much restrictions shall be made uniform and applicable alike to all citizens."

There may be other objections to this part of the bill, that congress gratuity onely interferes to forbid negro disfranchisement, or disfranchisement "for any officer conditions or qualifications," which latter will prevent disfranchisement for lack of United States citizenship, a prohibition never before laid on a state. This wording will be interpreted by some as even prohibiting the future cultranchisement of women in these new states. These paragraphs might well be amirted.

But the injustice to women might be averted if only the word "sex" was stricken from the paragraphs. The pioneer women of the West, who have inhored and suffered by their bushands sides to advance civilization, ought not to be so unjustly classed with felous, lunstice and children, while their own timebands, equals in other respects, are

tinebands, equals in other respects, are entranchised. The congress of the October 1903, and last week the average United States ought not to set its seal upon the possibility of the perfectual disfranchisement of these women, an incentive to the decline has been a high

The women of our great country of the southwest being ranked with the classes justly distranchised, any other member of which may by effort, behavior, or lapse of time, achieve entran-

to write to the two senstors from your own state, to Senator Beveridge, the chairman of the committee on territories, asking each to work for the ommis sion of the word "sex" from the two paragraphs quoted above, or for the omission of the entire paragraphs?

There is need of haste in this matter, good \$5,25 to \$5 50; culls \$4 00 to \$4.75. and we urge action by your organiza-tions at the earliest possible date. Current cattle and hog prices are as follows: MRS. ELLEN M. HENROTIN.

Honorary President General Federa tion of Women's Clubs.

J. H. BASSETT

J. H. Bassett, editor and publisher of the Arthur Graphic, is an applicant for the appointment of printer expert, under the incoming state administration. This position can be filled to the best advantage by a practical printer. Mr. set's experience of over twenty-five years in city and country offices, and on state and government work, has given him a fund of practical information peculiarly fitting him for the place. If he is successful in receiving this ap-pointment, he will discharge his duties in an impartial manner, keeping the welfare of the public in view.

The supecribers who are entitled to the large card directory in connection with the supplement of the HERALD

will be in possession of them next week. We ordered the stock last Menday but for some reason did not receive it; the d order was placed Thursday and we see no reason for more delay. We hope and trust we will have all of them delivered the first of next week.

FINANCIAL SUCCES The world's fair owed the U. S. government a loan of \$4,600,000 November let they paid \$500,000 which left a bal above of \$191,850. This was certied Tuesday and put them out of debt contrary to predictions that the fair would not be a ndial success. There is some talk of ning the fair again next year but re is no probability of it being done.

at \$6.00 with several lots at \$6.00 to \$6.10 and most of the good fat shipping and export kinds at \$5.40 to \$5.65 while medium to good grades went at \$4.75 to \$5.80, most of the common corn and massed feed kinds at \$5.20 to \$5.60, with fair to good grave atters at \$6.20 to \$4.25 and bulk of plain and light grass outle at \$3.25 to \$5.75 while the rough and inferior tots sold down at \$3.20 to \$3.10. Butcher stock trade was on a lower basis and stockers and feeders were alow set. Butcher stock trade was on a lower basis and stockers and feeders were slow selfers. Corn belt feeders are evidently playing a walking gare this year. In centives to this policy have not been lacking. One of them was the fool work of the corn bull statistician, or more correctly speaking, crop fore caster. He succeeded in trightening the feeder so thorhoughly as to inspire him to a degree of un-terly inactivity hat have fairly parait and trade in thin cattle. The present is, however, a decidedly absorback condition, and there are thousands of feeders in the corn belt who, within the next six weeks, will shake off their letnargy and probelt who, within the next six weeks, will shake off their letnergy and proceed to fill tend lets. Present proceed to fill tend lets. Present proceeds are decidedly optimistic from the beefmakers standpoint. His raw material is cheap and the margin between this and finished cattle satisfactory.

Hog values continued to shoot downward, and the Lord only knows when they will reach terms.

ward, and the Lord only knows when they will reach terra firms. Accomplishing a few more charp declines the packing interest will have placed the market at the objective \$4.50 point. Breaks of 50c per hundred weekly have been common on the late slump, but strong factors have been at work in the bear interest. In the first place quality of gass has been inferior, "rotten" in trade pariance. The average weight of home received in Chicago during Cato. this true that in many states women have been tacitly ranked with these detective, delinquent and dependent classes, but never before has the insult been so open and flagrant, nor has it is a notable fact that this big slump has not been forced on a liberal supply of not been forced on a liberal supply of The women of our great country should now protest against the women apperabundant, good heavy scarce, reof the southwest being ranked with the versing conditions prevaling a year ago. Heavy hogs now enjoy a premium that is likely to be accentuated unless weighty hogs grow more numerous at market

> Sheep and lambs met with a strong in quiry this week as the appended quota-tions amply afford the best evidence: Good to choice wethers \$4.25 to \$4.65; fair to good \$3.75 to \$4.10. Good to choice ewer \$4.00 to \$4 85; fair to choice \$3.25 to \$8.75; cuits \$2.00 to \$8.00. Good to choice lambs \$5.65 to \$6.10: fair to

	follows:
	CATTLE.
	Choice to prime beeves
	Good to choice heavy steers 5.15 @ 5.60 Fair to good export and ship-
	ping steers 5.15 @ 5.70
	Medium beef steers 4.10 @ 4.70
j	Inferior and plain steers 2.2 @ 3.90
Q Z	Good to fancy cows and heifers. 4.15 @ 4.50
ğ	Good to choice feeders 3.00@ 4.15
ë	Poor to fair stockers and feeders 2.00 @ 3.25 Fair to good cows and helfers 3.25 @ 3.90
d	Good cutting and fair beef cows. 2.05 @ 3.90
	Common to good canning cows. 1.25 @ 1.95
	Bulls, poor to choice 1.75 @ 4.25
	Calves, common to choice 2.75 @ 7.00
i)	HOGS.
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avy shipping, 280@300 lbs. 4.85 @ 5.00 savy butchers, 240@270 lbs 4.65 @ 5.00 ugh heavy grades 4.55 @ 4.65 gts mixed, 180@250 lbs. 4.70 @ 4.80 gts mixed, 180@180 lbs. 4.60 @ 4.75 od to choice, 185@200 lbs. 4.75 @ 4.85 or to best pigs, 60@135 lbs. 3.85@ 4.80

ALBERT J. BEVERIDGE Albert J. Beveridge visited his mother and sister, Mrs. E. B. Eden, here the

latter part of last week. Few men have risen more rapidly than Albert J. Beveridge, United States sen ator from Indiana, since 1899, and one of the most effective orators in the re publican party. When he was fifteen years of age he was a logger and team-ster in Moultrie county, near Sullivan. Eight years later he graduated from De Pauw university, and in fit teen years was a member of the United States senate. Mr. Beveridge's oratory is dignified and earnest; and this speech at the republican convention was, probably one of the most effective ever delivered in a national convention

HEADACHE!-EYEACHE! Augustine's glasses will relieve you. See him at Barber's Saturday, Nov. 26. Here every four weeks.

The Twenty Club met Thursda evening at the home of Mrs. I.J. Marti The lesson subject was Old Ength Ballade; Miss Gertrude Meeker, lende

The Saint Cecilians of the Friends in Council helds their regular meeting at Rose Corbin's, Wednesdey afterneon, Very interesting and instructive papers were read by club mambers, on evolution in needle work and rugs Oriental and Occidental. Music by Miss Rose Corbin.

The next general meeting of the Friends in Council will be held at the nome of Miss Marie Gilham, Monday evening Nov 28. It will be an "Old Time Evening" under the supervision of the St. Cecilian Department. All the members are requested to come in colonial costume.

The literary division of the Friends in Council held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Alills Burns, Friday evening. The subjects of the lesson papers were, Babylonian Literature, Mrs. F. E. Piter; Babylonian Laure, Mrs. F. E. Piter; Babylonian Laure, Mrs. E. J. Miller; Library of Nineven, Mrs. E. J. Miller; Library of Nineven, Mrs. Mark Montray; Chapter one, of a serial story, Miss Spaie McPhesters.

THE CHRISTMAS DELINEATOR.

The December Delineator, with its message of good circer and helpfulness, will be welcomed in every home. The fashion pages are unusually aftractive, illustrating and describing the very intest modes in a way to make their construction during the busy feative senson a pleasure instead of a task, and the litterery and pictorial features are of rare excellence. A selection of love songs from the Wagner operas, rendered into English by Richard de Gallienne, and beautifully illustrated in colora by J. C. Layendecker, occupies a prominent piace, and a chapter in the Composers' Series, relating the Romance of Wagner and Cosima, ile an interesting supplement to the lyrics. A very clever paper THE CHRISTMAS DELINEATOR. ment to the lyrics. A very clever | entitled "The Court Circles of th from the inner circles of society. There are chort stories from the pens of F. Hopkinson Smith, Robert Grant, Alice Brown, Mary Stewart Cutting, and Elmore Elliott Peake, and such interesting writers as Julia Magruder, L. Frank Baum, and Grace MacGowan Cooke, hold the attention of the children. Many Christmas suggestions are given in needlework and the cookery pages are redolent of the Christmas feast. In ad-dition, there are the regular departments of the magazine, with many special articles on topics relating to woman's interests within and without the home.

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It is one of the real newspapers that prints facts rather than ideals or hopes. as they happened. Thus you can judge for yourself and form your opinion.

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MOTHERS PRAISE IT.

Mothers everywhere praise One Minute Cough Cure for the sufferings it has relieved and the lives of the little ones it has saved: A certain cure for coughs, eroup and whooping cough. A. L. Spafford, postmaster of Chester, Mich., says: "Our little girl was unconscious from strangulation during a sudden and terrible attack of croup. One minute Cough Cure quickly relieved and cured her and I cannot praise it too highly." One Minute Cough Cure relieves coughs, makes breathing easy, cuts out phiegm, draws out inflemmation, and removes every cause of a cough and strain on lungs. Sold by all druggists.

CURED CONSUMPTION. Mrs. B. W. Evans, Clearwater, Kan. writes: "My husband lay sick for three months. The doctors said that he had quick consumption. We procured a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, and it cured him. That was six ye ago. Since then we have always kept ttle in the house. We cannot do nout it. For coughs and colds it has qual." 25c, 50c, \$1. Sold by Pate CHOOL REPORTS

PLEASANT SCHOOL

arting Nov. 4; ar of pupils enrolled 24; average of attendance 23. Four pupils cent, and one was tardy during who received certificates fo

stendance and not being tardy Aduie Denaveu, Lucy Watern, Wood, Ferris Michaels, Ralph von Fred Fisher, Sherman Kite, Arris, Merle Havris, Harley Coplin, Kite, Walter Kite, Burr Me-la, Marie Harris, Maggie Dehaven, Harris, Willie Fisher, Fern Har-Clara Debaven

ES PEARL BLANCHARD, Teacher.

SMYSER SCHOOL. t of Smyser school for the month ning Oct 12, and ending Nov. 10: mber of days taught 22; number pile earolled, males 15, females 24, 28; grand total number of days atce 819; average daily attendance

se present every day during the th were: George Waggoner, Relph J. Thomas Young, Martin Edwards, ton Glascock, Arnold Harpster, ton Glascock, Arnold Harpster, twaggoner, Hugh Beal, Bessle goner, Siella Young, Fiorenceing, Clara Young, Blanch Young, sie Garrett, Edna Fieshner, Lelah inner, Mary Fieshner, Mabel Fleshmary Ausbarn, Ethel Harpster, an Waggoner, and Clara Daniele, the Mary Reseauer of Clara Daniele, the Company of the Clara Daniele, the ifteen pupils received certificates of ot attendance this month.

Ve have new seats, and are much Ve have a new Farmers' Institute

pt. J. C. Hoke apent a half day with and gave an interesting tack.

E. A. CROWL, Teacher. STUDENTS-FIENDS.

The Urbana Courier of Friday give account of a fierce battle which took ce last Wednesday between the male dents of the first year class and those the second, or sophomore year; the nd, to take them from the first year The first sentence of the description

Fighting like fiends, with Illinois field an arena most half stripped of their thing by the fierceness of the "scrap," Universty of Illinois freshmen and blumores battled Wednesday after-os in the annual color rush. the hospital with broken ribs a large umber were bedly bruised and battered, and nearly all were stripped of their clothes. From the account one gathers that this disgraceful fight took place with the tacit, if not with the open

sauction of the faculty and the entire management of the institution. We may be an old fogy, but we affirm with all due deliberation, that no child of ours should ever enter the doors of any institution where such brutality was taught. If this is the kind of instruction that is to be given our men at our great state university, it is time to shut off the appropriations and close its doors. We do not undervalue the development of the physical man, but if the cultivation of muscle at our so-called higher institutions can be accomplished only by reducing our boys to the level rints facts rather than ideals or hopes. of brutes, better keep them at home and at his home in that place.

It has always been the effort of the develop their physical powers behind. Mr. Bowman, 70 years old, cello Pilot.

