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\$1.50 A YEAR IN ADVANCE.

PALATINE LOCAL NEWS

Events of Past, Present and Future
of Village and Vicinity.

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

Woodmen election Saturday night.
Mr. Bicknase is recovering from a
severe attack of pneumonia.

Read Jappa's ad. His prices are as
reasonable as department stores.

A little baby was born to Mr. and
Mrs. Ben Wanegar last Sunday.

Miss Stella Catlow of Cary is visit-
ing her aunt Mrs. Chas. Griswold.

Salted cucumbers for sale at 75c a
bushel or 20c a peck. J. Lincoln. 3t

Elmer Meston went to Michigan
Saturday to spend a few days with
friends.

Chains made from human hair
combings on short notice by Mrs. J.
Jappa, Palatine.

Ernest Beutler has been quite sick
with pleurisy the past two weeks but
is better at present.

Mrs. Henry Mundhenk returned to
her old home in Iowa Tuesday where
she will reside with relatives.

Football dance in Batterman's hall
tomorrow, Saturday night. Enough
tickets have been sold to insure a suc-
cess.

Mr. Abelman expects to sell his in-
terest in the firm of Batterman,
Abelman & Ost, and an invoice of
stock is being taken.

The body of Dr. Clark of St. Louis,
Mo. was brought here for burial last
Thursday. He was a brother-in-law
to John Wilson.

Bert Pierce came home from Cin-
cinnati Friday and returned Sunday,
taking his mother and grandmother
with him to remain during the win-
ter.

The Ladies Aid society bazaar in
the Methodist church last Thursday
and Friday was the most successful
ever held. The fancy articles sold
well, many sat down to the suppers
and a very social time was enjoyed.
The net proceeds, aside from cook
books sales amounted to about \$235.00.

Council Proceedings.

The Village board met Monday
night and transacted considerable busi-
ness.

The sidewalk committee submitted
their report on the new cement walks
showing a total of 3000 running feet
constructed.

The matter of sewer outlet was dis-
cussed and on motion President Olms
appointed trustees Putman, Kuebler
and Ost a committee to visit and in-
spect drainage in other places which
give satisfaction.

Henry Mundhenk.

Henry Frederick Mundhenk was
born April 7th, 1866 in the township
of Barrington. In 1889 his parents
moved to Iowa, but returned in 1876,
coming to Palatine where he has since
resided. He was married eight years
ago to Miss Minnie Zohle to whom
were born two children, one daughter
Beulah, still survives.

Henry was in business with his
father in this place for the past few
years and has held the office of con-
stable and also fire marshal. He had
been in ill health since boyhood and
although he was aware that life was
short for him he always maintained a
cheerful disposition.

He died Thursday Dec. 3, 1903 and
the funeral services were held in the
St. Paul's church last Sunday. Rev.
J. C. Hoffmeister preaching the fune-
ral sermon. The church would not
contain those who came to attend the
last rites. Many beautiful floral tri-
butes from friends bespoke the many
friends he had.

Card of Thanks.

In our bereavement we wish to ex-
press our most sincere thanks to our
friends and neighbors for the sym-
pathy, and for the beautiful floral
tributes bestowed upon us at the
funeral of our beloved son Henry, and
especially to the singers.

H. MUNDHENK AND FAMILY.

We all know people whose chief
charm lies in their exquisite cleanli-
ness, and about whom there lingers a
faint, sweet odor as of wild flowers. If
you would acquire this charm use
Cole's Carbolic Soap. This is not car-
bolic soap. It is purely vegetable.
Get Cole's, try it once—and you will
use no other. By all druggists.

Blessed is the poor man. Pick-
pockets don't bother him, nobody tries

to borrow from him, and no one asks
him to indorse a note; he is not robbed
or harassed by litigations; burglars
never invade his premises, and he
sleeps in peace; when he dies nobody
questions his will or attempts to steal
his body.

Special Election.

Yesterday a special election was
held in Lake county for the office of
states attorney, to fill vacancy caused
by death of S. D. Talcott. The can-
didates were L. P. Hanna, republican,
of Waukegan, and S. F. Knox, demo-
crat, of Highland Park. The vote
was light, Mr. Hanna being success-
ful.

Cuba township, Hanna 40; Knox 10.
Wauconda township, Hanna 53, Knox 9.
Ela township, Hanna 13, Knox 12.
Total vote in county 2079. Hanna,
1779, Knox, 202.

REDUCTION OF WAGES

In Many Lines of Industry Causes
Anxiety to the Labor Element.

The 10 per cent cuts in the wages
of steel and cotton mill workers are
not calculated to heighten the faith of
the wage earner in the perpetuity of
prosperity and the continuance of the
"full dinner pail."

According to a dispatch from Pitts-
burg, the steel workers will not suffer
an actual decrease in pay, but will
have to turn out 10 per cent more work
for the same pay. The New York Jour-
nal of Commerce thinks that the steel
trust could maintain its wage scale
if it was not so busily engaged in
Wall street and says:

The swollen volume of "securities" float-
ing and swaying over the stock market
is flogging at the pockets of thousands
of unwary investors is the ominous shadow
over an industry that ought to be im-
pregnable in the United States. It is to
keep this from collapsing that prices are
held up and expenses retrenched, when,
with solid capital and reasonable profits,
there would have been a great surplus
fund and resources to withstand the siege
of a few adverse months without making
consumers and workmen pay for it.

As to the reduction in the wages of
the cotton mill operatives, about 28,000
of whom are thus far affected, there
appear to be some legitimate grounds
for retrenchment in the cost of manu-
facture. Discussing the situation, the
New York Evening Post says:

The cut at Fall River is no surprise to
any one acquainted with the industry, for
it has been a well understood fact for
months past that there could be little
profit in manufacturing without an ad-
vance in the price of finished products.
Granting that the excessive quotations on
cotton are due as much to natural condi-
tions as to manipulation, there is still the
question of the purchasing power of the
community to be considered. A favorite
argument with both cotton and wool man-
ufacturers in recent years has been that
the public would be forced to buy at any
price. This has been shown to be a fal-
lacy this year in the wool manufacturing
industry, and evidently fears are enter-
tained that the doctrine will prove equally
ineffective in cotton.

The reduction in wages in these two
important industries, whether for suf-
ficient reason or otherwise, is not reas-
suring and creates some apprehension
as to the possibility of its extending to
other lines.

WAUCONDA MENTION.

Succinctly Told by Our Regular
Correspondent.

Teachers meeting today.

L. H. Todd is seriously ill at pres-
ent writing.

Born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. C. F.
Randall, a baby girl.

F. L. Carr and J. P. Blanck were
Ivanhoe visitors Sunday.

J. Golding transacted business at
Waukegan the first of the week.

H. E. and M. E. Mainan transacted
business at Lake Zurich Wednesday.

Miss Carey returned home last Fri-
day after a month's visit with rela-
tives in the city.

Mrs. L. E. Golding returned home
Monday after a few days visit with re-
latives in the city.

Rev. Woulfe, F. L. Carr, Chas. Fish-
er and A. F. Kirwan transacted busi-
ness in the city this week.

G. C. Roberts went to Chicago Mon-
day to complete his course in Optics.
This will require about two weeks,
when he will return home ready to at-
tend to any and all cases of bad or
failing sight.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E.
Church will hold their annual sale in
the church parlor Thursday afternoon
and evening, Dec. 17, 1903. Many use-
ful articles will be offered for sale. A
chicken pie supper will served in the
evening from six to nine o'clock. An
interesting program will be rendered
consisting of music and a debate on
the following question: Resolved that
the Press is greater than the Pulpit.
Affirmative, Earl Roberts and Floyd
Carr; Negative, Hazel Duers and
Frank Glynn. All are cordially in-
vited.

SUES A LIQUOR DEALER

And Owner of Saloon Building for
\$10,000 Damages.

Mrs. McIntyre Alleges Husband
Died from Effects of Drink
Sold by Haiderley.

A case of more than ordinary in-
terest is now on trial in the circuit
court of Lake county. The wife and
daughter of John P. McIntyre, whose
dead body was found in a lumber shed
at Libertyville, a year ago, are suing
Bernard Haiderley, proprietor of the
saloon in connection with the Liberty-
ville Hotel and James Triggs owner of
the building wherein liquor was dis-
pensed, for \$10,000 damages, claiming
that the death of husband and father
was due to alcoholic drink adminis-
tered by one of the defendants.

The body of James McIntyre was
found in a lumber shed at Liberty-
ville a year ago and it was reported
that he died from the effects of alco-
holic drinks, and rumor had it that
he might have been murdered. How-
ever the general accepted belief was
his death was the direct result of ex-
cessive drink. That was the verdict
returned by the coroner's jury.

The case was called for trial Tues-
day when a sensation was sprung by
attorneys for the defense who claimed
that James McIntyre had been mur-
dered and that they expected to prove
that fact.

The case will be bitterly contested
the attorneys for the plaintiffs being
Frank Quinn of Peoria, a brilliant
criminal lawyer, R. W. Coon of Wau-
kegan, and W. Colby of Libertyville.
Attorneys for the defense are Charles
Whitney of Waukegan, Paul McGuf-
fin of Libertyville and James O'Don-
nel of Joliet.

Call Dowie a Socialist.

The Chicago Chronicle, in answer
to an inquiry regarding Dowie and
his teachings, says:

"No two socialists agree as to what
is socialism. No two experiments in
that line are alike."

"The Zion City enterprise is social-
istic to the extent that its basic idea
has its root in communism. It differs
from other socialistic ventures in that
property and power have passed more
quickly into the possession of a dicta-
tor. They all reach that condition at
last."

"Dowie is a typical socialist in some
things. The bullying despotism which
he maintains over his followers and
victims is in the very essence of so-
cialism. Individuality is surrendered
at the portals of Zion. Collectivism
prevails in everything except that
Dowie himself is not bound by it."

"Instead of submitting to a pater-
nalistic and tyrannical state the Zion-
ites surrender unconditionally to a
paternalistic and tyrannical "over-
seer." There is a difference, of course,
but in its results it is not important."

HELD A SECOND ELECTION

And Placed the Lake County Fair
Society Under Old Management.

The Chicago horsemen who thought
they had captured the Lake County
Fair association, and after electing
new officers and directors voted to
move the fair building to their new
trout park have been defeated by
the opposition.

Through a technical error on the
part of Secretary Churchill of the old
board, the election held a week ago
Wednesday whereby the old associa-
tion was supposed to have been gob-
bled up by outside residents and the
future exhibitions placed under the
control of new managers, is said to
have been found illegal and at an elec-
tion held Wednesday morning in Lib-
ertyville; the supposedly defeated
ticket was elected by a vote of 87 to 3.
The old association is thus again in
power.

The error which changed the pro-
gram is said to be chargeable to Sec-
retary Churchill who called the first
election on the wrong date as provided
by the by-laws, the same providing
that the annual election be held on
the first Wednesday after the first
Monday.

There is likely to be a contest be-
tween the two sets of officers for pos-
session of the property of the associa-
tion.

HON. VESPASIAN WARNER

Announces His Willingness to Ac-
cnowledge Nomination for Governor.

The numerous friends of Congress-
man Warner have prevailed upon him
to enter the lists as a candidate for
the republican nomination for gover-
nor of Illinois, and many leaders in

national and state politics see in him
the strongest aspirant for the coveted
position yet named.

Congressman Warner has a most en-
viable record as a statesman, and has
a faculty of uniting the several ele-
ments of the party. He has behind
his candidacy the republican delega-
tion in congress and, it is said, Sena-
tors Cullom and Hopkins. If nomi-
nated he will make a clean campaign
and creditable run, for his record in
congress commends him to his state
and country.

Next to priests and lawyers news-
paper men are entrusted with more
secrets than any other class of men.
If we only dared tell all we know the
Lord pity the other fellow and us.

PURE FOOD LAW

Has Stopped a Large Amount of Im-
pure Food Coming to America.

According to a statement of Dr. H.
W. Wiley, chief chemist of the depart-
ment of agriculture, the new pure food
law, which authorizes the secretary of
agriculture to confiscate adulterated
food products shipped from other coun-
tries, is working satisfactorily notwith-
standing the doubts that were at first
entertained regarding its scope and the
powers of the secretary under it. All
uncertainty as to the powers of the
secretary has been removed, and the
inspection force in New York has been
constantly increased until it is now
practically impossible for foreign man-
ufacturers or American importers to
dump impure or adulterated food prod-
ucts upon this country. Tons of this
product have been condemned and
seized with the result that our import-
ers are now making contracts with
their agents in foreign countries con-
taining a stipulation that any expense
attending a violation of the law or
penalty imposed shall be borne by the
consigner or shipper.

Dr. Wiley also reports a gratifying
disposition on the part of importers to
collaborate in an enforcement of the
law. It appears that many of the im-
porters have been imposed upon for
years by foreign manufacturers and
have unwittingly committed a fraud
upon the American consumer.

