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\$1.50 A YEAR IN ADVANCE.

PALATINE LOCAL NEWS

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

Mrs. August Remus has been quite sick of late.

Mr. Berkshire holds the bowling record so far—27.

Mrs. Rollin Lincoln, of Cary, has been a guest of relatives here this week.

Philip Matthei's son, Robert, has been sick this week with an attack of croup.

Miss Laura Bennett, of Dundee, visited her uncle, A. C. Bennett, last Tuesday.

Paul Patten has returned from Harvard college, where he has been attending school.

The Palatine band is arranging for a concert and ball to be given in the near future.

E. G. Beutler has the contract for putting in a cement walk around the Masonic building.

Mr. and Mrs. Drier of Ridgeland visited Wm. Tegmeyer and other relatives here yesterday.

Miss Alta Bennett went to Chicago Tuesday, where she will spend some time with her aunt.

The election passed off quietly Tuesday with very little opposition to the caucus nominees.

John Williams and wife, of Chicago, visited at the home of the former's parents over Sunday.

The old village board goes out of existence Monday night and the newly elected members will be sworn in.

Dr. G. Alverson has again located in Palatine, and has opened an office in the rooms over Horton's cabinet shop.

The Sears School of Music will give a recital at the residence of Peter Knoke next Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Survivors of the proposed electric road to Wauconda have nearly completed the survey between here and that place.

Easter services will be held in the Methodist church on Sunday morning. The Sunday school will be in charge of the services.

The Queen Esther circle gave a bazaar in the Methodist church parsonage Friday and Saturday and served supper on Saturday night.

Miss Clara Krueger was taken to a hospital in Chicago Saturday to undergo an operation for appendicitis. She is getting along nicely.

Arlington Heights defeated Palatine in a bowling contest Friday night by four pins. A large number of spectators witnessed the contest.

C. D. Taylor was re-elected president of the school board and H. C. Matthei, G. D. Stroker and R. L. Peck members at the election held Saturday night.

Charles Julian returned from Indianapolis last week owing to illness, and will not return to finish school this summer, but will return to graduate in the fall.

The Masonic lodge is making big preparations for the dedication of the new hall, which takes place on Saturday, April 29th. A special train will be run for the accommodation of visiting brothers.

Many dogs have been poisoned lately and the owners are trying to find who the guilty party is. It means a penitentiary offense when a person willfully throws poison out for destroying animals.

Frightful Suffering Relieved.
Suffering frightfully from the violent poisons of undigested food, C. G. Grayson, of Lulu, Miss., took Dr. King's New Life Pills, "with the result," he writes, "that I was cured. All stomach and bowel disorders give way to their tonic, laxative properties at Harrington Pharmacy guaranteed.

Train Load of Machinery.
A special train of twenty-five cars loaded with threshing machinery from the J. I. Case Threshing Machine Co., Racine, Wis., will pass through Barrington Monday at 10:25 o'clock over the E. J. & E. Ry. Its destination is Dallas, Texas, where the company has a branch house.

E. L. Warrren, traffic manager, will be in charge of the train.

Medals For High School Students.
The Illinois Society, Sons of the

Revolution, which is organized to perpetuate the memory of the valiant deeds of the men who achieved American Independence, and to generally foster the spirit of patriotism, offers three medals for the three best essays written by a high school student in this State on the topic: Which Event of the American Revolution was of the greatest significance, and why it was so?

Copy of the Proclamation has been sent to the local high school. First prize a gold medal; second prize a silver medal; third prize a bronze medal. Each one of the successful contestants will be invited to Chicago at the expense of the Society, and will be asked to read their essays at a meeting of the Society. It is expected that there will be a goodly number of contestants. The topic gives a wide opportunity for origin search, and our high school students will be greatly benefited by participating in this contest.

Shadow Social a Success.
The shadow social under the auspices of the Keystone League of the Salem church, held at the residence of W. W. Lageschulte, Main and North Hawley streets, last evening was attended by nearly 50 people. A short but interesting program was given and refreshments served. Social games were played and a most enjoyable evening passed. The proceeds amounted to \$15.

EASTER SERVICES.
Various Churches Will Observe the Day in Appropriate Manner.
The various churches of this village will observe Easter Sunday by holding special services appropriate to the day as follows:

METHODIST.
Easter services will be held in the Methodist church both morning and evening at the usual hours.

At the morning service an Easter sermon will be preached by the pastor, and there will be special Easter music by the choir.

The Sunday school will take charge of the evening service and a special Easter program is being prepared.

Everybody is most cordially invited to these services.

ST. ANN'S.
Services will be held at St. Ann's church at 9 o'clock. Rev. Father Quinn of Woodstock or a missionary priest from Chicago will conduct the services. Special music, appropriate to the day will be furnished by the choir.

BAPTIST.
Next Sunday evening Easter exercises will be held at the Baptist church. The program will be given by the children and special Easter music has been prepared by the choir. All are invited to be present.

SALAM.
Regular services will be held morning and evening with special Easter sermons and music.

EVANGELICAL.
A program consisting of music and recitations will be given by the young people of the Zion church Easter morning, with an Easter sermon by Rev. Steege.

ST. PAUL'S.
Services will be held at St. Paul's Evangelical church in the morning and evening at the usual hour.

