

CALEB POWERS, KENTUCKIAN, NOW IN JAIL. HIS MOTHER, KEEPER AND BOYHOOD HOME



Caleb Powers, once secretary of state of Kentucky, now a cell in the Newport, Ky., jail for complicity in the murder of Gov. Goebel, receives the homage of many Kentuckians, though he has been convicted of an infamous plot. His cell is furnished plentifully, but plain. A typewriter and desk, trunk, chairs and a rug help make a cheap curtain to hide the iron bars of his cage.

Powers looks like a highly educated southern gentleman. Five years of prison life and suffering have wilted him. His voice is weak and he has that awful prison pallor and purple lips.

The following is his daily routine of prison life:

Arises 5:30 a. m. Shave and toilet. Commences work at 6:30 a. m., answering correspondence.

Breakfast at 8 a. m., on whole wheat flakes, wafers, malted nuts, toast and milk.

Reads until 9 a. m.

Walks until 10 a. m. in the jail corridor.

Rests half an hour.

Works from 10:30 a. m. to 3 p. m.

Fitches baseball. In corridor and runs sprints' double time until 2 p. m.

Rests half an hour.

Works until 4 p. m.

Dines at 5 p. m.

Walks until 6:30 p. m.

Rests half an hour.

Works until 9 p. m.

Exercises with Indian clubs and machine and pneumatic until 10 p. m.

Retires at 10 p. m.

Receives visitors from 2 p. m. to 3 p. m.

His work consists of reading and writing. His correspondence averages five to twenty-five letters a day.

Powers says this about his mother: "A brave, noble, more generous heart has never found lodgment in human breast than my mother's. There is scarcely enough cruelty in her whole being to brush the down from a butterfly's wing. Her life is as unselfish as the kiss of the summer's sun. Her children have been her world; for them she has lived."—Chicago Journal.

GREAT FEATURE OF LATE WAR.

With Modern Armies Decisive Victories Seem Impossible.

The great feature of the war has been the huge masses engaged. Laid off itself in this respect compares poorly with Mukden. The hosts of 1915 were not so numerous as those that invaded Manchuria and Boshan may outstrip Liyaoang in numbers but not in numbers of guns or men that fought. Yet it is surely remarkable that after an unbroken record of defeat on such a huge scale the Russians still can show an army fully equipped and organized in position. Liyaoang and Mukden were truly enough to break the spirit and dissolve the ranks of the stoutest troops in the world.

In spite of the list of killed and wounded, of the prisoners, of the guns and trophies the war could still have been carried on. Yet Muraviev, a mere skirmish in comparison to these battles of giants, decided the fate of a nation. Jena laid a kingdom in the dust. Even Friedland compelled a czar to come to terms.

What is it that made Mukden indecisive and could allow the czar still to dream of victory when for a year and a half not a gleam of success had shown for a moment on his banners? The terrain in which the battles were fought had, of course, much to do with it, but the very vastness of the armies had more. An army of several

hundreds of thousands cannot be moved like one a third of the size. The telegraph may do much, but it cannot annihilate space where movements of men are concerned, and to pursue a beaten foe requires prompt action and energy, which are only possible where events take place under the eye and within the direction of a supreme leader.—Saturday Review.

As Many Chances as Ever.

There are unquestionably many opportunities for success now, the same as there have been since the creation of the world, but now, as ever, they must be searched for. Everyone encounters obstacles, but it should be borne in mind that failures are intended to serve as stepping stones to success. Most successful men have been "broken," have met with failure, have been discouraged and have thought, as many others probably do today, that "life is not worth living," yet their perseverance and determination aroused their latent power and helped them to turn adverse conditions to good account. Those who struggle manfully and keep up their courage will not die without having achieved a measure of success befitting their intelligence and talents.—Boston Globe.

ORIGIN OF TARTAR HORDES

Are a Composite Race With a Leading Strain of Turkish Blood

Two proverbial expressions keep alive the memory of the terrible power of the scourge of Russia. "Catching a Tartar" and "Scratch a Russian and you find a Tartar." "One of the puzzles of history has been the origin of the fierce nation, which, under the conqueror Genghis Khan, once grabbed Russia by the nape of the neck and shook the life almost out of it, as a dog seizes and shakes a rat.

More curious the Tartar hordes swept back to their Asiatic fastnesses; some remained and mingled and intermarried with the Muscovite people—enough, indeed, to justify the saying, "Scratch a Russian and you find a Tartar." And that phrase expresses the notion that the clothes of the Russian conceal the heart of a savage.

The Tartars are usually regarded as a Mongolian people, but there is not much Mongol blood in the present race of Tartars. It is true they get their name from the ancient Mongol tribe of the "Tatars," but the Tartars should omit the first "t" from the tribal name. But the Tartars are a composite race, and the leading strain in them is Turkish. They are scattered over much of Western Asia—in Siberia, Turkestan, Persia and the northern part of Turkey in Asia, besides the Caucasus region, where they are now making trouble. They are Mohammedans, hence their proclamation of a "holy war" against Russia. Yet polygamy is dying out in this sturdy race in spite of their hatred of Christians.

