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THREE MORE SCALPS

Added to Culver's String--Notre Dame Preps, Niles and Valparaiso High Schools.

Of foot ball of one sort and another, Culver had a surfeit last week.

Wednesday Notre Dame's Preparatory team was defeated 46-0.

Saturday the second team and Niles, Mich., High put up one of the most picturesque games seen upon the local ground this season, resulting in a score of 6-5 favor of Culver. This game was followed by one between the first team and Valparaiso High, in which Culver's men run up a score of 62-0 in a game which started off with every indication of a much lower score if not a two sided one.

Lack of space prevents a strictly detailed account of the plays but a summary is as follows:

NOTRE DAME-CULVER.

Culver won toss and chose to kick, Notre Dame to defend the west goal.

Hunter kicked over and the ball was punted back. The punt was "foozled" and went outside, Bemis getting it.

First down Bemis got around left end for seventy-five yards, and on second down after, Knight touched down and goal was kicked all in one minute and a half of play. Then began one of the most demoralizing sessions imaginable. Culver has had bad luck this season with one sided visiting officials but this particular day she "was sure up against it."

Four downs was no particular feature after it had happened a few times and such little stunts as holding a player's arm when the ball was being returned to the field after having gone out of bounds ceased to call for comment before long. Forward passes were invisible and the coaching of the Notre Dame team, by its official, seemed to be a settled habit of that worthy. To facilitate the latter the press representatives were probably politely, but none the less firmly, fired from the field and the game went on. What time could not be used up, sighting on the ball, (once when ball and stake were both upon a line) was consumed in illustrating the necessity for a good English course at Notre Dame.

Despite these diversions, which were far from refreshing, Culver scored twice in the first half, Barrett getting the second one.

In the second half, Culver's main opponent hadn't the real good chance he had in the first and he spent most of his time arguing with and watching the time keepers.

Just what bunch of porch climbers he graduated from is not known but they left their impress.

Culver played all around and over Notre Dame this half, Bemis, Burnside, Bays H, and Barrett each touching down once and Knight twice. These were made at distances which ranged all the way from six inches to twenty-five yards.

Notre Dame's team played very good ball at times but seemed to have been depending altogether too much upon the twelfth member of the team to make good when he was boxed in.

NILES-CULVER.

Niles kicked to Culver who had the ball ten downs and lost it at the twenty yard line. Niles was forced to punt and Culver made but a slight return. First down Culver fumbled and East got the ball touching down from the sixty yard line. It was too long a run to be called a fluke. Goal was missed. Culver had the ball on the Niles twenty yard line at the end of the half.

Culver touched down and kicked goal but played in the hardest kind of luck as regards fumbles. The score should have been at least 12 to 0 had this feature been eliminated. However spilled milk is traditionally no occasion for grief. We won, so --

VALPARAISO-CULVER.

Culver won toss and chose to kick, the visitors to defend west goal.

Hunter kicked to the five yard line and the return was twenty, the first three downs advanced the ball fourteen yards, the visitors putting up a very snappy offensive play but the Culver line was stiffening up and soon held, the ball going over.

Only once did the official announce third down as Culver worked the ball over the line, Barrett scoring. Goal was kicked.

Hunter kicked over and the lads from down the Nickle Plate seemed to fear it would bite and permitted Burnside to touch down. Goal kicked. This is the quickest time recorded this year and Culver rooters did the occasion justice. Valparaiso visitors assumed a peculiar shade of azure which they retained throughout the game.

Culver kicked to the five yard line and the High School boys soon punted, Bays F running the ball back 20 yards. It was first down now all the time and it only required eight scrimmages to get it on the five yard line, from which point Bays H. handily carried it over. Bemis kicked goal. Hunter placed the ball at the five yard line and there was but ten return. The third down Valparaiso punted and it was Culver's ball at the center of the field. Their opponents put up a game fight and there was a fine exhibition of good foot ball for a few minutes, Bemis touching down from the five yard line. Goal missed.

The ball went to the ten yard line and Culver recovered it in the visitors' territory upon a fumble. Seven downs placed Knight safely across the line. Goal kicked.

Valparaiso kicked to the ten yard line and Breckenridge returned twenty. Culver soon had the ball within scoring distance when the visitors took a decided brace, held for downs and toyed with the ball a few minutes but were forced to punt, Culver returning to the thirty yard line.

The third scrimmage Buckingham got away on a long slant and over for a touch down. The ball was punted out for a fair catch but went wrong. Time up.

The second half was much like the first. Culver was playing the best ball she has put up this season and the visitors fighting to the last ditch. Barrett made the first touch down and goal was kicked. Valparaiso held for downs but soon had to punt. Bays H went over and goal was missed.

The ball was not long in play when Knight got away and touched down from the twenty yard line. Goal kicked.

Culver kicked and the visitors punted on third down. In spite of a penalty for Culver, seven downs were all that were needed and Knight touched down. Valparaiso kicked and after a brief struggle Barrett got away for a fifty yard sprint and scored. After the try for goal the officials' whistles called the game with the score 62-0.

Culver played the fastest, snappiest ball of the season and the visitors were simply outclassed.

They have the material for an excellent team and best of all they are game to the core and gentlemen. Such teams are an honor to the school they represent and it is no wonder that a large crowd of their friends came with them. It is to be hoped that a game can be arranged next season and that Valparaiso High and the Culver sold-

ier boys may become better acquainted.

C. M. A. NOTES.

Cadet DePrez spent several days last week on sick leave at his home in Shelbyville.

The dance card for the Thanksgiving dance will bear a picture of the foot ball team in two colors and will make a unique souvenir of the closing event of the season.

The foot ball team posed for several group pictures in Keene's studio during the past week. The results are an improvement on the out door pictures heretofore taken.

Cadet Pfiffner won second place in the secondary school's oratorical contest at Chicago last Friday. Eighteen of the two hundred affiliated with the university were represented. While regretting that he could not have been first, a second place amongst so many is not without honor, and Culver has reason to feel proud of her representative.

Cadet Cole A. visited Chicago during the past week in order to meet several friends who have recently arrived from his home in Alaska. The pleasure of seeing these friends from home was enhanced by the fact that communications with Alaska are now closed and for six months he will not be able even to send or receive a letter.

A game with the University High School, of Chicago, is scheduled for next Saturday. This school tied Morgan Park, Morgan Park has tied Englewood and Englewood tied North Division. From our game with University High School may be therefore deduced in a way what the score might have been if the elusive North Division had seen fit to keep one of its many dates with Culver.

The cavalry squad expects to put up one of the best exhibitions of rough riding at Thanksgiving that it has ever given so early in the year. Star riders amongst the cadets are Adams, Brown S., Huddleson, Curtis, Madero. The wall scaling squad will also give an exhibition at Thanksgiving. There will doubtless be a competitive drill between the companies as well. In a competitive drill in the manual of arms a few afternoons ago the following were winners in A, C and D Co's respectively: Cashel and Dodson.

Judge Baldwin gave the cadets last Sunday a characteristically interesting and practical talk on the art of living. Fortitudo, felicitas, fidelitas, were the three latin adverbs with which living should be governed if life were to be successful. These three words had been carefully written in advance on blackboard, but an industrious janitor unfamiliar with the dead languages and uninformed of the purpose of these mystic symbols on the board had erased them. But even without a sight of the words in black and white, they will remain for many a day clinched in the memory of the judge's many forceful illustrations.

The following visitors have been at the academy since our last issue: Mr. D. C. Moon, assistant general superintendent of the Lake Shore, and Mrs. Moon; E. S. Jones, Milford, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. G. Milburn, Bristol, Ind.; G. W. Turner, St. Paul; W. D. Rowan, Pittsburg; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Baker, Wauson; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Huddleson, Winamac, Ind.; F. Woods, Effingham, Ill.; C. H. Campbell, Shelbyville; Judge A. K. Vickers, Vienna, Ill.; The Ray, Belvidere, Ill.; E. E. Black, Greencastle, Ind.; Mrs. I. K. Kerr, of Eau Claire, Wisconsin. Mrs. Kerr is enroute to Arizona where she will spend the winter.

COUNTY NEWS.

V. E. Jabbe Correspondent.

Circuit Court adjourned Saturday. December term will convene on 21st.

The case of Burr vs Matchett to quiet title, the defendant has filed a motion for a new trial.

The Plymouth High School football team was again defeated at Winona Saturday by a score of 22 to 0.

From Nov. 10th residents of the state can hunt all kinds of game, except imported pheasants, without a state license until Oct. 1, 1904.

An excellent program has been arranged for the eleventh annual Marshall county Teachers Association to be held in the Washington school building Nov. 27-28.

John G. Davis, ex-deputy County Clerk, under J. W. Wilfong, has the control of the Chronicle, succeeding W. M. Cochran, who has gone to Chicago.

The sheriff will conduct a sheriff's sale of lot 1, Barton's addition to Bourbon on Monday, Dec. 7th, to satisfy judgement of \$129.77 in favor of Theodore DeMoss.

In the case of the State of Indiana vs Andrew Voorhees for obstructing view of his place of business, plead guilty and was fined \$5, same was on an appeal from Justice Stahl court of Culver.

The case of Russell vs Edwards for damage in assault and battery, the jury found for the plaintiff in the sum of \$20, he was also taxed with the costs, as he was tendered \$30 to settle, but declined to accept.

The following marriage licenses have been issued during the past week: Burns Brockus and Edith Babcock, Everett E. Hull and Mary S. Young, Henry E. Hensel and Lenora E. Smith, Wm. Ray Myers and Viola Henney.

On account of labor unions, the Jenson Glove Company have decided to locate in Bremen, the citizens to furnish a building and guarantee a loan of \$5000, the plant employes from 75 to 100 people, and expects to be in operation by Dec. 10th.

The fire department was called out Sunday 11:30, a. m., to the water tanks of the Pennsylvania railroad, same was set on fire by a passing locomotive, by the prompt action of the department, the fire was extinguished with little loss.

Geo. Tieman or Geo. Bender, the forger, was given a hearing before the judge, pleading guilty to the charge of forgery, he was fined \$10, disfranchised for two years and sentenced to the southern prison for a term not less than two years and not more than fourteen years. Tieman was wanted in Chicago on eighteen charges of forgery.

Upon the petition for the dredging Yellow river through this city, Wm. Zehmer, by his attorneys, Kellison and Capron, appeared especially to attract the notice served on parties liable to be assessed upon the law, the same proved to be defective, and the judge ordered new notices to be served, further proceedings in this case will be had in the December term of court.

Frank McCrum son of Alvin McCrum, of Bourbon, in company with young Hibbets, boarded a freight train at Bourbon for a ride, upon increasing speed, they were obliged to remain on the train until they reached this city. Hibbets dismounted just east of the Michigan street viaduct, McCrum soon followed, and was thrown under the cars crushing his right leg, young Hibbets seeing his companion was injured remained near until help arrived, and then disappeared. McCrum was taken to the

home of his aunt where his injuries were dressed, amputation being necessary just below the knee.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

There will be a public meeting at the M. E. church Sunday evening Nov. 22 under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. An interesting program will be carried out. The public is cordially invited.

PROGRAMME.

Song.....Choir
Scripture Lesson.....Mrs. Browns
Prayer.....Mrs. Streeter
Song.....Choir
Address--Temperance Laws
.....Rev. George R. Streeter
Duet.....
Jessie Rogers, Clara Wiseman
Address--Sabbath Laws.....
.....Rev. Klopfenstein
Duet.....
Clara Stahl and Orpha Wilson
Address--Sabbath Laws.....
.....I. S. Hahn
Recitation.....Ernest Zechiel
Song--"Blest be the tie that binds.".....Congregation
Benediction.....Rev. Klopfenstein

Bachelors Take Heed Before It's Too Late.

Carroll county bachelors should be awakened to the truth. Next year is leap year. Forewarned is forearmed. The question is: "Will you pop now and get your ultimatum from the one of your choice, or wait until after January 1st and be popped and take your chances? Two of the maiden ladies that vow to get a man each this leap year or bust a toga band, are the old girls who always let down their folding bed to look under it in the hope of finding a man, and the antiquated Nancy who is accredited with saying: "Oh, Lord, Anything." If you hesitate and allow yourself to become common prey, one of the archaic specimens may insist on warming her feet against your vertebrae for the rest of your natural nights. Thus, is repeated the admonition, be warned in time. Flora Hooster-Democrat.

Killed Three Deer.

S. S. Chadwick who is on a deer hunting trip in Wisconsin wrote Mrs. Chadwick that they had killed three deer up to Sunday. One of the heads had eight points on each horn. When it comes to hunting, Uncle Noah is one of the best.

Foot Ball Expert.

Fred Lowenthal, the foot ball expert of the Chicago American, will be one of the officials in Saturday's foot ball game.

Henry Overman is re-roofing and repairing his residence in the south part of town.

Clyde Spencer contemplates working at the Barnett hotel, in Logansport, this winter.

Six teams and a number of men are working on the streets this week, filling in and graveling.

FOUND--Ladies pocket book. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this notice.

Ezra Hawkins will move to town this week. He will move in the Tilley property in the south end of town.

Services next Sunday as follows: Preaching at Culver Evangelical church at 11 a. m., and at West Oak. He will soon move to Chicago.