HOME FOR EPILEPTICS. The problem of the public pare of epileptics has grown to be so serious that at the Illinois state conference of charities held in Rockford Nov. 16th the movement to establish a colony for epileptics in this state was taken up again. There are at least 8,000 epileptics in the state. Of those more than 600 are in the various hospitals for the insane Many others are cared for in other in stitutions and many are a burden to their relatives.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Real estate transactions since our las F. P. Banks to George Brosam, lot 1, bl'k 2, original town of Sullivan.... H. C. Thompson to George Brosom. lot 1, bl'k 2 original town of Sullivan... leorge Brosam to G. E. Foster et al lot 1, bl'k 2, orig. tewn of Sullivan. Susan Hull to Ulysses S. Hull, et al s/s sw and s/s n/s sw, and 15 a se cor ne ne, 21, 14 5. Village of Findley to Mrs. N. E. Bland lot 7, bl'k 1, Wright cometery.

REST LINIMENT ON EARTH. Henry D. Baldwin, superintender city water works, Shulisburg, Wie: writes "I have tried many kinds of finiment, but I have never received much benefit until I used Balfard's Snow Liniment for rheumatism and sains. I think it is the best liniment on arth." 25c, 50c, \$1. Sold by Pate & Co.

Thankegiving Day sext Thursday.

ELOPING COUPLE

eter in Decetur and Detained Un Mother Came for Daughten An cloping pouple was detained at police headquarters Thursday night. The cirl was held but a short time; the

The airt was held but a short time; the man was held until Priday morning.
At 6:10 Thursday evening a telephone message came from Mrs. Bachel Levet at Bennent for the police to be on the lookout for Mrsy Levet, 16 years old and for Denton Beebe, a man 19 years old. They were headed this way to be married and the mother wanted the thing

Ten minutes after receiving the mes sage the couple walked into police head quarters and asked for the county clerk's office. The police questioned them and found they had nothing to concess. Both of them gave their names and told where they were from, and said they wanted to get married.

The police detained them and tele-phoned to the mother of the girl at Bement. She came down on the next train and went to police headquarters. She had a talk with her daughter and got her to promise to go back home and not try to run away again to get married. The mother then forgave the daughter. The mother then said that she and the daughter would go to Bement, that the mother would come back and prosecute the young man, and she ordered him locked up. The mother did not go to It looked for awhile as if the Bement; she and the daughter stayed it fire company would not be able Decatur all night.

Decatur all night.

Friday morning there was a consultation with State's Attorney Redmon, who decided that the young man had committed no crime by trying to get married to a giri 16 years old, the girl being willing. Mr. Redmon ordered the re-

willing. Mr. Redmon ordered the re-lease of Beebe, and he was turned out. Denton Beebe is a farmer and lives at Garrett, Ilis. The girl, Mary Levet, is the daughter of a preacher and her fam-ily is now engaged in moving to Lewis-

ton in Fulton county

Denton Beebe had \$8,95 in his pockets. He was a young man of good appearance. He and a 16-year-old girl wanted to get married and that was all there was to his offense,—Decatur Review.

Denton Beebe is a farm hand from the vicinity of Garrett, Ill. Is a dude, awell dresser and macher. This is his third adventure of this kind. He got into erious trouble at Atwood two years ago. He took a fifteen.year-old girl ago. He took a fitteen year-old girl out driving, and after a struggle in which the clothing was almost torn from the girl, she made her escape and walked home, a distance of two miles, in the dark. A few months ago he followed a girl to Olney, threatened to kill her if she did not marry him, and was locked up in jail to settle nis love. He has also been behind the bars in Tuscots. He is a grandson of Thomas Wildman, who attempted to murder his wife at who attempted to murder his wife at Atwood a year or two ago.

Miss Mary Levet is the daughter of a

Baptist minister.
Girls had better advise with their mothers. If they only knew how hard it is to establish a creditable reputation and regain confidence after once placing themselves in a position where theu characters are questioned, they would look before they leap.

OBITUARY.

PHILIP BOWMAN.

Philip Bowman, a pioneer retired farmer of Gays, died Monday afternoon

Thrice a Week World to tell things just the plow and in the hay field -- Monti- ill for a long time with rheumatism and his demise was anticipated.

> The deceased was a native of Germany, but came to this section forty years ago and settled on a form

> Two sons, Charles Bowman, George Bowman and one daughter, Mollie, the wife of Samuel Wilson survive him. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. W. M. Barber at the C. P. church Tuesday. Interment in the Gays, come

> > WHY SMITH LEFT HOME.

John Conner's excellent company, playing "Why Smith Left Home," will be here on Tuesday next. A brighter, cleaner, more piquant piece has never been written. It is so constructed that none of Mr. Conner's players are left without an abundance of opportunity for doing good work. The result is an actual existence. Stranger things have happened in the realms of science that working together they are able to that working together they are able to bring about the very best results in the line of merriment. Mr. Reid and the other talented members of the company will be seen to the very best advantage in this eagerly auticipated performance of "Why Smith Left Home," which will be seen at the Titus opera house Tuesday Nov. 22.

A GOOD COMPLEXION.

"Sparkling eyes and rosy cheeks re-stored by using DeWitt's Little Early Risera." so writes S. P. Moore, of Naogdoches, Tex. A certain cure for diliousness, constipation, etc. Small pill-easy to take-easy to act. Sold by all druggists.

J. F. Eden has been very sick for the ast week but at the present is conva

ESTRIVIA FED \$130,000.00.

Arcade Department Store and Decatur Hotel Are Destroyed.

A fire broke out in the basement of the Arcade building in Decatur Thursday morning at to o'clock and raged for five hours.

The principal loser is Mr. Wait, who owned the seven story Arcade building, and the Decatur Hotel building. Second to him in loss is the Arcade department store.

The loss was \$130,000, with SIII.000 insurance.

It looked for awhile as if the to cope with the fire. Springfield and Bloomington proffered aid, but the Decatur fire company finally got the fire under control.

NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS

Items of Interest From Nearby Towns

Nathan Harrell, son of Elder A. H. Harrell of Windsor, has returned from Denver, Colorado, where he went some time ago for the benefit of his health. The climate was too damp and he did not improve.

One hundred and fifty Millikin university students went over to Charleton Saturday of last week to see the ton Saturday of last week to see their foot ball team make a big record on the gridiron of the Normal students. But the opposite happened, and they went home with their ardor cooled. The score stood 4 to 0 in favor of Charleston

The college football team of the Millof Charleston. There were over a his dred in the party that went from Decthr. They were a jolly growd of you people, carrying pennants and wear their colors, white and blue.

The grand lodge of I. O. O. F. met at Springfield this week. The question of selecting a matron for the Old Felks Home at Mattoon has been discussed for some time. Although there was opposition to the present matron, Mrs. Lula D. Elekard, she was again chosen. The opposition maintained that it would be better to have a man in charge of the home, and his wife or daughter for

Women and girls are being employ picking chickens in some of the n poring towns, and their employers are so well pleased with the experiment ti this branch of work is likely to be work, but as they are paid for what they do, good wages are assured. prices paid for picking chickens is two cents each. Some women pick from 150 to 200 per day, earning \$8.00 and \$1.00. Boys lose out at the work. A few days ago a boy and girl (her first day) called for their day's wages. The girl rece ed \$1.42 and the boy received 94 cents and was mad because he was not paid as much as the girl for his labor.

DR. JECKYLL AND MR. HYDE. Much discussion has been aroused at different times among scientific men, the medical faculty in particular, as to whether the drugs supposed to be used in the story of Dr. Jeckyll and Mr. Hyde could have had yet the medicine might be a possibility. Be that as it may the delineation of the dual role by Mr. Hartigan is consid ed a masterly interpretation. With one else, it is his own creation. His su periority in the character of Mr. Hyde is conceded by everybody. His r istic and fearful intensity, his artis w rk and dramatic power have as audience, seems to sway them at his will, in fact it is claimed that like the great French actor, Talms, he hyp tizes the people who are watching Dr. Jeckyll and Mr. Hyde will be the Titus opera house Friday eve Nov. 25.

Sheridan will give you a chance to get

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ot to the swift, the race; et to the strong, the fight

Not from my torch, the gleam, But from the start above; from our hearts, life's crystal a But from the depths of Love, eary Van Dyke, in the Atlantic

Driver Dick's Last Run.

A Railway Story.

BY ROBERT & C. STEAD.

ff [] O, there, Dick, wake up! You go out in 30 minutes. Hi, Dick! ! I say, Dick, roll out. Despatcher's No palaver. Come, get goin' you morphine-eater, I'll maul

ven loads, seven empty, 18 all, numbled the sleeping man. "Clear for No. 5 at Haysville, open track to—" But a violent wrench of the non-brought Dick to a sitting posture. After contorting himself in a couple of heavy yawns he drawled to the one-legged man beside the bed. "Hello, Stumpy, what's doing?"

"You're doin', or, at least, ought to

You take out a special with the erintendent at 2:30. You've less a 30 minutes, so cut loose."

"Not any for me, Stumpy. Tell the old man I ain't well; I'm down with grip. Tell him I broke my leg on the front steps, and my wife has smallers. Tell him anything under heaven, but give me eight hours sleep. Fifty-dir hours on duty, and a hundred minters in healt. It's persists hours on active to the step in healt. tes in bed! It's against human na-me. I ain't going," and he snuggled own among the blankets. But Stumpy had awakened weary mainmen before. With one dexterous

neep of the arm he whipped the ankets clear of the bed. "Come, Dick, no nonsense. You

must get up. No. 6 is snowe at the end of the line, and you've to out a special and get her clear.

"Can't you get some one else? here's Graham?"

"Hospital with pneumonia. On duty 72 hours. Bad cold. May go hard with him," briefly explained Stumpy. "How about Stuart?"

Ran into an open switch and broke

ucky dog! Try McKenzie, the "He's taking a wrecker out on the ain. It's no go, Dick. The Sup. is going on that train, and you are going to pull him," and Stumpy's wooden member clattered down the stairs.

"And they wonder why, sometimes, man runs full-steam into eternity," illoquized Dick, as he hastily drew on he clothes that were still warm Fifty-six hours on duty, and a hun-ared minutes in bed, and only a twistd rail, or a broken flange, or a caresleepy eyelids, and old Snorter panting a lullaby in one's ears. O, somees it happens! Then the wrecker pulls up, and while the doctors inspect the ghastly heaps on the bank, the reporters and sightseers stand by the scrap-heap. "That's where they pulled him out,' says one. 'He and his fireman crushed to jelly. Brakes set; engine reversed, but too late.'

"Then a fool newspaper runs out a scare-head: Engineer Disregards Signal-Plunges Scores into Eternity Stuck to his Post at Last.' O yes did you ever hear of an engineer dodgng death when the crash came? No sir! not even for his wife and children! But the paper doesn't say that the sleep from which that engineer wakes in eternity began 10, 15, 20 miles before the wreck.'

Dick heard the gate latch behind him as he turned up the street. "Well paid for it, are we? Yes, a twentieth part of what the G. M. draws. And we invest more than he does. Just our prospects of old age."

gusty wind swept little eddies of fine snow across the tracks. The electric light threw the shadows of falling flakes upon the whitened earth, so that it seemed alive with insects The moon was at the full, but only a misty dimness struggled through the en banks of cloud.

No. 360 stood on a siding with her og up. Harry, the fireman, dozed eacefully on his cushions. Dick had ed his seat when Baker poked in his head

"Hello, Dick, you pull me to-night, do you? Well, we've an open run, so cut her loose," he said, as he handed up the order sheet.

'What's our load?" asked Dick. "Four coals to give you weight, the Sup.'s car and my dog-house. Give the old man a whirl for his whiskers."

Dick, as he threw on a few shovelfuls of coal. He opened the blower and in a few minutes heard his safety threatening. Forward went the reversing lever; then, as he gradually opened the throttle, he felt the drivers grip the ralls and the engine swing ahead. In a train-length he was hitting a 20-nile clip.

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The swirling snow dashed against the cab windows, and at times he could not see the track. Suddenly a red reflection flickered by the cab. "Woo-oop," said Dick, as he slammed in the throttle and opened the air brakes. "Only a tall-light, likely," said he, "but I'd better go back and make sure." Slowly he backed up, and at last massed a red signal lantern. "On last passed a red signal lantern. "On the left-hand side, and in such a night

as this," he muttered. "O, well, some signal-men were born fools."

Twenty, 30, 40 minutes and not a soul had been seen or heard. Half a dozen times Dick felt himself falling asleep, and as often waked up with a start. All the others of the crew were sound asleep, and as the minutes dragged on Dick began to wonder if the signal had not been a mistake. A switchman might have carelessly set down his lantern. His orders read "Open track," and he was about to start out again, when his trained nerves detected a slight vibration Nearer and nearer it seemed to com-until the earth fairly shook. Sudden ly the headlight of the belated "limit-ed" loomed up through the mist of snow; 20 yards in front it took the switch and with a roar rushed by its flickering tail-lights dying out of sight in a minute. Simultaneously a man emerged from the darkness, picked up the signal lantern and silently dis-

"They'll never know how close their shave was," said Dick, as he opened the throttle.

