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Memorial Day.

Preparations are in progress by R. P. Carpenter Post, G A. R. for the proper observance of the day set apart by Congress to remember the fallen heroes of the nation, and to cover their graves with beautiful flowers on Wednesday, May 30.

In these obsequies they should be assisted by every patriotic American citizen at least. Aid them by your presence at the exercises and show on this one day of all the year that the effect for which they died was worth the price it cost.

On Sunday, May 27; at 2 p. m., at the Town Hall, Rev. W. W. Whitcomb will preach a memorial sermon. The post and Relief Corps will attend in a body. The following is the order of exercises:

Music,
Prayer,
Music,
Calling Roll of Honor,
Sermon,
Prayer,
Music,
Benediction.

On Wednesday, May 30, at 10 o'clock, weather permitting, the Post and Relief Corps will march to Oak Grove Cemetery, where an address will be delivered by B. M. Cutcheon at 2 p. m., after which the usual order of exercises will be observed.

Flowers will be received at the Town Hall, where a committee will be ready to receive them at 9 o'clock Wednesday forenoon.

Primary School Money.

The following is a statement of the number of children of school age in the several cities and townships in Washtenaw county, and the amount of primary money appointed to each:

	Children	Amount.
Ann Arbor City	3 073	$2 550 59
Ann Arbor Town	248	205 84
Augusta	606	502 98
Bridgewater	311	258 13
Dexter	231	191 73
Freedom	461	382 63
Lima	266	220 78
Lodi	295	244 85
Lyndon	187	155 21
Manchester	667	553 61
Northfield	323	268 09
Pittsfield	309	256 47
Salem	270	224 10
Saline	565	468 95
Scio	526	436 58
Sharon	344	285 52
Superior	342	283 86
Sylvan	674	559 42
Webster	197	163 51
York	599	497 17
Ypsilanti Town	284	235 72
Ypsilanti City	1 607	1 333 81
Total	12 385	$10 279 55

Lecture.

Col. R. F. Smiley, of Flint, Mich., will deliver his popular lecture "Fraternal Organizations," at the Town Hall, Chelsea June 7, 1894. under the auspices of Chelsea Tent, K. O. T. M.

What the Press and people say of him:

Jackson Citizen: "The church was crowded and the audience listened breathlessly for an hour and a half to the thrilling utterances of Colonel Smiley. He swayed his hearers at will from laughter to tears."

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Letter List.

Following are the letters remaining unclaimed in the postoffice at Chelsea, May 21, 1894.

Mr. C. A. Bailey.
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Mr. E. V. Evarts.
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THE NEWS.

Compiled From Late Dispatches.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Regular Session.

ON the 14th petitions were presented in the senate praying for the recognition of Lincoln's birthday as a national holiday. A bill was introduced making it a crime punishable by imprisonment from one year to twenty years to retard or obstruct the passage of any train carrying the United States mail. The tariff bill was further considered .... In the house the resignation of Representative Compton, of Maryland, was received. Several District of Columbia bills were passed.

IN the senate on the 15th Senator Allen (Neb.) called up his resolution to investigate the industrial condition of the country, but it went over for the day. A bill to place Dunbar Ranson on the retired list of the army as captain was passed and the tariff measure was further considered....In the house the naval appropriation bill was passed and the agricultural appropriation bill was discussed. The committee on pensions voted to report a bill increasing the rates of all pensioners of the Mexican war and Indian war from $8 to $12 a month.

ON the 16th tariff discussion occupied the time of the senate. A resolution for an investigation of the charge that bribery had been attempted to defeat the tariff bill was offered.... In the house the joint resolution authorizing an investigation of the industrial depression was reported from the committee on labor. A bill was introduced for the erection of a national memorial home for aged colored people in Washington. The agricultural appropriation bill was considered.

IN the senate a resolution for an investigation of the charge that bribery had been attempted to defeat the tariff bill was adopted on the 17th and a bill providing for the admission of Utah as a state was reported. The tariff bill was further discussed....In the house the agricultural bill was passed.

ON the 18th a resolution calling upon the attorney general for information as to the existence of a sugar trust in violation of the law was adopted in the senate. The tariff bill was considered....In the house the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill was discussed. At the evening session private bills were considered. Adjourned to the 21st.

DOMESTIC.

DR. TALMAGE will not again assume charge of the Brooklyn tabernacle unless $280,000 in cash is raised for a new building and site.

AN incendiary fire that started in the baseball park in Boston burned over sixteen acres of territory, destroying the homes of 400 families and leaving nearly 4,000 persons homeless. The loss was placed at $500,000.

E. S. BEACH, W. C. Truesdell, J. F. Browne and Franklin Whithall, Harvard college students, were drowned in Boston harbor, their sailboat capsizing.

THE Ohio Grand Army of the Republic met in annual encampment at Canton.

SPENCER ATKINS, a farmer, was taken from his house near Birmingham, Ala., and murdered by white caps.

THREE desperadoes disguised as tramps tried to wreck and rob a St. Paul train near Minnesota City. They were captured after a hard fight.

TWO THOUSAND veterans participated in the parade at Rockford which opened the twenty-eighth annual encampment of the Illinois department G. A. R.

OZEM JACKSON and J. A. Trusty were killed and William Hurst fatally injured by the caving in of a tunnel on the Monon road at Owensburg, Ind.

PETERSON and Gaudaur were winners of the heats in the 3-mile sculling race for professionals at Austin, Tex.

THE barn of W. H. Senden near Marshall, Minn., was struck by lightning and destroyed, together with thirty-three good horses and forty hogs and pigs.

MEMBERS of three Logansport (Ind.) families, twelve persons in all, were poisoned by eating cheese and three would probably die.

FATHER O'GRADY, the murderer of pretty Mary Gilmartin, was starving himself to death in the Cincinnati jail.

COOT WILLIAMS, a negro convict, was taken from Mallory's camp at Pine grove, near Welborn, Fla., and lynched by a crowd of 100 men.

NIM YOUNG (colored) was lynched in Ocala, Fla., for assaulting Lizzie Weems, a 16-year-old white girl.

THE bill providing for free school books in Ohio passed the senate and is now a law.

THROUGH the efforts of the citizens' arbitration committee all differences between the Great Northern railway and its employes were adjusted at Minneapolis.

THE commonweal leaders, J. S. Coxey, Carl Browne and Christopher Columbus Jones, were denied a new trial in Washington, but sentence was deferred for two days.

TWO SCHOONERS and 50,000 tons of coal were consumed in a conflagration which swept the river front of Pawtucket, R. I. The loss was $500,000.

THE Simonds Stove Manufacturing company in New York went into a receiver's hands with liabilities of $445,500.

JONES woods, a popular New York resort, was destroyed by fire, with many surrounding dwellings, the loss being over $500,000.

THE Bellaire (O.) Nail company closed its entire works because of a shortage of coal and coke and 1,200 persons were idle.

ANALSON HYATT, a well-known citizen of Waverly, N. Y., while drunk stabbed his wife fatally and then killed himself.

THE National bank of Pendleton, Ore., closed its doors.

A STORM of wind and rain swept over portions of Minnesota and Wisconsin and several million dollars' worth of property was destroyed, all the railroads running through that section were blocked and four persons lost their lives.

CHARLES SAMSMULLER, aged 50, killed his mother, aged 90, in New York and then took his own life. Poverty was the cause.

IOWA prohibitionists have organized for a three years' fight for a temperance amendment to the state constitution.

GAUDAUR broke his own 3-mile world's fair record of 19:06 at the professional regatta at Austin, Tex., beating Peterson in 19:02¼.

IN Chicago Election Commissioners Keenan, Hutchings and Schomer were fined $1,000 each for contempt by Judge Chetlain for refusing to turn over ballots to the grand jury.

DR. SAMUEL A. MUTCHMORE, of Philadelphia, was chosen moderator of the Presbyterian general assembly in session at Saratoga, N. Y.

H. H. MCDOWELL, of Pontiac, was elected department commander of the Illinois G. A. R., and Mrs. M. R. M. Wallace, of Chicago, was elected president of the Woman's Relief Corps.

BANKERS, brokers and investors report no improvement in the general business situation and are correspondingly depressed.

A FIRE which started in the United States appraiser's office in Boston caused a loss to the government of $150,000 and other losses amounted to $30,000.

WHEAT touched 53¼ cents, the lowest price ever known in Chicago.

THE conference of coal miners and operators came to an end at Cleveland, nothing having been accomplished toward settling the strike.

OWING to the coal famine the Grand Trunk railroad refuses to accept lake and rail shipments of grain from Chicago.

A CYCLONE passed one-fourth of a mile west of Kunkle, O., doing great damage to property and killing Daniel Barrett and his wife and their two grand-daughters, Myrta and Martha Caso, and George Oxinger. Charles Cole and his wife were fatally injured.

JOHN APPLIN, a farmer in Wood county, O., was swindled out of $4,000 by two confidence men who engaged him in cards.

NORWEGIANS in Chicago celebrated the eightieth anniversary of Norway's independence.

HAILSTONES 3 inches in diameter fell at Decatur, Ill., and much damage was done to windows and vegetation.

PLANS have been formulated whereby the Pacific railroads may liquidate their debt to the government in fifty years.

OVER 13,000 sheep perished in a snow and windstorm on the Sierra Nevada ranges.

FIVE men and a woman were drowned by the wrecking of the schooner M. J. Cummings at Milwaukee.

THE anniversary of the establishment of the first post office in America was celebrated at Breeze cottage, Garden City, L. I.

DURING a terrific gale on Lake Michigan the beach from Glencoe to South Chicago was strewn with wreckage. Eight vessels came to grief and at least ten lives were sacrificed. The financial loss was estimated at $100,000. The scene off the lake front was unparalled in Chicago's history. During the storm the old cottonwood tree in Chicago, marking the Fort Dearborn massacre of 1812 was blown down.

THERE were 220 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 18th, against 206 the week previous and 247 in the corresponding time in 1893.

MRS. MATILDA A. PETERSON, of Chicago has petitioned congress to appropriate $5,000,000 to purchase lands on which to settle unemployed thousands.

THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 18th aggregated $887,677,573, against $903,225,545 the previous week. The decrease, compared with the corresponding week in 1893 was 27.6.

AN agent for the Missouri Pacific bought the Kansas City & Beatrice railroad at auction for $100,000.

CINCINNATI authorities forced food down the throat of Father O'Grady, the murderer of Mollie Gilmartin, who was starving himself.

DURING a storm in New Jersey fourteen houses were struck by lightning in Bridgeton, three in Cedarville, four at Newport, two at Dutch Neck, seven at Vineland and several in Millville.

ONE man was killed, one fatally injured and four seriously hurt by the explosion of a boiler at West Bay City, Mich.

WILLIAM MCKEILL was hanged at Mobile, Ala., for the murder of his wife, whom he found to be unfaithful to him.

BOOKKEEPER J. J. KEAN, of the Harlem river bank in New York, was charged with stealing $19,000 of the bank's funds.

FRANK GOODALE, a well-known jockey, was thrown from Judge Payne at Louisville and trampled to death by the horses following him.

ALL the employes of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad have been requested by the company to submit to vaccination.

VIOLENT storms of wind and snow swept over Illinois, Wisconsin, Ohio, Iowa and Indiana, doing vast damage to crops and buildings and causing some deaths.

THE National Editorial association will meet in tenth annual convention at Asbury Park, N. J., July 2 to 26.

APPLICATION was made in Philadelphia for a receiver for the order of Tonti. The liabilities were said to reach into the millions.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

IN the Congregational church at East Northfield, Mass., Emma R. Moody, daughter of the evangelist, was married to Arthur P. Fitt, of Chicago.

THE populist state convention of Georgia nominated J. K. Hines, of Atlanta, for governor.

T. W. PHILLIPS was nominated for congress by the republicans of the Twenty-fifth Pennsylvania district.

NATHANIEL P. CRANE, aged 84, and Mrs. Chloe Gibson, aged 78, were married at Belvidere, Ill. The officiating minister is 82 years of age.

REV. DR. EDWARD BRIGHT, the editor of the Examiner, a prominent Baptist newspaper, died at his home in New York, aged 86 years.

THE democrats renominated H. C. Snodgrass for congress in the Third district of Tennessee.

THE prohibitionists in state convention at Oakland, Cal., nominated a full state ticket, headed by Henry French, of Santa Clara, for governor.

THE populists in the Second district of Indiana nominated E. A. Riggins, of Davies county, for congress.

THE Nebraska populists will hold their state convention at Grand Island on August 15.

FOREIGN.

PRESIDENT PEIXOTO, of Brazil, has broken off diplomatic relations with Portugal because of the latter granting asylum to insurgent refugees.

SEVERE earthquakes occurred in the vicinity of Mioko and New Pomerania, N. S. W., and almost all of the houses of the missionaries and traders were destroyed.

WILLIAM H. EDWARDS, of Ohio, United States consul general, died at Berlin from brain fever.

THE Brazilian government forces were defeated by insurgents near Iguazu and 140 men were killed.