Guy Overmeyer will have a public sale, on Saturday, Nov. 28th, 10 a. m. at his home in Burr Oak. He will soon move to Chicago.

Foot ball at the academy next Saturday, University High School and C. M. A. first team. The University High School team is one of the best prep teams in Chicago.

PUBLIC SCHOOL NOTES.

Attendance in room B 99 per cent. last week.

There will be no school Thanksgiving day or the Friday following in Culver or Union township.

Friday the Grammar grades defeated the high school in a game of football by a score of 10 to 0.

The physics class has a new table of the teachers fluke which adds to the convenience in experiments.

The Hawthorne Club will render a program of songs, readings, orations, papers and debate next Friday afternoon.

It would require only 25 cents additional tax on each one hundred dollars assessment to pay for a new school building in Culver.

The question for debate of the Lew Wallace Club is: "Should capital punishment be abolished." This debate will be given an Wednesday.

Teacher:--"Give three facts about the Nile."

Pupil:--"The Nile has a Massasoit village compressed with Mississippi water."

Next Wednesday afternoon the various rooms will give literary Thanksgiving programs. Parents are invited to be present and enjoy the hour with the pupils.

The teachers have received programs of the Marshall County Teachers' Association which will be held in Plymouth Friday and Saturday following Thanksgiving. Interesting sessions are promised.

Sale bills printed at this office.

J. H. Meredith is out working up the interests of THE CITIZEN this week.

Harvey McFeeley is building a house just east of his father's residence.

Dr. Parker and family moved into the Mary Medbourn property last Tuesday.

The display window in Medbourn's new store room is the largest in town.

Ezra Hawkins will have a public sale on his farm west of town in the near future.

S. S. Smith has moved into the McGuire property west of the Evangelical church.

Mrs. H. H. Culver attended the funeral of her brother, Henry Hand, at Argos last Monday.

Mrs. J. H. Koontz returned Tuesday from a ten day's visit with relatives in Crafordsville.

Henry Rennals has nearly completed a large addition to his residence in the south part of town.

Mrs. Ralston, Mrs. Walter Hand and Miss Grace Barber were Plymouth visitors Wednesday.

The street leading south from the school house is, by far, the poorest in town. Gravel would improve it.

Mrs. Charlotte Rose, of Napoleon, Ohio, who has been visiting her brothers Dr. and L. C. Wiseman, left for Goshen Wednesday where she will visit her brother Judson Wiseman.

Revival meeting will commence at South Germany next Monday evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all Christian people of the neighborhood to attend and to assist in the meetings.--P. L. Browns, Pastor.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church will serve a Thanksgiving dinner Nov. 26. Tickets 25 cents.

Be prepared to purchase tickets when called upon and select a number as the lucky number will draw the beautiful quilt now on exhibition at Porter & Co.'s store.

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CULVER, INDIANA.

Of course King Edward admires American typewriters. We all do.

If Mexico has any more men like Diaz, it should begin to economize on them.

Mark Twain has gone to Europe, but luckily he isn't compelled to go for money this time.

If a man is jealous of a girl, and can't make her jealous of him, he had better get another girl.

And Senator Stewart has joined Senator Platt in ignoring the wise counsel of the elder Weller.

There is no presidential election in Haiti, but there is a revolution on, which is much the same thing.

Mme. Rejane, the French actress, has secured a divorce. The finishing touch has now been applied to her art.

The statement that the blankets in a sleeping car are changed once in six months seems to explain everything.

One of the freaks of the prosperity wave is found in the announcement by a Kansas editor that he has money to loan.

It is said that short ribs are in a corner, which is better, according to the health experts, than to have them in a corset.

Russia and Japan should hesitate a long time before going to war. They are a long way from the Chicago stockyards.

The astronomers say that each of the sun spots is as big as the earth. Does that make you realize how insignificant you are?

The Italian government finds that it has a surplus of \$13,000,000 on hand. Italy's grafters must be new and inexperienced hands.

The New York man who gave away a million dollars on his deathbed robbed the lawyers of a fine chance to have fun with his will.

It probably is inaccurate to say that Russia has changed her mind about evacuating Manchuria. She has merely changed her statement.

Taking advantage of recent electrical manifestations, Marconi will now harness the aurora borealis; but what is Tesla doing meanwhile?

Once there was a man who went into politics and didn't lose his reputation, but he didn't have any when he went in.—New York Press.

Count that week lost whose ending shall not see
a record knocked to smithereens by me.
—Lou Dixon.

Homer Waite and Bertha Hope were married in Minnesota the other day. Wait and Hope ought to make both a cheerful and promising combination.

Dr. Manuel Amador is the minister of finance in the new Isthmian Republic. Up to the present time he has been busy hunting for finances to minister.

The planet Venus is said to be particularly beautiful now, from 3:30 a. m. till dawn. Perhaps you noticed it on your way home after getting the election returns.

The gluemakers back East have struck and swear by all the gods of honest but odorous labor that they will stick together until Gabriel blows Hiawatha on his trumpet.

Feary has made the remark that an Arctic expedition costs about as much as a cup of coffee. And Sir Thomas might add that the results of the two enterprises are about the same.

Just because more than 90 per cent of the men in "Who's Who" are married, it does not necessarily follow that a man who gets married has 90 per cent more chances of becoming a who.

One advantage by the young wife of a nonagenarian is that in time of need she can usually turn to the older and more experienced of her husband's grandchildren for guidance and wise counsel.

A San Francisco man has sued for divorce because the spirits told him his wife had ceased to love him. Doubtless there are many men who will wait anxiously to hear whether he gets it or not.

The king of Greece has been appointed an honorary admiral of the British fleet. Will not some other great naval power make the too long overlooked president of the high-up republic of Switzerland an admiral, too?

The book collector in London who has just paid \$4,000 for a copy of early poems by Shelley and his sister might have printed a whole new edition of the book for considerably less than one-tenth of that amount of money.

HEROIC SEAMEN SAVE TORPEDO DESTROYER

Lieut. Curtin and His Crew Have Desperate Fight With Flames on the Lawrence.

Norfolk, Va., dispatch: Facing almost certain death, Lieutenant Roland L. Curtin and a band of heroic seamen fought flames that were roaring toward the explosives on the torpedo boat destroyer Lawrence and saved the war craft from destruction. Just before the fire reached the magazine, in which was stored a large quantity of powder and shells, the little band of marines had the satisfaction of stamping out the last spark, saving the boat and their own lives.

The fire started in a stuffy compartment directly adjoining the magazine, and had gained considerable headway when it was discovered. The place was filled with a dense smoke that baffled the efforts of the crew and caused them to fall helpless to the steel floor. Time and again Lieutenant Curtin dove into the fire chamber and emerged with the unconscious form of a seaman in his grasp. After a hurried resuscitation the seaman and his officer would renew the fight.

Finally the flames were extinguished and then the lieutenant was missed. A sailor plunged into the compartment and a second later came out with the limp body of the officer in his arms. The damage to the Lawrence was trifling.

WOMAN KILLS HUSBAND WHILE HE IS ASLEEP

Fear That She Will Be Returned to Asylum Is Incentive to the Deed.

Dover, Del., dispatch: Mrs. Edith Jackson Hollis, 25 years old, and a member of an influential family, killed her husband, shooting him while he sat in a rocking chair asleep. She then went to the home of her brother-in-law, Dr. L. S. Conwell, and told what she had done.

Mrs. Hollis says she killed her husband because he had planned to send her to an insane asylum. She had been committed to jail until a jury passes upon her sanity.

Several months ago Mrs. Hollis was sent to an insane asylum, where she remained for several months. A month ago, however, her relatives were allowed to take her home, the belief being that she was cured. Recently, however, she became violent and was placed under restraint in the home of her brother-in-law, Dr. L. S. Conwell.

At 4 o'clock in the morning she eluded the guard that had been almost constantly watching her, and, escaping from the house, made her way to her own home, where she found her husband sleeping in a rocking chair. Without disturbing him she drew a revolver from her dress and killed him.

JOIN TO FIGHT TRADES UNIONS

Anti-boycott Association Plans to Carry On Great Contest.

New York special: To fight labor unions which tie up the building trades and cause employers to lose millions of dollars many New Yorkers have joined the American Anti-boycott association, one of whose leading principles is "organized violation of the law must be met by organized enforcement of the law." It is believed that this organization will achieve results and cause such a feeling of security that prospective investors who would be willing to put millions into legitimate commercial enterprises, but are deterred through fear of walking delegates and strikes, will no longer hesitate. To place this organization, to which more than 100 manufacturers and employers of labor throughout the United States already belong, upon a business footing, it is proposed to assess each member \$1 on each \$2,000 of yearly pay roll until a fund of \$250,000 is raised.

HUNTER TAKES MAN FOR DEER

Youth Severs Victim's Jugular and Will Be Tried for Manslaughter.

Marquette, Mich., dispatch: Mistaken for a deer, David P. Pickett, married, a carpenter, was shot and almost instantly killed by Free Murray, son of a leading grocer. The fatality is the first of the hunting season in this section, occurring about eight miles from town. The bullet struck Pickett in the neck, severing the jugular vein. Under the provisions of a new law the killing of a man while hunting is held to be manslaughter, punishable by imprisonment for not exceeding ten years or by fine not exceeding \$1,000. Prosecution is made mandatory.

Kills His Stepmother.

Michigan, Mich., dispatch: Mrs. Napoleon Beauvais was shot and almost instantly killed by her stepson, Napoleon Beauvais, Jr. Sitting on the edge of his bed, he placed the muzzle of a rifle in his mouth and pulled the trigger, blowing off his head.

Jealousy Causes Murder.

Madison, Ind., dispatch: Upon returning to his home, Thomas Tracy saw Isaac Seiferman, unmarried, talking to his wife in the yard, and, securing a butcher knife, slashed Seiferman's throat, severing the jugular vein.

Rudloff Award.

Washington special: The state department has been informed that the American-Venezuelan commission has awarded \$75,000 on the Rudloff claim.

NAVAL STATION SITE IS PICKED

Secretary Moody Suggests Lake Bluff as a Suitable Location.

RECOMMENDS OTHER PLACES

Racine, Muskegon, Milwaukee and Michigan City Are Mentioned in the Order Named for Training Quarters on the Great Lakes.

Washington dispatch: Lake Bluff, thirty-two miles north of Chicago, is recommended as the most suitable site for a naval training station upon the great lakes. This recommendation is emphasized by Secretary of the Navy Moody in his letter submitting to the senate the report of the special board, consisting of Admiral H. C. Taylor, Commander C. M. R. Winslow and Civil Engineer H. H. Rousseau, appointed under act of congress to locate the site.

The secretary continues: "In view of the large price at which land at that point is held by the owners, the board suggests four other sites as suitable, which in the order of their desirability are as follows: Racine, Muskegon, Milwaukee and Michigan City.

Commends Recruits.

"At the present time a large number of recruits for the naval service are obtained from the cities of which Lake Michigan is the center. These men are of high quality in every respect, and after one term of enlistment become excellent seamen for service either in the navy or the merchant marine, and in many cases become well fitted for responsible positions in private life. I respectfully recommend to congress the earnest consideration of the report of this board and the establishment of the naval training station on the great lakes in accordance with its recommendations."

Cost of Land.

Regarding the price of land, of which 100 acres is required, the board says it can be purchased at Lake Bluff for \$900 an acre, at Milwaukee for \$700, at Racine, \$250, at Michigan City, \$125, and at Muskegon for \$100 an acre. Lake Bluff has great advantages as regards population. Muskegon excels in having the best natural harbor, Michigan City has the advantage of proximity to the center of population of the great lakes region and access to the Atlantic seaboard.

Negotiations with owners to definitely fix the price of land have not been conducted, nor have options been obtained. One important matter to be determined on regarding the sites between Milwaukee and Chicago would be whether the Sheridan driveway would necessarily pass through the government reservation. The board leaves the inference that no site should be chosen through which a driveway will pass.

HOMES FOR THE POOR.

Senator Hoar Introduces Bill to Create New National Bureau.

Washington dispatch: For the purpose of "providing homes and employment for the homeless poor and making them self-sustaining home owners, independent of being hired," Senator Hoar, by request, introduced in the senate a bill to create a bureau of national homes to be placed under the direction of the secretary of agriculture. The bill authorizes the secretary to notify the secretary of the interior to withdraw from market and settlement 140,000,000 acres of government lands, grouping them together in as large tracts as possible.

Under the bill the secretary of agriculture is directed to prepare the land for occupation as national homes for farmers and others who will till the soil and receive the proceeds of their labors with the exception of amounts which will be set aside to reimburse the government for its expense in preparing the lands and building homes for the tenants. It is planned to use the property for the benefit of all able-bodied poor. The bill was referred to the committee on public lands.

INVESTIGATE FIAT MONEY.

Secret Service Men Probe Case at Webster City.

Washington dispatch: Attention of the treasury secret service officials has been called to the issuance of fiat money at Webster City, Iowa, and an investigation will be made to determine whether the law is being violated. Decisions in the federal courts at Chicago and other cities have been against the government in its attempt to prevent the issuance of trade checks. Lumber, mining and other companies make it a practice to pay employees in store checks, a practice held by the courts to be lawful, although strenuously opposed by many. So long as the checks or orders call for redemption in exchange for a certain value of goods, and are not in violation of government money, there is no violation of the law. It has been found possible to suppress the checks when stamped as worth a specified amount of money.

