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BARRINGTON, ILL., FRIDAY, AUGUST 8, 1902.

\$1.50 A YEAR IN ADVANCE.

PALATINE HAPPENINGS.

Events Past, Present and Future of Village and Vicinity.

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

Hirn's cattle sale August 16.

Will Mundbenke is on his annual vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Lewis visited in Dundee over Sunday.

Miss Alice Holmes has gone to Vermont to visit relatives.

Have you noticed how pretty our park is looking this year?

Mrs. Tuttle of Lockport is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. D. Taylor.

Dance at Plum Grove Saturday afternoon and evening, August 24.

Be sure to hear Rev. Crouch at the Methodist church Tuesday night.

Dr. Alverson has been in town several times of late on professional calls.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Lincoln were guests of Dundee friends last Sunday.

Mrs. A. G. Smith and children visited at Park Ridge Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Grace Peck of Morley, Ill., is a guest of her cousin, Mrs. C. D. Taylor, and family.

Harry Rea, of the Fox Typewriter Co., of Grand Rapids, Mich., was in town over Sunday.

Miss Agnes Danielsen entertained a party of four lady friends to luncheon Tuesday afternoon.

H. C. Matthei has rented a cottage at Lake Zurich and will enjoy a few days rest at this growing resort.

Mrs. H. P. K. Bicknase returned from Chicago Tuesday, where she visited a few days with her daughter.

Miss Lena Chantrel has been visiting Mrs. Reynolds, who gave a party in her honor last Wednesday evening.

Herbert Filbert, John Slade and Rufus Stark start for Twin Lakes, Wis., next Saturday for a two week's outing.

The lecture by D. W. Crouch in the M. E. church has been changed to Tuesday night, August 12. Be sure to attend.

Rev. J. C. Hoffmeister went to Elgin Tuesday to look at churches there to get ideas for the new church at Arlington Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Julian attended the funeral services of Mrs. Julian's uncle, Commodore Edward Montgomery in Chicago, Tuesday.

A. G. Smith returned from Camp Comfort at Twin Lakes, Wis., Monday, and left the Palatine parties enjoying their out-door life.

The Woodmen have decided to give up their picnic at Lake Zurich as suitable arrangements could not be made for obtaining the grounds.

The club members go to Milwaukee Sunday. They will take lunch, occupy the club rooms on the Whaleblick and enjoy their usual good time.

Charles Julian and son and Kenith Smith drove to Elgin Wednesday to visit Mr. Julian's father, who is gaining strength since losing his arm.

Mat Richmond came back to Palatine from Macatawa Park Saturday and he looked as though he had been enjoying himself since going there.

Henry and Frank Bicknase, who went to Minocque, Wis., for a few weeks' outing, have rented a cottage in the pinneries and are enjoying life generally.

Charles Dean and Thos. Boyle came home from Freeport Wednesday to attend the matters relating to the fire which destroyed the house on the stock farm.

Miss Clara Taylor gave a party to a small number of friends at the home of her parents Tuesday evening. A very pleasant evening was had by those present.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bode, Mrs. Dickman and children and Mr. Roper left for Oklahoma Tuesday, where they will all locate if the country proves as promising as is related.

Attorney Roy Peck won a suit for \$16,000 against the Illinois Trust and Savings bank before Judge Cutting on Monday. The suit was for an estate and Attorney Peck won the case single handed.

Electric Road Progressing.

Representatives of the Chicago-Fox Lake electric railway are in town and securing the right-of-way through the village and getting prices on farm

property next to the road, on which to build their road bed. Some farmers fail to realize the benefits of the road passing their farms and want a big price for same. They might as well sell reasonable as the company intends condemning property that is held at an unreasonable figure. Mr. Baldwin, of the company, informs us that the road will connect with one of Chicago elevated railways and will probably be completed in two years. Let everyone do what he can to assist these parties in securing the right-of-way for their tracks.

Dean's House Destroyed.

The house occupied by Chas. Dean on the Boyle stock farm, north-east of the village, burned to the ground early Tuesday morning. The fire was discovered about 5 o'clock by Mrs. Dean, who heard the cracking of the burning timbers in the kitchen. The alarm was quickly given to others in the house and the occupants barely had time to escape in their night clothes. Aside from Mrs. Dean and children, Mrs. Boyle and two daughters were in the house. Very little of the household goods were saved, owing to the rapid work of the fire.

Saloon Keeper Fined.

Chris Rappolt was brought up before Police Magistrate Whipple Monday night on a warrant sworn out by the village for keeping his saloon open after 11 o'clock. The testimony showed that the defendant repeatedly violated the law, notwithstanding several warnings from village officers. Justice Whipple fined him \$20 and costs, which will probably impress on Rappolt's mind that his license doesn't allow him to run the village. The village officers should be congratulated upon the stand they have taken to serve all alike.

Council Proceedings.

The Palatine village board met in regular session Monday night with all members, except Trustee Kuebler, present.

The treasurer's report showed a balance of \$16.38 on hand.

The police and lamp lighting committee reported that \$59 had been collected for dog licenses.

The ordinance for the levy and collection of taxes for the fiscal year was passed and will be found next week in this paper.

The board of local improvements made a written report of the extensions lately put in on the water works system.

Trustee Ost, of the fire and water committee, was instructed to make application for insurance on the pumping station boiler.

Mayor Olms reported to the trustees that Chris Rappolt, who keeps a saloon at Chicago avenue and Brockway street, had been keeping his place of business open after 11 o'clock and on a recent night Officer Law ordered the place closed and same was kept open until after 1 o'clock. A disturbance took place and he had to go in to separate two parties who wanted to draw blood on each other. He stated that a warrant would be taken out for Rappolt's arrest and wished the trustees to understand the case and uphold him in his course, which they readily consented to do.

The Lot of a Farmer.

As concerns happiness? The Western farmer has his ups and downs, setbacks and discouragements, mingled thickly with his modest successes. Like most other men, he has times when he believes that his lot is of all lots most grievous and beset. Doomed to unremitting toil you know he is, and the arbitrary divisions of the day of labor are not for him. Nature is at his heels with storm, with drought, with threat in the heavens and on the soil. Master of himself he is in one respect; in another sense no man is more a slave than he, says Everybody's Magazine. Each brute that champs in the row of tie-up stalls is a dumb tyrant to him to his tasks. Nature's moods must be watched faithfully, for her smiles and tears alike are to be turned to the advantage of the husbandman who is prudent and alert.

Free man is he beneath the sun, his arena of toil encompassed by sweet beauties, in his nostrils the fragrance, and in his ear the melody of nature. But his shoulders are bowed and his hands are gnarled and galled, his face is seamed and the crass odor of the farm breathes even from his fiber. To his mouth comes the first fruits and the best of the bounty of the earth, yet the Great Mother drives him to unending toil if he is to win his harvest and thwart the foes she sends to teach him humanity and industry.

Season follows season, duties jostle, tasks leads to tasks, work beckons ever far ahead, and there is no hour when he may say "I have done!" until death unclasp the rough and calloused hands from the hoe handle.

DEMOCRATS DEADLOCK

Eighth Senatorial Convention Balloons 100 Times and Quits.

Lake and Boone Delegates Unite on Organizing the Convention.

Democrats representing counties of Lake, Boone and McHenry, which forms the Eighth Senatorial district, met in convention in the Opera house at Harvard, Thursday afternoon, for the purpose of placing in nomination a minority representative. As was predicted the meeting was not a cut, and dried affair. Neither was it a stormy one. To the surprise of "the other fellows" there was not a dispute carried into the convention hall. If there is a factional fight among the democrats of the district they are keeping it from the public.

Each county in the district has a favorite son and each county convention instructed its representatives to vote first, last and all the time for its favorite. There was no breaking away from instructions. For three hours the delegates balloted until the one hundredth ballot was reached, and it showed the same result as at first call of the roll, viz: O'Connor of Belvidere, Boone county, 7; Desmond of Hartland, McHenry county, 21; McDermott of Waukegan, Lake county, 22. Finding that it would be impossible to break the deadlock the convention adjourned to meet in the club rooms of the Sherman House, Chicago, Thursday, August 14.

As each delegation is determined to stand by its choice it is difficult to predict the outcome. However it is the opinion of some that Lake and Boone counties will get together and agree on a man, stipulating on an understanding two years hence. The honor belongs to Lake county and it is hoped by the democrats of that county that their rights will be recognized.

Organization of the Convention.

The convention was called to order at 2 o'clock by J. D. Donovan of Woodstock, chairman of the senatorial committee. Michael Hussey of Lake county was named as permanent chairman and L. G. Wilcox of Boone county as temporary chairman, and George F. Lynch of Lake county as secretary.

This organization was the result of pooling between the delegates from Lake and Boone. McHenry county was defeated in three or four subsidiary motions and it looked as though Lake and Boone had formed an alliance and would name the winner, but their love for each other ceased as soon as the organization was completed.

Nominating speeches were made in behalf of Peter McDermott of Lake, by General Rogers and D. A. Grady, for Desmond of McHenry by J. E. Cunningham and T. J. Walsh, and for Mr. O'Connor of Boone, by J. R. Sullivan. Next Thursday the balloting will be resumed and then will be disclosed the result of the missionary work now in progress by the candidates and their lieutenants.

Political Notes.

C. T. Heydecker of Waukegan announces himself as a candidate for the office of county judge of Lake county. Mr. Heydecker has many friends throughout the county who will support his candidacy.

Western Starr is the candidate of the democratic party in the 7th Senatorial district, in Cook county, against "Honest" John Humphrey. The district has a good sized republican majority but it is said Mr. Starr has more than a fighting chance owing to a split among the Humphrey supporters.

We won't let Cuba borrow money and we will not give it reciprocity so it can make money. Perhaps if Cuba catches us in the right mood and makes its petition humble enough we will allow its people to starve to death. Senator Mason is laying considerable stress on what he did to aid in giving Cuba independence and finds many who believes what he says. Interest in Cuban affairs has fallen off considerably since 1898. We are not fired with the spirit of so-called humanity as we were then.

Kankakee will have to be investigated; no political machine is quite strong enough to ignore public opinion that is running all one way. Let no guilty official escape.

It is an old saying "there is no honor among politicians." The convention of democrats of the Eighth Senatorial district, held at Harvard yesterday knocks the truth out of that common saying, if there was ever any truth in it. In spite of all sorts of offers to "trade" each delegation stuck to its "favorite son" until 100 ballots

had been taken, when adjournment was taken for a week, when balloting will be renewed. The several candidates are to be congratulated on having delegates who live up to instructions.

From the tone of some of the letters sent out by candidates for office in Lake county the coming republican convention will have considerable work to perform. As the date of the convention draws near the candidates begin to multiply. Grayslake will be a lively town on August 23.

DISGRACE TO ILLINOIS

Is the Scandal Now Appearing in the Public Press Regarding Kankakee Asylum for Insane.

The sickening facts printed in the press of this state and throughout the country revealing the abuses at Kankakee asylum for the insane is a disgrace to this great commonwealth and to the officials who allow such a state of affairs to exist. From one end of Illinois to the other men and women will shudder at the thought of the helplessness of the poor creatures who have been condemned to the mercy of the wretches on the rolls of the state asylums. This is not the first scandal in the Kankakee institution that has reached the public ear since the present aggregation of political workers swarmed about that hospital, which if reports are true were appointed to their fat jobs not because they were qualified for such service but as a reward for work for their chiefs.

The secret is out. There can be no doubt on this occasion, as there was last spring, when an insane patient at the Jacksonville asylum was scalded to death. As the Chicago Record-Herald says "an infamous crime as ever disgraced the service of mercy has been done." The people will not stand for it. The crime cannot be covered up nor can the perpetrators be "whitewashed." That the men who manage the eastern hospital at Kankakee are "friends and political henchmen of the governor" is not going to save them from the condemnation of the public.

The Chicago Tribune says: "It is never agreeable to investigate one's friends, but it is the governor's duty, and he must recognize it, to order an investigation—one of the searching kind that shall expose the Kankakee soundrels and send them out branded into the world. It is especially incumbent on the governor to carry this matter to the end because during the campaign which preceded his election he asserted that the blot on the democratic state administration had been its failure to care for the wards of the state. The record of the Altgeld administration was not blameless, but it was marred by no such crimes as those committed at the Kankakee asylum. The governor gave the people to understand that the state institutions would not be managed after the old spoils system. If he had kept that promise there would have been few, if any, scandals in the institutions."

President Small of the board of trustees of the asylum says "there is nothing to investigate; that any report they may have to make will be made at the proper time." They will use every effort to cover up any acts of their appointees. The course taken by these men is alone a sufficient demonstration of their unfitness for office. Acting Governor Northcott has been forced by the press of the state to order an investigation and the trustees of the asylum have asked that the State Board of Charities conduct the inquiry. That body being identified with politics the public may expect a vindication of the officials who have charge of Kankakee institution. The people irrespective of party, will render a verdict when they get an opportunity.

Royal Neighbors Social.

The ice cream social given on Hutchinson's lawn Friday evening by Mayflower camp, Royal Neighbors, was a flattering success. An immense crowd gathered to eat ice cream and cake, patronize the grab bag, have their fortunes told and listen to the music of the M. W. A. band. The gypsy fortune-tellers were fun-producers and they were the attraction of the evening. About \$16 were the net proceeds, for which the ladies are very grateful and they wish to thank all who took part, especially Mrs. M. T. Lamey, Miss Harriet Howard and Mr. Dalton, who so admirably took the part of the fortune-tellers.

Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of unclaimed letters remaining in the post office at Barrington, August 8, 1902:

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H. K. Brockway, P. M.

