kill him in order to steal his garment.

A fly took them to the gate where their train awaited them.

Preceded by a porter bearing their small luggage our two adventurers bought an obsequious guard body and soul, and presently found themselves the sole owners of all they surveyed, having a comfortable smoking compartment to themselves.

While Merrick was watching an exciting encounter between one of the wooden guards and a stout woman from Marseilles, who demanded her rights as a citizen of the republic in a manner that made him think of those Amazons in history who led the mobs during the bloody Reign of Terror, Jones broke in upon his reverie with an exclamation:

"Lay low, my boy, there she comes," and to hear the tone of consternation which he used in making this outcry one might have been pardoned for believing that some terrible sea dragon was bearing down upon them, instead of a most beautiful and charming woman, chatting as vivaciously as usually only a French woman can, with the gentleman at her side.

Of course, it was the princess—perhaps she, too, was being drawn by the alluring glamour of the famous gaming place far away at the border of Italy, or else she had learned of Mark's going thither.

"Did you notice her companion?" asked Jones, as he cautiously glanced along the platform to see which carriage the lady entered.

"Well, he seemed a pompous, severe old autocrat, a general at least. But then you told me she had princes and dukes and American nabobs dangling in her train, so why not a general?"

"Ah! not General Mercier. There can be but one explanation of his presence."

"And that?" demanded Mark, curiously.

"He has come personally to see her leave the French capital, and the quiet-looking officer in their rear will accompany her all the way."

"You mean she is suspected and is being chased out of France?"

"That is literally true."

"Oh! well, it doesn't interest us a bit," remarked Merrick, carelessly.

Perhaps there were others on this early train for the South who might interest our two friends did they but know of their presence.

The afternoon dragged.

There were numerous stops at places of importance, and, cramped by inaction, our friends found themselves compelled to step out in order to stretch their limbs.

Jones had rather dreaded this, fearing lest his comrade should in some manner, he knew not just how, fall under the malign influence of the adventures.

Of course she discovered them, and Mark was of necessity compelled to obey the white hand that imperiously beckoned him to the open window, where millady reigned supreme, with a maid, and accompanied by the dignified old officer General Mercier had appointed to see her over the border in safety.

It was only for a few minutes, and of course she begged him to take advantage of the abundance of room in her compartment, so that she might entertain him during the long journey with some of the novel things she had experienced.

Merrick was equal to the emergency, and offered as an excuse that he and his friend were engaged upon a match in their own carriage, which his absence would break up.

At least one pair of eyes had noted his warm reception by the dainty and vivacious woman who leaned from the window of the first-class carriage, and beamed upon him with such an ardent gaze.

It was from the very compartment adjoining the one our friends occupied that this gentle eavesdropper—if one could dare bestow so harsh a name upon so lovely a little creature as the South African heiress—was enabled to observe without being herself seen, and the fact that she would stoop to a procedure that her soul must have abhorred, was positive evidence of an interest in the young man of far more than ordinary intensity.

Nor could the fact that on the previous night he had carried her from the burning hotel at the risk of his own life wholly explain her eagerness to fasten her eyes upon his face.

Whatever emotions stirred Contance Dare, as she crouched there, and, holding her breath, peeped from behind the half-drawn curtain, she made no move toward addressing Mark, even when he passed within a yard of her, sauntering back to his own compartment when the cries of the guards gave warning that the southern train was about to pull out.

Jones followed him—Jones who had remained on guard and watched it all. It required keen eyes like those of Jones to discover that the wonderful princess meant business for perhaps the first time in her life—that she had conceived a passion for the daring young fellow who had chased her runaway motor on a wheel and succeeded in saving her a spill that might at least have risked marring the beauty which was her capital.

And, knowing this, shrewd Jones feared for his friend, though he hardly knew himself, in what way danger could come if Mark continued in the same frame of mind as at present.

"Well," he said, lighting a cigar, "let's drop the princess for the present. We have other fish to fry, that are good enough for the Joneses. While you swapped glances with that enchantress, I looked around."

"And from your tone, I imagine you discovered something."

Jones thrust his thumbs into the armholes of his vest, as he said, in a dramatic whisper:

"Only this—that our dear Count Leon and his yellow-topped Russian bear occupy the next compartment to the rear!"

When Jones made his astonishing announcement Merrick did not appear shocked.

"H'm!" was the way in which he commented upon the matter, "they are very affectionate to snuggle up to us that way."

"Yes," returned Jones, dryly, "we quite won their hearts by the warm reception we gave the brethren at the monastery meeting."

Mark laughed in a cynical way.

"Seriously speaking, have you any idea as to what is in the wind?"

Jones shook his wise old head in the negative.

"Heaven only knows."

"When do we reach Monte Carlo?"

"Bless me if I can say. There are delays on the way, I was told. Per-

haps twelve or fifteen hours will see us at Nice, which is close to Monte Carlo."

"That means some riding at night."

"Undoubtedly."

"Well, depend upon it, whatever scheme they may arrange, if any, will be brought to a head while darkness covers the earth."

"You voice my opinion, my dear boy."

"Since we are agreed on that point, let's draw lots to see who shall stand the first watch, and let the other have a nap. I'm drowsy after that abominable luncheon we had."

Thus the afternoon wore on.

The two friends stood "watch and watch" while the train boomed on toward the romantic shores of the grand Mediterranean, where fashion at Nice and along the Riviera came in contact with the mad spirit of gambling at the quaint Mecca of sport, Monte Carlo.

When night shut down over the scene they were fully on the alert, and apparently in a condition to stand guard until another day, if necessary.