AN artist named Kellarz and his three unmarried sisters, all over 50 years of age, took their own lives with poison in Vienna. Fear that they might outlive one another was the cause.

GEORGE GRIFFITHS, of London, completed a trip around the world in 64 days 11 hours and 20 minutes. Nellie Bly's record was 74 days.

ONE HUNDRED German Baptists from Kherson and Volhynia, in Russia, embarked from Liban for America. Religious persecution forced them to emigrate.

THE British royal commissoners to the world's fair, in their official report, pay a glowing tribute to the great enterprise.

TESTIMONY given in a Canadian divorce suit connects prominent people of the dominion with several mysterious crimes.

LATER.

A BILL was introduced in the United States senate on the 19th to authorize several American citizens to accept decorations and testimonials from the Hawaiian government. Several bills of minor importance were passed. The house was not in session.

THE latest estimate of the loss of life off the harbor of Chicago during the recent storm was twenty-eight.

HEAVY rains caused disastrous floods throughout Pennsylvania. At Williamsport the boom which contained $1,000,000 worth of lumber gave way.

SEVEN men were killed and a number injured in a collision between Chesapeake & Ohio trains in Standing Rock tunnel near Princeton, Ky.

THE republican state convention of North Dakota will meet in Grand Forks July 11.

WHILE attempting to rescue the crew of the waterlogged schooner William Shoupe four sailors were drowned near Port Huron, Mich.

EX-GENERAL MASTER WORKMAN T. V. POWDERLY, A. W. Wright and P. H. Quinn were expelled from the Knights of Labor on a charge of plotting the order's destruction.

THE Julius Schiel company's dry-goods store and L. Dannenbaum's wholesale millinery establishment in Philadelphia were destroyed by fire, the loss being $525,000.

THE Conemaugh river at Johnstown, Pa., overflowed its banks and the streets were covered with water to the depth of 2 feet.

AT Cambridge, Mass., James Wilson, 40 years old, murdered his wife by cutting her throat and then fatally wounded himself.

EDMUND H. YATES, editor and proprietor of the London World and the author of many novels, died suddenly, aged 62 years.

GREAT damage was done by frosts to growing crops over an extensive range of territory. The effect of the cold wave was felt from the northern line of Dakota to the gulf, and it also went well toward the Atlantic, especially in the southern states.

A CLOUDBURST southwest of Dunkirk, N. Y., caused one of the most disastrous floods known there in many years.

THE percentages of the baseball clubs in the national league for the week ended on the 19th were: Cleveland, .810; Baltimore, .696.; Philadelphia, .680; Pittsburgh, .667; Boston, .565; New York, .478; Brooklyn, .478; Cincinnati, .474; St. Louis, .409; Louisville, .316; Chicago, .300; Washington, 120.

A MAN WITH A HISTORY.

The Terrible Experience That Befell John W. Thomas, of Theta, Tennessee.

Afflicted with a Peculiar Disease—His Body Covered with Lumps—Could Not Eat and Thought He Was Going to Dry Up—His Recovery the Marvel of Tennessee.

[From the Nashville, Tenn., Banner.]

Mr. John W. Thomas, Jr., of Theta, Tenn., is a man with a most interesting history. At present he is interested in blooded horses for which Maury County is famous.

"Few people, I take it," said Mr. Thomas to a reporter who had asked him for the story of his life, "have passed through as remarkable a chain of events as I have and remained alive to tell the story.

"It was along in 1884, when I was working in the silver mines of New Mexico, that my troubles began; at first I suffered with indigestion, and so acute did the pains become that I went to California for my health, but the trip did me little good, and fully impressed with the idea that my last day had nearly dawned upon me, I hurried back here to my old home to die.

"From simple indigestion my malady developed into a chronic inability to take any substantial food, I was barely able to creep about, and at times I was prostrated by spells of heart palpitation. This condition continued until one year ago.

"On the 11th of April, 1893, I suddenly collapsed, and for days I was unconscious, in fact I was not fully myself until July. My condition on September 1st, was simply horrible, I weighed but seventy pounds, whereas my normal weight is 165 pounds. All over my body there were lumps from the size of a grape to the size of a walnut, my fingers were cramped so that I could not more than half straighten them. I had entirely lost control of my lower limbs and my hand trembled so that I could not drink without spilling the liquid. Nothing would remain on my stomach, and it seemed that I must dry up before many more days had passed.

"I made another round of the physicians, calling in one after the other, and by the aid of morphine and other medicines they gave me, I managed to live though barely through the fall."

Here Mr. Thomas displayed his arms, and just above the elbow of each there was a large irregular stain as large as the palm of the hand and of a purple color, the space covered by the mark was sunken nearly to the bone. "That," said Mr. Thomas, "is what the doctors did by putting morphine into me.

"On the 11th of December, 1893, just eight months after I took permanently to bed—I shall never forget the date—my cousin, Joe Foster, of Carters' Creek, called on me and gave me a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, saying they had cured him of partial paralysis, with which I knew he had all but died. I followed his directions and began taking the medicine, as a result I stand before you to-day the most surprised man on earth. Look at my hand, it is as steady as yours; my face has a healthy look about it; I have been attending to my duties for a month. Since I began taking the pills I have gained 30 pounds, and I am still gaining. All the knots have disappeared from my body except this little kernel here in my palm. I have a good appetite and I am almost as strong as I ever was.

"Yesterday I rode thirty-seven miles on horseback. I feel tired to-day but not sick. I used to have from two to four spells of heart palpitation every night, since I began the use of the pills I have had but four spells altogether.

"I know positively that I was cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I believe firmly that it is the most wonderful remedy in existence to-day, and every fact I have presented to you is known to my neighbors as well as to myself, and they will certify to the truth of my remarkable cure."

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"IT'S a lucky thing," said the sad-eyed humorist, "that the magazine editor didn't accept my verse." "Why?" "Because common decency would then have compelled me to let up on sarcastic remarks about his not knowing good poetry when he saw it."—Washington Star.

Western American Scenery.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul R'y has now ready for distribution a sixteen page portfolio of scenes along its line, half tones, of the size of the World's Fair portfolios lately issued. They are only ten cents each and can be obtained without delay by remitting the amount to GEO. H. HEAFFORD, General Pass. Agent, Chicago, Ill.

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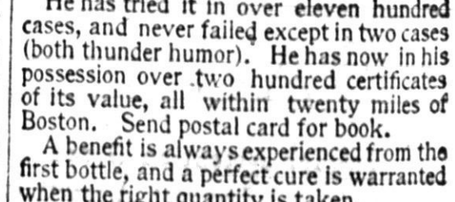

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HIS ain't Joe
Brown! It is?
Why, Joe,
You're bent, 'nd
gray, 'nd go
so slow
I thought 'twas some old man. But here—
Furgot I'd been away ten year!

I had to come, Joe. *Had* to come
Fur one more Thirtieth o' May,
To see the boys 'nd help 'em some
In keepin' Decoration day.

But whar ye bound fur this time, Joe?
To set the flags! We'll both on's go
'Nd mark the end o' the march that's done,
'Nd call the roll o' the boys that's gone.
Say, Joe, you 'n' me have come so near
The still place where
They're camped, that we can almost hear
'Em answer their names from Over There!

There's jest ten graves. I r'member 'm all—
Ten men that's answered detail call,
Five flags fur me, 'nd five fur you
What's all the rest fur? Ten'll do.
'Nd whar's the rest of the boys to-day?
There should be twelve on's countin' you
I hope they ain't took to stayin' away?
That ain't the way they uster do!
'Tain't right! They all had orter come
To mark the graves fur 'Mori al day,
No matter 'f work *is* pushin' some!

Why Joe! You're cryin'! What ails ye, Joe?
What's that? Good Lord! That can't be so!
All dead but us? Why, Joe—but thar,
That couldn't be, outside o' war.

Did fall in battle! Yes—you're right.
We've all been in a long, hard fight.
They fell in battle. Yes, that's so!
'Nd that's the way *we've* got to go.
An' Joe, I'll bet—
Not one o' them boys ever let
The colors outen 'is sight!

Well Joe, we've got these flags to set.
Here's ten fur me 'nd ten you keep.
Ther's two o' us is walkin' yet
To stan' guard over them that sleep!
But which of us two, Joe, d'ye s'pose
Will set the flag fur the next that goes?

—James C. Purdy, in Kate Field's Washington.

THE CHILDREN'S SOLDIER.

THEY never would have had any soldier or known a thing about him if they hadn't come home from school around by the cemetery that night. The teacher had been telling them that afternoon that all the arrangements were made to have a big celebration Decoration day. It never had been celebrated at Crane's Corners before, but when the Crane's Corners folks undertook to do a thing they did it "up brown." Esquire Tonnley and Deacon Miles had been up to the city and engaged a great orator—oh! a wonderful man!—to come and make the speech. And the Crane's Corners band and the band from East Milbank met twice a week in the old brick meeting-house and practiced till their lips were sore and their arms ached. And now the school trustees had decided that after the bands and the orator and the few old veterans, and the citizens who would join in the parade, the children should march in line. The girls were all to be dressed in white with blue sashes, and to carry bouquets, and the boys were to carry flags for the soldiers' graves. The graves were all to be marked beforehand, and after the orator had spoken the band was to strike up some real stirring war tune and the children were to march up the narrow, grassy walks and on each soldier's grave the girls were to leave a bouquet and the boys to plant a flag.

After school was out they all walked together as far as the corner, and the teacher told them they would meet and go over it all together Saturday afternoon, for Decoration day was only next Tuesday and it would be awful not to have everything go just right. Then she went into the house where she boarded, and the most of the children said good-night and turned down the west road toward home. There were just Mollie and Nellie Dent and Lulu and Fred Ashley who kept on straight up the road. "Say," Lulu said, when they were by themselves, "it wouldn't be but a little out of the way to go round by the cemetery. Let's go."

"All right," the other girls said, and Fred said he'd just as soon. So they went on, the longest way round, till they came to the dear old-fashioned cemetery. It was surrounded by a high board fence, painted white, like the tombstones peeping over it. You could catch a glimpse of graceful willows and matted rose bushes between the pickets. At the front the big white gates were fastened with a padlock, and the steps that usually served to scale the fence had been carried away to be painted in order to present a more creditable appearance at the celebration.

As the children stood wondering how they could most easily get in a neat little old lady came round the corner of the churchyard and joined them. She stopped and looked when she saw the steps were gone. The children noticed she carried a crutch and was lame.

"How can I get in?" she asked, appealingly.

The children looked at her and then at one another.

"Oh, say, Lu," Fred began, suddenly, "don't you remember there used to be some loose pickets over on the other side? Maybe I can take them out, and we can all get through in that way."

"Come on; let's see." And Lulu and Fred went to examine the fence.

The old lady sat down on the grass and smiled at Mollie and Nellie.

"I'm very tired, children," she said, apologetically. She held a little bunch of lilacs and syringas, which she laid down in her lap.

The children smiled back at her sympathizingly.

"I try to come to his grave every year," the old lady continued. "My boy, you know, he was killed in the war."

"A soldier!" the children said under their breaths.

"Yes, a soldier, and a brave one, too, even if it is his mother who says it. He was only eighteen. He enlisted younger than they meant to take them, but he was large and full grown and he was wild to go. Oh, those were terrible times, back in '63—terrible!—terrible!" and a tear trickled down the old lady's cheek.

"We always intended to have a stone with his name and the company to which he belonged, and 'Died in defense of his country at Vicksburg'—but stones used to cost more than they do now, and then fifteen years ago we moved away, and after that we didn't seem to have good luck. John—that's my husband—and I used to come here every year to Robert's grave; till eight years ago John died, and I've been coming alone ever since."

The children were silent, and Nellie was wiping her eyes on the corner of her checked apron. Finally Mollie asked, softly:

"Do you live far from here?"

"Yes, it's a day's journey, and I'm getting so old and so lame that each year I'm afraid I won't be able to come the next."

Just then Fred and Lulu came back.

"Oh, we've found a splendid place to get in. Come on!" they cried.

Nellie helped the old lady to her feet and kept at her side, while Mollie led the way with Fred and Lulu. She told them softly all about the old lady's boy soldier.

They helped her carefully through the fence where Fred had pulled out the pickets, and then followed her slowly down the soft green paths, between graves covered with myrtle and star-like, blue flowers. She brought them into a forsaken corner to a grave covered with rose briars and hidden under last year's dead leaves. Then she sank down and said, piteously:

"I'll have to rest."

Nellie got down on her knees and began scraping away the leaves with her fingers, and the other children followed her example.

The old lady sat watching them with the tears trickling down her cheeks.

"Saturday morning I'll bring over the rake, and these rose bushes need trimming," Fred said, with a business-like air.

Mollie slipped her hand into the old lady's as she rose to her feet.

"Do you like pinks?" she whispered. "I'll bring a root over and plant on his grave."

"They were his favorite flower," the old lady said, with a little choke in her voice.

"There now," said Nellie, "I've made a nice place for the flowers. Of course you'll want to put them on his grave your own self."

