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WILSON DECISION KEPT A SECRET

BREAK IN DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS INDICATED BY EVENTS AT CAPITAL.

SEVERANCE EXPECTED BY VON BERNSTORFF

President and Secretary Lansing Conferred Yesterday And Cabinet Will Meet Today.

(By The Associated Press)

Washington, Feb. 1. -- Whatever course of action President Wilson has chosen to meet Germany's declaration of unrestricted submarine warfare is known only to three or four members of his official family. Neither the cabinet as a whole nor the foreign affairs committee of congress have been taken into his confidence.

One high official close to the president declared tonight that no communication had been sent to Berlin or to Count von Bernstorff who outwardly was expecting a severance of diplomatic relations.

There every indication in official quarters that a note had been determined upon, but the indications as to whether it actually has been dispatched were about evenly divided. With a few high officials it is believed that it had not, and some others who gave intimations of a belief that it had.

DECISION NOT DISCLOSED.

From under the curtain of official silence, drawn closely over every move today, came various indications taken everywhere as index fingers pointing toward the proable course of the United States.

It was undisputed that the government would not permit Germany's announcement to stand without challenge.

But whether President Wilson's answer will be a solemn warning of a break in diplomatic relations, or a severance of relations without further word remained undisclosed.

COURSE OF SILENCE.

All the day's developments followed this course of silence which has become peculiar to close observers of the procedure of the administration when it is dealing with a foreign crisis.

Secretary Lansing began by denying himself to all callers and declining to receive the British and Japanese ambassadors. They were turned over to subordinate officials.

It became known then that Mr. Lansing was engaged at work "on something for the president."

Shortly before noon the secretary went to the white house talking with him some documents and instead of going to the executive offices went to the mansion itself where he and the president conferred undisturbed for more than an hour.

LANSING WAS SILENT.

When he left the president Mr. Lansing refused absolutely to discuss the situation or answer any inquiries. Later in the day when the news paper correspondents he said:

"Gentlemen, I have nothing to tell you; neither will I answer any questions."

He said he had had no communications throughout the day with the German ambassador, adding that there was no prospect of any announcement during the night.

TAKEN FOR GRANTED.

Among all officials capable of knowing the probable course of the president the only point in doubt seemed to be whether a communication to Germany would carry only a warning, or whether it would consider Germany's declaration sufficient in itself for action.

All seemed to take it for granted that decision had quickly been determined upon.

It was pointed out that one reason for withholding knowledge of the president's course is the necessity of completing certain arrangements, many of a physical character, for the country--for eventualities which would be expected to follow a diplomatic break. The safeguarding of American ports, safety of Americans in Germany, the presence of German ships in American harbors, and many other considerations are among them.

THE LAST WARNING.

The last correspondence with Germany, which demanded the total abandonment of such submarine warfare as the central powers are about to inaugurate, declared that the United States would sever diplomatic relations "altogether." That is interpreted as leaving no opportunity for half-way measures; it means the withdrawal of Ambassador Gerrard and the whole embassy staff from Berlin and the closing of the German embassy here.

Inasmuch as any action by the United States would be directed against Germany as a nation, and not against her ambassador as an individual, it was thought unlikely that a severance would be announced by the delivery of passports to Count von Bernstorff, but would be preceded by formal notification to Berlin of the American government's decision. The delivery of passports to the ambassador would be left as a formality of the future.

USED AS A CLUB.

Germany's view, as expressed here, is that neutrals should not object to the German blockade inasmuch as they have been unable to raise the British blockade. American ships venturing into the barred zones, it frankly was said, would be in danger of being sunk, but it was declared that Germany and her allies would give up the campaign of ruthlessness

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REPORTED SINKING OF EIGHT VESSELS

It Is Presumed They Were Sent to Bottom Before New German Sub. marine Order Was Issued.

Lloyds report the sinking of eight vessels, supposedly by submarines, but it is presumed that they all were sent to the bottom before the new German submarine orders went into effect. Of the vessels sunk one was a fish.

On the fighting fronts there has been little activity. Petrograde reports a Russian advance near Kalnsem, southwest of Riga, and the repulse of three attacks by the Austro-Germans against the Russians east of Jacobstadt. Small actions also have occurred in the Narayuvka river region in Galicia.

In Northwest Persia the Turks are credited with gains over the Russians by Berlin. A heavy bombardment is in progress around Kut-el-Amara.

In the Austro-Italian theatre the Austrians are bombarding with great intensity the region near Lake Garda and positions in the Gorizia zone and on the Carso plateau.

VETO OVERRIDDEN BY CONGRESSMEN

President Wilson's Action on Immigration Bill Will Next Be Passed Upon by the Senate.

(By The Associated Press)

Washington, Feb. 1.—President Wilson's veto of the immigration bill because of its literacy test feature was overridden in the house tonight by a vote of 286 to 106. Party lines were ignored in the fight, republicans and democrats being almost equally divided on either side.

Tomorrow the action of the house will be reported to the senate, where the bill passed originally by 64 to 7. In effort to override the veto will be made, there without delay, and advocates of the measure say it is certain to be successful.

Four times such a provision has run the gauntlet of congress and been vetoed. Twice while house, President Cleveland first disapproved a bill on this ground and congress sustained his action. President Taft was the next to reject it. On that occasion the senate voted to override the veto, but the house failed to get the necessary two-thirds majority by nine votes. In 1915 President Wilson refused to permit a bill to become law with the literacy test incorporated. The house backed only four votes to override his action then, and the senate did not consider his veto message.

Tonight the house had 25 more votes than the necessary two-thirds majority. Republican Leader Mann and Democratic Leader Kitchin voted together against the president.

Three of the ten in the Illinois democratic delegation in the lower house—Representatives Buchanan, Tavenner, and Rainey—broke away from the delegation to vote in favor of overriding the veto. Representatives Claude Stone, of Peoria, and Martin D. Foster, of Olney, were not recorded as voting, but the other five Democrats—Representatives Gallagher, McAndrews, Sabath and William Elza Williams—voted to uphold the president.

Representative Copeley, progressive, voted to override the veto.

Eleven of the sixteen Illinois republicans voted to reject the president's action. They are Representatives Denison, Foss, Fuller, King, McKenzie, McKinley, Mann, Rodenburg, Sterling, Wheeler and Wilson. The votes of Representative Chiperfield and T. S. Williams, of Louisville, were not recorded.

Representatives Britton, Cannon and Madden voted to sustain the veto.

MRS. ETHEL BYRNE HAS BEEN PARDONED

(By The Associated Press)

New York, Feb. 1.—Mrs. Ethel Byrne who has been serving a thirty days sentence in the penitentiary on Blackwell's island for spreading birth control propaganda, was pardoned tonight by Governor Whitman. A delegation of women including Mrs. Margaret Sanger, sister of Mrs. Byrne and Mrs. Amos Pinchot were given the pardon when they called on the governor at a hotel. They left immediately for the penitentiary.

Mrs. Byrne began her sentence of thirty days and a fine of $500 with a "hunger strike." She has since been fed forcibly by the authorities of the prison, although she has offered virtually no resistance, according to reports.

MURDER SUSPECT WAS RELEASED

(By The Associated Press)

Belleville, Ill., Feb. 1.—The man in prison here who was suspected of knowing something about the murder of Mrs. Oscar D. McDaniel, wife of the former prosecutor of Buchana county, Missouri, last summer has been released.

A charge of larceny against the man has been dismissed. No evidence connecting him with the McDaniel case has been found.

GERMANY BACKED AGAINST A WALL

CHANCELLOR ADMITTED SUBMARINE ORDER WAS DESPERATE RESORT.

ENDLESS STREAMS OF BLOOD ARE IN VAIN

Have Not Wiped Out the "Must" and "Can" Determination.—Will Go to Any Lengths.

(By The Associated Press)

London, Feb. 1.—Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg addressing the reichstag ways and means committee today expressed the conviction that Great Britain and her allies will be brought to peace terms as a result of the new submarine campaign, according to a Berlin dispatch to Reuter by way of Amsterdam.

The chancellor explained the reasons which led to the German peace offer it is reported and said that since the entente allies had determined to reject the peace proposals Germany would fight on.

STAKE EVERYTHING.

"We have been challenged to fight to the end," the chancellor is quoted as saying. "We stake everything and shall be victorious."

In discussing the submarine campaign the chancellor is said to have declared:

"The admiralty staff and the high seas fleet entertain the firm conviction—a conviction which has practical support in the experience gained in U-boat cruiser warfare—that Great Britain will be brought to peace by arms. Our allies agree with our views. Austria-Hungary adheres to our procedure also in practice. Just as we lay a blockade area around Great Britain and west coast of France, in which we will try to prevent all shipping traffic to the enemy coasts, Austria-Hungary declares a blockaded area around Italy.

"DEFIANT.

"To all neutral countries a free path for mutual intercourse is left outside the blockaded area. To America we offer as we did in 1915 safe passenger traffic under definite conditions, now with Great Britain."

The chancellor here read the note to the United States and said that corresponding notes had been sent to the other neutral states. He concluded as follows:

ENDLESS STREAMS OF BLOOD.

"No one among us will close his eyes to the sacrifices of the step we are taking. That our existence is at stake everyone knows since Aug. 4, 1914, and this has been brutally emphasized by the rejection of our peace offer. When in 1914 we had to seize Belgium and have recourse to the sword against Russia's general mobilization we did so with the deepest sense of responsibility toward our people and conscious of the fatherland be assured, gentlemen, that nothing has been neglected. Every thing in this respect will be done."

WILL SINK ALL SHIPS.

Washington, Feb. 1.—A second memorandum, delivered yesterday with the German note, was made public late today by the state department. It differs in some respects from the substance of the note itself. The understanding is that it was prepared at the German embassy on instructions from Berlin prior to President Wilson's peace address to the senate and withheld then on account of the address. When Count von Bernstorff received the note and memorandum yesterday from Berlin, he decided to deliver them in the original document prepared by him.

The memorandum follows:

"After bluntly refusing Germany's peace offer, the entente powers stated in their note addressed to the American government that they determined to continue the war in order to deprive Germany of German province in the west and east, to destroy Austria-Hungary and to annihilate Turkey. Judging by the war aims of the entente allies are violating all rules of international law, as they prevent the legitimate trade of neutrals with the central powers and of the neutrals among themselves. Germany, so far, has not made unrestricted use of the weapons which she possesses in her submarines. Since the entente powers, however, have made it impossible to come to an understanding based upon equality of rights of all nations, as proposed by the central powers, and have instead declared only such a peace to be possible which shall be dictated by the entente allies and shall result in the destruction and the humiliation of the central powers, Germany is unable further to forego the full use of her submarines.

"The imperial government, therefore, does not doubt that the govern-

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OVER TEN FAMILIES ARE BELIEVED DEAD

Two Three-Story Buildings in Chicago's Ghetto Collapsed Result of Gas Explosion.

(By The Associated Press)

Chicago, Feb. 2.—Two three-story buildings collapsed early today when a gas explosion occurred in them, and it is believed more than a score of persons are buried in the ruins. Nearly all the occupants of the buildings, more than ten families, were feared lost. Windows in houses and apartments for several squares were shattered.

One body, that of a man and six persons seriously injured, were taken from the ruins of the buildings by the police who said at least a score of persons were still buried. The buildings are in the tenement district in the west side called the Ghetto was entirely wrecked by the explosion.

A dozen or more persons were buried beneath the wreckage of the second building which was across the street from the first in which the explosion occurred. Police, fire and ambulance corps are making every effort to extricate victims from the debris.

The two buildings housed approximately 100 families. When the police and fire departments arrived on the scene they found women throwing their children from the windows of the toppling structures, while others, apparently in fear of being engulfed in the mass of crumbling bricks and timbers, were leaping from the upper floors to the street. The greatest injuries, it was said, resulted from the fall.

Work of rescue was retarded when the wreckage of one of the buildings caught fire. The firemen, however, said they hoped to confine the blaze to that part of the debris, under which it was believed no bodies were buried.

PAID $3,000 TO A BUSINESS AGENT

Owner of Chicago Building Forced to (Some Across" to Get Switchboard Installed.

(By The Associated Press)

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Benjamin J. Rosenthal, owner of the North American building, testified in federal district court today that he had paid $3,000 to a business agent of the electrical workers' union in order that a switchboard made in Philadelphia might be installed in his State street skyscraper. Evidence along similar lines was given by other witnesses.

Four business agents of the electrical workers' union and eleven Chicago manufacturers of switchboard appliances are on trial on a charge of conspiracy to boycott electrical appliances made outside Chicago in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law. Mr. Rosenthal swore that he contracted with a Philadelphia manufacturer for a switchboard. A business agent warned him it could not be installed, although union made. Rosenthal replied no expect that contract because the board was made by union labor, and notified the president of the international electrical union that a strike had been called by the local representative. The international president ordered the strike called off and the board installed.

"I'm strong enough not to pay any attention to President Frank J. McNulty," Mr. Rosenthal testified the agent, Michael J. (Umbrella) Boyle, said. "You want that board installed, you'll have to come across."

Tenthousand dollars was demanded, Mr Rosenthal swore, but finally they compromised on $3,000, and this was paid after the switchboard installed.

Julius Goettsch, of Davenport, Ia., was another important witness for the government.

UTAH SENATE PASSED MOST DRASTIC BILL

(By The Associated Press)

Salt Lake City, Utah, Feb. 1.—The Young prohibition bill, one of the most drastic dry measures submitted in any state, passed the senate unanimously today. The amended bill was immediately returned to the house and passed. The measure will go to the governor tomorrow and if signed, will become effective August 1, 1917.

Intoxicating liquors of no kind except pure alcohol for chemical and scientific purposes and wine for sacrificial purposes will be permitted by the bill.

INDICTED THE CRIMINAL LAW

(By The Associated Press)

Chicago, Feb. 1.—In an indictment of the criminal law of Illinois, Justice James H. Cartwright of the supreme court of the state declared them to be defective, degrading and demoralizing in every way. The charges were made tonight in an address to the Women's Bar association of Illinois. He was supported in many of his charges by his fellow jurists, Orrin N. Carter.

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ALL AMERICANS STAND BY WILSON

SENTIMENT EXPRESSED BY C. E. HUGHES ELECTRIFIED THE DINERS.

No Time to Embarrass Those On Whom Rests Responsibility He Said—All Eyes on U. S.

(By The Associated Press)

New York, Feb. 1.—Charles Evans Hughes, who was guest of honor at the annual dinner of the New York alumni of Brown university here tonight declared every loyal American would stand behind the administration "in this solemn hour" without a partisan thought. His declaration brought the diners to their feet singing the Star Spangled Banner.

"We are all Americans tonight, standing behind our president, on whom this great responsibility rests," said Mr. Hughes. "It is not a time to embarrass in any degree with private utterances those charged with this responsibility. They have the facts; they have the duty to perform. They have the sincere, loyal co-operation of every true American. The exigency of no nation can fix the limits of American rights.

"We are desirous that whatever is done shall be done coolly and deliberately and in a manner that will give to every American a sense of profound satisfaction in regard to the wisdom with which the honor and the rights of our country shall be maintained."

Other speakers at the dinner were President W. H. P. Faunce, of Brown and Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia university.

MORE PRESS COMMENT.

New York World—There can be only one answer to the German submarine proclamation and that answer should be made today. The German government is making its preparations forthwith and diplomatic relations must cease at once. There should be no procrastination on the part of the United States government is forced by premediated murder and depredation.

New York American—It is a time to talk warily, to decide coolly, to be very sure of each step and very confident of each decision. And certainly no one can doubt the president will know that whatever the issue may be, the nation is loyally behind him. We are profoundly hopeful that our own peace can be maintained and that Mr. Wilson will find a way to do so with honor. But if it is to be his lot to find no other way of honor than the sword, it is in his hand, which God forbid, then we will all walk loyally in that way with him.

Springfield (Massachusetts) Republican—This means impossible conditions for the United States and no American in his senses would consider them. There is no equivocance in Germany's action. It is a grave question whether President Wilson should not hand to the German ambassador his passports immediately.

Louisville Courier-Journal—Surely the president has been startled from his dream of the millennium by Germany's latest note. It is a direct challenge of war to the United States. It is a time for no other answer. That challenge should be accepted within twenty-four hours, and the war thus entered on by America should not end until the German despotism of Germany, which dares plunge the world into such a war, is completely and eternally crushed.

Richmond Times-Dispatch—Germany has left this government no alternative to the severance of diplomatic relations. Her note is the height of insolence and thrown prudence and discretion to the winds and throttled mercy with the mailed fist. There can be but one response. That this response may bring war, this nation will understands

Nashville Tennessean and American—Severance of diplomatic relations under the tense world situation that exists, can hardly mean anything short of war. . . . Unless Germany immediately withdraws from that position taken in the note transmitted yesterday, it is impossible to see how the United States can in honor maintain peace with Germany.

Syracuse (New York) Post-Standard—The first American merchant vessel sunk by Germany will be a virtual declaration of war. There is no other answer to Germany's note.

Albany (New York) Knickerbocker Press—There should be but one reply to such a message and that need not be in writing.

Baltimore German Correspondent—The announcement by Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg that Germany made no secret of unrestricted warfare on sea cannot surprise us, if we remember the final sentence of the German note of May, 1916, promising to obey the rules of the law of humanity. Germany said then if the government of the United States did not succeed in compelling England also to obey the law of humanity, a situation might arise for which Germany must reserve its freedom of action. It seems that the situation has come about now, and the cause is privation of the women and children of Germany.

St. Louis Republican—The German submarine note is a bald declaration that for Germany, might well in the future make right on the sea. The

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FRIDAY'S WEATHER.

ILLINOIS AND INDIANA.—Fair with severe cold Friday and Saturday moderating Saturday afternoon.

THE DAY IN CONGRESS.

SENATE.

Resumed consideration of water-power bill.

Senator McCumber spoke on President Wilson's proposal of world peace.

Fortifications appropriation bill reported without amendment.

Senator Lodge spoke on President Wilson's peace address.

Passed fortifications appropriation bill.

Agricultural appropriation bill favorably reported.

Recessed at 5:50 p. m. to 8 p. m.

Reconvened at 8 p. m. and resumed debate on waterpower bill.

HOUSE.

Revenue bill was passed by vote of 211 to 196.

By vote of 285 to 106 passed immigration bill over president's veto.

Adjourned at 8 p. m. to noon Friday.

GERMAN RAIDER REPORTED SUNK

Rio Janeiro Papers Published It.—Boston Shipping Man Says German Can't Do Worse.

(By The Associated Press)

Rio Janeiro, Feb. 1.—Persistent reports have been received by the newspapers here that a German raider has been sunk in an engagement with a British squadron. The British cruiser Amethyst is said to have been in an engagement with a German submarine.

STRUCK A MINE.

London, Feb. 1.—Lloyds announces that the Russian steamer Egret struck a mine January 28 and is a total loss. The steamer registered 3,589 tons.

CAN'T DO ANY WORSE.

Boston, Feb. 1.—Germany's submarine warfare apparently has no effect on shipping at this port today. Foreign steamship line agencies stated they received no

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vessels in port.

John H. Thomas, head of the International Mercantile Marine Company in this city, said that the attack is of importance to the German note. It was his opinion that the Germans had been sinking every ship they could.

EYES OF EUROPE FOCUSED ON U. S.

Other Neutrals Await Action of United States Before Replying to German Defiance.

(By The Associated Press)

London, Feb. 1.—The eyes of Great Britain and all Europe are today focussed on Washington. It is recognized that the question whether the United States finally will be drawn into the European war is being decided there. From Spain, Holland and the Scandinavian countries messages to the English papers say they are waiting for the lead which the United States will give before framing their replies to the German announcement of unfettered maritime war against cargo vessels approaching her enemies' coasts.

British officials decline to speak for publication on the crisis, lest any utterances might be construed in the United States as officious attempts to influence the American policy.

Two theories are current here. One is that the central powers expect to starve out Great Britain and her allies by unrestricted sea warfare and that they consider they have more to gain by trying to shut off American supplies of munitions and foods than by continuing friendly relations. The second is that the central dynasties consider that at the present moment they may best serve their own interests with the people of Europe by bringing upon themselves the hostility of the neutral nations and saying that they cannot fight the whole world.

At no previous stage of the war since the sinking of the Lusitania has the development of America's policy been so intently watched, so curiously awaited. Every news message from the United States, however brief, is devoured by the public and debated as to its significance and bearing.

SAFFORD WAS GIVEN 9 MONTHS

(By The Associated Press)

New York, Feb. 1.—Franklin D. Safford, twice convicted of perjury growing out of the "Oliver Osborne" case was sentenced to nine months in prison by Federal Judge Hand here today. Execution of the sentence was stayed until March 1 and the prisoner's bail reduced.

Safford, who is in the early sixties, was accused of swearing falsely that James W. Osborne, an attorney had been the companion of Rae Tanner on a visit to a New Jersey hotel, of which Safford was the clerk.

Safford furnished bail late today and was released.

ASKED RULING ON SHIP MOVEMENTS

AMERICAN OWNERS ASKED LANSING WHAT THEY WERE TO EXPECT.

INTERNED GERMAN SHIPS BEING WATCHED

Police Helping Custom Guards at Piers and Destroyers Guard Harbor Entrances.

(By The Associated Press)

New York, Feb. 1.— definite ruling and instructions from official sources as to the future movements of the American line steamships was asked of Secretary Lansing and the state department today by P. A. Franklin, president of the International Mercantile Marine. The steamship St. Louis, now in port, is taking on cargo and passengers are being booked to sail for Liverpool, Saturday. It was said by Mr. Franklin that unless instructed to the contrary by Washington, the St. Louis would sail as usual for Liverpool, the regular port of call.

The telegram sent by President Franklin to Secretary Lansing officially advised the state department that the St. Louis is an American ship; owned by American citizens; insured by the United States war risk bureau; carries American citizens and as cargo each merchandise as is in compliance with the government war risk bureau regulation with reference to contraband.

OTHERS ARE AT SEA.

The telegram also advised that the liner Philadelphia, operated under the same conditions, now was about 1,200 miles from Liverpool on her way from New York; that the ship Finland was due to leave Liverpool for New York Feb. 3 or 4; that the steamship Kroonland was due yesterday from Liverpool for New York.

Like the St. Louis the Philadelphia, Finland and Kroonland, carry passengers. The Philadelphia has there are thirty-six passengers, citizens and 148 aliens; on the Finland forty-six Americans and 132 aliens; Cabin advices say the Kroonland placed the number of passengers aboard as 191, but gave no information as to the nationality.

TO GO TO FALMOUTH.

Objection as to the restriction of Germany of Falmouth as the only port of destination for the American ships also was registered with Secretary Lansing by Mr. Franklin. It stated that Falmouth was a port without adequate terminal facilities, docking conveniences or means of obtaining coal, terming it "absolutely impracticable."

"All ships of the American line are now plainly marked as to nationality and the name in large letters on the sides of the hull in London, each American flag is painted on both the port and starboard sides and at night the ships not only are illuminated in the usual manner, but a special light is always burning to display the American flag flying astern.

NO ANSWER YET.

"No answer has as yet been received to my telegram to Mr. Lansing," Mr. Franklin continued "and we will make no communications as to future action until we get a reply. Pending receipt of advices, however, we will continue preparations for the ships' departure."

Custom officials declined to state whether the port would continue to be closed after dark from now on as it was last night. Collector Dudley Field Malone said "I will not discuss neutrality matters." A torpedo boat destroyer near the Narrows and another at the entrance of Long Island Sound, displayed unusual activity as soon as darkness fell today. Searchlights on both were kept constantly swept the waters over which a ship could pass.

HAVE NO INSTRUCTIONS.

Representatives of allied and British shipping companies said no definite instructions had been received as to the future movements of their vessels in port. It was said, however, that in connection with some of the largest companies, that they would be controlled by British admiralty orders. The action early today of local representatives of the Scandinavian-American line in holding up the scheduled sailings of the Oscar II was the result of a telegram from Copenhagen. Only a few ships left port today, mainly coasting steamers and vessels for South and Central American ports. It was the Atlantic transport liner Philadelphia which sailed for European ports today. Insurance rates have been materially increased and war risks advanced sharply today. A leading insurance firm of underwriters announced that it was placing an advance of 50 to 75 per cent over rates made early in the week.

POLICE ON GUARD.

At the piers of the North German Lloyd, Hamburg-American and Austrian lines, where a large number of ships are still interned, no unusual activity was observed. Police are co-operating with custom guards to preserve neutrality.

Collector Malone's trip of inspection last night, according to Chief Hoey of the Hoboken police, was not announced him. Disclosed the fact that seven of the ships, with the exception of the Giant Vaterland, had enough coal

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FORMER HOOPESTON RESIDENT IS DEAD

Mrs. Mabel Abbott Wright Passed Away at Los Angeles, Cal.—Ray Wood Sustained Injuries.

