



THE WATCH TOWER

A FANTASTIC TALE
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CHAPTER XIV—CONTINUED.

"Let him say what he will say," she answered, taking the question as though it had been spoken. "Let him say all he will. Perhaps it is the last time."

"I will tell my story, not that any one may judge between you and me. There is neither judge nor justice for those who love in vain. So I loved you. That is the whole story. Do you understand me, sir? I loved this woman, but she would not love me. That is all. And what of it, and what then? Look at her and look at me—the beginning and the end."

In a manner familiar to Orientals, the unhappy man laid one finger upon his own breast, and with the other hand he pointed at Unorna's fair young face.

She laughed in a hard tone. But Israel Kafka's eyes grew dark, and the somber fire beamed in them as he spoke again. The weary, tortured smile left his wan lips and his pale face grew stern.

"Laugh, laugh, Unorna?" he cried. "You do not laugh alone. And yet I love you still. And he who dies for you, Unorna—of him you ask nothing, save that he will crawl away and die alone and not disturb your delicate life with such an unseemly sight."

"You talk of death," exclaimed Unorna scornfully. "You talk of dying for me, because you are ill today. To-morrow Keyrick Arabian will have cured you, and then, for aught I know, you will talk of killing me instead. This is child's talk. Joy's talk. If we are to listen to you, you must be more eloquent. You must give us such a tale of woe as shall draw tears from our eyes and sobs from our breasts—then we will applaud you and let you go. That shall be your reward."

The Wanderer glanced at her in surprise. There was a bitterness in her tone of which he had not believed her soft voice capable.

"Are you mad, indeed?" asked the Wanderer, suddenly planting himself in front of Kafka. "They told me so—I can almost believe it."

"No; I am not mad yet," answered the younger man, facing him fearlessly. "You need not come between me and her. She can protect herself. You would know that if you knew what I saw her do with you when I came here."

"What did she do?" The Wanderer turned quickly as he stood and looked at Unorna.

"Do not listen to his ravings," she said. The words seemed weak and poorly chosen, and there was a strange look in her face, as though she were either afraid or desperate or both.

"She loves you," said Israel Kafka calmly. "And you do not know it. She has power over you; she has over me, but the power to make you love her she has not. She will destroy you, and your state will be no better than mine to-day. We shall have moved on a step, for I shall be dead and you will be the madman, and she will have found another to love and to torture. The world is full of them. Her altar will never lack sacrifices."

The Wanderer's face was grave.

"You may be mad or not," he said. "I cannot tell. But you say monstrous things, and you shall not repeat them."

Unorna laughed.

"Would you be a martyr?" she asked.

"Not for your faith, but for the faith I once had in you, and for the love that no martyrdom could kill. Ay—to prove that I have I would die a hundred deaths, and to gain yours I would die the death eternal."

"Your wrong, your right, your truth, your falsehood, you yourself, are swallowed up in the love I bear you; I love you always, and I will say it, and say it again—ah, your eyes, I love them, too! Take me into them, Unorna—whether in hate or love—but in love—yes—love—Unorna—golden Unorna!"

With the cry on his lips—the name he had given her in other days—he made one mad step forward, throwing out his arms as though to clasp her to him. But it was too late. Even while he had been speaking, her mysterious influence had overpowered him, as he had known that it would, when she so pleased.

She caught his two hands in the air and pressed him back and held him against the tall slab. The whole pitilessness of her nature gleamed like a cold light in her white face.

"There was a martyr of your race once," she said, in cruel tones. "His name was Simon Abes. You talk of martyrdom! You shall know what it means—though it be too good for you, who spy upon the woman whom you say you love."

The hectic flush of passion sank from Israel Kafka's cheek. Rigid, with outstretched arms and bent head, he stood against the ancient gravestone. Above him, as though raised to heaven in silent supplication, were the sculptured hands that marked the last resting place of a Kohn.

"You shall know now," said Unorna. "You shall suffer indeed."

CHAPTER XV.

NORNA'S voice sunk from the tone of anger to a lower pitch. She spoke quietly, and very distinctly, as though to impress every word upon the ear of the man who was in her power. As the Wanderer gazed and listened, Israel Kafka was transformed. He no longer stood with outstretched arms, his back against a crumbling slab, his filmy eyes fixed on Unorna's face. He grew younger, his features were those of a boy of scarcely 13 years, pale, earnest and lightened by a soft light, which followed him hither and thither, and he was not alone. He moved with others through the old familiar streets of the city, clothed in a fashion of other times, speaking in accents comprehensible, but unlike the speech of today, acting in a dim and far-off life that had once been.

The Wanderer looked, and, as in dreams, he knew that what he saw was unreal, he knew that the changing walls and streets and houses and public places were built up of gravestones, which, in truth, were deeply planted in the ground, immovable and incapable of spontaneous motion; he knew that the crowd of men and women were not human beings, but warlike and twisted beings rooted in the earth, and that the murmur of voices that reached his ear was but the sound of dried branches bonding in the wind; he knew that Israel Kafka was not the pale-faced boy who glided from place to place, followed everywhere by a soft radiance; he knew that Unorna was the source and origin of the vision, and that the mingling speeches of the actors, now shrill in angry altercation, now hissing in low, fierce whisper, were really formed upon Unorna's lips and made audible through her tones, as the chorus of indistinct speech proceeded from the swaying trees.

In one corner of the dusky place there was a little light. A boy stood there, beside a veiled woman, and the light that seemed to cling about him was not the reflection of gold. He was very young. His pale face had in it all the lost beauty of the Jewish race, the lips were clearly cut, even pure in outline and firm, the forehead broad with thought, the features noble, aquiline—not vulture like.

He stood there looking on at the scene in the market place, not wondering, for nothing of it was new to him; not scorning, for he felt no hate; not wrathful, for he dreamed of peace. He would have had it otherwise—that was all.

"Let us go," he said, in a low voice. "The air is full of gold and heavy. I cannot breathe it."

"Whither?" asked the woman.

"Thou knowest," he answered. And suddenly the faint radiance that was always about him grew brighter, and spread out arms behind him, to the right and left, in the figure of a cross.

They walked together, side by side, quickly and often glancing behind them, as though to see whether they were followed. And yet it seemed as though it was not they who moved, but the city about them which changed. All at once they were standing before the richly carved doorway of the Teyn church, the very doorway out of which the Wanderer had followed the fleeting shadow of Beatrice's figure but a month ago. And then they paused and looked again to the right and left, and searched the dark corners with piercing glances.

"Thy life is in thine hand," said the woman, speaking close to the boy's ear. "It is yet time. Turn with me and let us go back."

"What is there to fear?" he asked.

"Death," answered the woman, in a trembling tone. "They will kill thee, and it shall be upon my head."

"And what is death?" he asked again, and the smile was still upon his face, as he led the way up the steps.

The woman bowed her head, and drew her veil more closely about her, and followed him. Then they were within the church, darker, more ghostly, less rich in those days than now.

"Is it thus?" he asked, and the heavenly smile grew more radiant as he made the sign of the cross.

"Belt not upon me!" she exclaimed, earnestly. "Though I would it might be forever so with thee."

"It is forever," the boy answered. He went forward and prostrated himself before the high altar.

An old man in a monk's robe came forward out of the shadow of the choir, and stood behind the marble rails, and looked down at the boy's prostrate figure, wonderingly. Then the low gateway was opened and he descended the three steps and bent down to the young head.

"What wouldst thou?" he asked.

"I am a Jew. I would be a Christian. I would be baptized."

"Farest thou not thy people?"
"I fear not death."
"Come with me." Trembling, the woman followed them both, and all were lost in the gloom of the church. Suddenly a clear voice broke the silence:

"Ego baptizo te in nomine Patris et Filii, et Spiritus Sancti."
Then the woman and the boy were standing again without the entrance in the chilly air, and the ancient monk was upon the threshold under the carved arch; his thin hands, white in the darkness, were lifted high, and he blessed them and they went their way.

In the moving vision the radiance was brighter still, and illuminated the streets as they moved on. Then a cloud descended over all, and certain days and weeks passed, and again the boy was walking swiftly toward the church. But the woman was not with him, and he believed he was alone. Though the messengers of evil were upon him. Two dark figures moved in the shadow, silent, noiseless in their walk, muffled in their long garments. He went on, no longer deigning to look back, beyond fear as he had ever been, and beyond even the expectation of a danger. He went into the church, and the two men made gestures and spoke in low tones, and hid themselves in the shade of the buttresses outside.

The vision grew darker, and a terrible stillness was over everything for the church was not opened to the sight this time. There was a horror of long waiting with the certainty of what was to come. The narrow street was empty to the eye, and yet there was the knowledge of evil presence of two strong men waiting in the dark to take their victim to the place of expiation. And the horror grew in the silence and emptiness until it was unbearable.

The door opened, and the boy was with the monk under the black arch. The old man embraced him, and blessed him, and stood still for a moment watching him as he went down. Then he also turned and went back, and the door was closed.

Swiftly the two men glided from their hiding place and sped along the uneven pavement. The boy paused and faced them, for he felt that he was taken. They grasped him by the arms on each side, Lazarus, his father, and Levi, surnamed the Short-handed, the strongest and the cruellest and the most relentless of the younger rabbi. Their grip was rough, and the older man held a coarse woollen cloth in his hand, with which to smother the boy's cries if he should cry out for help. But he was very calm and did not resist them.

"What would you?" he asked.

"And what doest thou in a Christian church?" asked Lazarus in fierce tones.

"What Christians do, since I am one of them," answered the youth, unmoved.

Lazarus said nothing, but he struck the boy on the mouth with his hard hand so that the blood ran down.

"Not here!" exclaimed Levi, anxiously looking about.