Good Entertainment Given.
The moving picture entertainment given Wednesday evening in Odd Fellows hall under the patronage of the Ladies Aid society of the Methodist church was well attended and well worth attending. The magnificence was operated by Mr. Thomas and assistant of the Edison Moving Pictures Co., and was a machine evidently in perfect order, as the clearness and lack of scintillating in the reflections testified. A variety of pictures were thrown and viewing them was next best to traveling, as a biblical illustration of the wanderings of the Prodigal Son were shown. This society received a percentage of the door receipts and felt well rewarded for its management.

Quiet School Saturday.
The school election Saturday evening did not attract a great many voters, only 20 votes being cast.

There was no opposition to the reelection of John C. Plagge as president and L. A. Powers and Silas Robertson as members of the board, they receiving the unanimous vote cast. The people were so well satisfied with the progress the board is making that there was no cause for any changes.

The gentlemen are certainly entitled to the compliment paid them.

Vaughan's bulk garden seeds, Perry's Crossman and Rockford package seeds, all fresh, for sale at Grebe's Hardware.

Barrington Local Happenings Told in Short Paragraphs

Reese Moore of Chicago called on friends here yesterday.

Silas Robertson departed Tuesday for a trip to Carlisle, Arkansas.

Mrs. H. Behan of Nunda, is visiting her daughter Mrs. J. H. Forbes.

Henry Wiseman of Quincy, Ill., is visiting his brother, Fred Wiseman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Collins went to Chicago Wednesday to stay until Saturday.

Miss Ethel Hason visited with her father in Chicago Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pingle of Dundee visited with relatives here during the week.

Miss Amanda Schroeder, who is employed at Austin, is at home for a brief visit.

Miss Clara Landwer returned home last evening, after several weeks visit in Chicago.

T. P. Fanning of Chicago has been here the past week looking after business interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Schauble are happy over the arrival of a daughter at their home Monday.

Mrs. Charles W. Coltrin and two sons of Austin were guests at the Castle home this week.

Miss Jennie McElroy of Woodstock visited Monday and Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Linn Linn.

Samuel Peters now holds the highest score for bowling at Forbes' bowling alleys. His score is 258.

Louisa Steege, the 10-year-old daughter of Rev. Steege, is recovering from an attack of pleurisy.

Wm. S. Bullock, republican, defeated A. E. Zitt, democrat, by 289 votes for mayor of Waukegan, Thursday.

Japa-Lar for touching up linoleum and oil cloths at Lamery & Co.'s. It will make them look better than new.

Miss Addie Lines, of Woodstock, came last week to make her home in Barrington and is living on Hough street.

Mrs. J. P. Buckley of Chicago, who was called here by the death of her father, Wm. Donica, returned home yesterday.

Reports of the treasurers of commissioners of highways of Barrington and Cuba townships will be found in another column of this page.

The Baptist Young People's Union have pledged themselves individually to earn 50 cents or more and are busy engaged in various work.

Miss Mamie Flynn of Dubuque, Ia., who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. F. O. Willmarth, for two weeks, will return to Chicago tomorrow.

Rev. T. Steege returned Monday from the annual conference of the Evangelical association which was held at Elgin for nearly a week.

Henry Bohmer, who for six years was president over the board of trustees of this village, on Tuesday was elected President of Wheeling village.

Mrs. Susan Mayhew and daughter Mabel of San Francisco, Cal., came Sunday to pass part of the summer with her mother, Mrs. Charlotte Earhart.

The Wauconda French coach horse, Quebec, will be at Barrington and vicinity two days of each week during the season of 1905. Frank Thomas, Rockefeller, Ill.

Today is Good Friday, when all the Christian world commemorates the crucifixion of the Christ. The day is also April Day. No special exercises were held in the school here.

Attention is called to the large display advertisement on Pittsburgh Perfect Fencing of the Grebe Hardware and Harness Mfg. Co., which appears on the 8th page of this paper.

Rev. Fidler, of Chicago, presiding elder of this district, was here Wednesday, arranging business matters in preparation for the annual camp meeting of the Salem church.

Miss Genevieve Fletcher played a trombone solo last night in a program given by the Mystic Workers' lodge of Chicago at the Masonic Temple. The state officers of the lodge were present.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Monahan of Volo, relatives of the Donica's of Barrington, whose home was destroyed by fire last week, will occupy a house on an adjacent farm until their new residence is completed.

J. F. Wisner of Rockford, Ill., who put in several weeks here last season was here looking for new business Wednesday. We understand he has secured a number of contracts in Palatine and this village.

Members of the Mystic Workers are urged to present Saturday evening, April 22, at a special meeting in the hall, Supreme Attorney Liebenberg of the order will be here to address the members at 8 o'clock.

A class of 11 scholars were confirmed at St. Paul's Evangelical church Palm Sunday. The class received their first communion this morning. Services will be held at 7:30 o'clock this evening in St. Paul's church.

L. H. Duntion of Dundee completed a 60-foot chimney for the Barrington Laundry, Tuesday. J. F. Gieske, proprietor of the laundry, is also making other improvements in his engine room to meet his constantly increasing business.

Ranger & Hobson are experiencing considerable trouble in securing stone masons on the new school buildings. They have offered 62 cents per hour for masons but are still unable to get enough men. Work was suspended yesterday on account of rain.

The village board held an adjourned meeting last evening. Returns of the late election were canvassed. An adjournment was then taken until Thursday evening, April 27th, when the new board will be seated and applications for license given attention.

