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## BIG CHURCH WEDDING

**Miss Nora Plagge and William Sodi Were Married Wednesday Evening.**

Miss Nora Plagge was married Wednesday evening to William Sodi in the Salem church at half past seven. The church was completely filled with the large number of people who gathered to witness the marriage of these two popular and admired young people. Miss Plagge is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Plagge and is about twenty-one years old. Mr. Sodi is the second son of Mrs. Hannah Sodi and is twenty-four years of age.

The ceremony was read by the Rev. A. Haelele, the pastor of the parish. The bride couple was attended by Miss Lydia Sodi, sister of the groom, and Herbert Plagge, brother of the bride. The wedding party entered the church with Mr. Sodi and Mr. Plagge. Miss Sodi preceded the bride, dressed in white and carrying pink roses. Miss Plagge wore a dainty gown of white mousseline and carried a bride's bouquet of white roses. Miss Selma Torgler played the ever beautiful Lohengrin's wedding march during the entrance and the strains of "Home, Sweet Home" significantly sounded during the marriage which took place under an arch of white asters, evergreen and crepe paper arrangement; the entire church was trimmed in streamers and fringed crepe paper of green and white.

To the melody of Mendelssohn's wedding march, the newly married ones left the church and with invited friends assembled at the residence of the bride's parents on Cook street where a reception was held, nearly one hundred attending. The home was decorated in the fall field flowers, foliage and sunnys, while the dining-room, where a fine supper was served, was done in white carnations and similar. The reception was also the occasion of the christening of the infant daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Albert Geiske, Mildred Luella Geiske. Mrs. Geiske is a sister of the new Mrs. William Sodi.

Both of these young people are unusually well known in Barrington for many reasons. They are members of prominent families of the town, were born and raised here and finished the school advantages here. They have been associated actively in all the religious and social work of the Salem church of which they are members, and have mingled in the social affairs of the town. Mrs. Sodi is a musician, being a member of the Girls' Cornet Band and until recently a singer in the church choir; she is a teacher of a class of boys in the Sunday school. Since leaving school in 1902 she has assisted at her father's store and no young woman ever has been more generally liked than Nora Plagge for her happy, sweet manner, her pretty face and her many good qualities and abilities. Mr. Sodi has always been a boy and young man of worthy characteristics, with an earnest interest in good principles. Since the organization of the Y. M. C. A. here he has given much time to the promotion of its association. His interest in athletic sports is keen, and he has been a steady player in the Y. M. C. A. ball team and the Olympic Tennis club. He is employed by the Dental Protective Supply company, Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Sodi began housekeeping at once in their beautiful home on Main street, known as the Dr. Little house which Mr. Sodi purchased this summer. The house had been previously arranged for them and few couples start married life with so many points of advantage that surround them. The Barrington Cornet Band in uniform serenaded them during the reception and about midnight when Mr. and Mrs. Sodi were preparing to leave Mr. Plagge's for their own home, friends seized them and forced them to sit in an old cart attached to a large wagon which was filled with joking people. Someone on horse back led the procession and after a trip around town, landed the new housekeepers at "Home, Sweet Home" which it is destined to be.

### Lost and Found.

Lost, between 9:30 p. m., yesterday and noon today, a billious attack, with nausea and sick headache. This loss was occasioned by riding at the Barrington Pharmacy a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Guaranteed for biliousness, malaria and jaundice. 25c.

### William Franklin Hall.

William Franklin Hall was born in Wayne county, Michigan, September 8th, 1854. At the age of eight years he came to Illinois with his parents who settled on the Hall farm near Honey lake. He lived in this vicinity until the age of thirty, when he made his home in Gliner, Lake County, where he married, Miss, Susie Scott, November 21, 1889. Two children were born of this union, Misses Mabel and Grace.

April 2nd, 1905, his wife was taken from him by the dreaded disease, consumption. He lived with his daughters, on his farm until the next March, when he moved back to his old home. His health was broken, but he kept around until about thirteen weeks before he died. After four weeks sickness at home the doctor decided that an operation was necessary. He was taken to the Augustana Hospital, Chicago, July 3rd, where he remained until his death, September 4th, 1907, at the age of forty-nine years, having died within a few hours of his birthday. Wednesday evening, at 9:50 o'clock. While at the hospital he won the good will of doctors and nurses by his cheerful fortitude through all his suffering. He leaves a mother, two sisters and two daughters to mourn his loss.

Mr. Hall was a man respected by all friends and business acquaintances for an honest, good, industrious fellow whose many efforts to help others were beyond his strength. At one time he was a candidate for Sheriff of Lake county.

### Little James McCabe Dead.

Dear Little James McCabe, aged four years, is dead, having passed from this life early Thursday morning after a three weeks' severe illness with tubercular meningitis. The boy was the only child of Mr. and Mrs. James McCabe of Chicago; Mrs. McCabe was formerly Miss Belle Dohmeyer of Barrington. Three weeks ago today the mother and boy came here to visit Mrs. Sarah Dohmeyer and a sudden attack immediately followed a slight illness in the city. It was known from the beginning of the illness that there was no hope of recovery. James was born August 12, 1902. The funeral will be a simple service at the Dohmeyer home Saturday, September 14, at one o'clock with Rev. F. N. Lapan in attendance. Burial will be in Evergreen cemetery. The friends who are grieved at the death of this little boy who has been remarked everywhere for his unusually bright mind and physical beauty.

### Where the Teachers Live.

The school teachers are located as follows—Miss Olive Hurlbut, high school, is living at Mrs. George Knaggs, phone 8; Miss Cora Ellis, high school is at Miss Eva Castle; Miss Mattie Hodgkins, seventh and eighth grades, is at Mrs. Delos Church's; as is also Miss Alice. Today, sixth grade, and they board at Mrs. Ida Bennett's, telephone 553; Miss Dickenson, fourth and fifth grades, is also at Mrs. Bennett's; Miss Bernice Hawley, third, lives at her home on Grove avenue, phone 502; Miss Florence Smith, second, returns to her home in every night, and Miss Grace Burrows lives at Freeman's.

### Pupils in School.

Teachers and pupils have become acquainted and are adjusting themselves to one another's ways with very little friction. The number in charge of each teacher:

|                | Boys | Girls |
|----------------|------|-------|
| Miss Burrows   | 17   | 16    |
| Miss Smith     | 14   | 19    |
| Miss Hawley    | 24   | 18    |
| Miss Dickenson | 24   | 20    |
| Miss Cookley   | 17   | 21    |
| Miss Hodgkins  | 22   | 24    |
| High School    | 21   | 45    |
| Total          | 160  | 260   |

### J. H. Jones Dies in California.

The Livermore Herald, Livermore, California, published on August 31st, the death of Joel M. Jones who died August 27th of heart disease at his home in Livermore. He was a native of New York and many years ago was a resident of this vicinity living on a farm west of town and will be remembered by older residents. He was an active Methodist and a Mason.

### Economical Facts.

Any man who is living today without a telephone in his home, at a cost of a few cents per day, is refusing to economize, saving its cost and we have rates for all purposes. Chicago Telephone Company?

## Mr. William Dollar, Good Citizen.

In a certain western town lives a gentleman whose name is William Dollar. They call him Dollar Bill when they get funny. But Mr. Dollar is a dignified, enterprising, good citizen.

Not every Dollar Bill is a good citizen. Many of them are prone to ignore the claims of their own community and run away to a big city to be spent. Many millions of Dollar Bills have left the smaller towns for the overgrown cities this present year of our Lord.

How many Dollar Bills have gone out of THIS TOWN—left home and gone to some big city, never to return?

Every time a Dollar Bill leaves town it takes a two-cent stamp with it, for it goes to a Mail Order Store. That helps the postmaster a little, but it doesn't help the local merchant. It means just so much less trade for him.

Which means just so much less cash circulating in this community.  
Which means just so much more social and business stagnation.  
Which means the stunting of the town's growth just to that extent.

If you could figure up the Dollar Bills that leave town in this secret manner, like taking French leave—which you can't—you would know just how much the town is stunted by indulgence in this mail order stunt.

If these Dollar Bills were really good and enterprising citizens they would stay at home and circulate around, helping things along.

How many of YOUR Dollar Bills take the midnight express out of town on the Envelope Route?



### Health in the Canal Zone.

The high wages paid make it a mighty temptation to our young artisans to join the force of skilled workmen needed to construct the Panama Canal. Many are restrained however by the fear of fevers and malaria. It is the knowing ones—those who have used Electric Bitters, who go there without this fear, well knowing they are safe from malarious influence with Electric Bitters on hand. Cures blood poison, biliousness, weakness and all stomach, liver and kidney troubles Guaranteed by Barrington Pharmacy. 25c.

### Sunday School Rally.

The annual Methodist Sunday school rally will be held in the Methodist church on next Sunday morning at half past ten. All who are in any way interested in the Methodist Sunday school are most cordially invited to attend this rally. An excellent program will be given by the members of the school.

### You'll See.

When the frost is on the pumpkin And the bleak winds coldly moan You'll hesitate to walk the streets Bitter on hand. Cures blood poison. We have rates for any purpose. Chicago Telephone Company.

### Special Notice.

All who order telephones within thirty days will secure service without delay. Cold weather may prevent prompt attention to your order after October 15. Order before it is too late. Chicago Telephone Company.

### Experience Social.

The Dorcas society of the Baptist church will give an experience social and supper, Friday evening, Sept. 20, in the church parlors. Supper will be served from 5 to 8 o'clock. Come and get a good supper for 20 cents.

Buy your paints, oils, varnishes, brushes, etc., at LANEY & COMPANY.

### Bridal Shower.

A "miscellaneous bridal shower" was the occasion of a very amusing evening on Tuesday night when the Misses Dolan of Cook street gave the party in honor of Miss Helen Dolan, of Grove avenue, whose marriage to James Leonard, of Lake Geneva, Wisconsin, occurs soon. The Ladies of St. Ann's Sewing circle and young lady friends to the number of over thirty gathered early in the evening at the Dolan home to surprise Miss Dolan when she arrived later with friends to call.

The house was most profusely decorated with red and white paper hearts in all sizes, red and white paper streamers and bells and a table arranged with a large crepe paper basket adorned with Cupids and hearts for the deposit of gifts. They were ninety in number and were beautiful articles in china, silver, cut glass and household linens, many being sent by friends unable to attend. The bride-to-be was greatly pleased with her presents and was the target for many a joke as she opened the packages. Miss Marie Dolan had planned several amusements for the entertainment of the guests and a contest of balancing a peanut on a knife and carrying it safely to a distant dish was won by Mrs. Rose McGill of Lake Geneva, a niece of Mr. Leonard's who carried twenty peanuts, one by one, safely to their destination despite hindrances. Mrs. Michael Flynn of St. Louis landed seventeen. Mrs. Henry Dolan, Miss Francis Lamy, and Mrs. Miles Lamy each carried one peanut about three feet. A mold of four surrounded by a plain band wedding ring was sliced by each in turn, until finally Mrs. F. O. Wilmarth cut it down and was supposed to find the hidden ring with her tongue, but she wouldn't play. Each guest was blind folded and made to cut down hanging paper bags containing a souvenir, which were little Japanese articles and favors.

### New School Law.

With the opening of the public schools the results of the new compulsory school law, which has raised obligatory school age to sixteen years is to be foreshadowed. Formerly the law required only the children between 7 and 14 must be sent to school. The last legislature increased this maximum age two years. Instead of children being allowed to quit school and go to work at 14, as has been done, they will now have to go to school two years longer, unless circumstances of dire necessity force them to labor. Then, if the employment is one lawful under the factory act, 200, if the proper certificates are obtained from school authorities, the children may go to work when they are fourteen—Waukegan Sun, September 1.

