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REIMUND DIES IN ASYLUM

Telegram to Relatives Announces Death of Geo. A. Reimund at Jacksonville

Word was received here Wednesday that George A. Reimund was dead. Mr. Reimund, only a short time ago, was one of the prominent business men of Sullivan, highly respected and well liked by every one who knew him.

The news of his death was a shock as it was wholly unexpected. As we go to press no other news had reached the friends as to what to expect or when the remains would arrive.

Solomon Reimund, J. T. Higginbotham and Wm. Warren started to Jacksonville as soon as possible on receipt of the message, but train connections being poor it is uncertain when they will return.

MRS. PATSY WOLFE

Patsy Wolfe was born near Smith Co., Va., Nov. 2, 1822, departed this life at her home in Sullivan, Feb. 12, 1908, at the age of 75 years, 2 months and 13 days.

The deceased moved to Indiana with her parents when she was 12, and they settled near Columbus, Ind., where she was united in marriage to Andrew Wolfe in 1846. To this union were born four children, two boys and two girls; the girls both died in childhood, one boy died at the age of 16 years, and except Tobe who died at the age of 18, she was the only survivor.

While in Indiana she became a member of the Christian church, but never transferred her membership to this state.

About ten years ago she became afflicted with rheumatism and was confined to her home most of the time during her afflictions.

All her life she was a firm believer in Christianity, and a short time before her death said she was ready to go, and suggested arrangements for her funeral. She leaves a son and a brother, who is here, and other relatives.

The funeral was conducted at the residence at 10 a. m., Thursday, by Rev. J. G. McNutt, after which the remains were interred in Greenhill cemetery.

COLBERT BAKER

J. C. C. Baker was born in Whitley township, May 17, 1864, died in the Insane Hospital at Jacksonville, Feb. 5, 1908, aged 43 years, 8 months and 18 days. He was married to Miss Mary A. Waggoner, daughter of M. L. Waggoner and wife, Aug. 8, 1883. They were the parents of four children, William and Colbert of this county, Luther, now in Colorado, and a daughter who died at four years of age.

Besides the widow and the three children he is survived by his aged father, two brothers, Harve and Fred, and three sisters, Mrs. Hannah Whitfield, Mrs. J. K. P. Rose and Mrs. Thomas Banks.

The funeral was conducted at the Liberty church Friday of last week, at 2 p. m. by Elder A. J. Nance. The interment was in the cemetery nearby.

Wedding Anniversary

February the twelfth being the fifty-first anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Harris, their children gathered in with well filled baskets and all partook of a bountiful surprise dinner. Those present were Mrs. N. N. Lewis and daughter of Decatur; Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Landers of Cadwell, Mr. and Mrs. Immanuel Sipe, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Brotherton and Reuben Benton.

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TOWNSHIP TRIMMINGS

The democratic voters of Moultrie county are requested to meet at their respective voting places, designated by this call, and on the dates fixed by this call, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various town offices, who are to be elected in the various townships:

Sullivan township primary will be held March 7, 1908, from 9 o'clock a. m. till 5 o'clock p. m., at Birch's livery barn in Sullivan, Ill. Australian ballot.

Lovington township primary will be held March 14, 1908, at the city hall, Lovington, Ill. Australian ballot. Poles to be open from 12 o'clock m. to 5 o'clock p. m.

Jonathan Creek township, old-fashioned primary at Center school house, March 21, 1908, from 1 o'clock to 5 o'clock p. m.

Whitley township, old-fashioned primary at the usual voting places in both precincts, March 21, 1908, polls to be open from 1 o'clock till 5 o'clock p. m.

Dora township, old-fashioned primary, March 14, 1908, at Lake City, polls to be open from 1 o'clock to 5 o'clock p. m.

East Nelson township, old-fashioned primary, March 21, 1908, town hall, Allenville, polls to be open from 1 o'clock to 5 o'clock p. m.

Love township, old-fashioned primary to be held at the usual voting places in both precincts, March 21, 1908, polls to be open from 12 o'clock m. to 5 o'clock p. m.

Marrowbone township, mass convention, town hall at Bethany, March 21, 1908, 2 o'clock p. m.

W. K. Whitfield, Chairman. H. RAY WARREN, Secretary.

What 50 Cents Worth of Electricity Will Do. An enterprising engineer has figured out the number of things which can be accomplished with but fifty cents worth of electricity at 10 cents a kilowatt hour. Here are some of them.

Light an ordinary bare-bulb candle with three 10-candle-power lamps one hour every night, for thirty nights.

With a small motor attached to the electric main, you can wash a car worth of electricity will do the work.

It will also do the work of ironing, using a six-pound iron.

An electric fan can be operated three and one-half hours a day for thirty days for fifty cents.

Two weeks' sewing can be done on the motor-driven sewing machine for the same price.

It will light the porch light for three hours every night for two months.

Fifty cents will pay for the current consumed in using the electric heating pad three hours every night for thirty nights.

It will grind 1125 pounds of coffee; broil 30 steaks; cook 20 rarebits in the electric chafing dish; fry 400 eggs.

It will run the blacksmith's forge-blower for a week.

It will hoist 2,000,000 bricks, two stories.

A one-horse-power motor will run 7 hours at full load for fifty cents.

L. M. Spittler for Collector

We are authorized to announce L. M. Spittler as a candidate for collector of Sullivan township, subject to the decision of the republican primary.

Mr. Spittler is well and favorably known in this township. He has held public offices and always discharged them with honor to himself. He has had considerable experience in clerical work, and if elected to the office he aspires to, no one will have any reason to regret the choice.

Is a Mother Worth Less Than a Father?

Two small children in New Jersey, Mildred and William Carter, lost their parents in a wreck, and a jury sitting in Camden has just awarded the orphans \$23,000 damages, \$5,000 for the loss of their mother and \$18,000 for the loss of their father. There was no insinuation that Mrs. Carter was not a good mother, but, being a woman, it was assumed that her value to her children was less than one-third that of the father.

CHURCH SERVICES.

BAPTIST.

Our prayer meetings are increasing in interest and attendance, also our regular preaching services are growing in interest and attendance. We recognize the fact that God is blessing and he has many blessings yet for us. Our Sunday school is making progress under the leadership of sister Daugherty.

The Ladies' Aid society, under the direction of Mrs. George Chapman, is doing good work.

A goodly number of the members called on the pastor's family and showered us with a choice lot of fruit for which we appreciate and extend our thanks. The pastor was not at home to enjoy their presence. He was engaged in a revival meeting at Pleasant Grove, which was a success, resulting in several additions to the church and church revived.