The enforcement of this law is com-
mendable and will no doubt be the
means of shutting out of our markets
large quantities of foreign adulterated
food products. But we need something
more than this. We should have a
national pure food law which will pro-
tect consumers from our own food
adulterations.

NEWS OF LAKE ZURICH

Happenings of the Week in that
Lively Village.

For your holiday candies and toys
call on Chas. Scholz.

E. Branding is now in the employ
of the Bruce Ice company.

Special election held yesterday was
quiet and a light vote polled.

The ice companies are preparing to
begin cutting ice next week.

Bert Seip is at home again after a
short absence from the village.

H. C. Paddock of Arlington Heights
made a business call here Tuesday.

Courtney Brs. and Frank Roney
shipped two cars of live stock this
week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ficke have left
our village for an extended visit in
Arizona.

Section Foreman Carsten has been
laid off for a few days and the section
crew from Barrington put in charge.

Manager Shedd of the Knicker-
bocker Ice company, has completed
arrangements for the ice harvest here
this season. Henry Schafer will act
as foreman and John Dickson as en-
gineer.

At Palatine, Friday, December 4th,
Miss Anna Shennig of this place,
formerly of Barrington, was united in
marriage to Wm. Gieske. They ex-
pect to make Lake Zurich their home.
A large number of friends extend con-
gratulations.

A wise mother always manages to
have a box of Cole's Carbolic Soap hand-
dy. Children are always getting hurt
and she knows there is nothing else so
good for cuts and bruises. It quickly
stops the pain of burns and scalds and
heals without a scar. If it isn't Cole's
it isn't Carbolic Soap. 25 and 50c by all
druggists.

Cole's Laxative Liver Pills are Nature's
cure for liver ills. If you are
troubled with constipation or sick-
headaches try these perfect pills.
Get Cole's. Sold by all druggists.

SPECIAL OFFERINGS IN HOLIDAY GOODS.

Next week we place on sale our
complete line of Holiday Goods,
in all departments. Buy early
while selection is good.

OF INTEREST TO THE LADIES.



When in our store ask to
be shown the Lay Stock-
ing. Button on the waist.
No supporters.



You will find our stock of general
merchandise complete in every line
and prices to suit your finances.

COME AND SEE US. **The Big Store.** WE SAVE YOU MONEY.
A. W. MEYER.
BARRINGTON.



A Large Stock
OF NEW STYLES OF
Clocks, Watches, Chains and
Diamond Rings.
All goods guaranteed and at prices lower
than offered by Chicago dealers.
SOMETHING NEW!
A Clock that will run 400 days with
one winding, only \$14, guaranteed
for Five Years. You should have one.
J. Jappa, Palatine, Ill.

LAMEY & COMPANY
Dealers in
**Building Material,
Paints, Oils, Glass,
Tile and Cement.**
Barrington, - - Illinois.

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NEWS OF THE WORLD

Industrial, Political, Domestic
and Foreign Happenings of Minor
Importance Told in Paragraphs.

James Lynch, the escaped Irish convict, is to be arrested for violating the immigration laws.

The first electric sleeping car for an interurban road has just been completed at Wilmington, Del., and will be shipped to Indianapolis.

The American National Red Cross Society has decided to grant the request of the opposition for an investigation as to the condition of the work of the society.

The entire student body of Hanover College at Hanover, Ind., has determined to quit the institution unless ten suspended sophomores are reinstated by President Fisher.

Operator J. R. Largonot, stationed in a Pittsburg and Lake Erie Railroad telegraph tower in a Pittsburg suburb, was beaten insensibly by three negroes who robbed him of \$50.

Circuit Judge Douglass at St. Louis decided that a witness has no right to refuse to answer questions on the ground that it might incriminate him, and held that it was a matter for the court to decide.

New York capitalists have secured a concession to build and operate an electric traction company in the City of Mexico.

Theron S. Brown, for some years cashier of the Life Insurance Company of Virginia, whose headquarters are in Richmond, is missing. His books are undergoing investigation and the officers of the company admit a shortage of several thousand dollars.

Prof. Charles William Dabney, president of the University of Tennessee, has been invited to become head of the University of Cincinnati, to succeed President Howard Ayres.

Steel trust retrenchment plans are said to include dispensing with the services of a number of Andrew Carnegie's young partners who are receiving salaries of \$10,000 or more a year.

Judge Cleveland at New Haven consented to allow the sealed letter giving W. J. Bryan \$50,000, which is the subject of controversy in the Bennett will case, to be placed in a safe deposit vault.

A subscription fund has been started at St. Louis to pay the expenses of a contest to be made by Miss Anna Dreyer, who was removed from the postoffice for protesting against Postmaster Baumhoff's conduct toward her.

A mandate directing the United States Circuit court to enter a decree for an accounting for the plaintiff in the case of the Western Union Telegraph company vs. the American Bell Telephone company was filed in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals at Boston.

It is asserted at Pekin that China is not opposing the project for drafting coolie laborers to the Transvaal. William Jennings Bryan has arrived in Paris.

Miss Mabel Knowles has sailed for Japan to be a guest of the famous oriental actress, Sada Yacco.

The czar and czarina arrived at St. Petersburg from Skienewice, Russian Poland. Her majesty has completely recovered her health.

The condition of Mrs. Mariscal, wife of the minister of foreign relations at the City of Mexico, is serious and little hope for her ultimate recovery is entertained. Mrs. Mariscal is an American woman, being a native of Baltimore.

After thirteen years' service as the pastor of the Lafayette Avenue Presbyterian church, Brooklyn, N. Y., Rev. Dr. David Gregg has resigned to accept the presidency of the Western Theological seminary, Allegheny, Pa. He went to Brooklyn from Boston to succeed Rev. Dr. Theodore L. Cuyler in 1890. His resignation will take effect March 1.

Fire at Auburn, Ohio, caused a loss of \$75,000.

The Chinese cotton crop shows splendid results.

Eleven coal miners were killed at the Gasson-Laquasse mine at Montegney, Belgium, through the breaking of a rope by which a cage was being hauled up. The men were precipitated to the bottom of the pit and their bodies were horribly mangled.

An agreement has been concluded between the Hamburg-American and the White Star lines, whereby each will provide four steamers for the American Mediterranean service, the Hamburg-American steamers running from New York and the White Star vessels from Boston.

Boston coal teamsters propose to refuse to deliver coal to hotels which have attempted to put nonunion men in the places of the striking cab drivers.

The Powers-Miller company store at Newark, Ohio, was burned; loss, \$120,000.

A man who wishes to remain anonymous has given University college of London \$250,000 to be used for the promotion of higher scientific education and research.

M. Rouman, the French astronomer, noted for his studies of volcanic phenomena, although a very old man, has taken up his residence on Mount Vesuvius in the hope that the researches he is about to undertake will result in important discoveries.

FRAMING LAWS
FOR THE NATIONOutline of the Proceedings
in Both Branches of
Congress.

NEW BILLS ARE GIVEN IN BRIEF

Condensed Report of the Work Performed by Senators and Representatives, Together With Summary of the Main Points in Speeches.

Monday, Dec. 7.

The Senate closed the extraordinary session at noon and immediately entered on the duties of the regular session. The unusual features were the close of the called session by announcement from the chair and the offering of two prayers in the Senate within a half-hour of each other. The business transacted consisted of the reading of the President's message and the beginning of the discussion of the Cuban reciprocity bill. Mr. Cullom, who has charge of the Cuban bill, made a speech, advocating its passage in the interest of American trade. The reading of the President's message was concluded at 3:26 p. m. The Senate took up the resolution calling on the Postmaster General to send to the Senate committee on postoffice and post roads the papers bearing on the recent investigation into irregularities in the Postoffice Department. It was laid over. The Panama Canal treaty was sent to the Senate, but as there was no executive session after its receipt, it was not referred to the committee on foreign relations.

The House convened in regular session and listened to the reading of the President's annual message. A considerable amount of routine matters necessary to facilitate the work of committees was transacted. Representative Prince of Illinois introduced a bill providing that \$100,000,000 of the public moneys now deposited with national bank depositors shall be invested by the Secretary of the Treasury at the rate of \$5,000,000 a month in state, county and municipal bonds which pay interest at not less than 2 per cent. Representative Dwight of New York introduced a bill establishing a postal currency providing for notes in the denomination of 5, 10, 25 and 50 cents, to be issued by the Postmaster General and kept on sale by all postmasters. Representative W. A. Smith of Michigan introduced a bill making McKinley's birthday, Jan. 29, a national holiday. To be known as "McKinley day." Representative Daltz introduced a bill to incorporate the Lake Erie and Ohio River Ship Canal Company. Letter carriers will, during their first year of service, receive \$600, during the second \$800 and during the third and subsequent years, \$1,000, provided a bill which Representative William Alden Smith of Michigan introduced becomes law. The House adjourned at 3:30 out of respect to the memory of Henry Burk (Pa.), a member who died Saturday.

Tuesday, Dec. 8.

The recent investigation into the frauds in the postoffice department was the basis of a sharp debate in the senate by Mr. Gorman and Mr. Lodge. The resolution went over without action. Mr. Teller made a speech in opposition to the Cuban bill. He criticized Gen. Wood and declared the bill was in the interest of the sugar trust. Mr. Clapp spoke briefly, holding that the senate has absolute power in making treaties. A resolution presented by Mr. Hoar calling upon the secretary of state for the correspondence relative to claims against the republic of Colombia on account of damages sustained at Colon was adopted. Senator Frye introduced a bill to regulate commerce between the United States and the Philippine archipelago providing on and after July 1, 1904, under the penalty of forfeiture, no merchandise shall be transported by sea or any passengers carried between ports of the United States and ports and places in the Philippine archipelago in any other than vessels sailing under the flag of the United States. Senator Nelson introduced a bill providing that the treasurer of the United States may receive as deposits under existing laws bonds or interest-bearing obligations of any state, county or city, or railroad company, under the same conditions exacted in the Alrich bill. Senator Nelson also introduced a bill to authorize national banking associations to make loans on real estate security.

The house authorized the committee on postoffices and post roads to request the postmaster general to supply the committee with papers in connection with the recent investigation of the postoffice department. It also instructed the judiciary committee to make inquiry and report whether the Isle of Pines can be ceded to Cuba without the concurrent action of the house and senate. Representative

Kills Boy Pugilist.

Spokane, Wash., special: In a mock prize fight Harry Walton, aged 14, was killed by James Mitchell. In illustrating the solar plexus blow he gave Walton a hard punch. The lad died in the spasm which followed.

Chinamen Drown.

Buffalo, N. Y., special: A wagon load of Chinamen who were being smuggled into this country was overturned and fell into the Erie canal. Four of the Chinamen were drowned.

Hepburn reintroduced the pure food bill. Representative Tirrell of Massachusetts introduced a bill to prevent the sale of intoxicating liquors in buildings and upon premises owned or controlled by the government. Representative Cooper of Wisconsin introduced a bill to further define the duties and powers of the interstate commerce commission. Representative Gillett of Massachusetts introduced a bill to protect anti-gambling laws from nullification through interstate gambling by telegraph.

EXTRAORDINARY SESSION.

Friday, Dec. 4.

The House was in session only five minutes. Mr. Hunter (Ky.) and Mr. Nevin (Ohio) were sworn in as members. Representative Wachter of Maryland introduced a bill making April 14 of each year a legal holiday, to be known as "Martyrs' day," in commemoration of the death of Abraham Lincoln. Representative Livernash of California introduced a joint resolution "defining the intention of the United States concerning the Isthmus of Panama." It disclaims on the part of the United States any intention to impair Colombian sovereignty or to support the Republic of Panama against Colombia, or to interfere in the relations between Colombia and Panama. House adjourned at 12:05.

The Senate was in session only fifteen minutes. The business transacted was purely of a routine character. It has been considered probable that a resolution for the adjournment of the extra session of Congress would be brought in, but none was offered, and a session was provided for Saturday with the hope that an adjournment agreement may be reached by that time. Senator Mitchell introduced a bill providing that every carrier in the rural free delivery mail service, in addition to his salary fixed by law, shall receive \$250 a year for subsistence. At 12:15 o'clock the Senate adjourned.

Saturday, Dec. 5.

When the senate met to-day it adopted a motion to adjourn until 11:30 Monday. This will afford an opportunity to pass a concurrent resolution for the sine die adjournment in case an agreement of that kind is made between the two houses. The resolution introduced by Mr. Morgan providing for an investigation of the charge that the transcontinental railroads have been interfering unduly in the isthmian canal question was called up and referred to the committee on contingent expenses of the senate. The senate adjourned at 12:10 p. m.