As she knelt over the grave with the flowers Nellie whispered to the others:

"Don't you think we ought to go and leave her alone with him?"

And even Fred nodded "Yes."

She seemed to have forgotten all about them until Nellie whispered: "We're going now, ma'am. Good-by! And we'll bring some water for the flowers to-morrow and Fred will fix the lot all up."

The old lady clasped her hands as if she were praying:

"Good-by, children! God bless you! I shall never forget all your kindness!"

"Good-by!" and they stole softly and reverently back through the fence.

"Have to leave 'em out till to-morrow," Fred said, looking at the pickets.

They talked it over and over on the way home, and they made a plan, but they didn't tell a soul about it until Decoration day, so I'm not going to, either.

They met on Saturday and rehearsed for the celebration and Fred didn't mention the fact that he was up at four o'clock and had been raking and putting a certain lot to rights all the morning.

Decoration day came bright and beautiful. The sky smiled down as blue as the myrtle blossoms. It seemed as if everything was conspiring to make the day a success. Hon. Horatio Bigelow came on the morning train and Deacon Miles brought him over from the station in his buggy. He and the minister were going to head the procession in Esquire Tonnley's best phaeton.

At ten o'clock to the minute they started. They were followed by the squire's gray team and the deacon's double carriage, with the four "old veterans" that Crane's Corners possessed. Oh, dear me! I forgot the band. That headed the procession, of course, and it did credit to all of its practicing, too! After the veterans came the citizens in line, and last, but not least, by any means, the girls and boys, laden down with flags and flowers.

The exercises opened with a prayer from Rev. Mr. Doolittle, pastor of the brick church, and then Hon. Horatio Bigelow made a speech that added luster to his already famous reputation—to this day the Crane's Corners folks speak of him in the same tone of awe-struck admiration that they use in speaking of Daniel Webster and Gladstone. Then the band burst forth into "My Country, 'Tis of Thee," and the procession began to move.

There weren't very many soldiers buried in the Crane's Corners burying ground. There were Squire Tonnley's two boys who were shot at Bull Run. There was a large monument put up to their memory—the largest in the cemetery. The procession marched to that first. The band played softly: "Tenting To-night," while the children laid a wreath on each grave and the boys planted their flags. During the ceremony all heads were uncovered and at its close Hon. Horatio Bigelow made some appropriate remarks.

Then the procession moved on to another grave and another, even stopping at old Mr. Dean's grave, who ruined his health in the war, but lived to a good old age, and died a peaceful death many years after it was over. That was the last grave—the last that had been marked for the children to visit.

Nellie Dent and Fred Ashley were at the head of the column. Nellie still carried a beautiful bouquet and wreath over her arm. Fred still held his flag.

They turned out of the broad driveway, down into the side path and all the rest of the procession followed them. The paths were too narrow for anybody to keep step with anybody, but they followed just the same until Fred and Nellie stopped at their soldier's grave.

Hon. Horatio Bigelow looked in vain at 'Squire Tonnley for a hint toward an appropriate word over the grave in this far away corner. Esquire Tonnley looked back at him with a blank face. He did not know who was buried there.

Hon. Horatio Bigelow decided to take matters into his own hands, and made a way for himself through the crowd up to Nellie and Fred.

"Was this soldier a relative of yours?" he asked, softly, as he saw the tears in Nellie's eyes.

Then Nellie poured the whole story into this great man's ears. He listened to it with close attention.

"Don't be afraid," he said. "I want you to tell that story over again, just as you have been telling it to me," and before she knew it he had lifted her onto the front seat of the deacon's double carriage that was waiting in the driveway to carry back the "veterans," and she was telling the story over again.

When she stopped there was not a dry eye in the crowd.

Esquire Tonnley was wiping his eyes with a big red bandanna and saying to Deacon Miles "that he remembered as distinctly as if it was yesterday. It was John Allen's boy Robert—as good a lad as ever lived."

Then Hon. Horatio Bigelow's clear voice rang out:

"Fellow citizens! Brothers! Patriots! Your faces tell me that you are deeply touched with this little story. You are grateful to these little children who have saved one of your heroes from neglect to-day. You weep with the widowed mother whose fond ambition to raise a stone to her son has not been gratified. Let me tell you—do something more than weep—raise the monument for her. Make the widow happy and do honor to her boy hero!"

Here the speaker's words were drowned in wild applause, and the band broke into "The Star Spangled Banner." In the midst of it all Nellie found herself in the crowd with Hon. Horatio Bigelow's silk hat in her hands, and men and women, young folks and children were doing their best to fill it, raining in bills, silver and small change.

That was several years ago. The old lady still lives and is able to come on her annual pilgrimage to her boy's grave. The year after this first Decoration day at Crane's Corners, Nellie and Mollie Dent, Lulu and Fred Ashley were waiting for her at the train and escorted her to the little cemetery behind Deacon Miles' gray team, with the deacon himself driving. The marble monument that stood over her soldier boy's grave could be seen towering slim and white a half mile away. The children had written her about it, but it was more beautiful than she had dreamed.

And to this day there is not a lot so beautifully kept, nor a grave so constantly covered with flowers as the one with the tall monument inscribed: "Robert Allen, aged eighteen years, of Company G, Fourteenth infantry. Died in defense of his country at Vicksburg, 1863."—Emma Bennett, in Detroit Free Press.

"HOW CAN I GET IN?" SHE ASKED.

APPROPRIATE CELEBRATION.

The Educative Influence of Decorating the Graves of Buried Heroes.

It has frequently been hinted, by some, that if the money expended on flowers to decorate the soldiers' graves was used to supply the widow and orphan with food and raiment, it would be commendable. Granted, but how then would the memory of the brave men who gave their lives in defense of country be kept fresh and green in the hearts of our children? It is befitting the families of the dead heroes should be cared for, and we do not believe the government is neglectful of its duty, but if that were all, if all thought or honor to the dead soldiers ended there, what an unfeeling, ungrateful nation this would be. Every beat of the drum, every note of the bugle, every column of soldiers on Decoration day, every grass-grown mound in the soldiers' plot in the cemetery, stirs the heart and brings vividly back to mind that time of great peril when noble men responded so promptly at the call of country when right and wrong were struggling for the mastery.

Those were sad, dreary days, many hearthstones were desolated, and many returned from the field of battle bearing scars which a lifetime will not efface. But think you that either the soldier who fell in battle, or the scar marked veteran who marched so proudly home to the music of victory, would regret the part he took in so noble a conflict? Would they not each teach their sons if any danger threatened this dear land again, to follow in the same footsteps and with their lives if need be conquer the evil that assailed it?

It is well, then, if for no other reason than to teach lessons of patriotism to our young people, to perpetuate the heroism of our dead soldiers by decorating their graves, friend and foe alike, for now the blue and the gray are not looking upon each other as enemies, but as brothers of a common race, both strong and valiant. We rejoice that the north and the south draw nearer together as each Memorial day comes round. The breach that was so wide a half century ago lessens each year, and who shall say the beautiful flowers with which both sides are remembered are not the heaven-sent messengers which are quelling the heart strife and discord and bringing peace to all?

God grant that there may be no more war, that sighs and tears for the fallen upon the battle field may never again be heard in our land, and God grant, too, that while life lasts our hearts may be kept tender, and that each Memorial day we may drop a tear and a flower upon the graves of our departed soldiers.—Christian at Work.

MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

Equal Suffragists.

At the tenth annual convention in Grand Rapids of the Michigan Equal Suffrage association the following officers were elected: President, Emily B. Ketcham, Grand Rapids; vice president, Martha E. Root, Bay City; secretary, Helen A. Mears, Vermontville; treasurer, Leora Woodhams, Detroit. Resolutions were adopted asking that "male" be stricken from the Michigan constitution; that women be given the majority on the boards of control of institutions for women and children; that women he paid equally for the same work as men, and protesting against different standards of morality for men and women.

Tells Another Story.

For a murder done in a homestead cabin in Ontonagon county some time ago a man named McDonald is serving a life sentence in the Marquette prison. The witnesses against him were Dunc. Beveridge and one Redpath, a pair of notorious men. Now comes a woman, the associate of Redpath, and tells another tale—that Beveridge and Redpath did the murder—and those men are now in arrest and the woman will give her evidence against them.

Health in Michigan.

From various portions of the state the reports of seventy-four observers for the week ended May 12 show that erysipelas increased and influenza, pneumonia and remittent fever decreased in area of prevalence. Scarlet fever was reported at fifty places, measles at sixty-eight, diphtheria at twenty-five, typhoid fever at fifteen, consumption at two hundred and thirteen places and smallpox at Jackson, Bay City, Muskegon and Marquette.

A Congressman Becomes Deaf.

Representative Griffen, of Detroit, who was elected to succeed J. Logan Chipman, has for a long time suffered from a defective hearing. Within the past few weeks his trouble has grown so much worse that he is now entirely deaf. He has consulted eminent physicians, but they hold out little hope, and he will probably be compelled to retire from congress, although serving his first term.

School Superintendents.

The twenty-first annual meeting of the state association of city superintendents of schools closed at Lansing with the election of the following officers: President, A. S. Whitney, Saginaw; vice president, Miss M. E. Coffin, Detroit; secretary and treasurer, David McKinzie, Muskegon. The next meeting will be held in Detroit in May, 1895.

Made Another Confession.

William Alguire was arrested on his confession that he helped Horace Mansfield to murder Louis Schilling in Kalamazoo a year ago. He says he held Schilling's head while Mansfield cut his throat. Alguire's first confession last February laid the crime on Mansfield and a woman who was formerly Alguire's wife, but this was not proved.

Short But Newsy Items.

A number of families from some of the larger towns of the state have recently settled in Caldwell township, Missaukee county, and it was said that more would follow.

Robert Smith & Co., of Lansing, were awarded the contract for the state printing of Michigan.

C. R. Smith, of the Hotel Iroquois at Sault Ste. Marie, is dead. He was well known as steamboat owner, lumberman and hotel man for many years.

Julius Abraham, a 10-year-old boy, was playing with a loaded revolver at Detroit when the weapon discharged, shooting and killing Annie Schultz, an 18-months-old child.

The Barden hotel at Hurley was burned, the loss being $50,000; insurance nearly the same.

C. G. Mackenzie, of Chicago, tried to commit suicide at Durand. His recovery was doubtful.

Alfred Jansen, a tramp tailor of Grand Rapids, was run over by a Chicago, Burlington & Quincy train at Canton, Ill., and instantly killed.

The body of Lars Larsen, a civil engineer who had been missing since April 27 at Menominee, was found in the bay. He had several times threatened to commit suicide.

William A. Buffham, aged 89, died at his home in Bethel township, Branch county.

Thomas Malone, of Coopersville, while driving into Grand Rapids with a load of hay was tipped over and fatally injured.

A new fraternal insurance order, known as the Ancient Order of Gleaners, has been organized at Caro. The company is strictly a farmers' insurance company and the membership is limited to farmers.

Mrs. Jay Palmer Ellwood, of Traverse City, was arrested on a charge of threatening to shoot a neighbor who interfered with her while she was killing a hog with a hoe.

Coldwater people are enthusiastic over their hole in the ground which was originally made for a gas well and finally became transformed into a fine mineral water source.

The police unearthed a gang of juvenile thieves in Bay City among Polish swill gatherers. They found bicycles, tricycles, lawn mowers, hand sleds, lap robes and that class of goods in profusion.

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CHELSEA, - MICHIGAN.

Chelsea and Vicinity.

Dr. R. S. Armstrong was in Jackson Tuesday.

Geo. Codd, of Detroit, called on Chelsea friends last week.

Mrs. C. Curtis is the guest of friends at Jackson this week

Geo. Aprill, of Scio, has established a carp pond on his farm.

Mark Ormsby, of Ionia, called on Chelsea friends last week.

Henry Dean, of Ann Arbor, called on Chelsea friends this week.

Miss Mary Swikerath is spending a few days with friends in Detroit.

The Glazier Oil Stove company moved into their new offices Tuesday.

The National Christian Endeavor Union meets at Cleveland, O., July 11-15.

Miss Kate Hooker was the guest of her sister in Detroit the first of the week.

S. Tichenor, of Jackson, was among Chelsea friends the latter part of last week.

John Conaty has purchased 34 acres off from the west side of Perry C. Depew's farm.

Lost, on Main street, red cape with red velvet yoke. Finder please leave at this office.

The amount of primary school money apportioned to Washtenaw county is $10,279 55.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Jedele, of Dexter, called on friends and relatives here last Sunday.

W. W. Hendricks, of Crystal Falls, was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Palmer this week.

Ed. Pickell, of Detroit, spent a few days the past week with Mr. and Mrs. John Schenk.

Supervisor Young, of Lyndon, reports 24 births and nine deaths in his township for the past year.

Mrs. Geo. Crowell, of Railroad street, was the guest of her parents at Sharon the first of the week.

Miss Mamie C. Stapish closed a very successful term of school in District No. 2, Lima, last Friday.