Brother Hovey conducted services for us during our absence. He will hold services the first and third Sundays after Sunday school, pastor preaching second and fourth Sundays. We have an unswerving confidence in our work with the Baptist church at Sullivan because we believe that we are doing God's work. We are not ashamed of our brethren because they are few in number or of their poverty. They are rich in spiritual things and are faithful.

CHRISTIAN.

The pastor will preach next Sunday on the following themes: "Morning and Evening Prayers." "Evening Devotional Law." Good afternoon, in the afternoon at 2 o'clock every Sunday. All are invited to church services.

The pastor is authorized for the year 1908 to collect and the collection of the people are at work. The pastor is authorized to have no other duties. A greater number of the people are at work than ever before.

The meeting of the C. W. B. M. at the home of the pastor last Friday evening was a most interesting and successful one. There were some good papers read and some good resolutions passed.

PRESBYTERIAN.

The pastor is still "chippy," but improving some every day, and expects to hold both services the coming Sunday.

Glad to report a good Sunday school last Sunday. You come, and let's make it still better.

The Missionary society met last Wednesday afternoon, with a good program on "What the Gospel is Doing for Corea."

The official board is called to meet on Thursday evening, with the session at 7:30.

The Aid Society meets on Friday afternoon with Mrs. F. M. Craig.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

The pastor will preach Sunday at 10:45 a. m. to the children. It is red letter day for the Junior League, and everybody is invited; At the 7:30 p. m. hour the sermon subject will be, "God's Moral Purpose." The choir meets Saturday night at Prof. Charles Rodman's, at 7:30, for practice.

Jesus Healing the Nobleman's Son" John 4: 43-54, is the lesson for the Sunday school, Sunday. We have good singing; good classes, and good teachers. You will be welcome.

Smith & Ward's

Great clothing clearance sale will continue until March 1st. During the past two weeks have been selling clothing, shoes and furnishing goods at a reduction of 25 to 50 percent, and hundreds of customers have taken advantage of this opportunity to save money. The success of our clearance sale as a means of reducing our stock has been even greater than we had anticipated, but we are still crowded for room and as the spring goods arrive it becomes absolutely necessary that we make further inducements in order to sell the surplus stock now on hand. The clearance sale will continue throughout the month of February and the prices we quote are lower than have ever been offered before.

SMITH & WARD, Sullivan, Ill.

AT THE COURT HOUSE

Real Estate.

David H. Pifer to John E. Pifer, part nw, sw, and part se, sw, and s. e. se, sw, 10-13-6.

James F. Cunningham to B. O. and W. Markwell, n. 30 a. of w/4, and w/4, sw, sw, and w/4, e/4, sw, 9-14-5; \$3000.

Dora L. Hollowell to Henry F. Hunt, sw, se 14-13-5; \$1300.

Osie Goddard to John Christy, part nw, se 14-13-6; \$50.

O. P. Donovan to A. H. Davis part lot 8, block 5, Noble's 1st addition to Bethany; \$625.

James H. Armstrong to Sheba Mast, lot 8 in block 5 in Noble's addition to Bethany; \$550.

W. A. Steele to Mrs. L. J. Townsend, lot 13 in block 2, division 2 in Greenhill cemetery; \$40.

Ella Brosam et al to Geo. A. Brosam land in section 12; \$2000.

W. P. Nasworthy to J. A. Chasey, ne, ne, 35 acres, 25-13-5; \$4023.75.

James F. Cunningham to Myrtle A. Watson, land in S-24-6; \$4000.

J. R. Barber to Mollie E. Magnus, lot 7 in block 1 in M. and D. addition to Sullivan; \$400.

Nathan W. Bolla to James A. Womack, nw, sw, and se, sw, 35-12-6; \$12194.

W. H. Hoeking to Stephen M. Reynolds, sw, se; \$2000.

Thos. D. Fulton to Nathan W. Bolla, sw, sw, except 4 a., 34-12-6; \$4400.

J. E. Alexander to H. M. Alexander undivided 1/2 interest in 1/2 of No. 1 of nw, 12-15-5; \$2250.

Henry Jones was appointed administrator of the estate of John C. Jones with Wm. Nell and Geo. Cunningham special executors under bond of \$2000.

Charles Shuman guardian of Everett Whalen, heir of Nancy Peterson, deceased, made a final report which was approved, recorded, and there being no balance in the hands of the guardian he was discharged.

A petition was made to probate the will of John P. Brabham, deceased.

County Court. T. J. Williams, of Kirksville, a number of years ago deeded an acre of land for the U. B. church site, for the period of 99 years or so long as it was used for church purposes. The church building was moved to Kirksville, then a dispute arose over the tract of ground. Mr. Williams, the owner of the land, then sought possession, but the suit was decided against him and in favor of the defendant.

Circuit Court. Mollie Landers vs. Willis Landers. Divorce and alimony.

Howell and Pifer for use of C. F. Howell vs. Charles Wood. Appeal.

Angelina Mathias vs. T. D. Fulton, Joseph A. Miller, Nettie M. Miller and A. H. Miller. Bill to clear title.

Marriage License. Abraham Ditzler, 21.....Shelbyville. Rebecca Wiggins, 28.....Shelbyville.

Supervisors' Meeting. The board of supervisors met in their room in the court house Monday afternoon and Tuesday.

A list of grand jurymen were selected as follows from the several townships: Sullivan—L. R. Garrett, J. F. Kelley, George Shirey, Cal Harsh, A. E. Foster.

Lovington—C. D. McGravy, Robt. Selby, L. T. Anderson, Moses Dixon. Lowe—A. J. Maxwell, H. L. Dick.

Dora—J. L. Belden, W. L. Bailey. Marrowbone—J. F. Bone, P. J. Bushart, E. M. Woodruff.

East Nelson—J. E. Fleming, W. M. Shaw. Jonathan Creek—George Blair, A. J. Sutton.

Whitley—A. M. Blythe, W. H. Lee, R. S. Kinkade.

AN APPLIED FAIRY TALE

For the Benefit of a Fellow Worker in the Interesting Sullivan News Paper Field

Once upon a time I read a story of a man and wife, that after several years of disputes, closed their mouths to each other and resolved to never speak to each other again. As they were the only members of the family, in the course of time it became necessary to communicate with each other. After a time they overcame the difficulty by the use of the cat. Sitting in their rooms of an evening the wife would take the cat in her lap, tell her to go and tell John, then give the cat a shove, the cat would go to the next best friend John, who would repeat the answer to Puss, push her away, then to the wife she would go, both too stubborn to break the vow they had made in their own hearts.