As the night air grew very cool it was only natural that they should close nearly all openings.

A dim light burned above, totally insufficient to allow them to read, and only able to keep the gloomy shadows at bay.

Both men, while wide awake, were busied with their own thoughts, for those who have passed through such checkered careers have much to reflect upon, while the future holds out alluring hopes of new experiences.

And it was Jones who suddenly sat up and began to sniff the air with great vigor.

Merrick paid no attention to him, being settled down in his corner as though it quite suited his sybarite views of comfort.

The more Jones used his faculties the more intense became his suspicions that all was not as it should be.

He arose and made a move toward the door with the intention of letting the upper glass part down so that a current of fresh air might sweep through the carriage.

To his surprise, he found that his limbs actually ached, while his head felt as though it would split, such was the almost immediate effect of the powerful gas that had been injected into their compartment by some mysterious means.

Jones grasped the truth.

It was stranger than fiction, more astounding even than anything he and Merrick had conjured up when talking of the possibilities that might be taken advantage of by their bitter and relentless foes.

Jones did not stop in his well doing. If one opening was good, two could be deemed much better.

So he presently had a second window lowered, which allowed a strong breeze to sweep through.

"Phew!" exclaimed Merrick, coming out of his lethargy suddenly with a shiver, "what are you trying to do, old man? Freeze us to death?"

"On the contrary, I'm bent on bringing you back to life, for unless I'm mistaken, you were in a fair way to kick the bucket," said Jones, stoutly.

"Well, to be sure, as the old saying has it, I do feel as though I had turned a little pale. But for Heaven's sake, what is that vile odor?"

Jones laughed hoarsely.

"Ha! you get it now, do you? Well, for that and many other rank favors give thanks to our good friends next door, who watch over us as constantly as the little cherub aloft looks after poor Jack at sea."

"The deuce! We should have them committed as nuisances," said Merrick, making for the opening in order to breathe without pain.

"Perhaps it might be as well to go further and have them up for attempted murder by asphyxiation."

Hearing which the other realized what it all meant.

"Good Heavens! the infernal monsters!" he ejaculated, showing some signs of sudden anger.

(To be continued.)

**Wanted to Obey the Law.**  
President Eliot of Harvard is one of those men who go to their work as if the entire responsibility of its accomplishment rested upon their individual shoulders.

Some time ago Gov. Crane of Massachusetts was approached by a delegation of business men, who asked that President Eliot should be appointed as one of a commission to report on the proposed construction of a dam over the Charles river. The governor demurred to the proposition. The committee was urgent.

"Would you mind stating your objections to President Eliot?" said the spokesman to the governor.

"Well," replied the latter, "the law says that the commission shall consist of three men. If I appointed President Eliot there would be only one."

**Cause of His Troubles.**  
A youth with an open ingenious countenance rose in a Christian Endeavor convention the other evening and made the following speech:

"Dear friends—Large ships that look sound—and good—and—and—seaworthy—are sometimes found to be, almost ruined—almost, yes—almost—ruined—by ship worms. They honeycomb the heavy timbers—and—and although the ship looks as if it might do great things for its masters—it cannot. It—it—has ship worms."

"Dear friends, it is just so with some Christians. Outwardly a Christian may look like a fair ship. Dear friends, I feel that often I am like the ship, and that I—too, have ship worms."

## WEEK'S DOINGS IN CONGRESS

Business Transacted by the House and Senate in the National Capital.

### CONVENTION PLEDGES BROKEN

Omnibus Statehood Bill Is Pigeonholed Despite Promises of Both Political Parties That Territories Should Be Admitted as States.

Thursday, June 19.

The senate passed the canal bill with the Spooner Panama amendment by a vote of 42 to 34. There was some debate over the trouble into which the senate has got with the house over amendments to the army appropriation bill, and a conference with the house was finally asked, ignoring the "offensive" message which caused the trouble. The conference report on the bill to prevent the false branding or labeling of food or dairy products was agreed to. A bill was passed to set apart certain lands in South Dakota as a public park, to be known as the Wind Cave National Park. The senate then went into executive session and soon afterward adjourned.

Debate upon the Philippine bill occupied most of the day in the house. A bill was passed to amend an act for the relief and civilization of the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota.

Friday, June 20.

At the opening of the session of the senate a partial conference report on the sundry civil bill was presented by Mr. Allison and agreed to. The senate insisted on its amendments still in disagreement and Messrs. Allison, Hale and Cockrell were named as conferees. A bill appropriating \$25,000 for a monument at Fredericksburg, Va., to Gen. Hugh Mercer, a proposition authorized by congress in April, 1777, was discussed. The bill went over on objection of Mr. Warren (Wyo.). The senate agreed to the conference report on the military academy appropriation bill, thus finally disposing of the measure.

Debate on the Philippine civil government bill continued in the house from 11 a. m. to 5 p. m., and at a session held at night. Mr. Jones (Va.), ranking minority member of the insular affairs committee, concluded his speech begun Thursday. The other speakers were Messrs. Hamilton (Mich.) and Kahn (Cal.) for the bill and Mr. Patterson (Tenn.) against it. A bill was passed to recognize the military service of the officers and enlisted men of the First regiment of Ohio light artillery. This regiment served three months at the opening of the civil war, but was never formally mustered into the United States service. The house declined to concur in the canal bill passed by the senate Thursday, and three conferees were named.

Saturday, June 21.

