SULLIVAN CHAU-TAUQUA AUG. 24-29.

Programs Show an Excellent Array of Talent for Six Full Days of Entertainment.

The Sullivan Chautauqua which was held on the Old Fair Ground last year, has grown in popular favor and the event this year will no doubt be attended by a much larger number of visitors who know the character of the people who shall appear on the program from day to day. The programs which were given out this week, gives two numbers that should interest every young person, the first is the appear ance of Helen Kellar who is blind, deaf and was a mute until her painstaking teacher taught her to read write and speak. In overcoming obstacles, she has shown to the world some of the things a persistent person can overcome.



HELEN KELLAR

. The other number of special interest is the appearance of Byron W. King, founder of the King's School of Oratory of Pittsburg. He is a man of marked ability and should be heard by all young people who appreciate the power of the human roice to express thought.

Rev. A. L. Casely of Charleston

has been selected as platform manager and programs will be given each afternoon and evening. Tuesday Opening Exercises by the managers of the Chautauqua which will be followed by a concert by the Tyro-lean Alpa singers and Yodlers, in Swiss costume and using Swiss instruments. They will also appear in the evening.

Wednesday afternoon Helen Kellar will give her lecture on "Happiness In the evening the Four Hauch Sisters, Musicians, will occupy the

Thursday afternoon will find the Loyal Welsh Choir of fourteen prize singers occupying the platform James Francis O'Donnell will give his noted reading, "The Sign of the Cross". In the evening he will give number of humorous readings which will be followed by the same

The Royal Male Quartet both afternoon and evening on Friday. Rev. A. L. Caseley of Charleston will hour. Three ordinances were then give the address in the afernoon and in the evening Bishop Edwin Holt Hughes will give his noted lecture, The Psychology of the Boy."

The Clifton Mallory Players will appear on the program both afternoon and evening Saturday.
Sunday will be the closing day.

The exercised will include a sermon, "The Secret of Happiness", by Rev. A. L. Caseley at 10:30. In the afternoon Dr. Byron W King will give another lecture and the closing con cert will be by the Gibler's Band.,

Jail and Sheriff's Residence

Sealed bids will be received until 10 a.m. August 20, 1915, at the office of the county clerk at Sullivan, Illinois, for the erection of a jail and sherliffs residence, furnishing Mrs. Hattle Ellis and I. J. Martin. materials and labor for same, for Moultrie County, Illinois.

Plans and specifications may be examined at the office of the architect. J. W. Royer, Urbana, Ill., and at 'the office of said county clerk, Sullivan, Ill. Plans may be obtained of J. W. Royer, architect, Urbana, Ill., by a deposit of \$10.00, which will be returned if the plans are re-turned in good conditioned. Con-ditions governing said bidding are contained in said specifications.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By Order of County Board.

Cash W. Green, County Clerk Sullivan, Ill., July 30, 1915 adv

Charles McClure went to Decatum a business this morning.

PROBATE COURT NEWS

In This Column We Give a Brief Report of the Work of J. T. Grider, County Judge.

C. S. Edwards was appointed special investigator by the court in the matter of relief for Mrs. Laura A. Dow for her child, Hazel A. Dow under the Mother's Pension Act.

C. S. Edwards made an investige tion in the above cause recommended the relief prayed for.

Samuel Funk made final report to the court in the estate of Catheren, Funk of which he was conservation administrator.

He was the sole heir to the estal and the court approved of his repor and he was discharged. Petition was granted and bond fixed at \$10,

AUGUST TERM.

Proof of publication and posting notices for adjustment of claims was made in the matter of the estate of James Ryan.

The proofs of death heir legaties proof of execution etc being made the last will and testament of Joseph B. Sutton was admitted to probate.

Proof. of Publication and notices of adjustant of claims was made in the matter of estate of John Shielde Proof of publication and posting of notice of adjustment of claims against the estate of Philip Ritchey

were filed and approved. Proof of publication and posting of notice of adjustment of claims against the estate of Mary A. Duggan filed and approved.

After proving her-right to the sum of \$80.15 from the estate of Mary Jane Erwin, the court directs the County Treasurer of Moultrie to pay same which had been deposited with

Proof of the death of George Brosam being entired in court Mary A. Brosam petitioned the court to be appointed administratrix of said estate. Petition was granted and bond in the sum of \$2,000 was ap

E. A. Silver, J. M. Commins and Chas. Monroe were appointed appraisers of the estate. This report le on file.

Mrs. Lena Merold filed petition with the court to be appointed guardian of the minor helrs of John

John R. Crowder made proof of death of Thomas H. Crowder and asked that the purported will be admitted to probate. The clerk was directed to give proper notice for a meeting at 9 a. m. August 31, 1915.

CITY COUNCIL

IN SESSION

Ordinances Passed for Sewer and Another for the New Pavement on Water Street.

The City Council met in regular session Monday evening. The reg-ular routine of paying bills and general discussion occupied the first read and discussed. The first was for the paving of Water Street. The portion of Jackson street from the west side of Market to the city limits for which there was objections to the assessment, an ordinance was passed annuling that portion of the paving ordinance passed last

year. The third ordinance was for the storm sewer which has been under consideration. This is a substitute ago. Considerable time was taken in the discussion of the specification for the paving and the preparation

Gays Elevator Burned.

Wednesday about midnight som of our people saw the sky to the was very red but a little observation soon showed that it was beyond the limits of the city. This morning it was learned that an elevator at Gays had burned. It was a large elevator on the south side of the railroad belonging to Morris Stone & Co. and was valued at about \$8,000. There was little grain in the building and was covered pretty well by insurance. The thanking my friends and patrons wet roofs helped to keep the fire for all past favors. from spreading.

Miss Rose VanHoosfer went to Shelbyville on a visit Wednesday.

LARGEST WHEAT **CROP REPORTED**

Grant Cole at Dalton City Has the Best Wheat Crop We Have. Found for This Year.

The largest individual wheat crop far is owned by Grant Cole of Dalton City. He is one of the large farmers of that section and owns over five hundred acres of land. He had a field of 120 acres in wheat this year which has netted him a neat sum. The average was a little over forty bushels to the acre, making a total of over 4,800 bushels. There was expense with this crop but he usually watches the effect of farming methods and has been growing wheat, which is truly a profitable crop for him. Oats was also good and the corn was never better.

If anyone has a crop to beat this in point of yield or average per acre the NEWS would be glad to inform its readers.

Other crops in the neighborhood of Dalton City were W. A. Hill, sixty acres at 38 bushels; W. D. Shelton sixty acres at 36 bushels; Roy Rhodes twenty acres at 39% and forty acres at 36 bushels.

THE CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Items Pertaining to the Various Religious Organizations of the City.

Methodist Church. Pastor, J. F. Wohlfarth.

Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Preaching by the pastor at 10:45 . M.

No League or evening service a we will worship with the Baptist people in a union service at 8:00 P. M.

> PRESBYTERIAN. W. H. Day, Pastor.

Sabbath school at 9:30 a, m. There will be no church services next sabbath.

Evening union service at the Baptist church. Rev. J. F. Wohlfarth D. D., pastor of the M. E. church, will speak at 8 o'clock.

You are invited.

At Tractor Demonstration

E. B. Woodruff and son Ray, Marshall Yarnell, Raymond Huff, J. A. Bryum and Ansel Wright went to prepared and graded in most inst Tractor Demonstration which is being held there this week. These gentlemen are large farmers and think it is advisable to investigate the merits of these machines espec ially since the wheat crop requires o much fall plowing.

ARTHUR PICNIC **NEXT WEEK**

Count Line City Will Have Big Time Next Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

The festivities of the month of August will open at Arthur next week. The enterprising citizens of this place are planning to do their heat to excel all former efforts which have been models for a free picuic. For three days, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, August 12-14, there will be a full program of free attractions besides a large number of pay attractions. Music for the occasion will be furnished by the Monroe Band under the direction of Henry Wams ley who served a term as a musician in the U.S. Navy Their ad appears on page five of this paper.

Bankrupt Store Closed.

The Sullivan Clothing Stock which concerned. D. A. Kloethe who purhased the stock remained until the 4th of July. The greater part of the remaining stock was sold by Miss Mabel Erffmeyer who shipped out the last of the goods Monday. This leaves a good store room on the north side without an occupant.

Card of Thanks,

I have resigned my position as Manager of Paul Kulu Elevator at Cadwell, and I take this means of J. W. OSBORNE.

L. W. Niles and a niece of Shelby

NEW HISTORY OF MOULTRIE COUNTY

John Gaddis Has a New Edition Giving the Events of Importance Before 1880.

For several months. John Gaddis as been working on a History of Moultrie County which he will soon have ready for the publishers. This deals primarily with the earlier events which he has gathered from the various sources. The book will contain about three hundred fifty pages and have about twenty five illustrations. Those who have ex amined proofs are commending Mr daddis on his work. He is a his toritm of no mean ability as it was The Illinois program at the San his hobby in school and the major Francisco Exposition was sadly subject in his two-year cource in the University of Indiana. He expects to write later book at a future date

KICKED BY A

YOUNG HORSE

Duane Ferril Is Confined to the Houes This Week by Swollen Face.

While helping to unhitch a young horse from the buggy at their home on East Harrison street Monday evening, Duane the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ferril was kicked in the face. He was rendered unconscious for some time and Drs. Lawson and Stedman were called, but the injuy was not so serious as at first supposed. The left side of his face from the mouth up was bruised and the flesh was cut just below the eye The sight of the eye was not injured but it could not be opened and the eyelld is red and swollen. This morning he was feeling much better and no serious results are expected to follow.

TEACHERS AND **EXAMINATIONS**

The New Certificating Law is Freak ish in Some of Its Applications.

The teachers of Moultie county and other places are finding out the full meaning of the new law governing certificates. The questions are Champaign Tuesday to attend the ances by the specialists, many of whom have fade which they wish to introduce. One of the best writers in this county failed on the penmanship examination and other similar cases appear. It is probable that a different average will have to be substituted to take the place of the individual qualities which was often more beneficial to the school than good examination grades.

Dalton City improvements

J. H. Wehmhoff of Dalton City re cently moved his stock of goods to the corner building west of the bank and has it nicely arranged. The room is about forty feet by eighty and will make an excellent place for him. His new goods will soon 'arrive and give Dalton City as nice a store as is usually found in a town

J. B. Lester has added to the improvement of his store in this place by painting, papering and otherwise making his place attractive. Mr. Lester is a good business man and wants to be ready to give his customers the best.

Picnic at Kirksville

A number of the friends of Mrs. Pedrick, wife of a former minister gathered at the home of A. H. Fultz Sunday for a little reunion. Those present enjoyed the day in the grove was sold at Bankrupt Sale in May is until the shower drove them to now disposed of so far as selling is shelter. Mrs. Pedrich is an esteemable woman and made many friends while her husband was stationed in this place. She has been visiting there several days and the picnic was a pleasant part of her stay Some of those present were Will Sentel and family, Mr. Graven and amily, Thos. Graven and wife, A. H. Fultz and granddaughter, Dorothy Fultz, L. C. Smith, Mrs. Anna Bruce nd daughter, Miss Freda.

Painting Depot.

A force of painters are at work at the C. & E. I. station. They have given the building one coat and are ville were Sullivan callers Tuesday. | about the place.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Of course Mr. Bryan's motto is not "Peace at any price". That is if reference is had to peace in the Democratic party.

August is the month for pleasure for people in this section. Chautanquas, home comings and fairs will give the pleasure seeker a full pro-

The activity of the officials in equiping vessels and organizing other military units is a pretty good indication that international affairs are not assatisfactory as they might

marred by the disaster at Chicago Mourning rather than pleasure mov ed the thoughts of those responsible for its success.

William J. Bryan is enjoying sur bathing at San Francisco. The San Francisco Examiner gives a snap shot of him with the statement Peerless one suns himself at Hermosa Beach after his first dip in the surf of the Pacific,"

The American farmer would like nothing better than to see the Allies in the European conflict grant free dom of the seas to American farm products. This would greatly add to the value of the abundant crop now being harvested.

Sir. Matthew Hale, an eminent English jurist, says, "Where there is no regard for truth, there can be no safe society between man and man. His experience in the leading court of England gave him a chance to ee the need of fair dealing and honesty.

When the democratic party went into power, it caused the breaking up of the old political combinations which had been directing legislation in Congress. Many of these republican leaders are now well advanced in years and will not seek places they once occupied. This leaves an opening for leadership by younger men in the next republican organization in Congress.

John Skelton Williams threw out dragnet the other day and brought a dozen bank examiners in to Washington, where he made a speech to them. He told them that, under the Federal reserve system it is practicaly impossible for a member bank to fall if operated within the law and with ordinary prudence and commonsense. But why "under the Federal reserve system" especially? A hank which is honestly and prudent ly conducted cannot fail under any

The operation of field machinery by traction power is the most distinct and important advance in invented and perfected. During August more than 50'000 corn belt farmers will witness the first great tractors ever conducted in the middle states. Nearly 1,000 acres of land different makes and types of engines. Several companies will show three or more sizes of outfits, each adapted into service as volunteers. This to a different size farm. People by body of men will no doubt make a the train load are coming from all over Illinois, Indiana, Iowa and authorities of their ability to get Missouri Tractors by the carload into fighting condition in a short will be there to perform for them time. ld conditions on under practical to show the latest advances in this newest mechanical development of American ingenuity, the farm tract-

Coffee Drinking.

