

## PERSONAL POINTERS

### Brief Mention of Culverites and Their Friends Who Have Come and Gone

Prof. Hahn spent last Saturday in Bremen.

The Shilling family spent Sunday in Knox.

Olive Hayes was at home for the week-end.

Mrs. Jacob Hoham spent Friday afternoon at Culver.

Dr. Parker was in Plymouth on business last Saturday.

Mrs. Thomas Slattery spent last Saturday in Plymouth.

Henry Hawkins' family will move back to Mishawaka.

A. L. Porter spent Friday afternoon at Culver on business.

C. G. Replegle was in South Bend Tuesday and Wednesday.

Ernest Zechiel is home from Heidelberg on his spring vacation.

Alfred Lang of near Monterey was a caller at the Citizen office last Saturday.

Miss Pauline Hawk of Mishawaka is visiting her relatives and friends in Culver.

Claud May returned Saturday after a week's visit with his mother near Logansport.

Mr. McClung, who bought the Geo. Fear farm, will move his family here next week.

Mrs. Eli Spencer has been spending a few days with Culver relatives and other friends.

Lewis Oyler of Lighthouse, Ohio, is here for a two weeks' visit with his brother, Henry Oyler.

William Rea, who is attending the state university at Bloomington, was home over Sunday.

Morris Winfield has been spending a week at the Winfield cottage hunting and fishing.

Mr. Combell and family of Santa Ana neighborhood visited with the family of M. R. Kline Sunday.

Miss Josie Grove visited with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Leland, at Argos over Sunday.

Elizabeth Duddleson of Culver visited her brother, Albert Duddleson and Argos friends last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Brownell and daughter Emma of Peru were at their Maxinkuckee cottage Monday.

H. H. Austin and wife returned last week from Michigan. They will remain in Culver for the summer.

I. G. Fisher has returned to Culver from Logansport and will be employed on the Crook line of boats.

Mrs. Julia Garn, after a six month's stay in Culver, was called yesterday to Marshall, Ill., by the illness of her sister.

Miss Mayme Washburn returned to her home at Culver Friday after visiting friends and relatives in Plymouth for a few days.

Chas. Albertson, Howard's baker during the winter, has gone to Chicago to remain. Mr. Howard has a new baker from Michigan City.

Benjamin and Daniel Easterday were in Portland, Ind., from Monday to Wednesday to attend the funeral of a sister. They were accompanied by W. S. Easterday.

G. C. Woolley, who returned to the vicinity of Culver a few weeks ago after a few months' residence in Cass county, was a subscribing caller at the Citizen office last Monday. He says "The Citizen is one of the necessities of life."

D. G. Walter went to Kansas City last week to attend the graduating exercises of his son, Dr. Clyde Walter, at the Veterinary college on Thursday. Dr. Walter delivered the class response to the presentation of diplomas. He has located permanently at Tulsa, Ok.

## A ROAD COMPETITION.

How an Illinois Community Stimulated Interest with Results.

Much practical work has been accomplished by the Galva Good Roads Improvement association of Henry county. The special object was the dragging and general maintenance of the main roads leading from Galva. Excellent results have been secured and the roads maintained could well serve as model earth roads. Mr. John Miller of Galva, reports:

Eighty dollars was raised by subscription and divided into three premiums, \$40, \$25, and \$15 to be awarded for maintaining the best 4-mile stretches of main road, the roads to be graded and then worked with the road drag through the season from May 1 to January 1.

More than 30 miles of road were dragged on the seven main roads. Complete organization was effected on but four covering 18 miles. More or less dragging was done on the other roads but not on the 4 mile stretches. Wide-spread interest was created in good roads by this organized movement. Three judges go over the road after each rain to see that the roads are properly worked. In judging the crown or cross slope is counted 30 points, dragging 50 points, approach to bridge 10 points, general appearance, weeds, brush, etc., 10 points.

The results of the movement have been gratifying to everybody concerned, farmers, business men and road officials, and it is conceded on every hand that better results have been obtained from the funds this year than ever before. It is believed that the policy of under draining the highways will be continued until the necessary under-drainage is completed. The road organization has had the active cooperation of the road commissioners of Galva township.

The great benefit of the good roads movement in Galva is in awakening the farmer to the fact that a well drained, well kept road is pleasant to drive over and an actual financial benefit to the adjacent land owners.—Bloomington Pantagraph.

### Profitable Potatoes.

A farmer writes to the Bloomington (Ill.) Pantagraph describing his method of securing a profit of \$118 an acre on his potato crop. Following is a portion of his letter:

This is the first time that I have planted the same ground (a black loam) in potatoes for the fourth successive crop, but I did it because the three previous crops were so good and because I had no other suitable place for potatoes. For this year's crop the ground was fall plowed, and the seed selected and carefully prepared.

The planting was done about the middle of April, immediately after oats seeding. It required about 26 bushels to plant the two acres.

Owing to the fourth successive crop and neglect to treat for scab, I notice quite a little scab on the potatoes this year.

Now to summarize this year's crop for profit, by figuring man and team at \$3 per day, man at \$1.50 per day, rent at \$6 per acre, seed potatoes at \$1 per bushel, Paris green at 40 cents per pound, I find the total expense of raising and marketing the two acres to be \$90.40. The income from the 410 bushels of good potatoes at an average of 77½ cents per bushel, and figuring the 25 bushels of culls at 35 cents per bushel, was \$326.50. This leaves a profit of \$236.10.

### Auction Sale.

Monday, April 6, 3 miles south-west of Culver, 4 head of horses, 30 head of cattle, 10 head of shoats, farm implements. Property of Wm. O'Connor & Son.

Chicken supper by the Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church at the Lakeside Friday night. 25 cents. Everybody invited.

## THE BUILDING BOOM

### The Permanent Improvements Now Under Way in Culver Betoken a Busy Season.

W. H. Fulton of Indianapolis is erecting a cottage on his lots north of Norris' to cost \$600, for rental purposes.

Fred Gampy of Indianapolis is building a cottage near Indianapolis pier to cost from \$600 to \$1,000.

Ferrier & Son have the contract for materials for both cottages.

Jesse Crabb has sold to Elizabeth Wagoner a house and lot in Zechiel's addition for \$850 and will erect another house for himself in the same addition. Mrs. Wagoner will move to town from near Leiters.

John Osborn has sold 34 acres of his 114-acre farm southeast of town to Scott R. Geddes of Toto, Starke county for \$2,040. Mr. Geddes will build a house and barn on his purchase.

John H. Murray has sold 25 acres at the south end of the lake

to George Busart for \$1,500, and has rented the house and barn to another party for the summer.

James Crabbe has contracted for the materials to erect a \$700 cottage in Zechiel's addition.

M. R. Cline is preparing to install a concrete block plant near the elevator.

Work has been commenced on a cement, lime and plaster house at the elevator. The building will be 60x18, concrete to the level of a car floor and wood above. It will be divided into three rooms and will be a thoroughly substantial structure.

The railroad company has instituted preparations for the erection of a freight depot near the elevator. As large bodies move slowly there is no call for anybody to rush down to the track to see the work started today.

### Met with Mishaps.

Jim Geiselman had the three first fingers of his right hand mashed and stripped to the first joint while helping to raise a building at the Palmer House Monday. Jim was about to leave for Mishawaka to take a summer's job on Eli Spencer's cement gang.

M. R. Cline had a hand badly injured at Captain Fleet's residence Monday. While repairing a roof he accidentally fell through a scuttle hole, tearing the flesh and otherwise maiming the hand, and will be unable to use the member for some time. Dr. Rea dressed the wound.

### To the Democracy of Union Township.

Culver, Indiana, April 2, 1908.

Believing that every voter has the right to aspire to public office, and believing that I possess, in a fair degree, the necessary qualifications, I again present myself as a candidate for township trustee of Union township, Marshall county, Ind., subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention to be held Saturday, May 2, 1908.

As many know, I was unsuccessful eight years ago, having received eleven less votes on 3d ballot than Mr. Bogardus, which gave him the nomination.

Not that the democracy of Union township at that time conceded Mr. Bogardus to be my superior in intellect, experience or integrity, but because many honest men at that time thought Culver could not maintain her prosperity unless she had the influence and support of the saloon, I having signed a liquor remonstrance, which Mr. Bogardus and Mr. McFarland declined. Now, should I be successful in winning the nomination and election to said office, I hereby pledge my best efforts in trying to do my whole duty. Fair treatment to all and special privileges to none shall be my motto. I also pledge my word that no more money shall be collected in the way of taxes than is absolutely necessary to meet the expenses of the township economically administered. I shall strive at all times to improve the public schools by exacting from each teacher his whole duty. I shall show in my financial report from time to time the amount of the township's indebtedness, so that all may know the exact condition as it really exists. Thanking the democratic voters of said township in advance for any favors they may deem proper to bestow,

I am, respectfully,  
DANIEL W. MARKS.

For Sale—One polled Durham bull. Inquire of Robt. McFarland.

### Open Meeting.

The W. C. T. U. will hold an open meeting at the M. E. church on Sunday next at 2:30 to which the public is cordially invited. The subject is "Medical Temperance" and the following program has been prepared:

Music.  
Prayer.  
Scripture Reading—"The Yeast Plant."  
Discussion, Miss Moss.  
Paper—"Does Alcohol Sustain Life?" Mrs. S. S. Smith.  
Music.  
Recitation—"A Reformer Reformed," Fred Hawkins.  
Reading—"Mrs. Clapsaddle's Experience," Chloe Butler.  
Paper, Dr. B. W. S. Wiseman.  
Music.  
Recitation, Carrie Davis.  
Collection.  
Music.  
Benediction.

### The German Way.

As it may interest the ladies of Culver to know how German tea parties are served we publish the following extract from a letter written by the wife of the U. S. consul at Cologne, Germany:

"This afternoon I went to a German tea party, there were six guests and as soon as all arrived we were invited out to the table (five o'clock) and sat there until we left to go, at seven. We drank indefinite numbers of cups of tea and had hot waffles, gooseberry pie covered with whipped cream, liver sausage and ham sandwiches and jelly. One odd thing about these tea parties is that the cake and pie is always served first, while sandwiches and salad come last."

If every state in this country had adequate savings banks there would be little need for the postal banks. Because in every state the savings of the people are exposed to dangers that they should not be obliged to meet, the postal savings idea has spread and will undoubtedly become more and more popular as time goes on. Postal banks will at least give safety to the small depositor where savings banks are not properly safeguarded. On the other hand, they will not give an adequate return in interest. Moreover, they will draw away from the various communities the funds of the depositors, taking them to the great financial centers rather than allowing them to remain and be used in the communities in which they were gathered together. Nor does it seem at all probable that the government will administer these banks any better than it administers the postal service. Moreover, the present national bank supervision does not give promise of very efficient governmental bank management.

## CARP AS A FOOD FISH.

Its Value An Important Item—The Output is Enormous.

Fishermen of Illinois annually realize \$200,000 to \$500,000 from the sale of carp, more often the latter sum, according to the annual report of the Illinois fish commission just issued. The annual catch of this species of fish runs up to 20,000,000 pounds in some years. The long and formidable indictments against carp as being unfit for human food are "quashed" by the state fish commission.

The board takes upon itself the duty of replying to the charges, declaring to be false the reports that carp injure the feeding grounds of the wild fowl that they injure other fish and that they are not food fish. The board admits that there are species of fish that are of superior quality and of finer eating, but to the many people who cannot obtain, bass, salmon, trout, shad, mackerel, etc., the carp are a boon. The consumption of carp in the eastern sea towns tons of Illinois carp are going East every month—is surprisingly large.

It has been declared that the "planked white fish" that appears so often on New York City menu cards is nothing but carp so delicately cooked by expert chefs as to make the deception impossible to detect. Illinois is the great carp state of the Union, and great as is the commercial value of the fish, this is insignificant compared with its importance as a food for other fish. Young and adult bass feed upon carp and like it. Farmers with private fish ponds are finding carp the greatest fish they can raise for home consumption.

"Considered from a financial point of view," says the commission, "there is no fish like the carp, and there are no better carp waters in the world than those of Illinois. The output is simply enormous and ever increasing."

There is a steady market for all the carp caught. After calling attention to the protective laws the need of more protection in the way of legislation, warden service, the desire to have seining discontinued altogether, the value of pond fish and the great demand for stocking lakes, ponds and rivers, the commission makes its lengthy and convincing defense of the much maligned and abused carp. The demand for black bass for stocking purposes is unparalleled, yet they cannot be considered a profitable or successful fish for the purpose of culture for many obvious reasons, their voracity and destructive proclivities being the most important.

Bass, however, are said to be more plentiful than ever, and they will continue to increase as long as so much food is furnished to them by the increase in the softer-rayed fish. They are destructive and voracious feeders, and unless plenty of other food abounds will destroy each other. It is certain that everything produced in a pond which they can eat will be eaten by black bass.

### NORTH BEND NOTES.

Mrs. Jane Castleman, Correspondent.

Wm. Good and wife are visiting at their son Alvin's. . . J. F. Chapman and Joe Castleman were Knox business visitors Monday. . . Geo. Casper went to South Bend Friday to visit friends. . . Alvin Good and wife visited over Sunday with Albert Engle at Toto. . . Mrs. Joe Castleman visited over Sunday at Mishawaka with relatives. . . Mary Blaschke and Laura Fechner were Knox visitors Saturday. . . Jacob Myers and John Kaley and families spent Sunday at Reuben Kaley's. . . Trustee Terry was a business visitor in our locality Monday. . . Eva Shoemaker went to Mishawaka Saturday to spend a few weeks at her brother's.

Colored blotting at the Citizen.

## THE WEEK IN CULVER

### Little Items of Local Happenings of Interest to People in Town and Country

—Mary Whitehead has applied for a divorce from her husband Jensen B. Whitehead.

—Earl Poor has rented Eliza Young's house in the Heart Zechiel addition and will move April 10.

—The next meeting of the A. S. S. guild will be held with Mr. Ralston at Auburnview Park Tuesday, April 7.

—J. Saine & Son are installing a cash carrier system and are preparing to repaper and otherwise improve the interior of their room.

—Dr. Norris is moving into a house south of the Reformed church and Martin Hemminger Jr. is moving into the rooms vacated by Dr. Norris over Smith Bros. market.

