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## MILK SHIPPERS' UNION IS ORGANIZED

The following circular explains itself:

**TO THE PRODUCERS OF MILK TRIBUTARY TO CHICAGO:** Pursuant to notice meetings were held at most of the milk stations shipping milk to Chicago, and a delegate elected to attend the meeting at the Briggs House, in the city of Chicago, on March 1st, 1897, at which time and place delegates representing about 1500 shippers were present and twenty different divisions of railroads carrying milk to Chicago were well represented.

It was decided that a committee of 1 from each division of railroads bringing milk to Chicago be appointed to formulate a constitution to govern an organization of the Milk Shippers, for their mutual benefit in the future. The committee so selected do herewith submit to you for your earnest consideration a Constitution to permanently organize under, on the last Monday in March, 1897, at the Briggs House, in the city of Chicago, at 10 o'clock, a. m., and sincerely wish and ask that every person interested in production of milk will take hold and assist in correcting any evil that may appear in this constitution for the purpose it is intended to serve, or by adding thereto anything that would make it more secure for the mutual benefit of all concerned.

The building of co-operative factories to handle the surplus milk is something that should be encouraged, also the employing of an agent on the different lines of railroads to look after the interest of the shipper, is a feasible plan to remedy a good many evils that now exist, but in order to obtain or derive the benefit that should come these sources you must have a general and permanent organization of the milk shippers, with the general management of it in the city of Chicago, so that individual shippers at small stations who cannot avail themselves of the advantages that could be derived from co-operative factories or similar thing, should have some place he could apply to for information at least, in regard to the probability of their being safe in shipping their milk.

Read the Constitution carefully, and if you are not organized locally, do so at once, and have this matter thoroughly discussed and a delegate appointed to meet at above time and place, and let us get permanently organized at once and proceed to business in a business-like manner.

S. Hill, Chairman.  
B. Gleeson, Secretary.

## CONSTITUTION OF THE CHICAGO MILK SHIPPERS' UNION.

### PREAMBLE.

We, the Milk Shippers, tributary to Chicago, believing it to be for our mutual interests, do hereby organize the Chicago Milk Shippers' Union, and agree to be bound by the following Constitution:

### OBJECTS.

This Association is formed for the purpose of promoting the prosperity of the producers of milk tributary to Chicago, for mutual protection against unreliable dealers, for securing uniformity in all matters relating to the general good of the trade; for correcting the abuses which hamper it, and for encouraging and building up a common union for the general good of its membership.

### NAME.

This organization shall be called the Chicago Milk Shippers' Union.

### MEMBERSHIP.

Any person or firm engaged in producing and shipping milk to market become a member of this Association upon signing an application for membership, in which said applicant accepts and agrees to abide by the provisions of the Constitution governing this Association. Such application must be accompanied by the membership fee.

### CENTRAL UNION.

The Central Union shall consist of one delegate from each local organization.

### OFFICERS OF THE CENTRAL UNION.

The regular officers of the Central Union shall be a President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer, who shall be elected annually, by ballot,

at the regular annual meeting, and hold their offices for the term of one year, or until their successor is elected and qualified.

### BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

A board of directors, composed of one member from each division of railroads bringing milk to Chicago, elected by the shippers of each of said divisions, on or before the annual meeting every year, with the regular officers of the Central Union, shall constitute the Board of Directors of the Union.

### AUDITING COMMITTEE.

An Auditing Committee of not more than three shall be chosen by the Board of Directors, who shall examine the accounts of the Secretary and Treasurer and report thereon at the annual meeting, or at such other time as may be deemed expedient.

### DUTIES OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

The Board of Directors shall have general charge and direction of affairs of the Association, and shall direct the Secretary and Treasurer in the discharge of their duties; it shall have full control of the finances of the Association and shall determine upon all points affecting its policy, and to meet and confer with the dealers every three months for the purpose of agreeing upon and arranging the price of milk; and require the Treasurer to give bonds.

### ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Chicago Milk Shippers' Union shall be held in the city of Chicago, on the last Monday in March in each year, for the election of officers and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. Special meetings may be called by the President and Secretary, or by any five members of the Board of Directors at such time as they may determine, in the city of Chicago. Notice of all meetings of the Central Union shall be given by the Secretary or the five members of the Board of Directors in writing to the officers of each local organization, at least seven days prior to said meeting, stating the object for which the meeting was called.

### VACANCIES.

Whenever a vacancy occurs in the regular Board of Officers of the Central Union it may be filled by the Board of Directors at any special meeting of said board called for the transaction of any business.

### AMENDMENTS.

This Constitution may be amended at the annual meeting of the Central Union or at any special meeting, provided notice of proposed amendments shall have been given in the call for the meeting.

### MEMBERSHIP FEE.

The membership fee shall be one dollar, and the annual dues for each member one dollar, payable on or before the 1st day of March, each year.

The milk producers of this vicinity will hold a meeting next Tuesday morning, March 16th, at 9 o'clock, in the village hall, to effect a local organization. Every dairy man of this vicinity should not fail to attend this meeting, as it is of the utmost importance.

### W. R. C. Entertainment.

The entertainment given by the W. R. C. at the M. E. church last night, despite the unfavorable weather, was patronized by a fair sized and very appreciative audience. First was an invocation by the Rev. T. E. Ream. The next on the program was a song by that little queen of the song, Miss Gladys Lines, who fairly captivated the audience with her sweet voice and happy expression. Next was a song by Miss Carrie Kingsley, entitled "Who'll Save the Left." This song was written after the battle of Stone River, accurately describing the charge made by the famous 19th Ills., which resulted in winning the battle for the Union army. Miss Kingsley gave the song all the force and expression of her wonderful voice, and was cheered to the echo for her splendid effort. Next was the much advertised lecture by Col. Harding on the reminiscences of army life, which for a complete blending of humor and pathos won for the Colonel the admiration of everyone in the house. Next was a duet by Mrs. Hageman and Miss Rouse, which was well rendered and

well received. If one can judge from the prolonged encore they received at its finish. Next followed the grand march to the loaded tables that were spread in the parlors of the church with almost every edible that woman's ingenuity could devise, from a baked bean to a bride's cake.

On the whole the entertainment was a grand success and reflects a good deal of credit upon all who so unselfishly gave their time and talents to make it so.

### The Thursday Club Celebrates Its Third Anniversary.

Prominent among the social events of the season, was the anniversary entertainment given by the Thursday club on last Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Peck in Lake street. The spacious rooms were filled with a happy throng. On that evening, with their husbands for their guests, the Thursday club celebrated their third anniversary.

After appropriate quotations given by the ladies of the club, a short but interesting program was carried out, followed by games and informal sociability.

The color scheme was well brought out, yellow and white, the club colors, prevailing in decorations throughout the house. Narcissus in yellow and white was the flower of the evening.

At 11 o'clock luncheon was served at small tables. The artistic blending of club colors in the table decorations as well as in the many viands gave a most unique and pleasing effect.

After luncheon good nights were said, the third anniversary being pronounced a happy event.

The program was as follows:

Paper, "Women's Clubs," by Mrs. T. FitzSimmons.  
Reading—Miss Cora Higley.  
Recitation—Miss Eugenie Hutchinson.  
Duet, piano and mandolin—Mrs. Frank Hawley and Roy Peck.  
Piano solo—Mrs. E. W. Shipman.  
Recitation—Mrs. M. C. McIntosh.  
Duet, piano and mandolin—Mrs. Frank Hawley and Roy Peck.

You can get a calendar at the office of J. D. Lamey & Co., if you have not already secured one for this year.

### Mortuary Record.

#### MRS. CHARLES W. WEBER.

The death of Mrs. Charles M. Weber occurred this morning at 1 o'clock at the residence of her mother, Mrs. John Sinnott, at 293 Guadalupe street. Mrs. Weber came to this city from her residence in Stockton three weeks ago, and three days thereafter was stricken down with typhoid fever. Her condition had been critical for a number of days, but yesterday morning the symptoms were so favorable that strong hopes were entertained for her ultimate recovery, so that her rapid sinking last night and death this morning was a great shock to the relatives, as it will be to her friends.

Mrs. Weber, who was Miss Grace May Sinnott, was born in Illinois, but she was educated in this city, graduating from the State Normal school. Subsequently she taught in the public schools for five years, holding positions in the Lowell and Grant Grammar schools. In November, 1886, she was married in this city to Chas. M. Weber. During all her life she proved herself to be a woman of marked ability and intellect, and her management of the ranch at the Fifteen-Mile House, which was the home place much of the time, was a remarkable proof of executive business ability. She was a member of the Catholic Ladies' Aid society and Womens' Club in this city.

She leaves two little children, Helen May Weber, aged 7 years, and Charles M. Weber Jr., aged 3 years. The little ones were so attached to their mother that they would not leave her side during her illness. The surviving relatives are Charles M. Weber, the husband; Mrs. John Sinnott, the mother; John Sinnott, the father, of Leadville; and sisters, Misses Della, Nettle, Kateryne and Sue Sinnott. —From the *San Jose Mercury* of February 10, 1897.

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Here is the place to buy your Carpets, as we save you the waste in cutting, and our prices are 20 to 25 per cent lower than those of other dealers. Come and get our prices.

## Curtains

We have a special bargain in Lace Curtains, and ask you to call and investigate, as prices are very low.

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We fit them to your windows.

The very best goods and the lowest prices

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A. W. MEYER & CO., - - Barrington.

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## WATCHMAKER and JEWELER

PALATINE, ILLINOIS.

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Elgin Watch, stem wind, stem set, only \$5.00 and up, guaranteed for two years. Hampden, 17-jewel, adjusted, gold screw, stem wind and set, regulated hair spring, only \$15.00. Solid Gold Rings (Gents' or Ladies'), guaranteed, 75c upwards.

## Extra Large Assortment of Jewelry.

and Clocks always in stock. Extra inducements offered customers coming from Barrington, Lake Zurich and vicinity.

REPAIRING promptly attended to. All work guaranteed for two years.

## House-cleaning Time.....

Beginning with March the housewife is preparing for a grand old house-cleaning. To do this in a thorough manner she will want some new

## Wall Paper, Carpets, Rugs, Window Shades,

Draperies, etc.

We have in our store as large a stock of Wall Paper as can be found anywhere, and we are selling the prettiest patterns at 3 CENTS A ROLL and upwards. Our stock of Carpets, Draperies, Rugs, Window Shades, etc., is simply perfect, and will be sold at prices that will be found the lowest in this vicinity. We invite you to call at our store, inspect goods and let us give you prices.

Wolthausen & Landwer,  
BARRINGTON, ILL.

# Barrington Review.

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BARRINGTON, ILLINOIS

## HISTORY OF A WEEK.

THE NEWS OF SEVEN DAYS UP TO DATE.

Political, Religious, Social and Criminal Doings of the Whole World Carefully Condensed for Our Readers—The Accident Record.

George K. Merriweather, a wealthy Randolph county, Ind., farmer, committed suicide by hanging.

Frank Roszillions, a farm hand, was caught in a corn-shelling machine at Llanagan, Ill., and his injuries were such that he died.

Aaron D. Shafer, a democratic politician and ex-representative, hanged himself to his bedpost at Findlay, Ohio. Insanity is the cause.

Frank Frazee was sentenced to the penitentiary for two years for robbing the Tabernacle Baptist Church in Huntington, Ind.

James Oscar Wagy, a farmer of Plainville, Ill., placed a paper to his temple to keep the powder from discoloring his face and shot himself.

At Wilmington, Del., one of the powder mills in the Hagley yard of the E. I. Dupont de Nemours Co. was blown up. James Walker was instantly killed.

Charles F. Strong, reported to be a healer, attempted suicide at Rockford, Ill., by laudanum. His condition is critical. His wife sued him for divorce a few days ago.

Thomas Mead Bram, the convicted murderer of Capt. Charles I. Nash of the barkentine Herbert Fuller, has been sentenced to be hanged June 18.

The Youngstown, Ohio, council has passed a curfew ordinance, and at 9 o'clock nightly fire-alarm whistles will be blown to warn boys and girls 14 years old and less to go home.

Leslie Combs, the most noted moonshiner in the mountains, was found dead near Hazard, Ky., with his throat cut. He was a confederate bushwhacker. He claimed that he had killed fifty men.

The bank of Tracy, Atherton & Co. at Pleasant Plains, Ill., was entered by burglars, who forced the vault door, but were frightened away before they had finished the job of blowing the safe.

Governor Stephens of Missouri has commuted the sentence of John Schmidt, sentenced to hang at Clayton for the murder of Bertram Atwater, the Chicago artist, to twenty-five years' imprisonment in the penitentiary.

Amos Frazier and C. Dickinson, two hotel proprietors at Sedgwick, Kan., engaged in a shooting affray and Dickinson was mortally wounded. The trouble was the outgrowth of bitter competition for business.

Women voted at the school election at Ottumwa, Iowa, and their votes carried the proposition for a \$50,000 school tax. Those opposed will contest the legality of the tax on the ground that the voting by women was illegal.

Gen. Conrad Krez died at Milwaukee Tuesday. He had been ill but a short time with pneumonia. Col. Krez was a poet, politician and lawyer, besides a commissioner of the Circuit Court of Milwaukee county. A widow and three sons and three daughters survive him.