And they hurried him away through dark and narrow lanes. He opposed no resistance to Levi's rough strength, not only suffering himself to be dragged along, but doing his best to keep pace with the man's long strides, nor did he murmur at the blows and thrusts dealt him from time to time by his father from the other side. During some minutes they were still, traversing the Christian part of the city. A single loud cry for help would have brought a rescue, a few words to the rescuers would have roused a mob of fierce men, and the Jews would have paid with their lives for the deeds they had not yet committed. But Simon Abes uttered no cry and offered no resistance. He had said that he feared not death, and he had spoken the truth, not knowing what manner of death was to be his. Onward they sped, and in the vision the way they traversed seemed to sweep past them, so that they remained always in sight though always hurrying on. The Christian quarter was passed; before them hung the chain of one of those gates which gave access to the city of the Jews. With a jeer and an oath the bearded sentry watched them pass—the martyr and his torturers. One word to him, even then, and the butt of his heavy halberd would have broken Levi's arm and laid the boy's father in the dust. The word was not spoken. On through the filthy ways, on and on, through narrow courts and torturous passages to a dark low doorway. Then, again, the vision showed but an empty street, and there was silence for a space, and a horror of long waiting in the falling night.

Lights moved within the house, and then one window after another was bolted and barred from within. A dull noise, bad to hear, resounded as from beneath a vault, and then another and another—the sound of cruel blows upon a human body. Then a pause.

"Wilt thou renounce it?" asked the voice of Lazarus.

"Kyrie eleison! Christe eleison!" came the answer brave and clear.

"Lay on, Levi, and let thy arm be strong!"

"Dost thou repent? Dost thou renounce? Dost thou deny?"

"I repent of my sins—I renounce your ways—I believe in the Lord."

The sacred name was not heard. A smothering groan, as of one losing consciousness in extreme torture, was all that came up from below.

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Willful Sacrifice.

"He was awfully flattering. He said my cheek was the color of his favorite rose," said Maude. "He told me he liked yellow roses best," returned the genial Estelle.

GOSPEL ARCHIPELAGO.
DR. TALMAGE PREACHES ON RHODES AND PATMOS.
A Night View of the Island Visited by Paul—The Birthplace of the Gospel of St. John—Last Glimpse of Egypt.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Nov. 8, 1891.—An overflowing congregation at the Brooklyn Tabernacle this morning attested the interest the religious public is taking in the series of sermons Dr. Talmage is preaching on what he saw, confirmatory of the Scriptures, during his tour from the Pyramids to the Acropolis. This morning's sermon, the fourth of the series, was on the islands of the Greek archipelago. The Doctor took two texts: Acts 21:3, "When we had discovered Cyprus we left it on the left hand," and Revelation 1:9, "I, John, was in the isle that is called Patmos."

Good-by, Egypt! Although interesting and instructive beyond any country in the world, excepting the Holy Land, Egypt was to me somewhat depressing. It was a post-mortem examination of great cities that died 4,000 years ago. The mummies or wrapped up bodies of the dead, were prepared with reference to the Resurrection day, the Egyptians departing this life wanting their bodies to be kept in as good condition as possible so that they would be presentable when they were called again to occupy them.

This sermon finds us on the steamer Minerva in the Grecian archipelago, the islands of the new testament, and islands Paulinian and Johannian in their reminiscence. What Bradshaw's directory is to travelers in Europe, and what the railroad guide is to travelers in America, the book of the Acts in the bible is to voyagers in the Grecian, or as I shall call it, the Gospel archipelago. The bible geography of that region is accurate without a shadow of mistake. We are sailing this morning on the same waters that Paul sailed in the opposite direction to that which Paul voyaged. He was sailing southward and we northward. With him it was: Ephesus, Coos, Rhodes, Cyprus. With us it is reversed and it is: Cyprus, Rhodes, Coos, Ephesus. There is no book in the world so accurate as the divine book. My text says that Paul left Cyprus on the left; we, going in the opposite direction, have it on the right. On our ship Minerva were only two or three passengers beside our party, so we had plenty of room to walk the deck and on, what a night was Christmas night of 1889 in that Grecian archipelago—islands of light above, islands of beauty beneath! It is a royal family of islands, this Grecian archipelago: the crown of the world's scenery set with sapphire and emerald and topaz and crysopeas and ablaze with a glory that seems let down out of celestial landscapes. God evidently made up his mind that just here he would demonstrate the utmost that can be done with islands for the beautification of earthly scenery.

The steamer had stopped during the night and in the morning the ship was as quiet as this floor, when we hastened up to the deck and found that we had anchored off the island of Cyprus. In a boat, which the natives rowed standing up as is the custom, instead of sitting down as we row, we were soon landed on the streets where Paul and Barnabas walked and preached. Yes, when at Antioch Paul and Barnabas got into a fight with some ministers sometimes did, and sometimes sought for they all have imperfections enough to anchor them to this world till their work is done, I say—when because of that bitter controversy Paul and Barnabas parted, Barnabas came back here to Cyprus, which was his birthplace. Island wonderful for history! It has been the prize sometimes won by Persia, by Greece, by Egypt, by the Saracens, by the Crusaders, and last of all, not by sword but by pen, and that the pen of the keenest diplomatist of the century, Lord Beaconsfield, who, under a lease which was as good as a purchase, set Cyprus among the jewels of Victoria's crown. We went out to the excavations from which Dr. Cesnola has enriched our American museums with antiquities and with no better weapon than our feet we stirred up the ground deep enough to get a tear-bottle in which some mourner shed his tears thousands of years ago and a lamp which before Christ was born lighted the feet of some poor pilgrim on his way. That island of Cyprus has enough to set an antiquarian wild. The most of its glory is the glory of the past, and the typhoid fevers that sweep its coast and the clouds of locusts that often blacken its skies, (though 2,000,000 were expended by the British empire in one year for the extirpation of these noxious insects, yet failing to do the work) and the frequent change of governmental masters, hinders prosperity. But when the islands of the sea come to God, Cyprus will come with them, and the agricultural and commercial opulence which adorned it in ages past will be eclipsed by the agricultural and commercial and religious triumphs of the ages to come. Why is the world so stupid that it cannot see that nations are prospered in temporal things in proportion as they are prospered in religious things? The Christian religion triumphant, all other interests low down. So I thought as on the evening of that day we stepped from the filthy streets of Larnaca, Cyprus, on to the boat that took us back to the steamer Minerva which had already begun to paw the waves like a courier impatient to be gone, and then we moved on and up among the islands of this Gospel Archipelago, and the voyage became to me more and more suggestive and solemn. If you are pacing it alone, a ship's deck in the darkness and at sea is a weird place, and an active imagination may conjure up almost any shape he will and it shall walk the sea or confront him by the smokestack, or meet him under the captain's bridge. But here I was alone on ship's deck in the Gospel Archipelago and do you wonder that the sea was populous with the past and that down the rattles bible memories descended? Our friends had all gone to their berths. "Captain," I said, "when will we arrive at the island of Rhodes?" Looking out from under his glazed cap, he responded in sepulchral voice: "About midnight."

Though it would be keeping unreasonable hours, I concluded to stay on deck, for I must see Rhodes, one of the islands associated with the name of the greatest missionary the world ever saw or ever will see. Paul landed there and that was enough to make it famous while the world stands and famous in heaven when the world has become a charred wreck.

This island has had a wonderful history. With 6,000 knights of St. John, it at one time stood out against 200,000 warriors under "Solyman the Magnificent." The city had 3,000 statues, and a statue to Apollo called Coosus, which has always since been considered one of the seven wonders of the world. It was twelve years in building and was seventy cubits high, and had a winding stairs to the top. It stood fifty-six years and then was prostrated by an earthquake. After lying in ruins for 900 years, it was purchased to be converted to other purposes and the metal, weighing 730,000 pounds, was put on 900 camels and carried away. We were not permitted to go ashore, but the lights all up and down the hills show where the city stands, and nine boats come out to take freight and to bring three passengers.

But there is one island that I long to see more than any other. I can afford to miss the princes among the islands, but I must see the king of the archipelago. The one I longed to see is not so many miles in circumference as Cyprus or Crete or Paros or Naxos or Scio or Mytilene, but I had rather, in this sail through the Grecian archipelago, see that than all the others; for more of the glories of heaven landed there than on all the islands and continents since the world stood. As we come toward it I feel my pulses quicken. "I, John, was in the island that is called Patmos." It is a pile of rocks twenty-eight miles in circumference. A few cypresses and inferior olives pump a living out of the earth and one palm tree spreads its foliage. But the barrenness and gloom and loneliness of the island made it a prison for the banished evangelist. Domitian could not stand his ministry and one day, under armed guard, that minister of the gospel stepped from a toasting boat to these dismal rocks, and walked up to the dismal cavern which was to be his home, and the place where should pass before him all the conflicts of coming time and all the raptures of a coming eternity. Is it not remarkable that nearly all the great revelations of music and poetry have been made to men in banishment—Homer and Milton banished into deafness; Dante writing his "Divina Commedia" during the nineteen years of banishment from his native land; Victor Hugo writing his "Les Miserables" exiled from home and country on the island of Guernsey and the brightest visions of the future have been given to those who by sickness or sorrow were exiled from the outer world into rooms of suffering. Only those who have been imprisoned by very hard surroundings have had great revelations made to them. So Patmos, wild, chill and bleak and terrible was the best island in all the archipelago, the best place in all the earth for divine revelations.

Turn down all the lights that we may better see it. The panorama passes, and to the conquering Christ, robed, girdled, armed, the flash of golden candlesticks and seven stars in his right hand, candlesticks and stars meaning light held up, and light scattered. And there passes a throne and Christ on it, and the seals broken, and the woes sounded, and a dragon's sin, and seven last plagues swoop, and seven vials are poured out, and the vision vanishes. And we halt a moment to rest from the exciting spectacle. Again the panorama moves on before the cavern of Patmos, and John the exile sees a great city representing all abominations, Babylon towered, palaced, templed, fountained, foliaged, sculptured, hanging-gardens, suddenly going crash! crash! and the pipers cease to pipe, and the trumpets cease to trumpet, and the dust and the smoke and the horror fill the canvas, while from above and beneath the voices announcing "Babylon is fallen, is fallen!" And we halt again to rest from the spectacle. Again the panorama passes before the cavern of Patmos, and John the exile sees a mounted Christ on a snow-white charger leading forth the cavalry of heaven, the long line of white chargers galloping through the scene, the clattering of hoofs, the clinking of bridles, and the flash of spears, all the earth conquered and all heaven in Doxology. And we halt again to rest from the spectacle. Again the panorama passes before the cavern of Patmos, and John the exile sees great thrones lifted, thrones of martyrs, thrones of apostles, thrones of prophets, thrones of patriarchs, and a throne higher than all on which Jesus sits, and ponderous books are opened, their leaves turned over, revealing the names of all that have ever lived, the good and the bad, the renowned and the humble, the mighty and the weak, and at the turn of every leaf the universe is in rapture or fright, and the sea empties its sarcophagus of all the dead of the sunken shipping, and the earth gives way, and the heavens vanish. Again we rest a moment from the spectacle. The panorama moves on before the cavern of Patmos, and John the exile beholds a city of gold, and a river more beautiful than the Rhine or the Hudson rolls through it, and fruit trees bend their burdens on either bank, and all is surrounded by walls in which the upholstery of autumnal forests, and the sunrises and sunsets of all the ages, and the glory of burning worlds seem to be commingled. And the inhabitants never breathe a sigh, or utter a groan, or discuss a difference, or frown a dislike, or weep a tear. The fashion they wear is pure white, and their foreheads are encircled by garlands, and they who were sick are well, and they who were old are young, and they who were bereft are reunited. And as the last figure of that panorama rolled out of sight, I think John must have fallen back into his cavern, nerveless and exhausted. Too much was it for naked eye to look at. Too much was it for human strength to experience.