Two hours later, and Dick sat still at his post, his hand on the throttle, his face a mass of stoic inexpressiveness, his eyes peering out into the darkness that ever kept falling away before the advancing headlight. For an hour he had not moved so much as a finger. Harry had fired for men that he had to wake every 15 minutes on a night run, but he knew Dick. "All I have to do," said Harry, "Is to keep on a hundred and forty and my flues wet, and Dick will do the rest."

It was an hour before daybreak. The heavy clouds that had obscured beginning to scatter, and at intervals a flood of hazy light fell over a desert of sparkling snow. At places there were drifts across the track, but the snow was loose, and the high speed of the train, with the momentum of her 120 tons of coal, carried her safely

Suddenly, in an interval of moon-light, Dick functed he caught the glint of something red up the track. The throttle went in with a chuck; the brakes gripped and sputtered on 30 pairs of wheels, and the train came

Directly in front was a danger signal a signal that has many a time spelt danger and death to the foes of Britain but which never before, perhaps, was used to flag a railway train. Dick, thinking his eyes decieved him, threw open his glass front; then sank back on his cushion with a slight cry. He was no weakling; a locomotive cab is not the place for a coward, but the blood seemed to halt in his veins, and he selzed a lever to steady himself. "Go back for Baker," he whispered, hoarse

There, between the metals, and a rail-length ahead, planted up to the walst in snow, stood the body of a mounted policeman—dead, stone dead, less signal-man between me and the mounted policeman—dead, stone dead, the frozen face twisted in its death conafter hour, with the glint of that ever tortions, and the whitened eyeballs lasting thread of steel tugging at gleaming horribly in the glare of the

Before Harry was back with the con ductor and brakeman. Dick's nerve had returned, and he was down beside the dead body. The frame was perfectly solid; it might have been frozen for days. On their arival on the spot Baker and his brakeman stood aghast but scarcely a word was spoken. Explarations were impossible; the situation even defied speculation.

Reverently the four men raised the lifeless body in their arms. As they did so Dick felt a solid mass on the chest, and, on examining it, found it to be frozen blood. "My God!" exclaimed, as he staggered back, "the man's been murdered!"

The statement could not be disputed, and with blanched faces the train crew, so tragically converted into pallbearers, stared at each other. there was but one course, to place the body in the caboose and report the matter at the next telegraph office.

The moon was again obscured when Dick and Harry climbed into the cab, each with a strange unsteadiness after the nerve-wrecking experience of the preceding ten minutes. But their adventures had only begun, as they were soon to learn. Two revolvers flashe in their faces, and a low voice said, "Now don't make a fuss; we don't want to kill you unless we have to. Do as you're told and you"il get out of this unharmed, but try to jolly us and you'll share the fate of that lion's cub you just carried back there."

Such a proposition admitted of no argument, and no matter how many arm-chair theories a man may have, when the alternative is represented by a loaded revolver there is just one thing he is going to do, and that is—obey. Dick mustered his self-control as best he could, and asked quietly, "What is

your pleasure, gents?"
"Now that's like it," said one of the Dick studied his order sheet. "Con. Baker, Driver Henderson," he read. "No. 10, special. Open track over entire division. Run regardless of Companion. "Companion." "Well, the didn't pound said the uncentire division. Run regardless of Companion.

"What's the scheme?" asked Dick, as he took his seat, "We've no valuables aboard. You must have stopped the

"O, I guess not," said the other, quietly. "You've the Superintendent on board, and that's what we're after. Reckon the company wouldn't stop at twenty thousand to get him back safe

nd sound." Like a flash the whole plan went through the engineer's mind. He called having read a day or two called having read a day or two before, as they took water at a mall town,
of a band of outlaws that, with headquarters on the United States side,
were plying their business in this territory. A mounted policeman had gone
in quest of them single-handed, and as
he had falled to return it was feared
that foul play had befallen him. Now
this neferious came had used their vice this nefarious gang had used their vic-tim for a stop-signal, and actually pro-posed to kidnap the superintendent. posed to kidnap the superintendent, Well, they were going to fall, he told himself as he opened the throttle.

It was but a short distance to Turn er's bridge, and Dick's brain was working like mad as they sped along. Gradually he notched the reversing lever forward, closing the throttle a little to hold down the speed. In his left hand he fumbled a heavy wrench. Harry was on the tender getting coal. Suddenly, and as if by accident, Dick lurched forward, falling from his seat. As he went, with his right hand he jerked the throttle wide open, and the iron monster darted forward like a spirited steed from its master's whip; with his left hand he smashed the water glass.

In an instant the cab was full of lets flattened themselves against the boiler. On his hands and knees Dick crawled away from the furnace door, taking his share of the scalding water. It's an engineer's duty to be parboiled

if necessary.
Groping along the cab floor, at the doorway his hand fell on a felt, boot. Firemen don't wear felt boots, so it couldn't be Harry. Dick raised his wrench and struck with all his might where he supposed the body would be. He fancied he heard the choking groan as the resistance gave way and the foot slipped from the cab.

But with the other outlaw he was less successful. Scarce had they stumbled together when wiry fingers closed a life-and-death struggle. The men swayed in each other's arms; the hissing steam, the scalding water, the rushing, swinging locomotive, forgotten in that last vital contest for mastery. Suddenly, above the din came the h roar of Turner's bridge, and at the same moment the struggling me

swung outward, slipped, and dashed downward into the darkness.

An hour later they picked him up, stiff and pallid, but still alive. His bed of soft snow had saved him alike from death by falling, and from revenge from the check-mated outlaws, who had searched for him in vain. What became of his two passengers he never learned—but the superintendent was

"Henderson," said the superintendent, a week later, "I want to do the right thing with you. You've been off est pay, short and regular hours, and home every night."

"I am deeply grateful," said Dick,
"but I—I can't take it."

"I know," said the superintendent, "that it's no proper return for your sacrifice, but it's the best I have to offer just now. As soon as I can do better, I will."

"It's not that, sir, not that. But the t i bave e driving for good." "Why Henderson!

"It's like this. I like the business, but my nerve's gone. Every danger signal would now raise that pallid face with the gleaming, sightless eyes. Ugh! Yes," he added with a pathetic mournfulness in his voice, "I am a broken man."

The superintendent sat for some minutes in deep thought. "I have it," he at last cried, with the eagerness of a school-boy; "I have it! We are opening a division terminal at Bayfront, hills and forest behind, a rolling prairie away to the south. Take your wife and family out there, buy an acre or two of land, and build up your home in peace. The company will give you a position as locomotive inspector, with a salary of twenty-five hundred. What do you say?

"It's done," answered Dick, quietly. Engineers learn to make quick de-

As the two men shook hands the superintendent dwelt on Dick's devotion to himself and the company. "Well, it wasn't that that made me

do it." "What then?" queried the official. On the wall hung a painting of the famous "Birkenhead drill." "I guess it was because I have some of that blood was because I have some of that blood in me," said Dick, as he pointed to the picture:—Canadian Manager

Searing Him Away. The musical young woman and her father were on their way home after

Prof. Fortissimo's piano recital.
"He has all the pupils he can take at \$10 a lesson, and more opportunities to play in concert than he can accept," said the young women, enthusiastically. "And just to think that five years ago—he has told me himself—the wolf was always, at his

"Well, then, I'll venture to say he didn't pound as lond as he does now," said the unfeeling parent.—Touth's

Baltimore News. Occasionally a version of the origin of the term is printed, but it seldom agrees in essential particulars with previous versions. The latest writer on the subject gives in a Delaware paper a story of the originator of the title, which brings him to his death at the battle of Camden, and other writers carry him through the revolution, from Long Island to Yorktown.

When the revolution broke out, the first—or, at any rate, the second—company of militis formed in Delaware to uphold the continental cause vi et armis was organized in Kent county by a bluff and joylal man named Jonathan Caldwell. He became its captain. Capt. Caldwell was a noted devotee of the gentle art of cock fighting, and his fame as a breeder and owner of game cocks had spread all over the Delaware and Maryland peninsula, and no main in the 11 counties was complete without his presence. It was natural, therefore, that when his company first paraded on Dover green there should appear among the impedimenta a wagon loaded with coops of game cocks of the Caldwell strain, crowing vigorously. His company was then titled "Blue Hen's Chickens," and marched to the north with the Delaware regiment under Col. Haslet.

At the battle of Long Island Haslet's men were brigaded with Smallwood's Maryland regiment and four Pennsylvania, under Brig. Gen. William Alexander, earl of Stirling, and, with Haslet and Smallwood sitting on a court-martial against their will. "Brave Mordecal Gist, with his sword in his fist," and Thomas McDonough held the British tial against their will. "Brave Mordecai Gist, with his sword in his fist," and Thomas McDonough held the British while the army escaped—both the Mary-land "macaroni" and the Delaware "game cocks" going through the fight under their majors and cutting their way out with fearful loss. Long Island fully established for all time the fame of the "Blue Hen's Chickens" as game fighters, and of Caldwell's company as typical Delaware soldiers. The doughty captain relieved the tedium of camp life with cocking mains, and his prog-

captain relieved the tedium of camp life with cocking mains, and his progeny of the blue hen pervaded Washington's army with shrill clarion calls of challenge and victory. At White Plains Haslet's regiment again distinguished itself, and at Princeton it was completely decimated, its gallant colonel falling on that field. It was succeeded in the army by the equally brave Delaware regiment of foot raised by Col. David Hall, which went through the southern campaign side by raised by Col. David Hall, which went through the southern campaign side by side with the Maryland line, and with the latter shared the laurels of Camden. Guilford, Rutaw, Ninety-six and Yorktown. From losses in battle the "Blue Hen's Chickens" were finally reduced to a single company, under the command of the senior captain, Robert Kirkwood, and Greene's reports of the southern and Greene's reports of the southern campaign give honorable mention, in every engagement, to "Kirkwood's Del-awarcs." At the Cowpens, Capt. Kirk-wood repulsed Tarleton's cavalry, and made, with the Marylanders, the famous bayonet charge ordered by Col. John Eager Howard. Capt. Kirkwood, the great-grandfather of the late Robert Kirkwood Martin, constructor of the Gunpowder waterworks which supply the city of Baltimore, and grandfather of the late Gen. R. H. K/Whiteley. U. S. A., of Baltimore, was killed at St. Clair's defeat, a captain in the regular army, after having passed through 32 battles

SHEEP WEAR AWAY ISLAND

during the revolution without a dis-

abling wound.

Rocky Anacapa, in Santa Barbara Group, Is Fast Disappearing.

That the island of Anacapa, one of the Santa Barbara channel group, is slowly disappearing in the ocean is the rather startling statement of Fred Johnson who, with a party of scientists from Berkeley, reports a local exchange, re-cently visited the place. And, more curiously still, Johnson claims that this phenomenon is due to the presence of 400 sheep on the barren rocky island. These sheep, according to Johnson, are actually wearing away the rocks. On the south side of the Island they run along the top of precipitous cliffs, forming deep pathways about three feet from the edge of the cliff. Rain soaks into these ruts, and from time to time parts of the bluff fall into the sea.

On the north side of the island are can yons and hollows where the soil has collected. Between the rock and the upper crust the soil washes out, and cave sometimes as deep as 20 feet are formed. The sheep run over the top of these, wear ruts in the earth, which in turn is washed into the sea.

Another remarkable statement of the scientists who visited the island is to the effect that there is no drinking water on the island for the sheep. All the refreshment and nourishment the get comes from the leaves of the prickly pear plant, which the sheep very dexterously manipulate so as not to be hur by the thorns. The only man on the island is the sheep herder, who draws his supply of drinking and cooking water from a cistern, in which he collects

Johnson is preparing a report on Ana-capa island for the department of geol-ogy at the state university.

Time to Kick.

Bridget—Great muther av Moses, but th' mistress do be too particular. Nora—Phwat now? MEXICAN "Priory, she sez to me, sez she:
"Bridget, don't let th' sun git in th' parlor. Ut moight fade th' gcidfish,"—
Chicago Daily News.

RIGHT ON HER DIGNITY.

American Heiress Had Inherited Just

"I understand," said the dignifie English matron, "that your father mad his money in—in trade." "What do you mean?" asked the American heiress.

"That he amassed his wealth by buying and selling commodities that the common people needed."

"He did nothing of the sort!" retorted the angry heiress, relates Judge. "I want you to understand that papa did not work a lick for a cent of his. He made it every bit by akinning people with watered stocks. I guess that's just as easy money as the kind that you inherit, isn't it?"

An Honest Opinion.

Mineral, Idaho, Nov. 14th (Special)—
That a sure cure has been discovered for those sciatic pains that make so many lives miserable, is the firm opinion of Mr. D. S. Colson, a well-known resident of this place, and he does not hesitate to say that cure is Dodd's Kidney Pills. The reason Mr. Colson is so firm in his opinion is that he had those terrible pains and is cured. Speaking of the matter he says:

pains and is cured. Speaking of the matter he says:
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Lowest Bates Ever Made to Flori For Midwinter Exposition and South Florids Fair, Tampa, Fia. Tickets will be sold beginning November 15th, 1904, with final limit of 21 days. See that your ticket reads via Seaboard Air Line Rail-way, the shortest and best route to and through Florida.