The bill repealing the sugar bounty act has passed both Nebraska houses and will be approved by the governor.

Robert G. Blaine, a brother of the late James G. Blaine, died Tuesday night at his residence in Washington. He was 65 years of age and leaves a widow and six children.

Henry Weiseman of Quincy, Ill., who was bitten by a dog six weeks ago, has died of hydrophobia. During his struggles he imitated a dog, barking and snapping at his attendants.

The country south of Oaxaca, Mexico, continues to be greatly disturbed by earthquakes, and the people in some of the smaller mountain villages are terribly alarmed. Many of them have come to the city, bringing their families with them. The earthquake shocks are felt every hour or two, day or night.

The secretary of war has sent to congress a recommendation for the extension of navigation from the Illinois river to Lake Michigan by the upper Illinois and lower Desplaines rivers near Chicago, to cost \$75,000.

The Norfolk, Va., Trust Company, thirty-two years in existence, doing a banking business, has made an assignment. Liabilities, \$20,000. The depositors will be paid in full.

The Florida stockholders in the defunct Southern Mutual Building and Loan Association will make another effort to have the United States courts assume jurisdiction over that company's affairs.

Work in the Globe shipbuilding yards, Cleveland, Ohio, was suspended by reason of the strike of the unskilled workmen. The strike of the helpers has made it necessary for the company to lay off between 300 and 400 skilled workmen.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

The funeral of the late David L. Foutz, the base ball pitcher and manager, who died Friday afternoon, was held Monday at the residence of his mother at Baltimore, Md.

The president has reappointed William Sinclair as steward of the white house, which place he held under the preceding administration.

United States Senator John Dolph of Oregon had his left leg amputated just above the knee and to-night he lies in a critical condition. It is feared he will not survive the shock of the operation.

President Guy of the St. Louis, Peoria & Northern railroad has purchased \$1,000,000 worth of rails at \$18 a ton, and surveys will be made in a few weeks from Springfield to East Clinton, Ill. The company expect to build the line, 150 miles in length, this year.

The strike at the Globe iron shipyards, Cleveland, Ohio, was settled Monday, the men returning to work upon a minimum wage of \$1.50 a day. The demand for union recognition was compromised.

Reports to the Michigan secretary of state for the March crop indicate that wheat was not materially damaged during the trying weather of February. The returns indicate that 17 per cent of the wheat crop of 1896 is in the farmers' hands.

Prominent philanthropists have organized a society at Elkhart, Ind., to solicit money and provisions in northern Indiana for the starving and needy in India. They hope by April 15 to have enough supplies to make a large shipment.

A bill has passed both house of the Arizona legislature exempting from taxation for fifteen years, all railroads commencing operations within six months from its passage.

Major N. R. Chambliss, a graduate of West Point, and an officer of the Confederate army, and brother-in-law of Gen. Hardee, the authority on military tactics, dropped dead at Baltimore, Md., Sunday morning while attending mass at the Cathedral.

At Stevens Point, Wis., Stephen Doane, a hermit, was found dying in his lonely cottage. He was 60 years of age, and had been without fire or food for four days.

While attending communion services in the Presbyterian church at Clinton, Iowa, J. C. Moses, a highly respected resident, suddenly expired. He was 73 years of age and formerly a Presbyterian minister.

Charles Parkin, aged 50 years, dropped dead in the office of the Rockford, Ill., Traction company while waiting for a car to his home. He formerly had an office at 241 Wabash avenue, Chicago. He leaves a wife.

Miss Gertie Tressler of Knoxville, Iowa, dreamed that \$600 was buried under a shade tree in the rear of the yard. She says that her uncle, who is dead, appeared to her and told her where the money was. She found it in a tin can, mostly in \$20 gold pieces. The money will be used to give her a collegiate education.

Andrew Carnegie, who has been seriously ill at his residence at Greenwich, Conn., for several days from pleurisy, is now entirely out of danger, and it is expected that he will be up and about the house again in a few days.

Gov. Lord has appointed ex-Senator E. W. Corbett United States senator from Oregon to fill the vacancy caused by the failure of the legislature to elect at its recent session. Mr. Corbett represented Oregon in the United States senate from 1866 to 1872. He is a pronounced gold standard advocate.

The officers of the Christian Endeavor Union of Wisconsin, who have been looking for a suitable location for their Bible training and evangelistic school, have decided upon Watertown.

Officials of the Chicago, Kalamazoo & Saginaw Railway deny the report that the road will be extended to Benton Harbor this season.

The comptroller of the currency has given authority for the organization of the First National Bank of Edgemont, S. D.; capital, \$50,000.

## LATEST MARKET REPORTS.

| CHICAGO.                |         |           |
|-------------------------|---------|-----------|
| Cattle, common to prime | \$2.10  | @ 6.25    |
| Hogs, all grades        | 2.25    | @ 3.85    |
| Sheep and lambs         | 3.20    | @ 5.25    |
| Corn, No. 2             | .23     | @ .23 1/2 |
| Wheat, No. 2 red        | .85 1/2 | @ .87 1/2 |
| Oats, No. 3             | .16     | @ .16 1/2 |
| Eggs                    |         | @ .10 1/2 |
| Rye, No. 2              |         | @ .34     |
| Potatoes                | .18     | @ .25     |
| Butter                  | .08     | @ .17     |

| ST. LOUIS.         |         |           |
|--------------------|---------|-----------|
| Cattle, all grades | 2.25    | @ 5.10    |
| Hogs               | 3.30    | @ 3.80    |
| Sheep              | 3.30    | @ 5.00    |
| Wheat, No. 2 red   | .92     |           |
| Corn, No. 2 mixed  | .16 1/2 | @ .17     |
| Oats, No. 2 white  |         | @ .20 1/2 |

| KANSAS CITY.       |          |        |
|--------------------|----------|--------|
| Cattle, all grades | 1.75     | @ 5.00 |
| Hogs, all grades   | 3.37 1/2 | @ 3.65 |
| Sheep and lambs    | 3.00     | @ 4.60 |

| NEW YORK.         |         |  |
|-------------------|---------|--|
| Wheat, No. 1 hard | .92 1/2 |  |
| Corn, No. 2       | .27 1/2 |  |
| Oats, No. 2       | .22     |  |

| PEORIA.           |         |  |
|-------------------|---------|--|
| Rye, No. 1        | .39     |  |
| Corn, new No. 2   | .20 1/2 |  |
| Oats, No. 2 white | .19     |  |

## WORK OF CONGRESS.

### LEGISLATIVE PROCEEDINGS AT WASHINGTON.

Closing Hours of the House and Senate Marked by the Usual Rush of Work—Many Bills Meet with "Pocket Veto"—Some of the Measures That Passed.

The closing hours in the house were uneventful. The statesmen worked all night to get the sundry civil, Indian and agricultural bills to the President, only to have them pocket vetoed, while the general deficiency failed of passage because the house refused to subscribe to the half million of Bowman claims which the senate insisted upon. The only feature of the closing throb of life was the enthusiastic reception accorded Speaker Reed, and the unanimous standing vote of thanks tendered him. After this the house adjourned without day.

The senate of the LVth congress met in extra session, with Vice-President Hobart presiding, in pursuance to a call of the retiring President. Proceedings were confined largely to the valedictory of the retiring Vice-President, Mr. Stevenson, the opening address of the new Vice-President, Mr. Hobart, and the swearing in of office of the new senators.

### Weyer Issues a Savage Order.

A Havana special to the New York World says that General Weyer has issued an order directing that hereafter all women arrested in Cuba who are called "suspicious" shall be tried by court-martial. While the penalty is not publicly stated, it is supposed that that if the women are found guilty the death penalty will be imposed. The issuing of this order has been protested against by some foreign consuls.

### Ran Into a Landslide.

Missouri Pacific passenger train No. 4 ran into a landslide about one and one-half miles west of Stauber, Mo., at 7 o'clock Friday night. The engine, tender and mail car were telescoped, setting fire to the mail car, which in turn set fire to the baggage car, and both were entirely consumed. One man was killed and his body cremated, another was fatally burned, and a third badly injured.

### New York Village Fire Swept.

A big fire raged in the business section of Rome, N. Y., Thursday. The conflagration started in the rear of Bingham's six-story building about midnight. The blaze spread rapidly through the entire building, which is occupied by the Bingham Harness company and Willoughby carriage and sleigh works. Paul Finster's harness shop also was consumed. It is estimated that the loss is \$150,000.

## NOMINATIONS CONFIRMED.

Senate Indorses the President's Cabinet Selections.

The senate was in session only about two hours Friday, and the greater part of the time was spent in executive session in confirming Mr. McKinley's cabinet appointments. The following were the nominations:

Secretary of State—John Sherman of Ohio.

Secretary of the Treasury—Lyman J. Gage of Illinois.

Secretary of War—Russell A. Alger of Michigan.

Attorney-General—Joseph McKenna of California.

Postmaster-General—James A. Gary of Maryland.

Secretary of the Navy—John D. Long of Massachusetts.

Secretary of the Interior—Cornelius N. Bliss of New York.

Secretary of Agriculture—James Wilson of Iowa.

### Vetoes the Railroad Bill.

Governor Leedy of Kansas has vetoed the Harris railroad bill. The bill does not contain a maximum rate schedule and gives the railroad commissioners only limited authority. Leedy says the Abilene platform promised the people radical railroad legislation, and therefore he would not consent to an act which he says is no better than the law now on the statute books. The legislature has refused to pass the bill over the veto.

### Wages Go Down at Muncie.

The Indiana Iron Company at Muncie, Ind., has informed the employees of the nut and bolt department that a reduction will be made in their wages amounting to from 5 to 15 per cent. The men now regret that they withdrew from the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers, as they will be forced to fight alone.

### Millions of Damage.

While the flood of last Friday is over the effects of it will be felt in northern Kentucky, southern Ohio and southern Indiana for weeks. The damages here and within a radius of 100 miles of this city, are now estimated in the millions.

### Editor Wilson Goes to Prison.

James B. Wilson, editor of the Indianapolis People, was on Tuesday sent to the northern prison for a term of two years for sending copies of his paper, containing obscene matter, through the mails.

### Wages Go Down 10 Per Cent.

The Bethlehem, Pa., Iron company has announced a general reduction of ten per cent in the wages of steel workers, laborers and furnace men. The reduction goes into effect on March 1.

## THE HAPPIEST WOMAN IN AMERICA.



THE MOTHER OF PRESIDENT MCKINLEY, WHO HAS TAKEN UP HER RESIDENCE IN THE WHITE HOUSE.

## GREECE MAKES REPLY.

Will Not Abandon Cretans to Moslem Fanaticism

The reply of Greece to the powers was finally drafted Monday morning and sent to the foreign legations. The reply, after acknowledging the receipt of the identical notes of the powers and recognizing the extreme gravity of possible results bound up in the situation, declares that Greece owes a duty to the people of Crete, and that she will not abandon them to Mussulman fanaticism. She offers to withdraw her fleet and place the troops on shore under the control of the combined powers of Europe.

## Mr. Cleveland Takes a Cruise.

Ex-President Cleveland, accompanied by Capt. Lambertson, Dr. Leonard A. Wood of Boston, and Capt. Robley Evans, left Washington on the light-house tender Maple at 3:25 o'clock Thursday. At Portsmouth the party transferred to the Violet and proceeded to the North Carolina sounds.

## To Investigate Everybody.

A sensation has developed in Nebraska over the discovery that the legislative committee appointed to investigate state offices will extend the scope of duty to cover transactions going back many years.

## MARCH AND APRIL

Are the Most Disagreeable Months of the Year in the North.

In the South they are the pleasantest and most agreeable. The trees and shrubs put forth their buds and flowers; early vegetables and fruits are ready for eating, and in fact all nature seems to have awakened from its winter sleep. The Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company reaches the Garden Spots of the South, and will on the first and third Tuesdays of March and April sell round-trip tickets to all principal points in Tennessee, Alabama, and West Florida at about half rates. Write for advertising matter and particulars of excursions to C. P. Atmore, General Passenger Agent, Louisville, Ky., or J. K. Ridgely, N. W. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

## Congressman Simpson's Silk Socks.

When Congressman "Jerry" Simpson appears in the extra session of congress next month he will for the first time in his life wear a tailor-made suit of clothes. This suit came to him at Topeka, Kan., by express from a Chicago tailor, and tucked away in the bundle was a pair of silk half hose, sent with the compliments of the tailor. Simpson will wear these hose with his new clothes. He has also bought a pair of tan leather shoes and a silk hat of the latest block. He has adorned the latter with a half mourning band.

## Tours in the Rocky Mountains.

The "Scenic Line of the World," the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad, offers to tourists in Colorado, Utah and New Mexico the choicest resorts, and to the transcontinental traveler the grandest scenery. The direct line to Cripple Creek, the greatest gold camp on earth. Double daily train service with Pullman sleepers and tourists' cars between Denver and San Francisco and Los Angeles.

Write S. K. Hooper, G. P. & T. A., Denver, Colorado, for illustrated descriptive pamphlets.