(Special to The Press)

Hoopeston, Ill., Feb. 1.—Word has been received here of the death at Los Angeles, Cal., of the death of Mrs. Mabel Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Abbott, until two years ago a resident of this city.

Mrs. Wright was the wife of Frank E. Wright, a business man of the California city. Tuberculosis was the cause of her demise, and her death was not unexpected. Several weeks ago Mr. and Mrs. Abbott went to Los Angeles to spend the winter, and, with the husband, they will accompany the remains to this city for burial.

FELL FROM LADDER.

Roy Wood, employed at the Welty grocery, fell from a ladder in the store yesterday, sustaining painful, but not dangerous, injuries. He fell from the top of the ladder down the steps and into the basement. His injuries consisted of cuts about the head and hip.

MARGARET BRUCE.

Miss Margaret Bruce of Wooster, Ohio, who often had visited friends and relatives in this city, died Wednesday in Wooster, it was learned today. Many Hoopeston people, especially the younger folks, remember her and will be pained to learn of her demise.

"PAY-UP" TALK.

President Keller, of the Chamber of Commerce, appointed a committee, consisting of Ray W. Ulery, George E. Evans and A. L. Knox, to visit the merchants of the city in the interest of a "Pay-Up" week, which it has not yet been definitely decided to have here.

PERSONAL MENTION.

J. F. Ogden, the Second street grocery-man, who has been confined to his home, a victim of gall stones, is improved.

Mason T. E. Merritt has purchased a farm of 240 acres near Rochester, Ind., the same being part of the receivership property of the Hamilton-Cunningham bank.

Miss Marguerite Karn, who for four months has been at Lafayette on account of the dangerous condition of her mother, Mrs. Mary Karn, is here for a few days' rest. The condition of Mrs. Karn shows no improvement.

ATTICA AND DANVILLE TO HAVE NEW PASTOR

(Special to The Press)

Attica, Ind., Feb. 1.—The official boards of the Swedish Lutheran church in this city and that at Danville, Ill., have been formally notified of the acceptance of their joint call, by Rev. Robert Kaleding, to whom a call was extended last November. Mr. Kaleding had secured some of the board informally that the call would be accepted, but he desired to wait until his year was completed before announcing his decision formally. He is now located at Corning, N. Y., and will remain there until June 1, when he will move to Danville and take up his pastoral work here. In accordance with the agreement reached with the Danville congregation some time ago, the two churches will share in the new preacher's work and he will live in Danville.

HARLIN M. STEELY FOR CITY ATTORNEY

Young Lawyer a Candidate On the Republican Ticket Asks Consideration of the Voters.

Harlin M. Steely, Jr., announces his candidacy for the office of city attorney of the city of Danville, subject to the republican primary on March 13, 1917.

He was born at Hoopeston, Ill., in 1884, and lived there until his father, becoming a partner of the late William J. Calhoun, moved to this city in 1892. After attending the public schools of both Hoopeston and Danville and graduating from the Danville high school in 1903, he entered Yale university and graduated from the scientific department in the class of 1908.

Upon graduation from college he began the study of law in his father's office and in February, 1911, was admitted to the practice of law in the state. He is now the junior member of the law firm of Steely & Steely, associated with his father in the practice. Most of the residents of the Sixth and Seventh wards, and especially the latter, where he lives, know how strong a republican partisan he is and how he has worked for the good of the party in the time since his return from school.

If nominated and elected to the office of city attorney, he promises to devote his best efforts and capabilities to the duties of the office and, with this announcement, asks the honest consideration and support of his candidacy by the republican voters of the city.—Adv.

PROMINENT PENFIELD COUPLE WERE UNITED

(Special to The Press)

Penfield, Ill., Feb. 1.—The wedding of Miss Helen Austin and John Ellis, both prominent residents of Penfield, took place in the St. Lawrence Catholic church Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock. Rev. Father O'Brien officiated. Miss Loretta Ellis, a sister of the groom, was the maid of honor and John Gordon was best man. Miss Ella Crawford played the wedding march. Following the ceremony the young couple went to the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Austin, where a delightful breakfast was served to a large number of relatives and intimate friends.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Austin and is a graduate of the Penfield high school. The groom is the son of Mrs. Mary Graham and is a wealthy young farmer. The young couple will make their home in a new residence which was recently erected by the groom in Penfield. He will also have the active management of his farm near Penfield.

BOUGHT IMPORTED STOCK FOR HERD

William Ryan, Jr., former state treasurer, now one of the leading stock raisers in this section of the country, returned last night from Chicago, where he purchased three head of registered Scotch short horns for his famous herd of that breed. The trio, consisting of two cows and a heifer, were sold at the disbursement sale of the Walter J. Hill stock, considered the finest in the United States. Mr. Hill is a son of the late railway magnate, James J. Hill. Since the death of his father he has devoted all of his time to the Hill railway interests, and decided to dispose of his blooded herd.

Uric Acid Exradicated

(By DR. N. C. COOK)

A poison as dangerous as strychnin is manufactured within our own body, called uric acid. When it accumulates in the body and the kidneys fail to carry it off, we suffer from dull headache, sleeplessness, muscular pains, lumbago, or it may cause rheumatism or gout. The uric acid can be seen in the cloudy sediment in the water—what is called the "brick-dust," noted on the sides of the vessel containing it—after a few hours' standing. The water is scanty, high-colored, strongly acid, and this should be a danger sign, and if not taken in time, by cutting out the meat, tea and alcohol may end in rheumatism or gout.

Drink plenty of water between meals—a pint of hot water half an hour before meals—and take Anuric (double strength). This was first discovered by Dr. Pierce, of the Surgical Institute, in Buffalo, N. Y., and is harmless to the system, but sure and effective in carrying off the uric acid. It stimulates the kidneys and helps them to carry off the uric acid poison. Anuric can be obtained at almost any drug store, and helps to counteract the acidity of the system.

A blockade in the intestines piles a heavy burden upon the liver. If the intestines are choked or clogged up, the circulation of the blood becomes poisoned and the system becomes loaded with toxic waste, and we suffer from headache, yellow-coated tongue, bad taste in mouth, nausea, or gas, acid dyspepsia, languor, debility, yellow skin or eyes. At such times one should take a pleasant laxative. Such a one is made of the May apple, leaves of aloe and root of jalap, first extracted and put into ready-to-use form by Dr. Pierce nearly fifty years ago, and sold by all druggists as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

ROSSVILLE BURGLARY SUSPECT PICKED UP

Watseka Officers Placed Man in Iroquois County Jail—Found Digging in Pile of Cinders.

(Special to The Press)

Watseka, Ill., Feb. 1.—A man giving his name as F. N. King of Cincinnati, Ohio, was picked up near Cooler by Officers Bailey and Spaulding Tuesday night and brought to Watseka and put in the county jail.

The description of the man corresponds with the man who attacked the night ticket agent at Rossville and robbed the station of a considerable amount of money. Soon after the robbery, Chief of Police Harper and Sheriff Brewer were notified at Watseka, but heavy snows on Cooler to search the first train due at the station and after searching two north bound trains with no results they returned to town. Tuesday night a man digging in a cinder pile at Cooler aroused the suspicions of Jack Davidson, foreman of the Cooler shutes. Harper was again notified and sent Officers Bailey and Spaulding to Cooler. After making a search and finding no one the two men started to walk back to Watseka and on reaching the pump house a short distance from town, a search was made and a man was found behind a boiler. The officers brought him to Watseka. About $18 in silver was found where the man was digging in the pile of cinders.

WILL THE GROUND HOG SEE SHADOW?

Although Uncle Sam's prognosticators have already announced a clear sky for today, let's hope that when Br'er Groundhog takes his little peep out into the world, that dense clouds will hover over mother earth.

The winter has been mighty fine for those who have somewhat worried on account of the low coal bin which has been slowly reducing. Of course it would be mighty nice if the fine weather should continue to prevail. If, however, Mr. Groundhog looks out today and see his shadow by reason of a clear sky, its "good-night" so far as winter being over is concerned, so we are told. If clouds prevail sufficiently to prevent his "shadder" being shown in different and we can confidently expect spring shortly, according to those who base their opinion of spring weather on the prophesy of the animal.

MAN ARRESTED HERE SENT TO CHESTER

According to word yesterday received by the local police from Champaign, James Small, the newspaper solicitor from Champaign arrested here last fall, was yesterday sentenced to an indeterminate term in the Chester penitentiary after pleading guilty to embezzlement. Small, a dapper young man and perhaps the most finely dressed man who ever stayed in the Danville jail, was arrested at a local newspaper office where he was trying to obtain work. At the time he was wanted in Champaign for the theft of a large sum of money from a newspaper there for which he had worked. He is now said to be in the last stages of consumption so that his arrest in Chester will really be indeterminate.

STARTED CAMPAIGN FOR U. S. MARINES

Sergeant Stover, in charge of the new marine recruiting station opened up in Danville yesterday, has already started his campaign for new recruits for the U. S. marine service, finding a number of prospects yesterday which will probably develope into the real goods in a few days. Sergeant Stover is now accepting recruits for the marine service, not the navy as was understood, the marines work according to Sergeant Stover being much preferable to the life of an ordinary sailor.

"WATCH US GROW"

CRAMER & NORTON

"THE STORE FOR ALL THE PEOPLE"

MILLINERY

Winter Hats

Every trimmed hat in the store must be sold Friday and Saturday; values up to $15.00. Your choice

$1.98



Velvet Shapes

Your choice of any shape in the store for

50c

Children's Hats

Your choice of one hundred children's hats

50c

These Are Wonderful Values

Come Early For First Choice

Just for Friday

ODD LOTS and REMNANT SALE

"GOODS TO BE DISPOSED OF AT MUCH LESS THAN TODAY'S ACTUAL VALUES!"

—In accord with our fixed policy not to carry over any merchandise from one season to the other, we are closing out all winter merchandise irrespective of actual cost—notwithstanding that everything will be much higher next winter.

10c Ribbons at 5c
5 yard bolts of satin and wash ribbons; sizes 1, 1 1-2 and 2 selling—Just for Friday at **5c**

15c Odd Lot Satin Ribbon, 5c
In several good colors. These satin ribbons are of excellent quality. Priced Just for Friday, a yard **5c**

15c and 25c Velvet Ribbon, 10c
Satin and velvet ribbons in most all colors; exceptional bargain. Just for Friday ..... at **10c**

75c Vel. Ribbons 29c
75c velvet ribbons **29c**

Glove Savings
19c and 25c yarn mittens; grey, navy and black, pair **15c**
50c and 75c leather gloves and mittens, fleeced lined and fur tops; some mackinaw gauntlets. Just for Friday, pair **39c**

Up to $1 Braids, Cords, Ornaments, 25c
Frogs, buckles, laces; trimmings of all kinds, colors, quantities and varieties, usually, selling 50c, 75c and $1. Just for Friday **25c**

Fur Trimmings ½ off, 1-2 Off
Kinds—mole, beaver, possum, raccoon and coney, in many different widths. Just for Friday ..... 1-2 price

Up to 37c One Table Trimmings, 10c
Tassels, braids, rosettes, frogs—trimmings that would usually sell up to 37c. Just for Friday **10c**

Odd Lots of Frogs
Odd lots of frogs and braids that would usually sell up to $1. Just for Friday. **10c**

Women's 37c Black Hosiery at 29c
Mercerized lisle, reinforced heel, double garter top; would sell at 35c usually. Just for Friday **29c**

50c and 59c Silk Hosiery at 39c
Silk lisle hosiery; also some fibre hose, in black and colors; double garter top. Just for Friday at **39c**

75c Silk Hosiery, 59c
Assorted lot of different qualities; pure thread silk hose that would usually sell at 75c. Just for Friday at..... **59c**

59c Venetian Linings
Odd pieces of Venetian linings, that would usually sell at 59c. Just for Friday at **39c**



Extra Fine Suits

$25 and $30 suits, there's just a few of a kind; made of high grade silk finish poplin; finely tailored. Just for Friday **$12.50**

$30, $35 and $40 suits—high grade suits, made of broadcloth, gaberdine, poplin and velvet. Priced Just for Friday **$16.50**

$50 and $60 suits of broadcloth, velvet and velour; just a few of a kind. Priced Just for Friday **$19.50**

VERY FINE SERGE DRESSES

$12.50, $15, $18.50 and $20 French serge dresses, in navy, green and wine—dresses in the foremost style and of the highest quality. Just for Friday **$10.00**

$17.50, $18.50, $20 and $30 dresses—of fine serge—many Grecian style exquisitely embroidered on pockets, cuffs and collars; mostly in navy blue. Priced Just for Friday **$12.50**

$25, $30 and $35 very fine serge dresses—individual styles—mostly in navy blue. These are dresses you would consider excellent value at original prices. Just for Friday **$17.50**

Two Big Coat Specials

$20, $25 and ... $25, $30 and $35

high grade coats of wool velour, velour plaids and boucle effect; in navy, brown and green **$15.00**

tailored coats of zibeline and broadcloth. Colors are burgundy, navy, brown, green and taupe **$19.50**

---from the Neckwear Section

—Large and small collars of good quality broadcloth; plain or embroidered—in the round and sailor shapes, Just for Friday **50c**

—Fancy initialed handkerchiefs for men and women—plain or embroidered—Just for Friday..... **12½c**

---from the Underwear Section

—1 table of children's part wool underwear in separate garments both bleached and grey. Sizes from 20 to 34, at 1-3 off regular price Just for Friday.

—Men's flannelette night shirts, all sizes from 15-20. Regularly sold for 59c—Just for Friday **49c**

---from the Millinery Section

—Fancy feathers and wings that usually sell at $1.25. Just for Friday at..... **39c**

—Odd lot of velvet shaped hats in black and colors; $2.00 values—Just for Friday at..... **49c**

—Sample line of drape veils in black—to sure see these—Just for Friday, at..... **$1.00**

15c Huck Towels, 10c
Red bordered huck towels, large size, heavy weight. Just for Friday at **10c**

15c Crash toweling 11c
Bleached or unbleached half linen, crash toweling, 17 inches wide. Just for Friday at **11c**

Remnant White Goods
All wash goods and white goods remnants. Just for Friday 1-3 off.

Table Linens, 1-3 Off
Remnants of table linens, towelings, sheetings and pillow tubing. Just for Friday 1-3 off

50c Lunch Cloths 29c
White and colored, made of permanent finish, mercerized damask; size 31x31 inches. Just for Friday at... **29c**

Rugs, Drapery, Odd Lots and Remnants
Very fine quality, suitable for draperies and box covers; 25c and 35c qualities. Just for Friday, a **12½c**

39c Scrims and Marquisettes, 25c
A few with cluny lace and hemstitched edges in white, cream and ecru. Just for Friday, a yard **25c**

Up to $1.00 Sunfast Drapery, 39c
Silk and drawn work scrim in ecru, green, blue. All wonderful values. Regular 35c and $1 value. Just for Friday, a yard **39c**

$5.75 & $5 Rope Leather Portiers $2.95
In brown, green and blue. Regular $5.75 and $5 qualities, pair **$2.95**

$30 Doon Scotch Rugs at $19.75
Wonderful values and patterns of green, brown, blue and tan; regular $30 values. Just for Friday at.. **$19.75**

One $20 Fiber Trunk at $12.95
38 trunks, slightly shop worn. Regular $20 value. Just for Friday ... **$12.95**

Children's Dresses, 1-2 Off
White and colored dresses. Different styles to select from. Ages 2 to 6 years. Just for Friday at ..... 1-2 price

25c Children's Muslin Drawers, 15c
Knickerbocker and straight styles; trimmed with embroidery and beading edges. Odd sizes. 25c values. Just for Friday at **15c**

BARGAINLAND---BASEMENT

East Call Odd Lots and Counter - Soiled Merchandise

Up to $3.00 Boys' Odd Overcoats, $3 and $5 **$1.00**	Men's $1.00 Odd Soiled Dress Shirts **25c**	Up to $5.00 Odd Dress Skirts **$2.00**	36 inch 9c Blea. Muslin Soiled **6¼c**	75c Ladies' Odd Vests, Pants, size 34 **19c**	$1.00 White Bed Spreads **79c**	Up to $3.50 Crepe de Chine Waists, Soiled **$1.69**	Heavy Light Outing **11c**
50c Child's Ging'am Dresses 2 to 5 years **39c**	$1.00 White Duck Jumpers Overalls **50c**	Odd Color Cheese Cloths for Dusters **3c**	$6.50 Boys' Mackinaws 4 to 6 **$2.48**	$1.25 Infants' White Wool Sweaters **39c**	20c 45 inch Pillow Tubing **16c**	50c Child's Out'g Flannel Wear **15c**	35c Poplin Silk Stripe Waisting **25c**
Boys' $6.00 Velvet and Corduroy Suits 3 to 8 **$2.98**	$1.00 Bed Sheets, 72x90 Hemstitched **79c**	$3.50 Child's Coats 2 to 6 year **$1.98**	39c Child's Odd Vests 8 to 14 **15c**	75c Women's Muslin Gowns Soiled **39c**	Odd $8.50 Women's Coats **$4.00**	Light Blue 36 inch $1.00 Eiderdown **19c**	75c White Wool Baby Carriage Robes **25c**
$1.25 Men's Odd Wool Drawers 30 and 44 **39c**	Men's $2.00 Work Pants 36 to 42 **90c**	$2.00 Boys' and Girls' Sweaters **$1.48**	25c Infants' or Doll Knit Toques **5c**	Up to $1.00 Middies Soiled **19c**	Fine Count Percale **12½c**	$2.50 Women's Kimonos, Bath Robes, Soiled **$1.00**	75c Men's Rib Shirts, Drawers **39c**
	50c Boys' Heavy Fleece Odd Shirts **19c**	15c Huck Towel 18x34 Soiled **10c**	75c Child's Dark Dresses, 2 to 6 **39c**	$1.25 Child's 2 to 3 year Bath Robes **79c**	$1.00 Lingerie Waists Soiled **44c**	Up to $4.00 Women's Bath Robes **$1.48**	Odd Pieces Mercerized 25c Poplin **10c**

EMERY DRY GOODS COMPANY

FUNERAL OF MRS. LOGAN AT BISMARCK

Services For Woman Who Passed Away Near Henning to Be Held Friday Afternoon.

(Special to The Press)

Bismarck, Ill., Feb. 1.—Funeral services for Mrs. Hugh Logan, who passed away at 7 o'clock Wednesday morning at her home one and one-half miles west of Henning, will be held at the old Christian church in Bismarck at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon, followed by burial in the Leonard graveyard. Mrs. Logan's death came after an extended illness with a complication of diseases. She was about thirty years of age, and is survived by a husband, one young son, and two brothers, Charles Linstead, of Peoria, and John Linsted, whose whereabouts are unknown. She leaves a large circle of friends to mourn her death.

CALIFORNIA ORANGES.

Dr. G. V. Wolfington was much pleased Tuesday, when he received a box of fine navel oranges from Riverside, Cal., where Mrs. Wolfington and daughter, Clarice, are spending the winter. The oranges were quite good, but they tasted all the better to the doctor from the fact that his young daughter picked them from the trees herself. The fruit came by parcel post.

IN SERIOUS CONDITION.

Cleo, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Williams, is reported in a serious condition. She is suffering from a blood infection in the form of purpura. This trouble followed a severe attack of pneumonia, from which the little girl recently recovered. Dr. Winslow, of Danville, was called in consultation with Dr. G. V. Wolfington in regard to the case this week.

STORE REMAINS UNSOLID.

Owing to a "hitch in the proceedings," the reported sale of the Starr department store here to Otto Ogden has fallen through. The report became generally circulated last week that the deal between the two gentlemen had been positively concluded, but this seems to have been an error. It was said today that Mr Starr will retain possession of the store, and he probably will make a number of changes and improvements that will make it one of the best in the county. At the same time Mr. Ogden has begun the work of handsomely redecorating and repapering the interior of his store, and he is determined to conduct a business of which Bismarck will be proud.

FURAY FUNERAL.

There was an unusually large attendance at the funeral of J. C. Furay, which was conducted at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the [illegible] church here, with Rev. Ray J. Gross officiating. Burial followed in the Davison cemetery, west of town. Mr. Furay was one of the best known [illegible] the country, and he left scores of friends. His death, coming very unexpectedly on Monday evening, was a severe shock to the community. The exact cause of death is not known. Mr. Furay became sick with grip one week ago Monday, and a gathering developed in his head. It is thought that death either was the result of the bursting of an abscess in his head, or of the weakening of the heart from the effects of the grip. His age was forty-seven years, eight months and eleven days.

The funeral services were impressive, and a comforting sermon was preached by Rev. Mr. Cross. The Odd Fellows were in charge, and attended in a body. Beautiful selections were sung by a chorus composed of S. W. Claypool, Jesse Sheets, Mr. Keist, Mrs. Roll Phillips, Mrs. Charles S. Young and Miss Mary Myers. The pallbearers were Grant Wilson, S. H. Cutler, Guy Brown, W. H. Watson, George Brown and George Ames.

Among the out-of-town people in attendance were the following: Simon Furay, Kansas City, Mo.; Mrs. Henry Williamson, Rossville; Mrs. May Bliss, West Lebanon; Jeff Allison, Rossville; Mrs. John Gillispie, Danville; Will Hardesty and family, Danville; Ed McClain, Homer; Jeff McClain, Kankakee; Otis Brown, Champaign; James Johnson and Ira Ingram, Danville; Thomas Newman and family, Attica; Claud Smith, Clarin; Marshall McClain and Seymour Deck, Henning; Albert Ingalis, Alvin; Tom Cunningham, Danville; Don Britt, Campbell Station; Ross Clem, Hoopeston.

AFRAID OF HIM

Everybody seems afraid of Pat Crane, expert wrestler of Bismarck, who has thrown his hat into the ring as the champion wrestler of Vermilion county. Mr. Crane announced today that he has not yet received a single reply to the defiant challenge which he issued last week. He says he has received offers from two or three persons who desire to try out with his trainer before they tackle him, but that they are not willing to tackle him until they have had a preliminary work-out with Pete Ingram and Gus Ogden.

BISMARCK BRIEFS.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McClain, living southwest of town, are the proud parents of a baby boy, who was born last Sunday morning.

Joe Brown, living on the Hornbeck place, one mile southeast of town, was taken to the hospital in Danville Wednesday on account of a gathering in his head. He has been suffering from grip for the past few days.

Paul Atherton and family of Danville, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Zack Starr.

Samuel Britton, living near Collison, is reported to be suffering from a gathering in the head.

Mr and Mrs. E. D. Brown and daughters, Zella and Grace, and Marie Spicer took supper with Mrs. Lela Campbell Saturday night.

Sherrill Funk and Misses Marie Spicer and Ruth Kolp, of Danville, spent the week at the home of E. D. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Fosdinll of near Collison, spent Tuesday with their daughter, Mrs. E. D. Brown and family.

Mrs. Mary Hollingsworth has been quite sick during the past few days with bronchitis.

Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell spent today in Rossville with Mrs. Josie Cunningham, who celebrated her birthday anniversary.

J. Alex Clapp is improving in health, following a few day's illness.

The union prayer meeting, conducted last evening at the Pleasant View church, was well attended. The next meeting will be held Wednesday evening of next week at the Church of Christ, with J. E. Hillman as leader. The lesson for that occasion will be the last half of the fifth chapter of John.

Between doing their chores and attending sales, the farmers of this vicinity are having all they can do at the present time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Purnell and son, of Muncie, came last evening for a short visit with their daughter, Mrs. R. E. Johnson, and family.

Margarie, the four-year-old daughter of J. B. Ingram, has been quite sick for the past few days, and is threatened with pneumonia.

Mrs. William Cox, living southwest of Bismarck, is on the sick list.

"Uncle" Jim McCormick, living northeast of town, is sick.

Wilbur Johnson, who has been suffering from a severe case of pneumonia, is nicely recovering.

William Elsmore of Covington, Ind., will preach at the Church of Christ Saturday night and Sunday.

Misses Clara Stanley, Ruth and Grace Moss spent Sunday with relatives in Danville.

Mrs. E. J. Potter was shopping in Danville Wednesday.

Emma Moore is much improved in health after an illness of several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Erville Henderson spent Sunday evening with Bert Brown and family.

F. M. Hornor and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Emma Moss.

E. D. Brown, who has been confined to his home a few days with a heavy cold, is able to be at the store again.

Mrs. Josie Wood has been suffering several days with earache. She went to Danville Wednesday to a specialist in regard to her trouble.

Ed Dick and family of Hoopeston visited over Sunday with Otto Ogden and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Furay, parents of John Furay, whose funeral was held Tuesday, are in very poor health. Mr. Furay has had a severe attack of grip, and his son's death came as a great shock to him. Mrs. Furay has been a ninvalid more than five years.

GIFFORD HAS HAD BUSINESS CHANGE

Frank Wooldridge Sold Stock of Goods to Fred Busboom—Postoffice May Be Removed.