My friends, I would not wonder if you should have a very similar vision after awhile. You will be through this world, its cares, and fatigues, and struggles, and if you have served the Lord and have done the best you could, I should not wonder if your dying bed were a Patmos. It often

has been so. I was reading of a dying boy who, while the family stood round sorrowfully expecting each breath would be the last, cried, "Open the gates! Open the gates! Happy! Happy! Happy!" John Owen in his last hour said to his attendant, "Oh, brother Payne! the long wished-for day has come at last!" Rutherford, in the closing moment of his life cried out, "I shall shine, I shall see him as he is, and all the fair company with him, and shall have my share. I have gotten the victory. Christ is holding forth his arms to embrace me. Now I feel! Now I enjoy! Now I rejoice! I feed on manna, I have angel's food. My eyes will see my redeemer. Glory, glory dwelleth in the Immanuel's land." Yes, 10,000 times in the history of the world has the dying bed been made a Patmos. You see the time will come when you will, O child of God, be exiled to your last sickness as much as John was exiled to Patmos. You will go into your own room not to come out again for God is going to do something better and grander and happier for you than he has ever yet done! There will be such visions let down to your pillow as God gives no man if he is ever to return to this tame world. The apparent feeling of uneasiness and restlessness at the time of the Christian's departure, the physicians say, is caused by no real distress. It is an unconscious and involuntary movement, and I think in many cases it is the vision of heavenly gladness too great for mortal endurance. It is only heaven breaking in on the departing spirit. You see your work will be done and the time for your departure will be at hand, and there will be wings over you and wings under you, and songs let loose on the air, and your old father and mother gone for years will descend into the room, and your little children whom you put away for the last sleep years ago will be at your side, and their kiss will be on your forehead, and you will see gardens in full bloom, and the swinging open of shining gates, and will hear voices long ago hushed. In many a Christian departure that you have known and I have known there was in the phraseology of the departing ones something that indicated the reappearance of those long deceased. It is no delirium, no delusion, but a supernatural fact. Your glorified loved ones will hear that you are about to come and they will say in heaven, "May I go down to show that soul the way up? May I be the celestial escort? May I wait for that soul at the edge of the pillow?" And the Lord will say, "Yes. You may fly down on that mission." And I think all your glorified kindred will come down, and they will be in the room, and although those in health standing round you may hear no voice, and see no arrival from the heavenly world, you will see and hear. And the moment the fleshly bond of the soul shall break, the cry will be, "Follow me! Up this way! By this gilded cloud, amidst these stars, straight for home, straight for glory, straight for God!" As on that day in the Grecian Archipelago, Patmos began to fade out of sight, I walked to the stern of the ship that I might keep my eye on the enchantment as long as I could, and the voice that sounded out of heaven to John the exile in the cavern on Patmos seemed sounding in the waters that dashed against the side of our ship. "Behold the tabernacle of God is with men, and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people and God himself shall be with them and be their God, and God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes, and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain, for the former things are passed away."

Tried to Kill Her Mother.
Nellie Copeland of Indianapolis, a child five years of age, has been sent to the insane asylum at Kankakee, Ill., for trying to murder her sleeping mother with a fork. The child has been insane since her birth. When six months of age she developed a desire to burn things and tear clothes. When a year old she gashed a girl's face with broken glass. Before she was two years old she could talk volubly. She was subject to violent fits of passion, and she refused to accept the ordinary names for articles in daily use, gave them names of her own, and at the age of two and a half she had invented a language. At the age of three she developed a mania for killing domestic animals and had to be watched lest she harm her brothers and sisters. After her murderous attack on her mother she tried to kill herself.

Not Wanted.
About two weeks ago Peter Weingarter, a farm laborer aged 60 years, procured a marriage license at Belleville to marry Miss Emma Hoenth, aged 26 years, the daughter of a prominent farmer of Mascoutah county. The license was returned to the county clerk by a young gentleman who, it is said, will shortly wed the farmer's daughter. Weingarter procured the license to marry Miss Hoenth without her knowledge, and when she learned of the matter she was very much enraged. She procured a large horse whip and gave her aged suitor a sound thrashing. She afterward took the license away from him and had it returned to the county clerk with the notation "Not wanted" written upon it. Weingarter has left the community.

Danger While Bathing.
A Boston business man, while taking a sponge bath in Bridgeport, had his right leg severely cut by the slipping of his foot, which broke through a stationary wash bowl. The gash was eleven inches in length, penetrating to the bone and severing an artery. An artery in one of his wrists was also severed.

Here and There.
The food allowed to sailors in the American navy is better than that furnished to any other navy in the world. They have every vegetable that can be canned except asparagus, besides all kinds of canned meats. In fact, they have fresh meats and the mess fund provides fresh fruits.

The body of George W. Purdue, a well-to-do lumberman of Christman, was found on the railroad track with an ugly wound on the head and the skull fractured. The man was undoubtedly murdered and placed on the track, as the wounds had not been inflicted by a train.

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ELECTRICITY is to be the motive force in Jackson Park during the construction of the buildings. The electric plant has been completed and steam engines must go. This is done in order to reduce the fire risk. The saw-mills, used in getting out building material, which have been run by steam, are now supplied by electric power, furnished, if desired, night and day. Electrical Engineer Sergeant is prepared with a sixty horse power plant to supply electric-motor service. In a few days, 300 horse-power will be available.

MILWAUKEE AVENUE LINE.
 Recommendation of an Ordinance extending it to Lawrence avenue.

At the meeting Monday of the committee on streets and alleys west an ordinance was recommended providing for an extension of the Milwaukee avenue street railway from Armitage avenue, in Jefferson Park, five miles northwest. Alderman Conway was the chief champion of the measure, and many property owners interested in securing the extension attended the meeting. Alderman Conway called up the ordinance, which was for a double track railway to Diversey street, and had it amended to make the extension to Lawrence avenue, which is three miles further out, stating that President Yerkes had agreed to build the line if the council passed the ordinance.

Alderman Knowles then moved to have the consideration of the ordinance postponed for a week till a new ordinance could be drafted. This was laid on the table.

When the section of the ordinance came up providing for the payment of \$50 a year to city for each car, 13 round trips to constitute a car, Alderman Gosselin promptly moved to postpone consideration of the ordinance one week to get a report from the controller. The dilatory motion was laid on the table and against the other. Aldermen Mills and Dorman protested that it was not fair to jump on one line and kill the ordinance when the same provisions has been passed in every other ordinance. This amendment was laid on the table by a vote of 6 to 5. Aldermen Gosselin, Dvorak, Kunz, Murphy and Knowles voting for it, and Alderman Conway, Mills, Dorman, Keats, Bowler and McCarthy against it.

Ald. Roth, a non-member of the committee, said there was a general ordinance providing for a \$50 tax per

car, and this thirteen-trip provision is put in to nullify it to repeal that ordinance. It ought to be left out. But the committee didn't leave it out.
 Ald. Gosselin's next amendment was to require five minute trips. Ald. Conway said it was useless to put that in, it would kill the ordinance.
 "We would be glad to have a car every half hour," said a Jefferson citizen. Alderman Dorman said it ought not to be left to the company's option how often to run its cars, and finally an amendment was passed requiring trips at least every fifteen minutes. The ordinance as recommended gives a twenty year franchise. There is no provision for any mileage fee.

ALMIRA AND PACIFIC JUNCTION.
 All communications of local interests to this locality should be sent to EDWARD LANOSTON, Pacific Junction, Box 25. Mr. Lanoston is authorized to take subscriptions for THE SUBURBAN TIMES. No attention will be given to communications unless the full name of the writer accompany the article, or subscriptions received unaccompanied by the price \$1.50.
 PASTORAL CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH - J. W. FISH, Pastor - Sunday Services: Morning at 11 a. m. Evening at 7:30 p. m. Sunday School, at 9:30 a. m. Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, Sunday evening at 7:15 p. m. Prayer Meeting every Wednesday at 8 p. m.
 COURT BLACK FOREST, No. 142, I. O. F., meets every second and fourth Fridays of the month in Wm. Schall's Hall, opposite Almira depot, SIMONS P. O. JOSEPH E. BYRNE, C. E. EDWARD LANOSTON, Rec. Sec.

The ladies Auxiliary Society will give a **Battered social** next Thursday evening.

On Thanksgiving morning at 10:30, a union service will be held by the people of neighboring churches in Pacific Congregational church. All are welcome.

Miss Mabel Daly, of Central Park avenue, is very low with typhoid fever.
 Some mischievous boys were mean enough to cut strips of bark off of some of dr. Adams fine trees, corner of Armitage and North Central Park avenue. Will the police kindly see to it that these boys who made said corner their lounging place be have themselves or else lock them up.
 Since the post office and telegraph office has been removed from the old station that has stood so long, the old place has been the haunts of tramps and bummers, the windows are almost gone, only a few left (the target for many boys) the store in a dilapidated condition, benches used as sleeping place, and in fact the old place should be torn or burned down. Passengers who are unfortunately obliged to get off the late train are liable to get injured or killed, as the two lamps that have stood so long on each side of the depot have mysteriously disappeared. Wake up railroad officials and either give us better accommodations or none at all.