Now, a certain manager of a newspaper in this town by the name of Roy Sargent, the Great Tribulation of the Progress Printing Company, has mistaken me for that cat. He has made a sad mistake, because when it comes to shoving me around in fashion, I am apt to scratch like a real cross old cat. number of times in the last few months he has deliberately called me phone number, I am in the phone book and the telephone number is in the phone book. I am not a cat, and I am not a dog, and I am not a pig, and I am not a horse, and I am not a cow, and I am not a sheep, and I am not a goat, and I am not a chicken, and I am not a turkey, and I am not a duck, and I am not a goose, and I am not a pig, and I am not a horse, and I am not a cow, and I am not a sheep, and I am not a goat, and I am not a chicken, and I am not a turkey, and I am not a duck, and I am not a goose.

The call for this meeting is signed by Albert E. Stevenson, president of the M. E. church.

Was Not Identified. As the passenger that is due at Sullivan about noon, was running along below Shelbyville, Saturday they discovered the lifeless form of a man on the right of way. They stopped the train, taking the body aboard and left it at Shelbyville. The indications were that he was a tramp and had lain himself down on Friday night to sleep by a fire had kindled, and his clothing caught fire. The clothing was burned entirely from the body; the surface being crisp. There was no clue to lead to identification.

"Snap Shots." "Snap Shots," was played Tuesday evening at the Titus opera house by home talent, under the auspices of the M. E. church.

The house was crowded on the first floor, and most all the space in the gallery taken.

The parts were all well executed, and all enjoyed an evening of merriment.

The Ladies' Society cleared \$54.00, which will be added to the fund for a basement to the M. E. church.

Card of Thanks. We extend our grateful thanks to our neighbors and friends who so freely did so much for us at the time of our sore affliction, at the death of our dear baby.

MIKE FINLEY AND WIFE.

Notice to Taxpayers. I am now located in the corner's room at the court house. The time is short. Come and pay your tax.

For Sale. Canary birds choice singers. Mrs. J. W. Dale, phone 667.

Our Springfield Letter

Special Correspondent Writes of Things of Interest at the State Capital.

Springfield.—Headed by what promises to be hot campaigns in Springfield, Bloomington and Decatur, residents of 84 Illinois counties will vote on the saloon question in the spring. Reports received from many counties indicate that the anti-saloon adherents have been successful in obtaining enough signatures to allow the question to be balloted on at the polls. It is estimated that 1,200 towns will take part in the contest. Ernest A. Scrogin, attorney for the Anti-Saloon league of Illinois and district superintendent, whose headquarters are in this city, declares that from reports received within the last few days it is certain that 90 per cent. of the township in the counties in his jurisdiction will vote on the question. In a statement Mr. Scrogin reviews the situation. It is evident that the league officials are enthusiastic over the outlook. "A glance at the territory in the state that is preparing to avail itself of the privileges of the local option measure demonstrates that there is to-day an overwhelming sentiment everywhere for local option," said Attorney Scrogin. "In my district—the counties of Ford, McLean, De Witt, Logan, Tazewell, Mason, Macon, Shelby, Christian, Fayette, Cumberland, Montgomery, Macoupin, Greene, Jersey, Pike, Adams, Brown, Schuyler and Sangamon—there will be a vote in practically every township. I am confident that out of 350 townships 325 will vote. These conditions are not the result of hothouse methods of organization; they represent substantial and permanent public sentiment. It is well known what the results of the election November 5 were and how sweeping. I went through that campaign, and I am satisfied that sentiment now, in the territory that will vote in April, is just as widespread as it was in the counties that voted November 5."

Will Favor Single Board.
Chairman John W. Hill of the committee which is investigating the charitable institutions of the state made a statement which argues in favor of the establishment of a single state board of control for all the institutions such as is contemplated in the Pemberton bill. It was that at present, with each board of trustees buying the supplies for its own particular institution, not only did the cost of maintenance vary greatly with each asylum or home, but in many instances the patients suffered. "Every superintendent strives to reduce to a minimum the per capita cost of feeding his charges," said Mr. Hill. "At the same time when the figures are analyzed it is found a considerable part of the cost goes to maintaining the superintendents and their entourage, the physicians and their assistants, the employees, and so on. As these all live much better than the patients, the part set aside for the latter is often totally inadequate."

Any Clothes Are Good.
The notice posted in the corridor of the new supreme court building bidding attorneys appearing before the court to do so in frock coats lasted less than 24 hours. It disappeared and the judges disavowed it. Although the notice of the order has been taken down, it has not been revoked. It merely is considered as if it never had been made. The judges were slightly embarrassed by the attention which the revolution in clothes has managed to attract. It will be no more than an attorney should do if he appears before the court for oral argument properly clothed, but there seems to be no intention of visiting displeasure upon lawyers who make their appearance in the common garb of everyday life. It is assumed that the lawyers themselves will feel more comfortable if they dress up to the aesthetic standard of the building.

Urge Water Way Canal.
"Before another nine months go by the state of Illinois will join with the city of Chicago in spending the money necessary to finish the work of the great water way canal from the great lakes to the Gulf of Mexico," said Congressman William Lorimer to 350 delegates to the ninth annual convention of the National Builders' Supply association in the banquet hall at Chicago. "The work has been well started," he said, "and but a small portion needs to be completed to assure the realization of the project, the little strip connecting Chicago with the Illinois river, and all that is lacking is what was lacking in the Panama canal project, money."

Illinois Milk Impure.
Two-thirds of the milk used in Illinois contains a visible amount of sediment, chiefly cow manure knocked from the udders of the animals in the milking process, and one-fifth of the fluid consumed is below the legal standard for butter fat. These statements are emphasized by the agricultural experiment station of the University of Illinois in its campaign against unhealthy dairy conditions which is still being carried on by the authorities in charge of the move at Urbana.

No More Work Till Spring.
Two attempts to get a quorum in the senate proved futile recently so the members abandoned further business until spring, adopting the house joint resolution for a recess until May 5. Only 23 senators appeared in their seats in the morning, and after waiting for the late afternoon trains in the hope that at least the lacking three for a quorum might show up, the upper branch bolted for its respective homes, leaving several appropriation bills and the measure raising the salary of Chicago aldermen still in the air. While the senate was unable to get along with 23 men at their desks, the lower house managed to conduct its session with only one member—John G. Oglesby—in the chamber. The senate had found it necessary to make a slight change in the recess resolution, but after a thrilling debate Mr. Oglesby had no trouble in getting the house to concur in the amendment.

At a recent session Senator Pemberton introduced a bill providing a new scheme for the management of the state institutions. The measure provides for a board of control of three members to be appointed by the governor, not more than two of them from the same political party. It abolishes the boards of trustees of the various institutions, giving their functions and duties to the board of control, which is to appoint the superintendents, let the contracts and perform all other details of supervision and administration. The members of the board are to receive salaries of \$5,000 a year, and a secretary is to be given \$2,500 a year. The measure was advanced to second reading.

