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You will notice that there are watches for boys for \$1.00. Guaranteed they are, too for a year.

There are the most attractive Ladies' watches for from \$6 up to \$25. Some of the cases are plain; some beautifully ornamented. So ne gold, some filled.
All are by noted makers and all

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Then we interest the men at a cost of as little as \$5.

And there are better and still better grades all the way up to the most expensive timepieces that are

Let us show you our new line of jevelry just received. Most beautiful creations yet in bracelets, lockets, hat pins, ladies' and gents fobs, collar pins, waist sets, tie pius, cuff buttons, umbrellas and ouvenir spoons.

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Bibles is extra large.

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And remember that you get Coupon Tickers on the Piano

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from all stations. Peoria to Evansville inclusive, to any other station in either direction between those two cities where the return trip can be made the same day. Tickets on sale Sunday, May 2, and every Sunday thereafter, until further notice, at

One Fare for Round Trip with minimum rate of \$1.00.
No reduction of this ate will be made for children. Tickets are good only for return on date of sale. C. R. PLEASANT, Agent

MUST BE ON THE SOUARD

Plano Contest is Getting Hote and Give a Few Words of Advice to Whom it May Concern

The laborer is worthy of his hire. Something for nothing comes to a few fortunates.

In this piano contest be sure and consider no candidate as having withdrawn from the contest until so an nounced in the columns of this paper.

These candidates must consider that the merchants and others in this contest have given them a chance to win these prizes offered, and those who want any of them must work for them.

Any and all of these prizes offered are genuine articles, and cannot be given a way without something in re-

Now, as Mr. Whitton, in this plane contest business, has these girls nominated as agents, and they are to be credited with the work actually done, it is not just the purpose to collect tickets after the purchase is made.

It has been asked how long this will continue. It depends on the candidates. These candidates are advertisers and solicitors for these firms. We wonder how many have boomed any store and sent them trade. If you want the awards, earn your tickets.

No votes must be laid by in the stores for anyone. The purchasers will be shown a list of the candidates (if they have not decided) and allowed to vote just as they please. If they care for the votes they may write the name of the candidate on them and leave them there, or better, take them away; but all blanks leff belong to the merchant.

No one is accredited with any wor done in this office if they do not bring it here. If the editor brings it in, no claim is allowed.

The field is open, the harvest is ripe. Now, if ye candidates want awards, go after them. Rechants, not wholly for yourself.

If you know that E. J. Enslow will

give the money's worth; if you know that Enslow Bros. is a good place to trade; if you know what Newbould. Richardson Bros., A. T. Jenkins, E. E. Barber and Pet Pifer have to sell and can recommend them to those looking for bargains, blow your bugle for Sullivan and Sullivan merchants. I know this should be a trade center. So do you. Help it along.

Result of the first count:

1 Ruth Grigsby

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2	Clara Bragg	3022
3	Cora Haydon	1735
4	Jessie Buxton	1490
	Florence Baker	940
5	Ethel McClure	760
	Minnie Longwill	717
7 8	Laura Conard	447
9	Alta Purvis	315
10	Mrs. G. P. Martin	295
11	Alta Plank	252
12	Mattie Strader	212
13	Ivanora Vaughan	165
14	Alta Craig	150
15	Mabel Purvis	142
16	Ethel Dayis	87
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18	Ruth Waggoner	55
19	Mrs. Thomas Hall	47.
20	Myrtle Shaw	450
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Augustine the Optician

R. C. Augustine, the optician of Decatur, who has been visiting Sullivan regularly for several years past is prominent in state optical circles, being a member of the Executive Committee of the State Optical So-

An important meeting of the State ociety was held at Peoria last Thursday and Mr. Augustine was present. Plans are being made to sesure, if possible, at the next session of the legislature, the passage of a law governing the fitting of glasses.

Mr. Augustine has given his best efforts to the interests of the measure for several years, and such a law would be of great benefit to every person in this state who needs or wears glasses.

Take Notice No hunting or fishing allowed on G. C. HOGUE.

OBITUARY.

MRS. LEW LAMBRECHT.