Of course, large numbers of Tartars still lead a roving life like Bedouins and Kurds, taking their herds of cattle from one pasture land to another. But it may surprise you to hear that most of the race in the Caucasus region are quiet, steady and usually peaceable farmers and gardeners and herdsmen. And when they are gardeners they are excellent ones, far surpassing their Russian neighbors. They almost live on watermelons, which they eat with that other staff of life, bread.

STATES WITH MANY COUNTIES.

Georgia Has Added to Her List—Texas Still a Record Breaker.

The Georgia legislature, which recently adjourned after a long session, made a further addition to the number of counties in the Cracker State, bringing up the whole number from 137 to 145.

New York with its great population is able to not along with sixty-one counties, while California, more than double the size of Georgia, gets along with fifty-seven.

With political necessity there can be for the independent counties in Georgia, each with a separate government, organization and expense, is a problem, but perhaps the reason is the same which has added to the number of counties in Texas, until there are now 246. In one of them at the presidential election of last year only twenty-two votes were cast. In another 120, in another 180 and in a fourth sixty. The propensity to create counties in the South and Southwest has always been marked. There are seventy-six counties in Mississippi, 112 in Kentucky, seventy-five in Arkansas, forty-five in Florida and ninety-six in Tennessee.—New York Sun.

Christian Home Association.

At the annual meeting of the Young Women's Christian Home association at Quincy Mrs. Ellen K. Stewart was elected president; Miss Gertrude Pease and Mrs. D. V. Barker, first and second vice presidents; Mrs. John E. Wall, recording secretary; Miss Katherine Holland Brown, corresponding secretary and Mrs. A. A. Richardson, treasurer.

Holds Probate Law Invalid.

Attorney General Stand holds that the law passed by the last General Assembly giving the Probate courts jurisdiction of all cases involving testamentary trusts is invalid. The bill was not signed by the president of the senate, and this requirement, the attorney general holds, is mandatory and the law is, therefore, unconstitutional.

New Bank at Hillsboro.

A new bank known as the People's National bank has been organized at Hillsboro with fifty-three stockholders. Ex-congressman T. M. Jett, J. Douglass, J. M. Baker, C. W. Grass, T. S. Hoes, James H. Ward, M. J. Kirgins, L. M. Chamberlain and Sheriff John Miller are directors.

Cement Plant for Dixon.

Dixon is to have a \$750,000 Portland cement plant, the Sandusky Portland Cement Company having purchased 225 acres of land east of the city and closed the deal. The mill will have a capacity of 2,000 barrels a day. The buildings will be 1,300,000 feet, two stories high and built entirely of concrete and steel.

A. E. Stevenson's Brother Dies.

The death of Fielding A. Stevenson, one of the leading farmers of McLean county, and brother of the late Vice President A. E. Stevenson, occurred at his home in Randolph township. He was aged 63, and leaves a wife and five children.

Mayor is Acquitted.

Court considered indictments against Mayor Davis of Jacksonville for carrying on a saloon in violation of three charges the jury returned a verdict of "not guilty."

Illinois News

Choice items from over the state, specially selected for our readers

TOWN SUES TO KEEP RAILROAD

Ritchie Resents Effort to Leave It Without a Station.

The question of the right of a railroad to remove its tracks and abandon its right of way through a town will be tested in the courts. Citizens of Ritchie, a small village on the Washburn railroad in the southeastern part of Will county, petitioned the Circuit Court for an injunction to restrain the road from abandoning its present service to that town. The petition sets forth that when the road was built property owners in that vicinity paid a large sum of money to the road as an inducement for it to establish the station. Recently the Washburn road reconstructed its line, shortening the distance between New Lenox and the Kankakee river and taking out the curve running into Ritchie. The road has established a new station called North Ritchie about two miles from the old town and on the new line and proposes to abandon the old right of way entirely.

BANKERS' PRESIDENT.

Thomas D. Catlin, elected president of the Illinois Bankers' Association, has been at the head of the National Bank of Ottawa since 1900. He is also



THOMAS D. CATLIN

president of the State Bank of Seneca, and of the First National Bank of Grand Ridge. Before reaching his present position in the Ottawa institution Mr. Catlin had been for six years its vice president. He was born in Clinton, N. Y., March 12, 1858, and is a graduate of Hamilton College. He was just 20 years of age when he moved to Ottawa.

Sheriff Prevents Fight.

Kid Hubert of Kansas City and Karl Anderson, alias Burns, of Hammond, Ind., accompanied by a large number of sports, left Danville Sunday afternoon to engage in a five ounce twenty-five round contest in the timber of Vermilion county, Indiana. Just as the fight was about to begin, a Hoosier sheriff, J. Stephen, arrested Anderson, his manager, and two spectators. Hubert escaped in fighting costume and was badly scratched by the underbrush. Anderson and his manager, Kid Hennessey of Danville, were handcuffed together and taken to Newport, Ind.

Preacher Killed While Hunting.

The Rev. J. W. Williford of Taylorville, who was conducting revival services near Springfield, while hunting squirrels was accidentally shot and killed by Eli Green, a 12 year old boy. The charge entered the side of the Rev. Mr. Williford. He died in an hour and a half. He leaves a widow and five children.