Senator Ettleson presented a measure amending the law relating to vital statistics. It provides that in cities of over 100,000 population, physicians shall report all births to the municipal board of health, which is to keep careful and complete records and to make a report every three months to the state board of health. The bill is advocated by Health Commissioner W. A. Evans of Chicago.

Outstanding Loan Reduced.
Outstanding loans on personal security made by township treasurers of schools in Illinois have been reduced from \$894,716.91 in 1906 to \$148,491.10 in 1907. Similarly, there was only \$18,703.85 of such personal loans made in the current fiscal year as compared with \$92,312.66 for 1906. The figures are for the years ending June 30, 1906, and 1907. This great reduction in the amount of personal loans made by township school treasurers is due to the action of Superintendent of Public Instruction Francis G. Blair, who has insisted that these treasurers follow the law on the subject. Some time ago Superintendent Blair sent out letters to all township treasurers calling their attention to the fact that personal loans were made without the authority of law, and insisting that such loans be called in. The result is shown in the reports now in the state office. The statute covering the subject provides no loans shall be made by township school treasurers unless they are secured by mortgage on unincumbered realty situated in the state, worth at least 50 per cent. more than the amount loaned, with a condition that in case additional security shall be required at any time the same shall be given to the satisfaction of the board of trustees.

Quiet Visit to Asylum.
A quiet visit to the insane asylum at Jacksonville was made by Representatives Walter I. Manny and H. T. Ireland, one of the subcommittees of the house investigating committee. They went to the institution without notifying anyone of their coming and spent four hours in a tour of the wards with an eye to the ventilation, heating equipment, accommodations and attendance. They found Superintendent Carrell in the midst of the renovations that are being made as part of the general rehabilitation that has been in progress at the institution since the legislature appropriated funds for the purpose. The two legislators said that they found the asylum spick and span in every corner. After leaving the institution the two investigators interviewed at the Dunlap hotel several of the townspeople to get information regarding charges that had been lodged with the general committee. There was no public hearing, the interviews being private.

Test Concrete Bridge.
Structural workers and builders throughout the country are interested in a series of experimental tests which Engineer A. N. Johnson of the Illinois highway commission will inaugurate March 1 on the concrete-steel bridge erected by convicts near Chester penitentiary. The bridge was finished only recently and was built only for testing purposes. The structure has a clear span of 40 feet with an 19-foot roadway. It was built on a plan of using steel rods collectively in the concrete the rods serving to act together.

MORSE IS ACCUSED

NEW YORK GRAND JURY INDICTS THE FINANCIER TWICE.

BAIL IS FIXED AT \$20,000

Former Bank, Ice and Steamship Magnate Is Due to Land Saturday from Quick European Trip.

New York.—The grand jury for New York county, which has been investigating certain business transactions involving some of the banks with which Charles W. Morse, the organizer of the American Ice company and the Consolidated Steamship company, until recently was identified, returned five indictments Monday. Three of these indictments had to do with liquor tax cases, while two indictments charged grand larceny.

The indictments were not made public, but in asking that a good-sized bail bond be required, District Attorney Jerome stated to the court that the two charges of grand larceny were laid against "a man now on his way over here" from Europe. Following the court proceedings it was stated authoritatively that the man referred to by Mr. Jerome was Charles W. Morse, who sailed for Liverpool a week ago Saturday on the Campana but is now returning upon the advice of his counsel.

Mr. Morse is a passenger on the Cunarder Etruria due here late next Saturday. The grand jury, it is learned, has ordered other indictments, in connection with its investigation into banking affairs.

When the jury appeared before Justice Dowling in the supreme court District Attorney Jerome said: "Your honor, two of those papers in that batch are indictments on which I would like to have bail fixed. I would suggest \$20,000 on one of them and nothing on the other."

Justice Dowling looked through the indictments and replied: "I suggest that bail be fixed at \$10,000 on each of them."

This was agreeable to Mr. Jerome. Among the matters which the grand jury looked into was a transaction in which two notes for \$200,000 figured.

JEWISH WEDDING STOPPED.

Winnipeg Police Consider It Violation of Lord's Day Act.

Winnipeg, Man.—Sunday afternoon a squad of police raided Sharry Shomayim synagogue and stopped a wedding being performed there on the ground that the Lord's day act says no work must be done on the Sabbath.

Just as Rabbi Levine, who was assisted by Rabbi S. Goldstein, started the ceremony, several policemen appeared and forbade the ceremony, taking the names of the persons. Application will be made to the attorney general for leave to prosecute, his sanction being necessary in all cases under the Lord's day act. A full band had been engaged for the ceremony, and each bandsman will also be prosecuted.

TWO BATTLESHIPS; NOT FOUR.

House Naval Committee Denies the President's Request.

Washington.—By a vote of 13 to 5, one member absent and not voting, the house committee on naval affairs Monday rejected the president's urgent recommendation that congress authorize the building of four battleships at a total cost of \$38,000,000, and by a unanimous vote there was included in the navy appropriation bill an authorization for the construction of two, to cost \$9,500,000 each and to be of the Delaware type.

REJECTED LOVER SLAYS.

Murders Minnesota School Teacher and Shoots Himself.

Park Rapids, Minn.—Bessie Graham, aged 21, teacher of a rural school at Carsonville, near here, was shot and instantly killed by a rejected lover, Charles Boldt, Monday afternoon. After killing the girl, Boldt shot himself, inflicting a fatal wound.

The double tragedy was enacted in the presence of a score or more of young children.

Boston Broker a Suicide.

Boston.—After leaving a note in explanation that his act was due wholly to financial reverses, Frank Harris, a Boston broker, committed suicide by shooting at the Hotel Lenox. Mr. Harris was about 50 years old.

Big Fire in Litchford, Ont.

New Liskard, Ont.—A fire in Litchford Sunday night caused an estimated loss of \$100,000. The King Edward hotel, Alexandria hall, Empire Lumber company, the post office and other buildings are a total loss.

Tobacco Company Indicted.

Lexington, Ky.—The first indictment ever brought in Fayette county against a so-called trust was returned Monday when the grand jury handed in a "true bill" to the court, indicting the American Tobacco company on a charge of conspiracy. This indictment is the direct result of Judge Parker's order to the grand jury to investigate the tobacco situation in this city and county. It charges the American Tobacco company with conspiracy and planning to reduce the price of raw material.

THE MONSTER.

She was mamma's joy and comfort, and when her parents went to town for a short visit she was instructed to look after her younger brother and sister and faithfully report any misbehavior on the part of either of the young hopefuls.

On the evening of her return the fond mamma called for an account of the stewardship, and was led to the nursery, where on the blackboard in gold type appeared the following record:

"Evelyn—No bad misdeeds."
"Jack—Two splits and one dam."