### A Hu mane Appeal.

A humane citizen of Richmond, Ind., Mr. C. D. Williams, 107 West Main St., says: "I appeal to all persons with weak lungs to take Dr. King's New Discovery, the only remedy that has helped me and fully come up to the proprietor's recommendation." It saves more lives than all other throat and lung remedies put together. Used as a cough and cold cure the world over. Cures asthma, bronchitis, croup, whooping cough, quinsy, hoarseness, and phthisis, stops hemorrhages of the lungs and builds them up. Guaranteed at Barrington Pharmacy. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

### Board Meeting.

Barrington, Illinois, September 9. Village board met in regular session with President George Springer in the chair and all members present. Besides a goodly number of citizens. The regular routine business was transacted. The matter of the Chicago Telephone Company ordinance for placing certain wires under ground was tabled. The communication signed by residents of Washington street requesting gravel on said street between Elm and North Hawley streets was referred to the Street Committee. The Village Clerk was instructed to write Supt. Peachin of the C. & N. W. Ry. in regard to the whistling of engines at the water tank.

L. H. BENNETT, VILLAGE CLERK.

### The Touch That Heals

Is the touch of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's the happiest combination of Arnica flowers and healing balsams ever compounded. No matter how old the sore becomes this Arnica Salve will cure it. For burns, scalds, cuts, wounds or piles, it has no equal. Guaranteed by Barrington Pharmacy. 25c.

## PALATINE LOCAL NEWS

**What the People are Doing in Palatine and the Vicinity.**

Allen Bennett and family are visiting his parents.

William Davenport has sold his home to William Thies.

Few Palatine people went to the Lake County fair this year.

Mrs. Frank Waigh went to a hospital last week for treatment.

B. L. Smith has arrived in town for a short visit with old friends.

Mrs. George Stroker and children were here for two days this week.

Mesdames Hansenberg and Stroker have broken ground for their new home.

Charles V. Julian left Tuesday for an Indiana University to take a full course.

John Arps and family, Ruby Anderson and Ida Washer of Cary were here Sunday.

H. P. K. Bicknose and wife spent a few days in the city with their children.

Phil Arps and family are at home for a few days. Mr. Arps has a sprained ankle.

John Williams and wife spent Sunday here. Also Mrs. T. Heimerdinger and daughter.

Miss Mary Baker on Tuesday accompanied an aunt to the lady's home in Columbus, Ohio.

Mrs. Alma Smith of Des Plaines entertained the relatives Tuesday. All had a fine time.

Miss Elmore Arps is in Milwaukee for ten days where she has engagements for vocal work.

Mrs. Tom Cawlow, Dan Henegro, and Mrs. Otto Olson of Evanston were in town Sunday.

John Umbenstock has sold his home to Mr. Lenny and will build on the lot he bought of Charles Lytle.

A. C. Bennett and wife left Wednesday for Cameron, Missouri, called there by the death of Mr. Bennett's sister.

Say, did you hear about the fall game? Well, Harrington was beaten again, 9 to 1. Boys, have you had enough?

### Lecture Thursday Evening.

Rev. W. A. Shutte, Presiding Elder of Chicago district of the Evangelical Association, delivered a lecture on "Twentieth Century Knighthood" at the Zion church Thursday evening. A rather small audience gathered to listen to a very fine address well worth crowded seats. Mr. Shutte's line of talk was a comparison of the meaning of "Knighthood" in the Dark Ages and its application to present day life. He advocates one universal church, temperance and self made men. During the discourse which was delivered in an enthusiastic and good oratorical manner with a splendid voice, he took a rap at the evils existing in Barrington and also at the Lutheran, Presbyterian, Congregational and Catholic churches, saying at the same time that he did not wish to speak against any institutions.

### Is Life Worth A Few Cents?

Autumn is the time for croup, colds and pneumonia. A telephone costs only a few cents per day and can summon a doctor instantly. You are not too poor to afford this protection, we have a rate for any purpose. Chicago Telephone Company.

### Life.

may depend upon the condition of your watch. I am bound to give satisfaction in repairing watches, jewelry and clocks. Work guaranteed.

W. K. BURKHARDT.

### Advertised Letters.

The following letters remain uncalled for at the Barrington Post Office

JOHN BATES  
CHAS. BENJAMIN  
ARTHUR JANN  
R. K. KIMBER  
MISS EMMA MEIERHOFF  
MRS. A. L. MOWRE  
MRS. LOUISE MEIER  
MR. NAWSON  
GEO. WILFORD  
H. K. BROCKWAY, P. M.



nine like sore eyes, sore throat and  
mouth, by direct local treatment. Its cur-  
ative power over these troubles is extra-  
ordinary and gives immediate relief.  
Thousands of women are using and re-  
commending it every day. As costs as  
druggists or by mail. Remember, however,  
IT COSTS YOU NOTHING TO TRY IT.  
THE M. PATTON CO., Boston, Mass.



# The Castle Lies

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CHAPTER XIX.—Continued.

And when she had summoned assistance? When the castle was stormed, as it were, by gendarmes? My right peril would be extreme.

It was hopeless to prevent the inevitable. The rescue of Captain Forbes would be accomplished; my complicity in the intrigues of Dr. Starva and Madame de Varner would be taken for granted. Expostulations would be useless. My very presence in the chateau would be evidence of my guilt.

And so I had played my desperate game to no purpose.

To save myself—that was my one thought. Two courses lay before me. Could I make my escape? I thought Forbes? Could I effect his release before Helena returned with help? If that were possible, and if I could hastily make my position clear to the king's messenger, all might yet be well. At least so far as the establishment of my innocence was concerned.

Or I might overtake Helena Brett. To her I might make my confession. And if she were persuaded, not only that I was acting in her interests, but that my plan to clear up Sir Mortimer's disappearance promised success, I might even now be saved.

It was my fear that she would scornfully refuse both to believe my story and to accept my aid that made me hesitate as to this course.

It was Dr. Starva who decided for me.

He had appeared on the terrace below, and he was following Helena Brett.

I had read Captain Forbes's message as well as Helena's. Why, then, could there not have been a third person interested in the strange antics of the mirror? If Dr. Starva or Madame de Varner had read the message? They had not hesitated to use desperate expedients to gain their purpose. Would Dr. Starva hesitate to use means as desperate to prevent Helena from summoning help?

I asked myself this startling question as I took the stairs two at a time to the great hall. The main entrance was locked. For a moment I thought that I was a prisoner in the chateau as well as Captain Forbes. Even now I am not certain that such was not the intention of Madame de Varner. But Dr. Starva had gained the terrace by a small door close by the spiral staircase. In his haste he had forgotten to lock this door.

Desperate as was my own haste I took the precaution of locking the side door after me and placing the key in my pocket. My reasons for this were vague enough. It was an instinct that prompted me to take the precaution rather than deliberate reflection. But perhaps I might be able to regain the chateau in due time by this side entrance, and none be the wiser. For as far as I knew I had effected my exit unobserved.

In the meanwhile I ran swiftly after Helena and Dr. Starva. I had lost sight of both. I soon came to an end of the promenade. It led directly into the main street of the village. Now that I had gained the village street I looked eagerly about for them. Neither was in sight. I guessed that Helena Brett would make her way as soon as possible to the hotel where she was known. What hotel? That was the question.

I halted an urchin and asked him the name of the best hotel in Alterboffen. "Oh, the Grand hotel," he answered without hesitation; "that is where all the English lords and American millionaires stay."

Then let him take me hither; he tempted him with a franc.

"Evidently the gentleman is in a hurry."

I assured him that I was, and promised him two francs if I could reach the hotel before a lady whom I was following.

"Then, the gentleman must go by the short cut."

I sped after the urchin down the village street.

This street is one of the most quaint in the whole world. There are two stories of shops on either side. The pavement of the street begins to rise over; this covered passageway is the pavement for the second series of shops above. I was on the lower pavement, and this explains how I was able to reach a flight of steps, the cut the youngster had promised, before Helena or Dr. Starva.

At the foot of these steps the youngster halted, assuring me that I should find the hotel when I had reached the top of the flight.

These steps pierced a wall of one of the houses of the village street. The flight was straight for the first 20 or so, then it turned curiously on a little landing at right angles. Here I was in semi-darkness. I groped my way for the continuance of the flight. The first series of steps began to rise again, had ended at a sort of porter's lodge. I learned afterwards that this was a private entrance to the hotel above and that in the glass-covered little room a porter was accustomed to sit.

I was still feeling my way cautiously by about (for I had not yet seen that the flight of steps was continued at right angles, and the steps were broken and uneven), when the circle of light at the foot of the steps leading into the street was blotted out. At first I hoped it might be Helena. But it was a man, and he was leaping up the steps in desperate haste. I guessed it to be Dr. Starva. But I had no intention of letting him know that I was following him. I pressed close against the wall to let him pass. To my astonishment he darted into the empty porter's lodge and crouched down in the gloom. I held my breath, watching, hardly an arm's length from where he stood motionless.

Again the circle of light was blotted out. A woman was rapidly ascending the steps. I could hear her catching her breath. It was Helena on her way to the hotel for aid.

And now I am forced to a confession that will deepen the sympathy or contempt felt for me when I related the tragedy at the beginning of my narrative. But I have determined to make myself no secret.

For now again came that curious paralysis of will. Again, as in the tragedy of the Alps, horror robbed me for the moment of power to act instantly. I had caught the glint of

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for myself, I was cynically unmoved. I received her thanks almost guiltily and a little sullenly.

"I little thought," she continued dreamily, "that you, of all men, would save my life. It savors a good deal of the melodramatic, does it not? It is very strange."

"At the best it was a lucky accident," Miss Brett, frankly, you are unhurt rather because the man was a bad shot than because of any assistance I gave you."

I spoke the words thoughtfully and quite sincerely. I knew only too well that my interference would have been too late had Dr. Starva's aim been more sure. It seemed to me little less than a miracle that Helena Brett should be unharmed. I could take no credit for that myself.

Far from that, I should tell her the absolute truth if I were honest. I would say to her: "On the contrary, I have proved myself to be a coward again—infinitely more so than when Willoughby lost his life. Then I was exhausted, physically powerless. Now I have failed—still by the fatal three seconds—because terror held me spell-bound for the moment. It makes little difference, so far as my courage or cowardice is concerned, that you are living while Willoughby died. In either case I have been equally weak. That was what I should say to her if I were an honest man."

But I did not. You see I am frank in these confessions. Really, then, I am showing that in this instance I was even a greater coward than before. For then I at least told the truth. I did not conceal from her the blow-word Willoughby had spoken before he died. Now I was concealing from her the fact that I knew I deserved the reproach as cowardly.

We walked slowly toward the Grand hotel. Helena, I could see, was concerned with her own thoughts as much as I was. For a moment the shock of the accident had made her forget her

brother. If you are her friend, how can you be mine?"

"I have not said that I am her friend," I protested quickly.

"But you are at the chateau," she spoke the words obstinately. That fact was, in her eyes, an unanswerable argument.

"Yes, and I know that Captain Forbes is detained there; I know that he has just signaled to you that fact and has asked you to get help. And now I want you to leave the matter in my hands. I demand that as my right. It is a task I have set myself. Once you said to me that I should save a life for the life that was lost through me."

"You have already made that reputation, Mr. Haddon," she said almost humbly. "Faith has punished me that I should have judged you so hastily and so wrongly."

"No, not I will in fierce remonstrance. 'Will you never be just to me? That was an accident, I tell you.'"

"I do not like you less that you say so. It was hopeless to make her understand now. I should have confessed my cowardice sooner if I wished to be believed. She had judged as at Lucerne, and her judgment caused me much the greater pain."

"Listen," I drew her to a garden seat. "A life for a life—that is what you said. But if, instead of a life, it was a mere honor that I could save—if it were the honor of your brother?"

Her lips trembled. She leaned toward me in her appeal.

"Yes," she said faintly, her eyes bright with unshed tears. "We need a friend so much now. We are in such deep distress because of my poor brother. Evidently you know of his disappearance. He has not been seen since he was last seen."

"I know something of it," I said with sympathy. "Tell me, Miss Brett, do I not bear a marked resemblance to your brother?"

"At first sight it is startling," she cried eagerly. "When my mother and I saw you at Lucerne we thought you were he. When we learned that you were not, we were disappointed. But your eyes, your features, your manner, they all remind me so much of him."

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## Illinois State News

Recent Happenings of Interest in the Various Cities and Towns.

### BRIDE ATTEMPTS SUICIDE.

Fear of Opposition of Husband's Parents is Supposed Cause.