Court Black Forest, No. 142, I. O. F., will give something new in Turner Hall, Thanksgiving eve in the shape of a phantasm party (sheet and pillow case). The admission will be 50 cents.

The youngest child of Mr. John Peterson, Mead and Dickens streets fell quite a distance and broke her arm.

Many people were delighted by the rain of Tuesday and Wednesday.

Prof. Montgomery, of the Union Park seminary, celebrated the Lord's supper Sunday morning in Pacific church.

Parents and friends don't forget to be present at the children's exercises Sunday morning, Nov. 5, at 11 o'clock in the Pacific Congregational church. Pastor Fish will give an illustrated lecture. You are welcome.

FOOTPRINTS OF THE WORLD'S HISTORY.
 It is a relief to pick up a new book that is at once thrilling, romantic, wholesome, pure and true. Such a work is "Footprints of the World's History," the latest and greatest work of the two celebrated historians, John Clark Ridpath and William S. Prynne. These distinguished gentlemen, having won their laurels by independent writings, having co-operated on this work, and produced a gem of the purest ray serene. It is not a dry, uninteresting statement of the plain facts, but rather each of the most important events of history has been taken up and described by a master of language, who holds the reader entranced as he winds his way along the path of history, following carefully in the footprints of progress.
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SIDEWALK ORDINANCE
 State of Illinois, Cook Co., ss.
 An ordinance for the construction of a sidewalk on Elm street in the Village of Park Ridge.
 Be it ordained by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Park Ridge,
 Section 1. That a sidewalk be constructed as follows, to-wit:
 On Elm street between Washington street and Prospect avenue, adjoining lots 8, 9, 24 and 25, block 1, and lots 10, 11 and 20, block 4, Penny & Necham's subdivision in said village of Park Ridge.
 Sec. 2. Said sidewalk shall be constructed under the supervision of the Street Commissioner, subject to his approval, as follows: All sidewalks heretofore laid or to be laid inside said village, shall be at least 5 ft. 4 in. in width, and the plan thereof not less than one and one-quarter inches in thickness. Such sidewalk shall be constructed of good, sound, merchantable lumber, and shall be laid as follows, to-wit: For a sidewalk 5 ft. 4 in. in width, there shall be laid parallel with each other and with the line of the street four inches of each side of such sidewalk throughout its entire length, and the other in the center of a 4 x 6 in. throughout its entire length. The sidewalks shall be less than six inches in width, and shall be laid transversely on said sidewalk, and nailed securely thereto. The job of stringers shall be fastened by a piece of inch work, securely nailed on the inside thereof, and the top of the stringer shall not be less than six inches from the joints of the outside stringers, and sidewalks shall be not less than 2x4's placed under said sidewalks, not more than eight feet apart, and all sidewalks shall be so laid and blocked up, as to afford a good, firm level walk.
 Sec. 3. All owners of lots or parcels of land adjacent to the street or parcels of land, within sixty days after the date of publication of this ordinance, and in default thereof, said materials to be furnished by said village.
 Sec. 4. Said village street commissioner shall certify to the cost of such sidewalk, constructed by said village, showing in separate items, the cost of grading, materials, laying down and securing, and file it in the office of the village clerk, together with a list of the lots or parcels adjoining upon the line of the sidewalk, and the names of the owners thereof, and the frontage on said sidewalk.
 Sec. 5. The village collector is hereby designated the officer to collect the special tax herein provided, and to whom warrants for the same shall be directed. The village clerk shall comply with the provisions of the act to provide additional means for the construction of sidewalks in cities, towns and villages, in force July 1st, A. D. 1875; and if any lot or lots is delinquent after receipt of warrant by said village collector, then said village clerk shall make report of such delinquent special tax, in writing, to the county treasurer, ex-officio collector, prior to March 1st, 1892, as required by this act.
 Approved Oct. 6th 1891.
 Passed Oct. 6th 1891.
 Published Oct. 17th, 1891.

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AVONDALE.

AVONDALE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Rev. John Nels, pastor. Sunday School 10 a. m. [Preaching service 11 a. m. Class meeting 1:30 p. m. Preaching 6:30 p. m. Epworth League, Wednesday, 9 p. m.]

AVONDALE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Breaking of bread. Sunday School at 3 p. m. Gospel preaching at 7 p. m. Wednesday preaching at 7:45 p. m. Friday at 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting.

St. Xavier Church.—Father Thiel, Pastor Sunday service at 9:30 a. m.

LADIES AID SOCIETY, M. E. CHURCH.—Meets alternate Fridays at the church class-room.

GERMAN M. E. CHURCH.—Kedzie near Elston avenue.—Rev. John J. Hock, Pastor. Sunday school 9 a. m. preaching 10:30 a. m. Young Peoples Meeting 7 p. m. Preaching 7:45 p. m. Preaching every Friday evening at 7:45 by Rev. H. Schulz.

AVONDALE LITERARY SOCIETY.—Meets Dec. 27 and every two weeks thereafter, at M. E. Church. Chas. McClintock, Pres. H. L. LUTZKE, Sec'y.

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AVONDALE HALL ASSOCIATION.—Meeting of board of Directors last Saturday in each month at residence of President.

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Officer Geo. Jump has moved into Chas. Trute's house on Byrne avenue.

Robbie Billau of Lee avenue has scarlet fever.

R. J. Hickerike is suffering with a severe cold. School on Elston avenue is closed temporarily.

The outlets from many of the catch basins on Belmont avenue are higher than the inlets, which will prevent the ditches draining.

Quite a number from this place attended the Township Sunday School Convention at Montrose on Monday evening.

The Coal Exchange is practically a thing of the past, so we will get coal cheaper.

A new butcher shop has opened up in Frankenstein's block.

Mr. W. C. Pearce, of Robinson, Ill., President of the State Sunday School Association, was the guest of Dr. Thornton on Monday.

John Arnold has the stone work done on the first five stories of the new Athletic building on Michigan avenue.

Are we to have any more scavenger wagons in this ward? Many of the alleys are full of refuse which needs removal.

Mr. Franz Moeller was badly bitten by Aug. Beck's dog recently.

Horace Evans has moved into Mr. Strom's house on Humboldt avenue.

Mr. Ed. Thornton is visiting his brother Dr. F. E. Thornton, this week.

Mr. John Nelson is very sick.

A nine year old son of Mr. McLaglan is under the care of Dr. Rose for throat trouble.

Mr. Fred Hackmaster of Dakota is visiting his brother, Wm. Hackmaster.

The baked bean supper was quite a success.

Mrs. Frank Maurer of Sheridan avenue, assisted by Mrs. C. McClintock, surprised her husband by having a number of invited guests assembled to celebrate the anniversary of their wedding last Saturday evening the 7th. The consummate tact of Mrs. Maurer was a grand success. Upon the arrival of her husband he was greatly surprised finding so many friends and a very tempting supper. After recovering from the great shock he, in a very fine oration, thanked his guests for their kindness and a very enjoyable evening was spent by all.

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On Tuesday evening, Nov. 24, the Epworth League will give a concert at the M. E. church for the benefit of the poor. No admission fee will be charged but each adult will be expected to bring a pound of whatever he or she may think best, and the same will be distributed among the needy on Thanksgiving day. An excellent program is being prepared and it is earnestly requested that the people of Avondale turn out in large numbers in aid of this worthy cause.

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MONTROSE.

MONTROSE M. E. CHURCH.—Rev. S. O. I. Savell, Pastor. Sunday morning service 10 a. m. Sunday school 12:30. Young Peoples meeting 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

Evans. Lewis, St. John's Church.—Paul Loeche, Pastor. Sunday services, 10:30 a. m. Sunday school, 11:30 a. m.

The new I. X. L. furnace in the M. E. church made wrap, superfluous Sunday and it was necessary to open the windows.

Miss Matlows, of S. Evanston, was the guest of Mrs. Leavell last Sunday.

Rob't M. Smith, of Forest Glen, has moved into Bart Cross' residence.

Miss Langtry, of Englewood, is visiting Mrs. J. Gillard.

J. Yorty is building a residence just east of the church. Geo. Delany is superintendent.

Henry Klink has received an appointment on the police force and will soon exchange the hammer for a club.

Aug. Johnson has the brick on ground for three contract houses near M. E. church. These will be started as soon as he finishes present contract in Jefferson.

H. H. Williams and family were happily surprised by a flying visit from Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mills, of Bone, N. Y., where they were formerly neighbors.

Veterinary surgeon, Wm. Gale, is out a rubber coat, hand satchel containing medicines and instruments, also clothing, all through the stupidity of a Chicago policeman.

Mr. Gale was making purchases at Wiebels Clothing House, 841 Milwaukee avenue about 9 p. m., Nov. 1. A team hitched to a farm wagon and driven by a lad about 17 years of age, in turning out of street car track struck the hind axle of Mr. Gale's wagon and broke it off.

The police took charge of the boy and team. Mr. Gale on finding it was purely an accident and the team was going to Irving avenue made arrangements to transfer his light load and lead the horse behind. After receiving the goods the boy made off carrying the above articles belonging to Mr. Gale. He forgives the accident but would like his clothes and instruments.

Miss Cuttington, of Jacksonville, Ill., is the guest of B. M. Cross.

Montrose Business Men's Association held their meeting at President Geo. C. Thomas residence on Thursday evening. A goodly number were present and among the resolutions passed was one to circulate a petition and present to the manager of the C. & N. W. R. R. asking that their station name be changed to Mayfair. For the reason that our letters, telegrams and freight are constantly being sent to Montrose, Effingham Co., Ill. This petition is now being circulated and receiving a unanimous endorsement. An adjourned meeting will be held Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Sacks have removed to their new residence on Forrest avenue and will be glad to receive their friends.

P. G. Stechow the decorator who has just renovated Lazerus Silverman's residence, 2213 Calumet avenue, with such artistic taste is moving to Montrose and will occupy residence corner of Forrest and Holcomb avenues.

Geo. W. Tomas still keeps the ball rolling. He has built several hundred feet of sidewalk lately.

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Halloween was celebrated to some extent and ladders with other movables were misplaced.

Henry Gerliener, who has charge of a switch engine in the C. & N. W. yards at 49th street was seriously injured on Friday morning just as he was preparing to leave work. The cause of the accident was the negligence of the company in failing to repair a broken step which he had twice reported. He jumped onto the broken step and went down under the engine and was rolled twice the length of it when it passed over him leaving him bruised and battered with one arm crushed at the elbow. He was taken to the R. R. physician's office and thence to St. Luke's hospital. All the symptoms are favorable and friends and neighbors unite in hopes of his rapid recovery.