SETAN TERRIFIED.

There is a great genius displayed in advertising as in the higher branches of literature. No problem daunts the modern advertising man. In the window of a little bookstore in Eighth avenue, New York, was recently heaped a great pile of Bibles, marked very low—never before were Bibles offered at such a bargain; and above them all, in big letters, was the inscription: "Satan trembles when he sees Bibles sold as low as these."—Woman's Home Companion.

PURE FOOD.

No Food Commissioner of Any State Has Ever Attacked the Absolute Purity of Grape-Nuts.

Every analysis undertaken shows this food to be made strictly of Wheat and Barley, treated by our processes to partially transform the starch parts into a form of Sugar, and therefore much easier to digest.

Our claim that it is a "Food for Brain and Nerve Centres" is based upon the fact that certain parts of Wheat and Barley (which we use) contain Nature's brain and nerve-building ingredients, viz.: Phosphate of Potash, and the way we prepare the food makes it easy to digest and assimilate.

Dr. Geo. W. Carey in his book on "The Biochemic System of Medicine" says:

"When the medical profession fully understands the nature, and range of the phosphate of potassium, insane asylums will no longer be needed."

"The gray matter of the brain is controlled entirely by the inorganic cell-salt, potassium phosphate."

"This salt unites with albumen, and by the addition of oxygen creates nerve-fluid, or the gray matter of the brain."

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ARMS AND PLANS FOUND

City Was to Have Been Surprised and Captured—Thousands at Lisbon View Remains of Royal Victims.

Marseilles.—The frustration on Friday last at Oporto of an elaborate plan to proclaim a republic is announced in a telegram which was received Sunday from one of the highest officials in Oporto by his brother, who has just arrived here from Lisbon.

According to the telegram, a large number of conspirators have been arrested, including the leaders. It was also stated that numerous bodies of militant republicans had been seen about the suburbs of Oporto. The police captured a large store of revolvers and carbines, together with the written plans of the conspirators. These plans indicated that it was the intention to take the city by surprise on Saturday night, invade the government house, imprison the governor and officials, destroy all lines of communication and establish a republic.

Thousands View Royal Dead.
Lisbon.—Thousands of Portuguese, poor and rich, humble and pretentious, filed slowly through the noble cathedral of San Vicente Sunday and gazed for the last time on the faces of their late king and crown prince.

When night fell and the doors of the church were closed there was still a large crowd patiently awaiting admission. They turned away disappointed when informed that the public lying-in state had been interrupted until Monday. On that day at two o'clock in the afternoon the caskets will be closed and transported to the Pantheon, where, with further ceremonies, they will be placed in the sepulcher.

All the people wore some emblem of mourning and in passing the coffins placed beneath them floral offerings. The bodies were guarded by officers of the army and navy, royal archers and the palace guards. Masses were said at various altars for the dead and prayers were offered in many homes.

In official circles it is believed that the ceremonies in connection with the coronation of King Manuel may not occur for two or three months, and perhaps may never occur, as the young king wishes to inaugurate his reign with as little ostentation as possible.

Indications point to relative tranquility for a few weeks, when republican activity and determination to proclaim a republic, which appear strongly in evidence, may force important developments.

France at Bordeaux.
Bordeaux.—Senator Franco arrived here Friday. The former premier of Portugal brought a large amount of baggage with him. A group of newspaper men awaited him at the station, but when they stepped up he waved them away with a gesture of weariness and ignored the questions they asked him. He walked quickly to his hotel.

The face of the man is haggard and he appears to be pre-occupied. He looks constantly to the right and to the left, as if he felt he should be prepared to forestall some impending physical danger.

Senator Franco told the manager of the hotel that he would remain over night, as he wished to change his Portuguese money into French money, having none of the latter. He did not say where he purposed going Saturday. The hotel was guarded all night by the police.

Railways to Reduce Salaries.

Cincinnati.—Vice President Murphy stated that Sunday, in view of the falling off in business and the decrease in revenues, the managements of the Cincinnati, New Orleans & Texas Pacific railway and Alabama Great Southern railroad have determined, as a step in their program of reducing expenses, to put into effect on March 1, 1908, a reduction of ten per cent in the pay of the president, vice presidents and other general officials and employees receiving monthly salaries of \$250 or over.

Public Printer Suspended.

Washington.—President Roosevelt Wednesday temporarily suspended as public printer Charles A. Stillings and appointed William S. Rossiter temporarily to fill the duties of that office. The action, as explained officially, is to facilitate the investigation now being made of the government printing office by congress.

Quits Pulpit to Fight Saloons.

Cleveland, O.—Rev. Charles M. Carroll, pastor of the Howe Avenue Congregational church, tendered his resignation Sunday to accept the superintendency of the anti-saloon league in the Pittsburgh district. Mr. Carroll's headquarters will be in Pittsburgh.

BOY TRAMPS HOLD MEETING

EXCLUDED BY HOBOES, THE LADS HAVE OWN CONVENTION.

"Kids" from Various Cities Tell Their Experiences and Give Advice to Others.

St. Louis.—Boy tramps who were drawn here by the national convention of the unemployed, now in session, and who were not permitted in the councils, which were limited to "hoboes," held a meeting Friday at which addresses were made by men of reputation among the wanderers.

"Kansas City Kid" was the guest of honor, because his "moniker" (monogram) is on more water tanks than that of any other traveler, and short speeches, brimful of advice, were delivered by other well-known tramps.

"New Haven Kid" contrasted conditions in the east and west and said his experience had been that a tramp is more liable to arrest in the east than the west. "Kid Murphy" of Springfield, Ill., advised against the use of "white line" (alcohol and water), saying it caused many hold-ups. "Jersey Red," who recently returned from Africa, advised tramps to keep away from the sea, because they had to work hard on ships. "Chi Kid VI," with pathos in his voice, told of 22 arrests in two months and advised the boys never to get off trains in front of stations, and recited the advantages of a "good front."

"Gen." J. S. Coxy urged the tramps to settle down that they might be voters by the time his bill came up in congress.

Rev. John Ellis and Dr. Reitman, who styles himself "King of Tramps," also spoke, urging the tramps to become "hoboes" and seek after work.

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It is believed that his mind was temporarily affected by his misfortunes, for there seems no doubt that he could have obtained ample financial help. He was a son of Judge John M. Gould, a veteran mill owner. Mr. Gould's son-in-law is Joshua Hale, of Newburyport, Mass., reputed to be a millionaire. Mr. Gould was 55 years of age.

HITCHCOCK TAFT'S MANAGER.

First Assistant Postmaster General Will Resign Soon.