(Special to The Press)

Gifford, Ill., Feb. 1.—Frank Wooldridge has sold his stock of men's furnishings to Fred Busboom, who has removed them to his store. Mr. Wooldridge's plans for the future are not known. The postmaster has received a permit from the government to remove the postoffice from the restaurant building it now occupies into the building vacated by Mr. Wooldridge. It is not known yet as to when the change will take place, other than it will occur in the near future. This change will be welcomed by the residents of Gifford as the restaurant is naturally a loafing place for men and the ladies are more or less timid about going into such a place for their mail.

TO MEET SATURDAY.

The Compromise Township Teachers' association meet on Saturday, at which time the following program will be given:

Music—Victrola.
Talk by a member of school board.
Paper—"History," pages 369 to 414—Kenneth Wright.
Paper—"History," pages 414 to 428—Miss Phelps.
Playground Work—Miss Johnson.
Paper—"Rural Life," pages 306-327—Mrs. Edinburn.
Paper—"Rural Life," pages 327-349—Miss Telberg.
Physical Exercises—Miss Hopkins.
Music—Victrola.

A good attendance is expected at this the last meeting of the year.

WORD OF DEATH.

Word was received last week announcing the death of Mrs Thomas Livey of her home in Royal, Ia., last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Livey are well-known here, having formerly resided here. The deceased leaves a husband, two children and a brother, Raymond Davis, who resides north of Gifford, besides other relatives and friends.

READING CIRCLE.

The Reading Circle will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wood Thursday evening. Rev. E. J. Williams and Miss Marion Johnson will give readings. Other numbers will be given and an excellent meeting is anticipated.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society will meet at the home of Mrs. A. S. Axtell on Friday.

Two children of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Clark have been sick with the scarlet fever but are improving at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McHenry and Mrs. Lida Zigler spent Sunday with relatives near Penfield.

Jean McCoy of Champaign spent Sunday with home folks.

The baby of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bear has been sick for the past week.

Leonard Wiechman of Flannigan, was a business caller here Thursday.

Pat Rowland is assisting at the Graham farm this week getting the stock ready for the Graham brothers sale.

Thomas McQuade of Champaign was here on business Monday.

Mrs. George Holtap is sick with the measles.

Barney Hendricks' baby was quite sick the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hamilton spent the week-end in Hoopeston, visiting in the family of their son, Harry Hamilton.

The Aid society will meet at the home of Mrs. S. M. Wright Thursday.

Mrs. E. J. Williams returned last Tuesday from Chicago where she has been recovering from an operation, which she recently submitted to. She seems much improved.

Mrs. Leonard Holmes of Washington returned to Gifford Thursday from Terre Haute, Ind., where she has been visiting relatives. She will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Williams here before returning to her home.

Mrs. R. Johnson has been quite ill with pneumonia but is improving.

P. L. Stewart of St. Joseph spent Sunday here with W. T. Brown and family.

Mr. Rowland of Ludlow spent the week-end with his daughter, Mrs. Edward Wood and family here.

Mrs. Emma Brown, and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Lloyd Brown, have been quite ill for the past week.

Otis Bear and John Schluter were in Chicago the first of the week attending to business matters.

Frank Chumbley went to Breckenridge, Mich., on Friday to look after business affairs.

Miss Kate Hennessey and Edward Carley spent the week-end in Buckley with relatives.

Mrs. P. L. Heffington of Rantoul, spent Monday with her son, Carl Heffington and family.

Miss Mable Lytle was the guest of Mrs. W. Jones in DeLand several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Rusk spent the week-end with the parents of the former in Rantoul.

Gaza Darter is moving his family into the James Stewart property and Mr. Cole of Dillsburg is moving his family into the house vacated by Mr. Darter.

SALE NEAR HOMER AMOUNTED TO 3,500

(Special to The Press)

Homer, Ill., Feb. 1.—Frank Mitchell, living two miles west of here on Monday held one of the biggest farm sales of the season in this neighborhood, when, regardless of the bad roads and threatening weather, a large crowd was present and the sale netted well over $3,500. Col. M. B. Grimes, was the auctioneer, and he well deserves the credit given him as a salesman, for he obtained the fancy prices of the season for a number of teams sold during the day, some of which sold at around $500. It was said by many that Mr. Mitchell had the best show of horses of all those seen so far in this neighborhood. It is understood that Mr. Mitchell will move upon the McElroy farm near Bloomingdale, Indiana, about March 1.

Col. Grimes also conducted a sale at Homer this week, selling Charles Stevens entire livery stock. B. Robbins was the buyer. Charles Stevens expects to move to a farm in Kansas about March 1.

CATLIN COUPLE WERE UNITED AT COVINGTON

(Special to The Press)

Covington, Ind., Feb. 1.—Asa Osborn, Covington's marrying squire, officiated at two wedding ceremonies in the county clerk's office Monday. He said the words that united for weal or for woe August Wangler and Priscilla Miller of Catlin, and Ace Conover and Alta Cook of Champaign. A marriage license was issued Wednesday evening to James Kirkpatrick, farmer of near Wingate, and Fronie M. Romine, daughter of Samuel Romine of northeast of town.



"If you've ever tasted goodies made with Calumet Baking Powder you won't blame a kid for being tempted! G-r-e-a-t, b-i-g, tender, tasty biscuits, cakes, doughnuts, muffins and everything I can think of—all so good I can't keep away from them!

"Mother wouldn't think of using any Baking Powder except Calumet! She's tried all others—she knows which is best—she knows Calumet means positive uniform results—purity in the can and purity in the baking—great economy and wholesome things to eat.

"You want bakings like mother's—then use Calumet Baking Powder."

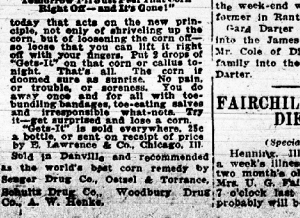
Received Highest Awards

New Cook Book Free—See Slip in Pound Can

5,000,000 Corns Lifted Right Off!

Try 3 Drops of Magic "Gets-It."

There's a wonderful difference between getting rid of a corn now and the way they used to try to get rid of it a few years ago. The discovery of "Gets-It" has revolutionized corn history. It's the only corn remedy



"See? Just 3 Drops of 'Gets-It,' Now Tomorrow Pull Out That Corn Right Off—and It's Gone!"

today that acts on the new principle, not only of shriveling up the corn, but of loosing the corn off—so loose that you can lift it right off with your fingers. Put 3 drops of "Gets-It" on that corn or callus tonight. That's all. The corn is doomed sure as sunrise. No pain, or trouble, or soreness. You do away once and for all with tootbundling bandages, toe-eating salves and irresponsible what-nots. Try it—get surprised and lose a corn.

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WOMAN'S CLUB HELD MEETING AT OGDEN

(Special to The Press)

Ogden, Ill., Feb. 1.—Mrs. Anna Freeman entertained the members of the Woman's club at her home Friday afternoon in a very pleasant manner. At this meeting the members answered the roll call with the names of cities in India. A piano solo by Mrs. Nora Huckin followed. A paper on "Social and Political Conditions of India" was given by Mrs. Della McPherron and was very interesting. The club song followed. A paper on "What the Women of India Have Done," was the subject which was discussed by Mrs. Jennie Preese. "English Domain in India," was the title of a strong paper which was given by Mrs. Maude Canaday. Refreshments of marshmallow dream, dark and light cake and coffee were served.

COLLECTING TAXES.

John Behrens has started the collection of te taxes, having received the books after filing bond for $58,000. The bond was signed by Herman Behrens, John Buhr and Henry Bartell.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

James White and family of Danville are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. White.

John Redmond of Ohio is visiting at the home of Miss Nova Estworthy.

Miss Mae Bailey of Fairmount spent Sunday with friends here.

William Hiller shipped a carload of cattle to Indianapolis Tuesday.

Mrs. Bailey received word Monday of the serious illness of her granddaughter at Buffalo.

John Fisher has gone to Chicago to attend the automobile show.

Thomas Scott and E. C. Firebaugh went to Chicago Tuesday to attend the automobile show.

The daughter of Ray Anderson is quite ill with pneumonia.

Frank Clayton shipped two carloads of sheep to Chicago and Wilson Saturday were $800.

The proceeds of the Busy B sale

Mrs. Peter McKinney is in a critical condition.

Mrs. Jay Preese will go to Chicago next week to attend a millinery opening.

Ab McElwee of Glover was a caller here Tuesday.

Mrs. Jacob Kuykendall of Danville was a recent visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Preese.

INDIA TEA

Helps Concentration of Mind

Lord Northcliffe of the *London Times* wrote of Lloyd George during the British Cabinet crisis:—

"He doesn't seem to have settled hours for his meals. During the past week his diet seemed to consist principally of cigars and tea."

India Tea is concentrated richness: 1 teaspoonful makes 2 cups

FAIRCHILD INFANT DIED AT HENNING

(Special to The Press)

Henning, Ill., Feb. 1.—Following a week's illness with pneumonia, the two months old child of Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Fairchild passed away at 7 o'clock last evening. The funeral probably will be held Friday.

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LODGE NOTICES

Iris Chapter O. E. S.

Iris Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the Carson-Payson hall East Harrison street.

FAIRMOUNT B. Y. P. U. RECEIVED $16.33

Social Given at Baptist Church Was Decided Success, Both Socially And Financially.

(Special to The Press)

Fairmount, Ill., Feb. 1.—The B. Y. P. U. social which was given at the Baptist church Tuesday evening was a decided success, both socially and financially. The house was well filled and the program which was one of the best given for a long time was as follows:

Instrumental Solo—Miss Pauline Certain.

Prayer—Rev. Angus Sillars.

Instrumental Solo—Miss Myrtle Anderson.

Remarks—Rev. S. C. Welch.

Vocal Solo—Mrs. Paul Curtner.

Reading—Mrs. T. N. Sappington.

Instrumental Solo—Miss Marguerite Jones.

Vocal Solo—Mrs. Mollie Wright.

Reading—Mrs. T. H. Sappington.

Instrumental Duet—Miss Nina Tilton and Effie Catlett.

After the program the audience assembled in the basement parlors, where a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments served. A silver offering of $16.33 was given at the door.

DOUBLE HEADER GAMES.

A double header baseball game between the Jingo Reds and Homer Shamrocks and the Fairmount High School vs. Homer High School will be played at Doney hall Friday night, Feb. 2.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Dale Craig and Shirley Catlett went to Chicago Tuesday evening to attend the automobile show. Claude Tilton went on Wednesday.

Mrs. Albert Zierjack entertained the ladies of the F. F. club at her home Thursday evening.

The Philathea class met with Mrs. Carrie Baird at her home Thursday afternoon. A dainty luncheon was served and Mesdames Paul Curtner, Thamos Sappington and Ethel Mcdonald were guests. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. T. Davis.

Mrs. Frank Smith entertained the ladies of the Country club at a splendid 12 o'clock dinner at her home on Thursday.

The B. Y. P. U. will be led next Sunday by Miss Mae Kilpatrick. The subject will be "Visions and Tasks."

Mrs. Cash Frazier will be hostess to the members of the Friendly Bible class at the home of her mother, Mrs. H. A. Stearns, next Tuesday afternoon.

The members of the Linen club will hold their regular meeting Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. L. White.

The Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church will meet Thursday afternoon Feb. 8, at the parsonage.

Mrs. Rebecca Pate, who has been ill with pneumonia, is slowly improving. Miss McCarty a trained nurse from Evansville, is caring for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Davis wrote to friends and relatives that they are enjoying the sunny south and having a good time in Florida.

Miss Josie Van Allan of Indianapolis is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. H. Stambaugh.

Uncle Jimmy Davis has been suffering with rheumatism.

William Hawkins spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Danville.

Miss Grace Garnet Busby is recovering from a few days' illness.

Rv. Samuel C. Welch went to Farmington Wednesday to conduct a funeral.

Mrs. Charles Schultz is slowly improving.

I. M. Busby has been off duty for several days on account of sickness.

B. S. Elliott of Capac, Mich., is here visiting his aged mother and other relatives.

A. E. Cromwell and family will move soon to their farm recently vacated by Elmer Clutter. Peter Hopkins and family will occupy the Cromwell residence which they have purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. Froman Baker will entertain at a 12 o'clock dinner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs.N. W. Borroughswill leave Saturday for a few weeks in Florida.

ASKED RULING ON SHIP MOVEMENTS

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aboard for more than twelve hours' steaming.

OTHERS BEING WATCHED.

The German steamer Serapis, of the Kosmos line; the bark Ottawa, owned by the Rhederei corporation, a German shipping concern, and the German power schooner Neptune were placed under observation today by order of John D. Davis, collector of this port. The three vessels have been in San Francisco bay since the outbreak of the war.

Collector of the Port Malotte decided tonight to modify his order issued today, which was forbidden to leave port after nightfall, and several vessels were permitted to pass quarantine. Every ship was stopped, however, by the torpedo boat destroyer assigned to enforce neutrality and subjected to a through examination.

FIRED ON U. S. SHIP.

Pensacola, Fla., Feb. 1.—A letter saying the American schooner William Jones had been fired on and damaged by a German submarine some weeks ago in the Bay of Biscay was received here today from Captain Charles Shrader of the vessel. The letter did not say even that the ship tried to escape after being hailed, and gave no other details, except that she made port at Lisbon in distress and that one sailor, frightened at the attack, jumped overboard and was drowned.

PROBABLY SCUTTLED.

Charleston, S. C., Feb. 1.—Federal officials had been unable tonight to ascertain the cause of the sinking of the German freighter Liebenfels, which settled to the bottom in the harbor here today under circumstances that led marine men to believe she had been scuttled. Captain Klattenhof, of the vessel, which had been laid up here since the war began, would give no information concerning the incident. J. Lubken, the first officer, who was aboard, told Fred C. Peters, the collector of customs, that he was asleep when the ship began to settle this morning and knew nothing about it.

Collector Peters examined the ship late today and later conferred with Assistant United States District Attorney Waring, but neither would disclose what was discussed. Mr. Peters will make a more thorough examination tomorrow. He has instructions from the treasury department at Washington to make a detailed report.

When the Libenfels was first noticed to be sinking the tug Cecelia offered assistance, but it was declined. The ship gradually settled until she touched bottom in about thirty feet of water.

NEW RESTRICTIONS.

Washington, Feb. 1.—New restrictions upon the granting of American passports were issued by the state department today as a result of the arrest of the alleged German captain, Hans Boehm, at Falesmouth, England, carrying a passport made out in the name of J. L. Thresher, of Georgia.

Officials made it clear that the tightening of the regulations had no relation whatever to the present situation with Germany and was intended merely to require unmistakable identification of all applicants for passports.

GERMANY BACKED AGAINST A WALL

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ment of the United States will understand the situation thus forced upon Germany by the entente allies' brutal methods of war and by their determination to destroy the central powers, and that the government of the United States will further realize that the now openly disclosed intention of the entente allies gives back to Germany the freedom of action which she reserved in her note addressed to the government of the United States on May 4, 1916.

"Under these circumstances Germany will meet the illegal measures of her enemies by forcibly preventing after February 1, [illegible] ships from approaching Great Britain, France, Italy and in the eastern Mediterranean all navigation, that of neutrals included, to and from England and from and to France," etc. All ships met with in that zone will be sunk.

"The imperial government is confident that this measure will result in a speedy termination of the war and in the restoration of peace, which the government of the United States has so much at heart. Like the government of the United States, Germany and her allies had hoped to reach this end by negotiations. Now that the war, through the fault of Germany's enemies, has to be continued, the imperial government feels sure that the government of the United States will understand the necessity of taking such measures as are destined to bring about a speedy end of the horrible and useless bloodshed. The imperial government hopes all the more for such an understanding as the neutrals have, under the pressure of the events powers suffered great losses being forced by them to give up their entire trade or limit it according to conditions arbitrarily determined by Germany's enemies in violation of international law."

AUSTRIA CHIMES IN.

London, Feb. 1.—A Vienna despatch to Reuter's Amsterdam, says that Count Czernin, the Austro-Hungarian minister of foreign affairs, has sent a note to the neutral countries respecting intensified naval warfare. It is along the lines of the German note to the United States.

FARIS PURCHASED ILLINOIS HOTEL

By a deal completed yesterday, J. O. Faris, well known to most Danville people by reason his long business life in the city, becomes owner of the property at the corner of Van Buren street and Washington avenue, including the seven storerooms in the same building block as the hotel Mr. Faris stated last night that the hotel would still continue on the old basis and that later on it would be extensively remodeled. Mr. Faris purchased the property of the Richard Gregg estate, it is understood for a consideration of $57,000. Incidentally the deal makes Mr. Faris one of the largest property holders in the city.

OMITTED NAME OF MISS RUTH GREENE

In announcing the honor roll of the Danville high school for the last semester, the name of Miss Ruth Greene, who attained a grade of 100 in algebra, was unintentionally omitted from the list of students who reached the perfection mark. Miss Greene's name also appears in the list of students who attained the honor roll in the full course, her average being 87.

AUTO LICENSE TAG FOUND BY POLICE

A new 1917 auto license tag was found in the streets yesterday and turned over to the police to hold for the owner. It is number 19231, Illinois, and was evidently lost from the rear of a car, it still having the part of a broken wire with which it was attached.

A Day In Danville

Mrs. W. D. Anderson, returned to her home in Sidell, last evening after a short visit here with friends.

Blythe & Co., funeral directors. 'Phone 3.

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Miss Maude Gillespie, Wayne street, has resumed her position at Straus and Louis' after a few days absence.

Mrs. R. N. Lloyd, and daughter Madeline, who have been making an extended visit with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Morris, and family, North Franklin street, will leave during the coming week for Tucson, Okla., to join Mr. Lloyd, and make their future home.

Ladies' shoes in odd lot at Cavanaugh and Meyer's rout'em-out-sale at $1.95.

Mr. and Mrs. George Laven, West Roselawn avenue, have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Laven of Chicago.

Mrs. Chester Ericson, North Walnut street, is visting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gardner, in Hoopeston.

Final wind up of Cavanaugh and Meyer's rout'em-sale 1-4 off children's shoes.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Conron, Grant street, have returned from Chicago, where they have been attending the automobile show.

Miss Ercel Baum, North Walnut street, is attending the automobile show in Chicago.

Ladies' shoes broken lots of $5 and $6 values are going fast at $2.46.

Mrs. Elizabeth Jones, West Madison street returned home from a week's visit in Peoria, and left for a visit in Mt. Carmel, with her sister Mrs. Jack Walters, and family.

Bring the baby to Cavanaugh and Meyer's routem sale. 1-4 off on school shoes.

Miss Mayme Telling of Broadlands, spent Thursday here with her brothers the Messrs. Telling of the Commercial bank.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bollman, and daughter Irene, and Mr. and Mrs. Rhinehamer and Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, all of Tuscola, spent Thursday in Danville, and departed in the afternoon for Florida where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

We have bunched $5, $6, 17 men's shoes. Your choice $3.45. at Cavanaugh and Meyer's Rout-em-out sale.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Seward of Fithian, were visitors here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Garriott, of Chicago are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Voorheess of the Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wilson, North Franklin street, have as their guest Miss Maude Cross of Tuscola.

Dr. W. J. Webb, West North street, left Thursday for Martinton, Ill., where he was called by the serious illness of his father.

Mrs. I. A. Love, North Vermilion street is entertaining her mother Mrs. J. W. Boggs, of Urbana.

Miss Blanche Bishop of the University of Illinois, where she is studying music is spending the midsemester vacation with her mother Mrs. Emily E. Bishop, and family, 128 North Franklin street.

Miss Julia Sweeney, South street, is making a weeks visit with relatives in Terre Haute, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Trent, whose marriage took place in Chicago, last week have returned to Danville after a visit in Chicago, and with her parents in Hoopeston.

SEVEN EMPLOYES RECEIVE BENEFIT

Vermilion County Miners Participate In Pension Fund of U. S. Steel Corporation.

The Sixth annual report of the United States steel and Carnegie Pension Fund is today being displayed at the various offices, mills, shops, mines railways, etc., of the corporation throughout the country.

This pension fund was established January 1, 1911, and since that time there has been distributed to their aged employes, $2,945,541.08, and during the year 1916 there was distributed $711,130.33.

At the close of the year 1916 there were 3,021 active pension cases with an average age of 65.82 years; an average service of 29.33 years; and an average monthly pension of $21.05.

The United States Fuel company (formerly Illinois Coal Co.) which is a subsidiary company of the United States Steel corporation, has, at the present time, seven former employes who receive benefit through this pension plan. During the year 1916 there was paid to these men the sum of $904.60. These seven men were granted a pension on their service record with the several predecessors of the United States Fuel company.

To the United States Steel corporation belongs the honor of being one of the first employers of labor to put into actual practice a practical and efficient plan for taking care of their aged employes. By their plan all men who have been in the service for 25 years or longer in the service and who have reached the age of 65 years may be retired either at his request or at the request of his employing officer. Any employe who has been 15 years or longer in the service and has become permanently totally incapacited through the fault of his as a result of sickness, or injuries received while not on duty, may be pensioned at the discretion of the board of directors.

LOCAL MAN'S MOTHER DEAD AT COVINGTON

(Special to The Press)

Covington, Ind., Feb. 1.—The funeral of Mrs. Christina Wheatley, who died Monday afternoon, was held Wednesday at 1:30 o'clock from the home of her niece, Mrs. Ed Phebus Rev. Stevenson, pastor of the Presbyterian church officiating. Mrs. Wheatley was born in Elizabethtown, Pa., in 1832. She had been a resident of Covington for many years. She had been in very poor health for a long time and her death was due to the infirmities incident to old age. Two sons, John Wheatley of Danville, and George Wheatley of Attica, besides many near relatives in this vicinity, survive.

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CHAMPAIGN COUNTY COURT NEWS

(Special to The Press)

Urbana, Ill., Feb. 1.—The grand jury has made its final report to Judge Boggs, returning 24 true bills that charged ten felonies and 14 misdemeanors, and was discharged with the thanks of the court. This makes a total of 50 indictments for the term. None of those indicted has have been arrested and therefore case was taken not to divulge hay names. It is hinted that there will be some surprises when the arrests are made. The bills include four charges of burglary and larceny, three of receiving stolen property, one, confidence game; two, forgery, one, gambling; and thirteen, selling liquor. State's Attorney Busch announced that the trial of felony cases will begin Monday morning. He incidentally remarked that this is the most efficient grand jury sitting since he has been state's attorney.

The final return list included four bills not true, these being in the cases of Fred Carr, charged with assault; Goldie Hodge, with robbery and Woody and Susie Mathews, resisting an officer. This makes 46 bills not true, returned during the term.

Before adjournment, the grand jury adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved; We, the grand jurors of Champaign county recommend that all places where intoxicating liquors are sold in violation of our laws, shall be closed by permanent injunction as nuisances and securely padlocked, the owners having forfeited all rights to buildings.

"We also recommend the maximum penalties by judges and juries in all bootleg cases. The trifling penalties heretofore imposed are largely responsible for present conditions. We also recommend the employment of special men to obtain evidence in this class of cases as grand jury methods are too expensive and inefficient. Men who patronize bootleg joints usually do to protect them."

TO PENITENTIARY.

James E. Small, newspaper reporter and solicitor, pleaded guilty in circuit court to a charge of embezzlement, and was sentenced by Judge Boggs to an indeterminate term in the southern district penitentiary, at Chester. Small, indicted for the misappropriation of funds collected for the Champaign Gazette, is in the last stages of consumption and he pleaded guilty, after first insisting that he would stand trial, to escape the confinement in the county jail. The jail physician said he would not live until time for trial unless he left the county prison. It is thought he may be benefited by hospital treatment at Chester.

Eight other persons indicted by the grand jury were arraigned. Those pleading not guilty are: Bert Bidwell, charged with burglary and larceny; Jess Beam, burglary and larceny; Moral Monroe, forgery (two indictments); Jacob, alias Red Cornelius, receiving stolen property, and William Smith, burglary and larceny.

William Spruce pleaded guilty to petit larceny, was sentenced to serve 60 days in the county jail and to pay a fine of $25 and costs. Ewdelvo, charged with selling liquor and Lyman Halls, with burglary, entered motions to quash the indictments against them.

OGDEN INDEPENDENTS TO PLAY AT FITHIAN

(Special to The Press)

Ogden, Ill., Feb. 1.—The Ogden Independent basketball team has arranged a return game with the class team from the University of Illinois, which will be played at Fithian, Saturday night, February 3, according to an announcement made today by Manager "Doc" Leady, of the local team. The Ogden boys were defeated in a game with the Illini team last week by a score of 36 to 26, but they are out to win next time.

CHURCH SOCIETIES OF RIDGEFARM ENTERTAINED

Presbyterian Ladies Served For Children of Olivet Institute—Short Notes From Ridgefarm.

(Special to The Press)

Ridgefarm, Ill., Feb. 1.—The Willing Workers of the M. E. church were entertained this afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Benton, Mrs. Juvinall, wife of a former Ridgefarm minister, now of Virginia, Ill., was the guest of honor. During the afternoon music was given by Misses Evelyn Kern and June Kendall. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Charles Brady and Russell Jones.