## How Needles Are Made.

Needles are all made by machinery. The piece of mechanism by which the needle is manufactured takes the rough steel wire, cuts it into proper lengths, files the point, flattens the head, pierces the eye, then sharpens the tiny instrument and gives it that polish familiar to the purchaser. There is, also, a machine by which needles are counted and placed in the papers in which they are sold, these being afterward folded by the same contrivance.

## On to the Kootenai

The call of 1897 is "On to the Kootenai," the wonderfully rich mining country of Montana, Idaho and British Columbia, where so many mines of gold, silver, copper, lead, iron, etc., have been discovered during the last year or two and new towns and industries established. The town of Roseland grew from 200 people to 6,000 in twenty months. Maps and descriptive matter of the entire territory sent free by F. I. Whitney, G. P. & T. A., Great Northern railway, St. Paul, Minn.

## Why He Was Indignant.

"Is it true that Goldy's son eloped with the old gentleman's typewriter?"  
"Yes; they skipped out two weeks ago."  
"I presume Goldy is just pawing the air."  
"Naturally. He has engaged to the girl himself."—Detroit Free Press.

## The Hot Springs

located in the Black Hills of South Dakota have wonderful medicinal properties for the cure of rheumatism, neuralgia, and kindred ailments, and should be investigated by all suffering from such troubles. First-class hotel accommodations and baths. Tourist tickets on sale daily and especially low rates on the first and third Tuesdays of each month. Full information furnished on application to ticket agents C. & N. W. Ry.

## Two Married Men.

"Why do you insist upon taking your wife out for such long walks in this rough weather?"  
"The doctor has told her that she must be very careful not to talk when she is out in the cold air."  
"Say, who's your doctor?"—Cleveland Leader.

## Very Low Rate Excursions to the West and South.

On March 16, April 6 and 20, the North-Western Line will sell Home Seekers' excursion tickets, with favorable time limits to numerous points in the West and South at exceptionally low rates. For tickets and full information apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Railway.

## For Art's Sake.

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# ILLINOIS LEGISLATURE

REPORTED BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

March 2.  
No business was transacted in either branch of legislature today.

March 3.  
The house met at 5 o'clock with twelve members present. In the absence of the chaplain prayer was dispensed with, and after the reading of the journal Mr. Harnsberger moved that when the house adjourn it stand adjourned to 5 o'clock Friday afternoon. This motion was carried and then Mr. Murray of Sangamon moved to adjourn and this motion was adopted.

Senators Templeton and Morrison held a perfunctory session in the senate to-day, assisted by Senators Dunlap, Sparks (Rep.), and Manifold and McKinley (Dem.). At 5 o'clock the secretary of the senate called that body to order and announced that nominations for secretary pro tempore were in order. Senator Dunlap nominated Senator Templeton, who was unanimously chosen. The president pro tempore ordered the journal read, immediately after which Senator Morrison moved that the senate adjourn to Friday at 9 a. m., which was carried.

March 5.  
Acting Speaker Selby and Representatives Merriam, Buckner, La Monte and Murray of Sangamon were present when the House convened at 5 o'clock, the democratic side being entirely unrepresented. Mr. Merriam took occasion to emphasize the absence of Mr. Noble, who at the beginning of the week, announced his intention of remaining here and making as much trouble as possible. "I observe," said Col. Merriam, "that the gentleman from Cook, Mr. Nohe, is absent from his seat today. I would like to inquire if the chair gave him consent to leave."

"The chair has no knowledge that leave of absence has been granted the gentleman from Cook," said Speaker Selby.

"I presume he is absent for grave reasons," continued Col. Merriam, "perhaps on account of pressing business at home, and I therefore request that he be excused from attendance to-day."

"He will be excused," said Speaker Selby.

Mr. Buckner called attention to the death of Senator Wells, and moved the appointment of a committee of five to attend the funeral. The motion prevailed, and the chair appointed Representatives Buckner, Kincheloe, Perry, Merriam and Murray of Sangamon. The House then adjourned to 5 o'clock Monday afternoon. When the Secretary of the Senate announced to-day that nominations for president pro tempore were in order, Senators Dunlap and Kanan were the only members present. Senator Dunlap nominated Senator Kanan president pro tempore, and at 9 a. m., the Senate was called to order. Immediately after the reading of the journal an adjournment was taken to Monday at 5 p. m.

March 8.  
After a week's idleness the house manifested a disposition to work when it met at 5 o'clock. For an hour the clerk read bills a first time, and several motions for adjournment were voted down. The following bills were introduced:

By Mr. Buckner—For the suppression of mob violence and lynching. It provides that a person attacked and injured by a mob may secure judgment from the county in which the act is done from \$1,000 to \$5,000. By Mr. McGinnis—To prohibit demands of deposits of money to secure the payment of water, gas and electric light bills. (Write your senator and representative and tell them to vote for this measure. Also write to the governor and tell him to sign it. The passage of this bill is absolutely necessary if the people wish to be free from the burglar system now being practiced by the gas and electric lighting companies.) By Mr. McLaughlin—Amending the law in relation to child labor by providing that no child under 16 years of age shall be permitted to work in mine, mill or factory, unless he has passed the fifth grade in the common schools. By Mr. Metcalf—Amending the flag law by making it the duty of public officers to float the flag over public buildings on national holidays. By Mr. Murdock—Amending the law in relation to wills by making the same provisions for proving the signatures of insane persons as those of deceased persons. Also, a bill amending the election law by providing that the official ballot be printed in two papers and four notices posted in each political precinct. By Mr. Nohe—Regulating department stores. This is the bill agreed upon by the Chicago Business Men's association. By Mr. Saylor—Repealing the mechanics' lien law and classifying these cases the same as assignment cases and giving county courts jurisdiction in them. By Mr. Sherman—Providing for the appointment of county jury commissions, whose duty it shall be to select petit and grand jurors.

In the absence of Lieutenant Governor Northcott and President Pro Tem-

pore Fisher, Senator Harding called the senate to order at 5 p. m. today. There was not a quorum present and no business was transacted. Immediately after the reading of the journal an adjournment was taken until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Senator Wells' desk was draped in crape. In the center a beautiful floral wreath rested, expressing the esteem in which members of the senate held their deceased associate.

State Items.  
The Ottawa postoffice has been moved into new quarters.

The Vandalia Mail and Express estimates the proportion of competent members of the Missouri Legislature at one-third.

The Republicans of Rock Island held their primaries Saturday. It is of more than usual interest from the fact that it is the first time that primaries have been held here under the new primary election law. The polls were open from 1 to 8 o'clock, aldermen were nominated and delegates to the city township convention named.

Farmers near Monticello complain very much because rabbits are girdling their young fruit trees. Numbers of young orchards have suffered extensively from the depredations of the little pests.

The Kankakee River is swollen, which gives opportunity to experiment with the current and settle the dispute as to whether Dennis F. Reardon's body could have lodged in the willows at the foot of Third avenue, Kankakee, if it had floated over the dam. People have set bits of riftwood floating and have seen them drift to the same place that Reardon's body was found.

## HEREFORDS WITHOUT HORNS.

Kansas Stockman Claims to Have Produced a New Breed of Cattle.

St. Joseph, Mo., Special: Gen. W. W. Guthrie of Atchison, Kas., owner of a large ranch in Chase county and a stock farm in Atchison county, has just made public the result of an experiment in stock breeding, covering a period of eight years. He claims to have developed an entirely new breed of cattle, which has been the dream of stock raisers for years, and which for the present he has named Herefords. He has succeeded in developing an animal with all the main markings of a Hereford, but which is without horns. He began his experiments in the belief that a strain of cattle could be developed from the Hereford that would meet more satisfactorily the requirements for beef and milk, and he is confident that his experiments have been successful. He has never abandoned the idea that horns could be bred out of the Hereford strain, and now, after years of experimenting, he has a herd of twenty-seven heifers and two bulls that are polled Herefords. The new breed is somewhat larger than the Hereford and with sparer hips, but retain the natural markings. Gen. Guthrie believes that the new breed is superior to the Hereford as to beef quality, and is convinced that they will meet his expectations as to milking qualities.

## WORLD'S BEST THIN ARMOR.

Remarkable Plates at Indian Head That Shot Could Not Crack.

The navy department is securing a constant improvement in the quality of its armor plate, says the Washington Post. A test made at Indian Head the other day demonstrated that it now possesses the best thin armor, at least, in the whole world. A four-inch plate representing some of the side armor of the battleship Kearsarge, that was well up on the bows, was fired at with a five-inch gun. Not long ago a shot was calculated as able completely to penetrate an armor plate of one and one-half times as thick as its caliber. In other words, a five-inch shot would penetrate a plate seven and one-half inches thick. This four-inch plate, however, not only kept the shot out, but it smashed it up, and the only mark left on the plate was slight dishing in the center, not more than half an inch deep. This passed the plate. Then another shot was taken at it to ascertain the power required to perforate the plate. This was accomplished only by giving the shot the high velocity of 1,985 feet per second and even then the plate was not cracked.

## A Voting Machine.

A newly patented voting machine has the party ballots pasted on a board in front over a series of registering levers, the back of the machine being transparent to show the total number of votes cast, but the vote for each candidate is not indicated until the machine is opened at the close of the election, fraud being prevented by watching the total vote indicator, always in sight at the back of the machine.

One cold, clammy woman with her nose turned up, can ruin a reception.

## IN EXTRA SESSION.

### PRESIDENT M'KINLEY CALLS CONGRESS.

Legislators Summoned by Proclamation to Meet March 15—"Public Interests of the United States" Given as the Reason for the Call.

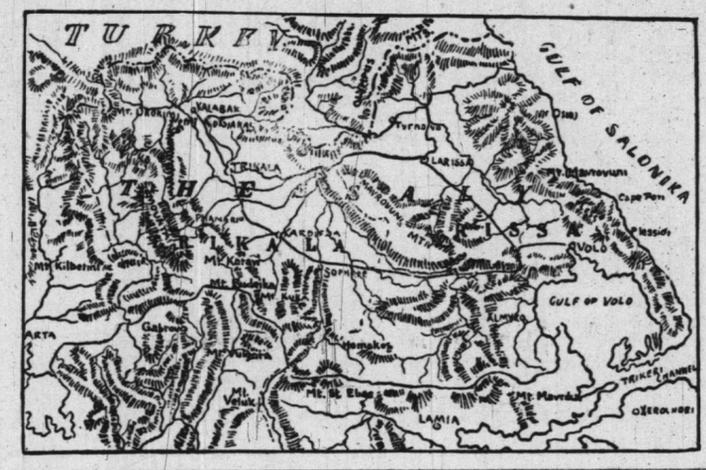
President McKinley issued a proclamation Saturday convoking congress in extra session Monday, March 15. The proclamation is as follows:

"By the president of the United States of America, a proclamation. Whereas, public interests require that the congress of the United States should be convened in extra session at 12 o'clock on the 15th day of March, 1897, to receive such communication as may be made by the executive:

"Now, therefore, I, William McKinley, president of the United States of America, do hereby proclaim and declare that an extraordinary occasion requires the congress of the United States to convene in extra session at the capitol, in the city of Washington, on the 15th day of March, 1897, at 12 o'clock noon, of which all persons who shall at that time be entitled to act as members thereof are hereby required to take notice.

"WILLIAM M'KINLEY,  
"By the president:  
"JOHN SHERMAN, Sec. of State."

## MAP OF THESSALY AND TURKO-GRECIAN FRONTIER.



## Eckels Will Serve Out His Term.

The arrangements to make Comptroller Eckels a commissioner under the new monetary conference act and thus make an immediate vacancy in the comptroller's office for Charles G. Dawes of Illinois have fallen through. Mr. Eckels has determined to serve out his term unless removed by the president, and it is well known that President McKinley will not remove him.

## Peoria Elevator Is Burned.

Thursday night fire destroyed the Union elevator at Peoria, Ill. The elevator was the property of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad company. It had a capacity of 1,000,000 bushels, and as nearly as can be ascertained contained about 900,000 bushels of grain. The loss is estimated at \$400,000, but no statement of insurance can be given.

## Caused by a Fog.

During the rain and a thick fog passenger train No. 105, westbound, on the Midland branch of the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern railroad, was stopped by a landslide near Hills station, five miles east of Loveland, Ohio. A heavy freight came thundering through the fog and crashed into the sleeper. Five persons were fatally injured.

## Sylvester Scovel Set at Liberty.

The Santa Clara court having jurisdiction of the charges against Sylvester Scovel, the New York World correspondent who was arrested in this early part of February while traveling in a train between Tunas and Santi Spiritus, Cuba, has rendered a decision releasing him from custody. Mr. Scovel is now at liberty.

## Big Fire at Worcester, Mass.

One of the worst fires ever known in Worcester, Mass., early Friday morning destroyed the John E. Day five-story block, 302 to 312 Main street, and the Goulding block adjoining. The loss is estimated at \$400,000. Eight firemen were badly injured by falling walls.

## Leadville Strike Is Off.

At a meeting of the Leadville Miners' union it was decided by a vote of approximately 900 to 200 to declare the strike off. The strike was declared June 19, 1896, and has lasted over eight months. It has cost the camp fully \$4,000,000.