In the house Mr. Hull (Iowa), chairman of the committee on military affairs, called up the conference report on the military academy appropriation bill. Mr. Hay (Va.), Mr. Clayton (Ala.) and Mr. Mann (Ill.) criticized the action of the house conferees in agreeing to the number of cadets at West Point proposed by the senate. Mr. Mann said that recently the number of cadets had been increased 100. The increased membership of the house would further increase the cadets thirty and now it was proposed to increase that number still further. He did not believe in legislation in the direction of a great increase in the standing army. Mr. Hull and Mr. Parker (N. J.) defended the conference report, arguing that the increase was necessary in order properly to officer the army. Finally the conference report was adopted, 88 to 59. Mr. Cannon (Ill.) then called up the conference report upon the sundry civil bill. He explained that the agreement was only partial, items carrying \$1,293,000 being still in controversy. Mr. Grosvenor (Ohio) moved that the house concur in the senate amendment for a memorial bridge across the Potomac to cost not to exceed \$2,500,000 and appropriating \$100,000 for the preparation of plans. This was voted down without division and the bill was sent back to conference, after which the debate on the Philippine bill was resumed.

The senate was not in session.

Monday, June 23.

In the senate a motion was entered formally by Mr. Quay to discharge the committee on territories from further consideration of what is known as the omnibus territorial bill—a measure to admit as states the territories of Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona. Mr. Quay spoke briefly in support of his motion, maintaining that both political parties in national convention had pledged themselves to the admission to statehood of the territories. Mr. Beveridge, chairman of the committee,

**Bennett Will Contest.**  
Freehold, N. J., dispatch: The contest over the will of Henry M. Bennett, the Pittsburgh millionaire who died recently at Farmingdale, leaving the bulk of his fortune to Laura M. Biggar, the actress, has begun.

**Cotton Buyer a Suicide.**  
New Orleans, La., special: George Auchmuty, one of the most prominent cotton buyers in the local field, well known in New York and Liverpool, committed suicide in his office.

**Big Award Is Affirmed.**  
New York dispatch: The appellate court in Brooklyn affirmed the verdict of the supreme court at White Plains awarding to Mrs. Lottie B. Dimon \$60,000 for the death of her husband in the Park avenue disaster.

**"A Bas Loubet!" Costs 1,000fr.**  
Paris cablegram: A Rouen tradesman named Foucault has been fined 1,000 francs for crying "A bas Loubet!" while the president was on his way to the Paris culinary exhibition.

tee, said the measure had been put over until next session by the committee because it was not believed there would be time now to consider it properly. No action was taken on the motion.

Day and night sessions were again held in the house for discussion of the Philippine bill, which occupied practically the entire time. A resolution was adopted calling upon the Secretary of War for information as to any payments made by Governor General Wood to F. B. Thurber and any other persons or corporations, together with the dates and amounts of such payments, for advocating reciprocity with Cuba.

Tuesday, June 24.

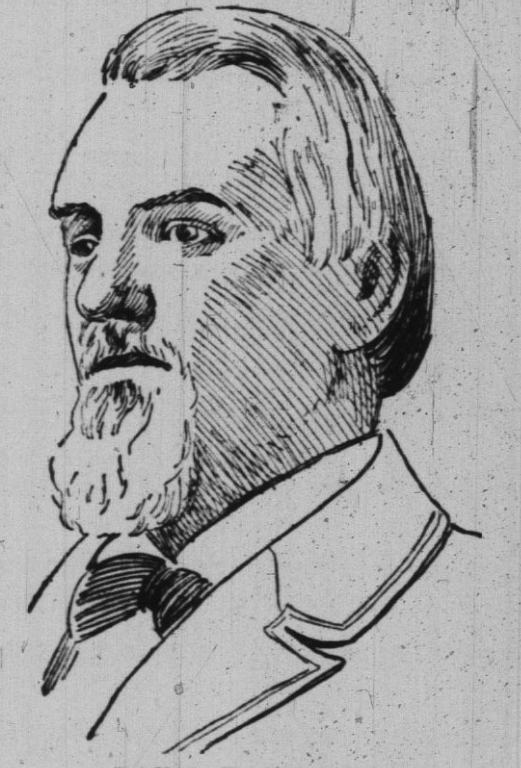
The senate passed bills creating a national forest reserve in the Southern Appalachian Mountains and ratifying the agreement between the Choctaw and Chickasaw Indians of the Indian Territory and the United States. The first bill provides for the purchase of 4,000,000 acres in the Southern Appalachian system at a cost not to exceed \$10,000,000. The Secretary of Agriculture is to designate the lands to be purchased and to take measures to preserve the hardwood forests which they bear. Bills were also passed for the suppression of train robbery in the territories of the United States and elsewhere, and to amend the act of March 2, 1893, so as to provide that all locomotives and tenders shall be equipped with train or power brakes and automatic couplers.

The house devoted the day to debate upon the Philippine bill.

### DEATH CLAIMS DAVID LITTLER

Well-known Politician Passes Away at His Home in Springfield.

David T. Littler, for many years conspicuous in the Republican ranks in Illinois politics, died at Springfield after an illness that had lasted more than a year. He came to Illinois when 21 years old from Clifton, Green county, Ohio, where he was born February 7, 1836, and settled in Lincoln. There for two years he followed his trade of carpenter, but took all the spare moments that he



DAVID T. LITTLER.

could find for the study of law. Mr. Littler was admitted to the bar in 1860, and shortly afterward was made a justice of the peace. He held this position two years and was then appointed a master in chancery. In 1866 President Andrew Johnson appointed him collector of internal revenue of the eighth Illinois district. He held this office till he decided to move to Springfield in 1868.