—Amos Crum, who moved to Culver last week, returned with three days to the Hamilton building which he had left. John Hahn having lost the mail which brought to dispossess Crum.

—Finding themselves in a desirable and somewhat unusual position of having more money than they had reckoned on, the Culver school board will add two and possibly three weeks to the school year.

—Mr. Vandes and Miss Mar Robinson came up to the lake last Monday to look after their cottage which was one of the number that had been broken into. They were unable to discover that anything had been taken or even disturbed.

—About forty of Culver's young people attended the county oratorical contest at Plymouth last Friday evening. Some of them reached home with their enthusiasm somewhat dampened by the severe rain and hail storms they encountered on the return drive.

—At the meeting of the democratic county commissioners last Saturday it was decided by a vote of 23 to 2 in favor of a judicial primary for the nominating of judge and prosecutor. This primary will be held at the same time as the county primary.

—Wm. O'Connor, 3 miles southwest of town, met with a disappointment in failing to secure the same pasture he had last year and rather than pay a higher rent has concluded to rent part of his farm to his son-in-law and make public sale of surplus stock.

### Church Notes.

Preaching at the M. E. church Sunday evening.

The Ladies' Christian Union society meets this week at the home of Mrs. John Cronley.

Y. P. S. C. E. at the reformed church Saturday evening; Sunday school at the usual hour. There will be no preaching services on Sunday because of the special services at Zion. The ladies of the church will hold their annual supper on April 24.

### Married in Warsaw.

Charles C. Collier of Culver and Miss Millie Strong, daughter of Ely Strong, who resides near Akron were united in marriage Saturday morning at 9 o'clock at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage in Warsaw. They will make their home in Fulton.—Plymouth Independent.

Charley Collier has a host of friends in Culver who will wish him joy in his matrimonial venture.

—Fred Hushaw, butcher at the Smith Bros. market, is taking a two months' vacation. He will assist his brother Robert on his farm near Kokomo.



HAPPENINGS  
OF A WEEK

Record of the Most  
Important Events  
Condensed for the  
Perusal of the Busy  
Man.

## IN CONGRESS.

President Roosevelt sent to congress a special message urging action on laws relating to child labor, employers' liability and injunctions in labor cases, and recommending amendments to the interstate commerce and anti-trust laws, tariff revision and a permanent waterways commission, and financial legislation and action to establish postal savings banks.

In the course of a bitter denunciation of President Roosevelt on the floor of the house of representatives Mr. Stanley of Kentucky compared him with Alexander Hamilton, whom he designated as "an obscure adventurer," and both of whom he said had profound contempt for the constitution and displayed everlasting impatience with its restraints. Mr. Cocks of New York, representing the president's district, defended the president against the recent attack of Mr. Willett.

Determination to conduct a filibuster on all occasions where opportunity presented itself, in order to force the Republicans to action on an employers' liability bill and other measures deemed necessary of enactment, was announced by Mr. Williams of Mississippi in the house of representatives. On motion of Mr. Mann of Illinois, a speech printed in the record by Mr. Sulzer of New York, and which Mr. Mann said Mr. Sulzer did not deliver, was ordered expanded. Mr. Sulzer bitterly denounced Mr. Mann and was rebuked by the speaker.

The announcement of the death of Senator William James Bryan of Florida was made in the senate immediately after the prayer by the chaplain, whereupon, in respect to his memory, the senate adjourned. Without division, the measure the ship subsidy bill, vessels plying between this country and South America, the Philippines, Australia, China and Japan shall receive four dollars a mile, which was the amount awarded only to vessels of 20 knots by the act of 1891.

## PERSONAL.

John W. Stewart of Middlebury, Vt., former governor of Vermont, was appointed to the United States senate by Gov. Fletcher D. Proctor to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Redfield Proctor.

Dr. Nicholas McCabe, mayor of North Platte, Neb., was arrested on a charge of selling liquor illegally in his drug store.

Henri Rodette, once a waiter, has been arrested in Paris for swindles that are said to have brought him in \$12,000,000.

Congressman Charles E. Littlefield of Maine sent to Gov. Cobb his resignation as a member of congress, to take effect September 30 next. He will resume the practice of law.

John Evanson of Duluth, Minn., broke the American ski record with a jump of 131 feet.

William B. Rayner, a well-known lawyer and son of the United States senator from Maryland, disappeared from his home in Baltimore.

Lieut. Gen. Stoessel, whom a court-martial sentenced to death for surrendering Port Arthur to the Japanese, but whose sentence was commuted by Emperor Nicholas to ten years' imprisonment, began serving his term in the St. Peter and St. Paul fortress.

## GENERAL NEWS.

Frank Froerer, president of a Lincoln (Ill.) bank and owner of the Lincoln Mining company, was held up by highwaymen and robbed of \$5,000.

Milwaukee's Democratic primary election resulted in the nomination of David S. Rose for mayor.

In the West London police court Magistrate Garrett sentenced Dr. Stanton Colt, a noted writer and lecturer, to one month's imprisonment for assault upon the conductor of an omnibus.

Half of the business section of Middleville, Mich., was destroyed by fire, the loss being \$75,000.

The plant of the Daily News of Rock Island, Ill., was wrecked by dynamite exploded in the press room.

The Znamy, the organ of True Russian People in St. Petersburg, printed threats of assassination, headed by a black cross and the words "Death to Milkoff."

The Valley hotel at Grafton, Ill., and residences and business houses in its vicinity were destroyed by fire.

Grover C. Blake of Anderson, Ind., confessed to the police of Fort Wayne the murder of his mother at Ander-

The German government has declined to receive Dr. David Jayne Hill in the capacity of American ambassador to succeed Charlemagne Tower, because the kaiser personally objects to him.

Republicans of Tennessee had a vicious fight in their state convention at Nashville.

Twenty-six district delegates and four delegates-at-large to the national convention at Denver were selected by the Indiana Democrats in convention and all the 30 will vote for Bryan for president. Most of them also will vote for the re-election of Thomas Taggart as national chairman.

Gov. Hughes refused to save Chester Gillette from being executed for the murder of Grace Brown.

Paul Bingham, an anarchist, was arrested at San Francisco for saying the fleet should be destroyed and President Roosevelt assassinated.

Prince Helle de Sagan arrived in New York, but refused to confirm or deny his reported engagement to Mme. Anna Gould.

The subcommittee of congress that investigated charges against Judge Willey of the American court at Shanghai reported, censuring the judge, but not recommending impeachment.

Twenty persons were injured at the farm home of Loren Gage, near San Lake, Mich., when the floor of the kitchen gave way while an auction sale was in progress.

Nearly 40 persons were injured in Detroit when an interurban car left the rails and crashed into a dry goods store.

The cabinet decided to accept China's invitation for a visit from the battleship fleet, but to decline any other invitations.

In Fond du Lac, Wis., the dry goods store and stock owned by John J. Gruenhock were destroyed by fire, causing a loss of \$100,000.

Citizens of Lexington and central Kentucky signed a petition asking the president for federal aid in suppressing the night riders. Officers of the Society of Equity denied a report that the society had reached an agreement with the American Tobacco company.

Pasquale Pati, a rich Italian banker of New York, who killed a member of the Blank Hand, was forced to suspend and flee from the city in fear of death.

The American car in the New York-to-Paris race reached San Francisco, far ahead of its competitors.

The supreme court of the United States decided adversely to the states of Minnesota and North Carolina two cases involving conflicts between the federal and state courts and the right of the states to fix rates for railroad transportation.

Mystery surrounding the fatal shooting of John Lipscomb January 26 was cleared, the Cleveland, O., police say, by the alleged confession of the dead man's wife that she fired the fatal shot.

Mrs. Arlo Whitbeck, widow of a man who was murdered in Fayette county, Iowa, was taken into custody following her husband's funeral, pending an investigation.

China, through Minister Wu, has extended an invitation for the American battleship fleet to stop in China on its way around the world.

Severe rain and wind storms in Louisiana, Alabama and Mississippi did great damage to property. One person was killed and many injured.

Leo Wojcinski of Milwaukee killed Miss Nettie Plaschek, his sweetheart, and himself by poison.

Several hundred lives were lost when the steamer Matsuo was sunk near Hakodate, Japan, by the steamer Hideoyoshi.

According to a Madrid paper, the wound received by the king of Portugal when his father was slain has not healed and his arm must be amputated.

Mrs. Eli Palmer, aged 45, and Joseph Rosenblum, aged 55, were drowned in the Shenang river, near Sharon, Pa.

Deputy United States Marshal H. C. Reese, while raiding an illicit distillery in Chatham county, N. C., was shot by blockaders and probably fatally injured.

## OBITUARY.

D. W. Stevens, the adviser of Korea, who was shot in San Francisco by a Korean, died of his wounds.

Dr. Truman Jay Backus, president of the Packer Collegiate Institute of Brooklyn and a well-known educator, died in New York.

Mother Benedicta, superior of St. Joseph's German Catholic Orphan asylum in St. Paul since it was founded in 1877, died at the age of 67.

Rev. Dr. Charles Cuthbert Hall, president Union Theological seminary, died at his home in New York.

May Thompson, aged 32, while delirious, escaped from a St. Louis hospital and hanged herself.

Ralph C. Many, a Rhodes scholar from New Orleans, La., at Oxford, was washed off the rocks and drowned at Port Isaac, Cornwall.

Dr. John Bryant, a prominent physician and philanthropist, as well as a yachtsman of international reputation, died in Boston.

Walter Wycoff of Masenna, Ia., died of fright on the operating table in a hospital.

Spencer Compton Cavendish, eighth duke of Devonshire, died of heart failure.

Frank H. Bosford, a well-known newspaper correspondent and former reading clerk of the house of representatives, committed suicide in Washington.

Rev. Charles H. Fowler, bishop of the Methodist Episcopal church, died at his home in New York, aged 71. His

## THROUGH THE STATE

NEWS GATHERED FROM VARIOUS INDIANA POINTS.

## TAYLOR MEN ARE NAMED

Marion Delegates to Republican State Convention Pledged to Seventh District Candidate—No Contest to Be Filed.

Indianapolis.—Delegates who were elected to the Republican state convention in Marion county are pledged to cast their votes for William L. Taylor for governor as long as he is in the race. Mr. Taylor's managers declared that there would be no second choice. "Our delegates," said O. P. Enslay, "will be for Mr. Taylor from start to finish. Such a thing as another candidate taking the Taylor votes has never been considered. We are fully convinced that Taylor will be nominated." In the primaries a big vote was polled. It had been understood for several days that only Taylor delegates would be selected. None of the other candidates for governor attempted to interfere in the primaries. In some of the wards there were several hot contests. In the Fourth, Fifth and Seventh wards more than 700 votes were cast. The rivalry for places on the delegation was between men who wanted to go to the state convention. Each candidate for election as a delegate was willing to pledge himself to vote for Mr. Taylor. The contest committee appointed by County Chairman Ruckelshaus waited for two hours at the criminal court room. No contests were filed. Disagreements in the Fourth ward were adjusted peaceably and County Chairman Ruckelshaus announced that no contests would be filed.

## Father Dead; Girls Sue.

Greencastle.—Charles T. Peck, an administrator of the estate of F. E. Fielder, has filed suit in the circuit court against the Big Four railroad for \$10,000. The case is an outgrowth of the Sanford disaster, where in a number lost their lives by the explosion of a car of powder while the evening passenger train was passing a freight. The complaint alleges that Fielder was killed in the accident and that he left two daughters, who set their damages at \$10,000. F. M. Lyon and F. Blannenbaker are attorneys for the Fielder estate.

## Rough Joke May Cost Life.

Danville.—Totally blind and unconscious a part of each day, with little hope of recovery, is the fate of Miss Maggie Wilson, north of Danville, as the result of a playful prank of a friend. She attended a party and with some other young women was seated on the floor. Some one playfully tilted a chair behind her and its occupant fell upon Miss Wilson's shoulders and the back of her neck. As a result her head was forced forward and the spinal cord ruptured. Physicians said her recovery was doubtful.

## Alleged Bigamist in Jail.

Princeton.—Harry Wheeler, aged 35, this city, was arrested here on bigamy charges as he stepped off a train from Vincennes, where he has been in a sanitarium for a month. The charge is brought by wife No. 3, who was given her first knowledge that she probably was not legally married a week ago when a woman claiming to be Mrs. Wheeler No. 2 arrived from Harrisburg, Ill. Wheeler was divorced from No. 1, who now lives in Evansville.

## Bell to Rule Independent.

Crawfordsville.—A deal is said to be on in this city whereby the Bell Telephone company will come into control of the local independent system. Clarence Severson, local manager of the Bell system, declined to give out any information concerning the rumored merger. The Bell company holds a perpetual franchise in Crawfordsville.

## Woman Felled by Stranger.

Evansville.—An Mrs. William Farmer was walking along Sycamore street when she was attacked by a strange man, who stabbed her above the heart. The name of the assailant was not known, although the police worked hard on the case. The woman when assaulted fell to the sidewalk and a few seconds was unconscious from the loss of blood.

## Asks Police to Watch Son.

Columbus.—To prevent her son Ernest from carrying out a threat of killing "the two men he was looking for," Mrs. Nancy Morrison walked to Columbus from High Field Ford and asked the police to take charge of the young man.

## Tooth Causes Death.

Bloomington.—Blood poisoning from a decayed tooth caused the death at the Bloomington hospital of William, the five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McClintock. The effect of the poison on the boy's heart proved fatal.

## Object to Moving Offices.

Goshen.—Orlando Hamilton and Aaron Hartsler, ex-councilmen, and Wilbur L. Stonex, attorney, filed injunction proceedings against the city to prevent a removal of the city offices from the Stonex building into the Odd Fellows block. The suit is based on the theory that the chief of police, city attorney, city clerk, city treasurer, all the members of the council being Odd Fellows, under the

## WINONA CHORAL CONTEST.

Total of \$1,300 in Prizes to Be Awarded the Singers.