## Cleveland, Carlisle and Stetson.

It is rumored that ex-President Cleveland will form a partnership with former Secretary of the Treasury John G. Carlisle and Mr. Francis Lynde Stetson of New York for the practice of law. It is said they will open offices in the vicinity of Wall street.

## HEAVY FLOODS FEARED.

Mountains of Snow Cover the Entire Northwest.

The states of Minnesota and North and South Dakota are in a nervous condition over the prospects of the next few days. It has snowed every day this month, Sunday's storm being the greatest in weeks. There are literally mountains of snow all over this section. Railroad trains are in a hopeless tangle.

The people are beginning to realize that if the snow should go off with a rush or accompanied with a downpour of rain, as is likely at this season of the year, the biggest flood would result ever known in the Northwest. It would cause incalculable damage along the Mississippi and tributary streams, and overflow the Red river valley to such a depth that it would prevent the seeding of thousands of acres.

## Three Trainmen Killed.

The Baltimore & Ohio wrecking train left the track ten miles east of Zanesville, Ohio, Thursday afternoon, as it was on its way to clear a freight wreck. Three railroad men, all of Newark, Ohio, were killed and several injured.

## Weyler Denies Resignation.

Capt.-Gen. Weyler has returned to Havana. He specifically denied to the Associated Press that he had resigned, adding that he had never even contemplated it.

## The Export Trade.

The remarkable feature of the year 1896 in business has been the enormous export trade of the country. The volume of this trade has been excessively heavy in the closing months of the year. For December the excess of exports from the United States over imports was \$59,271,093; for the twelve months the excess was \$325,322,184, the largest in the history of the country. The previous highest excess of exports over imports was in 1879, when the figures were \$264,661,666. For 1892 the figures were \$202,875,686. The total value of the export trade for 1896 was \$1,005,878,417, which is the largest total for any calendar year in the history of the country. The figures for the fiscal year 1892 were slightly larger, being \$1,030,278,148, but it is probable that the figures for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1897, will exceed the high-water mark reached in 1892. While the exports for 1896 show such a heavy increase over those of 1895 the imports have fallen off but little for the same period. Below is given in tabular form the exports for 1896 and 1895, the excess of exports over imports, and the imports:

| EXPORTS.              |               |                 |
|-----------------------|---------------|-----------------|
|                       | December.     | Twelve mos.     |
| 1896                  | \$117,227,102 | \$1,005,878,417 |
| 1895                  | 92,529,117    | 824,860,136     |
| Increase              | \$24,697,985  | \$181,018,281   |
| EXPORTS OVER IMPORTS. |               |                 |
|                       | December.     | Twelve mos.     |
| 1896                  | \$59,271,093  | \$325,322,184   |
| 1895                  | 30,328,070    | 23,190,789      |
| IMPORTS.              |               |                 |
| 1896                  | \$780,556,233 |                 |
| 1895                  | 801,679,347   |                 |
| Decrease              | \$21,123,114  |                 |

## Before Shipping Cattle, Write.

Live Stock Report of Chicago says: Many feeders of cattle would be saved both disappointment and loss if before sending in cattle to market they would notify their commission house what and when they were going to ship. Then if the commission merchant thinks the stock would be benefited by longer feeding, or that the prospect is unfavorable for the time the feeder expected to have his cattle in, he can so advise his client and thus save him from sacrificing his stock or getting in at the wrong time. Especially is this important at this time when we are getting so many half-fat cattle that ought to have been held back 30 to 60 days longer at least. No doubt many of these look all right in the feed lot and appear to have good finish, but not having matured or ripened they practically "go to pieces" on the cars, and in addition to loss through heavy shrinkage the owner has to accept a low price on the market. We wish that every customer would follow out this plan of notifying us a day or so ahead of the time he expects to ship. It works both to the advantage of the shipper and seller. The latter being on the market every day of his life knows just what that market wants and can judge pretty closely of near prospects. He is thus able to give his client the necessary advice and information he should have before he sends in his stock.

Milk Farming.—Milk farming, or in other words, the product from the cow will pay the average farmer located near towns or cities a far greater return for labor and capital invested than will any of the usual grain crops to which his land is commonly devoted, and even in more remote districts where the sale of milk and cream direct to the consumer is not practicable. The farmer of mixed husbandry who omits the important branch of dairying in connection with his business runs it at a loss and does not reap the possible benefits within reach. Modern appliances for managing the milk and cream and its manufacturing into butter has reduced the old-time drudgery of the dairy work to a minimum and by observing proper care and skill with suitable surroundings, a good cellar, spring house, creamery or a separator, good butter can be made and paying prices obtained for it in every section of the country.—Ex.

Quality in Colts.—Better grow one colt a year at a profit than half a dozen which will just balance the feed bill. It is not the number of brood mares kept, but the quality, which will tell the story. One good brood mare on every farm, bred to a good, prepotent sire, will practically insure thousands of colts needing only reasonable care to develop into what will sell at a profit. The starting point is essential as well as the course taken. Better one positive mare than a dozen with no good qualities. No man can grow a colt so cheaply as the farmer, but for a new dollar to be obtained in exchange for the old, the colt must represent something and stand for something.—Ex.

Along Butter creek, Oregon, has appeared a vine that when above the ground will leave the root and cling to any vegetation to which it can attach itself and through which it can draw nourishment. The seed is said to have been brought there with alfalfa seed from Salt lake.

Women seem better adapted than men for some of the work connected with the home dairy.

## MRS. BEECHER DEAD.

Widow of America's Famous Preacher Expires at Stamford, Conn.

Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher died at Stamford, Conn., Monday at the age of 85 years.

Just ten years ago Mrs. Beecher's noted husband, Henry Ward Beecher



MRS. BEECHER.

passed out of this life. Mrs. Beecher was unconscious for twenty-four hours and her death was peaceful and painless. Ever since Saturday her wonderful vitality had been ebbing away.

## M'KINLEY'S MONETARY PLANS.

Will Instruct Ambassadors to Pay Attention to the Views Abroad.

Washington, March 11.—The Evening Star says:

"It is understood that the President will not appoint members of an international conference commission or take any steps toward calling a conference until after the expiration of the special session of conference. The President has in mind a very comprehensive plan for dealing with the whole monetary question. It is understood that he will at first confine negotiations with foreign governments to the usual diplomatic agencies. All the ambassadors and ministers to foreign governments by Mr. McKinley will be given special instructions to devote particular attention to bringing about a friendly understanding on the monetary question. They are expected to assume an attitude friendly to bimetalism and to exert what influence they can toward inducing the countries to which they are accredited to give the matter serious consideration.

## Gov. Pingree Is Mayor Still.

Lansing, Mich., March 11.—The Supreme court adjourned until Tuesday without making any ruling in the Morland case, which challenges the title of Gov. Pingree to the office of mayor of Detroit. Neither did the court pass upon the application for a mandamus to compel Attorney-General Maynard to institute quo warranto proceedings to determine such title.

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A Swiss has invented a machine to tell when the air of a room is bad. The basis of the invention is a certain red fluid which, on being exposed to air which contains much carbonic acid gas, will turn white. But people with noses and lungs do not need any red fluid to tell them when they are in the midst of foul air. If they suddenly feel unaccountably dull, heavy and stupid and as if they were immersed in an atmosphere which was about to crush them, then they know they are actually immersed in just such a foul sea of gases indescribable. They know they are breathing in not only the cast off particles of the other people's clothing, but of their bodies as well.

A plan is in operation in New Haven that could be tried in other manufacturing cities with advantage. Instead of having huge trucks and heavy horses to haul their wares to and from the railway station certain manufacturers have had built an electric freight railway. Cars are hauled over it alongside the factories or upon sidings specially provided at each establishment. Then they are loaded and in due course of time are hitched to the electrical engine and drawn to the station.

Professor Dussaud of the University of Geneva, Switzerland, has made an invention which it is hoped and believed will enable even deaf mutes to hear. It has been found that only in the rarest of cases of deafness is the auditory nerve totally destroyed or wanting. This fact is the basis of Professor Dussaud's invention. He has the sounds registered in a phonograph. Thus, if you wish to converse with the deaf person, you will first talk into a small phonograph. There is an electrical receiver which will intensify the sound of your voice many fold. In this intensified form the transmitter gives it to the ear of the deaf person. The deaf one's auditory nerve feels the electrical vibrations of the speaker's words, and thus he is enabled to hear.

There are three shoe manufacturing cities in the country that can make shoes enough in six months to supply every man, woman and child in the United States for a year. This fact is worthy the attention of political economists and those who are interested in demand and supply. There is no department of human industry in which machinery and the subdivision of labor have been brought to greater perfection than in the manufacture of shoes. In the great shoe factories there are women employed whose business the year round is to sew one seam and one only. Even the metal eyelets are placed in position and clamped by a mechanical device.

New Zealand is threatened with an epidemic of Chinese cheap labor, while the Japanese workmen have succeeded in overwhelming Hawaii and the Philippine islands. The orientals are likely to cut a considerable figure in the world after all.

For stripping all the illusions off politics commend us to statesmen of the commonwealth of Kansas. Thus Legislator Hanna of the Kansas senate has introduced a little bill putting up all county offices for sale at auction, to be knocked down to the lowest bidder. There is something so refreshingly, bald-headedly honest and frank in this bill that it tickles one's sense of humor mightily. It is like that immortal question of Mr. Webster Flanagan from Texas, "What are we here for?"

When the United States government builds battleships of the first class, it would always be a good plan to construct them so they could stand a sea voyage, would it not? We merely ask this question in a modest way for the purpose of eliciting information.

The people will have even more respect and esteem than they now have for the distinguished and handsome head of the United States army if he gently but firmly refuses to accept the gift of that \$50,000 house in Washington.

There never was a topic so important that a speech covering every essential point in it could not be put into three hours. Members of the United States senate will please take notice, if not warning.

A gallant and picturesque old minister to Sweden and Norway would Paul du Chaillu make.

## How to Write a Letter.

First, tell the news, if your letter is to a relative or friend who will be interested in the news. Before you commence to write think over very carefully every dismal and sorrowful event that has happened since you last wrote. If there have been any funerals, begin with them. Recount how the heartbroken relatives wept and wailed at the coffin side and refused to be comforted, and how they declared one and all in the most solemn manner they would never get over it, never. This will have a tendency to jolly up your absent friend, especially if he or she is away from home and among strangers.

After you have recounted all the funerals since your last letter begin with the diseases and ailments of your acquaintances and go through them seriatim. Tell your dear friend how some one in the same house with you is down with consumption and can by no possibility recover. Mention, too, the theory that consumption is communicable by germs; that it may even be transmitted in a letter. This will encourage your friend and confirm him in the belief in his own good health. Tell how John Smith is doubled up with rheumatism, how William Jones is losing his eyesight from cataract and how Jane Brown's oldest son has fits and is losing his mind—the boy whom she hoped would soon be old enough to help her make a living. Do not omit the slightest detail of disease among your acquaintances. Lug in even the ailments of persons your friend does not know, for that will round out the "news," so to speak. Then add that you are not very well yourself and really would not be surprised if you were not very long for this world. It is true that, having got thus far in the reading, your friend may be tempted to comment that if you are such an old tombstone as this the world could well spare you, but that is nothing. You must tell the news.

Having finished with the tale of woe so far as sickness is concerned, continue it with the story of the bad luck and financial losses of everybody you know. Tell how the Jenkins have gone to the poorhouse, and that you really don't know where people are to get a living next year.

Then proceed in like manner with the neighborhood scandals. If you can tell anything mean or unpleasant about a person whom your friend particularly likes, do not fail to put it in and paint it up lively. This, too, will have a tendency to make your friend very happy.

Finally, if anything bright or cheering in the nature of good fortune has occurred to any one, leave that out. It is not "news."

Mr. Stuyvesant Fish is president of the Illinois Central railroad. Opinions coming from him may therefore be regarded as conclusions from the standpoint of railway management, not of the employees or of outsiders. His view of the Union Pacific railroad's debt to the United States is, therefore, worthy of note. Mr. Fish recommends that the United States foreclose its mortgage on the Union and Central Pacific roads and take possession of them, "extending equality of privilege to all competing lines which might desire the privilege of the great highway." He considers that thus the original intention of the government act authorizing the construction of the road will be carried out. The United States government would pay off the first lien on the roads. Then, instead of operating them itself, it should lease to all roads desiring to send cars across the continent the right to send trains. Any road wishing a Pacific terminus could thus secure it by leasing from the government the right to send trains over the Union and Central Pacific.

General L. W. Colby of Beatrice, Neb., appears to be at the head of a movement for enrolling Americans into military service for Cuba. He says he has 15,000 men already enlisted and is only awaiting the collection of funds necessary to arm, equip and forward them to their destination. To do so requires \$1,500,000. The force will consist of 10,000 infantry, 4,000 cavalry and 1,000 artillerymen. The artillery will be supplied, according to General Colby's plan, with 24 cannon, being divided into four batteries with six guns each. The general declares there will be no difficulty in landing this force, once they are equipped. They will not be shipped from any port of the United States however.

A war of extermination has been begun in England against the sparrow—the ugly, voracious and disagreeable little bird called in America the English sparrow. It has been found to devour crops by wholesale, while it only catches insects to feed its young.