Washington.—Announcement was made Friday of the approaching retirement from the postal service of Frank H. Hitchcock, first assistant postmaster general. Mr. Hitchcock will assume the management of the campaign of Secretary Taft for the republican nomination to the presidency.

The exact date of the retirement has not been determined definitely, but it probably will be about February 15.

Mr. Hitchcock will be succeeded as first assistant postmaster general by Dr. Charles P. Grandfield, who, for a little more than two years, has been chief of the bureau over which Mr. Hitchcock presides. Dr. Grandfield has been actively identified with the postal service for about 20 years and is widely known and highly esteemed, personally and officially.

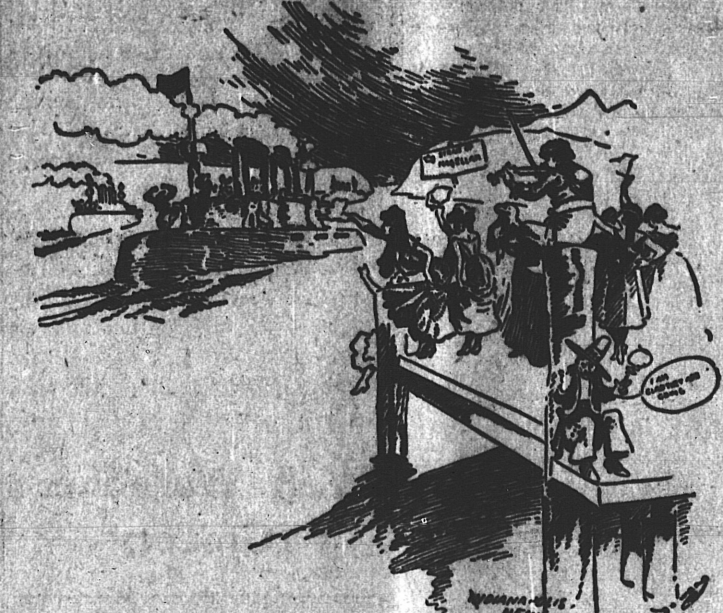
May Move Thaw to Poughkeepsie.

Fishkill Landing.—With the purpose of seeking an asylum more congenial to Harry Thaw than Matteawan state hospital, where he is now under observation, Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw and Daniel O'Reilly, one of Thaw's counsel, will inspect the insane asylum in Poughkeepsie next Monday. Mrs. Thaw and Mr. O'Reilly visited Thaw Friday, when the contemplated visit to Poughkeepsie was discussed.

Big Shipbuilders Suspend.

Sunderland, England.—The big shipbuilding syndicate of Sir James Laing & Son has suspended. The yards of the syndicate at Sunderland and Deptford employed 5,000 men.

EASING THE WAY THROUGH THE STRAIT.



RECEIVER FOR A VILLAGE.

Result of Tangled Financial Affairs of Cahokia, Ill.

Bellefonte, Ill.—Judge B. R. Burroughs, presiding in circuit court here, Saturday granted the petition of the Federal Union Security company of Indiana for an injunction to restrain George Lepelch from further acting as supervisor of the village and common fields of Cahokia and from collecting rentals from the tenants of 600 acres of valuable lands of that historic settlement. Frederick B. Morrills of Bellefonte was made receiver.

The court order results from an effort to readjust the affairs of the village, which were entangled as a result of the alleged failure of Supervisor Anthony Bordeaux, who served the village from 1882 to 1892, to turn over to Camille Drott, his successor, \$20,000 collected in rentals.

This is the first time in the history of Illinois courts that a receiver has been named for a village or city. The office of supervisor of Cahokia was created in 1732 and has been continued since with the same powers. The village is still governed by the laws given it by Louis XIV. of France.

SENT TO PRISON FOR FRAUD.
Sentence is Passed on Two Bank Wreckers of Elkhart, Ill.

Murphysboro, Ill.—W. B. Smith and James S. Nail of Henry county, Kentucky, were sentenced to the penitentiary for a term not to exceed five years in circuit court here for conspiracy to defraud the Elkhart (Ill.) State bank of \$5,192. Nail was president of the Mississippi Valley Banking company of Grand Tower, this county, which institution is now in the hands of a receiver.

It was charged that Smith came to Jackson county and organized a state bank at Elkhart, which had scarcely been opened when Smith and confederates in the south began to flood it with overdrafts and false drafts. Smith installed Nail as president of the bank. Smith was once president of the largest bank in Louisville, Ky. A fine of \$2,000 was assessed against Smith in addition to the prison sentence.

SON VIEWS HARGIS' BODY.

Murderer of Kentucky Judge Present Just Before the Funeral.

Jackson, Ky.—The funeral of Judge James Hargis, who met death at the hands of his son, took place in the little family burial ground on the crown of a knoll around which flows the peaceful North fork of the Kentucky river Saturday. Beech Hargis, the murderer, was permitted to view the body of his father before it was taken from the house. He was greatly overcome and fell on his knees and said: "Lord, have mercy." He was returned to the gloomy Breathitt county jail just about the hour that the body of his father was taken from the house and did not see the procession as it started on its way.

YARMOUTH MARRIAGE ANNULLED

Alice Thaw Freed from Earl by British Divorce Court.

London.—Sir Birrell Barnes, president of the divorce court Wednesday granted the countess of Yarmouth, who was Miss Alice Thaw, of Pittsburgh, a decree nullifying her marriage to the earl of Yarmouth. The case was heard in private. At the time fixed for the commencement of the proceedings every one not actually engaged on the case was excluded from the court room. The case was practically undefended, and the hearing lasted for only half an hour. The countess, attired in a fashionable black gown, was present, but the earl of Yarmouth was not in court.

The earl of Yarmouth did not defend the case, his lawyer satisfying himself with pointing out that the evidence of the doctor removed any stigma placed upon the earl by the evidence of the plaintiff and that there was no ground upon which the countess could have sued for divorce. The judge pronounced his decree, annulling the marriage without comment.

In the ordinary course of events it will be made absolute in six months. No mention was made of a marriage settlement, and it was learned from an authoritative source that, contrary to certain published statements, the question of revising the settlement has not been discussed by the principals or their solicitors and that it is not likely to be discussed. The brevity of the proceedings came as a surprise to everybody except those engaged on the case.

Cald MacLean is Released.

Tanger.—Cald Sir Harry MacLean, commander of the sultan's bodyguard and next to the sultan the most influential man in Morocco, has arrived here under an escort from the Bandit Raisuli, who has held him under bondage for the past seven months.

He was brought here in accordance with the agreement which the British government finally succeeded in making with Raisuli for his release, in return for which Great Britain will pay \$100,000 to Raisuli and guarantee him protection and immunity from arrest.

Three Killed by Gas Fumes.