Mount Vernon Colored Masons.

A lodge of colored Masons has been instituted in Mount Vernon. The officers of the new lodge are: Worshipful master, W. W. Merrweather; senior warden, G. W. Beauchamp; junior warden, George Taylor; secretary, N. Beauchamp; treasurer, Albert Blakey.

Test School Supply Law.

In order to test the constitutionality of the new state law compelling school boards to buy supplies of the state penitentiary, a bill for an injunction restraining the Elgin board from purchasing prison-made goods has been filed in the Kane county circuit court.

Business Men Banquet.

At the Litchfield business men's banquet the following were elected officers for the ensuing year: President, Dr. R. F. Bennett; vice president, Frank R. Milnor; Elmer A. Pappemeier, secretary; A. R. Stansifer; treasurer, Charles E. Morgan.

Drill for Gas at Sparta.

The Illinois Oil and Gas company, of which E. I. Stillwell of Neosho Falls, Kan., is president, has been incorporated for the purpose of drilling for oil and gas in Sparta.

Interurban Service.

Service has commenced between Stanton and Springfield on the Interurban. The poles are up to the southern part of Litchfield, from Mount Olive. It is thought cars will be running into the city by Nov. 1.

Judge Ricks Under Knife.

Judge J. P. Ricks of the State Supreme Court underwent a serious operation at the Mercy Hospital, Chicago. Judge Ricks is resting well and the attending physicians say he will recover.

WOLVES MAKE SAVAGE ATTACK.

Chase Buggy for More Than a Mile Before Being Beaten Off.

Miss Slater Coppinger and Mrs. A. C. Barr were chased more than a mile by two gray wolves on the road from Godfrey to the country. The wolves chased the buggy and made repeated efforts to leap into the vehicle, but were beaten back with a buggy whip and a stick. The animals then attacked the horse and drew blood repeatedly, but when the buggy came into the outskirts of Alton the wolves fled.

Mrs. Barr drove the horse and handled the whip, while Miss Coppinger used the stick. The wolves deployed on either side and snapped at the horse. The first wolf then tried to leap into the buggy, struck a wheel, and was thrown back on the road.

The other wolf snapped at the horse's flank and drew blood. The whip drove it back. Its companion leaped at it and both tried to climb into the buggy.

The frightened horse plunged forward into a run and both wolves were tossed to the ground, but the horse did not stop. Mrs. Barr and Miss Coppinger say this running fight kept up for more than a mile.

Nearly a dozen armed men, accompanied by dogs, have set out in the woods along the Godfrey road. It is intended to keep up the hunt until the wolves are killed.

Broom Corn Reaches \$100.

The roof for which the broom corn growers of the central Illinois district have been striving for several years is reached, dealers paying \$100 a ton for broom almost before the harvest is over. John W. Ashbrook of Humboldt sold nine tons of broom for a flat \$900 a ton. Two crops were bought in Mattoon for \$95 a ton. Several crops have been sold at \$22.50 and \$25 a ton in the prevailing price. Broom makers are in search of first class broom. Probably a dozen cars of Kansas and Oklahoma broom have been received nearly all being moved out as fast as received.

Peoria's Financial Center.

Peoria, although it is a city of only 25,000 inhabitants, has only six national banks, ranks next to New York and Washington, D. C., in the amount of its government deposits. The latest reports of the national banks to the comptroller of the currency show that the national banks of New York have government deposits of \$8,000,000. Washington has \$2,250,000, while Peoria has \$1,500,000. Bank of Peoria, with \$1,450,000; Peoria National, with \$1,175,000; Chicago sixth, with \$1,070,000, and St. Louis seventh, with \$1,025,000.

Railroad Rewards Life Saver.

Warren Miller, a farmer residing near Murphysboro, received a reward of \$1,000 from the Illinois Central railroad. Several months ago a bridge along the Illinois Central between Murphysboro and Carbondale was washed away. Miller flagged a fast passenger train at that time, preventing a disastrous wreck and certain loss of life.

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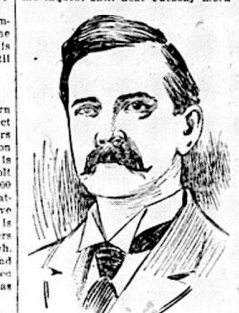
Teacher Descends Clitern to Rescue Man and Is Killed by Gas.

While rescuing Washington Green, a constable, from death by water dam in his cistern, near Pelly Nuis, Hoas Boles, a school teacher, was overcome by the gas and died before he could be rescued. Green went into the cistern to make some repairs and was overcome. Boles, who was passing, saw him and pulled the unconscious man to the surface and he was revived. Before the rope could be thrown back to Boles he was overcome, and was dead when taken out.

NEW CLEW IN THE STREED CASE

Widow Requests Information Which Causes Inquest to Be Halted.

Retracting her belief that her husband was murdered, Mrs. John V. Streed of Cambridge gave to the state's attorney a clew which caused him to instruct the coroner to adjourn the inquest until next Tuesday morning.



JOHN V. STREED

ing in order that a searching inquiry may be made. State's Attorney Streed intimated that this new clew might lead to the discovery of the slayer.