Peoria.—Mrs. Pauline Major of this city attempted to take her life at Eureka by shooting herself in the breast. The young woman had been employed as a domestic in the family of Joseph Major and his son Ray fell in love with her and married her despite the opposition of his parents. After eloping the young couple moved to this city, where the husband was employed as a traveling salesman. Of late, through the influence of his parents, he has been making his home in Eureka for much of the time and his wife has occasionally visited him there. Fearing his parents would win her husband away from her he is believed to have caused the woman's despondency.

### TRIED HARD TO ESCAPE.

"Fainting Bertha's" Freedom Was But Short Lived.

Bartonsville.—Bertha Lubbecke, alias "Fainting Bertha," the most notorious woman pickpocket and sneak thief in America and since last December an inmate of the Joliet penitentiary, made a sensational escape from the ward in which she was confined, only to be recaptured while hiding in the basement of another building about an hour after she had fled from a second-story window by means of an improvised rope of bed sheets. Only last week Bertha attempted to obtain her release by pleading with Gov. Denes.

### Liquor Men in Unusual Appear.

Bloomington.—A unique appeal to the mayor of Bloomington by the Men and County Liquor Dealers' association is attracting much attention throughout central Illinois. The organization goes on record in a startling manner as "The Men and County Liquor Dealers' association declares itself opposed to all violations of the law pertaining to the dramshop act, and pledges its members to the faithful observance of the same. Its members are particularly opposed to the open Sunday, and against the sale of liquor on that day. The association therefore requests the mayor and city council to take steps to see that it is actually brought about the desired end." So far as known, this is the first petition of the kind on record.

### \$2,500,000 Tax Confirmed.

Joliet.—The board of review of Will county confirmed the \$2,500,000 assessment against the sanitary district property in this county. The assessment had been made by the trustees of the district and the action of the board of review was followed by the declaration that the matter would be appealed to the supreme court. Commercial club has John Smith et al. actually bring about the desired end." So far as known, this is the first petition of the kind on record.

### Fortune Found in Old Safe.

Monmouth.—When an old safe in the modest cottage of Captain John Shepherd, 70 years old, a bachelor, formerly a blacksmith, who was found dead in his yard in Little Rock recently, was opened, securities and money aggregating \$10,000 were found. The house was a miniature arsenal. The estate was bequeathed to his niece Margaret Shepherd Pool, of Dunfermline, Scotland.

### Killed By Fall from Train.

Aurora.—The crew of a Burlington stock train found the dead body of James Fennell, an Elmira (N. Y.) real estate dealer, lying beside the tracks near Hickley. The body was not yet cold and it showed indications that Fennell had fallen from some passing train. Cards and letters in his pockets revealed his identity.

### Killed the Wrong Man.

Anna.—Fred Holland, a well known young resident of this city, was struck down and killed by a stranger here. The assailant when arrested said he had intended killing a foe, and stated that Holland was the man he sought. He mistook Holland for his enemy.

### Two Boys Killed by Train.

Ottawa.—Thomas Dunn and Francis Burke, boys, aged 13 and 14 years, were killed by a Burlington passenger train here.

### Says She Wed the Wrong Twin.

Paris.—Mrs. Addie Thomas brought suit for divorce from her husband, Calvin Thomas, alleging he had deceived her by telling her he was the twin brother of her husband, Alvin, whom he closely resembles.

### Will Vote on Local Option.

Jacksonville.—The matter of voting for local option in Jacksonville precinct and Morgan county at the election Nov. 5 next is now assured. The committee having this in charge make his announcement.

### ARRESTED FOR PERJURY.

Couple Arrested for Swearing Falsely to Get Marriage License.

Clinton.—Because they swore upon oath that they were both of legal age in order to obtain a marriage license in the DeWitt county clerk's office on August 2, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hobson have been arrested, charged with perjury. The bride is said to be only 14 years of age. It develops that the marriage was an elopement. The young man is 23 years of age, and his own master. Mrs. Hobson's maiden name was Ruby A. L. Vert, of Ellisville, and she swore that her age was 18 years. The parents of Mrs. Hobson, according to common report, are relentless and propose to push the case. Mrs. Hobson was released on bond furnished by her grandfather.

### Pleaser Church Torn Down.

Ridgely.—The old Cumberland Presbyterian church, midway between this village and Georgetown, which has stood the tempests for almost 60 years, has at last fallen prey to the ravages of time and has been torn down and removed.

### PROTEST SENT FROM PEORIA.

School Board Wants Dougherty and Donovan Separated.

Peoria.—The school board adopted resolutions demanding that Gov. Denes take steps to separate Newton C. Dougherty, former superintendent of the Peoria public schools, who was convicted of the theft of \$1,000,000, and John H. Donovan, also a prisoner in the Joliet penitentiary. The resolution cites that the two prisoners were implicated in the robbery of the Peoria school board safe last January, which was performed through the aid of a parolee, Newton C. Dougherty and Donovan have been assigned to the books in the Joliet penitentiary and have entered into a conspiracy. It is claimed that further interference with the business of the board of school inspectors of Peoria.

### Come For a Lucky Stranger.

Bloomington.—Louis L. Kramer came all the way from Yuma, Ariz. to marry a girl he had never seen. The bride was Miss Flora Weis, of Tazewell county. Kramer wrote to his wife, Mrs. Patterson, to find out where he would make a good wife, as he was leading a lonely life as a ranch in Arizona. Mrs. Patterson recommended her neighbor, Miss Weis, and correspondence was commenced, resulting in the wedding.

### Couple Wed Second Time.

Mount Vernon.—A. O. Hausman, aged 70, and Mrs. E. A. Dundy, aged 57, were married here Sept. 6. Because of the fact that when they secured a marriage license in Coles county 11 years ago they had the ceremony performed in another county, they remarried upon learning of the case of Oona Sims and Miss Oona Knight, who obtained a license in one county and married in another, necessitating a second marriage.

### Cavalry Arrives at Fort Sheridan.

Fort Sheridan.—Two hundred and twenty men, comprising the first squadron of the 10th Illinois cavalry, arrived at Fort Sheridan Sept. 7, after one of the longest marches in the history of the United States army. The command left Fort Riley, Kan., July 17, and the "hike" of 703 miles took just six weeks.

### Gaugh In Quickened Two Dies.

Peoria.—Standing upright in the Illinois river, the feet imbedded in quicksand, and with water reaching only to their necks, the bodies of Keeling Wilson and William Stinger, of Lacon, Ill., were found. Lying near by, covered by the water, was the body of Charles McEntee, the companion.

### Woman Forger Caught.

Kankakee.—Mrs. J. H. Massillon, of Kankakee, is under arrest in Canada on a charge of forgery alleged to have been committed in this county.

### Will Add a Million.

Peoria.—Approximately \$1,000,000 will be added to the assessment of real estate in the original town of Peoria by the board of review.

### Jordan Church to be Dedicated.

Riverton.—The new church at Jordan will be dedicated September 15. Rev. A. C. Ryerly will be in charge.

### Without Car Service.

Belvidere.—The Belvidere street railway is closed, following the action taken by Mayor W. L. Pierce, who charged that the operators of the trolley cars were in company are not being complied with.

### Lightning Kills Girl.

Peoria.—Lightning conveyed by a wire clothes line to the farmhouse from the orchard instantly killed little Freda M. Roberts, ten years of age, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts.



It Was an Unequal Struggle.

steel. I knew that Helena was doomed. I hurried myself instantly on the treacherous assassin.

I did indeed fling myself headlong on him, but only after he had fired. There was a crash of shattered glass; the shot of his revolver was still echoing in the stairway as I grappled with him.

It was an unequal struggle. I felt Dr. Starva's hairy hands close about my throat and I was huried backward.

### CHAPTER XX.

I Am Rudely Enlightened.

The force of the blow had stunned me for the moment. Presently I heard Helena calling for help. I struggled to my feet and leaned against the wall.

"Are you much hurt, sir?" she asked in French, in a cool, matter of fact voice. She did not recognize me in the semi-gloom.

"I am not hurt at all," I replied in English. "But I am sorry, Miss Brett, that that villain has made his escape."

"I fancy I heard some one rush after him," she continued, coming to me closer and trying to distinguish my features.

"I am Mr. Haddon," I said, quietly. She repeated the name vaguely.

"The coward," I added.

errand. Now that we were near the hotel it urged came to her with redoubled force. She was debating whether she should take me into her confidence. She was saying to herself, "I was sure, that it would be my generous reprieve for her unjust censure of me on the terrace of the hotel at Lucerne if she entrusted me the deliverance of Captain Forbes."

"Why," she asked slowly, "should that man have him in wait for me there? Was he a common thief, do you think?"

"No," I answered after some hesitation. "He is a Bulgarian, a political adventurer. I am afraid, Miss Brett, that he has had much to do with the disappearance of your brother."

She paused, startled.

"How should you know that?" her voice vibrated with suspicion.

"Because I have learned something of him at the chateau. I am a guest there. I pointed to the castle towers across the valley."

"You are a guest of that woman, Madame de Varner?"

"Yes," she was hastening her steps and spoke with cold hostility. "It is certainly not to you that I should be appealing for help."

"Miss Brett," I said with some bitterness, "you draw your conclusions from a single fact. It is impossible for me to believe that I wish to help you; for the suffering I have caused you unconsciously!"

"I am afraid you are assuming a name to which you have little right," Mr. Haddon, she said gently. "I believe that you saved my life just now. I am much obliged to you."

She extended a white hand in the gloom. There was absolutely nothing of sentimentality in the action. And



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## CHURCH DIRECTORY

### METHODIST CHURCH

First Sunday evening of each month—Women's Foreign Missionary society. Last Sunday evening of each month—Epworth League business, literary and social meeting.

Sunday morning, 10:30 a. m.  
Sunday school, 11 a. m.  
Junior League, 1 p. m.  
Epworth League, 8 p. m.  
Sunday evening, 7:30  
Wednesday Mid-week Prayer Meeting, 8:30  
Central Cook and South Hawley streets  
Telephone 261. Every body is welcome.

P. M. LANEY, Pastor.

### SALEM UNITED EVANGELICAL CHURCH

Sunday service, 9:15 a. m.  
Evening service (German), 8:30  
Epworth League, 8:45 p. m.  
Week Night Services:  
Monday—Junior League, 7:15  
Tuesday—English Prayer meeting, 7:30  
Wednesday—German, 7:30  
Friday—Teachers meeting, 7:30  
Choir meeting, 8:15  
Monthly meetings:  
Mission Band—1st Sunday, 1:30 p. m.  
Y. P. M. 8—1st Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.  
Church Missions Meeting—1st Wednesday, 1:30 p. m.  
W. M. S.—1st Thursday, 1:30 p. m.  
Strangers are cordially welcomed at all the services of the church.

Phone No. 261 A. HARRIS, Pastor.

### EVANGELICAL ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.  
Sunday morning service, 10:30  
Evening service will begin a month later.  
Phone 274 REV. G. H. STANLEY, Pastor.

### ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Sunday Mass, 8 a. m.  
Vespers and Benediction, 7:30 p. m.  
Observation of Holy Days and Holidays.  
Mass, hour subject to change.  
St. Ann's Singing Circle, Tuesday, 1:30 p. m.  
Phone 274 REV. FAYRE R. J. FOSTER, Pastor.

### BAPTIST CHURCH

Saturday evening, prayer and praise service, 7:30 p. m.  
Sunday, 10:30 a. m., 1 p. m.  
Sunday school and U. C. at 10:45 a. m.  
Young People's Meeting at 6:45 p. m.  
Deacons society, Tuesday, 7 p. m.  
You are all cordially invited to worship with us.

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### "Copy Reading" Howells.

The London Athenaeum says of the following Howells paragraph that it is the best sentence perhaps in any recent English book: "Describing a certain ancient edifice, Mr. Howells writes and the Athenaeum quotes: "What, in the heart of all this blossoming, was the great cathedral itself when we came to visit it? It had a vast efflorescence of the age of faith, mystically beautiful in form and gray as some pale exhalation from the moul of the ever clustered, the deeply refuted past."