Winona Lake.—The preliminary program for the annual Winona choral contest has been arranged by H. W. Owens, Mrs. Metta M. Latta and Hugh R. Erbaugh, and the singers and recitators who will participate will be heard in the auditorium here on June 26, nearly two weeks before the regular Winona assembly program opens. The conductor of the day will be the Rev. W. M. Sordval of Gomer, O. The adjudicators of music will be Peter Edwards, a well-known English music critic, of London, and William A. Madoc of Chicago. The adjudicators of recitation will be Mr. Sordval and Mr. A. Madoc.

The prizes to be awarded amount to a total of \$1,300, several hundred more than has been offered in the former Winona contests. The chief prize is for \$500, to go to the best chorus of not less than 50 mixed voices, the numbers to be sung being Elgar's "My Love Dwell in Northern Land" and Handel's "Lift Up Your Heads." The prize for the best male chorus will be \$300, the number to be sung being Protheroe's "Drontheim." There will be a chorus contest for women, the prize being \$250, the contestants to sing Elgar's "The Snow."

A contest for glee clubs offers a prize of \$100, the song to be Gwent's "The Spring." The same composer's "Sleep, My Lady Love," will be sung by male quartets in a contest for \$20. A prize of \$20 will be awarded the best women's quartet, the song to be Barnby's "Sweet and Low." There will be contests for soprano and alto duets, and tenor and bass duets, the prizes being \$12. Solo contests for sopranos, mezzo sopranos, contraltos, tenors, barytones, basses and pianists will be held, the prizes in each being \$10. There will also be a contest for recitationists, the award also being \$10. One of the features of the contest will be the massing of all the choruses. The indications are that from 700 to 1,000 singers and singing societies from Indiana, Ohio and other states will participate. The entry lists close on June 19.

## Boys Caught Between Cars.

Lafayette.—Clyde Miller and Russell Shigley, both 18 years of age, students at the West Lafayette high school, were seriously injured. As the local interurban car from Indianapolis was coming into town the boys boarded it at Eighth street. They swung on the wrong side and, the door being closed, were unable to get in. A limited car for Indianapolis was passing on the opposite track, and struck both boys. They were rolled between the cars.

## Finds Clothing Near Pond.

Lewis.—Residents of this place were excited when W. P. Bowman reported that he had found four dress skirts buried under a pile of leaves, which were covered with two boards, near the Southern Indiana railroad reservoir, a mile south of here in Sullivan county. It was suspected that someone had been thrown into the pond and the place was dragged.

## Dies on Floor of Cell.

Richmond.—Without having regained consciousness from the time he became too ill to rise from the cement floor of the city jail, Anton Daur, a journeyman molder, died at the county jail. The man's death was attributed to drink. Alone, friendless and penniless, he had been moved from one jail to another without realizing where he had been taken.

## Driver Runs Down Companion.

Greenfield.—An automobile race that created unusual interest had its beginning in this city when Marshal John Banks arrested and deputized one automobilist to catch his fellow motorist, who had succeeded in eluding the officer. Two drivers, each with a big machine, drove through the city at a rate of speed said to be near 40 miles an hour.

## Arrests Follow Wedding.

Maplewood.—Charivari following the wedding of Mary Upton, mother of ten married children, and John W. Runion, five times a benedict, caused the arrest of several young people in Maplewood. A wagon was placed on the roof of Runion's house during the demonstration. Runion is 60 and his bride 63 years of age.

## Glass Factory Closes.

Alexandria.—The Penn-American Plate Glass company of this city closed its factory, turning out of employment over 500 men. It is the city's biggest industry, and has run steadily for almost 20 years till Christmas. No definite time is set for its resumption.

## Takes Acid for Medicine.

Bloomington.—Through a mistake John Blair, aged 90, one of the oldest citizens in the county and father of Councilman William T. Blair and Contractor James N. Blair, took about three spoonfuls of carbolic acid, thinking it was medicine.

## Peru Parents Relieved.

Pern.—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stigleman of Peru, after three weeks of anxiety and suspense concerning the welfare of their only son, Roy Stigleman, received word from him. There came a telegram to the parents that their son had fallen under a train at Ogden, Utah, and that both legs and one of his arms were severed. Later a letter from the son says that he is well and that he has not met

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## Transmitted Snake Bite.

An extraordinary case of snake poisoning is reported from a country hospital in Victoria, N. S. W. An old man was brought in in a comatose state and showing all the symptoms of having been bitten by a venomous snake. But on investigation it was found he had been bitten by a dog, which died almost immediately afterward from snake bite. Medical treatment was successful, and the man gradually recovered from the snake poison which the reptile had indirectly transmitted to him.

## Didn't Need It.

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## Worth a Trial.

Cyrus Townsend Brady, the author and clergyman, told at a dinner in Toledo a story about charity.

"A millionaire," said Dr. Brady, "lay dying. He had lived a life of which, as he now looked back on it, he felt none too proud. To the minister at his bedside he muttered weakly: 'If I leave \$100,000 or so to the church, will my salvation be assured?'"

"The minister answered cautiously: 'I wouldn't like to be positive, but it's well worth trying.'"

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## Admitted That Much.

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"Of sacrifice sales, yes," replied the brute, her husband.

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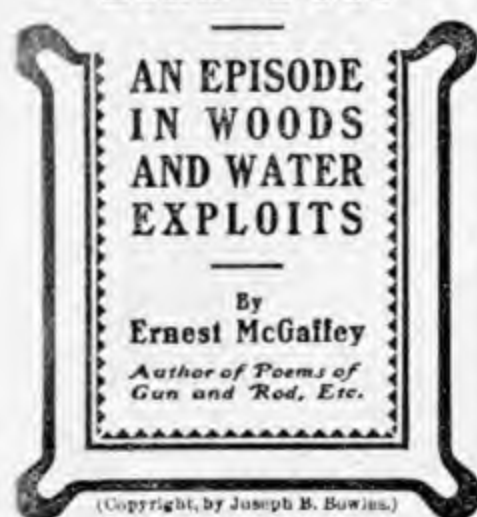
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# "Grizzly Pete" and Old "Stub-Foot"



**AN EPISODE IN WOODS AND WATER EXPLOITS**

By Ernest McGaffey  
Author of Poems of Gun and Rod, Etc.

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In my brief stay in the little mining camp of Tall-holt, Friskiyou county, California, it was my fortune to make the acquaintance of Mr. Peter Walker, guide, prospector, hunter and raconteur. "Grizzly Pete," as he was called, told me several stories of his experiences, after I had won his confidence by a disposition to distribute, as regarded tobacco, and a willingness to imbibe, as regarded certain intoxicants. Mr. Walker's stories, some of them, seemed to me to be a trifle open to criticism, as far as veracity is concerned, so in selecting the tale of his adventure with "old Stub-Foot."

"And so," said "Grizzly Pete" to me one windy autumn day, "and so you'd like to hear about old 'Stub-Foot'?" I acquiesced.

"Got any chewin'?" inquired "Pete."

I silently shunted him a plug of navy. Blowing off in the neighborhood of three and one-half inches of this, he said: "Well, I reckon there never was such a bear hunt before nor afterwards. This here feller that went out with me after 'Stub-Foot' had heard of this bear there back east, and he'd made up his mind fer to



"DE PYSTER UPS AN' BLAZES AWAY."

kill him or git killed hisself. His name, the feller's, not the bear's, was De Pyster, rhymes with eyester.

"Well, sir, he showed up here one afternoon in the Marioposa stage, and he gets off and asks fer me. Some of the boys hunts me up, and we git to talkin' bear right away. And he tells me of I can git him where he can kill old 'Stub-Foot,' and prove beyond any doubt that he was the feller that done it, he will pay me \$2,500 in gold.

"So the next day I takes my outfit over to De Pyster, and I says, 'Here's my lawyer, and here's my shorthand reporter, and here's my photograph feller, and here's three burros to pack the camp outfit and grub. When'll you be ready?' And this here feller he sort o' takes a reel long breath, and he says, 'All these fer a bear hunt?' And I says, 'On the advice of my lawyer.' An' he says, 'You're the doctor, Mr. Walker, I'm here to obey orders.'

"So we gets out in the mountains and begins to climb. Old 'Stub-Foot' he lived up so high in the ranges that the miners there used to put the ore out on the mountains and let the spring avalanches take it down to the smelters in the valley; no railroad or pack train bein' able to git in to where they wuz; an' they got their provisions and stuff in by way of trained eagles, same as these here carrier pigeons is learned to carry mail.

"So one day we got to where old 'Stub-Foot' ranged, and I sort o' got his bearings. So De Pyster he practiced a little with his gun one mornin'. It was the most powerful shootin'-iron I ever seen, an' he was knockin' off the peaks from along the mountain ranges inside the first few miles till I stopped him from spillin' so much scenery. So he quit that an' begins to plow up a few new canyons with his steel-plated bullets fer a change. It was a master powerful shootin' gun, that there rifle of his wuz. Well, that

would lay up a blot of ink,' as my lawyer said, and we planted the carcass out where old 'Stub-Foot' would be sure to see it at daybreak.

"There was a few scrubby pines around, and when we got out at daybreak the next day De Pyster had his rifle, this here shorthand man had his note book, the picture man had his machine all fixed, and my lawyer had all sorts of affidavits ready, and a dyin' declaration fer the bear to sign, purvidin' De Pyster didn't blow his head off the first shot. I want to say right here that this here lawyer of mine was certainly the most thoughtful cuss I ever did see.

"Well, sir, we wasn't more'n 15 minutes hid in the pine scrub before here comes old 'Stub-Foot' growlin' like a thunderstorm, and he looked like he was perty nigh as big as an elephant. There wuzn't no doubt he was the one, and three of his claws on his left fore-foot was gone, 'count of his gittin' ketched in a trap once. So the minute we sees him, the lawyer, the shorthand man and me we climbs trees, the lawyer gittin' the best trees and climbin' higher up than any of us. The picture man of course he had to stay on the ground to git the pictures of the scrimmage, and De Pyster had to be there to do the shootin'. So the picture man, as was a dead-game proposition as ever I see, he's all ready and peekin' out from his curtain, and he gits one picture as old 'Stub-Foot' takes a bite out of the bull elk's carcass. Then this here De Pyster ups an' blazes away, and fer some reason he only wounds old 'Stub-Foot,' who immeltly drops the elk and comes lopin' over to'rds De Pyster, aimin' to finish his breakfast on him. The picture man gits another good picture of 'Stub-Foot,' an' then goes up the lawyer's tree, and just then De Pyster shoots again, and drops old 'Stub-Foot' with a bullet through the fore-quarters that busts both shoulders and lays the old feller out as helpless as a sick kitten. Then he soaks him with another bullet through the body, and jist then my lawyer hollers, 'hold on, you've done fer him,' and then we all slides down our trees and the picture feller takes

# CHILDREN'S APPAREL



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## PLEADS FOR COLOR HARMONY.

Tints That Vibrate Will Rest and Soothe, Declares Milliner.

That harmony of color has its effect on the nerves is the theory followed by a milliner.

"Take a well-appointed table, for instance, with its soft-shaded candle light," she says in explaining certain hats. "It pleases the eye, relaxes the nerves and one forgets under its spell the brutality of feeling.

"An unshaded clear white electric light is enough to take away the appetite from even the hungriest man. It is like eating under an X-ray.

"Take the soft rose lights of the dining room of the Carlton in London, for instance. I mention it because it is the most perfectly harmonious room as to coloring that I know of anywhere.

"The women look pretty, the men handsome and distinguished, and one does not have to resort to the vulgar cocktail to see the rosy side of life. The pink shade answers the purpose quite as well and saves the digestion.

"America has much to learn on this subject. Most of its hotels and places of amusement are most unbecomingly treated. And I maintain that one reason American women wrinkle so soon is that they have to face such strong lights.

"There is no vibration in black, and yet it is the favorite apparel of the multitude. We are overrun with black-birds; sometimes they vary it with a wash of white; then they become magpies.

"I designed a hat the other day for a most interesting woman, a Buddhist. It was like weaving a Persian rug. The materials were all in half-tones, and so becoming.

"I do not sacrifice the individuality of my clients, either, to my creations, but study the lines and contours of the head, the face and figure, and match the tones that have the proper color vibrations to suit the hair and the eyes.

"Only in this way can one expect results which are altogether happy and distinctive. There is no mystery in it at all, only common sense, as you, I am sure, will agree, once you have thought it out."

## HOW TO WASH SILK HOSE.

A Few Hints for Careful Girls Who Want to Save Them.

Careful girls don't waste their substance on silk stockings, and then send them to the laundry to be reduced to ravelings. Besides, it's a pleasure to wash the daintier, pale-tinted ones.

The very latest way, which girls who have cared for their own silk hose all winter say is best, is to wash them first in white soap and lukewarm water. Then they are rolled in a cloth previously wrung out in hot water and left there to steam for an hour. At the end of this time they are turned inside out and hung out to dry, and when nearly dry rubbed between the palms of the hands to make them soft and pliable, as well as to give the foot the correct shape. Ironing is a great mistake, as the iron not only rots the silk, but causes an unsightly ridge down the center of the leg.

Another way, when the stockings are badly stained, is to soak them first in warm water, to which a little borax has been added, and then wash them quickly in tepid soap suds, after which they should be squeezed between the fingers to rid them of the soap suds, and finally rinsed in soft water and hung out to dry without being wrung. In the case of white hose, most girls add bluing to the water.

Lace hose should first be soaked in water in which salt or a lump of alum the size of a walnut has been dissolved, and then plunged into a mixture of a wineglass of vinegar stirred into a soapy lather, pressing them well between the fingers until they are clean. Before washing black or bronze silk stockings it is a good plan to soak them for an hour in water to which a little black pepper has been added.

## BODICE FOR AFTERNOON DRESS



This is a pretty bodice for a dress of velvet. It has a fitting lining, which fastens down the center front; upon it is arranged a full yoke and vest of soft silk trimmed with insertion, then the velvet is put on plain under a narrow silk galloon. The sleeves are of the silk, the lower part being rucked and tight-fitting. Epau-lettes of the velvet edged with galloon ornament the top of sleeve.

Materials required: 2 1/2 yards velvet, three yards silk and two yards lining.

## Outline Tucks.

Some of the broad tucks in the new linen tailored blouses are sewn in with the outline stitch in mercerized cotton. This is merely the back stitch used on the right side of the material, and in contrast of shades it presents many possibilities. Many women wisely prefer mercerized cotton for the purpose because it washes so much better than does the less twisted silk.