He was a brother-in-law of Richard J. Oglesby and always a stalwart Republican. In 1882 he was elected as a representative to the thirty-fourth general assembly from Sangamon county. He was re-elected in 1886 and served for several terms.

In 1894 he was defeated for the state senate against Ben F. Caldwell, present congressman from that district.

### COUNTY SEAT WAR IS BEGUN

De Kalb and Sycamore Vie for Votes on Vexed Question.

Rock Falls, Ill., special: The De Kalb county seat of war has begun in earnest. Sycamore has raised \$75,000 and donated a site to retain the building. De Kalb has raised \$100,000 toward defraying the expenses of the erection of the building at De Kalb. Both cities have flooded the county with circulars setting forth the advantages of each as the site for the courthouse. The question of moving the courthouse will be left to a vote of the people.

### Employers Confident of Victory.

New York special: President H. M. Olyphant of the Delaware and Hudson company made the following comment on the statement of President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America, issued in reply to that of the operators in which the correspondence leading up to the strike was made public: "There will be no arbitration, that is certain. We will operate our mines again with the men that are on strike now. They will be only too glad to come back, and no strike leader will be able to keep them out."

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### Ironing a Shirt Waist.

Not infrequently a young woman finds it necessary to launder a shirt waist at home for some emergency when the laundryman or the home servant cannot do it. Hence these directions for ironing the waist: To iron summer shirt waists so that they will look like new it is needful to have them starched evenly with Defiance starch, then made perfectly smooth and rolled tight in a damp cloth, to be laid away two or three hours. When ironing have a bowl of water and a clean piece of muslin beside the ironing board. Have your iron hot, but not sufficiently so to scorch, and absolutely clean. Begin by ironing the back, then the front, sides and the sleeves, followed by the neckband and the cuffs. When wrinkles appear apply the damp cloth and remove them. Always iron from the top of the waist to the bottom. If there are plaits in the front iron them downward, after first raising each one with a blunt knife, and with the edge of the iron follow every line of stitching to give it distinctness. After the shirt waist is ironed it should be well aired by the fire or in the sun before it is folded and put away, says the Philadelphia Inquirer.

### Chemical Monster in Dyed Milk.

Evidence is accruing that the practice of adding artificial coloring matter to milk is increasing. Samples are commonly met with thus colored to give them a rich but false creamy aspect. The natural color of milk bears no relation necessarily to the amount of cream present. It is very desirable that this practice should be stopped. We believe that annatto is the dye commonly employed and it is fortunate that it is harmless, though that fact does not justify the device. Certain coal-tar dyes have, however, been detected in milk, and among them methylene-blue, or, in chemical nomenclature, the sodium salt of dimethylaniline-azobenzene-sulphonic acid.

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## SHOWS MINERS' EARNING POWER

President Mitchell States That Workers Make \$1.42 Per Day.

ARE FORCED TO ASK FOR MORE

Cost of Living Has Increased to the Point Where More Wages Must Be Forthcoming—Compared to Pauper Labor of Europe.

A dark picture of the condition of the anthracite miners of the Pennsylvania districts is painted by President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America in his address to the public, just issued.

Mr. Mitchell in his address shows that the earning power of the miners is less than \$300 a year—\$1.42 a day for fewer than 200 days of the year, to be exact—and he claims their condition is really but little above that of the pauper laborers of the old world.

The address begins with the statement that the leaders of the miners have done everything in their power to have the questions in dispute settled by arbitration, laughs to scorn the statement of the operators that they are unable to pay higher wages to their men, and gives figures to prove the point.

**Killed in the Mines.**  
It is pointed out that more men are killed and injured in the anthracite mines of Pennsylvania annually than were killed or wounded during the Spanish-American war; and the claim is made that the miners, instead of being paid for all the coal they mine, are really forced to dig from 2,740 to 3,190 pounds before the operators will call it a ton.

The claim is made that the cost of living has increased to a point where the miner is compelled to ask for higher wages, denies the allegations of the operators that the productive capacity of the mine workers has fallen off, and quotes official figures to substantiate the contention that the employers can pay higher wages without increasing the cost of coal to the consumer; asserts that the coal-carrying railroads, which control about 85 per cent of the mines, absorb the profits of the coal companies by charging exorbitant freight rates.

The direct statement is made in closing that in case the present union of miners is crushed, which, it is added, is not likely, a new organization that will be greater and stronger will arise from the ruins.

### ESTIMATE OF COAL MEN'S LOSS

Cost of the Strike to Date is Placed at Over \$35,000,000.

Indianapolis dispatch: The sixth week of the miners' strike has closed and an estimate of the losses is as follows: Losses to operators in price of coal (normal), \$15,520,000; losses to miners in wages, \$7,770,000; losses to employees other than miners made idle by the strike, \$1,920,000; loss to the business men of the coal region, \$5,200,000; loss to the business men outside the region, \$3,000,000; cost of maintaining coal and iron police, \$400,000; cost of maintaining nonunion men, \$85,000; estimated damage to mines and machinery, \$1,500,000; total, \$35,395,000.

### TWO KILLED IN A COLLISION

Engines Crash Together During a Fog at Mingo Junction, O.

Steubenville, O., special: As a result of a collision between two light engines on the Cleveland and Pittsburgh railroad at Mingo Junction during a heavy fog two men were killed and a number injured.

The dead: C. R. Walker, F. W. McElroy.

Injured: L. F. Cooper, Earl Frazier, C. M. Miller, H. A. Wiggins, Edward Doody, Charles McMillen, H. J. Hanaford.

Both engines were completely wrecked.