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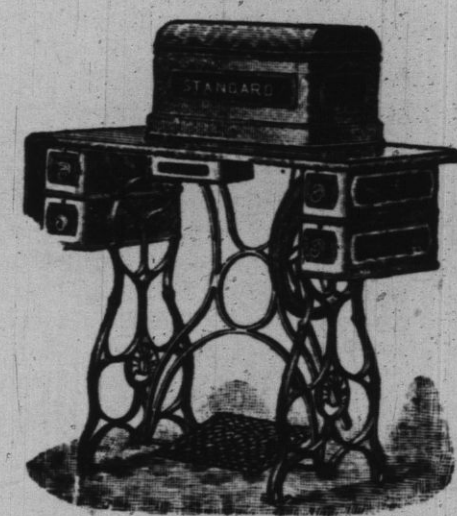
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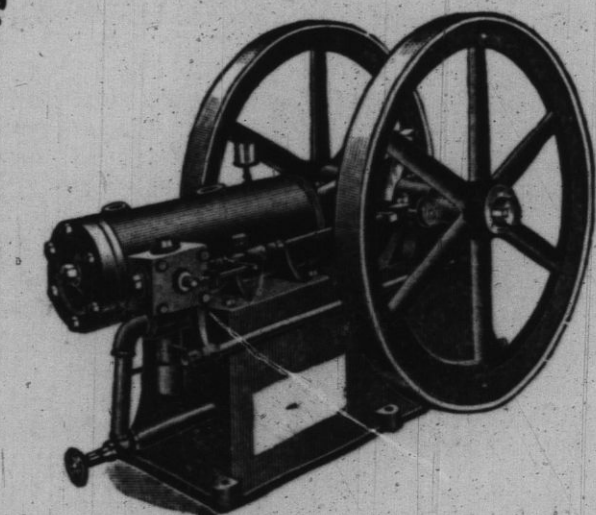
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BARRINGTON, ILLINOIS.

CONDENSED TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

Striking velvet weavers employed at the Cheney Brothers' mill at South Manchester, Conn., attacked Henry Leister, a nonunion man, who was being guarded by four members of the firm, and seriously injured him.

The strike of Santa Fe boiler-makers at San Bernardino and the Needles, Cal., has been settled, both sides making concessions. The men are to receive 39 cents an hour.

Emerson Gray, aged 78 years, committed suicide by hanging himself at his home in Dravesville, Ill. No cause is known except old age and bad health.

Attie Allison, a white farmer of Tallahatchie county, Mississippi, was shot and killed by John Little, a neighboring farmer. Allison had testified before the grand jury that Little had been selling whisky without a license.

Ed Rudy, colored, was shot and killed by John O'Brien, a farmer of Henderson, Ky., who found him stealing apples. As soon as he was discovered Rudy attacked O'Brien with a club and the latter fired, killing the negro instantly.

Mrs. Mary Karow, aged 20 years, of Milwaukee, Wis., a young widow and the mother of two small children, committed suicide by taking carbolic acid. Mrs. Karow's husband died about three months ago and despondency is ascribed as the cause for the suicide.

Fire Marshal Cape of the Racine fire department had a narrow escape from death while making a run to a fire. While crossing the tracks of the Northwestern railway the gates dropped and struck Marshal Cape on the head, knocking him to the bottom of the buggy.

Edward J. Blume, a prominent resident of Luton, Iowa, with his wife, were stopping in Milwaukee on their way to Rugby, Wis., and while walking along the street Mr. Blume suddenly became violently insane. Before the police arrived he had torn off most of his clothes and also had thrown his pocketbook, containing all the money possessed by the couple, into an alley. Some unknown man seized the pocketbook and disappeared.

Mrs. A. K. H. Patchen of Buffalo, N. Y., a member of an old aristocratic family of the empire state, dropped dead in San Francisco. A candle, which she was carrying when death overtook her, ignited her clothing, burning her body somewhat.

The Italian government has ordered that the Marconi wireless apparatus be established on all its warships.

The imperial yacht Hohenzollern, with Emperor William on board, sailed from Kiel for Revel, Russia, where his majesty is going to pay a visit to the czar on the occasion of the Russian naval maneuvers.

The quaint old Wurttemberg city of Ravensburg has celebrated the one thousandth anniversary of its founding by a historical procession representing the successive centuries. The king and queen of Wurttemberg attended the ceremonies.

The tariff committee of the reichstag adopted unchanged clauses 812 to 816 of the new tariff law. These sections cover files, drills, hammers and all agricultural and domestic trade implements except where otherwise specified.

King Alfonso's journey to Oviedo was a continual triumph. The town was decorated in honor of the king's visit and crowds which gathered around the town hall enthusiastically cheered the young monarch, who appeared on a balcony and acknowledged the ovation.

Memorial services were held at Madison, Wis., for Charles Kendall Adams, former president of the state university. Colonel W. F. Vilas and others paid high tribute to his work as an educator.

Carter Glass of Lynchburg was nominated for congress by Democrats of the sixth Virginia district.

George E. Greenfall, George Parker and George Mason were killed by a gas explosion at Aquilar, Colo.

C. Shaffner, a Chicago lawyer with a summer home at Twin Lakes, Wis., was fined \$25 and costs for killing deer out of season.

The large cigar factory of Ward & Co. at Pontiac, Mich., was destroyed by fire, with a loss of \$70,000 and insurance of \$54,000.

The Shenango tin plate mill at Newcastle, Pa., the largest of its kind in the world, shut down for an indefinite period. Officials say it is due to market stagnation and not in retaliation for refusal of the men to accept a wage cut.

The postoffice at Beulah, Kan., was robbed of \$700. The safe-blowers escaped.

Marjorie E. Hoyarsadt, aged 20, and Edward Doyle, aged 5, were killed and twenty-five injured in a collision on the Albany and Hudson Electric railway near Hudson, N. Y.

Less rain has fallen in Alabama during the past three months than in any other similar period since 1839.

George W. Brann, aged 28, an abductor of titles, of Rushville, Ind., accidentally killed himself with a rifle while on a camping expedition.

Mrs. Sarah Nessler of Denver, who had been blind for seven years, claims that her sight was restored while praying at a revival meeting of the Holiness sect.

Brakeman Robert Foley of Portsmouth was killed and four other persons injured in a freight wreck on the Norfolk and Western railroad near Peebles, O.

The coroner's jury at Leesburg, Va., has implicated ten men in the lynching of Charles Craven, colored, after returning a verdict that Craven was "wilfully and feloniously killed." Samuel H. Grimes of Leesburg and two other persons have been arrested in connection with the lynching.

The Huntington, W. Va., street car strike has been settled, an agreement having been reached between the officials and men which applies to all divisions. It is understood the company recognizes the union and restores all employees discharged without cause to their former positions.

Andrew Stapleton was found dead in Ehrlich's mine at Newburg, Ind., and the coroner is making an investigation.

Governor Yates has appointed Henry C. Scot to be county judge of Lee county, to succeed Richard Ferrand, resigned.

Daniel Berry, a Philadelphia "Steeple Jack," fell ninety-eight feet while working in the city hall tower and was killed.

Fire destroyed the opera house and thirty-four other buildings at Washington, La. Loss, \$100,000; insurance, one-third.

Champaign city schools have won the first six of the diplomas offered by State Superintendent Bayliss for the best kept school building in the state.

A large body of mercantile ore has been discovered thirteen miles north of two Harbors, Minn., on the line of the Duluth and Iron Range railroad.

Frank M. Downer of Longmont, Colo., has been appointed assayer of the Denver mint, to succeed Joseph L. Hodges, whose term had expired, and Joseph W. Wilson of Canyon City was appointed melter, to succeed Henry T. Brady, resigned.

Horace Porter, the American ambassador at Paris, France, has gone to Aix-les-Bains.

A passenger on the steamship Kronprinz Wilhelm, which arrived at Plymouth, England, from New York, was robbed of jewels.

A necklace valued at \$20,000 was stolen from Mrs. C. A. Spreckles of San Francisco while she was en route from Paris to Cherbourg to take the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse for New York.

Charles Smith, aged 40, of Menominee, Mich., is lost on Chambers Island, sixteen miles from that city.

A. Owsly Stanley of Henderson was nominated for congress by Democrats of the second Kentucky district.

The Democratic congressional convention of the twenty-first Illinois district will be held in Springfield August 26.

William Dodwell, a farmer near Yelvington, Ky., was bound to a tree by a mob and lashed with a blacksnake whip until he was almost unconscious.

The Centennial flour mills at Spokane, Wash., with a daily capacity of 700 barrels of flour and 200 barrels of cereal foods, was destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at \$85,000.

Robert Knight met "Spot" Murphy, a former pugilist, in the road at Lewisburg, Ind. They quarreled and Knight killed Murphy by shooting him. Knight then climbed into his buggy with his family and drove home.

Thirty naphtha boring platforms at Romany, Russia, have been destroyed by fire.

King Carol of Roumania, who has arrived at Ischl, upper Austria, has been warmly greeted by Emperor Francis Joseph.

Archduchess Elizabeth, youngest sister of Archduke Franz Ferdinand, heir presumptive to the throne of Austria-Hungary, soon will be betrothed to Prince Peter Alcantara, grandson of the late Dom Pedro of Brazil.

Despondent because of illness, Joseph Podawoski stabbed his wife and 12-year-old daughter and committed suicide at El Reno, O. T.

Because his wife had left him, Pleas Pitzer, a negro, shot and killed Robert Brooks, his father-in-law, and his daughter and fatally wounded another sister of his wife near Brinkley, Ark.

Harry and Walter Bird, Chicago boys who started west to make their fortunes, are in jail in Kansas City, charged with robbery.

Representatives of the American Steel Hoop Company and the officials of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tinplate Workers met at Pittsburg to go over several foot notes to the wage scale.

John Davis and an unidentified man were probably fatally and mortally injured by a Vandalia train striking a street car at Terre Haute, Ind.

At Atlantic City conferences with officials of the American Flint Glass Workers' Union resulted in a 10 per cent advance in wages of the eastern shademakers and 8 per cent advance in the castor branch. The pressed ware and paste mold conferees disagreed.

Henry Roose & Co., stockbrokers at London, failed. Their business was small and the liabilities are inconsiderable.

The Arkansas revenue agent is preparing to take drastic measures to compel lawyers to pay occupation tax.

Webster Cross, aged 23, was drowned while swimming at a municipal bathing-house at Madison, Wis. He was a good swimmer, but was seized with an epileptic fit.

The property of the Waukegan Springs Company was sold to F. J. R. Mitchell of New York for \$54,000.

MILITIA TO USE BALL CARTRIDGES

Gen. Gobin Supplies Pennsylvania Troops With Loaded Shells.

SENTRY STONED FROM AMBUSH

Men Ordered to Halt Reply with Shower of Missiles and Later Repeat Performance, When Soldiers Get Orders to Kill.

Brig. Gen. Gobin has ordered the guards and sentries of the regiments on service at Shenandoah to fire upon any gangs of men who attack them with volleys of stones from ambush.

The entire Eighth regiment was called to arms during Saturday night as a result of three attacks made by a band of men who threw stones at the troops now in camp on the plateau outside the town.

A double guard supplied with ball cartridges surrounds the camp and the sentries have been instructed that if stone throwing is repeated they must shoot to kill and investigate afterwards.

One of the attacking party, a Lithuanian named William Stopenitz, is under arrest.

Attack a Sentry.

The first attack was made at 10:45 o'clock Saturday night. Private Payne of company I, on sentry duty, saw a party of men on the Mahony City road, which separates the camp of the Eighth regiment from the Twelfth. He commanded the men to halt and called the corporal of the guard, but before the latter could respond a shower of stones were thrown at the sentry. One stone struck him on the chest, knocking him down and causing his gun to fall from his hands.

He jumped and fired several shots in the air. One of the pickets captured Stopenitz as he came running down the road.

Camp Is Aroused.

The shooting aroused the whole camp and the Eighth regiment was put under arms and companies B, E, and K were immediately out in skirmish lines. The regiment was then called to quarters and fifteen minutes later another shower of stones was thrown at the stable guard, which is located south of the Eighth regiment.

Shortly after 3 o'clock Sunday morning the third and last attack was made, and it was of such a nature that the bugler, under orders from Col. Hoffman, sounded the whole regiment to arms. This time the stable guard was again the object of the attack. Stones in volleys were thrown at the guard, and the sentries nearby.

Fire Into the Bushes.

The sentries fired about a dozen shots into the bushes, but no one was hit.

The Eighth regiment, Col. Hoffman said, was under arms and ready for action in three minutes. Col. Hoffman made a full report to Brig. Gen. Gobin. He put Stopenitz through a searching examination. The prisoner said there were only four men in the body. He gave the name of one of them as Michael Lavotiz and said he did not know who the others were.

The brigadier general said he had issued orders that stringent measures be taken with all such offenders.

Orders Ball Cartridges.

"I have ordered several rounds of ball cartridges to be issued to each sentry," he said, "and that the officers of the guard be instructed to have them used. The guard at the camp will also be increased."

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DYNAMITE WAY OUT OF PRISON

Sixteen Convicts Make Their Escape From the Tennessee Penitentiary.

TRAIN ROBBER IS THE LEADER

With Loaded Revolvers Gus. Hyatt Holds the Guards in Check While His Companions Crawl Through Hole in Wall to Freedom.

Sixteen convicts, one of them a desperate train robber, and others sentenced for murder, blew a hole through a solid wall of masonry with dynamite and then escaped from the Tennessee penitentiary while their leader, supplied with a brace of revolvers by outside accomplices, held the prison guards at bay. Once outside the penitentiary the leader could not protect all the fleeing felons and in the pursuit by reinforcements of guards Edward Carney, a safeblower of Nashville, was shot and killed.

Two Recaptured.

Two of the fugitives were recaptured. The rest are fleeing for their lives, with possums and bloodhounds on their trails.

Six of the fugitives were prisoners of the United States government who had been convicted in the federal courts. The remainder were state convicts.

Gus. Hyatt, the Manchester train robber, was the leader in the escape. By some means which the officials have not discovered he secured a quantity of dynamite and two revolvers from persons outside the prison who planned to free him.