Cannon's Secretary.

Washington dispatch: Speaker Cannon has selected as his secretary L. White Busbey, well known throughout the middle west as a political

writer. Mr. Busbey has been the Washington correspondent of the Chicago Inter Ocean since 1896. His new duties will not interfere with his newspaper work. Prior to coming to Washington Mr. Busbey made a specialty of political work in Illinois, and by frequent trips over the state has probably a wider acquaintance with Illinois politicians than any other newspaper correspondent in Washington. He will be the buffer to stand between "Uncle Joe" and the outside world. His duties will not be clerical. Mr. Busbey is popular with public men of all parties and with the newspaper fraternity, and will prove a valuable addition to "Uncle Joe's" staff.

Speaker Cannon has reappointed Ascher C. Hinds of Maine as clerk to the speaker's table.

Postmaster for St. Louis.

Washington dispatch: Frank Wyman has been nominated to be postmaster at St. Louis. He is a brother of Surgeon General Wyman of the public health and marine hospital service. The appointment ends a long factional fight among Missouri Republican leaders over the office. The president went outside of both factions in the selection of the postmaster.

The president has also sent the following original nominations to the senate, as well as all those made during the recess:

To be consul: Thomas J. Cummins, New York, at Puerto Cabello, Venezuela.

United States circuit judge for the eighth judicial circuit: William C. Hook, Kansas.

Associate justice of the supreme court of the District of Columbia: Daniel Thew Wright of Ohio.

Judge of the United States court for the northern district of Indian Territory: Joseph A. Gill, Indian Territory.

Discuss Smoot Case.

Washington dispatch: The Senate took up the Reed Smoot case, the debate growing out of the statement made by Senator Hoar that petitions bearing upon the eligibility of the Utah senator were out of place. Mr. Dubois of Idaho took exceptions to this statement and discussed the matter at some length. He contended that these petitions from Christian men and women were eminently proper, as they represent the moral thought of the country and should be respected. Mr. Hoar replied briefly, maintaining that the question is judicial and the senators are the judges. Because of the great importance of the matter, he said the Senate should approach it properly.

Calumet Drainage Bill.

Washington dispatch: Representative Mann of Chicago will shortly introduce a bill for the construction of a canal from the Calumet river to the drainage canal to carry off the sewage which is now emptied into that river. Mr. Mann had a similar bill before the last session. Members of the Illinois delegation from down-state will oppose the bill on the ground that the Illinois river has raised a foot or more since the opening of the drainage canal, and they fear the increased volume of water which will be necessary to carry off the sewage from the Calumet river would cause further damage from overflow in the lowlands.

Senate Reform.

Washington dispatch: An hour or more is wasted every day in the senate while the members demand recognition to introduce bills and present memorials and petitions. In the house a box is provided where members place their bills, memorials and petitions. As an economy in time, it has been suggested that the house practice be adopted. An amendment to the rules of the senate to carry out this reform was presented by Senator Hansbrough of North Dakota. The younger element of the senate will support it, but some of the older sticklers for custom will strenuously oppose it.

May Honor Mr. Hopkins.

Washington dispatch: Senator Hopkins of Illinois will probably be selected to fill the vacancy upon the important finance committee made vacant by the retirement from congress of Senator Jones of Nevada. It is unusual to assign a new senator to this great committee, but Senator Cullom, Speaker Cannon, Senator Allison and other powerful influences are at work and the prospects are bright that Mr. Hopkins will be lauded.

McKinley Memorial.

Washington dispatch: Justice Wm. R. Day of Canton, Ohio, as president of the McKinley National Memorial association, has directed Secretary Hartzell to call a meeting of the association, to be held at the Arlington hotel, Washington, Nov. 19.

Guns for the Army.

Washington dispatch: Automatic machine guns are to be added in large numbers to the armament of the United States army. The appropriation at present available provides for the manufacture of fifty of Vickers-Maxim type guns.

To Reorganize Committees.

Washington dispatch: Senator Allison has appointed the following committee to reorganize the committees of the Senate: Hale, chairman; Galinger, Hansbrough, Burrows, Foraker, Penrose, Foster (Wash.), Quarles, and Scott.

Tariff on Coal.

Washington dispatch: Mr. Roberts (Rep., Mass.) introduced in the House a bill removing the tariff on bituminous coal containing less than 90 per cent of fixed carbon and slate. Also a bill removing the duty on hides.

FEDERATION HITS AT "OPEN SHOP"

Delegates Censure Action of the President in the Miller Case.

GLASSBLOWER IN HIS DEFENSE

D. A. Hayes Says Any Man in the Convention Would Have Acted as Mr. Roosevelt Did Had He Been in the Same Position.

Boston, Mass., dispatch: President Roosevelt's name and his action in the Miller case were brought before the convention of the American Federation of Labor, when several delegates criticized his decision not to discriminate against nonunion labor in federal employment.

The question came before the convention from the committee on resolutions in the way of a report that a resolution on the "open shop" issue be referred to the committee of the executive council. The substance of the resolution was that the "open shop," whether under private or government control, cannot be recognized by organized labor.

Discuss "Open Shop."

Delegate J. M. Barnes of Philadelphia, president of the Cigarmakers' International union, declared that President Roosevelt's decision was a "slap in the face" for laboring people.

Another delegate held that a public "open shop" conducted by President Roosevelt was just as bad as a private "open shop" conducted by President Parry of the National Manufacturers' association.

D. A. Hayes, president of the International Association of Glass Blowers, said that he was convinced that any delegate in the convention would have acted just as President Roosevelt did under the same circumstances. He submitted that any objections to Mr. Roosevelt should not be uttered at this convention, but should be suspended until after the next election.

No Aid for Western Miners.

Eventually the resolution was recommended to the committee from which it originated.

A resolution was adopted that the federation renew its demand that navy yards be used to the utmost for construction work, and that in the future all United States ships shall be built in government yards.

An unfavorable report upon the resolution that the federation donate \$1,000 to the Western Federation of Miners was followed by a protracted debate. Delegate Morris of Denver favored appropriating the money because of the disheartening effect the news of the refusal would have upon the miners. He held also that a refusal would reflect on John Mitchell, because of feeling against him among Western miners. The resolution was referred back to the committee.

Refuse to Compel Affiliation.

The resolutions introduced by Delegate W. D. Henderson of St. Joseph, Mo., that the local organization of St. Joseph, whose national or international unions are affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, shall be compelled to affiliate with the Central Labor council of the city, or else suffer a revocation of their charter, occasioned a debate of nearly an hour. It finally resulted in a substitute being adopted. The substitute provides that the executive council be requested to endeavor to bring about the end provided for in the resolution by correspondence and other methods. During the discussion on this case the point was raised that if the St. Joseph unions were compelled to affiliate with the higher bodies a precedent would be established which the federation might have to indorse all over the country.

Indorse Union Labels.

Resolutions also adopted indorsed the work of the Women's Labor league and recommended that members request their wives and all women relatives to join such leagues where they existed, and to organize them where they did not exist. Another resolution declaring it to be the duty of the people making purchases from retail clerks to demand the union card.

JURY FINDS ROMANO IS SANE

Italian Sentenced to Hang Will Seek New Trial.

Anrora, Ill., special: Antonio Romano, sentenced to hang for the murder of an Italian here last February, was declared sane by a jury in the Circuit court. A motion will be made for a new trial, to be heard before the Supreme court. The attorneys for the defense will go to Springfield to argue before the board of pardons to have the sentence commuted by the governor.

Outsider for Bishop.

Rome cablegram: The question of who shall be appointed archbishop of Milwaukee has taken on a new phase. The propaganda has been inundated with letters for and against several candidates. Cardinal Gottl, prefect of the propaganda threatens to suggest to the congregation that an outsider be appointed.

Life Sentence for Woman.

Grand Rapids, Mich., dispatch: Mrs. Nancy Jeannette Flood, convicted of the murder of John London, has been sentenced to life imprisonment.

BOCAS DEL TORO JOINS REPUBLIC OF PANAMA

Insurgent Troops Are Received With Cheers by People, Who Display Great Enthusiasm.

Colon cable: Bocas del Toro, the westernmost city on the isthmus, has been taken by the new republic without a protest and without the firing of a shot.

The steam launch sent to Bocas del Toro on Thursday last has returned here and the officers report that the majority of the officials of Bocas del Toro are natives of Panama and that they joined the new republic with enthusiasm.

The people of the town were jubilant at the news, and only a few persons were found to be dissatisfied with the situation. These later were brought to Colon, but not as prisoners.

The provisional government at Panama has received a telegram from President Marroquin of the republic of Colombia, giving assurances that the Panama canal bill will most certainly pass congress next August, and that Gen. Reyes was on his way to the isthmus to make proposals looking to peace and the saving of the national honor. The provisional government has sent a letter to Gen. Reyes, which will reach him on his arrival at Savannah, advising that it is useless for him to come to Panama, as his mission is a hopeless one.

Dr. Manuel Amador, Frederico Boyd and Carlos Constantino Arce have left for Washington with instructions from the provisional government to negotiate a canal treaty with the government of the United States.

WIFE TESTIFIES THAT HUSBAND IS MURDERER

Tells of Crime Committed Twenty-seven Years Ago at Critical Point in the Trial.

Crawfordsville, Ind., dispatch: Except for the testimony given unexpectedly by his wife, James Myers, accused of the murder of John Sloan twenty-seven years ago, would probably have been discharged without the submission of evidence by the defense.

Myers was a lumber buyer in Darlington, Ind., in 1876, and one night it is said, stabbed Sloan to death after Sloan had repeatedly dunned him for \$1. Myers fled to Tennessee and his wife and children followed him. Last spring he became jealous of the attentions of another man to his wife, and when she returned to her old home in Darlington on a visit he followed her. His brother-in-law disclosed his presence and he was arrested.

She testified that just after Sloan first asked her husband for the money, Myers came into the house, took a knife from a drawer and angrily declared that if Sloan bothered him again he would cut his heart out. Half an hour later Sloan was dead, his heart cut in two.

MONUMENT TO OHIO SOLDIERS

Shaft Erected on Missionary Ridge Is Formally Dedicated.

Chattanooga, Tenn., dispatch: The monument erected on Missionary Ridge to the memory of Ohio's troops who participated in the battle on the famous heights was dedicated Nov. 12. Fully 500 Ohio veterans, members of the Loyal Legion and others, headed by Gov. Nash, Lieut.-Gov. Gordon and other state officials, were present, as were also Gen. A. P. Stewart and other confederates. Gov. Nash presented the monument to the United States after it had been turned over to him by Maj. W. F. Goodspeed of the Ohio monument commission. Gen. E. C. Corbin, commanding the department of the east, received the monument on behalf of the government.

BARS OUT THE CHEAP RIBBONS

United States Customs Decision Will Prevent Their Importation.

St. Etienne, France, cablegram: The United States customs decision classifying silk ribbons with dress trimmings, thus increasing the duty from 50 per cent to 60 per cent ad valorem, will, it is asserted here, stop the exportation to America of cheap ribbons. The Chamber of Commerce has advised the government of the decision, claiming that it was provoked by the American factories suffering from surplus production. If necessary, it is added, the matter will be brought to the attention of the chamber of deputies.

BRYAN'S DAUGHTER IN DENIAL

Ruth Leavitt Says She and Husband Are Not Destitute.

St. Louis, Mo., special: A message received from Mrs. Ruth Bryan Leavitt, daughter of William Jennings Bryan, from Humansville, Mo., denied the story sent throughout the country that she and her husband were in destitute circumstances. The message said: "We are enjoying a delightful honeymoon here with our friends. The rumors are absurd."

Missouri's Claims.

Jefferson City, Mo., special: State Auditor Allen has completed the claim of Missouri against the United States for \$475,186.13, and forwarded it to Senator Cockrell for presentation to the Treasury Department at Washington.

Fireman Is Smothered.

Louisville, Ky., dispatch: John J. Connelly, captain of Engine Company No. 5, was smothered to death in a fire at Hetterman's tobacco factory.

THAT GIRL of JOHNSON'S

By JEAN KATE LUDLUM.

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CHAPTER XIV.—Continued.

"He is my father, and they will not let me in there, yet he can see him."

The nurse laid her hand caressingly on the girl's arm.

"Of course," she said, in a matter of fact tone. "Remember, Dolores, it is years since he has seen your father. And do you know, as soon as he is better we are going to take him over to the town so you can nurse him to your heart's content? There are pretty houses in the town, and your uncle intends buying one and furnishing it for you. There's a fine blacksmith's shop with a good business for your father, and he is to have a housekeeper and everything comfortable while you are in New York with us."

"Your uncle will be ready in a moment, and he does not like to wait; you needn't change your dress, and can wear my wrap and bonnet. Dora will fix everything when you get there. Here is her note; you have not yet read it. Shall I read it for you while you get ready?"

She stooped and picked up the note where it had fallen, talking continually, giving the girl no time to reply had she so wished.

"Dora writes such a pretty hand; they say those who draw well write well, and Dora makes charming sketches. Here is your note; it reads like her, only one misses her pretty voice."