Dora Vadakin was born in Sulli van, November 26, 1855. Married 1 Ed Kilner in June 1873. To the union were born two children, Harr Kilner, who has always remained home with his mother, and Mae, t wile of John Lucas, and residing

On the 2nd of April, 1900 she w married to Lew Lambrecht. She ha been an invalid, enduring inten suffering since October, 1902, her ail ment being of a cancerous natur For a long time she was in a helple condition, but much of her suffering was alleviated and her life's ills mad bearable by the patient, tender care and nursing bestowed on her by he husband.

Mrs. Lambrecht, after finishing the work of the public school here, tended St. Mary's Academy Terre Haute, where she took up th study of music. She won a reputa tion as a vocalist. For a number of vears she furnished both instrumenta and vocal music for many of the public entertainments in this city. Twen ty-five years she gave instructions in music, and made it a success.

She died at her home on East ter street, at about 8 p. m., Monday It was known for several days the her condition was growing muc worse, yet her friends did not realize that the end was so near.

Besides her husband, two children and a step-son' she is survived b one sister, Mrs. W. B. Towns Shelbyville, two brothers, Dr. Vad kin of Bethany and Ed Vadakin Forest City, Arkansas.

The funeral services were condu ed by Rev. Atkisson at the reside Wednesday at 2 p. m.. Interment at Greenhill cemetery.

Card of Thanks

We take this method of thanking our many friends and neighb who so willingly assisted us, a teelingly spmpathized with us in a affliction, caused by the death of and mother.

LEW LAMBRECHT MRS. JOHN LUCAS HARRY KILEER.

MRS. ANDREW WAGGONER.

Although it has been obvious for long time that Minnie, the wife of Andrew Waggoner; must soon pass from earth a victim of that dreaded disease, consumption, the announce ment Wednesday of her death came like a shock to her many grief-strickfriends.

Minnie was a frail little woman loving and lovely. To know her was to love her. She was about 22 years of age, the mother of two children, the first dying in infancy, the dreds of thousands of dollars worth younger, a babe about a year old. of property swept away in a twinkling The husband was always known as a good child, and his most excellent much wiser course to take the bull by ways have matured as he grew older.

We might say with such a bright institution in some city which will prospect for usefulness and happiness fulfill its promises and pledges.

the French graveyard, and a granddaughter of George Nash and wife, Nelson township a few years ago.

sympathy of a wide acquaintance, for they are all well and favorably known.

The funeral discourse was by Eld. J. W. Mathers at the French church, at I p. m. Thursday. Interment in the French cemetery.

Merchants Beware

Recently one of the young hopefuls of this town went into a store a common occurrence to see mere boys nal-Gazette. puffing at [cigarettes, pipes, snipes and cigars.

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Take Eastern Illinois I From Charleston

Great apprehension is being felt roughout the city by the circulaion of a rumor to the effect that an ther location may be sought for the lastern Illinois normal school, the ride of Charleston.

This rumor-and which it is said ame from Springfield-gained curency through the oft-repeated failre of the waterworks company-and incidentally the city-to furnish ademate fire protection to the handsome tructures which comprise the normal chool. Since the recent flood the vaterworks have been out of commision, and should a fire now start in the main building, nothing on earth could save it from destruction, and if uch a disaster should occur, nothing ave a strong favorable wind—an act of Providence—could prevent the destruction of the smaller and adjoining buildings.

This is not the first time the buildings have been placed at the indirect sercy of the fire fiend, but the board of trustees, Governor Deneen and the other officials who have supervision over the institution of learning, have taken up the matter of the flagrant violation of this part of the city's greement—that adequate fire protection be afforded at all times.

It is a notorious fact—and one that has been taken cognizance of by the board of trustees—that the city waterworks plant has never been so equipped that it could successfully cope with a blaze of only minor mag-nitude, and it is said that this fact has often been discussed at the monthly meetings.