All Were Ready.

Just before locking-up time for the night Hyatt placed the charge of dynamite against the wall of one of the wings of the main prison. A moment later there was a terrific explosion that shook the whole building. Guards rushed toward the place whence the sound came, but Hyatt was ready to meet them with his revolvers.

The sixteen prisoners were in the corridor next to the wall, through which the dynamite had made a hole about the size of a man's body.

When the guards came running to the scene Hyatt turned his revolvers toward them and commanded them to halt under penalty of instant death.

Leader Last to Go.

The next instant he told the convicts about him to escape through the hole in the prison wall. They complied, moving with celerity.

When all his companions were outside Hyatt backed through the hole, keeping his revolvers pointed straight at the guards within.

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TRAIN ROBBERS MAKE BIG HAUL

Stop the "Q" Limited Near Savanna, Ill., and Get \$20,000.

PLACE TORPEDOES ON TRACK

When Engineer Slows Up He Is Compelled to Leave the Cab With His Fireman, While Bandits Dynamite the Express Safe.

Train robbers made a successful attack on the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy limited train, which left Chicago at 6:40 p. m. Aug. 5, near Savanna, Ill., about midnight, and made their escape.

The train left Savanna at 11:45 and fifteen minutes later, when nearing Marcus, three torpedoes exploded on the track.

The engineer immediately put on the brakes, and when the train slowed up a man, masked and armed, climbed on board, covering both trainmen and ordering them to hold up their hands.

Detach Express Car.

CARDINAL LEDOCHOWSKI, ABLEST FINANCIER OF THE VATICAN, DIES AT ROME



Cardinal Ledochowski, who was prefect of the congregation of the propaganda, and as such in control of the affairs of the church in the United States and other countries in which the Roman Catholic is not the state church, died in Rome. The cardinal was regarded as the Vatican's best

financier, and was noted as having been made a cardinal while in prison. This was while he was an archbishop in Germany, where he was incarcerated for two years by Prince Bismarck for refusing to comply with certain laws regulating the church. His successor has not yet been appointed.

WORE OVERCOAT IN SUMMER.

And Brooklyn People Forgot the Heat to Look at Him.

It was only an overcoat, but hundreds of people on the bridge turned to look at it, the other day. This was not so much because of the season, for that has been backward, as because of the appearance. The fact that a man was inside of this garment was not apparent till one came directly in front of it, and looked, between the folds of the collar, when there appeared a red nose and a clay pipe. It was an overcoat of heavy brown fur, and looked as if it might have been worth \$300 or \$400 when it was new, while the man inside looked as if he might be worth 50 cents. His soft hat was smashed and shabby, his trousers had just been hemmed by a tailor's apprentice with coarse string, in stitches an inch long, and his general appearance suggested hardship. But he sat on the bench on the promenade and smoked with frank indifference in the face of the crowd that were turned toward him. And there was sweat on those faces, too. You had to feel warm just to look at him.—Brooklyn Eagle.

WILL ERECT STATUE OF BURNS.

Scotchmen of Chicago Hope to Raise Memorial to Poet.

The Burns Monument Association of Chicago has just accepted a design for a statue of the Scotch poet to be erected in one of the local parks as soon as the needed \$20,000 has been raised. This fund is already growing at a rapid rate. It has recently been taken up by the Caledonian Society, which has drawn other Scotch organizations into the movement, and it is expected that the desired sum



will soon be realized. Nearly \$4,000 has been subscribed.

Accuracy of Base Measurements.

The French mission to remeasure the Peruvian arc of the meridian has just completed the measurement of a base line about twelve kilometres (seven miles) long at Rio Ramba. A part of the base about four kilometres (two and a half miles) long was measured on two different occasions. The difference between the two measurements was seven millimetres, that is about one-third of an inch. The measurements were made by bars four metres, that is about thirteen feet, long, placed end to end. The discrepancy in the two measurements was about one five-thousandth part of 1 per cent of the length measured.

CUBAN CONGRESS TO AID PLANTERS

Bonds to Be Issued by Government and Proceeds to Be Loaned.

MONEY FOR SUGAR GROWERS

Thirty-five Million Dollars is the Sum Sought, Which Will Be Distributed in Proportion to Amount of Cane Produced.

Havana cable: The first important work of the Cuban congress is approaching a conclusion after a sitting of a little more than two months. The senate has prepared the way for circulating \$35,000,000 throughout the island by substantially approving the house bill on this subject.

The money, it is believed, will have the effect of relieving considerably the present crisis. The Cuban congress considers it advisable to aid the sugar planters, pending President Roosevelt's efforts to obtain reciprocity at the next session of the American congress.

To Pay Junta's Debts.

The necessity is also recognized of paying the debts contracted by the Cuban junta of New York in aid of the last revolution and to pay the liberating army.

Authority has been granted for the appointment of a commission to fix and pay the amount due the army. General Maximo Gomez will probably be the chairman.

President Palma will be authorized to borrow \$35,000,000 in American gold and issue national thirty-year 5 per cent bonds within six months. About \$4,000,000 will be applied to the aid of the cane growers and the agricultural and cattle industry generally.

Will Loan the Money.

The money will be loaned at the rate of 50 cents for every 2,500 pounds of sugar grown in the last crop. It is to be repaid in February, March or April next year, drawing 6 per cent interest.

The bondholders will have the custom house receipts as guarantee for the repayment of the amount. President Palma will be authorized to increase the tariff duties on certain articles accordingly.

For the payment of debts contracted by the New York junta to support the revolution \$3,000,000 will be given and for payment of the services of the army \$23,000,000.

To Adopt Stamp Tax.

To bring this loan within the terms of the Platt amendment and other provisions of the Cuban constitution, the present congress, before adjourning, will provide a way to pay interest and will establish a sinking fund to redeem the principal. This will probably be done by means of a stamp tax like the United States war revenue act of 1898, to pay the expenses of the same war.

Any balance of the loan will be applied to agriculture at the discretion of congress.

The foregoing has been substantially approved by congress, only the details remaining for discussion, which will begin Monday in public session.

Has No National Debt.

It is said here that such a loan can be negotiated and taken care of without great difficulty. It will be Cuba's only national debt and can be paid off about \$2,000,000 or \$3,000,000 annually.

Before the last war Cuba paid \$10,000,000 in annual interest alone on Spanish Cuban bonds. There have been 128 business failures in the last twelve months, against twenty-three the year before.

NEW GAS COMPANY IS FORMED

Philadelphia Capitalists to Operate Plant in East St. Louis, Ill.

Springfield, Ill., special: The secretary of state licensed the incorporation of the East St. Louis Gas Company, located at East St. Louis. The object of the corporation is the manufacture of gas and electric light and the capital stock is \$1,000,000. The incorporators are Thomas C. Clark of Philadelphia, Rufus C. Dawes and Henry U. Wood. Clark Brothers of Philadelphia, who operate the electric railroad between East St. Louis and Belleville, are the main parties in the incorporation, which will succeed the old company, whose plant Clark Brothers purchased.

Shoots His Brother-in-Law.

Colorado Springs, Colo., special: R. R. Taylor, a pioneer and proprietor of a bookstore, shot and killed Frank L. Shrader, a railroad brakeman. Taylor surrendered, but aside from declaring that his act was justifiable refused to talk about the shooting of Shrader, who was his brother-in-law.

Two Killed in Mine.

Lead, S. D., special: John Pourier and Joseph Varvals, Frenchmen, were killed by a cave in on the seventh level of the Homestake mine. Five floors of the level came down, with about fifty feet of the loose rock.

Steamer Runs Aground.

Paducah, Ky., special: The steamer City of Savannah ran aground in the Ohio river near here. Two attempts to rescue her have failed. The Savannah was a new boat.

Illinois News Items

State Happenings Succinctly Told by Our Special Correspondents

FAYETTE COUNTY WHEAT YIELD.

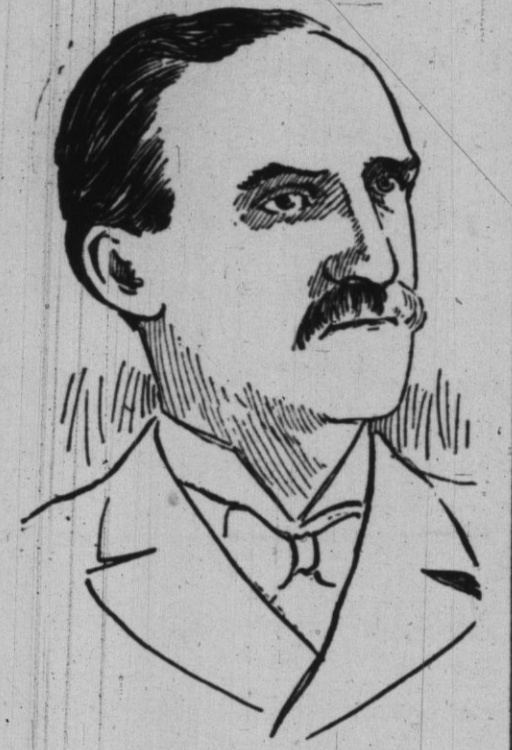
Phenomenal Crop Records Made in the County this Season.

Wheat in Fayette county has turned out some phenomenal yields this season. Off of nine acres C. E. Johnson of this city threshed 400 bushels, an average of over forty-four bushels to the acre, and from another piece of eighty-four acres Mr. Johnson threshed 2,653 bushels of wheat, an average of 31½ bushels per acre. In Sefton township George McDonald had a field of thirty-seven acres that produced 1,000 bushels of wheat. It is said a conservative estimate will place the average yield of wheat over the county at twenty-five bushels per acre. Oats is also a good crop, having turned out far better than was expected. Notwithstanding the loss of corn in the overflowed district of the Okaw bottom, the corn crop in this county will be greater this season than was ever before known.

EPWORTH LEAGUE OFFICERS.

Dr. J. G. Wolfe of Chicago Is Chosen President.

At the Illinois State Epworth league convention at Mount Carmel the greater part of the session was given over to the election of officers for the state and district leagues. For the state league the following were chosen: J. G. Wolfe, Chicago, president; J. M. Mitchell, Mount Carmel, first vice president; Mrs. M. A. Fore-



man, Thawville, second vice president; Helen C. Ingraham, Chicago, third vice president; Stella Ford, Mahomet, fourth vice president; Mrs. Mattie Miles, Maroa, junior superintendent; Oscar E. Roecker, Chicago, corresponding secretary; J. A. Chapman, Pekin, recording secretary; S. J. Curlee, Salem, treasurer. Rockford was awarded the state convention for 1904 over Jacksonville, because it is in the conference district entitled to it.

Provide for Library.

A special meeting of the Beardstown city council appropriated \$1,000 to the public library fund. This will insure to the library board a working fund of \$1,000 bequeathed by the late Samuel Caler, he having made provision in his will that this sum be paid if the city donated a like amount within two years after his death.

Ship Many Melons.

Notwithstanding the fact that the price being paid for baskets of gem melons shipped to northern markets dropped from 50 to 30 cents in one day, the shipments of melons continue very heavy, and the railroads doing business in East Alton are being kept busy caring for the offerings of melons for shipment.

Marry Late in Life.

Mr. Archie Ewing, aged 67 years, and Mrs. Mary Bracken, aged 66 years, were married at Greenville. The wedding was the fifth venture for the bridegroom and the second for the bride.

Pioneer Dies.

E. T. Leigh, one of the pioneer settlers of Christian county, died at his home in Brear Creek township. He was 87 years of age. He had resided in the county sixty-three years.

School Levy.

The Belleville board of education has authorized a tax levy of \$50,000 for school purposes for the coming year and \$5,000 for building purposes.

Run Over by Train.

Will Brock, a young man whose home was at Sunfield, was run over near Coulterville by an Illinois Central train and cut to pieces.

Judge Loses an Arm.

Judge John B. Kagy of Salem, who has been severely afflicted for the past thirteen months with poisoning, which seems to have baffled medical skill, had his right forearm amputated, the operation being deemed necessary to save his life.

Music in Montgomery.

The total number of organs and melodions in Montgomery county, according to the assessor's books, is 1,177, with a total value of \$23,355.

WATCHMAN SAVES WOMAN'S LIFE

Then Meets With Violent Abuse for His Interference.

James Webster, a crossing watchman for the Chicago & Alton at Second and Plaza streets, Alton, had a queer experience with a woman. Seeing that the woman was carelessly walking along the railroad track in front of an oncoming train, he attempted to warn her, but she paid no attention to the shouts of the watchman. Webster then seized the woman and threw her from the track just before the train could strike her. The woman began a violent abuse of the watchman and Officer James Young arrested her. The woman refused to give her name, but it was said she was from St. Louis, and it was believed her conduct was due to intoxication.

DIES WHILE SON IS AWAY.

Alton Man Returns from Philippines to Hear Bad News.

Wilson Miller returned home from three years' service in the Philippines and found that his father, W. D. Miller, a pension agent, had died during his absence. Miller did not know of his father's death until his arrival in Alton, and he announced that he would re-enlist in the army and return to the Philippines for longer service. Miller was in the 25th infantry and was stationed in Samar province, where the regiment participated in the avenging of the massacre of the members of the 9th infantry. Pension Agent Miller died over one year ago, but the relatives of the soldier had no means of communicating with the son to inform him of the death of his father.

Rebuilding a Dam.

Assistant Chief Engineer Steward of the Chicago and Alton railway is in Carlinville superintending the work of rebuilding the reservoir dam at Rinaker, the new watering station south of this city. The dam constructed last winter has slunk 4 feet, and is insecure to hold the vast body of water that has accumulated in the reservoir. Contractor Mullville of Alton has been given the contract to rebuild the dam, making the same higher and broader at the bottom. The work will be pushed with all possible speed to prevent any break in the dam.

Seeks Right-of-Way.