When the house convened the speaker announced the house committees. Mr. Williams, the minority leader, asked unanimous consent that an hour be given to a general discussion, thirty minutes to each side. Mr. Russell (Dem., Texas) was recognized. Replying to Mr. Hepburn and quoting statistics, he charged that the wealth of the country in consequence of the policy of the dominant party had been concentrated in the hands of a few people. Mr. Dearmond (Dem., Mo.) said that on each of the sixteen most important committees the Republicans have eleven members and the Democrats six. This, he said, was unjust and unfair and an outrage to a minority. He introduced a resolution amending the rules to add an additional Democratic member to all the large committees. Mr. Martin (Rep., S. D.) reviewed the operation of the various Democratic and Republican tariffs and said if the Democrats ever wished again to assume the reins of government some other issue would have to be advanced. Mr. Olmstead (Rep., Pa.) said that Mr. Clark already had predicted a Democratic president and house in 1904, and added that if this should prove true it would drive a hundred million dollars into hiding within thirty days. Mr. Williams (Dem., Miss) challenged a statement by Mr. Olmstead that wages were never higher than now. Mr. Hepburn (Rep., Iowa) replied to Mr. Russell (Texas), and Mr. Payne referred to the criticisms of the committee assignments made by Mr. Dearmond. He reviewed the record to show that the speaker had not departed from precedents. Representative Overstreet introduced a resolution giving the committee on postoffices and post roads authority to request the postmaster general to send to that committee all papers connected with the recent investigation of that department. Representative Badge of Ohio introduced a bill repealing the duty on hides. At 1:40 p. m. the house adjourned.

Epidemic at Geneva.

Geneva, Ill., special: Scarlet fever and diphtheria are epidemic here, and the public schools have been closed until after the holidays. Mrs. Emylie Gardner, superintendent of schools, is ill of scarlet fever, and scores of children are down with one or the other of the dread diseases.

Russian Mail Train Burns.

St. Petersburg cable: A mail train on the Warsaw-Vinsko line caught fire and the train and its contents were almost completely destroyed.

Secretary to Papal Delegate.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., cablegram: Rev. Father Hinott of this city has been appointed secretary to Mgr. Sharette, the papal delegate in Canada, in accession to Rev. Father Stickney, who returns to Baltimore, Md.

Misses Apple; Kills Boy.

Houston, Tex., special: Charles Givens, aged 12, was killed while posing with an apple on his head to be shot off by a boy companion, the bullet entering his forehead.

ILLINOIS STATE NEWS

ALLEGED CONSPIRACY EXISTS.

Stockholders Declare They are Being Forced Out of Company.

A suit for \$35,000 damages was filed in the city court at Alton by T. J. Terrell and Patrick Maguire against the Hillsboro coal company of Hillsboro. The plaintiffs allege that they are victims of a conspiracy to freeze them out of the company. Stockholders of the coal company, it was stated by Terrell, would apply for a receiver to be appointed by the United States district court at Springfield. The troubles of the Hillsboro coal company have involved several prominent Alton investors. Recently the Alton men disposed of their interest in the company, and other Alton coal men purchased stock in the concern and were elected to office.

Rabbits Not Protected by Law.

A jury in Belleville, in the case of Louis Mueller of Freeburg, charged with having violated the Illinois game law, decided that rabbits were not game under the construction of the statutes. Mueller was hunting in the vicinity of Freeburg, when Game Warden Ruess demanded to see his license. Mueller was unable to show a certificate and Ruess swore out a warrant charging him with violating the hunters' law. At the trial Mueller set up the plea that he was hunting only rabbits and had not violated the law. The attorney general had ruled that the law in a general way included rabbits as a species of game, but the jury decided that because the word "rabbit" had been omitted from the act of the general assembly, that particular species of game was not protected.

Rabbits Come High.

Frank Allenbacher and Andrew Seitz, who live near Haysville, have been prosecuted for hunting rabbits on the farm of Adam Hacker, and four Jasper boys were fined for a similar offense on the farm of S. H. Dillin, near Ireland. The six hunters killed a total of three rabbits and their fines and costs amounted to \$69.35.

Unknown Man Is Crushed.

An unknown man, believed to be a Pole, was run over in the Terminal yards in East St. Louis and received injuries from which he died soon afterward at St. Mary's hospital. The man attempted to cross between cars, but fell and was badly crushed by a brake beam. It is believed that his name is Redowski.

Death of Light Tender.

James Powrie, known up and down the Mississippi as "Scotch Jimmy," died at his home on Scotch Jimmy's island, above Alton. Powrie had been a light tender for the government for many years, and it is said that during his forty years of service his lights were always in good condition.

Petition in Bankruptcy.

A petition was filed in the federal court at Springfield by the Wertheimer-Swartz Shoe company, the Jacobson-Hatton Glove company and the Lechtman-Goodman company; all of St. Louis, asking that Kate Rudman, general merchant of East St. Louis, be adjudged bankrupt.

Y. M. C. A. Contribution.

At Quincy \$15,000 for the support of the Young Men's Christian Association has been raised by popular contribution, and it is thought before the year ends the sum will be swelled to \$3,000, which is necessary to support the organization during the coming year.

Fire in Plow Plant.

The plant of the Parlin & Orendoff Plow Manufacturing company at Canton was damaged by fire. The loss is estimated at \$10,000, fully covered by insurance. The operation of the plant will not be hindered.

Boards Moving Train.

Edward Bradley of Peoria, in attempting to board a moving train, fell under the wheels. His feet were badly crushed and had to be amputated. He is now in a hospital at Decatur.

Farmer Dies of Paralysis.

While driving home in a buggy with his daughter, Jim Crowe, a prominent farmer of Waterloo, 72 years old, was stricken with a paralytic stroke and died instantly in his buggy.

Remarkable Recovery.

Jacob Mitchell of Alton, aged 68, who was struck by an Illinois Terminal train April 12, has recovered completely. Mitchell's recovery is considered remarkable.

Brewers to Mine Coal.

The Anheuser-Busch brewing association of St. Louis has purchased a large tract of coal land one mile west of Breese, where, it is said, it will sink a shaft.

Nine-Foot Coal Vein.

The drill on the property of Espy and Fitz Gerrell at Benton passed through a nine-foot vein of coal at a depth of 582 feet. This means another coal mine for Benton. The new shaft will be started within a few days.

To Erect Memorial Building.

John Wood post, No. 96, Grand Army of the Republic, and John Wood Woman's relief corps, No. 47, have made an alliance with the historical society of Quincy in an effort to build a memorial building in the city.

ASK GOVERNMENT TO ASSIST.

Congress is Requested to Appropriate Fund to Protect Levee.

There was a general movement of those interested in protecting the levee in that vicinity held in the courthouse at Quincy. J. N. Sprige of Quincy was chairman, and A. J. Thomas of Pleasant Hill secretary. Delegations present represented the following levee districts: King's Lake, Cap-au-Gris, South River, Hunt, Indian Grave, Sny and Lima Lake. The object of the meeting was to effect a strong organization for the purpose of appealing to congress for sufficient appropriation to keep the levees in a serviceable condition. Resolutions asking for aid from the United States government were adopted.

May Build Electric Line.

The Carlyle Commercial club is considering a proposition submitted by the Buxton Coal and Mining company. The mine is three miles west of Carlyle and will be operated by electricity. The coal company proposes to furnish the power to operate an electric railway between Carlyle and the mine, provided the citizens build the line. The estimated cost is \$10,000. The investment is guaranteed to net 4 per cent per annum.

Labor Troubles.

An industrial war, long expected, has broken out in the Fox river valley in northern Illinois. Manufacturers at Batavia, Aurora, Elgin, St. Charles and Geneva have organized and decided to increase the hours of labor from nine to ten. The wage-earners are united and will resist this attempt to add to the hours of labor without increase in pay.

Horse Theft Is Charged.

Charles Sandidge has been placed in jail at Sandidge to answer to the charge of horse stealing. A horse belonging to a farmer was found in Centuria, where it had been sold by Sandidge, who formerly worked for the farmer who was the rightful owner of the animal. Sandidge was recently released on parole from the Chester prison.

Cat Causes Child's Death.

Mrs. J. Stanberry, living near Vera, went to a neighbor's on an errand, leaving her two children, aged 6 and 2 years, respectively, alone. A cat, in chasing a mouse, dislodged a gun setting in a corner of the room, causing it to discharge. The load entered the abdomen of the younger child, killing it instantly.

Anti-Spit Ordinance.

Mayor Ed De Moulin has placed his signature to the anti-spit ordinance passed by the Greenville city council. The ordinance provides that a fine of not less than \$1 or more than \$10 shall be imposed on every person convicted of expectorating on the pavement of the city or in any public building.

Smallpox Quarantine.

The report has been made to the state board of health that Shawneetown had quarantined against Ridgeway, in Gallatin county, on account of the existence of smallpox at the latter place, the authorities at Ridgeway having, it is alleged, neglected to enforce quarantine regulations.

State Horticultural Officers.

The State Horticultural society has elected the following officers: President, Warder W. Stevens of Salem; secretary, W. B. Flick of Lawrence; treasurer, Sylvester Johnson of Irvington. The executive committee is composed of Prof. James Troop, E. Y. Teas and Walter Ratliff.

Home for Fallen Girls.

As a result of the efforts of Mrs. Henrietta Hunt, a home for fallen girls has been opened at Twelfth and Edwards streets, Springfield. The Jacksonville Rescue home and the Springfield institution have been consolidated and Miss Sue Lane of Jacksonville is in charge.

Hoisting Engineers' Pay.

Hoisting engineers in coal mines in the Illinois district will receive \$10 a month more pay hereafter. This, in substance, was decided to-day by the arbitration board that has been hearing evidence on the demands of the engineers who asked for an increase of \$15.

Is Killed by Falling Tree.

Menly Ogden, aged 22, was instantly killed near his home northeast of Fieldon by a limb of a falling tree striking him on the head, fracturing his skull.

Explosion Kills Miner.

Antonia Donna, an Italian miner, was killed by the premature explosion of a blast in the Norris coal mining company's mine, five miles north of Canton.

Fall Downstairs Kills Man.

Joseph F. O'Laughlin, aged 35, fell down a flight of stairs at Jacksonville and received injuries from which he died after a few minutes' time. He was a clerk in the Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis freight depot.

Little One Drinks Poison.

A pretty 3-year-old daughter of Wm. Carson, who is moving out of the Frank Cornwell farm just west of Ann Arbor, got hold of a bottle of carbolic acid and innocently drank part of the burning poison.

Chief Executive Recommends Passage of Important Legislation—Causes Leading to the Formation of the New Republic of Panama—No Obstruction Now to the Building of the Isthmian Canal—Venezuelan Dispute a Triumph for International Arbitration—Extension of Purposes of Appropriation for Enforcing Trust and Interstate Commerce Laws Favored—Public Land and Postal Frauds—Need for Treaties Making Bribery Extraditable—Relations of the Government to Capital and Labor.

Capital and Labor.

The consistent policy of the national government, so far as it has the power, is to hold in check the unscrupulous man, whether employer or employee; but to refuse to weaken individual initiative or to hamper or cramp the industrial development of the country. We recognize that this has been accomplished through combination, in which great capitalistic corporations and labor unions have become factors of tremendous importance in all industrial centers. Hearty recognition is given the far-reaching, beneficent work that this has accomplished through both corporations and unions, and the line as between different corporations, as between different unions, is drawn as it is between different individuals; that is, it is drawn on conduct, the effort being to treat both organizations equally and on an even basis. We are asking nothing save the interest of each shall be brought into harmony with the interest of the general public, and that the conduct of each shall conform to the fundamental rules of obedience to law, of industrial freedom, and of fair dealing towards all. Whenever either corporation, labor union, or individual disre-

In my last annual message, in connection with the subject of the due regulation of combinations of capital which are or may become injurious to the public, I recommended a special appropriation for the better enforcement of the

Consular Service.

I call your attention to the reduced cost in maintaining the consular service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1903, as shown in the annual report of the Auditor for the State and other departments, as compared with the year previous. For

not we shall have an isthmian canal. In the year 1856 this Government entered into a treaty with New Granada, the predecessor upon the Isthmus of the Republic of Colombia and of the present Republic of Panama, by which treaty it was provided that the Government and citizens of the United States should always have free and open right of way or transit across the Isthmus of Panama, and that the United States might be constructed, while in turn our Government guaranteed the perfect neutrality of the above-mentioned isthmus with the view that the free transit from the one to the other sea might not be interrupted or embarrassed. The treaty vested in the United States a paramount proprietary right in the Isthmus, the rights of sovereignty and property which New Granada then had and possessed over the said territory. The name of New Granada has passed away and its territory has been divided. Its successor, the Government of Colombia, has ceased to own any property in the Isthmus. A new Republic of Panama, which was at one time a sovereign state, and at another time a mere department of the successive confederations known as New

Disturbances on Isthmus Since 1843.
When these events happened, fifty-seven years had elapsed since the United States had entered into its treaty with New Granada. During that time the Governments of New Granada and of its successor, Colombia, have been in a constant state of flux.