Newspaper people and prominent republicans are regaling themselves with a drink of Brazilian coffee which found its way to them through the mails in pound packages. Each package is marked, "This CAFE is lot 13, blk 1, Stock's & Monroe's add Roasted, Ground and Packed for to Sullivan. Senior & Kinley of North America." Treat & C This is another reminder of the trip Morris and E. B. Stone w.d. con of the Congressman to that country \$2500, lots 4, 5 and 6, blk, 24 and lots last winter.

Marriage Licenses. Ray Woodruff, Sulltvan Ella Mitchell, Bethany

W. J. M. Hunt, Chicago Hight legal Mrs. Mattie E. Stallsworth,

Tuscola legal

Walter Dalton and wife of Dalton a week at the Chautauqua.

ENTHUSIASTIC **MILITARY MEETING**

Col. W. E. Scarborough and His Officers Held a Council at K. of P. Hall Sunday.

Thearticle last week on a volunteer regiment of soldiers which is being organized by Col. W. E. Scarborough gave notice of a meeting which would be held Sunday. This was well attended by the majority of the staff officers and representatives of nearly every company. Ninteen men, most of whom have been interested in the work of the National Guard or regular service, responded to the call. They are young men in the prime of life and the casual observer would be compelled to concede that Mr. Scarborough had used

good judgment in selecting his alds.
The first part of the meeting was devoted to getting acquainted. Clgars were furnished and a general good time enjoyed as men met whose name they recognized by the position in the list.

The first discussion was along the line of the possibility of the organization reaching active duties. Several had information from different sources which indicated that more men would be called into service. Rollcall showed the regular officers

present were: Major, Ward G. Murray, Springfield, Ill.

Major, C. C. Smith, Benton, Ill. Major, Rice J. Moore, Arcola, Ill. Capt. Adjt., W. R. Dexheimer, Tay lorville, Ill.

Capt. Q. M., Ray F. Riggs, Decatur,

Capt Com., Simeon Moore, Benton, III. Capt. I. S. A. P., H. C. Garvey, Buffalo, Ill.

Capt. Chaplain, Isaac Hudson, Sullivan, Ill. 1st Lt. Bat. Adjt., Thos. R. Wright,

Sullivan, Ill. 2nd Lt. Bat. Q. M., J. Neeley Martin, Sullivan, Ill. Capt. Asst. Surgeon, O. M. Willi-

amson, Sullivan, III. Co. D., Mounds, Capt. H. M. Harris. Co. E., Arcola, Not definately de-

Co. F., Edwardsville, Capt. Prie T. Dunlap and 2d Lt. W. D. Burrows. Co. G., Marion, Capt. Delos Duty. Co. H., Benton, Lt. J. J. Todd. Co. I., Mt. Vernon, Capt. Grant

Irvin. Co. K., McLeansboro, Capt. Com-

modore C. Wright. Co. L., Albion, Capt. J. Ross Funkhouser. Also Lieutenants Gregroy and

ohnson. When the meeting was called to order Col. Scarborough was made chairman and Capt. Dexheimer, adjutant and a record made of the meeting. By motion the body voted to confirm the action of their colonel in the selection of officers and requested that such a list be sent to the adjutant general for confirmaagriculture since the selfbinder was tion. While it is possible they may not be called into service, the officers want to be ready with their officers farmers will witness the first great and a list of men who can be put practical field demonstration of farm into service should an occasion demand the increase of the U.S. army. They will make a trip to Springfield will be plowed by the 30 or more in the near future to consult the state authorities about their chances to be the first regiment to be put

Real Estate Transfers.

good showing and convince the

Mae Hughes to F. J. Thompson w d con \$50, lots 3 and 4, blk 6 Sunnyside add to lot 6, block 1, Anderson

Emma E Hammond and hb to Ann Olive Flyon w d con \$1, 25 acres off east side of N.E. N.E.

L. G. Hostettler and wife to Ella B. Hirt w d con \$400, lot 6, blk 1, Treat & Co. a corporation to Ed

1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, blk 23 and lots 1, 2 and 3 block 2 Gays. Samuel and Barbara Kaulman to

Gidion N. Kaufman q c d con \$100, E%, S E 26, 15 and 6.

Jacob L. Landgrebe to J. T. Edmonson w d con \$18,000, W1/2 and 3 of N E 2.15 6.

Mrs. T. N. Ashbrook, daughter, Mrs. J. C. Lamkins and children of now at work on the inside. This is City stopped here Saturday enroute Mrs. J. C. Lamkins and children of making a decided improvement to Shelbyville where they will spend Marcellles visited Mrs. O. L. Hancock the last of the week,

Warrington, an American adventurer, and James, his servant, with a caged parrot, the trio known up and down the Irrawaddy as Farrot & Co., are bound for Rangson to cash a draft for 20,000 rupees. Beauthon, and the control of the Co. The control of the Co. The Co

CHAPTER VII-Continued.

That there was real danger in her interest in Warrington did not occur to her. The fact that she was now willing to marry Arthur, without analyzing the causes that had brought her to this decision, should have warned her that she was dimly afraid of the stranger. Her glance fell upon the mandarin's ring. She twirled it round undecidedly. Should she wear it or put it away? The question remained suspended. She saw Craig coming aboard; and she hid her face behind her magazine. Upon second thought she let the magazine fall. She was

she let the magazine fall. She was quite confident that that chapter was closed. Craig might be a scoundrel, but he was no fool.

A sharp blast from the tender's whistle drew her attention to the gangplank. The last man to come aboard was Warrington. He immediately sought James; and they stood together chatting until the tender drew up alongside the steamer of the Britup alongside the steamer of the British-India line. The two mer shook hands finally, Warrington added a friendly tap on the Eurastan's shoulder. No one would have suspected that the white man and his dark companion had been "shipmates" in good panion had been "shipmates," in good times and in bad, for nearly a decade. Elsa, watching them from her secure nook, admired the lack of effusiveness The dignity of the parting told her of the depth of feeling.

An hour later they were heading for

Elsa amused herself by casting bits of bread to the gulls. Always they caught it on the wing, no matter in what direction she threw it. Sometimes one would wing up to her very hand for charity, its coral feet stretched out to meet the quick back-

play of the wings, its cry shallow and plaintive and world-lonely.
Suddenly she became aware of a presence at her side.

A voice said: "It was not quite fair of you."

"What wasn't?" without turning her head. She brushed her hands free of

head. She brushed her hands free of the crumbs, "You should have let me know that

you were going to sall on this boat."
"You would have run away, then."
"Why?" startled at her insight.

"Because you are a little alraid of me." She faced him, without a smile either on her lips or in her eyes. Aren't you?"

"Yes." I am afraid of all things I do not quite understand.'

There is not the least need in the "There is not the least need in the world, Mr. Warrington. I am quite harmless My claws have been clipped, I am engaged to be married, and am going home to decide the day."
"He's a lucky man." He was astonished at his calm, for the blow went

Lucky? That is in the future. What

a lonely thing a gull is!"
"What a lonely thing a lonely man is!" he added. Poor fool! To have dreamed so fair a dream for a single moment! He tried to believe that he was glad that she had told him about the other man. The least this inforthe other man. The least this information could do would be to give him better control of himself. He had not been out in the open long enough en-tirely to master his feelings.

"Men ought not to be lonely," she said. "There's the excitement of work, of mingling with crowds, of go-ing when and where one pleases. Woman's lot is wondering and wait-ing at home. When I marry I sup-pose that I shall learn the truth of

Perhaps it was because he had been away from them so long and had lost track of the moods of the feminine mind; but surely it could not be pos-sible that there was real happiness in this young woman's heart. Its evidence was lacking in her voice, in her face, in her gestures. He thought it over with a sigh. He felt sorry for the over with a sign. He telt sorry for the girl, sorry for the man; for it was not possible that a girl like this one would go through life without experiencing that flash of insanity that is called the grand passion.

He loved her. He could lean against the rail, his shoulder lightly touching hers, and calmly say to himself that he loved her. He could calmly per mit her to pass out of his life as a cloud passes down the searim. He badn't enough, but this evil must befall him. Love! He spread out his hands unconsciously.

"What does that mean?" she asked, emiling now. "An invocation?"

"It's a sign to ward off evil," he re

"Are you expecting evil?"

"I am always preparing myself to meet it. There is one thing that will always puzzle me. Why should you have asked the purser to pick out such a tramp as I was? For I was a tramp."

"I thought I explained that."
"Not clearly."

"I thought I explained that "Not clearly."
"Not clearly."
"Well, then, I shall make myself clear. The sight of you upon that bank, the lights in your face, struck

me as the strangest mystery that could possibly confront me. I thought you were a ghost."

"Yes. So I asked the purser to in-troduce you to prove to my satisfied tion that you weren't a ghost: Line for line, height for height, color for reached for a mangosteen and ate the color, you are the exact counterpart of the man I am going home to marry."

She saw the shiver that ran over him; she saw his eyes widen; she saw his hands knot in pressure over the rail.

"The man you are going to marry!" he whispered.

Abruptly, without explanation, he walked away, his shoulders settled, his head bent. It was her turn to be amazed. What could this attitude

"Mr. Warrington!" she called.

But he disappeared down the com panionway.

CHAPTER VIII. A Woman's Reason.

Eisa stared at the vacant doorway. She recognized only a sense of bewilderment. This was not one of those childish flashes of rudeness that had amused, annoyed and mystified her. She had hurt him. And how? They had been together three days on the boat, and once he had taken tea with her in Rangoon. She could find noth-ing save that she had been kind to him when he most needed kindness, and that she had not been stupidly curious, only sympathetically so. He interested her and held that interest because he was a type unlike anything she had met outside the covers of a book. He was so big and strong, and yet so boy ish: He had given her visions of the character which had carried his man-hood through all these years of strife and bitterness and temptation. And because of this she had shown him that she had taken it for granted that whatever he had done in the past had wastever ne nad done in the past had not put him beyond the pale of her friendship. There had been no de-grading entanglements, and women forgive or condone all other trans-

And what had she just said or don And what had she just said or done to put that look of dumb agony in his face? She swung impatiently from the rall and began to promenade the deck, still cluttered with luggage over which the Lascar stewards were molling. Many a glance followed the sup-ple pleasing figure of the girl as she passed round and round the deck. Other promenaders stepped aside or permitted her to pass between. The resolute uplift of the chin, and the staring dark eyes which saw but inner visions, impressed them with the fact that it would be wiser to step aside voluntarily. There were some, how-ever, who considered that they had as much right to the deck as she. Before them she would stop shortly, and as a current breaks and passes each side of an immovable object, they, too, gave

The colonel fussed and fumed, and his three spinster charges drew their pale lips into thinner paler lips.

"These Americans are impossible!" "And it is scandalous the way the young women travel alone. One can never tell what they are." "Humph! Brag and assertiveness. And there's that ruffian who came

down the river. What's he doing on the same boat? What?"

Elsa became aware of their presence at the fifth turn. She nodded absently. Being immersed in the sea of conjecture regarding Warrington's behavior the colonel's glare did not rouse in her the sense of impending disaster.

The first gong for dinner boomed. The echoing wall spoke in the voice of the East, of its dalliance, its con-tent to drift in a sargasso sea of entangling habits and desires, of its fa-talism and inertia. It did not hearten one or excite hunger. Elsa would rather have lain down in her Canton lounging-chair. The dining-saloon held two long tables, only one of which was in commission, the starboard. saloon was unattractive. A punka stretched from one end of the table to the other, and swung indolently to and fro, whining mysteriously, sometimes subsiding altogether and then flapping hysterically and setting the women's

nair awry. Elsa and Martha were seated some where between the flead and the foot of the table. The personally-conduct-ed surrounded them, and gabbed incessantly during the meal of what they had seen of what they were going to see, and of what they had missed by not going with the other agency's party. Elsa's nympathy went out to the tired and faded conductor, "I haven't seen him since, yesterday," Elsa dropped her book petulantly. "I am weary of these namby-pamby stories."

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There was but one vacant chair; and as she saw Warrington nowhere. Hisa assumed that this must be his reservation. She was rather glad that he would be beyond conversational radius. She liked to talk to the strange and lonely man, but she preferred to be alone with him when she

She began as of old to study care-lessly the faces of the diners and to speculate as to their characters and occupations. Her negligent observation roved from the pompous captain down to the dark picturesque face of the man Craig. Upon him her glance, a mixture of contempt and curiosity. rested. If he behaved himself and made no attempt to speak to her, she was willing to declare a truce. In Ran-goon the man had been drunk, but on the Irrawaddy boat he had been sob enough. Craig kept his eyes directed upon his food and did not offer her ven a furtive glance.