Cleveland, O.—Three persons were asphyxiated and two probably were rendered fatally ill Sunday by escaping gas fumes. The dead are John Gehringer, an auctioneer; his wife Ida, and his niece, Mrs. Pansy Brockway of Peoria, Ill., who was residing at the Gehringer home. Harold Gehringer, a son, and his wife Millie were overcome, and are not expected to survive. While the family were sleeping the chimney became clogged with soot.

Elevator at Storm Lake Burns.

Storm Lake, Ia.—Wagner's elevator was completely destroyed by fire Friday afternoon. The building contained about 15,000 bushels of oats and a carload of flour and feed. The total loss is about \$70,000.

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Recent Happenings of Interest in the Various Cities and Towns.

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ILLINOISANS IN GOTHAM FEAST.

Natives and Former Residents of State Attend New York Banquet.

New York.—Natives and former residents of the "Prairie state" to the number of more than 22 celebrated the fifth annual banquet of the Illinois society at the Waldorf Astoria. Surrounded by great stacks of yellow-eared corn, the diners enjoyed an evening of song and speech, filled with reminiscences of the state's early days, a reminder of its present greatness and a prophecy of a golden future. Former Judge Elbert H. Gary, president of the Illinois society, presided.

PROHIBITIONISTS PLAN FIGHT.

Local Option Issue to Be Submitted to Woodford County Voters.

El Paso.—Prohibition leaders of Woodford county met here to plan a campaign for the local option fight next April in the following cities: El Paso, Minonk, Metamora, Roanoke, Washburn, Secor, Eureka, Panola, Woodford and Benson. The question of local option will also be submitted in each county township throughout the county. Eugene Chaffin of Chicago, and Secretary Wilson of the Illinois Anti-Saloon league addressed the convention.

BANKER GIVES HIS BOND.

Former President Appears Before United States Commissioner.

Benton.—R. A. Youngblood, former president of the Coal Belt bank at Benton and of the Salem State bank at Salem, Ark., appeared before United States Commissioner J. E. Knowles at East St. Louis and gave bond for his appearance in the federal court in answer to the charge of misappropriating \$17,000 of the funds of the Coal Belt bank.

Solution is Unique.

Cobden.—This city has come forward with a solution of the liquor problem that is original if not effective, although it may be the latter as well. Saloons were voted out last November and since then cider and other drinks continued to be sold. Among the alleged offenders was Marcus Vitt, a baker. An agreement was reached that if Mr. Vitt would cease selling drinks they would cease buying their bread in St. Louis.

Bought Stolen Goods.

Lincoln.—Jacob Isenhart, a junk dealer, pleaded guilty to receiving stolen goods and was fined \$20 and costs. Frank Tribbett of Mt. Pulaski pleaded guilty to assault and battery and was fined \$20 and costs. Guy Renner of Mt. Pulaski, who shot Carl Mason in a fight over the possession of a hunting dog and within a few days married Mason's mother, was admitted to \$1,000 bond.

Peoria Hotel Men Form Trust.

Peoria.—Fifteen Peoria hotel men have organized and secured a charter. One of their principal ideas is to have one steward who is to purchase the supplies for all the members of the association. It is also planned to purchase canned goods from the factories and fruits, vegetables and meat from the producers, eliminating the middlemen.

Havana Boy is Winner.

Mason City.—The gold medal in the Demorest oratorical contest at Mt. Pleasant was awarded to Joseph Butler of Havana. Leolis Koene of this city received second honors.

On Trial for Monmouth Murder.

Laporte.—The trial of Carl Farina for the murder last November of Philip Monden, formerly of Monmouth, took place in the circuit court here and attracted unusual attention, because of the sensational developments expected. Monden was shot while in company with Mrs. Farina, the latter's husband declaring after the shooting that he should have killed his wife also.

Boy Wounds Woman.

Mount Vernon.—John Rutherford, a 13-year-old boy, shot at a passenger train near his home south of Mount Vernon and the bullet struck Mrs. P. V. Huff, wife of the superintendent of the north and south divisions of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad, in the head, wounding her seriously. The boy will be prosecuted.

Accused of Cruelty.

Clinton.—Charges of cruelty have been brought against Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warren, of Farnell by Maud Rucker, their 17-year-old niece, that probably will be investigated by the authorities.

Millionaire's Wife a Farmer.

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Laporte.—The trial of Carl Farina for the murder last November of Philip Monden, formerly of Monmouth, took place in the circuit court here and attracted unusual attention, because of the sensational developments expected. Monden was shot while in company with Mrs. Farina, the latter's husband declaring after the shooting that he should have killed his wife also.

Boy Wounds Woman.

Mount Vernon.—John Rutherford, a 13-year-old boy, shot at a passenger train near his home south of Mount Vernon and the bullet struck Mrs. P. V. Huff, wife of the superintendent of the north and south divisions of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad, in the head, wounding her seriously. The boy will be prosecuted.

Accused of Cruelty.

Clinton.—Charges of cruelty have been brought against Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warren, of Farnell by Maud Rucker, their 17-year-old niece, that probably will be investigated by the authorities.

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GOOD ROADS AND THE FARMER'S WIFE.

The lot of the average farmer's wife is not an easy one. Her working hours are long, her tasks many and varied, and her reward is often meager.

From the moment she puts the kettle on in the morning, she is at work in earnest and each hour of the day brings its duties. Besides three square meals a day her housework and the lighter farm chores that may fall to her share, there are probably two, three, four or more children to care for and watch over.

In the afternoon when her hardest work is over, she sits down to rest,—comparatively that is, for she scarcely knows an idle moment,—her work basket by her side; she makes the children's clothes and her own, and a good share of her husband's as well; and there are always quantities of darning and mending to be done. This is the lightest work she knows. She is but fairly started before she must go to the farmyard, then the kitchen, and when her labors are finished she must seek sleep and oblivion to store up strength for the morrow.

She puts heart and soul into her work; she makes untold sacrifices for the welfare of her husband and the happiness of her children, and thinks last, if at all, of herself.

She is by no means inclined to be narrow, but it is a small world in which she lives day after day, and unless her horizon is at times extended and she comes in contact not only with others of her own nature but also with people whose very differences will interest, stimulate and broaden her, she will soon find her duties monotonous and her content-

How, then, may she obtain this mental as well as physical recreation? The neighboring farms and the nearby town are waiting to welcome her. To be sure there are times, even in the busy season, when she may spare a few hours if she will and if her husband does not let his selfishness stand in the way. He makes frequent trips to town, not for pleasure of course, but they serve as a diversion; and in the off season they both can go.

