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## CHURCH SERVICES

### METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School 9:30 a. m.  
Preaching at 10:45 a. m.  
Subject—"The Brotherhood of  
Man."

Epworth League at six o'clock.  
Preaching at 7:00 p. m.  
Subject—"The Part We Must Take  
in Our Own Salvation."  
You are cordially invited to these  
services.

J. F. WOHLFARTH D. D., Pastor.

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The regular services will be held  
in the Baptist church as follows:  
Sabbath school at 9:30.  
Preaching at 10:45.  
There will be no evening service.  
The public is invited.

### CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The Sunday evening subject will  
be "The Reasons For and the Hin-  
drances to a United Church." Great  
audiences are hearing this series of  
sermons. Do not forget the Bible  
school and the Y. P. S. C. E.

### Grand Jurors.

The following grand jurors have  
been drawn for the March term of  
circuit court.

Sullivan—C. F. Beitz, Chester  
Horn, H. H. Chaney.

Lovington—M. E. Kester, J. A.  
Aachermann, G. W. Bryant, O. F.  
Cochran.

Low—D. N. Huckleberry, A. E.  
Rigg.

Dora—George Gifford, Jonathan  
Reese.

Jonathan Creek—Rollo Thomas,  
Walter Bolin.

East Nelson—J. B. Tabor, Ed  
Burcham.

Whitley—D. E. Cotner, Ray Phil-  
pot, Wm. Townley.

Marrowbone—J. B. Wegaman, John  
Sampley, D. R. Bone.

### In Trouble Again.

Mrs. Bertha Dennis was placed  
under arrest for disturbing the  
peace at the home of her mother-in-  
law, Mrs. Jasper Mariner. Mrs. Mar-  
iner's first husband was a Dennis.

The trouble occurred Sunday even-  
ing. Mrs. Dennis has a little daugh-  
ter six years of age, a very intelli-  
gent little girl. She says her mother  
had no revolver, and that her grand-  
mother first slapped her mother.

Mrs. Dennis was given a hearing  
in Enterline's court, Monday, and  
bound over to the March grand jury.  
Not being able to give security she  
was committed to the county jail.

### Wyman Park Site.

At a session of court on January  
31, 1914, Judge W. G. Cochran or-  
dered the trustees of the Wyman estate  
to pay to Charles Monroe \$1500, D.  
L. Enslow and wife \$1500 and J. B.  
Titus \$15,340 for the land respective-  
ly purchased from them as abstract  
and title were furnished.

The trustees, Thos. G. Hughes and  
J. E. Jennings, were ordered to pay  
the taxes of 1913 out of the Wyman  
funds yet in their hands.

The trustees were further ordered  
to collect the notes remaining in  
their hands, when due, as soon as  
practical, the money going to the  
city.

## SUPERVISORS' PROCEEDINGS

Special Meeting of the Board on  
Dec. 16 and 17, 1913

(Continued from last week)

The following petition of Thoman  
H. Scott, asking that the county ex-  
ecute a quit claim deed was read by  
the clerk.

State of Illinois,  
Moultrie County.  
To the Honorable Chairman and members of  
the board of Supervisors of said County,  
in the State aforesaid:

Thoman H. Scott, of Sullivan, in the county  
of Moultrie and state of Illinois, respect-  
fully represents that he purchased the fol-  
lowing described real estate, to-wit:

Lots two (2), three (3) and four (4), in  
Block eleven (11), of the Original town of  
Sullivan, in the county of Moultrie and  
state of Illinois, on the 21st day of April  
1886.

That the title to said lots is evidenced by a  
straight and connected chain of deeds ex-  
tending from the 26th day of November,  
1849, to the present time; and that on said  
date, November 26th 1849 one J. Wilson  
Ross made conveyance of said lots to Jas.  
H. Keller, which deed is recorded in Vol.  
C of Deeds, on page 140, in the Recorder's  
office of Moultrie County, Illinois.

That it is generally understood that the  
said Moultrie County sold and transferred  
all of said original town of Sullivan, except  
the Court House Square, and as there is no  
deed to said lots appearing of record from  
said J. Wilson Ross, your petitioner believes  
that the record of said deed was destroyed  
by fire in the burning of the court house on  
the 24th day of November, 1874.

Therefore, the undersigned petitioner  
prays this Honorable Board that it pass a  
resolution authorizing Cash W. Green, county  
clerk of said county, on behalf of, and  
in the name of said county to execute and  
deliver to the undersigned petitioner or  
his subsequent grantees, Henry McGinnis  
and John L. Clark a quit claim deed con-  
veying to him, or them, the real estate above  
described in order to perfect the title there-  
to.

Dated at Sullivan, Ill., this 11th day  
of October, 1913. Thos. H. Scott.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this  
11th day of October, 1913.

CASH W. GREEN, County Clerk.

Upon consideration of said petition,  
Mr. Snyder introduced the following  
resolution, to-wit:

Be it resolved, by the Board of Super-  
visors of the County of Moultrie and State  
of Illinois, that Cash W. Green, county  
clerk of said county, be, and is hereby au-  
thorized to execute and deliver on behalf of,  
and in the name of said County of Moultrie,  
a quit claim deed, conveying to Henry Mc-  
Ginnis and John O. Clarke, subsequent  
grantees, the following described real estate  
to-wit:

Lots (2) three (3) and four (4) in Block  
Eleven (11) in the original town of Sullivan  
in the county and state aforesaid, had that  
the said Thoman H. Scott pay all costs in-  
curred to the execution and delivery of said  
deed.

Moved by Mr. Snyder and seconded  
by Mr. Neff that resolution be  
adopted. Which said motion carried,  
and the county clerk was directed to  
execute quit claim deed in accordance  
with said resolution.

The orders of Hon. Isaac Hudson,  
county judge, to the county board, in  
the matter of the application of  
Clara Elliott and Mary Steed, re-  
spectively, for relief under the Moth-  
er's Pension Act, were presented be-  
fore the board by the clerk. Said or-  
ders direct that the Board through  
its county agent or otherwise, pay to  
said Clara Elliott and Mary Steed,  
respectively, the amount specified in  
the orders of the court heretofore en-  
tered in the county court, granting to  
said parties relief under the pro-  
vision of an Act of the 48th General  
Assembly, approved June 30, 1913.

Thereupon the following resolution  
was introduced by Mr. Sconce, to-  
wit:

Whereas, it is provided by Section 9 of an  
Act of the 48th General Assembly, granting  
aid to mothers and their children, approved  
June 30, 1913, that whenever the County  
Judge shall enter an order granting relief to  
any mother of a child or children, the said  
judge may make an order upon the county  
board to pay to such mother at such times  
as said order may designate, the amount al-  
lowed for her relief, and that thereupon it  
shall be the duty of the county board through  
its county agent or otherwise, to pay such  
mother at such time as said order may de-  
signate, the amount specified in such order; and  
Whereas, the county of Moultrie, has no  
regularly appointed county agent, now,  
therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Board of Supervisors of  
Moultrie County, Illinois, that Cash W.  
Green, county clerk, be and he is hereby  
appointed as the Agent of the Board of Su-  
pervisors of Moultrie county, and as such he  
is hereby empowered and directed to draw  
warrants on the County Treasurer of said  
Moultrie county against the appropriation  
for mothers' pensions, at such times and in  
such amounts as may be designated in any  
proper order heretofore or hereafter to be  
entered by the County Judge of Moultrie  
county in all applications for relief under  
said law.

It was moved by Mr. Sconce and  
seconded by Mr. Snyder that resolu-  
tion be adopted. Which said motion  
carried and it was so ordered by the  
board.

In the matter of the claims of the  
Central Illinois Public Service Com-  
pany for lights at court house and  
jail, Mr. Sconce directed the atten-  
tion of the board to the fact that the  
county could effect a considerable sav-  
ing on its bills if some provision were  
made whereby said claims could be  
paid at the time they are filed with  
the clerk, as the company allows a  
discount of one cent per kilowatt  
hour on bills paid before the 10th of  
the month following the rendering  
of the bills, and he therefore moved  
that the clerk be directed to arrange  
for payment of the claims of said  
company at the time the same are  
presented and filed with the clerk.  
Motion prevailed.

Mr. Ray introduced the following  
resolution, to-wit:

Whereas, at an informal meeting held  
at the court house in Sullivan, Illinois, on  
the third day of December, 1913, it was decided  
by the Board of Supervisors of Moultrie  
county to employ E. J. Miller to assist the  
state attorney of Moultrie county in pro-  
secuting certain criminal cases, and

Whereas, said attorney has, in accordance  
with the request of said board, proceeded  
with said prosecutions, and some of the said  
cases since said date have been tried in the  
circuit court, others have been continued,  
while others have been certified to the county  
court, and it is desired by said board that  
a record be made of said employment, there-  
fore, be it

Resolved, by the Board of Supervisors of  
the County of Moultrie and State of Illinois,  
that said employment so made on the third  
day of December, 1913, be, and the same is  
hereby ratified, and that said employment  
shall continue until all of the cases returned  
by the special grand jury at the September  
term, 1913, of the circuit court, are disposed  
of, and shall also continue in the perjury  
cases against A. H. Miller and Delmar Hill,  
and until the said cases are finally disposed  
of by the supreme court of Illinois, if they  
shall be removed to said court.

Moved by Mr. Ray, seconded by  
Mr. Morrison, that the resolution be  
adopted; which motion carried and  
resolution was adopted.

The clerk read a number of com-  
munications from the state highway  
commission and on motion the same  
were ordered placed on file.

Mr. Sconce presented the following  
resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, by the Board of Supervisors of  
Moultrie county, Illinois, that in addition to  
the compensation to be paid the county su-  
perintendent of highways, heretofore fixed  
by the board at its meeting held September  
25th, 1913, said county superintendent of  
highways be allowed actual and necessary  
expenses incurred by him while in the per-  
formance of his duties as such county su-  
perintendent of highways.

The clerk presented before the  
board, for its approval, the map show-  
ing proposed state aid roads, which  
had been returned to him by the Illi-  
nois State Highway Commission, said  
map showing the changes and addi-  
tions in the routes originally selected  
by the board at its meeting held Sep-  
tember 25, 1913, and deemed neces-  
sary to be made by the said commis-  
sion in order to connect with routes  
in adjoining counties. The changes  
made by said commission in the origi-  
nal routes selected by the board were  
discussed by the members and were  
not entirely satisfactory to the board.

Mr. Ray moved that the committee  
heretofore appointed to appear before  
the State Highway Commission, be  
instructed to request of the commis-  
sion a rehearing in the matter of the  
relocation of the routes for state aid  
roads, as changed by said commission  
and as indicated on the original map  
submitted to said commission by this  
board. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Morrison that board  
now proceed to the selection of a  
county physician and a county su-  
perintendent of highways; that a vote by  
ballot be had on all applications and  
that a majority of all votes cast be  
necessary to a choice. Motion car-  
ried.

Applications for the position of  
county physician for the ensuing  
year were received from J. A. Lucas,  
M. D., and W. E. Scarborough, M. D.  
Tellers were appointed and a ballot  
was taken, resulting in six votes for  
Dr. Lucas and three votes for Dr.  
Scarborough. Dr. Lucas having re-  
ceived a majority of all votes cast,  
the chairman declared him elected to  
the position of county physician for  
the ensuing year as per terms of pro-  
posal submitted by the said J. A.  
Lucas, M. D.

The names of Frank Doughty, W.  
S. Harris, Earl Peadro and T. C.

Fleming having been certified by the  
State Highway Commission to the  
board as being eligible for appoint-  
ment to the office of County Superin-  
tendent of Highways, the board pro-  
ceeded to ballot upon the same. The  
ballot resulted as follows:

W. S. Harris received four votes,  
T. C. Fleming received five votes and  
no votes were cast for any of the other  
above named applicants.

Thereupon Mr. Morrison offered the  
following resolution, which was  
adopted, to-wit:

Whereas, it appearing from the result of  
ballot taken by the board that T. C. Flem-  
ing having received a majority of all votes  
cast for the appointment to the office of  
County Superintendent of Highways, there-  
fore

Be it resolved, by the board of supervisors  
of Moultrie County, Illinois, that the said  
T. C. Fleming be, and he is hereby appointed to  
the office of County Superintendent of High-  
ways of the County of Moultrie for the  
term of six years or until his successor is  
duly appointed and qualified.