The [illegible] society met this afternoon with Rev. and Mrs. Flette and spent the afternoon in sewing for the children of the Olivet institute in Chicago.

The Aid society of the Christian church was entertained this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Levi Osborn.

During the afternoon there were contests and music, and plans were made for a St. Patrick's supper. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Matt Burton and Mrs. Samuel Spear.

SHORT NOTES.

John L. Brown, a prominent man of this place, is very sick with lung fever.

Mrs. Roberts of Elwood, Ind., arrived last evening to spend the remainder of winter with her daughter, Mrs. Levi Osborn and family.

Charles Archibald has gone to New Orleans, where he will look after his farming interests, as he owns a large farm near that city.

Russell Banta, of Minneapolis, Minn., has arrived here today to visit his wife and son.

Galbreath & Schriner, proprietors of a grocery store at Cayuga, Ind., are opening a new store in Ridgefarm and the first installment of groceries arrived today.

NEWS JOTTINGS FROM CHRISMAN M. E. CHURCH

(Special to The Press)

Chrisman, Ill., Feb. 1.—The pastor preached last Sunday morning commemorating the 400th anniversary of the beginning of the reformation. The audience was much interested from the beginning to the end of the historical discussion of this great epoch of church history. The sermon was not an attack on any church or creed, but a philosophical treatment of the causes and results in spiritual life and religion. The preaching services of this church are growing in interest and attendance. Sunday evening, the pastor delivered his message on "How Shall We Cultivate and Express the Best Faith?" A very inspiring song service was conducted by the chorus choir.

The Ladies' Aid society met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. James Heidrick.

The chorus choir met Tuesday evening with Mrs. Heidrick. Miss Nelson is leading a chorus choir at present at Rankin, Ill., She will continue her leadership of the Chrisman choir when she returns.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society will meet with Mrs. Warner Yonts Friday afternoon.

Sunday evening, Feb. 18, the eighth grade from the public schools will give a medal contest, under the leadership of the Woman's Temperance Union.

The official board will meet for the regular monthly meeting, Tuesday evening, Feb. 6.

The building committee will be appointed for the new parsonage next Tuesday evening, the official board having voted for the pastor to appoint this committee.

The Sunday school under the direction of F. J. Light is growing in attendance and interest in all of the departments. Professor Watson's class in growing. Mrs. Frank Newlins class has a liberal fund for any person or persons who may need assistance in securing food, clothing or fuel. Miss Forrest Kenton is the president of the class.

The Sunday evening audience was requested to pray daily for the success of the Billy Sunday meetings at Buffalo, N. Y.

COMPROMISE TOWNSHIP MAN ADJUDGED INSANE

(Special to The Press)

Urbana, Ill., Feb. 1.—Bert Frerichs, 36, a farmer in Compromise township, was adjudged insane Tuesday night, following an inquest conducted by Doctors E. G. Davis and E. J. Miller, at the court house. The patient was brought down from Gifford at noon as it was not considered safe to neglect restrain any longer.

The evidences revealed a peculiar case, in that Frerichs, since childhood, has fainted whenever his hands became cold. He first manifested symptoms of insanity three years ago, and since then has constantly worried and brooded over cares that were more or less imaginary. He frequently has threatened suicide, witnesses stated, while brooding over his growing inability to work.

Frerichs was taken to the state hospital for the insane at Kankakee, where it is thought his trouble will yield to treatment.

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COVINGTON AUTOISTS DISCUSS ROAD BILLS

Proposed Highway Legislation In Indiana Gets Attention From the Motor Club.

(Special to The Press)

Covington, Ind., Feb. 1.—The Covington Motor club members held their second open meeting Saturday evening at their club rooms. The Montogomery highway bill was read and discussed at length, the Duffey bill having been given consideration at the previous meeting. There is no question but that a highway commission bill of some sort will pass the Indiana legislature this year and for that reason the club is holding meetings to consider the bills before they are acted upon and present favorable or adverse criticism to the proper parties.

The motor club meetings are being well attended by the public and are filling a long needed want in Covington for a place where the taxpayers can examine in detail bills before the legislature and report the desires of the people. Open meetings will be held each Saturday night to which the public is invited.

NOTABLE MUSICAL EVENT.

Rehearsals are well under way for the presentation of the noted oratorio, "Queen Esther," to be given here the latter part of the month under the auspices of the Matinee Musicale, assisted by a large number of male singers. Miss LaVerne Glascock is in charge. The production has been given in a number of other cities and it promises to be a notable musical event for Covington. More than sixty persons are taking part. Local soloists will have all the various roles. Mrs. William Walker is accompanist.

ROAD MEETING TO BE HELD AT WILLIAMSPORT

(Special to The Press)

Attica, Ind., Feb. 1.—O. W. Thomason, the highway superintendent of Warren county, was in Attica Saturday afternoon. He is looking forward with much interest to a road meeting which he has arranged to hold at Williamsport, Saturday, Feb. 10. All of his assistant superintendents, the township road supervisors, the township trustees and as many of the taxpayers as are interested are expected to attend. An invitation has also been extended to Supt. Bartis of this county, and his assistants and a number of them are arranging to attend and pick up all the information possible regarding the building and maintenance of good roads.

Prof. Martin, of Purdue, will give a lecture on "Better Roads" at 10 o'clock, and after dinner there will be another lecture by a representative of the National Highway bureau, through which the federal government is carrying forward the work of good roads. Both lectures will be followed by discussions, and opportunity will be given for the free asking of questions and interchange of opinions. The meeting should prove both helpful and interesting and will certainly give the local road men a deeper appreciation of the responsibility that is theirs in the part they have in the development of the country and state through the maintenance of the highways under their charge.

VETERANS PASSED AWAY AT THE HOME

Hull W. Ryan, a veteran of the civil war, and a well known member of the Danville branch, National Soldiers' Home, died in the hospital of that institution, Wednesday night, January 31, 1917, at 8:25 o'clock, following a long illness from a complication of diseases. The decedent was a member of Company K, 38th Illinois Infantry. The body of the aged man was removed to the Berhalter & Olmsted undertaking establishment and prepared for burial, and yesterday afternoon at 4:05 o'clock was shipped to Fairchild, Ill., the former home, where the funeral services and interment were held. Veteran Ryan was 72 years old.

VETERAN PURITAN DEAD.

W. S. Purtan, a member of the soldier's Home and a veteran of the civil war, died Wednesday night, January 31, 1917, at the Home hospital, following an illness of several weeks' duration. The body of the aged man was removed to the Berhalter & Olmsted undertaking establishment and prepared for burial, and this afternoon will be shipped to Decatur, the former home of the decedent, for funeral services and interment.

The official number of Veteran Puritan at the Home was 14,102, which indicates the number of veterans who have either died or been transferred to other Homes, or are still members of the local branch.

CAD WAS HIGH GUN IN SHOOT

H. W. Cadwallader, or Cad" as the former Danville man is familiarly known, is still pulling 'em up along the circuit where trap shooting is the favorite winter sport. Despite the high and cold wind which prevailed at the shoot of the Decatur Gun club, the former Danvillean captured the professional classic in the 100 bird event by a nice margin. His closest competitor was W. D. Stannard, who trailed along behind 'Cad" with six birds.

KILGORE'S COAL

Unscreened Coal $3.50 per single ton.

$3.00 per ton on loads of 2 tons or more

Screened coal, $4.50 per ton.

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SEASON'S COLDEST WAVE HAS ARRIVED

High Wind Intensified Most Frigid Weather Danville Has Yet Experienced.

Borne on the wings of a 20-mile wind, the coldest wave of the winter struck Danville last night. The temperature at 1 o'clock this morning was 5 below zero at the waterworks plant and 4 below at the Soldiers Home. It is prophesied by the local weather prophets and telegraph reports that Danville is in the middle of the wave which is doing its best to tie up things in Chicago and the other lake cities and that before night the mercury will hit 10 below here. As it was last night's blasts practically cleared the Danville streets of all humanity, nipping the ears and noses of those hardy enough to venture forth.

STORMS COMING?

Should the cold weather be accompanied by storms which would tie up or delay freight, the coal shortage of several weeks ago is likely to loom up again, with the consequent suffering among the poor of the city. As it was, the number of appeals for help to the supervisor of the poor was increased yesterday, and there was a marked increase in the number of homeless ones who had night sought the shelter of the police station basement.

IT'S COLD ELSEWHERE.

Throughout the middle west telegraph reports received last night and early this morning showed that, compared with many places, not far distant, Danville is still really lucky. Some of the temperatures registered in other cities follow.

COLDEST IN BURLINGTON.

(By The Associated Press)

Burlington, Ia., Feb. 1.—The thermometer registered 12 degrees below at midnight here. This is the coldest weather experienced here this winter.

NEBRASKA HARD HIT.

Omaha, Neb., Feb. 1.—Temperatures tonight over Nebraska, Iowa and South Dakota ranged from 12 to 28 degrees below zero. Freight traffic has been abandoned on South Dakota and Western Iowa railways, and passenger service is seriously handicapped.

SIXTEEN BELOW IN PEORIA.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 1.—At midnight the thermometer registered 16 degrees below zero, a record for the year. Scores of applications poured in to the superintendent of the park tonight. City and county institutions were filled to overflowing with persons who sought shelter. The suffering in the poorer sections was intense.

BLIZZARDS IN WYOMING.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Feb. 1.—Snow, driven before a big wind and frozen solidly in cuts along the line of the Union Pacific railroad by a 15-below-zero temperature, today renewed the blockade which has been hampering that line intermittently for the past nine days.

NOT BAD IN MISSOURI

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 1.—Kansas City and vicinity faced a temperature tonight which the government weather bureau here said would descend as low as 15 degrees below zero before daybreak. The thermometer registered 2 degrees below zero at 7 o'clock tonight.

TEN BELOW IN QUINCY.

Quincy, Ill., Feb. 1.—The government thermometer here registered 10 below zero at midnight, and the Hannibal, Mo., weather forecaster has predicted 15 below for Friday morning.

COMMUNITY MEETING LARGELY ATTENDED

The largest crowd ever in attendance at the monthly meeting of the Douglas school Community club, packed the auditorium of the school house last night.

The program, one of the best yet given by a local organization of this, or a similar kind, brought down the house several times.

The program consisted of a comedy farce, "The Albany Depot." The participants in the cast, in number, being among the "actors and actresses" of the Douglas district, showed a fine training for the work and the parts of some of the members, stamped them as being in the very front ranks of amateurs, in their acting.

The select chorus under the direction of H. Y. Mercer, gave a number of selections that were encored each time. The German Lutheran orchestra was present for the first time, and made a decided hit, giving a thirty minute concert.

Following the rendition of the program the Cafeteria committee entertained the members of the orchestra, those of the chorus, the "actors and actresses" and the ushers, at a little feed, and social gathering. The entertainment was pronounced one of the best yet given by this energetic organization since its inception.

HARRY J. SPANELL FOUND NOT GUILTY

Jury Deliberated Less Than Two Hours Over Texas Murder Case—Defendant Broke Down.

(By The Associated Press)

San Angelo, Tex., Feb. 1.—A verdict of not guilty was returned after less than two hours deliberation today by the jury in the case of Harry J. Spanell, of Alpine, Tex., tried on a charge of killing his wife, Lieut. Holland Spanell last July. Spanell was not in court to hear the verdict. He broke down when the verdict was given to him in his cell and sobbed, "Crystal, oh, Crystal."

Judge Daboise later released Spanell on $5,000 bond in the case charging him with the killing of Lieutenant Colonel M. C. Butler, and granted a change of venue to Coleman, Coleman county, Texas. The case probably will be called at the May term of court.

Mrs. Spanell and Lieutenant Colonel Butler, of the Sixth cavalry, United State army were shot and killed July 20 last while in an automobile in which they were driving with Spanell.

Though bond was made for Spanell, his attorney announced that Spanell would spend the night in jail. No reason was given.

ALL AMERICANS STAND BY WILSON

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treaty with the United States become like the treaty with Belgium a "mere scrap of paper."

Traces of the curious delusion that a formal notice of intent to do an illegal thing somehow legalizes it—so apparent when the Lusitania warning was issued—appear in "the phraseology of the German communication. Germany is making a fatal mistake in—the present and inviting sure defeat in the future.

Chicago Staats Zeitung—The iron ring around British rascality and brutality is closed. * * *

BREAK IN WHEAT OF OVER 15 CENTS

After Feverish Selling, Market Braced and Recovered Nine Cents of the Earlier Loss.

(By The Associated Press)

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Breaks that were foreseen to be inevitable today in the price of wheat turned out to be much worse than had been generally looked for. As the result of Germany's notice of sea war without limit, wheat values made an instantaneous sheer descent of 15¼ cents. Within twenty minutes, however, the market had rebounded 9 cents, selling of a panic sort was over and thereafter prices kept inside of a 5-cent range, closing unsettled, 4¼ to 8¼ cents net lower, with May at $1.62¾ to $1.65¼ and July at $1.41½ to $1.41¾.

Extreme declines in corn, oats and provisions were respectively 4¾ cents, 3⅝ cents and $3.25, but the final figures showed losses as compared with yesterday's finish, to have narrowed to the following:

Corn, 2¾ to 2¾ cents; oats, 1½ to 2⅜ cents, and provisions, 52½ and 65 cents to $1.67½.

Tension as the outset in the wheat pit appeared to be of a nerve-racking character, seldom, if ever, equalled on change in Chicago.

May wheat, in which the chief interest centered, and which had closed yesterday at $1.71¾ to $1.71¾, brushed down to $1.58, and there was no initial sale recorded higher than $1.63, just two cents below the earliest offer that was heard.

Selling on a tremendous scale continued unabated in wheat for about five minutes, but then the pressure began to slacken a little, and the market, though fluctuating violently for the next quarter of an hour, was less one-sided.

Stability resulted from wholesale profit-taking by traders who of late had been plunging heavily on the bear side of the market. Another influence toward the restoration of comparative confidence was the announcement that after having been tied up over-night the traffic in and out of New York harbor had been resumed.

As the worst of the collapse the market was down 39¾ cents a bushel from the maximum European war price here, $1.95⅝ for May. Estimates current tonight have it that a single firm here has sold short within the last few weeks nearly 30,000,000 bushels of wheat. Another concern is known to have purchased today alone 3,000,000 bushels.

Corn and oats gave way and rallied in line with wheat. Trading was unusually active, but outside of the first half hour the changes in price were not extraordinary.

Provisions shared in the general weakness, due to the prospect that ocean shipping was to be seriously hampered by the German naval program. The greatest decline was in pork.

CHICAGO GRAIN PRICES.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
May . .	$1.60	$1.65	$1.58	$1.63¼
July . .	1.36	1.42	1.36	1.41⅛
CORN—				
May . .	.95	.97⅜	.95	.94⅜
July . .	.93¼	.96¼	.92⅜	.95⅝
OATS—				
May . .	.49¼	.51⅝	.49¼	52⅜
July . .	.49⅛	.51	.49⅛	.51⅛
PORK—				
May . .	26.50	28.20	26.50	28.17
July . .	27.60	28.00	27.50	27.75
LARD—				
May . .	15.75	16.40	15.70	16.02
July . .	16.17	16.40	15.92	16.17
RIBS—				
May . .	14.50	15.15	14.50	14.92
July . .				15.07

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN.

Wheat—No. 2 red, nominal; No. 3 red, $1.63; No. 2 hard, nominal; No. 2 hard, $1.64.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 96¼@97c; No. yellow, 93@95¾c; No. 4 white, 94@ 95¾c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 51½@53c; standard, 52@53c.

Rye—No. 2, nominal. Barley—$1.00 @1.37. Timothy—$3.50@5.50. Clover —$12.00@17.50.

NEW YORK GRAIN.

New York, Feb. 1.—Wheat—Spot, weak; No. 2 hard, $1.86; No. 1 Northern Duluth, $1.99; No. 1 Northern Manitoba, $1.97½, f. o. b. New York.

Corn—Spot, weak; No. 2 yellow, $1.03½, c. i. f. New York.

Oats—Spot, weak; standard, 66@ 67c.

INDIANAPOLIS CASH GRAIN.

Indianapolis, Feb. 1. — Wheat—Easy; through billed, track, No. 2 red, $1.62; milling, $1.74.

Corn—No. 3 white, 96½@97c; No. 2 white, 96@96½c; No. 4 white, 95@ 95½c; No. 2 yellow, $1.09¼@1.01¼; No. 3 yellow, 93½@$1.00¼; No. 3 mixed, 95¼@99c; No. 4 mixed, 95¼@99c.

Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 57¼@ 58c; standard white, 57@57½c; No. 3 white, 56⅝@57¼c; No. 2 mixed, 56¼ @56¾c; No. 3 mixed, 55¾@56¼c.

Hay—Steady; No. 1 timothy, $14.00 @14.50; No. 2 timothy, $12.00@13.50; light clover mixed, $13.00@13.50; No. 1 clover mixed, $12.50@13.00; No. 1 clover, $12.00@13.50.

OTHER GRAIN MARKETS.

Kansas City, Feb. 1.—Cash: Wheat —No. 2 hard, $1.64@1.71; No. 2 red, $1.58@1.59. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 94@ 95c; No. 2 white, 94@95¼c; No. 2 yellow, 94@95c. Oats—No. 2 white, 51@52c; No. 2 mixed, 50@47c.

Toledo, Feb. 1.—Closing: Wheat—Cash, $1.62; May, $1.75¾; July, $1.47 ¾. Corn—Cash, $1.00; May, 99¼c; July, 98¾c. Oats—Cash, 46¾c; May, 46½c; July, 34½c. Rye—Cash, $1.48.

Toledo, Feb. 1.—Wheat—No. 2 red, nominal; No. 2 hard, $1.74; May, $1.63¼. Corn—No. 2, 95½c; No. 2 white, 96@96¼c; May, 97¾c. Oats—No. 2, 53½c; No. 2 white, nominal; May, 52c.

New York, Feb. 1.—Flour—Dull. Lard—Easy; middle west, $16.45@ 16.55. Other, steady and unchanged.

INDIANAPOLIS PRODUCE.

Indianapolis, Feb. 1. — Eggs—Indianapolis jobbers offering country shippers for strictly fresh stock, delivered at Indianapolis, current receipts, 36c a dozen; candled, 36c; storage eggs, jobbers' selling prices, 35c a dozen.

Poultry—Jobers' buying prices, delivery at Indianapolis: Hens, four pounds and up, 19c a pound; under four pounds, 17c; roosters and stags, 15c; capons, seven pounds up, 26c; small and slips, 23c; turkeys, young, 24c; old, 22c; gulls, 12c; ducks, under four pounds, 14c; over four pounds, white, 16c; geese, ten pounds and up, 15c; under ten pounds, 14c; squabs, a dozen, ten pounds and up, $4.00; guineas, $2.00 a dozen.

Butter—Jobbers' buying prices for country stock, delivered at Indianapolis, 24c; jobbers selling creamery extras in prints, 41c; in tubs, 40c.

Cream—Indianapolis buyers paying 39c a pound for butter fat, delivered at Indianapolis.

Cheese—Jobbers' prices: Roquefort, 60c; domestic Swiss, 40@45c. New York full cream, 26@28c; Wisconsin cream, 25@26c; Long Horns, 26c; Wisconsin limburger, 26c; New York, 28c; brick, 26c; Neufchatel, Eagle brand, large box, $1.35; small, 70c.

INDIANAPOLIS LIVE STOCK.

Indianapolis, Feb. 1. — Receipts, 7,500 hogs, 1,400 cattle, 450 calves and 400 sheep, against 8,375 hogs, 1,962 cattle, 383 calves and 242 sheep a week ago and 9,572 hogs, 830 cattle, 325 calves and 420 sheep a year ago.

Hog prices jumped 20@30c in the local yards, with the top at $12.35, the highest quotation in the history of the yards. Most sales were at $12.10 @12.15, with several at $12.20@12.25. Sellers were favored by reports of higher prices in other markets and by a small run and a strong demand here. Local packers at first refused to pay higher prices, but later the market was active at practically sellers' prices.

The steer market opened dull. It was difficult to make sales even at prices that were 50c lower in some cases. Cows and heifers were active at steady to strong prices. Bulls as a rule sold steady, and calves were steady to 25c lower. Stockers and feeders were a little easier, but demand seemed to be about equal to the supply.

Around 400 sheep and lambs arrived. Sales included lambs at $14.50 down and sheep at $9.00 down.

Tibbs, Greathouse & Company say: We had close to 5,500 cattle for the first part of the week, and with this liberal supply salesmen found it hard to place their goods at steady prices Wednesday. Most kinds were 10@15c lower than last week, with the steer cattle showing at least 25c decline. Unless we get some change from this unseasonable weather, believe we will be forced even lower."

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Hogs—Receipts, 25,000; opened 15@20c higher than yesterday's average and closed 5@25c lower than opening; bulk, $11.50@ 11.90; light, $11.20@12.00; mixed, $11.20 @12.20; heavy, $11.35@12.15; rough, $11.35@11.50; pigs, $9.60@10.90.

Cattle—Receipts, 6,500; steady; native beef cattle, $7.75@11.85; western steers, $7.75@10.15; stockers and feeders, $6.00@9.10; cows and heifers, $5.00 @10.25; calves, $10.50@14.35.

Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; 10@15c higher; wethers, $10.25@11.65; ewes, $7.50@10.75; yearlings, $12.50@13.50; lambs, $11.85@14.50.

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK.

St. Louis, Feb. 1.—Hogs—Receipts, 11,500; 10c lower; lights, $11.30@11.70; pigs, $8.00@10.75; butchers, $11.40@ 11.80; heavy, $11.75@11.85; bulk, $11.45 @11.80.

Cattle—Receipts, 3,500; lower; native beef steers, $7.50@11.75; yearling steers and heifers, $8.50@11.60; cows, $5.50@8.75; feeders, $5.30@8.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 750; lambs, $12.75 @14.50; ewes, $6.50@10.50; yearlings, $11.00@12.25.

OTHER LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Kansas City, Feb. 1.—Hogs—Receipts, 7,000; higher; bulk, $11.75@ 12.05; heavy, $12.00@12.10; packers and butchers, $11.85@12.05; light, $11.50@11.95; pigs, $10.50@11.50. Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; strong; prime fed steers, $11.25@11.75; dressed beef steers, $8.75@11.00; southern steers, $7.00@8.50; cows, $5.00@9.50; heifers, $7.00@11.00; stockers and feeders, $6.75 @10.00; bulls, $6.50@8.50; calves, $7.00 @12.50. Sheep—Receipts, 3,000; higher; lambs, $12.50@14.50; yearlings, $12.00@12.00; wethers, $10.25@11.60; ewes, $10.00@10.50.

Buffalo, Feb. 1.—Cattle—Receipts, 125; steady. Veals—Receipts, 50; active and steady; $5.00@15.00. Hogs—Receipts, 7,200; active; heavy and mixed, $11.40@12.50; Yorkers, $12.35@ 12.50; light Yorkers, $11.25@11.75; pigs, $10.75@11.00; roughs, $11.35@ 11.50; stags, $9.00@10.00. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,000; lambs, $11.00 @14.65; yearlings, $9.50@13.50; wethers, $11.50@12.00; ewes, $6.00@11.00; mixed sheep, $11.00@11.25.

Cleveland, Feb. 1.—Hogs—Receipts, 1,600; steady to 10c higher; Yorkers, $12.70@12.85; mixed, $12.35; mediums, $12.75@12.80; pigs, $10.75; roughs, $11.00@11.35; stags, $10.00@10.25. Cattle—Receipts, ten cars; steady. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, eight cars; steady; top, $14.35. Calves—Receipts, 350; steady; top, $14.75.

Cincinnati, Feb. 1.—Hogs—Receipts, 4,000; strong; packers and butchers, $12.00@12.35; common to choice, $8.50 @11.35; pigs and lights, $7.50@11.50. Cattle—Receipts, 700; steady; cows, $3.00@7.75. Calves—Strong; $5.50@ 12.75. Sheep—Receipts, 100; steady. Lambs—Steady.

CHICAGO POTATO PRICES.

Chicago, Feb. 1. — Potatoes—Unchanged; receipts, 32 cars; Wisconsin white, $1.35@2.00; Michigan, $1.30@ 2.00; Idaho, Washington, Colorado and Oregon white, $2.00@2.25.

SEED PRICES.

Toledo, Feb. 1.—Clover seed—Cash and February, $10.90; March and April, $10.75; October, $9.47½. Alsike —Prime, $11.35; March, $11.45. Timothy—Cash, $2.47½; March, $2.52½.

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Timothy—$3.50@ 5.50. Clover—$12.00@17.50.

BIPLANING SPUDS REACHED HIGH MARK

Potatoes, which have been biplaning since the first of the week, touched the high mark yesterday, when they reached $2.50 per bushel, wholesale. Local commission men yesterday declared the jump is not due to the war scare, but to the scarcity of the toothsome tubers.