What the nature of the information given by Mrs. Streed is not known. It is said, however, to have nothing to do with the stories that have been in circulation for several days, the state's attorney declaring that there is no connection between the attorney's mysterious death and the old scandal that have been raked up. Everyone with a grudge, he declared, has raked up some story and endeavored to connect it with the attorney's death.

The postponement of the inquest came as a surprise to the townspeople who had gathered expecting to hear the testimony of Mrs. Streed. She refused to give out any information on the subject of her husband's death, saying she would make all public at the inquest.

There appears to be more vigor to the official investigation than at any previous time, and it seems that the officers, who have clung tenaciously to the suicide theory, have become convinced that there is more than a possibility that the attorney was murdered.

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Perkins of High Finance

Remarkable Career of the New York Life's Vice President

Personal Side of a Man Who is an Insur-
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From an Office Boy to Be-
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Quick, Impetuous
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Teacher and
Golf

GEORGE W. PERKINS has been called "the smartest man in New York." He is aware that he has been so called, and, furthermore, he is aware that the designation is correct. Now, there are many smart men who do not know it, and there are many who know it who are not smart men. Where the quality and the consciousness of the quality are found wrapped up in one personality they make a happy combination.

Mr. Perkins' estimate of his own worth is found in his recent rather remarkable testimony before the New York legislative committee which is charged with the investigation of the various insurance companies. Mr. Perkins, besides being a partner of J. Pierpont Morgan, also chairman of the finance committee of the steel trust and holding various other important positions in the world of money, is vice president of the New York Life Insurance company. Here is his deliberate statement:

"Now I want to say, and I want this on the record, that I believe I have

I will instruct you about your duties in detail when I reach Chicago. Trusting that you will succeed in fitting the place in a manner that will enable me always to make a favorable report in reference to your work, believe me, ever your affectionate father,
GEORGE W. PERKINS.

Exhibit B tells how the boy improved his opportunity, following the suggestions in the letter and going through several points better. Here it is in figure:

	Salary
1910—Office boy	\$20
1911—Clerk	\$25
1912—Cashier	\$30
1913—Agency representative and sales	\$40
1914—General agency director	\$50
1915—Third vice president	\$60
1916—Increase for same duties	\$70
1917—Second vice president	\$80
1918—Vice president, when he was promoted with the company	\$100
1919—Divided his time with J. P. Morgan & Co. and remained vice president at New York Life	\$150

How much he received as a partner of Morgan no one knows, but it was probably not less than \$200,000 or \$300,000 per year. From \$200 a year up to that figure, and all that in less

agents. It was only when called to New York to take charge of all the agents of the company in the world that the young man finally relinquished his cherished hope of becoming a photographer.

Another point worthy of note—Perkins had an idea. His scheme was for organizing the agency business. Before he was thirty he was given charge of the agencies in several states, where he could develop his plan. He himself testified that he then was given \$15,000 per year, the highest sum ever paid an agency director. So well did he succeed that shortly afterward the office of third vice president was created for him and he was given charge of all the agents, where he could work out his idea to the full.

There is a startling similarity between the careers of Perkins and George E. Tarbell, the real power in the Equitable. Both started in Chicago, both made their mark as agency directors, both were elected third vice presidents of their respective companies and both are given credit for working up the immense business brought in by their agents.

Taken Up by Morgan.

The story of how Perkins was taken up by Morgan is thus told: In addition to his many other duties the young insurance man had been intrusted by his fellow citizens with gathering a fund to purchase the famous Palisades along the Hudson river. One day he called on Morgan for a subscription. After signing his name for a liberal amount, Mr. Morgan pointed to a chair on the other side of his desk, and said: "I'll give you \$100,000 a year, Perkins. If you'll move over here and occupy that seat?"

"Are you joking?" inquired Mr. Perkins.

"Certainly not," said Mr. Morgan. "I feel the need of an energetic young man in this office and have had my eye on you for some time."

After further conversation Mr. Perkins agreed to take the offer under consideration, but finally declined it at the request of the directors of the New York Life Insurance company. A few weeks later Mr. Morgan renewed the proposition and offered him a partnership in the banking house of J. P. Morgan & Co.

Transacts Business on His Feet.

George Wallbridge Perkins was born in Evanston, Ill. He is only forty-three years old and hence is good for at least a quarter of a century more as a financial leader. He lives of his estate on the Hudson; is fond of the motor and golf; rises at 6:30 each morning; spends his forenoons at J. P. Morgan & Co.'s office; for many years he has made a specialty of international finance. At the beginning of his career he was noted for his security, suavity and frank and easy politeness. This was a novel element at Morgan's, where there had been something of an atmosphere of gruffness. In later years, the busy life he has led has told on the former Chicago insurance solicitor, and an increasing nervousness has been the result. He hardly ever sits, but spends most of his time walking about the office, transacting most of his business on his feet. He is under six feet in height and well proportioned. His eyes and hair are brown. He looks not unlike George J. Gould. He is a quick and impetuous talker, and while giving his testimony often stopped and asked the reporters—court and newspaper—if he



GEORGE W. PERKINS.

was going too fast for them. He does not dress expensively, and is demure in manner.