Finally, so it is said, the matter as placed before Governor Deneen, with the result that he started an investigation into the charges, and found them substantially correct as rted.

this state of affairs is n generally known, and it will be ridi culed by some when the Journal-Gazette, through its Charleston correspondent, gives it to the world, but nevertheless, apprehension - way down deep apprehension-is felt on all sides lest the State of Illinois take some decisive action and decide to look elsewhere for a location for one of its principal schools of learning. It is felt by the state that the pledges given by the city of Charles ton-thought to have been entered into with good faith—have never held water, so to speak, and rather than run the risk of having several hunby the fire fiend, it is deemed to be a the horns, as it were, and locate the

why this sepatation, but God knows | Precedent is said to be found for possible action in the removal Minnie was the oldest daughter of of the state capital from Kaskaskia Monroe Shaw and wife, living near to Vandalia, and later from Vandalia to Springfield; also the contemplated removal of the state penitentiary at who moved to the West from East Joliet and abandonment of the buildings now in use and the construction The relatives have the heartfelt of an entirely new institution; also the contemplated removal of the southern Illinois penitentiary from Chester to some more desirable location.

Representatives of the Journal-Gazette have endeavored without success to learn it any information concerning the action of the board of trustees of the normal as outlined above had come to the knowledge of Mattoon people. If the trustees have and purchased some tobacco, which any such plan in mind, nothing is a violation of our law. His par- seems to be known about it here. It ents made a complaint, had the man may be safely said, however, that that sold it arrested and tried. This should positive action be taken by one sale of tobacco cost the merchant the trustees of the normal school a \$27.50 ine and cost. This part is looking to re-locating the institution, all right, but now the city should in- Mattoon, with its inexhaustible suptroduce a whipping post and bring it ply of water, its superior fire protec into use every time a youth asks for tion, its splendid railway facilities or receives tobacco from anyone, and general location, would not perwith or without compensation. The law is a little bit too one-sided. It is

Mr. and Mrs. Anshacher left Tuesday for Rochester, N. Y., having been Miss Josie Spitler took a short va-called there by a telegram stating cation from Millizen's store the first that one of Mrs. Ansbacher's sisters

AT THE COURT HOUSE SWIDT GRE

Reel Estate. James T. Brown to A. R. Scott, e fecord: \$4,750.

Roscoe T, Lilly to Margaret E. Langston, lots 2 e1/2 ne 16-14-6 171/2 acres; lots 2 se 14-14-6 29 314-435 acres 14-14-6; \$8087.50.

John S. Bolan to Newton Waggones lot 6 of block 22 in Gays; \$750. Amy Webb et al to Thomas Hale, e½ lot 3 s½ se 33·14-6; \$750.

A New Organization.

The charter members of the White Shrine of Jerusalem organized Thursday eveningfo last week.

This organization consists of about forty memebrs of Crystal Chapter No. 39 O. E. S. This new body will be known as the Cana Shrine. They made application to the Superior Shrine, and elected officers as follows:

Worthy High Priestess-Mrs. Nettie Whitfield.

Noble Prophetess - Mrs. Bernie Reese. Noble Shepherdess - Mrs. Jessie

Watchman of Shepherdess-Jas. A.

Steele. Secretary—Miss Myrtle Dunscomb Treasurer-Miss Mary Patterson. Chaplain-Mrs. Mary Miller.

Bacheler Girls Entertained

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gregory of Lovington entertained Misses Lucy Campbell, Blanche Lowe, Gladys Ellis, Pearl Powell, Ella Cummins, Dell Stricklin, Amy Hovey, Allie Gaddis, Loe Elder, and Mrs. Roy Seright in their elegant home last Friday evening. These ladies with a few others constitute the Bachelor Girl's club of Sullivan. The girls were late arriving in Lovington as the train was very late. Mrs. Gregory served supper soon after their arrival and the girls enjoyed themselves socially until 3 a. m. when they retired. They returned to Sullivan on the passenger Saturday morning, and express themselves as being highly ntertained and delighted with their trip to Lovington.

I have the only successful lawn mower sharpner in town as it has proven to be-can make your old machines run as good as new ones.

I prepare steam and gasoline engines, and am able to do almost any kind of work in the machine line. also handle engine fittings, such as pumps, injectors, oil cups, lubricators steam gauges, etc.

I have a line of the best grade of oils: cylinder and engine oil, hard oil, gear grease, boiler paint and belt dressing, etc.

Shop located in the southwest part of the city known as the Sunnyside machine shop. Call and see us. Phone 105.