It was ordered by the board that  
the members thereof be allowed the  
amount set opposite their respective  
names for their per diem and mileage  
at this meeting of the board, and  
that the clerk issue orders on the  
county treasurer therefor, as follows,  
to-wit:

W. D. Kinkade, 3 days, 16 miles.....\$ 7.00  
O. W. Fleming, 3 days, 16 miles..... 7.00  
Jas. Morrison, 3 days, 16 miles..... 7.00  
Wm. O. Neff, 3 days, 13 miles..... 7.00  
E. T. Ray, 2 days, 1 mile..... 6.10  
M. E. Sconce, 3 days, 10 miles..... 7.00  
J. B. Martin, 3 days, 10 miles..... 7.00  
Thos. Snyder, 3 days, 6 miles..... 6.00  
F. M. Yarnall, 3 days, 6 miles..... 6.00  
Cash W. Green, 3 days..... 19.00

On motion the board adjourned.

Attest: CASH W. GREEN, Clerk.

## The New Minister.

The play is a comedy and very fun-  
ny. The plot of the play is a country  
church, the New Minister, a bunch  
of old maids bent on matrimony,  
making proposals and dates of mar-  
riage to the new minister. The La-  
dies Aid society all busy gossiping  
and each offering her own suggestions  
for the good of the church, the com-  
fort and future of the minister.  
There is no end of humor among and  
between the aforesaid bunch of wo-  
men, then appears on the scene an  
intelligent, modest little school marm;  
she and the new minister fall in love,  
a very serious case; and O my, the  
Old Maids! You ought to see them.

The music producers of the church  
are three men, a farmer, doctor and  
the country squire, that august,  
learned administrator of justice.

They call upon the minister and  
dictate subjects for preachments and  
anti-preachments. He must not touch  
temperance, their best financier is a  
brewer, etc. For the rest be present  
at the Armory, Tuesday evening,  
February 17. Thirty-five characters  
in the play. Admission 25c and 35c.  
Tickets placed on sale at Barber's  
book store, February 14.

Cast of characters of "The New Minister."  
Rev. H. A. Browne.....Harry Barber  
Prof. Topanote.....Don Campbell  
Ralph Butler.....Lewis David  
Seth Perkins.....Frank Smith  
Dr. Hoosick.....E. F. Connor  
Hezekiah Sharp.....John Gaddis  
Creedsy Platt.....Hugh Murray  
Odella Haslin.....Mrs. Ethel Scarborough  
Petunia Pimples.....Miss Eugenia Burns  
Henrietta Sharp.....Mrs. Kate Hudson  
Mrs. DeLancy.....Mrs. Christine Smith  
Mrs. Spicer.....Mrs. Florence Sablin  
Daisy Lovejoy.....Miss Edna Cammins  
Uncle Alex.....Dr. Scarborough  
Mrs. Aug. Wind.....Miss Bertha Richardson  
Choir—Mesdames Ida Davidson, Kate  
Hudson, Ethel Scarborough, Misses Ma-  
bel Martin, Nellie Ray, Eugenia Burns.  
Messrs. Don Campbell, Frank Smith, Lewis  
David.

Ladies' Aid—Mesdames Christine Smith,  
Ethel Newbould, Mabel Gibson, Florence  
Meyers, Maud Nicholson, Gertrude William-  
son, Florence Sablin. Misses Bertha Rich-  
ardson, Eugenia Burns.  
Old Maids—Mesdames Ethel Scarborough,  
Kittie Craig, Pearl Crowder, Edith Gaddis,  
Kate Hudson, Ida B. Davidson. Misses  
Mabel Martin, Nellie Ray, Meri Meyers.  
Pianist—Mrs. Maud Ball.  
Directress—Mrs. Jessie Newbould.

## Public Sale.

J. M. Wolf will sell at public sale  
at his farm two miles west and one-  
half mile north of Sullivan, on Mon-  
day, February 16, the following prop-  
erty: 75 tons of clover hay, 25 bush-  
els of clover seed, 600 bushels of seed  
oats, 3 head of work horses, 35 head  
of hogs, 13 head of cattle, 5 tons of  
good oats straw. For particulars  
and terms see large bills.

## Auto Painting.

First class carriage and automo-  
bile painting. Call or see J. R. Stud-  
er, Newbould garage. adv 6-2

## HUGHES, "THE SHOE MAN" SAYS:—

### "All Men are Liars"

But it does not imply  
that all men are all the  
time telling lies.

Honest men can and  
do make mistakes, but  
they will also rectify  
them.

An "Ax-i-om" is a  
self-evident Truth.

What we want to tell  
you about Taylor Tailor-  
ing is also a self-evident  
truth—for the same men  
are coming back, season  
after season, for their tail-  
or-made Suits.

(We will give you the names  
and will be only too glad for  
you to talk with our numerous  
satisfied customers because we  
know their talk will be convincing evidence of the satisfaction they  
feel in our ability to give them what they want, and are paying for.)

We want you to see the many good  
things that we are showing for this  
Spring in TAYLOR Tailoring....

We are game—our "Hat is in the Ring." We are go-  
ing to get you if you don't look out, for of all the  
many nice lines that TAYLOR has gotten out from  
time to time, we think he has far outstripped any of  
his former efforts in this SPRING LINE.



## Woman Suffrage.

One of our friends in Springfield,  
Ill., in complimenting us on our pro-  
posal to publish information of spe-  
cial interest to women voters, reminds  
us of these figures:

Vote of Illinois House of represent-  
atives on Woman Suffrage.

	Soc.	Pro.	Rep.	Dem.	To.
For woman	3	24	23	24	63
Against woman	0	0	14	44	58
Absent	0	0	5	4	9

Present, but not  
voting 0 1 1 1 3

Per cent of party voting for woman  
suffrage—Soc., 100 per cent; Prog., 96  
per cent; Rep., 61 per cent; Dem., 33  
per cent.

Per cent of party voting against  
woman suffrage—Soc., 0; Prog., 0;  
Rep., 27; Dem., 60.

## Republican Primaries.

East Nelson township mass convention,  
Saturday, March 21, 2 p. m. at Allenville.

Jonathan Creek mass convention Sat-  
urday, March 21, 10 a. m. at Towa Hall.

Whitley township mass convention Sat-  
urday, March 21, 2 p. m., Smyser school.

Low township mass convention Saturday,  
March 21, 2 p. m. at Arthur, State bank  
building.

Dora township mass convention Saturday,  
March 21, 2 p. m., Dalton City, J. H. Up-  
pendahl's office.

Marrowbone township primary Saturday,  
March 21, polls open from 1 to 5 p. m. at  
Bethany.

Lovington township primary Saturday,  
March 21, polls open from 12 to 5 p. m. at  
Lovington.

Sullivan township primary Saturday,  
March 21, polls open from 1 to 5 p. m.  
Voting precincts at Sullivan, Kirksville and  
Cushman.

C. E. McPHERTERS, Chair-  
man. OLIVER DOLAN, Secretary.

## Anti-Sullivan Meeting.

Two hundred Democrats from dif-  
ferent parts of the state congregated  
in Springfield, Monday, in an anti-  
Sullivan meeting.

The meeting was somewhat of a  
disappointment to the Wilson-Bryan  
democrats, as five hundred were ex-  
pected.

Four senatorial candidates, Sena-  
tor W. Duff Piercy, of Mount Vernon,  
Frank Comerford and John C. White,  
of Chicago, and Carl Vrooman, of  
Bloomington, were present and made  
speeches attacking Roger C. Sulli-  
van at a banquet, Monday night.

Threats to bolt the ticket were  
made, if Sullivan should be nominat-  
ed.

Neither Governor Dunne or any of  
the state officers attended the meeting.  
The parties attending from Sulli-  
van were, Van D. Roughton, George  
A. Daugherty, George A. Fields,  
Isaac Hudson, Pearl Wolf and Charles  
J. Swisher.

All Water Bottles and Fountain  
Syringes are guaranteed at Mc-  
PHERTERS' East side drug 47-1f

## Resisted Policeman.

Tuesday evening, Bill Smith, Sam  
Pifer, Henry Smith, John Smith and  
Frank Aldridge were disturbing the  
peace by being disorderly on the  
street just west of the Jacob Dumond  
property. Bill Smith and Sam Pifer  
were badly intoxicated and Policeman  
McCune ordered them to go home.

They did not heed him and he then  
took charge of Bill Smith and Sam  
Pifer and started to the lock-up with  
them. He had proceeded but about  
a block when the other three ran  
around the block and approached  
him. He was struck several times  
and his prisoners taken away from  
him. He then went to the home of  
O. J. Gauger and 'phoned for Sheriff  
Lansden, who came to his relief. Bill  
Smith and Sam Pifer were found and  
put in the calaboose. The other three  
had left for their homes.

Wednesday afternoon they were  
taken before Justice of the Peace Siple  
for trial. Some of them pleaded  
guilty to the charge. They were all  
found guilty and a fine of \$10 and  
costs assessed. The justice very  
charitably and liberally assessed the  
minimum fine and then released the  
defendants on their honor, saying  
that if they did not settle the fines  
within a reasonable time, he would  
issue an execution.

This manner of dealing with such  
toughs is very unsatisfactory to many  
of our good citizens. Such trials are  
farcies, or 'kangaroo' courts. The  
cases cost the city at least \$40. Then  
again, it is putting a very low esti-  
mate upon a policeman's life. They  
endanger themselves day and night,  
and all is lost in the courts.

Some may say it was all the "Big  
Chief's" fault.

Mayor Pifer is doing all he can to  
better conditions, have punishment  
inflicted and crime stayed. He has  
issued strict orders to the chief of po-  
lice and some one may get an awak-  
ening some time in the near future,  
rather unexpectedly.

Sam Pifer and Bill Smith will stand  
trial for drunkenness. The charge in  
the former case was for interference  
and resisting an officer.

They went before Enterline, Thurs-  
day, and pleaded guilty to the charge.  
Their fines were assessed as follows:  
Bill Smith \$25.00, Sam Pifer \$10.00.  
As they could not pay it, they were  
required to fill a bond each or take  
the consequences.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

A. L. Marlow to Charles E. Ward 10  
rods by 805, 7 feet 25-14-4. .... \$ 50 00  
Isaac McCullough to Geo. A. Sentel 2 1/2  
8 E 1/4 1-14-4 ..... 9120 00

Neuralgia, men's nerve pain, Dr.  
Miller's Anti-Pain Pills give relief. Write  
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Six months......50  
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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1914.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

## TAX COLLECTOR

We are authorized to announce  
**NEELY MARTIN**  
as a candidate for the office of tax collector  
of Sullivan township, subject to the vote of  
the Democratic primary.We are authorized to announce  
**HARRISON MOORE**  
as a candidate for the office of tax collector  
of Sullivan township, subject to the vote of  
the Democratic primary.We are authorized to announce  
**GUY PIFER**  
as a candidate for the office of tax collector  
of East Nelson township, subject to the vote  
of the Democratic primary.We are authorized to announce  
**MISS ELIZABETH KRAUSE**  
as a candidate for the office of tax collector  
of Sullivan township, subject to the vote of  
the Democratic primary.We are authorized to announce  
**GEORGE R. (DADDY) BROWN**  
as a candidate for the office of tax collector  
of Sullivan township, subject to the vote of  
the Democratic primary.We are authorized to announce  
**BERT WOODRUFF**  
as a candidate for the office of highway com-  
missioner of Sullivan township, subject to  
the vote of the Democratic primary.We are authorized to announce  
**WM. S. CLAY**  
as a candidate for the office of highway com-  
missioner of Sullivan township, subject to  
the vote of the Democratic primary.We are authorized to announce  
**W. D. BOLIN**  
as a candidate for the office of highway com-  
missioner of Sullivan township, subject to  
the vote of the Democratic primary.

## TOWN CLERK.

We are authorized to announce  
**FRED D. SONA**  
as a candidate for the office of town clerk  
of Sullivan township, subject to the vote of  
the Democratic primary.

## OFFICIAL CALL

For Democratic Township Pri-  
maries or Conventions.Democratic voters, both men and women,  
are notified that primaries or conventions  
will be held for the nomination of candidates  
for the various townships as follows:

## EAST NELSON TOWNSHIP.

Primary election at the regular voting  
places in each precinct Saturday, March 14.  
Polls open at 12:00 o'clock and close at 5:00  
o'clock.

## DORA TOWNSHIP

Mass convention at 2:00 o'clock Saturday,  
March 14 in Lake City. There will also be  
mass conventions Saturday, March 21 at 2:00  
o'clock p. m. for MARROWBONE town-  
ship in Bethany, JONATHAN CREEK at  
town hall, and WHITLEY township at  
Whitfield school house.Primary elections will be held Saturday,  
March 21 from 12:00 o'clock until 5:00 p. m.  
in SULLIVAN township, voting in Sulli-  
van, Cushman and Kirksville; LOVING-  
TON township, voting at Lovington, and  
LOWE township at both regular polling  
places.Women have a legal right to vote for all  
township officers except justices of the peace  
and constables, and their attendance at these  
primaries is cordially invited.By order of the County Democratic Cen-  
tral Committee.