He has frequently said that he will never sever his connection with the New York Life, as his soul is wrapped up in that. His life work lies there. Mr. Perkins has handled more foreign loans, one of them being for \$100,000,000 to M. Witte while that statesman was finance minister of Russia. It was in a negotiation with Perkins that M. Rothstein, the great Russian financier and president of the International Bank of Commerce, came to America.

Mr. Perkins says of himself, "I am an instance of what a young man can do in this country." And, again, "Hard work and strict attention to business have been my rule through life."

Returning to that testimony—one of the most startling things Mr. Perkins said, perhaps the most startling to the student of economic and social questions, was this: "The old idea that competition is the life of trade is an exploded idea. Competition is no longer the life of trade; it is co-operation."

That coming from the lips of a man in the position of George W. Perkins is at least significant.

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PALATINE LOCAL NEWS

Continued from page 1.

Miss Clara Krueger returned with her friend Miss Leverage, whom she has been entertaining at her home for a few days, and will visit at her home in South Chicago.

The Odd Fellows are raising their building, occupied by C. F. Rennebeck's meat market. They will make a basement for Mr. Rennebeck to use as a sausage factory and for rendering lard.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church, served its annual chicken pie supper last Friday evening to a good crowd, and quite a sum was realized for their treasury.

Rev. and Mrs. Hoffmeister and daughter Mary returned from a lengthy visit at Lena, Ill., this being where the pastor spent his summer vacation.

The Queen Esther Girls are calling upon the people of the town disposing of votes upon which a hospital shall have a certain quilt. Don't feel slighted if they haven't called upon you; they will see you later.

The school bell didn't ring for several days. Last Wednesday one of the boys was sent to ring it, something being disarranged with the sextant and it was several days before it was fixed. The drum was used in its place.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Hunt, who have been visiting the past three weeks in Cleveland, Ohio, spent Sunday with his mother Mrs. E. H. Hunt, on their return trip to their home at Terra Cotta.

Miss Lucille Paddock who was to have opened the Bradwell school Monday was delayed a week as repairs that are being made on the school house were not completed in time for the opening as planned.

Mrs. S. F. Sanford, formerly Miss Dolly Wilson of Detroit, Mich., who has been spending several weeks with relatives here in town, returned to her home last week. Dr. Gibbs accompanied her where she will spend some time.

A special election was held Saturday evening to fill two vacancies on the school board made by resignation of the two members of the board retiring from our town. G. C. Schultz to take M. L. Richmond's place and J. A. Burlingame to fill Geo. Stroker's place.

Miss Elmore Arps attended a class reception in Chicago Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Agnes Barker. The class have formed a club to meet once a month for social purpose alone, so the girls can meet and relate their experiences to one another as they get along teaching the A B C's to the rising generation.

Palatine will have a good strong football team this year. The Athletic Club have taken an interest in the team and will help by furnishing players and the High School boys do the playing. A managing committee with Henry Pullman as chairman has been appointed and the schedule is being made out. A game with the boys of Woodstock this school year over the season. The management will endeavor to secure as strong teams as possible, as near the boys' weight and size as can be. The boys are doing some hard practice so as to be in first-class condition when the time comes for the first game, as they are planning to be the winners each time.

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GEORGE W. PERKINS TESTIFYING.

been the one most influential factor in the New York Life in bringing the hundreds of thousands of people into the company who are now there."

That might sound conceited in another mouth, but the fact that every one familiar with the history of the New York Life must recognize the truth of the claim eliminates that element. Mr. Perkins truly has been the one most influential factor in writing the immense amount of insurance secured by the company. He knows it and frankly says so. No hiding of that light under a bushel. Investigating committees please take notice.

Could Talk Better Standing Up.

There are other noteworthy items in that testimony. Most of them were introduced voluntarily—in fact, one paper accused Mr. Perkins of making stump speeches from the witness box. This idea was perhaps borne out by the fact that the witness disclaimed a chair; said he could talk better standing up. Then, he did not wait for questions—simply went on telling his life history regardless. And it was so interesting that no one bothered him for some time. He began at the beginning. He told how he had started as an office boy for the New York Life at fifteen years of age. His father was some sort of an official in the company and his name was also George W. Perkins. Here is the way young George got in, according to his own story. The following letter may be termed Exhibit A:

Pittsburg, March 27, 1898.
Dear George—I have obtained the position for you in the New York Life to act for the present as my clerk for the salary of \$50 per month, commencing April 1, 1898. It is a position of great responsibility and will require your utmost improvement in spelling and writing, which will need to be very rapid. You won your way to attend to everything given you to do promptly, without making any blunders. And if in every respect you are honest, truthful and faithful to your duties it will lead naturally to some better position. Mr. Morgan hopes that you will prove to be the best man for the company.

than a quarter of a century, is something of a jump.

Starting Testimony.