### ANOTHER FIRE AT MADISON, ILL.

Second Visitation Destroys Large Part of Business Section.

Madison, Ill., special: Fire caused by the overturning of a lantern in a stable wiped out a large part of the business section of this city. The damage is estimated at \$200,000. Practically the entire population united in fighting the fire. A score or more of horses were burned to death.

### Trotting Dates Changed.

Joliet, Ill., special: The trotting and pacing meeting scheduled for Ingalls park for June 24, 26, 27 and 28 under the auspices of the Joliet Driving club, has been postponed because of the recent flood until Aug. 5, 6, 7 and 8.

### Rubber Concern Sold.

New Brunswick, N. J., special: The Milltown India Rubber company, a co-operative concern recently declared bankrupt, was sold to Fred L. Smith of Providence, R. I., for \$66,500. Smith is organizing a rubber company.

### Cullom's Daughter Is Dead.

Washington dispatch: Mrs. William Barrett Ridgely, wife of the comptroller of the currency and the only daughter of Senator Cullom, died at the Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore.

### SHOULD SUCCEED IN LIFE.

Youth Demonstrates Ability to Get Results from Small Beginnings.

One of the two boys who figure in this tale should get along in the world. His ability to get results with small provocation would seem to be great. Evidently, he has little affection for the smaller denominations of figures. When told by a gentle playfellow that the latter had been made a paternal present of a goat, he replied:

"Huh! My pop has a whole flock of goats down in his office."

The other boy seemed amazed, but went on with his joyful narrative.

"My papa bought me a wagon, too," he said.

"Well, what of it?" he was asked.

"My pop had so many wagons he had to burn a lot of 'em, because he had no room for 'em."

The gentle boy did not believe this. Moreover, to hear it pained him; for he had faith in what he learned in Sunday school.

"Don't you know what happened to Ananias and Sapphira?" he asked.

"They were struck dead for lying."

Patently, this was not information to his companion, who responded—impatiently, perhaps, but without bravado:

"I know it. I saw them struck."

### The Secret of Health in Old Age.

Shepherd, Ill., June 23d.—Sarah E. Rowe of this place is now 72 years of age and just at the present time is enjoying much better health than she has for over 20 years. Her explanation of this is as follows:

"For many years past I have been troubled constantly with severe Kidney Trouble, my urine would scald and burn when passing, and I was very miserable.

"I am 72 years of age and never expected to get anything to cure me, but I heard of Dodd's Kidney Pills and thought it would do me no harm to try them.

"I am very glad I did so, for they cured me of the Kidney Disease and stopped all the scalding sensations when passing the urine.

"I feel better now than I have for twenty years."

### Left Legacy to a Fowl.

The ruthless slaughter of a rooster in a little town on the outskirts of Kansas City a few days ago settled what might have been a tedious lawsuit over a will.

It seems that a wealthy widow in her declining years became possessed of the idea that the soul of her late husband had entered into a rooster named Peter and the servants were ordered to pay the fowl every respect. A special house was built for its use and Peter received attention enough to turn the head of any ordinary fowl. The widow was jealous of the hens, too, and whenever Peter entered into a flirtation poor biddy's neck was immediately wrung by the widow's orders.

When the widow died her relatives were preparing to contest the extraordinary will when one of the heirs settled the matter by cutting off Peter's head, whereupon the estate was divided as provided for in the will in event of the death of the rooster.

### Ape Given a Banquet.

At Richmond, Va., a huge pet ape, rejoicing in the name of Grim, was recently the chief guest at a banquet given in his honor. Grim won this distinction by dashing into a burning building and rescuing his master's children from a fiery doom. The faithful creature was publicly presented with a silver medal commemorating the event, and had every luxury bestowed upon him at the festive function, at which, it is said, "he behaved almost as decorously as a human being."

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When a man is short he is naturally more or less crusty.

### How Cuba Was Named.

Cuba is the name by which the island was originally known to the Lucayan Indians, who were with Columbus when he discovered it. One of its villages or cities was called by then Cubanacan and it is reported that from the similarity of sounds Columbus, still supposing himself to be on the coast of Asia, imagined that this must be a city of Kubla Kahan, the Tartar sovereign celebrated by Marco Polo. The survival of the original name for Cuba is a remarkable instance of persistence, as the island has been baptized and rebaptized many times since its European discovery. Columbus first called it Juana, in honor of Prince John, the son of Ferdinand and Isabella. After Ferdinand's death it was called in his memory Ferdinand. Subsequently this name was changed to Santiago, after St. James, the patron saint of Spain. Still later it was named Ave Maria in honor of the Virgin Mary. But none of these names held and the Indian name is still preserved.

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The Cripple Creek mining district in Colorado is producing gold at the rate of over \$22,000,000 a year.

It is more common to see an extreme love than a perfect friendship.—Du Coeur.

## HEALTH AND ALL ITS BLESSINGS

Health will come with all its blessings to those who know the way, and it is mainly a question of right-living, with all the term implies, but the efforts which strengthen the system, the games which refresh and the foods which nourish are important, each in a way, while it is also advantageous to have knowledge of the best methods of promoting freedom from unsanitary conditions. To assist nature, when nature needs assistance, it is all important that the medicinal agents used should be of the best quality and of known value, and the one remedy which acts most beneficially and pleasantly, as a laxative, is—Syrup of Figs—manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co.