He was not in a happy state of mind. He had taken passage the last moment to avoid meeting again the one man he feared. For ten years this man had been reckoned among the lost. Many believed him dead, and Craig had wished it rather than be-lieved. And then, to meet him face to face in that sordid boarding house had shaken the cool nerve of the gambler. white pulpy contents, but without the customary relish. The phrase kept running through his head: What would be the reprisal? For men of his ilk never struck without expecting to be struck back. Something must be done. Should he seek him and boldly ask what he intended to do? Certainly he could not do much on board here except to denounce him to the officers as a professional gambler. And Paul would scarcely do that since he, Craig had a better shot in his gun. He could tell who Paul was and what he had done. Bodily harm was what he really

He had seen Elsa, but he had worked out that problem easily. She was sure to say nothing so long as he let her be; and with the episode of the hat pin still fresh in his memory, he as-suredly would keep his distance. He had made a mistake, and was not like ly to repeat it.

Put Paul! He finished his desser and went off to the stuffy little smoke room, and struggled with a Burma cheroot. Paul was a smoker, and



Elsa Stared at the Vacant Doorway sooner or later he would drop in. He

waited in vain for his man that night And so did Elsa. She felt indignant at one moment and hurt at another The man's attitude was inexplicable it. The very fact that she could no understand made her wonder march night. She began to feel genuinely sorry that he had appeared above her horizon. Just before she retired she leaned over the rail, watching the re flection of the stars twist and shive on the smooth water. Suddenly she listened. She might have imagined it for at night the ears deceive. "Jah, jah!" Somewhere from below came the muffled plaint of Rajah.

Next day, at luncheon, the chair was still vacant. Elsa became alarmed Perhaps he was ill. She made in quiries, regardless of the possible mis-interpretation her concern might be given by others. Mr. Warrington had had his meals served in his cabin, but the steward declared that the gentle man was not ill, only tired and irrita ble, and that he amused himself with a trained parrakeet.

All day long the sea lay waveles and unrippled, a sea of brass and lapis lazuli; brass where the sun struck and lapis-lazuli in the shadow of the lazy swells. Schools of flying-fish broke fan-wise in flashes of silver, and por poise sported alongside. And warme and warmer grew the air.

Starboard was rigged up for cricket and the ship's officers and some of the passengers played the game until the first gong. Elsa grumbled to Martha. There was little enough space to walk in as it was without the men taking over the whole side of the ship and cheating her out of a glorious sunset Martha grew troubled and perplexed If there was one phase of character unknown to her in Elsa it was irritabil ity; and here she was, finding fault

Martha's eyes had a hopeless took in them as she asked: "Risa, what is the matter?"

"I don't know, Martha, I believe I should like to lose my temper utterly. I'm irritable because I do not know my own mind. I hate the study stateroom, the food, the captain. Nothing seems to disturb his conceit. Tonight we sleep on deck, the starboard side. At five o'clock we have to get up and go inside again so they can holy-stone the deck. And I am always soundest asleep at that time. Doubtless, I shall be irritable all day tomorrow."

"Sleep up here on deck? But the nen?" horrified.

men?" horrified.
"They sleep on the port side." Elsa
"Don't worry. laughed maliciously. "Don't worry. Nobody minds."

"I hate the East," declared Martha vindictively. "Everything is so slack. It just brings out the shiftlessness in everybody.

"Perhaps that is what ails me; I am growing shiftless. When I came on board I decided to marry Arthur, and have done with the pother? Now I am have done with the pother? Now I am at the same place as when I left home. I don't want to marry anybody. Have you noticed that fellow Craig?" "What will you do if he speaks?"

"I have half a dozen good batpins left," dryly.

"I hate to hear you talk like that."
"It's the East. . . There goes that hateful gong again. Soup, chicken, curry, rice and piccalilli. I am going to live on plantains and mango-steens. I'm glad we had sense enough to order that distilled water. Come; we'll go down as we are to dinner, and watch the ridiculous captain and his fan-bearer. The punka will at least give us a breath of fresh air. There doesn't seem to be any on deck. One regrets Darjeeling."

Martha followed her young mistress into the dining-saloon; she was anx ious and upset. Where would this mood end? With a glance of relief she found Warrington's chair still vacant.

The saloon had an air of freshness tonight. All the men were in drill or pongee, and so receptive is the imagination that the picture robbed the room of half its heat. To and fro the punka flapped; the pulleys creaked and the rones scraped above the sound of knives and forks and spoons Elsa ate little besides fruit. She

spoke scarcely a word to Martha, and none to those around her. Thus, she missed the frown of the colonel and the lifted brows of the spinsters; and the curious glances of the tourists. The passenger list had not yet come from the ship's press, so Elsa's name was practically unknown. But in some known that she had been making in quiries in regard to the gentleman in cabin 78, who had thus far remained away from the table. Ship life is a dull life, and gossip is about the only thing that makes it possible to live through the day. It was quite easy to couple this unknown aloof young woman and the invisible man, and then to wait for results. It would have amused Elsa had she known the interest she had already created if not inspired. Her beauty and her apparent indifference to her surroundings were particularly adapted to the romantic mood of her fellow-travelers. Her own mind was so broad and generous, so high and detached, that so sordid a thing as "an affair" entered her thoughts.

As she refused course after course a single phrase drummed incessantly through her tired brain. She was not going to marry Arthur; never, never in this world. She did not love him, and this was to be final. She would cable him from Singapore.
That night Craig found it insupport

able in the cabin below; so he ordered his steward to bring up his bedding. He had lain down for half an hour, grown restless, and had begun to walk the deck in his bath slippers. He had noted the still white figure for-ward, where the cross-rail marks the waist. As he approached, Craig discovered his man. He hesitated only a moment; then he touched Warrington's arm.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

DANGEROUS GAME WITH BULL

Popular Pastime That Marks the Cel ebration of Feast Days in

In the interior of Venezuela and Colombia toro coleado is a feature of fiesta days. A principal street of the town is roped off and a wild bull is liberated. From eight to ten mounted horsemen enter the improvised arena, their only defense against attacks of the bull being their superb horseman-ship and a knowledge of how to twist the bull's tail in such a manner as to cause him to tumble over. While the attention of the bull is attracted by some of the party a horseman dashes from the rear at full speed, gives a dextrous twist, and over rolls the bull. This sport is not without its danger, and almost every coleado festival adds to the hospital list. The honor of being champion bull-tail twister develops ing champion bilitait whiter develops keen competition, for the winner is crowned with flowers by the prettiest girl in the village. Some performers become so expert as to be sure of their twist at a specified point, the great achievement being to bring the animal to the dust just in front of the belony of one's ladylove. balcony of one's ladylove.

New Enemy of Prairie Dog. In South Dakota the automobile has been found a great success as a prairio dog exterminator. A piece of hose slipped onto the exhaust conducts the gases into the dog hole for a few minutes, when the hole is covered with earth. That is enough for the dog.

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How Experts Are Made. In every generation there is apt to spring up a body of men who, add-ing to natural abilities and an uncommon stock of assurance a certain amount of specialized knowledge, terrorize the rest of the world under the

guise of "experts."

Thinking that they find something rotten in the state of Denmark, incapable of calm reflection, and eager for notorlety, they hit upon a specific for what is amiss, compared with which all others are spurious imita-

tions.
Their field of interest may range from solar mythology to eugenics, but the threefold badge of the tribe is an overweening belief in their own in allibility coupled with a proportion-ate contempt for ordinary human beings, the command of a barbarous jar-gon and an irrepressible desire to badger and bully their unfortunate fellow-creatures.

Hard to Please Everybody.

"Doubleday is always trying so hard to correct his own faults that he never has time to find fault with other people."

er people."
"In that case he ought to be popular with his neighbors."
"You'd think so, but they accuse him of being self-centered."

Willing to Help.
"I don't see anything the matter with you," said the doctor.
"Well, I'm worried, doctor."
"About what?"
"My money."

"Oh, well, I guess I can relieve you of that."

The Kind.

"Dor't you want your son to make his mark in the world?" "Certainly, if it's a dollar mark."

Any man who can hold a fussy baby for an hour without saying naughty words is in the same class with Job.

MADE HIM CHANGE HIS SIGN

Bachelor Found That Persistent Sales men Had Some Other Way of Getting Business.

An old bachelor, in order to prevent men annoying him by knocking at his door to dispose of their wares, affixed thereto a label to this effect: "Hawk-ers, take notice! The inhabitants of this house never buy anything at the door." Shortly afterward he was aroused by a loud knocking at his par-lor window, and looking out he saw two fellows with clothes-props, mats, and pegs for sale. Throwing up sash, he bawled: "Can you read?" ""Yes, master," answered one. Throwing up the

"Then don't you see a notice affixed to my knocker that I never buy anything at the door?"

"To be sure we do. That's the rea son why we thought we would make bold and try to do a little business at the window."

The bachelor was pacified, and made a purchase. Immediately afterwards however, he sent for a painter, and had the addition made to his an-"Nor at the window nouncement. either."

"This bill for your new frock is really a bit high," observed the plu-tocrat to his daughter. "Six thousand dollars is considerable to pay just for an auto suit."

"But, papa, the suit itself is quite inexpensive. The most of that bill is for the trimmings." "Trimmings?"

"Yes. I spent \$5,200 for an auto of the right tint to match the suit."—

On the Right Track.
"While you were captive of the cannibals, captain, why didn't you teach 'em not to eat people up?"
"Well, I did have er try, youngster,

but the hest I c'u'd do was to larn 'em not ter eat wiv their knives!"-Puck.

An Easy Victim. "What is your attitude toward tip."

ping?"
"Oh, the usual one." "And that is?"

"A weak-kneed deference to a fool-ish custom."

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Didn't Look Much Like Hard Times in Western Canada.

A. Meyer, who left one of the best Counties in Minnesota, probably be-cause he got a good price for his ex-cellent farm, and left for the Canadian West, writes to his local paper, the Bagley Independent. His story is well worth repeating. He says:

"To say I was greatly surprised when I reached Saskatchewan and Alberta would be expressing it mildly. In a country where so much suffering was reported, I found everyone in good circumstances, and especially all our friends who have left Clearwater and Polk counties. They all have good homes and those who were reported to have sold their stock through lack of feed, I found with their barns full of stock, and it did not look very much like hard times. They have from 160 acres to two sections of the finest land that can be found.

Those that left here two or three rhose that left here two or three years ago have from 100 to 400 acres in crops this year.

Prospects for a bumper crop are splendid. It is, a little cold now, but nothing is frosted, either in gardens

or fields. Land can be bought quite reasonably here from those who vol-unteered their services in the European war. Here are certainly the best opportunities for securing a good home with a farm and independence for life in a short time. Before I started I heard that prices were so high. Flour was reported at \$12 per hundred it is \$4.25 here. In the west all the groceries can be purchased for nearly the same as in Minn. The only article that I found higher was kerosene at 35 cts per gallon. When I saw the land I wondered why people do not live where they pro duce enough from the soil to make a comfortable living. We visited T. T. Sater. John Dahls, W. J. and R. D. Holt's, Martin Halmen, Ole Halvorson, Wm. Walker and Geo. Colby, all from Bagley. We found well and prosperous farmers who wished to be re-membered to all their Bagley friends." (Sgd.) A. MEYER.-Advertisement

Perfectly Natural. "So you were a witness in a law

suit?

"Did the opposing attorney bother

you much?"
"Not at all. He kept interrupting me so much that it seemed I was at home telling my story and ma was correcting me as I went along."

Going to an Extreme.
"Bliggins has an idea that he can

run the universe."
"Yes. I understand he is training a pet groundhog so that he can be sure of having the kind of weather predictions he wants every year.'

Why He Falled.
"I understand his marriage was a

failure."
"Yes; he tried to run it the way he ran his business."

"How do you mean?" "He was never in the office."

Giving Him the Hee Hawl She—How do you happen to called Jack?

He—Oh, it's just a nickname, Why? She—I didn't know but it was an abbreviation.

Conversational Discretion "People are not supposed to tell all they know," said the cautious person. "No," replied Miss Cayenne, "especially in these days of popularized sci-

In Self-Defense.

Applicant—Be youse th' gint wot advertoised fer a porter, sor? Hotel Proprietor-Yes, but I stated in the ad that all applications must be made by mail.

Applicant-Faith, an' do youse t'ink Oi'm afther lookin' lolk a female, sor?

Going the Limit.
"What is your opinion of government ownership?"

'It's a great idea." replied Senator Sorghum. "If the government owned everything and had to pay all its own taxes a lot of my constituents would be better satisfied.

Sympathy. Mrs Grav-The window in my hall has stained glass in it.

Mrs. Green—Too bad! Can't you find anything that'll take the stains

The Newcomer. Nurse—It has its father's hair, Father—I am glad it's being kept in the family.

Nurse—An' it has it's mother Vather—Lord help it!—Life.

Proper Classification Parson Snowball (a Methodist)-Is yoh all a soljah in de army ob de Lohd?

Stranger-Yassah. Ah's a membah ob de Baptist church.
Parson Snowball—Den yoh all ain in de army; yoh's in de navy.

Drawing the Line.
"Imitation is the sincerest flattery."
"Maybe," replied Mr. Cumrox. "But I don't like to have a stenographer copy my mistakes in grammar."—Detroit Free Press.

INTERNATIONAL **SUNDAY SCHOOL**

LESSON FOR AUGUST 8

THE KINGDOM TORN ASUNDER

LESSON TEXT—I Kings 12:6-16.
GOLDEN TEXT—Pride goeth before
destruction, and a haughty spirit before
a fall. Prov. 16:18.