Exhibit C in Mr. Perkins' testimony is probably the most sensational of all. In that many things were said, but the one thing that has excited most interest throughout the country was the admission by the witness that the New York Life had paid into the national campaign fund of the Republican committee in the last three campaigns a sum aggregating nearly \$150,000. This, money, he said, had been paid on the order of President John A. McCall without the knowledge of the finance committee. No one can measure the effect of this statement. It is liable to lead to unexpected legislation. But this article is not a study of politics, but of a man. The man is an interesting outgrowth of modern business conditions. He testified to many other startling things. One was that as vice president of the New York Life he said to himself as partner of J. P. Morgan \$500,000 worth of bonds. This happened one Saturday evening. The next Monday morning he as a member of the firm of J. P. Morgan said back to himself as vice president of the New York Life the same \$500,000 worth of bonds. As an interesting aside it may be remarked that it was at about this time that the state insurance examiner dropped in. This episode is merely mentioned to show that there are some things in high finance the layman can scarcely understand.

Dreamed of a Photographic Career.
There are many little side lights on Mr. Perkins' career that reveal much. For example, it was his life ambition to be a photographer. He accepted the place as office boy to earn enough money to buy a camera. He still dreams of a photographic career when he became a bookkeeper. The aspiration was yet with him when he was made insurance solicitor. Nor had he forgotten it when he became a director of

Barrington Local Happenings Told In Short Paragraphs

Friday, October 6, 1905

High Hawley spent Monday in Chicago.

Mrs. E. M. Hacks spent Wednesday in Chicago.

Geo. M. Wagner was a Chicago visitor Monday.

Assessor Howe of Lake Forest was here Monday on business.

Leroy Powers transacted business in Chicago Monday.

John C. Plague transacted business in Chicago Thursday.

An interesting rally was held at the M. E. church Saturday evening.

Mrs. Minnie Groff, mother of Ed. C. Groff, is seriously ill at her home.

Fred Bauman is serving on the criminal jury in Chicago this week.

E. F. Lamey was drawn on the Cook county grand jury for October.

Miss Fern Hatchison is in charge of the Wauconda telephone exchange.

Wanted—Girl for general housework. Apply to Dr. Weichert, Barrington.

Chris. Hartz and family moved Thursday to their new home just west of town.

Messames Wm. Meister and Walbaum went to Elgin Thursday to visit their brother.

Wm. Mills, a practical plumber and tinner from the east, is now employed at H. D. A. Grebeck's.

Rev. Geo. Johnson of Naperville, preached two able sermons at the Zion church last Sunday.

The Rev. F. N. Lamham left Tuesday to attend the Rock River conference at Freeport.

Wm. Biecke and family, who live on the Kendall farm, expect to move to Barrington March 1.

Peter Rasmussen has rented the flat in the Lamey building, recently occupied by H. Porter.

A furnace is being placed in St. Ann's church. L. F. Schroeder is doing the work.

Ground was broken Thursday on Williams street for a new cottage to be erected by J. E. Helo.

E. B. Clark of Colorado Springs returned to Colorado Friday after a visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Meyer and "At Home" on Superior street, on the corner side, after Oct. 8.

Miss Margie Rogers of Bensenville, who here over Sunday visiting her sister, Mrs. E. W. Simpson.

Ed Wescman was summoned as a juror in the county court Monday, but upon request was excused.

The Chicago papers this morning publish the marriage record of A. C. Williams and Miss A. L. Minor.

Herb Gieske left Thursday evening for Chicago where he will continue his studies at a veterinary college.

Misses Esther Wiseman, Della Edridge and Irene Wiseman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schulz Sunday.

Mrs. J. J. Hewett of Pennsylvania visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Alversen Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Eliza Ryan returned this week from a visit in St. Louis to her home with her daughter Mrs. E. O. Williams.

Mrs. Mary Snack, mother of Mrs. Lupton, and Miss Emma Snack have gone to Arlington Heights for the winter.

H. Rogman and family moved this week from the flat in the Creamery building to Howard street, corner Franklin and Williams.

Elmer Peckham will preach in the M. E. church next Sunday both morning and evening. Everybody is most cordially invited.

Mrs. Emil Schrade and daughter, Emma, left Wednesday for a two weeks' visit with Mr. Schrade's sister, Mrs. C. Plake, at Springfield, Ill.

Mrs. M. G. Martin and two sons of Elgin returned to their home Sunday after spending the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Waterman.

Mrs. Kendall is still making improvements on her farm, which is now considered one of the finest and best equipped farms in Lake county.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoffman, of Spring Valley, Ill., accompanied by their three children, visited Friday and Saturday with Miss Margaret Lamey.

Among the Barrington faces at the Driving Park last Saturday to see Dan Patch leave his record were Mrs. Kendall, Frank Hawley and Sam Seibert.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Abbott came Saturday from Hoopeston, Ill., to remain in Barrington indefinitely. They are at the home of G. H. Comstock.

Miss Alta Gieske left last week for Naperville where she has accepted a position in Carl Broeker's store. Mr. Broeker formerly conducted the store now owned by W. N. Landner.

The Y. M. C. A. will give an entertainment in the near future. Our citizens should make it a point to patronize the young men, and thereby help sustain a most meritorious society.

A D. Church went to Gilmer Wednesday to visit George Jones, who has been very ill. Mr. Church reports Mr. Jones as very much improved and it is hoped he will soon have entirely recovered.

A regular meeting of the Knights of the Globe will be held in their hall next Monday evening. All members are urgently requested to be present as important business will come before the meeting.