Piso's Cure for Consumption is an infalli-ble medicine for coughe and colds.—N. W. Samuel, Ocean Grove, N. J., Feb. 17, 1900. Men dislike old maids. They are the statistics against man's irresistibility.— Emart Set.







tain insolence of manner, whether it was true that "the natives" kept them in their own homes. "Yes" replied the padre gravely, "they do. The English, I perceive, send them abroad,"—Smith's Weekly.

"De man dat stahts out in life think-in' he's smahter dan anyone else," said Uncle Eben, "is generally de one dat has to hire de mos' lawyers to sit hisse's straightened out."—Washington Star.

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HAS GEN KUROKI FALLEN

Russian report declares him SLAIN BY SHELL.

atch from Tokio, Declares the in the Far Bast,

Moscow, Nov. 14.—Nemirovich Danchenko, the well-known Russian war correspondent, telegraphing from Mukden, says the reports of the death of Gen. Kuroki are confirmed. According to his version a splinter from a shell struck Gen. Kuroki, caring out a portion of his breast at abdomen. He died October 4 at Liaoyang, and his body was sent to Japan. body was sent to Japan. Tokio, Nov. 15.—The Japanese army

staff pronounce the report of Gen. Kuroki's death to be absurd.
Tokio, Nov. 16.—The Russians at Port

Arthur have commenced a general with drawal from the city and are retiring to the Liaotishan peninsula, whither they have removed their provisions. This confirms the statements made by Russian prisoners that Gen. Stoesset will make his final stand on Liaotishan.

Headquarters of the Third Japanese Army Before Port Arthur, Nov. 16, vis Fugan.—It is reported that a wound re-ceived by Gen.. Stoessel has necessitated his confinement in a hospital, that he refused to relinquish the command of the garrison, and that he has issued orders to the troops to die at their posts rather than surrender. It is said that the spirit of the Russian troops has been dampened by continuous work, the lack of supplies and the hopelessness of their ability to make any successful defense of the fortress. It is said further that many of the Russian soldiers are ready to



GEN. KUROKI.
(Reported Killed by a Russian Shell.)

surrender, but that they are kept at their posts by officers, who threaten them with revolvers and that several soldiers who were suspected of a desire to desert have been shot as a warning to others. The Japanese now believe that the garrison has almost reached the limit of human endurance.
Chefoo, Nov. 16.—The Russian torpedo

boat destroyer Ratstoropony put into this harbor this morning. Firing was heard half an hour before she entered the harbor. A snow storm and high wind was prevailing at the time, and wind was prevaining at the time, and it is believed that the Russian vessel, under cover of the storm, attempted to escape from Port Arthur. The captain of the Chinese cruiser Hai Yung was the first person to go on board the Ratstoroony. He held a brief conference with her commander, after which the Ratstoropony came further in the stream.

There is every evidence that the Ratstorophy will disarm here only as a last resort. It is thought that she hopes to clude the Japanese destroyer, reported outside the hartor, at night. The Ratstoropny brought a number copies of the Novakrai, a Port Arthur newspaper. In one of the issues it is stated that while a Japanese destroyer was laying mines November 11, she was surprised by the battleship Retvisan, and sunk. Mukden, Nov. 13, via Tientsin, Nov.

15.—An unbroken cannonade of siege guns, throwing 50 or 60 shells hourly against the Japanese position in the region of Shakhe station, begun early this morning, ended only at nightfall, when more than half a thousand big contact sheils had been thrown into the Japanese army's strongest position in the plain, for the purpose of de-moralizing the work of fortification concentrated at that point for the past

Repeats His Statement.

Washington, Nov. 15.—"Russia will pursue the war in the far east to the bitter end, that is until Russia has conquered." These are the opening words of an emphatic statement made at the Russian embassy Monday by Count Cassani, the Russian ambassador. Several times recently the ambassador, in the name of his government, has categorically denied the possibility of any intervention in the war, but the recurrence of rumors that the powers contemplated mediation has caused the ambassador to reiterate, on behalf of his government, i.s. position regarding intervention or mediation of any kind.

Vermont's Vote.

Montpeller, Vt., Nov. 16.—The official returns from the presidential election show a republican plurality of 30,622.

WILL END THE TROUBLE. Eight-Hour Day to Provail in Big Mines of the Telluride (Col.) District.

Denver, Col., Nov. 15.—Notices were posted at the mills of the five big mines of the Telluride district Monday night that in future the eight-hour day would prevail in the mills. The plants concerned are those of the Smuggler-Union, Liberty Bell, Tomboy, Nellie and Alta. It was the demand for this concession in the mills of the state that precipitated the strike in the mills and mines of Colorado and caused the bitter strife berado and caused the bitter strife be-tween unionists and mine owners in the Telluride and Cripple Creek dis-tricts. The minimum wage promised under the new arrangement is three dollars a day. At one time the West-ern Federation of Miners offered to accept \$2.75 for an eight-hour day. While no authorized announcement to that effect has yet been made, it is the general opinion that under the new order no discrimination will be made against the employment of union men. Secretary Haywood, of the Western Federation, expressed the most com-plete satisfaction with the news from Telluride.

WILL QUIT HIS PLACE.

Pension Commissioner Ware Tenders to the President His Resignation.

Washington, Nev. 15.—Pension Com-missioner Ware has placed in the hands of the president his resignation, to take effect January 1 next. Commissioner Ware refused to discuss his action in any way, except to state that the newspapers of the country had been "resigning" him for the past two years. For at least one year, however, it has been definitely known that Mr. Ware would retire from his office soon after the fall elections and return to his home in Kansas to resume his law practice. It is believed here that Commissioner Ware's action was not due to any suggestion that the severance of his relations with the penseverance of his relations with the pension office would be agreeable to the president. On the contrary, it has been no secret that Commissioner Ware soon after assuming his duties found the duties of his office distasteful to him, and that this distaste steadily increased. There is no intimation as to who his successor will be.

BWITCH ENGINE EXPLODES. ster in Yards at East St. Louis, Ill.,-One Man Killed, Eight

Injured.

East St. Louis, Ill., Nov. 16.—One man was killed, one probably fatally injure and seven others seriously hurt in th explosion of a switch engine of the Southern railroad, in that company's yards, here Tuesday night. The dead man is Albert Andrews, 26 years old; car inspector. The engineer and framen were hurled through the car windows by the force of the explosion, but estaped with less injuries than did the men who were on the ground beside the locomotive. What caused the explosion has not been definitely determined. Clouds of steam enveloped the locomotive and jets of the vapor plowed great furrows in the ground and threw streams of cinders for a distance of 100 yards. Andrews was stilling in front of the loexplosion of a switch engine of the Andrew ing in front of the lo-Andrews was arriving in front of the lo-comotive at a distance of 50 feet. Sev-eral pieces of the front end of the boiles struck him, mangling his left side and tearing his left arm and leg from his body.

THE TARIFF.

We Decision Reached by Republican Leaders as to Action by Congress.

Washington, Nov. 16.—No decision yet has been reached by the president and other republican leaders regarding possible action of congress on the subject of the tariff. It can be said authoritatively that no decision will be seacher as to such action either at a regular as to such action either at a regular or at an extraordinary session of the Fifty-ninth congress until the subject has been considered thoroughly by the president and his cabinet and his politpresident and his cabinet and his political friends in congress. The president is not bound by any preconcaived views on the subject and is open to conviction as to the most desirable course to pursue. He is not inclined to favor an extraordinary session, either for the purpose of taking up the tariff or any other subject; but it is said to be too early yet even to indicate the determination which eventually will be reached.

New York, Nov. 16.—Philip Wein-sheimer, the former labor leader, who Monday was sentenced to not less than one year and eight months and not one year and eight months and not more than two years and eight months in state prison. Tuesday secured a temporary stay. Weinsheimer was to have been taken to Sing Sing prison Tuesday, but he will now remain in the Tombs at least until November 18, when the order secured Tuesday is returnable.



SECURE BIG / SUM.

Robbers Plunder Bank at Rio, Ill. Escape with \$2,500—Suspects Arrested.

Galesburg, Ill., Nov. 14.-Five post of citizens from this and adjoining owns are in pursuit of the robbers who raided the Rio state national bank, wrecked the building with dynamite, and made off with \$2,500 in cash. Detectives from Chicago and nails of the contractives from Chicago and nails of the contractive of the tectives from Chicago and police of nearby Illinois towns are working in nearby Illinois towns are working in connection with the posses. Within an hour after the robbery and wrecking of the bank a score of armed men had taken up the chase after the robbers, and at daylight the pursuers numbered a hundred. Telephone messages have been sent to farmers for miles around to be on the lookout for the bandits.

St. Louis, Nov. 14.—Detectives have St. Louis, Nov. 14.—Detectives have arrested Charles Gallagher on info mation received in a telegram from Sheriff C. F. Huerburg, of Galesburg. Ill., which gave a description of one of the safe blowers who blew open and robbed the City bank at Rio, Ill., near Galesburg, Friday night, to which description Gallagher answers. Gallagher has served three terms in the Jefferson City (Mo.) penitentiary, the last of which was for safe blowing. Three companions, giving their names as Harry Morgan, Charles Sterns and James Barrod, were taken into custody with Gallagher, and held awaiting developments from Rio or

VICTIMS OF ASSASSIN.

Unknown Murderer Kills Four Mem-bers of a Family and Burns Their Home.

Auburn, Cal., Nov. 12.-It is now known that Julius Weber, his wife, their rtha and their son Paul, aged 14 years, were murdered Thursday night by an unknown assassin. who set fire to the home in an effort to cover his crime. Before the fire had made any great headway the bodies of the murdered woman and her two children were rescued from the burning

An examination of the bodies showed that Mrs. Weber and the children had been murdered before the fire had been started. The daughter had been killed by a pistol wound, as had been Mrs. Weber. On the boy's head were several deep cuts. He had also been shot. All efforts to reach Julius Weber, the father, who was not thought to be in the burning house, was abandoned until Friday when a search was made in the burning timbers and his body was found in the bathroom of the dwelling. He, too, had been shot down before being left to be con-sumed by the flames.

MAN AND WIFE KILLED.

Feam Runs Away and the Couple Is Thrown from Their Vehicle.

Appleton, Wis., Nov. 15.—Mr. and Mrs., John Hurst, of Hayton, Wis., were accidentally killed in a runaway accident while driving to Chilton to purchase a come for James Raleigh, who was burned to death in a fire on Saturday. Mrs. Hurst was impaled on a picket fence and her husband was thrown to the ground with such violence that death followed in a few hours,

Last Installment Paid

St. Louis, Nov. 16.—The sum of \$191,850, the last installment on the federal loan of \$4,800,000 made to the world's fair several months ago, was paid into the United States subtreasury Tuesday by the exposition officials.

HAVOC BY STORM.

Wind and Snow Tie Up Telegraphic Service—Big Cities Are Isolated.

Chicago, Nov. 15.-The area isolated by the eastern storm and in which telegraph and telephone communicafrom Portland, Me., west to a point north and west of Albany, N. Y. thence south to Norfolk, Va., on a line running east of Harrisburg, Pa., and west of Washington. On all the great trunk lines, the wires along which are depended upon for communication be tween the east and west, from the New York Central at the north to the Baltimore & Ohio at the south, there are great gaps in which poles and strands for many miles are down Trains and couriers are being used to carry messages. One wire between New York and Baltimore, where connection was made with a telephone wire to Chicago, handled all the news that reached the west from the Atlantic coast Monday and most of Monday

New York, Boston, Philadelphia Baltimore and Washington, within the storm zone, were almost completely isolated from the rest of the country and from one another. Less important cities suffered as much in proportion to their interests. Wind, snow and sleet had prostrated telegraph and tel-ephone lines, trolley service was almost at a standstill, electric lights were shut off, leaving many places in darkness, exchanges were idle, mails were delayed or stopped altogether, railroads operated with difficulty be-cause of the lack of facilities for the handling of orders, business of all kinds suffered and much personal discomfort was endured.

There was little loss of life, but the and variety of the storm are but. feebly shown in these returns. It is in damage to property and through the suspension of business that the principal loss was felt.

ELEVEN KILLED.

Collision Between Union Pacific Trains in Wyoming Is Very Disastrous.

Salt Lake City, Nov. 14.—Eleven persons were killed and ten or fifteen injured in a head-on collision early aturday between Union Pacific west bound passenger train No. 3 and an east-bound extra freight train, one and a half miles west of Azeusa, Wyo., on the Oregon Short line.

The wreck was due to an error of the elegraph operator at Green River, in taking a train order from the dis-patcher at that point. By releasing the freight train, instead of holding it at a siding near the scene of the accident ne made the discovery that his blunder must inevitably result in a horrible loss of life. It was impossible after the departure of the train to warn the con-ductor of the danger that threatened.

COLLISION AT SEA.

coner Struck Off Barnegat Light-Captain, Wife and Two Secmen Drown.