G. A. DOLAN.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received by the clerk of the board of directos, E. C. Peadro, P. O. address Gays, Ill., Rural Route No. 1, until 1 p. m. June 1, 1908, for the erection and completion to be built in district No. 28, township 12, north range 6 east of 3rd p. m.

A certified check of \$100 to accompany each bid, same to be returned when contract is signed. Successful bidder to give bond of 50 per cent of contract price. Plans and specifications may be found at Meachants & Farmers Bank, Sulliyan, Ill., Commercial State Bank, Windsor, Ill., and Anderson Bros. Lumber Co's. office in Mattoon, Ill.

The directos reserve the right to reject any and all bids. A meeting will be held at the Whitfield school grounds at 2 p. m. Monday, June 1, 1908 to consid-

J W. HOSTETTER, Pres. E. C. PEADRO, Clerk. CHARLES NEAL.

Miss Bertha Haydon of Decatur at-Wednesday.

MARCH WALL

g the Next Week Will Pavor U th a View of Her New 840 Dress

COMMENCEMENT MAY 20. 8 P. M.

Music-Orchestra Invocation-Dr. T. J. Wheat. Vocal Solo, "Serenade by Pospi."my Hovey.

Welcome Address-Marye Barnes Address, "Who Are the Cultured? Jenkins Lloyd Jones. Presentation of Class-Prot, O. B.

Presentation of Diplomas-Presi-

dent of Board. Benediction-Rev. J. G. McNutt. Music-Orchestra.

CLASS DAY MAY 19, 5 P, M. Music-Orchestra.

Welcome Address-Amy Booze. Instrumental Duet, "La Czarine," Opal Ellis, Zelma McClure.

Class Play, "Merchant of Venice." Up-to-date. Class Motto, "Nihil sine Labore."

Class Flower, White Ros Class Colors, Green and White

Baccalaureate sermon 11 a. m. Sunday, May 17, at the Presbyterian church by Rev. W. L. Atkisson.

GRADUATES.

Marve M. Barnes, President. Freda Monroe, Vice President. Amy Booze, Secretary.

Edson Milligen, Treasurer. Mave Newlin Ralph Monroe Myrtle E. Shaw Opal Ellis Ethel McClure Ralph Booze J. Eden Martin

Fred Ziese

Viola Kesler Zelma E. McCiure Willis E. Cochran Jay Hollingsworth Loren Monroe Olive Clark Grace Davidson

Junior Medal Contest.

A double contest was held at the Bartist church Thursday night of last week.

Arthur Smith, Sullivan; Treva Roney, Jay Hieland and Merle Bone of oratorical contest. The gold medal was awarded to Miss Maud Winings of Lake City, which entitled her to enter the diamond medal contest at

Paris in June. Misses Agnes Murphy, Maud Whit-field, Edna Millizen, Edna Ray, Nina Fread, Lottie Wolfe and Charles Butler contested for the silver medal in the musical contest, Charles Butler

winning the honors. Rev. J. G. McNutt, J. T. Grider, Supt. J. C. Hoke, S. T. Fleming and Mrs. Charles Monroe were the judges. There was a good audience in spite of the bad weather, and the contest-

ants all acquitted themselves well. The Missouri Girl.

It is hard to imagine a more satisfactory entertainment than that given by Miss Sadie Raymond and her clever company this season in "The Missouri Girl." This attraction is too well-known to need anything ex the announcement of the date, which is almost sure to fill the theater. Sale begins May 18 at usual place, and to secure good seats you will have to come early, as more than of a one story frame school house likely there will be a rush for the best ones. The date of performance is Thursday night, May 21.

Advertised Letters

The following list of letters remain un called for in the Sullivan post office. H. C. Kart Done Wilder George Landers Taylor Plummer J. T. Smith (2) Ed Roslyn E. L. Hardin W. E. Henry Geo. McMullin Nettie Wiard Martha Stone Jessie Wagner

Mrs. Dode When calling for any of the above please say "advertised

P. J. HARSH, P. M

Strayed or Stolen

From my place one and three-fourth miles southwest of Kirksville, Sunday night, one bay horse 3 years old, weight about 1100 pounds. Leave any information at Weaver's store Kirksville, or see me.