Col. Thomas N. Chase of Chester was in Waterloo recently in the interest of the proposed Newport News railroad, which is to run through Monroe county near the Mississippi river. The railroad company wants the levee commissioners to grant it a right of way on the district levee. District No. 1 has given the company the desired permission, but in district No. 2 the levee is now being used as a public road and the commissioners say it is too narrow to use for both purposes.

Police Association.

Police Sergeant Fred Spears of Springfield, secretary of the Illinois police association, is now sending out printed matter relating to the state convention of the association, which is to be held in Decatur beginning September 9. Over forty cities in various parts of the state have given assurance that they will be represented.

TEACHING RECORD IS MADE

Professor C. P. Snow, who died at Princeton recently, had been for thirty-two years principal of the public schools of that city, and thus held the record in Illinois in holding such a position. He was one of the best known educators in the state.



Good Prices for Apples. Early apples from Calhoun county are selling from \$3 to \$4 per barrel. Some lots have brought over \$4. The owners of apple orchards believe they will get fancy prices this fall for late apples.

Pana Hotel Sold.

J. W. Mink of Chicago purchased the Hotel Flint of Pana from W. H. McArthur & Son of Elgin, Ill. The consideration was \$20,000. The Hotel Flint is one of the best hotels in central Illinois.

Red Top Crop.

Threshing of the red top crop has begun at Flora with good reports as to the yield and quality of the seed. Several growers report ten bushels per acre as the yield.

SHAFT TO SPRINGFIELD PIONEER

Movement on Foot for Monument to Elisha Kelly.

A movement is on foot among the members of the old settlers' association for the erection of a monument to Elisha Kelly, the first settler on the ground that is now occupied by the city of Springfield. Kelly came from North Carolina and settled first in Macoupin county, coming later to this region and living on the banks of a creek which formerly ran diagonally through what is now Capitol township. He chose this location on account of the fine hunting, prairie chickens and deer being plentiful. In the spring and fall duck shooting was also fine. He afterward built the first county courthouse at what is now the corner of Second and Jefferson streets. At the next meeting of the Old Settlers' association, which will be held during fair week, the project will be fully discussed.

IS STATE'S ATTORNEYS' LEADER

Walter I. Manny of Mount Sterling President of Prosecutors.

Walter I. Manny, the newly elected president of the State's Attorneys' Association of Illinois, is a native of Brown county, is descended from Anglo-Irish parents and is a notable ex-



ample of the best qualities of the Saxon and the Celt. He is a graduate in the arts and sciences from the University of Illinois and in law from the University of Michigan. Some years ago he began the practice of law in Mount Sterling and was soon thereafter elected to the position of state's attorney, which he still holds. He is a forceful speaker and writer and a thoroughly good prosecutor.

Doubly Afflicted.

Blindness has come to the son and death to the daughter of George White as the result of an attack of brain fever. The family resides just north of Springfield and the two children were attacked simultaneously. It was not until after the girl died and the boy was convalescent that his affliction was discovered.

Railway Settles Suit.

The suit of Mrs. L. B. Sidway against the Chicago & Alton Railway Co. because of damages to Mrs. Sidway's pasture lands at Alton, due to fire set by sparks from a passing engine on the Alton track, was settled by the defendants paying Mrs. Sidway \$110 and settling the costs of the proceeding.

Labor Is Scarce.

Two 95-foot iron smokestacks were erected at Alton over the boiler room of the Federal lead smelter, but difficulty is being experienced in getting men to work. A very large force of mechanics is at work erecting the buildings and preparing to set up the machinery for the smelter.

Inspecting Nurseries.

State Nursery Inspector W. C. Bagley of Springfield, accompanied by A. M. Draper of Alton, is making a tour of the county inspecting nurseries. Mr. Bagley says he finds the nurseries of Calhoun county to be in the best condition of any in the state.

Christian Church Meeting.

The Williamson district of the Christian church held an annual meeting at the electric park near Marion. The attendance was large, being represented by delegates from all parts of the field.

Money for Miners.

The committee appointed by Mayor Hall of Daquoin to solicit financial aid for the striking miners in the anthracite fields has secured over \$300 and is not yet through with its work.

Shot His Neighbor.

Wiley Bray and Jas. Pilcher of Maunie became involved in a fight over a settlement for some water-melons and Bray shot Pilcher with a shotgun, inflicting a serious wound in the shoulder and neck.

To Build a Church.

The congregation of the German Methodist church at Hoyteton has decided to build a new church. It will be 50 feet long, 32 feet wide and 16 feet high, with a steeple of 65 feet.

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Against a Sympathetic Strike.

The attitude of President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers at the convention at Indianapolis in counseling the bituminous coal miners against a sympathetic strike has been generously and generally commended. President Mitchell urged that such a strike should not be undertaken not only on the ground of policy and because he believes that, as a rule, sympathetic strikes fail, but more positively and more forcibly on the moral ground that pledges and contracts made by labor associations should be kept inviolate even under discouraging and tempting circumstances. Speaking of sympathetic strikes, he said:

Sympathetic strikes have many adherents, and the efficacy of such methods appeals strongly to those who, being directly involved in trouble, do not always recognize the effect of their action upon the public mind, but the history of the labor movement teaches lessons which should not be forgotten today. I do not know of one solitary sympathetic strike of any magnitude which has been successful. On the contrary, the most conspicuous among the sympathetic labor struggles have resulted in ignominious and crushing defeat, not only for the branch of industry originally involved, but also for the divisions participating through sympathy.

The plan suggested by President Mitchell and adopted by the miners' convention was that the bituminous miners through their district unions should contribute to the support of the striking members and that an appeal be made to all American trades unions for financial aid. He suggested that the national treasury of the United Mine Workers should contribute \$50,000 from funds now on hand and that an assessment of not less than a dollar a week should be levied on members of local unions. This, it is believed, will place in the hands of the striking anthracite miners a fund of approximately \$500,000 a week.

Conditions in South Africa.

Great Britain is not having as plain sailing in the repatriation and resettlement of the Transvaal as was hoped or as was reasonably expected. Recent dispatches from Pretoria point out that much discontent exists among the Boers who have recently surrendered, some of them having refused to take the oath of allegiance, while all are bitterly resentful against their former companions in arms who surrendered some time before the close of the war. It is but natural that there should be a reaction from the first effusive manifestations of loyalty after the close of the war and that the Boers should tenaciously insist upon the terms under which their racial character and customs may be preserved as long as possible. It is unwarrantable, however, to suppose that their discontent will go to the point of rebellion, at least not in the near future.

Perhaps the most delicate question to be adjudged is the status of the Boer scouts who fought with the British during the war. They are loudly clamoring for special privileges and view with intense jealousy all that is being done for their kinsmen who were loyal to the Boer cause.

The latter, on the other hand, regard these scouts with increasing aversion, and any attempt made by the British authorities to give them special reward for their services will tend to increase this hatred. In a way the British are between the devil and the deep sea, and only the greatest tact and patience can bring about a compromise satisfactory to both factions.

The financial agent of Russia in London says that the Russian government's action in suggesting an international antitrust conference was not taken from fear of American aggression, but to reach German manufacturers, who, it is asserted, are securing control of Russian markets. The industrial life of Germany depends to a large extent upon foreign markets, and the government is not likely to take any action which may lead to the crippling of her manufacturing interests.

A dispatch from Paris says that Willie K. Vanderbilt, Jr., met with an automobile accident while returning from Chartres to Paris, his machine running into a market cart. Mr. Vanderbilt was slightly injured on the leg and arm. The dispatch does not say what happened to the market cart driver. But of course that doesn't matter.

It must be admitted that the New York young man who stole sewing machines for his sweetheart showed discrimination in selecting useful things, though this may not perhaps be urged in extenuation of his offense.

Russia has demanded \$4,200,000 from Turkey as indemnity for damage done in the Turco-Russian war. It's a lonely day when the bill collector doesn't knock at the sultan's door.

One of the latest combinations is that of the manufacturers of Pittsburg tobies and Wheeling stogies. If the new trust is really a combine in restraint of trade, it ought to succeed.

Canada's Alternatives.

"Shall Canada become annexed to the United States or form a closer commercial union with the United Kingdom?" is the question discussed by Frank W. Hathaway in the current issue of the British Contemporary Review. One or the other of these alternatives would, from Mr. Hathaway's review of the trade conditions of the Dominion, appear to be inevitable, though there yet appears to be no imminent prospect of either.

Mr. Hathaway cites statistics showing that in 1866 the United States bought of Canada to the amount of \$44,000,000; in 1901, \$72,000,000, an increase of 64 per cent. This includes Yukon gold and goods in transit. In 1866 Canada bought of the United States to the amount of \$28,500,000; in 1901, \$119,000,000, an increase of 318 per cent. Canada, he says, buys nearly three times more in value from the United States than she does from the United Kingdom.

Mr. Hathaway asserts that Canada's low tariff and too large free list are daily making Canadian farmers yearn for the markets of the United States. He says the Canadians "are deprived of the United States market, and yet at the same time the United States farmers are assisted by the present tariff in beating the Canadian farmers." "The flag follows trade"—that is the way he puts it—and he adds, "Our longing to pay for that \$119,000,000 worth of United States products in the like value of farm, forest and sea products will incline our hearts to forget the law of blood and follow the baser born twentieth century law of trade."

While Mr. Hathaway does not admit that there is yet in the Dominion any considerable sentiment in favor of political union with this republic, he says that in the opinion of many the desire for such a relation with the United States will grow among Canadians unless commercial conditions and currents change. The remedy suggested by Mr. Hathaway is a higher tariff against the United States and preferential trade throughout the British empire, and he declares that "the present unsympathetic attitude of British statesmen toward Canada, shown more particularly in the failure to readjust their tariff and reciprocate our preferential rebate, is unworthy of their supposed sagacity and foresight." From late reports of the meeting of the conference of the colonial premiers with the officials of the London colonial office touching a British commercial union there appears to be little prospect of securing the relief which Mr. Hathaway suggests. Seemingly, therefore, Canada's only hope is in the other alternative—annexation to the United States.

Ladrones Chiefs Montallon and Felzardo appear to have been having a Harry Tracy of a time with the constabulary of Cavite. Some days ago an extensive "drive" was organized for the purpose of running down these chiefs and their followers. Twelve hundred of the Filipino constabulary commanded by Captain Baker moved on the ladrones, covering sixty square miles and apparently cutting off every avenue of escape. According to a later dispatch from Manila, the ladrones broke through the cordon of constables by whom they were completely surrounded, and the chiefs and most of their followers escaped. It would appear that Montallon and Felzardo are as slippery fellows as Harry Tracy, or else the Filipino constables are no more expert in the art of bagging bandits than the Washington deputy sheriffs.

An Iowa girl has been appointed as mail carrier on a rural free delivery route. Her health indoors was poor, and outdoor exercise became necessary. She is enjoying her travels along the country roads and is having a snug wagon built, with a stove in one end, in which she will make her daily trips the coming winter. Nothing daunts the resourceful American girl.

A Pittsburg man has killed himself because his wife left him. If every man whose wife leaves him about this time of year took the matter as seriously as that, there would be a sad state of affairs.

A Chicago millionaire has asked to have \$225,000 added to the value placed upon his property by the assessors. So it would seem that Chicago is not wholly wicked after all.

One may perhaps escape the heat by going to the seashore or the mountains, but there is no place where one may go and get away from pingpong.

Incidentally Mr. Tracy of Seattle and elsewhere seems to have punctured the reputations of quite a bunch of northwestern deputy sheriffs.

There may yet be some controversy among the trusts to decide which shall enjoy the first position in power, oil, sugar or steel.

Why would it not be well to have the state mine inspector in the mine before instead of after the disaster?

How William Waldorf Astor must pity Lord Salisbury! The latter has refused a British dukedom.

IGNORANT OF GEOGRAPHY.

How a German Put Powers to an American Girl.

"A thing about Americans which has surprised me more than anything else," said a German artist who has been visiting in New York city for six months past, "is that with all your patriotism you know so little about the geography of your own country, to say nothing of the rest of the world."

There were several Americans in the circle, and they looked rather surprised. None of the men spoke. They knew that they were weak in geography and that here was a challenge which would have to pass.

Not so a bright young woman of twenty, who rushed into the breach with her head in the air.

"We do know the geography of our country," she said decidedly. "Of course we do. Every child learns it in school."

"Might I ask you a question or two?" the foreigner said quietly. "The names of the capitals of some of your states, for instance?"

"Certainly. I'll be glad to answer." And she nodded confidently at the young American man who was already beginning to fear for her.

"What is the capital of Massachusetts?" was his first question.

"Boston!" was the prompt answer from the girl.

"And of North Carolina?" That seemed to puzzle her a little, and it was a full minute before she answered "Charleston!"

The foreigner smiled, but made no effort to correct her. "What is the highest mountain in the United States?" he asked.

"It's not fair to ask about mountains," she protested. "You said I didn't know the capitals."

"The capital of Illinois is?" "Chi—Springfield, I mean."

"Of Montana?"

For the life of her she could not think of a town in Montana. "It's been an age since I studied geography," she explained.

"Your answers were better than the average," said the man. "You got one right out of four. As I said, American geography surprises me."—New York Tribune.

ORCHARD AND GARDEN.

It is safer to prune too little than too much.

Moist earth and a cloudy day for transplanting.

Gooseberries and currants are two easily grown fruits, and there is seldom an oversupply.

The quality and size of fruit on old bushes is much improved by thinning of the fruit or severe pruning.

The cause of moss appearing on the stems of apple and other fruit trees is wet, cold, undrained land or an excessively humid climate.

In saving garden seed gather when ripe. Do not allow it to shell off. The first matured is the best, and the first matured will shell first.

A good mulch around fruit trees helps to keep down weeds, keeps the soil loose, moist and porous at all times, with little labor of cultivation.

The time of setting out of fruit trees is of far less importance than to see that the right varieties are selected, the soil prepared and transplanting well done.