Very fine, all must admit. But wouldn't that paragraph have been read and drunk to the man who used to mark up Mr. Howells' newspaper copy book at Haverhill, O. If Howells the power had written that for the Haverhill Blade he would have found it in the next next day about like this:

"The cathedral, with flowers all around it, looked fine. It is 400 years old and needs paint."—Galveston News.

### Thought Nine Enough.

The following amusing birth notice appeared in the Dresden Anzeiger: "To our seven heavy boys there came today, in God's early morning, not the wished for little daughter, but, in compensation, a pair of fine boys. We judge by this elementary event that these strenuous times demand more men than blossoms of the gentler sex, and console ourselves with thoughts of our fatherland, to which we call: 'Hurrah! Hurrah! Now there are nine. Firm stand and true the watch on the Rhine!'"

"To all dear friends and acquaintances and to whom else the joyous tidings may be of interest we give this notice—the last of his kind—Edward Root and wife."

### A Urgain.

Mr. Mason rubbed the edges of the umbrella with discriminating fingers while his wife listened to the saleswoman's enumeration of its good points. "This is \$30, isn't it?" he asked. "Oh, no," replied the saleswoman reproachfully. "It is \$50."

"She seems to regard the 11 cents as particularly incursions. I wonder why?" whispered Mr. Mason to his wife. "Not at all," said Mrs. Mason, with mild heat; "nothing 'incursions' about it. Only very naturally it touched the girl not to have you perceive that you were getting a bargain."—Youth's Companion.

### Caution.

A five-year-old girl was very ill, and, noticing the anxiety of her parent, she said, "Mamma, do you think I'm going to die?"

"No, my dear," replied the mother, "we think you will soon be better."

"Well," said the little one, "I'd like to die and go to heaven on a visit if I was sure I could see my father. I didn't like the place."—Philadelphia Press.

### Looked that way.

"I don't think she'll ever marry him," said Mr. Henpeck. "She quarrels with him so and is so domineering that—"

"She is!" interrupted Henpeck. "I'll bet they've been secretly married already!"—Philadelphia Press.

### Her Purse and Her Handkerchief.

"The thoughts of youth are long, long thoughts." The other day a young woman who had dropped her purse, full of money for the corps of girls under her charge, considered the thoughts of youth to be rather too long.

She was in one of the large department stores, and as her hands were occupied she let her purse lie for a few moments where it had fallen. But her eyes was on it. In the meantime a bright little fellow not more than nine or ten years old left his parents near by and deftly covered the purse with a handkerchief.

The woman, who is a perfectly self possessed young person, could hardly believe her eyes, but she waited to see what the boy would do. Just as he was stooping to his prize she placed her foot quietly upon it. The youngster slipped back without a word to the well dressed "respectable" people with whom he was.

Then the woman picked up her purse and, taking the handkerchief over to the lad, handed it to him, saying, "There is no reason why you should lose your handkerchief just because you didn't get my purse."—New York Post.

### Too Good to Miss.

"Theater audiences have improved in recent years," said a manager. "Why, with provincial touring companies in the past malcontented, we regularly expected. In fact, the companies profited by it in more ways than one."

"I know of a company that was playing 'The Broken Vow' in Paint Rock, a new night stand. The audience didn't like 'The Broken Vow,' and eggs, cabbage and potatoes rained upon the stage."

"Still the play went on. The hero raved through his endless speeches, dodging an onion or a baseball every other minute and pretty soon from those missiles that hadn't been able to lodge."

"But finally a gallery auditor in a paroxysm of rage and scorn hurled a heavy stool, and the actor, thoroughly alarmed, started to retreat."

"Keep on playing, you fool!" bellowed the manager from the wings as he looked in the best with an umbrella. "Keep on till we get the other one."

### How a Tree Grows.

Both earth and air are required for the growth of a plant or tree. The roots absorb moisture from the soil, which, in the form of a watery fluid called cambium sap, rises through the fibers of the tree, deposited annually, rising, traversing all the branches and leaf stalks until it reaches the leaves; there it undergoes a change by the absorption of carbonic acid from the air. It then travels downward again in the form of periderm sap, just underneath the bark, which is expanded by the accession of moisture and in the early summer a new layer of material is deposited which gradually hardens and forms a new annual ring, and so on, absorbing the moisture and minerals of the soil and the carbonic acid of the air the tree goes on until it finishes its cycle and dies.—New York American.

Jack Tar at a Christening. A sailor went up to the font to have his baby baptized. Sailors as a class claim little stock in babies, and naturally enough this one presented the infant feet foremost.

"The other way," said the minister, and accordingly Jack turned the infant upside down.

"Excuse me," said the clergyman, "I mean the other way." So Jack took the embryo footman to the first position, to the discouragement of everybody.

"What it, Jack?" said the nautical assistant, and with an "Aye, aye, sir," Jack promptly turned the baby end for end, and it was duly christened head first.—"On a Man-of-war."

### The Alternative.

The Count-Doctor, I have such a fearfully bad cough. What can I do for it? Doctor Well, sir, you must remember that you are no longer in your first youth and you must take care of your general health. So you had better leave off smoking; take no alcohol in any form and do not excite yourself in any way; do not—The Count-The mischief, doctor; what am I to do then? Nothing but cough—Lustige Blatter.

### The Virginia Plover.

The most wonderful bird flight noted is the migratory achievement of the Virginia plover, which leaves its haunts in North America and, taking a course down the Atlantic, reaches the coast of Brazil in one unbroken flight of fifteen hours, covering a distance of over 2,000 miles at the rate of four miles a minute.

### Condensed.

"Here is an article on 'How to Live a Hundred Years.'"

"Yes, and the whole subject can be condensed into two words."

"What are they?"

"Don't die!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

### Not the Music He Loved.

Mrs. Talkmore: Your husband is a great lover of music, isn't he? Mrs. Chatters: Yes, indeed, I have seen him get up in the middle of the night just to compose. Mrs. T.: What? Mrs. C.: The baby.—Brazz Stories.

### Well Named.

"This is the parlor, eh?" tentatively remarked the real estate agent, who was looking over the house.

"Yes," replied the old man Kidder, "but I usually call it the courtroom. I've got seven daughters, you know."

# Illinois Day at the Jamestown Exposition

GOVERNOR DENEEN OF CORN STATE AND GOVERNOR SWANSON OF VIRGINIA TO PARTICIPATE SEPT. 14.

Grand Parade and Review of All Troops on the Grounds a Feature of the Day—Dr. Edmund J. James, President of University of Illinois, to Be Chief Orator—Music, Receptions, Illuminations and Fireworks.

WHEN the clans of the great and prosperous state of Illinois set their faces toward their mother state to celebrate a day set apart for them at the Jamestown Tercentennial, they may rest assured a royal good time and a hearty reception await them. This date is Sept. 14, and if anything looking toward the entertainment of the visitors has been omitted in the arrangement of the programme those in charge are not aware of the fact. Reduced railroad rates, special trains, special military attractions, music, receptions, dinners, luncheons, addresses by famous citizens and one continued round of sightseeing and pleasure will mark the day when Illinoisans have open sesame to the great historical exposition on the waters of Hampton Roads. Illinois has a fine building there, and her citizens are proud of the magnificent location accorded them for their building site.

The early history of Illinois is so closely interwoven with that of Virginia that in the historical exhibit of the Old Dominion the citizens of that state may find much of deep interest, the relics, priceless heirlooms and documents comprising that collection being such as never before were exhibited, and this exhibit alone is well worth the journey from the great Mississippi valley state.

The official party, including Governor Charles S. Deneen, Dr. Edmund J. James, president of the University of Illinois; Illinois state commission, various state officers and other distinguished persons, will arrive at the exposition probably Sept. 12 and will spend Sept. 12 and 13 informally visiting the exposition.

## Illinois Day Programme.

Following is the programme of the events scheduled for Illinois day:

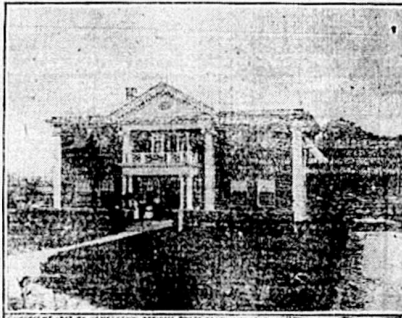
11:15 a. m.—Governor Deneen and official party, accompanied by the officials of the exposition company and escorted by a platoon of the Twelfth cavalry, will leave the Illinois State building and proceed to the Auditorium, where the Illinois day exercises will take place, beginning at 11:30. Hon. A. G. Tucker, vice president of the Illinois state commission, presiding.

Music. Address of welcome, Hon. Harry R. George, Tucker, president of the Jamestown Tercentennial exposition. Music. Address by his excellency Governor Charles A. Swanwick of Virginia. Music. Response by his excellency Governor Charles S. Deneen of Illinois.

Music. Address by Dr. Edmund J. James, president of the University of Illinois, orator of the day.

Music. "Star Spangled Banner." 3 p. m.—Luncheon to the Governor and official party by the exposition company. 5 p. m.—Parade (or some appropriate exercises) to be reviewed by the governor of Illinois, accompanied by Governor Swanwick of Virginia, Mr. Tucker of the exposition and other distinguished persons. 7 to 11 p. m.—Reception at the Illinois State building by the Illinois state commission to the governor of Illinois and Mrs. Deneen. Admission by card only. Open house will be held at the Illinois State building during the entire day of Sept. 14, to which the public is cordially invited.

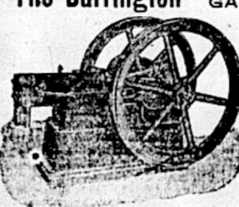
Great interest is being shown in the celebration of Illinois state day, and it is confidently expected that large numbers of Illinoisans will be present on that day.



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He—I could kiss the dead you walk on. She—What's the matter with that dust that does the walking?—London Mail.

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## Barrington Local Happenings Told In Short Paragraphs

Miss Mamie Hardy of Chicago is visiting Mrs. John G. Collins.  
Verne Hawley's condition is encouraging. He is still at St. Luke's hospital.

Mrs. Rose McGill of Lake Geneva, Wisconsin, is visiting her friend, Miss Helen Donia.

Otto Stanger left this afternoon for Champaign to re-enter the State university.

Marshall Donia placed a big, noisy seed in the fall Tuesday. He was sent on his way Wednesday.

Miss Rose Elfring returned to her home in Elgin Monday after spending two weeks with Miss Rose Landwehr.

Miss Nellie Widmayer returned to Chicago Monday after a week's visit with her cousin, Mrs. John Schwenm.

Nine ladies of the Royal Neighbors lodge spent Wednesday with Mrs. William Libbe on the the Wilmarth farm.

Dr. Charles Otk and Edward Thiel left last Saturday for a trip to New York by way of Niagara Falls. They expected to be gone about a week.

Carl Swanson, a farm hand, was arrested Tuesday afternoon for beating his horse. He was allowed to go after a few hours stay in jail.

George Froelich suddenly changed his plans and decided to attend the college at Wheaton, Illinois, instead of the state university at Champaign. He left Wednesday.

Two changes in time table went into effect on the Northwestern here this week. The 5:17 p. m. mail train south-bound leaves at 5:20 and the 5:22 p. m. local south-bound leaves at 5:25.

Mrs. Arletta Sizer has been visiting relatives in Chicago this week where she went last Saturday to attend a party given in honor of the fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John Sizer.

Ernest Schleming and his mother of Lake Zurich had a runaway on east Main street Tuesday afternoon and were thrown out of their carriage but sustained no injuries beyond a fright and laming.

Miss Diana Dunlap returned Tuesday from a few days' stay in Evanston, where she went to see her brother, John Dunlap, who is ill in St. Francis hospital here with muscular carlie rheumatism.

The Woman's Relief Corps has accepted an invitation to spend next Wednesday with Mrs. Richard Lytle in Libertyville. They will leave the G. A. R. hall in buses at seven o'clock in the morning.

The steam plow operating on the Otis farm southwest of town has been one of the sights this week and watched by many. It is said to plow twelve furrows at the rate of two and one-half miles an hour.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Widmayer of Virginia, Illinois, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Widmayer of Hampshire, Illinois, and Mrs. W. C. Carleton of Tulare, California, spent several days last week at the home of John Schwenm.