Prof. C. J. Dodge, of Windsor, Wis., was the guest of F. W. Kingsley the first of the week.

Mrs. Brandow and little daughter of Alden, Ill., visited at Mr. Wright on Tuesday.

Mrs. Putnam, Bryant, Wm. Putnam and Miss Duddles, all of Ivanhoe, were the guests of Prof. Farnsworth's family over Saturday and Sunday.

Ald. Conway advocated Monday night in the council meeting, passage of an ordinance providing for the extension of the Milwaukee avenue cable system from its present terminus, Armitage avenue to Lawrence avenue, Jefferson Park. If enacted this would be of inestimable benefit to the citizens of Montrose and adjacent suburbs.

The first quarterly convention of the Jefferson Sunday school Association was held at the Montrose M. E. church, Nov. 9. Considering the stormy night, a large number were present, among them pastors from all the surrounding churches. A very enjoyable as well as instructive program was given. Especially interesting was the illustrated address, "Normal Bible Study" by Mr. W. C. Pearce, president Sunday school association of Illinois, a young man who seems to have the good cause of his work truly at heart. The program is as follows: Song service, responsive reading, Rev. S. C. Leavell, Montrose; prayer, Rev. A. C. Thomas, Jefferson Park; solo, R. M. Cross, Montrose; brief reports from Superintendents; our needs, T. B. Staden, Co. S. S. Missionary; music, quartette; address, Normal Bible Study, Pres. W. C. Pearce; music, queries, music, benediction.

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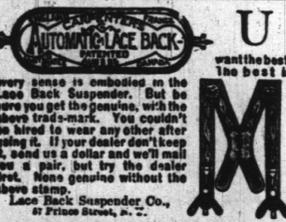
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It is said that George S. Atwater is about to resign his position as chairman of the league racing board owing to his other business interests which multiply each day.

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The most successful farmer in Aroostook county, Maine, and the owner of the largest potato field in that section, is a man paralyzed from the hips down.

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An idol collector in San Francisco, who has just died, had a collection of 500 little gods.

Charles Carroll of Carrollton was the richest man in America when the national constitution was signed. He was worth \$500,000.

McIntyre is down no more to be seen, and his money has taken the cake. She also takes a powder of Coaline. Whenever she has headaches.

An old graveyard in Orange county, Ind., has been dug into and found to be rich in petrified bodies. Up to last account sixteen had been taken out.

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CHICAGO AMUSEMENTS

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CHICAGO OPERA-HOUSE.

Beginning Sunday, Nov. 15, Manager Henderson of the Chicago opera-house will offer his patrons a week of modern minstrelsy. The company engaged is beyond doubt the best which has been seen here since the days of the minstrel monarchy of the redoubtable Col. J. H. Haverly. The organization is headed by that king of burnt cork disciples of Momus, Lew Dockstader. Dockstader's funny monologue entertainment is beyond doubt the cleverest and most refined Ethiopian specialty ever put upon any stage. His fun is as spontaneous as the sun-shine, his humor is as delicate as a caress of a summer breeze. Dockstader is supported by the best minstrel company ever gotten together in this country. It includes George Powers, Frank Girard, Cain & Lorenzo, the burlesquers of an aerial act; the famous three Marrelles, and the best lot of dancers and vocalists to be secured. McIntyre & Heath, the renowned delineators of Ethiopian character, will be seen in a humorous burlesque entitled, "Hotel Punch de Leon." The engagement is for one week only, and at its conclusion the beautiful extravaganza, "Sinbad," with its wealth of gorgeous coloring, splendid pageantry, beautiful women, and lovely music, will return for a short engagement. The advance sale of seats for Sinbad begins on Thursday, the 19th.

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Manager Baylies takes pleasure in announcing that for week beginning Sunday matinee, Nov. 15, Devoy & Smiley's International Comiques. The grandest organization of novelty features ever produced together in one company. The whole world contributes to this enterprise.

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HAVLIN'S THEATER.

Mr. Havlin is greatly pleased to herald the coming of that popular little favorite, Katie Emmett, who will appear in her great successful comedy-drama, "The Walls of New York," at his cozy theater during the week beginning with the matinee performance Sunday, Nov. 15. One of the principal features of "The Walls of New York's" great success is the truth of its character pictures. People who have never penetrated the lowly side of life in a great city, and have no personal knowledge of the people mirrored in this play, nevertheless feel and appreciate the vitality of this representation. Miss Emmett is a great favorite in Chicago, and is always certain of big houses, whenever she comes here. Her supporting company is better than that of last season and the play was never before staged in such a superb manner.

CLARK STREET THEATER.

Next week, beginning with the matinee Sunday, Nov. 15, "Birds of a Feather" will be the attraction. An exchange says:
Ledger and Transcript, Philadelphia, Tuesday, Sept. 15, 1891: The melodramatic comedy, "Birds of a Feather," which was produced before a crowded house, at the Empire theater last evening, is consistent in plot, though rather absurd in its "thrilling situations" and overwrought in its presentation of villainy. Nevertheless, it has a very good cast, and furnishes a fair evening's entertainment for those content to use their eyes and ears merely for the purpose of being amused and diverted. There are suggestions of farce, hints of comedy and the red fire and pistols of the swaggering melodrama. The scenes are laid in South Carolina, after the war, and in the drawing room of a New York mansion.

CENTRAL MUSIC HALL.

Next week Mexico II., the capital and the tropics. There is a very natural but quite erroneous impression that no seats are to be had. This is a mistake. Those who apply promptly can secure good seats for both lectures on Mexico. Do not delay. Week of Nov. 23, John L. Stoddard's Days in Jerusalem. And incidentally his Tribute to the Jews. Reserved seats, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1. Burditt & North, managers.

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Apollo Musical club. The twentieth season, consisting of three concerts, will open on Dec. 25 with the annual Christmas performance of "Handel's Messiah." Artists engaged: Mrs. Jennie Patrick Walker, Mr. W. J. Lavin, Mr. William Ludwig, Mr. Emil Fischer. The Chicago orchestra has been engaged for all of the concerts, and the second concert will be conducted by its musical director, Mr. Theodore Thomas. The box office is now open for the general sale of all tickets not reserved by former subscribers. Season prices—\$6, \$5, \$4, \$3, \$1.50. Boxes \$45. Box office, 174 Wabash avenue.

M'VICKER'S THEATER.

Were you there "When the band began to play and the elephant walked round" at McVicker's? Did you see C. B. Jefferson, Klav & Erlanger's "Country Circus?" Take the little ones. See the grand parade, the horses, do: a, and ponies, the chariot, cages, goit carts, the gorgeously caparisoned elephant, the tiger, lion, and bears, the \$10,000 wrestling pony "Banner." A good comedy. A grand ring show. The great and distinct novelty of the year.

HOOLEY'S THEATER.

Fourth and last week of Mr. E. S. Willard, under the management of A. M. Palmer, presenting for the first time here, "Judah," by Henry Arthur Jones. Only six nights. Saturday matinee only. Mr. A. M. Palmer's able company will appear to especial advantage in "Judah." Audiences requested to be seated at 8 o'clock.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.

"A Hole in the Ground" with the strongest cast ever in this comedy, including Mr. Erank Lawton, Mr. Chas. Cowles, Miss Hattie Harvey, Barry Maxwell, Miss May Curtiss. Appropriate scenery! Beautiful costumes! Pretty girls! Beginning Sunday, Nov. 15—Hoyt's "A Texas Steer."

WINDY THEATER.

Commencing Sunday matinee, Nov. 15, charming Nellie McHenry in her latest successful comedy, "A Night at the Circus." Commencing Sunday matinee, Nov. 22, Bobby Taylor in his greatest success, "Sport McAllister."

MADISON STREET OPERA-HOUSE.

Week commencing Monday, Nov. 16, Mabel Snow's grand spectacular burlesque company in the latest Parisian sensation, "Adam and Eve." Thirty beautiful ladies. Magnificent scenery, handsome costumes, etc.

LIBBY PRISON.

Don't fail to visit Libby prison. The only war museum in America. Wabash avenue, between Fourteenth and Sixteenth streets. Open daily and Sunday from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m.

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INTERESTING ITEMS.

Red silk stockings are rapidly coming into favor.
An herb that is reported to cure any kind of insanity has been found in Yucatan.

A Vermont man claims to have acquired vine, on the end of one branch of which grew a cluster of eighteen full grown squashes, all well developed.

The saying about the receiver being as bad as the other fellow has been thus varied by Judge Holmes of Boston: "A receiver is a gun that is a good deal easier to fire off than to control after it is fired."

Dr. John Plente, the amateur telescope-maker, is now finishing a 20 1/2-inch silver-on-glass mirror for Allegheny college which when mounted, will give that institution the largest reflecting telescope in this country.

Vincent Vela, the distinguished Italian sculptor, who died recently at the age of seventy years, began life as a laborer in a stone quarry. Twenty-five years ago one of his groups in a Paris salon won him the decoration of the Legion of Honor.

The model of a honey bee measuring four and a half feet from sucker to sting, has been received by the biological department of the university of Pennsylvania. It was received from Paris and is for the use of students, and is perfect in every part.

Descobee, an island adjoining Porto Rico, is infested with rats. There are millions of them there, and it is unsafe for a man to set foot on the island. They have destroyed all the goats on the island which were formerly bred there and are now eating the shrubbery.

A recording apparatus which has been for some time at work on a number of cabs in London is calculated to prevent disputes between cabbie and his fare. It is fixed inside the cab in full view of the passenger. The recorder has on its face a disk which is divided into twelve parts, each part representing a mile, and as the cab travels the distance covered will be indicated. Besides this there is an arrangement by means of which the work done and the money taken are recorded on a cardboard disk at the back of the machine.

SLAPJACKS AND MOLASSES.

In a game of chance the player who sweeps the board gets the dust.—Detroit Free Press.

"I shall make a note of this," as the treasury plate printer said of the paper.—Baltimore American.

Somewhat the girl who learns to ride a bicycle doesn't seem to get on very well at first.—Detroit Free Press.