Mrs. P. Haner, of North street, is visiting with her son, Bert, and family, at Detroit, this week.

Chris. Klein has put a plate glass front in his Middle street store, which adds much to its appearance.

The County Prohibition Convention will be held at Ann Arbor Friday May 25, to nominate county officers.

The District Lodge of the I. O. G. T., for Washtenaw county will be held at Saline, Saturday, May 26.

The W. R. C. will hold their regular meeting this week Friday evening, May 25, 1894, at half past seven.

Mrs. J. R. Kempf, of West Middle street, was the guest of friends at Ann Arbor the first of the week.

Mrs. Pearl Henry, of Albion, spent the past Sunday with her father, Rev. W. W. Whitcomb, of Summitt street.

Chas. Kaercher, is agent for Kalamazoo harrows and Planter's Pride cultivators. See his "ad" in another column.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cook, of Jefferson street, are visiting with friends and relatives in Ypsilanti this week.

Mrs. C. H. Kempf and Mrs. Geo. Kempf, of Orchard street, attended the May Festival at Ann Arbor last week.

Mrs. Jas. Hudler and Miss Jennie, of East Middle street, were the guests of friends in Stockbridge last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Sullivan, of Peru, Ind., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Sullivan, of Lyndon, the past week.

A large number from this village attended the first Annual May Festival at Ann Arbor last Friday and Saturday.

The fourth annual celebration of the German-Americans of Washtenaw county, will be held in this village August 9, 1894

Dr. Thomas S. Subeeba, of Mesopotamia, Asia, will preach at the Town Hall, morning and evening, next Sunday, May 27th.

Sylvan township receives $28.98 more primary money this year than last, and the number of children of school age is fifteen less.

Sixty thousand good shingles for sale at a bargain. Also a Clipper mower, single open buggy and wheel-barrow. D. B. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley, of Ypsilanti, were the guests of Mrs. Stanley's mother, Mrs. Hartigan, of Summitt street, the first of the week.

The next annual meeting of the Pioneer Society of Washtenaw County will be held on June next, in the Methodist church at Ypsilanti.

The annual election of officers of the Chelsea Union Agricultural Society takes place next Saturday, May 26, 1894, at the Town Hall, Chelsea.

Rev. Father Considine is spending the present week with friends in Detroit.

The B. Y. P. U. will serve ice cream in the McKone block, Decoration Day.

A. L. Noble, one of Ann Arbor's most prominent business men died last Saturday of neuralgia of the heart, aged 46 years.

Columbian Hive, No. 284, L. O. T. M., will hold a special meeting Tuesday evening May 29. A full attendance is requested.

Mrs. F. F. Andrews and Mrs. Buchan, of Chicago, are being entertained at the home of Mrs. Andrew's sister, Mrs. L. N. Moon, of Park street.

Rev. C. Haag left Monday evening for Grand Rapids, where he will remain a few days, and then go to Muskegon, where he will attend Conference.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Runciman, of Williamston, and Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Conklin were entertained at Dr. Rowe's in Stockbridge last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. A. G. Day, who has been spending the past few weeks here visiting with her father, Mr. C. S. Laird, of South street, returned to her home in Newaygo last Monday.

Misses Ida Schumacher, Mae Wood, Ella Morton, Maud Everett Minnie Steinbach, Kate Hooker and Nellie Lowry went down to Ann Arbor Saturday and attended the May Festival.

The Michigan Pioneer and Historical society will hold its annual meeting in Lansing, June 6th and 7th. A fine program is being prepared and a large attendance is anticipated.

By order of the Mayor, all the nickel-in-the-slot machines have been removed from the saloons and candy stores in Ann Arbor. A practical effort is being made to put down gambling in that city.

Mrs. Darwin Boyd and sister, Mrs. Grinnell, of Clio, spent a few days with relatives and friends here this week, on their way to Ann Arbor to attend the W. C. T. U. Convention held in that city.

The State board of Health recommends free vaccination for everybody. Under § 1685 of Howell's Statues the board of health of each village and township may provide free vaccination for all in such towuship or village.

The populists have issued their call for a state convention to nominate candidates for state offices, to be held at Lansing, July 4. It is expected that Hon. Jerry Simpson, Senator Peffer and General Weaver will be present and deliver addresses.

Miss Kate Gorman, of Summitt street, left Tuesday for New York, where she will attend the graduating exercises of the Cooper Union Institute, from which her sister, Miss Alice Gorman, will graduate. Miss Alice will return with her sister.

Rosa D'Erina, the celebrated Prima Donna, assisted by her husband, Prof. G. R. Vontom, the great tenor and inimitable humorist, will be at the Opera House, Chelsea, on Monday and Tuesday evenings June 4th and 5th The admission will be 25 cents for adults and 15 cents for children. These musical evenings and recitals are a series of high class, instructive and very amusing entertainments. It will be the best entertainment ever seen in Chelsea.

The hat-pin which prods dozens of holes into felt and straw hats has seen its day. The inventor has turned his attention to the matter and the result is a fixture which guides the direction of the pin, and at the same time fastens it so securely that no sudden breeze can dislocate it. The pins are made with a small, almost imperceptible groove near the base, over which a little plate of silver or steel fastens. This sheath is fastened on after the pin is stuck through one side of the hat, and thus acts as a sort of lock. The pin cannot come out until the plate is removed, and if the pin is stuck through at the proper angel in the first place there is no necessity for its frequent removal. In this way the ruin of the hat by pin pricks is prevented. Gold, silver and ordinary wire pins are now made with this improvement.

In view of the visit of the census enumerator next month, the Livingston Democrat says it is necessary that people brace their nerves against some very severe shocks. The questions how old, what color, sex, name, occupation, where born, where father and mother were born, will be rapidly fired at you. Then the official will take breath and want to know how many children if any your step-mother had, if you had a step mother, and also how many your own mother had. Writing down your replies, he will then look you in the face and want to know whether you are single, married, widowed or divorced. He probably will not ask whether you are engaged, as the statute does not require the question to be answered. Then he will want to know if you can read or write, whether you are subject to fits, crazy or a fool, also whether your eye sight is good, and if you can hear. If you are dumb he will know it before this, but he must ask the question just the same.

DON'T HESITATE.

Whenever you have a good intention don't hesitate to put it in practice, and when your neighbors tell you that F. P. Glazier & Co. sell all groceries a great deal cheaper than other dealers don't let the

Golden Opportunity

Slip, but come in and give them a trial. Our coffees make customers every time we sell a pound.

Choice Codfish in bricks 6c per pound.
6 lbs Fresh Turkish Prunes for 25c.
New Brazil Nuts 8c per pound.
10 lbs fine English Currants for 25c.
Best Canned Pumpkin 6c per can
Fresh Roasted Peanuts 5 cents per lb
25 pounds Brown sugar for $1.00.
8 pounds clean Rice for 25 cents.
4 packages cleaned Currants for 25c
21 lbs. granulated sugar $1.00.
Fine 4 Cr. Raisins 8c per pound.
First-class lanterns 29c each.
5 pounds V. & C. crackers for 25c.
2 packages Yeast Foam for 5c.
Full cream cheese 12½c per pound.
Tea dust 12½c per pound.
3 Cr Raisins 6c per pound.
Gloss Starch 6c per pound.
Arm and Hammer Saleratus 6c per lb.
Best Nudavene Flakes 8 lbs for 25c.
3 packages mince meat for 20 cents
Best kerosine oil 7c per gallon.
Lamp wicks 1c per yard.
Best Baking Powder 20c per pound.
No. 1 lamp chimneys 3c each.
No. 2 lamp chimneys 5c each.
Best Lantern Globes 5c each.
Choice Coffee 19c per pound.
Mixed and stick candy 10c per pound.
Fine perfumes 35c per ounce.
Clothes pins 6 dozen for 5c.
24 pounns Extra C Sugar for $1.00
Fine N. O. Molasses for 25c per gal.
Extra Japan tea 30c per pound.
9 sticks best chicory for 10c.
Choice Mustard 15c per jug.
3 cakes elegant toilet soap for 20c.
Fine syrup 25c per gallon
Axle grease 5c per box
25 pounds sulphur for $1.
Banner smoking tobacco 15c per pound.
Good fine cut tobacco 25c per pound.
Good plug tobacco 25c per pound.
Best Sardines 5c per box.
Purest Spices that can be bought.
Rising sun stove polish 5c per package.
Good smoking tobacco 13c per lb.
Fine toothpicks 5c per package.
Pure Cider Vinegar 18c per gallon.

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This Week,

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25 Pieces Printed Dotted Swiss Muslin, worth 10c, for 5 cents.

Best Dress Prints for 6c.

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Good Shirting worth 12 1-2c for 9c.

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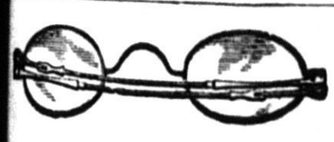

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Your eyes are strained why give work when you can obtain a RST-CLASS pair of glasses at a ecial Discount of 50% and over, Steel Spectacle in bronze, blue nickel for 65c; Gold $2.75, etc ll and get prices.

DR. SCHMIDT.

WHEN IN WANT

Of anything in the Millinery Line call on

Mrs. Staffan,

Her Stock is Unusually Large and Complete,

And being the only millinery store in town on the ground floor is the most desirable place to trade.

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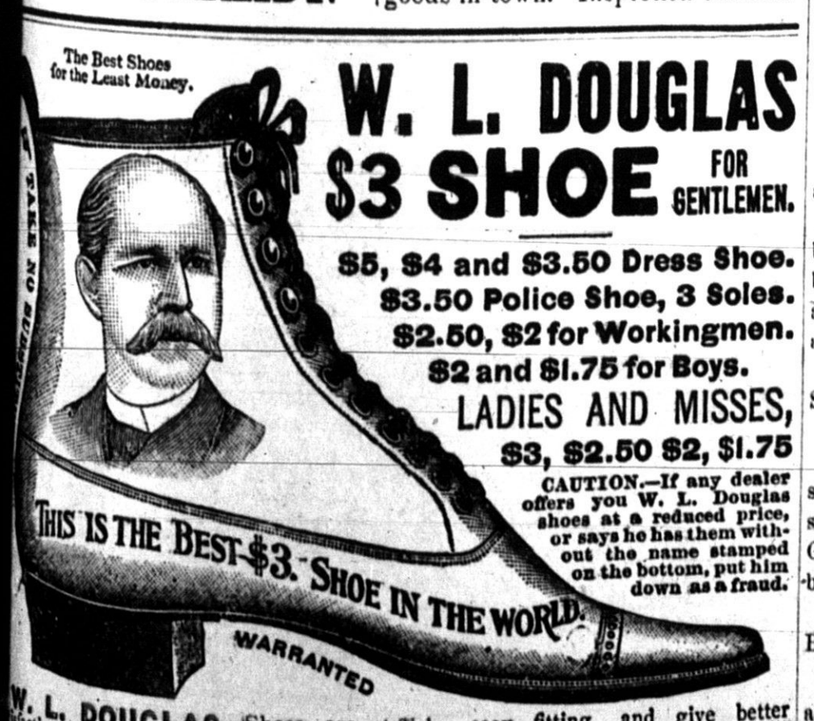

W. L. DOUGLAS $3 SHOE FOR GENTLEMEN.

$5, $4 and $3.50 Dress Shoe.
$3.50 Police Shoe, 3 Soles.
$2.50, $2 for Workingmen.
$2 and $1.75 for Boys.

LADIES AND MISSES,
$3, $2.50 $2, $1.75

CAUTION.—If any dealer offers you W. L. Douglas shoes at a reduced price, or says he has them without the name stamped on the bottom, put him down as a fraud.

W. L. DOUGLAS Shoes are stylish, easy fitting, and give better satisfaction at the prices advertised than any other make. Try one pair and be convinced. The stamping of W. L. Douglas' name and price on the bottom, which guarantees their value, saves thousands of dollars annually to those who wear them. Dealers who push the sale of W. L. Douglas Shoes gain customers, which helps to increase the sales on their full line of goods. They can afford to sell at a less profit, and we believe you can save money by buying all your footwear of the dealer advertised below. Catalogue free upon application. W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, Mass.

W. F. Riemenschneider & Co., Chelsea.

Council Proceedings.

[OFFICIAL]

Chelsea, Apr. 25, 1894.

Board met in Council Room.

Meeting called to order by President.

Roll call by Clerk.

Present—Wm Bacon, President.

Trustees Present—Conkright, Pierce, Schumacher, Riemenschneider, Schenk, Gilbert.

Trustees Absent—None.

Minutes of previous meetng read, corrected and approved.

Moved by Jas L. Gilbert and supported by Wm. F. Riemenschneider that G. W. Turnbull be retained as Village Attorney for the ensuing year on same terms as last year, which was ten dollars Retainer fee and pay for actual service. Carried.

Moved by A. Conkright and supported by J. Schumacher that A. A. VanTyne be appointed Pound Master for the ensuing year. Carried.