## Soutache Braid.

Soutache braid is as popular as ever, and whole bodies are made entirely of this material. It is very attractive when combined with filmy lace or

# FATHER OF OIL KING

NEW TALE OF DUAL LIFE OF ROCKEFELLER PERE.

Chicagoan, with Dr. William Levingston for Twelve Years, Says Man Admitted He Was Parent of Famous John D.

New York.—Many additional facts about the dual life led by Dr. William Avery Rockefeller, father of John D. Rockefeller, are supplied by Dr. Charles H. Johnston, his assistant and business partner for 12 years. In those years Dr. Rockefeller went under the name of Dr. William Levingston, but to his partner, Dr. Johnston, so the latter declares, he revealed the secret of his life—that he was Rockefeller and that John D. Rockefeller was his son.

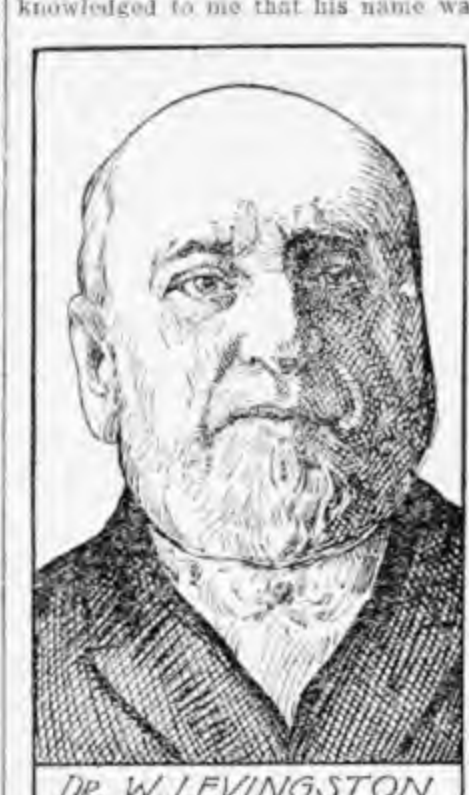
Dr. Johnston is president of the College of Medicine and Surgery in Chicago. He explains:

"It was in 1874 that I paid him \$1,000 and became his student and assistant. He was living then in Freeport, Ill., as Dr. William Levingston, and he never posed under any other name thereafter. His wife, Mrs. Margaret Allen Levingston, living yet in Freeport, was one of the sweetest women I ever knew. I did not know until years afterward that he had two wives, one the mother of John D. Rockefeller. She lives in Cleveland, O.

"Dr. Levingston and I traveled over all the west, through Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, the Dakotas, Iowa, Nebraska and Kansas. It is not true that he sold medicines in the street. He had a fine team of horses, the best that money could buy, and a fine carriage in which we drove from town to town. He would have a string of eight or ten towns at once. He would drive into a town, scatter handbills, in which the great Dr. Levingston asserted that he could cure all diseases, and we would have a suite of rooms at the best hotel, and to the doctor there would come the sick and the halt and the lame. In all cases of common ailments he could detect the cause almost at a glance.

"He made a great deal of money. He often took in \$200 in a day, and if he took only \$100 he thought it a poor day's business.

"I knew from the first that there was some deep mystery in his life, but it was several years before I suspected that he was Rockefeller, and it was several years more before he acknowledged to me that his name was



Dr. W. LEVINGSTON

William A. Rockefeller and that John D. Rockefeller was his son.

"In all the years I was with him the old man went twice a year to Cleveland and stayed a week or two. He told me he went there to look after his money invested with John D. Rockefeller, and he would tell me wonderful stories of John D.'s shrewdness and great wealth."

Dr. Johnston showed several letters, postmarked Cleveland, O., and signed William Levingston, M. D.

"I first learned positively that Dr. Levingston was Dr. Rockefeller when he was injured on a ranch in North Dakota and thought he was going to die. He and I went to North Dakota together in 1881, and took up adjoining homestead claims where the town of Park River is. We were building a shed for a cattle shelter and in lifting a heavy log he strained himself. He was an old man then, and he thought he had ruptured an intestine. The pain was great and he thought he was dying. I asked him if I should send for his wife, Mrs. Levingston, if he should die, and he said: 'No; notify John D. Rockefeller, but be very careful and let no one else know it.'

"When he got well I told him I knew he was John D. Rockefeller's father. At first he denied it and then he said it was true. He told me that the reason he kept it secret was that he found it necessary in his younger days to assume a name because he was practicing medicine without license. He might be arrested any time and he did not wish to disgrace the name of Rockefeller because of his children. He stuck to the name later, he said, because it was then too late honorably to take his right name."

Punishment for Luxemburg Tramps. The Luxemburg government is treating incorrigible vagabonds to bread and water for the first four days of their imprisonment, and to the lowest scale of ordinary diet twice a week afterward. The prisons are said to be

# WESTERN CANADA CROPS CANNOT BE CHECKED.

CATS YIELDED 90 BUSHELS TO THE ACRE.

The following letter written the Dominion Government Commissioner of Emigration speaks for itself. It proves the story of the Agents of the Government that on the free homesteads offered by the Government it is possible to become comfortably well off in a few years:

Regina, Sask., 23rd Nov., 1907.  
Commissioner of Immigration, Winnipeg.

Dear Sir:

It is with pleasure that I reply to your request. Some years ago I took up a homestead for myself and also one for my son. The half section which we own is situated between Rouleau and Drinkwater, adjoining the Moose Jaw creek, is a low level and heavy land. We put in 70 acres of wheat in stubble, which went 20 bushels to the acre, and 30 acres of summer fallow, which went 25 bushels to the acre. All the wheat we harvested this year is No. 1 hard. That means the best wheat that can be raised on the earth. We did not sell any wheat yet as we intend to keep one part for our own seed, and sell the other part to people who want first-class seed, for there is no doubt if you sow good wheat you will harvest good wheat. We also threshed 9,000 bushels of first-class oats out of 160 acres. 80 acres has been fall plowing which yielded 90 bushels per acre, and 80 acres stubble, which went 30 bushels to the acre. These oats are the best kind that can be raised. We have shipped three car loads of them, and got 53 cents per bushel clear. All our grain was cut in the last week of the month of August before any frost could touch it.

Notwithstanding the fact that we have had a late spring, and that the weather conditions this year were very adverse and unfavorable, we will make more money out of our crop this year than last.

For myself I feel compelled to say that Western Canada crops cannot be checked, even by unusual conditions.

I am, dear sir,  
Yours truly,  
(Signed) A. Kaltenbrunner.

## SO RUDE OF HIM.



"Why won't you see Herr Schmidt to-day, Erna?"

"O, mamma, I can't endure him any more! Only think, the last time he called he waved his handkerchief to me after leaving, and then—"

"Well, and then?"

"Then he sneezed into it!"

## Strenuous Method of Saving Life.

Two officers who were hunting wolves on the Dry mountain in central Serbia lost their way in a fog. After wandering for 14 hours one of them lay down in the snow and speedily became unconscious. His comrade bound him with cords, placed him in a sitting position and then rolled him down the mountain. He glided down the slope at terrific speed and reached the bottom safely, being found an hour later in an exhausted condition by a peasant. He is now in the hospital being treated for the lacerations he received in bumping over the rocks during his descent. His companion is unhurt.

## A New Excuse.

"I suppose your husband is proud to contribute his share toward the support of our beautiful library?"

"Yes," answered the woman with the slightly acid expression; "only John was none too industrious in the first place and now he's tempted to put in most of his time reading novels and trying to get his money's worth."

—Washington Star.

## Guess.

He—I think that I have the pleasure of the next dance?

She—You do.

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"What does it cost you, Ferdinand, that handsome umbrella of yours?"

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CULVER, IND., APRIL 2, 1908.

## CHANGE OF VENUE.

### Elkhart Remonstrance Case Comes to Marshall County.

The Elkhart saloonists from the third ward, Frank W. Wickwire and William Harper, who were refused a license before the county commissioners at Elkhart, later refused a license in an appeal to the superior court of Elkhart. Tuesday won out in the superior court at South Bend before Special Judge D. D. Bates.

Judge Bates rendered his decision Tuesday morning. He sustained the contention of Attorney James H. State of Elkhart and Attorney Graham of South Bend, for the liquor men, that the remonstrance was invalid, because the vital number of the names had been affixed to the remonstrance at an hour later than midnight of the Thursday prior to the meeting of the board of commissioners of Elkhart county. He held that although the remonstrance did not have to be filed before midnight of the Friday before the meeting of the commissioners, the signatures should have been affixed before midnight Thursday.

The remonstrance was filed at nine o'clock on the evening of August 2, and if it had held good, the liquor men would have been ruled out until 1909. At the time it was filed, it contained a list of 295 names, a majority of 31.

Change of venue will be taken by the civic league, which upholds the remonstrance, to Marshall county.

### Successful Operation.

Ruth, the 5-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Behner, who has been suffering from an abscess of the lung, was taken to the Epworth hospital at South Bend on Sunday and on Monday withstood a successful operation. About ten ounces of pus was removed from the lung and the child shows indications of a rapid recovery.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little liver pills. Sold by T. E. Slattery.

### Resolutions

By the Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church:

Whereas, It has pleased our Heavenly Father to remove from our circle by death our beloved sister, Susan Collier. Therefore, be it

Resolved, While we bow in humble submission to the will of an all-wise providence, yet we rejoice to know that she has at last reached the goal toward which she ever moved.

Resolved, That the society has lost a helpful member and the community a loving friend and neighbor.

Resolved, That we extend her sorrowing family our heartfelt sympathy in their affliction, also that this society manifest love and esteem for our departed sister by setting apart a memorial page on its records for these resolutions, and a copy be sent to the Culver Citizen.

ELIZABETH CROOK, Sec'y.

### Base Ball.

Haschel's Colts of Monterey were defeated at the assembly grounds last Saturday by the Culver team by a score of 10 to 6. It looked as if it was going to be easy for the home boys when they netted five scores in the first inning. The Monterey boys evened it up by making four in the eighth inning. Following are the positions played by Culver: Cromley E., catcher; Medbourn, pitcher; Bush E., first base; Rollins, second base; McLane C., third base; Sanders, short stop; Butler, left field; Stahl, center field; Houghton, right field.

The Culver town boys defeated the Burr Oak nine Sunday afternoon by a score of 11 to 2. The boys are not organized yet, but as soon as they are, and practice a little, they will have a strong and probably a winning team.

Weak women get prompt and lasting help by using Dr. Shoop's Night Cure. These soothing, healing, antiseptic suppositories, with full information how to proceed are interestingly told in my book "No. 4 for Women." The book is sold by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis., for free postage. Sold by T. E. Slattery.

## ORATORICAL.

### Plymouth School Wins, But Culver Makes a Good Showing.

The second annual oratorical contest of the Marshall county high schools occurred at Plymouth Friday night. The first honors were awarded to Miles Price of Plymouth, the second to Gladys Pickert of Argos and the third to Emory Miller of Lapaz. The judges were Pres. Brown of Valparaiso, Supt. Early of Warsaw and Co. Supt. Rodgers of Starke county. Vera Baker of Culver spoke on "Lake Maxinkuckee." All the contestants handled their subjects skillfully and brought forth bursts of applause from the members of the schools which they represented. Flags, hats and banners bearing emblems of the various schools waved continually and school yells rent the air.

The representatives from the Culver and Bremen schools made excellent showings and their themes showed considerable thought, but they were unable to win a place.—Independent.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough syrup acts promptly yet gently on the bowels, through which the ill is forced out of the system, and at the same time it allays the inflammation. Sold by T. E. Slattery.

### WEST WASHINGTON.

Miss Castleman spent the latter part of last week with Miss Mae Cooper. Friday closes the school at this place. A program has been prepared. Miss Dona Curtis came home to spend a week's vacation with her parents. Milo Anderson and wife and Sylvanus Overmyer took Sunday dinner at J. L. Scheuerman's. Mrs. B. A. Curtis and son Warren visited her mother Friday. Jasper Curtis, wife and two daughters visited her parents Sunday. Clara and Cora Burkett visited their sister Jessie of the German neighborhood Wednesday. Mrs. Will Kline visited her parents near Argos on Saturday and Sunday. Wm. Cooper and family have moved into the Osborn house just vacated by Mrs. Badgley. John Kline buzzed wood for B. A. and Clem Curtis. Mr. Kline and himself last week. Dollie Kline spent Saturday in Plymouth. Lester Labounty called on his uncle, Henry Burkett, Sunday. Nellie Norris, Dona Curtis and Anna Kline dined with Edna Kline Sunday.

That languid, lifeless feeling that comes with spring and early summer can be quickly changed to a feeling of buoyancy and energy by the judicious use of Dr. Shoop's Restorative. The Restorative is a genuine tonic to first run down nerves, and a few doses is needed to satisfy the user that Dr. Shoop's Restorative is actually reaching that tired spot. The indolent life of winter nearly always leads to sluggish bowels, and to sluggish circulation in general. The customary lack of exercise and outdoor air ties up the liver, stagnates the kidneys, and oftentimes weakens the heart's action. Use Dr. Shoop's Restorative a few weeks and all will be changed. A few days' rest will tell you that you are using the right remedy. You will easily and surely note the change from day to day. Sold by T. E. Slattery.

### WASHINGTON WARBLINGS

O. P. Jones, Correspondent.

School will close Friday. M. Flagg and family visited Theodore McFarland and wife Sunday. N. J. Fairchild will move his family to Argos in a short time where he has employment. Thomas Bell and wife took dinner with Wren Cline Sunday. Mrs. Krause and children of Rochester visited B. Krause and family over Sunday. A. J. Wilson is the owner of a new buggy. Frank Gibbons and family visited Mrs. Gibbons' father, Leonard Wilson, Sunday. Rev. Walmer preached his farewell sermon at West Washington Sunday. Several of the young people from here attended the contest at Plymouth Friday evening and received the full benefit of the heavy rain and wind that overtook them on their way home. Ollie Jones and family took dinner at J. Jones' Sunday. John and Will Kline attended the horse sale at Argos Saturday. The young people of East Washington will give an Easter entertainment.