B. Miller, of Chicago, who played in the band concert here last week and who expects to call here regularly to tune pianos, had ought to do a thriving business, for a prominent local musician said recently that there was only one piano in town in tune.

Watch for the date of the "Exposition Social" to be given by the H. Y. P. C. of the Baptist church. If you are in need of dishwashers, bakers, baby-minders, boot-blackers, beggars, boot-scrubbers, carpet beaters, store clerks or horse riders send apply to Bureau of B. Y. P. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davlin residing near Wauconda have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Priscilla Violet, to Joseph Fitch Albright, of Michigan, City, Ind., on Monday, May 1, at 12 o'clock noon, at the church of the Transfiguration, Wauconda.

Funeral of Wm. K. Donica.
The funeral of the late William K. Donica was held Monday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Ann's church. Father Quinn of Woodstock and Father Malley of St. Jarrin's church, Chicago, a nephew of the deceased, officiated in the solemn rites.

The church was filled with a large gathering of relatives and friends from Barrington and other towns who paid their last respects to the honorable gentleman whose exemplary character had been a wide-spread sorrow.

Burial was in Evergreen cemetery.

Result of Village Election.
The village election brought out the largest vote ever polled, 208 votes being cast. J. F. Gieske, petition candidate for trustee, made a good run and only lacked 15 votes of being elected.

President—Miles T. Laney, 222.
Trustees—F. O. Willmarth, 161; Silas Robertson, 160; William Peters, 157; J. F. Gieske, 144.
Clerk—L. H. Bennett, 216.
Magistrate—Arnett C. Lines, 161; C. H. Morrison, 164.

Child Bound to Death.
Ella, 19 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Pronita, residing on the Peterson farm near Fox river, was burned to death Monday evening.

The child was playing near the cook stove and a spark from the fire set her clothing on fire. Mrs. Pronita was out in the yard at the time and when she returned made an effort to save the child but without avail.

Mrs. Pronita was also severely burned and is now in a precarious condition.

Trade \$5.00 and we give you choice of team or dinner ticket or a ticket

good for 25c in our 5 and 10c department. Trade \$10.00 and show round trip R. R. ticket from any town within 20 miles, and we refund your car fare. C. E. HALL CO., DUNDIE.

Sears' Recitals.
Recitals, by pupils from the Sears' School of Music assisted by pupils from Department of Oratory, will be given at Village Hall, Barrington, Ill., Wednesday, April 26, at 10 o'clock a. m., 1:15 p. m. and 3:15 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend. Admission free. Wednesday evening the program will be given by Sears' Barrington orchestra, who will present two farces, entitled "Proposals Under Difficulties" and "Mr. Hans Von Smelt," under the direction of Mrs. Mae Lane Spurrer. Admission 25c. Reserved seats 35c. Proceeds to be divided among orchestra members. Reserved seats on sale at Schroeder's hardware store.

The following is the program for Wednesday morning:

Piano Solo—Dance of the Fairies. Smith
J. I. Sears and Verna Hawley
Piano Solo—Harp at Midnight. Aubert
Miss Emma Schaefer
Piano Solo—Polka. Schaefer
b. Volante Chorus. Schaefer
c. Filling Leaves. Schaefer
Miss Minnie Brinker
Piano Solo—A Summer Song. Gurnitt
b. Value. Schaefer
Miss Mildred Lankin
Reading. Miss Mabel Schaefer
Piano Solo—March. Schaefer
Miss Mabel Greig
Piano Solo—A Bright Eyes. Orth
b. Redona. Schaefer
Miss Lillian Volker
Violin Solo—Selected. Miss Constance Purcell
Piano Solo—Value. Schaefer
Miss Mildred Kitzink
Clarinet Solo. Fred Hager
Piano Solo—A Waltz. Smallwood
b. Forest Flowers. Kern
c. Dance of the Dowdows. Ellenberg
Miss Mildred Kelsey
Piano Solo—Jenny's Melody. Kohler
Miss Myrtle Greig
Piano Solo—Value. Schaefer
b. Merry Company. Schaefer
c. Happy Youth. Schaefer
d. Cavotte. Schaefer
e. Dance of Fairies. Schaefer
Miss Grace Shipman
Reading. Miss Leona DeWan
Piano Solo—A Changing the Heartless. Lusk
b. Belle of Shandon. Schaefer
Miss Virginia Purcell
Piano Solo—Waltz. Schaefer
Miss Nora Reynolds
Piano Solo—A Rondo. Henning
b. A Fair Horse. Kru
March. Schaefer
Miss Alberta Horne
Piano Solo—On the Lake. Schaefer
b. Dancing Doll. Schaefer
c. Flirtation. Walter. Schaefer
Miss Violet Finch
Recital by Miss Edna Corbett, Miss Helen Welch, Florence Pace, Mabel Meyer, Violet Finch, Mabel Mason, Mildred Mason, Elizabeth Meyer, Freda, Jessie Nason and Mr. Verna Hawley will be given later.

LAKE ZURICH NEWS.

Miss Bertha Holland is at home for a brief visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tank attended a party in Chicago Sunday evening.

Confirmation exercises were held at St. Peter's Evangelical church Sunday. The following were confirmed: Walter Gossett, William Sommerfield and Albert Gossett.

Mrs. E. Graber died suddenly Monday morning of apoplexy, at the age of 65 years. Corner Taylor of Libertyville was summoned and an inquest held. The jury found that she died from natural causes. The funeral was held Wednesday.