Candles.

"I thought candles went with stagecoaches, but a good many people must use them yet," said a shopper who pointed to a collection of candlesticks, all of the utility sort, arrayed in a house furnishing department. There were big and little, ornamental and plain, practical and impractical ones. Some had broad trays, and others had none at all, and some had devices for lifting the candle, while others were made with deep necks. There still remain people who cling to the traditions of their ancestors and will have none of the modern lighting inventions for their sleeping rooms. Certain women prefer a light in their bedrooms until they are asleep, and for this purpose a candle is just the thing, for it will put itself out at the time proportioned by its length.—New York Tribune.

Saw No Reason For Swearing.

General Grant was asked why he never swore. He replied: "Well, when a boy I had an aversion to swearing. It seemed useless, an unnecessary habit, and besides I saw that swearing usually aroused a man's anger. I early had a desire to have complete command of myself. I noticed when a man got angry his opponent always got the better of him. On that account also I determined to refrain from swearing. Then the swearing men of my acquaintance when a boy were not the best men I knew. I never saw any reasons for swearing. All were against it."

Home Life in England and America.

The decay of the home life is to be attributed partially to the influence on society of the invasion of Americans.

In the United States home life is almost unknown. The meaning of the word "home," as understood to Britishers, is a mystery to Yankees. To a certain extent we have always envied you your home life, and I certainly agree with some of your correspondents that it would be disastrous for your country to lose the elevating and refining influences of the home.—Anglo-American in London Mail.

To Improve the Horse.

If some owners of horses would spend more for feed and less for whips, they would have more spirited animals.—Aitchison Globe.

Edward I. was 6 feet 2 inches high, and it is said that the tips of his middle fingers extended below his knees.

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Items of Interest Picked Up in Surrounding Towns for The Perusal of Review Readers.

LAKE ZURICH.

Jno. Forbes made a trip to the river Thursday.

D. Dinan was a Zurich caller last Thursday.

John Kohl made a trip to Highland Park, Wednesday.

Teddy Ficke is visiting relatives at Dwight this week.

Gene Jenks of Wauconda was seen in our burg Thursday.

Arthur Fisher of Wauconda made Zurich a call Thursday.

C. Hacker of Cuba is assisting E. Branding at carpenter work.

C. H. Patten and family are now in their cottage on the lake shore.

Herman Schutt of Algonquin was visiting John Kofin and family this week.

The Elm House, the popular resort on the lake, is enjoying a good run this season.

Wm. Hicks and family are now occupying their cottage on the Lake shore the season.

Mrs. Margaret Jordan of Crystal Lake was a guest of her brother, John Forbes, Tuesday.

Messrs. and Mesdames Robertson and Burlingame of Palatine spent a few days here this week.

George and Peter Myers are entertaining their brothers and their families from Kansas this week.

When you want a cool case of pints be independent and call at the Exchange and have it delivered free.

Henry Pepper went to Harvard as the delegate from Elia township to the democratic senatorial convention.

John Forbes is now the owner of a nice team of Arabian ponies. We tell Henry to get in line or else go 'way back.

A. J. Raymond called on friends here Wednesday. He is a candidate for county treasurer and says the outlook is good.

Marshal Prehm locked up a couple of tramps Tuesday evening and turned them loose Wednesday with a warning to leave town.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Lamey and Carl Ernst of Barrington and Miss Howard of Waukegan were pleasant callers in our village Wednesday.

The employees of Bruce Ice Co. went on strike Thursday for higher wages and shorter hours. At present writing the trouble has not been settled.

Emil Frank of Lake Zurich attended the 8th senatorial district convention at Harvard Thursday, as proxy for C. H. Morrison of Cuba township.

The ball game Sunday between the Americans and Jefferson Grays was one of the hardest contested games that was played this season. It looked like a victory for the Grays until after the 5th inning, when the Americans began to pound the Gray's pitcher, and he was retired before the inning was played out. All the pitchers looked alike until the game was over. The score was 9 to 10 in favor of the Americans. Next Sunday the Americans will play the Elgin Giffords for the gate receipts. The Giffords is considered one of the best amateur teams in Kane Co., and a good game is looked for. They have the Aurora battery, Feeney & O'Brien, so don't fail to see the Giffords in their white suits.

WAUCONDA.

Edgar Mills was a McHenry visitor Sunday.

Harry Graham spent Sunday here with his parents.

Carl Erickson transacted business in Chicago Tuesday.

Bert Harris was a Waukegan visitor the first of the week.

Mrs. Arthur Graham called on her son Harry at Barrington, Tuesday.

J. K. Orvis of Waukegan transacted business in our village Monday and Tuesday.

C. W. Sowles of Palatine visited with relatives and friends in our village Sunday.

The subject for the sermon at the Baptist church tomorrow afternoon will be "Sleep."

Miss Della Hammond went to Chicago Tuesday, where she will spend a few days with relatives.

Jessie and Arthur Stoxen went to Union Tuesday to spend a few days with their grandparents.

Fred Wynkoop of Woodstock and Frank Wynkoop of Chicago spent Sunday with their parents here.

E. L. Harrison, Sylvester Murray, C. P. Pratt and Howard O'Neil spent Sunday with friends and relatives in our village.

Mrs. Wm. Tekampe and family and Mrs. August Hapke and son John of Waukegan, who have been spending the past week with relatives and friends in our village, returned to their home Tuesday.

The lawn social which was held on the lawn of Mrs. C. L. Pratt last Friday evening for the benefit of the new Baptist minister, was a grand success. Ice cream and cake was served and the receipts amounted to \$12.80.

The Mysterious Social club, composed of Wauconda's fair young ladies, will be happy to entertain the people at an ice cream social to be given tomorrow evening on Pratt's lawn. A pleasant place than this could not be found and many cozy nooks will be found for bashful youths and maidens. All will be welcomed.

Miss Yvonne Haas entertained 12 of her little friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Maiman Thursday afternoon of last week, it being the fourth anniversary of her birth. The afternoon was most pleasantly spent at various amusements and singing, and this was carried on to such extent that the little ones developed a good appetite and when supper was announced all partook most heartily of the ice cream, cake and lemonade. After supper Photographer Harris took a picture of the group and play was resumed and continued until 5:30, when all departed, wishing the young hostess many returns of the happy event.

BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

Board of trustees met with all members present and minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

The following bills were read, and by finance committee and allowed:

A. L. Baseley, labor.....	\$3 50
W. H. Lamphere, drayage.....	3 00
J. W. Gilbert, supplies.....	3 50
A. G. Schwerman, tile.....	10 20
N. B. Duers, tile.....	60
M. S. Clark, drayage.....	35 37
Chas. Rowson, labor.....	24 90
L. Dixon, labor.....	17 95
L. Hubbard, salary.....	45 00

The bill of J. K. Orvis for \$15, which was laid on the table at last meeting, was allowed. H. T. Fuller moved that the Pratt estate purchased by H. Maiman be accepted by the village of Wauconda, according to contract signed by said Henry Maiman. Carried.

The treasurer's report was presented and showed a balance of \$2,918.84. An ordinance making the annual appropriation for the current fiscal year, making the appropriation \$3,365 was read, and a motion made and seconded to pass the same. Carried.

Moved and carried that the light committee be empowered to order street lamps not to exceed fifteen in number and have same placed in position to light the streets.

CARPENTERSVILLE.

Mrs. A. E. Arvedson has been visiting at Nunda.

Mrs. Margaret Matthews was an Elgin visitor Monday.

Mrs. Franc Brown and son Dexter of Cary were here Sunday.

Relief Corps meets in regular session this afternoon at 2:30.

Miss Maud Russell spent last week with her grandmother in Elgin.

Mrs. Betsy Waite of Elgin visited Mrs. L. Clark one day last week.

Miss Ollie Terrins of Arlington Heights is a guest of friends here.

The Woman's Guild held its regular work meeting Friday afternoon.

There was a special meeting of the W. R. C. held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Steelbar at Dundee.

The regular union quarterly meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held Sunday evening. Rev. Ferris of Wheaton gave the address.

The W. C. T. U. of Carpentersville met last Friday in special session to advise together about holding one service during vacation under their auspices.

Della Tyrrell celebrated the eighth anniversary of her birth Tuesday by giving a large party to her little friends. Ice cream and cake was served and a large number of gifts were received by Miss Della.

Our cities are still filled with sadness over the horror of the street car wreck Sunday afternoon. It is said that in all probability two of the men will die of their injuries and possibly other may.

Announcement.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of county superintendent of schools, subject to the decision of the republican county convention.

W. C. MCKENZIE

Ravinia, Ill., July 7, 1902.

Hall's Great United Shows.

The principal features of Col. Hall's shows that are announced to be here Wednesday, August 13, are—First, a first-class, old-fashioned one-ring circus, where the people are close enough to distinguish the male from the female performers, and actually hear what the 8 funny clowns say; 2nd, a menagerie of performing lions, tigers, hyenas, leopards and many other wild beasts, headed by that monster elephant, Columbus, that stands nearly 12 feet high, weighs 6 tons and is 110 years old. 3rd, Prof. Chet. Baldwin, one of the brothers who have made themselves famous the world over by their balloon ascensions and the invention of the parachute. Prof. Baldwin will positively make a balloon ascension and parachute descent at the show grounds, corner of Liberty and Williams streets, Wednesday August 13. Remember the date.

Tale of a Stamp.

I'm a stamp—
A postage stamp—
A two-center.
Don't want to brag,
But I was never
Licked,
Except once;
By a gentleman, too.
He put me on
To a good thing;
It was an envelope—
Perfumed, pink, square;
I've been stuck on
That Envelope
Ever since.
He dropped us—
The envelope and me—
Through a slot in a dark box;
But we were rescued
By a mail clerk,
More's the pity.
He hit me an awful
Smash with a hammer;
It left my face
Black and blue.
Then I went on a long
Journey
Of two days.
And when we arrived—
The pink envelope and me—
We were presented
To a perfect love
Of a girl,
With the stunningest pair
Of blue eyes
That ever I linked.
Say, she's a dream!
Well, she n u lated
The pink envelope
And tore one corner
Of me off
With a hair pin;
Then she read what
Was inside
The pink envelope;
I never saw a girl blush
So beautifully!
I would be stuck
On her—if I could.
Well, she placed
The writing back
In the pink envelope;
Then she kissed me.
Oh, you little goddets!
Her lips were ripe
As cherries,
And warm
As the summer sun.
We—
The pink envelope and me—
Are now
Nestling snugly
In her bosom;
We can hear
Her heart throb;
When it goes fastest
She takes us out
And kisses me.
Oh, say,
This is great!
I'm glad
I am a stamp—
A two-center.

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C. T. HEYDECKER.

Doubtless Nurse Toppan will be "cured" in due time and resume her occupation of "nursing" people into the hereafter.

The M. A. which Amherst college has conferred upon Clyde Fitch is probably intended to mean "maker of acts."

We shall all miss the familiar phrase in Lord Kitchener's communications to the London war office, "I regret to report."

Anyway the deputy sheriffs must be given credit for having kept Bandit Tracy too busy to go into the lecture field.

Doubtless some people have discovered that there is a sheller in the Chicago corn pit.

Now that the editor of London Punch has been knighted no loyal Briton will ever dare to suspect that he is not humorous.

If the price of coal goes up much higher, South American naval revolutionists will be compelled to saw wood.

Possibly if Mr. Morgan had lunched with the czar that sudden antitrust feeling would not have troubled Nicholas.

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CHAPTER X.—(Continued.)

Perhaps it was a wild guess, and he did the beauty wrong in allowing it to creep into his brain, but somehow Mark Merrick feared her influence for evil more than that of the allies two-fold.

She had the rare knack of making men believe that, while to all others she had been the adventuress, to them she was only a weak woman with a heart that long had sought its mate. And the natural love of flattery in man had done the rest.

But Jones—surely, he had a shield and buckler in his knowledge of the witch's methods, and would be able to estimate her at her true worth.

At the same time Merrick thought it well to keep an eye upon the treasure trove.

Somehow he was not free from care with respect to Count Leon.

Who could guarantee that the partitions between the several compartments were sound—Merrick had heard of such a thing as a panel game, and it seemed to be a piece of business about in accord with the methods adopted by these fortune seekers.

He secretly wished some such move might be made by the enemy.

It would give him an opportunity to work his personality into the game, and at least prove that he was able to resist the intoxicating influence of such a dangerous woman's presence.

No such adventure befell them, however, on the trip from Monte Carlo to Nice.

Merrick was constrained to believe his fears had as little foundation as the wonderful dreams of a hashish eater.

For the two little sacks that represented the broken bank at Monte Carlo still reposed upon the seat of the railway carriage as the train slowly rolled into the seaport on the Riviera.

To transport the golden fruit of the argosy to the hotel was another piece of business that required delicate engineering, lest the enemy get the better of them.

Merrick had depended on Jones for this, and now he began to fear lest his friend might lose his grip through the uncanny influence of this dazzling witch.

At least he would be left to guard the treasure.

It was not because he cared for the gold so much but a determined spirit, so characteristic of the bulldog Anglo-Saxon, not to give up that which had been won in fair, open fight.

Sure enough Jones jumped out and assisted the princess to alight, doing the honors with all the graces of a Raleigh or a Chesterfield.

Merrick was amused. He even laughed softly when he saw Jones run for a vehicle and place the Olgavitch within.

"Hold on! draw the line there, old man," muttered Mark, seeing his friend apparently hesitate, as though in doubt whether to accept an invitation or not.

Apparently he had enough stamina left to decline, for Mark saw a dazzling white hand slip out of the vehicle, upon which Jones actually pounced and raised his lips.

Good heavens! was all the world going crazy about the princess—what manner of sorcery did she apply, so that even such confirmed woman-haters fell humbly before her shrine?