I. J. MARTIN, Secretary.

## Notice of Public Letting.

Public notice is hereby given that  
bids will be received until 12 o'clock  
noon, February 23, 1914, by a Joint  
Committee of the Board of Supervi-  
sors of Moultrie county Illinois, of the  
City Council of the city of Sulli-  
van, Illinois, and of the Chamber  
of Commerce of the city of Sullivan,  
Illinois, to install complete, an elec-  
tric ornamental post lighting system,  
for the public square in the city of  
Sullivan, Illinois, according to plans  
and specifications on file in the of-  
fice of the county treasurer in Sulli-  
van, Illinois.Contract will be let to the lowest  
and best bidder. The committee re-  
serve the right to reject any or all  
bids.Dated at Sullivan, Illinois, this  
23rd day of January, 1914E. T. Ray J. B. Martin  
Theo. Snyder C. W. Fleming  
F. E. Fifer C. F. McClure  
Chas. Blackwell J. H. Smith  
Carl Hill S. W. Johnson  
O. L. Todd Geo. A. Daugherty  
adv 5-2 Committee.

## Selecting Candidates.

The time is at hand for select-  
ing candidates for the township  
offices. Two of the most im-  
portant are that of supervisor and  
assistant supervisor. It stands  
in hand for the voters to look  
about for good, reliable, capable  
men. If for any of these offices  
it is evident that the aspirants  
are not competent then insist on  
those whom you may decide up-  
on, announcing. Squads of men  
engaged in confidential conver-  
sation indicates that politics is  
becoming the principal topic of  
the day. It is well, and proper.  
We trust that the agitation will  
bring good men, as well as wom-  
en, to the front.You Can't Reform a Woman With  
a Club.The verdict of a woman jury  
in Chicago's municipal court that  
a woman is guilty of vagrancy if  
found loitering about saloons,  
even though no disorderly act is  
proved, is expected to aid the  
police in their attempts to break  
up organized vice.Always the old story—reform  
ation with a club! If only it  
would work.Of course the spectacle of a  
woman loitering about a saloon  
is most pitiable. It is no place  
for a good woman and a very  
bad place for a bad woman.But isn't it time our govern-  
ing authorities began to learn  
that arresting and fining victims  
of social disorder amount to  
nothing if the causes of the dis-  
order be left as they were?Mighty few women, we ven-  
ture to say, would have any de-  
sire to loiter about a saloon if  
good men made good homes for  
them.The sorriest harlot that ever  
plied her vicious trade was once  
an innocent babe, the joy of a  
mother's heart. She wasn't born  
to be an outcast. We have made  
her that.Fining and clubbing and police  
notices to "move on" don't reach  
the root of the problem—they  
simply shift the responsibility.Why don't the police of Chi-  
cago, for a change, go for the  
men who employ these loitering  
women?For thousands of years we  
have been trying the club cure  
for vice and it hasn't cured.  
It may be, as some pessimists say,  
that there isn't any cure; but surely  
experience has established  
that force won't work the better-  
ment all desire.This ancient evil needs a new  
approach.—Ex.

## Sure Enough.

"So you depend on recognition from  
posterity?" said Mr. Dustin Stax.  
"Yes," replied Mr. Penwiggie. "An-  
other generation will recognize my  
genius." "But how are you going  
to know whether the opinion of a  
future generation is any more trust-  
worthy and desirable than that of  
the present public?"

## BRONCHITIS CONQUERED

Royersford, Pa., Man Tells How.

At this season of year with such  
sudden changes, it is so easy to take  
cold, and almost before one is aware  
there is inflammation in the bronchial  
tubes—a hard cough and unless  
checked in time chronic pulmonary  
troubles may result.Townsend Young of Royersford,  
Pa., says: "A severe bronchial trou-  
ble contracted caused me much diffi-  
culty about breathing. My chest felt  
clogged up and there was consider-  
able soreness. I tried different reme-  
dies without help; but I am glad to  
say that Vinol cured my bronchial  
trouble which had lasted for three  
months. My breathing is all right  
and the soreness entirely gone from  
my chest."Vinol contains the curative, healing  
principles of fresh cods' livers (with-  
out oil) and tonic iron. We guaran-  
tee it to be delicious in taste and to  
satisfy you with its medicinal effects.  
P. S. If you have any skin trouble  
try Saxo Salve. We guarantee it.  
Sam B. Hall, Druggist, Sullivan, Ill.

## Public Sale Dates

Notice of your sale will be  
printed under this heading  
free of charge when the Her-  
ald prints your sale bills.

## CLOSING OUT SALE.

Having decided to move to Missouri, I will  
offer at public sale at the A. J. Buxton farm,  
four miles northeast of Sullivan; two miles  
north of the Masonic Home and one mile  
south of Chippie Station on

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1914.

Commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. the fol-  
lowing described property, to-wit:14 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—  
One sorrel mare, 7 years old, wt. 1700, safe  
in foal; one brown mare, five years old, wt.  
1700, safe in foal; one brown mare, three  
years old, wt. 1550, safe in foal; one black  
horse four years old, wt. 1800; one bay horse  
three years old, 1140, broke to all harness;  
no bay mare eight years old, wt. 1280, safe  
in foal to Will Todd, family broke; one span  
of mules, six years old, wt. 2400; one gray  
horse three years old, wt. 1400; one coming  
two year old bay horse, wt. 1180; two wean-  
ling pony colts; one spotted shetland pony.  
Will also offer for sale my registered Per-  
cheron Stallion, Courville; better known as  
the Patterson Co. Horse.4 HEAD OF CATTLE—Three yearling  
Jersey heifers to be fresh in spring; one full  
blood Jersey bull.28 HEAD OF HOGS—Seven brood sows;  
15 shoats averaging about 60 or 70 pounds  
each; one registered white O. L. C. male hog.IMPLEMENT AND OTHER ARTICLES  
One Oliver gang plow used this season, one  
corrugated roller, used this season, one wa-  
gon, one corn planter, one 2-section harrow,  
three cultivators, one bobbed, one buggy,  
one storm buggy, one end gate cut seeder,  
one low down cut seeder, two discs, one  
feed grinder, one grind stone, one hay tad-  
der, one stalk rake, two sets of work har-  
nesses.TERMS OF SALE.—All sums of \$10 and  
under cash in hand on day of sale. Sums  
over \$10 a credit of ten months will be giv-  
en, purchaser to give note with approved  
security before property is removed. Notes  
to draw 7 per cent interest from date. 3 per  
cent off for cash on time purchases.

LUNCH ON THE GROUND.

W. A. Buxton.

E. A. SILVER, Auctioneer.  
JOHN DOLAN, Clerk.

## PUBLIC SALE.

I will sell at public sale on the M. L. Lowe  
farm, six miles east of Sullivan, one-half  
mile west of the Spangh bridge, two miles  
northeast of Allenville, on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1914.

Commencing at 10 a. m. the following  
described property to-wit:8 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—  
One span of mules six and seven years old,  
wt. 2400; one sorrel mare ten years old, wt.  
1800; one blind bay mare eleven years old,  
wt. 1400; one gray mare eleven years old,  
wt. 1100; one smooth-mouth bay mare, 1100;  
one suckling mare colt out of Old Mumford.  
One Jersey cow 3 years old, giving two  
gallons of milk per day; one good heifer  
calf.FARMING IMPLEMENTS—Two good  
farm wagons, one rubber-tired top buggy,  
one set single harness, three sets work har-  
ness, one Avery Corn Planter, three cul-  
tivators, one disc cultivator, one Moline disc,  
three breaking plows, one McCormick mow-  
er as good as new, one 2-horse hay baler,  
and other articles too numerous to mention.

Ten Bushels or more of Old Seed Corn.

100 bushels of Good Corn in crib.

TERMS OF SALE.—All sums of \$10.00  
and under, cash in hand on day of sale. On  
sums over \$10.00 a credit of 11 months will be  
given, purchaser to give note with approved  
security before removal of property. Notes  
to draw 7 per cent interest from date. Two  
per cent discount for cash on time purchases.

LUNCH SERVED ON THE GROUND.

Andy Mathias.

E. A. SILVER, Auctioneer.

S. E. Oliver, Clerk.

## CLOSING OUT SALE.

I will sell at public sale at my residence on  
the H. L. Frederick farm, one and one-fourth  
miles west of Kirksville, six miles south-  
west of Sullivan, three miles south of Dunn  
church, on

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1914

Commencing at 10 a. m. the following  
described property, to-wit:20 HEAD OF HORSES—One bay horse  
six years old, sound, wt. 1400; one brown  
mare thirteen years old, safe in foal by Jack,  
wt. 1800; one brown horse six years old, wt.  
1000; one Bowerman Wilkes mare twelve  
years old, wt. 1050; one black horse five  
years old, family broke to all harness, wt.  
1100; one pacing horse five years old, fami-  
ly broke, wt. 1150; one black horse three  
years old, wt. 1250; one black mare three  
years old, wt. 1200; one bay filly three years  
old, in foal, family broke, wt. about 1000;  
one black horse two years old, wt. 1050; one  
black filly two years old, wt. 1000; one gray  
filly two years old, wt. 900; one black mare  
four years old, wt. 1000, sired by Colored  
Man, broke to all harness; one bay horse  
two years old, broke single and double,  
sired by Cliff Miller's road horse, dam by  
Colored Man. One yearling mare sired by  
George Adams' road horse, dam by Colored  
Man. One half-bred horse two years old,  
wt. 1100. One gray filly two years old, wt.  
1100. One sorrel weanling horse colt. Two  
bay weanling horse colts.6 HEAD OF CATTLE—Five full-blood  
Jerseys, but not registered. One eight year  
old cow, fresh; one three year old cow, will  
be fresh by day of sale; one four year old  
cow, giving milk, will be fresh June 1; two  
2-year old heifers, will be fresh about May 1;  
one part Jersey and part Holstein cow, giv-  
ing a good flow of milk, will be fresh in  
October.Six Tons of Extra No. 1 Clover Hay in  
Bale.FARMING IMPLEMENTS—Two wagons  
and beds, one steel tire buggy, three sets of  
work harness, one set of single harness, two  
corn planters, one P. & O. cultivator, one  
Springrip cultivator, two 14-inch walking  
breaking plows, one as good as new, one  
low down cut seeder, one end gate cut  
seeder, one triple-gear feed grinder, one  
two-section harrow, one cut-away disc, as  
good as new, one hay tedder and other ar-  
ticles too numerous to mention.TERMS OF SALE.—All sums of \$5.00  
and under, cash in hand on day of sale. On  
sums over \$5.00 a credit of 10 months will  
be given, purchaser to give note with ap-  
proved security before property is removed.  
Notes to draw 7 per cent interest from date.  
Two per cent discount for cash on time pur-  
chases.Lunch served by the Ladies' Aid of the  
U. S. church of Kirksville.

H. M. Frederick.

E. A. SILVER, Auctioneer.

W. A. B. Crowder, of Bethany, Illinois,  
Decorator.

## CLOSING OUT SALE.

As I am going to quit farming, I will sell  
at public sale on the Robert Dina farm, 7  
miles northeast of Sullivan, 7 miles south  
and 1 mile west of Arthur, on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1914

Commencing at 10 a. m., the following de-  
scribed property to-wit:8 HEAD OF HORSES—One pair of black  
horses, coming six years old, wt. 2800; this  
team is well mated, sound and well broke.  
One bay draft filly coming three years old,  
wt. 1800, sired by Montford Lordship. One  
bay driving filly, coming three years old, wt.  
1050, sired by Victor D. This filly is double-  
gaited and has plenty of quality. One bay  
driving filly, coming three years old, wt.  
1000, sired by Colonel Johnson. One gray  
team, horse and mare, age ten had eleven  
years, wt. 8100, serviceably sound. One  
gray blind mare, coming twelve years old,  
safe in foal, wt. 1500, and a good brood mare.5 HEAD OF CATTLE—Consisting of one  
Durham heifer, coming three years old, will  
be fresh in February, an extra good milk-  
er. One full-blood Jersey heifer, will be two  
years old in April and will be fresh by day  
of sale. One full-blood Jersey cow coming  
six years old, an extra good milk-er. One  
grade Jersey coming four years old, a good  
milk-er. One grade Jersey six years old,  
with calf by side. This cow is giving a good  
flow of milk.15 HEAD OF HOGS—Consisting of six  
full-blood Duroc Jersey brood sows. These  
sows are all in good shape and due to farrow in  
March. One full-blood Tamworth male, will  
be two years old in April. Two full-blood  
Duroc Jersey males, some months old. Six  
half Tamworth and half Duroc colts, due to  
farrow in May and June.SEED CORN, HAY AND OATS—Some  
good clover hay, 500 bushels of oats, Reid's  
Yellow Dent and Johnson County White  
Seed Corn, all pure bred. I have a quan-  
ty of good Seed Corn which I will sell at pri-  
vate sale at \$1.00 per bushel, unpecked.FARMING IMPLEMENTS AND OTHER  
ARTICLES—Six sets of work harness, one  
set of double driving harness, one set of  
single driving harness, a number of good  
collars and halters. These harness are all  
in good shape. Two Schuttler wagons,  
nearly new; three Mitchell wagons; one  
Schuttler wagon bed, almost new; several  
scoop boards; one good buggy, one survey,  
one McCormick mower, nearly new; one  
Milwaukee blinder, in good working order;  
two corn planters two discs, two harrows,  
two 2-row and two 1-row Tower cultivators,  
four riding shovel cultivators, two walking  
shovel cultivators; two New Deere 14-in. gang  
plows, one New Deere sulky plow, as good  
as new; two 14-in. and one 16-in. walking  
plows, one hay rake, one sweep rake, one  
hay track with rope, two rollers, one smooth  
one corrugated; one Aermotor windmill with  
40-ft. tower, one 15-barrel galvanized steel  
tank, one 2-row stally-cutter, two hay rakes,  
one set of low iron wheels, 3 1/2 in., two  
tarpsaulins, 16x28 feet, nearly new; 39 rods  
Page fence, one colt shed, some hog sheds,  
loose lumber, one feed grinder, some house-  
hold goods, and other articles too numerous  
to mention.TERMS OF SALE.—All sums of \$10.00  
and under, cash in hand on day of sale. On  
sums over \$10.00 a credit of 10 months will  
be given, purchaser to give note with ap-  
proved security before removal of property.  
Notes to draw 7 per cent interest from date.  
Two per cent discount for cash on time pur-  
chases.