A long list of the disturbances and revolutions which have convulsed the isthmus is given, and the report concludes:

The venerable William Jackson, one of the oldest of Wesleyan ministers and for twenty-four years governor of Didsbury college, is dead.

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Great Lakes Food Supply.

It is gratifying to note that in one important matter, which affects both this country and the Dominion, our Canadian neighbors are willing to co-operate with us, and that is the preservation of the fish supply of the great lakes. The Toronto Globe asserts that the province of Ontario is ready to establish and enforce such regulations as will restore the food capacity of the lakes, which has been seriously diminished by indiscriminate netting as well as by poaching. To such an extent has this been carried on, and so frequent were the complaints of the Canadian fishermen, who were obliged to observe a close season, while the Americans were fishing all the time, that the provincial authorities at one time contemplated giving up all efforts to preserve the fish and let the work of grill divers and destruction go on. It was argued that if Americans would not assist the supply would soon be depleted and the Canadians might as well catch all the fish they could while there were any left.

It is creditable to the Canadians that they did not adopt such a policy, but instead sought to induce the lake states to join them in adopting and enforcing such measures as will keep up the supply. All the states bordering on the lakes except New York have expressed their willingness to co-operate with the Canadians. As the New York commission will shortly meet, it will undoubtedly join its neighbors in bringing about this most important result. Under proper regulations the great lakes are capable of producing an abundant supply of food fish. The lakes should, however, be restocked, and a stop should be put to indiscriminate netting. Otherwise there is likely to be a marked scarcity in the supply as well as a corresponding increase in the price. Fish is a wholesome, simple and common diet, and there is no reason why it should not be even more plentiful than meats and much cheaper. In the plans for the protection of this source of food supply there should be the heartiest co-operation on both sides of the line.

John Mitchell's Advice.

It is generally conceded that John Mitchell is one of the most popular and clear headed of all the leaders of organized labor. He has shown himself to be a man of breadth of view, of tolerant spirit and of careful judgment, and thoughtful labor unionists listen when he speaks. In an address before the University club in New York the other day he said:

I am glad to have an opportunity of saying in New York that my chief business is not the organization of strikes. I abhor strikes. They bring misery and hardship to too many men and women. I am in favor of a strike only when all other means to get the just rights of labor have failed. And I am glad to tell you that the understanding between labor and capital is getting better every day.

It must not be supposed that the trade agreement will prevent all strikes. It will undoubtedly minimize these industrial conflicts by obviating misunderstandings, by showing each side the position of the other, by creating a more friendly feeling between employers and employees and, finally, by making strikes and lockouts, when they do occur, so widespread, general and expensive that their recurrence will be avoided.

This is sane and wholesome advice, nor is it by any means solely applicable to the labor end of industrial controversies. The employer as well as the employee will do well to take it to heart.

Norwegians Make Good Americans.

Henry Bordenich, the United States consul general at Christiania, Norway, reports that "during the year 1902 the emigrants from Norway to the United States numbered 27,000, and 1903 promises still larger figures. The reasons for the great increase in emigration during the last few years are to be found in scarcity of work, poor prospects for the future, high taxation and information received from friends in the United States of the satisfactory conditions found here. Large sums of money are sent from Norwegians in the United States to their relatives here. The amount in 1902 has been estimated at no less than \$1,000,000."

The Norwegians are among the most desirable immigrants that come to this country. They mainly settle on the agricultural lands of the northwest, where they have become a powerful factor in the development of the country. They are industrious and economical, taking kindly to our institutions, and make good citizens. We have plenty of room in this country for these hardy descendants of the vikings.

While there is a general struggle going on over the proper name to give the citizens of Panama, such as Panamanians, Panamanians and Panamense, wouldn't Panaman do well enough?

The statement of a Washington physician that red noses are caused by wearing too thin hosiery may furnish a good excuse for some convivial people.

In the year 1816, known as "the year without a summer," the old chronicles inform us that "November was cold and blustering," like the average November, but December was mild and pleasant. It must be remembered, however, that in those days the government had no high salaried and experienced officials to look after the weather.

The Mexican plan of poisoning every victim of the yellow fever as soon as the malady develops is another reminder that more work is to be done before the western hemisphere is freed from the influence of early Spanish methods.

A German military officer has been sentenced to six months' imprisonment and challenged to innumerable duels for writing a novel. If the poor fellow ever escapes from the fatherland he should go directly to Indiana.

A bill providing for the election of senators by direct vote of the people has again been introduced in the United States senate. It requires no secret to predict what the senate will do with it.

Paradoxical, but Puck observes that the greatest obstacle to the enforcement of the law is the lawyer.

The sultan is the "sick man of Europe" probably because he smokes Turkish cigarettes.

The headline "Another Record Broken" may refer either to the race track or Wall street.

The next American heiress who marries a duke might make a good thing out of it by hiring a hall and charging an admission.

The St. Louis Globe-Democrat defines a promoter as "a man who can double his money without putting any in."

American Steel Rails For Turkey.

The Pittsburgh Dispatch reports that the Turkish government has closed a contract with the Pennsylvania Steel company for 20,000 tons of steel rails to be delivered at Beirut. The fact that the contract was secured only after strong competition with the Krupps and several Belgian firms is also not without significance as showing the constantly increasing inroads which American manufacturers are making in the foreign markets of the world. The rails are to be used in the construction of the road projected from Damascus through that portion of Turkish domains extending along the Red sea coast to Medina, thence to Mecca. Its chief use will be for the transportation of the countless hordes in the annual pilgrimages to the shrine of Mohammedanism.

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view of the present depressed state of the iron and steel industry such indications are decidedly gratifying.

In fixing the Alaskan boundary according to the "findings" of the commission Canadian charts will be used as the basis of the survey work. This will be done because the work of the Canadian cartographers was more extensive and elaborate than that produced on the part of the American side of the boundary dispute.

If it is going to cost proportionately as much to transfer the ownership of the earth from the hands of Morgan to the hands of Rockefeller as it did to turn over a few properties to Schwab for the shipbuilding trust there ought to be a general protest on economical grounds.

Canadians are saying lots of things that in Patrick Henry's day and time would have been treason to the crown. But times have changed since then. Royalty is somewhat less cocky than it was in those days.

Although Captain Nelson Brown sailed from Boston to Gibraltar in a nineteen foot boat and proved his nerve and seamanship, he did not add much to the science of navigation or any other branch of the world's wisdom.

Militia as Coast Defenders.

General Robert Shaw Oliver, the new assistant secretary of war, under whose charge are the general problems of state militia organization, is anxious to stimulate the formation of companies of heavy artillery in the seaboard states as a reserve to man the coast defenses in time of war. Secretary Root dwelt briefly on this point in his last year's report, and General Oliver desires that additional emphasis be laid on it at this time. When the national militia bill was under consideration the secretary pointed out that if it became law an effort should be made "to procure the organization of a national guard force of heavy artillery in the neighborhood of each coast defense fortification, with the understanding that whenever the president finds occasion to call out militia to repel invasion that organization will be called into that fortification." Continuing, the report said:

In the meantime an immediate and special relation should be established between the militia organization and the fortification for the purpose of practice and instruction. They should be made as familiar as possible with the use of the guns and methods of defense at that particular point. In many cases it will be practicable to give them facilities for meeting and keeping their equipment on the military reservation, which would make unnecessary "any outside armory for their use. Such an organization could readily perform all its duties to the state serving as infantry, but it could at the same time be distinctly known and constantly prepared for service as the militia reserve of the fortification with which it sustains the relations described.

Something has already been done toward the establishment of such a relation, a number of militia companies in New York, Connecticut and Massachusetts having taken up this branch of the service and being each year admitted to the harbor forts for artillery practice. If the plan is carried out the garrison of each fort along the coast will have a reserve of militia, who will make their encampment there each year and will know that it is to be their station in case war breaks out. This is in the strictest sense the duty to "repel invasion" to which the constitution refers, and such service would doubtless appeal to many men who would hesitate about enlisting in a body which in war time is liable to be ordered to distant parts of the country.

A BAN ON DINNER MUSIC.

It Hath No Charms to Soothe the Chicago Brawl When Dining. No more restaurant music for Chicago. Public taste has become so diverse that caterers discovered that there was no satisfying it. What pleased some drove others away. Aesthetes could not stand any of it and patronized restaurants which suppressed music. Then the Restaurant Keepers' association met and decided to kill music. "Yes," said the manager of Kingsley's recently, "we stop music after tonight. It costs us \$100 a week. Many

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"Couldn't satisfy every one," said the manager of the Sherman House. "People have come in here and on hearing some piece they didn't like they have gone out. Nothing but chin music goes hereafter."

Warned President Lincoln in Vain.

Bishop Thomas Bowman of East Orange, N. J., the oldest Methodist Episcopal bishop, said the other day that he warned President Lincoln he was in danger of being assassinated by John Wilkes Booth five days before he was killed. The bishop was then chaplain of the senate. One day as he was about to open the senate with prayer he saw Booth enter the room and was so struck with his appearance that he could not proceed for several minutes. Later he saw Booth prowling about the capitol building and White House and, being convinced that his purpose was bad, warned Mr. Lincoln, who smiled and would not believe that any one would attempt his life.

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GIVES REASONS FOR HIS OPINION

The Senator, Walter Wellman Says, Believes All Wings of Democratic Party Will Favor the New York Man—With Him as Candidate For President, He Says, Republicans Must Fight Hard to Carry Empire State.

Senator Hanna believes the Democratic party will nominate Judge Aiton B. Parker of New York for president next year, says Walter Wellman, the special correspondent of the Philadelphia Press at Washington. He also believes Judge Parker will make a strong candidate and that the Republicans will have to fight hard to carry New York state for President Roosevelt. He has no fear that President Roosevelt is to be defeated, but he does not share the views of those Republicans who think the battle is to be won with ease. He believes there is to be a stiff and stubborn fight and that the Republican ticket will win on account of the popularity of the president in the west and northwest.

Senator Hanna, who returned from New York recently, expressed to a friend who saw him there not long ago the views given in the foregoing paragraph.

Mr. Hanna has never believed the Democratic party would nominate ex-President Cleveland next year, though he has not denied that in his opinion Mr. Cleveland would prove the strongest candidate that party could put up. He has inclined to the opinion that it would be impossible for the Democrats to nominate the ex-president on account of the fierce and unyielding opposition of the Bryan Democrats of the west and a considerable share of the Democrats who are not favorable to Mr. Bryan, but who dislike Mr. Cleveland as a result of old scores.

A number of southern Democratic senators have told Mr. Hanna that if Mr. Cleveland were to be nominated they could not guarantee Democratic success in their states. One of the most prominent men from Texas, representing his state in congress, declared that in his opinion the nomination of Cleveland would result in Texas giving her electoral vote to President Roosevelt. This man said scores of prominent Democrats of his acquaintance had told him they would vote for Roosevelt if Cleveland were made their party candidate, and a number of them added that they would not only bolt the ticket, but would take the stump for Roosevelt.

Since the publication of Mr. Cleveland's letter of declination Senator Hanna has been more than ever convinced that Judge Parker will be the Democratic candidate. He picked Parker as a winner six months ago and sees no reason to change his mind. His conviction is based upon a knowledge of the fact that the Democrats will naturally and instinctively seek a man who has a chance to win, and he believes the conditions are such that they will hit on Parker as that man. Judge Parker's strength is that he has no troublesome record on public questions and is acceptable to all wings of the party. He voted for Bryan and therefore bears the stamp of "regularity" and at the same time is not objectionable to the conservative wing of the party nor to the business interests of the country.

Mr. Hanna does not say so in plain language, but it is well understood by his friends that since his recent sojourn in New York he is convinced the "money power" will throw a large share of its influence in favor of Judge Parker if he is nominated and against President Roosevelt. The Rockefeller interest, by long odds the most powerful chain of banks, railways, insurance companies and industrial corporations in the world, is for some reason or other extremely bitter against President Roosevelt, and unless a change comes over the spirit of its dreams it will without much doubt contribute large sums to the Democratic campaign fund.

James J. Hill is also known to be bitter against the president and is relied on by the Democrats for a handsome campaign subscription and also for efforts to carry one or two states in the extreme northwest for the Democratic ticket.

The friends of President Roosevelt are not at all worried by the reports which come from New York through Senator Hanna and others that the Rockefellers are determined to defeat him. President Roosevelt himself is not afraid of the money power. He believes that when it becomes known the richest man in the world, a man who wields a giant power through his control of vast sums of money, is inimical to the president because the president has dared to try to do his duty the effect upon the popular mind will be extremely favorable to the Republican candidate.

During Senator Hanna's recent sojourn in New York city final efforts were made by men who represent great corporations and who are anxious to defeat President Roosevelt, to induce Mr. Hanna to make a stand for the Republican nomination. Mr. Hanna gave no encouragement to these people. To the contrary, he declined their proffers of help and declared that under no circumstances would he be a candidate against Mr. Roosevelt. It appears to be settled beyond peradventure that if the Rockefellers and Hills continue their determination to defeat President Roosevelt they will have to operate through the Democratic party and not within the Republican ranks.