Cabbages yesterday touched the pinnacle when they sold at 8 cents per pound, wholesale, and even the lowly onion reached the unheard of price of 7½ cents per pound.

Yesterday's wholesale and retail prices were:

LOCAL PRODUCE
(Retail Prices.)

Potatoes, bushel	$2.25
Sweet potatoes, pound	5c
Cabbage, pound	7c
Onions, pound	5c
Flour, sack	$2.75
Sugar, 25-pounds	$2.00
Apples, bushel	$2.00@2.50
Eggs, dozen	45c
Creamery butter, pound	45@50c

WHOLESALE QUOTATIONS.
(By L. P. Miller & Son.)

Potatoes, bushel	$2.25
Sweet potatoes, hamper	$1.50
Cabbage, pound	6½c
Onions, pound	8c
Cranberries, barrel	$8.50
Bananas, pound	3½c
Celery, dozen	40c
Apples, barrel	$6.00
Indiana apples, box	$2.50
Oysters, gallon	$1.65 and $1.90
Oranges, box	$2.75
Lemons, box	$4.00

LOCAL POULTRY MARKET.
(Paid by Wholesalers.)

Hens	15c
Springs	15c
Cocks	8c
Ducks	13c
Geese	12c
Turkeys, old	20c
Turkeys, young	23c
Eggs, fresh	45c
Butter	25c

LOCAL LIVE STOCK.
(By Campbell Bros.)

Hogs	$10.50@11.00
Steers	$6.50@7.50
Heifers	$6.00@7.00
Cows	$5.50@6.50
Calves	$7.00@8.00
Sheep	$5.00@6.00
Lambs	$8.00@9.00

CITY MARKETS.

Timothy hay	$12.00
Oats straw	$6.00
Wheat straw	$6.00
Rye straw	$6.00
Corn	85c
Oats	55c

ANOTHER SUPREME TEST OF MARKET

(By The Associated Press)

New York, Feb. 1.—The stock market was put to another supreme test of its endurance today, Germany's unexpected announcement of her intention to renew submarine operations on a broader and more unrestricted scale causing an all around shrinkage of quoted values.

Selling was at its height in the first hour. Rallies of 1 to 5 points, with as much as 10 for Utah Copper, were regained before midnight, but recurrent liquidation took place after 2 o'clock, driving prices back to or near initial minimums. Except for United States Steel and some of the metals, declines, while extensive in the aggregate, were on an orderly basis after the early outburst.

With few exceptions, every stock in the active list declined measurably under the low prices of last month, shedding United States Steel, which fell to 99 and closed at 102⅝, a net loss of 9¼ points on sales approximating 600,000 shares, or about 30 per cent of the total operations of 2,100,000 shares.

Bethlehem Steel broke 36 points and rallied 10; shippings lost 10 to 18, making only feeble rallies; rails, at gross recessions of 2 to 7 points, closed mostly at lowest levels.

Little attention was paid to the weakness of foreign exchange, with marked concessions in rates on Berlin and Vienna and a new low record for lires, or Italian remittances.

Virtually every internal bond of the issues resulting from the war sold at lowest prices since their flotation in this market. Paris 6's breaking 2¾ points, with American-foreign security 5's down 1¾.

Domestic bonds were heavy to weak, speculative rails falling abruptly. The total sales on bonds (par value) aggregated $6,550,000.

United States bonds were unchanged on call.

CATLIN HOGS SOLD AT ELEVEN CENTS

(Special to The Press)

Catlin, Ill., Feb. 1.—An unusually high price was obtained for hogs here today, when F. R. Lloyd sold three sleek, well-fed porkers for $176. The biggest hog of the lot brought $82. The three hogs brought eleven cents per pound, by weight. Mr. Lloyd is right there when it comes to producing pork.

SANDUSKY'S



NOW IN PROGRESS

¶ This is the original Annual February Furniture Sale.
¶ The sale the people talk about and wait for.
¶ It is a boni-fide Furniture Sale, when good and dependable Furniture is offered at big savings.
¶ It is an ideal opportuniy to get good furniture at substantial reductions.

This List Will Offer a Few Suggestions:

Quarter sawed, polished, golden oak arm rocker. $5.00 value	$3.75	Solid oak buffet; fumed finish. $20.00 value	$15.75
Quarter sawed, polished, golden oak arm rocker; genuine Spanish or black leather upholstered. $5.50 value	$4.00	Quarter sawed buffet; fumed finish. $28.50 value	$22.75
Solid oak arm rocker; fumed finish, genuine Spanish leather auto seat. $8.75 value	$6.75	Dining chairs; finish fumed oak; genuine leather box seat. Set of six, $16.50 value	$12.75
Brown rattan, arm rocker; handsome tapestry upholstering. $13.75 value	$8.75	Steel bed; two-inch continuous post; Vernis Martin finish. $6.50 value	$4.95
Brown fibre, arm rocker; beautifully tapestry upholstered back and seat. $14.50 value	$9.75	Tubular steel bed spring; sanitary link style; special price	$3.50
Fumed or golden oak, davenports and davenettes; imported Spanish textile leather upholstering. $32.50 value	$26.75	Felt mattress; 45 pounds; fancy art ticking. Special price	$8.50
Golden oak library suit; settee, arm chair and arm rocker —highly polished; genuine Spanish leather upholstering; Colonial style. $62.50 value	$48.50	Steel bed; full size; American walnut finish. $11.50 value	$8.75
Colonial library suits, very massive design; settee, arm chair and arm rocker; dull mahogany finish. Genuine Spanish leather upholstering. $85.00 value	$67.50	Brass bed; 2-inch post; five fillers. $14.75 value	$10.00
Turkish arm rocker; genuine No. 1 black leather; Harrington spring style. $33.50 value	$21.50	Etruscan metal bed; brass trimmed; two-inch post; five heavy fillers. $19.50 value	$15.00
Golden oak, polished, library table; $8.75 value	$6.00	Princess dresser; American quarter golden oak. $11.50 value	$9.00
Golden oak, polished, library table; Colonial pedestal style. $13.50 value	$10.00	Solid oak dresser; golden oak finish. $15.00 value	$11.00
Fumed oak, library table with book rack; Arts and Crafts design. $16.00 value	$11.75	Quarter sawed, golden oak finished bed; Adam style; full size. $17.50 value	$13.75
Fumed oak, library table, size 30x48; massive; Arts and Crafts designs. $21.50 value	$16.75	Quarter sawed dresser; style Adam; golden oak finish. $22.50 value	$17.75
Solid oak kitchen cabinet; glass cupboard doors, tilting flour bin in cupboard; alumanite top. $17.50 value	$11.00	Quarter sawed chiffonier; golden oak finish; style Adam. $21.50 value	$16.75
Solid oak kitchen cabinet; white enamel cupboard; woodlattice doors; metal sliding top. $19.50 value	$14.50	Quarter sawed dressing table; golden oak finish; triple glass. $21.00 value	$16.75
Sandusky's special kitchen cabinet; solid, natural, light oak finish; white enamel cupboard and interior; metal sliding top and bread box. $25 value	$18.50	American walnut bed; Adam style; full size. $18.75 value	$14.00
Solid oak, round pedestal dining table; golden oak finish. $14.75 value	$10.75	American walnut dresser; style Adam; to match the above. $22.50 value	$17.50
Quarter sawed, golden oak dining table; size 54-inch. $28.50 value	$21.00	American walnut chiffonier; style Adam; to match the above. $20 value	$15.25
Solid oak buffet; golden oak finish. $18.50 value	$14.00	American walnut dressing table; triple glass; style Adam. $23.75 value	$18.75
Quarter sawed buffet; golden oak finish. $25.00 value	$19.75	Old ivory enameled bed; full size. $18.50 value	$14.00
Dining chairs; golden oak finish; genuine leather box seats; set of six. $16.50 value	$13.75	Old ivory enameled dresser. $20.00 value	$14.75
Solid oak dining table; 48-inch top; fumed finish. $20.00 value	$16.00	Old ivory enameled, low boy chiffonier. $18.50 value	$14.00
Solid oak dining table; 54-inch top; fumed finish; $22.50 value	$16.75	Old ivory enamel dressing table, triple mirrors. $21.50 value	$16.75
		Dull mahogany dressing table; French style. $16.00 value	$11.75
		Colonial dresser; dull mahogany; 46-inch;	$26.75
		French bevel plate mirror. $32.50 value	
		Post Colonial, dull mahogany bed; full size. $25.00 value	$19.75

Sandusky Furniture Store

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Surety Coupons
Given With Every Purchase —An Extra Saving. It Is Well Worth While.

Mike Plaut & Co

Alterations Free
During This Sale Alterations Will Be Made Free. Same As At Regular Prices.



Men, Here is a Story, Straight from the Shoulder. It's Squarely up to You to Share These Mighty Savings.

IT HAPPENS BUT TWICE A YEAR.
It involves our regular stock of clothes only. The quality that you know. Society brand clothes, Adler Rochester clothes, Strouse & Bros. clothes all at

1/4 OFF NOW

Those who miss this sale simply throw good money away. Don't think for a minute this sale consists only of odds and ends---not by a long shot---it includes every winter suit, overcoat and dress trouser in the house.

Now it's up to you---All we have to say is Saturday will be a hummer and you don't want to lag behind.

Danville's Greatest SHOE SALE

Women's Shoes Special at..... $4.95
What's left of a lot of very smart looking seven and one-half inch pattern brown calf vamp boots, with ivory kid tops and leather Louis heels. There are still quite a few left, so perhaps your size is among them. They were formerly priced at $6.50.





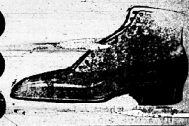
Women's $4.00 Shoes reduced to **$3.20**
Women's $5.00 Shoes reduced to **$3.95**
Women's $6.50 Shoes reduced to **$5.20**



Women's $7.50 Shoes reduced to **$5.95**
Women's $10 Shoes reduced to **$7.95**
Women's $12 Shoes reduced to **$8.95**



Men's $4 Shoes reduced to..... **$3.20**
Men's $4.50 Shoes reduced to **$3.70**
Men's $5 Shoes reduced to..... **$3.95**



Men's $6.50 Shoes at.... **$5.20**
Men's $7.00 Shoes at.... **$5.60**
Men's $8.00 Shoes at.... **$6.40**

Men's Shoes, Special at $2.45
Frankly, we can't tell you what these shoes are worth, because if we had to buy them on today's market we'd have to pay a price that would sound like exaggeration if we mentioned it here. So we'll just tell you that they are solid, substantial shoes; made of good leather, (a rarity these days) in blucher and straight lasts with plenty of wide toe models and in all sizes.

Mike Plaut & Co

Yes! We Give "Surety Coupons"

RURAL NEWS CONDENSED

Events of the Neighboring Towns and County as Recorded By Press Correspondents.

POTOMAC.

Potomac, Ill., Jan. 31.—D. S. Cossaut, John Hackett and John Alexander went to Chicago, Tuesday.

Charles W. Ingersoll went to Williamsport, Ind., Wednesday to visit relatives.

Albert and Forest Sperry moved, Wednesday. They exchanged houses.

Charles LaGrange is collecting taxes for Merrill Jameson on account of the latter's illness.

Everett Messner is on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Goodwin went to the automobile show at Chicago today.

Fred Livesley who has been conducting a pantatorium here, left town Tuesday.

A large crowd attended the sale of Will Young north of town.

The plate glass windows have been placed in the new Wilber store and it is nearly ready for occupancy.

CHENEYVILLE.

Cheneyville, Ill., Feb. 1.—Tom Parks and wife are here from Morocco, Ind., on a two weeks' visit with relatives.

The ladies of the Domestic Science club are to meet in the township hall this afternoon. A fine program has been arranged and all the ladies are invited. A full attendance of members is expected.

Sube Card and Lester Swarne were in Indianapolis on business Thursday.

Miss Tena Bergstrom, who has been very ill for several weeks, is able to be up and around again, a fact which her friends will be glad to learn.

The pupils of J. C. Jolly's room will give a pie social at the school house Saturday evening and invite every one to come and all ladies to bring a pie. The money is to be used for the reading circle books.

O. E. Young had the misfortune to loose a fine make cow Sunday night, by a strawstack falling over and burying three cattle. The other two were taken out in time to save them.

Arthur Batson of Hoopeston was visiting Merel Cartright a couple of days last week.

The play given Thursday evening by the ladies of the Domestic Science club was well attended and much enjoyed by all present.

C. E. Sparks and wife of Hoopeston were visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. George Stormer, last week.

John Parsons and family spent Sunday at the home of Charles Cox, near Tab, Ind.

RID STOMACH OF GASES, SOURNESS, AND INDIGESTION

"Pape's Diapepsin" Ends All Stomach Distress in Five Minutes.

You don't want a slow remedy when your stomach is bad—or an uncertain one—or a harmful one—your stomach is too valuable; you must not injure it with drastic drugs.

Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in giving relief; its harmlessness; its certain unfailing action in regulating sick, sour, gassy stomachs. Its millions of cures in indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis and other stomach trouble has made it famous the world over.

Keep this perfect stomach doctor in your home—keep it handy—get a large fifty-cent case from any drug store and then if anyone should eat something which doesn't agree with them; if what they eat lays like lead, ferments and sours and forms gas; causes headache, dizziness and nausea; eructations of acid and undigested food—remember as soon as Pape's Diapepsin comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. Its promptness, certainty and ease in overcoming the worst stomach disorders is a revelation to those who try it.—Adv.

CHAMPAIGN COUNTY

PENFIELD.

Penfield, Ill., Feb. 1.—Ross Hargan of Nebraska visited his parents last week.

Dr. T. J. McKinney of Champaign was a professional caller here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schoon are now settled in their new home in the Lum Wilson property, which they recently purchased. Mr. Schoon is the owner of ten fine logs now in the south part of town.

Wego Mortenson of Armstrong visited the week-end with his mother here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Borror of near Rossville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clark last Wednesday.

Abe Graham, who has been dangerously ill with pneumonia, is still very low. Two nurses are in attendance.

Mrs. A. J. Hannagan and Miss Kate Gordon were called to Champaign last week on account of the serious illness of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brian Gordon.

Mrs. S. C. Campbell was in Fisher over Sunday at the bedside of her aunt, Mrs. Dave Watson, who is dangerously ill with pneumonia.

Theodore Fisher has returned to Fisher to make his home with his grandfather.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the M. E. church held its regular meeting this afternoon. Mrs. Andrew Sharpf was the leader.

Mrs. Grant McLaughlin was in Armstrong Friday.

Wheel No. 1 of the Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church will hold an exchange Saturday afternoon, Feb. 3.

Orrin Gray of Nenga is visiting his mother, Mrs. E. R. Grey. He recently fell in the store in which he is floor walked and sustained a fracture of his arm.

Allie Stevens and family of near Route No. 8 visited Sunday at the home of Thomas Miller and family.

T. C. Gordon went Sunday for a visit with his sister Stacia, who is still in a hospital.

Misses Julia and Orvilla Clark of Rantoul visited relatives here several days last week.

INDIANA

WILLIAMSPORT.

Williamsport, Ind., Feb. 1.—William Musk went to Hoopeston Ill., for a visit with relatives Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Crouch, of Peoria, Ill., who have been visiting for the past few days with Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Evans, returned to their home Wednesday.

Elmer Stuckey and wife, of Columbus, Ind., returned to their home Thursday after a few days' visit with Orn Stevens and wife, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Risner, of near Rainsville, were Williamsport callers Thursday.

Mrs. John Lopp and son were Danville visitors Tuesday.

Lew Pitcher was an Attica caller Thursday.

Miss Lena Chenoweth and her brother Ben, of Clinton, Ill., are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stephenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stewart, who have been ill with the grip for the past week or so, are improving slowly.

WEST LEBANON.

West Lebanon, Ind., Feb. 1.—Mrs. Pearl Suter was an Attica shopper Tuesday.

Ward Crane of Hedrick, was a caller here Thursday.

George Solenberger, of Danville had business here Thursday.

Ira Cadwallader had business in Marshfield Thursday.

The small baby of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hardin is very ill at their home north of here.

Mrs. Charles Gray, of Hedrik, is very ill with pneumonia.

Felix Debord and family have moved from a farm near Pence to the Campbell farm, south of here.

Edward Fader and family have moved to the farm recently vacated by Frank Vanlear.

Mrs. George Bush is still very ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ewen were called to Sheldon, Ill., by the death of a relative there Thursday.

Dr. E. E. Johnson was a Hedrick caller Friday.

Miss Angeline O'Conner is spending the month with relatives in Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Mow spent last week at Delphi.

Miss Betty Murphy, of Attica spent Wednesday with Miss Grace Siddens.

Obituary.

Rachel Jane, daugter of James and Rachel Reynolds, was born at Brownsville, Pa., Dec. 26, 1822, and departed this life at her home one mile south of Hastings, Jan. 25, 1917, aged 94 years and 25 days. She was united in marriage with Andrew Guthrie, Feb. 8, 1853. On Feb. 12, 1889, the death angel visited her home and took from her the companion of her youth, leaving her to suffer the loneliness and sorrows of widowhood. She was the mother of nine children, four having passed away, five still living, as follows: Mary E. Orr, of Sidell; Ella, at home; Wilber, of Sidell; Samuel, of Riverside, Cal. and Earnest, of Hastings. In early life she professed faith in Christ and united with the Methodist Episcopal church in Pennsylvania. In 1854, with her husband, she came to Illinois, and settled about seven miles east of the present homestead, thence went to the present home in 1873, where she had since resided. Under the ministery of the Rev. C. P. Coolly, the Highland church was organized in 1875, and Mr. and Mrs. Guthrie became members, either at on room after the organization.

She leaves to mourn her departure and revere her memory, three sons, two daughters, and eleven grand children, beside many relatives and friends. Her funeral was conducted from the Highland church by her pastor, Rev. T. A. Williams, assisted by Rev. W. L. Campbell.

WHY HAIR FALLS OUT

Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair roots shrink, loosen and then the hair comes out fast. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it into the scalp. After a few applications all dandruff disappears and the hair stops coming out. Adv.

HOT TEA BREAKS A COLD—TRY THIS

Get a small package of Hamburg Breast Tea, or, as the German folk call it, "Hamburger Brust Thee," at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve, and drink a teacup full at any time. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores, relieving congestion. It also loosens the bowels, thus breaking a cold at once.

It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore harmless.—Adv.

BACKACHE SOON DISAPPEARED

Could Not Do Housework Till Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Removed Cause.



Fort Fairfield, Maine.—"For many months I suffered from backache caused by female troubles so I was unable to do my house work. I took treatments for it but received no help whatever. Then some of my friends asked why I did not try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so and my backache soon disappeared and I felt like a different woman, and now have a healthy little baby girl and do all my house work. I will always praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to women who suffer as I did."—Mrs. ALTON D. OAKES, Fort Fairfield, Maine.

When a remedy has lived for forty years, steadily growing in popularity and influence, and thousands upon thousands of women declare they owe their health to it, is it not reasonable to believe that it is an article of merit?

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened and read by women only.

MONEY TO LOAN
How Much?—$500 to $10000 Terms Fair and Square—Dealings Private
FIDELITY LOAN CO.
308 Adams Bldg.

Regular 29c and 35c Curtain Goods
—Filet Nets
—Voile, Scrim
—Nottinghams
—Marquisette
19c

—all are full yard wide; come in ivory, beige and white in the newest patterns for spring. Some just arrived—and they present what is now in the drapery world.
45c CURTAIN NETS in choice Nottinghams and filet patterns with plain centers and satin striped, hemstitched and fancy borders **29c**
$3.98 LACE CURTAINS, 2 1-2 yards long; filet weave in a host of beautiful patterns; pair **$1.98**

February Clean-Up!

$1.25, $1.50 Muslin Underwear
—gowns
—envelope
—chemise
—petticoats
98c

—for women; dainty garments—well tailored—trimmed with pretty lace, embroidery and ribbon. All sizes.
$1.50 NEW CORSETS just in; made of fine coutil in new models conforming with spring dictates; have four hose supports **$1.00**
69c CORSET COVERS AND DRAWERS of fine muslin; for women; trimmed with hemstitching, lace, embroidery and ribbon **49c**

It Begins Today---Bargain Friday!

$1.00 3 lb. Cotton Batts Big Bed Size **47c**	12 1-2c Outing Flannel, light and dk colors **7 3/4c**	18c Yard Wide Percale Light and Dk **11c**	75c Imported Table Damask 72 in. wide **59c**	75c Pair Heavy Grey Blankets **49c**	10c Fancy Guest Towels Good Size **5c**	$1 Seamless Bed Sheets Size 81x90 **68c**	18c Yard Wide Nainsook or Longcloth **11c**	40c Bleached Sheeting 9-4 Wide **27c**	Up to $3.50 Lace Curtains 63 in. long, ea **23c**	Bundle of 26 Rolls of Wall Paper **25c**	Entire Stock Girls' 6 to 14 Serge Dresses HALF PRICE.	Boys' $1.00 White Coat Sweaters **29c**

SILK WAISTS
$4 & $5 Values
$2.98

—crepe de chine, georgette crepe, taffeta and fine lingerie fabrics; exquisite models and colors to numerous too mention—all sizes.
$3 WAISTS in new models—just received; satin striped sub silk in many effects; all sizes **$1.98**

Women's $1.50 kimonos of flannelette.....98c
Girls' $1.50 worsted plaid dresses.....$1.19
Women's $1.50 neat house dresses.....98c

Desirable Notions

Pearl buttons, fines; shell—dozen on card.....4c
10c ric rac braid.....5c
Stickerel braid, fast color edges, bolt 10c
25c finest imported German stickerel edging, 5 yard bolts 19c
19c children's elastic side hose supporters for 15c
10c hair pin cabinets, 7c

DANVILLE'S GREATEST STORE.

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LOWEST PRICES · OUR ATTRACTIONS
A STORE FOR EVERYBODY

Just In---Satin and Straw Hats

A very special purchase by our New York office allows these offerings:
$2.98 AND $3.50 VALUES.....$1.98 $3.98 AND $5.00 VALUES.....$2.98
About fifty hats all told—and each one as new as spring fashions can make it. There are turbans, mushrooms, sailors and fancy shapes—in all satin or satin and straw combined—black only. Nothing gaudy—but neat tailored hats to wear with suit or coat.

Wanted Tol't Goods

50c Djer Kiss face powder for 39c
25c Djer Kiss talcum powder 22c
50c Jordan de Rose face powder 38c
50c Java rice face powder for 32c
50c Pebeco tooth paste for 38c
50c Elcayh face cream 39c
25c Arnica tooth soap 17c

$16 9x12 RUGS
$12.85

High class tapestry Brussels rugs in advance patterns; suitable for any room—$12.85.
11-3x12 FT. RUGS—Wilton velvet; seamless, in a host of new patterns; $35 value **$29.85**

9x12 wool and fibre rugs, $12 values....$8.50
9x12 seamless Brussels rugs; $25 val, $19.85
27x54 Axminster rugs, $2.50 values.....$1.69

$1 Emb. Silk Hose 79c

—for women; pure thread silk, fine soft yet very durable; come in white with black embroidered clocks or black, white with black clocks; high spliced lisle heel and deep garter tops.

15c women's black cotton hose; cashmere heel and toe **9c**	Boys' and girls' 12 1-2c hose; fine or heavy ribbed, pair **7c**
25c women's Balbriggan fleeced hose, outsizes, pair **19c**	35c men's pure cashmere wool socks, fast black **23c**
10c men's heavy Rockford sock **8c**	50c women's linen mercerized hose **35c**

$1.50 Storm Serge at 98c

FULL 50 INCHES WIDE; pre-shrunk, of genuine Australian long strand wool; to be had in black, navy, brown, copen, olive green and wine.

$1.50 all silk messaline, full yard wide; charmeuse finish, all colors **98c**	$2.50 black taffeta, charmeuse, Gros de Londre and Peau de Soie; ywide **$1.49**	
50c black and white checks, 45 inches wide; large and small size checks for.. **29c**	$1.50 and $1.25 all wool plaids, and stripes; 42 inches wide; all colors, for ... **79c**	$1.25 velvet corduroy, 30 inches wide; all colors for **69c**

Genuine Salts' Plush Coats at $14.85

Selling for $25.00 and $27.50 in other stores while we ask only.....
Women who are yet to get a coat need wait no longer—if a bargain is sought. Here is the answer to your request—in these new up to date styles—many Beaverette and Nutria trimmed—in belted, loose flaring, 3-4 or full length models. Sizes to 46.

Coats	Coats	Dresses	Suits	Skirts
Of Plush. Friday Only	for Little Tots 2 to 6—$5 Values	New Spring Models of All Wool Serge	from Our Lines Selling Up to $30	for Women and Misses; $7.50 Value
11.85	**$2.98**	**12.98**	**$9.85**	**$5.00**
—special purchase; new belted or loose flaring models, many fur trimmed; all sizes	—come in choice woolen fabrics in black and colors; neat styles of various effects.	flaring, draped pockets, sashes, hand embroidered monograms, etc.	handsome styles and colors, really suitable for spring in serge, poplin, broadcloth, etc.	—new flarins models in navy, black, etc.; of serge, poplin, velour, etc.; all sizes.