Some men get a reputation for bravery just because they are able to conceal how scared they are.—Somerville Journal.

When a young man is writing a love letter he should keep constantly before his mind how it would look in print.—Somerville Journal.

ODDS AND ENDS.

One million nine hundred and twenty-five thousand one hundred and thirty pilgrims visited the holy coast at Treves.

Bread in a good state of preservation has been unearthed in Pompeii recently in the new rooms uncovered by the explorers.

An eleven-year-old New York boy took poison rather than run the risk of being punished by his parents for stealing twenty cents.

The Lost river rises in Yellowstone park in two streams which unite and then runs two miles, when it literally disappears into the earth.

The oldest church in continental Europe is the Church of Ste. Maria in Trastevere, in Rome. It was erected in 231 and repaired in 1189.

Fred Douglass says Hayti would become the richest country in the world in proportion to her population if she could only be kept free from revolutions.

A laughing jackass has been added to the attractions of Central park, New York—not the sort commonly found in such a resort, but the bird known by that name.

One result of the spread of the Mohammedan religion in Africa is to make tribes that formerly disposed of their captives by cannibalism save them and sell them for slaves.

The great Chinese cyclopaedia, consisting of 4,000 volumes, was published during the reign of Emperor Kang. It is the largest cyclopaedia in the world. Only 100 copies are completed.

Idaho has a river whose source is a mystery. It flows out of a lake in an immense volume and at one point is 369 feet deep. Where all the water comes from is something no one can tell.

A Wisconsin man wagered another that the latter would not marry a young woman who had a short time previously attempted suicide. As a result the wedding was solemnized the next day.

When Isaac Beards, of Middyhamps, Me., went to his orchard last fall with two farm hands, to gather apples, he found a large black bear in possession. All three were driven away by him.

Mrs. Freeman Crosby, of Valparaiso, Ind., recently entertained a party of twenty ladies whose combined ages amounted to 1,576 years. The average age was a fraction over seventy-eight years.

A Brooklyn bride, who tried to recover \$500 on a check that had been displayed among her wedding presents, failed, because it was shown that she had reason to believe that it was only given to her for exhibition purposes.

The largest bell in the world is the great bell at Moscow. Its circumference at the bottom is nearly 65 feet, and its height more than 31 feet. The thickest part is 28 inches thick, it weighs 433,723 pounds, and has never been rung.

The newest acrobatic feat is by a London cyclist named Minting, who, after the manner of the artist who used to roll a ball beneath his feet up a long spiral board, rides a bicycle up a spiral but 20 inches wide and 100 feet high. He has nets stretched below.

The description of a parcel of land in a Waldo county, Me., deed includes the following lucid passage: "Eight rods to a hole in the roof of a shed in the shipyard." As the shed was burned sixteen years ago the authorities are not exactly clear regarding that bound.

Mr. C. G. Leland told the recent folk lore congress in London that he had interviewed at least a hundred old gypsy fortune tellers and had discovered that they knew nothing whatever about the art of palmistry. He said that they learned by long experience to be shrewd judges of character, and that while pretending to look at hands they were in reality inspecting faces to find out the characteristics of people. Many a gypsy, he said, who has acquired fame as a fortune teller is merely a good reader of physiognomy.

FEMININITIES.

The queen regent of Spain is not a beauty.

An old silk handkerchief is the most effectual duster.

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A night riding whip is a good thing for beating the dust out of curtains and cushions.

The newest patent given to a woman has been for improvement in steam boilers and furnaces.

Intellectual activity is for women, as for men, the keenest of possible life long pleasures and a safeguard against a multitude of evils.

A woman in Springfield, Mass., who is but 24 years of age, is a grandmother. She was a mother at 17, and her daughter is now a mother.

Society ladies of Tacoma have organized a rainy day club, the sole object being to encourage the wearing on wet days of dresses that do not extend below the ankles.

The grandmother of the Emperor of China is 87 years old, blind, deaf, and crippled, and the other day her loving grandson presented her with 500 singing birds, 200 silk dresses and 100 musical instruments.

NAMES OF NOTE.

T. P. O'Connor was asked on a Friday to write a short biography of Parnell, and he handed in his work of 15,000 words on Saturday.

The Goulds, Astors and Vanderbilts are their own insurers. None of the insurance companies, it is said, can boast of having these names on their list.

Ex-Gov. Taylor, of Tennessee, who fiddled his way into the governor's chair, is to deliver 100 lectures in Southern cities on "The Fiddle and the Bow."

"The Bible is given to us to live by and not to fight over," was the excellent remark of Rev. Dr. Ensign McChesney in the Madison Episcopal church in New York.

John H. Lick, the only son of the man who gave the Lick Observatory to California, died in Great Falls, Pa., recently. He was seventy-three years old, a bachelor, and the president of a local iron company.

Paul du Chailu, who is as youthful and vigorous in appearance as if he had not been scolded in Africa and frozen in the "Land of the Midnight Sun," says that he remains young because he never used tobacco.

The rare occurrence of three brothers celebrating their seventieth birthday at the same time is recorded at Torrington, Conn. Matthew, Daniel and William Grant, the triplets, are said to be cousins of the late Gen. U. S. Grant.

The child-queen that rules Holland, while receiving a foreign minister recently, held her favorite doll in her arms, and at length mischievously observed: "I wonder that you are not afraid to come near me; all my dolls have had measles, you know."

Rev. Sam Jones was a drayman in Atlanta, before he became a preacher, and his outfit is described as a "small, rickety, rattling, ramshackled wagon, and a sorrel horse that was old and experienced enough to have come down from the Revolutionary war."

"If," said Labouchere of the emperor of Germany, "that young man is not sooner or later the cause of a European conflagration I shall be greatly mistaken. He is as dangerous on a great military throne as a lunatic would be in a powder magazine with a lighted cigar in his mouth."

An old woman lives near Vienna who was a servant of Beethoven. She speaks of him as a "crazy and distracted musician." She lived there when he wrote the Choral Symphony, and, although the house is in wretched repair, she will not have it touched. It is let out in rooms to poor working people, but it is still visited by strangers.

There are three venerable trees in Washington, Ga. One is a white oak, under which the commissioners began the work of laying out the town in 1783. A second is a poplar, under the shade of which, in 1700, took place the first ordination of a Presbyterian minister west of the Savannah river. The third is a huge oak, under which, in 1856, occurred the memorable debate between Robert Toombs and Benjamin Hill.

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Destroying Weeds.

It is in part at least, because of their smothering tendencies that soiling crops have been found helpful in destroying weeds. They are usually thickly sown and on land so far enriched that it produces an excellent growth. When a good crop of oats, peas and vetches are grown upon a piece of land in best form it is of much service in checking weeds, and if autumn cultivation follows the benefits are intensified.

All classes of weeds are not equally hindered by crops grown to smother them, even though they may ripen at the same period. As a rule these crops are more serviceable in destroying perennials than annuals or biennials. Although they should succeed in keeping in check one crop of annuals, we may look for another the following season. When a crop of perennials is destroyed it puts a stop to one mode in which they multiply, viz.: by root development, and hence the benefits extend over several years. Because of this, more attention should be given to the destruction of perennials by smothering crops than of other classes of weeds. Annuals especially can be more effectively destroyed through some system of cultivation, which will encourage them to germinate that they may be destroyed.

When two food crops can be grown in a single season on the same piece of land, the effects upon weed destruction are very wholesome. This can frequently be done through good management. We can often get two crops here in Ontario, writes Thomas Shaw, with our rigorous winters. How much more easily then may this be done in the warmer latitudes where many of the readers of the Ohio Farmer live.

In the effort to get two crops in this northern climate, rye is generally relied on as the first one. The ground for this crop should be plowed by September 1st. This operation scourges the weeds, for, taking it all in all, August is the best month in the year for destroying weeds. Then the rye is cut when coming into ear, for hay, or at later stage for the silo. The ground is then plowed in the early part of June before any weed seeds have matured, when the whole generation of weeds then growing is left and buried where the crop coming after will fatten upon its decay.

The rye may be followed by any one of a number of crops, as may be desired. Turnips may be grown, but not so successfully as on lands worked earlier in the season. Millet will grow in good form after the rye. The same holds true in regard to buckwheat where the climate is suitable to its proper development. But the best crop to follow rye, take it all in all, in this country, is rape. When the rye is cut we have the whole month of June to get our land ready for the rape.

Then again, two crops may be grown in one year where one is a soiling crop. But this can only be done to a limited extent, as usually a small acreage of soiling crop is grown. Where oats, peas and vetches form the first crop, the second may consist of barley, peas, or a combination of these, also grown as a soiling crop; or it may consist of rape in some latitudes, which may be grown for pasture.

It should be borne in mind that I am dealing more with general principles than with detailed descriptions. The crops that should be grown for smothering purposes, as well as for the crop itself, will vary with the climate and soil and necessities of each locality. In warmer latitudes it may be possible to get two crops, both of which mature their seeds, and without going southward into climates where "the orange and the citron bloom." At all events, the more the land is kept judiciously employed the less chance will there be for weeds to multiply.

Bean Culture.

Beans require rich soil, but if the bean fodder is carefully saved and fed with refuse beans to sheep, the crop is not nearly so exhaustive as many others. Only the grain is sold, and thirty bushels of beans per acre will not remove more plant food than can be replaced by two hundred weight each of phosphate and nitrate of soda. Years ago, in war times, beans suddenly advanced in price to \$4 and even \$5 per bushel. Nothing in grain raising compares with beans for raising money quickly and with moderate amount of labor. Many farms were bought and mainly paid for with the proceeds of the bean crop. Beans took their place in the rotation. A crop yielding twenty-five to thirty bushels per acre sold often for \$100 per acre, or as much as the original cost of the land. By the time the whole farm had been "beaned" it was paid for. Beans were put in with a drill or with bean-planters, setting the plants in hills with rows far enough apart one way to cultivate between. Most of the cultivation was done with horse power. Now there are bean-harvesting machines that greatly lessen the back-aching labor of bean pulling. Threshing too, that used to be done with the flail or by tramping out the beans, is now accomplished more perfectly by bean-threshers.—American Cultivator.

The Horse to Raise.

What the country needs is more \$200 horses. For actual usefulness a \$200 horse is worth more than the red-circled \$5,000 or \$10,000 specimen. The average value of horses in the United States is \$47. That is too

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Things to Remember.