E. D. Elder.

E. A. SILVER, Auctioneer.  
JOHN CRAIG, Clerk.

## GET TO THE CAUSE

Sullivan People Are Learning The Way

There is but little peace or comfort for  
the man or woman with a bad back. The  
distress begins in early morning—keeps up  
throughout the day. It's hard to get out of  
bed, it's torture to stoop or straighten.  
Plasters and liniments may relieve, but can-  
not cure if the cause inside—the kidneys.  
When suffering so, use Doan's Kidney Pills,  
the tested and proven kidney remedy, used  
in kidney troubles for over 50 years. Doan's  
Kidney Pills are recommended by thousands  
for just such cases. Proof of their effective-  
ness, in the testimony of this Sullivan resi-  
dent: Albert Burwell, Sullivan, Ill., says:  
"For three years I suffered almost constant-  
ly from backache and at times the pains in  
my loins were so severe that I could not  
straighten. I slept poorly and it was not un-  
til six months ago that I found my kidneys  
were the cause of all the suffering. When I  
became aware of this fact, I procured a sup-  
ply of Doan's Kidney Pills at Hall's drug  
store. They gave me prompt relief and I am  
grateful to them."Price 50 cents at all dealers. Don't sim-  
ply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kid-  
ney Pills—the same that Mr. Burwell had.  
Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.  
—Advertisement.Hot Water Bottles and Fountain  
Syringes at McPHERSONS, East side  
drug store. Prices \$1 to \$3. 47-tfSpecial Assessment  
NOTICENotice is hereby given to all persons interested, that  
the City Council of the City of Sullivan, Illinois, having  
passed an ordinance for the improvement of Market street,  
described as follows: From the south line of Harrison street  
north to a point two hundred and twenty feet north of the  
north line of Edwards street.That the said street above described be improved by  
grading, curbing, and paving with brick on a concrete founda-  
tion, five inches in thickness; which said ordinance, to-  
gether with the plans, profiles and specifications for said  
improvement, is now on file in the office of the clerk of the  
City of Sullivan, Illinois, and the said City of Sullivan, by  
its proper officer, having applied to the County Court of  
Moultrie county, Illinois, for the assessment of the costs of  
said improvement according to benefits, and an assessment  
thereon having been made and returned to said Court by  
the commissioner of special assessments for said improve-  
ment; and the Court having considered said petition, it has  
been ordered by the Court that the final hearing upon said  
assessment will be had on the 2nd day of March, A. D. 1914  
at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, or as soon there-  
after as the business of the Court will permit.The ordinance for said improvement was passed by the  
City Council of the City of Sullivan, Illinois, on the 15th  
day of September, 1913, and the petition for the assessment  
of the property to be benefitted was filed in the office of the  
clerk of the County Court of Moultrie county, Illinois, on  
the 19th day of January, 1914; and the assessment roll was  
filed in the office of the clerk of the County Court of Moul-  
trie county, Illinois, on the 11th day of February, A. D.  
1914. The entire cost of improvement has been assessed  
against the property to be benefitted. The total amount of  
said assessment is \$9,706.50.No assessment has been made against the public. The  
aforesaid assessment will be paid in ten installments, bear-  
ing interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable  
annually.All persons desiring may file objections in said Court  
before the said 2nd day of March, A. D. 1914, and may  
appear on the hearing and make their defense.Dated at Sullivan, Illinois, this 11th day of February,  
A. D. 1914.

J. T. GRIDER,

Commissioner of Special Assessments.

Bid Your Pain Good-bye  
USE CIRCUS LINIMENTIt will cure Rheumatic and Neuralgia aches and pains  
in man or beast. Also cuts, bruises and burns.

Try a Bottle. 25c and 50c Postpaid

PAT SEARS, Druggist. Arthur, Illinois

Sole agent for Moultrie and Douglas Counties.

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Ours AloneThis is the biggest bargain in the best reading  
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cludes our paper—the best weekly published  
in this part of the state—and the four Magazines of national prominence  
shown above, sample copies of which may be seen at our office.We have never sold our paper alone at less than a dollar a year.  
But on account of the splendid contract we have made with these big  
publications we are able to give our readers the four magazines with our  
paper, all one year for only \$1.18—just 18 cents more than the  
regular price of our paper alone.Send us your orders right away, give them to our representative or call  
and see us when you are in town. As soon as you see these clean,  
beautiful, interesting magazines you will want them sent to your own  
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## The Fact Remains

No amount of misrepresentation by the peddlers of alum baking powders, no juggling with chemicals, or pretended analysis, or cooked-up certificates, or falsehoods of any kind, can change the fact that

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Royal Baking Powder is indispensable for making finest and most economical food.

### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

J. R. Bean was in Decatur, Wednesday.

O. J. Gauger made a business trip to Bethany, Wednesday.

James Wiley visited his wife, who is in a Decatur hospital, Monday.

Thoroughbred Barred Rock cockerels for sale. Mrs. CARL CARTER, adv.

W. I. Sickafus and family visited over Sunday with relatives in Stewardson.

Board by the day or meals at the Birchfield House. Splendid meals 25 cents.

S. T. Fleming attended the public sale of Emmet Fleming, living near Bruce, Wednesday.

Hon. Judge W. G. Cochran presided as judge at a mock trial in Monticello, Friday evening.

Farley Young, of East Nelson township, was a business visitor in Sullivan, Wednesday.

A. J. Waggoner, of Bruce, visited the fore part of this week with friends in Sullivan and Cadwell.

Miss Olive Wiley, of Cameron, Missouri, visited her uncle, James Wiley, Saturday and Sunday.

W. H. Rhodes and Miss Melvina Monroe were married by Rev. W. B. Hopper, Tuesday, at 1:30 p. m.

Miss Bernice Thomason went to Champaign, Friday noon, and visited her mother until Wednesday.

C. O. Pifer has been very busy this week filling his ice house. This is the first chance this winter to get ice.

Get prices on Hot Water Bottles and Fountain Syringes at McPHERTERS' East side drug 47-48

A dry goods store will be in operation in McClure's room on the east side of the square, about the first of March.

Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Marxmiller, of Findlay, spent Sunday in Sullivan with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McClure.

Wm. Dawson, of St. Louis, has been here this week on account of the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. Sophia Dawson.

Mrs. Wesley Shanks and daughters returned, Friday night of last week, from a three weeks' visit with relatives in Chaffee, Missouri.

W. H. Jennings and wife returned to Decatur, Monday, after an over Sunday visit with the former's brother, J. E. Jennings and family.

W. W. Bristow, of Terre Haute, returned home, Monday, after a visit with his parents, S. P. Bristow and wife, living on West Jefferson street.

Miss Ruby Williams, stenographer at the First National bank, spent Sunday in Shelbyville, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Williams.

John Bupp and wife have returned from a month's visit in Hot Springs, Arkansas. John Miller and wife, who accompanied them will make a longer visit.

Charles Briscoe, who has been visiting relatives here the past few weeks, returned to Iowa, Wednesday afternoon, where he has a position of foreman on a farm.

Mannuel Sipes has sold his forty acre farm in the Morgan school district to W. H. Bushart, and purchased eighty acres south of Kirkville, to which he will move March 1st.

Born recently, to Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Miller, of Rock Island, a daughter, which has been christened Alice Jeannette. Dr. Miller's moved from Sullivan to Rock Island, a couple of years ago.

W. I. Sickafus was in Martinsville and Creal Springs, in the south part of the state, Wednesday.

Clarence Hees is visiting his parents. He has been employed by the Wabash, near Chicago.

For engraved calling cards, business cards or announcements, see samples at the Herald office.

What is the date of your subscription to the Saturday Herald? If in arrears, please settle the amount.

Miss Rose Corbin, Geo. Lansden and wife, George Brosam and Luther Lawrence, went to Decatur, Tuesday afternoon.

W. A. Buxton will sell his personal property at a public sale, on Feb. 18, and move to a farm in Missouri, the first of March.

The W. C. T. U. met at Mrs. I. L. Curry's on North Washington street, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. G. N. Lewis had charge of the meeting.

Born, to Claude Misenheimer and wife, Wednesday night, a daughter. This makes Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Cook, grandparents.

Mrs. Leland Barton returned to her home in Pana, Tuesday afternoon, after visiting several days with her parents, M. A. Mattox and wife.

Neely Martin and family have returned from the University of Illinois, and are residing in Mrs. Martin's property on East Harrison street.

Born, to David Cummins and wife, Thursday night, a nine and one-half pound daughter. It has been named Helen Austine. Mother and daughter are doing fine.

Tuesday afternoon the N. N. N. club was entertained by Mrs. N. C. Ellis. The Twentieth Century club was entertained at the same time by Mrs. F. M. Craig.

There are but three more days for candidates to file for city offices. Two aldermen are to be elected in the second ward, one in the first and one in the third. The time is short. It is time to get busy.

Strayed—A yellow Jersey heifer about seven months old, with no horns; been missing since Sunday night. Inform J. A. Chaney, 5 on 4 Bruce line. P. O. address Sullivan, R. R. 4.

We have just received a letter from our friend, A. L. Delana, stating that he has moved from Knox, Indiana, to Hamlet, of the same state, where he has a splendid position as foreman of a large farm.

O. Z. Smith and wife left, Thursday, for Rochelle, Illinois, where he has accepted a position in a bakery. Mr. Smith has been employed by E. R. King for some time.

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### Chamber of Commerce.

The regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was held in the K. of P. hall, Monday evening. The following officers were duly elected for the ensuing year:

President, W. A. Steele; vice president, H. M. Butler; secretary, Homer Wright; treasurer, Carl Hill.

The following men were elected as directors for one year. O. J. Gauger, E. J. Miller, P. J. Harsh, George A. Daugherty, S. W. Johnson and F. E. Pifer.

No other business of importance was transacted.

At a meeting of the Chamber Commerce, Monday night, a meeting of directors was called. They decided to let the question of lights be set aside for a time.

It was resolved that W. A. Steele be retained as president of the Chamber of Commerce. It carried unanimously.

C. F. McClure made a statement of the information he had gained on the light question. After much discussion, it was moved by Dr. Scarborough and seconded by H. C. Shirley, that a committee from the Chamber of Commerce be appointed to look into the matter of municipal plant owners and see if they can find anybody else to give figures on lighting the city. The motion was seconded by Dr. S. T. Butler. The motion carried and the committee appointed was C. F. McClure, E. A. Silver and E. E. Bushart.

It was moved by S. T. Butler and seconded by P. J. Harsh, that C. F. McClure be voted thanks for the pains and time he had taken to get information in regard to lighting the city of Sullivan. The vote was unanimous.

### OBITUARIES.

MRS. ELIZABETH THOMASON.

Elizabeth Jane Leamaster, was born near Lovington, October 2, 1845. She was married to Arnold Thomason in 1863. They were the parents of four children, two, a son and daughter are dead. Two daughters, Mrs. Belle Seass and Mrs. Irving Shuman, survive her.