75c & 89c Un. Suits 59c

for women and misses; fine fleece ribbed, well tailored in high neck, long sleeve and ankle styles. All sizes. No better garments to finish the winter with could be asked for. See them.

Children's 25c vests and pants; heavy fleece; all sizes **15c**	Children's 75c fleece lined union suits; heavy and warm **48c**
39c women's acme ribbed vest and pants, fleeced **25c**	Infants' 25c fleece vests; very healthful garment for the baby **17c**
Men's $1.25 union suits; fleeced ribbed; closed crotch; ideal winter garment.. **79c**	Women's $1 to $1.50 wool undergarments; ribbed or fleece ribbed, each..... **69c**

$2.50 and $3.00 Shoes
$1.98

Smart looking models for the dressy woman and conservative styles for the settled ladies. Come in button or lace effects in gun metal, patent leather and vici kid leathers; all sizes.....

Boys' gun metal and patent leather button and blucher shoes; $2.50 value for **$1.98**	Growing girls' English last shoes. Gun metal and patent leather; $3.00 values **$1.98**

Sweeping Reductions In Prices On All Furs

Our buyer has just gone through the fur stock—and what he did to the prices is unbelievable. He means to clear stock and says a person coming here to get furs gets them at almost their own price. Fact is furs were never priced so low. Buy now—while this opportunity is ripe.

Domestics

$1.50 bleached table cloths, scalloped or hemstitched, round or square, 64x64 inches..... **$1.05**
$2.50 to $4 all linen table cloths, silk bleached, 2 1-4 yards long, hemstitched. Extra special **$1.95**
$4 .....
35c bath towels, fancy borders and stripes; full size for **17c**
65c table damask, bleached mercerized; 64 inches wide; floral and striped for **39c**
15c bleached bath towels, hemmed **10c**
25c fine linen toweling; very close weave **13c**
35c pure white bath towels, extra size **23c**
$1.50 red table cloths, 72 inches long —fringed and fast colors **95c**

Shirts

for Men; 75c and $1.00 Values
55c

—A vast collection of which many patterns just came in for spring, all sizes.

Boys' 35c blouse waists of fine percale and gingham **21c**	
Men's 50c work shirts; heavy or light weight blue chambray; full cut; sizes 14 to 17 at.. **33c**	

Better Groceries for Less Money

ANY OF THESE: 6 for 49c. Assorted to please you.	ANY OF THESE 10 for 45c Assorted to please you.	ANY OF THESE 6 for 87c Assorted to please you.	ANY OF THESE 6 for 69c Assorted to please you.
Virginia Sweet Pan cake Flour.	Ivory, Fels-Naptha, P. and G., Naptha, Tag.	Asparagus, None Such brand.	Minchigan Peaches—large cans.
Clover Hill Rolled Oats	Flake White.	Tomatoes—Scott county brand.	Corn—Fancy Illinois.
Kellogg's Corn Flakes	Crystal White, Grandpa's Wonder Soaps.	Salmon—Alaska brand	Peas—Good quality.
Kellogg's Krumbles	Gold Dust, Grandma's, Star Naptha Powders.	Pork and Beans—large cans.	String Beans.
Post Toasties	Oil Sardines.	Corn — None Such brand.	Blackberries.
Jello, all flavors.	Half Pound Soda.	Teas, Celebrated Gunpowder, pound **39c**	Tomatoes—"Cayuga"
Old Dutch Cleanser,	Grandma's Powder	Potatoes, Extra fancy Coloradoes, peck **65c**	Catsup—Large bottle.
Sapollo or Bonami.			Seeded Raisins—None Such.
Package Mince Meat.			Pork and Beans, Medium cans.
1-lb. pkg. corn starch.			
Hominy—large cans			
Macaroni and Spaghetti—large packages.			

Gold Medal flour: 24 1-2 lb. sack **$1.39**
Western Queen flour: 24 1-2 lb. sack **$1.39**

Karo Syrup:
5 lbs. dark 25c
10 lbs. dark 49c
1 1-2 lbs. light....10c
5 lbs. light.....28c
10 lbs. light.....55c
Milk, None Such brand This price is lower than the wholesale price today:
Large cans 10c
Small cans 5c
Cheese, Finest quality. This is an awful low price, a pound **25c**

COFFEES
Golden Rio, pound **15c**
Old Crop, **21c**
Santos, lb **25c**
Sebega, pound **25c**

Sweaters

75c Values, Men's and Big Boys'
49c

—heavy jumbo weave; have large roll collars and deep pockets; out roomy and long.
Women's $2.50 and $3.00 sweaters in belted or plain models; red and grey; all sizes **$1.89**
Little tots' 89c sweaters; big roll collar; grey, navy and red; in sizes 22 to 26 ..... **69c**

Blankets

$7.50 Indian robe blankets, in every color for **$4.79**
$4 bath robe blankets with cords and tassel, set..... **$2.98**
$3.50 blankets, fancy plaids, double bed size; very heavy fleece **$2.48**
$7.50 elderdown blankets, bright colors, plaids in every color **$4.95**
$5 elderdown blankets, grey or blue plaids **$3.48**
$2.50 blankets, fancy plaids, full double bed size; 300 pair **$1.55**
$6 woolnap blankets, all combinations of colors, plaids, etc **$3.98**

15c Gingham

10 Yards...
98c

—full 32 inches wide; very new, spring plaids and stripes in a variety of effects for children's dresses, women's dresses, etc.
8c Kitchen Toweling **5c**
25c duckling fleece in many patterns for kimonos, shapes, comfort linings, etc **14c**

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Boys' $4 New Norfolk Suits Sizes 6 to 16 **$2.98**	Women's $4.00 Dress Skirts Serge, Poplin **2.98**	Little Tots' $3 Smart Coats Sizes 2 to 6 **1.98**	Boys' $1.50 All Wool Knicker Pants, 6 to 16 **98c**	Girls' $1.50 Gingham Dresses, 6 to 14 **98c**	Women's $1.50 New Model House Dresses **98c**	Women's $1.50 Advance Spring Model Waists **98c**	Boys' $1.50 Sweaters All Colors. **98c**
Girls' $1.00 New School Dresses 6 to 14 **69c**	Men's 50c Fleece Ribbed Shirts, Drawr's **36c**	Men's 10c Heavy Work Hose, Pair **6 1/2c**	Regular 50c Large Wash Boards **33c**	Best 50c House Brooms Saturday only **39c**	Men's $3 Work or Dress Pants for **1.69**	Women's 50c Corset Covers Emb. Trim... **36c**	Women's $1.00 Spring Model Corsets, All sizes **79c**

Trimmed HATS

2.98 & 3.98 VALUES
98c

for women and misses; a stylish group of large and small models in black and colors; neatly trimmed.
UNTRIMMED SHAPES—turbans, sailor, and fancy shapes—up to $3 values **98c**

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On Sale 9 to 10:30 A. M.

SECOND FLOOR

Children's $1 bath robes of flannelette, elderdown, with waist cord; neat colors **69c**
Women's 50c Bungalow aprons, small lot, each **37c**
Women's and misses $12.50 to $18 fashionable suits; very classy models in neat colors; sizes 16 to 44 ..... **$4.95**
Women's and misses 50c knit petticoats; combined colors **29c**
Women's and misses' $1.00 flannelette kimonos in a host of pretty colors and styles **79c**
Children's worsted dresses in plaids; neat new styles; all sizes; up to 14 ..... **89c**

GROCERIES

5 pounds granulated sugar for **33c**
Fresh country eggs, dozen **39c**
Morris & Co. Silver Leaf butterine; **45c**
2 pounds .....

RUGS AND DRAPERY

27x50 inch rag rugs; mixed colors; 75c value **49c**
Curtain voile and scrim; plain centers with hemstich border; white, cream and beige; 19c value, yard **12 1/2c**
Curtain net, fine filet and Nottingham weaves; white, ivory and beige; 35c value, yard **19c**
Scrim curtains, 2 1-2 yards long; lace edges; white and beige; $1.00 value **49c**
27x54 Axminster rugs; floral and orental patterns —$2.50 value **$1.98**

SHOES

Women's new style shoes with 8 inch tops and high turned soles; lace style; black gun metal; $3 value **$1.69**

BASEMENT

Women's 50c sateen petticoats **29c**
Only 14—Women's 50c house dresses; while they last..... **29c**
Only 9—Women's $2 dress skirts in neat styles, while they last..... **39c**
Children's 50c outing flannel sleepers; 2 to 12 years **29c**
Women's $1 Jap silk waists —new models **69c**
Women's 75c long flannelette kimonos for **39c**
Boys' 69c heavy sweaters; roll collars; grey only **39c**
Women's $1 flowered voile waists; special **29c**

MEN'S AND BOYS'

Boys' 59c woolen Knickers, 6 to 14 years **39c**
20c men's white canvas gauntlet gloves. Limit of two pairs, per pair **10c**
75c boys' outing gowns and pajamas, slightly soiled. Big special at **29c**
$5 men's pure wool sweaters, all colors and weaves. Your choice for **$2.95**

DOMESTICS—LINENS —BLANKETS, ETC.

18c white outing flannel, felt weave $2 cotton blankets, grays and tans; fancy borders; full size. Extra special **$1.29**
35c wash dress goods, 36 inches wide; double fold; fancy stripes and plain colors **14c**
$1 bleached sheets, seamless, size 81-90, free from starch. Limit of 4 to customer **63c**
White table oil cloth, 45 inches wide in 2 yard pieces, yard **12 1/2c**
10c apron gingham, all size checks in blue and brown; also red **6 1/2c**
18c toweling, linen finish; unbleached; 18 inches wide..... **10 1/2c**
35c bleached bath towels, full size with fancy borders; woven stripes **17c**
10 yards bleached muslin; free fro mstarch, 12 1-2c value..... **83c**
Best grade calico in indigo, grey and light patterns, yard **6 1/2c**
64 inch table damask; fine satin finish; attractive patterns; 50c value **29c**

TOILET GOODS

15c Mennen's talcum powder **9c**
25c Cuticura soap **16c**
25c Colgate's ribbon dental cream **18c**
50c Jap Rose cold cream or face powder **23c**
25c to 50c toilet water **15c**

NOTIONS

9 spools Clark's O. N. T. cotton thread **25c**
10c 3 in 1 machine oil **6c**
25c to $1 fancy buttons, card **5c**
15c shears and scissors; all sizes **8c**

HOSIERY

35c women's fibre boot silk hose, all colors, seconds **23c**
25c women's lisle hose, fast black **17c**
15c children's ribbed stockings; fast black **10c**
12 1-2c, 15c men's socks **7c**

UNDERWEAR

79c women's union suits, fleeced **53c**
$1 men's ribbed union suits, fleeced **78c**
75c children's fleeced union suits **48c**
25c children's heavy fleeced vest **12 1/2c**

SWEATERS

$2, $2.50 women's worsted sweaters for **$1.00**
$1.50 children's worsted sweaters for **78c**

Society

Orwin V. Shaffer and Miss Grace Ogden present members of their piano classes in a recital at the Chamber of Commerce building this evening at 7:45 o'clock. The public is cordially invited. The program is as follows:

"Scherzo" (four hands) (Low);
"Curly Locks" (Orth)—Norrill Greer.
"Dancing Daisy Fields" (Mokrejs)—Leah Ingersoll.
"Sunset and Dawn" (four hands) (Emery)—Marie Durbin.
"Sing a Song of Sixpence" (Livesey)—Herbert Depke.
"Evening" (four hands) (Low);
"April Showers" (Livesey)—Catherine Orr.
"Fairy Footsteps" (Farrar)—Florence Terpening.
"Longing for Home" (four hands) (Lynes)—Helen Noll.
"Playing Lady" (Mokrejs); "Birds in the Branches" (Rogers)—Dorothy Acton.
"Over the Snow" (Lynes)—Beatrice Fleugher.
"Hurry Up" (Risher)—Alice Tarpening.
"Drummer Boy" (Krogman)—Dorothy Knowles.
"The Fairy and the Woodman" (Risher)—Martha Hickman.
"Playing Tag" (Williams) — Lima Foster.
"Shadow March" (Crahm)—Luella Proctor.
"May Morning" (Rogers), "Song of the Reaper" (Crammond)—Lena Lenover.
"Forest Nymph" (Hamer)—Maxine Elliott.
"Will o' the Wisp" (Lemont)—Ralph Snook.
"Merry Days" (Risher): "Trot du Cavalier" (Rogers)—Robert Johnson.
"Shepherd's Morning Greeting" (Wenzel)—Ellis Whitman.
"Czarina Bohemian" (Lebierre)—Frederick Robison.
"The Blacksmith" (Mokrejs); "Snowflakes" (Hemann)—Helen Sanford.
"Scherzino" (Handrock) —Evelyn Kimmell.
"Neapolitan Serenade" (Heins)—Dorothy King.
"Roundelay" (Lemont) — Margaret Lawrence.
"Fluttering Leaves" (Koelling)—Hazel Kellogg.
"Elfin Dance" (Hennes)—Elizabeth Lewis.
"Spanish Dances No. 2 and 5" (four hands) (Moskowski)—Mr. Shaffer and Miss Ogden.

Pupil will be accompanied by the teacher in the four-hand numbers.

Mrs. W. P. Son, 8 Cronkrite avenue, entertained the ladies of the Ivy club at her home Wednesday afternoon for their regular meeting. When the club business had been disposed of a social hour was enjoyed, which included a clever guessing contest. Luncheon was served by the hostess, with tulips as favors. There was a full attendance of the members and Mrs. W. I. Thompson was a guest. The next meeting will be with Mrs. James Terrill, 330 Harmon avenue.

Announcement is made of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Nelle Gritton of this city and Otto Langee of Silverwood, Ind. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gritton, 934 South Gilbert street, and the groom-elect is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Langee of Silverwood. The wedding will be celebrated at an early date at the home of the bride's parents. The young couple will leave immediately after for Nebraska, where they will make their home on a farm.

Little Miss Emmy Lange has issued invitations to a number of her little friends for a Valentine party at the home of her grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. George Edens, North Jackson street, on the afternoon of Saturday, February 10. Miss Emmy, with her mother and little sister, Frances, is making an extended visit at the Edens home.

Mrs. E. Desing, Ann street, will entertain a company of ladies at her home this afternoon at an informal sewing party and luncheon. The guests will number a party that has been meeting every fortnight for social gatherings. The ladies are planning to organize a club, as their meetings during the winter have been so delightful.

The German U. B. Aid society will meet this afternoon in the regular session at the home of Mrs. John Burow, 823 Bowman avenue.

The Federation of Woman's Clubs will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Chamber of Commerce for the regular February meeting.

One of the largest social events of the week was held Thursday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock on at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Cannon, North Vermilion street, when the ladies of the Aid society of Lakeview hospital entertained at a card and thimble party for the benefit of the hospital. There was a large attendance, and most of the guests spent the afternoon at the card tables, enjoying their favorite games. Others were entertained with their needlework in a pretty nook arranged for their comfort. During the late afternoon the hostess served refreshments. The affair was given as a way of securing means for the new wing now being added to the hospital, and the receipts will be used for linen, furnishings and other articles necessary to conduct such a large institution. The affair was a most successful one, the hostesses and guests all thoroughly enjoying the informal occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Cad Doggett and daughter of New York have been visiting in Danville at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doggett, Franklin street, and with relatives in this vicinity. Mr. and Mrs. Doggett left for their home Wednesday, but their daughter will spend several months with relatives in Oakwood before going back to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Doggett entertained at their home in Franklin street Monday evening at an attractive informal dinner party in compliment to the visitors. They were also entertained at a number of other delightful informal social affairs during their visit.

The ladies of the Jolly Times club were entertained delightfully Thursday at an afternoon party at the home of Mrs. E. M. Snyder, East Roselawn avenue. A sewing hour was enjoyed, and favorite diversions of the club members were other features of entertainment. At 4 o'clock a delicious two-course luncheon was served. Mrs. Elmo Robertson was a special guest. The next meeting of the club will be held in two weeks at the home of Mrs. Frank Thiede, 304 North Collett street.

A board meeting of the Woman's club will be held Friday afternoon at the club rooms.

A pretty Valentine party was given at the home of Mrs. Holmes Elliott, Pennsylvania avenue, Thursday afternoon, when the guests were the ladies of the Friendship club. The meeting was the regular gathering of the fortnight. A needlework hour was enjoyed, after which an interesting contest was held, in which Mrs. Joe Smith was successful in capturing the prize. Following the features of the afternoon an elegant luncheon was served. The table was attractively decorated in Valentine novelties, with a profusion of hearts, and the favors were dainty heart-shaped sachet bags. The next meeting of the club will be held Thursday afternoon, February 15, at the home of Mrs. Oscar Fern, West side.

The board of directors of the Woman's club will meet at 4 o'clock this afternoon at the club rooms, when arrangements will be made for the entertainment of the district federation, which will meet here March 1 and 2 as the guests of the Woman's club. A number of new members will also be voted upon at this time. The president has requested that every member be present.

The S. R. Girls' club of Kellyville met in regular session Tuesday evening with Ruth and Ellen Shaw. Devotionals were conducted by their teacher, Ada Combs, all the members assisting. The missionary story was read by Ruth Shaw. After the business session, several games were played and refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held Tuesday evening, February 12, and will be a Valentine party.

Clay Lynch of Ritsburg, Pa., who formerly was associated with the Bunsen mines at Danville, entertained at dinner Thursday evening at the Blackstone hotel in Chicago. Among the guests invited were Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] and Mrs. Claude Bardy, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Clements, Mrs. Marjorie Talley and Miss Nelle Heffron, of this city.

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Elegant Cat Fish, Halibut, Trout, White, Pickerel, Pike, Smelts, Boneless Herring, Fresh Oysters.

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WILSON DECISION KEPT A SECRET

(Continued From First Page.)

should the neutrals acting together cause Great Britain to raise her blockade or should there be a peace conference.

Austria and Turkey are expected to make similar war zone declarations. The first notification that Austria was joining Germany was in press dispatches from Paris. No official announcement had reached here tonight.

BERNSTORFF EXPECTS IT.

The only announcement that the German ambassador made today was to deny a published report that he had told a friend he expected to receive his passports within forty-eight hours. There was no denying, however, that Count von Bernstorff fully expected the action of the United States to be swift and decisive.

It is also known that several times during the last week he attempted to discourage Americans from sailing for Europe. He had declined to write letters of introduction for friends and on other pretexts, without disclosing his knowledge of what was about to happen, has done his best to discourage them from going to Europe.

Chairman Stone of the senate foreign relations committee, who has been in St. Louis, telegraphed the white house that he was hurrying back and would arrive at 1 p. m. tomorrow.

On a previous occasion the president told members of the committee that before breaking relations with any country he would inform them. Senator Hitchcock, ranking democratic member was at the white house during the day but was given no information.

CABINET MEETS TODAY.

The usual cabinet meeting will be held tomorrow afternoon. Colonel E. M. House spent the day here but left tonight for New York. In addition to a long talk with the president he saw Secretary Lansing, Counsellor Polk of the state department, Secretary McAdoo, and Postmaster General Burleson.

It was stated that the president had made no arrangements for going before congress, but it was considered possible that he might decide to adopt this step at any time.

Public opinion in this country is being carefully considered not so much as a decisive force but as indicating the limit of the first step to be taken. The officials realize that a sentimental wrench must be experienced to turn public thought from hopes of peace to the eventualities of Germany's action.

VIEWED AS OPEN THREAT.

There apparently is no division in official opinion that Germany's announcement justifies this country in severing diplomatic relations or taking belligerent steps to safeguard American rights. The complete repudiation of all Germany's pledges in the Sussex case is viewed as an open threat made in full consideration and in utter disregard of all that may follow.

Preparations are now known to have been under way in Germany for months and the information had been allowed to pass the censorship to have been entirely misleading. Reichsman-Hollweg's speech today is interpreted as disproving statements allowed to come to this country that the chancellor was opposed to unrestricted submarine operations. The fact stands out that official Germany has held off from such policy, not because of international law or consideration for United States but because she did not feel it expedient at an earlier time.

FEELING RESTRAINED.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Congress worked away today in its effort to clear the congested legislative calendar undisturbed by the grave situation brought about by Germany's declaration of ruthless submarine warfare, but there was an air of unrestrained excitement at the capital.

In the house the only public reference to the situation fell from the lips of Majority Leader Kitchin, who pleaded for a reconsideration of patriotism by the union.

"It is incumbent in this grave time upon every American citizen who loves his country," he said, "and is doubly incumbent upon the American representatives in this house to do everything that will promote in this hour patriotism, unity, national love, national fraternity."

Senator Lodge and McCumber, republicans, delivered prepared speeches on President Wilson's world peace address prefacing them with words of action. Senator Lodge declared that the German note had heaped upon the president a great responsibility and added 'No word shall fall from my lips which might in any possible way embarrass him at such a time."

Reports were current during the day that the president is preparing to address congress in joint session tomorrow or Saturday. Senator Hitchcock, acting chairman of the foreign relations committee, said after a brief call at the white house that the situation was indeed grave. He did not see the president but thought a conference might be held after the arrival of Senator Stone, chairman of the committee, who is hastening to Washington from St. Louis.

Senator Lodge in his address sounded a warning that in international relations it might be better to "bear those ills we have than fly to others that we know not of."

"The first service which the United States can render to the cause of peace," said the senator, "is to preserve its own. This can be done in only one way—by the most absolute and scrupulous observance of every treaty or agreement that we enter into by the terms of which all treaties for arbitration which we know well we should under certain conditions and in time of stress regard, and legally by the establishment of such national defenses as to insure our country, so far as it can be done, from wanton attack."

Pimples in Sore Spots on Face and Neck. Could not Rest Healed by Cuticura

"My skin was as clear as could be when gradually it became red and itchy. When I rubbed it it began to burn and little pimples came on my face and neck. The pimples were in blotches and some festered, and the latter developed into sore spots. They hurt so I could hardly stand it, and some nights I could not rest. They disfigured my face.

"The trouble lasted about two months before I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Inside of a month the pimples began to take their former state, and when I used one box of Cuticura Ointment and two cakes of Soap I was healed." (Signed) Miss Margaret Frecke, Boone Grove, Ind., Oct. 2, 1916.

In purity, delicate medication, refreshing fragrance, convenience and economy, Cuticura Soap and Ointment meet with the approval of the most discriminating. Unlike strongly medicated soaps which are coarse and harsh, Cuticura Soap is ideal for every-day use in the toilet, bath and nursery.

Sample Each Free by Mail

With 32-p. Skin Book on request. Address post-card: "Cuticura, Dept. R, Boston." Sold throughout the world.

Month-End Bargains at the People's

Only a few more business days in January. This is the time of the year when you expect to buy shoes at reduced prices, but leather costs are so high that most stores will reduce only broken lots and odds and ends. Here at the People's the price on everything is reduced, and reduced way below anything you'll find elsewhere



$4 & $4.50 Values on Sale Now at $2.98

Smart high cut styles in dull kid and a few patents, button or lace. Also some exceptionally desirable new English walking boots. A good range of sizes. Not a pair of these should sell under $4, many at $4.50.

Month-End Price $2.98

$3.50 Values on sale at $2.48

Sixteen styles in gun metal and patent—high heel or English lasts. Good substantial shoes, all new, this season's styles. Every pair worth $3.50. Month-End price .. $2.48

New Two-Toned Boot $3.48

Stylish, distinctive last with vamps of black kid, patent, Havana brown or battleship gray and tops of white or ivory. $5.00 qualities. Month-End price $3.48

$6 Values $3.98 on sale at

Chic, charming high boots in black kid or all gray kid—also a black calf. $6 values

Month-End Sale $3.98

Month-End Bargains in Children's Shoes

Despite their low prices our Children's Shoes fit right and wear right. You simply save the usual retailer's profit—that's what makes the difference.

Boys' .....$1.48, $1.69 and $1.98
Misses' .....98c, $1.39, $1.69 and $1.98
Child's .....79c, 98c, $1.19 and $1.48

Month-End Bargains in Shoes for Men

$1.98 $2.48 $2.98

This is probably the last time you will ever be able to buy men's shoes worthy of the name at $1.98. The lot is not large, so act quick. The values at $2.48 and $2.98 are also sensational—fully $1.50 under price.

Men's Felt Boots $2.39

Men's Rolled Edge Arctics 98c



Men's Heavy Work Shoes

Elkskin with heavy soles and bellows tongues

$2.48 and $2.98

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CHAUFFEURS MAY ORGANIZE UNION

A number of Danville chauffeurs and auto truck drivers met Wednesday night in the Trades and Labor Council hall and set on foot the plans for organizing a union among the autos drivers here. If the ideas of those at the head of the movement are carried out, the new union will affiliate with the teamsters union and endeavor to make working conditions and wages in the city better than they have been. Especially does the embryo union hope to remedy what they believe is the poor conditions under which the truck drivers work, it being the opinion of most of them that the truck chauffeurs are compelled to do too much freight and baggage shifting and that regular freighters should accompany the chauffeurs for this purpose.