Solomon's kingdom though outwardly magnificent contained within it those germs of oppression, formal religious observances and the lax example of an indulgent monarch which speedily led to its disruption after his death. Forty years Solomon reigned Forty years Solomon reigned. but the latter end of his life was none too peaceful. "He loved many strange women" and "his heart was not perfect with the Lord his God" (11:134). Rezon was his "adversary" (11:25) and Jeroboam whom he at first sought to conciliate (11:26-28) was finally driven from the land (v. 40). Chapter eleven contains the prophecy of which this lesson is the fulfillment. "And , his son, reigned in his stead" (11:43).

I. The Convention at Shechem, VV. 1-5. This place has an important his tory beginning in the days of Abraham and Jacob. It was a city of the Levites and the place where Joshua gave his final charge (Josh, 24:1, 25). Abime-lech destroyed it though it was soon rebuilt. Here Israel gathered to confirm Solomon's son upon the throne. Jerusalem and Judea readily accepted Rehoboam as king, but the ten tribes hesitated and, according to one translation there was a year's delay during which time Jeroboam was sent for and certain reforms were formulated (v 2). Their charges were entirely selfish and made no reference to the rights of Jehovah nor offered any protest against the increasing idolatry. Before allegiance was sworn Jeroboam as spokesman presented these reforms (v. 4) and Rehoboam wisely asked for time to consider the request (v. 5).

II. Good Counsel Neglected, vv. 6-12. Rehoboam came of bad stock (ch. 14:21), yet his first step was a wise one. His name means "Enlarger of the people," but he sadly belied the same. Too long had he lived in the atmosphere of luxury and enervation The northern tribes suffered greatly through taxation and shared none of the prosperity of Jerusalem. Solomon's "yoke." like that of every earthly mon "yoke," like that of every earthly mon-arch, had been heavy (Matt, 11:29, 30). The counsel of the old men was good (v. 7), it was kingly, manly." Jesus tells us that the greatest must

be the servant of all and sets us the example himself (Matt, 20:28). Reho-boam next consulted those of his own circle who "were grown up with him," men of like position and passions, youths as inexperienced as himself who had no sympathy but were wild, conceited, overbearing, selfish. Reho-boam asked "advice" (v. 6) of the old men, but asked for "counsel" (v. 9) of the young men, but in neither case is there any suggestion that God was consulted (James 1:5). These young men counseled a boasting and burden some course which brought Rehobo to grief. Oppression always results in rebellion, a fact that those who gov-ern or employ others should ponder well. Rehoboam's choice of counselors was the height of foolishness (Prov. 13:20).

III. Bad Counsel Confirmed, vv. 12-14. Jeroboam's subsequent career confirms us in believing that he more than all others encouraged and fos-tered the division of the kingdom. But he and the proud, foolish princeling were both only carrying out the word and will of Jehovah (v. 15; Ps. 76:10). This does not, however, lessen his guilt or folly (Acts 2:23). Not content with declaring his acceptance of the evil counsel he spoke "roughly" (v. 13) and this verse suggests to us that "the old men's counsel" was known to the people, thereby aggravating his offense. "Whom God wishes to destroy he first makes mad. he first makes mad." Rough words wound or madden and, "by using soft words you may lead an elephant by a hair." Not content to refuse Rehohoam threatens added hurdens (v. 14)

Conclusion. the kingdom from Solomon's house be cause Solomon had turned away from God (ch. 11:9-11, 31, 33). A true prophet foretold what would happen "cause was from the Lord that he might perform his saying" 11431, 32). God is constantly and lit erally fulfilling prophecy. Those which have been so fully and so minutely fulfilled are a warrant that in due time all will likewise "come to nass" hoboam is a lesson to the young men

of today. Rehoboam is also a lesson for pres

ent day fathers. Finally Rehoboam is a lesson to all who are set in authority. To close our ears to the cry of the needy; to forget our obligations to God and to mer

(Matt. 25), and to fall to see God's pur poses, prophecies and plans, inevitably courts disaster

The coming king of kings who in fulfillment of prophecy did come, and will come again, has a yoke for his subjects "which is easy." His finger (v. 10) and hands were used in loving ministries and the only chastisement (v. 11) he ever permits is that which proves us to be "sons," not slaves (Heb. 12:6-11).

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Weds in a Plaster Suit. Miss Mary Elizabeth Seraner came all the way to Saline county from an the way to Saine county from Fayetteville, O., to become the bride of Francis de Sales Schneider, a young farmer near Saline, and even then came near losing out for a delay at least, but she was equal to the occasion and is now Schneider's bride, says a Saline (Kan.) dispatch to the Kapas City Loyrani. to the Kansas City Journal. The promised delay in the nuptial affairs of the young couple was caused by Schneider getting into a

runaway accident and sustaining a broken leg, fractured ribs and bruises all over his body, and his sweetheart found him bound in plaster of paris

casts so tight be could not move.

The situation was discussed, the young lady hooked up the favorite horse to a buggy and came to Saline, secured the marriage license, engaged the preacher and returned to the With the dawn of the millennium we

may have an ideal state legislature one that will repeal more laws than it

Ire is the worst half of satire

Averse to Slang.

Just to show how much averse to slang he was, a small boy in a Chicago school explained to the teacher one day that he had been walking with a friend, but neglected to take off his hat when they met a lady both knew. His friend had nudged him, and whispered:

pered:
"Take off your lid, you simp!"
"What he should have said," and plained the boy, was "Remove your hat, you nut!"
The general sentiment is summed

The general sentiment is summed up in the words of a small boy, who entured this:

"Anyway, it's only roughnecks who

Prefers Insanity

Doctor recommends baseball as a cure for insanity. H'm, it strikes us that the last state of anyone taking that course of treatment would be worse than the first.

But let the sluggard attend a pionic and the ant will surely come to him.

If you make a cat's paw of a friend you are apt to get scratched.

COUNTED PROFIT AND LOSS

Country Storekeeper Well Advised In Discontinuing Business for That Day, at Least.

The present generation is scarcely aware that at one time our one-dollar and two-dollar bills were marked with Roman instead of Arabic numerals. Therefore, when the youth left temporarily in charge of the general store in a small country town was approached by a stranger and asked for change for an eleven-dollar bill, he looked curi-ously at the greenback, but courteous ly acceded to the request. The owner of the store sauntered in some time

"Well, Sam, any business?"
"Nothin' cept changin' a 'leven-dol-lar bill fer a drummer," the boy an-swered unconcernedly.

The storekeeper started for the cash drawer, looked long and sorrowfully at the old two-dollar bill, then said

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"The dog is after me, mamma, the dog is after me!" "Why, the dog wasn't trying to get you; it was only running a race with

Then Vivien's face brightened, he tears quickly disappeared. "I beat him, too, didn't I, mamma!"—Indian

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Snicklefritz-A blind man looking for work.

Girls should beware of young men who pose as candy kids; as husbands they are apt to develop, into lemon drops.

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numan paradox?" "A secret session of a club."—Philadelphia Ledger. of a woman's

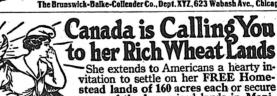
The Limit. "I shall never speak to her again as long as I live."

"But you've said that often before." "I know, but what else is there to say when a person becomes as angry as she makes me?"—Detroit Free

The female who parades the streets with a jag on thinks she's a perfect

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How a Desperado Was Eliminated

By OSCAR COX

Devil's parlor was probably the worst congregation of toughs, both for mer and women, in that wild and woolly west, which may be said to have passed out with the nineteenth century The Devil part of the name came from the number of crimes committed in the The parlor was intended to be

With the gradual rolling westward With the gradual rolling westward of civilization even Devil's parlor underwent a change. Some of the men married respectable women who in time caused the exit of those who were not respectable. The cabins took on a more reputable appearance, white curtains appearing at the windows and flowers in the front yard. A court was established for the trial of offenders and there was even talk of a church. All good citizens were interested in All good citizens were interested in the reform, and those who were not made no counter effort.

This does not mean that all the bad characters were at once eliminated from Devil's parlor. Nevertheless there came a time when but one man of the original devils was left. Bill Tomkins bad killed more adversaries than any other man at the place and he seemed bent on keeping up his record. The court that had been established could not handle his case, for no sheriff could be found who dare attempt to arrest him. The men held a meeting and rest him. The men held a meeting and offered a reward to any one who would eliminate him either by arrest or death, but no one seemed willing to try for

the prize.

The men having failed to carry out their design the women took hold. They were all by this time respectable, except one of the old stock called Redhead Kate, and she was as bad for a woman as Bill Tomkins was for a man.

"Ladies," said Mrs. Rogers, "it's my calleder, but its."

pinion that if you want to get rid of Bill Tomkins you'd better hire Red-head Kate to do the job. I propose that we offer her the reward subscribthat we offer her the reward subscrib-ed by our husbands to circumvent Bill and fix him so's he can't do no more damage to this yere community. Red-head Kate isn't bad lookin' when she's well dressed, and bein' about my size I don't keer if I lend her some o' my towers to see her off" toggery to set her off."

The suggestion was approved, Red-

head Kate was sounded, and the reward having been raised from \$300 to \$500, she agreed to eliminate Mr. Tomkins. She was arrayed in Mrs. Rogers best dress and a hat so magnificent that it would have been envied by a drum major of a band. When asked if she would need a revolver she said she would not need "any sich noisy thing." If she wanted to do Bill Tomkins she'd "mix a little p'isen in his

Redhead Kate was paid \$250 down the balance to be handed her upon he satisfying the ladies that Bill Tomkins would not trouble the town any more. though by this time its name had been changed to Angelus. Kate waited til Mr. Tomkins had gone off on an expedition for the purpose of plunder, when she also disappeared. Nothing was heard of her for two weeks, when she returned to Angelus, and with her, looking like a lamb led to the slaughter, was Bill Tomkins. Immediately on her return she asked for an interview with the ladles of Angelus, and on their coming together thus addressed them:

"Ledles, there's no need for me to tell you how I managed this case, for you've doubtless all practiced what I've done on your husbands, I played soft on Bill Tomkins, lettin' on he was the apple o' my eye, givin' him his way about everything till he was ready to marry me. A lettin o' the ready to marry me. A jestice o' the peace done the business, and as soon as I'd got Bill where the law give me as I'd got Bill where the law give me all the privileges and him none of 'em I jist came down on him with both feet. He took it hard at fust, then tried fight. I met his flight with ning, and it din't take no time to bring him under. But I'm bound to confess that I was obliged on var'us occasions to use sarcumspection. Onct I lifted one of his eyes from its socket with my thumb; onct I bit a plece off his nose, and onct I made him sick with diluted ratsbane. But I wishes to say to those ratsbane. But I wishes to say to those of you who's lookin' for methods to manage husbands that I found stiddy talkin' the most wearin' on him. I jus

talkin' the most wenrin' on bim. I just talked and talked. The finality of it was he said. 'Oh, gimme a rest and I'll come down.'

"And now I wants to tell you ledles that I really believes there's the makin' of a man in Bill Tomkins. I done with him what we have to do with the bronchos. I got him under, then he was easy to the bit. I'll pledge my word that he won't trouble Devil's—I mean Angelus—any more, but will live. word that he won't trouble Devil's—I mean Angelus—any more, but will live here with me as a respectable citizen. I'm willin' to leave the balance o' the reward in your hands till you're satisfied that what I'm tellin' you is true. If at any time there's reason for complaint ag in my husband jist mention the fact to me. You needn't take no action yourselves. You've got all you can do managin' your own husbands, but gimme a tip and I'll show you that we wimmen don't need no help in doin' men. We got it all our own way if we know how the trick is done."

So perfect an illustration was Bill by the Monroe Band. Many Pay Attractions.

So perfect an illustration was Bill Tomkins of the value of Redhead Kate's taming methods that the very next day the balance of the reward was paid her, and now Deacon Tomkins is one of the most respected citizens of Angelus. His wife meanwhile has been advanced to the circle of the ladies.

PERSONAL MENTION

Local Items Picked up Here and There by Our Special News Correspondent.

Miss Harriet Foster of Peoria vis Ited Sullivan relatives the first of the week.

Mrs. J. F. Reeder and daughter Mildred is visiting this week at Duval.

Miles Grenwood of Finding visited his daughter, Mrs. Charles Dolan Wednesday.

Elmer A. Collins made a trip to St Louis Tuesday, returning by way of Mt. Vernon.

E. T. Ray went to Cadwell Wednesday evening to look after affairs connected with the store.

Mrs. W. S. Bland went to Decatus today to meet her son, Henry, who will be in that city today.

Miss Emma Eden and niece Alme Thackwell went to Aurora today to lelt the latter's mother.

Mr. and Mrs, Wm Barnett of De catur came Wednesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ferril.

Misses Charlotte Baker and Ger trude Hill returned Saturday from Champaign where they have been attending school this summer.

Mrs. Joseph Merold and P. N. Kite of Dalton City enrolled with the News this week. There is room for others who want to support a growing institution.