Poor Jones! Merrick thought, to surrender so expeditiously—apparently there are more dangerous weapons than cudgels, and a pair of flashing black eyes have done more damage than the keenest swords could ever accomplish, since they had riddled his flinty old heart.

Perhaps our modern Don Quixote might not now be so deeply concerned with the troubles of a poor suffering world that called for a champion, since he would have plenty of woes of his own to nurse.

Whatever might have been the condition of Jones' heart at present, once the intoxicating presence of the enchantress was missing, he seemed to become himself again.

He came up smiling, and Mark looked keenly at him, desirous of learning just how far he had been hit, for Jones was more or less of a puzzle to him, and he could not decide whether he had been acting a part or not in response to the advances of this Russian Becky Sharp.

"Well, she's a stunner, I say. Almost took my breath away, and confided her troubles to me as if I might be a father confessor. Guess she's been more sinned against than sinning. Smart woman that to beat the gallants of Paris and London at their own game. Admire her grit, by ginger. But, here's that darned stuff," with a groan, as his eyes fell upon the two sacks, and he remembered the dead weight.

"Yes," said Merrick, shortly, "what shall we do with it—scatter it along the street or found an orphan asylum for those unfortunates who have lost their fathers in the whirlpool of Monte Carlo?"

They surveyed the plunder dubiously.

How many men would have been delighted at the opportunity of backing such a load—but then Merrick was an odd lot, taken in all, and as we know had particular reasons for disliking great accumulations of riches just at present.

Strangely enough, the idea had not yet presented itself to him that the same end he had in view might be accomplished, and the obstacles brushed aside through an accumulation of wealth on his part that would counteract the malign influence of those detested diamond mines.

Several men appeared just outside, and to their tender mercies the precious sacks were intrusted, while our two friends walked just behind.

The four entered a vehicle and drove off.

Among those at the station Merrick saw the Russian bear, but Count Leon had vanished, having a little bag of his own to look out for just then.

When the treasure was snugly deposited in the hotel safe, and a receipt for the same stowed away in Jones' pocket-book, Merrick endeavored to dismiss the whole matter from his mind, and occupy himself with affairs more in keeping with his own private fortunes.

Like all lovers, Merrick endured all the doubts and fears that go hand in hand with things of this sort, and in his case there was reason for an unusually large crop—still, lovers come on in endless numbers, and will continue to do so up to the very end of the chapter, for no man is willing to accept some predecessor's experience as a warning to his own feet, but must needs try his own conclusions.

How would it end?

The scene in the cabin of the yacht came vividly before him again, and he could hardly believe that even such an egregious failure would discourage so persistent a suitor as Count Leon when there were millions at stake.

How could Constance be the more surely protected against this insidious and unscrupulous enemy?

Two ways presented themselves to Merrick. The first was to take the bull by the horns and on the least provocation give the African explorer his quietus; while the second would cause him to take the girl and her fortune under his name, in fact to marry her as soon as she would agree.

Long Merrick deliberated while he savagely chewed the end of his cold cigar—one of two evils must be accepted—it was either the risking of his life in a duel with a dead shot, or the thrusting aside of all his scruples.

"All right," he said to himself finally, with grim resolution, "one of us must go under. If I should marry her now he might make her a widow in a week. Evidently he left his luck in the Sahara, and I can meet him on equal terms. Kismet, as the Mohammedans say, it is fate. A little smoke, then, to propitiate the goddess of destiny. Perhaps the next time Captain Leon the Valiant and myself come face to face with weapons in our hands something not exactly down on the bills will happen. And, deuce take it, I for one will welcome the change," and lighting his cheroot he sent rings of blue smoke circling up toward the decorated ceiling, where the said goddess with her balances seemed sitting in judgment.

At breakfast Jones made a proposition. It was to the effect that they go over to Mentone bag and baggage.

Merrick eagerly welcomed the change.

Constance would be there, and no man could ask a greater blessing of Providence than to saunter about those terraces of Mentone, along the Condamine road winding up the steep hill to the fortress, under the guarding shadow of Mont Agel and Mont Bataille, past the famous palace of the Grimaldis or the Tete du Chien, and having in his company the girl he loved best in all the world.

So they went down about noon, after Jones had managed to bank the proceeds of his previous night's great victory, much to the relief of the hotel proprietor, who had been rather uneasy over the fact that such a fabulous amount of gold and notes was known to rest in his safe.

Merrick was uneasy, because among the vessels at anchor near by he had discovered the steam yacht of Sir Lionel, which he had very good cause to remember with displeasure.

It was very natural for this unprincipled English cousin of Constance to come to Monte Carlo, where all of his class gravitated at some time during the winter; but, remembering what had occurred recently at Nice, Merrick had a sense of impending evil come over him.

The gloaming gradually gave place to the darkness of night—a night long to be remembered by this strange community of Monte Carlo, since it would mark an era in the history of the gaming world that had never yet been equaled.

Mark Merrick, looking over the murmuring sea, could faintly detect a light that twinkled from some jutting Italian headland, possibly marking some dangerous rocks.

How calm and peaceful it all seemed—he hated to leave this place of his vigil and seek the artificial whirlpool of human passions, where gain with its sordid views dwarfed the brightest intellects and wrecked the most promising of lives.

Back to the Hotel des Anges he made his way.

Crowds already headed toward the theater of dramatic events, eager to witness the second advent of this plucky adventurer from over the sea.

Merrick knew their play would not open until late in the night.

This would give him a couple of hours of leisure, and secretly he longed for an opportunity to walk and talk with Constance.

Constance Dare looked unusually lovely as his ravished eyes fell upon her—it was as if some deep intuition had caused her to wear just the colors he had called his favorites in the days that were long past, when they two wandered over the flower-decked veldt, or chased the timid springbok in company.

The old life was appealing heavily to Mark, and deep down in his heart he had begun to question the expediency of allowing such a foolish scruple as his hatred for wealth in the woman he loved to stand between himself and happiness.

And when Mark had joined the others in the theater where enchanting gavotte followed the strains of mazurka and waltz, he had resolved to take a bold step if the opportunity arose, a step that would forever give him the right to defend Little Miss Millions against the machinations of those who longed to handle her fortune.

His scruples must be crushed—she needed his protection, lest she fall into the hands of the fowler or fortune-hunter.

The desire grew within his heart to walk with Constance.

When he proposed it she readily assented.

Deep down in her heart Constance rejoiced, for her soul knew no other lover than Mark Merrick, to whom she owed her life on more occasions than one.

A great yearning had always been present in her heart ever since they parted under the skies of South Africa, torn asunder by a miserable misunderstanding.

She could never love any one else—it were folly to delude herself with even a thought to that end.

So she went out, promising not to stay too long in the night air.

Jones was seated near the door, and looked a little bothered when he saw his comrade leave; but Mark in passing assured him he had not forgotten his solemn obligations, and would be back ready to fulfill the decrees of destiny inside of an hour.

Mark's hour had come!

Nothing but a downright catastrophe could have throttled the appeal that was filling his heart to bursting.

The magical influence of the wondrous scene affected the two who sauntered hither and thither in the semitropical garden, gazing out upon the sea, where the silvery stars were reflected upon each tiny wavelet that rolled toward the white strand.

They talked of the old days, and Constance was so eager to revive the memories of that happy past it was little wonder Mark found himself forgetting the barrier he had deemed so formidable.

He had much to say, for he meant to humble himself before her and plead his cause with all the fervor of his heart.

It was spoken at last, and the ardent lover, upon learning that his devotion was returned felt elevated to the seventh heaven of delight.

Constance loved this man with all the fervor of her being, and having almost lost him once, she had made up her mind not to allow any senseless prudery to stand in the way should it come to such a pass—believing as she did, it was those diamond mines that stood in the way. Had Mark failed to declare himself she had determined to let him know the South African holes in the ground must not separate two hearts that beat for each other.

Time sped all too quickly, as it usually does when people are happy. (To be continued.)

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A weak man may be his own fool, but a vain man is everybody's fool.

Beaten by One.

A well-known Glasgow divine related the following anecdote, showing that the ready wit of a countryman was more than a match for him.

He was going to the country for his holidays, and was in a railway train, when a young man entered. In a short time the two commenced a conversation, in the course of which the clergyman asked the youth what he worked at.

"I am a coupler, sir," was the reply. "A coupler! So am I," replied the minister, with a laugh.

The youth looked at him for a minute or so, then burst into a fit of laughter, and said: "Oh, I see; ye're a meenister; ye mairly folk. But I gang farther than ye dae, I baith couple and uncouple."

The clergyman laughed heartily, and acknowledged that the youth had the better of the sally.

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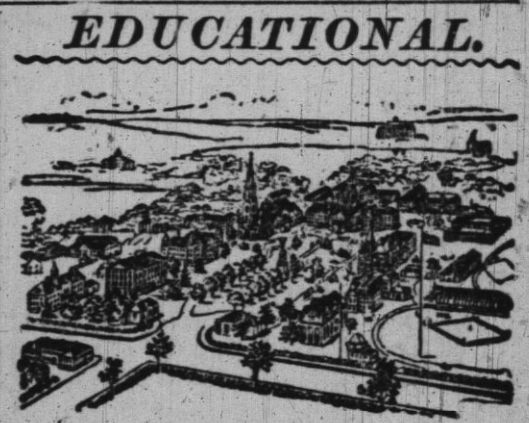
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GOLDEN DOME OF LIBRARY.

Workmen Covered 10,000 Square Feet With Gold Leaf.

One of the most beautiful features of the new library building is its golden dome, which may be seen shining and glittering in the sunlight from a distance of twenty miles on a clear day. More gold was used on it than on any other gilded dome in the world, 10,000 square feet of surface requiring to be covered. There are not many golden domes in existence. Those of the Hotel des Invalides at Paris, the Connecticut statehouse at Hartford and the Massachusetts state house at Boston are the best known, but none of them approaches in size the gleaming dome of the library of congress.

Gold is worth at the mints about \$20 an ounce, says the Book Lover, by explanation. Purchased by the government in the form of gold leaf, it came to \$27 an ounce. In this shape it had to be spread over the dome bit by bit, the workmen toiling at the dangerous altitude under protection of canvas to keep the wind from blowing the precious stuff away. One ounce of gold makes 2,000 sheets of leaf, each sheet being four inches square, and will cover thirty square feet with an enduring film. This golden film is useful as well as beautiful. Despite its extreme thinness, it will defy the weather for years and years. It preserves the material beneath it from decay. In a climate like that of Washington the gilding of a dome will last as long as the building itself.

CRUEL SLUR ON PHILADELPHIA.

How John W. Gates Disturbed the City's Quiet.

John W. Gates of windy Chicago and hustling New York was asked by a Philadelphian why he did not run over to that city often.

"Afraid to," was the reply. "Why?" asked the Philadelphian. "You people are always poking fun at our city for being so quiet and peaceable."

"That's just it," replied Gates. "I was there once. First thing I knew I heard a policeman say: 'Hi, there, I'll run you in if you don't stop that noise.' I looked around to see what was the matter, and saw the policeman making for me, brandishing his club."

"Don't you do that again," he said threateningly.

"What?" I asked. "Don't you know," he said angrily, "that you were jangling your watch-chain and waking all the people on the block out of their afternoon naps?"

Only a Sojourner.

Capt. Groome of the Philadelphia City Troop once rode from Galveston, Tex., to New York city on the Mallory Line steamer Denver, under the experienced and skilful but gruff and brusque Capt. Sam Risk. Several slight mishaps had put Risk into very bad temper, which was not mellowed when they ran into a dense fog off Cape Hatteras. One of the women passengers, who had been gushing considerably during the voyage, ran up to Risk and exclaimed:

"Oh, Captain! Isn't this an awful fog? Is it always as bad as this out here?"

"How should I know?" snorted the old skipper. "I don't live here."

Shattered Illusions.

They had recently been married and his young wife's biscuits were resting on the breakfast table.

The wife watched him intently, expectation on every lineament.

No, indeed, gentle reader, he made no unkind remarks about getting a crowbar, a nut cracker or a stick of dynamite to help him to eat them.

"I suppose those are not like what your mother used to make?" she asked.

"Well, I should say not," he exclaimed, eating with a hearty good will. "I suppose you know my father died of dyspepsia."

Then love's dream meandered on.

Would Never Do.

Midas, king of Phrygia, requested of the gods that everything he touched might be turned to gold. His prayer was granted, but upon attempting to take his morning breakfast it became gold the moment he touched it.

"This will never do," exclaimed the angry monarch. "I can make twice as much out of it by joining the beef trust."

Whereupon he begged the gods to take their favor back and again began making money in earnest.

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MACKAY MAUSOLEUM, IN GREENWOOD CEMETERY, BROOKLYN, IS BEAUTIFUL.



The tomb in Greenwood cemetery, Brooklyn, in which the body of John W. Mackay will be placed, was built two years ago, and cost \$300,000. It is of granite, with marble interior. Life size figures decorate the corners, and a cross surmounts the structure. The interior is in the form of a chapel,

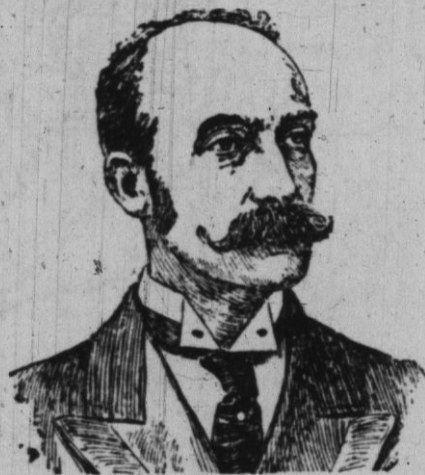
with an altar, and there are twenty-two crypts. The opening of the bronze doors automatically lights up the electric lamps inside. J. W. Mackay, Jr., is buried here, and the body of Marcus Daly rests temporarily in one of the crypts. Mr. Mackay's body will be brought here in September.

LORD LANSDOWNE IS POPULAR.