Miss Pearl Wilmer, second daughter of Wilkes Wilmer of Liberty street, aged thirteen, was taken suddenly ill a week ago and has been seriously sick until today when the doctor reports her somewhat better.

A surprise party was given Wednesday evening for Miss Anna Reese at her mother's farm east of town. Fifty-five were present and had a glorious evening with various amusements. Miss Reese has been ill many months and is somewhat stronger.

Charles Meier who is employed by the C. and N. W. railroad, was transferred September 1st from Rockford to Arlington Heights where he has charge of the fence gang. He and his mother, Mrs. H. A. Meier went to Chicago Sunday to Lincoln and River-view parks.

Although Spencer Otis of Chicago has taken possession of the James Allen farm southwest of town, consisting of 157 acres, the other land sales west of Barrington in charge of Sanford Peck are not entirely closed yet but are expected to be on record by October first.

The Greening Nursery Co., Monroe, Michigan, one of the largest nursery concerns in the United States, writes us that they want a good live agent in this section to solicit orders for their trees, shrubbery, etc. Experience not necessary. They offer good weekly, and furnish canvassing outfit. We advise any man or woman in our community, who has some spare time to take orders to write them for particulars. Mention this paper when writing.

Mrs. Lee Comstock, of Wisconsin, visited at George Comstock's this week.  
Miss Rose Kampert is visiting her sister, Mrs. Sprouse, in Nunda for a week.

The Mission Festival to have been held this coming Sunday at St. Paul's church has been postponed.

The game to have been played last Saturday by the Y. M. C. A. vs. a Chicago team was called off.

Miss Margaret Murray of Evanston was here Saturday and Sunday at her sister's, Mrs. George Knapp.

Mrs. L. H. Bennett is visiting her mother in Belle Plaine, Iowa. Mr. Bennett is living at M. E. Bennett's.

Mrs. Dugan, of Milwaukee, the new night operator at the Northwestern depot, is living at Mrs. L. H. Bennett's.

Mrs. Thomas Dolan returned early in the week from a visit at William Dolan's in Fond du Lac, Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hubbard, of Limits street, left Tuesday noon for a few days trip to the Delta, Wisconsin.

Earle Powers enters the Law Institute on the next date, Chicago, September 23rd, for the four year's course.

W. T. Barkhard and family of St. Louis, Illinois, will occupy the Freeman house on Cook street about the middle of October.

The Misses Anna and Genevieve Dolan returned Monday night from a two week's visit with relatives in Cleveland, Ohio.

Mrs. Rickle, of South Hawley street, has for guests, her mother, Mrs. L. K. Golden, and her sister, Mrs. Annie Gonn, of Chicago.

The Woman's Thursday club and the Woman's club are both arranging to begin the club season of 1907-08 on Thursday, October 3rd.

A. W. Meyer and family, and Misses Rose Volker and Georgia Topping, with a party of Chicago friends visited Riverside Park Tuesday evening.

Nearly fifty from here attended the ball game Sunday at Palatine between the Ball club team and the Palatines. Barrington lost by a score of 10-1.

The families of Mrs. Hutchinson and Charles Hutchinson moved this week from Cook street to the Meier home on Main street occupied by L. A. Jones.

Miss Amanda Kampert is teaching at the lower grades in the school at Arlington Heights and is living there with her sister, Mrs. Charles Peterson.

Saturday, September 14, the Haynes class of Chicago and the Y. M. C. A. will cross bats. The visiting team has held the Cook county championship for three seasons.

Mrs. Harriet Fellows of Lake street is at St. Luke's hospital, Chicago, where an operation was performed on one eye last week. It is said that her sight is now improving.

Werk began taking a two week's vacation and went Monday and Tuesday with Mrs. Ryan visiting John Blaine and family near Lake Geneva, Wisconsin.

A member of the Barrington Cornet band says that the band fellows have talked of giving special concerts but have not done so feeling that they would not be well patronized.

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Springer, and child, of St. Louis, Missouri, have moved here and will live in the Benedict house, corner Elm and Franklin streets. Mrs. Springer is a daughter of Mrs. William Hager.

The forty-first annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic is being held this week in Saratoga, New York. Mr. J. C. Whitney, of Lake Zurich, a member of the Barrington G. A. R., left Saturday to attend the encampment.

20th Century Orient Council No. 210 will meet next Monday evening at I. O. O. F. Hall.

The W. R. C. will give an experience social in the G. A. R. hall Wednesday evening, Sept. 25th. A short program will be given and light supper served for 10c. Free try come.

Misses Marion Perkins and Emma Cade of Norwalk Park were guests of Miss Bernice Hawley over Sunday.

Willard Naeher has opened a news and magazine stand in the Bank building basement.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sontagier of Lake Zurich have purchased the Church house and not J. C. Whitney.

## QUENTIN'S CORNERS

Herman Junker has put a cement floor in his barn.  
Mrs. John Witt has been quite sick but is on the gain.

J. G. Baner made a business call at Waukegan Tuesday.

H. C. Hockelman and family of Palatine called at the Corners Sunday.

W. H. Smith has gone on a business trip to Dwight, Illinois.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Meyer was christened Sunday.

Miss Emma Frieda Wiehart has returned home from a visit with Chicago relatives.

Samuel Landwehr and family of Barrington called on William Thiel and family Sunday.

Misses Alice Thiel and Lydia Quentin smiled at Lake Zurich among friends last Monday.

Henry Popp had the misfortune to lose a young team of good horses this summer of lung trouble.

The Barrington telephone line has put in more wires from the main line to the corners, making eight in all.

We are sorry to report that Fred Krupp, Sr., has been under the doctor's care all summer for eye troubles and is still in bad condition.

William Thiel, our gentlemanly cheese and butter maker, is making daily trips to the Lake Zurich creamery and assisting in the work there.

William Hobein of Barrington placed a carload of new milk cows Saturday at the corners and sold them twenty-four hours at a private sale.

John Hockelman, Jr., and wife of Trasky, Pikestone county, Minnesota, returned to their home Tuesday after a month's visit with relatives and old friends.

Fred Fiedler and wife have returned home from Holton, Ripley county, Indiana, and have taken the management of the Waukegan cheese factory. Fred is an in and out full cheese and butter maker.

## Private Sale.

On account of leaving Barrington, Mr. and Mrs. George Church of Grove avenue, will sell at a private sale on September 25th, 1907, and 26th, beginning at nine o'clock each morning, household furniture consisting of dining table and chairs, beds, mattress, springs, dressers, dressing table, oil paintings, rugs, bookcase, davenport, lady's writing desk, ice box, Morris chair, etc. These articles were purchased new a few months ago and will be sold at a great sacrifice. Also, six tons of large egg coal at purchase price.

## Me and My Partner.

The commercial traveler flicked the dust of his boots, straightened his tie and entered the emporium of Mr. Brown, the village grocer. He was new to the district, otherwise he would not have made the error which he now divulge.

Behind the counter was a young gentleman, fourteen, with bright eyes and a high collar. To him the traveler addressed himself.

"My boy," he said, "is Mr. Brown in?"

"I'm Mr. Brown," the boy replied. "But possibly you want to see old Mr. Brown, my father. I'll get him."

And as the boy went in search of his father, the traveler thought of the age of young men—London answers.

## Ideals.

He bowed her hand. She withdrew it hastily and gazed reproachfully at him.

"I don't think it of you," she said, almost tearfully. "I had always considered you a young man with ideals, and—"

"I am sorry if I have offended," he stammered. "—"

"Well," she said bitterly, "I certainly expected you to aim higher."

So he took heart and made new resolutions and things—Brooklyn Eagle.

## Cafe.

Mrs. Smith—Yes, my little five-year-old girl is a great help in my house-keeping. Mrs. Hargrave—Why what can such a child do to help?

Mrs. Smith—She goes down and tells the cook for me whenever we're going to have company—Harpers Bazar.

## Delicately Put.

He would not say that she painted, powdered and all that. He was too much of a gentleman for that.

"Still I may as well confess," he said, "that she impressed me as one who thinks she can improve upon the Lord's handiwork."

## The Plagiarist.

"Father," said Holo, "what is a plagiarist?"

A plagiarist, my son, is a kleptomane who takes the courage to take anything which the police could be called on to protect.—Washington Star.

## Coming Auctions.

The undersigned, having sold his farm to Spencer Otis, will sell at public auction at that place on Thursday, September 19, 1907, at 9 o'clock a. m. 40 acres, 6 acres, 100 hogs, hay, grain, farm machinery, tools, etc. For complete list see book. Terms: All sums of \$10 and under cash, over that amount 6 months time will be given at 6 per cent.

HENRY BRUNGER.  
The undersigned will sell at public auction on the farm known as the Fred Brunnerkamp farm, 21 miles southeast of Barrington, on Wednesday, Sept. 18, 1907, at 9 o'clock A. M. wagons, farm machinery, tools, etc. See list tomorrow in the let.

SPENCER OTIS.  
Wm. Peters, our popular auctioneer, will conduct both of the above sales.

Ought to Know How.  
The animal trader being sick, his wife reported for duty in his stead.

"Have you ever had any experience in this line?" asked the owner of the farm, with some doubt.

"Not just exactly in this line," she said, "but my husband manages the beasts all right, doesn't he?"

"He certainly does."  
"Well, you ought to see how easy I can manage him,"—London Opinion.

## Business Notices

FOR SALE—Large Oak range. Call at this office.

WANTED—Girl for general house work to go to the south side, Chicago, about Sept. 24th. \$3.00 without washing. \$5.00 with. "D. B. Box 4, Lake Zurich, Illinois."

FOR SALE—Coping press at a bargain. THE TACKER.

For Sale—At half price. A good chance to secure a 12-month's course in the Ellis Modern Business College, Elgin, for price of six months' tuition. Lady holding twelve months' credit. Leaving the state. This school guarantees a position. Inquire at this office.

FOR RENT—Large house on Franklin street. Telephone 332.

FOUND—Down town, a pair of silver rimmed spectacles. Finder may have by paying fifteen cents for advertising at this office.

C. F. HALL CO.  
CASH DEPARTMENT STORE  
DUNDEE, ILLINOIS

Note the values offered this week and if possible testament of the goods by a visit to our

The fact that hundreds of people in this section leave their home towns to do their trading with us, proves that we are bargain givers.

Genuine Stocking Bargains.