Mrs. Allen spoke rapidly, but with not a trace of excitement; more as though she would give the girl no time to think. She unfolded the soft gray shawl, and laid it over a chair, then she opened the note with no break in the conversation, and read aloud: "My Dear New Cousin—Nurse Allen has told you I have come to claim you, or rather have come part way to claim you. They will not allow me to go out to-day, so father has promised me solemnly that he will bring you with him to me. Nurse Allen will take good care of him, and bring him to us by and by, and we can go over to see him when the weather is dry. Give him my love. I hope he is better, and will go to see him soon. Come to me at once; I wish you, Dolores Johnson, and can wait no longer."

"DORA."

CHAPTER XV.

Dolores listened quietly, with no sign of impatience or interest; she stood erect and silent, her eyes resting calmly on Mrs. Allen's face.

The bedroom door opened, and her uncle came out, accompanied by young Green and Dr. Dunwiddie. He noticed the wraps made ready, and spoke cheerily:

"Well my dear, are you ready? My girl will be watching for us—eh, Green? And if you are ready we will go at once."

Mrs. Allen advanced and began putting the wraps around the girl, but Dolores stepped back to avoid her, giving her a slow glance as of reproach, then she turned away from the others toward the physician who was talking earnestly to young Green at the farther window.

There was no trace of agitation in the young girl's face or manner as she



"You can tell me if you will."

crossed the room to the two at the small south window.

"Dr. Dunwiddie," she said, gravely. Her eyes were searching his for the truth; she never glanced at his companion.

"Dr. Dunwiddie," she continued, slowly and distinctly, "you can tell me if you will. There is no reason why I should not know the truth; is he not my father? Have I not a right to know? Do you think this is fair or just? All the other women of the settlement care for the men when there is need, there is no reason why I should not do the same if there is need, and there must be, else why are these strangers here, and why is he kept so quiet? I do not understand it, and I cannot unless you will tell me. And here is my uncle here waiting to take me away from my father, to leave him to be taken care of by strangers. I do not know my uncle; no doubt he wishes us well, but he is a stranger to me. Dora does not know," she lingered over the name—"how could she know, or I am sure she would not wish me to go; she could not wish to go; she would not do it herself—you know she would not do it herself. Do you

think I do not know something all my father more than you have said?"

The bedroom door opened noiselessly, and Dr. Grey came out. As he stepped into the room, closing the door behind him, Dr. Dunwiddie motioned for him to return, but he shook his head emphatically.

"He's like a log, Hal; the trump of the archangel alone could arouse him. I've stuck to him day and night like an obedient puppet; now I want a change; what's all this going on out here? What ails you people?"

Dr. Dunwiddie frowned, and his voice was almost sharp as he answered:

"There is nothing going on here to interest you, Tom, and Mr. Johnson must not be left alone one moment. If you are tired, I will take your place until—"

"Until it's over," the other interrupted. "Lord knows I wish it were well over; it's a dused bad piece of business, anyhow, and I wish I were out of it."

He was stopped by a gesture from Dr. Dunwiddie. Young Green also turned on him with flashing eyes.

Dolores seemed turning into stone; her face was whitening, and her eyes dilating; her voice sounded strange even to herself as she laid her hand on the doctor's arm as he was passing her.

"You will not go until you have answered me, Dr. Dunwiddie?"

It was more a command than a query; her eyes were full on him, and he paused instinctively.

Her uncle spoke impatiently; like all men, he disliked scenes; this girl seemed capable of getting one up at almost any moment.

"My dear Dolores," he said, "Dora is waiting for us. Why do you bother the doctors? They know much better than we do what is best to be done. Come, like a good girl, let us go; we are only hindering the others."

"Why should I hinder them?" she asked, gravely. "They are strangers here; he is my father."

"Yes, of course," he said, brusquely. "Of course, Dolores. We all know that, but they know much better than we do what is best to be done. Dora is waiting for you—it is better in every way for us to go."

She stood erect and slender among them, her print gown falling around her to her feet, her face catching the shadows of the storm upon it.

"Did I not say," the voice was almost solemn in its grave earnestness, "that I will not leave him—ever—while he lives—not for any one?"

None of them spoke for a moment; not one of them was capable of deceiving her as she stood so grave and quiet waiting his reply. That she had a right to know, a better right than they, could not be denied. She had spoken the truth; she was a woman capable of enduring much, of suffering much; she was not a child to be put off with evasive replies.

Dr. Grey stood at the bedroom door; he had not moved since the girl spoke; she impressed him as she impressed the others. Young Green looked troubled; he started as though he would go to Dolores, and checked himself. Even Dr. Dunwiddie was somewhat disquieted; he looked beyond the girl out of the opposite window.

They waited for him to speak; the girl knew he would tell her; the others were sure he would do what was best. As his gaze left the window and he turned to Dolores, he caught the look on young Green's face. His own cleared instantly; he was himself again, grave, practical, a thorough physician and gentleman.

"My dear Miss Johnson," he said—he was grave, courteous; her eyes did not leave his face—searching, steady eyes—"when your father fell—fully twenty feet it was—he struck the ledge with great force; had he dropped it might scarcely have hurt him, though it is evident that the ledge below is rocky and the bushes scrubby and sharp; as it was, he lost his balance and slipped down suddenly with a force I wonder did not kill him outright."

"As it is, he broke both legs and an arm, besides internal injuries which cannot be determined upon at once." She watched him steadily; instinctively she knew he had not told her all. Her lips were white, and set in a straight line. Mrs. Allen crossed over and touched her hand, but she paid no heed to her; she was waiting to know the worst.

"You know how he was brought home," continued Dr. Dunwiddie. "You were the one who found him; to you he owes his life—you and Charlie. His right leg was broken below the knee; we set that and his arm yesterday, but his left leg—"

His voice was steady and grave. Mrs. Allen's face was blanching; how the girl would take it she did not know; she was used to many affecting scenes, but this was totally different.

"His left leg is broken in two places, Miss Johnson. We did not wish to tell you till the worst was over, but it is best you should know. Your father remained so long in that position in the night dampness, in his exhausted state, that we dared do nothing yesterday. We washed to save this limb if it were possible; it would be worse than folly to attempt it; it is best that it should go. Then, with careful nursing, we may bring him around all right."

Still Dolores did not move; she wished to understand it thoroughly, as yet the truth was but slowly dawning upon her.

"I thought that you were not capable of hearing the truth; I believed you were like many women; I see how mistaken I was; your friend here," with a movement of his hand and a half smile toward young Green, "tried to impress upon me that you were braver than other women, but I would not be convinced. I know now that you are brave—brave enough for this—and worse."

She understood. The truth was upon her in all the blackness of darkness. There had been little love between her and her father, but he was the only one in the world to her, and now—

"Then—he will—die—you think?" She asked it calmly, except that her lips were whiter than usual and stiff, so that the words came unevenly.

"I think that he may die, Miss Johnson, but we will hope for the best."

"You will let me nurse him?" she asked. Her face was lifted to his, and there was not a quiver of a muscle, not the trembling of the white lids fringed with the silken lashes over the steady, searching eyes.

"You shall nurse him," Dr. Dunwiddie



"Don't go in yet, Dolores," die replied, gravely, a flash of wondering admiration in his black eyes meeting hers in that comprehensive glance that showed to him the depth of this woman's soul, the marvelous strength of her self-command. Ah, indeed she should nurse him.

As he turned away toward the bedroom she started to follow him, but Mrs. Allen laid her hand upon her shoulder, and young Green crossed quickly to her side, his face softened strangely.

"Don't go in yet, Dolores—not just yet!" he said, entreatingly, bending his fair head on a level with hers, the kindly light deepening in his eyes as they met the half-dazed look in hers raised to his face. "You shall go as soon as it is best. I will let you go there now."

Her eyes searched his face, large and dark and beautiful eyes they were; she scarcely recognized him for the moment.

"Why should I not go?" she asked, gravely. "I am to nurse him; Dr. Dunwiddie has promised that I shall be his nurse."

But his hand was upon her arm strong and warm and tender, and she obeyed him silently.

Her uncle left soon after, and Mrs. Allen sent a note to Dora explaining the strange scene. Dolores said no word. She scarcely heard what was going on around her; when her uncle stooped to kiss her forehead and promised that Dora should come to her as soon as it were possible she looked through and through him; she heard his words, but they made no impression upon her; her thoughts were in the quiet room beyond the closed door.

(To be continued.)

NO CAKE FOR HER.

Youngster Thought He Had a Grievance Against His Mother.

The late Mrs. James G. Blaine used to relate charmingly the unconscious witticisms of her sons' and daughters' childhood. She once said:

"When James, his father's namesake, was a little chap, he discussed for a long time one day the subject of wedding cakes. He made me tell him all about wedding cakes—how they are made, how they are cut, and how pieces of them are sent to the friends of brides and grooms. This last custom he was especially pleased with. He thought a piece of wedding cake made a delightful gift."

"Then he pondered for a moment. He frowned. He said:

"'But, mamma, I shan't send you any of my wedding cake when I get married.'"

"'Why not, my dear?' I asked. 'Because,' he said, 'you didn't send me any of yours.'"

Not Much Use for a Trunk.

Gen. Joseph W. Congdon, the president of the American Silk Association, was travelling some time ago in Georgia. He says that in a little Georgia town he one day heard two colored lads conversing.

"'Dese gwine North,' said the first. 'Dese so?' said the second. 'Yep. I'se got a trunk to take wiv me, too.'"

"'A trunk? What am a trunk for?' 'W'y to tote yuh clo's in.' 'An' go naked?'"

Traveling Christians.

It is stated that "The Gliddens" are growing at the rate of 130 members a month.



Two Kinds of Humus.

Professor E. F. Ladd, of the North Dakota Agricultural College, says: Of late we have heard a great deal about the necessity of humus in the soil. We have come to understand that humus is as essential in the North Dakota soils as in all other soils if we would maintain their fertility. We have come to understand that humus is one of the great water holding constituents of the soil, that it is to the humus we owe many of the better physical qualities of the soil, and that it is from the humus the nitrogenous matter of the plants is derived to be converted into nitrates to serve as plant food. There is one point, however, that has not been sufficiently emphasized. There are different kinds of humus, the same as there are different kinds of animal foods. Some forms of humus are worth a great deal more in the soil than others. We all recognize the fact that clover hay is vastly superior as an animal food to wheat straw. We say that clover hay, wheat bran, linseed and cotton seed meal are nitrogenous foods, and that straw, timothy, cornmeal, stover, etc., are carbonaceous foods. So we have types of humus that are highly nitrogenous and other types that are highly carbonaceous. A humus derived from wheat straw or wheat stubble or grains of any kind is very inferior. It furnishes no nitrogenous matter, it does not have the water holding and absorbing constituents as does the humus derived from clover, vetches, brome grass, etc. We thus see that one of the advantages of growing clover in our crop rotation is that it gives us a better type of humus in the soil. One that will put the soil in better physical condition will hold a larger amount of moisture, will furnish nitrogenous plant food, and will better unlock the available plant food in the soil than the humus that is derived from carbonaceous plants like the straw.

To Ohio Corn Growers.

It now seems evident that the yield of corn is to be much below an average crop in this state this season. Conditions beyond the control of the corn grower—the late spring and the unseasonable weather during the greater part of the corn months—have helped to bring about this result. The corn crop of 1903 is a matter of history. All that can be done now is to carefully save and utilize what we have. This should mean something more than picking the ears and allowing the stover to waste in the field in so far as its feed value is concerned. The present crop is not only a disappointment as regards yield but quite inferior as to quality. This for many a corn grower means poor seed, an uneven stand and a poor crop in 1904. It will mean this unless great precaution be taken in selecting and drying out seed corn this fall. While mature seed should be chosen if it can be had, slightly immature corn carefully and thoroughly dried out by the fire, is frequently more satisfactory than the former when handled carelessly. Given a normal winter and it is probable that seed corn of which ninety per cent and upward will germinate next spring will not be easily secured. Almost any farmer can arrange for it now if he be alert. It has seemed best that this word of caution be sounded at this time by the Ohio Agricultural Experiment Station, Wooster, Ohio.

Agricultural Co-Operation in Ireland.

At the last meeting of the Irish Agricultural Organization Society a report on progress showed that the organization had gained 148 new societies and nearly 9,000 new members during the past year. During 1902 the societies composing the organization were: 247 dairy societies and 81 auxiliaries, having 26,174 members; 124 agricultural societies, with 12,961 members; 145 agricultural banks, with 6,511 members; 31 poultry societies, with 5,906 members; 59 home industries, with 2,833 members; 4 flax societies with 118 members; 17 beekeepers' societies, with 298 members; 3 federations with 257 members; 10 miscellaneous societies, with 802 members. Total number of societies, 712, with 65,029 members. These societies last year transacted business in excess of \$7,000,000. Lord Montagu is president of the society.

Preparing Corn Land.

In the cultivation of corn we find it is better to prepare the ground in the fall. Select a field that has had a crop on it, gang plow it first and work it down fine, and leave it until fall. Then plow it again and leave until spring, when it should be cultivated and harrowed. In winter haul out manure and spread it, putting on the ground about ten or fifteen tons to the acre. It may now be plowed and made ready for planting.—Edward Curtis.

Indiana Dairy Convention.

The fourth annual convention of the Indiana State Dairymen's Association will be held at Plymouth, December 10, 11. This town is located in the northern quarter of Indiana, which contains about one-half of all the creameries in the state. A good program is being prepared, and a large meeting is expected. For further information address the secretary, H. E. Van Norman, Lafayette, Indiana.