FIDDLERS' CONTEST BROUGHT TO CLOSE

The icy blasts in evidence last night failed to daunt the contestants in the old fiddlers' contest on the past two nights at the armory by the members of Company I and Battery A, the crowd of fiddlers, dancers, and their admirers being as large as on the opening night. The performance of last night for interest really surpassed that of Wednesday, the contestants seeming to have extra enthusiasm and to be on their mettle for the big finales. A large number of jig dancers, eccentric fiddlers and buck dancers were the features last night, the final stunt being a triple jig and wing dance by three colored men with the fourth accompanying them by playing at the same time the two pianos placed on the stage for the occasion.

As a grand finale the fifty prizes contributed for the contest by Danville merchants were given out to the winners, each winner making a brief speech and incidentally creating large quantities of amusement for all concerned.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

WARRANTY DEEDS.

Joe Ridoles to Joseph and Barbara Rios of Westville lt 3, blk 1 in E S Moore's 1st add to Westville; $150 except vein of coal under same heretofore conveyed to M Kelly.

Lillie C and Thomas Sexton to W E Stone of Potomac, Ill, lt 7, blk 4 in Bell's add to Marysville, now Potomac Ill, $600, Subj to $101.25 bal on mtg to Potomac B & L Assn.

Minta A Frank Holmes to John E & Olleatha E Smoot, lt 15 in Adams Lewman & Holmes Lincoln Park add to Danville, $2900, subj to mtg to Dan B & B Assn.

Edward Fellers to Harry McElwee of Chrisman, Ill, all my right, title & interest in Geo Fellers Estate, lots from abous 17 1-4 acres in Sec. 16-17-12, W, $700, Subj to Dower of Anna Clark.

GLASS OF SALTS CLEANS KIDNEYS

If your Back hurts or Bladder bothers you, drink lots of water.

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire tract. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salts which removes the body's urinous waste and stimulates them to their normal activity. The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 500 grains of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

Drink lots of water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate clogged kidneys; also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this, also keep up the water drinking and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney trouble and backache. —Adv.

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WANTED—By a married man and a boy 17 years old, place to work on farm; experienced; can give reference. W. T., care Morning Press. (144)

DANVILLE BUGGY CO.
Automobile Coach Work
Painting, Repairs, Tops. Smith work.
302-315 Van Buren St.
Phone 485. (154)

WANTED—MALE HELP.

WANTED — Twelve flour molders. Avery Company, Peoria, Ill. (148)

WANTED—Married man to do general work. Whitchet's Garden, 1207 Cemetery Ave. (144)

WANTED—Danville Railway Mail Clerk Examinations Feb. 5. $70 to $150 month. Vacations. Common education sufficient. Sample questions free. Write immediately. Franklin Institute, Dept. Rochester, N. Y. (157)

ARMY OF UNITED STATES—Men wanted; unbreakable unmarried men under age of 35; citizens of United States of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English language. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, 34 N. Vermilion St., Danville, Ill. (270)

MEN—Our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach the barber trade quickly, mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill. (145)

WANTED—FEMALE HELP

WANTED—Waitresses, house girls, cooks, farm hands, dishwashers and other help. Brown's Employment Office, 16 E. Main St. Phone 405. (144)

WANTED—Girls to sew in factory. We teach you how to do the work. Stahl-Urban Co., 108 N. Hazel St. (152)

WANTED—SALESMAN

SALESMEN WANTED—Four wide-awake, men with clean habits to join a field force to travel, only men capable of earning $10 to $15 a day need apply; brand new proposition; selling rapidly. Ask for Mr. Simmons, Modern Apartments, opposite postoffice. (143*)

WANTED—Several A No. 1 salesmen that can get results. If you wish to earn $100 per week, or more, this is your opportunity. Give age, reference and brief personal history in first letter to receive attention. Address D. R. S., care Morning Press. (144)

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Partnership; man of experience and good business judgment wants to buy interest in wholesale business, or form partnership and enter into business. Address Wholesale, care Morning Press. (144*)

WANTED—Have buyer for 6-room cottage or bungalow; must be worth the price asked. Equity in 20 acres to exchange. W. E. Van Allen, 206 Daniel Bldg. (142*)

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WANT MERCHANDISE BUSINESS—Client owning 200 acre stock farm in Adams county, Ill.; price $75.00 an acre, wants retail business worth around $7,000; will give easy terms on farm. Frank Logan, Macomb, Ill. (146*)

WANTED—Scrap iron. We will pay more for machinery cast scrap than the other fellow. Robt. Holmes & Bros., Inc. (153)

WANTED—Old false teeth; don't matter if broken. I pay $1 to $3 per set. Mail to L. Mazer, 2007 S. Fifth St., Philadelphia, Pa. Will send cash by return mail. (146*)

NOTICE

NOTICE—After this date I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Bertha Campbell, residing at 122 Pennsylvania avenue. (Signed) Kenneth C. Campbell. (142)

NOTICE—Our prices have not been raised. Haircuts, 15c, and shaves, 10c at Curly Parks' place, corner Main and Hazel streets. (146)

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FOR RENT—Four unfurnished rooms; electric light; city water; close in. Inquire 206 S. Vermilion St. (144*)

FOR RENT—At 222 N. Logan Ave., rooms for light housekeeping; gas, heat, light, phone, bath. Dr. Downs, Dale Bldg. (144)

FOR RENT—Three rooms, furnished for light housekeeping; everything furnished. Tel. 529. 449 N. Logan St. (142)

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FOR SALE—Eight-room house; newly painted and varnished; new oak floors upon entire first story; electric lights, gas, city water; sanitary sewer connected; full size lot in Oaklawn, near shops; $2,500; terms to suit buyer. Phone 262 or 545. (145)

FOR SALE—Bargain—Modern, except furnace, 5-room cottage, near interurban hospital; only $1,700. If sold soon. J. W. Huber & Son, Commercial Bank Bldg. Phone 1509. (145)

FOR SALE—Modern home near Lake View hospital, on Logan Ave.; special low price for immediate sale. J. W. Huber & Son, Commercial Bank Bldg. Phone 1509. (145)

FOR SALE—New Bungalow — Fine new modern bungalow in Northwest Danville; terms, $600 down, balance $ a month; better act quick. J. W. Huber & Son, Commercial Bank Bldg. Phone 1509. (145)

FOR SALE—Six rooms, with bath; modern except heat; 900 block, Hazel St. Phone 954. (144*)

FOR SALE—Eight-room all-modern home in Gilbert St., near Main St.; a bargain; see me quick. W. H. Stephens, Adams Bldg.

FOR SALE—Four-room house, 1122 N. Jackson; 5-room house, 917 Jackson. Inquire Hildred Bell, 438 E. Williams. Phone 3513.

FOR SALE—New modern 7-room cottage; paved street; large lot; near Lincoln line. Inquire Mrs. Beach, 115 Cronon Ave. (144*)

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One 2-story, 10-room modern house, three blocks west and north of public square; will sell for cash, or trade for good cash lots and take difference in cash; lots must be well located; would consider acre tract close in to city. E. F. Royse, 121 E. Main St. Phone 339. (142)

MISCELLANEOUS

SEED HOUSE—The only exclusive seed house in county. Field seeds, bulbs, garden seeds, lawn new lawn grass in bulk, flower seeds, onion sets and vegetable plants in season. E. D. Donnelly, 54 south Vermilion St. (174)

The REAL RETAIL Flour and Feed Store
Lowest prices on flour and feed in the city. Free delivery over town. Call phone 1253 and get our prices. J. F. McKITTRICK, Prop. 115 E. Van Buren St. (145)

CLIPPER BARBER SHOP—Hair cut, 25c; 15c shave for 10c; baths, 15c; everything sanitary. 32 N. Jackson St. (147)

LADIES' SPRING HATS are now ready for your inspection at the Paris Millinery Store, 14½ N. Vermilion St. (148)

G. W. MOORE & SON—Dealers in new and second hand furniture, stoves and rugs. 22-N. Jackson St. Phone 4171. (155)

J. T. LAIRD—Storage and transfer; clean and well ventilated storage house; terms reasonable. Office 36 N. Jackson St. Phone 1669. (146)

If you want to get more

MONEY

for your old Furniture, Rugs and Stoves, call C. C. Chambers.

Sanitary Furniture Exchange

Phone 2371. 124 W. Main St. (144)

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

REAL ESTATE.
R. E. GARRETT
205 American Bank Bldg.
I have some good properties for sale on exchange. See me and get rid of what you don't want for what you do want. (147)

FOR SALE—Two very fine lots, East Rossetown Ave.; special price this week, $1,000; buy and build later. W. H. Stephens, Adams Bldg. (144*)

FOR SALE—Corner Pitcs, Conron Ave., lot 9, block 4; tell us what you will give for this fine building lot. Runyan-Cannady. Phone 426. (145)

FOR SALE—LIVE STOCK

FOR SALE—Two A No. 1 milch cows; Holstein and Jersey. Phone 32 or address L. M. Morris, Fithian, Ill. (142*)

FOR SALE—Good work team; weight 2700; cheap, if taken at once; owner leaving the city. 608 Grant St. (146*)

FOR SALE—Team of young mules; five and six years old; city broke. S. P. Sacre, Catlin, Ill. Phone 87—ring 11. (144*)

FOR SALE—One team of farm mares; also one team of 2-year-old mules. 615 North Hazel St. (146*)

FOR EXCHANGE

FOR EXCHANGE—Clear vacant lots, East Danville, just off Griffin St.; trade for rentals with small mortgage. J. W. Huber & Son, Commercial Bank Bldg. Phone 1509. (145)

FOR EXCHANGE—An 8-room all modern residence property; very close to business section; will trade for property farther out; good proposition for quick deal. John W. Osborne, 36 N. Vermilion St. (146*)

FOR EXCHANGE—Twelve acres land, near Grape Creek; two vacant lots, Vermilion Heights 100 acres of land, Cass county, Michigan. See me for quick offer. John W. Osborne, 36 N. Vermilion St. (143*)

FOR EXCHANGE—Four-room house in Tilton; trade for property in East Danville and pay difference. J. W. Huber & Son, Commercial Bank Bldg. Phone 1509. (145)

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Four, five or nine acres, corner Ross lane and Georgetown road; will take bungalow as part payment. Apply at Economy Store. (142*)

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Fine 7-apartment building in North Danville; trade for residence property, or sell $1,000 cash, balance to suit. J. W. Huber & Son, Commercial Bank Bldg. Phone 1509. (145)

FOR SALE OR TRADE—160-acre dairy farm, timber and hay land; black soil; in Verdaina county, Minn.; for Danville property. Address Box 472. Alex Minko, Westville, Ill. (160*)

FOR RENT—HOUSES

FOR RENT—In The Berlin a 5-room modern flat. Phone 1536. (118)

FOR RENT—Five-room house at 811 N. Kimball St.; $12 per month. R. C. Parks. Phone 3525. (145)

FOR RENT—Six-room house; partly modern; near Washington school and street car line; also in nice walking distance; rent very reasonable. George B. Chaney, 16½ N. Vermilion St. (146*)

FOR RENT—February 1, a modern 6-room house; gas range furnished; garage. Phone 564. (145)

FOR RENT—Nine-room house, city water, at 616 Sherman St. Inquire Wolford, 4 East Main St. (142)

FOR RENT—Seven-room modern house. 506 N. Hazel St. Phone 1457. (144)

FOR RENT—609 West Fairchild St., six rooms; $21 Robinson St., modern; 1208 Robinson St., $21 Chandler St. John W. Osborne, 36 N. Vermilion St. Phone 397 or 433. (143*)

FINANCIAL

WHO WANTS TO BORROW from $1,000 to $5,000 at 6 per cent, with real estate security? Private party. Money now ready. Address N. R., care Morning Press. (145)

WANTED—Prosperous farmer wants to borrow $700 on $2,000 worth of good live stock; will bear investigation. Address WANTED, care Morning Press. (146*)

LOANS—Special inducement for farm loans for early closing. George S. Hoff, 309 Daniel Bldg. Phone 166. (145)

MONEY TO LOAN—On watches, jewelry, diamonds, shot guns, revolvers, clothing, musical instruments, and anything of value. C. Haworth, Pawn Broker, 21 N. Hazel St. (157)

FARM LOANS—Plenty of money at lowest rates. Property bought, sold and exchanged. J. F. Geddes, 204 Dale Bldg. (143)

HAS PAY DAY COME?

Have you paid out your salary in dribs here and there and satisfied none of your creditors and have nothing left to carry yourself through the month?

Get a small loan from us, square yourself up and have the feeling of being independent. We have the

MONEY TO LOAN.

and you can use your furniture, pianos, teams, live stock, etc., as security. In this way you are under obligations to no one. You can have your business conducted without publicity. You can have

LONG TIME

in which to repay us—either monthly or weekly payments, each payment reducing your loan, and have privilege of paying entire amount at any time.

Call, write or phone. If unable to call will send our agent to your home.

ILLINOIS LOAN CO.
205 Baum Bldg. Phone 3248 (143)

MONEY TO LOAN.
Before making a loan there are two things to be considered:
Have your dealings confidential, and be sure that you do not jeopardize your securities or piece of mind.
All Companies guarantee these things and lowest rates to them; advertisements but a shrewd borrower will go deeper and investigate for himself. Our methods are open to any investigation.
We loan on any kind of security.
DANVILLE CREDIT CO.
15 E. North St. Phone 2042

LOST—STRAYED—STOLEN.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—A suckling calf. Finder return to 1238 Cleveland St., or call phone 3170—1 ring. (145)

FOR RENT—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR RENT—Twenty-five acre farm, four miles north of city; good buildings. Inquire of Frank Adams, R. R. 8, Danville. (146*)

PUBLIC SALE

PUBLIC SALE—I will offer at public auction at my farm on the Covington road, six miles east of Danville and three miles northeast of Rileysburg, Ind., Wednesday, February 7, 1917, at 10 a. m.; Nine head horses; ten head of Shorthorn cattle, twelve tons baled timothy hay, about four tons baled clover hay, some mixed baled hay, and all kinds of farming implements. Lunch will be served by Howard Chapel Ladies' Aid. C. E. Maiden, auctioneer. WM. GOLTY. (145*)

PUBLIC SALE—I will sell at public auction at my place, one mile east of Fairmount, Ill., and 1½ miles south of Bennett Station, on Thursday, February 8, 1917, commencing at 10 a. m., the following described property:

Twenty-two Head of Cheyenne. One pair of black Percheron mares, five and six years old, well matched, with foal, weight 3400; one pair of dapple gray Percheron mares, six years old, well matched, with foal, weight 3200; one pair of black Percheron mares, four years old, weight 2600, one with foal; one dark gray Percheron mare, four years old, weight 1480, with foal; one dark gray Percheron mare, four years old, weight 1420; one gray gelding, four years old, weight 1360; one brown mare, five years old, in foal, weight 1490; one black gelding, four years old, weight 1350; one dark gray gelding, four years old, weight 1470; one black gelding, five years old, weight 1420; one pair of bay mares, eight years old, weight 2260; one sorrel horse, smooth mouth, weight 1200; three draft horse colts, coming two years old; three draft horse colts, coming one year old.

Farming Implements—One broad tire wagon; two narrow tire wagons; one John Deere corn binder, two discs, one cut-away and one solid wheel; corn planter; two cultivators, two sower plows.

Terms of Sale—A credit of ten months will be given on all sums over $20. All sums of $10 and under, cash. Note to bear 6 per cent interest from date, with approved security. Two per cent off for cash. No property can be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

Claude Madden and Walter Smoot, auctioneers. George Catlet, clerk. Lunch will be served on grounds by A. J. Parker. GEORGE MOTT. (148*)

PUBLIC SALE—I will sell at public auction on Monday, February 5, on the Michael Oakwood farm, five miles north of Oakwood: One 6-year-old Shire stallion, one Shorthorn bull, three draft mares in foal, and inherited head of horses, ranging in age from one to four years; six shoats, 100 pounds each; farming implements, etc. Sale will commence at 10 a. m. sharp. J. Fruhling, auctioneer. C. F. ALLISON. (144*)

PUBLIC SALE—I will offer at public auction at the Lockett farm, two miles north of Georgetown and two miles south of Westville, Ill., on the state road, Thursday, February 15, 1917, 9 head of horses, fifteen head of cattle, twenty head of hogs and farming implements. Col. M. B. Grimes, auctioneer. W. H. LAMAR. (144*)

PERSONALS

MRS. TODD—Psychic reader. If in doubt or trouble, see her at once; week days and Sundays. 215 Robinson St. (147)

PROF. MACK—Acknowledged America's only reliable life reader. Predictions regarding business, love and marriage are wonderful. He won't disappoint you. See him today. 112 S. Hazel St. (152)

MADAME JEANETTE—Mind reader and palmist. Past, present future disclosed. Experienced, efficient. She may help you, no matter how troubled. 110 Van Buren St. (156)

PERSONAL—Read "Birth Control," sent sealed, 25c (silver). National Sales Co., Springfield, Ill. (150*)

FOR SALE—FARMS

IOWA

WE ARE SPECIALIZING upon two eastern Iowa farms in corn and blue grass belt. No. 153—240 acres; two miles from Onslow, Iowa; excellent land, substantially improved, $215 an acre; your own terms. No. 194—320 acres, highly improved, 4½ miles from West Branch, Iowa, one of the best in state; none better at $217.50 per acre. Your price would be $250; rented at $10; $5,000 cash holds it until March, 1918. E. Van Metre, Cedar Rapids, Iowa. (148*)

OKLAHOMA

FOR REAL ESTATE OR OIL LEASES come to Stephens county, Okla.; one of the best in the state. Near Big Heaidton Oil Field; lots of leasing and some drilling here. Going to be a big oil field. L. E. Foster & Co., Real Estate and Oil Exchange, Duncan, Okla. (154*)

NEBRASKA

LIST YOUR WESTERN PROPERTY for sale with me; 28 years experience as abstractor in the west. F. G. Weber, 206 B. T. Bldg., Omaha, Neb. (146*)

NEW YORK

SAVANNAH, N. Y.—138 acres used for years as dairying, shipping milk to Rochester. Soil in high state of fertility, adapted to alfalfa and diversified farming; comfortable house; two barns with grouted stabling; silo. To close partnership, $60 per acre. Farms all sizes. A. W. Evans, Metcalf Bldg., Auburn, N. Y. (146*)

MINNESOTA

MINNESOTA LAND—Let's go to Kandiyohi county and buy a good farm. Think of the crops and clover and potatoes. Let's go! We found some land. It's for sale by G. W. Mahn & Co., Moran Minn. (146*)

FOR SALE—Wild lands, improved farms and mineral lands. Buy of owner and save commission. T. B. Welsh, Brainerd, Minn. (146*)

FOR SALE—FARMS.

ILLINOIS

FOR SALE—144-acre farm; well improved; all in cultivation; price reasonable. Address Box 278, Hillsboro, Ill. (147)

LAND BARGAINS.
Fifty-five acres, Edgar county, for sale or exchange.
Eighty acres best black prairie, in Vermilion county; $195; terms.
Eighty acres best black land, nine miles from Danville; genuine bargain.
Thirty-six acres, Edgar county, best black land; good improvements; $215.
Eighty acres, Vermilion county, joining good town; best black land; $225.
VERMILION LAND CO.
7 East North St. (146)

FOR SALE—Improved farms in Mason county, Ill., 360, $6,000; 120, $4,000; 93 acres, Cass county, Ill., $3,000. Possession. Terms. No trade. P. O. Box 54, Topeka, Ill. (146*)

FARMS FOR SALE—Some small, choice fruit, truck, stock or dairy farms; handy to town, reasonable price, easy terms; write for lists and price of these and larger farms. Dayton & Hawkins, Mount Vernon, Ill. (146*)

FARM FOR SALE—A fine 320 acre grain and stock farm, 270 acres in cultivation, 50 acres in timber, nearly all level and slightly rolling, fine house of eight rooms, large barn, granary, cattle barn, large silo, scales and other buildings, well painted, orchard of 40 to 50 trees, plenty of water, located 3 miles southeast of Liberty, Ill.; 12 miles from Barry, Ill., $125 per acre, priced to sell; a bargain; no trades; one-third cash, balance 10 years, 5% per cent payment privilege, possession March 1. Add. Henry Germann, owner, Quincy, Ill. (146*)

FOR SALE—A dandy, 134 acre, Mason county, Ill. 50 acres in wheat; price $110 per acre; possession. Terms. No trade. Also have other bargains. T. F. Himmel, Topeka, Ill. (146*)

MICHIGAN

FOR SALE—50,000 acres good hardwood lands at $20 per acre. Long time, 6 per cent interest. Good for fruit, general farming and stock raising. Fine water for stock. Write for land books. Land Dept., The Buckley & Douglas Lumber Co., Manistee, Mich. (156*)

FOR SALE—143 acres on main road from Kalkaska to Tarrent's City, 4 miles to county seat, Kalkaska county, Mich. 80 acres clear, balance hardwood timber; 7-room house, barn, other outbuildings; well and windmill. Close to school and church. Some fruit. Price $40 per acre. John A. Coleman, 538 State street, Traverse City, Mich. (146*)

FOR SALE—2,024 acres finest farm and stock ranch in northern Michigan. Crawford county; 200 acres under plow, 4 spring creeks crossing farm; 2,000,000 ft. green hemlock saw timber; $5,000 house, steam heated, gas lighted; two good barns. Price $20,000. Inquire of owner, W. W. Henderson, Lapeer City, Mich. (154*)

WISCONSIN

WISCONSIN—I have several good Wisconsin farms that I will accept small cash payments on; will take in property as part payment; give you long time on balance; these farms have full sets of improvements and are in excellent condition. To any one wanting a farm I can offer the opportunity of a lifetime. W. H. Stephens, 409-410 Adams Bldg. (143*)

LANDLOGY, a magazine giving the facts in regard to the land situation. Three months' subscription FREE. If for a home or as an investment you are thinking of buying good farm lands, simply write me a letter and say, "Mail me LANDLOGY and all particulars FREE." Address Editor, Landology, Skidmore Land Co., 213 Skidmore Bldg., Marinette, Wis. (177*)

WANTED.
Responsible Farmers to reside in Oconto County, Wis.
No interest, no payments for three years. Most liberal terms ever offered to responsible settlers. Our selling plan takes away the burden of making cash payments until the end of the fourth year. If you want a farm in the CLOVER BELT of northern Wisconsin, you cannot afford to miss this chance. Write for particulars address
OCONTO COMPANY,
Oconto, Wis (143)

MONTANA

FOR SALE—33 acres high grade land, well improved; 8-room bungalow, barn, chicken houses, well, cleared, etc.; two miles from public schools and postoffice, Cedar, Ill.; an ideal home and farm; $2,500; $450 down, balance two annual payments. And C. S. Bell, owner, Billings, Mont. (146*)

STOCK AND GRAIN RANCH in the Bitter Root valley, seven miles east of Stevensville, Mont., on main road, close to school. Land will more than pay itself every year. Black, rich foothill land, $25 per acre; grazing, $10; all under fence; 60 acres in the valley; new buildings, etc. One-third cash, long time on balance. Write for full descriptions. Owner, J. B. McGurk, Stevensville, Mont. (146*)

TEXAS

FOR SALE—1600 acre stock farm, 250 in cultivation, South Plains near Lubbock, Texas; 1300 corn and cotton 1000 in cultivation, Milam County, Texas. Owner, Box 835, Austin, Tex. (146*)

FARMS—I handle corn, alfalfa, wheat, cotton, sugar cane and fruit lands; improved and unimproved; $5 to $20; best in the southwest; pure water; healthy climate; mild winters. Ask M. F. Chestnutt, Texarkana, Texas. (146*)

FOR SALE—FARMS

INDIANA

FOR SALE—160-acre farm in Stark county, Indiana. For any information write Lillie V. Naylor, 1823 Market St., Logansport, Ind. (166*)

FOR SALE—318 acres, $75 per acre; 5-room house, half rentals, near Winamac, Ind. Owner, C. H. Leeson, Stockwell, Ind. (146*)

FOR SALE—By owner, two well improved farms, one of 80 acres and one of 122 acres, located on eastern border of Clay county, Ind. Immediate possession, price reasonable. For further information address A. H. Shopmeyer, 20 N. 23rd St., Terre Haute, Ind. (145*)

FOR SALE—Farm, ten acres, three miles west of Noblesville, three miles east of Westfield, on gravel road, on R. F. D. route, telephone; good graded school twenty rods from house; church close. Owner, I. W. Bales, Noblesville, Ind., R. R. No. 8, Box 57. (146*)

FOR SALE—By owner, well located 179-acre stock and grain farm, 2½ miles from railroad station; 100 acres under cultivation, 79 timber; new 6-room house and set of outbuildings; 7-acre apple orchard; church and school; price $50 acre. Might take part in trade. William M. Dietrich, R. D. No. 2, Borden, Ind. (142*)

FOR SALE—160 acres, nicely located on stone road, 4 miles to good market; ¾ mile to railroad stop; school, church and grain elevator; good buildings, good fences, good heavy soil; 18 acres of timber, sugar tree, walnut, etc. $150 per acre. G. W. Young, owner, Star City, Ind. (149*)

FOR SALE—242 acres; one of best stock and grain farms in county; well located; full description and price on application. J. M. Stearns, owner, North Vernon, Ind. (142*)

MISSOURI

FOR SALE—82-acre farm, improved; 1-4 mile outside city limits of Sweet Springs, Mo.; price $125 per acre. Add. Mercantile Brewing Co., Sedalia, Mo. (146*)

FOR SALE—346 acres; half mile of Salem, Mo.; 90 acres rich valley land; 250 cultivated, balance in timber, fair buildings; spring water; $40 an acre. H. L. Hodges, Salem, Mo. (148*)

ARKANSAS

FOR SALE—160-acre farm, 22 miles of Little Rock, 1 1-2 miles to railroad town, good school; well watered; good improvements no hills or rocks; fine location; good fruit; a bargain. W. H. Conrad, Cabot, Ark. (146*)

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
Casper Platt, Attorney for Administrator.
The undersigned administrator of the estate of Matthew Bendele, alias Matthew Gentle, deceased, hereby gives notice that he has fixed upon the April term, A. D. 1917, of the probate court of Vermilion county, in the state of Illinois, for the adjustment of all claims against the said decedent.
All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified and requested to attend the said term of said court at the court house in Danville, in said county, for the purpose of having such claims adjusted.
Dated this 31st day of January, A. D. 1917.
W. O. EDWARDS,
Administrator of said estate.