Ladies' fine quality, Black Wool and Worsted Hose, 25¢ grade, 10¢. Men's Heavy Black Socks, 5¢. Boys' extra heavy, coarse ribbed Hose, 5¢. Best ever offered for 5¢. 10¢. Sample Wool Underwear, 25¢. 10¢. 12¢. 15¢. 20¢. 25¢. 30¢. 35¢. 40¢. 45¢. 50¢. 55¢. 60¢. 65¢. 70¢. 75¢. 80¢. 85¢. 90¢. 95¢. 100¢. 105¢. 110¢. 115¢. 120¢. 125¢. 130¢. 135¢. 140¢. 145¢. 150¢. 155¢. 160¢. 165¢. 170¢. 175¢. 180¢. 185¢. 190¢. 195¢. 200¢. 205¢. 210¢. 215¢. 220¢. 225¢. 230¢. 235¢. 240¢. 245¢. 250¢. 255¢. 260¢. 265¢. 270¢. 275¢. 280¢. 285¢. 290¢. 295¢. 300¢. 305¢. 310¢. 315¢. 320¢. 325¢. 330¢. 335¢. 340¢. 345¢. 350¢. 355¢. 360¢. 365¢. 370¢. 375¢. 380¢. 385¢. 390¢. 395¢. 400¢. 405¢. 410¢. 415¢. 420¢. 425¢. 430¢. 435¢. 440¢. 445¢. 450¢. 455¢. 460¢. 465¢. 470¢. 475¢. 480¢. 485¢. 490¢. 495¢. 500¢. 505¢. 510¢. 515¢. 520¢. 525¢. 530¢. 535¢. 540¢. 545¢. 550¢. 555¢. 560¢. 565¢. 570¢. 575¢. 580¢. 585¢. 590¢. 595¢. 600¢. 605¢. 610¢. 615¢. 620¢. 625¢. 630¢. 635¢. 640¢. 645¢. 650¢. 655¢. 660¢. 665¢. 670¢. 675¢. 680¢. 685¢. 690¢. 695¢. 700¢. 705¢. 710¢. 715¢. 720¢. 725¢. 730¢. 735¢. 740¢. 745¢. 750¢. 755¢. 760¢. 765¢. 770¢. 775¢. 780¢. 785¢. 790¢. 795¢. 800¢. 805¢. 810¢. 815¢. 820¢. 825¢. 830¢. 835¢. 840¢. 845¢. 850¢. 855¢. 860¢. 865¢. 870¢. 875¢. 880¢. 885¢. 890¢. 895¢. 900¢. 905¢. 910¢. 915¢. 920¢. 925¢. 930¢. 935¢. 940¢. 945¢. 950¢. 955¢. 960¢. 965¢. 970¢. 975¢. 980¢. 985¢. 990¢. 995¢. 1000¢. 1005¢. 1010¢. 1015¢. 1020¢. 1025¢. 1030¢. 1035¢. 1040¢. 1045¢. 1050¢. 1055¢. 1060¢. 1065¢. 1070¢. 1075¢. 1080¢. 1085¢. 1090¢. 1095¢. 1100¢. 1105¢. 1110¢. 1115¢. 1120¢. 1125¢. 1130¢. 1135¢. 1140¢. 1145¢. 1150¢. 1155¢. 1160¢. 1165¢. 1170¢. 1175¢. 1180¢. 1185¢. 1190¢. 1195¢. 1200¢. 1205¢. 1210¢. 1215¢. 1220¢. 1225¢. 1230¢. 1235¢. 1240¢. 1245¢. 1250¢. 1255¢. 1260¢. 1265¢. 1270¢. 1275¢. 1280¢. 1285¢. 1290¢. 1295¢. 1300¢. 1305¢. 1310¢. 1315¢. 1320¢. 1325¢. 1330¢. 1335¢. 1340¢. 1345¢. 1350¢. 1355¢. 1360¢. 1365¢. 1370¢. 1375¢. 1380¢. 1385¢. 1390¢. 1395¢. 1400¢. 1405¢. 1410¢. 1415¢. 1420¢. 1425¢. 1430¢. 1435¢. 1440¢. 1445¢. 1450¢. 1455¢. 1460¢. 1465¢. 1470¢. 1475¢. 1480¢. 1485¢. 1490¢. 1495¢. 1500¢. 1505¢. 1510¢. 1515¢. 1520¢. 1525¢. 1530¢. 1535¢. 1540¢. 1545¢. 1550¢. 1555¢. 1560¢. 1565¢. 1570¢. 1575¢. 1580¢. 1585¢. 1590¢. 1595¢. 1600¢. 1605¢. 1610¢. 1615¢. 1620¢. 1625¢. 1630¢. 1635¢. 1640¢. 1645¢. 1650¢. 1655¢. 1660¢. 1665¢. 1670¢. 1675¢. 1680¢. 1685¢. 1690¢. 1695¢. 1700¢. 1705¢. 1710¢. 1715¢. 1720¢. 1725¢. 1730¢. 1735¢. 1740¢. 1745¢. 1750¢. 1755¢. 1760¢. 1765¢. 1770¢. 1775¢. 1780¢. 1785¢. 1790¢. 1795¢. 1800¢. 1805¢. 1810¢. 1815¢. 1820¢. 1825¢. 1830¢. 1835¢. 1840¢. 1845¢. 1850¢. 1855¢. 1860¢. 1865¢. 1870¢. 1875¢. 1880¢. 1885¢. 1890¢. 1895¢. 1900¢. 1905¢. 1910¢. 1915¢. 1920¢. 1925¢. 1930¢. 1935¢. 1940¢. 1945¢. 1950¢. 1955¢. 1960¢. 1965¢. 1970¢. 1975¢. 1980¢. 1985¢. 1990¢. 1995¢. 2000¢. 2005¢. 2010¢. 2015¢. 2020¢. 2025¢. 2030¢. 2035¢. 2040¢. 2045¢. 2050¢. 2055¢. 2060¢. 2065¢. 2070¢. 2075¢. 2080¢. 2085¢. 2090¢. 2095¢. 2100¢. 2105¢. 2110¢. 2115¢. 2120¢. 2125¢. 2130¢. 2135¢. 2140¢. 2145¢. 2150¢. 2155¢. 2160¢. 2165¢. 2170¢. 2175¢. 2180¢. 2185¢. 2190¢. 2195¢. 2200¢. 2205¢. 2210¢. 2215¢. 2220¢. 2225¢. 2230¢. 2235¢. 2240¢. 2245¢. 2250¢. 2255¢. 2260¢. 2265¢. 2270¢. 2275¢. 2280¢. 2285¢. 2290¢. 2295¢. 2300¢. 2305¢. 2310¢. 2315¢. 2320¢. 2325¢. 2330¢. 2335¢. 2340¢. 2345¢. 2350¢. 2355¢. 2360¢. 2365¢. 2370¢. 2375¢. 2380¢. 2385¢. 2390¢. 2395¢. 2400¢. 2405¢. 2410¢. 2415¢. 2420¢. 2425¢. 2430¢. 2435¢. 2440¢. 2445¢. 2450¢. 2455¢. 2460¢. 2465¢. 2470¢. 2475¢. 2480¢. 2485¢. 2490¢. 2495¢. 2500¢. 2505¢. 2510¢. 2515¢. 2520¢. 2525¢. 2530¢. 2535¢. 2540¢. 2545¢. 2550¢. 2555¢. 2560¢. 2565¢. 2570¢. 2575¢. 2580¢. 2585¢. 2590¢. 2595¢. 2600¢. 2605¢. 2610¢. 2615¢. 2620¢. 2625¢. 2630¢. 2635¢. 2640¢. 2645¢. 2650¢. 2655¢. 2660¢. 2665¢. 2670¢. 2675¢. 2680¢. 2685¢. 2690¢. 2695¢. 2700¢. 2705¢. 2710¢. 2715¢. 2720¢. 2725¢. 2730¢. 2735¢. 2740¢. 2745¢. 2750¢. 2755¢. 2760¢. 2765¢. 2770¢. 2775¢. 2780¢. 2785¢. 2790¢. 2795¢. 2800¢. 2805¢. 2810¢. 2815¢. 2820¢. 2825¢. 2830¢. 2835¢. 2840¢. 2845¢. 2850¢. 2855¢. 2860¢. 2865¢. 2870¢. 2875¢. 2880¢. 2885¢. 2890¢. 2895¢. 2900¢. 2905¢. 2910¢. 2915¢. 2920¢. 2925¢. 2930¢. 2935¢. 2940¢. 2945¢. 2950¢. 2955¢. 2960¢. 2965¢. 2970¢. 2975¢. 2980¢. 2985¢. 2990¢. 2995¢. 3000¢. 3005¢. 3010¢. 3015¢. 3020¢. 3025¢. 3030¢. 3035¢. 3040¢. 3045¢. 3050¢. 3055¢. 3060¢. 3065¢. 3070¢. 3075¢. 3080¢. 3085¢. 3090¢. 3095¢. 3100¢. 3105¢. 3110¢. 3115¢. 3120¢. 3125¢. 3130¢. 3135¢. 3140¢. 3145¢. 3150¢. 3155¢. 3160¢. 3165¢. 3170¢. 3175¢. 3180¢. 3185¢. 3190¢. 3195¢. 3200¢. 3205¢. 3210¢. 3215¢. 3220¢. 3225¢. 3230¢. 3235¢. 3240¢. 3245¢. 3250¢. 3255¢. 3260¢. 3265¢. 3270¢. 3275¢. 3280¢. 3285¢. 3290¢. 3295¢. 3300¢. 3305¢. 3310¢. 3315¢. 3320¢. 3325¢. 3330¢. 3335¢. 3340¢. 3345¢. 3350¢. 3



# ON THE TRAIL OF THE AMERICAN MISSIONARY

By WILLIAM T. KILLS

The Disgraceful American Journal is Traveling Around the World for the Purpose of Investigating the American Missionary from the Point of View of the Chinese and the Chinese Missionary from the Point of View of the American.

## MYRIADS STARVING CHINESE SAVED BY MISSIONARIES.

Shanghai, China. — The whole world has heard of China's great famine, but there are no evidences from this viewpoint, that the world knows of the connection of the missionaries therewith, which is an interesting story by itself, although it cannot be separated from the warp and woof of the tale of this overwhelming calamity. By an interesting coincidence, just at the moment of Mr. Ernest Satow's attack upon missionaries in China, the latter are silently answering his and kindred criticisms, and justifying their presence in the interior of this calamitous country, by saving the lives of thousands, tens of thousands and hundreds of thousands of starving Chinese. I have returned from a month's tour of the famine district, which is so remote from the treaty ports that I was informed that no other traveler had ever been there before us; and I am prepared to say that the presence of the missionaries alone makes it possible for the world's relief to be administered, and that were it not for these Americans most of the myriads of starving people would be permitted to perish.

### Missionaries to the Rescue.

Not all people in America clearly understand that there are practically no white men, except missionaries, living in China outside the treaty

ports. They have no right to reside or do business elsewhere. The foreigners in the interior, with the exception of a few working on concessions, are only missionaries. These latter are likewise practically the only ones who spend laborious years in learning the Chinese language; the foreign mercantile houses do business through English-speaking Chinese "brokers" or "compradores." It is as true as most generalizations, to say that the missionaries alone among the foreigners understand the Chinese.

So it was, quite naturally, the missionaries who first called attention to the imminence of famine in Kiangpoh, or North River country. During the spring and summer heavy rains fell throughout Kiangpoh and Anhwei provinces, and in the adjacent parts of Shantung and Honan provinces. The Yellow river overflowed its banks, as did the Grand canal and lesser streams, dikes breaking in many places. Since the land is at many points lower than the ancient canals, the country was a long time submerged.

Despite the floods, the missionaries continued to traverse their fields, one of them, at least, nearly losing his life by drowning. Miss Reed, for example, of Antung, itinerated among the sufferers for six and seven miles at a time, in water above her waist, on one occasion she was barely out of a house before it collapsed. Native churches and native homes, both alike built of mud or of sun dried bricks, crumbled before the attacks of the waters. So before China herself knew that there was to be a famine, the missionaries were sending home their pleas to the religious papers. A missionary relief committee was first in the field, but it was later rendered unnecessary by the larger, stronger general committee at Shanghai, which had the missionaries who live in the district busily employed distributing its funds.

### The Unspeaking Chinese.

Christendom can never understand the Chinese, not even when it sees him in his native element. The depth and callousness of his selfishness and materialism is simply beyond the telling. In sharp contrast with the activity of the missionaries in behalf of the homeless and the hungry was the indifference of the Chinese officials. At first they reported that there was no famine. Then they tried to minimize it. Then, when it became evident that relief funds were in sight, affording rich pickings to the rascals, they swayed the figures enormously, by over-investigation confirm me in the belief that the missionary figures are conservative; 10,000,000 people, over 40,000 square miles, affected by the famine, and 3,000,000 menaced by actual starvation unless given aid.

### A normal resident of a civilized

subjects. Yet the Chinese seemingly have no sense of compassion; for almost pure selfishness they contrived even an American corporation. When a Chinaman does good deeds it is for his own advantage, not for the other's assistance. In most cities in this country there are societies "for laying up merit by doing good works"; the supporters are after the merit which Buddhism assures them.

Last Monday in the case of one of these societies I saw three little children, aged perhaps 12, eight and four, apply for help. The two youngest were ashen with cold and hunger, and they were crying. A fat and gaudy official drove them out with noisy impatience. I asked him what ailed the we one, which seemed to be suffering sorely. He said the children are homeless orphans, and that the one rag which covered this little one's shoulders was its only protection from the penetrating cold. Still it did not occur to him to help. Two missionaries were with me, and calling upon the children to follow, one of them led the way to his home, where he obtained some garments belonging to his own child and gave them to the little sufferer. The spectacle of these foreign men, and an old coolie, trying to feed Chinese waifs in the kilt country can scarcely realize that a nation should be indifferent over the impending death of 3,000,000 of its

### Prospering in the Famine Field.

By an Ancient Chinese Custom, a Condemned Criminal May Exact Toll from All Traffic Entering the City Gate. This Trick is Taking Full Advantage of the Wheelbarrows of Famine Sufferers Who Have Turned Down Their Houses and Turn Up Their Trees to Sell.