New York, Nov. 12.-Capt. Rober Waiton, his wife and two seamen, lost their lives Wednesday night off Barne-gat light, when the United States supply ship Cuigos cut down the Norfolk lumber schooner Wilson and Hunting. Three members of the crew, the mate cook and a seaman, were rescued by the Culgoa and were brought here Fri-day. The accident occurred, according to the survivors, about seven o'clock in the evening.

VISITS THE FAIR.

Exposition Officials Have Vice President-Elect Fairbanks as a Guest.

St. Louis, Nov. 16 .- Vice President-Charles W. Fairbanks arrived here Tuesday from Indianapolis. He was met at the Union station by Preswas met at the Union station by Fres-ident D. R. Francis, of the exposition, and Col. J. G. Butler, who extended the senator a hearty greeting. The party immediately proceeded to the St. Louis club, where breakfast was taken, after which Senator Fairbanks was escorted to the world's fair.

After leaving the St. Louis club, Senator Fairbanks was given an automobile tour through a portion of the fine residence section of West St. Louis and then proceeded to the exposition, where an informal reception was held in President Francis' office in the administration building The "Yellowstone park coach," that

has been utilized by President Francis in showing distinguished visitors over the exposition grounds, was waiting in front of the administration building, and after the world's fair officials had met Senator Fairbanks and the informal reception had concluded, he was escorted to the four-in-hand

The party was driven to the French pavilion. Here a toast was proposed by Commissioner General Gerald to "America's Prosperity." At the Brazilian pavilion, Speaker Cannon joined the party. Great demonstration attended the meeting of the two republicans, which was marked by a fervant handclasp. The senator again mounted the coach and the main picture of the ex-

position was traversed. The largest crowd of the day assembled on the Plaza St. Louis, and as the vehicle wheeled past the Louisiana monument, a cry went up, "Speech! Speech!" Not until the coach was out of sight on its way to the German house, where the banquet was held, did the crowd, satisfied that the vice presidentelect would not speak, disperse.

DARING DESPERADOES.

Men Who Plundered Cody, Wyo., Bank Two Weeks Ago, Commit Another Crime.

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 16 .- A special to the Bee from Cheyenne, Wyo., says: The two bandits who made a descent on the First National bank of Cody two weeks ago and killed Cashier Midda committed another bold robbery early Tuesday, when they held up the inmates of Edwards' saloon and gambling house at Thermopolis, Big Horn county, and secured a large sum of money, watches and jewelry. The outlaws wore masks, but were recognized as George Merritt and his partner, who killed Middaugh They were mounted on fast horses and escaped to the Bad Lands along the Big Horn river, south of Thermopolis. Posses were quickly organized and started in pursuit, but the robbers reached the mountains ahead of them.

These desperadoes doubled back on their trail from the Hole-in-the-Wall country after the Cody robbery and took refuge into the Owl mountains, south of Thermopolis, where the officers had prepared to capture them. Feeling runs bigh in Big Horn county and if the desperadoes are ever captured they will be punished without waiting for the courts to convict them. The rewards have been increased and additional posses will go in search of the daring

MANY BEQUESTS.

Will of Late E. M. Fowler, of Detroit, Disposes of Property Worth Millions.

Pasadena, Cal., Nov. 16.—The will of the late Eldridge M. Fowler, of Detroit, Mich., who died at Pasadena, Cal., Nov. 7, disposes of property worth many mil-lions of dollars. To his widow is given \$500,000 in cash and valuable real estate. Nearly a million dollars in cash is distributed among his two daughters, sen-in-law and nephew. To Grace hospital, in Detroit, in which city Fowler formerly resided, \$10,000 is given to aid in the work of educating and equipping worthy young women to become nurses. To the Protestant Orphan asylum in Detroit is given a like amount, and to Pennington Seminary and Female Collegiate insti-tute of the Methodist Episcopal church of New Jersey, \$5,000.

ANOTHER FAILURE.

Big Airship Again Meets Accident iting Ascensi St. Louis,

St. Louis, Nov. 16.-After repairs ne cessitated by Monday's accident had been nnished, the immense airship of Hippolyte Francois, of France, made another ascession late Tuesday alternoon, from the aeronautic concourse at the world's fair. After being up two minutes at the end of a rope the airahip crashed into the north wall of the concourse fence and badly smashed the prow. The machine was then brought to the ground and returned to the aero-drome. It will probably take several days to repair the damage.

ILLINOIS STATE NEWS

Fatal Explosion is Chicago, One person was killed and five injured when the building at 76 East Twenty-fourth street, in Chicago, was wreeked by an explosion of gas, caused, it is said, by leakage, in the tailor shop of Samuel Fisher, at that number. Fisher, who was taken unconscious to the Wesley hospital, was blown through the side of the house, striking the car tracks in Cottage Grove avenue, as a cable car was passing. He died at the hospital, So great was the force of the explosion that the cigar store of T. H. Jones, adjoining Fisher's building, was demolished.

Is Charged with Murder.
Frank Rush, of Troy, Mo., was arrested in Pekin, charged with murdering J. A. Meyers, of Natrona, Mason county, by hanging him near Springfield. The two men were driving mules from St. Charles county to Natrona. Rush denies the charge, but cannot account for his whereabouts after leaving Meyers, who, he says, left him in Springfield.

Professor's Wife a Suicide. Mrs. Henry H. Donaldson, wife of the head professor neurology at the Univer-sity of Chicago, committed suicide at her nome. Prof. Donaldson had secured a vacation until January 1 in order to take care of his wife, who had been it. It is supposed despondency over her ill health caused Mrs. Donaldson to become temporarily insane.

Engineers Lose in Mine Strike. In an order issued recently, Mack Tay-lor, president of the hoisting engineers' union of Illinois, has declared the strike of the hoisting engineers off in obedien to a referendum vote, which resulted 750 to 315 in favor of returning to work. The engineers returned to work at a scale of 5% per cent. less than what they received last year.

Shoots Wife; Ends Own Life. Charles Baeur, of Moline, either from Jealousy or insanity, shot his wife three times while she labored at the washtub for him. She will recover, but, thinking her dead, the man killed himself. He had been out of work for several mor Four children sobbingly pray for the re-covery of their mother.

Turkey Crop Below Average.

There is a scarcity of turkeys in Historics this fall, the late spring and excessive rains having killed an unusually large number of young birds. The young turkeys developed so slowly that the crop is not only very short, but it is nearly a month later than usual.

Told in a Few Lines.

All the saloons in Genesco were closed recently and the police force resigned, all because the afdermen cause the aldermen fought in council.

The estimate of a committee of the real estate board, based on the number of persons working in factories, give Chicago a population of 2,934,048.

James M. Maxwell, president of Local Union, No. 63, United Mine Workers' of America, at Virden, was shot and killed by Thomas Hall, a Springfield bartenien, as the result of a practical joke.

Mrs. H. C. Chatfield-Taylor, with an English girl for a partner, prepared to enter into the book-binding business in Chicago, and expects the venture to be profitable.

Mrs. Mary Reano and her four-year-

a farmhouse on the Illinois canal.

Brandishing a revolver and stating that he was going to shoot "niggers," J. M. Hughes, at one time a prominent implement dealer of Decatur, went in-

Capt. Streeter, former ruler of the District of Lake Michigan, has returned to Chicago from the penitentiary on writ of habeas corpus.

Miss Josie Stephens, of Zúdlow, drank chloroform and death resulted. She had many friends and acquaintances in Pax-

Fire destroyed the electric light plant at Mackinaw. The loss is \$10,000.

George Guy tried starting a balky horse in Chicago by singeing its hide. A woman caused his arrest and he was fined \$25.

William Mayer, of Mount Carroll, lost his home by betting on Parker, and com mitted suicide.

Mr. and Mrs. William Baker, of Lily Lake, have become the parents of their third pair of twins. It is taken for granted that now President Roosevelt. will be in good humor for writing letters on his favorite subject, and a picture of the new arrivals will be sent to Wash-

Chicago is to have a municipal museum wherein can be studied the actual agencies by which great cities have reached their present develop-

A duliness in money demand will make the year's earnings of Chicago banks

James McGee and Anton Merusches were instantly killed in an explosion in the mine at Sherman.

The Chicago public evening school will be benefited by an extra appropria-tion of \$15,000. The board of education has granted this additional sum for the sensols which will continue open unt's the middle of December. FFICIAL COUNTY PAPER

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WABASH.

On account of the International Live Stock Exposition at Chicago Nov. 26 to Dec. 8, 1904, the Wabsah will sell tickets to Chicago and return at the rate of \$5.10 Selling dates, Nov. 37, 28, 29, 30. Return limit, Dec. 6, 1904.

The Wabash will run special nome-sekers rates Nov. 23 to points in Texas, nd to homeseeker's points in Mis uri, Kansas, Arkansas and Louisiana se rates for the round trip are much lower than the ordinary hom rates and are limited to twenty-one days

THANKSGIVING DAY RATES. Via Wabash will be one and one third are for the round trip to points on the ash within 150 miles of Sullivan. Sell Nov. 23 and 24. Return limit

CHICAGO AND RETURN. The Wabash on Saturday Nov. 26 will run a \$2.00 excursion to Chicago end return—the last low rate excursion of the season Tickets to be sold for the \$:17 a. m. train, arriving in Chicago at 90 p. m., and for the 4 p. m. train Returning train leaves Chicago at 8:80 p. m. Sunday 97, and runs through to illivan. See large bills.

J. W. PATTERSON, Agent .

Bathachild's Interest in Chan-ne of the Rothschild family, thous never takes part in tournamen nown to be a first-class amate ad his interest in the game is so great at he has found positions in his bank nna for many a struggling pro-tal chess player.—London Daily

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PROBATE COURT ITEMS.

R. Scott, of Bethany has been appointed administrator of the estate of William Cook, deceased, in bond of

Susan Hull filed final report as guardian of William, Laura and Beloa Hull. Report was approved, and guardian discharged.

NEURALGIA PAINS,

Rheumatism, lumbago and sciatic pains yield to the penetrating influence of Ballard's Suow Liniment. It penetrates to the nerves and bone and being absorbed into the blood, its healing properties are conveyed to every part of the body, and effect some wonderful cures. 25c, 50c \$1. Sold by Pate & Co.

Do your duty, else no knowledge, beauty or love will ever lead you to the peace of God. He who says, "I may not be great; I may miss all seace, but I will be true," stands at the altar from which the divine beneiction is ever pronounced.-Pennsyl-Sania Grit.

THOUSANDS CURED.

DeWitt's Witch Hazer Saive has cured thousands of cases of piles. "I bought a box of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve on the recommendation of our druggist," so writes C. H. LaCroix, of Zavalla, Tex., "and used it for a stubboru case of piles. It cured me perma nently." sold by all druggists.

CLOSED THANKSGIVING DAY. The portoffice will be closed Thankgiving Day. The rural carriers will not deliver mail on Toantsgiving Day.

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FOOT BALL GAME

The Sullivan High School Foot Ball m has made a better record this sen son than any other t-am in central lit-nois, and will endeavor to rate this rec-ord in the big game Thankegiving Day. Mowsagus is the team scheduled for that date. The game is to be played on the Sullivan gridiron, and the Sullivan boys realize that this is the atiffest prop esizion they have hitherto been up against. Though the ocal team defeaed a Moweaqua team early in the season hy a heavy score, they by no means expect to do this team up so easily. The fastest player on the team that was here is not fast enough to play on the presen M wesque team.

Mowcaqua has recently played two which resulted in scores that prove them as good, and probably better, than the Decatur team Sullivan played a noth ing to nothing game with Decatur. The Decatur team seems to think themselve at the head of the list in this communitv, but they refuse to play the Sullivan team. This is why the Sullivan boys have arranged the game with Mowen qua. They want to show the Macon county lads that they can't have a better than second place on the list.

The locals will not play any foot ball Saturday, so they may get in perfect condition for Tonuksgiving Day. The zame will be called at 2:45 p. m., in order to have the game over in time for the merchants and clerks to return to their business.

The scores of the rest of the games " ar played, are: James Millikin second cam on Sullivan grounds, nothing to nothing; Mattoon, at Mattoon, six to nothing in favor of Mattoon; Pana, at Pana, fifty to nothing in favor o' Sullivan; Pana, at Sultivan, thirty-five to nothing, in favor of Sullivan.

The Mattoon game was played with Whitfield, Poland, Frederick and Gardie out of the game.

TEACHERS MEETING.

The Moultrie County teachers meet ing will be held on Friday and Saturday, Nov 25 and 26. at the high school building in Sulli an.

PRIDAY, 10 A. M.

"Value of definite assignment of lesso With illustrations from several branches of study.—Claudia Lehman. "The recitation; its purpose Crowl.

#RIDAY, 1:15 P. M.

Remarks on general school work of county.—County Supt. J. C. Hoke.

Vocal solo.—Bertha Lehman.

"Geography"—Prof. Henry McCormick,
Normal University, Normal, Ill.

PRIDAY, 7:00 P. M.

An informal program. One of the featureswill be a spelling match in which all

eachers and visitors may participate. SATURDAY, 9:80 A. M.