First Lady of the Corps.
The Countess Marguerite Cassini as the niece of the dean of the diplomatic corps at Washington is to enjoy this season the delights of the first lady of the corps, a difficult position, which, though young, she is amply able to fill. Countess Marguerite Cassini is a countess in her own right, not by heredity, but by special grace of the czar, and a curious story is told of the manner in which she won her title. It was when Count Cassini had his fateful conference with Li Hung Chang at Peking, long before the Boxer trouble.



THE COUNTESS CASSINI.

The count's interpreter was away, for Li's call was unexpected, and as the Chinese statesman could not speak Russian and the Russian diplomat did not understand Chinese the conference came to a deadlock. The count's niece, who had picked up something of the Chinese language, stepped into the breach, and the affair was settled to the satisfaction of both parties. The Chinese empress loaded her with presents, the czar's government made a note of the service performed, and when there was a question a couple of years ago of the young lady's presence at Washington, where the count was then ambassador, the czar himself counseled her rivals by making her a countess.

A Woman's Complexion.

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PEOPLE OF THE DAY

Bryan in England.

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WILLIAM J. BRYAN.

the people on the streets when recognized, at the banquet board and in the highest official and judicial circles.

A London correspondent, writing of Mr. Bryan's visit to that city, says: "Bryan differs from the majority of American sightseers in London. He really wants to see and hear and does not care who knows that he is a tenderfoot in London. He questions everybody—tradesmen, policemen, cabbies and porters, as well as ambassadors and others of distinction. He pays all charges without objection and meets the tipping question without flinching, but he asks the cabmen all about themselves, their earnings, their history, and absorbs knowledge at every stage of his journeyings."

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WINE OF CARDUI

MAYOR OF A DEATH HOUSE

Powers of A. T. Patrick, a Prisoner at Sing Sing.

Albert T. Patrick, condemned for the murder of William M. Rice of New York, was re-elected mayor of the death-house in Sing Sing prison the other day, says the New York World. His second term of service is to begin from Jan. 1. There is absolutely no appeal from his rulings.

There are nine prisoners confined in the death house, but only eight votes were cast. Policeman William H. Ennis of Brooklyn, under sentence of death for wife murder, refused to participate in the balloting.

Patrick, being a lawyer, is looked upon by his fellow unfortunates as their proper leader. Not only has he prepared his own case for the court of appeals, but he has aided the other condemned men in their efforts to secure new trials. All questions of importance are referred to him, and he passes upon them just as a city magistrate would under other circumstances.

A chief executive of the death house is elected for one year, but in the event of the "removal" of the mayor another election is made necessary. Patrick's first term was what is commonly called an unexpired one. He succeeded Arthur Flanagan, who killed a keeper in the west side prison and who was put to death last spring. Even during Flanagan's administration Patrick was the chief adviser, and he prepared Flanagan's letters of appeal to Governor Odell. The appeals were so strong that Flanagan obtained two weeks' respite.

The powers of the mayor of the death house are great. If two of the inmates want to play checkers it is necessary for all the others to be quiet. In case the majority should object to a game the question is referred to the mayor, whose decision is final. Absolute silence is necessary, because the two persons playing do not see each other, nor can they play on one board. Each has a board marked on paper in his cell, and the moves are called off across the hall. It is the same with chess. Whistling concerts are indulged

in now and then, but only when the mayor permits. All matters of etiquette and all points of law are passed upon by him.

William Spencer, the negro who killed Superintendent Macfarlane of the Goddard society, was a candidate for mayor, but he withdrew from the race when he learned that Patrick had the majority with him. It is said that the election was made unanimous.

Miniver, a Child's Fur.

Miniver is the favorite fur for rich children, and one sees an endless array of miniver trimmed baby garments in Central park, New York. The fur is white and soft, and the cost is not great, says the New York Press. White fox is a finer fur, but is too expensive for general use. Miniver is known principally as the fur which peacocks of England use to trim coronation robes. It differs from ermine only in that the little black tails are absent.

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The Two Captains

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CHAPTER XXI.—Continued.

Crystal walked as far as the long-boat, which was chocked abait the galley or caboose, and nearly filled the space betwixt that sea kitchen and the mainhatch. Her proportions were gatheable, even by that light. She was a large, good boat, and the mate stood viewing her because he had a scheme sailing about in his brain as a wasp hums about a room.

"What's that?" suddenly yelled a man, springing to his feet and pointing into a corner of the dark sea about four points on the lee bow.

It was an effulgent scarlet cloud, with a slow motion of light in it as though it was wind-tossed.

The sea swept black to that dash of glowing gold, and Crystal, after steadfastly gazing, said, "It's a cloud reflecting the light of a ship on fire."

He walked to the skylight and sent his voice to the couple below in a stinging yell that instantly started Pope on to his legs.

"A ship on fire on the lee bow."

"I'm coming on deck," said Pope.

And in a few minutes he arrived with his telescope in one hand and Miss Laura's hand in the other.

"Ay, that's fire sure enough," said he. "See how it wavers. 'Tis a reflected light though," and he leveled his glass.

The lenses made it clear that a ves-

sal was burning hull down below the horizon, and that some large clouds hanging over the sea just there were bronzed by the flames.

"I am going below to get my supper," says Crystal, and he sank through the companionhatch.

"Put her off for that light," sings out Pope to the wheel. And then he bawled out for some men to round in on the weather mainbrace and trim for the light on the horizon.

Crystal came on deck out of the cabin. He had supped heartily and drank deeply. His temper was a little cooler; he had made up his mind, had matured his scheme, and felt sure of himself. He went to the rail, put his head over, and took a view of the burning sky under the bow.

"Johnny," says Pope, coming with Laura to his side, "your cousin suggests that yonder ship's the Alnwick Castle. If so, I'll burn my books, for after the Madre del deluge."

"Are ships so few that she should be the Alnwick Castle?" replied Crystal. "She's no big ship, that."

The vision of a hawk was lodged under Crystal's eyelids, and he never saw better than when he was well primed with liquor. He steadied the glass, and the lenses turned crimson in his eye.

"You can see her coming and going amid her fires," says he, in a raven tone. "Something with two masts; no West Indian, anyhow. What shall you do if you fall in with her people?"

"I shall want to know who they are," responded Pope, letting the glass drop from his eye. "She seems to be a schooner. She may prove a pirate. We don't want to enter any more pirates among us. They might rise and cut our throats, which would be hard luck."

In about half an hour from this time, for the breeze continued to gush very steadily, they could trace the outline of the vessel in her own flames with the naked eye. And now Pope's glass resolved her into a fine large schooner.

Another half hour passed; it was hard upon half an hour after nine. The vessel over the bows was still burning furiously; she was then perhaps a mile distant.

"We can do no good," says Pope. "Shift the helm for our course, Mr. Crystal, and brace to it."

"Let us draw a little closer," exclaimed Laura, "it is a marvelous sight."

All on a sudden a loud shout was raised by several voices forward.

"Look out for what's coming along."

"Jesus help me, if it ain't a woman swimming!"

"What's that she's got a-holding in her hand?"

"Oh!" shrieked Laura, "it is a black woman, and she is holding up her baby to us. Oh, save her! Oh, save her!"

The phosphor sheeted so plentifully

steadily pulsing his way with a vigorous right arm toward the brig.

He easily got into the boat, after handing his little black parcel over the gunwale. Scarce was he in, and even while the rowers were in the act of throwing their blades forward, when Pope standing up pointed to the water close alongside the boat, and his rich Irish voice rang to the brig:

"See that, Miss Crystal, and call it a narrow escape."

In the mystical sheen in the sea everybody could see a huge shark, one of the biggest of its kind; the demon floated with the boat to alongside the brig, and Pope, looking over the gunwale, saw the sparkles it made as it sank. In a minute or two he was on deck with the little black creature in his arms.

"Who will take charge of this?" said Pope, approaching Laura, as she came toward the gangway.

"Give me the child," she exclaimed. "Is it alive?"

"It is wet," he answered, "and as slippery as an eel."

"Give it to me," she repeated, and clasping the little black creature that was almost invisible, she went away to the companion and descended into the cabin.

Crystal went to the side, and gazed at the sheet-lightning in the sea, muttering to himself with many bad words.

CHAPTER XXII.

Pope's Death.

After breakfast the captain conducted Laura on deck, placed a chair for her in the shadow of the trysail, and put a few newspapers on the plank beside her. It was Crystal's watch below; and when the square man had finished his meal, he entered the berth to lie down and sleep.

"You have been so very kind to me, Captain Pope," said Laura, somewhat nervously, turning an unopened paper in her lap round and round, "that I should hate myself for asking you any question which might convey an idea of ingratitude."

"Do not talk so formally!" exclaimed Pope. "I love you; speak to me, dearest, as though you loved me in return."

She blushed and answered, "I have a father and mother. I have friends awaiting my arrival in England. It must sooner or later reach their ears that the Thetis was plundered and sunk by pirates, who carried me away in their ship. Will it be long before I am able to communicate with them, to let them know that I am safe?"

"Grant me time to fall in with the Alnwick Castle," answered Pope. "You know that you're to be my wife?"

"Oh, Captain Pope," she cried, with a sidelong look at the helmsman, who with Grindal just abait him, was not standing very far off, "you will first let me go home?"

"My dear girl—" He broke off.

He did not like so to represent himself as to make her consider that if she went home she would never see him more, because he was now going through life with a halter round his neck, and not even a love affair could court him into exposing himself in places where any hand might seize the trailing end of the rope and deliver it to John Ketch. He broke off with a slight flush that heightened his manly beauty, and said, bending low to her:

"Grant me time, my dearest girl. I love you with all the strength of my heart," he went on, in a low, soft voice, full of sweetness, "and if you do not love me with the same ardor, it is because you have not yet had time to perceive under the husk of a pirate, the nature and the character of a seaman and a gentleman."

Pope walked aft to Grindal, and the girl, hurriedly opened a newspaper, held it wide to conceal her burning cheeks.

"Grindal," says Pope, "go and tell Bobbin to lay aft and keep a lookout, and come you into my cabin, for I want to have a few words with you."

He then went below, and sat at the table in his cabin, and sank his head upon his hand and mused. Around him lay the spoils of the cruise so far as it had gone. Plenty of money was represented by the booty, but it was plenty for one or two only; when it came to dividing it into five-and-twenty or thirty portions, the worth of the plunder, per man, sank into insignificance.

Grindal knocked upon his door with a fist like a calking mallet. Pope bade him enter, and the boatswain stepped in.

"Sit you down," says Pope, "you are an old hand, and an honest man, and I want to have some talk with you."

The boatswain seated himself upon a locker, and rested his elbow upon a case of guineas. Pope threw a cigar across to him.

"I am going to take you into my confidence, Grindal," said the captain. "I am a little afraid that Mr. Crystal is no longer to be depended upon. He is troubled by his cousin, by the lady, being in this ship. I don't say his desire is to breed a mutiny, yet I allow his wish is to end this cruise soon, and go ashore in safety with his cousin."

"I've heard nothing of this," answered the boatswain, hoarsely.

"All the plunder we've got so far," said Pope, "is here. Cast your eyes over it, and you'll find it don't work out in value per head as it should."

The boatswain ran a blood-shot eye over several parcels.

"Now," continued Pope, speaking softly, "if Mr. Crystal's not satisfied, he's not of us, nor with us in spirit, and the sooner he goes the better."

"That's right enough!" said the boatswain.

"There's some of the crew," Pope went on, "as we could manage to do without. Not just yet—not until we fall in with that Indian man we're on the lookout for. Did you ever go a-slaving?"

"I've served in two slavers," answered Grindal. "There's more money to be made out of slaving than out of pirating."

"That's it!" exclaimed Pope, leaning forward, and with great animation striking the table with his fist, "listen now to me! My idea is to seize the Alnwick Castle, if we can meet with her; send her people adrift, and put Mr. Crystal aboard—along with as many more as you and I may agree upon."

"There's them men of the Thetis," said Grindal. "We'll call 'em five. Mr. Crystal is six. Now another seven or eight will reduce us to the number we want."

"Yes, I knew you would grasp my idea. With this twelve of a crew we go away for a port round the Horn, where we'll dispose of the booty, and where I mean to get married, and where I mean to settle my wife in a little home, till I've completed the fortune I must possess in order to live like a gentleman without anxiety."

After a spell of rest we will lay in a cargo for the nigger market, and I tell you what, Grindal, if—but I've no doubt of it—if I find ye a thoroughly sound, honest, trustworthy man, then if my first slaving voyage pays me, I'll return to this brig to you for another slaving jaunt, and half the money you earn shall be yours, and I'll make you a present of the brig when I have got what I need out of her. How d'ye like it?"