"E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, Ill.—Gentlemen—In 1897 I had a disease of the stomach and bowels. In the spring of 1902 I bought a bottle of Kodol and the benefit I received all the gold in Georgia could not buy. May you live long and prosper. Yours very truly, C. N. Cornell, Redding, Ga., August 27, 1906." Sold by T. E. Slattery.

### Notice to Democrats.

The township primaries for the selection of township candidates will be held at the same time and place as the county primaries, viz.: on Saturday, May 2. Under the rules, all persons desiring to be candidates at such primaries shall publish an announcement of their candidacy for two weeks previous to the date of holding same, in the Culver Citizen. Persons making such advertised announcements will be the only ones deemed candidates at such primaries and whose names shall appear upon the primary ballot. E. C. DeWitt, Chicago, Ill.

## Easy Confinement

If you have cause to fear the pains of childbirth, remember that they are due to weakness, or disease, of the womanly organs, and that healthy women do not suffer, like weak ones. The specific, medicinal, vegetable ingredients, of which that famous, female medicine and womanly tonic

## WINE OF CARDUI

### WOMAN'S RELIEF

Is composed, will build up the womanly organs to a healthy state and thus prevent needless suffering. "Before my confinement," writes Mrs. Rose Schubart, of Monument, Colo., "I had such bearing-down pains I didn't know what to do. Cardui quickly relieved me. Some months later I had a fine 12-lb. baby, was sick only thirty minutes, and did not even have a doctor."

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WRITE FOR FREE ADVICE, stating age and describing symptoms, to Ladies' Advisory Dept., The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. E 35

## Kodol For Indigestion

### Our Guarantee Coupon

If, after using two-thirds of a \$1.00 bottle of Kodol, you can honestly say it has not benefited you, we will refund your money. Try Kodol today on this guarantee. Fill out and sign the following, present it to the dealer at the time of purchase. If it fails to satisfy you, return the bottle containing one-third of the medicine to the dealer from whom you bought it, and we will refund your money.

Town \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Sign here \_\_\_\_\_

### Digests What You Eat

And Makes the Stomach Sweet  
E. C. DeWITT & CO., Chicago, Ill.  
For Sale by T. E. Slattery.

## Weak Women

To weak and ailing women, there is at least one way to help. But with that way, two treatments, must be combined. One is local, one is constitutional, but both are important, both essential. Dr. Shoop's Night Cure is the Local. Dr. Shoop's Restorative, the Constitutional. The former—Dr. Shoop's Night Cure—is a topical mucous membrane suppository remedy, while Dr. Shoop's Restorative is wholly an internal treatment. The Restorative reaches throughout the entire system, seeking the repair of all nerve, all tissue, and all blood ailments. The "Night Cure," as its name implies, does its work while you sleep. It soothes sore and inflamed mucous surfaces, heals local weaknesses and discharges, while the Restorative, causes nervous excitement, gives renewed vigor and ambition, builds up wasted tissues, bringing about renewed strength, vigor, and energy. Take Dr. Shoop's Restorative—Tablets or Liquid—as a general tonic to the system. For positive local help, use as well

## Dr. Shoop's Night Cure

T. E. SLATTERY.

### Indiana Union Traction Co

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Vandalia Line									
A.M.	A.M.	P.M.							
6:42	11:42	6:04	Culver	11:28	6:32	8:31			
7:12	11:42	6:04	Maxinkuckee	11:28	6:32	8:31			
6:24	11:54	6:15	Delmon	11:41	6:45	8:44			
7:15	12:45	7:05	Logansport	12:30	7:35	9:34			

Via Indiana Union Traction Co.

7:20	1:00	7:00	Logansport	9:50	3:50	11:50
7:35	1:55	7:15	Kokomo	9:50	3:50	11:50
10:15	3:55	9:25	Indianapolis	7:50	1:50	9:50

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On notice of through passengers, this I. U. T. Co. will hold trains for the above connections.

### Connecting Train Service

Between all points in Indiana and Ohio reached by Traction Lines.

### Excursion Rate to Chicago.

\$1.15 Hibbard to Chicago and Return April 11, via Nickel Plate road. Special train leaves Hibbard at 1:10 p. m. Tickets also good on regular train at 4:34 a. m. April 12, good returning April 13. Ask agent or write J. C. Melanbacher, T. P. A. Ft. Wayne, Ind. (9) m 263

Pain anywhere, can be quickly stopped by one of Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets. Pain always means congestion—unnatural blood pressure. Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets simply cause congested blood away from pain centers. These tablets—known to druggists as Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets—simply equalize the blood circulation and then pain always—disappears in 20 minutes. 30 Tablets 25 cents. Write Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis., for free package. Sold by T. E. Slattery.

### Buy your coal and wood of D. G. Walter. Phone 26 L.

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200 bushels choice seed oats for sale at the elevator. First come first served.

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After April 1st, my weekly office days, for the transaction of township business, will be as follows: Tuesdays at my residence, and Saturdays at my office over the Exchange Bank, Culver.



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Entire new stock, embracing the most extensive assortment of novelties and conservative styles

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See our window display—then see us

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A complete line of men's and boys' work shoes

Culver Shoe and Clothing House

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How much worry you would be happily rid of, how much beauty your rooms would gain, by a little trip you should take through our wall paper department—just for ideas—before "fixing up."

Our decorative experience is at your disposal; besides, our prices are strong in our favor.

Our line of the new things in wall paper is considered the most complete and judiciously selected stock in the county, and there's many another reason for a look.

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selling on this plan exclusively. Over 20 styles of Vehicles and 65 styles of Harness. We carry in our large repository here at our factory one of the most complete lines of pleasure vehicles and harness ever shown, and if you are thinking of buying, it will pay you to come to Elkhart and go through our repository and factory. However, if you can not spare the time to come to our factory and inspect the work in our repository, let us send you one of our new catalogues. A postal card will bring it. Remember, we ship for examination and approval, guaranteeing safe delivery.

No. 233. Fine Canopy Top Buggy. Price complete, \$80. As good as sells for \$100 more.

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### Real Estate Transfers

A Barber to Frances Barber, 43½ a in sec 27, Polk tp, \$1.  
A Barber to Bruce Barber, 41 r ox sch lot, in sec 27 Polk tp, \$1.  
Bruce Barber to A Barber, pt of sec 27, Polk tp, no con.  
Louisa Appleman to B F McCullough, lot in sec 26, West tp, \$175.  
Serepta J Morale to L F Morale, tract in fcl sec 13, Walnut tp, \$150.  
Wickizer-Bondurant Co to Maud C Goldsmith, lot Long Point, Maxinkuckee, \$1000.  
H A Logan to Ida M Klapp, pt of nw q sec 23, West tp, \$695.  
F Etlinger to L May, int in tract in sec 13, Polk tp, \$112.  
Mary Redo to L May, same, \$650.  
E May to L May, same, \$650.  
W F Jeffers to Alice Eaton, lot 9 Rainsback add, Argos, \$400.  
Wickizer-Bondurant Co to W N King, 160 a in sec 6, Center tp, \$1100.  
W H Huff to A Hershberger, lot 11 Huff's add, Bremen, \$115.  
J Beyler sr to O E Beyler, lot in Bremen, \$500.  
J Beyler sr to Rosa Ewald, lot in Bremen, \$400.  
J Matchett to Elizabeth Burnett, lot 3 Thayer's add, Bourbon, \$300.  
Minnie Eash to B Switzer, lot 40 Klinger's add, Plymouth, \$800.  
E Harmon to Wm Overman, pt sec 31, Union tp, \$1500.  
Sarah Kitch to C A Poland, lot 13 Boley's add, Bourbon, \$700.  
T M Zehner to H Bailey, 2 a in sec 24, Tippecanoe, \$250.  
F L Keibert to Rosa Stull 4 a in sec 7, Center tp, \$160.  
Wm Rauck to Minnie A Keim, n h of ne q of ne q sec 25, Walnut tp, \$1.  
Same to T F Keim, s hf of same, \$1000.  
Stella and Mary Jones to O Ruff, tract in sec 22, Polk tp, \$700.  
R Banks and R A Jones to O Ruff, same, \$500.  
W Miller to O Ruff, same, \$675.  
A P McCauley to W E Davis, lot 6, east Lapaz, \$2000.  
G Rhoads to E Rhoads, 80 a in sec 23, German tp, \$6200.  
G Rhoads to C Rhoads, 40 a in sec 23, German tp, \$2500.  
Nora Meredith to F E Radcliffe, lot in Bourbon, \$200.  
G S Merrill to O L Albert, 7 a in sec 17, North tp, \$800.  
F A Stilson to Mahala Henney, pt ne q 8 Mrl, \$1500.  
Mahala Henney to C A Bondurant, tracts in secs 18 and 19, Center, \$2250.  
J F Rosebaum to W O and L E Harmon, lots 17 and 18, Rainsback's add, Argos, \$1000.  
Elnora C Dunham by aud to J F Rosebaum, pt lot 4 Rhodes est, 20 Mrl, \$5.  
Elda F Cooper to N Miller, lot 4, also n hf of lot 19, Rainsback's add, Argos, \$1400.  
M C Thayer to Sarah L Culp, 160½ a in sec 7, Polk tp, \$5000.

DoWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are prompt and thorough and will in a short time strengthen weakened kidneys and allay troubles arising from inflammation of the bladder. Sold by T. E. Shattley.

### Slaves of the Lamp.

An up to date Acetylene Lighting Plant can now be completely installed in the average country home—ready to light up—in two days' time, without injury to ceilings, floors or walls.  
And when once installed it will give you the same amount of light as you now use for one-third less than regular lamps will give with Kerosene at 12 cents per gallon.  
No more lamp-cleaning, filling, chimney-wiping, wick-trimming, breakages, soot nor smell of Kerosene.  
Instead, brilliant Acetylene Light from permanent handsome polished brass brackets on the walls and neat brass chandeliers from the ceilings, city-like, elegant, up-to-date and out of the way.  
Can't tip over (like Kerosene Lamps) where there are children—and does not need mantles, wicks nor chimneys.  
Acetylene Light is so pure, so free from soot and color-fog that you can distinguish pale blue, pale pink or pale yellow under its rays as clearly at night, as you could in broad daylight.  
Once a month the hired man must clean out and refill the generator in the basement. Takes him about 30 minutes per month to do this.  
"The cost of all this?" you ask. So small comparatively, that the plant soon pays for itself through what you save on labor, chimneys and the difference between the cost of Carbide and the Kerosene you are now using.  
Shall I give you more precise figures about this "Rural Gaslight"—called Acetylene?  
Then write me to-day how many rooms you've got in house, hotel, or how large a store to light so I can answer intelligently and to the point.  
Address me as follows—Acetylene

## HICKORY BUSH HAPPENINGS

An unusual number of severe cases of vernal febris are already reported in our neighborhood.

There has been considerable movement in real estate the past few days, caused by the dry March winds.

Count Spaghetti, our barber, is administering bi-weekly treatments to Willie Peters, who is endeavoring to cultivate a hair lip.

Farmers who are in a position to know say that the late date on which Easter falls this year will probably have a disastrous effect on the elderberry crop.

Mrs. Mullet has had Zeb's seersucker suit out on the line for an airing several times the past week. Old residents declare this to be an infallible sign of spring.

Miss Porcelina Peddycoord was greatly embarrassed at the young people's supper Wednesday night when, upon abruptly entering the dining room, she discovered the salad dressing.

Bill Moffat has sold his mule and expects to embark in the mercantile business this spring. He will open up a stand for the sale of shoestrings and crackerjack and may possibly add a side line of collar buttons.

The announcement that Buster's Emporium would give away a bottle of Peruna with each pair of gum boots sold on Saturday was sufficient to clear out their entire line. Two weeks previous they offered a copy of the new testament with each pair, but did not make a sale.

Some of our envious citizens who are unable to appreciate the beautiful, and who doubtless feel sore over their failure to win the barrel of kraut, are making sarcastic remarks about the lovely names selected for the Bassett twins. We accidentally overheard one saying that the twins would probably be called "Dry Goods" and "Groceries" for short.

Mrs. Hypatia Geraldine Bassett was able to be present for a few minutes at the meeting of the Aid society Tuesday, the first time in several months. Doc Dope was called to the Bassett home and assisted Jim and the nurse and the cook, Miss Bridget Mulligatawney, and Miss Belladonna and Perry Gorick in taking care of the twins during her absence.

Hickory Bush Creche of the Anti-Race Suicide society was successfully instituted Monday night. Zeb Mullet was elected president and Jim Bassett vice-president by unanimous vote. Several applications for membership from young married couples have already been received, but will not be acted upon until the members are satisfied that the applicants are entitled to admission.

Cale Hudesbeth bought several volumes of poetry and a novel from a transient book agent last week. The Hudesbeth library is the pride of our town, and has been accumulated through a feeling of gratitude to the book-selling fraternity, as Cale's mother-in-law, who made her home with him, eloped several years ago with a book agent. Cale has never since refused to recognize the service, and invariably gives the book man a large order.

"Health Coffee" is really the closest coffee imitation ever yet produced. This clever coffee substitute was recently produced by Dr. Shoop of Racine, Wis. Not a grain of real coffee is in it either. Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee is made from pure toasted grains with milk, ants, etc. Really it would fool an expert—who might drink it for coffee. No twenty or thirty minutes boiling. "Made in a minute," says the doctor. For sale by the Culver Drug Store.

#### Reward.

Twenty-five dollars reward will be paid for information leading to the conviction of any person who recently broke into either the Ketcham, Snider or Schroyer cottage, or into any other cottage belonging to any of the members of the undersigned association.  
THE MAXINKUCKEE ASSOCIATION.  
By J. M. Judah, Pres.  
B. Q. Hendricks, Sec'y.

#### Ready for Feed Grinding

Our new feed grinder with a capacity of 100 bushels per hour is installed and we are ready to take orders at any time and turn them out immediately. Culver City

## REMARKABLE RECORD MADE IN NORTHWEST

### Young Man with New Theory Is Astonishingly Successful in Minneapolis.

The remarkable success that has attended L. T. Cooper during the past year has not been confined to any one locality, but is so widespread that the young man is now a well-known figure in most of the leading cities of the country.