MAD STAMPEDE IN LAND OFFICE

Men and Women Faint in Crush to File on Indian Reservation.

WINS FIRST PRIZE BY STRATEGY

Miss Anderson Bribes Elevator Boy to Aid Her and Seizes a Quarter Section of Agricultural Land Valued at Over \$10,000.

Crookston, Minn., dispatch: With women protesting against being crushed to death and both men and women fainting and falling under the feet of the greedy land hunters, nearly 1,000 persons Tuesday packed the government land office and through the halls of the building, up to the second floor, on which the office is located, awaiting the formal opening of about 500,000 acres of land in the Red Lake Indian reservation. It was the biggest crush for land ever known in the northwest, and the number of entries was the largest of any previous day.

The prize claim, perhaps, fell to the first one to get through the door, Miss Gustava B. Anderson from Minneapolis, who got a quarter section of valuable agricultural land south of Red Lake and about nine miles north of the Great Northern railroad. The land, with the timber on it, is valued at \$10,000 to \$12,000, but the young woman declares she would not undergo the experience again for a claim worth twice the money.

Woman is Resourceful.

Arriving here Monday with a friend, S. P. Olson, who had accompanied her on her hunt for land, she could find no lodging accommodations. The land office was to be locked up at midnight and none allowed to pass till 6 Tuesday morning, when everybody could rush for a position.

Secreting herself in the parlor of the hotel which is in the building and engaging the elevator boy to be in his car before 6 in the morning, she watched the night through. The elevator was kept between the second and third floors and at a signal it shot to the second floor and Miss Anderson had covered the distance to the door before the others could get around the elevator.

Several persons were carried out of the crowd and scores of others backed out rather than try to squeeze through. The applicants were let in by squads of four, and they came in with hats lost, coats torn off and clothes wet with perspiration.

Loss Claim After Race.

Several races for land occurred, M. Qual and John Welsh, both claiming a piece thirty miles north, had arranged relays of saddle horses to race for the office. They were on their claim at 9 o'clock, and ten minutes later Qual dashed out, with Welsh after him. Qual outdistanced Welsh by ten minutes, the former reaching the land office one minute before closing time. He fell upon the desk exhausted and learned that his claim had been filed upon ten minutes before by a third man. There were several similar instances and a number of contests already have been announced.

One hundred and seventy-two filings were received the first day. Fourteen women were successful and about twenty disappointed.

G. W. BEAVERS LOSSES APPEAL

Federal Circuit Court Upholds Ruling of Lower Judge.

New York special: Judge Lacombe of the United States circuit court upheld the United States district court in ordering that George W. Beavers, indicted for complicity in postal frauds, be turned over to the federal authorities in Brooklyn for trial. At the same time he granted an appeal to the United States supreme court. Judge Holt in the United States district court granted the application of the government for a warrant of removal to Washington for Maurice Runkle of New York, indicted for conspiracy to defraud the postal department through the sale of leather pouches.

TRAMP SHOOTS RICH FARMER

Armed Guards Protect Prisoner From Injured Man's Friends.

Hammond, Ind., dispatch: Peter Erick, a well-to-do farmer living near Cedar Lake, was shot twice in the neck by a tramp and cannot live. Marshal Duckworth of Lowell arrested the tramp, who is now in jail. Extra precautions are being used to guard the prisoner from angry farmers' violence. Lynching is freely threatened by friends of the injured man.

Religious Riots.

Santander cablegram: The rioting here still continues. Several persons have been killed and fifty wounded. Troops are guarding the residences of Jesuits and the convents against the threatened attacks of the mobs. A regiment of infantry has arrived to reinforce the garrison.

Injunction Against New Line.

Cleveland, O., dispatch: Judge Dissette has granted a temporary injunction against work on the Denison Avenue Independent Street Car Line. The road would form a nucleus for an independent line on which the fare would be 3 cents.



The Cheesemaker's Side.

There has been a good deal said in the agricultural press about cheese factories running only in summer. It is generally argued that they should run the year around, that the production of milk in winter might be encouraged. That is an ideal condition to be looked forward to and hoped for. But for the present little can be expected in this way. The cheesemaker is compelled to follow the course that will yield him a profit. Recently Mr. J. R. Biddulph of Bureau county, Illinois, gave to a representative of the Farmers' Review the cheesemaker's side of this question. He said: "The cheese industry in Illinois is not improving much, for there is no one to stir up the cheesemakers. In my immediate locality there is an improvement, but it is not general. More flats are being made than ever before, because many of the factories have a home market for them. Flats weigh from 32 to 40 pounds, while cheddar cheeses weigh from 50 pounds up. There are four cheese factories within a radius of seven miles from my house. None of them make butter, but some of them run the year around. Mine runs from April first to December first, every day. I do not believe a factory should run all the time, nor do the merchants. They think the factories should shut down so they can have a chance to work off their stock of cheese and fill up the following season on fresh goods. However, if we had milk enough to permit us to run all winter, we would have to run. During the month of December we generally run every other day, and that is the way the factories do that run all winter. But it is a poor plan to run all the time, if it is necessary to run every other day. A factory that does that seldom makes enough cheese to pay expenses in the months when they are doing that. The most I ever received in the month of December, when I was running every other day, was \$50, and that did not pay expenses. We are using now between 4,500 and 5,000 pounds of milk daily. I do not buy the milk outright, but make it into cheese at so much per pound. The patrons take the cheese and sell it themselves. They go to town and trade for groceries, dry goods and other things they need."

Milk From Silage.

It would be interesting to hear from some of our readers that have silos and feed their children on milk made from such silage. The Borden Milk Condensing Company will not permit the farmers that sell them milk to use silage as a feed, no matter how good that silage may be. They claim that milk made from such materials is unfit for the use of babes and that the latter are always made sick when they use milk made from silage. One of the Borden Company declares that the farmers that have silos will not feed their own young children on milk so made. We feel certain that this is not so, and that if any users of silage take that position it is for the purpose of being on the safe side of a proposition of which they do not feel quite certain, rather than because they have any definite information that milk from silage is unhealthy. The company also asserts that milk made from silage is a poor keeper, on account of the unusual amount of acid it contains. Is this true? It would appear not to be, as Mr. Grlier of De Kalb, Illinois, sent silage made milk all the way to Paris, France, and it arrived in that city in a perfectly sweet condition, and no preservative of any kind was used in it. This would look as if milk made from silage keeps fairly well. This milk did not begin to get "off" till it was seventeen days old. The fact that other condensaries in the country permit the use of silage would seem to indicate that other milk condensing companies hold a different view from that held by the Borden Company. It is certainly to be hoped that some experiments will be started to demonstrate the value of silage made milk as a food for infants.

Coal Tar Colors Excluded.

From the first use of coal tar colors in butter there has been a great outcry against them. The people that object to their use declare that these colors are very injurious to health. The makers of the colors have declared otherwise, and have asserted that if the colors were poisonous when used in large quantities, the amounts used in butter were so small that they could injure no one. There have now and then been reports of children drinking the butter colors and being poisoned fatally by them. On this point we must say that the Farmers' Review has tried to discover the truth of some of these reported cases, but has never been able to even get a reply from the families in which such tragedies were reported to have occurred. We have very serious doubts as to the truth of these reports. But if the coal tar colors are injurious in any way they should not be permitted to be sold in any state. The state of Minnesota has taken that view of it and has passed a law prohibiting their sale after January 1, 1904. Vegetable colors have been used in butter for so long that records do not trace their first use. The old and reliable source of this coloring is annatto and colors made from that plant are not proscribed by the laws of any state. It is likely that many other states will pass laws against the use of coloring matter made from coal tar.

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All druggists sell and guarantee first bottle Dr. Miles' Remedies. Send for free book on Nervous and Heart Diseases. Address Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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HICKORY GROVE.

Chas. Vermillion Correspondent.

Geo. Peoples is re-siding his house.

The Gleaners are doing some good degree work at present.

Abe Kimble has rented the Peter Smith property and will move there this week.

James Vermillion, who has been sick with typhoid fever for some time, is convalescing.

Debolt Kline and wife are making preparations to spend the winter near Tampa Bay, Florida.

Wm. Hittle while loading some hogs on a wagon last week accidentally mashed three of his fingers.

James White and Rob Henderson, who have been at Mishawaka for some time are spending a vacation at home.

John Lacey, who is well known in this and other communities, has gone back to his old home at Philadelphia, Pa.

The box social at Santa Ann school house last Friday evening netted \$14.66. The money will be expended for a library.

The teachers and pupils of Greene township are making arrangements to attend the pupils association at Gilead next Saturday.

Lewis Abaire, who is the contractor of the west arm of the Anglin ditch, has received and hauled one car load of tile and expects at least six car loads more.

WASHINGTON.

A. L. Wilson Correspondent.

Charles Nickolson and wife were guests of E. D. Personett and parents Sunday.

Dick McFarland and family were guests of Jordan Jones and family Sunday.

Theodore McFarland and wife were guests of Stephen Edwards and wife Sunday.

Vernie McFarland and Albert Ruggles were guests of A. L. Wilson and wife Sunday.

A new gasoline light plant is being put in at the East Washington church with four lights.

A number of the people of this

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neighborhood attended quarterly meeting at Germany Sunday.

Mrs. Dora Fairchild, of Monterey, is spending the week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jordan Jones.

MAXINKUCKEE.

Miss Golda Thompson Correspondent.

Mrs. D. Rector is visiting relatives in Argos.

The corn shredders are at Mr. Packer's this week.

Burford Marks, who is sick with scarlet fever, is some better at this writing.

E. McElfresh and wife, of Argos, spent Sunday with Geo. Packer and family.

Preaching services will be held at the Christian church Sunday morning and evening.

Mrs. P. Spangler returned home Tuesday after an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. I. L. Babcock.

Miss Bertha Hissong attended the wedding of her cousin, Maggie Jacobs to John Strupe, which occurred in Peru last Thursday.

Mrs. Knaur, of Lafayette, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Spangler, for the past two weeks, returned home Wednesday.

There will be an oyster supper given by the K. O. T. M. band at Maxinkuckee Thanksgiving evening in the I. O. O. F. hall. Don't forget it. Be sure and come.

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Real Estate Transfers

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The following are the real estate transfers to Nov. 14, 1903, as furnished by Cressner & Co., abstractor of titles, Plymouth, Ind., owners of the only abstract books in the county. Abstracts of title to all real estate in Marshall county, promptly and accurately compiled:

Christian Berger and wife w d to Jacob J. Berger, 2 rod road, 17 rds. e of n w cor of s 1-4 of n 1-4 of s 27, t 35, r 3. \$ 20 00
Heirs of Daniel and Eliza Ringle dec'd w d to Oliver Cline, n of Hershberger ditch in n w cor of s 1-4 of s 27, t 35, r 3. 885 00
Myrtle Bates by gdn to Oliver Cline, and 1-63 of 22.84 a in s w 1-4 of s 27, t 35, r 3
Heirs of Daniel and Eliza Ringle dec'd w d to Harrison Cline, 11.29 a n of Arney ditch in s 27, t 35, r 3. 442 87
Myrtle Bates by gdn to Harrison Cline 11.29 a n of Arney ditch in s w 1-4 of s 27, t 35, r 3. 714
John L. Marburger and wife w d to Wm. A. Yockey w 34.62 a of a 30 2-100 a of s n 1-4 and w 35.38 a of s 29.38 a of n e 1-4 of s 7, t 43, r 4. 450 00
Daniel and Eliza Ringle, dec'd w d to Jacob Vollmer and Charles G. Sauer and 62-63 of s 1-4 of n 1-4 of s 25, t 35, r 3 ex parts heretofore sold. 284 00
Myrtle Bates by gdn to Jacob Vollmer and Charles G. Sauer and 1-33 of s 1-4 of n 1-4 of s 35, t 35, r 3 ex parts heretofore sold. 46 00
Jacob M. Divise and wife w d to Edward May 1-2 of n 1-2 of s 1-4 of s 31, t 35, r 1. 160 00
Elisha S. Hissell and wife w d to Mary E. Good, lots 1 and 4 Blk 7, Tyler. 700 00
Wm. Vancouse, dec'd by admr, admr dec'd to Elisha W. and Alta Z. Washburn, and 23 of n e 1-4 of s 10, t 32, r 3

Local and Society.

Coal up!

December magazines at the CITIZEN office.

This town is in serious need of more hitching posts and racks.

Miss Alice Shultz, of South Bend, spent Monday in Culver.

Plymouth is to have a 10,000 dollar canning factory and Bremen a glove factory.

Miss Elizabeth Duddleson has had her residence repaired and a new porch added.

S. C. Shilling and family visited C. S. Austin and family, near Plymouth, over Sunday.

Miss Grace Barber, of Fulton, Mich., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Walter Hand this week.

Mrs. Susan Collin, of North Judson, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. C. Shilling, this week.

Rev. Austin of Argos, will preach at Burr Oak Church of God next Sunday evening.

The launches, Doxey and Dewey, were pulled on shore down near Wolfe's island, for the winter.

Burford Marks, who has been seriously ill with diphtheria and scarlet fever is somewhat improved but his mother is now quite ill.

There will be an oyster supper given by the K. O. T. M. band at Maxinkuckee Thanksgiving, Nov. 26, at I. O. O. F. hall. Supper 15 cents.