After a lingering illness Mrs. Thomason died, Monday, February 9, aged 68 years, 4 months and 7 days. She was a devoted member of the Christian church.

The funeral was preached at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday, by Rev. W. B. Hopper at the residence of Irving Shuman on East Jackson street. The interment was made in Greenhill cemetery.

The devotion and care which the two daughters gave their mother during the long period she was an invalid, is remarkable. They would permit no nurse or assistant, but gave their mother their undivided attention. All that kind hands or money could give her was gladly bestowed upon her.

JAMES K. F. ROSE:

James H. B. Rose was born near Windsor, Nov. 28, 1844. He died February 10, 1914, aged 69 years, 2 months and 12 days.

He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Rose, pioneer settlers of Shelby and Moultrie counties. His father died in Sullivan a number of years ago.

On August 8, 1872, he and Miss Carinda Baker, daughter of W. K. Baker, deceased, were married, she and the eight children survive him.

Henry, Carter, Wilbur W., and Kenny, Mrs. Clara Wilson, Mrs. Ivy Guin, Mrs. Rosella Baker and Lucinda all of this community except Carter and Mrs. Guin, but all were present at this sad time. Mr. Rose also leaves three brothers, Tobias V. and William of Sand Creek, and Thomas of Oklahoma; also nine grandchildren and many other relatives and friends.

In early life Mr. Rose united with the Christian church and was devoted to the same.

Mr. Rose was an active citizen upright in principle, and public affairs entrusted to him were taken care of to the satisfaction of the people.

He was one of the best and most popular school teachers in Shelby and Moultrie counties for a number of years.

Mr. Rose was the second county superintendent of schools, he being elected in 1873 and served four years. He is the first ex-superintendent of schools to die. Surviving him are: Messrs. Stearns, Peadro, Lowe, Hoke and Roughton, the present incumbent.

The funeral and burial were held in the Sand Creek church of Christ, Thursday, at 11 a. m. The discourse was by Elder W. G. Roberts of Kemp.

At the time Mr. Rose was dying the residence of his daughter, Mrs. James Wilson, was burning. It was a large eight room house. Her husband was taking a doctor to her father. She was at home with her four children, who were in bed upstairs. The fire is supposed to have originated on the roof.

This is the second time the Wilsons have lost their home by fire. Her father's home was burned also before her marriage.

### Death Caused by Fall.

Letha, a fifteen year old daughter of Marion Dugan and wife, Lovington died from a fall early Thursday morning. She and her mother were returning home at 4 a. m., her mother walking in front. Ceasing to hear her footsteps, her mother turned around and saw her lying on the ground. She went to her and saw her gasp two or three times. She carried her into a house nearby. The doctor was called, and it was thought at first that the fall broke her neck. This however was contradicted at the coroner's inquest. The verdict rendered was, "came to her death from a fall to the ground."

### Birthday Dinner.

Thursday, February 12, being E. A. Sharp's 57th birthday, a number of his friends took advantage of the occasion to have a good social time.

The out of town guests were: Robert Hudson and family, living south of Dunn; George Hudson, John Bragg and family and Roland Sharp and wife, of Bruce. There were about thirty guests present. A sumptuous dinner was served. Mr. Sharp received a number of presents. They all enjoyed the occasion very much.

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### LEGAL NOTICES

#### Publication Notice—Chancery.

State of Illinois, ss Circuit Court of Moultrie County, ss

March Term, A. D. 1914.

Harry L. Solomon vs. the unknown heirs, legatees and devisees of George Mitchell, et al, in Chancery.

Affidavit of the non-residence of the unknown heirs, legatees and devisees of George Mitchell; the unknown heirs, legatees and devisees of John B. Mitchell; the unknown heirs, legatees and devisees of James H. A. Mitchell; the unknown heirs, legatees and devisees of William B. Mitchell, and Lilly Jones Cummings of the defendants above named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Moultrie County, notice is hereby given to the said non-resident defendants that the complainant has filed his bill of complaint in said Court on the Chancery side thereof on the 29th day of January, A. D. 1914, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against said defendants returnable on the 2nd day of March, A. D. 1914 as is by law required.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said unknown heirs, legatees and devisees of Geo. Mitchell; the unknown heirs, legatees and devisees of John B. Mitchell; the unknown heirs, legatees and devisees of James H. A. Mitchell; the unknown heirs, legatees and devisees of William B. Mitchell, and Lilly Jones Cummings shall personally be and appear before the said Circuit Court of Moultrie County on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the City of Sullivan in said County, on the 2nd day of March, A. D. 1914, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to prayer of said bill.

FRED O. GADDIS, Clerk.

F. J. THOMPSON, Complainant's Solicitor.

January 29th, A. D. 1914. 5-4

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State of Illinois, ss Circuit Court of Moultrie County, ss

March Term, A. D. 1914.

A. A. Barber et al vs. John Barber, Celista Smith, Harry Kepler et al, in Chancery.

Affidavit of the non-residence of Celista Smith and Harry Kepler, two of the defendants above named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Moultrie County, notice is hereby given to the said non-resident defendants, that the complainants have filed their bill of complaint in said Court on the Chancery side thereof on the 29th day of January, A. D. 1914, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against said defendants, returnable on the 1st Monday of March, A. D. 1914, as is by law required.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said Celista Smith and Harry Kepler, shall personally be and appear before the said Circuit Court of Moultrie County on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the City of Sullivan in said County, on the 1st Monday of March, A. D. 1914, and plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

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## SYNOPSIS.

Francois Beaupre, a peasant babe of three years after an amusing incident in which Marshal New Agents, is made a Chevalier of France by the Emperor Napoleon, who prophesied that the boy might one day be a marshal of France under another Bonaparte. At the age of ten Francois visits General Baron Gersdorf, Count von Gersdorf, who with his wife and seven-year-old daughter, lives at the Chateau. A soldier of the Empire under Napoleon he first the boy's imagination with stories of his campaigns. The general offers Francois a home at the Chateau. The boy refuses to leave his parents, but in the end becomes a copyist for the general and learns of the friendship between the general and Marquis Zappi, who campaigned with the general under Napoleon. Marquis Zappi and his son, Pietro, arrive at the Chateau. The general agrees to care for the Marquis Zappi while the former goes to America. The Marquis before leaving for America asked Francois to be a friend of his son. The boy solemnly promises. Francois goes to the Chateau to live. Marquis Zappi dies leaving Francois to the care of the general. Alize, Pietro and Francois meet a strange boy who proves to be Prince Louis Napoleon. Francois learns from him that he will not interfere between the girl and Pietro. Francois goes to Italy as secretary to Pietro. Queen Hortense plans the escape of her son Louis Napoleon by disguising him and Marquis Zappi as her sons. Francois takes Marquis Zappi's place, who is ill, in the escape of Hortense and Louis. Dressed as Louis's brother Francois joins the Austrians from the hotel, allowing the prince and his mother to escape. Francois is a prisoner of the Austrians for five years in the castle owned by Pietro in Italy. He discovers in his guard one of Pietro's old family servants.

## CHAPTER XIV.—Continued.

A person of more importance than Battista had fallen under the spell of Francois's personality. The governor himself had been attracted by the young Frenchman. The governor, Count von Gersdorf, was a vain, discontented, brilliant Austrian, at odds with the world because he had not risen further in it. He was without society in this mountain fortress of his, and longed for it; he had a fine voice and no one to sing to; he liked to talk and had no one to talk to. Francois, with his ready friendliness, with his gift of finding good in every one, with his winning manner and simplicity which had the ease of sophistication, was a treasure-trove of amusement to the bored Austrian.

Things stood so with the prisoner at the time of his discovery of the identity of his father and of his jail. The governor at that time was away on a visit to Vienna, looking for a promotion; he came back elated and good-humored in the prospect of a change within the year. But the heart of Francois sank as he thought what the change might mean to him.

"Some day a marshal of France under another Bonaparte," he said to himself one day, staring through the bars at his window—he called the sky so. He smiled. "But that is nothing. To help place my prince on the throne of France—that is my work—my life."

He talked aloud at times, as prisoners do, He went on then, in a low voice.

"If there were good fairies, if I had three wishes: Alize—the prince made emperor—Francois Beaupre, a marshal of France." He laughed happily. "It is child's play. Nothing matters except that my life shall do its work. Even that is so small; but I have a great desire to do that. I believe I shall do that—I know it." And he fell to work on a book which he was planning, chapter by chapter, in his brain.

But, if he were to escape ever, the chance was increased infinitely by the going back and forth to the governor's room. A new governor might keep him shut up absolutely. It had been so while the count was away; then he had been ill, and the lieutenant in command would not let a doctor see him till he became delirious; that was the ordinary treatment of prisoners. Francois, thinking over these things on a day, fell with a sudden accent on the steady push of his longing for freedom, the conviction that he must get free before the count left, else opportunity and force for the effort would both be gone forever. And on that day Battista brought in his midday meal with a look and a manner which Francois remarked.

"What is it, Battista?" he asked softly.

The man answered not a word, but turned and opened the door rapidly and looked out. "I thought I had left the water-pitcher. Ah, here it is—I am stupid," he spoke aloud. And then, finger on lip dramatically, he bent over the young man. "My son—the little Battista—has had a letter. The young master wishes him to come to him in France, to serve him. He is going in two days."

It was whispered quickly, and Battista stood erect.

"The signor's food will get cold if the signor does not eat it," he spoke gruffly. "I do not like to carry good food for prisoners who do not appreciate it. I shall bring less tomorrow."

But Francois, hardly hearing the curly tones, had his hand on Battista's arm, was whispering back eagerly.

"Where does he go, in France?"

"To Vicques," the low answer came. Francois sank back, tortured.

Going to Vicques, the little Battista! From Castelforte! And he, Francois, must stay here in prison! His soul was wrung with a sudden wild homesickness. He wanted to see Alize, to see his mother, to see the general; to

see the peaceful little village and the stream that ran through it, and the steep-arched bridge, and the poppy fields, and the corn! The gray castle with its red roof, and the beech wood, and the dim, high-walled library, how he wanted to see it all! How his heart ached, madly, fiercely! This was the worst moment of all his captivity. And with that, Battista was over him, was murmuring words again. Something was slipped under the bedclothes.

"Paper—pens. The signor will write a letter this afternoon. And tomorrow little Battista will take it."

And the heart of Francois gave a sudden throb of joy as wild as its anguish. He could speak to them before he died; it might be they could save him. His hands stole to the package under the coarse blanket. It seemed as if in touching it he touched his mother and his sweetheart and his home.

## CHAPTER XV.

## Good News.

In the garden of the chateau of Vicques, where the stiff, gray stone vases spilled again their heart's blood, of scarlet and stinging of vines; where the two stately lines of them led down to the sundial and the round lawn—on one of the griffin-supported stone seats Alize and Pietro sat, where Alize and Francois had sat five years before.

As they sat in the garden, they had been going over the pros and cons of his life or death for the thousandth time. Pietro's quiet gray eyes were sad as he looked away from Alize and across the lawn to the beech wood.

"God knows I would give my life quickly if I could see him coming through the trees there, as we used to see him, mornings long ago, in his patched homespun clothes."

Alize followed the glance, considerably, as if calling up the little, brown, trudging figure so well remembered. Then she tossed up her head sharply. "Who?"—and then she laughed. "I shall be seeing visions next, like Francois," she said. "I thought it was he—back in the beech wood."

"I see no one," Pietro stared. "But you have no eyes, Pietro—I can always see a thing two minutes before you," Alize threw at him. "There—the man."

"Oh," said Pietro. "Your eyes are more than natural, Alize. You see in a wood; that is uncanny. Yes, I see him now. Mon dieu! he is a big fellow."

"A peasant—from some other village," Alize spoke carelessly. "I do not know him," and they went on talking, as they had been doing, of Francois.

And with that, here was Jean Philippe Moisson, forty now and fat, but still beautiful in purple millinery, advancing down the stone steps between the tall gray vases, making a symphony of color with the rich red of the flowers. He held a silver tray; a letter was on it.

"For mademoiselle." Mademoiselle took it calmly and glanced at it, and with that both the footman and the Marquis Zappi were astonished to see her fall to shivering, as if in a sudden illness. She caught Pietro's arm. The letter was clutched in her other hand thrust back of her.

"Pietro!" "What is it, Alize?" His voice was quiet as ever, but his hand was around



It Was Whispered Quickly.

her shaking fingers, and he held them strongly. "What is it, Alize?"

She drew forward the other hand; the letter shook, rustled with her trembling. "It is—from Francois!"

Jean Philippe Moisson having stayed to listen, as he ought not, lifted his eyes and his hands to heaven and gave thanks in a general way, volubly, unrebuked. By now the steady fingers of Alize had opened the paper, and her head and Pietro's were bent over it, devouring the well-known writing. Alize, excited, French, exploded into a disjointed running comment.