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### TIME TABLE.

| WEEK DAY TRAINS--NORTH. |               |              |
|-------------------------|---------------|--------------|
| LV. CHICAGO.            | AR. PALATINE. | AR. BARR'TN. |
| 3 00 A. M.              |               | 4 00 A. M.   |
| 7 30                    | 8 32 A. M.    | 8 50         |
| 8 15                    |               | 9 11         |
| 9 10                    | 10 19         | 10 30        |
| 10 50                   | 11 58         | 12 10 P. M.  |
| *1 30 P. M.             | *2 45 P. M.   | *3 00        |
| 3 30                    | 4 47          | 5 02         |
| 5 00                    | 5 57          | 6 09         |
| 6 01                    | 7 08          | 7 20         |
| 6 35                    | 7 42          | 7 55         |
| 11 35                   | 12 42         | 12 55        |

\* Saturdays only.

| WEEK DAY TRAINS--SOUTH. |               |              |
|-------------------------|---------------|--------------|
| LV. BARR'TN.            | LV. PALATINE. | AR. CHICAGO. |
| 6 10 A. M.              | 6 19 A. M.    | 7 25 A. M.   |
| 6 45                    | 6 55          | 7 55         |
| 7 10                    | 7 22          | 8 20         |
| 7 50                    | 8 09          | 9 15         |
| 9 10                    | 9 20          | 10 20        |
| 9 52                    | 10 02         | 11 00        |
| 12 25 P. M.             | 12 34 P. M.   | 1 40 P. M.   |
| 3 08                    | 3 19          | 4 30         |
| 5 02                    | 5 12          | 6 15         |

| SUNDAY TRAINS--NORTH. |               |              |
|-----------------------|---------------|--------------|
| LV. CHICAGO.          | AR. PALATINE. | AR. BARR'TN. |
| 4 00 A. M.            |               | 5 02 A. M.   |
| 9 10                  | 10 19 A. M.   | 10 30        |
| 1 30 P. M.            | 2 45 P. M.    | 3 00 P. M.   |
| 4 45                  | 6 00          | 6 12         |
| 6 35                  | 7 42          | 7 55         |
| 11 35                 | 12 42         | 12 55        |

| SUNDAY TRAINS--SOUTH. |               |              |
|-----------------------|---------------|--------------|
| LV. BARR'TN.          | LV. PALATINE. | AR. CHICAGO. |
| 7 10 A. M.            | 7 19 A. M.    | 8 10 A. M.   |
| 7 50                  | 8 09          | 9 15         |
| 12 25 P. M.           | 12 34 P. M.   | 1 40 P. M.   |
| 4 25                  | 4 35          | 5 45         |
| 9 10                  | 9 23          | 10 35        |

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**CUBA.**

Mrs. Redmond is convalescent.  
 Laura Courtney is home on a short vacation.  
 Miss Heinlein returned to the city recently.  
 Cora Davlin was a Chicago visitor last week.  
 John Gale was a Wauconda caller Saturday.  
 Prof. Hodge closed his school in Dist. No. 6 Friday.  
 Chas. Gruber is happy over the arrival of another son.  
 Miss Agnes Murray of Chicago is the guest of her mother.  
 Mrs. Robert Reynoldson was a Chicago visitor recently.  
 Lois Courtney opened school in the Bennett District Monday.  
 A man can not build up a character with the bricks he gets in his hat.  
 Ray Gilroy is visiting his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. F. Givens.  
 If you could see all a week man's spots, you'd think he had the measles.  
 There is one thing to say in favor of the self-playing piano. It knows when to stop.

**CARY WHISPERINGS.**

Rev. John of Crystal Lake was in town Wednesday.  
 Miss Edna Burton is suffering with laryngitis.  
 E. Rowell's little son, Ray, is suffering with pneumonia.  
 Miss Mamie Roemer, who has been very ill, is again able to be out.  
 Frank Tomisky of Chicago spent Sunday with his parents here.  
 F. Thomas and daughter, Ethel, are very sick at present writing.  
 Charles Otis of Barrington was a pleasant caller here last Thursday.  
 Mr. Balkema of Newwood Park spent Wednesday with his friend A. O. Hack.  
 Miss Etta Kerns who has been visiting friends in Chicago returned home Thursday evening of last week.  
 Miss Jennie Roemer, who has been spending the past two weeks with her mother, returned to Janesville Friday evening.  
 The recital given by Prof. Sears and class at the home of L. E. Mentch was enjoyed by all who had been so fortunate as to receive an invitation. The following fine program was rendered in an exceedingly able manner, the pupils showing great improvement over last year's work:

**Part I.**

- Piano Solo, "Mon Petite Ronet"..... A. Schmolli  
Miss Ada Smith.
  - Piano solo, "Polka Caprice"..... S. B. Mills  
Miss Cornelia Smith.
  - Piano solo, "New Spring"..... Lange  
Miss Lucy Garben.
  - Violin solo, "Bid Me Good-bye and Go"..... Tosti  
Mr. Fred Wilmington.
  - Piano solo, "The Butterfly"..... Bendix  
Miss Mabel Osgood.
  - Piano solo, "Recollections of Home"..... S. B. Mills  
Miss Fannie Munshaw.
  - Piano solo, "Dorothy"..... Seymour Smith  
Mr. Fred Wilmington.
  - Piano solo, "Vilanelle"..... Raff  
Miss Tena Arps.
- Part II.**
- Recitations of music by Class.
  - Piano solo, "Les Bameaux"..... Leybach  
Miss Alvina Smith.
  - Piano solo, "Lullaby"..... Pfeifferkorn  
Miss Ethel Thomas.
  - Piano solo, "Song of the Elms"..... Thorne  
Miss Vera Menich.
  - Violin solo, "Petite Berceuse"..... Hermann  
Mr. Fred Wilmington.
  - Piano solo, "Maiden's Blush Waltz".....  
Gottschalk  
Mrs. Emma Severns.
  - Piano solo, "Valse Caprice"..... Newland  
Mrs. Mattie Sprague.
  - Piano solo, "Le Reve de Oseaux"..... Lysberg  
Miss Edna Smith.
  - Piano solo, "Mazurka"..... Leschetizky  
J. I. Sears.

**WAUCONDA.**

Prosperity will now soon be here.  
 E. A. Golding transacted business in Lake Zurich Tuesday.  
 Miss Lulu Hill of Chicago is spending a few days with her grandparents.  
 Geo. Freye of Nunda was a pleasant caller in our village the first of the week.  
 Mrs. G. C. Roberts returned from a visit with relatives in Wisconsin last week.  
 George Wragg returned from Chicago, Tuesday, to look after his business interests here.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Sid Powers of Elgin are spending a few days with relatives in our vicinity.  
 M. W. Hughes went to Lake Zurich Tuesday to take views of the ice plant.  
 Messrs. C. E. Wheelock, Jos. Freund,

Edgar Green and J. W. Gilbert were called to Waukegan the first of the week to serve on the jury.

Miss Florence Ruggles returned from Chicago Tuesday with a full stock of spring millinery.

Will Golding now has the mumps. This will prevent him from selling the Journal for a few days.

Will Spencer returned to Chicago Tuesday, after a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Spencer.

A number of our young people tendered Miss Lillian Aynsley a pleasant surprise at her home at Diamond Lake Tuesday evening.

Mesdames Gieseler and C. A. Hapke went to Lena, Ill., Saturday where they will spend a few days with Mrs. Gieseler's son, Rev. J. C. Gieseler.

There will be but one or two more meetings of the Literary society for this season, so everyone come and spend a pleasant evening while you can.

There will be a "Dime" sociable at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hubbard this evening for the benefit of the M. E. church. A short program will be rendered and many other amusements will be indulged in. A pleasant evening is promised to all who attend.

Fishing has been exceptionally good here this year. Pickerel all the way from 3 to 15 pounds have been caught. The big fish have not all been fished out yet by all appearances. All we need now is to stock the lake with a few more black bass and we will have all the fishing anyone could wish for.

Our barber-shop has now changed hands, E. A. Golding having sold out to Ben Sherman, formerly of the firm of Fuller & Sherman, now Fuller & Wentworth. Mr. Sherman is a good business man and we have no doubt as to his success in his new undertaking.

Alice Camp, R. N. A., of Wauconda, gave an inaugural festival in the M. W. A. hall Thursday of last week. A fine program had been prepared for the occasion and was executed in a very able manner. Prof. R. C. Kent and Editor F. L. Carr each delivered an address on the inauguration of our new president, Maj. McKinley, each of which was full of common sense and good reasoning. E. A. Golding was attired as Uncle Sam during the program and it would have done old Uncle himself good to have seen him. The musical part of the program was very good and was highly appreciated. The program over, supper was served, after which all departed, much pleased with the evening's entertainment.

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**THE QUEST.**

There must be a somewhere just beyond  
 Our here with its weary miles  
 Where there's no parting for hearts grown  
 fond,  
 And the blue sky always smiles.  
 But the unseen shore is still before,  
 Though we strive till our courage fails,  
 And never a man since the world began  
 Has sighted its peaceful vales.

There must be a sometime, better far  
 Than our now, with its gray old sorrow,  
 And though never we've won where its out-  
 posts are,  
 We'll try again tomorrow.  
 For sometime land has a silver strand  
 And pleasant groves to shade us.  
 So we cannot rest in our lifelong quest  
 For joys that still evade us.

Why should we strain our weary eyes  
 For a land that we may not see,  
 Or dream of brighter and kinder skies  
 In a time that may never be?  
 Ah, better is hope than to crawl and grope  
 Through life without its zest.  
 Up, wanderers all! Sound the bugle call!  
 And we'll follow the old, old quest!  
 —J. L. Keaton in "The Quilting Bee."

**LAUNDRY TRICKS.**

**Victims of Strange Signs Tell How They Have Been Branded.**

From New York Sun: "Since I came to New York, twelve years ago," said one man in the group, "I have been known in the laundry world as 'R 9.' I don't suppose I could get rid of that mark whatever I should do. It identifies me as persistently as a hand with one finger gone. It came about in the most accidental way. I sent my clothes to a certain laundry late in 1883, when I first moved to New York. They came back marked 'R 9.' Every successive laundry has put that mark back on them until I am now so firmly fixed as 'R 9' that I never expect to be designated under any other device."

"I'm 'W Z,'" answered a small, meek man, apologetically, "and I never could fathom the imagination of the washer-woman who decided to label me 'W Z.' My collars are only fourteens, and there's nothing about my clothes to lead anybody to think I ought to be branded with any such impossible combination of consonants as 'W Z.' There are undoubtedly men that 'W Z' might suit, but I'm not one of them. The difficulty of the matter is that these laundresses may be picturesque enough in the first instance, although when one makes a mistake of judgment the rest follow, like sheep. Any woman who keeps on marking a fourteen collar 'W Z' shows a lack of inventiveness that is painful even in a laundress." "My name is Jones," the third man of the group said, "and I haven't a drop of German blood in my body. I never had a German ancestor, and I know nothing about Germany. But in the laundry annals I am irretrievably known as 'Krauss.' Nine years ago I moved to New York, and came here after having traveled for several weeks. I put all my wash into my trunk, and when I reached New York there was quite an accumulation. I went out to a laundry in the neighborhood, and told the man to send around to the house for my clothes. Before that I had told the servant to give my clothes to anybody who called, and it happened that a boy came first for the clothes of a lodger above me. Of course, he got mine instead, and it happened that the other man's name was known. So my entire laundry came back marked 'Krauss.' How they happened not to notice that they had never been marked before I don't know. But I am still known as 'Krauss' in the laundry set; collars wear out and shirts fall to pieces, only to be known anew as 'Krauss.' The other man told me that his clothes came back from the laundry marked 'J. Krauss.' That was the only tribute to my name, Jones, that was shown on that occasion. Whether the other man's name stuck to him or not I never heard. But I have been 'Krauss' for nine years, as much as the marks on my linen can make me that."

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CHAPTER IX.

**G**RANT had fallen upon his side. His face was turned from me, and one arm, thrown out as he fell, half hid his head. For a moment I stood motionless. Now that the deed was done, the horror I felt at my own act rooted me to the spot. I felt that I could not meet the man's dying gaze—the reproachful gaze of one whom I had slain in what was little more than cold blood. Oh, if I could but undo my work!

But was he dead? I had aimed straight at his heart—had my bullet reached it? Let me learn if I was a murderer in act as well as intention. If so, my pistol had a second bullet, and my aim, when I turned the muzzle toward myself, would be as true as before.

I dropped the fatal weapon, and ran to the fallen man; I knelt beside him, and, with the mechanical calm of despair, set to work to learn the worst.

No, thank heaven, he was not dead—not yet! The blood had flown from his sun-tanned face; his features seemed pinched and drawn with pain; but he still lived. The blood was trickling down his white coat, and falling on the thirsty sand which formed his couch; but he was not dead.

I raised him, thinking that doing so might check the flow of blood. I placed that grand massive head on my shoulder. He sighed faintly, and his eyes opened.

"You have killed me, I think," he said. "But listen. On the oath of a man who believes he has but a few moments to live, I swear that Viola, your wife, is pure as the day on which she married you. The truth you may never learn; but believe this."