Ordinance Committee reported favorable on Ordinance No. 32 and recommended its adoption.

Moved by Wm. F. Riemenschneider and supported by A. C. Pierce that we accept and adopt Ordinance No. 32, an ordinance to require the owner and occupants of lots and premises to construct and maintain sidewalks in the public streets adjacent to and abutting upon such lots and premises and to keep them in r pair at all times and to construct and lay the same upon such lines and grades, and of such width, material and manner of construction, and within such time, as the Council shall by Ordinance or Resolution prescribe.

Yeas—Gilbert, Conkright, Schumacher, Schenk, Riemenschneider and Pierce.

Nays—None. Carried.

Moved by J. L. Gilbert and supported by J. Schumacher that the saloon bond of Robert Marble with Jas. Hudler and Jas. Taylor as sureties be accepted.

Yeas—Gilbert, Conkright, Schumacher, Riemenschneider, Pierce and Schenk.

Nays—None. Carried.

Moved by J. L. Gilbert and supported by J. Schumacher that H. S. Holmes be appointed as one of the assessors provided for in Sec. 2903 Howels Statutes, Carried.

Moved by A. C. Pierce and supported by J. L. Gilbert that Hiram Lighthall be appointed as one of the assessors provided for in Sec. 2903 Howels Statutes. Carried.

Moved by Wm. F. Riemenschneider and supported by A. C. Pierce that R. S. Armstrong be appointed as one of the assessors provided for in Sec. 2903 Howels Statutes. Carried.

Moved by Jas. L Gilbert and supported by A. C. Pierce that the claim of Martin Cross be referred to the Village Attorney and reported on at next meeting. Carried.

Moved by A. Conkright and supported by J. Schumacher that Wm. F. Riemenschneider be appointed Fire Warden for the ensuing year. Carried.

Moved by A. C. Pierce and supported by J. L. Gilbert that a committee of three be appointed by the President to investigate the Harriet VanOrden claim and confer with the Village Attorney. Carried.

Committee—W. P. Schenk, A. C. Pierce and W. F. Riemenschneider.

Moved by W. P. Schenk and supported by A. Conkright that the street committee be instructed to furnish 12 inch plain tile to be placed in ditch running north from West Middle street on the line between Albert Winans and Chas. Steinbach to Michigan Central Railroad. Carried.

Meeting adjourned to Saturday evening, April 28, 1894.

JOHN B. COLE, Clerk.

Chelsea, Apr. 28, 1894.

Board met in Council Room.

Meeting called to order by President.

A. C. Pierce appointed clerk pro tem.

Roll call by Clerk.

Present—Wm. Bacon, President.

Trustees Present—Gilbert, Schumacher, Riemenschneider, Schenk and Pierce.

Trustees Absent—Conkright.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Moved by J. Schumacher and supported by W. F. Riemenschneider that the saloon bond of Conrad Spirnagle with M. J. Noyes and Catherine Girbach as sureties be accepted and approved.

Yeas—Schumacher, Riemenschneider, Schenk and Pierce.

Nays—None.

Moved by W. F. Riemenschneider and supported by J. Schumacher that the saloon bond of Christopher Klein with Godfried Grau and John Cook as sureties be accepted and approved.

Motion withdrawn by consent of the Board.

Bond returned by order of the Board on account of John Cook not being a legal bondsman.

Moved by Wm. F. Riemenschneider and supported by J. Schumacher that the saloon bond of Tommy McNamara with M. J. Noyes and Timothy McKune as surities be accepted and approved.

Yeas—Riemenschneider, Schenk, Pierce Schumacher and Gilbert.

Nays—None.

Moved by J. L. Gilbert and supported by J. Schumacher that the Marshal's bond of Rush Green with C. H. Kempf and L. Babcock as sureties be accepted and approved.

Yeas—J. L. Gilbert, Riemenschneider, Schumacher, Schenk and Pierce.

Nays—None.

Committee in the matter of Harriet Van Orden reported progress.

Village Attorney reported progress in the matter of Martin Cross.

Adjourned.

A. C. PIERCE, Clerk pro tem.

Chelsea, May 2, 1894.

Board met in Council Room.

Meeting called to order by President.

Roll call by Clerk.

Present—Wm. Bacon, President.

Trustees Present—J. L. Gilbert, A. Conkright, J. Schumacher, W. P. Schenk, W. F. Riemenschneider, A. C. Pierce.

Trustees Absent—None.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Moved by J. L. Gilbert and supported by A. Conkright that the druggist's bond of R. S. Armstrong & Co. (firm consisting of R. S. Armstrong, H. H, Fenn and Louis T. Freeman.) with W. J. Knapp and Harmon S. Holmes as sureties be accepted and approved.

Yeas—Gilbert, Conkright, Schumacher, Schenk, Pierce and Riemenschneider.

Nays—None. Carried.

Moved by Wm. F. Riemenschneider and supported by A. C. Pierce that the drug gist's bond of F. P. Glazier & Co. with Geo. P. Glazier and W. P. Schenk as sureties be accepted and approved.

Yeas—Conkright, Schumacher, Gilbert Riemenschneider, Schenk, Pierce.

Nays—None. Carried.

Moved by J. L. Gilbert and supported by W. P. Schenk that the regular meetings of the Council be held on the first and third Wednesday of each month. Carried.

Moved by A. Conkright and supported by W. F. Riemenschneider that we raise twelve hundred ($1,200) dollars on real and personal property by direct tax for the ensuing year.

Yeas—Gilbert, Conkright, Schumacher, Riemenschneider, Schenk and Pierce.

Nays—None. Carried.

Moved by A. C. Pierce and supported by J. Schumacher that the saloon bond of Christopher Klein with Godfried Grau and Maria Frey as sureties be accepted and approved.

Yeas—Gilbert, Conkright, Schumacher, Riemenschneider, Pierce, Schenk.

Nays—None. Carried.

Adjourned subject to call of President.

J. B. COLE. Clerk.

Excursion.

Excursion fares have been granted, on the certificate plan, to the following points for occasions mentioned:

National Association of Master Plumbers Detroit Mich., June 20-22, 1894.

Roman Catholic Union Knights of St. John, Buffalo, N. Y., June 24-27, 1894, one first-class fare for round trip. Children five years of age and under twelve, one-half adult rate.

Forty Days.

The rain that produced the flood fell for forty days and forty nights, and after it ceased it was forty days before Noah opened the ark. Moses was forty days on the mountain fasting, and the spies spent forty days investigating matters in Canaan before making their report. Elijah fasted forty days in the wilderness, and Jonah gave the people of Nineveh forty days in which to repent. The forty days fast of Jesus is known to all readers of the New Testament.

A Household Treasure.

D. W. Fuller, of Canajoharie, N. Y., says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house and his family has always found the very best results follow its use; that he would not be without it, if procurable. G. A. Dykeman, Druggist, Catskill, N. Y., says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best Cough remedy; that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it has never failed to do all that is claimed for it. Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested. Trial bottles free at F. P. Glazier & Co's Drug Store. Regular size 50c, and $1.00.

An exchange says: "Limburger cheese laid away in cupboards will drive ants away." No doubt of it. It will drive a spike in a brick wall; it will drive a tramp from a meal of victuals; it will drive a mule through a barbed wire fence; it will drive a herd of cattle over a precipice, or a man to insanity who stays five minutes within ten feet of its unsavory presence, and the funniest part of it all is it will stop an engine but drive a press."

The Albion Milling Co.

—OF—

Albion, Michigan,

Have given us the exclusive sale of their Patent Flour for Chelsea, and we stand ready to put it against any flour on the market to-day.

It has the reputation of being the highest grade flour on the market, and is used by all the good cooks in the land. For cakes, pie and fancy pastry use ALBION PATENT, for sale only by us.

Teas.

Our STORK Teas are making greater headway than ever and if you have not yet tried them, do so at once. You cannot get a good cup of Tea out of the Trash some of our competitors are offering you. For Oolong, English Breakfast, Young Hyson, Gunpowder or Dust Teas, see our large assortment before you buy.

Another Lot,

Direct from the Cannery, of the famous White Label Soups, including Clear Consomme, French Bullion, Vegetable, Chicken, Mock Turtle, Ox Tail and Clam Bullion. Try these if you would have good soup. And still another line of Armour's goods which are known the world around and these are Armour's potted meats including Ham, Ox Tongue and Turkey.

STRAWBERRIES every day this week. We shall receive a fresh lot of Berries every morning and the price will go down.

At Our Soda Fountain

You will find an assortment of syrups and flavors that will surprise you.

ICE CREAM. We are now ready to fill all orders for cream in both large and small lots and at prices that will astonish you. When you want ice cream by the dish or gallon, don't forget that we are headquarters

Try our Tiffin Stripes and Apricot Jelly Cookies.

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Best Quality, Lowest Prices.

25 pounds Brown Sugar for $1.
Best Dust Tea 8c per pound.
A good 25c broom for 15c
6 cans sardines for 25c.
21 pounds Granulated Sugar for $1
Canned Pumpkin 6c per can
Canned Corn 7c per can
8 pounds Rolled Oats for 25c
5 pounds V. & C. Crackers for 25c
3 cans Good Salmon for 25c.
Sardines in oil 5c per can
Sardines in mustard 10c per can
Best Codfish 8c per pound
Fanciest Messina Lemons 15c doz
Good Seedless Raisins 3c per pound
Choice 2 Cr. Raisins 6c per pound
Extra choice California Prunes 3 lbs for 25c
4 pounds Cleaned Currants for 25c
2 packages Yeast, any kind for 5c
Best full Cream Cheese 12c per pound
Gloss Starch 6c per pound
Arm & Hammer Saleratus 6c per package
All Laundry Soaps excepting Babbits 6 bars for 25c
Clothespins 6 doz for 5c
Lanterns Globes 5c each
Lamp Chimneys 3 and 5c each.
Lamp Wicks 1c per yard
Mixed Candy 10c per pound
Stick Candy 10c per pound
Good Baking Powder 20c per lb
Rice, 5 cents per pound
Choice Jug Mustard 15c
Choice Bakers N. O. Molasses 25c per gal
Our Best Sugar Syrup 25c per gal
9 sticks Chicory for 10c
Axle Grease 5c per box
Rising Sun Stove Polish 5c per package
Tooth Picks 5c per package
A Good Coffee at 19c per pound
Banner Smoking Tobacco 15c per lb.
Extra choice Japan Tea 30c per pound.
Good Fine Cut Tobacco 25c per pound
Good Plug Tobacco 25c per pound
25 pounds Sulphur for $1

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ARMSTRONG & CO.

THE CHELSEA HERALD.

A. ALLISON, Editor and Proprietor.

CHELSEA, : : MICHIGAN.

A DRESSMAKER in Lawrence, Kan., exhibits a wedding trousseau in her show windows, but refuses to tell who is going to be married. They call her the meanest woman in the state.

IT is asserted that the new C. and O. line of steamers plying between Newport News and Europe is soon to be reinforced by more steamers, as the present equipment is not sufficient for the work in hand.

THERE is no fun betting on elections in Pennsylvania, for the courts have there decided that if the man who loses cares to play the baby act, he can sue the stake-holder for the money he put up and recover.

THE term "hobo," used almost synonymously with tramp, in connection with the Coxeyites, is said to be a contraction of Hobokenite, as long applied to a particularly tough form of ruffianly idler in that part of New York.

SIR JULIAN PAUNCEFOTE, the British ambassador at Washington, heartily favors the project to raise a monument on the field of Braddock's defeat, "because it was one of the few battles in which England and America were allies."

OF the presidents of the United States eight have been of Welsh descent: John Adams, Thomas Jefferson, James Madison, James Monroe, Wm. Henry Harrison, James A. Garfield, Benjamin Harrison and John Quincy Aadms.

ISAAC ZANGWILL, the author and writer, says that sewer gas is beneficial rather than poisonous, and he predicts that we may yet live to see it manufactured artificially and conveyed to residences through pipes, for the purpose of improving the health of the inmates.

ACCORDING to Commissioner Wright's report there are now in the United States 1,745,725 shareholders in 5,838 building associations. The net assets of these associations are $450,667,893. Of the shareholders 455,411 are borrowers and by such associations 314,755 homes have been acquired.

ONE of the features of the Antwerp exhibition will be a number of exhibits illustrating the history and progress of the various forms of artificial illumination. All kinds of lights, from the early Pompeiian and Roman lamps down to the most modern forms of electric lamps, will be represented.

THE vilrometer, an electrical instrument for restoring hearing to the deaf by stimulating the vibratory action of the ear, has been given a series of interesting tests at the Maryland school for the deaf in Frederick, Md., during the past few days. The experiments were made by Dr. Henry F. Garey, of Baltimore, and the results are reported to be very gratifying.

THE movable sidewalk on the Casino pier at the Columbia exposition has been sold to Mr. L. K. Kirsch, of Chicago, who, it is said, will apply for permission from the South park board to operate it during the summer. In case permission is refused, 351 cars will be changed into mining and coal and dump cars and sold, together with the thirty-pound rails forming the track.