Emil Marx, of the Royal Center neighborhood, has invented a wheat shocker that is attached to a reaper and shocks the sheaves direct from the bundle carrier.

Louis Clifton and I. C. Brooke bought the steam cider press owned and operated by John McFarland at Twin Lakes. The press will be moved to Mr. Crooke's farm.

On the Jamison farm, in Davis township, Starke county, one acre yielded 101 1/2 bushels of corn. It has not been many years since all that land was covered with water from the Kankakee.

The Starke County Republican will soon occupy a new home. Editor Morman will erect an 80 foot brick building in the spring arranged especially for an up-to-date and growing newspaper home.

Henry Hand, a brother of Ed. Hand of this place, died at his home in Argos, last Saturday. Ed. Hand and wife, Walter Hand and Wm. Cook and wife of this place, attended the funeral Monday.

The law suit of John Janson against George Wheldon, at Winamac, for 75 cents, which has gone through a justice court, adding \$48 in costs, not including attorneys' fees, has been appealed to higher courts. The defendant says he will fight the case through the supreme court.

Governor Durbin has issued his Thanksgiving proclamation, calling attention to the day set aside by President Roosevelt, November 25, as the day to be observed and has asked that the people of Indiana assemble in their usual places of worship and give thanks for the blessings that they have enjoyed. The people of the state have been especially fortunate, the document says, during the last year, the state sharing in the increasing wealth of the nation.

Duck and Quail Hunters.

Half fare rates to parties of three or more traveling together on one ticket via the Nickel Plate road to McComb and Payne, Ohio and points between those stations also to South Whitley and Willvale, Indiana, and intermediate points. Tickets on sale Nov. 9th to 30th inclusive, good to return till Dec. 3, '03. See nearest agent or address C. A. Asterlin, T. P. A., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

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Societies.

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Maxinkuckee Lodge, No. 373, I. O. O. F. meets every Saturday evening.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.
Epworth League at the Methodist church every Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.
Christian Endeavor every Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the Reformed church.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S ALLIANCE.
Young People's Alliance at the Evangelical church every Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

K. O. T. M. NO. 176.
Maxinkuckee Tent No. 176, K. O. T. M., meet every Tuesday evening.
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Marmont council, No. 26, K. and L. of C., meets the second Monday of each month at 8 o'clock p. m. in the K. of P. hall.
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MRS. ELI SPENCER, Scribe.

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- Everybody's,
- Short Stories,
- Cosmopolitan,
- Puck Library,
- Judge Library,
- American Field,
- Harper's Monthly,
- Review of Reviews,
- Physical Culture,
- Forrest and Stream,
- Ladies Home Journal,
- Saturday Evening Post,

Obituary.

Oliver Perry Hisey, son of John B. and Ruth M. Hisey, was born in Union county, Ohio, October 19, 1855. The father of Oliver has been dead for several years, but the mother is still living and is at present with this greatly afflicted family for their consolation.

Mr. Oliver Perry Hisey came to Indiana in the year 1881, residing in Fulton county until 1902 when he with his family removed to Starke county where he resided at the time of his death.

In the year 1876, August 9th, Mr. Hisey was united in marriage to Miss Rebecca Erveringham. They were the parents of three children: Charles, Ota Della and Blanche. Ota Della, smitten with the same disease that proved fatal to her father, was borne to her grave but a few days before the departure of the husband and son.

Oliver Perry Hisey departed this life November 10th, 1903, aged 43 years and 21 days. The funeral services, conducted by Rev. George R. Streeter of the Methodist Episcopal church, were held from the Salem Dunkard church and the interment was made in the Burr Oak cemetery.

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A Brakeman Hurt.

William L. Gras, of Logansport, a brakeman on the Vandalia, was injured at Lapaz last Thursday by a large radiator falling on his left foot badly crushing the bones. He was taken to Plymouth where his injuries were dressed by the company's surgeon, Dr. Aspinall.

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Terminated with an ugly cut on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill. It developed a stubborn ulcer unyielding to doctors and remedies for four years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured. It's just as good for burns, scalds, skin eruptions and piles. 25c, at Culver City Drug Store.

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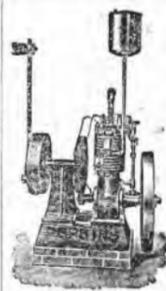
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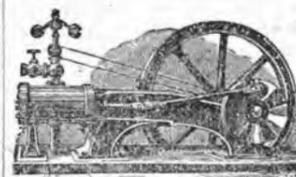
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OVER THE TEACUPS

The Care of Brushes.
Good hair brushes are costly items and a way to keep the brushes stiff and clean for years is worth knowing. A Russian colfour gives this recipe: Have ready two basins; put a lump of soda the size of a walnut in one and three parts fill it with boiling water; the other basin should be three parts filled with water as cold as you can get it, to which you have added sufficient lemon juice or good white vinegar to give it a noticeably acid taste. Shake the bristles of the brush well up and down in the boiling water till they are clean, then at once rinse them thoroughly in the cold water and stand them up to dry in the air or in a warm place, but not too near the fire. Of course the backs of the brushes must not be wetted.

Dainty Child's Apron.
A dainty little apron that is quite simple for any mother to make is the little model here shown with tucks in pointed yoke effect and tucked shoulder caps. Younger children at



ways look well in the full belted, loose aprons, and this is no-exception to the rule. The front and back are alike in having the yoke outlined by tucks and shaping is given the garment by under-arm and shoulder seams. The shoulder-caps are trimmed with a narrow edging which may be of tulle or embroidery. Cross-barred muslin, gingham, Victoria lawn and percale are serviceable materials for aprons.

A pretty development would be of checked gingham, with colored or white embroidery trimming.

Style in Picture Hanging.
Pictures are now suspended by two wires instead of one, unless they are quite small, when the hanging is invisible. Pictures are hung that against the wall and just a trifle above the level of the eye. The most artistic effect is secured when pictures are hung in panels, not scattered over an entire wall.

Potato Shells.
Add to a pint of hot mashed potatoes half a teaspoon of celery salt,



one-fourth of a teaspoon of Hungarian paprika, a tablespoon each of butter and cream, and the stiffly beaten whites of two eggs; press firmly into buttered shells, unmold carefully, brush the corrugated side with beaten yolk, lay on a buttered pan and bake brown, garnish with parsley.

Surah in Style Again.
Among the less expensive silks one is glad to see surah again. No silk is prettier for simple blouses and gowns, for shirtwaist suits it is admirable.

Pongees come in all colors, especially blues and grays. Crepe meteor is a fairlike fabric, much more beautiful than crepe de Chine and incidentally is much more expensive, \$5 a yard being the ordinary price. It is seen in exquisite shades of red and violet.

Raspberry Souffle.
Soften two tablespoons of arrowroot in one cup of raspberry juice; add one



cup boiling water, one-half cup sugar, pinch salt, one teaspoon lemon juice; boil until thick; then fold in stiffly beaten whites of four eggs; pour into border mold dipped in cold water; chill; when ready to serve, heap seasoned whipped cream in center and place berries around outside.

Things to Remember in Washing.
That flannels are washed first.
That white things come next.
That colored things are done while white things are boiling.
That dirty kitchen aprons and cloths come last of all.
That soaking is done in cold water.
That rinsing is done in tepid water.
That extremes of heat or cold cause shrinking.
That soap jelly is necessary for woolen things.
That soap must be well mixed through the water.
That wringing well after bluing is most important.

For the Guest Room.
Whether your guest room is furnished with electricity, gas or lamp, a candle with matches should be there, so the stranger may have a light without getting out of bed. Another thoughtful provision will be magazines and a book to beguile the tedious hours of a wakeful night in a strange house.

Latest in Fur Coats.



Coat of brown fur with ermine collar and cuffs and frills of yellow lace.

Household Hints.
Cough Mixture—One ounce each of licorice, gum arabic, paregoric and antimonial wine. Put the licorice and gum arabic into a pint of water and let it boil to half a pint. When cold add the paregoric and antimonial wine. Dose, one teaspoonful three or four times a day. Shake before using.
For Burns—Equal quantities of sweet oil, cream and white of an egg beaten to a stiff froth. Mix them and spread on a thick cloth. Bind on the burn and do not remove until place is healed. A simple remedy consists

in scraping the inside of an Irish potato and applying it while moist; renewing it as it dries.
Olive oil must be kept in the driest and darkest place in the storeroom, as light injures it very much.

Good Curtain for Bookcase.
A pretty durable curtain for a bookcase or set of shelves is made of light-brown burlap with trimmings of red. The curtain is thrown over a brass rod fastened to the top in such a way as to form a deep lambrequin at the top. The burlap is lined throughout with turkey red. Red felt is used for the border, top and bottom being feather-stitched to the burlap, with red worsted in clusters of six quite long stitches, the middle one longest and the others graduated toward each end. The clusters of stitches are about an inch apart. This makes an inexpensive and very effective curtain.

Excellent Quince Jelly.
Pale and beautifully transparent quince jelly is the result of short boiling. One pint of water to a pound of fruit is allowed, the fruit to be cooked till tender, then strained and three-fourths of a pound of sugar used to each pound of juice. Do not press the fruit, but let it drain over night. Many prefer to use half the quantity of apples, in which case they must be cooked separately, as the quinces will require a longer time.



Coat skirts slit at the side and strapped across.

Small Maltese crosses of silk fagoted into a veiling gown.

Beautifully shaded sashes and ribbons matching the iridescent spangles.

Purple velvet pannels appliqued down the lace facing of a cloak.

Japanese negligees of quilted crimson silk embroidered with tiny blue silk blossoms.

Broad tucks in shaded chiffon gowns, each tuck a deeper shade than the one above.

Billows of shirred chiffon and ruching tumbling like foam down the front of evening wraps.

Big melon-shaped muffs of ermine bordered with mole.

A silky white Persian coat with collar, cuffs and facing of mole.

Satin ribbon wound tightly around the arm from wrist to elbow to form a lower sleeve.

The New "Shirt."

If you want to be quite au fait this season, you must not ask for a "shirt waist" when you visit the shops. "Shirt" is the latest English name for this invaluable garment. The newest model for fall and winter shirts is a rather skimpy, severe garment. It has no fullness in the shoulders or the neck, and scarcely a vestige of the pouch effect at the belt. It fits quite closely, and in the front has one or two stitched pockets. The small sleeves are gathered into narrow cuffs. Another good shirt model is finished in the front with a box plait, in which are placed the studs or buttons which fasten the waist. This model has a few gathers at the neck, but the back is left quite plain. After the waist is finished, and the sleeves have been stitched in, a scalloped yoke piece is stitched on, crossing the back and covering the shoulder seams and the upper part of the sleeves.

Fashion Notes.

A belt novelty is one of crushed leather with small medallions united by chains in imitation of metal gir-dies.

Ermine is employed as a trimming for all descriptions of garments and is frequently mingled with mink and chinchilla.

The Henri Deux hat with pointed peak, high crown and sharply turned-up brim at the back, is greatly in favor just now.

Becomingness is the first rule with regard to a veil, and for general wear the most becoming is a fine diamond-meshed net without spots.

FROCKS FOR THE SMART LITTLE MISS.



VASELINE.

Everybody knows the great value of this remedy in the household, but everybody does not know that the imitations of it, which some second class druggists dishonestly palm off on their customers, have little or no value. What should be understood by the public is, that it is not a mere question of comparative value between "Vaseline" and the imitations, but that the imitations do not effect the wonderful healing results of the world renowned "Vaseline," and that they are not the same thing nor made in the same way. Besides this, many of the imitations are harmful, irritant and not safe to use, while true Vaseline is perfectly harmless.

Perfect safety therefore lies in buying only original bottles and other packages put up by the Chesebrough Manufacturing Co. Attention is called to their Capsicum Vaseline advertised in another column.

Peculiar Russian Regiments.
There are some queer regiments in the Russian army. One regiment is composed entirely of blonds, the chasseur guards are all brunettes, and no man is enlisted in the Parlov guards unless he wears a retousse mustache.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children.
Successfully used by Mother Gray, nurse in the Children's Home in New York, cure Constipation, Feverishness, Bad Stomach, Teething Disorders, move and regulate the Bowels and Destroy Worms. Over 500 testimonials. At all Druggists, 25c. Sample FREE. Address A. S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

It is claimed that by simply heating dangerously crystalline steel to a certain temperature, however hard the steel, it is possible to restore it to its normal condition and even improve it.

If you don't get the biggest and best it's your own fault. Defiance Starch is found everywhere and there is positively nothing to equal it in quality or quantity.

In London 37.8 per cent of the whole population receive wages less than \$5 per week per family, one-third of which goes in rent.

Lewis' "Single B'nder" straight 5c cigar. The highest price 5c cigar to the dealer and the highest quality for the smoker. Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

Just three-tenths of a second are required for a signal to pass through the Atlantic cable, 2,700 miles.

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Many men want to be great and a few try to be good.

Ask your grocer for Mrs. Austin's Famous Pancake Flour. Fresh and delicious.

Spain's cereal crop is valued at \$137,000,000.

LAST GUESS THE RIGHT ONE.

Dearest Friend Had to Be Coached to Name the Civer.

Her dearest friend had dropped in for a call, and she straightway put out a five-pound box of expensive candy.