"Oh," answers Grindal, whose smile was deep and increasing while Pope talked, "it ain't often such an opportunity falls in the way of the like of me. I'm yer man, sir, to the heart of me," he added, with a great oath.

At nine o'clock Pope brought Laura up on deck to take the air with her.

"I wish," said Pope, "that I could cut a more heroic figure in your eyes in this adventure. I do not like that your pure lovely heart should associate me with so degrading an idea as plunder. God knows that I would restore every penny I have taken, and intend to take, if I knew how to come by a like sum honestly."

"How," continued he, "am I to maintain you as the lady you were born to be?"

"Oh, Captain Pope, you must not talk of maintaining me," and her voice sounded as though she was coloring vehemently, and as though her breathing were a little oppressed.

"You have promised to be my wife, Laura," said he.

"No, I have not promised you that, not yet. I must get home first, I must introduce you to my father and mother," she faltered.

(To Be Continued.)

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Find the boy who is coming for water.

MORE ARRESTS AT GRAND RAPIDS

Warrants Are Issued for Seven Men Implicated by Salsbury.

CHANGES TESTIMONY IN COURT

Former City Attorney Alters His Evidence Regarding Details and Dates, Saying He Offered Mr. Conger \$10,000 Instead of \$20,000.

Grand Rapids, Mich., special: Warrants for the arrest of seven more prominent citizens of Grand Rapids in connection with the water scandal have been signed by Police Justice Haggerty. All seven men are implicated by the confession and testimony of Lant K. Salsbury. An eighth warrant will be issued. The warrants call for the arrest of the following men:

Charles S. Burch, manager of the Grand Rapids Evening Press; accused of conspiracy.

Eugene D. Conger, manager of the Grand Rapids Herald, accused of conspiracy.

Isaac F. Lamoreaux, former city clerk, accused of conspiracy.

William F. McKnight, attorney, who was Democratic candidate for attorney general in 1902; charged with attempting subornation of perjury.

George E. Nichols, Ionia, Mich., ex-state senator and attorney at law; charged with perjury.

J. Russell Thompson, former reporter for the Grand Rapids Evening Press; accused of conspiracy.

J. Clark Sproat, former manager of the defunct Grand Rapids Democrat; accused of conspiracy.

Salsbury is Accuser.

The warrants were issued on the complaint of Prosecutor Brown, based on the testimony of ex-City Attorney Lant K. Salsbury.

Salsbury swears that he gave Burch \$5,000, Sproat \$17,500, Conger \$10,000, Thomson \$500 and Lamoreaux \$1,500 of a \$100,000 boodle fund placed in his hands by H. A. Taylor, a New York capitalist, to procure a contract with the city.

William F. McKnight is charged with attempting to suborn F. H. Garman, one of the people's witnesses, to swear falsely in the trial of Salsbury in November, 1901, when the latter was convicted in the Superior court of accepting a bribe in connection with the water deal.

The warrant against Nicholas charges him with perjury alleged to have been committed Nov. 29, 1901, when he was a witness in the Salsbury case. At that time he was questioned relative to the alleged attempt to bribe F. H. Garman, and swore in denial of the entire story of Garman.

The issuance of these and other warrants has been expected for more than a week. The delay caused intimations to be made that the prosecutor was being influenced to such an extent that he dare not proceed as he would like to. Relative to this, Prosecutor Brown said:

"Any such intimation is absolutely false and without any foundation. Since Salsbury first came home from Detroit neither myself nor Mr. Ward, my assistant, has been approached by a single person with even the slightest suggestion of influence, intimidation, or appeal."

The reading of the stenographic report.

City Marshal Loses Reason.

Bedford, Ind., special: City Marshal Frank M. Russell was found sitting on the Southern Indiana trestle, near town, laboring under the impression that he had killed his best friend, F. T. Sherwood, a merchant.

Plans Wholesale Murder.

San Francisco special: Amos Hercules, who murdered a fellow employee was confessed that he was planning to kill seven of the other workmen. He said that the men had taunted him.

Commendable Enterprise.

Oskaloosa, Iowa, dispatch: A fire destroyed the store of the Hocking Coal company in this city, causing a loss of \$40,000. The company secured another building, and with a new stock started business.

Contractor Drops Dead.

Hammond, Ind., dispatch: Samuel Shade, a contractor, dropped dead in a buffet while calling for a drink of whiskey. The verdict of the coroner's inquest was cerebral hemorrhages.

port of Salsbury's testimony given in the examination of Senator Burns a week ago took up almost the entire day in police court. Salsbury was on the stand during the reading.

In his testimony Mr. Salsbury changed some of his previous statements regarding details and dates. He said:

"I did not pay Mr. Conger until after election. My impression is that I paid him about the last of November or the first of December. I also desire to correct the statement that I first offered Mr. Conger \$20,000 of bonds. My impression is that I offered him \$10,000 of bonds at first. Later he said he would not accept any bonds and would not accept anything less than \$20,000. He was to lay still two or three weeks."

DEATH OF HERBERT SPENCER

British Philosopher and Author Expires at His Brighton Home.

London cable: Herbert Spencer, the famous philosopher and author, the friend of Darwin, Huxley and Tyndall, died Dec. 8, at his home in Brighton, aged 83. His health had been failing for some months. He passed away without pain. By his own desire the least possible information was given out during his illness.

The newspapers all published long appreciations and anecdotes of Mr. Spencer, whom they universally describe as the "last of the great thinkers of the Victorian age."

Mr. Spencer was a bachelor. He lived for many years as a boarder in various establishments, but in 1889 he took a house in the neighborhood of Regent's park, London, where he resided for several years. About 1897 he removed to Brighton. In his old age his mind remained as brilliant as ever.

He frequently accused me of being stingy and mean, and that I never gave her anything, so for once, I want to have it said that she has money to burn."—Philadelphia Ledger.

NEGRO IS RESCUED FROM MOB

Fatally Wounds a White Man and Is Arrested at East St. Louis.

East St. Louis, Ill., special: Joe Irwin, a negro, aged 32 years, narrowly escaped violent treatment at the hands of a mob in East St. Louis, following the shooting by Irwin of Edward Lawson, a white man, aged 30 years, whose home is in Mount Vernon, Ill. Two hundred persons were in the crowd that gathered after the shooting, but quick work by the policemen saved the negro and landed him unharmed in the East St. Louis police station. Lawson is not expected to live. It is charged that Irwin attempted to hold up some men congregated in a saloon and all ran excepting Lawson, who resisted and was shot.

MEN AND WOMEN SHOT IN RIOT

Several Seriously Wounded by Bullets and Knives at Caledonia, Ind.

Sullivan, Ind., special: In a general riot at Caledonia, a mining town near here, two men and two women were seriously injured and several others were slightly hurt. William Pittman during the row shot Mrs. Harry Blue, whose husband then fired at Pittman, three shots taking effect, and Robert Browning cut Gilbert Lelwelyn's neck. Mrs. Roy Dickerson, who quarreled with Peter Stevenson, was badly beaten. All of the persons concerned are miners or wives of miners. No arrests were made.

Vessel Is Cut in Two.

Seattle, Wash., special: The steamer Flyer, plying between Seattle and Tacoma, was almost cut in two in a fog by the steamer Belingham. The passengers were rescued by the cutter Manning. The Flyer went adrift and crashed into several anchored vessels.

Often Comes From Lack of Right Food.

Napoleon said that the best fed soldiers were his best soldiers, for fear and nervousness come quickly when the stomach is not nourished. Nervous fear is a sure sign that the body is not supplied with the right food.

A Connecticut lady says: "For many years I had been a sufferer from indigestion and heart trouble and in almost constant fear of sudden death, the most acute suffering possible. Dieting brought on weakness, emaciation and nervous exhaustion and I was a complete wreck physically and almost a wreck mentally."

"I tried many foods, but could not avoid the terrible nausea followed by vomiting that came after eating until I tried Grape-Nuts. This food agreed with my palate and stomach from the start. This was about a year ago. Steadily and surely a change from sickness to health came until now I have no symptoms of dyspepsia and can walk 10 miles a day without being greatly fatigued. I have not taken a drop of medicine since I began the use of Grape-Nuts and people say I look many years younger than I really am."

"My poor old sick body has been made over and I feel as though my head had been too. Life is worth living now and I expect to enjoy it for many years to come if I can keep away from bad foods and have Grape-Nuts." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason.

Look in each package for a copy of the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contains Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when introduced through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials in free booklet. Sold by Druggists. Price 75c per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Buying Christmas Gifts.

Country Life in America in its Christmas Annual, has gone to the trouble to make a list of Christmas presents one may give; from those costing nothing to obtain or to make, suitable articles are listed separately costing from five, ten, fifteen and twenty-five cents up to five dollars and more, and it is intended to be an aid to those who have not made up their minds what gifts to select.

Semi-Monthly Excursion Via Big Four and Chesapeake and Ohio Rys. to most all points in Virginia, North and South Carolina and Florida, on first and third Tuesdays of each month. Rate, one fare plus \$2.00 round trip. Inquire of Big Four Ticket Office or I. P. Spining, N. W. P. A., 238 So. Clark, Chicago.

"What To Eat," contains not only recipes, suggestions for dainty palatable preparation of foods, but reliable health articles, table stories, jests, poems, clever toasts and many original ideas for entertaining.

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A diplomat is a man who pretends that the other fellow's way is his when he can't have his own.

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Mrs. Austin's Quick raising buckwheat makes tender, crispy, brown cakes. Your grocer can tell you all about it.

Pessimists thrive on disappointments.

Eleventh Hour Repentance.

It was in a Massachusetts town, relates Senator Depew. Mr. Blank's mother-in-law had just died, and the funeral was to be the following day. Late in the afternoon one of the friends, taking a last look at the deceased, was surprised to see a \$10 bill inside the casket. Shortly afterward Mr. Blank was interviewed and, when asked if he could account for the presence of the money in the casket, he replied:

"She frequently accused me of being stingy and mean, and that I never gave her anything, so for once, I want to have it said that she has money to burn."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Truly Unfortunate.

A very charming foreign actress, who has not been fortunate in her marriage, was at Washington not long ago, and meeting an old friend, made sundry inquiries concerning the welfare of their common acquaintances.

"How ees A?" asked the actress.

"A? Oh, he died about a year ago."

"And how ees B?"

"B? Why, didn't you know? He has been dead these three years."

"Has he, cendeed! And zat good C, how ees he?"

"Poor C! He died last month."

"Ah!" said the lady sadly, "everybody dies—everybody dies—except" (with deeper melancholy)—"mine husband!"

ABOUT FEAR

The Social Duties of a President's Wife.

That the position of President's wife is no sinecure, any one will be convinced, after reading Mrs. Abby G. Baker's article in December Pearson's. She is hedged about with a wall of precedents, and bound by a social code as immutable as the laws of the Medes and Persians. A tactless woman can do much to jeopardize her husband's interests in the White House, while a tactful wife may be of inestimable assistance. Mr. Baker gives an interesting account of Mrs. Roosevelt's charming hospitality, and of the close co-operation between her and the ladies of her Cabinet.

Hygiene of Perfumes.

Perfumes are not selected for their hygienic value, but such they have. Doctors tell us that a handkerchief may be made antiseptic by the use of perfume. The action of the spirit of the scent and the essential oils can destroy the germs. Lavender is supposed to soothe the nerves; that is why the bed linen is lavender scented. Jasmine induces nerve exhaustion and depression. Don't use strong scent; use delicate, clean perfumes only.

"The Web," by Frederick Trevor Hill, is the story of a lawyer, a big hearted man, who stands out clearly against the tangled background of shifts, evasions, trickery, political "pull" and absolute dishonesty which sometimes complicate modern legal procedure. It is altogether a strong novel and is considered a great advance over his former work.

Mrs. Stevenson's Literary Ability. The letters of Mrs. Stevenson, the mother of the novelist, have lately been published in London and have been highly praised. They seem to confirm the view which has often been expressed that Stevenson inherited much of his literary talent from his mother.

"Marjole of the Lower Ranch," by Frances Parker, is a story written by a real ranch girl, who has woven into her breezy Western romance pictures of ranch life from the viewpoint of a girl who has lived on Montana ranches from childhood. The adventures of Marjole, the heroine, will hold the reader from start to finish.

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Explained.

"I actually saw Col. Bluecock anxious to leave a saloon to-day." "The place must have been on fire." "No; it was his treat."

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MITCHELL INTERVIEWS COLORADO GOVERNOR

No Understanding Regarding Settlement of the Strike, But Both Are Pleased.

Denver, Colo., special: At a conference between President Mitchell and Governor Peabody it was learned that no understanding was reached, and the settlement of the strike is as far distant as ever. Mr. Mitchell informed the governor that the strike would continue to the bitter end, and the governor just as positively informed the strike leader that he would tolerate no violence, but would order out the troops at the first provocation.