IT has been frequently remarked since the Chicago fair closed that more merchants have advertised themselves as prize winners there than there were exhibitors ten times over. Many of these enterprising men will be disgusted to learn that a United States secret service officer has been ordered to look them up and enforce the law against that kind of fraud on the public.

CHICAGO has successfully established a new idea for working women. It is a lunching place, known as "The Noonday Rest." They pay twenty-five cents a month for membership, may bring their lunches with them or buy it at the rate of eleven cents, and have the advantages of library, lavatory, reception rooms and pleasant association besides. There are already three hundred members.

THE preservation of the carcasses of 12,000 sheep for eleven months on shipboard is the extraordinary achievement in refrigeration claimed by the ship Wellington, which sailed from Picton, New Zealand, May 12, 1893, and arrived at Plymouth sound April 6, 1894. She passed through terrible storms, narrowly escaped destruction at Rio, struck an iceberg, had two men killed and one drowned, but landed her mutton in good condition.

THE new library of congess at Washington has two porches, which are to be decorated with figures of famous writers of the past, each figure to stand between columns that support the porches. On one side there are four, on on another side there are five openings to be decorated with likenesses. These nine statues are: Demosthenes, Dante, Franklin, Goethe, Macaulay, Scott, Irving, Emerson and Hawthorne. The sculpturing will be done by Herbert Adams, Jonathan Hartley and F. Wellington Ruckstuhl.

ELEMENTS IN A FURY.

The Entire Northwest Swept by a Fierce Gale.

Worst Storm in Years—Life and Property Destroyed—Hailstorm in Cleveland—Fearful Havoc on Lake Michigan—Snow in Iowa.

THE WORST FOR YEARS.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 18.—The great storm which swept over Minnesota and western Wisconsin Tuesday night was the most severe since the cyclone of April 14, 1886, crushed eighty-six lives at St. Cloud and Sauk Rapids. So far as reported only four people have been killed, but the loss to buildings, crops, bridges and railways by wind, hail, lightning and flood will foot up an enormous sum. The downpour of rain for a given period was the greatest ever known.

Young Trout Killed.

HUDSON, Wis., May 18.—The heavy rainstorm of Tuesday night has caused Willow river and Trout brook to overflow their banks, causing a damage of over $50,000. H. T. Drake, of St. Paul, owned a private trout hatchery and has lost 70,000 yearlings and 50,000 fry, valued at $20,000. F. O. Crary and others of this city owned another like hatchery and lost 300,000 fry and 20,000 yearlings, valued at about $20,000.

Chickens Beheaded.

CARTHAGE, Ill., May 18.—A cyclone at Denver, in this county, destroyed a number of farm buildings, fences and fields of grain. One hundred chickens had their heads cut off as smooth as if by a knife. No one was injured. The cyclone cloud resembled a balloon with a twisting rope hanging below it.

In Indiana.

LEBANON, Ind., May 18.—A cloud burst in the vicinity of Dover, 6 miles west of this city, about midnight Tuesday night, and the entire country is flooded to a depth of from 2 to 10 feet. Wolf and Sugar creeks, which were but small streams, are now rushing torrents of water from 1 to 3 miles in width. The new iron bridge which spanned Wolf creek on the Crawfordsville road, 10 miles west of here, gave way about daylight Wednesday morning. The crash was distinctly heard a mile away. Numerous wooden bridges and culverts were destroyed and the roads are impassable. Hundreds of rods of fences and dozens of small buildings were washed away. The damage to growing crops and the loss by drowned live stock will be very great, and, while it is impossible to estimate the damage until the waters recede, it is known that it will reach many thousands of dollars.

More Dams Burst.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 19.—A Hudson (Wis.) special to the Dispatch says: The Jewett mills dam, besides the new Richmond and Burkhardt dams, have gone out, causing much damage. Several bridges are out, including the Tower bridge, which cost originally $25,000, and has now been made useless. Superintendent Scott, of the Omaha railroad, is here and estimates the damage to that road in washouts and otherwise at upwards of $75,000.

Loss Will Reach $1,000,000.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 19.—Reports from the districts visited by storm and flood indicate that the loss was heavier than first reported and will reach at least $1,000,000. All the railway lines entering St. Paul except the Chicago Great Western and Minneapolis & St. Louis employed all the idle men they could find in repairing bridges and tracks washed away by the torrents which swept down every river and brook in this section on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Every Bridge Gone.

MAIDEN ROCK, Wis., May 19. Rush river overflowed its banks during Wednesday night and the raging torrent carried everything before it. Every bridge from the headwater of Rush river to the outlet in the Mississippi has been swept away. Both flouring and sawmills were ruined and the total loss will reach $100,000 in this county. At least a dozen farmhouses along Rush river were washed away.

Killed by a Cyclone.

KUNKLE, O., May 19. — A cyclone passed one-fourth mile west of here at 4:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon, killing five persons, fatally injuring two others and slightly wounding several more.

When It Occurred.

The scene of the cyclone is a hard one to describe. Houses, fences, trees and obstructions of all kinds in the path of the storm have been carried away and nothing left to mark the spot where they stood except holes in the ground.

The scene of devastation is about one-quarter of a mile wide and 6 miles in length. The great funnel-shaped cloud traveled in an irregular southeasterly course, the greatest damage being done about a mile from where it rose and passed on east.

Much Damage in Wisconsin.

ASHLAND, Wis., May 21.—The old portions of Ashland's breakwater are almost demolished, the sea breaking entirely through at three different places and wrecking it the entire length, so that it will have to be rebuilt. The new portion stood well. The damage will probably reach $75,000.

KEWAUNEE, Wis., May 21.—The last of the heavy rainstorms ended Friday morning in a blizzard of snow and hail. No mail has arrived from the south since Thursday owing to the tracks of the Green Bay road being washed out. Farmers report the pea crop totally ruined.

Great Damage Results.

ELWOOD, Ind., May 21.—Property to the value of $10,000 was destroyed here by the storm. At Franklin, 5 miles south of this city, the Smith City iron works, in course of construction, were destroyed, with a loss of $10,000.

KOKOMO, Ind., May 19.—The roof of the furnace of the Diamond plate glass works was blown off Thursday night, and Zion church, 4 miles east, was destroyed. The damage in the county will exceed $100,000.

In Iowa.

DUBUQUE, Ia., May 21.—The spectacle of snow falling after the middle of May was seen Friday morning. After several days of extreme hot weather resulting Thursday in prostrations by sunstroke, the mercury sunk from 90 degrees to 42 degrees inside of twelve hours.

Terrific Storm in New Jersey.

NEW YORK, May 21.—Southern New Jersey experienced a thunderstorm Friday night. Fourteen houses were struck by lightning in Bridgeton, three at Cedarville, four at Newport, two at Dutch Neck, seven at Vineland and several in Millville. Several barns were struck and burned to the ground. Z. Johnson lives in the southern quarter of Bridgeton and the lightning ran down the chimney of his house and prostrated all the occupants. Such was the force of the storm and the rain came down in such torrents that the earth was washed away in many places and the gas and water pipes were laid bare.

ON LAKE MICHIGAN.

Ships Founder and Go Down with Their Crews in a Gale.

CHICAGO, May 21.—The northeast gale which began with the change of weather Thursday night blew with increasing force all day Friday. The gale approached the dignity of a hurricane, blowing at intervals at 60 miles an hour. The beach in the neighborhood of Chicago was a "lee shore." From Glencoe to South Chicago it was strewn with wreckage. Eight vessels came to grief and at least ten lives were sacrificed. The lumber fleet suffered most. The financial loss approaches $100,000.

The scene off the lake front was unparalleled in Chicago's history and thousands of people turned out to witness the thrilling incidents of the day. At midnight several craft were in danger of going on the beach. Following are the vessels wrecked in the vicinity of Chicago:

Vessels Lost.

Schooner Evening Star, Capt. M. W. Kilton, went ashore at Twenty-sixth street at 4:30 p. m.; crew of five rescued by people on shore.

Schooner C. G. Mixer, Capt. Henry Ahebahs, went ashore at One Hundredth street at 4. p. m.; crew of seven rescued by South Chicago life-saving crew.

Schooner Myrtle, Capt. Wilson, went down off Thirty-fifth street at 6:30 p. m.; crew of six supposed to be drowned.

Schooner Lincoln Dall, Capt. S. Johnson, went ashore at Glencoe at 2:30. Anton Gunderson, Manistee, Mich., deckhand drowned; crew of four rescued by Evanston life-saving crew.

Schooner Jack Thompson, Capt. Thomas Williams, went ashore at Twenty-sixth street at 3:25 p. m.; John Johnson, cook, drowned; crew of six saved by people on shore.

Schooner J. Loomis McLaren, Capt. K. Johnson, went ashore at Twenty-seventh street at 7:30; J. Poland, mate, killed in midlake; crew of six rescued by police.

Schooner Mercury, Capt. M. Shumer, went ashore at Twenty-fifth street at 5 p. m.; crew of seven rescued at Illinois Central pier.

Schooner Rainbow, Capt. Pugh, fouled off the harbor at noon and capsized by the Jack Thompson, sank at 3:40 p. m. off Twelfth street; four men rescued from vessel by tug Spencer; the captain and two men went ashore on a hatchway at Twenty-fifth street at 5 p. m.

The Victims.

The number of lives lost is estimated as ten, as follows:

Anton Gunderson, Manistee, Mich., sailor on Lincoln Dall, drowned at Glencoe; John Johnson, cook on schooner Jack Thompson, fell from life lines and drowned; J. Poland, mate schooner J. Loomis McLaren, killed in midlake by falling spar; Thomas Sidlo, fisherman, Chicago, swept from the government breakwater and drowned; Capt. Wilson and five unknown sailors of the schooner Myrtle.

Many Wrecks Along the Lakes.

In addition to the vessels already named, the following are reported wrecked:

Schooner M. J. Cummings, sunk, Milwaukee, seven lives; schooner C. C. Barnes, ashore, Milwaukee; unknown schooner, ashore, Cudahy, Wis.; schooner Moses Gage, ashore, Michigan City, Ind.; schooner Mineral State, scuttled, Elk Rapids, Mich.; schooner Surprise, ashore, Two Rivers Point, Wis.; steamer E. S. Tice, ashore, Green Bay, Wis.; scow St. Catherine, ashore, Sand Beach, Mich.; schooner Myrtle Lamp, ashore near Menominee, Mich.; schooner Emily Taylor, ashore, Manitowoc, Wis.; schooner Ishpeming, disabled, Alpena, Mich.; schooner Sizer, ashore, Menominee, Mich.; schooner Winslow, ashore, Menominee, Mich.; steamer Bielman, damaged, Ashtabula, O.

Six More Perish.

MILWAUKEE, May 21.—Six lives, two vessels wrecked and a number of others damaged is the record of the disaster occasioned at this port by the northeast gale which set in Thursday night and continued with increasing velocity until the wind was blowing 40 miles an hour Friday morning. The schooner M. J. Cummings foundered in the bay at 9 o'clock Friday morning, carrying down five men and one woman. One man, Robert Patterson, of Kingston, was saved. Those lost are as follows:

The Dead.

Timothy Bensaur, mate, Buffalo, N. Y.; John McCullough, captain, Marine City, Mich.; Thomas Tuscott, sailor, Marine City, Mich.; unknown sailors, two, known as "Jim" and "Ed," Marine City, Mich; unknown woman, cook, of Racine.

Gilroy Is Elected Tammany Sachem.

NEW YORK, May 21.—Tammany has elected Mayor Gilroy grand sachem for one year.

UNDER WATER.

Cities in the Susquehanna Valley Swept by a Flood.

Many People Forced to Seek Safety in Flight—Fears of a Repetition of the Ruin of 1889—A Big Dam Bursts Near Altoona.

WASHED AWAY.

ALTOONA, Pa., May 21.—The reservoir in the Allegheny mountains at Kittanning point, 6 miles above here on the main line of the Pennsylvania railroad, broke at 2 a. m. and the flood is pouring down upon Holidaysburg. The break in the dam is 15 feet wide. A mighty volume of water is behind the breast. A Pennsylvania locomotive was sent down to Holidaysburg, 3 miles, to warn the people. It was a wild race with the flood. When the people heard the news there was a panic. An earlier report of danger had put the residents on the lookout. They fled for safety and are awaiting developments. The reservoir is used to supply the city of Altoona with water and the break is in one section.

PHILADELPHIA, May 21, 3 a. m.—News comes from Williamsport that at 1 o'clock a. m. the big lumber boom broke and the logs are going down the river. There were 175,000,000 feet of logs in the boom.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., May 21.—Since Friday night a steady and almost continuous down-pour of rain has been swelling all of the streams and late Saturday night numerous cloudbursts along the Pine creek and other tributaries of the west branch of the Susquehanna have made all of the streams overflow their banks. The water has spread out over the country and at every point is pouring into the main river.