"Physical Geography"-Supt. T. L. Cool

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Fone 132 W F BURNETTE, Ag't STATE SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTE.

The Monttrie County State Sunday Schol institute will be held in Sullivan at the C. P. church Nov. 80, conducted by State Worker Geo. W. Miller. The following themes will be discussed by local workers:

"How to make the Sunday School at tractive and interesting," by O. B. Lowe. "How to make the Sunday School in structive," by Daisy Booze.

"How to stop the leaks," by Rev. H. A Davis. "How to have a strongly religious school," by C. L. Hovey.

Mrs. Cynthia Wright of Findley vis ted here yesterday.

Old Time Controversies.

Old time controversies were often vigorous in language. In a controversy man figure, a bloodless being, a creature of skin and bones, a contemptible pedagogue fit only to flog boys, a rhinoceres, a hangdog looking fellow. The great English poet not only answered in kind, but entered into an extensive correspondence with people in Efoliand to obtain petty gossip and scandalous anecdotes concerning his opponent.

Including trom the nextensive nobles, too, were wont to affix a cross to documents, whether they could write or not, as a symbol that they pledged themselves to the Christian faith and thus to the truth of the matter to which the cross was affixed.

A Retort.

"You are not in it with me," said the

Married Men Live Longer. Mortality among bachelors from the age of thirty to ferty-five is 27 per cent, while among married men of the same age it is 18 per cent. For forty-one bachelors who attain the age of forty years there are seventy-eight married men who attain the same age. The difference is still more strike. ference is still more striking in persons of advanced age. At sixty years of age there remain but twenty-two bachdors for forty-eight married men, at seventy eleven bachelors for twenty-seven married men and at eighty three bachelors for nine married men.

THE SCENE PAINTER.

note of all datails to be reproduct. Then, if the subject is difficult, makes a sketch of it in the fatthis proves satisfactory to many actor and author, he builds it up is miniature model on the scale of an inch to the foot as perfect in portion and exquisite in detail as finished scene. An old gentleman is ly, looking over a collection of more ly, looking over a collection of 1 in one of the New York studi marked that his granddaughter be delighted to have them for

houses. The proprietor of the stu-smiled to bimiself. The models for single play cost well up toward a t single play cost well up toward a thou-sand dollars. For an ordinary four act comedy the models, scenes, properties and costumes cost, let us say, five or six thousand dollars. The cost of the great scenic productions is never as much as the press agents say, but has been known to exceed \$100,000. When the model is approved, the stage carpenter takes measurements for such framework as may be neces-

for such framework as may be ne sary. The clumsy construction of the old days has given way to the solidest sort of building. Windows slide in their sashes; doors slam, shut and lo Staircases are solid to the tread. Tree are built up in the round, and column are turned out of solid wood. But as every show is intended to travel among all the great cities of the continent the heaviest scene must be made up of pieces short enough to be packed in a treight car.

The scene painter marks out the pleces of his model in tiny squares and then hangs a huge canvas beside the paint bridge with corresponding squares in scale. The draftsman stands on the bridge with a piece of charcoal on a stick like a billiard cue and square by square copies the lines of the model, while an assistant raises and lowers the cloth with tackle. Then the body paint is put on, and the de-tails are added until the cloth is com-plete.—John Corbin in Scribner's. on the bridge with a piece of ch

A WOMAN'S PHILOSOPHY.

There ain't no possible good 's c'n come o' lendin' money to them 's ain't able to pay it back.

'S far 's my observation 's extended, it's always folks a long ways off 's it's wisest to lay all faults to.

No woman as is goin' to fall in love ever ought to begin by marryin' another man first. It mixes things all up. 'S far 's my observation 's extended, no one don't ask for advice 'nless they've pretty well made up their mind not to take it.

It's better for you to learn the lesson 's all is vanity now than to wait 'n' have it fall on your head like a un-

expected pickle jar.

I didn't get my trunk down 'cause
I'll have Friday to pack anyhow, 'n'
any one c'n slide a trunk down a ladder any time, but nobody can't never slide nothin' up nowhere.—"Susan Clegg and Her Friend, Mrs. Lathrop," by Anne Warner.

Vivisection.

There is a knowledge which is heavenly, a knowledge which is human and a knowledge which is diabolic; there is a knowledge which is blessed and a knowledge which is accursed. The first is ennobling and elevating and lifts man toward God. The second is de-basing, degrading, and drags men to-ward the pit. The knowledge gained by rooting amid the groans and ago nies of living creatures, whom their Maker and ours put into our power, to teach us mercy, as he gives mercy to us, is such an accursed knowledge that only demons could seek for it, and it can turn to no human good. "Science" so gained is not for men, but for devils.—Bishop Hugh Miller Thompson in Success.

Battles In the Snow. Many great battles have been fought in the snow, Eilau and Hohenlinden being familiar examples. Austerlitz was fought in intensely cold weather, and the Russian losses were increased by Napoleon turning the fire of his artillery on the frozen lakes over which the Russians sought to retreat. In our civil war Fort Donelson was captured in February, Fredericksburg was fought in December, Stone River Dec. 31, 1862, Jan. 2, 1863, and Thomas defeated and ruined Hood's army at Nashville on the 15th and 16th of December, 1864.

It is well known that people who are unable to write usually use for their signatures the familiar cross or X. with Milton concerning the divine Why this sign is used instead of any right of kings Salmasius called his oponent a puny piece of a man, a homogeneous a dwarf not having a human figure, a bloodless being, a creation of the from the heathen. Kings and the of the part of the part of the property of the part of the par

"You are not in it with me," said the nightingale, with a superior air. "You can't touch a high note at all." "No?" replied the bird of paradise.

"Why, even when I'm dead and em-balmed on a bonnet I'll bet I'll come pretty near touching a fifty dollar note, all right."-Philadelphia Press.

To Clean Up Silver.

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over Sunday.

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Phone your news items to THE HER LD office; phone 47.

William Landle was in Decatur Trains and Wednesday.

J. B and F A. Reese went to the

Mrs. Joe Sabin and family are visiting relative. in Clay county.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. B. Whitfield attend o world's fair this week.

Mrs. John Lucas of Charleston is with Sullivan friends this week. Alld J. W. Mathers visited Eld. W. S

S T. Lloyd, of Anderson, Ind., is vis-ting his brother, Ewell Lloyd. Mrs. Ted Merritt and Mrs. J. A. Wood

were Decatur visitors Tuesday.

Wm. Dodson visited his daughter Mrs Pearl Adams in Decatur Sunday.

Attend the Closing Out Sale of Shoes at the south side shoe store. 47-4

S. F. Garrett and Francis Pearce spent the day Tuesday in Decatur. Strictly first quality Duck Boots, Rool edge, \$3 00 at south side shee store.

es Cora and Gertrude Cooter vis ited friends near Allenville Sunday.

he Ladies' Association of the M. E.

Robert Jones, traveling salesman for the Armour Packing company, was in town Monday

L A. Harrison of Arthur has accepted as position of foreman of the Sullivan

For SALE—A good milk cow and one thoroughbred Poland Chine boar—P. J. Patterson 41:f

A. J. Wazgener sr. and wife of Bruce made a pleasant call at THE HERALD office Wednesday.

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Rov. A. M. Williams, of Clarksville, Tenn. will conduct services at the C. P. church next Sunday

Every pair of shoes at big reduction at south side shoe store, as the stock is to be closed out at once.

Charles Harris, of Lake Villa, attended the reception given Mr and Mrs. Claude Harris Saturday.

Mrs. Amanda Miller moved to her farm, which is about three miles south-west of town, Thursday.

Rev. H. A. Davis will fill his regular appointment at the 'Christian church Sunday and Sunday night.

Do you want to make money? Then eave it by buying your shoes at the couth side closing out sale.

Rev. T. H. Tull is in Findley this week, assisting in conducting a variety.

resk, assisting to conducting a revival meeting at the M. E church.

Miss Emms Phillips came up from Mode Wednesday, to spend several days with her friend, Miss Tella Hoke.

For Sale—Any person wanting a young tat goess for Thanksgiving, call in Mrs. Henry Cain, in Sunnyside.

Ar. and Mrs. Jacob Dancond, Missellith Woodruff and Freda Strickian are Decodury visitors last Sauday.

It should not be confused with the cheap, low

Fred Blackwell, son of Ben Blackwell living south of town, is at home from Quince business college on a vacation, Mrs. Lec. Liveless and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Coventry, of Findley, went to St Louis Friday morning to attend the

Attorney M. A. Mattor and John M. Volf were in Shelbyville the first of the seek, looking after some business in

H. S. Lilly and son Affred came up con Windsor Friday of last week and latted with his mother until Saturday

Rev. Brady, of Sand Oreek, prenched New Liberty Sanday forences and might

Clark Hall, of Decatur has been vis-ting his brother, S. B. Hall, and sister, frs. Carl Uhler, of Decatur, for the ast week. Our Rubber Goods are strictly new

ad best quality, and we sell them at ses toan ,manufacturers' prices. South

The Oklahoma exhibit car went from are to Arthur Monday. Mr. Dickson, who has charge, was formerly a Monirie county man

Edd. Mike Moffat will preach at the Vaggoner church, in Whitley township, 'riday night, Saturday and Sunday, Tow. 18 18 and 20.

Will Edeb, of Hot Springs, Ark., and ink Eden, of Robinson Creek, are at time, being called here by the serious ness of their father.

Mrs. Laure B Waggoner and daugh-er, Miss Joe, of Santa Orus, Cai, are isiting relatives and friends in Bethany and vicinity this week.

W K Waltfield attended the semi-annual meeting of the grand tribunal of the Knighte of Pythias at Chicago, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thuuemann and tranddaughter, Miss Marie Gillham, risited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barnhart at Marion, Ind., the past week.

Charles Purvis and sisters, who resided east of town, have moved to the Mrs. Amanda Miller property, at the corner of Water and Hamilton streets.

Mrs. Minta Seelow and children, of Gays, are visiting per father. Jesse Ar-mactrout, and ner sisters, Mrs. A. F. Burwell and Mrs Jno P. Lilly.

The "Koffe K toh" given by the ladies of the C. P church at the home of Mrs.

O J Gauger on Friday afternoon was a decided success in every particular.

William Roberts, a former citizen of

Bruce, but lately living about Sullivan, was adjudged insane Saturday, and taken to Jacksonville Saturday after-

Bobert Walker and family have mov-ed from the neighborhood of the Liberty church to the property of Miss Belle Hoke, in Sunnyside, which they recently

Rev F. E. Welton, of Decatur, occupled the pulpit at the Christian church Sunday, in the place of Rev. H. A. Davis, who was engaged in a protracted meeting at Lovington.

meeting at Lovington.

The Ladies Aid Society of the C. P. Church will have for sale Wednesday afternoon, Nov 28rd, at Pate's drug store some good home made Thanksgiving delicacies and dressed fowls.

Henry Wright, a half brother to Jas, S. W. Wright, a half brother to Jas, W. Wright, a brother to Mrs. J. M. Cummins died Wednesday at Jacksonville, and was buried at Windsor, Thursday. Mrs. Amanda Hoke will stote her fur-niture until spring. She and her laughter, Miss Belle, will stay with her laughter Nellie until spring, when they contemplate going to housekeeping

thing at the M. E church.

It was Burms Phillips came up from the Wednesday, to spend several days in her triend, Miss Tells Hote.

OR SALE — Any person wanting a log fat goos for Thanksgiving, call Mrs. Henry Calu, in Sunnyaide.

It and Mrs. Jacob Daugad. Miles the Woodruff and Freds Stricking to Decentur visitors last Sunday.

F. Mil er and Dr W. E Stedman in teresting one, at hough not a large number of accessions, yet good seed that into the 32nd degree of Masonry.

he late Robert G. Is gersol is alleg ave said; "When Missouri goes-tican I will sure Christian." If B attream could do as he said in t

Miss Merris, of the "Why Smith Le Home" company, is not only a dramatical number of the "Iso an operaticator, bavis been the prima donna with the Bostolian Grand Opera company for for years. She plays as well in dramatical she does in opera, and she is making big hit in the part she plays in "Whe Smith Left Home," which well be her Now 28

Nov. 22

The operator at the C & E I, has trouble some nights waking up boosy passengers and getting them aboard the train. A few evenings ago a toper came in, dropped into a cent and was soon could asleep. The agent, as a train pulled in, shoot him roughly and ashed. "Where are you golug?" With an natural and a hig, hic—he replied—"I am gointo sleep," and snored away.

Nelson Fowell, wife and daughter, of Bruce, were in Sublivan yesterday to take a train for Winona, Mo., where that will be a benefit to the health of Mrs. Powell and her daughter Mystle who have not enj-yed good health for the last few years. If the climate of Missouri, is no benefit to them, they are pect to go to California. ot to go to California

BEWARE OF CINTMENTS

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Pavorite Flowers of Our People.
A table, published in the annual report of the department of agriculture, is enlightening as to the amount of money the people of the United States spent in purchasing favorite flowers at retail in 1899—roses, \$6,000,000; carruations, \$4,000,000; violets, \$750,000; chrysanthemums, \$500,000; miscellaneous, including lilles, \$1,250,000. These wast sums found their way into the pockets of nearly 100,000 producers and dealers.