Mr. Cooper believes that the stomach is the foundation for most ill health, and claims that his preparation, by regulating the stomach, is a true specific for most diseases. The following extract from the Tribune of Minneapolis gives an idea of the surprising number of people who are accepting Cooper's theory. The article was one of many that appeared during Cooper's stay in Minneapolis, and is as follows:

"The sale of Cooper's preparation is now phenomenal in this city, and an estimate made today seems to indicate beyond all doubt that it will equal the large figures reported from Pittsburgh during the thirty days Mr. Cooper spent in that city."

"During the past twenty-two days Mr. Cooper has been in Minneapolis, the sale of his preparation has averaged about two thousand bottles a day. When the amount of medicine disposed of throughout the state is added to this, the amount will be doubled. Therefore, the young man has sold in twenty-two days eighty-eight thousand bottles of his medicine in the state of Minnesota alone, which is a truly remarkable record."

"During the past week so many hundreds of Minneapolis people have been calling to thank Cooper for the good he has accomplished with his medicine, that it is safe to say that his visit will long be remembered by the sick of the city."

We sell the famous Cooper preparation which has made a similar record to the above wherever introduced. —Culver City Drug Store.

## When You Have a Bad Cold



It is Equally Valuable for Children  
It Contains no Narcotic and is Safe and Sure  
Ask your Druggist for it.

You want a remedy that will not only give quick relief but effect a permanent cure.

You want a remedy that will relieve the lungs and keep expectoration easy.

You want a remedy that will counteract any tendency toward pneumonia.

You want a remedy that is pleasant and safe to take.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets all of these requirements, and for the speedy and permanent cure of bad colds stands without a peer.

A Severe Cold Quickly Cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"Last winter I caught a very severe cold which lingered for weeks," says J. Urquhart, of Zephyr, Ontario. "My cough was very dry and harsh. The local dealer recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and guaranteed it, so I gave it a trial. One small bottle of it cured me. I believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to be the best I have ever used."

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Articles not alone beautiful, but useful and durable, make the most sensible gift. These good features, together with a moderate price, make the genuine

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### This Stewart No. 1 Clipping Machine

Complete as shown \$6.75  
Comes at only . . . 6—

It is the best made, easiest turning and most satisfactory machine ever made and is fully guaranteed.

Come in and get one now.

THE CULVER CASH HARDWARE CO.

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# The Girl from Tim's Place

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## SYNOPSIS.

Chip McGuire, a 16-year-old girl living at Tim's place, the "Moose Woods," sold by her father to Pete Beldue, a half-breed. She runs away and reaches the camp of Martin Frisbie, occupied by Martin, his wife, nephew, Raymond Stetson, and guides. She tells her story and is cared for by Mrs. Frisbie. Journey of Frisbie's party into woods to visit father of Mrs. Frisbie, an old hermit, who has resided in the wilderness for many years. When camp is broken, Chip and Ray occupy same canoe. The party reach camp of Mrs. Frisbie's father and are welcomed by him and Cy Walker, an old friend and former instructor of the hermit. They settle down for summer's stay. Chip and Ray are in love, but no one realizes this but Cy Walker. Strange canoe marks found on lake shore in front of their cabin. Strange smoke is seen across the lake. Martin and Levi leave for settlement to get officers to arrest McGuire, who is known as outlaw and escaped murderer. Chip's outlawed friend, Tomah, an Indian, visits camp. Ray believes he sees a bear on the ridge. Chip is stolen by Pete Beldue, who escapes with her in a canoe. Chip is rescued by Martin and Levi as they are returning from the settlement. Beldue escapes. Old Cy proposes to Ray that he remain in the woods with himself and Amel and trap during the winter, and he concludes to do so. Others of the party return to Greenville, taking Chip with them. Chip starts to school in Greenville, and finds life unpleasant at Aunt Comfort's, made so especially by Hannah. Old Cy and Ray discover strange tracks in the wilderness. They penetrate further into the wilderness and discover the hiding place of the man who had been sneaking about their cabin. They investigate the cave home of McGuire during his absence. Beldue finds McGuire and the two fight to the death. Beldue is a watery grave together. Ray returns to Greenville and finds Chip waiting for him. Ray wants Chip to return to the woods with him, but she feels that the old comradeship with Ray has been broken. When they part, however, it is as lovers. Chip runs away from Aunt Comfort's and finds a home with Judson Walker. She gives her name as Vera Raymond. Aunt Abby, Aunt Mandy Walker's sister, visits them, and takes Chip home with her to Christmas Cove. Chip goes to school at Christmas Cove. She tells Aunt Abby the story of her life. Aunt Abby tells her of her family, and she discovers that Cy Walker is a long-lost brother of Judson Walker, but fear of betraying her hiding place prevents her telling of Cy. Old Cy investigates McGuire's cave in the wilderness and finds a book that belongs to Chip. Old Cy returns to the wilderness camp with the news that Chip had disappeared and proposes to start out to find her. He turns over to Martin a bank book showing a deposit of \$200 in Chip's name. Chip returns to the home of Judson Walker at Peaceful Valley for a summer vacation.

Martin had expected this news to overpowering, and a "Good God!" from Uncle Jud, and a gasping "Land sakes!" from Aunt Mandy proved that it was.

Chip's face, however, was a study. First she grew pale, then flashed a scared glance from one to another of the three who watched her, and then almost did her shame and hatred of this vile parent find expression.

"I'm glad he—no, I won't say so, for he was my father," she exclaimed; "but I want Old Cy to have some of the money, and Uncle Jud here, and you folks, all. I was a pauper long enough," and then, true to her instinct of how to escape from trouble, she ran out of the room.

"She's a curls gal," asserted Uncle Jud, looking after her as if feeling that she needed explanation, "the most curls gal I ever saw. But we can't let her go, money or no money, Mr. Frisbie. I found her one night upon top of Rangall hill. She was so starved an' beat out from trampin' she couldn't hardly crawl up on to the wagon, 'n' yet she said she wouldn't be helped 'thout she could earn it. I think she's like folks we read about, who starve rather'n beg. But she kin have all we've got some day, an' we jest can't let her go."

And Martin, realizing its futility, made no further protest.

Something of chagrin also came to him, for, broad-minded as he was, he realized how partial neglect, the narrow religious prejudice of Greenville, and unwise notice of her childish ideas about spites and Old Tomah's superstitions had all conspired to drive her away. She was honest and self-respecting, "true blue," as Old Cy had said, grateful as a fawning dog for all that had been done for her, and in spite of her origin, a circumstance that carried no weight with Martin, she was one, he believed, who would develop into splendid womanhood. That she was well on her way toward that goal, her improved speech and devotion to these new friends gave ample evidence.

And now Ray's position in this complex situation occurred to Martin; for this young man's interest in Chip and almost heart-broken grief over her disappearance had long since betrayed his attachment.

"I suppose you may have guessed that there was a love affair mixed up with this episode," he said to the two somewhat dazed people.

"I called that was, that first night," Uncle Jud responded, his eyes twinkling again, "an' told Mandy so. 'Twas that morn' anything else kept us from quizzin' the gal. I knowed by her face she had heart trouble, 'n' I've seen the cause on't."

"You leave," exclaimed Martin, astonished in turn, "for heaven's sake, where?"

"Oh, down to the Corners, 'most a year ago, 'n' a likely boy he was, too."

"And never told her?"

"No, why should I, thinkin' she'd run away from him. We didn't want to uple her plans. We found out, though, her name was McGuire, but never let

on till she told us a spell ago." And then Uncle Jud told the story of Ray's arrival in Riggsville in search of Chip.

"That fellow is my nephew, Raymond Stetson," rejoined Martin with pride, "he also is an orphan, and I have adopted him. Chip has no cause to be ashamed of his attachment."

"I don't callate she is," replied Uncle Jud. "Tain't that that feralin' makes a gal kick over the traces. Mebbe 'twas suthin some o' you folks said." And then a new light came to Martin.

"Mr. Walker," he answered impressively; "in every village there is always a meddlesome old maid who invariably says things she'd better not, and ours is no exception. In this case it was a dependent of our family who took a dislike to Chip, it seems, and her escapade was its outcome."

"Wal, ye've got to hev charity for 'em," replied Uncle Jud, with a broad smile. "Never havin' suffered the joys 'n' sorrows o' love, they look at it sorter criss-cross, an' mebbe this 'un did. Old maids are a good deal like cider—nat'rally turn to vinegar. What wimmin need more'n all the rest is bein' loved, 'n' if they don't get it, they sour up in time an' ain't no comfort to themselves nor nobody else. Then ag'in, not havin' no man nor no babies to look arter, they take to coddlin' cats 'n' dogs 'n' parrots, which ain't nat'l."

"I think," continued Uncle Jud, "now that we've turned another furrow, you'd best stop a day or two with us, 'n' sorter git' acquainted. We'll be mighty glad to hev ye, me an' Mandy, an' then ag'in that's a lot o' good trout holes up the brook. We hev plenty to eat, 'n' mebbe a few days here in Peaceful Valley'll sorter reconcile ye to leavin' the gal with us." And nothing loath, Martin accepted.

Aunt Mandy and Chip now bestirred themselves as never before. The

tions from Uncle Jud in regard to Old Cy—how long Martin had known him, and all that pertained to his history.

It was gladly recited by Martin, together with all the strange happenings in the wilderness, the finding of Chip, the half-breed's pursuit and abduction of her, and much else that has been told. It was almost midnight ere Martin was shown to the best front chamber, and even then he lay awake an hour, listening to the steady prattle of a nearby brook and thinking of all that had happened.

A tone of regret crept into his voice, however, when, after thanking Uncle Jud and Aunt Mandy, and bidding them good-by, he addressed Chip.

"I wish I could take you back with me," he said; "your return would be such a blessing to Aunt Comfort and my wife. You may not believe it, but you are dear to them both. I must insist that you at least pay us a visit soon. Here is your bank book," he added, presenting it. "You are rich now, or at least need never want, for which we are all grateful. And what about Ray?" he added, pausing to watch her. "What shall I say to him? Shall I tell him to come and see you?"

Chip shook her head firmly. "No, no," she answered, "please don't do that. Some day I may feel different, but not now."

## CHAPTER XXVIII.

Sad news arrived in Peaceful Valley a week later, for Captain Remis had passed on, Aunt Abby was in lonely sorrow, and wrote for Chip to come at once.

Her fate was now linked with these people. Aunt Abby had been kind and helpful, and Chip, more than glad to return a little of the obligation, hurried to Christmas Cove.

It was a solemn and silent house she now entered. Aunt Abby, despite the fact that it was not a love match, mourned her departed companion. The mill's pertinent silence added gloom, and Chip's smiling face and affectionate interest was more than welcome to Aunt Abby.

And now that concealment was no longer needed, Chip hastened to tell her story in full.

How utterly Aunt Abby was astonished, how breathlessly she listened to Chip's recital, and how, when the climax came and Chip assured her that good Old Cy Walker was still alive, Aunt Abby collapsed entirely, sobbing and thanking God all at once, is but a sidelight on this tale.

"I couldn't tell you before," Chip assured her, while her own tears still

her pathway, on Christian teaching and no home example, only the labor and God-given impulse of purity, self-respect and gratitude; and yet, like a bud forcing its way up out of a muck heap and into the sunshine, so Chip emerged to win respect and love.

But all her history is not told yet. She still lacked even a common education. There was still an old man seeking to find her, who was yet wandering afar. A homeless, almost friendless old man was he, whose life had gone amiss, and whose sole ambition was to do for her and find content in her happiness. A wanderer and recluse for many years, he was still more so now, and out of place as well among the busy haunts of men. More than that, he was an object of curiosity to all grown people and the jest of the young, as he tramped up and down the land in search of Chip.

And what a pitiful quest it was—this asking the same question thousands of times, this lingering in towns to watch mill operatives file out, this peering into stores and markets, to go on again, and repeat it for months and months.

There was still another link in this chain—a boy, so far as experience goes, who was only deterred from unwise haste by a cool-headed man.

"You had better not go to Chip now," Martin said to him on his return from Peaceful Valley. "She is an odd child of nature, and you won't lose by waiting. My advice to you is to forget her for the present, find some profitable occupation, and then, when you have made a little advancement in life, go and woo her if you can. To try it now is foolish."

It was cold comfort for Ray.

One of Chip's first acts of emancipation was to write to Aunt Comfort and Angie, assuring both of her love and best wishes, and thanking them for all they had done. Both letters were crammed in cryptography, but correct in spelling, and in Angie's was a note for Martin, asking that he draw \$100 of her money and send it to her, and as much more to pay some one to follow Old Cy. The latter request Martin ignored, however, for he had already set the machinery of newspaperdom at work, and an advertisement for information of that wanderer was flying far and wide.

Of the money sent her, Chip made odd and quite characteristic uses, only one of which needs mention—the purchase of a banjo. Had Ray known this, and that the tender memory it invoked was the reason for this investment, he would have had less cause for grief. But Ray did not, which was all the better for him.

## CHAPTER XXIX.

Life, always colorless at Christmas Cove, except in midsummer, now became changed for Aunt Abby. For all the years since her one girlish romance had ended, she had been a patient helpmate to a man she more respected than loved. Religion had been her chief solace. The annual visit to her sister's gave the only relief to this motionless life, monotonous as the tides sweeping in and out of the cove; but now a counter-current slowly flowed into it.

Chip, of course, with her winsome eyes and grateful ways, was its mainspring, and so cheerfulness had been her career and so humbling all her past experiences, that now, escaped from dependence and feeling herself a valued companion, she tasted a new and joyous life. So true was this, that hard lessons at school, the regularity of church-going, and the unvarying tenor of it all seemed less by comparison.

Another undercurrent, aside from Chip's devotion, also swept into Aunt Abby's feelings—the strange emotions following the knowledge that her former lover was still alive. For many years she had waited and hoped for this sailor boy's return; then her heart had grown silent, as hope slowly ebbed, and then, almost forgetfulness—but not quite, however, for the long, lily-dotted mill-pond just above had now and then been visited by them. A certain curiously grown oak which was secluded near its upper end was once a trysting-place, and even the old mill with its splashing wheel held memories.