The officials here are merely trying by these wiles to force the foreigners to place the disbursement of the relief funds in Chinese hands. It is a matter of first-hand knowledge that the sentiment toward foreigners in the famine region is wholly friendly. I found the peasants expressing distrust and hatred of their own officials, and looking to the foreigners for help. With no escort whatever and with no Chinese-speaking companion, Mrs. Mills and I traveled through hundreds of miles of the territory which the officials declare to be so dangerous. We went through the refugee concentration camps and even ventured to give assistance to especially needy cases, which, it has been officially averred, would be almost certain death to any one attempting it. Absolutely alone, with no other foreigners near, nor any English-speaking Chinese, we attended

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ed a Chinese execution, and were the center of a mob of many thousands, gathered to gloat over and gleefully enjoy the decapitation of criminals; and not so much as a hostile look did we receive, although a Chinese crowd is proverbially its most dangerous mood at an execution.

All the missionaries in the afflicted area are absolutely unafraid; the only frightened one I met was a young Southern Baptist at Chinkiang, which is an open port with British police, and outside the famine belt; his sacredness has been a matter of fact among his fellow missionaries during the entire two years that he has been on the field. One of the mission jokes is his request to a naval officer to keep a warship at Chinkiang!

The only situation, though, in that these officials who protect trouble have the power to make their own prophecies come true. If, before this article is printed, or later, trouble occurs in the famine field, it will probably be directly due to the avaricious officials who, by obstructing the free movements of the missionaries, and by various other tactics, are hindering the work of relief.

All with the object of securing a "squeeze" for themselves. But the Shanghai relief committee, and Congressional Rogers, representing the American Relief Corps, are unyielding. Relief funds may be distributed only by missionaries, and by Chinese who work under their oversight and direction. Moreover, they are frankly placing the responsibility on "the man higher up," thus involving Chinese "face," and if the officials do not soon cooperate in saving the lives of their own countrymen, they must leave the country to the foreigners.

### Young Americans to the Fore.

By a general system of comity among the missions, the territory which is now suffering from famine is allotted to the Southern Presbyterian. Thus it comes about that the only American missionaries actually at work within this 40,000 square miles belong to a single denomination. This fact illustrates the immensity of China as a mission field. There are other denominations working on the edges of the famine, Northern Presbyterians in Shantung, Northern Methodists, Southern Baptists in Szechwan, and Presbyterians at Nanking, Yangchow and Chinkiang.

Within the affected zone there are three Roman Catholic missions, but these are manned by French priests, by French priests, by French priests. There are also a few Chinese inland missions, but the authorities of this organization have taken the position that their missionaries shall not engage in relief work, except to care for their own members and adherents. Doughty Miss Reed, at Antung, has apparently cut communications between herself and headquarters, for she, declining to be bound by any such narrow regulations, is working as unobtrusively as the best male missionary concerned. The Roman Catholics at first declined to cooperate in a general relief work, in which no sectarian distinctions or procreancy are permitted, but later, they accepted the Shanghai committee terms.

The situation is at present that the missionaries have to a great extent surrendered their regular religious work and have become organizers of relief and distributors of foodstuffs. No attempt is being made to turn this work to the secular authorities of the mission. Indeed, most of the missionaries are standing up so straight that they are bending over backwards, for they refuse to let Christians and inquirers share in the relief funds that come from Shanghai. I heard a villager offer to join my companion's church if he would only give her something to eat; he told her that such a step would simply remove her present chances of securing food.

At this writing the only form of relief work for the benefit of the famine victims that has been started—such is the doddering incompetence and blithering foolishness of the Chinese officials—is a road building operation at Suchien inaugurated and managed by blithering, big-hearted Dr. J. W. Brainerd. Not a single Christian has been employed, and when a large number of the men presented themselves at church on Sunday, they were plainly told that they were under no obligation to come, and that their jobs would not be affected by their presence or their absence. Three hundred of the neediest men are engaged upon this work, and will be kept busy until the famine breaks, the Shanghai committee having provided the funds. Dr. Brainerd could put a thousand men to work any day that the funds are forthcoming. He narrowly escaped with his life from the perfectly friendly mob which gathered at daybreak one morning in the hope of securing work tickets. As there were ten men to every ticket, the crush to secure that which literally meant life to many overwhelmed the stalwart doctor and he was crowded into unconsciousness.

The needy Christians are being helped by the missionaries out of their own funds; the number of converts is so small in this field that this is practicable. Every precaution is taken to prevent persons from joining the church from unworthy motives. Whatever may have been true in the past, I find that today "rice Christians" are more odious in the eyes of the missionaries than of anybody else.

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### Time Brings Changes.

"When I was 18," remarked a functionary of the famine commission at the luncheon table, "I thought a man of 60 too old to need help. At 35 I regarded a man of 60 as about at the end of his string. To-day I know a lot of middle-aged boys who have passed the age of 75."

### IN THE SUPERLATIVE DEGREE.

Little Ben's Explanation Seemed to Cover the Case.

Little Ben, aged seven, whose training has been of the most painstaking and conscientious, rather took away his mother's breath in describing the dog's game of ball. He ended with: "And, mother, Topsy caught the ball in her mouth, and then just ran like a—"

"Like what?" cried the startled mother.

"Well, like a—, don't you know, mother?" innocently.

"No, I don't believe I do. Just how is that, dear?" she asked, faintly.

"Well, I don't know just what it means, mother," he confessed, "but it's a whole lot faster than 'Ticky-split!'"

### BRUTALITY OF MEDICAL ETHICS.

A Great Surgeon Barred from Membership in Medical Association.

(From the National Druggist for June, 1915.)

Dr. Augustus Charles Barnay, who died a few days ago in St. Louis, was, probably, the foremost surgeon in the United States, and a man of an extensive with the civilized world. He was not only an operator of the highest order, but a tireless and exhaustive worker in the field of original surgery. He performed the first successful Caesarian section in 1835 in St. Louis, and also the first successful colostomy for gunshot wound of the abdomen and the first gallbladder operation in Missouri. A record held by Dr. Barnay was equalled by Dr. Out of eighty-one successive cases of appendicitis which necessitated operations, seventy-one in succession were with perfectly satisfactory results, the severely injured patient, after recovery, but the subsequent nine cases were successfully treated.

And yet, with such a record, and as well as his skill, varied and successful as was his career, was not so much as his accomplishments, he was not considered, by the American Medical Association, as worthy of membership in that organization.

No charges were ever brought against him which, in the roughest degree, reflected on his qualifications as a surgeon; his moral character was never the subject of attack; he was never accused of having done anything unbecomingly as a gentleman. "The head and front of his offending had this extent—no more!" He dared to think! He refused to mold his opinions and to govern his actions by the arbitrary rules of those whom he knew to be his fathers had set up for his guidance! In other words, he could not regard the Code of Ethics of the American Medical Association as being inspired, or having any basis in reason, or where his judgment told him it was wrong. And so, twenty years ago or more, on account of some trivial infraction of this sacred "Code," a movement was started to expel him from the local association, which was only defeated by his hastily sending in his resignation. As membership in the A. M. A. is dependent upon membership in local associations, his name was dropped by the national organization.

And so, though he had saved thousands of lives; though other physicians were his disciples; though he was brilliant surgeon; this great and able man, has, during all these years, been an outcast—a medical "scab." Not recognized as "ethical" or worthy of fellowship by that body of physicians banded together in the American Medical Association!

And this is the association which, under pretense of working for the public good, is, in reality, only seeking to protect the interests of its members. The Legislatures in the interest of their own selfish schemes; which is trying to create a Cabinet position and to place one of its members in that position; which is endeavoring to keep out of the use of the mails, all manufacturers of medicines who do not comply with the absurd requirements that they choose to set up; which, in short, is trying to put upon the statute books of State and nation laws that will, in effect, establish a kind of medical priesthood, to which only their own members will be eligible with power and control over the health and lives of the people!

God help the druggists, the drug manufacturers, physicians not members of their guild, and the people generally, if this association ever succeeds in its undertaking. If it does, it will, after the fashion of the labor unions, dictate a "closed shop," and say to doctors who prefer to be independent, "You must join our union or, failing to do so, compel them to get out of the business." It will say what medicines shall be taken, and how they shall be made. It will hedge the people about with a lot of petty regulations under pretense of protecting the public health. Fine, a medical bureaucracy will be established to tyrannize over the people.

Let no man call this a false alarm. If there are those who are inclined to let this thing pass, let them read the Journal of the A. M. A. Let them scan the proceedings of the association, held away behind closed doors, and carefully edited, as they are, before they are published in the official organ. If they will do this they will see that we are not trying to create a bugaboo to frighten their timid souls.

### Oldest Congregational Church.

The Pilgrim Congregational church, near London, founded in 1616, is the oldest of the denomination in the empire, and it was from it that the Lord's counterpart of the med of the Mayflower was recruited.

# The Evident Weakness of the American Navy

By CAPT ERNST REVENTLOW, German Naval Expert.



As compared with Japan, there can be no doubt that as far as personnel is concerned America's weakness is at sea. From a tactical standpoint, one can safely assert, the standard of the American navy does not attain a high point. At any rate, the education of officers on a systematic, uniform, thoroughgoing plan is lacking absolutely, while of "tradition" there can, of course, not be the slightest notion.

A second most unfortunate feature is the personnel question. It has come up before, but only in the recent years of the new era has it demanded adequate attention. At present there is a lack of both officers and men. The officer famine is so crying that last year it was necessary to convert cadets into watch officers. It is manifest that in this respect relief can only be secured in the course of years. Even then, if, as at present, the number of cadets at Annapolis is annually considerably raised, and their term of education shortened, the effect in the rank of higher officers can only make itself felt in the course of time. Finally, relief cannot be secured simply by turning out officers faster. The necessary service experience must also have been attained. As has been said, America waited too long to resort to energetic and radical remedial measures.

For the present, and the immediate future we cannot get away from the fact that the American officer corps, as regards its tactical military training, without doubt is inferior to the Japanese; that it is also numerically inferior under other circumstances not be of special importance, especially as in war a large number of naval officers remain ashore, while the commanding officers among them usually go to the front. A further element of weakness in the American fleet, however, is the very high age among the higher commanding officers. Among rear admirals we find an average of nearly 61 years, among captains of nearly 58 years, and among the navy commanders of nearly 51. That is a serious age much beyond what the demands of initiative and elasticity made upon naval officers absolutely require, and this misgiving becomes the more serious in light of the now prevailing promotion system, whereby, also, for higher officers, the question of efficiency is not the decisive one.

## Husband's Hour But a Dream

By MRS. JOHN SHERWIN CROSBY, President Women's Democratic Club.

forward from the other side of the matrimonial fence. Even in the case of the bonnet the husband will probably want to be satisfied that it is becoming first.

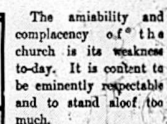
Miss Clarke's idea of a husband's hour seems to me an injustice both to the husband and wife were it carried through successfully, and, as well, a debasing of the individual right. To go to the heart of the matter, husbands dearly love to teach, but not to learn, especially in their political opinions, and the largely abstract knowledge that the usual woman acquires in her study of the situation at her club can hardly be opposed to his daily experience of the conditions to be remedied or the men to achieve the desired betterment. The comparison of their information is bound to result in a better understanding for both. But the implication of a superior mental attitude on her part would be fatal to the dearest wish of her heart, political or other.

Miss Clarke's suggestion is nothing more nor less than the establishment of a school of husbands, in which their senses are to be lulled first with good food and good manners before hubby, dillippered and cushioned—more drugs—is catechized and lessened and cajoled by every art of which woman is mistress into a promise to relinquish his own will and judgment and act as the cat's paw for the woman who hides behind him.