The effort of speaking exhausted him. His eyes closed once more, and a cold chill passed over me. I would have given all I possessed for a flask of brandy. I shuddered at the thought that perhaps those eyes had closed forever.

My agony was increased tenfold by the words he had spoken. I could not, dared not, doubt them. If, while I believed in his guilt, remorse at my crime sprung up and seized me, what were my feelings now that I knew that I had killed a man who had not wronged me? Those dying words had carried complete conviction to my mind.

I must do something. If only to place my pistol to my head, and fall lifeless across my victim, I must do something! I took out my knife, and ripped up the wounded man's coat and shirt. I found his handkerchief, which I knotted to my own. Then, picking up a smooth pebble, I enveloped it in a piece of linen torn from the shirt, and with these appliances made a rough tourniquet. The very pistol with which I had done the deed served to twist the bandage until its pressure checked the flow of blood. A tinge of color came back to the ashen lips, and for the first time I hoped that Eustace Grant would not die.

But I must have assistance. Here we might wait until doomsday without a creature coming near us. There was but one chance of saving him. I must leave him and fly for aid.

I wonder if man ever ran so fast as I ran along that stretch of sand. All the while I was haunted by the dread that some movement of the helpless man's hand would shift the rough-and-ready bandage, and that, when I saw him again, I should gaze on death—death for which I was accountable. Thoughts like this are spurs which might urge the slowest to superhuman speed.

I rushed up into the village. I begged the first man I saw to get others—to procure a gate, a shutter, a plank, anything on which a wounded man could be carried, and to start at once up the coast. I tore into the little inn, seized a bottle of brandy, ordered the surgeon to be summoned at once, then ran back as wildly as I had come.

I outstripped the fishermen, who were already on their way with an extemporized ambulance. I reached the ravine, and, sick at heart, entered, to learn if Grant were still alive.

Thank Heaven, he lived! He lay just as I had left him. Once more I raised his head, and then gave him a teaspoonful of stimulant. He moaned faintly, and the sound of pain went through my heart like a knife.

Presently I heard the fishermen. I called to them. Tenderly as we could, we bore Grant through the entrance of

the ravine, and laid him on the stretcher. Then, at a slow pace, started on the homeward march.

About half way we met the surgeon. He called a halt, examined the injured man, and complimented me on the way in which I applied the tourniquet. The saving of the man's life, if it could be saved, would be due to my prompt action. How little he knew that, before attempting to save it, I had done all in my power to take that life!

He gave Grant more stimulant. "How in the world did it happen?" he asked, turning to me.

"I was stammering out some reply, when I saw Grant's eyes open, and his lips move as if about to speak. The surgeon and I bent over him.

"Accident," I heard him say to the surgeon.

"Shot myself—very stupid."

"Hush, don't talk," said the surgeon.

Grant said no more. His eyes met mine for an instant, and their look told me that if he died, he meant to die without accusing me. My heart was too full for me to say a word. I turned aside to hide my feelings from the rough bearers, who once more raised the prostrate form.

"Hum!" said the surgeon. "Very strange for a man to shoot himself in the right breast. Must be left handed, I suppose."

The risk of carrying Grant up the hill was too great to be incurred, so by my instructions he was borne to the inn. There, on my own bed, was placed the man whom I had, without one thought of compunction, that morning gone out to kill. Now, an hour later, I hung over him in speechless agony, awaiting the result of the surgeon's examination.

Briefly, it was this: The bullet—my hand, after all, must have swerved—had entered the right breast, crashing through the frame-work of the bones, and was now lying imbedded under the shoulder-blade. It could be distinctly felt in its resting-place, and by and by could be cut out. It was to be hoped that no particle of clothing had been carried into the wound.

But would he live—would he ever be himself again? Undoubtedly, unless unforeseen complications arose. The cure would be a tedious affair, but he would be cured.

As I heard this favorable report, I could have thrown myself on the surgeon's neck and wept for joy. If Eustace Grant, when he thought himself dying, could forgive me and strive to shield me, I felt certain he would forgive me when his recovery became an assured fact, forgive, and, with his solemn asseveration still echoing through my mind, I dared to hope, aid me in regaining the woman who had left me for some reason which was now veiled in mystery. But I thrust this dawning hope into the background. At present my one task must be to undo, or to use every human means to avert the dire consequences of, my murderous deed.

I left the room, saw the innkeeper and his wife, and gave such unlimited instructions for every care and comfort procurable, that the good people's eyes brightened. No doubt it seemed to them that prosperous days were dawning on St. Seurin. I ordered a messenger to be sent at once to L'Orient to request the attendance of the best surgeon the place boasted. I should have telegraphed to Paris for surgical aid, but I feared to waste precious time.

Then I settled down to nurse my late foe as one nurses a brother. I need not give in detail the account of Grant's progress toward recovery. I need not describe the hopes and fears which shook me each day he seemed a little better or a little worse. The anguish I felt when fever set in—and he was for a while delirious, and, as I believed on the point of death—was a punishment I am fain to think almost commensurate to my deserts. I watched him day and night. Such sleep as I took was snatched in a bed laid at the foot of his. All the world for me seemed to be contained in that sick-room. Even Viola was for the time almost driven from my thoughts. Until Grant grew well, I could think of no one but him.

Everything he took was from my hands. It seemed to me to be a part of my atonement that I should wait upon him like a slave. Had he turned from me in disgust—had he by word or gesture shown that the constant presence of the man who had done his best to kill him was insupportable, I think I must have gone mad.

But he suffered me to nurse him; nay, more, seemed grateful for my aid. Perhaps it was my devotion and solicitude for the sufferer which averted the

suspicion which might well have fallen upon me. I believe the local surgeon guessed something of the facts of the case, but he was a discreet man and said nothing. The people at the inn were too much delighted with the windfall to be curious as to how it was brought to their feet.

As the local surgeon had predicted, the case was a long and tedious affair. Four dreary weeks passed before I, for one, could hope that danger was at an end. Then, to my indescribable joy, Eustace Grant began to mend rapidly, so rapidly that the little surgeon swelled with pride, and plumed himself upon the successful issue brought about by his treatment.

By his own request, Grant was moved to his own house, the farm on the hill.

In a shamefaced way, I begged that I might be allowed to accompany him, and continue my duties of sick-nurse. In reply, he held out his wasted left hand, grasping my own, and so settled the matter.

Scarcely a word had yet passed between us concerning the vengeful act of mine which had so nearly proved fatal to the man toward whom I now feel as a brother. Once or twice I stammered out some prayer of forgiveness. He had always checked me by an action, as one would make who has forgiven, or who has nothing to forgive. As all talk likely to agitate him had been forbidden, I was obliged to let my expressions of contrition lie in abeyance. It was also part of the punishment which I meted out to myself that during those weeks Viola's name never crossed my lips.

Grant, a great, gaunt wreck of his former self, was carried up to Boulay's farm.

The journey did him no harm. The change from the sheltered village to the high, breezy table-land was a most beneficial one. In a fortnight's time he could, by leaning on my arm, creep about, and every day brought him new strength.

When he grew tired of walking, I had a couch wheeled out in front of the house. On this, under an awning made out of an old sail, he lay for hours, drinking in the fresh sea-breeze. One day he turned to me.

"Julian," he said—he often used my Christian name now—"I feel so much stronger and better, that I must go to work again. Will you be my amanuensis?"

His right arm was still disabled. I think the tears were in my eyes as I thanked him for the suggestion.

He gave me a look full of sympathy and forgiveness. Then, at his request, I sought for and found a bundle of manuscript and writing materials. Still lying on the couch, with his eyes half closed, he dictated to me page after page of a work which has since appeared, and brought him more fame and fortune.

Except for the reawakened desire, the craving which grew stronger and stronger every hour—to hear tidings of Viola, those hours spent with Grant at that lonely farm-house on the edge of the sea would have been very happy ones to me. Leaving out of the question the feeling of thankfulness that my murderous design had failed, the very charm of the man's society was such that I could have lingered for months at his side. I knew that Eustace Grant was making, not only a wiser, but a better man of me.

But Viola! I must hear of her! There is a limit of self-restraint; and Grant was now strong enough to talk on any and every subject. Sooner or later, I felt sure that he would enter upon my own troubles; that from him I should learn why my wife left me, where I could meet with her, how I could best bring her to me again. Is it any wonder that I longed for the moment when he might speak?

It came at last. One night—a night so still and calm that even the proverbially turbulent waves of the Bay of Biscay were all but at rest, Grant and I were sitting out in the moonlight. He was in a thoughtful, silent mood, and for a while I respected the sanctity of his meditation. Then, moved by a sudden impulse, I began to once more express my deep contrition and remorse for my rash act, my joy at what I now hoped was my friend's all but complete recovery.

He checked me quickly. "Do you know what thought flashed through me, even as I felt the sting of the bullet? You may believe I had no wish to die; but I said to myself, were I in that man's place—ignorant as he is of the truth—I should have done as he is doing, or even worse. If it gives you any satisfaction to hear me say that I forgive you, I say it. Now, let us never again mention the subject!"

He held out his hand, I grasped it in deep gratitude, and once more there was silence between us.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Preaching.

No book, no written discourse, orally undelivered, can take the place of the living preacher. The flash of the eye, the gesture of the hand, the tone of the voice, can never be produced on paper. —Rev. John Snape.

ZELLER'S DOWNFALL.

Composer of the "Vogelhaendler" and "Obersteiger" on Trial for Perjury.

From the London Daily Telegraph: A case of attracting public attention here, which has, indeed, long occupied the courts, but has now entered upon a critical stage. This lawsuit concerns an official in the Ministry for Public Instruction, the Hofrath Karl Zeller, against whom the public prosecutor has preferred an accusation of perjury. From the existing social constitution of things in Austria it is natural for the public here to cry out: "How monstrous must the crime be of a man so highly placed when the public prosecutor arraigns him before the tribunal—a man who is a government official." However, in this case there are other causes which attract public attention to the trial. Herr Zeller is also one of the most famous operetta composers of the present day, and wo of his operettas, the "Vogelhaendler" and the "Obersteiger," have been heard in the theaters of most other lands. The "Vogelhaendler" has been performed in London by the company in which Frau Palmay figured as star.

The facts are as follows: Zeller, who had lost his parents early in life, was brought up in the house of a relative, at whose death a will was found bequeathing to his wife only the interest of his large fortune, while the bulk was left to his favorite Zeller. In addition to the money detailed in the testament, there was also a large sum of ready money, amounting to 29,000 florins, and this latter sum Zeller declared the deceased had presented to him during his lifetime. A law suit was instituted, in the course of which Zeller swore to his statement, while the widow of the deceased man declared it was an impossibility that her late husband could have left this sum to Zeller, as he had promised it to her before his death. The whole affair would probably have been put on the shelf if the Socialist organs had not raised a hue and cry and energetically demanded that the case should not be hushed up and put out of sight because it concerned a Hofrath and a man holding a government post. The affair then took a tragical turn. The government suspended both Zeller and his salary until the conclusion of the trial, and Zeller, overwhelmed mentally and bodily by his misfortune, became temporarily insane, and had, in addition, an attack of paralysis. For months he lay hovering between life and death, the physicians declared him hopelessly lost, and in consequence of his unfortunate state the case cannot be tried, neither can Zeller have the opportunity of proving his innocence, though he, as well as his counsel and other persons well acquainted with the testamentary dispositions, declare him to be guiltless. The endeavor to conclude the trial in the absence of Zeller was rejected, as the Austrian criminal law does not admit of such procedure. The famous composer has now before him the unfortunate prospect of dying without being able to clear himself, and he may thus leave to his children a dishonored name, which, but for his unhappy illness, he might have been able to re-vindicate.

The Weights of Children.

The weights of children and their stature are topics of interest to mothers. Supposing at birth the baby weighs eight pounds, then its length should be one foot eight inches; at six months the length is two feet half an inch, and its weight sixteen pounds; at one year the length is two feet five inches, and the weight twenty-four pounds; at eighteen months the length is two feet eight and a half inches, and the weight twenty-eight pounds; at two years it has increased to three feet in stature, and to thirty-two pounds in weight; at three years to three feet four inches, and thirty-six and a half pounds in weight; at four years the stature is three feet six inches, and the weight forty-one pounds; and at five years the height is three feet eight inches, and the weight forty-five pounds.

The Good Old Days.

"People put on a heap too much style nowadays with their formal calls and all that sort of nonsense," said the elderly gentleman. "There was much more real neighborliness in the days when one woman just ran over to another woman's house and walked in without knocking."

"I don't believe it," said the young man with the thin upper lip. "No two women ever got together in their lives without doin' a little knockin', if there was any other woman to talk about." —Indianapolis Journal.

How It Works the Other Way.

"What can be the trouble between the Hartley's? I see he's applied for a divorce."

"He told me all about it. Since she's got to wearing her hair short and suits made like his she invariably succeeds in getting ready before he does whenever they go out anywhere."

"But I don't see why that should distress him."

"It doesn't. It's the abuse she heaps upon him while she's waiting that he can't stand." —Cleveland Leader.

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"Didn't you? I felt the difference while you were getting a light." —Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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# Lost 50 Pounds at 61 Years of Age.