Then, with the time, the inclination and the necessary means of conveyance at her disposal, what can prevent her going? We feel she has won the much deserved holiday and is already on her way—but there may be one more obstacle to overcome; one that can cut her off as surely as a high mountain or deep stream; one that can place at naught all her preparation—use up her time and destroy her inclination. We have all encountered it, for we live in Illinois, and though we are proud of our native State we realize through bitter experience its short comings, paramount among which stand BAD ROADS.

Granting, then, that bad roads are a serious barrier to the busy farm wife, how much more keenly must this isolation be felt by the one who has plenty of time at her disposal. Even to the woman who has once lived in town, enjoying the advantages and reaping the benefits therefrom, this privilege is essential and without it her continued growth and happiness is at stake.

Whether she rides behind a pair of mules or in a rubber-tired runabout, bad roads will isolate the farmer's wife and deprive her of the friends, social life and enjoyment which lie beyond that practically impassable stretch and which are essential to her development.

The trouble is people are apt to consider bad roads unavoidable—a necessary evil on account of the cost of good ones. This is where the error lies. Good roads are within the reach of every township and road district in Illinois, and this can easily be demonstrated. Under State aid and the bond issue plan, hard roads,—good every day in the year—can be built and maintained at a cost of 10 to 15 cents per acre per year. Is this not worth considering?

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The Miracle of the Pelargonium.

By MA WRIGHT BARSON.
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We were at the Big Tree grove, little eastern bred Muriel, with pelargoniums at her slender waist, and I, a western writer. We had wandered through the inner grove, where the most mighty monarchs are—the Giant, General Sherman, Jumbo, the Sisters and others. We had reveled at the contrasts between trees 300 feet high and the cream cups and other sweet spring flowers nestling at their feet. Then we had gone through the gates into the outer forest and were sitting at the river's edge at the end of the



"THE MIRACLE OF THE PELARGONIUM!" swinging bridge. The rest of the party stayed away. We were to have this little goody hour apart.

"The Giant is 95 feet in circumference, 306 feet high and is estimated to be 3,000 years old," chanted Muriel in the words of the guide. "Or was it 5,000? Three thousand or 5,000? Oh, dear! Must I always refer to my notebook? Can I tell nothing without always referring to my notebook?" she demanded wildly.

I took the notebook from her.

"Your lips were not made for facts, dry as dust. They were made for—"

I had intended to say for poetry and romance. But, chancing to look at those lips, so red, so daintily curved, so wondrously alluring, I said "kisses," and I proved my assertion. No man could have helped it.

Of course she was very angry. I suppose I would not have had her otherwise, but she did not spring to her feet and run from me.

"I will not apologize, for you know I want you so, Muriel," I pleaded.

She regarded me scornfully.

"As I have told you before, I will not mate with a dreamer. Why do you not go into the world and do some mighty work? Everybody?"

"Everybody works but father?" I interrupted politely.

Even with my heart sore I could never help laughing at Muriel and her fine talk of workers—little dainty wisp of a creature, born to be worshipped and cared for, but taking so serious a view of life!

"Would you have me a hodcarrier?" I asked. "As it is, I dream, and my dream makes a book, and the book brings some dollars, and the dollars make several things possible. If I were a hodcarrier it would mean fifty dollars, though perhaps fewer of them. So the result is approximately the same, and you have no idea how much pleasanter it is to dream than to carry bricks."

"You are a trifle," she declared. "You ought to write a book which will make the world better."

"I am quite sure my books never hurt anybody's morals or manners," I insisted gently.

"Only a negative virtue," she responded. "The man I marry must be positive. He must look!"

She hesitated, gazing down at her Lady Washington flowers, which she had taken from her belt.

"How?" I asked, with some interest.

"I don't deny that I should be willing that he should look like you," she admitted, a fine color coming into her cheeks. "If only you would do something to make the world better!"

My mood had changed. I would plead no longer with this child. My mind went to the packet of letters I counted as among my treasures. They had come from different parts of the country after my first book had been launched. According to these, my mission was not a failure—my book, though a simple one, had made better at least a part of the world, but I would not tell Muriel this. I would not try to influence her in the least. I arose and held out my hand. In the distance the train was whistling.

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"One thing remember, dear child," I said gravely, "and that is that love blazes its own paths and cuts its own channels. If it be written that you are for me you will marry me in good time. Love brooks no interference in his realm."

Her cheeks stormed into color as I helped her to her feet.

"Do you see this Lady Washington?" she demanded, holding the pelargonium before me. "See, I lay it in the hollow of this little big tree. There is dirt in the hollow, and the pelargonium may grow. Coming again, I may find that it has taken root. So may I become your wife. The one is as possible as the other."

So Muriel went back to the east with her schemes of philanthropy, and I stayed in my west to dream and then to write, but I found that dreaming had grown to be a weary task when the most beautiful one of them all was a forbidden one, for I had lost faith in my own brave avowal of love's omnipotence.

Nearly a year had gone before I visited the Big Tree grove again. I went alone and took my solitary way to the river where I had said goodby to my dream of dreams. A furious storm had wrought some havoc there. Two or three of the lesser trees had fallen, and the swinging bridge had been twisted and broken and thrown upon the bank, while the swollen river raged angrily by it.

At last I turned away from my sad retrospection. My eyes caught a glimpse of blue in the distance, and somehow I thought of Muriel's dress as it looked on that other day when she had not been kind. But just then I was joined by the guide, who was quite a friend of mine. He had discovered a new plant and was naturally quite enthusiastic over it, so I went into the inner grove to view the discovery. After I had left him I still had a half hour before train time, so I went back to the broken bridge.

Again were my eyes caught by the glimpse of blue, and I saw that a woman was kneeling before one of the little big trees.

"Each to her oak the bashful dryads shrink," I murmured. "If oaks could have dryads, why not redwoods?" I asked myself. But when she turned her head and looked at me I started toward her.

"Muriel!" I cried, yet still half believing that it was a beautiful vision.

But she sprang to her feet, her white face going pink and her tear wet eyes holding a sweetness I had never seen there before. She pointed toward the hollow of the tree.

"Look, Armand, the miracle of the pelargonium!"

There, in the little sifting of dirt, grew the Lady Washington, not very sturdily, but still it had rooted and was alive. Her words came back to me:

"I might leave this flower here and, coming again, find that it had taken root. So might I become your wife. The one is as possible as the other!"

I held out my arms. She hesitated, and her color deepened.

"Don't think me bold, Armand. I didn't come seeking you. My mother is not well, and I came with her. I came—"

"You came because the love god sent you, sweetheart," I finished for her. "Now, come the rest of the way to the arms which may never let you go again."

Shy in her love, pulsing with life, glowing with happiness, she came to me. My dream came true.

"The east and the west are met together," I said. "Now I think I can write the book which will make the world better."

"Don't begin it just yet," she whispered, with her soft cheek against mine. "Let the world wait till you have loved me awhile."

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