Longfellow's Children's Hour was the happy time of the day—the one hour without restraints. Miss Clarke's Husband's Hour would be the hour of struggle, of discontent. It might even be interpreted by the unjust into what is commonly called nagging. In fact the process of administering such a sugar-coated pill to even the best of husbands would have a doubtful effect upon the household harmony. She-who-must-be-obeyed might wrest a vote from an unwilling spouse, but in the majority of cases the last state of man would be worse than his first. In sheer self-defense he would rush to false gods.

## Amiability Church's Weakness

By REV. GEORGE LLOYD, St. Louis.



The amiability and complacency of the church is its weakness to-day. It is content to be eminently respectable and to stand aloof, too much. Time was when the church was the greatest fighting force in the world and it won glorious victories. The church militant ought to remain true to its name, and it ought never to give up the idea that it is here for the conquest of all that is opposed to Jesus Christ. It should not think that its mission is done when it has won a certain refinement. Our refinement may be our ruin. The amiability and complacency of the church is its weakness to-day. It should go into the enemy's country, and not run away from it, nor sit idly by, while the enemy takes our territory.

The enemy has been charging all along the line of our theology, and as a result our lines are broken, and our ranks are confused. A bloated materialism menaces some of the strongholds which we thought invincible. To arms, Christian men and women. Everyone should fight, or throw up his arms.

If you are going to serve the devil all the week, you should keep from church on Sunday.



## G. A. R. IN SESSION

ADDRESSED BY GOV. HUGHES AND OTHER PROMINENT MEN.

### GIFT OF RELIEF CORPS

Silver Jubilee Offering Presented to the Veterans—Burton, of Missouri, Likely to Be New Commander.

Saratoga, N. Y.—With the formal welcome of Gov. Charles E. Hughes, of New York state, the forty-third annual convention of the Grand Army of the Republic was opened in the convention hall Tuesday evening. Six thousand veterans, members of the Women's Relief Corps, Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic and other patriotic organizations filled the hall to overflowing.

Gov. Hughes and the Grand Army officers were given an ovation. Many speakers of note in the Grand Army made addresses, including Commander-in-Chief Robert Bruce Brown, of Kansasville, Mo.; James Tanner, of Washington, former commander-in-chief, Most Rev. John Ireland, chaplain-in-chief of the organization, and United States Senator Macomber, of South Dakota.

Mrs. Carrie Sparklin, of St. Louis, national president of the Women's Relief Corps, presented to the Grand Army the silver jubilee offering, which was raised by the sale of corn in commemoration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the organization. The gift was received by Commander Brown.

Competition is keen between Toledo, Topeka, Omaha and Kansas City for the next campment.

Indications point to the election of Charles G. Burton, of Nevada, Mo., as commander-in-chief, to succeed Commander Brown. There are five candidates in the field. At caucuses held Tuesday night Mr. Burton was endorsed by the departments of New York, Illinois, Ohio and Wisconsin. His election would continue in power the present forces which control the Grand Army. For senior vice commander it is probable that Lewis E. Griffith, of Troy, N. Y., will be chosen, and for junior vice commander, C. C. Royce, of San Francisco, appears likely to be elected.

### "SMUGGLED" CLOTHES SEIZED.

Three Chicago Women Have Trouble at Port Huron.

Port Huron, Mich.—Information has leaked out of a \$4,000 seizure of alleged smuggled goods, silk waltzes and dresses and velvet coats which the local customs house officers say will be sold at auction, but for the saving of which three handsomely dressed and cultured women who give Chicago as their addresses are making strenuous efforts.

The women, who are registered at a hotel here as Mrs. A. L. Olson, Mrs. L. L. Ropp and Mrs. Sarah Stierel, declare that the goods have all been worn and were purchased during a year's stay abroad, but the customs officers claim that the goods are new and assert that the three women offered to pay full duty on them as soon as their five large trunks were seized on a west-bound Grand Trunk train Sunday.

### LUSITANIA IS GOING FAST.

New Cunarder Maintaining a Speed of 23 1/2 Knots.

Queenstown.—The steamer Havford, which arrived here Tuesday evening from Philadelphia, reports that she passed the Lusitania at half past seven o'clock Monday morning and the Lusitania three and one-half hours later. It is calculated that if the Lusitania continues this same rate of gale she will reach New York from 22 to 24 hours ahead of the Lusitania.

London.—The Cunard company has received a wireless message from the Lusitania stating that the vessel left 541 knots from Daunt Rock Lightship to noon of Monday. As the Lusitania passed Daunt Rock at 12:10 p. m., this position shows she is traveling at the rate of 22 1/2 knots an hour.

Meyer for a Parole Post. Marblehead, Mass.—Postmaster General George W. L. Meyer, who was a speaker at the annual meeting of the Essex Republican club held at the Corinthian Yacht club here Tuesday, outlined some of his plans for the conduct of the post office. He said that one of his recommendations to congress this fall would be for a bill to establish a parole post. He spoke enthusiastically of his project for postal savings banks.

Another Kishinev Massacre. Braila, Roumania.—News reached here of another serious and atrocious anti-Jewish outbreak at Kishinev. It is estimated that no less than 80 Jews lost their lives in encounters with the infuriated populace.

Volcano in the Aleutians. Seattle, Wash.—Advises received here from an officer of the revenue cutter Rush, lying at Dutch Harbor and dated September 4, says that on September 1 and 2, a volcano in the Aleutian islands broke forth, sending down of ash and sand over a score or more of native villages, frightening the native Alaskans as well as the whites, out of their wits and covering the decks of the cutter Rush with ash. A hurricane accompanied the phenomenon and wild fowl of all kinds were driven far and fast.

## WORN TO A SKELETON.

A Wonderful Restoration Caused a Sensation in Pennsylvania Town.

Mrs. Charles M. Preston, of Elkland, Pa., says: "Three years ago I found my bones were becoming a burden. I tried easily, had no ambition and was falling fast. My complexion got yellow, and I lost over 50 pounds. My thirst was terrible, and there was sugar in the kidney secretions. My doctor kept me on a strict diet, but as his medicine was not helping me, I began using Doan's Kidney Pills. They helped me once, and soon all traces of sugar disappeared. I have regained my former weight and am perfectly well."

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### Had a Cheer Coming.

Years ago, when the G. A. R. annual departmental campment was held in Boston, as the veterans were marching along one of the avenues a lady, who had secured an elevated position on a wagon in a side street, became conspicuous by the enthusiasm she displayed, and was disatisfied with the lack of it in the by-standers. "Cheer!" said she. "Why don't you cheer? I guarantee you cheer if you'll lead your husbands in the war as I did."—Life.

Laundry work at home would be much more satisfactory if the right starch were used. In order to get the desired stiffness, it is usually necessary to use so much starch that the beauty and fineness of the fabric is hidden behind a thick coating of starch. This not only destroys the appearance, but also affects the wearing quality of the goods. This trouble can be entirely overcome by using Defiance Starch, as it can be applied much more thinly because of its greater strength than other makes.

### A Hopeless Case.

"Yes," said the business man, "I have given up trying to collect that little bill from Dilkins. You see, he is a big, muscular fellow, and he used to throw my collectors out."

"Then why didn't you employ a woman collector?" inquired a writer in Spare Moments. "He couldn't do that to a woman."

"That's what I thought, so I got one and sent her round, but she never came back."

"Why not?"

"He married her."

### A Pardonable Fault.

Dr. Edward Everett Hale, discussing a rather flimsy attack that had been made on certain recent statements, smiled and said:

"But who or what is blameless? It is the fault of the Scotchman here. An old Scotch woman wished to sell a hen to a neighbor."

"But tell me," the neighbor said, "is she a'tgether a guld bird? Has she got nae fault, nae fault at all?"

"Aweel, Margot," the other old woman admitted, "she has got one fault. She will lay on the Lord's day."

### Tom Ochiltree's Moon.

After Tom Ochiltree, of varying congressional raucous and laugh generator for the district rich, settled in New York as the answer of the John W. Mackay family, he effervesced in a thousand different directions, and was as good in some ways as Sam Ward. One night he escorted John Mackay, friend, the Count de Biscourt, down to the Battery to show the sight of New York. The moon was grand, and the count went into raptures as "her maiden reflection rippled over the pearly waters." He cried: "Eet is grand! Eet is grand! Dair is no such moon in all Italy!" "Count," said Ochiltree, solemnly, as he belittled the occasion, "you just ought to see the moon in Texas!"

### FAMILY FOOD.

Crisp, Toothsome and Requires No Cooking.

A little boy down in N. C. asked his mother to write an account of how Grape-Nuts food had helped their family.

She says Grape-Nuts was first brought to my attention on a visit to Charlotte, where she visited the Mayor of that city who was using the food by the advice of his physician. She says:

"They owe so much good from it that they never pass a day without using it. While I was there I used the Food regularly. I gained about 15 pounds and felt just what that when I returned home I began using Grape-Nuts in our family regularly."

"My little 18 months old baby shortly after being weaned was very ill with dyspepsia and teething. She was sick nine weeks and we tried everything. She became so emaciated that it was painful to handle her and we thought we were going to lose her. One day a happy thought urged me to try Grape-Nuts soaked in a little warm milk."

## TOLD HIM THE TRUTH.

Dad's Indignation Got the Better of His Judgment.

An old German farmer, who resided in one of the rural districts of the state of Iowa, was the father of a half-witted boy, whose lack of intellect was the cause of no little anxiety and solicitude on the part of the paternal parent.

"Dot pay Shon," he was heard to remark in the course of a conversation with a neighbor of the Teutonic origin, "he is not very bright, aber I don't want you to tell him because I don't want to know it."

Meanwhile the young hopeful was driving through the barnyard with a load of hay, which in attempting to turn a sharp corner he unfortunately upset.

The old man immediately became highly indignant. "Shon!" he bellowed in a voice of thunder, "you is a plame fool, you alway was a fool, you alway will be a fool. You not know nodding."—Judge's Library.

### CASE OF ECZEMA IN SOUTH.

Suffered Three Years—Hands and Eye Most Affected—Now Well and is Grateful to Cuticura.

"My wife was taken badly with eczema for three years, and she employed a doctor with no effect at all until she employed Cuticura Soap and Ointment. One of her hands and her left eye were badly affected, and when she would stop using Cuticura Soap and Ointment the eczema came back, but very all right, but it did her a sight of good. Then we used the entire set of Cuticura Remedies and my wife is entirely recovered. She thanks Cuticura very much and will recommend it highly in our family, and in every nook and corner of our parish." Robert, Hydropolis, La., Jan. 5 and Sept. 1, 1906.

### A Feline Bird.

An Irishman who wasn't much of a hunter went out to hunt one day, and the first thing he saw to shoot at was a blue jay sitting exactly on the top of a fence. He blazed away at the bird and then walked over to pick it up. What he happened to find there was a dead frog, which he raised carefully at arm's length, looking at it with a puzzled air. Finally he remarked: "Well, begobs, but ye was a devil of a faine looking bud buter Oi blew ther fithers off o'yers!"—Judge's Library.

### NEW HOMES IN THE WEST.

Send for free copy of pamphlet containing synopsis of the United States homestead laws and information how to secure a quarter section of splendid farming or grazing land free along the new railway lines of the Chicago & North-Western Ry. in South Dakota, Wyoming and other states. Special excursion rates to homesteads here. Information on request to W. B. Kniskern, Passenger Traffic Manager, C. & N. W. Ry., Chicago.

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## Products of Ton of Post.

By experiments recently made at the Institute of Technology one ton of post taken from a box within 100 miles of Boston, produced 180,000 feet of gas, 15 gallons of tar and five gallons of paraffin, and it is claimed from the six per cent. of ash innumerable by-products could be obtained.

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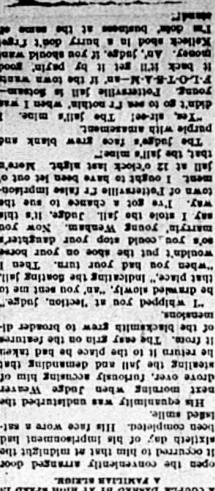
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