Lake Zurich Defeated Palatine.
In a bowling contest held at Lake Zurich Sunday, the Palatine team was defeated by 119 pins. The score for three games was as follows:

LAKE ZURICH PALATINE
George Hissner 68 c. Hissner 45
William Tomlin 65 c. Stark 45
William Albright 60 c. Kuebler 45
William Hissner 48 c. Comfort 45
Frank Meyer 48 c. Charles Selig 45
Total 201 Total 193

Village Ticket Wins.
The following is the result of the village election held Tuesday at Lake Zurich:

For President—E. A. Ficke, 33; Henry Selig, 25.
For Clerk—H. L. Prehm, 30; Geo. O. Prussik, 27.
For Trustees—Wm. Hissner, 33; Herman Heffer, 30; Fred Heff, 28; Richard Holle, 22; Frank Scholtz, 22.
For Police Magistrate—E. A. Ficke, 33; E. S. Bruce, 21.

A Daredevil Ride.
often ends in a sad accident. To head accidental injuries, use Bucklen's Arnica Salve. "A deep wound in my foot, from an accident," writes Theodore Schuele, of Columbus, O., "caused me great pain. Physicians were helpless, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly healed it." Soothers and heals burns like Magic. 25c at Barrington Pharmacy.

WAUCONDA MENTION.

Succinctly Told by Our Regular Correspondent.

Miss Nina Pratt spent Wednesday in the city.

Dr. J. R. Stott was a Nunha visitor Wednesday.

Dr. Spurling, of Melleny, was a Monday caller.

C. L. Pratt transacted business at Waukegan Tuesday.

Miss Mary Freund visited with Chicago friends last week.

D. S. McMullen, of Evanston, spent last Saturday at Meadow View.

Rev. and Mrs. Cross are visiting relatives at Rockford this week.

Father Woulfe visited with Father Scanlon at Libertyville Monday.

Earl Bailey has returned home and is assisting his father on the farm.

J. E. Gainer and H. T. Fuller transacted business in the city Monday.

George Broughton is convalescing after a severe attack of sore-throat.

Be sure you're right and then go ahead preparing for warm weather.

The Misses Sarah, Vera and Agnes Gray were Chicago visitors last Saturday.

The Misses Grace and Myrtle Mullen were Waukegan visitors last Saturday.

Messrs. H. E. and L. E. Mainman and L. B. Brown transacted business in the city Wednesday.

Joe, Harnolds, of Irving Park, is calling on old friends and acquaintances here this week.

Norman and George Ladd and Fred Bately returned from Huron, S. Dakota, last Wednesday.

Homer Fisher has bought an interest in the meat market of Frank Roney and now presides at the block.

Word reaches us that Dr. J. L. Holba has located at Iredville, Michigan, the home of Mrs. Holba's parents.

J. S. Hass returned home Monday from Columbus, Ohio, where he underwent a surgical operation. He is gaining steadily.

The village election Tuesday was a very tame affair, there being no opposition to the straight ticket, headed by E. W. Brooks.

Miss Winnie Pratt is enjoying a vacation, she having closed her school at the University district after a very successful initial year.

Charles Rowson has returned from his winter's sojourn in Oklahoma. He is very much improved in health and we hope that he may continue to gain.

The Niagara Fire department, at their meeting last Monday evening, elected officers for the ensuing year, as follows: Chief, E. A. Gilling; Secretary, R. C. Harris; Treasurer, D. L. Putnam; Captain, Engine Co., H. Hicke; Captain Hose Co., B. C. Harris.

By the time this issue reaches its readers, the surveys for the Chicago Electric Railway will have passed through our village, en route to McHenry. We learn that surveys for the Chicago & Milwaukee Electric Railway have commenced work from Rockefeller, moving this way.

Buying a Wife.
In this country a Persian must pay money for a wife. In America, if he got a wife at all, she would be a better one and he would get her for nothing. You see it isn't always best to trade at home and, by the way, do you know any place outside our store where you can buy ladies' taffeta silk waists for 50c, 30c, ladies' fine kid shoes at 1.25. Summer stock of boys' clothing, bought out by us on April 15th, for less than one-half price. Suits on sale this week at 98c, \$1.09, \$1.38, 4-qt. enamel coffee pot, 8-qt. kettle or 10-qt. dishpan 25c. Men's fast black melton suits, special, \$13.95. Men's undershirts 12c. Roberts' celebrated pettinets, entire sample line on sale at cost, prices, 35c, 40c, 45c. Men's black work shirts, two for \$1.00.

5 AND 10 CENT STORE.
10-qt. pails 10c; 12-qt. wooden pails 15c; 10-in. frying pans 10c; boys' caps 10c; 40c ladies' collars, worth 75c to 90c; 10c fall shirt cap and saucer. See Flowers for hats, this week, 10c bunch.

BERMAN MANF. CO. SALE.
Ladies' shirt waist suits, which cost \$10.00 to make, on sale at \$5.99. Newest styles. Remember special offer to out-of-town customers. C. F. HALL CO., DUNDIE.

WORLD'S NEWS —TOLD IN— PARAGRAPHS

Venech Dickerson and Albert Rittenhouse, charged with arson, were acquitted at Nashville, Tenn., and were accused of causing the fire which destroyed business property in that city Feb. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. James O. Gregory and Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Kennedy celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at Rockford, Ill.