In anticipation of what is expected the fire and church bells were rung at 10 o'clock Sunday morning to notify the people of the impending danger, and since that hour the work of preparing for the worst has beeen in progress. In the hundreds of homes that were submerged five years ago people were moving out and storing their goods in the houses of those living on the highlands. The business part of the city was a complete wreck five years ago, and hundreds of merchants on Sunday moved their stock to places of safety. Conveyances of every description were hurrying through the streets of the city loaded with household goods and merchandise. The regular church services were all suspended and in all of the houses of worship those who attended confined their devotion to the offering up of prayers for the assistance of Providence in the present grave emergency.

With the rain still falling the river has overflowed its bank in the central part of the city and the water is rushing up Market street and out to Third and Fourth streets, in the business part of the city, where the cellars are now full of water. The present height of the flood is 24 feet, and it is estimated that it will reach 27 feet from the present rainfall.

Four miles of track of the Glen Allen Lumber company have been swept away. The boom at Lock Haven has broken and 15,000,000 feet of logs have been lost. The Upper Linden boom also broke at 5:30 Sunday afternoon. It contained 10,000,000 feet of logs and they have gone down. There are about 150,000,000 feet of logs in the main boom and half as many more in the city mill ponds that may go on a 25-foot flood.

Advices from all points up the river say the same conditions exist. A cloudburst at Keating, 20 miles above Renovo, early Sunday morning raised the river about 20 feet, and the river at Renovo is reported higher than in the flood of 1889, when half the town was under water. Above there and extending to the headwaters at Clearfield every town and hamlet has been reduced by water to the conditions that prevailed in 1889.

BRADFORD, Pa., May 21.—The worst flood in Bradford's history is rushing through Tuna valley. Twenty streets contiguous to the creek are inundated and hundreds of families are driven from their homes. The east and west branches of the Tuna are both transformed into good-sized rivers. Below Foreman street, at the confluence of the two streams, the flood is a quarter of a mile wide and is high enough to ruin all the carpets in the houses on Hilton and other streets in the lower part of the Sixth ward. The Douglass dam is partly torn away. The North street bridge is gone and several railroad and street bridges are in danger. The railroad people are holding down their bridges with heavily-loaded cars. In the Sixth ward twenty families were taken out of their houses in boats during the night and on Clarence, River and Hilton streets a rescue corps with skiffs saved as many more.

HUNTINGDON, Pa., May 21.—Within the last forty-eight hours the Juniata and the Raystown branch have risen 22 feet, flooding the low farms and imprisoning whole families in their homes.

At Sloyestown, Bedford county, Mrs. Jacob Miller, while trying to save her personal belongings, was drowned. Whole farms on the Raystown branch have been practically ruined, buildings and fencing washed away and crops destroyed.

LIFE-SAVERS GO DOWN.

Four Heroes Perish Off Port Hu[illegible] Thirty-Eight in All Lost.

PORT HURON, Mich., May 21.—In effort to save the crew of the scho[illegible] William Shupe, which was wa[illegible] logged 14 miles out Friday night drifted to shore 5 miles north Sa[illegible] day, four volunteer life savers w[illegible] drowned. The dead are Augus K[illegible] Capt. Henry Little, William Lewis Barney Mills. Capt. Daniel L[illegible] swam ashore and was saved.

The crew of six men and a wo[illegible] cook of the Shupe took to the rigg[illegible] The tug Thompson attempted to g[illegible] rescue them, but the wind was bl[illegible] ing such a gale that it could not out of the St. Clair river. Satur[illegible] morning the tug succeeded reaching the disabled schooner, could not get near enough to be[illegible] any assistance. It returned to P[illegible] Huron and secured a large yawl an extra force of men and started the schooner. They reached the b[illegible] and made fast, but before they co[illegible] communicate with those on board Shupe the yawl capsized and all exc[illegible] Daniel Lynn were drowned.

The Sand Beach life saving crew miles away, was then telegraphed and came down on a special train. T[illegible] Thompson left here at 2 o'clock w[illegible] the life saving crew in tow and dropped the boat about a mile ab[illegible] the Shupe. The life savers fin[illegible] reached the wrecked schooner took off the crew after hard work landed them on shore about 5 o'clo[illegible] They were all alive, but in a grea[illegible] exhausted condition, having been dr[illegible] ing for forty-eight hours.

CHICAGO, May 21—The latest e[illegible] mate of the loss of life off the har[illegible] of Chicago during the recent storm twenty-eight. Add to this number six members of the crew of the scho[illegible] er Cummings, wrecked off Milwau[illegible] on Friday, and the four life-savers Port Huron, Mich., and the total l[illegible] at these three points alone is thir[illegible] eight. The schooners Myrtle a[illegible] Evening Star, wrecked at Twen[illegible] seventh street Friday evening, ha[illegible] gone to pieces, and the Jack Thom[illegible] son is rapidly meeting the same fate

FIRE IN PHILADELPHIA.

Big Stores on Arch Street Burn at a L[illegible] of $545,000.

PHILADELPHIA, May 21.—Fire Sunday consumed $545,000 worth property in the heart of the busin[illegible] section of the city. The flames w[illegible] discovered about 12:30 o'clock the cellar of the store the Julius Schiel company, deal[illegible] in dry goods and millinery, 52 and 54 North Eighth street and Arch street. Before the fire depa[illegible] ment arrived the flames had commu[illegible] cated with the upper floors throu[illegible] an elevator shaft, and the entire pr[illegible] erty was destroyed. The fire quick spread to the wholesale millin[illegible] and straw goods establishment L. Dannenbaum's Son & Co., a[illegible] joining on Arch street, and th[illegible] stock and building were also destroy[illegible] The two buildings belonged to the [illegible] tate of Morris Dannenbaum. T[illegible] flames were confined to these t[illegible] buildings, but adjoining stores on Ar[illegible] and Eighth streets suffered loss fr[illegible] fire, smoke and water. The origin [illegible] the fire is unknown. The losses are follows:

Julius Schiel & Co., $125,000, partly insur[illegible] L. Dannenbaum's Son & Co., $150,000, partl[illegible] insured; estate of Morris Dannenbaum, $1[illegible] 000 fully insured; J. O. Bently, $25,000; Willi[illegible] Encke & Bros., $5,000; Nonotuck Silk compa[illegible] of New York, $15,000; John W. Leemaistr[illegible] $20,000; Geer Sons, $25,000; William Kena[illegible] owner of building 812 Arch street, $5,000.

SEVEN MEN KILLED.

Trains Come Together on the Newp[illegible] News & Mississippi Valley Road.

PRINCETON, Ky., May 21.—A collisi[illegible] in the Standing Rock tunnel on t[illegible] Newport News & Mississippi Vall[illegible] railway, 12 miles east of this pla[illegible] killed seven men. Two trainmen h[illegible] their skulls fractured and will die.

The wreck was between extra freig[illegible] No. 602, west bound, and the brid[illegible] train, in charge of Conductor Hi[illegible] Hill was out with his train and e[illegible] pected to take the siding just east the tunnel. He sent a flagman ahe[illegible] and was backing up, with a boardin[illegible] car in front. He had followe[illegible] the flagman too closely, and ju[illegible] as he entered the tunnel Engine[illegible] Jones, with the extra freight, reache[illegible] the other end, his train going [illegible] miles an hour. He and his firema[illegible] saw the danger in time to jump. T[illegible] engine crashed into the boarding ca[illegible] in which were six doomed men. Th[illegible] car was smashed into splinters and th[illegible] engine plowed almost through it, cho[illegible] ing up the tunnel with the debri[illegible] Later developments show the cause [illegible] the wreck to be due to the flagman [illegible] the work train who got his orders co[illegible] fused.

A STAGE ROBBER KILLED.

His Companion Seriously Wounds Two [illegible] the Passengers.

STOCKTON, Cal., May 21.—Two maske[illegible] men made an attempt to hold up th[illegible] Murphy's stage Saturday morning [illegible] miles above Milton, and one was i[illegible] stantly killed by Messenger Hendrick[illegible] who fired on the highwaymen immed[illegible] ately after they stopped the stag[illegible] The second robber returned the fi[illegible] and seriously wounded Miss Ella Bra[illegible] a passenger from Stockton, and T. [illegible] Hume, of Murphy's, another passenge[illegible] The dead robber and his comrade we[illegible] left by the roadside. A posse h[illegible] started after the surviving highwa[illegible] man.

THE VETERANS.

nual Encampment of the Grand Army at Rockford.

Was Inaugurated with a Grand Parade—Officers Report on the Order's Growth—New Officials—The Woman's Corps—Ohio Veterans.

BRAVE BOYS WERE THEY.

ROCKFORD, Ill., May 17.—The great-parade ever seen in northern Illi- inaugurated the twenty-eighth nual encampment of the Illinois nd Army of the Republic in this on Tuesday, over 2,000 veterans be- in line. In the evening two big pfires were held. Charles A. Works e the address of welcome and Com- nder Blodgett responded. Other ad- sses were made by Commander in ef Adams, ex-Commanders Fairchild Weissert, ex-Gov. Fifer, Gen. John Nultra, Judge Tuthill, of Chicago, others.

The Business Session.

The business session of the encamp- t began at the opera house at 10 a. Wednesday, Commander Blodgett he chair. Maj. Blodgett, after hav- made a short address in opening

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session, was presented with a gold, mond-studded G. A. R. badge, and with a cane from the battlefield at ison Creek. He responded feelingly.

Annual Address.

t the afternoon session the annual dress of Commander Blodgett was livered. He made an eloquent plea thorough and careful investigation fore suspending members for non- ment of dues.

e urged that every member of the er, of whatever political faith, ex- from their candidates for represen- ives and senators in the next legis- re a pledge to vote liberal aid to Soldiers' Orphans' home at Normal. h reference to pensions he said:

he grand army believes and insists that pension roll is, and should be, a roll of r; that it is the duty of every soldier to rt to the government any case within his wledge where a pension is being paid which been obtained by fraud."

Reports of Officers.

the afternoon the reports of offi- were submitted. That of Adjt. Spink showed that on December 1892, there were in good standing posts, with a membership of 30,962. the first term, ending June 1893, there were gains of and losses from all sources 908. The statement for December 1893, showed gains of 1,456 and es 2,162. On that date there were ood standing 559 posts, with 29,521 bers, five posts having been mus- d since the last encampment, and 479.25 expended for charity.

Dispensed in Charity.

. H. Brydges, of Elgin, department ector, gave a review of the work of

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office for the year. He inspected of the 599 posts, which have 25,583 bers in good standing and dis- ed $12,171.29 for relief since the encampment.

Resolutions.

he report of the committee on reso- ons was presented by Charles Part- e, mayor of Waukegan. The reso- ons eulogized the present manage- t of the orphans' home and rec- ended that all boys and girls kept there until they are 16 s of age, instead of 14, as the is now. The superintendent of lic instruction was urged to declare morial day a legal holiday for the ols. The resolution to indorse a day in June was voted down. A morial resolution on the death of ical Director I. S. Hughes was ted. A resolution of thanks to kford was also adopted.

Election of Officers.

he annual election resulted in the ce of the following officers:

partment commander, H. H. McDowell, ontiac; senior vice commander, E. A. er, of Irving Park; junior vice com- der, J. B. Inman, of Springfield; medical director, Dr. W. P. Pierce, of Hoopeston; chaplain, Frank C. Bruner, of Urbana.

Council of administration: Thomas W. Cole, post 1, Rockford; O. R. McKenney, post 40, Chicago; A. D. Cadwallader, post 182, Lincoln; H. P. Thompson, post 706, Chicago.

Delegates to the national encampment: Thomas C. Fullerton, Ottawa; P. G. Galvin, Pana; Dr. J. R. Corbus, Chicago; F. A. Freer, Galesburg; P. M. Romeiser, Belleville; Henry H. Gage, Chicago; Joseph W. Fifer, Bloomington; James O'Donnell, Chicago; Charles Bent, Morrison; S. G. Burdick, Centralia.

Bloomington was chosen as the location of the next encampment.

The Woman's Relief Corps.

At the meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps reports were submitted by the officers, which can be summarized into the statement that the membership numbers 7,728, an increase of 242 during the year. During the year $676 was expended for the relief of soldiers or their dependents. Officers were chosen as follows:

President, Mrs. M. R. M. Wallace, of Chicago; senior vice president, Mrs. Carrie Briggs, Delavan; junior vice president, Mrs. Jenning G. Harrison, Sterling; treasurer, Mrs. Mary E. McCauley, Olney; chaplain, Mrs. Morris, Marengo; executive board, Mrs. Craig, Springfield; Mrs. Bradford, Peotone; Mrs. Coffenbury, Chicago; Mrs. Sutton, Decatur; Mrs. Ward, Gibson City.

Ladies of the Grand Army.

The Ladies of the G. A. R. at their meeting reported a membership of 409, an increase of 186 during the year. Mrs. V. R. Winslow was elected president; Mrs. Quienton, of Aurora, senior vice president; Mrs. Mary E. Polk, of La Grange, junior vice president, and Mrs. Howe, of Chicago, treasurer.