The Cause—Malarial Fever—Patient a Prominent Man—How He Regained His Weight.

From the New Era, Greensburg, Ind. There is probably no man better known in Dearborn and Ohio counties than Mr. O. H. Miller, of Aurora, Ind., bookkeeper for Chambers, Stevens & Co., the large dry goods house.

Mr. Miller was born and reared in Ohio county, where he spent 20 years in succession in public office. Three times he was the people's choice for Auditor of the county and twice their choice for clerk. According to the law at that time the clerk or auditor could not be elected two terms in succession, four years being a term. He was first elected auditor, then clerk, auditor again, and clerk again, until he had been elected five times. This is the only instance of the kind ever known in the state.

Becoming aged (he is 63) and broke down in health, Mr. Miller deemed it advisable to retire from public office. His health became very poor, and he went to Aurora to live with his daughter. About two years ago Mr. Miller was taken sick with malarial fever, and it was useless for me to expect it was more than a year before he was able to get out. The sickness left him with rheumatism and catarrh of the stomach, which brought on palpitation of the heart. Time wore on, and he did not get better, but grew worse. He was overcome with general debility, was all run down, his blood being poor and in a watery condition. Speaking of his case Mr. Miller said: "The longer my troubles ran on the worse they grew. Nothing seemed to benefit me. I kept continually getting worse. My suffering was unbearable, and being quite old, I probably succumbed more quickly to the effects. I suffered almost continual pain, being unable to eat a full meal or enjoy an entire night's sleep since I was first taken with the fever."

"I had fallen off fifty pounds in weight. I looked like a mere skeleton. During this time six physicians had attended me at different times, but none of them did me the least good, although two were specialists on such cases, from the city. They all said that I would never be benefited at all by anything, and it was useless for me to expect it. I felt that my time had come, and my daughter, Mrs. P. P. Stultz, of Jeffersonville, came to spend my last days with me. My daughter's husband, Mr. Stultz, has been superintendent of the Jeffersonville city schools for eight years. Their daughter, who had been quite low, had recently recovered by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, so she urged me as a last resort to try this medicine. I finally consented to do so. This was in August, 1895. I began taking the medicine at once, taking fourteen boxes, using the last about six months ago. After the first half dozen boxes I noticed a decided change, and when I had finished I could sleep well, and my appetite was good. There was a general improvement. My blood became new and nourishing, and now is in a good, healthy condition. I feel as well as ever, and I am sure I owe it all to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are not a patent medicine in the sense that name implies. They were first compounded as a prescription and used as such in general practice by an eminent physician. So great was their efficacy that it was deemed wise to place them within the reach of all. They are now manufactured by Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y., and are sold in boxes (never in loose form by the dozen or hundred, and the public are cautioned against numerous imitations sold in this shape) at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50, and may be had of all druggists or direct by mail from Dr. Williams' Med. Co.

**Hobo Repartee.**  
First Tramp—An' how de ye travel widout money?  
Second Tramp (haughtily)—I travel on my shape.  
First Tramp—Then ye can't have coom far an' ye haven't far to go.—Exchange.

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**His Enemies.**  
Tucker—Take a cigar, Kene. I have these cigars especially for my friends. Kene (after trying it)—Um! I should have thought you had them especially for your enemies!—Fun.

**A Big Grass Seed Order.**  
John A. Salzer Seed Co., LaCrosse, Wis., the largest grass, clover and farm seed growers in America, recently received an order for twenty-five thousand pounds different kinds of clover, ten thousand pounds Salzer's Superior Timothy seed and ten thousand pounds of different kinds of grasses from a large Montana stock raiser. Salzer's seeds grow and produce and it pays to sow them.

Though Holland is a very small state, its inhabitants imported bicycles to the value of 2,500,000 florins last year.

**Coughing Leads to Consumption.**  
Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once. Go to your druggists to-day and get a sample bottle free. Large bottles, 25 cents and 50 cents. Go at once; delays are dangerous.

A cat with a wooden leg finds an appropriate haven at the Togus (Me.) Soldiers' Home.

Just try a 10c. box of Cascarets, candy cathartic, the finest liver and bowel regulator made.

On an average an Englishman is fourteen pounds heavier than a Frenchman.

## ILLINOIS NEWSLETS.

### RECORD OF MINOR DOINGS OF THE WEEK.

Seven Days' Happenings Condensed—Social, Religious, Political, Criminal, Obituary and Miscellaneous Events from Every Section of the State.

The Chicago & Eastern Illinois will probably build to the gulf.

"Uncle Andy" Sloan, a much-beloved old resident of Rankin, is dead, aged 95. He was a wealthy man.

The opera house at Galesburg is being thoroughly remodeled. Monica has secured some of the old scenery.

A man claiming to be Jesus Christ visited Elgin last week. He was seeking the appointment of trustee of the asylum.

Quincy wants the headquarters of the National Home and Building Association removed to that city from Bloomington.

A little daughter, 16 months old, of Mr. and Mrs. Gleason Thorn, of Onarga, fell into a pail of water and died from the effects.

The business men of Clinton are agitating the subject of a rival light company, some of them claiming that light charges are excessive under the present regime.

A lot was sold on the public square in Clinton last week for \$6,750, probably the highest price ever paid in that city for a bare lot. There is an old building on the lot but it is of no especial value.

A number of Pekin citizens were at Peoria Sunday attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Joseph Gillig. Among them are noticed Mr. and Mrs. Henry Birkenbush, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Jaekel, Mrs. Charles Gratup, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Weiss and William Oberlie. They returned home on the evening train.

Dr. D. R. Bowser of Chicago says he is the rightful owner of 600 acres of land in the heart of Philadelphia, the present value of which is \$400,000,000. He remarks that if somebody will pay over to him that \$400,000,000 he won't do a thing to anybody; but if the money is not forthcoming just look out for a lawsuit.

It is given out by the Moline Dispatch that the compromise between the Weir Plow Company and the East Moline Plow Company has reached the point where the plow company has decided to erect two more buildings in addition to the one now at East Moline. The present plan is to have the buildings completed by June 1.

The farmers in the lower end of Tazewell County will soon pay the last assessment on the big drainage ditch which was constructed twelve years ago. The ditch reclaimed 50,000 acres of land and raised the price from \$3 and \$4 to \$70 and \$80 per acre. The men benefited have been enabled to pay for the improvements at the rate of \$1 per acre per year.

Congressman Lorimer is back in Washington, empowered by Chicagoans to offer the next Secretary of the Navy a tract of 500 acres of land on which to build a plant to manufacture armor plate. The naval bill provides that if the Secretary is unable to buy armor plate for \$400 a ton, he shall be empowered to put up a plant to cost \$1,500,000 for the Government manufacture of armor plate.

Hon. Tom A. Marshall of Keithsburg, who is best known as one of the crack gunners of Illinois, has recently purchased the interest of his partner, E. L. Tobie, in the Western Illinois telephone system constructed by the firm, and will be the sole owner of the system. He will not change the name, but it will continue to be known as the Marshall-Tobie. He is planning to make some extensions next season.

Ex-Mayor Thomas Cooper of Pekin in looking over a lot of old letters found a letter which he wrote to his parents in 1847. It was dated in Jalapa, Mexico, May 18, 1847. He had left home and went to New Orleans where he enlisted to fight against the Mexicans. He drove a mule team and received \$25 a month and was in several battles. He prizes that time-stained letter to his parents highly.

The yearly salary of the Clinton post office is \$1,000. The percentage on the money order business amounts to about \$150 more. The department allows \$275 for rent, \$250 for clerk hire and \$65 for fuel and light. Perry Hughes of the Clinton Register is the present postmaster. His four years will expire next September. F. C. Davidson, the chairman of the county central committee, is a candidate for the position, as is also Richard Robbins.

**Minier News:** A number of good farm hands are hunting jobs. Last year the best hands received from \$20 to \$24 per month, with board, washing and horse kept, but this season it is different. Eighteen dollars seems to be about the limit farmers are willing to pay, only in exceptional cases. The good have been loth to accept these terms, with the result that some of them are unemployed. The number of idle hands seems much larger than usual.

## A WONDERFUL SHRUB.

Grows on the Banks of the Ganges and Cures Many Bodily Ills.

One of the latest botanical discoveries of interest to seekers for health is called Alkavis, from the Kava-Kava shrub of India. It is being imported by the Church Kidney Cure company of New York, and is a certain cure for several bodily disorders. The Kava-Kava shrub, or, as botanists call it, "Piper Methysticum," grows on the banks of the Ganges river, and probably was used for centuries by the natives before its extraordinary properties became known to civilization through Christian missionaries. In this respect it resembles the discovery of quinine from the peruvian bark, made known by the Indians to the early missionaries in South America, and by them brought to civilized man. It is a wonderful discovery, with a record of 1,200 hospital cures in thirty days. It acts directly upon the blood and kidneys, and is a true specific, just as quinine is in malaria. We have the strongest testimony of many ministers of the gospel, well known doctors and business men cured by Alkavis. So far the Church company, No. 422 Fourth avenue, New York, are the only importers of this new remedy, and they are so anxious to prove its value that for the sake of introduction they will send a free treatment of Alkavis prepaid by mail to every reader of this paper who is a sufferer from any form of kidney or bladder disorder, Bright's disease, rheumatism, dropsy, gravel, pain in back, female complaints or other afflictions due to improper action of the kidneys or urinary organs. We advise all sufferers to send their names and address to the company, and to receive the Alkavis free. It is sent to you entirely free, to prove its wonderful curative powers.

Bank of England notes are made from new white linen cuttings—never from anything that has been worn. So carefully is the paper prepared that even the number of dips into the pulp made by each workman is registered on a dial by machinery.

(Mike, having been directed to go down to the station and see when the next train left, is gone about two hours.) Perkins (anxiously)—Well, Mike? Mike—Well, sor, I had to wait a long toime, sor, bu, it has just left.—Harper's Bazar.

## WOMAN'S LONG HOURS.

She Tolls After Man's Day's Work Is Done.

What She Has to Contend With—Work That Sooner or Later Breaks Down Her Delicate Organism.

The great majority of women "work to live" and "live to work," and as the hands of the clock approach the hour of six, those employed in stores, offices, mills and factories, hail closing time with



joy. They have won their day's bread, but some duties are yet to be performed, and many personal matters to be attended to. They have mending to do, and dresses or bonnets to make, and long into the night they toil, for they must look neat, and they have no time during the day to attend to personal matters.

Women, therefore, notwithstanding their delicate organism, work longer and more closely than men.

They do not promptly heed such signs as headache, backache, blues, pains in the groins, bearing-down, "all gone" feeling, nervousness, loss of sleep and appetite, whites, irregular or painful monthly periods, cold and swollen feet, etc., all symptoms of womb trouble, which, if not quickly checked, will launch them in a sea of misery.

There is but one absolute remedy for all those ills. Any woman who has to earn her own living will find it profitable to keep her system fortified with this tried and true woman's friend, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound speedily removes the cause and effects a lasting cure.

We are glad to produce such letters as the following from Miss M. G. McNamee, 114 Catherine St., Utica, N. Y.: "For months I had been afflicted with that tired feeling, no ambition, no appetite, and a heavy bearing-down feeling of the uterus. I began to use Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Soon those bad feelings passed away; I began to have more ambition, my appetite improved and I gained rapidly in every way, and now I am entirely well. I advise all my friends to use the Compound, it is woman's truest friend."

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It is the price of life itself. A man needn't be always looking for danger, afraid that something will happen to him; but a wise man will form a habit of care about the important things of life.

It isn't half so much trouble to take care of yourself as it is not to. A man who follows regular, healthy habits, feels good all the time. Life is worth living to him. But a man who "don't want to bother" with taking care of himself has more pain and misery crowded into one day than a good healthy, hearty man who lives right would ever know of in a whole year.

When a man's stomach is out of order, and his digestion don't work; when his liver gets to be sluggish and won't clear the bile out of his blood, it is time for him to look out for himself. He gets no nourishment out of his food. His blood gets thicker and thicker with impurities. His nerves get irritated. He loses energy and fighting force.

He may say, "I can stand it, I will feel better to-morrow," but the chances are he will feel worse to-morrow and worse still next day. He ought to put himself right at once. He needs Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is made for just this condition. It rouses up the digestive and nutritive organs, and gives them power to extract from the food all the nutritious elements and transform them into rich, nourishing blood. It enables the liver to cleanse out all bilious impurities and pour into the circulation an abundance of highly vitalized blood, full of the life-giving red corpuscles which build up healthy flesh, muscular strength, and nerve-energy. It does not make flabby flesh. It is the only suitable tonic and strength-builder for corpulent people.

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## BARRINGTON LOCALS.

Good fishing nowadays.

Mrs. John Landwer is very ill.

Politics are getting very warm now.

Miss Nellie Gray is visiting in Chicago.

Wm. Ewing visited in Chicago this week.

Miss Edna Hawley is visiting in Chicago.

Dr. Kendall was a Chicago visitor Monday.

M. T. Lamey returned from Waukegan last evening.

Herman Frick transacted business in Chicago Thursday.

Charles Jahnke was a Woodstock visitor Tuesday.