With a proper understanding of the fact that many physical ills are of a transient character and yield promptly to the gentle action of Syrup of Figs, gladness and comfort come to the heart, and if one would remove the torpor and strain and congestion attendant upon a constipated condition of the system, take Syrup of Figs and enjoy freedom from the aches and pains, the colds and headaches and the depression due to inactivity of the bowels. In case of any organic trouble it is well to consult a competent physician, but when a laxative is required remember that the most permanently gratifying results will follow personal cooperation with the beneficial effects of Syrup of Figs. It is for sale by all reliable druggists. Price fifty cents per bottle.

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BARRINGTON LOCALS.

Try three of those cans of peas for 25 cents, at Alverson's.

There will be a pavillion dance at Oak Park, Lake Zurich, July 4th.

The Baptist Sunday school will give a children day program at church Sunday night.

We must now be content in the thought that perhaps summer will come all in a bunch.

Attend camp meeting and listen to the interesting discourses and excellent music. 'Twill do you good.

Remember the celebration of July 4 at Barrington this year is in charge of Barrington camp, 809 M. W. A.

Next Friday is the day set apart to celebrate. Let every man, woman child give vent to their patriotism.

Everybody turn out to the base ball game Saturday afternoon at Heise's park. Americans vs. Palatine High school.

A large number of people from here attended the annual picnic of the Swedish societies at Fox River grove Sunday.

Call at Alverson's Friday and Saturday and see the fine display of fancy cookies and cakes of Colvin's bakery of Janesville, Wis.

The weather man predicts that hot weather will visit us next month. Remember that the thing to do in hot weather is to keep cool.

The Review will appear early 4th of July morning, and the issue will be devoted largely to patriotic articles in keeping with the occasion.

A hail storm visited this section Wednesday morning, and when we say that hail stones as large as walnuts fell, we don't stretch the truth one fraction of an inch.

It is the consensus of opinion that if the furniture trust lately formed is not stronger than some of the furniture sold on the installment plan it should be an easy matter to smash it.

RUBBER! RUBBER! If its Kokomo rubber vehicle tire your looking for call on E. F. Wichman. I warrant a rubber for one year. New work and repairing promptly done. E. F. Wichman.

The Americans will play the Palatine High school ball club at Heise's park to-morrow afternoon. Palatine club is one of the strongest school teams in this part of the state, and a good game is expected.

The coal strike is now on and promises to be the biggest thing of the season. The unhappy consumer is beginning to inquire how he is to pay for the high-priced coal with which to cook the beef that he is unable to buy.

Desplains camp meeting will open July 16. At a meeting of the advisory committee of the association it was decided to erect a tabernacle on the grounds, work to begin this season. The structure will be a substantial one, capable of seating 5,000 people.

The Lake County teachers' institute is in session at Waukegan this week. The attendance is large and interest great. Miss Nellie Donlea is the only representative from Barrington. Waukegan is represented by quite a number of teachers and aspirants for certificates.

The services at the M. E. church next Sunday will begin at 9:45 with a "Loye Feast," and at 10:30 the presiding elder will preach after which the "Communion" service will be held; there will be no evening services, on account of the Evangelical camp meeting. Friday evening, at 7:30, the fourth quarterly conference at the church. All invited.

Wednesday afternoon, Gen. Thos. W. Sweeney Corps, No. 85, entertained the Waukegan Corps. Despite the inclement weather, fourteen Waukeganites arrived about three o'clock, and a very pleasant afternoon was spent. The program consisted of flag day exercises, which were very interesting. After the meeting closed lunch was served and stories indulged in, which was greatly enjoyed by all.

Our local column are not so well filled as usual this issue owing to the local scribe being confined to his home by an attack of rheumatism. We have suffered of attacks from offended subscribers, politicians, lawyers, ministers, constables and others; been pursued by angry men of all classes; been married twenty years; blown up in a steamboat disaster; lived on the income from a country printing office for a number of years; but such were but drops of affliction compared to a season of rheumatics.

What has become of the shirt-waist man?

How do you like those 5-cent cans of baked beans at Alverson's?

The annual tax sale has attracted a number of buyers to Waukegan the past week.

Have you noticed that by the time strawberries are really delicious the season is over and there are no strawberries.

The Baptist Sunday school will present an entertaining program Sunday evening in observance of that date as Children's day.

Home-grown new potatoes are on the market. The crop this season promises to be large and prices moderate.

The Dorcas Society will meet at the home of Mrs. F. J. Alverson next Tuesday afternoon. Members are requested to be present.

Prof. John Hodge, well-known here, was married Wednesday to Miss Ruth Ray, of Diamond Lake. Mr. Hodge for the past two years has been principal of the Rockefeller school.

Saturday afternoon at Oak Park, Lake Zurich, the Americans will cross bats with the Quaker Oats team of Chicago. An interesting game is promised, and everybody should turn out and see a good game of ball.

In a recent divorce suit, according to the Chicago Daily News, the evidences showed that the wife made complaint because her husband's trousers did not fit him. In many divorce cases the trouble is that the husband's trousers do not fit the wife.

On another page will be found the ordinance lately passed by the village board of trustees granting certain rights to Edward W. Stees. Mr. Stees has been presented with what he petitioned for. Will he now give us transportation facilities to points north?

The month of June, 1902, goes into history as one of the most disagreeable summer months paroled out to the people of this region of earth in many years. The weather has been everything but what camping parties, tourists and farmers wished for. It is to be hoped the weather-maker will do better during July and August.

Mrs. J. S. Harnden, an old resident of Lake county, died at the home of her son, Edson Harnden, five miles north-west of the village, early this morning. She was a lady of many good qualities and well liked by all. The funeral will be held from the M. E. church Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock and the remains will be laid to rest in the White cemetery.