Ohio Veterans.

CANTON, O., May 17.—The twenty-eighth annual encampment of the department of Ohio, Grand Army of the Republic, was formally opened Tuesday morning. After the formal exercises Department Commander Williams submitted his annual report. He made a plea for service pensions. He maintained that a soldier's discharge certificate should be sufficient evidence to obtain a pension certificate. His report showed that the amount per capita tax paid national headquarters for 1863 in excess of the preceding year was $17,953.

CANTON, O., May 18.—The grand army encampment on Wednesday elected E. E. Nutt, of Sidney, as department commander. The Woman's Relief Corps elected Sarah D. Winans, of Troy, as department president. The ladies of the G. A. R. elected Emma Kennedy, of Berea post, as president.

A resolution was adopted requesting the boards of education to set aside the Friday preceding May 30 for memorial day in the schools. Sandusky was selected for the next encampment, and Ohio's vote will be for Louisville, Ky., for the next national encampment.

MISSOURI DEMOCRATS.

Synopsis of the Platform Adopted by the State Convention.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 17.—In the democratic state convention on Wednesday the majority report of the committee on resolutions was adopted by a vote of 423 to 109. This report embraces Bland's 16 to 1 ratio plank. The convention gave rousing cheers and Bland is overwhelmed by congratulations. A synopsis of the platform follows:

It adheres to the old platforms, and declares for special privileges to none; believes in tariff for revenue only; denounces the McKinley act as a culminating outrage of taxation; advocates the income tax; demands gold and silver coinage; upholds congress in the repeal of the federal election law, and pledges the party in the state to resist the introduction of religious faith into political belief.

Francis M. Black was nominated for supreme judge, W. T. Currington for superintendent of public instruction and J. H. Finks for railroad commissioner.

VOTE TO INCREASE PENSIONS.

House Committee Favors Veterans of the Mexican and Indian Wars.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—The house committee on pensions voted to report to the house a bill increasing the rates of all pensioners of the Mexican war and Indian war from $8 to $12 a month. Representative Caminetti (Cal.) had introduced a bill to give this increase to Mexican war pensioners, and the committee decided to extend it to the Indian war survivors. But one member of the committee opposed the measure, taking the ground that it would open the door for a service pension to survivors of the civil war.

BATTLE WITH BURGLARS.

Thieves Surprised in an Alabama Store—One of Them Killed.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 16.—Burglars entered J. H. May's store at Woodlawn at 2 o'clock a. m. Adolph Griffith, Tom Whitson and Elijah McPherson, officers, were secreted about the place. After breaking open the store one of the burglars opened fire on the officers, when a pitched battle followed. James Milton, one of the burglars, was killed. Another burglar, who escaped, was wounded, and Tom Whitson, one of the officers, was shot in the leg. The officers are after the escaped burglars with dogs.

To Be Hunted Down.

WASHINGTON, May 19.—The senate passed a resolution to investigate the charges of attempted bribery, of the alleged contribution of funds for campaign purposes by the sugar trust, of the reports that senators have speculated in sugar stock and all other charges deemed worthy of consideration.

George Griffiths, of London, has just completed a trip around the world in 64 days, 11 hours and 20 minutes.

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"America" will close its run May 20, and "Mikado," Gilbert & Sullivan's masterpiece, will be the opera following. Seats secured by mail.

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Here and There.

The old turn-table on the M. C. R. R at Dexter, which used to be used for turning the engine tother end to, in the days when the Dexter accommodation used to run between that place and Detroit, has been destroyed and filled in. It did good service in its day, but like everything else, it had outlived its usefulness. It will never more make another turn.—Courier.

'Rastus, when asked if prayer was ever answered, replied: "Well, sah, some pra'rs is answered; 'an some isn't —'pends on what you axes for. Jest after the wah, w'en it was mighty hard scratchin' fo' de cullud bredderin, I 'bsarved dat w'nebber I pray de Lo'd to sen' one o' Massah's fat chickens fo' de old man, dere was no notice took ob de partition, but w'en I pray dat he would sen' de old man fo' de chickens, de matter was 'tended to befo' sun-up next mornin'."

It is not darkest just before dawn. The maximum of darkness begins when the sun has sunk below the horizen so far that none of its rays are refracted to the earth by the atmosphere or reflected by clouds, and continues without variation until it reaches a point near the eastern horizon, when the light reaches the earth once more marking the commencement of dawn. It is hard to understand how such an erroneous idea came to be generally accepted.

A wave of great men (or babies that were destined to become great) seems to have swept over the world in 1809. Why they were precipitated upon the world during that particular year will, perhaps, never be known, but it is a fact that the following named historical personages count it as their birth year: Lincoln, Gladstone, Darwin, Edgar Allan Poe, Cyrus McCormick, Benjamin Pierce, Alfred Tennyson, Mark Lemon, Jules Favre, Rapheal Semms, Albert Pike and Oliver Wendell Holmes.

Take a shotgun cartridge and cut the paper shell around and nearly through and between the powder and shot, and you can bore a hole through an inch board at fifty yards, says the Tombstone Prospector. Pete Bute was practicing with this idea yesterday, and bored a hole through two sides of a coal oil can at that distance. Not a shot-hole was to be found in the can outside of the big hole in the inside. The half of the cartridge evidently went through without spilling a single shot from its confines.

The legislature of 1893 passed an act to prevent the spread of contagious diseases among fruit trees, know as the yellow and black knot, and directs the township boards to appoint three persons to act as commissioners to examine and have uprooted and destroyed all fruit trees so affected, and making it a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not exceeding $100 or imprisonment not exceeding three months for any one to fail or refuse to destroy their fruit trees so affected, when notified. The expenses of the commission and of the destruction of these trees can be collected of the owners.

It is generally supposed that the staleness of bread arises from its becoming actually dried by the gradual loss of water; but this is not the case. Stale bread contains almost exactly the same proportions of water as new bread after it has become completely cold. The change is merely in the internal arrangements of the molecules of the bread. A proof of this is that if we put a stale loaf in a closely covered tin, expose it for half an hour or an hour to a heat not exceeding that of boiling water and then allow it to cool, it will be restored in appearance and properties to the state of the new bread.

The doctor who said a person dying of small-pox these days commit suicide is perfectly right if suicide can be termed a sin of omission as well as commission. The rarity of the disease contributes more to the terror in which it is held than its intrinsic danger to human life. Probably diphtheria is more to be feared than small-pox, although a case of the former occasions almost no disquietude, while the appearance of the latter causes a panic. If all contagious and infectious plagues were as readily controlled as small-pox there would be fewer deaths from those causes.

Ah, ha! The bicycle rider gets his rights at last. Justice Wheeler of Chicago, says that wagons must go around bicyclers. This puts things on the proper basis It has long been conceded that the pedestrian has no rights that the cycler is bound to respect. He must run for his life when the shrill blast of the whistle announces the approach of the lordly wheelman. But hitherto there has been some difficulty in reducing cabmen, truck drivers and other stubborn plebeians to proper subjection These persons have shown a disposition to contest the claim of the wheelman to sole and exclusive possession of the planet. Justice Wheeler has remedied all this. Henceforward no jehu may venture to stir so long as there is a bicycle in sight This is well and proper. All that is now necessary is a decision forbidding railroad trains, cable cars and fire engines to dispute the right of way with the apostles of the whirling wheel. That will fix things just right.

New Money Order.

By direction of the Postmaster General, on July 1, 1894, when the issue of Postal Notes shall have ceased, a new form of Domestic Money Order and Advice will thereafter be issued by the Department.

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Sir Knights: We have been requested by the G. A. R. to participate in the Memorial exercises on May 30, 1894. Let every Sir Knight turn out and help our Brothers to celebrate Memorial Day in an appropriate manner. Let every Sir Knight meet at K. O. T. M. Hall at 1 o'clock sharp. By order of Com.

Keep Accounts.

Keeping household accounts is an affair, if not of necessity, still of the greatest wisdom. In comparison with the small amount of time and labor which the doing so employs, the satisfaction of knowing, at the end of each year, how the family funds have gone is the amplest compensation. One especial satisfaction gained from the keeping of household accounts is the ability when or if the necessity arises, to reduce expenditures on the outlay for luxuries and unnecessaries. The money spent for food, for medicines or for fuel is capable of far less reduction than that used for amusements, for wages or for clothing, and a system of accounts which will show at once where expenses can be lessened is entitled to respectful consideration—Philadelphia Times.

A Useful Hint.

Your back was not made for a barrel hoop; so do not curve it around, but rather straighten it out. God made man upright, not round-shouldered, hump backed or bending over.

If you bend over too much in your study get a lower seat. Saw the legs off from an old chair, and then sit down so low that your chin will come just above the table, make the hind legs a little shorter than the fore legs, and then read and write with your arms on the table, and it will take out some of the crook from your back.

One mother whose daughter was getting the habit of stooping used to have her lie flat on her back, without a pillow, for an hour each day, while she read to her out of some interesting book. In a little while she was as straight as need be, and a picture of health and strength.

In some countries the women carry pails, tubs and heavy loads on their heads. This keeps them erect. Throwing back the arms is another means of keeping straight. Remember you may add years to your life by standing up straight; and you may not only have a longer life, but a stronger, broaded, deeper, happier and more useful life if you go about with head erect, chest expanded and lungs well developed, with rosy cheeks and rosy complexion, than you go about bent over, cramped up, stooping, flat-chested, sallow, nervous and miserable.

Remember, "God made man upright."

What the Germ Theory Has Done.

The germ theory is largely responsible for some of the marvels of modern surgery. Out of the germ theory grew the scrupulous care of surgeons as to the aseptic and antiseptic treatment of wounds so that the feuers and inflamations that used to be the inevitable consexuence of all surgical operations are now unknown in well managed hospitals. Surgeons will now chip off the top of a man's head, exhibit his brain to a curious class of students, send him to bed with his "wound" antiseptically dressed, and bring him back a week later with nothing to show of the operation but a slight and well healed scar. When a boy's leg was removed the other day, the surgeons first cut a hole in the abdomen big enough for one of them to thrust in his sterilized fist and pinch an artery that would be involved in the operation. But for the possibility of antiseptic treatment no such operation could be performed with safety.

Practice Medicines.

The manner in which animals practice medicine is narrated by the Medical Review which says it is known that they not only treat themselves, but that they also treat each other. Animals get rid of parasites by using dust, mud, clay, ashes, etc. When a dog has lost his appetite he eats that species of grass known as dog grass, which acts as an emetic and purgative. When a cat is ill it is a matter of common observation that they eat grass. Animals suffering from chronic rheumatism always keep, as far as possible, in the sun. If a chimpanzee is wounded it stops the blood by placing its hands on the wound, or by dressing it with leaves and grass. A dog, on being stung on the muzzle by a viper, was observed to plunge his head repeatedly for several days in running water. Animals that have been injured in the eyes avoid light and heat. It is also very generally known that when animals are ill that they abstain from food; in fact, many times this is the only way the farmer knows that his horses and cattle are ill.

A Lesson in English.

"Pardon me," as the criminal said to the Governor.

"Step this way, please," as the dancing master said to his class.

"By, by," as the clerk said to the customer.

"Ho, there," as the farmer said to his fired hand.

"Take a chair," as the dentist said to his patient.

"You make me tired," as the hired girl said to the Monday washing.

"Drop in some time," as the slot machine said to the nickel.

"Call again," as the poker player said to the other poker player.

"Get on to it," as the bicycle teacher said to his nervous scholar.

"Come around next week," as Thursday said to the day before.

"It's all up with you," as the sidewalk sweeper said to the roof cleaner.

"You're a corker," as the brewer said to the bottler.

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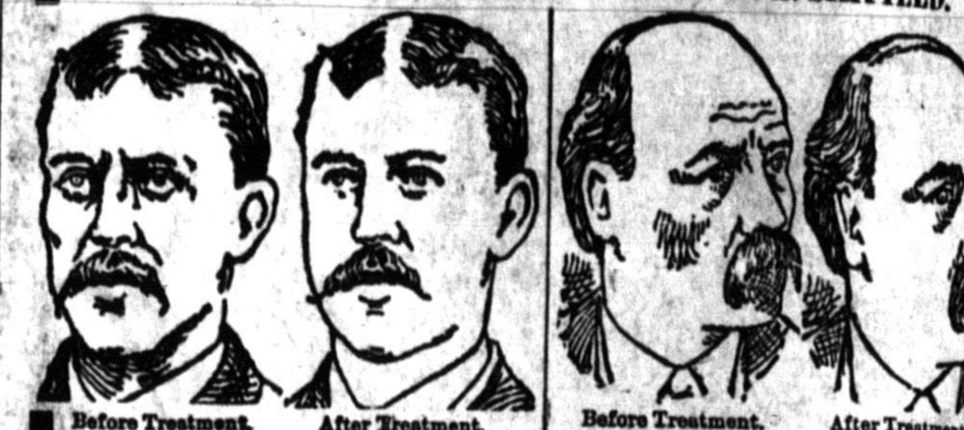

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