Miss Mabel Higgins, champion woman golfer, has announced her engagement to a son of United States Senator Fowler of New Jersey.

Senator O. H. Platt suffered a relapse in Washington, Conn. He had a chill and there was a return of the bronchial trouble on the patient's right side.

President Kelly of Parham college, a member of the Indiana Rhodes scholarship committee, announced that Frank Aydelotte, a teacher in the Louisville schools and a graduate of Indiana university had been selected.

Robert E. Wright of Allentown, Pa., grand sire of the Old Fellows in the United States, appointed ex-Mayor John B. Goodwin of Allentown, grand secretary of the sovereign grand lodge to succeed J. Frank Grant, who died at Allentown recently.

Eight hundred men at the Arkansas Valley smelter at Leadville, Colo., struck because the wheelers and welshers were not included in an agreement for an eight-hour day made with the employers.

Lord and Lady Suffolk, the latter formerly Miss Daisy Leiter of Chicago, arrived in New York Thursday and went at once to Mrs. Leiter's residence in Washington. Lord and Mrs. Colin Campbell sailed from England and will join Mrs. Leiter and other members of the family in Washington.

H. Rider Hazard, the novelist, who has been investigating colonialization in America, sailed from New York for Liverpool. He was accompanied by his daughter and by Commander Booth-Tucker, former head of the Salvation Army in America.

Capt. George Washington Baird, superintendent of the state, war and navy departments building in Washington, will be retiring from the navy with the rank of rear admiral. At the request of the secretaries of the three departments, however, he will continue to serve as superintendent.

Secretary Hay has no improved in health that he expects to leave Nervi, Italy, for Germany.

Elliot Northcott, assistant United States district attorney for the southern district of West Virginia, was appointed United States attorney for the same district. He was chairman of the Republican state committee in West Virginia during the last campaign.

Albert Stevenson of Bedford, Ind., is dying as a result of an attempt at suicide by shooting himself in the breast.

Workmen in the basement of the Hotel Lohr at Lafayette, Ind., found a box full of gold watches and chains valued at several hundred dollars.

David D. Taylor, a candidate for the Republican nomination for lieutenant governor of Ohio, is lying at the point of death at his home in Cambridge.

At a meeting with President J. C. Keller at Cleveland, Ohio, the executive committee of the National Association of Letter Carriers completed arrangements for holding the convention in Portland, Ore., in September.

Gov. Pardee of California issued a requisition on the governor of Illinois for the return of William S. Loring, who is wanted in San Francisco to answer the charge of embezzlement.

Capt. A. H. Laffin, said to be the oldest sailing officer in the national quartermaster service, has been reinstated to his old position, that of commander of the cable ship Burnside, by President Roosevelt.

Mr. Triana, the Colombian charge d'affaires, will leave Washington for New York to meet the new Colombian minister, Mr. Mendoza, who will arrive next week.

In the Oregon land fraud cases the federal court heard arguments in the plea in abatement in the case of United States Senator John H. Mitchell, who seeks to have the indictment against him set aside.

Union dockmen and excavators in New York city have decided to tie all work in their line on May 3 unless a demand for a new schedule is granted before that date. The number of men involved is about 26,000.

Earl Pond, aged 19, was instantly killed in Summit, Ind., by his horse running away, crushing him between the buggy and an iron telephone pole.

A general strike for more wages has broken out on the largest sugar plantations in the Puerto Rico, Porto Rico.

William Fazen and Herbert Gorham were found dead in a barn in Denver, Col. It was evident that they had taken poison in whisky.

W. H. Worth and Henry Kirk were arrested at Eliza, Ohio, on the charge of operating bucket shops at Lorain and pleaded not guilty.

Fire that started in an attic destroyed the home of Mr. Koch at Freedlandville, Ind.; loss, \$2,200.

HIDDEN PUZZLE PICTURE.



He that hath a trade, hath an estate.
Find an apprentice.

COLD WEATHER RETARDS CROPS

Low Temperatures and Heavy Frosts Hamper Work of the Farmers.

AWAIT SUNSHINE FOR SEEDING

Preparations for Planting in the Central Valleys as Soon as Conditions Are Favorable—Spring and Winter Wheat Reports.

Washington dispatch: Crop reports from all sections of the country are summarized in the weekly bulletin of the weather bureau as follows:

Over nearly the whole of the country the week ended April 12 was abnormally cold and unfavorable for germination and growth. In western North Dakota the temperature fell nearly to zero on the 10th, and on the 11th and the following day exceptionally low temperatures for the season occurred throughout the country east of the Rocky mountains. Freezing temperatures occurred as far south as the northern portions of Alabama and Georgia and central South Carolina, both light to heavy frosts in the central portion of the east gulf states and light frosts at Jacksonville. The damaging effects of this cold period, which came at the close of the week, are not fully covered in the reports collected at the climate and crop survey on the 17th and need in the preparation of this bulletin. Heavy rains were unfavorable in the south Atlantic and central gulf states, while the most of rain is beginning to be felt in portions of the lower Missouri valley and on the extreme north Pacific coast. The temperature conditions on the Pacific coast were unfavorable.

Corn Planting.—While corn planting has continued in Kansas, Missouri and southern Illinois, none has been planted farther north nor in the upper Ohio valley and middle states. Preparations for planting have been active in the central valleys, where planting will be vigorously pushed as soon as temperature conditions are favorable. In the south Atlantic and east gulf states planting is about finished and early corn is being cultivated.