Mr. Pumphrey, superintendent of he Masonic Home was in Bloom ington on business Tuesday. His daughter returned with him for a short visit.

Miss Fern Richardson of Loving on visited Miss Eva Sharp the first of the week, both returning to Lov ington Wednesday evening for isit at the former's home.

Sen. W. Duff Plercy of Mt. Vernor state senator and editor of the Mt Vernon Register was in this city Wednesday afternoon with Dr. W E. Stedman with whom he served in the legislature.

Superintendent Van D. Roughton s making up his report to the State Superintendent this week. This is a difficult task as there are some places where it is hard to give satisfactor; answers to some questions.

O.C. Hoskins and wife of Bethany went to Shelbyville Monday where they will camp at the chautauqua. Misses Juanita Debruler, Ella and Pearl Crowder and Helen Wilkinson are other Bethany people camping

Harry C. Miller and family of Nocomis came up in their car for a isit with E. J. Miller and family Sunday. They were former school mates at Effingham. For many years Mr. Miller was a successful school man.

Ellen Virginia who has been visiting her father, A. Z. Goney, returned Danville Friday evening. likes to be with her father and her parting words were "I'll be back in two weeks."

House Party

Miss Nellie Patterson will give a louse party to night at the home of ner parents in honor of Miss Florence Pember of Chicago. Ten young ladies will be present and help make the visitor at home in Sullivan

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ALLENVILLE

M. O. Weaver, wife and daughter,
Madeline are visiting relatives in Dalton City this week.

Misses Mary Standerfer and Cora Sutton visited Mrs. Claude Layton of Mattoon last week.

Victor Wiley were business caller in Decatur Friday.

A daughter was born to Logan Chaney and wife on July 30th.

Rev. A. G. Carnine and family of Evanston and Miss Julia Henninger of Bloomington are visiting relatives

Sunday visitors in St. Louis were ames Haven, Lowe Burwell, Ernest Galbreth, Spencer Graham and J. R. Hoskins.

C. W. Robinson and wife and Miss Alice Gilleland is visiting in Decatur. Frank Wiley of Decatur visited his parents, J. B. Wiley over Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Burcham and daughter. Leota Hoskins, of Trilla are visiting relatives bere

Arthur Childers and wife Loyington are visiting his father Steve Childers.

Mr. Houser of Newton was business caller here last week.

Tille Wernsing of St. Louis is isiting H. E. Wernsing this week. Ray Misenhiemer was a caller in Bethany Monday.

Ernest McMecham and wife Casey visited the latter's mother Mrs. A. W. Sutton Sunday.

Francis Chaney and wife of Mattoon visited relatives here Sunday. Paul Martin and wife of Mattoor visited John Martin Sunday.

J. E. Miller was a business caller in Decatur Monday,

Mrs. Frank Glover and daughter Cecil, were callers in Sullivan Tues day.

Mrs Ella Hartsey and daughter Mrs. Nora Briggs, and son of Ingra ham are visiting her eleter, Mrs. H.

LAKECITY Sherman Bandy was in Chicago last week.

Miss Inez Lee is visiting relatives ear Bement.

Mrs. Effie Dwyer of Bethany visit ed with Joe Dickson and family las week.

Decatur shoppers Saturday were Mrs. J. H. Brohard, Mrs. Jesse Burcham, Mrs. Mary Griswold, Mrs Tolliver, Dora Massey and Stocke,

Several from here attended th dance at Lovington Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Winings spent Sunday with Hubert Howell and family of Williamsburg.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Elliot Dial Saturday July 31st Mrs. Mattle Her and daughter, Florence. of Decatur visited last week with Mrs. C. W. Mitchell.

Misses Grace and Maude Winings visited with Rufus Clifton and family in Argenta last week.

Mrs. Sherman Noble and son Glenn, were Lovington callers Mon day evening. Mrs. Lina Adams and Mrs. Ellen

McDermont and son, Ralph, of De catur visited over Sunday friends here. Mrs. C. W. Mitchel did shopping is

Decatur Monday.

Day Redfern of Decatur was caller here Monday.

Come to Arthur

The Famons Flying Herberts

Picnic, Aug. 12, 13, and 14. They do a premier double return act, introducing double and treble sombersault and passing leaps, using the highest rigging of any similar act,

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Phillipine Army Officer Says Conditions over There Are Improv-

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R. W. Ashbrook, of Zanesville. Ohio, who recently visited his broth er Tunis Ashbrook at his home agribeast of this city is a retired officer of the United States Regular Army, and spent several years in the ctive service in the Philliplus Islands, during which time he had the misfortune to lose an eye in one of their engagements when a native Ellipino threw a spear and struck him. This fall he expects to enter a Virginia military college as instruct Lieutenant Ashbrook pictures conditions as improving in the Phillipines but states that in many parts of the country you can still ouy wives at \$12 a head and are entitled to as many as you can pay for.-Arcola Record Herald.

Trading at Home

The Indianapolis Trade Review recently gave some very pertinent rea sone why the consumer should do his trading at home, which retailers who are confronted with the mail order problem may use to advantage. The reasons given are as follows:

Because my interests are here. "Because if this part of the country is good enough for me to live in, t is good enough for me to buy in. "Because I believe in transacting

pusiness with my friends and neigh

Because I want to see things before I buy them.

"Because I want to get what ouy when I pay for it.

Because a part of every dollar I spend stays at home and helps work for the welfare of the section I live

"Because the home man I buy from pays his share of the local

"Because the home man I buy from helps support the local institu tions, lodges and churches.

my home people and it is only right that they should sell in the same

Because I do not believe in Jup porting the mail order houses in the far-away cities.

Because I believe in the principle This act put on by Montrose & Hamilton, is sometimes called the Trick House It is full of action and very laughable You'll enjoy it. of live and let live—as a good citizen—I feel that my duty begins at home among my home people." Ex.

> Misses Lucie Williams and Rose Millizen went to Bethany this morning to visit friends.

> Mrs. H. H. Smith and children o Altamont came Friday evening to rist a few days with Mrs Reindman

Mrs. Harry Barber is very sick at the hospital in Decetur with typhoid fever. The fever has been high for the past werk.

Miss Ola Da Mond of Decatur who has been visiting here several days. returned home this morning accompanied by Miss Blanche Oliver.
Walter Dalton and wife of Dalton

City stopped here Saturday enroute to Shelbyville where they will spend a week at the Chautauqua.

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Mrs. S. P. Hout of Cadwell was in ! Sullivan Friday.

W. B. Walker of Janesville was in this city Saturday.

M. O. Newlan of Shelbyville was in this city Saturday.

Milton Bennet of Stewardson a Sullivan caller Saturday.

Miss Ruby Gibson of Arthur was a Sullivan shopper Friday.

Tilden Sealock was a business call-

er in Dalton City Saturday. E. C. Sona and family visited over

Sunday with relatives in Decatur. Miss Iva Baxter of Shelbyville visited Sullivan friends last week.

O. L. Todd made a business trip to Chicago the first of the week.

Miss Marie and Agnes Anglen went to Shelbyville on a visit Satuday. H. E. Donald and John H. Kensil spent the day in Decatur Saturday. Miss Rosa Welty and Mrs. J. A. Kelly visited Findlay relatives Saturday.

W. E. Harpster and wife left Saturday morning for a visit at St.

Miss Marie Kearn went to Findlay Saturday to visit her sister Mrs. Earl Bradley.

Mrs. Harrison Fritts and daughter went to Bruce to spend Sunday with the former's son.

Miss Edith Woodruff and sister Mrs. Bland of Colorado visited Shelbyville friends Saturday.

U. G. Jones of Atwood and W. H Jones of Villa Grove were callers in Sullivan Sunday morning.

Mrs. Nell Davidson left Tuesday for Dublin, Tex., where she will visit her brother for a few weeks.

J. R. McDavid of Findlay came up on business Saturday.

E. C. Summit and Fred Boyce were in Decatur Saturday.

Miss Iva and Zoa Kinney of Chipps were Sullivan visitors Friday. B. B. Burns of Decatur was in this

city on business Saturday. W. S. Griggeby and wife Decatur shoppers Saturday.

Sylvester Davis of Kirks Sunday with Sullivan friends.

Mrs. R. C. Miller and children visit ed in Clarksburg over Sunday.

A. Z. Goney was a business visitor in Decatur Saturday evening.

Roy L. Seright of Louisville epent Sunday with his parents here.

Mrs. Harry Siren went to Shelbyville to visit friends Friday evening. Miss Freda Bruce of Kirksyille same up Satuday for her music leason Mrs. W. L. Landers and son, Victor visited friends in Decatur Satur-

O. F. Cochran of Lovington visit his father and other friends here Satur day.

Mrs. C. C. Dailey went to Loving ton Saturday to visit her son, Othello and wife.

Mrs. W. G. Sinclair of Arthur visited her sister, Mrs. W. H. Walker Friday.

Mrs. William Byrum visited Satur day with her elster Mrs. Kidwell in Lirksville.

Mrs. Thornton Drew returned Satuday evening from a visit with friends at Windsor.

Miss Minnie Ziese returned to Sta Louis Friday evening after a visit with Sullivan friends

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"	"	McCay	"	1.50 for	1.29
Garage March	"	.,	"	1.40 for	1.19
Misses	"	"	"	1.25 for	1.09
,,	""		"	1.00 for	.89
Childs	"	"	Turns	.75 for	.69

A FEW PAIRS OF WOMEN'S

Misses Child's TAN Slippers and Button Oxfords left at half-price.

Ask us about tickets for RODGERS SILVERWARE H. C. Gaddle was a St. Louis visit

Miss. Helen Loviess visited Sullivan rlends Tuesday.

Grace Ingram went to Lovington Monday to work.

Luther Lowe transacted business n Decatur Tuesday.

Miss Ollie Webb spent Sunday with Findlay friends.

L. E. Graves and wife were Deca tur shoppers Tuesday. Miss Elizabeth Krause

catur chopper Tuesday. G. W. White and wife are visiting n Vandalia this week.

Miss Louisa Winchester of Kirks isited in Bruce Monday.

Mrs. Rose Gregory visited Shelbyville friends Wednesday.

R. S. Brown of Decatur was in the city on business Saturday. M. Keeley of Findlay was

ness visitor here Wednesday. Mesdames James and Bert Wyant visited in Stotlant this week.

W. E. Hicks made a short visit in Shelbyville Saturday evening.

Clarence Lang of Marshall visited ome folks the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. McPheeters visited in Charleston last week.

Mrs. W. M. Spannager and daughter visited in Shelbyville yesterday Mrs. Verle Rhodes of Lovington has been visiting Kirksville friends. Mrs. Dora Basham visited her

mother-in-law in Windsor Monday Dr E. E. Bushart went to Cush man on business Tuesday morning Mrs. C. D Henry and children visited friends in Findlay Wednes-

children of Windsor were here Mon day.

day evening for a musical engage ment.

Mrs. Carl Harpster of Shelbyville isited hersister, Mrs. Charles Brady, Saturday.

F. M. Martin and wife went to Mode yesterday to visit Fred Furry and family.

Dr. W. P. Davidson returned Monlay evening from a business trip to Mrs. Zoa Richardson of Arthur

was a Sullivan caller Wednesday morning. S. A. Rhodes and wife of Toledo

vere visiting near Sullivan over Sunday. Mrs. L. McDantels and Miss May Sutherland were Decatur visitors

Miss Anna Suddeth of Milwuakee risited the first of the week with

Mrs. P. J. Harsh. Miss Jessie Shirey returned to Decatur Monday after a week's visit

with home folks. Rev. W. B. Hopper and wife spent a few days in Decatur the first of the

week visiting friends. Miss Lora Landers went to Deca-

tur Tuesday morning to visit a few days with school friends. Mrs. Dora Martin returned to her

home in Windsor Monday after visiting Mrs. Peter Dow. Sam B. Hall and others from Sulli

van went to Champaign yesterday for the Tractor exhibition. Mrs. Homer Wright and Mrs. J

r. Higginbothan visited Mrs. W. H. Jenninge in Decatur Monday.

Mrs. W. L. Landers and son Victor left Tuesday morning for Attica Kans., where they will spend a tew

Mrs. W. E. Brown and son returned to their home at Mode after a visit with her father J. D.

Allenville.

Miss Thelma Barton returned Friday from Grayville where she vis-ted several weeks with relatives of R. Lee Fitts, of Bloomington, 111., Friday from Grayville where she visand friends.

Miss Julia Brown went to Farmer City Saturday to visit Rev. T. H. Tull and family. She also visited friends in Clinton and Decatur.

Mrs. E. Patrick came last Wednes day for a short visit with Kirksville relatives and friends returning to her home in Penfield Monday.

Mrs. W. B. Swander of Cerro Gordo returned home Monday after visit with her sister Mrs. W. B Roadman.

J. H. Thompson who has been spending the summer with his family at Falliandes Park, Mich., returned home Monday after spending s week in Chicago.

Miss Cleo Wood visited relatives in Findley the first of the week. She came last week for a visit with Mrs Avery Wood, Jane Bracken and Granby Daxey.

Hewitt Cofer of Danville who has been visiting here for several days returned home Friday evening. Shelby Moore went home with him for a week's visit.