JEROME JEFFERS. 1*

Mrs. Lucinda Arnett, after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Ruth Pate teraon, started Tuesday morning for Carl Junction, Mo., for an extended tended the funeral of Mrs. Lambrecht visit with her daughter, Mrs. John

JAP WARSHIP SUN

TRAINING CRUISER SENT TO THE BOTTOM BY EXPLOSION.

MORE THAN 200 DROWNED

About 150 Members of the Grew and dets Are Rescued by Two Other War Vessels—Many Officers Perish.

Tokyo. — More than 200 men, in cluding the captain and many other officers, perished early Thursday when the training cruiser Matsushima was sunk by the accidental explosion of a projectile. According to a repo from Admiral Yoshimatsu, comman ing the training squadron, the disas-ter occurred while the vessel was anchoring at Makang, in the Pesca-dores islands. About 150 of those aboard the Matsushima were rescued by the cruisers Hashidate and Itsuku

Cruiser Immediately Sinks The Matsushima immediately sand until only the bridge was visible. forts at rescue by boats from the cruisers Hashidate and Itsukushima continued for a long time, saving the lives of 141 men, including some of-ficers. The majority of the officers were not saved, and at the time of the admiral's report the cadets numbered 58 out of a complement of 300. The sons of Baron Chinda, vice-minister of the foreign office, and of Prince Oyama, field marshal, are among the cadets who it was feared were lost, also Capts. Name, Yoshmori and Ya-shiro. The cause of the explosion was unknown. Seek Facts Before Report.

Washington. — Baron Takahira, the Japanese ambassador, was just about to start for the state department Thursday when he was shown the dispatch from Tokyo telling of the loss of life by the explosion on the cruiser Matsushima. It was the first news the ambassador had received of the tragedy and he expressed deep regret over the occurrence. With their usual caution and conservatism the naval officials at Tokyo evidently are btaining all the information possible before giving out any full report of the disaster. No report of the explo-sion reached the navy department dur-ing the morning from the American al attache at Tokyo. Naval officer who at once looked up the record of the cruiser drew the conclusion that her loss was not a heavy one to the Japanese navy.

She was of less than 5,000 tons displacement and of a type which has not been followed since her construction. The peculiarity of the Matsushima was her armament, which consisted of one 12-lack arm records on sisted of one 12-inch gun mounted on her poop deck. In addition she car-ried 12 four-inch guns and a battery of smaller caliber and four above-water torpedo tubes. She was built in 1890, being designed and constructed at La Seyne, France. Her principal historic record consists of her part in the war between Japan and China, when she was the flagship of Admiral Ito in the battle of the Yalu river. She also participated in the battle of the Sea of Japan. Two sister ships were built, the Itsukushima in 1890 and the Hashidate in 1891. The cruiser had no armor. She is classed as a protected cruiser, having a protected deck of 1½ inches thick.

AID TORNADO SUFFERERS.

Work of Relief in Afflicted Southern States is Organized.

New Orleans. - The work of re lief for the tornado sufferers in Louisiana and Mississippi is now so thoroughly organized that it covers every part of the wide territory aft Hattiesburg Miss., Thursday Red Cross officials took charge of the care of the 160 or more severely injured in Hattiesburg hospitals. It is planned to concentrate as many of the badly injured as possible at Hattiesburg in order to better care for them. Some of the injured will be cared for at Lumberton and other towns.

Low Fare Helps Railroads. Des Moines, Ia. — With the two-cent fare law in operation for the greater part of the period, the eight representative railroads of Iowa show a net gain of \$383,057 in passenger earnings for the year ending January 1, 1908. Notwithstanding a falling off \$386,000 in the gross earnings for the same period, the conclusion is drawn that the reduction in price of mileage has benefited the railroads as well as the people.

Indian Chief Killed.

New Orleans. - Passengers arriving from Bluefields, Nicaragua, reported that the fighting between Mosquito Indians and Nicaraguans has ended with the killing of the Irdian chief. The fighting began about two months ago, and a large number of persons were reported to have been killed.