"Oh!" cried the friend, "have you been squandering money like that?"

"I didn't squander it," was the reply. "It was a present to me."

"A present," repeated the friend, "let's see! Who's been here lately? Any of your girlhood friends?"

"No."

"Sometimes a family friend, passing through—"

"Not the case this time."

"Mrs. Baxter felt very grateful to you for—"

"She didn't send it."

"There was that friend of your husband that visited here—"

"It didn't come from him."

"Oh, I know now. You won it on a bet."

"Wrong again."

"Has any old friend disappointed you at dinner? Sometimes they try to square things—"

"No."

"Well, I give it up."

"Try guessing the most unlikely person in the world considering that it's five pounds of the most expensive candy and not a little 50-cent box."

"Your husband?"

"Right."

"Heavens! He must have been doing something awful."—Brooklyn Eagle.

DAILY ROUTINE AT WASHINGTON

Doings of the Senators and Representatives at the Capitol.

WITH NATIONAL LAWMAKERS

Condensed Reports of the Happenings in Congress Compiled by Experts for the Benefit of Busy Laymen—Outline of Proceedings.

Wednesday, Nov. 11.

A number of petitions and many new bills were received by the senate. Some of the petitions protested against Senator Smoot of Utah remaining in the senate. Mr. Gallinger (N. H.) introduced the first bill, providing for the erection of a statue to Gen. John Stark. The house joint resolution making immediately available the appropriation for mileage of senators and members was adopted. The senate then at 12:20 went into executive session and adjournment was voted at 1:45 o'clock.

The house session lasted only five minutes. After prayer by the chaplain and the reading of the Journal C. C. Reed and Minor Wallace and T. B. Kyle of Ohio were sworn in as members, and then the house at 12:05 o'clock adjourned.

Thursday, Nov. 12.

The senate entered upon a discussion of the eligibility of Reed Smoot of Utah to a seat in the upper house, to which he has been elected. Senator Dubois of Idaho taking exceptions to the statement by Senator Hoar that petitions from organizations against seating Mr. Smoot were out of place, Mr. Dubois argued that these petitions represented the moral thought of the country, and should be approached in the proper spirit. A large number of bills were presented, followed by a brief executive session. Resolutions of the house on the death of Representative Foerderer of Pennsylvania and Boring of Kentucky were received, and out of respect to their memory the senate at 1:10 adjourned until next Monday.

In the house Mr. Payne introduced a bill to make effective the Cuban reciprocity convention. It was referred to the ways and means committee. Following the reading of the Journal Mr. Ball of Texas was sworn in, and the speaker announced the ways and means committee. At 12:10 the house adjourned.

Friday, Nov. 13.

The house was in session seventeen minutes, adjourning at 12:17 p. m. until Monday. Mr. Payne (N. Y.) chairman of the committee on ways and means, reported the Cuban bill and gave notice that on Monday he would call it up for consideration. By unanimous consent the minority of the ways and means was given further time in which to submit a minority report. Mr. Livernast (Cal.) rose to a question of personal privilege, and started to criticize President Roosevelt's Panama policy, but was ruled out of order.

GIRL SEEKS BALM FOR HEART

Rich Bachelor Is Asked to Give \$5,000 for Breach of Promise.

Greenville, Ill., dispatch: Adam Harter, one of the wealthiest bachelors of Bond county, is defendant in a breach of promise suit instituted in a Miss Clara Hughes of Tamaqua, who asks \$5,000 damages. Harter says he will fight the case. It is said that the young woman had her wedding clothes ready and expected on two different occasions to become the bride of Mr. Harter. It is also asserted on good authority that Harter got out into the world and became infatuated with a young lady supposed to be living in St. Louis, and soon after his heart's affections were turned away from Miss Hughes to the new charmer. Mr. Harter lives in Vandalia, Ill.

EDWARD HOOVER IS EXECUTED

Indiana Murderer Pays Death Penalty for Killing Wife's Father.

Michigan City, Ind., dispatch: Edward Hoover was hanged here for the murder of his father-in-law, Frank Sutton, in Indianapolis last May. Sutton and Hoover had quarreled and Hoover frequently threatened Sutton. Hoover's wife left him because of his quarrelsome disposition and in a fight with Sutton over this fact the latter was shot and killed. Hoover's sole plea was insanity, but the state showed that he had merely been drinking when the crime was committed. He was originally sentenced to be hanged Oct. 2, but the supreme court granted a stay of execution.

Miser Leaves Fortune.

Des Moines, Iowa, dispatch: Joe Walkenheimer, an aged bachelor living in a hotel in Seavastopol, a suburb of this city, was found dead in his bed. Walkenheimer was supposed to be a pauper, but when his place was searched a will was found leaving \$25,000 in cash to relatives in St. Louis.

Hero May Die.

New York special: Joseph Johnson, motorman of a Brooklyn trolley car, has probably sacrificed his life to save an unknown woman and two children from death under the feet of a runaway horse and may die from his injuries.

HAPPY WOMEN.

Mrs. Fare, wife of C. B. Fare, a prominent resident of Glasgow, Ky., says: "I was suffering from a complication of kidney troubles. Besides, I had back I had a great deal of trouble with the secretions, which were exceedingly variable, sometimes excessive and at other times scanty. The color was high, and passages were accompanied with a scalding sensation. Doan's Kidney Pills soon regulated the kidney secretions, making their color normal and banished the inflammation which caused the scalding sensation. I can rest well, my back is strong and sound and I feel much better in every way."

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Reversible Skirt.

An English tailor has invented a reversible skirt for women who travel much and desire to carry as little baggage as possible. The English, who, as a rule, are not particularly good dressers, have some very excellent ideas for traveling gowns. The reversible skirt is made of material plain on one side and checked on the other. It answers the purpose of two skirts, as it can be worn with either surface uppermost. Another English skirt intended for mountain wear has buttons and an arrangement for turning up the hem while climbing.

The California Limited.

This train on the Santa Fe road is limited in number to seven cars—Observation Pullman, two Drawing-room Pullmans, Compartment Pullman, Through Dining Car, Buffet-Smoking Car and Mail Car. It makes the trip from Chicago to Los Angeles or San Francisco in three days, passing through New Mexico and Arizona—a pleasant route both summer and winter. The Santa Fe publishes a booklet which concisely and fully describes "The California Limited." Address Geo. T. Nicholson, P. T. M., A. T. & S. F. Ry., Chicago.

Less Than 12 Hours to Hot Springs.

Ark., Via Iron Mountain Route. The new train which was inaugurated November 8th, leaving St. Louis 8:20 p. m., and arriving Hot Springs 8 a. m., makes the run in less than twelve hours, which beats all previous records between these points. Returning train leaves Hot Springs 7:30 p. m., arriving St. Louis 7:35 a. m. Thoroughly up to date equipment. For tickets and further information write any agent of the Iron Mountain Route, or H. C. Townsend, general passenger and ticket agent, St. Louis.

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Thanksgiving

Oh, mothers in homes that are happy,
And Thanksgiving laden with cheer,
Where the children are dreaming already
Of the merriest day in the year.

As you gather your darlings around you
And tell them the "story of old,"
Remember the homes that are dreary,
Remember the homes that are cold!

And thanking the love that has dowered you
With all that is dearest and best,
Give freely, that from your abundance
Some bare little life may be blessed.



NATHAN MARTIN'S THANKSGIVING

"Fire—Fan—faster!"
These were words of Nathan Martin to his horse, Fan. He was urging her forward over the freshly fallen November snow. In contrast with the whiteness of the snow was the road.

Through the break in the firs at the right could be seen a building. From its roof was rolling a cloud of smoke. It was not Nathan Martin's mill as owner, but he had hired it, had put new machinery into it, and was expecting to run it. The owner was Mrs. Paulina Gregory, the widow of Solomon Gregory.

"Oh, Fan, faster!" he yelled.
"Nobody in sight, and there's my mill burning! I can see the flames all over the roof. Nobody round, and it's just a bonfire that nobody cares about. Nathan Martin's hopes all turning into ashes. To-morrow's Thanksgiving day. Don't believe I'll play my violin in the choir. Oh, dear!"

Fan had now arrived at the mill. Nathan jumped out of his pung and walked around the crimson, smoldering heap. He could not enter the building, for there was no building to be entered.

Luckily, no corn had been stored there, and he had not brought any account books as yet. In anticipation, though, of business coming, there was \$100 worth of new machinery that Nathan had put in.

He waited until the ashes sank lower, then he turned, and this thought was in his heart: "I wonder if it wouldn't be a good plan to step up and tell the bad news to the widow. Guess her seat will be empty, too, in the meeting house to-morrow."

The widow Gregory, as it was the day before Thanksgiving, had gone to her table and was making preparation for the cooking of an extensive batch of pies.

She was a very good-looking woman, but her daughter Kitty's good looks threw her mother's quite into the shade.

Kitty Gregory has made this confession to herself: "Poor fellow! He's going to have a dreadfully lonely time down in that old mill. He is too fine a fellow to be shut up there. If a young woman had ever an idea of marrying anyone it would be safe to accept him. If that young man is really going to that lonely, old mill, I wonder if I could do anything to cheer him up."

She thought a moment—then she smiled—then she burst out laughing. "I'll do it!" she exclaimed. "I'll get one of mother's mince pies and take it down there to-night, Tuesday. I know how to get into the mill and I'll leave the pie in what he calls his office. There, won't that make him happy! I'll get mother to let me have a pie before it is baked and I'll mark a K on the cover—that will set him to wondering—there are lots of Kitties in town."

That evening a solitary figure stole up to a little side door of the mill. Nathan had often said he must have



"I'll put the pie on the chair."

a lock put on that door; it had never been done. Kitty Gregory stole through that unfastened door. In one hand was a very palatable mince pie, marked with candle and matches. She scratched her matches and lighted the candle.

"I'll drop these matches down that crack in the floor," said Kitty; "the water must be running down below there, and the matches can't set the water on fire." The matches, though, fell into a heap of refuse lumber that had accumulated during recent repairs

beside the channel along which sped the water to the sea.

If Kitty had thrown her matches a foot farther away they would have fallen where she expected them to fall—into a batch of cold, smothering sea water.

Kitty, though, was not thinking of anything under the mill floor, but of that nook up stairs that Nathan laughingly had told her would be his office.

"He hasn't any desk in it," thought Kitty, "for he didn't want to run in debt, which mother thought showed a very good quality in a young man; but he has one chair, for he said he might have a customer and he would like to give him a seat, and I'll put the pie in the chair."

She left her pie and went down through the mill to the side door.

"Pshaw! do I smell smoke?" thought Kitty. She finally decided it was nothing.

Next morning the fire in the rubbish heap, after smoldering all night, broke



"I am very sorry to be the bearer of bad news."

out into the most lively and fatal activity.

And to think that the widow Gregory, up to the middle of the forenoon, had not seen that fire from her window by the cooking table! But her mind, like that of any good worker, was on the work in hand, not on scenery half a mile away. She was thinking of that subject so absorbing to housekeepers the day before Thanksgiving—pie-making. She did finally glance down the road leading to the mill.

"Why," she said, "what makes it so smoky down by the mill, and who is this man—looks like a tramp—coming up to the door?" Kitty ran to the window which was close by the outside door.

"That old mill!" she exclaimed. "Oh, I don't think I'd be willing to marry the man that ran our mill," she added in her thoughts, "unless, perhaps, it were—Nathan Martin."

Her sentence was interrupted by the opening of the outside door. The man that entered heard a cheerful, vigorous voice saying: "Oh, I don't think I'd be willing to marry the man that ran our mill." The man groaned, but said to himself: "I suppose I must face the music."

In the miserable, tramp-like being that stood before them, Kitty and her mother saw Nathan Martin—he was opening a package.

"I am very very sorry, Mrs. Gregory and Kitty, to be the bearer of bad news. I'd have given anything if I could have helped it, but I did not know anything about it till a boy came and told me your mill was afire. I think I know how it started. I found, near the door, the fragment of a chair that stood in which I called my 'office.' I think a tramp got in there, stayed all night and started a fire. Here, I think, is a part of what he had for breakfast. Mrs. Gregory, I am very sorry. I don't suppose you will feel like going to Thanksgiving tomorrow morning, I don't."

"Why not? Why shouldn't I go?" asked Mrs. Gregory. "I have something left, and haven't you?"

"Well," said he, "I shall think it over. How much is left to me?"

"We'll leave it this way, Nathan. If you'll come along in your pung tomorrow morning, I shall see you, and you let me and Kitty get in."

Kitty Gregory was overwhelmed with confusion, and was unable to say a word, but she had been thinking at express-train speed.

I thought it might please Nathan, and I took up a pie to the mill that he might have a pleasant surprise finding it. Now, this will prove it. What is that letter on the pie?"

"S," said her mother.

"No," said Kitty, "it is K. You know what K stands for, I hope? K is for Kitty, and it was dreadfully silly in me," said the girl, whose sorrowful eyes were like violets in the dew. "I am afraid my matches, dropped through a crack where I thought they would fall into the water, must have lighted on something else! Oh, I am sorry, mother! You have lost your mill!"

"But I haven't lost you, dear. You are left," said the mother, giving Kitty a warm embrace. "I told Nathan Martin to think of what was left, and I'm going to do it."