Has Well Filled Position of Secretary for Foreign Affairs.

Lord Lansdowne has come into special prominence within the last few days. His position as Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, which he took when it was given up by Lord Salisbury after the last election, he has filled so well that he has been forgiven for the blunders of the war office in the early stages of the South Africa war, when he was at the head of the war department.

The Marchioness of Lansdowne is one of the most exclusive hostesses in London, with all the prejudices of the



LORD LANSDOWNE
WHO MAY SUCCEED SALISBURY AS PREMIER

ancient nobility to which her lineage as the daughter and grand-daughter of a duke entitle her, and many a titled personage who would have no difficulty in gaining admission to a royal drawing room at Buckingham Palace has never had the chance of stepping across the Marchioness' threshold. Lansdowne House, which stands in Belgrave square, is one of the show residences in the metropolis, boasting one of the choicest private picture galleries in Europe and the finest private collection of ancient sculptures outside of Rome.

Curious Discovery of Coins.

At Nottingham, Eng., and, in 1880, a remarkable discovery of coins was made which is intimately connected with a passage in the continuation of Florence of Worcester's "Chronicle," recording what seems to be the very incident which explains the loss of the treasure. A peculiar feature of this Nottingham find is that all the coins have been subjected to intense heat, and are blistered and cockled by fire. They were found in the basement of an old building during excavations for enlarged cellars and mostly belong to the reign of King Stephen. The chronicler, after detailing the sudden attack upon Nottingham by the Earl of Gloucester, in 1141, relates that a wealthy townsman was made prisoner and compelled to give up his money. He conducted the plunderers to his cellar, and while they were engaged in breaking open doors and locks he contrived to make his escape, locked them all in, and set fire to his house. It is reported that thirty men in the cellar perished in the flames.—London Athenaeum.

Balfour's Quiet Humor.

Mr. Balfour, the new British premier, has been a heavy sufferer owing to the fall of the value of land in Scotland, but he regards his losses with the same philosophic calm that once he displayed when, in the House of Commons every night, the Irish members endeavored to enrage him, and only succeeded in tickling his sense of humor.

"Yes," said Mr. Balfour, recently, "my friends tell me I am ruined. I wish they had kept the news to themselves. I did not know it till they told me, and if they had kept quiet I should never have found it out."

Cricket-Fighting in China.

The Chinese are inveterate gamblers, and never lose an opportunity to bet, no matter how trivial the cause may be. One of their great institutions is cricket-fighting, the crickets being caught, fed and trained carefully as is a blooded horse. There is a fixed diet for them, part of their food consisting of honey and boiled chestnuts. If they get sick, they are fed with mosquitoes. Prior to fighting, their weight is ascertained and duly recorded, there being a fixed regulation as to their size and weight. On the door of the house in which the fight is to take place the record of each cricket is pasted up, and the owner of the winner gets ten per cent of all the bets. The cricket-pit is a low tub placed on a table, and, after weighing, the combatants are put in it and tickled with straws until they rush at each other with loud chirrups and fight until one of them is killed. Good fighting crickets are very valuable and are often sold for large sums.

Actress Has Novel Bracelet.

Miss Nellie Stewart, the Drury Lane (Eng.) favorite, is never seen without a certain bracelet. It is enormously heavy, made of solid gold, and round it is woven a pretty story. When acting in Australia some years ago a number of admirers clubbed together and presented her with a purse of 125 sovereigns fresh from the Sydney mint. Her manager had the coins melted down and made into a solid gold bracelet, which Miss Stewart has worn for the last fourteen years without once removing it.

Swinging Electric Fan.

One of the latest inventions, which comes now with particular timeliness, is a swinging electric fan. Directly in front of the fan are placed narrow strips turned so as to catch the breeze. This is set up when the motor is started. Thus the whole mechanism is swung on a pivot until it reaches a certain point, when it swings back. In this way the fan stirs up the air in several directions—a decided improvement on the old stationary form.

NEW SULTAN OF ZANZIBAR.

Young Prince, Now in London, Takes His Father's Place.

Prince Said Ali, who is in London as Zanzibar's representative to the coronation, has been proclaimed sultan, to succeed his father, who died a few days ago. The new sultan is not yet 20. He was accompanied to London by Gen. Raikes, the English officer who is in command of the army and police in Zanzibar. The crowded London streets and the rush of life



there has, according to cable dispatches, dazed the prince, and he is said to be exceedingly anxious to get back to his own country. The picture is from a photograph taken in London two weeks ago.

WHAT HIS WIFE THOUGHT.

Truly No Man is a Hero in His Own Household.

The speech of Senator Pettus of Alabama, in which he paid his respects to "orators," will be long remembered in the Senate. That portion of his speech was plainly impromptu, but arriving at the psychological moment it convulsed the entire Senate and the galleries. Senator Depew walked wildly about the Chamber swinging his arms over his head, while the President pro tempore, Mr. Frye, laid down his gavel, threw himself back in his chair, while the tears streamed down his cheeks.

Senator Pettus was warmly congratulated by his colleagues of both parties. When one of these, on the next day, shook his hand, and declared the speech "epoch-making," Senator Pettus gravely replied:

"Well, I don't know about that; it depends on the point of view. When I got home last night I found my wife reading the afternoon paper. She glanced up and said: 'I see you have been over there in the Senate making an old fool of yourself.'" New York Times.

Physicians Puzzled.

St. Aubert, Mo., Aug. 4th.—Mr. E. R. Langendorfer of this place suffered very severely with a peculiar case of Kidney Trouble which completely baffled the skill of the local physicians and instead of getting any better he was gradually growing worse. He says: "A friend advised me to take Dodd's Kidney Pills and after I had used two boxes I was entirely cured and have not since had the slightest symptoms of the return of my trouble."

"I had tried all the surrounding physicians but they did me no good and instead of getting better I grew worse till I used Dodd's Kidney Pills."

"I can sincerely say to everyone suffering with Kidney Trouble that Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure them for they cured me satisfactorily and completely when all the doctors had failed."

Not many months ago \$1,000 was willed to a conductor of The Chicago & Alton Railway for being attentive and courteous. A somewhat similar circumstance has reoccurred. Mr. H. J. Titus, a steward on one of the "Alton's" dining cars, recently had for a guest a gentleman to whom he unconsciously gave such polite attention as to attract his patron's notice. Upon arrival of the train in Chicago, this passenger, who was a high official of the Mobile & Ohio Railway, repaired to the general offices of The Chicago & Alton Railway, and being assured of Mr. Titus' ability, promptly appointed the latter Superintendent of the Mobile & Ohio Railway. Mr. Titus assumes his new duties August 15th, with headquarters in Jackson, Tenn. He will be the youngest railway superintendent of dining cars in the United States, his age being but twenty-four.

A Deception.

Columbus was sixty days out at sea when one of his rivals importuned the king.

"Your majesty," he cried, "I can disprove his globular theories. How about the Harlem flat? You can't get round in that."

Chagrined beyond measure at being so deceived, Ferdinand instantly dispatched a torpedo boat destroyer to bring the unhappy navigator back in chains.

To the housewife who has not yet become acquainted with the new things of everyday use in the market and who is reasonably satisfied with the old, we would suggest that a trial of Defiance Cold Water Starch be made at once. Not alone because it is guaranteed by the manufacturers to be superior to any other brand, but because each 10c package contains 16 ozs., while all the other kinds contain but 12 ozs. It is safe to say that the lady who once uses Defiance Starch will use no other. Quality and quantity must win.

Was Willing to Go.

Landlord—See here, Mr. Dauber, my patience is exhausted. You'll have to pay your rent or get out.

Artist—All right. Would you mind lending me a dollar or two for moving expenses?

Italian Astronomer Honored.

Signor Schiaparelli, the Milan astronomer, has been elected an associate of the French Academy of Science in the room of the late Baron Nordenskiold.

Enables the Blind to Write.

W. J. Ryan, a blind man in Milwaukee, has invented a writing frame with wire lines, to enable blind persons to write with evenness and symmetry.

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Six More Semi-Monthly Special Cash Prizes.

Awarding of Regular Prizes.—The \$5,000 Capital Prize and 1,000 other Regular Prizes will be Awarded in the order of their Value to the 1,001 Persons making the 1,001 closest estimates of the total number of votes which will be cast for all candidates for governor in New York State, November 4, 1902.

These are the figures for the last five elections and will aid you in making your estimates: 1891, 1,165,085; 1894, 1,275,671; 1896, 1,434,046; 1898, 1,359,190; 1900, 1,556,520. What will the figures be this year?

Awarding of Semi-monthly Special Cash Prizes.—These prizes will each be not less than \$50, nor more than \$500, and will be paid every two weeks during the progress of the contest. They will be paid to the persons making the closest estimates, during the two weeks preceding each date, of the amount of the bank clearings of the city of Omaha on August 16, September 1, September 16, October 1, October 16, and November 1. These figures of the bank clearings of Omaha on dates named will assist you in making your estimates:

1901: July 1, \$1,233,488; July 16, \$1,063,599; August 1st, \$823,138; August 16th, \$1,036,132; September 1st, \$1,171,613; September 16th, \$1,127,988; October 1st, \$955,266; October 16th, \$1,039,742; November 1st, \$1,205,423.

1902: July 1st, \$1,061,057; July 16th, \$1,137,004.

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BARRINGTON LOCALS.

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The Dorcas society is arranging for a novel outdoor entertainment to be given in the near future.

Character is bounded on the north by industry, on the east by integrity, on the south by morality and on the west by sobriety.

Many a young man who leaves college with the intention of reforming the world changes his mind and hunts a paying job.

The Old Settlers of Schaumburg township will hold their annual picnic in Schween's grove, Sunday, August 10. A great time is promised.

A patron asks, "What's the difference between potatoes in Barrington and potatoes in Chicago." It may be 30 miles or 30 cents. Either answer is correct.

The personal effects of the late Mr. Deuel were sold at public auction on Fountain Square Thursday morning. The articles attracted prices never dreamed of by the appraisers.

The Dorcas society will meet in the church parlors next Tuesday to complete arrangements for the calander wheel social, which will be held in the near future. The ladies are requested to be present.

Interpret this to suit yourself. We found it in a Nebraska paper. "Geo. Steaves, Ira Davis, Maude Lawson and Jessie Agnew will sing at the funeral. The family have the sympathy of the whole community."

The Barrington Social and Athletic club give one of their popular parties at Oak Park pavilion, Lake Zurich, Saturday evening, August 16. Herm's orchestra of Chicago will furnish music. An enjoyable time is assured.

It is reported that the Rev. "Billy" Sunday, the ex-ball player, has laid up \$12,000 since he began his career as an evangelist a few years ago. It's good business for "Billy." Any time he can't make the sinners open their pocket books he quits 'em.

Perhaps you don't like some of the news you find in the paper. We don't like it ourselves, but there are several hundred of people who pay for the paper, and each wants a little of his kind of news; hence there must be a variety just like a hotel bill of fare.

The early closing movement by a number of the business houses is still in force although three or four of the stores which closed during the first week, have remained open during the evenings the week past. There is no compulsion about the matter and no violation of compact. Every storekeeper has the right to conduct his business to suit himself.

A knock-down proof of the efficacy of the faith cure is given in an Iowa paper, which states that the wife of a farmer near Kenny had a liniment she used for everything. The other night she was ill and her husband got up in the dark, got the liniment and rubbed it over her body. She was given instant relief. The next morning it was discovered that he had gotten a bottle of bluing instead of the liniment.

An exchange very aptly says: Don't attempt to ask the editor to write up and rebuke every evil in the town or community, but when convinced that such duties need attending to write an article for your paper and sign your name to it for publication. The man who is too big a coward to thus express an opinion is the very one who will stand on the street corner and talk loudly about the cowardice of the editor.

The Sunday school connected with St. Ann's Catholic church enjoyed its annual picnic at Comstock's grove, Thursday. Not only were the children there in full numbers, but older members of the society attended. A basket dinner was provided and many innocent games afforded amusement for all. Rev. Father Quinn, in charge of the parish was present and took an active part in the pleasures of the little folks.

The Mystic Workers will give an Evening Picnic, something new and novel, on the lawn at the Perry residence on Main street, Friday evening, August 15. A royal time is assured. The Ladies' band will play and there will be all sorts of amusements. A coming contest—the most popular lady on the grounds to be awarded a silk umbrella. A cane rack for the boys; a pool show for the girls. A watermelon contest etc. The grounds will be illuminated by electric lights. It will be the first affair given by the Mystics. Go to the picnic.

FOR SALE—A good, modern 10-room house. Enquire of Geo. Froelich.

Hall's circus and menagerie will exhibit here next Wednesday. Grand street parade and balloon ascension.

Coming attractions, Hall's circus and menagerie, Wednesday, August, 13. Friday evening, August 15, Mystic Workers "Evening Picnic."

The harvest of oats and rye in this section is about completed. Threshing is well advanced and the yield is good. Corn is doing nicely and fears of "only half a crop" are dispelled.

"When those boys went into business rivalry Jim had dollars and John had cents." "And now?" "Well, Jim wouldn't advertise, and now John's got his dollars and Jim's got sense."

The Sunday school of the Salem church held an enjoyable picnic at the camp grounds Wednesday. Old and young participated in the pleasures of the day. There was a good attendance and no limit to amusements.

A patch of Canada thistles are in blossom and about ready to scatter their destructive seed, on the north limits line of the village. It is the duty of the village authorities to cut those thistles, if the property owner refuses to do so.

Tests are being made on the Chicago & Northwestern road with a new block system with which it is proposed to equip the entire road. The block is to prevent trains from entering open switches or colliding with cars standing on the sidings.

Undertaker Blocks has added the latest improvements in funeral trappings to his establishment. There are changes in the styles of burial robes and caskets as well as in costumes. Of course you have to die to get rigged out in those up-to-date styles. Some people even go to that extreme.