No one should disturb a pan or can of milk when once the temperature has begun to fall. The fats seem to follow each other to the surface in little independent currents or lines, attracting the fats from each side of this perpendicular column, though they are very close together. Now if we disturb the pan or can, we throw these little currents of perpendicular rising cream out of line, and they may not reach the surface. There is economy, also, in keeping cans of milk sealed by some method during muggy weather and thunder storms. Not that thunder sours milk; but that the milk, unprotected, sours much sooner during such weather, is due to the increased number of germs floating in the air at such times; a hot, moist atmosphere being the most congenial to their multiplication, and the milk gets its full share of the increase. No gain in cream-ripening can be expected by any chemical change to the milk, as all such tend to increased viscosity, which means increased difficulty in the upward movement.—Practical Farmer.

Farm Notes.

If cob and corn are ground together for feed to horses and cattle don't forget to mix with it an equal bulk of bran.

The Texas Live Stock Journal says that experience in that state has fully demonstrated that it is necessary to introduce new blood every three or four years.

Milk drawn from an inflamed udder, says the Jersey Bulletin, will almost invariably, if made into butter, develop an offensive odor, resembling decaying meat. Such milk is unfit for use. Do not feed it even to the pigs. Pour it on the manure pile.

Remember there is danger for sheep on oow land. They may pasture the meadows awhile, but keep them on the hills foot of the time. Fluke and footrot are far from friendly. Remember also that milk is an essential to health and an even more so.

Such emphasis cannot be given to the importance of muck as a fertilizer. Large quantities of muck are lying around small ponds, lakes and the banks of streams, which can be made of great value as a fertilizer. It makes excellent manure, and the mixture increases the fertilizer heap one-half. It is free fertilizer such as nature supplies.

It has been proved, says the Elgin Dairy Report, that cows giving the richest milk also give the highest flavor. When the patrons begin to weed out their non-paying cows, the quality of their milk will improve in every way. The care required to keep the cows up to the standard will be shown in better stables, cleaner surroundings, both for them and the milk, balanced rations and a general improvement of the whole dairy industry.

Hard milkers may, in a few cases, be cured by careful feeding to increase the flow of milk, frequent milking and fomentation, or dry rubbing the udder. By these means almost all hard milkers may be improved, if taken in hand when young. Milking tubes may be used, with good effect to relieve certain cases of temporary stoppage in teat or while the teat is healing from a wound, but their habitual use is not to be recommended.

Domestic Data.

Initials on house linen are much darned over before being worked to raise the letter.

To remove tar from cloth rub cloth well with turpentine and every trace of tar will be removed.

An excellent use for oyster shells is to clean the fire brick of the stove. Lay a number of them on top of the hot coals and when the fire burns down it will be found that all the clinkers have sealed off the bricks.

Chamois skins are not derived from the chamois, as many people suppose, but are the flesh side of sheepskin. The skins are soaked in lime water and in a solution of sulphuric acid; fish oil is poured over them and they are carefully washed in a solution of potash.

If practicable have the breakfast room face the morning sun, and in the window set some blooming plants, to be replaced by others when they cease to blossom. Let in the sunlight upon them and the table, and try to greet the dawning day with happy converse and gentle laughter. Nothing so well fits man or woman for the duties of the day as to begin it with cheerfulness.

Lard is now so adulterated that the safest plan is to buy a pure article if any object, is to buy the leaf lard and try it out at home, straining into a large stone jar and keeping in a cold place. Where salt pork is bought in small quantities it can be kept also in a jar or tub half filled with brine, and the pork must not be allowed to come above it, a plate, smaller round than the jar, serving to keep it under.

Meat of any kind may be preserved in a temperature of from 80 degrees to 100 degrees for a period of ten days after it has been soaked in a solution of one pint of salt dissolved in four gallons of cold water and one-half gallon of a solution of bisulphate of calcium. By repeating this process the preservation may be extended by the addition of a solution of gelatine or the white of an egg to the salt and water.

Only the best and largest oysters should be chosen for frying. Dip them, one by one, in flour, then in beaten egg, season with salt and the merest dash of cayenne, dip again in powdered butter cracker and fry them in boiling hot fat, deep enough to float a doughnut. Turn them in frying and cook them in all four minutes. Drain them thoroughly, lay them for a moment on coarse brown paper to absorb any fat that may cling to them, and serve them at once in a folded napkin on a hot dish accompanied by quarters of lemon and water like slices of brown bread daintily buttered.

Cycling News.

In New York there are 50,000 cyclists.

An exchange says one mile road races are common in this country.

Scheltens-Beduin, the crack safety and tricycle rider on the other side of the water, is coming over here.

Before Dubois, the French rider, traveled 204 miles in twelve hours, the record was 186 miles, made by F. J. Lees, an Englishman.

Ede is unhappy. Since Newland blotted out his records from 64 to 100 miles he has been aching for an opportunity to retrieve his laurels.

There are 900 women in Washington, D. C., who ride safeties. It is not surprising, considering that they have 500 miles of asphalt over which to glide.

Two Munich cyclists have been contesting an extraordinary wager. One bet the other \$50 that he could not ride from Munich to Vienna and back while he the former, made 1,500,000 dots on paper.

The N. C. U. of England is thinking about fixing up a date at once for the running of certain championships in London, on the best fastest and safest track, and invite thereto the best riders in the three kingdoms.

Younger Heads want Fence.

A New York telegram says that a conference had been held there the other night by a number of well-known baseball men, both players and managers from both organizations. Byrne and Von der Horst had a long talk, in which the latter said he thought it was about time that the hot-headed representatives of both the leading organizations stepped down and out and gave some of the clear-headed ones a chance to adjust all existing differences. Among those present were Billie Barnie, John M. Ward, Tim Keefe, Danny Richardson and others. Richardson is said to have stated that he and Connor have signed with the Athletics.

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International tag-of-war are becoming popular. One closed in San Francisco last week. The contestants were divided to nationality into ten teams: Americans, English, Scotch, Irish, Canadians, Danes, Swedes, Norwegians, Italians and Germans, and the contest created interest and excitement that filled Mechanics' Pavilion with audiences of 10,000 people nightly. The chief event was between Ireland and England. The contest drew the largest number of spectators that has witnessed any athletic event in that city in the past five years.

The teams contested every inch of the rope desperately, excited spectators urging them on with national cries. Ireland finely won after a tug one hour and three minutes. Such contests can be arranged in any large city.

The Dividend.

The total amount of money divided at the Gravesend meeting was \$146,374, which was extraordinarily evenly distributed, the largest winner, Mr. D. T. Pulsifer, only claiming a little over \$10,000. Thirty-three stables won \$1,000 or over apiece. The winners of \$4,000 and upward are as follows: D. T. Pulsifer, \$10,330; Dwyer & Son, \$9,905; M. F. Dwyer, \$9,700; F. C. McLevee, \$8,100; W. H. Landeman, \$7,400; G. B. Morris, \$6,100; Wa'cott & Campbell, \$7,245; Buck & Sons, \$5,100; W. C. Daly, \$4,885; Empire Stable, \$4,703; W. Lakeland, \$4,720; Rancocas Stable, \$4,170; Schuykill Stable, \$4,080.

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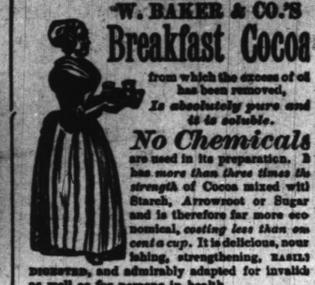
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Typhoid fever is abating about Wicker Park.

Officer Danielson of the 30th Precinct, West North avenue, is confined to his home by a severe cold.

The Aeolus Indoor Base Ball Club defeated the Second Regiment indoor team Thursday evening of last week at Zanieschek's Hall by a score of 10 to 8. A large crowd witnessed the game.

Presiding Elder Kurks preached Sunday at the Wicker Park M. E. church. Rev. Mr. Satterfield preached at the State Reform School.

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An elegant study has been prepared for Rev. Satterfield in the southwest corner of his church, the Wicker Park M. E.

Tuesday evening the Junior Epworth League of the Wicker Park M. E. church held their first anniversary in the church parlors. Herbert Hunt, the organist, reports 150 members.

The tenth annual ball of Wicker Park Lodge, No. 121, I. O. M. A., was held Saturday evening, Oct. 31, at Central Turner Hall.

It is rumored that Louis B. Bolstad, our esteemed and worthy member of the typographical union, is going to enter the matrimonial state the 21st inst. The esteemed young lady who is to be his partner in life is Miss Sadie Baldwin.

Tuesday evening the first quarterly conference of the Wicker Park M. E. church was held at the church parlors, Dr. Kurks, presiding elder, in charge. Reports were very favorable.

L. Lutkin, architect, is back in his old quarters at 283 West May street, where he will be pleased to meet his old patrons and friends.

John Klifstad, residing at the southwest corner of Morgan and Indiana street, was stabbed by John Rice, Klifstad, in company with friends, were in Olson's saloon, 228 Austin avenue, when Rice walked in and without provocation pulled out a dirk and stabbed him in the right arm near the shoulder.

Mrs. John Archibald, formerly of 751 Wood street, fell from a doctory and fractured her hip. She would be pleased to see any of her friends at her residence, 4308 Carroll avenue.

Monday evening the Arions defeated the Prairie States in a close game at Zanieschek's Hall. The score was 17 to 13.

Edward Thies, the driver of the 30th precinct patrol wagon, who was recently injured by being thrown from the wagon, has returned to duty.

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Mrs. Dr. Williams and son Robert returned Sunday from a visit to Ohio. They report a very pleasant time.

Tuesday evening a fire was discovered in the basement of the building at 759 Ashland avenue, near North avenue. Engine 37 responded to the alarm, and after an hour's work succeeded in extinguishing it after damage to the extent of about \$150 had been done. The cause was unknown.

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The opening service of the Norwegian Evangelical Lutheran St. Paul's church, North avenue between Leavitt and Snober streets, will be held Sunday, Nov. 15th. The pastor, J. B. Torrison, will conduct the services.