Winter wheat continues in promising condition generally throughout the country, but is beginning to need rain in portions of Kansas and Michigan. Very slow progress was made with spring wheat sowing over the northern portion of the spring wheat region, as this work could be prosecuted only in the afternoons on account of low temperatures. The early sown spring wheat does not appear to have sustained injury from recent cold, except in Nebraska, where some fields were slightly damaged.

Oats and Cotton.—Oat seeding also delayed in the Dakotas, Minnesota and the region and portion of the middle Atlantic states. While growth of the early sown has been checked and some injury sustained in Nebraska, the general situation respecting this crop continues promising.

"Cotton-planting is much delayed in Mississippi and Louisiana and is later than in Texas and the Carolinas. Better progress with this work has been made in Alabama and Georgia and in the southern portions of these states is nearing completion. Fair to good stands of the early planted are being reported.

POOR FARMER CLAIMS RICHES.

Wisconsin Man Says He Is Heir to William's Millions.
Menominee, Wis., dispatch: Joseph Rice, a poor farmer living on a small piece of land near this city, claims to be the rightful heir to the millions of late William Rice, the Texas millionaire who was murdered and who he claimed he is a brother of. He has been in the courts for some time and has taken legal steps to establish his claim.

REMOVES STATUE FROM BASE.

Sculptor Seizes McKinley Memorial Because He Has Not Been Paid.
Lebanon, Pa., dispatch: C. D. Billman, sculptor, removed from its pedestal the McKinley memorial, a heroic figure of a woman holding a shield, which is now in the hands of the committee. The memorial has not been paid for. Shortly after McKinley was assassinated a committee was headed by Horace Christman to raise funds for a statue to McKinley. The committee met many promises and \$17 in cash. Billman erected the monument and the memorial club tried in vain to raise the money. Then the statue was removed and the memorial club tried in vain to raise the money. Then the statue was removed and the memorial club tried in vain to raise the money.

STUDENTS OBJECT TO BLACK.

Their Protest Drives a Youth Out of Eastern Business College.
Poughkeepsie, N. Y., dispatch: C. V. Daniels, a student at the Eastern business college, for whose removal the Southern students petitioned President Hughes, alleged that he has negro blood in his veins, withdrew from the main college in this city. President Hughes accompanied him to New York to install him in the Harlem branch of the Eastern college. Dr. Gaines, who was born in Virginia, addressed the school and accused those who signed the petition of being a very narrow-minded action. Daniels comes from St. Thomas and is 17 years old. He says his father is English and his mother a Porto Rican.

TRAINS CROSS ON NEW BRIDGE.

Great Structure Over the Mississippi at Thebes is Opened to Traffic.
Thebes, Ill., dispatch: A special train bearing Vice President and General Manager F. H. Britton of the St. Louis, Northwestern and other officials of the road crossed the Mississippi river here Tuesday over the new steel bridge erected by the Col. They left the Eastern college. Dr. Gaines, who was born in Virginia, addressed the school and accused those who signed the petition of being a very narrow-minded action. Daniels comes from St. Thomas and is 17 years old. He says his father is English and his mother a Porto Rican.

WALKS FAR TO VISIT HER SON.

Aged Woman Calls on Boy in Jail After Becoming Penniless for Half Year.
Terre Haute, Ind., dispatch: The mother of Edward Cooper, aged 69, walked seventeen miles to visit her son in the Terre Haute penitentiary. She is destitute because of having sold her property to provide for the defense of her son in his trial for the murder of Ethel Beitz. After her acquittal, Cooper was given \$200 fine for threatening to shoot another woman. After Mrs. Cooper's visit, Jailer Casey gave her her son.

BANK DEFAULTER SURRENDERS.

After Years of Wandering as Fugitive He Submits to Arrest.
Lincoln, Neb., dispatch: Charles M. Chamberlain, cashier of the Chamberlain banking house at Tecumseh, Neb., who defaulted a few years ago and after getting away with about \$12,000 became a fugitive, came to Lincoln and sent a telegram to the sheriff at Tecumseh saying he wanted to give himself up. The sheriff came to Lincoln and took Chamberlain back to jail.

BRITISH FEAR JAPS MAY LOSE

Interest in London Centers About the Forthcoming Battle Between the Fleets and Alleged Violation of Neutrality by Rojestyensky.

The British public is only now beginning to realize how much depends on Topo's skillful conduct of the approaching naval contest. Until Vice-Admiral Rojestyensky actually arrived in the Straits of Malacca there was a disposition to ridicule the efforts of the Russian squadron, but now there is seen to be a growing likelihood of Vice-Admiral Nebogatov joining Rojestyensky before the fatal struggle opens. Lukewarm interest is deepening into anxiety.

The London Daily Telegraph's Hong-Kong correspondent states that two steamers which passed close to Kamranh bay on Sunday report that no Russian vessels were there. No news, however, has yet reached London to show that the Russians have left Kamranh bay and it is assumed that they are still there.

The London Post, commenting on the situation, contends that it is a matter of urgent importance, especially considering Great Britain's world wide naval interests, to endeavor to secure a more definite international agreement on the question of neutrality and the use of neutral waters by belligerents.