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Miss Carol Conklin of Des Moines In. came Saturday morning for a risit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B

F. Peadro. Miss Florence Bourland of Decatur returned home Sunday evening after

wish with Mrs. J. L. McLaughlin. Mrs J. W. Burkhead of Bethany isited in Sullivan Sunday afternoon and in the evening went to Clarks burg.

Linn and James Booze, Charle Bristow and Omer HillspentSunday evening with the fair damsels of

Miss Gertrude Millizen went to Hammond Saturday where she visited Misses Louise and Vivian

Mrs. Newton Lawrence of Findlay

visited over Sunday with her father, John Barnes, and sister, Mrs. Thor. on Drew. W. A. Trabue and Ora of Welling-

ton, Kans., are visiting with friends here, having motored through in a car last week. Misses Mary Huber, Alta Sears,

Anna Sexton and Ida Gussons of Arthur returned home Friday after attending the summer school at

Miss Elizabeth Bruner returned to her home in Circleville, O. after a visit with Mrs. Patterson. She will be a member of a party to camp along the lakes in Wisconsin or Michigan.

H. J. Hostettler and sons Verne and Purcell of Lovington came to Sullivan Wednesday on their way to Shelbyville for the Chautauqua. The boys will go from there to l'ower Hill to visit an aun t.

Sullivan People Praise Simple Mixture

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Letter in Overalls

and Miss Mabel Richards of Clinton. reveals a romance that traces to the girl placing her name and address into the pockets of a pair of overalls she made at a Clinton factory.

The man who is now her husband, was working at Auroa, Ill., when he bought the pair of trousers that con tained the name and laddress of his future wife. Letters and visits culminated in the marriage. Now all the girls are stuffing the pockets of the Lewin overalls with their names and addresses -Ex.

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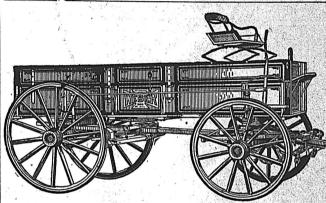
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amount of good that a straightforward, heart-toheart talk does sometimes. And yet, realizing this fact as well as we all say we do, it is strange how often for

one reason or another we neglect many opportunities of having an understanding with those with whom we may not at times be on the very best

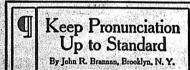
It may be that we go on for some time apparently content in the companionship of someone for whom we have a high admiration, then for some unaccountable reason our companionship becomes clouded, and we soon find ourselves on rather uncomfortable if not embarrassing terms.

We do not understand the reason and reach a hasty-conclusion that if the other party has anything against us and is not man enough to come forward and say what it is, why, we can afford to forego the pleasure of his acquaintance, when perhaps he thinks very much the same way

Persons have been known to act in this manner for a long time without either one making the first step toward an understanding, and as a consequence much pleasure and even mutual profit is foregone because of their thickheadedness.

Perhaps unwittingly one may have given some slight offense to the other, or vice versa, and because neither has common sense, or courage, enough to demand an explanation their relations become more or less strained and they feel uncomfortable and ill at ease in each other's

A few words spoken at the right time and in the right way would pave the way for a better understanding, and after a while a plain talk, straight from the heart, would naturally follow.



The art of conversation may be lost forever, but its sister art of correct pronunciation will not slip entirely away from us if a western newspaper is able to hold its readers up to its own

high standard in this respect. Mingling wisdom with zeal, it does not attempt to do everything at once, but singles out as a strategic beginning a few of the words locally mispronounced.

"The ruler of Japan," for instance, "is the mikado, with the accent on the second syllable, and never the mickadoo." A bit of geographical lore is neatly tucked in one hint: "The antipodes-Australia, you knowis pronounced 'antipodeez.'"

History is represented by the information that when you have anything to say about the Renaissance, you should speak of it as the 'Renesans," with the accent on the last syllable, and not by any chance as the "Renaysans."

Nor should one be betrayed into saying "amatoor" or "amachoor" when one means "amaturr." And when the wind soughs through the branches, we read, it "sows." but never "suffs."

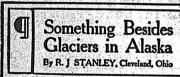
All this is excellent, but we fear that it will not entirely do away with what the English lady called "your horrible American ahccent."



Every young girl looks forward to a summer of rest, but after the first few weeks of vacation are over she begins to find time hanging heavily on her hands. There are many

interesting ways in which this time may be profitably spent. Here are a few things some girls are doing: Collecting art copies and writing a short history of each; collecting authors' photographs and learning their life histories, and prominent books they have written; making a scrapbook and forming a history with cartoons from the leading magazines; making scrapbooks with pictures from magazines for little children in the winter. If any girl is so fortunate as to have access to an attic full of old magazines she may make an interesting collection of pictures of women and dating each, which will show the extremely varied and rapid style changes of years. Some girls are busy on their fair work; making jellies or canning fruits and labeling them attractively. Others are busy with

These hints will probably suggest others to anyone interested, and every girl who will try some means of passing her summer will find she has a feeling of satisfaction when schooltime comes again.



One thinks of Alaska as the abiding place of rugged mountains, frozen streams, undeveloped mineral resources, of cold and desolation. Agricultural possi-

bilities, truck gardening and similar activities are commonly considered as belonging to more favorable climates.

Surprise is in store for many who read a recent bulletin of the United States Agricultural department. Wheat, oats, rye, barley, potatoes and a variety of vegetables have matured every season since experiment stations in the northern section of the territory. One of these stations is within 75 miles of the Arctic circle. Chicken raising is profitable, while forage crops are grown in the central and southwestern parts. The mean annual temperature of Sitka, says the bulletin, is about

the same as Washington, D. C., which the North considers a southern city. One hundred thousand square miles of the territory are suitable for farming, while garden vegetables and small fruits are profuse.

Exercise Faculties in Making Choice
By John Stuart Mill, New York

The human faculties of perception, judgment, discriminative feeling, mental activity, and even moral preference, are exercised buly in making a choice.

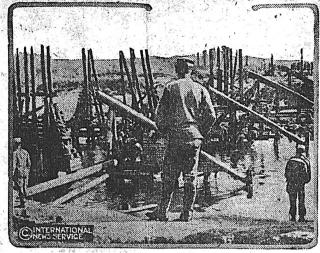
He who does anything because it is the custom makes no choice. He gains no practice either in discerning or desiring what is best.

The mental and moral, like the muscular, powers are improved only by being used. The faculties are called into no exercise by doing a thing merely because others do it, no more than by believing a thing only because others believe it

He who lets the world; or even his own portion of it, choose his plan of life for him has no need of any other faculty than the apelike one of

He who chooses his plan for himself employs all his faculties.

AUSTRIANS REPAIRING DESTROYED BRIDGE



photograph, taken during the retreat of the Russians through Galicia, shows Austrian troops repairing bridges.

OF SIEGE OF VAN

Told by United States Missionaries Who Were on Scene at the Time.

BARRICADE THE BUILDINGS

Ten Thousand Cared for in the Town in Weeks Before Russians Arrived -Provide Ingenious Defense Against Turk Bullets.

New York.—Letters from the staff of the American board of commission-ers for foreign missions who were in Van, the old Armenian city in eastvan, the old Armenian city in east-ern Turl v. during the recent trou-blous tin. 3, have just been received at the offices of the board by way of Petrograd. They tell a thrilling story of the last desperate weeks be-fore the Russians arrived, when Turks were determined to crush the Armenians, when the mission premises were crowded with refugees and the houses tarricaded against shot and shell. The wife of Dr. Clarence D. Ussher thus tells the story of the

D. Ussher thus tells the story of the siege:

"As you know, there has been a long-standing and well-grounded dissatisfaction on the part of the Armenians with the insincerity and injustice of the Young Turk' party in power. This feeling has grown strong since Turkey declared war against Pussia six months ago.

"This suicidal rush into the fray was a most unpounlar move among

was a most unpopular move among Moslem and Christian alike, but its consequences bore most heavily upon the latter, who were pressed into service and then deprived of their arms and forced to work as day laborers without proper food or care. Thou-

sands died of typhus and neglect.
"It was small wonder that as many as possible secured exemption from service or refused to be enlisted. The government naturally regarded their course as nothing less than treason, so when a strong governor-general, the brother-in-law of Enver Bey, was appointed to Van, his first concern was to punish the rebels.

"Three weks ago last Friday the military head of this revolutionary faction, with two of his companions, was killed at command of the vall, who had sent them to Shaddakh as official peace commissioners to settle a ques-tion between the government and the revolutionists. Another prominent Armenian leader, a member of parlia-

ment, was seized and deported to the capital. April 17, the day word was received of the assassination of the revolutionary leader, Ishan, Doctor Ussher and Mr. Yarrow (also of the American board) were called by the vali, who told them plainly that he was determined to crush the rebellion if it involved the extermination of the whole Armenian population, but that he would prefer not to injure the women and children.

Refuse Turkish Guard.

"As we proposed to open our premises to refugees he urged placing a guard of 50 Turkish soldiers here. We at first consented to the suggestion, but the revolutionists said experience had taught them the soldiers could not be trusted. They were unwilling to allow the soldiers to come. We have been thankful many times since that they refused to do so.

that they refused to do so.

"That evening we consulted with Signor Sbardone, Italian consular agent, the only consul left in the city Signor to represent our interests and those of other foreigners. It was midnight before our plans were made. That very evening neighbors began to bring in beds, carpets, boxes and wheat, as those who realized the situation con sidered our premises, those of the Ger-mans and Sbardone's the only safe places.

"The next day was Sunday, and we had church services as usual, but all day long the streams of people poured through the gates. Men, women and children were loaded with their household effects. The rich hired 'hamals' to bring piles of bedding and beautifully polished chests of clothing, and the poor hurried in with their pitiful treasures of bare necessities. Lit. treasures of bare necessities. tle donkeys brought in large sacks of

four and wheat.

Hay Obtained for the Cattle. "Most of the horses in the city had already been seized by the govern-ment, but a few were found to bring ment, but a few were found to bring hay for the cows, which had to be put in the basement of our old school building as our small stable was full. We have had such a rainy spring that the ground was too wet to store goods outside so we packed the basements of our new school buildings from floor to ceiling with boxes, bedding and bags of wheat and flour, reserving all

would need them.

"Before we had dressed Monday we had had applications for rooms from half a dozen families and by night we in our houses had a regular hotel of more than seventy people, while attic, wood room and halls were piled

with goods of every description.
"Our family are all together in the
middle bedroom, which is barricaded by a wall of large oil cans filled with earth. This shuts out most of the by a wan of large on cans filled with earth. This shuts out most of the sunlight, but the windows are down from the top, and with three open doors we can get good ventilation.

The sitting room windows are protected by bags of flour piled up on the tected by bags of nour price up on wide sills and a triple hanging of heavy blankets across the bay windows to keep out the stray bullets.

Bullet Holes in the Walls.

"The need of such protection is evi-

ane need or such protection is evidenced by the many broken tiles on our roof, and forty or more bullet holes in the walls and the broken windows through which four balls have entered our living rooms. Sometimes the air hums with the constant flying of bullets over and through the flying of bullets over and through the premises, and it is a miracle that so few have been hurt. It was an ex-citing moment when an unexpected cannon ball struck the wall of our house only ten inches above the head of the mayor's wife, who was outside the study door, and fell harmless at her feet. The same morning another cannon ball fell into the stable yard a few feet from where Neville (Dr. Ussher's son) was standing. prought the empty shell in, still warm,

"The benches from the church and seats from the school rooms have been removed to make floor space. Many are huddled in the low dark basement of the church; the audience room and galleries are crowded. The schools are filled even to the hallways. pospital is considered ordinarily to be full if it has 50 patients, now 140 are under its roof. There are at least 5.000 refugees on our premises and as many more in the near vicin-ity. The German compound resembles ours and Sbardone feeds between thirty and forty at his table.

How Armenians Make Ammunition. "The Armenians have shown won-derful ingenuity in making gunpow-der, dynamite bombs and serviceable bullets. They make a mortar to throw bombs, and now are at work on four cannon, the only weapons the Turks have which they have not. I visited their cartridge factory last week. It was most interesting to see the process from the start when disks of ess from the start, when disks of copper were cut from plates, to the fin-ished product of a polished cartridge with even English lettering on the end. Everything was handmade, but between 2,000 and 3,000 cartridges is the daily output.

"I never imagined that I could be so interested in munitions of war, or hope so fervently that the revolution-ists should win, but it is now a ques-tion of saving the remnant of the people from massacre and starvation, of defending their lives and homes from flendish cruelty, and we exult over every advance of the little band and pray that in some way permanent help

"After three weeks of fighting in the city the Armenians have the ad-vantage. But in the defenseless villages the story is very different. It is wholesale and systematic massacre of as many as possible and the taking of many prisoners and sending them later to the head of the revolutionsts to be fed. In this way starvation will finish the slaughter.