Henry Schroeder was an Elgin visitor Sunday.

John Schaefer was an Elgin visitor Sunday.

Miss Luella Meiners visited friends in Elgin Sunday.

Mrs. Dr. Clausius was a Chicago visitor Wednesday.

Lambert Tasche made a trip to Chicago Monday.

Frank Wolthausen was an Elgin visitor Thursday.

Theodore Schutt was a Chicago caller Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gieske were Elgin visitors Saturday.

George M. Wagner made a business trip to South Elgin Wednesday.

Wm. Doran visited here several days the past week.

Arnold Schauble made a business trip to McHenry Thursday.

E. Hachmeister transacted business at Desplaines Monday.

Don't forget to call on THE REVIEW when you want printing done.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Kropp made a business call at Waukegan Tuesday.

Mrs. Mundhenke of Plum Grove is a guest at the home of P. H. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Slocum visited at the home of B. G. Clinge Tuesday.

Subscribe for Delta and order your patterns at A. W. Meyer & Co's.

A full report of the recitals given by J. I. Sears and class will appear in our next issue.

Mrs. Wm. Jayne of Nunda was the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. M. Cannon, last week.

Call and see the pretty dress goods at A. W. Meyer & Co's. They undersell all others on dress goods.

Frederick P. Feddler and sister, Miss Annie, visited at the home of J. B. Clinge Sunday.

Plagge & Company have the contract to furnish the lumber for the new flour mill.

Mrs. Chas. Beinhoff, who has been very ill for some weeks past, is recovering.

The youngest daughter of Louis Langenheilm is suffering with pneumonia.

Mrs. T. P. Houghtaling of Cary was the guest of Mrs. W. W. Benedict last week.

Misses Minnie Gieske and Amanda Troyer are visiting friends at Naperville.

Miss Carrie Gilly of Chicago is visiting at the home of her brother, Henry Gilly.

Mr. Thomas Catlow celebrated his 20th wedding anniversary at his home at Evanston Thursday.

Miss Martha Sharman was a guest at the home of Thomas Freeman on Thursday of last week.

Miss Emma Mund, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. M. Blocks, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. Carrie Berens of Chicago was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Reese, Monday.

Rev. E. R. Troyer and Herman Gieske attended the funeral of Rev. Hummel at Elgin Thursday.

Miss Stella Catlow and Mrs. Loughran of Cary visited at the home of John Catlow Thursday.

Mrs. Loughran wishes to announce that any work in the line of house-cleaning, washing or plain sewing given to her will be greatly appreciated. Residence in the Lamey Brick building.

Ed Hachmeister spent the past week with friends and relatives in Mannheim and Leyden.

Miss Della Selleck of Janesville spent several days the past week at the home of Mrs. Flora Lines.

Miss S. A. Farrell of Oshkosh, Wis. was the guest of her sister, Mrs. FitzSimmons, the past week.

Edw. Thies has sold out his tonsorial business and has gone to Chicago where he has secured a good position.

Roloff and Elvidge have the contract to build a barn on Mrs. H. Kampert's property just north of the village.

Emil Schaeede, accompanied by his family, went to Elgin Sunday, where he visited his brother, Paul, who is ill.

"Z" has received a number of letters to his advertisement in last week's issue. He will answer them very soon.

Wm. Locke returned to his home in Marseilles today, after making a pleasant visit at the home of Henry Butzow.

The regular monthly meeting of the Jugendverein will take place tomorrow evening at the St. Paul's church. All members should attend.

Rev. C. Hummel died at Elgin on Tuesday, aged 88 years. The funeral services were held on Thursday, and interment took place at Batavia.

Married, at Chicago, Mr. Charles Hartang of Chicago to Miss Annie Clute of Barrington. The ceremony took place last week.

The following subjects will be considered at the Baptist church for Sunday, Mar. 14th: Morning: "A True Safeguard"; Evening: "Municipal Responsibility." All are welcome to these services.

Tomorrow evening at the usual hour, Rev. T. E. Ream will preach on the topic: "Woman and her Work", from the text: Matt. 26 ch. 10 v: "For she hath wrought a good upon me." This sermon will also be of great interest to men. All are invited.

A pleasant social gathering took place at the home of Mrs. Spiegel Wednesday evening. Those present were: Misses Emilie Pawelski, Annie Schultz and Lillian Jacobs; Messrs. Herman and Emil Frick, Will Lock, Max Gottschalk and Herman Koelling.

**FLOUR**—The lowest prices in flour is at A. W. Meyer & Co's: "Our Best," per sack, \$1.10; "Snow Flake," per sack, \$1.05; "Baker's Best," per sack, 95 cents. They sell "White Swan" flour.

Wolthausen & Landwer sold a large bill of wall paper, carpets, draperies, etc., to a Crystal Lake party the past week. This speaks well for our merchants, as it shows they can and do sell goods very cheap. Do your trading at Barrington.

The literary program of the Young People's Alliance of the Zion's church Tuesday evening was an especially entertaining one. The chief feature, a debate, deserves special mention on account of the able manner in which the arguments were handled.

The following is a list of unclaimed letters remaining in the postoffice at Barrington, March 12th: John Arndt, Henry Combard, Chas. A. Colson, Henry Johnson, Aug. Kruckebach, Chas. Lind, J. Newman, E. W. Pike, M. G. Schukees, I. N. Wilson, G. Waumont.

M. B. McIntosh, P. M.

Sandman & Pomeroy have already commenced work for the erection of a new flour mill. The basement is being cleared and the carpenter work will be commenced as soon as the lumber arrives; and work will be pushed until its completion. All the machinery necessary for the mill is here and ready to be placed in order as soon as the building is closed in.

Lemke & Martin is a new firm that has recently located at Barrington. They keep on hand all brands of the best liquors and wines, cigars and tobaccos. Their sample room is located in H. Hillman's building, opposite the Columbia hotel. An elegant lunch consisting of the delicacies of the seasons, is served all day. They will have their "grand opening" on Saturday, March 20th, all day and evening, to which they extend an invitation to the public.

Mr. E. S. Willard, that famous English actor, is devoting the first week of an engagement, which is to run over a month, at Hooley's theatre, Chicago, to "The Middleman." It

was in this melodrama, almost too good to be termed, that he made his first appearance on the American stage, at Palmer's theatre, New York, in 1890. The history of that memorable night which introduced to the American public the sanest actor who has come out of England in this generation, has been written by William Winter, and forms one of the most admirable contributions criticism has given to the contemporaneous stage. Actor Willard has never ceased to prove himself worthy of that first verdict. His art now, as then, exemplifies the finest traditions of the stage, and these traditional graces are vivified by the daring of the man who is willing at all times to be genuine. On Monday, March 15th, Willard's latest London, New York and Boston success, "The Rogue's Comedy," which is, by Henry Arthur Jones, will be played for the first time in Chicago; with Willard as "Bailey Prothers," a professional clairvoyant. Special scenery and effects have been provided. You should not miss this opportunity to see so great an actor.

## TELEPHONE LINE.

Proposed Telephone Line from Chicago to McHenry and Other Lake County Points via Barrington.

Supervisor M. T. Lamey who is attending an adjourned meeting of the Lake County Board of Supervisors at Waukegan, reports that a petition was placed before the Board last Monday by E. G. Drew, special agent for the Chicago Telephone company, praying for permission to put up a telephone line throughout the county. The company expects to build a line from Chicago to Barrington, and from here to McHenry. For this privilege the company agrees to give the county the free use of telephone in the county building.

The petition was referred to the Finance committee for further consideration.

LATER—The committee recommended that the company be permitted to build the line on the above conditions. The Board voted to adopt the report of the committee. It is reported that the company will begin operations as soon as weather and other circumstances will permit.

## LAKE ZURICH.

J. C. Hans is on the sick list.

T. M. Foley was in Joliet last week.

Herman Pehm was a Palatine visitor Monday.

Courtney Bros. shipped a car load of cattle from here Tuesday.

E. A. Golding and John Bauer of Wauconda were here Monday.

Albert Lyons has returned to Libertyville.

Wm. Wonderlect was a Joliet visitor Wednesday.

C. W. Kohl was in Niles Center Wednesday.

The fishermen are making some good hauls on the lake.

John Zimmer of Long Grove was here Thursday of last week.

John Koffen is busy drawing lumber for his new barn.

Fred Berlin of Plum Grove was here Wednesday.

The fire pump and hose cart will be here next week.

Henry Hapke was in Waukegan Thursday of last week.

Gustav Fiedler was in Barrington Wednesday of last week.

Will Lamphere of Wauconda was seen on our streets Wednesday.

The Golf Club will open up a street through their grounds this spring.

Mr. Wheeler of Wauconda transacted business here Wednesday.

Harris & Foley have sold their entire crop of ice to the Artificial Ice company of Joliet.

Henry Hillman was in Chicago Thursday and bought two cars of lumber for his new meat market.

A meeting will be held at the town hall for the purpose of organizing a volunteer fire department for Lake Zurich on next Monday evening. All those interested and willing to join the band of brave laddies are requested to attend this meeting and lend their aid towards organizing the fire company on a solid foundation. The privilege of belonging to a fire company is an honor of which every young citizen should feel proud. THE REVIEW

only wishes to say to the boys that are at the head of this movement that the success of every organization depends on the competence and efficiency of its officers. Be sure to consider the fitness of the candidate for office. Elect to the offices only men who possess executive ability and bravery. Lake Zurich can boast of a good many men who combine these qualities. Let us select only the best.

H. Lemke of Long Grove was here Thursday and purchased a large bill of lumber from H. Hillman.

Our Village Trustees should see to it that our crosswalks are put in better condition.

Dr. Clausius and Emil Schaeede of Barrington were here Saturday evening to attend the Woodmen meeting.

Wm. Hawkins has departed, and Dame Rumor has it that several bills are unsettled for.

The county surveyors were here and surveyed the gravel pit purchased by the Village Board.

Henry Hillman has leased a tract of land from Mr. Wood, which he will convert into a sheep pasture this summer.

Henry Branding observed his 32d birthday anniversary, Sunday, by entertaining a number of his friends. Henry makes a splendid host.

A meeting will be held in the town hall on next Tuesday evening for the purpose of re-organizing the Lake Zurich brass band for the coming season. All of the old members are requested to attend.

## SPRING LAKE.

We are getting spring weather.

John Dvorak is improving slowly.

Andrew Forn was an Algonquin visitor Tuesday.

John Kanka has employed Robert Burns for the coming season.

Otto Maha will work for P. Kvidera.

Frank Dvorak of Algonquin was seen on our roads Wednesday.

Louis Haight was in Barrington Wednesday.

Whose horse was it that came home from Barrington one night last week minus the cart and drivers? Do you know anything about that, Clint?

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ebel were Elgin visitors Monday.

Mrs. Frank Adamek was a Chicago visitor Tuesday.

## Business Notices.

FOR RENT.—Gibney farm, containing forty acres. Good buildings. For particulars apply to this office.

FOR RENT.—House and lot with barn, located on the north side. Rent, reasonable. For further information, call at THE REVIEW office.

FOR SALE.—House and lot in Main street owned by Mrs. Luella Austin. For particulars, call at this office.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—House owned by Mrs. Crabtree in Main St. Call at this office for particulars.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

M. W. Prouty announces himself as candidate for the office of collector for the Town of Barrington, and asks your support at the caucus.

Emil Schaeede announces himself a candidate for the office of collector for the Town of Cuba at the coming election, and solicits the support of the voters in the Town caucus to be held March 20th.

Ed. Wiseman announces himself a candidate for the office of collector for the Town of Cuba in the coming election, and solicits the support of the votes at the caucus to be held March 20th.

John Daily announces himself a candidate for the office of road commissioner in the Town of Cuba, and solicits the support of the voters of said township at the caucus to be held on Saturday, March 20th. JOHN DAILY.

The undersigned respectfully announces himself as a candidate for the office of constable in the Town of Barrington, subject to a caucus to be held in the Village hall, Friday March 19th. FRANK B. SODT.

The undersigned would respectfully announce himself a candidate for the office of justice of the peace for the Town of Barrington, to succeed J. W. Kingsley, esq., who does not desire a re-election. L. D. CASTLE.

Geo. M. Wagner hereby announces himself as candidate for the office of constable in the Town of Barrington, Cook county, at the coming caucus, and solicits the support of the voters in said township. GEO. M. WAGNER.

Carl F. Meyer hereby announces himself a candidate for the office of Cook county constable for the Town of Barrington, at the coming spring election, and solicits the support of the voters of said township. CARL F. MEYER.

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, March 20th, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, there will be a caucus held in Lamey's brick building in the Village of Barrington, for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following offices in the Town of Cuba: One town clerk, assessor, collector, road commissioner, two justices of the peace and two constables. JAMES KITSON, Town Clerk.

A Town Caucus will be held by the legal voters of the town of Barrington in the Village hall, Mar. 19th at 2 P. M. for the purpose of putting in nomination the following officers to be voted for at the annual town election to be held on the 6th day of April, 1897: viz: one supervisor, one town clerk, one assessor, one collector, one commissioner of highways, two justices of peace, two constables and one school trustee. LEROY POWERS, Town Clerk.

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