Samuel Lipsky, formerly of this place, and a brother of Charles Lipsky, conducting a general merchandise store in Barrington, will remove from Crystal Lake to Palatine next week and engage in the merchandise business.

Mrs. Prudence Billinger died at her home in Elgin on Friday, September 29, aged 32 years. Mrs. Billinger was a sister of Elijah Proenty, of this place, and he and his family attended the funeral, which took place at Elgin Sunday.

In a recent issue we stated that Dr. Simmons, dentist, would remove his office to his future residence at Cook and Hawley streets. We were in error. He will still maintain his office with Dr. Shearer in the Laze schulte block.

The State Sunday School Association of the United Evangelical church in session at Naperville this week. Messrs. Louis Plager, Rose Laze, Leander, Kerber Kampert and W. N. Landner represent the Salem church at the convention.

Quite a spirited game of ball was played Sunday afternoon at Spring Lake between the Barrington and Spring Lake baseball teams. Spring Lake winning by a score of 11 to 9. A large number of the local "fans" went out to see the game and "root" for their home team.

Ed Landwehr and sister, Miss Ivy, and Sam Lutz at Dr. Plake's guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson.

Mrs. Patterson before her marriage taught school near Barrington and made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Landwehr.

The Y. P. F. E. will give a Quaker Day, Friday, October 13. A short but good program will be rendered. Refreshments will be served. The young ladies will wear costumes appropriate for the occasion.

Charles H. Morrison, who has been on THE REVIEW staff the past five years severed his connection with the issue of last week. Mr. Morrison is a practical newspaper man who will find no difficulty in securing another position.

Attorney Louis Bennett, Charles Thies, Wm. Welch and Frank Will, north of Lakeview, are going to Tain Lakes, Wis., for a week's hunting and fishing. The trip was made overland, and the party will occupy Fred Bennett's cottage during their stay at Tain Lakes.

Philip Young will give his first grand dance in Oakwood hall Saturday evening, Oct. 7. Music will be furnished by a well-known Chicago orchestra, and a prize will be awarded the best dancer. The dance promises to be one of the most enjoyable ever given at Lake Zurich, and a cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

Services at the Baptist church next Sunday will be as follows: 10:30 a. m., "A Broader Vision"; 11:45 a. m., Bible School; 6:45 p. m., B. Y. P. E., "The Christian's Trials and Triumphs." The subject for the evening service (7:30 o'clock), will be "The Young Man in School and College." Strangers are welcome to all the services of the church. The Male Quartette will sing both morning and evening.

Miss Sadie Bloch finished a thirteen month course at the Metropolitan Business college, Chicago, in the record breaking time of a little over eleven months, and at the conclusion her services were retained by the college management by placing her on the college office force.

The Institute for primary, junior and intermediate workers will be held in the M. E. church Wednesday, Oct. 11, 1905, afternoon and evening, under the auspices of the Cook County Sunday-school Association. All Sunday-school workers, parents and friends are cordially invited to attend. An excellent program has been arranged.

Eleanor, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Butzow departed this life this morning at 2 o'clock after a prolonged illness, aged 3 years. The funeral service will be held at the family residence to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The remains will be taken over the 7 o'clock train to Marseilles, Ill., where interment will take place Sunday. Obituary next week.

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Cash buying and selling is best for everybody. Our prices and quantities are the best, our goods and values in any way you like.

LADIES' CLOAK AND COAT BARGAINS. Latest style 1 length Coats \$6.95; elegant long Broadcloth Coat with fancy Check Collar \$7.95; heavy black Peppercorn Coats, with brown fur collar \$9.95. Note that though in the latest style, all these are less than \$10.00.

BLANKET VALUES. Heavy 11-4 Blankets 75c; 1 size Blankets 25c; thick 12-4 Blankets 18c. No number sizes and compare with any other prices like them.

UNDERWEAR SALES.

Men's Fleece Shirts or Drawers 2 for 50c; lot of over three hundred 25 to 45c garments, choice 25c; Ladies' Fleece and mixed wool Underwear 25c; Child's Union Suits 15c; Ladies' Union Suits, fleece cotton, 25c.

NOTICEWORTHY ITEMS. Canvas Gloves 5c; 10 qt. Enamelled Water Pails 25c; large edge Flannel Petticoats 40c; Outing Flannel 4c yd.; Children's sample Cloaks, choice 60c; Ladies' white and blue 5c pair; new style Plaid Skirts, wool, \$2.00; Fall Waists, this week, 75c; Remember Dinner Ticket, Horse Ticket, Introduction Ticket and refund Car Fare.

Offer. Show round trip Railroad Tickets if you come by train.

C. F. HALL CO., Dundee.

Price of Milk.

Some complaint has been made, evidently by those not familiar with the facts, in regard to the test system used by the Bowman Dairy Co. for payment of milk.

The price paid for the past six months is above the average on a basis of a 3.65 test as shown by the following table:

Contract	Amount Paid	By Test
May	75	3.65
June	75	3.65
July	75	3.65
August	75	3.65
September	75	3.65

The above shows plainly that a premium has been paid for every month except June.