The Sunday school of the Methodist Episcopal church enjoyed today on the banks of Lake Zurich. The little people were transported there on hay racks while the fathers, mothers, and uncles and aunts were conveyed in carriages. There was a large attendance and enjoyment was there in large quantities. The weather was what the management ordered. Rev. Tuttle was in charge and seemed to have as much pleasure as any child in the company. It was a most successful affair.

One of the village fathers remarks: "Barrington has got along for 40 years without gates at the R. R. crossings." That is true. The inhabitants of the island of Gilolo have run about their possessions unclothed for 6,000 years and got along very comfortably, no doubt, but civilization has taken a foothold there and the natives are convinced that a little covering adds to their appearance. Our village dad should remember that Barrington of 1862 and Barrington of 1902 are no relation to each other.

Every newspaper treasures in its memory the names of its friends and likewise those of its enemies. It seldom overlooks an opportunity to assist the former, but it never goes out of its way to assist the latter. Human nature is pretty much the same everywhere. People who show the newspaper man a kindness never make a better investment—one that pays a hundred fold sooner or later. As it has been truly said, "there comes a time in every man's life when he needs his home paper and needs it badly."

The abuse of our pension system was never set forth in a stronger light than by the multitude of applications for pensions from men who served in the Spanish war. Take for instance the Eighth Ohio Infantry: Engaged in battle, 0; number killed, 0; number wounded, 0. And yet out of this regiment that encountered no more danger than the boys last week at Springfield, there are seven hundred and "five applications for pensions. It would save time and expense to call the "veterans" to Washington and march them into the treasury vaults at once.

Sunday matinee, August 10, the Ferris Wheel Park will have a strong vaudeville bill. Murphy & Slater; Green & Werner in their original location, entitled "Babes of the Jungles;" Lillian Waltone, baritone; LaPell & Wheeler, singing-dancing act entitled "It's All Right, Mayme;" The Albions knock-about comedy and burlesque; Lizzie McKeever, illustrate songs; John Chinese Leach, oratorical monodist, topical singer and mimic. The business has been large and "standing room only" signs have been out several times this week.

A. Schauble & Co. have built one of the new style "Lon" gasoline engines and installed it in The Review press room. The big Taylor cylinder press on which this paper is printed will in the future be driven by an engine constructed in Barrington. The engine is simple in construction, is in many respects different from any gasoline engine on the market and can be run at very small expense. It is adapted for all kinds of work requiring power, and if Schauble & Co. are not kept busy manufacturing the "Lon" it will be because those in want of an engine don't know a good one when they see it.

PERSONAL MENTION.

J. H. Collen of Crystal Lake visited here Tuesday.

Mrs. William Howarth is enjoying a few days at Holland, Mich.

Mrs. Addie Johnson visited with friends at Nunda this week.

Miss Maude Jayne is visiting with Mortimer Ritt's family at Cary.

Mrs. W. J. Ryan has returned home from a visit with friends in Iowa.

Mrs. Will Shales visited her husband's parents at Nunda, Wednesday.

Miss Nancy Jencks of Dundee was a visitor at Robert Comstock's Thursday.

Miss Florence Collen was visiting with friends at Crystal Lake this week.

Mrs. James Catlow of Cary was the guest of friends here during the past week.

Mrs. J. S. Brockway of Chicago is visiting the Brockway families in this village.

Carl Ernst, of A. W. Meyer & Co's establishment, is taking a two week's vacation.

Mrs. Kingsley and Mrs. Jordon visited with friends at Cary the first of the week.

Mrs. John Koss and daughter of Cary visited with friends here during the week.

Miss Ethel Kitson was the guest of her cousin, Miss Mary Stein, at Cary this week.

F. H. Plagge and H. G. Aurand attended the Berger Station camp meeting Sunday.

Misses Esther Kampert and Rose Lageschulte are visiting friends at Blairtown, Iowa.

Mrs. Mert Clay of Palatine and Mrs. Casey of San Antonio, Texas, were guests of Mrs. Leroy Powers lately.

Mrs. McDowell of Lakes Corners, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Blaine, for some days, has returned home.

Mrs. Hannah Sadt accompanied by her son William and daughter Lydia, returned Wednesday from a visit to points in Nebraska.

Lydia Anderson of Chicago is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brinker and will remain during the coming month.

Mrs. E. M. Blocks and daughter Madeline departed for Milwaukee yesterday. They will visit relatives there during the next ten days.

R. B. Farron and wife are now residents of Kenosha. Mr. Farron will have charge of the signal system of the C. & N. W. Ry. between Kenosha and Waukegan.

Messrs. Henry Pepper and Emil Frank of Lake Zurich were here yesterday morning enroute to Harvard to attend the Eighth District democratic convention.

Joseph Blackman and wife of Belvidere are visiting relatives here. Mr. Blackman is a conductor on the Air Line division of the Northwestern. Mrs. Blackman is a niece of Leroy Powers.

James Sizer, who has been ill for the past two years, continues to fail slowly. He is now confined to his bed and much weaker than at any time since leaving the hospital in Chicago. Mr. Sizer is in his 66th year and has resided here for 20 years.

We are pleased to note that Thomas Freeman, who has been very ill for several months, is able to be about again. Mr. Freeman has taken on a new lease of life greatly to the surprise of his many friends who considered his condition beyond recovery.

CAN YOU READ A METER?

If You Can You'll Do a Heap Better Than Several Who Have Tried.

Of course there are any number of people who can read a Crown Water Meter. It's easy. But it is not everybody who reads one can state positively the result. We know where there is one of those innocent little pieces of mechanism that has furnished no small amount of discussion among a number of gentlemen. One of the gentlemen has figured on the result of the workings of the dials on the aforesaid meter until he is threatened with an attack of metemathematicularius or wheels in the cerebellum. The meter in question is connected to a supply pipe which feeds a reservoir from which locomotives take a water supply. The other day a number of gentlemen, for curiosity only, decided to satisfy themselves as to how much water had been supplied to the railway company during a period of 35 days, so they consulted the little machine composed of seven diminutive dials and many wheels.

Higher mathematics are a mighty handy thing to have stored away in your cranium but they are no good to shunt up against a water meter.

According to one gentleman, who figured (and is figuring yet) 4,509,000 gallons of water passed through the

meter in 35 days although only 1,950,000 gallons was available, or pumped in the main supply pipe. Where the excess 2,659,000 gallons come from of course the innocent meter does not tell—in fact that is none of the little meter's business.

Another, who "digested all the text books offered in a 20 grade course," figures that 379,726 gallons is what was used. There is a small difference probably due to the method of figuring.

Figures don't lie. The reservoir to which the meter feeds, holds 12,000 gallons. We have another mathematician who figures that the first and second dials indicate 15,000 gallons to fill the reservoir. By using the figures given and gazing at the meter, we find that the average number of engines taking water at this station during each 24 hours is 230. Each locomotive took an average of 3,000 gallons of water. According to the way some mathematicians figure 7,200 locomotives tapped that reservoir during 35 days. That's a lot of 'em. And it is said that figures won't lie. Well, perhaps they won't, but we believe it is safe to say that water meters exaggerate.

"Unwarranted Criticism."

That is what Frank Just of the Libertyville Independent terms an item published in this paper two weeks ago referring to the action of the Republican Central committee in calling the county convention at Grayslake instead of Libertyville. "Unwarranted" is not the word Bro. Just should have used, because The Review is able to substantiate every word of the item which seems to cause Bro. Just pain.

Here is the "unwarranted criticism."

The Lake county republican convention was called at Grayslake for the good and sufficient reason that a majority of the committee favored that place and because Libertyville is not a convention village as far as giving accommodations to man and beast is concerned.

Bro. Just says that Libertyville is better prepared to take care of the gathering than any town in the county. Perhaps it is, but has it done so? "On convention day delegates and visitors persist in crowding into one particular hotel and all want dinner at the same time, overtaxing its capacity," says Bro. Just.

Not a convention has been held at Libertyville in eight years past, that is a gathering of over 100 people, but what a deep kick has been recorded against the accommodations provided by the hotels of that place. It was a difficult matter to find a place to eat, and a more difficult matter to get the food after you found the place where food was supposed to be served.

It is well remembered by delegates and visitors to the last two political conventions held in Libertyville, that there was a dearth of eatables at two of the "many" hotels, and stable room for horses was not to secured even at the poor farm. If the "capacity" of a convention village hotel is supposed to be a saucer of stewed peas and a slice of unuttered bread with one small portion of string veal on the side, for which 50c is charged, than our "criticism" is unwarranted. That was the menu served to delegates and visitors who sat down to a 11:45 dinner at one of the "many" hotels in Libertyville the day of the republican convention lately held there.

If having to stable your jade horse on the outside of a store shed where he has no opportunity to feed even if feed were given him, and you pay 50c for the service, is "the very best of accommodations" our item is wrong and we render most humble apology to Bro. Just. Perhaps we are unable to recognize a meal of victuals when we see it, or perhaps the customs of the ex-convention village are something new. At any rate we are not alone in our "unwarranted criticism."

Village Board Proceedings.

The board of trustees of Barrington met in regular session Monday evening. President Lamey in the chair and all members present.

The following bills were presented, read and ordered paid:

John Donlea, salary.....	\$40 00
A. S. Henderson.....	35 00
L. H. Bennett, salary.....	28 92
H. D. A. Grebe Co., material.....	48 20
Plagge & Co.....	25 04
Lamey & Co.....	8 77
L. F. Schroeder, material.....	51 70
Review, publishing.....	25 12
A. L. Robertson, pumping.....	75 00
A. L. Robertson, lights.....	68 00
Joe Zornow, labor.....	29 50
Chas. Peters.....	4 50
H. Brandt.....	1 50
E. Brandt.....	6 75
A. Landwer.....	19 50
H. Walbaum.....	8 05
Gus. Wichman.....	14 35
S. Homuth.....	28 80
Wm. Webster.....	25 20
John Jahneke.....	10 80
Ed Wiseman.....	27 60
Frank Donlea.....	33 30
Henry Pingel.....	38 25
C. Homuth.....	28 25
E. F. Wichman, repairs.....	8 85
Fire department.....	15 00
Legal Advisor, supplies.....	9 45

Motion was made and carried to leave the matter of grading South Hawley street in charge of street committee.

WANTED—A good, strong girl for general housework. A good home and good wages to the right person. Apply to D. Hill, Dundee.

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The Deacon and The Calf.

Lias Vandameter wuz a pillar in the church. An' read his blessed title clear to mansions in the skies; An' you could rake the county with a fine comb in the search Fer godly men, an' 'Lias V. 'ud capture the first prize! But Pride had marked ol' 'Lias, an' claimed him fer her own, Fer he wuz so blame plus that he couldn't never see How other folks could walk a straight an' narrer path alone. An' tho't, without his help, 'at they wuz lost eternally! He made his pore ol' wife jess feel that ef she found a place To rest in, up in Glory, it ud be because at he Wuz purfy an' sanctyfyde, an' filled with savin' grace Sufficient fer to carry her across the Jasper sea! But wunst upon a summer's morn ol' 'Lias met his fall, When dew wuz on the roses, an' the birds wuz pipin' clear, When hollyhocks wuz wakin' up beyond the garden wall, An' medders rich with clover wuz a-bloomin' fur an' near.

It wuz a Sabbath mornin'—an' the milkin' to be done— An' 'Deacon 'Lias had put on his Sunday shirt an' pants, To be in time for service; fer no an-them wuz begun Tel he wuz there to pitch the key an' start in advance!

Ol' Brindle Bess, the deacon's cow, wuz waitin' in the lot. A-lookin' kind o' anxious, for she had a baby calf, An' she hed breakfus ready fer the wobbly little tot. Es soon ez 'Lias let it in—it's sheer wuz jess a half.

So, in his hurry, 'Lias let the infant critter in—

An' sich a bumpin', bouncin' round, no person ever seen; It 'peared to be plum crazy, er clock full o' mortal sin, An' promptly buttin' 'Lias jess about half way between.

An' ez he lay there in the dirt, a-prayin' loud fer grace To keep his angry passions down, an' his heart free from sin, A-thinkin' av his Sunday pants, an' uv his injured place, That devil calf jess bellered low an' swatted him again!

Then 'Lias Vandameter rose, with vengeance in his eye, Forgettin' everything, except 'at he wuz crazy mad, An' losin' all the mansions 'at he ever owned on high, By usin' langwidge 'at he knowed wuz wuss than very bad!

He chased that calf ontel he fagged, 'an couldn't chase no more, An' when he got his second wind his orful eloquence Wuz orfulter than it had been at any time before— When suddenly, the calf sneaked up an' knocked him thro the fence! —T. M. Moore.

For County Superintendent.
If I have any political friends left in the county since the invasion of opposing candidates, they are hereby informed that I am still a candidate for renomination for county superintendent of schools, subject to the action of the forthcoming Republican county convention. I have no time to canvass.
M. W. MARVIN.

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.
GEO. N. GRIDLEY.

Museum - Menagerie - Circus

Col. G. W. Hall's New R. R. Shows
CRYSTAL LAKE, TUESDAY, AUG. 12.
BARRINGTON, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 13.
PALATINE, THURSDAY, AUG. 14



A grand free balloon ascension each day on the show grounds. Prof. Baldwin, the inventor of the parachute, will possibly make his celebrated balloon ascension and parachute drop at each of the above named places on the dates named. A sight never to be forgotten. This show has the largest elephant in the world, 12 feet high, weighs 6 tons and is 110 years old. It has 20 cages of wild and ferocious animals and a drove of sacred cattle, camels and dromedaries. A genuine old-fashioned circus with lots of fine horses, 40 lady and gentlemen performers and 8 of the funniest clowns ever seen, led by the great Zeon, with his laughing and singing donkey—a donkey that actually sings to music. This is the big show that exhibited here many years ago. Ask the old settlers about it; they will tell you it was the best ever seen here.

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