A dispatch to the London Telegraph from Tokyo says that matters have reached the inevitable crisis in reference to the unwarranted stay of the Baltic fleet at Kamranh bay. It is expected that Great Britain will heartily support the action of Japan in formally lodging a protest with France.

The incident is regarded as being covered by the Anglo-Japanese alliance.

COMPARATIVE STRENGTH OF RIVAL FLEETS.



There is no doubt that France will conform to what are considered the elementary principles of neutrality. The situation in which there must be a time limit, will become exceedingly grave.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the London Telegraph reports that Russia sought France's help on behalf of the Baltic fleet. A brisk exchange of views occurred between France and Russia and unofficially the result that all three powers agreed, theoretically, that the restriction of constructions hitherto put on neutrality obligations by certain powers was excessive and unjustified, or that it had become incompatible with later day conditions.

Attempt to Cut Railroad.

There was a determined attempt on the side of April 12 to cut off the rail road between Harbin and Vladivostok, a formidable body of Chinese bandits making an attack near the station of Imango, 100 miles east of Harbin. After a desperate fight which lasted an hour and a half the bandits were driven off and dispersed.

Still in French Waters.

Rojestyensky's fleet continues the occupation of Kamranh bay or some other port of Annam, where it is expected it will remain until joined by the third Pacific squadron, according to information received by the Japanese navy department.

At a conference of statesmen and cabinet ministers a strongly worded protest was sent to France regarding its frequent violations of the neutrality laws in providing shelter for and rendering assistance to the Russians. No answer has yet been received from the French authorities.

The report that Rojestyensky is maintaining a patrol and examining neutral shipping off Kamranh bay increases the irritation toward France. It is said that Rojestyensky proposes staying at Kamranh bay until May 15. Meanwhile he is sending out cruises to overhaul merchantmen proceeding along the trade route to the straits of Formosa.

The transports of the fleet are reported to be playing between Kamranh bay and Saloon under the merchant flag of Russia.

The Japanese press is outspoken in its denunciation of France. It is said that the Japanese government is determined to maintain its neutrality.

Loop-the-Loop Affect Brain.

Paris cabdriver: After looping the loop in an automobile in the Paris Casino, the woman who had performed the feat remained seated in the car. She was found to be suffering from congestion of the brain.

Wins Rhodes Scholarship.

St. Louis, Mo., dispatch: It is announced that Samuel E. Elliot of St. Louis has won the Rhodes scholarship awarded to Missouri. Mr. Elliot is a graduate of Washington university.

that the government will not endure another Madagascar drama. The Jiji declares that should France actually assist Russian belligerent purposes the fact would be notified to England according to the provisions of the alliance. The Kakumai Shimbun publishes a strong article dealing with French neutrality.

France Is Indignant.

The French government is indignant at the recrimination of the Japanese press over the alleged violation of neutrality at Kamranh bay. Although diplomatically the situation is not critical, that topic has momentarily the precedence of all others in Paris. It is felt in many quarters that this incident shows against the ever eager Japanese ambition to be able to call England to fulfill the terms of the alliance.

"Thus far we have had nothing with which to reproach the Japanese," said Henri Rochefort, editor of L'Intransigent. "Our political neutrality is endorsed by a more powerful moral admiration for the valor of the Mikado's fighters."

"If, however, charges of violation of neutrality are to be formally laid at France's door that will prove the double dealing of the Japanese and in a way justify our government in administering such a snub to Tokyo as will permanently disgrace the treacherous chatter about other nations' offenses which we have had from Japan since the very opening of the war."

There is no evidence that Rojestyensky is inside the three-mile limit.

Old Men Still in Demand.

At least one London editor seems to be unimpressed by Dr. Osier's theory as to the uselessness of men after the age of 40. He advocates in the Globe as follows: "Editorial reporters wanted for old-established weekly, experienced in public affairs, and must be between 40 and 50; young and 'brainy' applicants need not apply."

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Portions of Old Battle Found.

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BARRYMORE'S KEEN WIT

Stories That Depict the Actor's Epigrammatic Power.

WAS ALWAYS READY WITH A REPLY

Quick Retort to a Young Woman Who Wanted to Test Abolition—Narrow Escape From Death in a Texas Town—One of His Harshes—Practical Jokes Perpetrated on a Clothing Merchant.

The late Maurice Barrymore, the brilliant actor, was a man who never slept so long as there were entertaining companions ready to talk and listen, a man who was never at a loss for an answer, says the Chicago Tribune. If his witlings were collected they would fill a book and lose half their charm. Probably he never uttered many of the clever things attributed to him, but there never was an epigram too brilliant for Barrymore to have made it. Some were bitter as gall, and a few had no more sting in them than a butterfly, but all of them showed that he possessed a remarkable mind.

He was essentially a combatant and a chivalrous man. He loved a fight, intellectual or physical, for its own sake. Once when he was livid with rage over a reflection cast upon a woman he knew a friend asked him why he restrained himself.

"Every blow struck in defense of a woman is a debt in her reputation," was Barrymore's reply.

He was once at a table with a young woman who wanted to taste abolition. She winked her brows for a few moments and then said:

"It is like knowing I had when I was a child. I mean it's just like parenthood."

"You are quite right," remarked Barrymore. "Abolition is the parenthood of second childhood."