Peruvian Outbreak Suppressed. Washington.—A cablegram from Secretary of Legation Neill of Bogota, Peru, arrived here Sunday afternoon and informed the department of state

of the immediate suppression of the

outbreak near Lima.

Englishman Murdered in Egypt. Cairo, Egypt.-A British subject. Scott Moncreiff, deputy inspector of the Blue Nile province, and a native official, have been assassinated at the instance of a local Shelk, who pro-claimed himself prophet.

CITIZENS BEGIN ENTERTAINING THE BLUEJACKETS.

ge of United Atlantic and Pacific Fleets Through Golden Gate Will Be Stirring Spectacle.

Monterey, Cal.—The Atlantic fleet of battleships steamed in here Friday to give Monterey peninsula a place in the history of the American navy's record-breaking cruise around the world. The residents of Monterey and Pacific Grove and all the other settle-ments of the vicinity. Pacific Grove and an the comments of the vicinity made the occasion of the arrival a holiday. They dropped anchor at six o'clock in the morning and lingered long to view the beautiful marine spectacle of the 16 ships drawn up in divisional for-

A great variety of entertainments ashore, both for the men and the officers of the fleet, marked the first day of the battleships' stay and the visit of the squadrons promises to be a thoroughly enjoyable one.

New orders were issued covering the entry of the fleet through the Golden Gate into San Francisco bay on Wednesday, May 6. The revised plans provide for the most picturesque naval display in the history of the na tion. It is now ordered that all of the vessels of the Pacific fleet shall join the Atlantic battleships outside the Golden Gate and steam with them through the harbor entrance to the anchorage in the bay where the review of the navy is to be held. Practically the entire fighting force of the navy with the exception of a few newlycommissioned ships in the east and a few gunboats in Philippine waters, will be in the great column of white and buff vessels that thread their way between the headlands of the gateway -Point Bonita on the north and Point Lobos on the south.

Forty-six vessels will be in line and the long column will stretch as far out to sea as the eye can see. The variety of fighting craft will range from the massive 16,000-ton Connecticut down to the little destroyer Fox of only 154 tons.

ANXIETY FOR MR. CLEVELAND. Former President Said to Have Cancer of the Stomach.

New York,-Considerable anxiety was occasioned Friday by widely cir culated rumors that the condition of ex-President Grover Cleveland, who has been ill for several weeks at a hotel in Lakewood, N. J., had assumed a grave phase and that slight hopes were entertained of his recovery.

The Evening World gave prominence to reports current at the offices of the Equitable Life Assurance society, of which Mr. Cleyeland is a voting trustee, that the former presidents phy-



Grover Cleveland.

sicians had diagnosed his illness as cancer of the stomach and had decided that there was no hope of their distinguished patient's recovery.

Positive denial of these statements were not obtainable. Dr. Joseph D. Bryant, who has attended Mr. Cleveland for years, said that his patient was "all right" and that all his reports from Lakewood were favorable. answer to a question as to whether Mr. Cleveland was suffering from cancer of the stomach, Dr. Bryant said that as a physician he could not make public the diagnosis in the case of any of his patients. Any information on such a subject, were it to be given to the public, should come from the fam-

Algoma Steel Works Closing. Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.—The Algoma Steel company, one of the chief branches of the Lake Superior corpora tions, and operating a steel mill on the Canadian side of the line, Saturday blew out blast furnace No. 1. Furnace No. 2 will be blown out this week. This action follows the recent closing of the rail mills. By the end of the week every branch of the mill will be closed and 1,500 men will be idle.

Burglars Take Hotel Safe. Newark, N. J.—Burglars Friday en tered the Union Avenue hotel in Irvington, carried off a safe weighing 700 pounds and said to contain \$3,000 worth of jewelry and rare coins dragged it across lots a distance of 600 feet, blew it open with nitroglycerin and escaped with the contents.

Last Real D. A. R. Is Dead. Woodbury, Conn.-Miss Rhoda Augusta Thompson, the last real daugh-ter of the American revolution, died at her home here Friday.

CINAL STRUCTURE IN

PLEA OF BOARD OF LIVE STOCK COMMISSIONERS.