"From prison—our Francois—dear Francois!" And then: "Five years, Pietro! Think—while we have been free!" And then, with a swift clutch

again at the big coat sleeve crowding against her: "Pietro! See, see! The date—it is only two months ago. He was alive then; he must be alive now; he is! I knew it, Pietro! A woman knows more things than a man."

With that she threw up her head and fixed Jean Philippe, drinking in all this, with an unexpected stern glance. "What are you doing here, Moisson? What manners are these? Then, relapsing in a flash into pure human trust and affection toward the anxious old servant: "My dear, old, good Moisson—he is alive—Monsieur Francois is alive—in a horrible prison in Italy! But he is alive, Moisson!" And with that, a sudden jump again into dignity. "Who brought this, Moisson?"

Jean Philippe was only too happy to have a hand in the joyful excitement. "Mademoiselle, the young person speaks little language. But he told me to say to monsieur the marquis that he was the little Battista."

Pietro looked up quickly. "Alize, it is the servant from my old home of whom I spoke to you. I can not imagine how Francois got hold of him, but he chose a good messenger. May I have him brought here? He must have something to tell us."

Alize, her letter in her hands, struggled in her mind. Then: "The letter will keep—yes, let him come, and we can read it all the better after for what he may tell us."

So Moisson, having orders to produce at once the said little Battista, retired, much excited, and returned shortly—but not so shortly as to have omitted a fling of the great news into the midst of the servants' hall. He conducted, marching behind him, the little Battista, an enormous young man of six feet four, erect, grave, stately. This dignified person, saluting the lady with a deep bow, dropped on one knee before his master, his eyes full of a worshipping joy, and kissed his hand. Having done which, he arose silently and stood waiting, with those beaming eyes feasting on Pietro's face, but otherwise decorous.

First the young marquis said some friendly words of his great pleasure in seeing his old servant and the friend of his childhood, and the big man stood with downcast eyes, with the color flushing his happy face. Then, "Battista," asked the marquis, "how did you get the letter which you brought mademoiselle?"

"My father," answered Battista laconically.

"How did your father get it?"

"From the signor prisoner, my signor."

Alize and Pietro looked at him attentively, not comprehending by what means this was possible. Pietro, remembering the little Battista of old, vaguely remembered that he was incapable of initiative in speech. One must pump him painfully.

"Was your father in the prison where the signor is confined?" Alize asked.

The little Battista turned his eyes on her a second, approvingly, but briefly. They went back without delay to their affair of devouring the face of his master. But he answered promptly. "Yes, signorina; he is there always."

"Always?" Pietro demanded in alarm. "Is Battista a prisoner?"

"But no, my signor."

"What then? Battista, try to tell us."

So adjured, little Battista made a violent effort. "He is one of the jailers, my signor."

"Jailers? For the Austrians?" The face of the marquis took all the joyful light out of the face of little Battista.

"My signor," he stammered, "it could not be helped. He was there. He knew the castle. They forced him at first, and—and it came to be so."

"Knew the castle?" Pietro repeated. "What castle?"

Battista's eyes turned to his Master's like those of a faithful dog, trusting but not understanding. "What castle, my signor? Castelforte—the signor's own castle—what other?"

A sharp exclamation from Alize summed up everything. "Your castle is confiscated; they use it as a prison. Francois is a prisoner there, Pietro! All these years—in your own home!"

"I never dreamed of that," Pietro spoke, thinking aloud. "Every other prison in Austria and Italy I have tried to find him in. I never dreamed of Castelforte."

At the end of the interview the little Battista put his hand into his breast pocket and brought out another letter, thickly folded. Would mademoiselle have him instructed where to find the mother of the signor prisoner? He had promised to put this into her own hands. He must do it before he touched food.

And Jean Philippe Moisson, who had lurked discreetly back of the nearest stone vase, not missing a syllable, was given orders, and the huge little Battista was sent off up the stone steps between the scarlet flowers, up the velvet slope of lawn, in charge of the purple one.

Half an hour later the general walked up from the village, walked slowly, thoughtfully through the beech

wood, his face hardly older than when he had come to Vicques, but sterner and sadder; his still soldierly gait less buoyant than it had been five years ago.

He saw Alize and Pietro coming joyfully toward him, running lightly, heartily, calling to him with excited gay voices. It stabbed the general's heart; a quick thought came of that other who had been always with them, now dead or worse, of that other whom these two had forgotten. And with that they were upon him, and Alize was kissing him, hugging him, pushing a letter into his hand, up his sleeve, into his face—anywhere.

"Father—good news—the best news—almost the best! Father, be ready for the good news!"

"I am ready," the general growled impatiently. "What is this foolery? Sabre de bois! What is your news, then, you silly child?"

And Alize, shaking very much, laid her hand on his cheek and looked



"You Must Save Him!"

earnestly into his eyes. "Father, Francois is alive!"

For all his gruff self-control the general made the letter an excuse shortly to sit down. Queer, that a man's knees should suddenly bend and give way because of a thrill of rapture in a man's psychological make-up! But the general had to sit down. And then there all that had been extracted from little Battista was rehearsed, and the letter read over from start to finish.

"But he is alive, father! Alive! That is happiness enough to kill one. I never knew till now that I feared he was dead."

"Alive—yes! But in prison—in that devil's hole of an old castle!" And Alize looked at Pietro and laughed, but the general paid no attention. "He must be got out. There is no time to waste. Diable! He is perishing in that vile stable! What was that the lad said about the doctor's speech, that only a long sea voyage could save him? One must get him out, mon dieu, quick!"

Alize, her hand on his arm, put her head down on it suddenly and stood so for a moment, her face hidden. Pietro, his hands thrust deep in his pockets, looked at the general with wide gray eyes, considering. With that Alize flashed up, turned on the young Italian, shaking her forefinger at him; her eyes shone blue fire.

"That is for you, Pietro. If we should lose him now, just as we have found him! Now is the time for you to show if you can be what is brave and strong, as Francois has shown. It is your castle; you must save him."

Pietro looked at the girl, and the color crept through his cheeks, but he said nothing.

"Alize, my Alize," her father put an arm around her. "One may not demand heroism as if it were bread and butter. Pietro will not fall us."

"Alize always wished me to be brilliant like Francois," Pietro spoke gently. "But I never could."

"Yet, Pietro, it is indeed your time," Alize threw at him eagerly. "Francois must be rescued or he will die."

"Yes," Pietro answered quietly. "Francois must be rescued."

He was silent a moment, as if thinking. His calm poised mind was working swiftly; one saw the inner action in the clear gray eyes. The general and Alize, watching him, saw it. "I think I know how," he said.

## CHAPTER XVI.

## The Stone Staircase.

Battista's prisoner stood at the barred window high up the steep side of the castle and stared out wistfully at the receding infinity of blueness—his meadow. In the three months since his letter had gone to France, he had grown old. The juices of his youth seemed dried up; his eyes were bloodshot, his skin yellow; there was no flesh on him. The waiting and hoping had worn on him more than the dead level of the hopeless years before. There was a new tenseness in the lightly-built figure, even in the long, delicate, strong fingers. The prisoner had caught a whiff of the air of home and was choking for a full breath.

"You are not well, my friend," said the governor. "The doctor must see you."

But Francois refused lightly and laughed and fell to singing an old peasant song of France which he had remembered lately; he got up on the table and dived it to an imaginary fiddle which he pretended to play after the manner of old Jacques Arne, who played for dances in Vicques. And the governor was taken with a violent fancy for it. He roared at it, and sang it over in fragments till he had learned it, and then he sang it and roared again and clapped his knees; there was a droll comedy in Francois's rendering also, not to be explained—and the count said that Francois must come to his rooms the next night for dinner and sing him the song again and also listen to a new one of his own.

So Francois was taken down the stone staircase and conducted to the two rooms which were the governor's suite. He knew them well, for he had dined many times with the count. But tonight he was left alone a few moments in the outer room, the living-room, while the governor was in the bedroom, and he looked about keenly with a strained attention which grew out of the suppressed hope of escape. Who knew what bit of knowledge of the castle might be vital, and who knew how soon? He noted the swords and pistols hanging on the wall, and marked a light saber whose scabbard was brightly polished as if the blade also were kept in good order. On the table he saw the flint and steel with which Count von Gersdorf lighted his pipe; he stepped to the window and bent out, scanning the wall. A stone coping, wide enough for a man's foot, but little more, ran, four feet below; ten feet beyond the window it ended in the roof of a shed, a sloping roof where a man could drop down, yes, or even climb up with ease. A man, that is, who had climbed when a boy as Francois had climbed—like a cat for certainty and lightness. But what then, when one was in the courtyard? It was walled about with a stone wall sixteen feet high; these old ancestors of Pietro, who had built this place, had planned well to keep Pietro's friend in prison.

So Francois, not hopeful of a sortie by that point, drew in his head from the open window and took to examining the walls of the governor's room. There were three doors—one from the hall by which he had come, one behind which he now heard the count moving in his bedroom, and a third. The count had gone through this last door one night a month before, into a dark, winding, stone staircase, and disappeared for three minutes, and brought up a bottle of wonderful wine.

"A fine stock they put down there—the Italians who ruled here for eight hundred-odd years," he had said. "I've lowered it a bit. A good spacious wine-cellar and grand old wine. You will be the better for a little." And Francois had watched him as he put the brass key back on the chain which hung from his belt.

At this point of memory the bedroom door opened, and the governor came out, in great good humor and ready to eat and drink as became an Austrian soldier. The dinner was brought in, but Francois, for all his efforts to do his part, could not swallow food, or very little. The fever, the unrest burning in him, made it impossible. Count Gersdorf looked at him seriously when dinner was over; as yet Francois, talking, laughing, singing, had eaten not over half a dozen mouthfuls.

"Certainly you are not well," he said. "I think the doctor should see you." And then he nodded his head and his small eyes gleamed with a brilliant thought. "I know a medicine better than a doctor's." He stood up and his fingers were working at the chain of keys at his belt. Francois watched them and saw the thin, old, brass key which he slipped off. "A bottle of wine of our Italian ancestors—yours and mine, Beaupre—the count chuckled—"that will cure you of your ills for this evening at least." He slid the key into the lock and said, half to himself, "My little brass friend never leaves the belt of Albrecht von Gersdorf except to do him a pleasure, bless him!" And then, "Hold the candle Beaupre—well, come along down—it can do no harm and I can't manage a light and two bottles."

So Francois followed down the twisted, headlong, stone staircase and found himself, after rather a long descent, holding the lamp high, gazing curiously about the walls of a large stone room lined with shelves, filled with bottles.

"A show, isn't it?" the Count von Gersdorf demanded. "Here, hold the light on this side," and he went on talking. "The wine is so old that I think it must have been stocked before the time of the last lord of the castle."

And Francois, holding the light, remembering the Marquis Zappi, thought so too. The count pointed to a square stone in the wall which projected slightly, very slightly.

"That is the door to a secret stock of some sort, I have always thought," he said. "Probably some wonderful old stuff saved for the coming of age of the heir, or a great event of that sort. I wish I could get at it," and he stared wistfully at the massive block. "But I cannot stir it. And I don't let anyone but myself down here—not I." The count turned away and they mounted the two stories of narrow steps, for the governor's rooms were on the second floor, and the staircase ran from it between walls, down underground. "The old chaps must have thought a lot of their wine to have the cellar connect directly with their own rooms—for Battista tells me these were always the rooms of the Zappi—the lords of the castle," the governor explained.

And in Francois, considering it, the fact seemed an odd one. And then the governor set to work drinking Pietro's wine, and little thought, as he urged it on his prisoner, how much more right it to the prisoner had than he. It was a wonderful old liquid, full of a strange dim sparkle, and of most exquisite bouquet. As he drank it Francois silently toasted its owner on his return to his own again. He took so little as to disgust the governor, but it put fresh life into him, and when at last he could leave the count, who was by that time more than fairly drunk, he went up to his cold prison under the roof quieter and more at peace than he had been for months.

## CHAPTER XVII.

## A Leaf of Bread.

The next morning Battista came in with a manner which to the observing eye of his prisoner foretold distinctly some event. He talked more than usual, and more gruffly and loudly, but at last, after wandering about the room some minutes, all the time talking, scolding, he swooped on Francois and thrust a thick paper into his coat and at the same instant his heavy left hand was over Francois's mouth.

"Not a word," he whispered, and then—"The loaf of bread."

Francois, struck dumb and blind, turned hot and cold, and his shaking hand in his coat pocket clutched the letter.

But Battista prodded him with his hard forefinger. "Be careful," he muttered, and then again, "The bread"—with a sharp prod—"The loaf of bread"—and the door had clanged. Battista was gone.