And now after 40 years, during which she had become gray-haired and slightly wrinkled, all these memories returned like ghosts of long ago. No word or hint of them fell from her lips, not even to Chip, who was now nearest to her; and yet that girl been a mind-reader, she would have seen that Aunt Abby's persistent interest in all she had to tell about Old Cy meant something. Where he was now, how soon he would learn that his brother was still alive after all these years, was the one most pertinent subject oft discussed.

How Chip felt toward him, not alone for the heritage he had secured for her, but for other and more valued heart interests, need not be specified. He had seemed almost a father to her at the lake. He was the first of her new-found friends whose feelings had warmed toward her, and Chip was now mature enough to value these blessings at their true worth.

A certain mutual expectancy now entered the lives of Chip and Aunt Abby. Nothing could be done, however. Old Cy had gone out into the wide, wide world, as it were, searching for the little girl he loved. No manner of reaching him seemed possible; and yet, some day, he must learn what would bring him to them as fast as steam could fetch him.

"I know that he loved me as his own child there at the lake," Chip said once in an exultant tone. "His going after me proves it; and once he hears where I am, he will hurry here, I know."

## GLAD TO HAVE HIM GO.

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"Nonsense," replied the other. "That was the time I got the three flesh wounds in the chest. If I'd been running away, as you claim, I would have been shot in the back."

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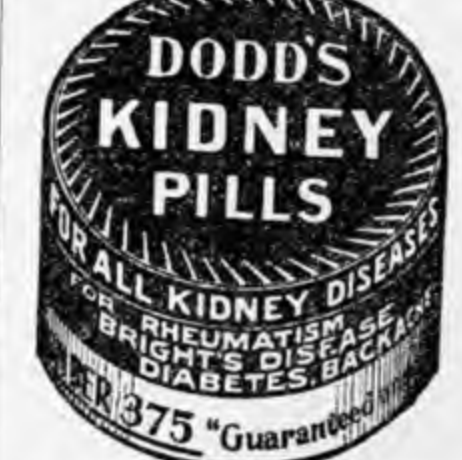
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the Passage of Several  
Pending Bills.

## WOULD AMEND TRUST LAWS

Believes Some Features of Present  
Statutes Are Obsolete and  
Need Revising.

Would Prevent Both Blacklist and  
Boycott—Sees Need of Tariff Re-  
vision Commission and Im-  
mediate Waterway Leg-  
islation.

Washington, Mar. 25.—The following  
is the full text of the president's mes-  
sage sent to congress Wednesday:

To the Senate and House of Repre-  
sentatives: I call your attention to  
certain measures as to which I think  
there should be action by the congress  
before the close of the present session.  
There is ample time for their consid-  
eration. As regards most if not all of  
the matters, bills have been intro-  
duced into one or the other of the two  
houses, and it is not too much to hope  
that action will be taken one way or  
the other on these bills at the present  
session. In my message at the open-  
ing of the present session, and, in-  
deed, in various messages to previous  
congresses, I have repeatedly sug-  
gested action on most of these mea-  
sures.

Child labor should be prohibited  
throughout the nation. At least a  
model child-labor bill should be passed  
for the District of Columbia. It is  
unfortunate that in the one place solely  
dependent upon congress for its  
legislation there should be no law  
whatever to protect children by for-  
bidding or regulating their labor.

I renew my recommendation for the  
immediate re-enactment of an employ-  
ers' liability law, drawn to conform to  
the recent decision of the supreme  
court. Within the limits indicated by  
the court, the law should be made  
thorough and comprehensive, and the  
protection it affords should embrace  
every class of employee to which the  
power of the congress can extend.

In addition to a liability law pro-  
tecting the employees of common car-  
riers, the government should show its  
good faith by enacting a further law  
giving compensation to its own em-  
ployees for injury or death incurred in  
its service. It is a reproach to us as  
a nation that in both federal and state  
legislation we have afforded less pro-  
tection to public and private employes  
than any other industrial country of  
the world.

### Injunction Legislation.

I also urge that action be taken  
along the line of the recommendations  
I have already made concerning in-  
junctions in labor disputes. No tempo-  
rary restraining order should be is-  
sued by any court without notice; and  
the petition for a permanent injunc-  
tion upon which such temporary re-  
straining order has been issued should  
be heard by the court issuing the same  
within a reasonable time—say, not to  
exceed a week or thereabouts from the  
date when the order was issued. It is  
worth considering whether it would  
not give greater popular confidence in  
the impartiality of sentences for con-  
tempt if it was required that the issue  
should be decided by another judge  
than the one issuing the injunction,  
except where the contempt is com-  
mitted in the presence of the court, or  
in other case of urgency.

### Rate Law Amendments.

I again call attention to the urgent  
need of amending the interstate com-  
merce law and especially the anti-trust  
law along the lines indicated in my  
last message. The interstate com-  
merce law should be amended so as  
to give railroads the right to make  
traffic agreements, subject to these  
agreements being approved by the in-  
terstate commerce commission and  
published in all of their details. The  
commission should also be given the  
power to make public and to pass upon  
the issuance of all securities hereafter  
issued by railroads doing an interstate  
commerce business.

A law should be passed providing in  
effect that when a federal court de-  
termines to place a common carrier  
or other public utility concern under  
the control of a receivership, the at-  
torney general should have the right  
to nominate at least one of the recep-  
vers; or else in some other way the  
interests of the stockholders should be  
consulted, so that the management  
may not be wholly re-delivered to the  
man or men the failure of whose pol-  
icy may have necessitated the crea-  
tion of the receivership. Receiverships  
should be used, not to operate roads,  
but as speedily as possible to pay their  
debts and return them to the proper  
owners.

### Would Amend Anti-Trust Law.

In addition to the reasons I have al-  
ready urged on your attention, it has  
now become important that there  
should be an amendment of the anti-

trust law, because of the uncertainty  
as to how this law affects combina-  
tions among labor men and farmers,  
if the combination has any tendency  
to restrict interstate commerce. All  
of these combinations, if and while  
existing for and engaged in the promo-  
tion of innocent and proper purposes,  
should be recognized as legal. As I  
have repeatedly pointed out, this anti-  
trust law was a most unwisely drawn  
statute. It was perhaps inevitable that  
in feeling after the right remedy the  
first attempts to provide such should  
be crude; and it was absolutely impera-  
tive that some legislation should be  
passed to control, in the interest of  
the public, the business use of the  
enormous aggregations of corporate  
wealth that are so marked a feature  
of the modern industrial world. But  
the present anti-trust law, in its con-  
struction and working, has exemplified  
only too well the kind of legisla-  
tion which, under the guise of being  
thoroughgoing, is drawn up in such  
sweeping form as to become either in-  
effective or else mischievous.

In the modern industrial world com-  
binations are absolutely necessary;  
they are necessary among business  
men, they are necessary among labor-  
ing men, they are becoming more and  
more necessary among farmers. Some  
of these combinations are among the  
most powerful of all instruments for  
wrongdoing. Others offer the only ef-  
fective way of meeting actual business  
needs. It is mischievous and unwhole-  
some to keep upon the statute books  
unmodified a law, like the anti-trust  
law, which, while in practice only  
partially effective against vicious  
combinations, has nevertheless in theory  
been construed so as sweepingly to  
prohibit every combination for the  
transaction of modern business. Some  
real good has resulted from this law.  
But the time has come when it is im-  
perative to modify it. Such modifica-  
tion is urgently needed for the sake of  
the business men of the country, for  
the sake of the wage-workers and for  
the sake of the farmers. The con-  
gress can not afford to leave it on the  
statute books in its present shape.

### Remedies Advised.

It has now become uncertain how  
far this law may involve all labor or-  
ganizations and farmers' organizations,  
as well as all business organizations,  
in conflict with the law; or, if we ac-  
cure literal compliance with the law,  
how far it may result in the destruc-  
tion of the organization necessary for  
the transaction of modern business,  
as well as of labor organizations and  
farmers' organizations, completely  
check the wise movement for secur-  
ing business cooperation among farm-  
ers, and put back half a century the  
progress of the movement for the  
betterment of labor. A bill has been  
presented in congress to remedy this  
situation. Some such measure as this  
bill is needed in the interest of all en-  
gaged in the industries which are es-  
sential to the country's well-being. I  
do not pretend to say the exact shape  
that the bill should take, and the sug-  
gestions I have to offer are tentative;  
and my views would apply equally  
to any other measure which would  
achieve the desired end. Bearing this  
in mind, I would suggest, merely ten-  
tatively, the following changes in the  
law:

The substantive part of the anti-  
trust law should remain as at present;  
that is, every contract in restraint  
of trade or commerce among the  
several states or with foreign nations  
should continue to be declared illegal;  
provided, however, that some  
proper governmental authority (such  
as the commissioner of corporations  
acting under the secretary of com-  
merce and labor) be allowed to pass  
on any such contracts. Probably the  
best method of providing for this  
would be to enact that any contract  
subject to the prohibition contained  
in the anti-trust law, into which it  
is desired to enter, might be filed with  
the bureau of corporations or other ap-  
propriate executive body. This would  
provide publicity. Within, say, 60  
days of the filing—which period could  
be extended by order of the depart-  
ment whenever for any reason it did  
not give the department sufficient  
time for a thorough examination—the  
executive department having power  
might forbid the contract, which would  
then become subject to the provisions  
of the anti-trust law, if at all in re-  
straint of trade.

If no such prohibition was issued,  
the contract would then only be li-  
able to attack on the ground that it  
constituted an unreasonable restraint  
of trade. Whenever the period of fil-  
ing had passed without any such pro-  
hibition, the contracts or combinations  
could be disapproved or forbidden only  
after notice and hearing with a rea-  
sonable provision for summary review  
on appeal by the courts. Labor or-  
ganizations, farmers' organizations,  
and other organizations not organized  
for purposes of profit, should be al-  
lowed to register under the law by  
giving the location of the head office,  
the charter and by-laws, and the  
names and addresses of their principal  
officers. In the interest of all these  
organizations—business, labor, and  
farmers' organizations alike—the present  
provision permitting the recovery  
of threefold damages should be abol-  
ished, and as a substitute therefor  
the right of recovery allowed for  
should be only the damages sustained  
by the plaintiff and the cost of suit,  
including a reasonable attorney's fee.

The law should not affect pending  
suits; a short statute of limitations  
should be provided, so far as the past  
is concerned, not to exceed a year.  
Moreover, and even more in the in-  
terest of labor than of business combina-  
tions, all such suits brought for  
causes of action heretofore occurred  
should be brought only if the contract  
or combination complained of was un-  
fair or unreasonable. It may be well

to remember that all of the suits hith-  
erto brought by the government under  
the anti-trust law have been in cases  
where the combination or contract was  
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**Labor Organizations.**  
It is important that we should en-  
courage trade agreements between em-  
ployer and employee where they are  
just and fair. A strike is a clumsy  
weapon for righting wrongs done to  
labor, and we should extend, so far as  
possible, the process of conciliation  
and arbitration for strikes. Moreover,  
violence, disorder and coercion, when  
committed in connection with strikes,  
should be as promptly and as sternly  
repressed as when committed in any  
other connection. But strikes them-  
selves are, and should be, recognized  
to be entirely legal. Combinations of  
workmen have a peculiar reason for  
their existence. The very wealthy  
individual employer, and still more the  
very wealthy corporation, stand at an  
enormous advantage when compared  
to the individual workman; and while  
there are many cases where it may  
not be necessary for laborers to  
form a union, in many other cases it  
is indispensable, for otherwise the  
thousands of small units, the thou-  
sands of individual workmen, will be  
left helpless in their dealings with  
the big one unit, the big individual or  
corporate employer.

Twenty-two years ago, by the act of  
June 29, 1836, trades unions were re-  
cognized by law, and the right of la-  
boring people to combine for all  
lawful purposes was formally recog-  
nized, this right including combina-  
tions for mutual protection and bene-  
fits, the regulation of wages, hours  
and conditions of labor, and the pro-  
tection of the individual rights of the  
workmen in the prosecution of their  
trade or trades; and in the act of  
June 1, 1895, strikes were recognized  
as legal in the same provision that for-  
bade participation in or instigation of  
force or violence against persons or  
property, or the attempt to prevent  
others from working, by violence,  
threat or intimidation. The business  
man must be protected in person and  
property, and so must the farmer and  
the wage-worker; and as regards all  
alike, the right of peaceful combina-  
tion for all lawful purposes should be  
explicitly recognized.

### Objects to Boycott.

The right of employers to combine  
and contract with one another and  
with their employees should be ex-  
plicitly recognized; and so should  
the right of the employees to combine  
and to contract with one another and  
with the employers, and to seek peaceably  
to persuade others to accept their  
views, and to strike for the purpose  
of peacefully obtaining from employers  
satisfactory terms for their labor.  
Nothing should be done to legalize  
either a blacklist or a boycott that  
would be illegal at common law, this  
being the type of boycott defined and  
condemned by the anthracite strike  
commission.

The question of financial legislation  
is now receiving such attention in  
both houses that we have a right to  
expect action before the close of the  
session. It is urgently necessary that  
there should be such action. Moreover,  
action should be taken to establish  
postal savings banks. These postal  
savings banks are imperatively needed  
for the benefit of the wage-workers  
and men of small means, and will be a  
valuable adjunct to our whole financial  
system.

### Tariff Revision.

The time has come when we should  
prepare for a revision of the tariff.  
This should be, and indeed must be,  
preceded by careful investigation. It  
is peculiarly the province of the con-  
gress and not of the president, and in-  
deed peculiarly the province of the  
house of representatives, to originate  
a tariff bill and to determine upon its  
terms; and this I fully realize. Yet it  
seems to me that before the close of  
this session provision should be made  
for collecting full material which  
will enable the congress elected next  
fall to act immediately after it comes  
into existence. This would necessitate  
some action by the congress at its  
present session, perhaps in the shape  
of directing the proper committee to  
gather the necessary information, both  
through the committee itself and  
through government agents who  
should report to the committee and  
should lay before it the facts which  
would permit it to act with prompt  
and intelligent fairness. These govern-  
ment agents, if it is not deemed wise  
to appoint individuals from outside the  
public service, might with advantage  
be members of the executive depart-  
ments, designated by the president,  
on his own motion or on the request  
of the committee, to act with it.