PROTECTION FOR BREEDER

Under Present Incomplete Statut Report* Shows an Enorm Amount of Money Saved, an Public Health Protected.

Springfield, Ill., May 4.—Additional ewers conferred upon the Illinoi board of live-stock commission the last general assembly has pla that board upon a more substantial footing and has opened up a new field of usefulness. This is the report submitted to Governor Deneen by the members of the commission. The act asked for and secured by

the commission confers upon the board the power to examine any ani-mal intended for human food which is believed to be affected with any at ment which would render the careas unfit for such purposes, and to orde its destruction and post-morten inspec tion. This law not only protects the consumer by excluding unfit carcasses from exposure for sale for food puposes, but constitutes the board of live stock commissioners a guardian of the shippers' interests as well, and

he gets what is coming to him.

In the 13 years that the inspection system has been practiced at Union Stock Yards, Chicago, 175,000 head of cattle have been inspected by the board on account of the single disease of lumpy jaw. Of this number 60,000 were held for post-mortem in spection and about 30 per cent. of number were condemned as unfit for food, and tanked. It is estimated that this system has brought about a direct saving to the live stock interests of over \$300,000 annually at this one point.

Discussing the contagious disc to which live stock is subject, the board calls particular attention to the tuberculosis situation. Prompt, de cisive action toward arresting progress of this disease is declared to be essential. The report gays that evidence at hand shows the disease is making extensive inroads among the dairy and breeding cattle in the state to say nothing of the human lives that are imperiled through the use of dairy products carrying germs of the

Asks for Exclusion Power. Legislation requiring certificates of health showing that cattle are free from this disease or any other contagious or infectious disease before being admitted to the state is proposed by the board as a solution of the tuberculosis problem. It is sug-gested that such an act would make it obligatory upon the owners of dairy or breeding cattle desiring to bring them into the state either to presen such certificates of health or require ing that the animals be held in quarantine until inspected at the expense of the owner and pronounced by a competent veterinarian to be free from

In the report considerable space is given to a comprehensive statement of the conditions at Union stock yards. Chicago, where, through the co-operation of the Chicago live stock ex-change and the United States bureau of animal industry with the state board, a system of inspection of meat producing animals has been built up that approaches perfection, by the operation of which the interests of the officer at such ante-mortem inspection shipper are fully protected and the has a reasonable doubt as to the fitumer is assured of wholesome and untainted meat.

The insufficiency of the law is shown in such diseases as scables in cattle er or his agent a receipt for the ani-and sheep, the former of which is a mal, weighs it to the state of Illinois recent importation from the western and puts it in a quarantine pen under ranges that has been the cause of the custody of the Chicago Live Stock much alarm among owners of cattle.

satisfactory evidence of the health of all animals from other localities before they are permitted to cross the state line, not the slightest fear need be entertained that either of these diseases would obtain foothold in this

Southern Fever Under Control.

Southern cattle fever, which former, ly was a most vexatious problem, has en brought under complete subjection through the efforts of the live stock sanitary boards of the country, and for a number of years the fatalifles from that disease in Illinois have been confined entirely to cattle that have contracted the infection en route, and in no case has the disease spread to native cattle.

Referring to the workings of this system, the report says: "For years previous to 1893 the commercial traffic in diseased cattle, especially those afflicted with actinomycosis, commonly known as lumpy jaws, particularly at market centers, ecome so widespread and general as to create a popular demand for regulation by the authorities. The live stock feeders, breeders and ship-pers were clamoring for a uniform, fair, systematic inspection through which they would be afforded honest and just treatment in the disposition of their live stock suspected of being diseased, and proper treatment on the disposal of their merchantable property, instead of having same subject to the whims and caprices of a combine of traffickers in suspected and diseased live stock, and on the other hand the press and the public were clamoring for protection from eating diseased meat from which the visible evidences of disease had been removed at slaughter and which was retailed to consumers as sound, wholesome

countries, as an arguing the shipment of American food products, as ts, and in some ca beef food products, and in some cases materially aided in closing certain channels of outlet for America's sur-plus, thereby creating, to the extent such orders for export products would have on the demand, a relative depres-

sion of market values.