The Northwestern Railway company has, very considerably, placed a metal guide board at the Main street crossing, on one side of said board being chiseled "Cook County Line," on the other "Lake County Line." Now there will be no excuse for our people to forget in what county they reside. The information is there in letters large enough so that he who runs may read.

The ice cream social that was advertised for last Friday night, by the young ladies of St. Ann's church, was postponed to Saturday night on account of the bad weather. A large number gathered to take part and listen to the music of the Girl's band. The evening was cool, but the crowd came to eat ice cream, and no one disappointed the inner man. About \$10 was the net proceeds.

Waukegan will celebrate the Fourth of July in a way that will attract a large number of visitors. The reason for the celebration is not so much because the day is an anniversary of the nation's birth, but because the government has set aside \$245,000 for the improvement of Waukegan harbor. This means a great deal to the metropolis of Lake County, and the people are justified in celebrating the event.

Arnold Schauble has added expensive and improved machinery to his machine shop and proposes to manufacture gasoline engines in addition to creamery supplies. The new engine is said to be, in many respects, improved over any of its kind now on the market, and the inventor and manufacturer are positive it will meet with ready sale. Mr. Schauble will construct all parts of the engine, except the base and some small castings which will be cast in Chicago.

The Illinois Audubon society has begun aggressive action to stop the sale of birds and bird plumage in Chicago for millinery purposes. Notices citing the law and threatening prosecution were sent to every millinery and dealer in millinery goods in Chicago. The action was taken after a conference with state and federal officials and directors of kindred societies all over the United States. The law forbids the killing or catching of other than game birds, English sparrows, crows, blackbirds and chicken-hawks. Having reached the stage when moral suasion had proven useless, the society is going to try sterner measures.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Elmer Kampert was in Algonquin Thursday.

F. O. Willmarth, of Chicago, is in Barrington this week.

Mrs. J. E. Catlow spent Wednesday and Thursday in Chicago.

Mrs. Henry Rawban is visiting with relatives at Elgin this week.

Gus Neimeier, of Arlington Heights, spent Sunday with friends here.

Walter Perry and wife visited with Elgin relatives Sunday and Monday.

Fireman Ray Dudley and wife are visiting with relatives in Spring Valley.

Wilbur Harnden is enjoying a week's vacation with friends in Chicago.

Edward W. Stees was here Thursday in the interests of the new electric railway.

B. A. Beinleck, of De Kalb, visited with friends here the latter part of last week.

Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Kendall returned this week from a two week's tour in Colorado and California.

Mrs. M. T. Lamey visited with her mother, Mrs. J. Howard, at Waukegan the first of the week.

Misses Quinlin, of Woodstock, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Dolan Friday and Saturday.

Miss Ida Hutchinson and Robert Bennett called on the former's sister, Mrs. Vincent Davlin, Sunday.

George Froelich has returned from his extended trip through the west. He is much impressed with the climate there.

Arthur Graham called on his son Harry Wednesday evening while on his way to his home in Wauconda. Mr. Graham has been spending the last few months in Chicago.

The fall exhibitions of state, county, town and district agricultural societies are now recognized to be a strong feature in promoting better methods of cultivation and introducing improved sorts of farm and garden products. Progressive and up-to-date farmers, and gardeners should lend their assistance by growing each year a few new varieties of products, as well as giving a little extra attention to some of the standard varieties. Many societies offer liberal premiums, and the work can be made profitable as well as interesting.

A merchant called our attention to a write-up of the business interests of Rockford lately appearing in the Register, and insinuated that "other papers might follow the example." True, they might, but it should be remembered that the editor can always write more cheerfully of the business interests of a town when his columns are liberally filled with the advertisements of local tradesmen. It is kind of rubbing it in to ask us to advocate the doctrine of buying from home merchants unless the home merchants can show they are interested in catering to the home trade by advertising in the home newspaper. Reciprocity is a good thing in the newspaper business. Try it.

The Barrington Coach Horse company held their annual meeting at Schaefer's hall, Tuesday evening. The present officers of the company were re-elected by an unanimous vote. The treasurer's report showed a small balance on hand and all bills paid. The final payment on note due the Dunham company, of whom the horse was purchased, becomes due July 1, and amounts to about \$900. The members voted to offer the coach horse for sale at public auction at a meeting to be held Monday evening, June 30, at Schaefer's hall, and close up what has proved to be an unprofitable transaction.

"There's always room at the top," was the wise saying of the great Webster and it applies to every young man. The lower ranks are always crowded. Unskilled manual labor must be content to work the hardest and receive the poorest pay, while the skilled and educated laborer has the best positions and largest wages. The Metropolitan Business College of Chicago gives a course which will help any young person to reach the topmost round of success. We learn that this popular school will organize a summer term on July 7. We advise our young friends to write to Mr. O. M. Powers, principal of the college, and make arrangements to attend.

The democratic senatorial committee of this the eighth district, will meet June 30, at the Sherman House, Chicago, to name a place and time of meeting of the senatorial convention of the district. The impression prevails that the convention will be held early in July, and that Belvidere will be chosen. The democrats in this district are all tangled up and are anxious to find where they are at. Each county in the district has a can-

didate. Lake offers McDermott; Boone, O'Connor, and McHenry, Desmond. To those acquainted with the way democratic affairs are managed in McHenry county, there seems little doubt that the chubby fist of Johnnie Donnelly is in the mix up. Mr. Desmond has all the qualifications of a candidate, but the democrats over there love Johnnie for the enemies he has made in Lake and Boone counties, and if they cannot nominate Mr. Desmond they will use every effort to nominate Johnnie. The Woodstock Democrat said as much in an editorial some weeks ago. It is for a McHenry county man no matter who he is.