A strong man, who had not been shut away from life, would likely have read the letter instantly, would instantly have examined the long round loaf lying before him. Francois was ill and weak and it was the first word for five years from his own people, which lay in his hand; he sat as if turned to stone, touching the paper as if it were enough; he sat perhaps fifteen minutes.

Then suddenly a breathlessness came over him that something might happen before he could read it—this writing which, whatever it should say, meant life and death to him. Taking care not to rustle the paper, deadening the sound under his bedclothes, he read it, kneeling by the bed. It was four letters—from his mother and Alize, and the general and Pietro; but the first three were short. He felt, indeed, reading them, that no words had been written, that only the arms of the people he loved had strained about him and their faces laid against his, and that so, wordlessly, they had told him but one thing—their undying love. Weak, lonely, his intense temperament stretched to the breaking point by the last three months of fearful hops, it was more than he could bear. He put the papers against his cheek and his head, dropped on the bed, and a storm of tears tore his soul and body. But it was dangerous; he must not be off his guard; he remembered that swiftly, and with shaking fingers he opened Pietro's letter—Pietro's letter which, yellowed and faded but distinct yet, in the small clear writing, is guarded today with those other letters in the mahogany desk in Virginia.

"My dear brother Francois," the letter began, and quick tears came again at that word "brother," which said so much. "My dear brother Francois—this is not to tell you how I have searched for you and never forgotten you. I will tell you that when I see you. This is to tell you how to get out of that house of mine which has held you as a prisoner when you ought to have been its welcome guest. When Italy is free we will do that over; but



The Count Pointed to a Square Stone in the Wall.

I must get you free first. Francois, I am now within five miles of you."

The man on his knees by the prison bed gasped; the letters staggered before his eyes.

"I am living on a ship, and I will explain how I got it when I see you, in a few days now, Francois. Every night for a week, beginning with tonight, there will be a person watching for you in Riders' Hollow, from midnight till daylight. After that we shall go away for two weeks so as to avoid giving suspicion, and then repeat the arrangement again every night for a week. You do not know Riders' Hollow, and it is unnecessary to tell you more about it than that it is a lonely place hidden in trees, and supposed to be haunted by ghosts of men on horseback; the people about will not go there for love or money except by broad daylight.

## (TO BE CONTINUED.)

One may be better than his reputation or his conduct, but never better than his wrinkles.—Lafontaine.



## BRADY APPOINTS BANK EXAMINER

John McGrath, Corporation Law  
Clerk, Gets Position.

### CHANGE EFFECTIVE MARCH 1

Others Named on Staff of Secretary of  
State—Former Assistant Librarian,  
Transferred to Automobile Department.

Springfield.—State Auditor James J. Brady announced the appointment of John McGrath, corporation law clerk of the secretary of state's office, to the position of state bank examiner in the auditor's department, the change to be effective March 1.

Mr. McGrath formerly was county clerk of Jersey county and has been with Secretary Woods, since his inauguration.

Minor changes in the secretary's office staff were announced. E. L. Merritt, who has served as an assistant state librarian, has been transferred to the state automobile department, and Miss Ella Morris, daughter of Representative James F. Morris of Springfield, has been given a position in the office of State Insurance Superintendent Rufus M. Potts. Miss Morris was in the secretary's automobile department.

### Many Pardons Denied.

Governor Dunne, acting on the recommendation of the state board of pardons, denied pardons and commutations of sentence in the following cases:

Jasper Abbott, convicted at the January, 1903, term of the Massac county circuit court of the murder of Samuel Faughn and sentenced to 22 years in the Chester penitentiary.

Edward H. Ahrens, convicted at the December, 1912, term of the Lake county circuit court of bigamy and sentenced to the Joliet penitentiary for an indefinite period.

Clyde M. Jones, convicted in the Cook county criminal court of larceny at the January, 1913, term and sentenced to the house of correction for one year.

Carmell Rugeri, convicted in the Chicago municipal court of assault with a deadly weapon, at the March, 1913, term and sentenced to the house of correction for six months.

Morris Kasper, convicted of horse stealing at the September, 1911, term of the criminal court of Cook county, and sentenced to the Joliet penitentiary for an indefinite period.

A. Judson Booth, convicted of rape at the April, 1906, term of the Cook county criminal court and sentenced to Joliet penitentiary for 13 years.

James D. Clemens, convicted at the May term, 1913, of the Cook county criminal court of petit larceny and sentenced to the house of correction for one year.

George Williams, convicted at the November term, 1913, of the Cook county criminal court of assault to rape and sentenced to Joliet penitentiary for an indeterminate period.

Elmer E. Rogers, convicted at the March, 1913, term of the Cook county criminal court of confidence game and sentenced to Joliet penitentiary for an indefinite period.

William F. McMillan, convicted at the May, 1912, term of the Cook county criminal court of obtaining money under false pretenses and sentenced to one year in the house of correction.

### May Postpone Miners' Meeting.

In order to prepare the books for the semi-annual auditing before going into their state convention at Peoria February 17, J. M. Zimmerman and Miss J. M. Cusick, the office force at the United Mine Workers' headquarters, returned from the international convention at Indianapolis.

There is danger that the state convention will have to be postponed till a later date, as the state officers, as soon as the Indianapolis convention is adjourned, will have to meet with the operators at Philadelphia in a joint interstate scale conference to decide a scale of wages for miners in 1914.

If the scale is continued as last year by the conference, their decision will be ratified at the state meeting. If there is an increase agreed upon it will be left for the district meetings to accept.

### New Illinois Postmasters.

The following nominations for Illinois postmasters were confirmed by the senate at Washington: Walter C. Shoupe, Carlyle; William J. Hoff, Geneseo; Daniel W. Tonkey, Hume; S. J. Jackson, Kankakee; O. E. Boyer, Kansas; James M. Dace, Odun; Barney A. Isun, Olney; Adam A. Funk, St. Joseph; James W. Patton, Springfield; Herman Richards, Techny; Glenn O. Wyatt, Wayne.

### Chicago Selected for Meeting.

Chicago was again chosen for the meeting of 1915 and officers for 1914 elected at the closing session of the annual meeting of the Illinois Clothing association. The officers are: President, L. J. Hartman, Alton; first vice-president, Charles O'Malley, Bloomington; second vice-president, J. F. Myers, Mount Pulaski; secretary, A. C. Carlson, Princeton; treasurer, G. J. Boehland, Rockford. A. E. Anderson of South Chicago and J. J. Van Haar of Chicago were chosen members of executive committee.

### Report of Humane Body.

Officials of the Illinois Humane society investigated 3,106 cases in which children were involved during the last year and relieved more than 15,000 suffering animals.

The fifty-fourth annual meeting of the organization was held in Springfield. In his annual report John L. Shortall, president of the society, reviewed the work of 1913 and told plans for future work. He said the society had maintained 56 drinking fountains during the open season, 15 until January 1 and ten since that date, and told of two bequests of \$5,000 each.

The report of George A. H. Scott shows that 1,248 complaints of cruelty to children were received and investigated. The condition of 1,613 children was remedied. Fines amounting to \$2,972 were imposed through the efforts of the organization.

The society handled 21 cases in which parents failed to provide for their children, and 14 cases in which the excessive use of intoxicants by parents caused suffering. One case in which a parent chained a boy in a house received proper attention.

Thirty-one instances of drivers beating horses were investigated. One man was prosecuted for pouring kerosene on a dog and setting fire to the animal.

The report of Charles E. Murlison, treasurer, showed disbursements of \$20,481.76 and receipts amounting to \$20,661.04.

At a meeting of the board of directors held immediately after the annual meeting the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—John P. Shortall.

First vice-president—Frank M. Staples.

Second vice-president—Solomon Sturges.

Treasurer—Charles E. Murlison.

Secretary—George A. H. Scott.

Executive committee—Thomas J. Cavanagh, Miss Ruth Ewing, Charles E. Murlison, Richard E. Schmidt, Thomas Taylor, Jr., A. H. Scott, John L. Shortall, Frank M. Staples, Solomon Sturges.

Directors for three years—Miss Ruth Ewing, Henry L. Frank, William A. Fuller, Henry N. Hart, Franklin MacVeach, Hugh J. Birney, Charles E. Murlison, Ferdinand W. Peck, Mrs. Ferdinand W. Peck, Howard E. Perry.

Resolutions of thanks for services given to the society by city officials and others during the year were adopted.

### Annual State Fire Report.

Four hundred and fifty persons were burned to death or suffocated, and property loss of \$13,556,443 resulted from fires in the state of Illinois during the year 1913. This information is contained in the annual report of Acting State Fire Marshal Morgaridge, which was submitted to Insurance Superintendent Potts.

The total loss is an increase of \$2,000,000 over the loss of 1912. The report shows that over 100 persons who were not identified, or whose names were not reported, lost their lives in fires. Three hundred and forty-eight victims were identified.

Bonfires claimed 49 victims whose clothing was ignited from the flames. Thirty-two persons were burned to death by gasoline; four were cremated by explosions of gasoline stoves; four met death by burning from explosions of stove polish; 26 were killed by fire starting from lighting fires with kerosene, and 34 died from burns received when their clothing became ignited from stoves. Carelessness with matches caused the cremation of 37, four were burned to death in railroad wrecks, and five were burned to death by fires starting from firecrackers.

These were the chief causes of death from burning. Of the total of 450 victims, 259 were residents of Chicago.

Fires started by lightning caused the greatest damage from any known cause, the fire loss from this source aggregating a total of \$1,104,693. There were 419 fires from lightning of a total of 8,432 fires in the state in the course of the year. Lightning caused two of the biggest fires of the year—the Globe distillery blaze at Pekin, entailing a loss of \$250,000, and the Tri-City car barns at Rock Island, which caused a loss of \$225,000. Two other big fires the destruction of the Ford Manufacturing plant at Van-dalia, with a loss of \$500,000, and the Dayton Tablet factory fire at Quincy, with a loss of \$300,000, served to increase the total over that of 1912.

### Epilptic Colony May Go to Dixon.

Dixon will probably be selected by the state board of administration as the site for the new state epileptic colony, providing the conditions imposed by the state are met.

It has been tentatively agreed upon to purchase 100 acres of land a quarter of a mile from Dixon at a price of \$200 an acre. Before the transfer is made, though, the board wants assurance that the street car line will be extended to the site.

### New Incorporations.

Secretary of State Woods issued certificates of incorporation to the following:

Bass Construction company, Chicago; capital, \$3,000. Incorporators—M. F. Rubin, William Doggett and D. O. Dunbar.

Acme Printing Ink company, Chicago; capital stock increased from \$5,000 to \$15,000.

Cole & Freer, Chicago; capital, \$1,000. Incorporators—F. E. M. Cole, Burton R. Freer, E. G. Freer and M. L. Cole.

### EAST INDIA FUNERAL PYRE

Immolation of Silent Figure While  
Brother Looked on in  
Bitter Grief.

Even as we came opposite the bearers lifted one of them, all cool and dripping, from the river and set it, the slim, small figure, so quiet, so content, on a half-burnt pyre. C. F. Benson writes in the Century. Brushwood and tagots were built over it and at the head and foot and sides the fire was applied. A Brahman directed the rites and once, as the flames mounted and aspired, the brother, who was watching, clutched at his heart as there appeared for a moment at the top of the pyre a girl's face, with closed eyes and mouth that seemed to smile; then the radiant veil of flame shrouded it again. The smoke rose in gray whorls and streamers against the stainless and tender blue of the sky, and still the brother watched, quiet again and composed; he had given only that one sign to show that he loved her whose ashes now lay among the charred and smoldering logs. Or rather it was only for the moment that, thinking of days of childhood and dawns by the riverside, he forgot that it was not she who had been consumed in the flames of the pyre. Then he remembered again, and looking up from the pyre to the dazzling river he saw there on our boat his friend, the Brahman, and smiled to him.

### HEAVIEST HORSE ON RECORD

Figures Show Clydesdale Weighed  
More Than Any Animal of His  
Kind Known to History.

The weight of the heaviest horse ever known was 3,000 pounds. This horse, a Clydesdale, was exhibited in New York in 1889. It was 21½ hands high and although only five years old measured 32 inches round the arm, 45 inches round the tibia or knee joint, 95 inches girth, 34½ round the hip and 11 feet four inches in length. It was of perfect proportions, with a head 35 inches in length. A French authority gives the weight of horses as follows: Excluding ponies, which have an average weight of 440 pounds, the weight of horses varies from 660 to 1,540 pounds. The weight of cart horses varies between 1,100 and 1,540 pounds. The weight of car and coupe horses, which is about the same as that of cavalry horses, varies between 880 and 1,056 pounds. These weights are for adult animals.