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To lift that toad off the stomach take Rodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat. Sour stomach, belching, gas on stomach, and all disorders of the comach that are curable, are lustantly relieved and permanentsy cured by the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. S. P. Storre, a druggist at 297 Main street, New Britain, Conn., says: "Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is giving such universal satisfaction and is so surely becoming the positive relie and subsequent cure for this distressing allment, I teel that I am always sure to satisfy and gratify my customment, I feet that I am always arre-to satisfy and gratify my custom-ers by recommending it to them. I write this to show how well the rem-edv is spoken of here ... Kodol Dyspepsia Cure was discovered after years of co-entific-experiments and will positively cure air stomach troubles. Sold by all dynamics.

Wages Accidents Take the Lond.

A Paris sporting paper keeps up its statistics designed to show the rarity on catastrophes resulting from the automobilism. It states that during the month of June 46 persons were killed and 774 tajured by wagon accidents; 18 killed and 228 injured by railways: 6 killed and 124 injured by bloycles, and only 6 killed and 60 injured by automobiles.

druggiste.

CONSTIPATION.

Health is absolutely impossible, if constipation be present, Many serious cases of liver and kidney complaint have sprung from neclected constitution. Such a deplorable condition is unnecessary. There is a cure for it Herbine will speedily remedy matters, C. A. Lindsay, P. M., Bronson, Fla., writes, Feb 13, 1903: "Having tried Herbine, I find it a fine medicine for constipation." 50c bettle For sale by Pate & Co.

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ouvinced.

t this time of the year you are probably dring about a winter trip. I'd suggest the Coast of Texas, San Antonio, Old Mexor California, as being about as nearly lect as climate and environment can make in. I have some very attractive literature at these resorts that I'd like to send you. If I'd rather talk to you, but if this is ossible, drop me a line and I'll be pleased live you all the desired information. There some special inducements too in the way ates and through Katy eleepers that I'd you to know about. Actives

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THE REASTS CAUSE HAVOC AMONG PROPLE.

MEN AND CATTLE KILLED

combay, India.—The police station at tigora was a few days ago the scene great excitement and horror when the pec of unfortunate Nidaa Patni, who this lamentable death from the claws a tiger, was carried there for inspec-

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Your persons were killed during the
ree of a few weeks, besides a numof persons mauled; while carrying
ay of cattle is going on almost every

The figers that have caused so great havor here are now proved to be four number, one tiger, one tigress and o big cubs, and our sympathetic dep-y commissioner is said to have offered reward of Rs. 40 for the destruction

a reward of Rs. 40 for the destruction of each of them.

The ferocious brutes, having taken their abode by the side of the only important road leading from Katigora to the village Gangapur, have practically aid siege to the village, with the result that communication on foot has been stopped. Several attempts that have been made to afford relief to the unformate villagers were all unsuccessful.

A party of local shikaries mustering strong and equipped with firearmy murched into the jungle at the head of our energetic Nath Tehsildar Maulvi fiahommed Israil to hunt the tigers, but with all their efforts they could not make the master stripes come out of their recess.

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The next day, however, another party, onsisting of four European gentlemen, ith a large number of coolies, surguinded the jungle and succeeded in rousing the tigers, which managed to scape through the line without giving



FELL UPON NIDAN.

The hunters an opportunity of discharg-ing bullets.

Ing bullets.

They pursued the animals and made them swim across a beel. It is a matter of regret that the brave hunters failed to hit the animals while they were struggling in the water, although a good number of shots were fired.

The tigers got to the other side of the beel without encountering further opposition and fell upon the said Nidan Patni, who was grazing cattle near his thouse, and killed him on the spot.

THIS JEALOUS DOG

Resents Attention Paid to Cat and

London.—A curious instance of a dog's intelligent jealousy is reported from Lianishen.

from Llanishen.

A happy family there consisted of a woman, a cat, a kitten, and a Yorkshire terrier. All four were on excellent terms until the terrier took umbrage at attentions which its mistress bestowed upon the kitten.

The terrier straightway began to dig a hole in the garden, and finished its task to its satisfaction in three

days.

Then the kitten disappeared. A search was made, and as the terrier was seen patting down the earth over the hole which it had refilled, the soil was removed, and the kitten was found to have been buried alive.

The dog was punished, but it took the kitten to the grave again, and the following day took it to a ditch and left it there.

Chance for Bald Heads.

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Cleveland, O.—Mrs. Anna Finch, a Cleveland hair expert, says she can grow an abundant crop of hair on John D. Rockefeller's head. She added:
"First, he must rid himself of the atomach trouble, get his blood into good condition and kill the little germs which have intrenched themselves in his scalp.
"The hair is controlled by the moon. That is where the science comes in Mever cut your hair in the full of the moon. Each hair is follow and filled with oil. Cut your hair in the full of the moon and it will bleed and change color."

ODIES OF HUMANS SERVED IN BIG STEW.

intelligent of the African races. About 100 miles north of the main village of the Kimbundus is a large cannibal camp, at which one of the men in my party had an experience he does not care to repeat.

"The man had been sent with presents to the chief of the cannibal tribe.



PURSUED BY A BAND OF CANNIBALS

Now, if a cannibal chief does not ac cept a gift, it is time for the gift-giver to beware. Our man's gift of cloth was refused.

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"A little cannibal girl volunteered the cheerful information that the stew was made of victims of war, and that unless our man took care he would flavor the stew for the morrow.

"At that our man thought out a plan. He went to the chief and told him that, seeing he was at war with the tribe, he would need powder, and that if the chief would allow him to go back to the village, he would furnish his men with powder. The chief fell into the trap and allowed the man to escape.

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"Our man got his comrades together and told them their lives depended upon reaching their homes as soon as possible. Needless to say, they escaped, pursued by a band of cannibals, who soon gave up the chase.

"It is not only during times of war that the cannibals eat human flesh. At other times they are like any other savage people."

FORCES WIFE TO PRAY ALL NIGHT.

Says He Wants to Cast Out the Evil Spirits That Possess Her.

Everett, Wash.—Fleeing from her husband, who she said was trying to kill her, Mrs. Richard Vaughn sought protection of the police here.

She stated that she was treasurer for the African Methodist church and that her husband tried to get some of the money, about \$14, away from her. He had threatened to kill her. She evaded him, and ran to the railroad station, where Officer Gordon took her in charge and put her on a

JEALOUS DOG

BURIES KITTEN ALIVE.

Its Attention Paid to Cat and Tries to Kill It in an Odd Way.

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The woman declares that Vaughn keeps her on her knees praying all night. Sh's would become exhausted, and crying, would begome exhausted, and cry

HE HAS NO TONGUE, BUT CAN TALK WELL

Robbed of the Organ by Operation Man Articulates Better Than Before.

Philadelphia.—Tongueless, yet able to talk better than when in possession of his organ of speech—that is the remarkable condition of William Bunting, of Elmer, N. J., who is receiving treatment in this city.

Mr. Bunting came to the Hahnemann hospital five weeks ago to have his throat treated for what he believed to be inflammation, caused by a severe cold. Upon investigation the doctors found the disease to be more serious than the patient had suspected, and that to save his life his tongue must be removed. It was awollen to twice its normal size, so that Mr. Bunting was unable to articulate plainly.

After the operation the first words the patient spoke: "Is it all over?" were the plainest he had spoken since the trouble began, several years ago. Those in attendance were able to un derstand everything he said.

Woman asks divorce fro Leged Trans Husban

HE BARS BEDS AND

Says That He Sleeps in His c in the Cellar—He Does H Appreciate Her Fash-ionable Friends.

Chicago.—A rich Lake View woman wants a divorce from her tramp husband because she says:

He sleeps in his clothes.
He sleeps in the basement.
He washes his face in a bucket.
He refuses to take a bath.
He eats in the kitchen.
The husband replies:
Silver plate, cut glass, feather beds, elegant tollet facilities, arm chairs and fireplaces are too good for me.

Mrs. Lilly Hints is the wealthy wife. Adolph G. Hints is the tramp husband. They are still living together in elegant apartments at 698 Evanston avenue.
This is the gist of the story Mrs. Hints tells: Hintz tells:

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Hintz wrote a love poem for a German newspaper.

She read it, and sought him out.

He accepted her heart, hand, home and fortune.

She took him into her home and offered him every luxury.

She tried for ten years in vain to get him to enter the parlor.

She could only get as his excuse that the place was "too good for him."

He sat for hours, days, weeks in a corner of the cellar gazing into space, thinking, dreaming.

She came to suffer from neighborhood ostracism, but loved him still and admired his great intellect.

He kept up a constant output of entrancing poetry which was never published.

lished.
Finally, her beautiful stepdaughter left home and she sued for divorce.
The woman is 51 years old and still handsome. The man is 51, too. They



SITS IN THE CELLAR WRITING POETRY.

have lived since their marriage at 608 Evanston avenue. Their flat is palatial. Mrs. Hintz owns the big apartment building, besides other large properties building, besider in Lake View.

The two are still on the best of terms
"He is wonderful," she said, a great
sigh accompanying her tribute, "but I
cannot understand him."

inga accompanying her tribute, but i cannot understand him."

"I had always lived the life of a tramp before I met her," said the husband. "I love it still. I must rove."

In the ten years that the wife has lived in splendor while her husband dwelt in the cellar Mrs. Hintz says she has been able to get but one reason from Mr. Hints for his conduct. "It is too good for me."

Every day for ten years she has invited, begged, implored him to come into the parlor, eat in the dining-room, lounge in the library, but there always came the same answer:

"No, it is too good for me."

Mrs. Lilly Von Arendt was an attractive German widow, about the "perfect age of 35," with a nice fortune, at the opening of the story. She was heartfree and care-free, and somewhat sentimental in her loneliness.

One day her eye accidentally fell on a little poem in her German newspaper.

"If Only I Had Thea" may the stille of the story.

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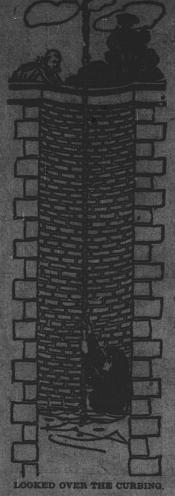
"If Only I Had Thee" was the title of
the half dozen verses, and they breathed
the passionate longing of a true heart
for the kindred soul of a feminine mate,
which Mrs. Von Arendt thought described her.

She was much impressed by the yearning verses. She read and reread them
until she began to feel a new interest in
life.

iffe.

The widow was so fascinated by the poem that she determined to seek out the writer. Going to the office of the paper she induced the editor to tell whe his contributor was and give her an introduction.

Mrs. Von Arendt, thinking of her comfortable fortune and still further charmed by his soulful conversation was not daunted by her hero's rather discouraging appearance and thought



down the hole to see what was the matter, creeping perilously over the edge. Fearful that the child might alip and fall into the well, the mother was compelled to cease her cries for assistance. She hung on the chain for an hour and a quarter better her husband discovered her predicament.

HE HAS CARRIED A MILLION LOVE NOTES.

earer of Sweet-Scented Billets to the Girls at Bryn-Mawr College,

Bryn Mawr, Pa.—William Armitage, chief herald and bearer of billets d'amour, sweet-scented notes and bonbons for Bryn Mawr college, has rounded the twentieth year in that service.

Probably no mail carrier in America has delivered as many have letters as Armitage. In honor of his anniversary, the girls congratulated him when he made his trip to the college—ar errand that has made many a girlish heart leap with joy in the past.

Happy as was the veteran carrier over this tribute from the students, the day brought one sad remembrance. He missed his faithful horse, "Bill," the big bay, who began his trips to the college the day he entered upon his duties.

Worn by the years of service, "Bill," recently began to fail. His legs lost that pristine sprightliness that had made his gait the admiration of the countryside; he began to totter and show other signs of ebbing vitality. To end "Bill'a" misery, Armitage chloroformed him to death.

death.

In Armitage's six trips a day in the delivery of letters to the 50 students and professors at the college, the two "Bills" had become a traditional feature of the institution. Lumps of sugar and aweetmests were often fed from dainty hands to the old horse as Armitage would drive up with his precious burden of letters.

Armitage has another horse now. But he is not "Bill," the idea of the callege girl. Sweet glances greeted the carrier, but there were no sweetmeats for the new horse.

LOVE LAUGHS AT ALLEGED JOKERS.

A To-Be Bride Found a Surplus of Would-Be Grooms When She Arrived.

Wilkesbarre, Pa.—Anna Wilt, coming all the way from the western part of the state to wed Joseph Custman, the sweetheart of her girlhood, whom she had not seen for many years, found when she arrived at the station at Audenried & group of men each holding a hat in one hand and a hand-kerchief in the other. They howed and smileo and waited for her to descend the steps of the car, where she she stood irresolute.

The girl surveyed them with embarrassment, but presently aprang with a glad cry into the arms of a man who was frowning, and the next minute he was laughing with her.— He was Custman.



they never will return to the post.