"From the first the most of our refugees were villagers, some from many miles away. When our premises could hold no more the houses near by and protected by the positions held by the revolutionists were filled. It is estimated that at least 10,000 fugitives

are being fed in the gardens.
"Many of the regular Turkish soldiers are averse to butchery, so the vali has promised plunder and glory vali has promised plunder and giory to the lawless Kurds, who are nothing loath to do his will. One morning 40 women and children, dying or wounded from Turkish bullets, were brought to our hospital. Little ones crying pitifully for their mothers, who were killed while flesher and mother were killed while fleeing, and mothers mourning for their children whom they had to leave behind on the plains. Some of our orphan girls ask us if God will forgive them for leaving one child thus when as they were carry-ing one and leading another they could not manage the third. I could tell you stories which would simply break your hearts, but it is needless to harrow your feelings."

ROUT CATERPILLARS

Twenty Thousand Nests Are De-stroyed by Fire and Acids In Washington.

Everett, Wash.-Fifteen hundred

school children participated in organ-

zed warfare against tent caterpillars ized warfare against tent caterpillars during the week past in Everett, with the result that about 20,000 nests were destroyed by fire and acids. Interest in destroying the pests was aroused by

the principals of schools, and now that the children have learned to burn them

it is believed the school youngsters will be an effective means of defeating

the annual invasion of the caterpil-

Twelve, He Lands Big Muskle.

twelve-year-old son holds the cham-

pionship in Sawyer county for having

caught the largest muskellunge on

record. The fish weighed 40 pounds and was landed by the boy while fishing all alone in Milner's lake, near the Milner home, near Radisson.

Couderay, Wis.-William Milner's

OPEN

LICENSES HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO HUNTERS IN THIS STATE.

GAME SEASON

everal Important Changes Have Been Made in the New Illinois Law Use of Ferrets is Pro-

hibited.

Springfield.—The state fish and came commission announced that they had finished the mailing of hunting licenses for the coming season to all officers in Illinois who are entitled to issue them. Together with this an-nouncement the commission has issued a schedule of open seasons on all game as provided by the law passed by the last general assembly. Several important changes have been

made in seasons. Important among these is the change in the opening of the squirrel season, which started August 1 instead of July 1. It extends to January 31. The synopsis of open seasons is as follows:

Bob-white quail, November 11 to De-

to October 5, inclusive...... 2 Ducks, February 15 to March 31 and September 1 to December 15, in clusive leese, February 15 to March 31, and

September 1 to December 15, in-

oots (mud hens), February 15 to March 31 and September 1 to De-

Rabbits, September 1 to January 31, inclusive, no limit. Sparrows, crows, bluejays, black-birds, chicken hawks, cormorants, January 1 to December 31, inclusive,

Fur-bearing animals, November 1 to March 31, inclusive, no limit.

All other birds protected. See section 6 of game laws.

The use of ferrets is prohibited.

Counties Freed From Quarantine.

Springfield.—Three more counties in Illinois are freed entirely from quarantine regulations for the foot-and-mouth disease by an order effective July 19. They are Bureau, Jo Daviess and Mc-Henry. In addition, all of Dupage, Lee and Ogle counties are freed with the exception of those portions which lie within five miles of several farms recently infected. There is now no closed area in the state and the Union stock yards in Cook county are the only exposed area. The modified area consists of Winnebago county, section 10 of Naperville township in Dupage county, section 19 of Palmyra township in Lee county, section 31 of Lincoln township in Cole county, and the county are the county and the county are t closed area in the state and the Union coin township in Ogle county, and territory within five miles of these sections. The restricted area, in which the quarantine regulations are more lenient than in any of the other classifications, consists of section 18 in By ron township, Ogle county, and terri-tory within five miles of it.

Few Salaries Are Released.
Springfield.—Salaries of clerks in the offices of the secretary of state, the auditor, the treasurer, assistants of Attorney General Lucey in Springfield. though not in the Chicago omice, sec-retary to Governor Dunne, and the auditor and assistant auditor in the governor's offices were released by the filing of an amended bill in the Fergus though not in the Chicago office, secinjunction proceedings holding up the omnibus appropriations bill passed by the Forty-ninth general assembly. Other changes were made, most of other changes were made, most or them omitting the naming of officers and employees who had been specified in the original bill. The foregoing were the most important of the omis-"We are not entirely satisfied with

the changes because we think Mr. Munro should have left out employees who are still included," said Treasurer Andrew Russel after he had gone over the amended bill with Assistant At-torney General Roy. "He has complied with our contentions in some case in others he has disregarded them.'

Man Hurt in Wreck on I. C. Man Hurt in Wreck on I. C.
Anna.—The Illinois Central experienced its first serious wreck in three
years on the St. Louis division when
train No. 21, Chicago-Cairo local, was derailed just south of Anna. The engine and all the coaches left the tracks and tore them up for almost a mile. Several coaches turned over, mue. Several coaches turned over, slightly injuring Baggageman Jack Helple of Centralia. Both main tracks were blocked and all passenger trains over the Carbondale-Cairo line annulled:

Sees Husband Killed by Train. Dixon.—With the heel of his shoe caught in the planking of the railroad caught in the planking of the railroad crossing and in sight of his wife and daughter, Otto Asher was ground to-death by a Chicago & Northwestern switch engine.

Third infantry Begins Camp Work,
Dixon.—The Third infantry, Illinois
National Guard, commanded by Col.
L. G. Green, arrived at Camp Dunne.
The first dress parade was held following the hand concert. The menwill settle down to work.

EAGLE FIGHTS FOR YOUNG MISS LAURA GRAVES

Superior Deadliness of the "Female of the Species" is Demonstrated in California.

Merced, Cal.—William Barcroft and Ianuel Thomas returned from Pleasant Valley converted to Kipling's theory of the superior deadliness of "the female of the species," after hav-ing a terrific fight with a mother eagle

The two men scaled an oak tree to examine an aerie and found the whole family, father and mother eagle and two eaglets, at home. After shooting and killing the male in self-protection, Thomas joined forces with Barcroft against the beak and talon attack of infurlated mother bird.

After an exhausting conflict they managed to grab her by the neck and pull her talons from the flesh of Bar-croft's arms, which are very much cut and scratched.

and scratched.
Fearing to release the bird and risk
another encounter, the men brought
the eagle and her young ones to town for exhibition

Explains Delaware Boundary.

Why the northern boundary of Dela-vare should have been circular in form

the land on the west bank of the Del-

tle and 12 miles around, and to the land between this tract and the sea.



Miss Laura Graves, daughter John Temple Graves, is spending the

summer months in the Adirondack gion of New York state.

New Castle as a center. When the three "lower counties" on the Dela-ware became a state they refained this boundary.

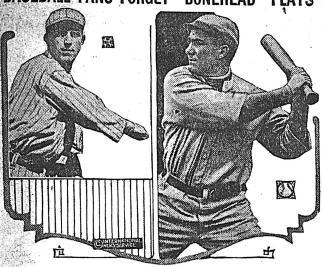
is often a source of wonderment. It came about in this way: After William Penn had obtained a grant of Penn-sylvania he was desirous of owning Poet's idea of a Good Wife.

Bobby Burns, who will be remembered as a Scotch plowman, who aware to the sea. He procured from the duke of York, in 1682, a release of all his title and claim to New Caswrote a poem now and then, once set down his opinion of a good wife as fol-lows: "The scale of good-wifeship I land between this tract and the sea. divided in ten parts—good nature, A line that was the arc of a circle of four; good sense, two; wit, one; per-

sonal charm, namely, sweet face, elo-quent eyes, fine limbs, graceful car-riage, all these, one; as for the other qualities, such as fortune, connection and education more than the ordinary run, family, blood, etc., divide the two remaining degrees as you please." a 12-mile radius was then run with

Fashion Notes Short women should avoid short women should avoid much trimming or their skirts, says a fash-ion writer. Yes, and so should long women if their husbands are short.— Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph,

BASEBALL FANS FORGET "BONEHEAD" PLAYS



Fred Merkle.

Fred Merkle "pulled a boner" that | and one out Doyle hit a long flay to cost the New York Giants a pennant. That was some time ago, but the fans have never forgotten. "Bonehead" is hurled at him to this day, and he is not allowed to forget.
"Laughing Larry" Doyle was guilty

of a thoughtless act fully as bad or worse than Merkle's a couple of weeks ago, but already his lapse of memory has been forgotten, writes Barry Faris nas been forgotten, writes harry Faris
in a New York dispatch to Chicago
Evening Post. It came in a game
that didn't particularly count. Which
causes one to think that, after all, it
isn't what you do that hurts—it is when you do it.
Merkle's "bone." as is well known

was in forgetting to touch second in order to complete a play. Doyle's Burns had crossed the play stunt was an even more glaring piece of stupidness. With a man on third ball would have no effect.

Larry Doyle.

the outfield in a recent series at Boston. The man on third—Burns dashed for the plate after the ball was caught. The ball was hit so far that he was sure to score. Doyle rounded first just as the ball was thrown in from the outfield. The ball came directly at him, and he reached out and caught it, tossing it to a Bos-

ton player. Immediately a protest was

iodged with the umpire, who thereup-on called Burns out because Doyle had interfered with the ball. Doyle, who has been one of the National league stars for years, had no alibi. He frankly admitted he had been guilty of a "boner." His only explanation was that he thought, as Burns had crossed the plate, the play was completed and his touching the

STAR INFIELDER OF PIRATES

James Viox, Diminutive Keystone Sacker, Built Much on Same Lines as Honus Wagner.

James Viox, the diminutive second baseman of the Pittsburgh National club, was born at Lockland, O., twen-ty-four years ago, and secured his professional baseball start with the Lex-Ington club, one of the Blue Grass league, in 1911. After one season in this company he was purchased by

Manager Clark.
Alex. McCarthy was holding down second base for the Pirates at the time, but through sheer merit and hustling Viox soon won his position. The following spring he battled with Art Butler, who had come from St. Paul highly touted, but Jimmy proved



James Viox

himself a far superior ball player and batted at a 317 clip. During the 1914 season Viox's hustling and ambition was one of the bright spots in the oth erwise dark and stormy career of the

Viox stands five feet five and one half inches in height, but weighs 170 pounds, being built very much like Hans Wagner, with large, powerful He is a right-handed hitter

Last Chance for O'Brien. Providence has released Pitcher Buck O'Brien to Richmond and it is suggested that it is his last chance to make good in fast company. O'Brien figured that he needed hot weather to show his paces and was let go to Richmond with the idea that

there he would find plenty of it. Co-Operation Wins.

Clarence Rowland explained to a fan that one reason the White Sox are leading is that they have elimiare leading is that they have eliminated the "I" on the club and substituted the "We." Not the manager, but the players are main factors in keeping a club in the front, thinks Rowland.

Kauff May Go Into Vaudeville.
"Benny" Kauff is considering an of-fer to appear in vaudeville at the close of the present season.

Manager Tinker is still in the hunt for an infielder.

Heine Groh is playing some great Heine Ground and ball for the Reds.

Jack Holland has signed a University of Missouri pitcher named Taylor for a tryout.

According to the Pittsburgh Press, the Pirates accuse Umpire Klem of favoring the Cubs.

Wilbur Robinson seems to be back-ing up his team to make one of those Miracle Man spurts.

Pitcher Grover Alexander is setting record this year. To date he has twirled three one-hit games. Someone was bound to spring it. Burt Whitman, a Boston writer, did it. He calls the Cleveland team the Fol-

lies of 1915. When the Phillies start to slip, all Pat Moran has to do is to ring for a

bell-hop and order him to page Alex-ander and Mayer. If Bill James of the Braves can get his arm back he will save the world's champions from going into the second division for good.

Connie Mack insists he will build a ennant winner in the American league despite the stories he is plan-ning to leave the circuit.

Davy Robertson was timed recently in going to first, and he proved that he was faster than any other player on the Giants or the Braves.

Anyhow, they've got those Braves fighting the umpires and declaring they are robbed—which is some sign of hope for the other seven teams.

Whenever Connie Mack is severely criticized for selling his stars he can reach into his pocket, fondle, his bank book and restore his usual calm.

Jim Thorpe, who is playing good ball for Jersey City, is rapidly learning how to hit curve pitching. He probably will come back to the Giants in the fall.

There seems to be quite a bit of rivalry between McGraw's young twirlers, Schauer, Schupp and Ritter time either is called upon to pitch he tries to outdo the others.

The two Shannon brothers, star players of the Seaton Hall college nine, said to have been made offers by several major league clubs, are re-ported as signed with the Richmond Internationals.

A western critic, after making a swing around the eastern end of the National league circuit, has announced that the Brooklyn club is the best-looking aggregation in the league. The reference is to pennant chances rather than beauty. . . .

We learn from Boston that President Tener, accompanied by Secretary Shettsline, called on President Gaff-In order to have the party complete it should have included Treas. "A base hit," added Mike, "is some-urer Heydler, Private Secretary thing; but having your head used as Reeves and Man Stallings.—New York a target the rest of the day is also

*************** PLAYING FOR CRAWFORD

Back in the days when the Chicago team of the American league was led by Fielder Jones and were fighting the Detroit Tigers bitterly there was no love lost between the teams.

One afternoon in a game on the South side, Chicago, Jones raced back to the fence and by leaping high into the air and spearing a ball with one hand robbed Crawford of a home run. The next time Crawford came to the bat he caught one on the handle and Jones, racing in, grabbed what looked like a sure Texas leaguer off his shoetops.
As the men passed each other

on their way to and from the field Jones sneered: "It's a cinch to play for you. You always hit 'em in the same place."