Number Your Mail Boxes.

The Post-office Department at Washington was soverwhelmed with protests since they issued their order requiring rural free-delivery carriers to deliver mail to numbered boxes on their route, that the order was amended, and as order now stands rural patrons are to complete the task of numbering their boxes, but in order to have deliveries made the mail must bear the name of the party for whom it is intended, whether the number of the boxes are on the envelope or package or not. The post was made on account of the advantage given the city mail order houses in that they would simply have to address their catalogues and advertising matter to Box 1, R. F. D. No. 1, or 2 or 3, to have it delivered, thereby ignoring the local retail merchants who only supply high-class goods, while as a rule the merchandise sent out by the mail order houses is of a very inferior quality.

Don't Borrow Trouble.

It is a bad habit to borrow anything, but the worst thing you can possibly borrow, is trouble. When sick, sore, heavy, weary and worried by the cares and worries of dyspepsia, biliousness, bright's disease, and other internal disorders, don't ask them to be cured over your symptoms, but try for relief to Electric Bitters. Here you will find sure and permanent relief of all your troubles. Your body will not be burdened by a load of debt disease. At Barrington Pharmacy. Price 25c. Guaranteed.

Card of Thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stephenofer desire THE REVIEW to convey their heartfelt thanks to their many friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted and sympathized with them in their recent affliction in losing their beloved daughter, Ethel.

New Cure for Cancer.

All surface cancers are now known to be curable by Buckle's Anker Salve, Jas. Walters, of Duffield, N. Y., writes: "I had a cancer on my lip for years, that seemed incurable. I had Buckle's Anker Salve healed it, and now it is perfectly well." Guaranteed cure for cuts and burns. 25c at Barrington Pharmacy.

Sealed Bids. Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned until Wednesday, 11th day of Oct., 1905, p. m. for the position of janitor for the new school building. Rules governing the same may be seen at the office of the president of the board of education or the secretary.

J. E. HIRSH, Sec. Bd. of Education.

Henry Killan Dead.

Henry Killan died at the home of his sister at McConnell, Ill., Saturday, aged 45 years. He recently suffered a stroke of paralysis from the effects of which he never recovered.

Mr. Killan was employed for a number of years by the E. J. & E. Ry. as car inspector at their junction. Two years ago he was obliged to resign on account of ill health. While in Barrington he made a host of friends. The funeral was held Tuesday from the residence of his sister at McConnell.

Milk Contracts.

Books will be opened for contracting milk at the office of the company at Barrington, Ill., on Monday, the 9th day of October, 1905, for the six months commencing November 1, 1905, and ending April 30, 1906.

BOWMAN DAIRY CO.

Obituary.

Mrs. Henrietta Hechtman Merger was born in Bavaria, Germany, April 15, 1821, and died at the home of Mrs. Henrietta Torgler, Palatine, Oct. 2, 1905, where she has made her home for the last eight years. She was married to Dr. Merger and removed to American (1852) residing in several different places until 1868, when they removed to Wheeling, where they resided until 1867 when they removed to Palatine, where they have since resided. Three years after they moved to Palatine Dr. Merger died. Three daughters were born to Dr. and Mrs. Merger, two of whom, Mrs. J. H. Schell of Philadelphia, Pa., and Mrs. Patrick of Grapeland, survive the deceased.

Mrs. Merger was a woman who endeavored to do all within her power for a cheerful disposition and generous hearted nature. She was a very charitable woman, always ready and willing to assist in every way within her power. The deceased has been in feeble health for several years. She was a member of the Germania Society and German Women's Relief Corps. The funeral was held Friday, and a large number of friends attended the services for the last time. The burial taking place at Wheeling, beside the remains of her husband.

Dairy Farm for Sale—120 acres, good buildings, extra fine soil, 4 miles from Dundee and Barrington. sacrifice price—\$25,000, part cash, balance 5 per cent. Send your name on postal for farm list. Volney & Reese, Dundee, Ill.

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We also purchased two lots of Men's Working Pants, made up extra good, that we shall close out at \$1.00 and \$1.25 a pair.

New lot of Men's and Boy's Overalls at a very low price. For this week 50 cents a pair.

Men's and Boy's Shirts

Just to show you what we can do, we sell the best line of Men's and Boy's Shirts this week at 50 cents each.

A New Line of Men's Furnishing Goods has been opened for your inspection.

Men's and Boy's Hats and Caps

We bought a large new stock of Men's and Boy's Hats and Caps, which we have marked at special low prices for this sale.

Underwear

We carry a very nice line of Underwear, for Men's, Ladies' and Children. For this sale we shall make a special effort on our 25c and 50c line of Underwear. Come to us—we can save you money.

Men's Shoes

We want you to try our Men's \$2.00 Dress Shoes—there is none better. You can pay \$3.50 and \$4.00 a pair—an extra 50c or \$1.00 a pair—but you can save that by buying our \$2.00 shoes. Latest styles. Every pair guaranteed.

Boy's School Shoes

The kind of School Shoes that you are looking for. Extra good wear. Extra good values \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 a pair.

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Drop in a card or call. We have a low price this week on a new four-drawer oak drop-leaf, latest attachments.

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