He once had a dispute with a boastful bully in the St. James cafe, who declared: "If I had you in Texas I'd blow your head off." "Then your courage is a matter of longitude," observed Barrymore sweetly. He was once on his way to the city of London, where he fell in with three other men. "I am an actor, broken down by overwork, seeking health and rest," he said. "I am a business man, going to the moon for the sake of the salaries." "I am an engineer, also broken down by work," said the second. "And you, sir, are in the same boat with me?" was asked the third. "I am not," said Barrymore, "I am going to the hills for pleasure. I don't work. I am a gentleman." "And plenty on a vacation," added Barrymore. When Steele Mackaye told Barrymore that he would never become a great actor until he experienced a great sorrow or a thrilling experience the next morning in a flash. "Write a play for me, Steele, and I shall get both."

In 1878 Barrymore organized a road party to play "Ibidem" on the road, says the New York Times. It included besides himself Frederic Warde, John Drew, Benjamin C. Porter, Henshaw, Miss Ellen Cushman and Signor Magnani and his wife. While the company was at Marshall, Tex., Barrymore had a very narrow escape from death as a result of an affray which cost Ben Porter his life. While waiting for their train Barrymore, Miss Cushman and Porter were in the railway restaurant and were sitting at the lunch counter when a local bully named Curry, who was employed as a detective by the railroad company, swaggered in and tried to provoke Porter to fight using the most offensive language. Barrymore tried to persuade him to desist. Curry asked him if he was anxious to get into a fight himself.

"No," said Barrymore. "I am not armed."

"Nor am I," said Curry. "Will you swear it?" "Yes."

Barrymore sprang from his seat and pulled off his coat to fight when Curry drew a revolver and fired point blank at the actor. The bullet hit Barrymore's left shoulder, broke the spine and blade and lodged near the spine, making a six weeks' stay in the hospital necessary. Curry then walked up to Porter and shot him in the heart, inflicting a wound from which he died instantly. John Drew, who was in a room above the restaurant with the other members of the company, was roughly treated by Curry when Drew went down to ascertain the cause of the disturbance. Curry was tried for the murder of Porter and was acquitted, the district attorney informing Barrymore, who was a witness, that there were not fewer than seven members on the jury that listened to the testimony.

"Maurice Barrymore sometimes used to perpetrate harmless practical jokes of the Theodore Harkup type," said Wilton Mackaye to a New York Times reporter. "One afternoon Barry while walking down Sixth avenue, in New York, with a friend halted abruptly and disappeared into a ready-made clothing store. The friend followed and found him addressing the storekeeper:

"Will you please take that suit of clothes out of the window?" he asked.

"The clothing, thinking he was to have a sale, quickly complied.

"Thank you," said Barrymore, turning on his heel.

"But don't you want to look at it?" blurted the merchant.

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STORIES OF JULES VERNE.

An Instance of the French Novelist's Love For Boys.

An interesting story has been passed around in French literary circles with regard to the contract by which the late Jules Verne, the famous French novelist, issued two books a year, says the New York Times. It is said that this contract was made forty years ago and called for two stories a year for a remuneration of 20,000 francs per annum, or about \$4,000. It is said that, despite the enormous circulation of his works, which have been translated into over 100 languages, Jules Verne never received a penny more than his stipulated salary. His publisher, however, gave the author valuable presents from time to time.

One of the peculiar traits of Jules Verne was his love for the boys for whom he wrote. On one occasion he was called into a school reading club in Harrogate, England, and, having a letter written in a boy's hand on the table, he said in his quiet French-English:

"Hello, I am M. Verne. I thank you for your invitation. Let me now put some more coal on the fire and tell stories."

Jules Verne's life, peaceful, successful and joyous as it seemed, had nevertheless its three tragedies, says the Philadelphia Press. The first occurred when the neophyte, who adored and was adored by him, came to see him at Amiens one day and after muttering something wildly drew a revolver and fired, wounding him in the left leg and taking him for life. The wound never closed, and Mr. Verne could never again indulge himself in the travels which were both so dear to his heart and so helpful to his work. This tragedy was in a way connected with the other great grief of his life. The young man, who had suddenly gone mad, when asked why he had shot at his uncle, replied: "To attract attention to him and increase his chances of becoming an immortal of the mad era." He and all the world knew that the one unsatisfied ambition of the aged author's life was to become one of the forty academicians of France, but the academy has always ignored his name when proposed for membership, alleging that his works were "not literature."

It bitterly disappointed the old man, especially as he knew what careful workmanship he bestowed on his novels, sometimes rewriting one book ten times.

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The demand for all sorts of plain effects in shirts is greater than ever. Some very handsome two-toned shirts are shown in many combinations, which increases the assortment one can buy. The same effects, having small but striking figures, are also now and closely related to plain goods, and they are selling well.

It is predicted that Windows will start again this spring and become as popular as they once were. It is certain that as an outing tie, for turn-down collars, whether the collar is on the shirt or buttoned on, it is an ideal article of dress.

Wash neckwear will consist the coming season largely of embroidered, checked and Oxford cloths. The range will be very extensive, the possibilities of a varied assortment being very large.

Mottled shirts and those on the snowflake order seem to be very popular. Light, light blue, olive green and walnut brown are especially desirable. Their line stripes and fine checks on those grounds are quite new and are taking well.

Shirts with white bodies and Marcelline bosom and cuffs are again in vogue. The bosoms and cuffs are white, with broad cords and printed with colored figures, which consist largely of small flowers, sprays or leaves.

The Chicago Examiner.

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