While the conference came to naught, both Governor Peabody and President Mitchell expressed themselves as pleased with the interview, each saying he had secured a better conception of the position of the other. Mr. Mitchell refused to discuss the conference other than to say his talk was very pleasant. After the conference he left for Chicago to attend a conference there in the interest of the Illinois miners. As to his return to Colorado he is undecided.

Speaking of his talk with Mr. Mitchell, Governor Peabody said:

"The conference was very pleasant, although productive of no result. At its conclusion President Mitchell stated that so far as he could see there was no immediate probability of a settlement of the strike."

The governor added that when he asked President Mitchell if he had any suggestion to make the latter said he believed if a committee of the miners could meet with the operators and talk over the situation a settlement might be effected.

TWO BOYS TO ONE GIRL IS KANSAS' BIRTH RATE

Two-Thirds of the New Arrivals Are of the Male Sex and Superstitious Predict War.

Leavenworth, Kan., special: "Prof. Schenck outdone." That is what physicians in the Missouri valley are saying in regard to the climate of Kansas, and especially Leavenworth county. Within the last six months over two-thirds of the births reported to the secretary of the board of health have been boys and one physician, Dr. R. L. Igel, reports that out of twenty confinement cases he has been called upon to attend nineteen of them have been boys. The birth of a girl is so unusual as to create comment.

What the cause of this strange situation is no one knows. The old colored women who claim to be able to solve all mysteries say: "It means wah. Befoah these children are 21 years old this country will have wah."

Even the white population have been heard to express the same opinion.

It may be the climate, but whatever it is Leavenworth county people are considering the advisability of sending an invitation to the czar and czarina of Russia to come here and visit for a little while. Then perhaps the czar's hopes may be realized.

SLAY MAN FOR RESCUING GIRL

St. Louis Laborer Aids Women in Distress and Meets Death.

St. Louis, Mo., special: Lawrence Fahle, a laborer, was stabbed and instantly killed by one of a number of drunken Italians on King's highway. The Italians had two young women in custody who screamed for assistance as Fahle and Mathew Walsh approached. The young women were rescued, but in the fight Fahle was stabbed. The police have arrested an unknown Italian on suspicion.

LATEST CASH MARKET REPORT

WHEAT. Chicago—No. 2 red, 84¢/85¢. New York—No. 2 red, 83¢. St. Louis—No. 2 red, 81¢. Kansas City—No. 2 hard, 79¢/80¢. Milwaukee—No. 1 northern, 82¢/83¢. Minneapolis—No. 1 northern, 81¢. Duluth—No. 1 northern, 80¢/81¢. CORN. Chicago—No. 2, 42¢/43¢. New York—No. 2, 41¢/42¢. St. Louis—No. 2, 40¢. Kansas City—No. 2 mixed, 39¢/39½¢. Peoria—No. 3, 42¢. OATS. Chicago—Standard, 37¢/38¢. New York—No. 2, 41¢/42¢. St. Louis—No. 2, 36¢. Kansas City—No. 2 white, 36¢/36½¢. CATTLE. Chicago—\$1.75¢/1.76¢. St. Louis—\$2.20¢/2.21¢. Kansas City—\$2.00¢/2.01¢. Omaha—\$1.50¢/1.51¢. HOGS. Chicago—\$4.10¢/4.11¢. St. Louis—\$4.20¢/4.21¢. Kansas City—\$4.40¢/4.41¢. Omaha—\$3.20¢/3.21¢. SHEEP AND LAMBS. Chicago—\$2.65¢/2.66¢. Kansas City—\$2.75¢/2.76¢. St. Louis—\$2.65¢/2.66¢. Omaha—\$2.65¢.

Windfall for Poor Lawyer. Vienna cable: Luis Petrik, a lawyer of Nagyvasad, Hungary, who is in reduced circumstances, has been informed by the Austrian ambassador at Berlin that a kinsman, a Berlin banker, has just died, leaving a fortune of \$12,000,000, of which Petrik is the principal legatee.

Paper Mills Resume.

Saratoga, N. Y., special: Operations are being resumed at the mills of the International Paper company. The mills are situated at Corinth, Fort Edward, Glen Falls and elsewhere and employ 10,000 men.

Woman Factory Inspector.

Springfield, Ill., dispatch: Announcement has been made of the appointment of Mrs. Winnie M. Grissey, 317 Warren avenue, Chicago, to be a deputy factory inspector.

New York's "Diamond Rooms."

Only men and women who want to purchase an expensive set of jewels, say \$10,000 worth or upward, get a glimpse of the "diamond rooms," as they are called, in the big New York jewelers' shops. Gems worth less than that usually are kept in show-cases and examined in trays at the counters. But if a customer wants to make a larger purchase, a diamond necklace with pearl pendant, worth from \$40,000 to \$50,000, for instance, he is shown into a parlor where he can examine the jewels more at his leisure and see the salesman weigh them on the most carefully balanced scales. These parlors, as a rule, are luxuriously but simply furnished, and are convenient to the safes.

It is not an unusual thing at this season of the year for a salesman in a well established store to make three or four sales a day, ranging from \$12,000 to \$30,000. A man selecting a scarfpin in a fashionable jeweler's the other day heard one salesman ask another:

"Much doing?" And the reply was: "Rather slow. Only forty-two thousand for me, and all in one sale."

Bright's Disease Cured.

Whitehall, Ill., Dec. 7.—A case has been recorded in this place recently, which upsets the theory of many physicians that Bright's Disease is incurable. It is the case of Mr. Lon Manley, whom the doctors told that he could never recover. Mr. Manley tells the story of his case and how he was cured in this way:

"I began using Dodd's Kidney Pills after the doctors had given me up. For four or five years I had Kidney, Stomach and Liver Troubles; I was a general wreck and at times I would get down with my back so bad that I could not turn myself in bed for three or four days at a time.

"I had several doctors and at last they told me I had Bright's Disease, and that I could never get well. I commenced to use Dodd's Kidney Pills and I am now able to do all my work and am all right. I most heartily recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills and am very thankful for the cure they worked in my case. They saved my life after the doctors had given me up."

Prefer American Plows.

In Castile, Spain, agriculturists having made practical experiments, prefer American to English implements, though the latter have been most profusely offered. The agriculturists, noting that American machinery is better fitted for the uses for which it was intended, though not considered so strong as the English, give it the preference, as it requires less power to work it—a most decisive reason in this country, forced to rely on animal motive power.

A great writer once said there never lived a man or woman who had not at some time been tempted to moral suicide. Of such temptations Miss Mildred Champagne has written in "Love Stories From Real Life." She brings us face to face with problems that the average man and woman encounter and works out these problems in a manner that cannot fail to satisfy all.

"Ballads of the Busy Days," by S. E. Kiser, is a collection of one hundred poems, representing the best work of this well-known poet. Many of them are humorous, some of them have a delicate vein of pathos that makes a sure appeal to the heart, and all possess that charming human quality which has made Mr. Kiser's verses widely popular.

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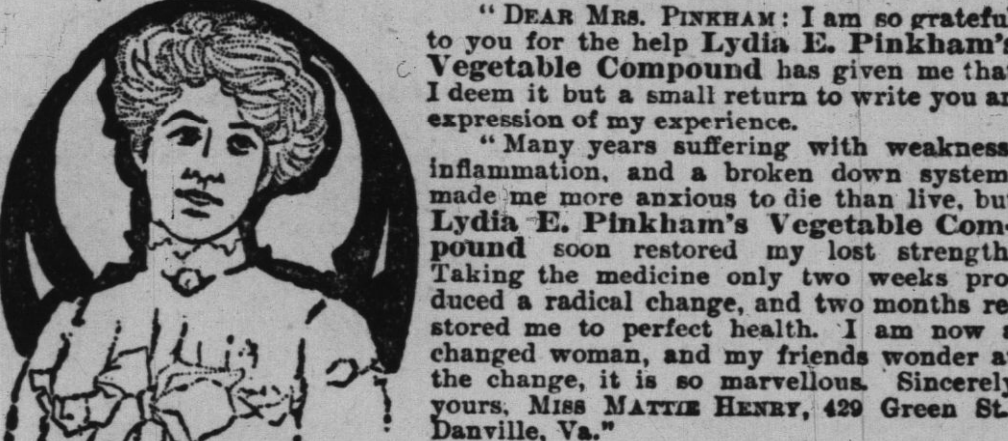


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BARRINGTON LOCAL NEWS NOTES

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1903.

Mrs. Paul Miller visited with friends in Chicago Tuesday.

Vanity is the only intellectual enjoyment of some women.

The December term of the Circuit court is in session at Waukegan.

Rev. Father Quinn of Woodstock was among his parishioners here Tuesday.

Henry Reinhoff is serving on the petit jury in the circuit court this week.

Mrs. James Sizer is making a protracted visit with her children in Chicago and Oak Park.

Ray Frabrisch who has been confined to his home by illness for sometime is reported as gaining.

Dowie is said to be worth \$10,000,000 and he has been here ten years. Evidently the Elijah business is profitable enough.

George W. Spinner has been confined to his home by illness for some days past, but is now able to resume his work.

The county board of supervisors of Lake county met in regular session this week and adjourned over yesterday account of the special election.

Merchants who have bargains to offer for the holiday trade will find it to their advantage to advertise the same in the columns of The Review.

A Long Island man was sent to jail for kissing a school teacher, but the average small boy will think that he had had sufficient punishment before.

At the meeting of the executive committee of the Illinois Press association it was decided to hold the annual convention in Galesburg Feb. 16, 17 and 18.

All members of Barrington Lodge 856 I. O. O. F. are requested to meet at their hall this evening at 6 o'clock to go to Waukegan to attend meeting of fraternal circle.

William Spinner returned from Des Moines, Iowa Tuesday, where he was transacting business for the Chicago Excavating company. The contract the company secured there he sublet to other parties.

A subscriber drops us a postal card and calls attention to a typographical error in an item contributed. A typographical error is a hard thing to find in the proof, but in the printed and complete paper it looms up like a fat lady in a group of vegetarians.

Humanity is sociability. No one lives unto himself. All are more or less dependent on some one else, not only for the physical wants our bodies must have, but for the companionship—the exchange of sympathetic thought and feeling.

We heard a public speaker say the other day that he always takes a Democratic and a Republican paper, so that he can get both sides of a question. This strikes us as a good idea. When every citizen feels it his duty to do this, editors will begin to come in to their own.

The unfortunate wife who told the divorce court that her husband knocked her teeth out because the pepper was not in its usual place on the table ought to have given him the whole bottle at each meal. As most pepper is ground old shoe leather, frequent doses of it might have calmed his temper.

Henry M. Pratt has sold the greater part of his interest in The Dundee Hawkeye to F. E. Holmes of Richmond, formerly editor of The Gazette who takes possession Jan. 4. Mr. Pratt contemplates moving to southern California, where he hopes for an improvement in his health.

You can scarcely pick up the Sunday edition of any metropolitan journal and glance through certain of its items without finding things nauseating in the extreme. People of immoral character will take advantage of the newspaper to get into its columns, with their licentious suggestion and intimations and then through the paper thrust their iniquities before children and young people to their lasting injury. Such things ought to be eschewed by the newspaper.

The Thursday club met this week at the home of Mrs. Thorpe on Grove ave. The regular program was given and the "paper" was read by Mrs. Alverson. The discussion this week was apropos to the spirit of the times "Reformation social and religious with its

influence upon the future." After the close of the discussion the club as a guest was invited to the dining room, here a veritable feast was served for one seldom sees such a variety of delicious dishes as was prepared by this accommodating hostess. The club will be entertained next week by Mrs. John Robertson.

The Women's Missionary society of the Salem church held its annual meeting at the home of Mrs. S. Giesk last week Thursday. The officers made their reports. The treasury report showed a nice balance on hand. The new officers elected for the ensuing year are: President, Mrs. B. H. Sott; Vice President, Mrs. A. H. Bohmer; Secretary, Mrs. Hannah Sott; Treasurer, Mrs. F. Plagge.

On Thursday evening Henry A. Landwer and Anna E. Grabenkert embarked together on the sea of matrimonial life. Rev. J. G. Fidler spoke the words which made the two one. The groom is the second son of B. H. Landwer, one of the early settlers of this section of country; the bride is the youngest daughter of Mrs. W. Grabenkert of Cuba township. Both these young people are well known and enjoy the esteem of the people. They will settle down on the old Landwer homestead adjoining the town. Their many friends wish them a long and happy journey of life.

Court of Honor Election.

Barrington District Court of Honor held its annual election of officers at the regular session held Tuesday evening. The following were chosen: Chancellor—H. S. Meier. Vice-Chancellor—S. J. Palmer. Recorder—John C. Plagge. Chaplain—Mrs. Larua A. Hawley. Conductor—E. K. Magee. Guard—C. F. Page. Sentinel—Wm. C. Meyer. Director for three years—Lyman A. Powers.