"The traffic in diseased cattle had become so well organized, the opportunities for its perpetuation were so great, and the financial rewards to those engaged therein so large, that the state found itself unable, with its limited available means, to cope with the situation, and it was then that the governor of the state of Illinois, in a personal appeal to the members of the Chicago live stock exchange, at a largely attended meeting, solicited the co-operation of the exchange in aiding the state to protect the in-terests of its live stock feeders, pro-ducers and shippers on the one hand and the health of the consumers of meat on the other. As a result of such meeting the state entered into a contract with the exchange, by pro viding a set of rules governing

inspection system.
"The efficiency of the system is priincipally due to the fact that practically all the consignees of the re ceipts of cattle at the Union St yards of Chicago are members of the Chicago Live Stock exchange, amenable to its rules, and who cheerfully comply with all the provisions of the joint rules governing the inspection, thereby insuring the absolute certainty that all suspected animals have to run the gauntlet of a disinterested impartial inspection before being offered for food purposes.

Inspection Means Protection. "It is the duty of every firm or its employes at the Union Stock Yards, Chicago, upon the receipt of a consignment of cattle, to examine same before offering for sale, and upon dis covering any evidence of disease to call upon the assistant state veterinarian for an ante-mortem inspection, which being had, such officer furnishes his conclusion of such examination by placing a stamped and numbered in the ear of each animal examined by him. If, in his opinion, the animal examined is found to be healthy and free from disease, the inspector uses a round tag, turns the animal back to the salesman, and it then becomes, under the provisions of the rules of the exchange, a merchantable animal, and is not subjected to any depre ciated market value on account of its theretofore suspected diseased condi-tion, and the animal is invariably sold with and for as much as any on of the unsuspected animals in the drove to which it belongs, about the only exception being lack of competi-tion for such cattle from buyers for

export.
"Such animals, before the adoption of the present system, were taken out of the droves in which they belonged and sold to traffickers in this class of cattle at a great depreciation from tablished, and as the board has under this system inspected over 118,000 head of such cattle it can readily be seen that the service in this particular has saved the producer over \$2,360,-000. This amount is in addition to the saving under this system on cattle held thereunder for a postmortem inspection, under which upward of 70,000 head have been slaughtered.

ness of the animal examined for food he puts a suspect, square numbered tag in the animal's ear, gives the own exchange, thereby removing it for th With an adequate law requiring time being from the avenues of traffic. All animals thus turned to the exchange as suspects are cared for, watered and fed, and each week number are slaughtered at an agreed upon local slaughter house, where each carcass is subjected to a criti-cal post-mortem inspection conducted by three sets of competent veterinarians, representing the State of Illinois, the city health department of the city of Chicago and the federal government, each of whom act independently in passing upon the fitnes for food of each carcass examined. Record for Each Animal.

"The Chicago Live Stock exchange, acting for the owners of live stock handled through this system, keeps every animal and its results of slaugh-ter absolutely separate and distinct, and through a comprehensive system of accounts furnishes owners a com-plete statement of the details of the disposition and sale and a check for the net proceeds arising from the sale of each animal slaughtered.

"The state and the exchange are ab solutely devoid of interest of any nature whatever, except such as is tak-en to conserve the interest of the owner of live stock and the public, by seeing to it that they have a fair, square, just and impartial treatment in the disposition of their property on one hand and protection from the some meats on the other."

All Counts in the Profits.

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But He Had to Play Mean Trick on Himself to Do It.

far from Glasgow breakfasted overy morains on porridge, and, in order to save fuel, cooked a whole week's supply overy Saturday. One Friday morning the stuff seemed very cold and very salt, and he feit he must abandon the struggle to eat it. But his stubborn nature forhade any such thought. So he fetched the whisky from the cupboard, poured out a glass and placed-it-before him on the table.

"Now, Sandy," said he, "if ye eat that parritch ye'll hae that whisky, an' if ye don't ye won't."

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He stuck sgain at the last spoonful, but keeping his eye steadily on the glass of whisky, he made a bold, brave effort, and got it down. Then he slowly and carefully poured back the whisky into the bottle with a ground srip, as he said to himself. groad grin, as he said to himself: "Sandy, my lad, I did ye that time, ye ould fule!"

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