A grand ball was given by the St. George's Society Saturday evening at Central Turner Hall. This society is renowned for its fine receptions, but this one eclipses its predecessors. The hall was crowded and the evening will be long remembered by those present.

Wednesday evening the regular monthly meeting of the Aeolus Cycling Club was held at the club.

The marriage of Miss Ella Snow will occur Wednesday, Nov. 18th at her home, 287 Leavitt street. The event is looked forward to with much anticipation by society people.

The Chicago Bowling Club gave a grand ball Friday evening of last week at Aurora Turner Hall. The large crowd and enjoyable time had by all reflects great credit upon the committee in charge.

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BARRINGTON POST, No. 275, G. A. R. Department of Ill.—meets every second Friday in the month at Calvert's Hall. F. J. Beck, Commander; L. Parcell, S. V. C.; Fred Weisman, J. V. C.; L. Krahn, S.; Stewart Miller, Chaplain; A. Gleason, O. M.; A. S. Henderson, D.; C. G. Mann, O. G.

W. R. C., No. 85—meets the second and fourth Wednesday of each month. Mrs. R. Lombard, Pres. Miss H. Brockway, Sec.

M. W. A., No. 808—meets first and third Saturday of each month at Lamey's Hall. D. A. Smith, C. J. John Robertson, W. A.; C. H. Kendall, F. J. C. H. Austin, Clerk; H. K. Brockway, E.; Fred Kirschner, W.; Wm. Anholts, S.

The sum of \$1250 was subscribed at the German Evangelical church Sunday for Bishop Dubbs cause.

Mrs. Grace, of Wauconda, who has been visiting in Chicago, spent Wednesday at Mr. E. Lamey's.

Mrs. R. Lombard has regained her health so that now she is able to do dressmaking again.

L. F. Schroeder has a large stock of the well known Acorn and Spandix stoves and the celebrated Howe Ventilator.

Carl F. Meyer has moved in the rooms over A. W. Meyer's store.

Mr. Colten, Sr., is quite sick at present writing.

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Miss Zoia Wienecke and Mr. Henry Hillman, of Lake Zurich, were united in marriage at the home of the brides parents near Barrington, Wednesday, Nov. 11, at 2:30 p. m. Rev. Starck, of Plum Grove officiated. Only relatives and intimate friends witnessed the ceremony. They will reside in Lake Zurich where Mr. Hillman is in business.

Edward Weinecke was at home Wednesday to witness the marriage of his sister.

At the last meeting of the board of auditors of the M. W. A. held last week, there was over \$50,000 audited and paid for death losses for the preceding month.

The sociable at the M. E. church parlors, Saturday evening of last week, was a success in every particular. The receipts amounted to \$25.00.

Ben Newman, who is clerking in a grocery store in Chicago is taking a two weeks vacation, and will spend the time in Wisconsin hunting.

Mrs. M. J. Backus, Mrs. W. H. Dofy and mother, of Lockport, Ill.; Mrs. Laura Hipwell and Mrs. C. D. Taylor, of Palatine were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Tuttle, this week.

Mrs. T. J. Crowley, of Chicago, visited her mother this week.

Bishop Dubbs preached at the German Evangelical church Sunday.

The Womens Relief Corps will give a match and shingle dime social at the M. E. church parlors, Saturday evening, Nov. 14th. Refreshments will be served and a good time is anticipated. You are cordially invited to attend.

Attend the sociable at the M. E. church parlors tonight.

Chas. Browne, formerly of this place, is to be married Nov. 25th to Miss Brown, of Rodgers Park.

John Jackson, who has been visiting at his old home in Alabama, returned to Barrington, Friday of last week.

Miss Lillie Morse, of Libertyville, visited at Miss Mamie Clark's last week.

There will be some repairs made on the M. E. Church soon.

Mrs. B. Castle, of Chicago, spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Filkins.

Miss Laura Cowden spent last week at Barrington Center.

Miss Alvina Nordmeier visited relatives at Naperville, Ill., during the past week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lines, Sunday, Nov. 8th, a 10 pound girl.

Sarah Newball, of Cary, is at Mrs. Seibert's this week.

Miss Sadie Hutchinson has returned home after two weeks visit in Chicago.

will take a timely warning and not continue doing this. If they cannot go to church and behave themselves they had better stay at home.

Evening service at the M. E. and Baptist churches commence at 7 o'clock from now on during the winter months.

Mrs. Crouk will occupy the rooms over H. A. Harnden marble shop.

Miss Maude Gray returned to Barrington Tuesday.

Frien's and relatives celebrated the anniversary of J. W. Kingsley's birthday, Nov. 10th.

Rev. and Miss Ella Searl, of Elgin, visited at J. W. Kingsley's birthday, Nov. 10th.

MAPLEWOOD.

GRACE CONG. CHURCH—Corner Powell avenue and Cherry place. Sunday services—Preaching, morning, 10:45; Sunday School, 2:30. Evening preaching, 7:30. Young Peoples Society meeting Monday evening at 8:30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:30 P. M. All are invited and will be welcome.

N. W. M. E. CHURCH—Sunday Services.—Preaching at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School, 2:30 P. M.; Freezing, 7:30 P. M.; Young Peoples Society meeting Monday evening at 8:30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:30 P. M. All are invited and will be welcome.

ST. MARKS R. E. CHURCH—Laurel avenue. Pastor, Rev. C. J. Millar, B. A. Morning service, 10:30 a. m. Sunday School, 2:30 a. m. Mission at Humboldt, 4 p. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m.

BAPTIST MISSION—Fullerton avenue between Powell and Western avenues. Preaching services every Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Sunday school at 2:30 o'clock.

Get your furniture insured at the insurance office of Roberts and Haavrig, 1574 Milwaukee avenue.

Saturday evening the Elstons failed to appear at the Maplewood Opera House where they were scheduled to play the Maplewood indoor base ball team.

A literary and musical entertainment given by Mrs. Minnie Rogers, pianist, Miss Lulu Rogers, vocalist and Mr. Chas. Elander, violinist, assisted by The Columbia Quartette and Miss Mary Lloyd, elocutionist, will be held at Merwick's Hall, corner Milwaukee and Hoffman avenues, Tuesday evening, Nov. 17th. Admission 25 cents.

Great bargain, choice east front lot on Irving avenue, Irving Park, 25x157 feet, only \$400 if bought immediately; worth \$600. Will build to suit you on easy terms. Don't miss this. It is a real bargain, either as an investment and a home site. A. Hill & Co., 157 Washington street. Residence, Irving Park. At home Sundays.

A very enjoyable birthday party was held last Saturday evening at the residence of Chas. R. Litter in honor of his 30th birthday.

BILTON-HARKER.

St. Marks presented a very animated appearance on Wednesday evening the 11th of this month, when a large gathering of Maplewood and Humboldt people assembled to witness the marriage ceremony of Mr. Robert C. Bilton and Miss Emma J. Harker.

Miss Harker is an indefatigable worker in St. Mark's Mission at Humboldt, and has won for herself the love and esteem not only of the adults but also of the Sunday school children.

Miss DePuhl, the talented organist of St. Mark's, presided at the organ. As soon as the bride and groom arrived the organ struck up the wedding hymn.

The voice that breathed o'er Eden That earliest wedding day, The primal marriage blessing, It hath not pass'd away.

The children's choir then took up the refrain, and dressed in white, they marched down the aisle, their sweet young voices sounding clear as silver.

The Reverend C. J. Millar performed the ceremony, at the conclusion of which the wedding party were driven to their new home on the west side, where an ample supper was provided. The bride wore a beautiful dress of India silk, trimmed with white netting and swans down. Her bridesmaid looked very pretty in white and carried a fine bouquet of pink roses. Mrs. J. E. Chantry wore a cream colored cashmere a la Marie Stewart. Mrs. H. Cooley also was in the procession. Messrs. J. E. Chantry, Morgan and Clark were groomsmen.

Among the wedding presents we noticed silver butter dish, the gift of Mr and Mrs. J. Clark; water pitcher and tumblers, Miss Johnson; table linen and celery dish, Mrs. Cooley; fruit dish, Mrs. J. Harker; cake stand, Mrs. Wm. Harker; silver sugar and dessert spoons, Garden City Awning & Tent Co.; silver casket, Mrs. H. Harker; piano lamp, Messrs. Vibourts, Allen and Maas; rocking chair, members of Rose Lodge; centre table, Mrs. Wm. Baragwanath; album, Mrs. W. Morgan; table scarf, Miss Touhey; linen table set, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Chantry; silver cake dish, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Chantry; silver spoons, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chadry.

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Edwin Lawrence is ill with typhoid fever.

"Single Life."

Ernest Hammond was suddenly taken ill Sunday. He is much improved and is able to work.

Mrs. Geo. L. Wright is in Cleveland, O., visiting relatives and friends.

Dr. and Mrs. Fonda entertained many of their friends Thursday evening at their pleasant home, Miniature Forest.

Sir Knights Fonda, Fletcher and M. M. Goodman participated in the Masonic ceremonies at the laying of the Gope-stone of the Masonic Temple.

Fred Schultz has gone to Wisconsin on a duck hunting trip.

Henry Gerlicher had one of his arms badly crushed between two cars last Friday at the N. W. R. tracks near Western avenue.

Alderman Mat. Conway got two good orders through the Council Monday night.

If Ald. Fonda and Conway can get the Ordinance through the Council for the extension of the Milwaukee avenue cable line to Lawrence avenue as recommended by the Committee on streets and alleys, west, Monday, it will be a great benefit to people of this Ward for there seems to be no question but what Mr. Yerkes will build the extension on the passing of the ordinance.

Mrs. Chas. C. Given and daughter have gone to Oxford, Miss., to spend the winter on the plantation of her uncle and aunt.

The Junior C. E. society meets at 4:30 o'clock p. m. Leader for Nov. 15, Jesse Frahm. It is desired that all the children will attend these meetings.

Mr. Peter Tompson has placed a flag pole on his new building.

A new room is being added in the school of this place.

Julius Hertel is working at H. C. and C. Durand's house.

The Y. P. S. C. E. will meet Sunday evening, Nov. 15 at 6 o'clock. Subject, "In the world but not of it." John 17:19 2:15 Leader, Miss Alice Lawrence. All the young people are cordially invited.

Why do not the young men of this place organize an Indoor Base Ball Club? There are plenty of ball players here and one good hall.

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