Installation will be held at the regular meeting, second Tuesday in January.

Evangelist Buigin will preach next Sunday morning in the M. E. Church, account of Sacramental services in the Salem church; Prof. Gates will lead the singing, and the public is cordially invited to be present.

Life in the Orient.

Dr. J. R. Reitzel delivered a lecture in the village hall Saturday evening, the second of a course given under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. His subject was "Life in the Orient."

A fair audience listened to the gentlemen tell of incidents and perils of travel among the Turks, Arabs and Moors. The lecture was very interesting, devoid of the usual statistics, but made up of personal experiences.

Lounsbury Lodge Elects Officers.

Lounsbury Lodge A. F. & A. M., at a regular meeting held last Saturday evening, elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

W. M.—Carl Ernst.
S. W.—A. L. Robertson.
J. W.—E. F. Wichman.
Secretary—A. L. Ulitsch.
Treasurer—E. M. Blocks.

Installation will be held tomorrow night at which time Worshipful Master Ernst will name the deacons and Tyler.

The trustees of the village of Antioch have ordered time clocks purchased and put up in the village to keep tab on the night watchman. There are other villages in this section that could adapt that plan with good results. Private concerns keep tab on time of employes and why not incorporated villages demand just as good service as private concerns?

Bank May Reopen.

If present plans are executed the First National bank of Dundee will be reorganized and opened for business after the first of the year. The following schedule will give outsiders an idea of the conditions at the bank: Bad loans, cost of receivership and amount of defalcation, \$80,000; liability on Wright's bond, \$20,000; stockholder's liability, \$50,000; amount to be taken care of by certain stockholders, \$10,000; value of bank property \$12,000 new stock subscribed, \$6,000. Money for the reorganization is offered from many quarters.

The newspaper is indispensable to the individual, the domestic, the social, the commercial, the political and religious life of the community. It has long since ceased to be a luxury—it is an absolute necessity. No man no home, no business, no school, no church and no school of politics can well exist, much less make progress, without the co-operation of the newspaper. It is read, practically, by all classes of people.

Drop your new items in THE REVIEW box near Flowers' store. We ask that all such items be signed, not for publication, but as an evidence of good faith.

Many a man who claims to be a gentleman doesn't work at it.

ENTERED INTO REST.

George Jackson, Pioneer of Barrington Township and Oldest Person in Village Passes Away.

Father Jackson, a familiar figure to the people of this section has passed to a home not made by hands, eternal in the heavens. For 95 years he had traveled life's pathway, the greater portion of those years having been passed in this vicinity. He was remarkably active for one who had advanced to such a grand old age, and until the severe weather set in was about on the streets occasionally.

Father Jackson retained his faculties up to the time of passing away, and showed deep interest in all current events. His death occurred at 5:45 this morning and was not the result of any disease, but the general wearing away of the physical.

George Jackson enjoyed the distinction of being the oldest person in the village. Born in Onondaga county New York, July 21, 1809, he was in his 95th year at time of death. He came to Illinois in 1842 and settled at Spring Lake, town of Barrington on a farm. He resided there until about 30 years ago when he moved to this village. Surviving him are a widow, aged 90 years; one son, Geo. N. Jackson, who resides on the old homestead at Spring Lake, and a daughter, Mrs. Catherine A. DeVol of this village.

The funeral will take place from the residence on Cottage Grove ave., Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, interment in Spring Lake cemetery.

DORCAS SOCIETY BAZAAR

Liberal Patronized and a Neat Sum Turned Into Church Fund.

The bazaar and supper given by the Dorcas society in the parlors of the Baptist church, Wednesday afternoon and evening, was well attended despite the fact that the weather was unfavorable and union revival services in progress.

Ere large number of necessary articles offered for sale at the booths were readily disposed of at good prices.

The supper was in charge of the senior members of the society, as was also a department containing many useful articles for the housewife, the department being in charge of Mesdames Kendall, Grunau and A. L. Robertson.

The junior branch of the society proved of valuable assistance to the success of the affair. For two months and more the young ladies had worked persistently in preparing useful and fancy articles which were placed on sale in a department presided over by Misses Jeannette Thorpe, Florence Jahnke, Mamie Morrison, Lizzie Brandt and Laura French, who proved competent salesladies, the receipts of their department amounting to over \$20.

The candy department was the sweetest spot in the parlors and was conducted by Misses Cora Jahnke, Florence Peck and Mabel Banks. The department was liberally patronized.

The funds realized, over \$60, will be used in purchasing furnishings for the auditorium of the church.

Don't Take Chances.

Bachelors should be awakened to the touch. Next year is leap year. Forewarned is forearmed. The question is: Will you pop now and get you ultimatum from the one of your choice, or wait until after January 1 to be popped to and take your chances? Two of the maiden ladies who each vow to get a man this leap year or bust a toga band, are the old girls who always lots down her folding bed to look under it in the hope of finding a man there, and the antiquated Nancy who is credited with saying, "Oh, Lord, anything." If you hesitate and allow yourself to become common prey, one of the archaic specimens may insist on warming her feet against your vertebrae the rest of your natural nights. Thus, is repeated the admonition, be warned in time.

A Dog in the Sanctuary.

A Chicago daily tells of a "Sunday school Vaudeville" held lately at the St. James M. E. church on Ellis Avenue and Forty Sixth street. The Rev. Camden M. Coburn is pastor of the church and he believes that "many were present who were not members of the Sunday School" to witness a dog in the pulpit. It was a trained dog named Buzzle, whose specialty was answering all questions about the bible asked by the children. The only condition was that the questions should be susceptible to "yes" or "no" or involve figures. That any more irreverent and idiotic use could be made of a Sunday School is difficult to believe.

A Handsome Number.

The Christmas number of the Western Publisher has reached our table; and although the magazine is always handsome typographically and well-filled with matter beneficial to the craft, the holiday edition is a beauty and a joy forever. Brother Williams produces the best journal for country newspaper makers, sent out in America. Its contents educate the reader.

Eureka belt oil—just the thing for belts. Sold by Lamey & Co.

Christmas Values.

We have more goods, better goods and at lower prices than ever before. Special attention has been given to the latest Christmas novelties.

DESIRABLE AND USEFUL GIFTS FOR LADIES.

Fancy Plates 10 and 19c; Water Sets—pitcher and 6 glasses—98c; Comb Trays 15 and 25c; Decorated Fruit Dishes 49c to \$1.19; large size Parlor Lamps, with fancy globes, 69c, 98c to \$1.49; Silver Plated Knife and Fork sets \$1.39; Butter Knife and Sugar Spoon set, special value, 29c; Handsome Photo Albums, hinge leaves and decorated covers, 49c and 98c; Electric Seal Scarfs 69c, 87c, \$1.29; 80 in. Marten Boas, in three styles, \$5.69; Full-size Collarettes 98c, \$1.19; Fancy Handkerchiefs, 5c, 10c, 15c, 35c. Guaranteed kid gloves 95c; Fancy house slippers 79c, 98c, \$1.29; All wool 35x72 Smyrna Rugs \$1.68; Extra size Towels with fancy fringe, 15c and 29c; Steel Beaded Chatelaine Bags 79c; Books, hundreds of titles, at lowest prices. Fascinators 15c, 35c 48c.

GIFTS TO PLEASE MEN.

Good quality embroidered velvet slippers 49c; Heavy plush lined gloves or mittens 69c; Fancy quilted mufflers 25c, 49c, 98c; Extra size white silk handkerchiefs 49c; Fancy, kid end suspenders 15c, 25c and 48c; Men's fine fine kid and alligator slippers 98c, \$1.29; Fancy coffee cup 25c to 49c; Old German beer mugs 49c, 89c; Decorated set of glasses 89c; Men's holiday neck wear 5c, 10c, 25c.

FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

Nineteen inch, full kid body, sleeping dolls 69c; 21 piece crockery sets 29c; 12 piece sets 10c; Unbreakable iron toys, wagons, hose carts, fire engines, etc., 25c, 49c; Large size, four wheel carts 25c; Iron wagons, large size, 89c, \$1.19, \$1.75; Large size ten pins 65c; Tool chests 22c, 49c; Repeating air rifles 87c; Genuine 22 cal. rifle \$6.33; Good sized 2 wheel carts 10c; 14 inch kid dolls 19c; Dressed dolls 12c, 29c, 49c, 98c; Iron motor boats 49c; New flying machines 22c; Dragon and bird whistles 1c; Games—all kinds Lotto, Anagrams, Old Maid, Race, Tom Piper, etc. Little Jugs and dolls, 1c; Rocking horse shoo flies 49 and 98c.

THINGS TO WEAR.

Special prices on Cloaks, Jackets, Men's Overcoats, Fur coats, etc. Enjoy the Christmas time with us and get the bargains which we offer.

C. F. HALL CO., Dundee, Ill.

What Can a Woman Do

to make money at home? Write the Taxis Toilet Co., 6335 Madison avenue, Chicago, and they will tell you. They are going to open up an agency for their well known toilet preparations and fruit flavorings in Barrington. They want a responsible woman to take charge of the work. They will do extensive advertising in this paper and will give away several hundred free samples to establish the trade. This company does business on the only right plan. They guarantee absolutely every dollar's worth of goods they sell or money refunded. Their special Christmas boxes for holiday presents are big sellers. Sign the "good letter" in another column, mail it to them to-day and they will do the rest.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

Methodist Episcopal.

Rev. W. H. Tuttle, Pastor. Services held each Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 11:45.

Baptist.

Rev. J. C. Garth, Pastor. Preaching each Sunday at 10:30 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.

Salem Evangelical.

Sunday services at 10:30 and 7:45 every Sunday. Sunday school at 9:15. Junior meeting Monday at 7:30. Young People's meeting Tuesday at 7:45. The Monday and Tuesday meetings are conducted in English. Rev. J. C. Fidler Pastor.

Zion Evangelical.

Rev. Wm. Klingbell, Pastor. Services each Sunday. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. Young People's meeting at 7:30 p. m. Evening services at 8 o'clock.

St. Ann's Catholic.

Rev. Father Quinn, Pastor. Regular service the first Sunday and third Saturday in each month. Sunday school every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran.

Rev. G. A. Stanger, Pastor. Services each Sabbath morning at 10:30 o'clock, Sabbath school at 9:20.

FRATERNAL SOCIETIES.

LOUNSBURY LODGE, No. 751, A. F. & A. M., meets second and fourth Saturday evenings at Masonic hall.

BARRINGTON LODGE, No. 856, I. O. O. F., meets every Thursday evening at Odd Fellows' hall.

BARRINGTON CAMP, No. 802, M. W. A., meets first and third Tuesday evenings at Masonic hall.

BARRINGTON COURT, No. 373, COURT OF HONOR, meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday evenings at Odd Fellows' hall.

BARRINGTON GARRISON, No. 127, K. of G., meets second and fourth Monday evenings at Sott's hall.

MAYFLOWER CAMP, No. 2582, R. N. A., meets first and third Monday evenings at Masonic hall.

LOUNSBURY CHAPTER, No. 494, ORDER EASTERN STAR, meets first and third Friday evenings at Masonic hall.

BARRINGTON LODGE No. 420, MYSTIC WORKERS OF THE WORLD, meets second and fourth Saturday at Odd Fellows' hall.

Christmas Goods.

We shall place on sale about Wednesday a large and complete line of pretty Chinaware that will make handsome Christmas gifts.

Dolls, Books, Games, at 5, 10, 15 up to 25 cents.

A large assortment and latest styles of fine

Handkerchiefs at 5, 8, 10, 15 and 20 cents up,

Among specialties in our new stock is a line of

Children's Shoes

which we ask you to inspect and note prices, at 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 a pair, new styles, quality that will give satisfactory wear. Come here for Children's shoes.

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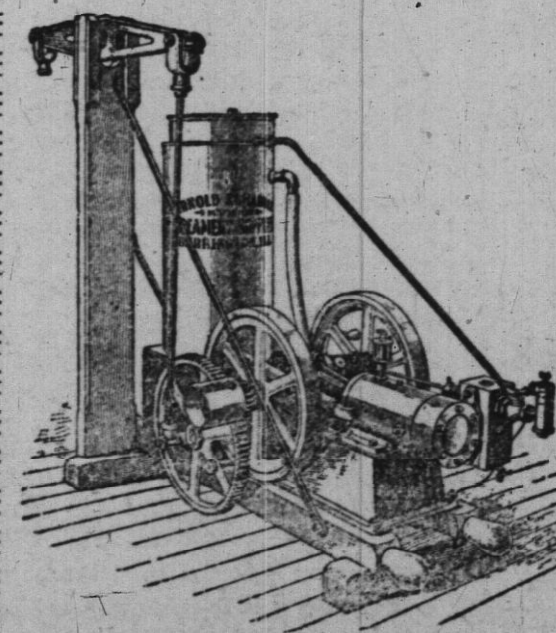
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