Barrington Camp Meeting.

The weather of the week past has not been such as those "tenting on the old camp grounds" of the United Evangelical Church association would have chosen for out-door service, but despite the cloudy days and cool evenings, the daily programs have been carried out and the attendance, though not as large as expected, has been gratifying.

The cottages are well filled, and beside those of the society residing near here, many from outside towns are present, including members of the ministry from Chicago, Elgin, Naperville and other points.

The services have been well attended and the sermons, full of all that leads to higher life.

Yesterday forenoon a service was devoted to the old people and many were there who have followed in the pathway of religious work these many, many years. This morning at 10:30 a missionary sermon was delivered which told of the great work being accomplished in the spread of gospel truths throughout foreign lands as well as progress in the field of home work.

Tomorrow at 2:00 p. m. there will be a mission band rally, addressed by Bishop Stanford. This will prove of great interest to all who are laboring so faithfully in this important branch of religious effort.

Sunday at 10:30 the sermon will be preached in German by one of the visiting clergymen, and at 2 o'clock the Keystone League of Christian Endeavor, one of the main auxiliaries to church work, will hold a rally and listen to an address by Bishop Stanford and remarks by prominent workers present. There will be a great gospel service in the evening.

The meeting will close Monday forenoon with appropriate service conducted by the bishop and attending ministers.

Our people who are not taking advantage of this great religious assembly are missing eloquent sermons, soul-stirring music, and an opportunity to learn much that would direct them into the pathway which leads to life eternal. The meetings are highly instructive and beneficial to all, and all are welcome.

Mens Suits, Youths Suits, Boys Suits.

Our clothing sale is at its height. We are selling out the biggest and best lot we have ever handled in the thirty-four years that we have been in business, and we give you the following to think over:

It is not good sense to buy a poor suit because it is cheap; nor is it good sense to conclude that every low-priced suit must be poor. Our first care has always been to find clothing which we could guarantee to give satisfaction to purchasers. After we have found clothing of that sort, we buy it, just as cheap as we can. Men's suits, in latest styles, we offer at \$3.95, \$5.00 and \$6.50, and we refund your money if clothes go wrong. Men's odd pants, advertised this week for the first time we sell at 79c, \$1.29 and 1.75, a large shipment just received. Youths' suits, ages 15 to 19, are \$4.45, 4.95 and 6.45 and give universal satisfaction. Boys' suits, two-piece or three-piece, are \$1.98, 2.69 and 3.49. Men's silk vests are 75 and 98c.

Such an opportunity ought not to be neglected, particularly when you consider our inducements to customers from out of town. (If you come by the railroad, buy round trip ticket; if you drive, ask us about our "team tickets.")

C. F. HALL Co., Dundee.

New Fast Schedule to Denver.

The Colorado service of the Chicago & North-Western and Union Pacific railways was changed on June 8. The famous Colorado Special, which has been leaving Chicago at 10:00 a.m., now leaves at 6:30 p.m., arriving at Omaha 7 a.m., Denver 8:00 p.m., and Colorado Springs about 10:30 p.m. This enables passengers to leave Barrington at 2:41 p.m. The entire train will be run solid between Chicago and Denver, with through sleeper to Colorado Springs.

East-bound train will be known as the "Chicago Special," and will leave Denver 1:00 p.m., Omaha 3:45 a.m., arriving in Chicago at 4:00 p.m.

Very low excursion rates to Denver, Col., via the North-Western line. Excursion tickets will be sold June 22, 23 and 24, with final return limit until October 31, inclusive, account International S. S. convention. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Called From City Press.

Many persons thought the democrats were going into this campaign earnestly. That notion is dispelled by the assertion that they are to circulate Senator Mason's speeches.

Congressman Hopkins says the republicans will carry Illinois by a large majority. The congressman, however, is hardly to be classed as a disinterested observer.

If the republican party cannot purge itself of the beet-sugar scandal in congress it ought to be kicked out of power.

President Roosevelt is to visit the Illinois state fair on Oct. 2. He should come a little later and see the live-stock and vegetable exhibit in the capitol when the legislature meets.

Work has been resumed in the mint after an idleness of eighteen days. That pause may account for the mysterious fact that so many of us were short during the past three weeks.

Congressman Hopkins declares that the thing is fixed and that he is just as good as elected to the senate. Evidently he has never heard of Senator Mason, who has it written in the dope book in big red letters that he is to succeed himself.

If Dowie's present graft ever runs low he should be able to get a job as press agent for a summer garden.

Mayor Harrison thinks the democrats might possibly carry the legislature. Mr. Harrison should borrow Carter III's geography and discover what state he lives in.

We are now in the fullness of the season when the swindling berry box is to be seen in its highest development and activity. If there is no way by which the vendor of false measure can be reached the legislature should devise one. The man who professes to sell a quart when he really gives less than a pint is fine material for the bridewell, along with the rascal who covers green peaches with red netting.

Unless Senator Mason's plans miscarry there will be a big roundup of anti-Hopkins republicans in Chicago immediately upon the senator's return after the adjournment of congress.

Mr. Mason, having this roundup in mind, asked Senator Frye, president pro tem., when it would be wise for him to make plans to leave Washington.

Mr. Frye said adjournment would not be had before July 2, so the anti-Hopkins men will not meet before that time. At that meeting it will be decided whether Mason shall open his campaign with a big mass meeting in the Auditorium this summer or defer the fight until next September.

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