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SHECKARD GOT THE SIGNALS

Cub Outfielder Wasn't Sure Whether Manager Chance Was Going to Try for Second Base.

James Samuel Tilden Sheckard pulled many a funny one while he was playing ball, but one of the funniest was in a game in 1908. Those who saw Chance grow furious over some thing his good friend and great player had done never understood why.

Chance had switched the batting order and was hitting just ahead of Sheckard that day and had made a new hit-and-run sign. Late in the game, with the score tied, Chance reached first and gave Sheckard the

Sheckard took a strike straight through the plate and never Chance had started, but turned and by



Jim Sheckard.

desperate slide got back to first in safety. He arose, gave Sheckard the signal again and started. Sheckard took a second strike, and Chance was

"What was the matter, Sheck?" inquired Chance on the bench. "Didn't you get that signal?"

"Yes, Frank," replied Sheck, seriously: "I got 'em both times, but, do you know, I was standing there trying to think whether they meant you were going or that you weren't, and he slipped over two strikes."

DISADVANTAGE TO MAKE HIT

Mike Donlin Tells Story of Rube Waddell-Remembered Those Players Who Poled Safeties.

The occasion doesn't often arise in a ball game where it is a player's disadvantage to make a hit. But according to Mike Donlin this occasion once

says Michael, "that I "Any time," got a hit off Rube Waddell the rest of my afternoon was spoiled. I had no further pleasure left in the game. After that one hit I spent the rest of



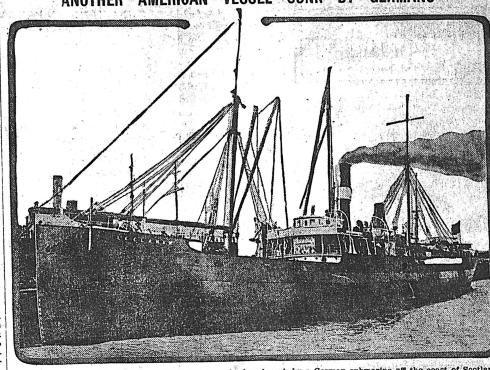
Mike Donlin.

the afternoon with my foot in the water bucket. For the Rube remembered each guy that hit him safely, and it was a case of ducking the bean ball on the next trip to the plate."

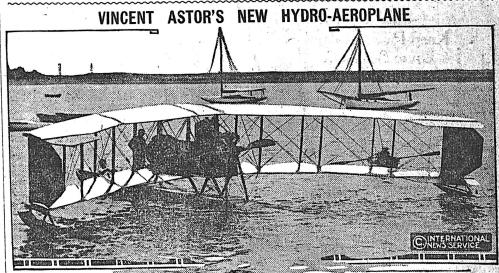
"A base hit," added Mike, "is some-

something.

ANOTHER AMERICAN VESSEL SUNK BY GERMANS

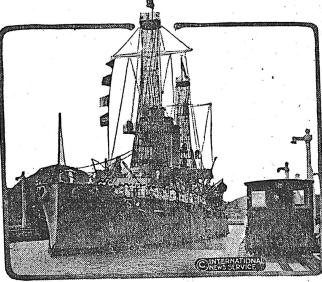


American steamship Leelanaw which was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine off the coast of Scotland ause it had a cargo of flax for Belfast. The crew was saved.



The first hydro-aeroplane made for Vincent Astor having been smashed in its trial flight, he ordered various changes, and the result is the machine here shown, the first of its type. The seats are not on the pontoon, but higher, in the center of the plane, and the wings are in the form of a broken V. The seats are not on the pontoon, but

FIRST BATTLESHIP THROUGH CANAL



This photograph shows the battleship Missouri in the west chamber of the Pedro Miguel locks as the arst battleships to pass through the Panama canal were going through. At the right is one of the electric towing mules.



The return home on short leave of the popular Irish Guardsman hero, Sergt Michael O'Leary, V. C., who "practically captured an enemy's post-tion by himself," killing eight Ger-mans single-handed and taking two others prisoners, at Cuinchy, did not pass unobserved. The king sent for him to Buckingham palace and rinned the cross on his breast, with the queen and princess warmly congratulating the sergeant; Cork gave O'Leary an ovation as he drove through the city with the lord mayor. We see him here at his cottage home at Inchigeelah, near Macroom, County Cork, with his father, to whom Sergeant O'Leary is showing his cross.

KINDNESS ON THE BATTLEFIELD



War is not always as supposed by most people. Even the officers of the armies find other things on the field than mere fighting. Pity creeps forth even from the hardest of hearts. The photograph shows a German officer even from the narcest of hearts. The soldier had crawled for shelter into a large hole dug by an exploded shell. Here he lay patiently awaiting the end of the day's battle. A German officer passing noted the plight of the Russian and stopped to minister to his wants.

May Give Bruin Bread Card. The authorities of Elberfeld, Ger-

many, are confronted with the most puzzling problem that they have had o solve since the bread card became an institution in Germany—and all because of a show bear that is so fussy about his food that he will eat nothing but bread.

The owner of the animal recently was haled before the lower court and fined and sentenced to prison because he had shared his weekly portion of bread with the bear. With two months' incarceration staring him in the face he appealed, alleging that the bear was his only means of support A kind hearted judge changed the sentence to a fine of 100 marks, and advised the owner to apply to the president of the government in which Elberfeld lies to issue bruin a bread card just like any regular human be-

The Menly Chautauqua Co. week and the talent was all Saturday. splended. On Sunday, the last Terrance Dauson was a Deca day, the Bethany Concert Band tur visitor Sunday. gave two musicales, one in the afternoon and the other in the evening and Cecil Carpenter of Prinston delivered two excellent lectures.

The band concert will be held Thursday evening.

Ernest Stocks and wife of Dalton City were the guests of W E. Crowder Sunday

Ella and Pearl Crowder, Juanita Debruler and Helen Wilkinson are camping at Shel-

Harold Gililand of Decatur is visiting his parents, John Langton and wife.

Mrs. Orville Worsham and children of Sullivan visited her parents, S. M. McRenyolds last week and attended the chautau-

lames Butts and daughter. Mrs. John Freeland of Decatur visited L. T. Butts and wife several days.

Mary Barton McAinis of Decatur is the guest of Margaret

Mrs McKinn visited with her mother in Decatur Monday.

Mrs. Frank Webber of Decatur spent Sunday with relatives.

N. D. Fortner and family of Sullivan were the guests of Rev. A. S. Maxey and family.

Mrs. O. C. Hoskins visited her parents, A. B. McDavid and wife at Sullivan

Anna and Margaret Pyatt of Decatur spent several days with relatives.

James Roney, Samuel Ekiss, A R. Scott and Elmer Debruler were in Sullivan Monday.

Mesdames Charles and Sidney Dedman spent Monday with relatives in Decatur.

Mrs. Harriett Clark visited her sister at Sullivan.

Bernice Walker was in Sullivan

Mrs. Roy Silvers of Lovington visited a few days with relatives.

Eva Ream, Mrs. James Brown, Samual Clark, A. R. Scott and James Roney were callers at Sullivan Saturday.

Harry Timmons and wife of Lovington visited several days with her parents Ab. Shelton.

Mrs. Mary Woolen and daughter of Clinton spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Rosa Smith.

Prof. Oscar Schuarze and son, it Saturday. Henry, of Decatur were here Sunday. Prof. Schuarze assited the band.

Mrs. George Rodgers of Wind-W. McIluain.

Miss Richmond of Peoria spent a few days with J. W. Makan Ed Marsh, Emri Belton and son and wife

several days with Mrs. Rachel toon callers Friday.

Grant Cole and wife and John ing relatives in Mattoon. Roney, wife and daughter, Mabel of Dalton City attended the chautauqua here Sunday.

Andrew Crowder and family of Decatur spent the week with started for a visit in California relatives.

They have not obtained get back here by the first of Septchautauqua for next Summer.

Lewis Wheeler and wife, Mrs J. L. Brocks, A. R. Scott, W. A. Wilkinson and George Reuss were in Dacatur Tuesday.

P. J. Bushert and Harve Sharp were in Champaign Tueusday. Dr. Altred Cunningham spen Tuesday in Mt. Pulaski.

Mrs. Cora O. Porter and son held their chautauqua here last Dallas, were Decatur visitors

Messers Frank Cheever, Wm. Thomas, Wm. Kirkpatrick and R. E. Bowers called on friends in Sullivan Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. M. Shepherd and son, Blane Maxwell spent Sunday in Petersburg.

Misses Jaunita Taylor and Esta Weathely of Chicago are here for

a month's vacation. Lorna Briney has been employ ed as clerk at the B. and H. Store

H. B. Holsher attended the band concert in Arthur Thursday evening.

A dance was given by the Coterie Dancing Club Wednesday evening at the club hall. Music was furnished by Sullivan Orch-

Esther Hewitt spent Sunday in Moweaqua.

Mrs. E. B. Levitt of Hammond visited her cousin, Mrs. Edna Lux, here the first of the week.

Noble Stanton and Mrs. Leona martin were married Wednesday Evening July 28 at the parsonage of the M. E. church. Rev. E. H. Lugg performed the ceremony. The couple will reside for the present with the bride's mother, Cora Apple on South Railroad street.

Beatrice Bushart is visiting in Bethany

Roy Fortner of Decatur is visiting here with his mother, Mrs. Wm. Burge.

Mrs. Fred Sutton was a Decatur visitor Wednesday.

Fletch Foster and family of Bryan, O. arrived Saturday. They expect to make their home here and will occupy the Brown property on South Broadway.

Dr. A. E. Vynerburg was Hammond visitor Tuesday.

GAYS

Mrs. R. J. Farley is suffering with a badly sprained wrist, Her daughter Montgomery of Mattoon spent Sunday with her.

Lucille Wright has been visit ing her cousin Eva Peadro.

Edna Waggoner, Faye Curtis, Irene Clabaugh, and Rachel Drake are home from the Charleston Institute.

William Edson, wife and daughters started Saturday for a month's visit in Kansas.

Lola and Mary Wallace have a new piano. They received

Louise and Azel Frazier spent Thursday at the home of Frank telends. and Francis Cullen.

Lithia campers have returned SPARKS BUSINESS COLLEGE home after attending the chautaugua there.

Mesdames Thomas Fleming, Fred, Cora Livers, Francis Cul-Jay Heiland of Findlay visited len and Helen Kern were Mat-

Fredia Libotte has been visit-

Dr. J. E. Rouse of Decatur who has been visiting at the home of J. D. Cullen and family has and other places. He expects to



Decatur the last of the week.

Mrs N. W. Tohill has been spendng a few days at LaPlace.

There was a large attendance at he dance here Thursday Mary and Katheryn McGanan

of Decatur spent Thursday here Mrs. Wm Clark and son Howard re visiting relatives and friends in

Missouri. M. V. Weaver, wife and daughter of Allenville are here visiting home folks.

Mabelle and Leta Roney spent Thursday at Bethany.

Mary Fogarty was in Decatur

Eva Tichnor from Sullivan was caller here Friday.

Mrs. J. B. Lester and daughter oraine spent Friday at Decatur. Gertrude Meeker from Sullivan was a catter here Friday.

C. N. Davidson spent Friday at Decatur.

Lee Cripe, Jerry Grace, Clarence Hight spent Saturday evening at

Mrs. William Stafford and son ohn were Decatur callers Saturday. Grant Cole and wife, John Roney and wife, C. J. Kuight and wife at tended the chautauqua at Bethany Sunday.

Mabelle Roney and Glenn Mitchell spent Sunday evening at Bethany

The annual chicken and fish fry of the Bresbyterian church will be held Thursday evening September 2nd at the church lawn

Mrs. Anna Holland from Monticello was a business caller here the first of the week,

S. E. Stocks, wife and children spent Sunday at Bethany, Walter Dalton and wife left for their cottage at Forrest Park,

Shelby ville. Mrs. Sam Ekiss entertained her Sunday school class at her home Tuesday afternoon.

John Roney was a business caller at Decatur Monday.

Ira Gifford from Niantic was business caller here Monday. Ruah Weems of Decaturepent Sun

day here with home folks. The skating rink has been moved

Mrs. H. Fritzgerald spent the first of the week at Decatur

Nina and Lottle Wehmhoff spent Monday at Decatur. John Duggan was a. Sulliver

visitor Monday. Mr. Grindol of Decatur was a bust ness caller here Tuesday.

Mrs. Anna Holland has began to repair her property here in town. She expects to make a good store

Joe Summers from Monticello was a business caller here the first of the

J. O. Henry of Decatur was a business caller here Tuesday.

Mrs. M. Hogan was a Decatur caller Saturday. There was a union meeting of the

Christian Endeavor societies of the town held Sunday evening at the Presbyterlan church Mr. Tobill and family from La

Place spent Sunday here John Moody and wife spent Sunday afternoon at Bethany.

John Wehmhoff and son George and daughter Lottle spent Friday at Decatur.

Roy Denson and Ira Tohill spent Friday at Decatur.

William Ekies visited his aunt at St. Mary's Hospital Suuday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tobill from Villa Grove are here visiting relatives and

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