Poor Nathan Martin! He went down the road saying, "Mrs. Gregory told me to think of what I had left. Now, she has Kitty! But what did I hear Kitty say when I opened the door—I won't marry the man—it was something like that, 'that runs our mill.'"

Looking out of the kitchen window a little before meeting time, Kitty's mother saw a horse and sleigh in the yard. The occupant of the sleigh had left it. Mrs. Gregory could hear his coming footsteps. She knew who it was, for she could see a violin box protruding from the sleigh.

"I have called for you and Kitty," said Nathan. "If you say so, we'll all go to meeting. I have been thinking it over, and I feel that there is much left."

"Nathan," said Kitty's mother, laying her hand on the young man's shoulder, "there is much left. You've got a friend in me. You've got a friend in yourself. You've got a friend in God."

It was a wonderful service that day, so Nathan Martin always thought. The service over, the people separated to their homes and their bountiful dinners.

"We want you to take dinner with us, Nathan," said Mrs. Gregory, and of course there could be no resistance to that invitation.

Kitty was busy with preparations for the feast, but she told Nathan she wanted to see him in the fore room just as soon as she had a spare moment.

There, in a frank and pitiful way, she held out the supposed tramp's breakfast and told Nathan she was the incendiary.

Nathan wouldn't hear of it, but Kitty seemed to take satisfaction in insisting upon her explanation, and then Nathan's power as a comforter was called in play.

"I don't think you did it, Kitty, I'm afraid you don't have confidence in my opinion."

"But I do," said Kitty, "I think a great deal of you."

When Kitty opened such a door, what wonder that Nathan entered. He recalled what he heard her say the day before, and then Kitty had to confess what he did not hear—her un-



"You know I am your friend, and you have my blessing."

spoken admission that he was the exceptional miller.

"Where are those young people!" wondered the widow Gregory. She went to different rooms. A knock at the fore room door was successful. "Come right in," said Nathan. "We want your blessing, mother."

"What?" she asked, wonderingly. "You know I am your friend and you have my blessing."

"Yes, I knew I had the mother. Now I have the daughter."

THE REAL CHINESE MINISTER.

Ambassador's Daughter in the Place of Power.

It is a very small foot that Miss Liang puts down, but it means business. She is the charming and high-spirited little daughter of the new Chinese minister at Washington. Her will is law where her father is concerned, and it must be to anyone who sees her. When she was on her way to Washington she made a stop of several days in San Francisco, and she was besieged with invitations, of which she accepted very few. Photographers tried every means to gain her consent to pose for them, but she positively refused. Her father begged her to grant some of the requests, but in vain. "When she won't she won't," he said in despair, "and what can I do? I don't like to use force." So the young lady had her way, and it was a perverse one.

"I can prophesy who the Chinese minister will be," said one disgruntled pursuer; "she isn't five feet tall, and she wears a little round black bang. But she's going to run the affairs of China in America."

The Doctor's Statement.

St. John, Kan., Nov. 16.—This town has a genuine sensation in the case of a little boy, the son of Mr. and Mrs. William McBride. Dr. Limes, the attending physician, says:

"Scarlet Fever of a very malignant type brought this child very near to death and when the fever left him he was semi-paralyzed in the right leg and right arm. He also lost hearing in his right ear, and his mind was much affected."

"His parents tried another treatment for a time and when I was recalled I found that he was having spells very like Epilepsy and was very bad and gradually growing worse. I advised the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills and in a short time the child began to improve. Inside of a week the nervous spasms or epileptic seizures ceased altogether."

Mr. and Mrs. McBride have made a sworn statement of the facts and Dr. Jesse L. Limes has added his sworn statement saying that Dodd's Kidney Pills and nothing else cured the fits.

Fixing Broom Handles.

To fix a broom handle first bore a hole sideways through the handle and into the head of the broom. Then take a long nail, dip it in water and hammer it well into the hole. The wet nail will soon become rusty and the rust will make it extra firm in its hold.

How's This?

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Our County Correspondents.

NORTH UNION.

G. F. Castleman Correspondent. Preaching next Sunday evening by Rev. Kline.

Michael Kelly is giving his new barn a coat of paint.

Peter Doll and family spent Sunday with Geo. Osborn's.

O. P. Hisey died Nov. 10th after a long illness of typhoid fever.

Ezra Hawkins intends to move his family to Culver in the near future.

Mrs. John Osborn, of Culver, spent a few days with her son, Geo. Osborn.

Andrew Castleman spent Tuesday with W. P. Castleman and family.

Mrs. Nancy Pettis is spending a few days with Geo. Pettis and family, of Knox.

S. E. Geiselman and family spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Fulton county.

W. P. Castleman and family spent Sunday with Henry Croco and family of Argos.

Phillip Sickman and wife and Mrs. Harvey Osborn spent Sunday with Geo. Osborn and family.

Ol Geiselman returned home from N. Dakota Friday, after spending the summer there.

HIBBARD.

Mrs. E. J. Reed Correspondent. Mr. Strohl, wife and daughter were the guests of S. S. Reed and family Sunday.

Arthur Burns, of N. Dakota, contemplates making Hibbard his home this winter.

Mrs. Louisa Lichtenberger and Dave Aley and family were Burr Oak visitors Sunday.

Happy was out of town Sunday night. Some say he went west and some say he went south.

Mrs. Hissong and daughter, Bertha, were the guests of Rachel Vories and family Sunday.

Bert Vories, who has been visiting at home for several days, returned to his work at So. Bend.

Budie Banks seems to be taking a great deal of pains fixing up his property for some special purpose.

Hibbard is still on the boom, the property formerly owned by Wilson Hunt, in east Hibbard, has been bought by Mr. Andrews and is undergoing repairs.

DELONG.

Miss Sarah Shadel Correspondent. Frank King Sundayed at home.

Litcher Robinson Sundayed with his parents.

Mrs. J. Q. Howell spent Sunday at Kewanna.

Mrs. Katie Lahman has recovered from the measles.

Miss Lulu Monger spent Saturday in Kewanna.

Miss Belle Montgomery spent a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Dan Mahler.

Misses Carrie and Bertha Kline Sundayed with their parents near Delong.

David Kaley and family and Lewis Jones and family will move to Griffith, where they are employed on the Erie section.

NORTH BEND.

Miss Elizabeth Castleman Correspondent. Miss Delia Chapman is still reported no better.

Dr. Parker of Ora was in our vicinity last week.

Isaac Collins and family were in Culver Saturday.

Leonard Smart of Knox is visiting his parents J. P. Smart and wife.

George Wolfram, of Monterey, visited the school at Hornersburg Monday.

Miss Augusta Zechiel was in our vicinity Saturday giving music lessons.

Alvin Good and family moved into the property formerly occupied by his father Wm. Good.

We wonder if Mrs. Henry Lohr will take a nice fat turkey to Culver for some one for Thanksgiving dinner.

Jack Tarlton and Wm. Lewis, of Knox, are laying the brick at the Horner school. Jerd Stevinson is the third man.

SOUTH GERMANY.

Quarterly meeting at South Germany was well attended last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tholman, of Fulton, attended quarterly meeting here Sunday.

Protracted meeting at South Germany church commences next Monday evening.

Rudolph Beebler and wife of Rochester, visited George Miller and family over Sunday.

Rev. Samuel Plantz and wife, of Bruce Lake, visited at the home of William Harpster Sunday.

Mrs. Rob Marshall and Mrs. Samuel Hofman, of Rochester, visited Wesley Zechiel and wife last Sunday.

Maine Mow, of South Bend, is visiting her sister Mrs. William Secrist and grandmother Mrs. Adam Mow.

Miss Emeline Huey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Huey, of near Mt. Zion, died of blood poison. She was sick but two weeks. Funeral services from the South Germany church last Friday by Rev. Daniel Kaley.

RUTLAND.

J. W. Falconburg Correspondent. Charles Iuks is moving in the house with Platt Dixon.

J. R. Vinnedge shipped a car load of wheat and one of hogs this week.

Abe Kimmel is moving from the P. Wickizer farm to the P. Smith place.

Frank Shepherd has sold his house to I. C. Brooke who intends

Our school teacher R. D. Smith is able to be in the school room again this week.

J. W. Falconburg and family and T. R. Marble of Walnut spent Sunday with Charles Yates.

R. D. Smith had the misfortune to lose his pocket book last Friday with valuable papers and \$65 in money. Finder will be rewarded.

LEITERS FORD.

Miss Georgia Combs Correspondent. William Bridget moved to Leiters this week.

John Engle, of Monterey, was in Leiters Sunday.

Mrs. Durr has returned from her visit in Ohio, reports a pleasant visit.

Rev. Wright, of Argos, is aiding our pastor Rev. Pelly in the meetings at the M. E. church this week.

Bert and William Ralston and John Will Anderson are spending a week at Maxinkuckee hunting and fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Polley of Kewanna, were visiting Mrs. Polley's mother, Mrs. O'Brien over Sunday.

MT. HOPE.

Miss Della Edgington Correspondent. Mrs. Wm. Hay and daughter were Culver callers Saturday.

Mrs. Carolina McGrew returned from North Manchester last Friday.

Chas. Biddinger, of South Bend, was the guest of Willie Best Sunday.

Mrs. Minnie Zechiel of Culver visited her cousin Miss Ida Kaley last Sunday.

Quite a number of the men in this neighborhood were working the roads last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Orr Houghton and children of Maxinkuckee visited I. C. Edgington and family Saturday.

Contest Decided.

The first annual CITIZEN contest was decided last week and the prizes were awarded as follows:

Corn, 1st prize, Thomas Garver; 2nd, S. S. Smith.

Potatoes, 1st prize, Philip Working; 2nd W. W. Christenberry.

Sweet potatoes, 1st prize, Lucilla Working; 2nd, Clemwell Curtis.

Pumpkin, 1st prize, Peter Spangler; 2nd, Aaron Asper.

Squash, W. W. Christenberry.

Prizes, 1st prize, 1 year's subscription to the CULVER CITIZEN; 2nd, 6 months subscription.

Busy New York Postoffice. The postoffice of New York city has thirty-two stations and 159 sub-stations. In it is handled 450 tons of mail matter. Fourteen stamp canceling machines each handle 28,000 letters an hour.

For Conversion to Mohammedanism. George S. Barson of Cairo, Egypt, converted from Mohammedanism to Christianity, is now in the United States. He urges more missionary work among the Mohammedans.

Has Razors Used by Henry Clay. Secretary Sirmall of the Lexington, Ky., board of education has five razors

Famous Chateau d'If Sold.

The historical keep of the Chateau d'If, in the harbor of Marseilles, which was put up for auction together with the island itself last autumn, has at last been sold. The French government decided not to sell at first, because a gaming syndicate had plans to buy the island and turn it into a Monte Carlo. The purchaser of the keep is the captain of a French liner, who got it for 5,050f.

All Dead Except the Lawsuit.

The question as to whether Mr. or Mrs. Fair died first in the automobile accident in France a year ago, in which both were killed, is still being vigorously fought in the courts. It is always a mooted question, especially when there is money involved. Otherwise it generally makes no particular difference, so long as both are dead.

Let 'Em Whisper.

Prof. Triggs of the University of Chicago, says that children should be allowed to whisper in school, as it "does their souls good. Their souls should not be imprisoned in silence. I am glad that a step forward has been taken from the primitive condition in which our schools were a few years ago, when whispering was looked on as a crime."

All Were Spooning.

The other Sunday a minister of Hull, England, at the end of his sermon said that he had noticed a couple of young people spooning in the chapel. He threatened to denounce them to the congregation if they did not afterward go to the vestry to express their penitence. When he went to the vestry after the service he found there no fewer than six weeping couples!

Irrigation Works in Prospect.

The government is to begin the construction of irrigation works in five localities. The Sweetwater dam, Wyoming; Milk river, Montana; the Gunnison tunnel, Colorado; Truckee, Nevada, and Salt river, Arizona. The cost of the five plants is estimated as \$7,000,000, and they are expected to furnish water for 600,000 acres.

Argentine's Immense Corn Crop.

The harvest of this year in the Argentine Republic is unprecedented. Exact data can not yet be obtained, but the best estimates show that the crop of corn (maize) will be approximately 3,500,000 tons, of which 1,000,000 tons will be retained for home consumption and for seed, leaving for export 2,500,000 tons.

Anti-Typhoid Serum Valuable.

The anti-typhoid serum has proved of great value in Paris. In 1473 cases, in fifteen hospitals, where it was not used, the mortality was 19.3 per cent., where it was not used, the mortality whereas in 186 cases where it was used it was only 3.7 per cent.

Claim Golfing Is Dangerous.

The Board of Public Service of Cincinnati has abolished all the golf links in the public parks and has forbidden the game therein on the ground that it would be dangerous to women and children who frequent the parks for outing and recreation.

Ear Has Little Significance.

After studying and photographing more than forty thousand pair of ears of persons, including those of 2,000 insane and 800 criminals, and those of 300 animals, an English criminologist is forced to conclude that the ear gives no clue to personal traits.

Clearly Foresees His Doom.

The king of Siam is reported as saying that he knows full well that his kingdom will some day be gobbled up by the English or the French.

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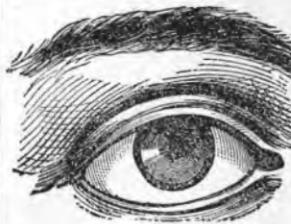
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