"The whipping should never be publicly administered. Let the judge of the court have all to say in regard to that matter. The selectmen and charities board officials could give the judge the history of the offenders, so that he would know just what to do with them."

A GIRL DIVER WILL EXPLORE EAST RIVER.

To Search for Box of Valuable Pa Lost in General Sloous

New York.—Miss Frances L. Baker, of Detroit, has come to this city in search of a box of valuable legal papers which she hopes to find at the bottom of the East river, off North Brother island, where the General Solcum went down,

Miss Baker's uncle, A. P. Baker, of Port Huron, Mich., who died a short time ago, was one of the survivors of the Slocum disaster. Just before his death he told his niece that at the time the flames were raping, when he had despaired of getting ashore alive, he threw the small box containing the papers into the river.

The papers are of such value that Miss Baker is going to make an effort to find them. She says that she has certain directions given her by her uncle, which she thinks will enable her to locate the box.



JIM HAD A HILARIOUS TIME.

wife and two young sons, cowered a corner. The other monkeys went them and kept telling them what shame it was. The female monker sympathized with Mrs. Jim, and to her how glad they were that the husbands did not drink.

Nothing else was talked about in toage but Jim's downfall and what shame it was, with all he had to it to the state of the

All the time Jim was having a time with Kramer and telling him about his ancestors back a few generations, and about his relatives who are still alive

about his relatives who are sum in Brazil.

Then there was a commotion. Jim started for his family in the corner of the cage, reeling and waving his arm in the air. He attacked his wife, beat her up, and grabbed two peanute that his cons were about to eat. These he carried ataggering to the front of the cage, and offered them for more whisky.

MOTHER OF THIRTY MEETS DEATH ALONE.

Not One of Them with Her When She Died in a Hospital in Denver.

Denver.—"One of the most remarkable patients at the county hospital, to my mind," said Dr. Charles Swindt, of the county hospital recently, "has just died. She was Mrs. Mary Gillespie, a woman of 86 years. During her lifetime she was the mother of 30 children, and, what was the strangest of all, they consisted of 15 pairs of twins.

"Mrs. Gillespie came to the hospital in 1901. She had emigrated to the United States in 1840 from England, where she was born. In 1896 and came to Colorado for her health, as she was suffering from tuberculosis, not seriously, but enough to bring state from Massachusetts.

her to this state from Massachus where she had made her home a coming from England. I imagine her life had not been a happy

ther life had not been a happy though during her stay here steadily refused to tell anything her past history save the part the have just related.

"When she came to us at the of \$2 practically all signs of two culosis had disappeared, and woman was suffering from noth save old age and generally decreased three days before her death, fand broken her thigh home. The most that medical skill could do her was done, but all to no avail. I system was too feeble to stand sheet.

"Of her thirty children we have

"Of her thirty children we have of mucceeded in locating one, Mrs. I Hildebrand, of Sloux City, in, a upon hearing of her mother's de wrote us and offered to pay fun expenses."

the following:
ome years ago, when south, I met
declored man who claimed to have
on George Washington. I saked
if he was in the boat when Gen,
hington crossed the Delaware, and
instantly replied: "Lor", massa, I
rea dat boat." Well, said I, do you
amber when George took the hack
he cherry tree!" He looked worried
a minute, and then, with a beaming
le, said: "Why, suah, massa, i drove
hack mahself."—N. Y. Heraid,

Why He Was Skeptical.

Farson Brown—Why do you doubt the enuineness of Green's conversion?

Deacon Smith—Because he never says sything about what a chameless wretched miserable sinner he used to be.—

Chicago Dally News.

Good Thing.
Irch Why, he loved that girl the was only a baby on her moth-

ARE NEEDED AT THE CHANGE FROM ONE TO THE OTHER.

Life Spent in Suffering Beenv bles Were Allowed to Develop - At This Time.

Y ELIZABETH FERGUSON SEAT

whether guests came or went, they would be present, and their interest in the success of the great dinner was as vital as it had ever been. They had helped to feed the two pampered turkeys and gather in the stores of fruits and vogetables, and they looked forward to the realization of their anticipations with lively interest. The day dawned clear and cold, and Mrs. Harmon began her final preparations for the event, the lack of guests, or even the anticipation of any, disturbed her so greatly that the appealed to her sons. Dick and John and Benjamin watched her spread the icing upon a fruit cake sympathetically. "Tell you, mother, what'll we do," declared Dick, mischieviousiy, "we'il go down to where our line joins the big road, and we'll just invite whoever passes, along, providing we like his looks."

His mother looked doubtful. "Well, not too many, you know, Dick; and doit in the right way. I don't suppose that anybody'll come, or even pass by, for that matter. That big road is a pretty lonesome one, especially so late in the season."

The boys departed upon their novel mission in high glee, but presently Dick



THE TWO FERANCISHS STARLED AT HACH DON'S THE ANDREWS STARLED AT HACK DON'S THE ANDREWS STARLED AND THE HACK DON'S THE ANDREWS STARLED AND



Ing Feker.

It was brought up to use a good line of lik," says a young man who lives out mar the Catholic university, relates a New York exchange. "I've been married now six months, and the only time my wife has ever heard a curse word from my lips was last Sunday morning. I went to a poker party over by the navy yard Saturday night. My wife knew I was going, and just to show her what a barmless little game it was going to be, I gave her most of my money before I left home. It was a very mild game we played, but the grain of the table was seafinst me and by midnight I was broke. I didn't want to make a touch right there, so, as I was young and strong, I concluded I'd stroll downtown and barrow car fare from a newspaper man knew. It was a nice night for a walk. Woll, I frisked into the newspaper man's biles and found that he'd gone to Baltimore. I've lived in Washington all my lie, but I am not known at any hotzl. There was no place where I'd be allowed to stay without baggage except on the Ci O. D. basis, so off I set for home, alone in the starry night, with a brand new pair of patent leathers on. I romped under the wire two lengths shead of the milkman, and went to bed. Along about the o'clock my wife came in and woke me.

"What's the matty?" I said. 'Are

""What's the matter?" I said. 'Are hey reads to amoutate my feet?" ""I just wanted some money for the sunday papers,' said she, picking up my

unday papers, said she, picking up my rest.

"You'll have to pawn something, I said. 'I'm broke.'

"She was poking in my watch pocket.

"Don't take my watch, I said.

"'I don't want it, she answered. 'I want that five-dollar bill I put here before you went away.'

"It was there, too. I bet you any man would have said exactly what I said."

Has Walked Many Miles.
Two hundred thousand miles afoot since January I, 1860, is theremarkable record made by Francis S. Susyberger, of Molino, Lower Schuylkill county, Pa. Mr. Susyberger kept a diary of his daily walks from January I, 1860, to January I, 1880, and in that period to tramped 67,000 miles. Mr. Susyberger is a justice of the peace, pension attorney and insurance man. He is 66 years old, but he keeps up his daily trips afoot because he enjoys walking and thrives on it. Last week he walked 30 miles in one day and made 25 business calls.

Disenchanted Don.
A novel illustration of the saying:
"Listeners never hear any good of themselves," comes from the London Tatler.
An Oxford don, more highly esteemed for intellectual activity than modesty, say taked to speak into a phonegraph.
If little later the machine was turned on again, and he was requested to listen to his own voice. He listened in silence, then turned to the company. "It is very strange!" as said, in a tone of mingled supprise and assentment. "I can't understand it, but brough this machine is am minde to speak in a peculiarly bumptious and affected manner!"

Now They Don't Speak.

Now They Don't Speak.

Cordelia—I had six offers of marriage last month. What do you think of that?

Eivira—I think a man with such bull-dog tenacity is worthy of a better fate.

—Cincinnati Enquirer.

onday man but It will, and in the ost vigorous fachion."

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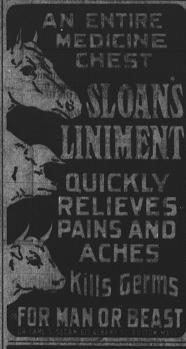
The doctor said I had a complication of female troubles and I could not have any children unless I could be cured. He tried to cure me, but after experimenting for several months, my husband became disgusted, and one night when we noticed a testimorial of a woman who has been cured of similar trouble through the use of Lydin E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, he went out and bought a bottle for me. I need your medicine for three and one half months, improving steadily in health, and in twenty-two months a child came. I cannot fully express the joy and thankfulness that is in my heart. Our home is a different place now, as we have something to live for, and all the credit is due to Lydin E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Yours very sincerely. Mrs. L. C. Grovent Gte Grove St., Milwaukee, Wis." Vice President, Milwaukee Business Woman's Ars's.

Women should not fall to profit by the experience of these two women; just as surely as they were cured of the Youbles anumerated in their letters, just so certainly will Lydin E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cure others who suffer from womb treatment in summation of the overles, kidney troubles, nervous exettability and nervous prestration: memember that it is Lydin E. Pinkham's vegetable Compound shat is curing women, and don't allow any druggist to sell you anything else in its place.

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Jonathan Jingles.

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les Mande Lane called on Mrs. B.

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Frant Rybard and family have moved to fington.

Its Nellie Preston was visiting home folks urday and Sunday, lavid McCarthy and family and Mrs. Caw o moved to Loxa.

Ome of our young folks attended church impact Sunday night.

Its. Charles Sutton and daughter, Helen, o visiting Mrs. F. D. Preston last week.

The basisst suppor was quite a success. A number of basisets were sold, which with the purse and eigars enabled the school to get two handsome clocks, a globe and several other school fixtures.

All persons indebted to me must call and actite their accounts by Nov. 25, 1904, as on that date all unpaid accounts will be placed in the hands of a justice of the peace and cost will be added.—Oscan Hughes.

Jasper Little'on, of Mattoon, was awarded a judgment of \$2000 and costs, for injuries received on the Big Four road, in the circuit court of Coles county recently. Mr. Little-ton is well known in this vicinity, having lived near here previous to moving to Mattoon.

Kirksville. Mrs. Amos Kidwell is on the sick list. Mrs. N. E. Kirkwood has typhold fever. Robert Walker and family have moved to

Edgar McKenzie was hunting in this neighborhood the first of the week. Mrs. J. C. Gustin visited her mother, Mrs. Plank, at Jacksonville over Sunday.

Walter Callahan has moved into Mrs. Mc-Kenzle's house, north of Kirksville.

Robert Walker's sale Thesday was well attended and things brought good prices.

Henry Frederick and wife and Frede Bruce attended the fair at St. Louis this week.

Earl Fitz, of Chicago, is here for a short visit, with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Briscoe

Mrs. L. C. Weaver, Mrs. Elmer White and Mrs. Will Reedy visited Mrs. J. W. Carter Taesday.

J. W. Carter expects to load his things on the car at Kirksville Tuesday. He will ship them to Hunter, Mo.

Hampton.

Tom Sickafus, of Indiana, is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Oll Standifer was a caller in Bethany Friday of last week.

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Mises Clore Butt and Lillie Smith were shopping in Sullivan one day last week.

Mrs. J. D. Mitchell and little daughter, Veda, were shopping in Decatur one day recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bragg, of near Brace, epent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Swank.

Bryan Bresnan, of Dalton City, visited his daughter, Mrs. Mars Sheehan, and family one day last week.

D. W. Shipman and Jacob Shipman returned home Saturday from a few days visit at the world's fair.

Little Erma, daughter of Mrs. Alfred Uttingen, died at Ber itome in Bethamy Caturday and was brought here for burial Sunday.



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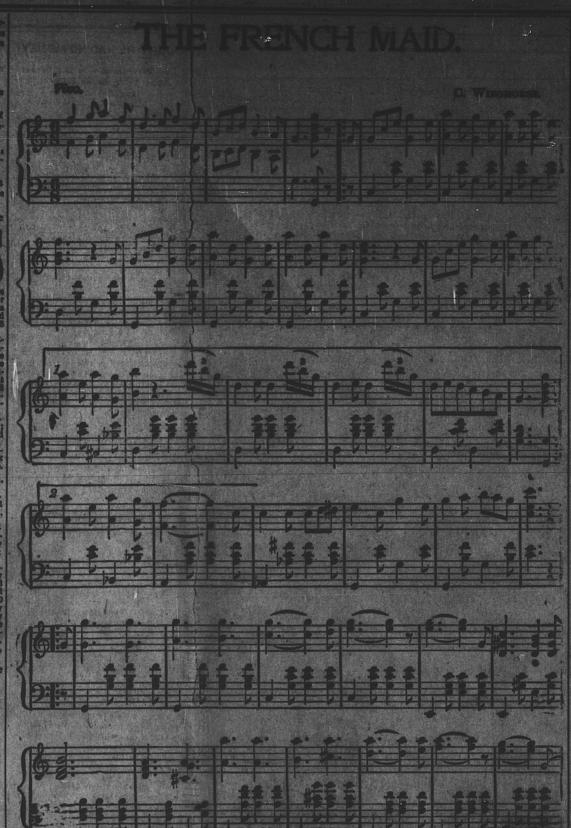
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