### Providence on His Side.

As a rule the habitual wrongdoer bears little resentment toward the detective who may have brought him to justice. Neither is he always devoid of a blind belief in the workings of Providence. One known to the police as a "chronic crook" met one of the detectives who had on several occasions unpleasant business with him.

"How are you doing now, Tom?" asked the detective. "Doing!" bitterly exclaimed the crook. "You and your pals have fairly bottled our business!" "Well, how's the wife?" asked the man from the Yard, whereupon the crook nearly broke down. "The missus," he said, "died a month ago. It was a near thing that the parish didn't have to bury her, but (with a ring of heartfelt gratitude in his voice) Providence was very good, for it sent along a mug in the nick 'o time—and I done him for 20 quid. We was able to bury poor Lads quite decent-like!"—Manchester Guardian.

### East to Butte.

"The Boston man who, when asked if he had ever been west, replied: 'Yes, indeed, I've been to Albany,' has a counterpart in a chap I met on my last trip to the Rockies," said a Boston copper operator at the Plaza.

"I was in Spokane, going from the hotel to the railroad station in the hotel bus. A lanky rancher from Walla Walla was beside me.

"I'm agoin' back to the ranch," he remarked. "Where are you agoin'?" "Oh, I'm bound for Butte," said I. "Agoin' east all the way to Butte!" ejaculated the rancher. "I'd like to go with you, for I've never been east."

### Tree Strangely Marked.

A curious tree which though sound was never known to blossom has just been cut down by Mr. James Hayden Carrigen, on his lands at Pandeton, County Kildare, Ireland. On the freshly sawn butt of the tree there was found a blood-red imprint of what closely resembled a hand and part of an arm.

### Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Fitch* In Use For Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

### The Way It Looks.

"How do you pronounce Huerta's name?" "It is a little uncertain, but I don't think it will be very long before it is pronounced Dennis."

### True Love May Be a Myth but There are a Lot of Mighty Satisfactory Imitations.

### Perpetual Anecdotes.

When Oliver Goldsmith was a youth some young people at a gathering were amusing themselves by trying to see who could make the ugliest face. Many extravagant facial contortions were on display.

At the conclusion, the master of ceremonies stepped up to Goldsmith and said: "Sir, I think you have won the prize."

"Oh," responded the poet, "I wasn't playing."

This incident also happened to Frederick the Great, Dean Swift, William the silent, Louis XIV, Mr. Peppys, Ivan the Terrible, Julius Caesar, Socrates and Attila the Hun.—Kansas City Journal.

### "They Say! They Say!"

Wife—The cashier at the bank says you are just the meanest, stingiest—Husband—Great Scott! What—what is that? He says—

"Well, he didn't say it in so many words, but that is what he meant, of course."

"Look here! What did the fellow say?"

"He asked me to endorse the check, and, when I told him I didn't know what he meant, he said he presumed I hadn't had much experience in getting checks cashed—so there!"

### Easy to Tint Candles.

Candles can be tinted in any color or painted in any design by using fuchsin, methyl violet or any others of this class of colors, dissolved in wood alcohol. They may be dipped into a bath of the dye, or this may be applied with a paint brush.

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**Each box contains  
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**Chew it after every meal  
It stays fresh until used**

### From Many, One.

"This is our most valuable fowl," said the amateur hen farmer. "A fine bird," remarked the visitor, trying to look wise.

"Yes, indeed. We have named her E Pluribus Unum."

"Why the name?" the visitor questioned.

"She came from the only egg that hatched of 50 in the incubator."

### Unusual Slumbers.

"Did you hear of the remarkable case of kidnapping next door?"

"No; what was it?"

"The baby never works the whole time I was practicing on the piano."

### Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate

and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated, tiny granules. Easy to take as candy. Adv.

### Unpleasant to Hear.

"The very sound of some people's voices is exasperating."

"Quite true. Especially when they say, 'Move on,' or 'Pay up.'"

### Whenever You Need a General Tonic

**Take Grove's**

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If Yours is fluttering or weak, use **RENOVINE.** Made by Van Vleet-Mansfield Drug Co., Memphis, Tenn. Price \$1.00



## AROUND THE COUNTY

## South Dunn.

Mrs. Mary Shipman visited Walter Shipman and family, Wednesday.

Miss Blanche Soper visited the latter part of last week in Sullivan.

Ross Shipman and wife visited near Kirksville, Friday, the guests of C. W. Riley and family.

Henry Daum, John Waggoner and John Silver visited D. W. Shipman, Saturday evening.

Miliard Shasteen and family visited Sunday with home folks.

Claude Monroes visited Sunday with Albert Hampton and family.

Louis Furgeson's tenant house, south of Dunn, burned Monday night. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss was about 300 bushels of corn and several bales of straw.

Dallas Hampton and family will move to the Will Low farm.

You had better get busy and subscribe for the Herald and get all the news.

Ruth Heiland is better at this writing.

"Listen for the wedding bells," soon.

Mrs. Wesley Riley is on the sick list.

Orphia Cook visited a few days last week with her parents, Dennis Cook and family.

Ruth Hampton spent Tuesday with Will Low and family.

## How is Your Boiler?

It has been stated that a man's stomach is his boiler, his body is his engine and his mouth the fire box. Is your boiler (stomach) in good working order or is it so weak that it will not stand a full load and not able to supply the needed energy to your engine (body)? If you have any trouble with your stomach, Chamberlain's Tablets will do you good. They strengthen and invigorate the stomach and enable it to do its work naturally. Many very remarkable cures of stomach trouble have been effected by them. For sale by Sam B. Hall and all dealers. Adv.

## Bruce.

Mrs. E. W. Lanum was a visitor in Windsor, Tuesday.

C. C. Luttrell was a caller in Sullivan, Tuesday.

Mrs. Norman Hidden has returned after a short visit in Indiana. She was summoned there by the death of a relative.

Howard Williamson and family spent Sunday at C. M. Hunters.

Mrs. E. W. Lanum spent Thursday with Mrs. C. W. Harrington.

After a heavy meal, take a couple of Doan's Regulets, and give your stomach, liver and bowels the help they will need. Regulets bring easy, regular passages of the bowels. Adv.

## West Whitley

Andy Waggoner transacted business in Mattoon, Wednesday.

Hazel and Carl Hidden, of Bruce, spent Sunday with Icel Hidden.

Elder Chastain, of Springfield, will conduct services at the Waggoner church, Saturday and Sunday.

A. J. Waggoner visited with friends near Cadwell, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Allison, of Decatur, are the guests of Mrs. M. T. Waggoner and family this week.

## "Clean Up the Bowels and Keep Them Clean"

There are many remedies to be had for constipation, but the difficulty is to procure one that acts without violence. A remedy that does not perform by force what should be accomplished by persuasion is Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets. After using them, Mr. N. A. Waddell, 315 Washington St., Waco, Tex., says:

"Almost all my life I have been troubled with constipation, and have tried many remedies, all of which seemed to cause pain without giving much relief. I finally tried Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets and found them excellent. Their action is pleasant and mild, and their chocolate taste makes them easy to take. I am more than glad to recommend them."

"Clean up the bowels and keep them clean," is the advice of all physicians, because they realize the danger resulting from habitual constipation. Do not delay too long, but begin proper curative measures. Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets are a new remedy for this old complaint, and a great improvement over the cathartics you have been using in the past. They taste like candy and work like a charm. A trial will convince you.

Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets are sold by all druggists, at 25 cents a box containing 25 doses. If not found satisfactory after trial, return the box to your druggist and he will return your money. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.



## Cushman

Miss Effie Brown was able to return to her home, Tuesday. She had been very sick at the home of Willis Harris the past two weeks.

The Saturday Herald and the four good magazines for \$1.18.

Gertie and Ethel Randol were shopping in Sullivan last Tuesday.

Mrs. Rose Hall, of Windsor, visited with relatives in this vicinity, from Thursday until Monday.

W. M. Ray, wife and niece, Beniah Foster, were the guests of Clyde Ritchey and wife last Sunday.

Fred Harmon and wife were in Decatur, last Tuesday.

Herschel Ray visited with his sister, Mrs. Hezlie Roberts and family, Friday and Saturday of last week.

Miss Addah Wood returned to her studies in the U. of I. in Champaign, Monday, after spending the vacation at home with her mother.

Misses Inza, Opal and Margaret Foster were the guests of W. M. Ray and family, Friday night.

Sunday will be go-to-church Sunday at Prairie Chapel. Everyone is invited to attend. Let this be a big day and long remembered.

D. W. Vangundy and wife spent last week in Shelbyville, with J. H. Michaels and wife.

Methodist Minister Recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Rev. James A. Lewis, Milaca, Minn., writes: "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been a needed and welcome guest in our home for a number of years. I highly recommend it to my fellows as being a medicine worthy of trial in cases of colds, coughs and croup." Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a trial and we are confident you will find it very effective and continue to use it as occasion requires for years to come, as many others have done. For sale by Sam B. Hall and all dealers. Adv.

## East Whitley

It appears as though everyone has forgotten the poor old farmer but the tax collector; he appears to be real sociable.

W. A. Chasney and wife, Mrs. Mary Henry, Hort Phipps and family, Ernest Townley and family, Clifton Lowe, Jas. Ellis and Mrs. Stella Townley, spent Sunday with Shirley Smith.

Wilfred Hoke is recovering from a severe attack of grippe.

Ed Finley is better at this writing. His complaint has been diagnosed as acute appendicitis.

Hort Phipps, who has lived on the Pearl Pierce place for five years, has moved to the Gardner farm, south of Gays. Harry Weaver is his successor.

Clarence Elder and family have moved from James Hostetter's farm just south of the Linn Creek bridge into the house with his father, W. S. Elder, of Jonathan Creek. The former has rented a farm near his father's home, to which he may move about the first of March.

## The Best Cough Medicine.

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## Graham Chapel

George Lefflers have moved to the house vacated by Claude Laytons.

Lloyd Lilly is engaged at Layton's saw mill.

Ivy Stead visited at George Edens, Saturday.

Hubert Lilly has another very sick horse.

John S. Martin's little son has a very severe case of mumps.

Mrs. Eb Goddard and daughter, Miss Blanche, assisted Mrs. Claude Layton in packing her household goods to move.

Claude Layton and family have moved to their new home south of Mattoon. This vicinity has lost a good citizen and neighbor.

Many ills come from impure blood. Can't have pure blood with faulty digestion, lazy liver and sluggish bowels. Burdock Blood Bitters strengthens stomach, bowels and liver, and purifies the blood. Adv.

## Lovington

Miss Bertha Leckner, of Arthur, visited friends in Lovington over Sunday.

Joseph Neff is very sick at his home, south of town.

Rev. Miss Bersha Green, of Bethany, preached here at the Free Methodist church, Sunday.

Misses Clara Idall and Ada Taylor returned from Taylorville, Ill., last Monday, where they helped Rev. Coats in a three weeks revival.

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## Harmony

B. F. Siler transacted business in Findlay, Tuesday.

I. N. Marble attended the telephone meeting in Kirksville, Saturday.

Delbert Briscoe, youngest son of Mrs. Wm. Selock, fell from a shed, Friday morning, and sustained a broken arm and was severely bruised otherwise.

Edgar Hokes and Henry Banks spent the day, Monday, at Clem Messmores.

J. E. Briscoe was in Bruce, Saturday.

Joe and Dewey Butler were Bruce callers, Wednesday.

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## Kirksville.

John E. Hilliard, a young farmer of the neighborhood of Kirksville, and Miss Julia Dowell, of Shelbyville, were married by the Rev. Arthur S. Chapman at the parsonage of the First Methodist church, Saturday evening. They will reside on a farm near Kirksville.

Itching, torturing skin eruptions, disfigure, annoy, drive one wild. Doan's Ointment brings quick relief and lasting cure. Fifty cents at any drug store. Adv.

## Gays

The Saturday Herald and four good magazines all for \$1.18.

The boys of our corn club have returned from their trip to St. Louis. Those who went were: Mark Bucklew, Ralph Boyd and Chester Glasscock.

The quarantine has been lifted from the Garrett home.

Miss Mable Fleishner will give a Valentine party to her young friends.

James Hostetter has moved back to his farm, recently vacated by his tenant.

Many from our vicinity attended the sale at Emmet Fleming's.

## Take Notice!

I have purchased the entire stock of M. E. LEARNER, northwest corner of the public square, Sullivan, Illinois, and it is my intention to turn same into cash just as soon as possible.

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W. A. BENNETT

Successor to M. E. LEARNER

## Injunction at Bethany.

The Macon county Telephone Co. here has issued an injunction against the Mutual company, which was organized this winter, to keep them from building a system here. The hearing will be Feb. 17 at Springfield.

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