I am of the opinion, however, that  
one change in the tariff could with  
advantage be made forthwith. Our  
forests need every protection, and one  
method of protecting them would be  
to put upon the free list wood pulp,  
with a corresponding reduction upon  
paper made from wood pulp, when  
they come from any country that  
does not put an export duty upon  
them.

### Waterways Commission.

Ample provision should be made  
for a permanent waterways commis-  
sion, with whatever power is required  
to make it effective. The reasonable  
expectation of the people will not be  
met unless the congress provides at  
this session for the beginning and  
prosecution of the actual work of wa-  
terway improvement and control. The  
congress should recognize in fullest  
fashion the fact that the subject of the  
conservation of our natural resources,  
with which this commission deals, is  
literally vital for the future of the na-  
tion.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT,  
The White House, March 25, 1908.

## LELAND IN FLAMES

FAMOUS HOSTELRY IN SPRING-  
FIELD, ILL., PARTLY BURNED.

LOSS IS ABOUT \$75,000

Delegates to the Republican State  
Convention Make Frantic Efforts  
to Save Their Be-  
longings.

Springfield, Ill.—The Leland ho-  
tel, one of the most widely  
known hotels in the country, and  
which has been the center of political  
gatherings for the last 30 years, was  
severely damaged by fire Thursday,  
entailing a loss on the proprietors, the  
Wiggins estate, of about \$75,000.

The fire broke out while the Repub-  
lican state convention was in session,  
three squares away, and when the de-  
legates received word that the hotel  
was burning they leaped from their  
chairs, tore wildly for the doors and  
hastened to save their effects. No  
lives were lost, nor was any person in-  
jured.

The fire for a time threatened the  
building of the Springfield Journal,  
which is separated from the hotel by  
a narrow alley.

As soon as it was evident that the  
hotel was doomed the management  
sent all the available employees to the  
rooms of the guests in the effort to  
save as much as possible of their bag-  
gage. Some of it was lost, but, con-  
sidering that the hotel was filled to its  
capacity and that the capacity was  
somewhat stretched by the number of  
delegates to the convention, it was  
surprising that so much property was  
saved. Some guests lost everything.  
But the greater part of the baggage  
was saved.

The delegates from the convention,  
when they came rushing up to the ho-  
tel, bent upon saving their belongings,  
were too much for the Springfield po-  
lice department. They outnumbered it  
about twenty to one, and while an of-  
ficer was trying to restrain one man  
from rushing into the hotel to save  
his property a dozen others would go  
tearing by and rush into the smoke-  
filled halls. Men repeatedly risked  
their lives to save their hand baggage  
and overcoats.

### ROBBER'S HEAD BLOWN OFF.

Safe-Cracker Killed by Own Blast in  
Arkansas.

Gentry, Ark.—In a futile attempt  
to blow open the safe of the Farm-  
ers' bank at Springtown, near here,  
early Thursday, the head of one of  
the robbers was blown from his shoul-  
ders by a premature explosion of dynamite.  
The body of the dead robber was  
found in the bank near the safe.

Danville, Ill.—Two desperate men  
believed to be the same who at-  
tempted to loot the bank of Chrisman  
Wednesday, on Thursday morning  
held up and robbed the office of the  
Danville Water company at the point  
of revolvers, forcing Cashier Myers  
and a woman to stand while they  
looted the safe. They obtained ten  
dollars and overlooked a large amount  
in another compartment of the safe.

### TRAVELING MEN KILL SELVES.

One Jumps Under Train, Another  
Uses Revolver.

Gallipolis, O.—James O'Neal, a trav-  
eling man of Philadelphia, Pa., be-  
came deranged at Bidwell, near here,  
Thursday, jumped under a Hocking  
Valley train and was instantly killed.  
The body was brought here. O'Neal  
had been drinking, and is believed to  
have squandered considerable money.

Pittsburg, Pa.—J. W. Smith of  
Cleveland, O., a traveling man, shot  
and killed himself at a hotel here  
Thursday. The cause of the act is  
unknown.

### GEN. HORNE IS ACQUITTED.

Slayer of Kansas City Editor Commit-  
ted to Asylum.

Kansas City, Mo.—Gen. R. C. Horne  
was acquitted of the charge of mur-  
dering H. J. Groves, managing editor  
of the Kansas City Post, by a jury in  
the criminal court here Thursday  
night. The verdict stated that Gen.  
Horne was insane when he shot  
Groves and has not fully recovered,  
and commits him to an asylum.

### Earthquakes in Mexico City.

Mexico City.—Mexico City was vis-  
ited by two severe earthquake shocks  
Thursday. The first shock occurred at  
4:30 o'clock p. m., lasting four min-  
utes and 28 seconds. No lives were  
lost, but numerous walls were cracked.  
A second and much more severe earth-  
quake shock occurred at 9:17 p. m.  
at night. Walls were cracked and  
clocks all over the city were stopped.  
The theater crowds rushed to the  
streets. The people are considerably  
alarmed over the repeated shocks.

### Fine and Jail for Perjuror.

Milwaukee.—August Wetzel, pres-  
ident of the Wetzel Brothers Printing  
company, appeared before Judge  
Quarles in the federal court Thursday  
afternoon, withdrew his plea of not  
guilty to an indictment for perjury,  
and substituted a plea of guilty. Wet-  
zel was indicted in connection with  
the T. E. Cameron frauds. It was  
charged that he gave false testimony  
and the jury straightway indicted  
him. Judge Quarles fined Wetzel \$1,000  
and sentenced him to one day's impris-  
onment in the Milwaukee county jail.



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## BURR OAK BRIEFLETS.

G. A. Maxey, Correspondent.

Our school will be out Thursday. A suitable program has been arranged for the occasion and the patrons of the school are cordially invited to be present and enjoy the children's exercises. Their songs and recitations will interest you. Mrs. Stroll has put a new roof on her residence occupied by J. W. Currens. John Friend is moving his house to the north side of his lot and is putting a new wall under it and otherwise improving it. He will occupy it himself when completed. Jerrell Currens has almost entirely recovered from his serious illness. Roscoe Wilhelm has postponed his trip to North Dakota to a latter date and in the meantime is working for Franklin Overmyer. Quite a number from here attended the oratorical contest in Plymouth Friday night. The nomination of Marshall and Hall for governor and lieutenant governor meets with the universal approval of democrats in this part of the country. C. E. Coon and son Russell visited his father at Tiosa Saturday. Mrs. Short of Knox has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Eva Shock, for a few days. Fred Warner has gone to Elkhart where he has employment. The game of ball between the Culver and Burr Oak teams Sunday resulted in favor of Culver 9-2. Lloyd Fletcher of Logansport visited his aunt, Mrs. Cromley, a few days last week. The residence of Tom Garver narrowly escaped destruction last week. His son Walter discovered the roof on fire just in time to save it. A small hole burned in the roof was all the damage. Mrs. Elkins and daughter came over from Tippecanoe Sunday to make arrangements for moving their goods in a few days to where Mr. Elkins has employment as section foreman. Mrs. Samuel Reaick visited over Sunday with Mrs. Long at Argos. Mrs. Warner of Argos was a visitor in Burr Oak Sunday. Word reached here from San Pierre Saturday that Maude Maxey was sick. Her mother went at once and found her in a serious condition. On Sunday a phone dispatch stated that she was much better and would be able to resume teaching in a few days. J. D. Heiser and sons William and Russell and Miss Heilin were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Aley Sunday. Some child threw a stone through one of the front windows of J. W. Curren's store Sunday. John Tashor has just returned from St. Joseph county where his son lives. He reports that they have made about fifty gallons of maple molasses so far this season. Laura Maxey will start in a few days for

Roy, N. D., where she has a school awaiting her. Lester Crum of Brems, Ind., was visiting at Burr Oak Sunday and Monday. Lewis Pero was a force of workmen began the erection of a residence for Marion Overmyer on his farm near the old Shaw school house. Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Coleman visited in Plymouth over Sunday. D. E. Vanvactor preached to a splendid audience Sunday night. A number of Burr Oak people attended the horse sale at Argos Saturday.

## OK GROVE OFFERINGS.

J. H. Barnes was a caller at Joel Kinzie's Wednesday. Link Ransbottom has been having a foundation put under his house and will commence building an addition next week. Olaf Johnson, Lee Wolf and Charley Ransbottom were all callers at J. H. Barnes' on Saturday. Harry and Fred Wolf have gone to Illinois to work this summer. J. H. Barnes and wife on Monday took their daughter to Grovertown, from which place her husband, J. S. Bottorff, took her to Warsaw for treatment, as she has been very sick for some time.

## DELONG DOINGS.

Miss Mae VanKirk, Correspondent.

L. B. Robinson and wife of Logansport visited over Sunday with the former's parents. Mrs. David Smith and Dessie Shadle of Culver visited relatives here Sunday. Thos. Moon has bought Levi Heeter's house and lot in the north end of town and took possession Monday. Geo. Shadle and family of Bass Lake visited relatives here Sunday. Mrs. Mollie Castleman and son Harry who have been in Mishawaka, returned Sunday. Mrs. Clyde Williams and son of Wolcott are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Lahman. Mr. and Mrs. P. F. McClellan, son and daughter spent Sunday in Columbia City. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dillon of Walkerton spent last week with Dr. and Mrs. Howell. Lewis McIntire and family spent Sunday at Sam Baker's. Edna Beeward of Leiter's spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Casper. Don Bruce is visiting Isaac Wolfe. David Castleman is putting a new roof on his house. The Delong school will close Friday. The students are preparing a very nice program. Everybody invited. Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Adams visited their daughter in Chicago last week and came home Sunday, bringing their grandson. Mrs. Garland Ingraham and daughter Helen are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Kline. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. VanKirk Jr., March 24, a boy. Bert Quick is sick.

## MOUNT HOPE MAGNETS.

Miss Ethel Edgington, Correspondent.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sturgeon visited Sunday at James Hay's. Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Edgington, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hartle, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Heeter and Dean spent Sunday at Gunther Cunningham's. Jennie and Lottie Stahlsmith left Monday for Columbia City to live. Bertha Lambert spent Sunday with Belle McGrew. Mr. and Mrs. Elta Davis spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cowen of Rutland. Walter Hartle of Leiter's, Jesse

Crabbe of Culver and Claude Hays spent Sunday at Jacob Hartle's. Mr. and Mrs. F. Bunn spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gelbaugh who are the proud parents of a baby boy. Mrs. Lib King came Monday from Bourbon to keep house for her brother, Wm. Hay.

## PLEASANT VIEW.

J. W. Hooton, Correspondent.

Edward Kinzie of Culver was helping to buzz wood here Monday. Henry Pike took dinner with J. W. Hooton Sunday. Alonzo Hagle lost another horse Friday. This makes the second one. William Pike and wife were callers on J. W. Hooton Sunday. C. F. Wartler and J. W. Hooton buzzed wood Monday.

## HIBBARD HAPPENINGS.

Mrs. E. J. Reed, Correspondent.

Any one desiring a shave and a hair cut can be accommodated at the residence of William Ramey, as he is now prepared to do the barbering act. Henry and Jacob Lichtenberger went to Fort Wayne Friday to visit their brother Amos who is dangerously sick. Morris Fishburn and family of

Culver were the guests of S. S. Reed Sunday. Mell Lichtie and family were the guests of Peter Lichtenberger on Sunday. Julius Clemons and family and S. E. Wise and family took supper with Homer Rockhill Sunday. Ova Livinghouse was a home guest Sunday. Mrs. James R. Miller visited her parents at Peru over Sunday. Hugh Clifton is sick. M. A. Ackerman is overhauling and repairing C. D. Andrews' automobile. Mr. Wheeler put down a pump for Mr. Yeoman last week.

## Political Announcements.

FOR TOWNSHIP TREASURER.

DANIEL W. MARKS.

Having been a candidate for the nomination for Township Treasurer eight years ago, marks asks your support for the nomination for that office, subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries, to be held Saturday, May 2, 1908.

Chicken supper by the Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church at the Lakeside Friday night, 25 cents. Everybody invited.

For Sale—Timothy hay. Enquire of Urias Menser.

Buy your wood of D. G. Walter Phone 26 L.

# WANTED

1,000 housekeepers to call and see our new line of Carpets and Rugs. New patterns now on exhibition. Linoleums 12 feet wide; will cover your floor with one piece.

Come in and look at our line of Kitchen Cabinets. We carry a full line of house furnishings. To the newly married couples going to house-keeping we have special inducements to offer. Our 5 and 10-cent counters are always full of special bargains that will interest you.

Call and see us; you are always welcome at  
**The Culver Department Store**

## Easter Millinery Opening April 2, 3, 4

Having received a fine line of Spring goods, I am prepared to make one of the finest displays of Millinery that has ever been brought to Culver.

My trimmer, Miss Penrod, having returned, will be a guarantee of full satisfaction in the latest styles.

The ladies of Culver and vicinity are cordially invited to call and inspect the new styles. Opening days, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 2, 3, 4.

*Mrs. W. E. Hand*



**MAKE** a list in your mind of all the good qualities you want to find in the boys' clothing you buy. Then come here and get more than you thought of—in an **XTRAGOOD** suit. Good as it can be, stylish as it should be, lower priced than it ought to be.

Sailor, Junior and Russian suits in many variations of style and fabric. Carefully tailored and trimmed. Also a large showing of Norfolk and double-breasted suits.

**Mitchell & Stabenow**

Culver Shoe and Clothing House

## CULVER MARKETS.

Eggs	13
Butter (good)	20
do (common)	18
Fowls	08 1/2
Roosters	04
Ducks	06 1/2
Turkeys	09
Lard	10

Mounting board in several colors, for the use of amateur photographers, at the Citizen office.

Colored blotting paper, live beautiful shades, for ladies' fancy work, now on sale at the Citizen office.

The Citizen prints sale bills.

\$1.15 Hibbard to Chicago and Return April 11, via Nickel Plate road. Special train leaves Hibbard at 1:10 p. m. Tickets all good on regular train at 4:34 a. m. April 12, good returning April 1. Ask agent or write J. C. Melenbacher, T. P. A. Ft. Wayne, Ind. (6)m2613

## To the Public.

I have again opened the Mod Livery and am prepared to furnish first-class equipages for hire, at board for teams by the day or week. Prices all right. Telephone 30-L day or night. H. H. AUSTIN