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W. O. Edwards, Attorney for Executrix.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.
The undersigned executrix of the last will and testament of Jim Lucas, deceased, hereby gives notice that she has fixed upon the March term, A. D. 1917, of the probate court of Vermilion county, in the state of Illinois, for the adjustment of all claims against the said decedent.
All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified and requested to attend the said term of said court at the court house in Danville, in said county, for the purpose of having such claims adjusted.
Dated this 11th day of January, A. D. 1917.
ROSE LUCAS,
Executrix of the last will and testament.

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W. O. Edwards, Complainant's Solicitor.

PUBLICATION NOTICE.
State of Illinois, Vermilion County, ss.
In the Circuit Court, January Term, 1917.
Maggie Scott and Emma Hillman vs. Mary Kidwell, Lydia S. Michaels, Jacob P. Hainely, William A. Hainely, Charles Davis, Jesse Scott, Carroll Munn, Robert Gavin, Robert McGavin, William H. Cline, John H. Cline, Chris Piepenbrink, Christian Piepenbrink and the unknown devisees and the unknown heirs at law of the following deceased persons: Chris Piepenbrink, Christian Piepenbrink, John H. Young, Robert McDavin and Robert Gavin; and to unknown heirs of and the unknown parties in interest to the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot six (6), in block seven (7) of Scott's addition to the county of Vermilion, state of Illinois.
In chancery No. 13164. Bill for partition and to quiet title.
Notice is hereby given to the above named defendants that the said complainants filed their bill of complaint in the circuit court of Vermilion county, in the state of Illinois, and the summons has been issued for the above-named defendants in said suit returnable to the first day of the next term of said court, to be held at the court house in Danville, in said county, beginning on the third Monday of January, 1917. That the names of the parties to said suit are as above set forth and that said suit is still pending in said court.
Danville, Illinois, December 15, 1916.
C. E. WELLMAN,
Clerk of said court.

TWO WATSEKA MEN EXPIRED SUDDENLY

Charles M. Cyrus Died in Chair While Playing With Grandchildren.— C. M. Bonham Dead.

(Special to The Press)

Watseka, Ill., Feb. 1.—Charles M. Cyrus, a highly respected citizen of Watseka, died suddenly at his home on South Second street about 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Cyrus had not been feeling well for a few days but was able to be around and gave little thought to his ill feeling. He was playing with his two little grandchildren, Virginia and John Cyrus, and sat down a little while. His wife was talking to him and as he did not answer she went to him and found he was dead.

A physician was summoned but could not determine the cause of his death.

Mr. Cyrus was about 60 years of age. He was an active member of the Christian church. He leaves his wife and one son, John Cyrus, a prominent business man of the city.

Funeral services have not been arranged as yet.

C. M. BONHAM DEAD.

The sudden death of C. M. Bonham, which occurred Monday at his home, was a shock to his wide circle of friends in this city. Mr. Bonham had been very ill with the grip for several days, when pneumonia developed and death came in a short time.

Mr. Bonham was 71 years of age. He was a faithful member of the Methodist church, and one of the most highly regarded business men of the city. He is survived by his wife, who recently suffered a severe stroke of paralysis, and by four daughters, all residents of this city.

Funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church by his pastor, Rev. W. P. McVey, Wednesday afternoon. Members of the Watseka Commercial club marched to the church in a body. Interment was made in Oak Hill cemetery.

TO CHILDREN'S HOME.

By order of Judge J. H. Gillan, the three small children of Jennie Bradley, who were deserted by their mother last fall, were on Tuesday taken by Sheriff Browne to the Illinois Children's Home in Chicago.

The small children are Dorothy, James and Harry, aged respectively 12, 10 and 6 years. Since being deserted by their mother they lived for a while with their grandmother, but for the past month have been cared for at the county farm.

John Bradley, the father, is still in Watseka, but is unable to care for the little ones. Mrs. Bradley is staying in Peoria and says she no longer cares to stay in Watseka and care for her family.

AT FORT SHERIDAN.

The Third Illinois Infantry, of which Company B is a part, which has been in service in San Antonio for the past seven months, has arrived at Fort Sheridan, near Chicago, over the Illinois Central railroad. After sleeping in the cars Tuesday night the soldiers detrained in the morning. They will occupy the barracks at Fort Sheridan until they are mustered out of the federal service.

It is likely that the Watseka boys and other members of Co. B will not reach home for at least a week after arriving at Fort Sheridan, although a speedy muster out has been promised the regiment by the mustering officer.

No doubt the boys are rejoicing that they will soon return to their homes and once more be among relatives and friends.



The New BERWICK ARROW FormFit COLLARS are curve cut to fit the shoulders perfectly. 15 cents each, 6 for 90c CLUETT, PEABODY & CO. INC. Makers

BEARS WON FROM BIRDS AT ELKS

In the bowling at the Elks' alleys last night the Bears took two of the three games from the Cormorants. McGowan and Hackett, for the birds, did some good work, but their support was not good enough to capture another one of the games. The score follows:

CORMORANTS

Player	1st	2nd	3rd	To.
McGowan	212	162	131	505
Hackett	212	125	114	451
Murrow	122	138	162	422
Deutsch	135	158	109	402
Senger	72	99	114	285
Totals	753	682	630	2273

BEARS.

Player	1st	2nd	3rd	To.
Gagg	171	182	174	527
Hartley	167	164	172	523
Lowman	132	187	124	443
Doughty	123	123	145	391
Gammel	110	92	91	293
Totals	733	748	710	2187

WEBBER & TURNELL TEAM VICTORIOUS

The Webber & Turnell bowling team defeated the Cavanaugh & Meyer team two out of three games in the Leisure alleys last night by the following scores:

CAVANAUGH & MEYER.

Player	1st	2nd	3rd	To.
Savickey	131	170	118	419
Poole	158	111	121	390
Wolford	179	165	187	531
Magnusson	135	152	207	495
Timons	158	187	191	536
Totals	761	756	850	2367

Team average, 789

WEBBER & TURNELL.

Player	1st	2nd	3rd	To.
Giddings	181	142	176	499
Kilgore	169	185	159	513
Wardlow	158	155	162	419
Dye	203	169	169	541
Frayser	171	155	175	501
Totals	852	809	836	2497

Team average, 832 1-3.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED AT WATSEKA

(Special to The Press)

Watseka, Ill., Feb. 1.—The following marriage licenses have been issued by the county clerk:

Roland F. Knoth, Onarga ....Legal
Margaret S. Stitt, Onarga ....Legal
West Walter Webster, Sheldon 20
Nellie Louise McCay, Sheldon 22
Fred Gocken, Crescent Twp 22
Carrie M. Focken, Douglas Twp....22
Matthew E. Morton, Milford 56
Clara B. Larson, Milford 52
William Benner, Belmont Twp. 24
Grace Van Hovein, Milford Twp....20
Karl Hoberkorn, Crescent Twp. 21
Velma Pullen, Crescent Twp 20
Erdman Schuring, Crescent Twp....24
Almuth Hurling, Milford Twp. 24
Klaas C. Muller, Danforth 20
Nola C. Hahn, Marblehead, Mo....22
Frank Weygandt, Martinton 27
Flessie E. White, Martinton 25

RESERVATION HAPPENINGS

Official Report and Daily Happenings From the Danville Branch of the Soldiers' Home.

Danville Branch, N. H. D. V. S., Feb. 1.—Following is Adjutant Miller's morning report:

Present for duty	1250
Present on extra duty	248
Present sick	274
Present sick in quarters	248
Absent with leave	229
Absent sick in G. H.	30
Absent without leave	25
Total present and absent	2314
Temporarily at post	31
Vacant beds in barracks	744
Vacant beds in hospital	15

Changes in companies — Jesse Craft, hospital to L; Thos. Collopy, hospital to E; C. M. Connor, hospital to G.; Gel Fisher, hospital to K.; Emanuel McCabe, hospital to G.; D. J. Smith, hospital to L.; Colonel Davis, I to hospital; W. F. Miller, I to hospital.

Discharged—David W. Clark, Co. E.; C. J. Appelgate, hospital.

HAS PURCHASED FARM NEAR WEST LEBANON

(Special to The Press)

Attica, Ind., Feb. 1.—William A. Hill, of near Judyville, was a town Saturday morning advertising the sale which he will hold February 14. Mr. Hill has been farming about 160 acres of land for the past four years and has been very successful, but reliable help has become so scarce that it represents a very large problem and he concluded to reduce the scale of his operations. A few weeks ago he purchased the old Banner stock farm near West Lebanon, and is making preparations to move upon it March 1. Clint Brown will succeed him as tenant on the Briggs land, although he will not farm on so large a scale as did Mr. Hill, Mr. Briggs having divided the place into several smaller farms. Mr. Hill has been an observer for the government weather bureau for this section and is having difficulty in finding a man to succeed him in that capacity. To remote the observing station to his new home would take it too close to the Covington station, the Bureau preferring to have it farther north and west. The position requires only the keeping of a daily record of the temperature and rainfall, and while it pays no salary, Mr. Hill has found it a source of much helpful information, which far more than repaid him for the time expended.

WILSON'S TEAM WON FROM FLAUGHER'S

Captain Wilson's team won from that of Captain Flaugher in the bowling at the M. C. A. last night, taking two of the three games with ease. Following is the score:

TEAM B.

Player	1st	2nd	3rd	To.
Cave	119	147	146	412
Wilson	112	152	111	376
Phillips	144	148	114	406
Smalley	132	151	169	472
Shirk	122	151	158	421
Totals	679	750	698	2127

TEAM 3.

Player	1st	2nd	3rd	To.
Flaugher	126	108	134	368
Smith	146	166	119	431
McKee	115	152	125	392
Love	139	179	107	425
Henke	155	116	114	385
Totals	681	754	599	2017

URBANA MAY VOTE FOR WOMAN MAYOR

(Special to The Press)

Urbana, Ill., Feb. 1.—Urbana may vot, on a woman candidate for the office of mayor at the coming primary. The probability of a mayoress at the helm of the county seats affairs during the next two years is not held impossible, and a number of prominent Urbana women are known to be thinking seriously of placing a candidate in the "field" before the primary.

Indications now are that it will be the first instance on record where the office sought the woman. No men have appeared to take an interest in the coming battle of ballots. At least the interest displayed by them cannot be compared with that being shown by women.

SOLDIERS PASSED THROUGH THE CITY

Two companies of the Massachusetts national guard, enroute home from several months border duty in Texas, passed through Danville over the Wabash railway Wednesday night.

Skating Champions.

(By The Associated Press)

Saranac Lake, N. Y., Feb. 1.—Arthur Staff, of Chicago won the international outdoor amateur skating championships for seniors and Charles Jewstraw, of Lake Placid, won the championship for juniors here today in the closing events of the mid-winter carnival.

BIG TIME ENJOYED BY MEN OF HOMER

Business Men of Community Club Gave Smoker for Friends—Address by University Man.

(Special to The Press)

Homer, Ill., Feb. 1.—The smoker given by the business men to the Community club and their guests at the Jurgensmeyer opera house Tuesday evening was one of the largest social events for the men ever given in Homer and also one of the most successful. About one hundred and fifty men were present. Smokes of various kinds were supplied with a lavish hand and various games were placed around the room for the amusement of the different guests.

A. W. Nolan of the agricultural department of the U. of I., was present and gave the address of the evening. Prof Nolan presented the community idea and urged organization and co-operation to solve the various problems that hinder Homer's progress. The quartette from the U. of I. Glee club and Mike Daley, cartoonist for the Illini, were also present and gave musical numbers and readings, and Mr. Daley gave a chalk talk that was very interesting and gave some ideas of the inner workings of a cartoonist's work. For the inner man Gus Rosenbaum and George Thompson presided at the lunch counter.

From all points of view the affair was a most enjoyable and successful event and reflects great credit upon the following committee who worked on the affair: E. T. Allard, secretary of the club; C. Daily, A. A. Smith, C. R. Burkhardt, J. P. McPherran and E. H. Phar.

WOMAN'S CLUB.

The woman's club held a general club day meeting at the home of Mrs. C. D. Hall, Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. J. H. Chadwick of Tuscola, state vice president of the Federated Womans' club, was present and addressed the assembly. Mrs. Julia Rose sang a number of pretty selections. Mrs. Dan Burton, who has recently moved to Homer, was accepted as a new member of the club. At the conclusion of the program very nice refreshments were served. The afternoon was in charge of the following committee: Misses—Nellie Hartman, Nelle Conkey, and Grace Butler, and Meadames V. Robinson, C. D. Babb and M. Rose.

HE'S AN INVENTOR.

Geo. Hartman, Sr., is busy these days exhibiting a new, patented device for attachment to a common Mason fruit jar, converting it into a bucket with a handle. The device is simple in the extreme consisting of only two parts a "U" that goes around the neck of the jar and the handle or bail. Mr. Hartman is at present having his pieces made in Danville, but expects to have them made in Homer in about three weeks. The device is very practical and those who have seen it have wondered why it took so long for some one to think of it.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Howard Morrison arrived Wednesday from Chicago with a car load of cattle for feeding.

The local Masonic chapter will entertain their friends at the local temple on Thursday evening. A splendid program has been arranged and the local fraternity and their guests expect to have a royal time.

Mrs. Zella Elliott returned Tuesday to her home at Sheridan, Wyoming, after an extended visit with relatives here.

Mrs. C. E. Robinson returned to Chicago, Tuesday after an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Wright.

H. O. Davis is here from Sheridan Wyoming, for a visit with relatives and friends.

The Matron's club will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. R. Y. Hall.

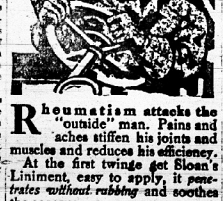
Meadames P. E. Wiginton and J. G. White and Miss Jessica Jordan left Monday for a visit with W. B. Whitlock and family at Springfield.

Mrs. H. J. Clarkson and daughter Margaret, of Danville, and Mrs. John Legg of Chicago, were recent guests at the R. Y. Hall home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ehorn, H. L. Clark and family and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Campbell of Danville were Sunday guests at the home of Ed Henpe.

Clarke Brown was here a part of this week from Indiana to visit his mother and other relatives.

Abe Abbott has gone to St. Louis for a visit with friends. Benton Barnes is acting as janiter for Dr. Lowrey during Mr. Abbott's absence.



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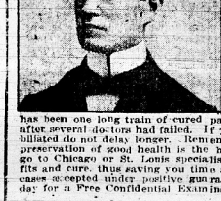

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Pepper Mint Oil Magnate is Strong For Elko. — George Manger Praises Work Done by R. G. Potts.

Garrett, Ind., Feb. 1.—George Manger is one of the best known residents of this section of Indiana, which is one of the very few places in the U. S. where peppermint can be raised successfully for commercial purposes. Mr. Manger deals extensively in the production of peppermint oil.

For the benefit of the public he has the following to say about Elko—the new remedy that is now at the Johnson Drug store—and is explained by the noted health exponent, R. G. Potts.

"Some time ago I was troubled with catarrh of my head, and was knocked out generally—when I met Mr. Potts and began his Elko treatment. The result was immediate and most satisfactory—as I feel completely relieved."

Many of the most striking instances show where the Elko treatment has assisted back to health, those who after years of unsuccessful treatment had concluded that there was no cure to be had.

Those who are in a run down state of health commonly called debility, are the most susceptible to every disease, and really have the "welcome sign" out to all the germ family.

The best safe guard against the catarrh scourge, and "grip" and pneumonia, is to use a method like the Elko treatment to build up the run down system, and produce sufficient vitality.

Catarrh of the nose and throat often extend to the stomach—the symptoms of which are, sour stomach, pains in the pit of the stomach, dull headach, loss in weight and a sallow complexion.

Elko is a most effective remedy for the above mentioned condition, and being free from strong drugs and injurious minerals, is safe for both old and young.

Elko is now sold exclusively by the Johnson Drug store, 18 East Main.—Adv.

The Y. W. M. S. will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. R. H. Phar.

L. V. Jurgensmeyer and A. O. Morrison went to Bloomington, Wednesday to attend a horse sale.

Dr. A. L. Vollgorn has returned from a visit to his farm in Ontario.

The Owl club met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Roy Lee. Mrs. F. N. Thompson was joint hostess

VITAL STATISTICS

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Willian Collier, Danville	27
Estella West, Danville	20
Henry G. Stonebraker, Danville	56
Belle Hanthorn, Georgetown	33

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QUACK PHYSICIAN IN TOILS OF LAW

William Mayfield, Negro "Doctor" Faces Serious Charges Through Baby's Death.

The death of Bennie White, the 8 months old child of Mr and Mrs. Calumpbus White, 307 Lake street, while the child was under the care of William Mayfield, a 'self made' physician, has raised serious possibilities for the negro. Mayfield, or Dr. Miller, as he has admitted is his real name, was arrested yesterday at the instance of the child's parents and last night when examined at the coroner's inquest made sufficient which may send him to the penitentiary. He is at present being held under charges of conducting confidence games as made by the parents and of practicing medicine without a license which will be made against him by the state authorities.

CHILD DIED TUESDAY.

The child, after a short illness from pneumonia, died Tuesday afternoon and a dead certificate was given the parents by the quack physician. The certificate when presented to Dr. Carpenter and Coroner Cole by the undertaker who had charge of the body, immediately started an investigation by the two officials when it was determined that the man held no license to practice medicine. The burial of the infant was also held up though funeral services were allowed to be held by the parents yesterday forenoon.

MAYFIELD ARRESTED

The first step toward the man's punishment was taken by the parents yesterday afternoon, the mother of the dead infant going before Justice Parker and swearing out a warrant for operating a confidence game, the warrant being made out as a means of preventing the man's escape until the state charge was made against him. As a result the man was arrested yesterday afternoon by Constable Bullington after a long search was made for him. He was later in the afternoon given a hearing before Justice Parker and his case continued until Feb. 6, he being sent to the county jail for lack of bond.

CORONERS INQUEST

At the inquest held last evening by Coroner Cole a verdict was returned by the jury that the child had come to its death through pneumonia and lack of medical attention. The cross examination of Mayfield under the direction of Assistant Attorney Lewman and Coroner Cole, had it not been for the sordidly tragic details surrounding the death of the child, would have been better than most vaudevilles. The man stated when asked about medicine he had been, that he had "doctored" with "roots" and "kind of herbs." He rubbed his eyes, thought hard for a moment and replied that he had given the child "indefinite pills" and also described how he had given the dead child baths in cold water and mustard.

STUDENT LOCATE UNIVERSITY

Mayfield, through the first part of his examination declared that he was a graduate of the "Mayfield University," and that he had a "regular diplomer." At one point when he mentioned the university, Attorney Lewman asked himself a question of the same school asked Mayfield where the university was located, the negro being unable to state. Neither could he describe any part of the school and when asked where he had taken the state medical examination replied "Shawneetown, Ind." The climax came when Coroner Cole suddenly turned to the man on the stand and asked, "What did you do with the white clothes you stole here before you left town."

GAVE REAL NAME.

Realizing that he was recognized, the man admitted that he had never seen the interior of a medical school, and that his real name was Mrs. Miller, also that about four years ago he was a resident of Danville and that he left town when he was being sought by the police for the theft of a quantity of clothes; that he had thought he was safe in returning to Danville in the guise of a colored physician.

WILL BE INDICTED.

A telegram yesterday sent to the state board of health brought back the answer that no physician's license had ever been issued to any man by the name of Mrs Miller or William Mayfield, a crime on this and the evidence against the man, it is probable that the case will today be taken before the grand jury and that an indictment will be returned against the negro of a decidedly serious nature.

DANVILLE PEOPLE BASK IN FLORIDA

St. Petersburg, Fla., is one of the winter resorts which draws to its confines many Illinois people, the register of this state kept there showing nearly 1,500 to have been there during the present winter.

Among the number is more than a score of Danville people, while nearly as many are there from Hoopeston and other Vermilion county towns. The temperature there this winter, has been for the most part, between 75 and 90 degrees.

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FORMER DANVILLE WOMAN IS DEAD

Mrs. M. C. Pemberton, Widow of Veteran Grocer, Passed Away At Her Home in Indianapolis

Mrs. Pemberton, widow of Miles C. Pemberton, former Danville business man, died at an early hour yesterday morning, Feb. 1, 1917, at her home in Indianapolis, Ind., following a long illness from a complication of diseases. The body of the former resident will be brought to Danville, for burial and will arrive in this city this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, over the Big Four railway. The remains will be taken to the Herhalter & Olmmsted undertaking establishment, in West Main street, and prepared for burial, and at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon funeral services will be held from the chapel of the undertaking parlors, Rev. Clyde Blakeslee rector of The Church of The Holy Trinity, will officiate, and the interment will be in Springhill cemetery.

The decedent was the widow of Myles C. Pemberton, who conducted a grocery for many years on Vermilion street, and later in West Fairchild street, for many years, and until ten years ago, when the family removed to Indianapolis. For more than thirty years the members of the Pemberton family were prominently identified with the business and social life of Danville. During the greater part of the time the family lived in Danville they resided at the corner of Oak and Fairchild streets.

Mrs. Pemberton was about 65 years old and during her residence in Danville was active in church and charitable work. She was an estimable woman and many residents of the city learned of her death yesterday with regret. She had been in ill health for several months, and was very ill when she accompanied the body of her husband to Danville for burial last May.

Mrs. Pemberton is survived by the following children; Willis Pemberton, Los Angeles, Cal., Charles Pemberton, Wayland, N. Y., Earl Pemberton, Grand Rapids, Mich., George Pemberton, Indianapolis, Ind., Ray Pemberton, Indianapolis, Ind., and Mrs. Alice Hall, Danville.

TRIBUTE PAID TO SPANG'S MEMORY

Last Rites for Well Known Citizen of Danville Conducted from Kimber Methodist Church.

Hundreds of sorrowing friends gathered at the Kimber Methodist church, corner of Seminary and Bowman avenue, Danville, yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to pay their last respects to the memory of Thomas Howard Spang, the prominent citizen who died at his home in Tampa, Fla., last Sunday morning, and whose body arrived in Danville Wednesday afternoon.

Rev. S. N. Wakefield, pastor of the Methodist church at Georgetown, and Logan, friend of the deceased, had charge of the services, and was assisted by the pastor of the church, Rev. J. H. Chappelear. During the services a number of hymns, favorites of the decedent, were sung by the male quartette of the Georgetown Methodist church, the members of which were warm friends of the decedent. The pall bearers were Frank Wherry, Frank Haworth and Abe Summers, of the First National bank at Westville, of which the decedent was president, Sylvester Dye, F. M. Cloyd, Joseph Schimsel and Richard Baisley.

The remains of the well known citizen were placed in the receiving vault at the Springhill cemetery, as the relatives have not yet decided whether to bury them here or take them to the old home in Butler, Pa.

TWO PAIRS MARRIED BY HALL AND JUDY

Henry G. Stonebraker, well known carpenter and resident of Danville, and Belle Henthorn, a resident of Georgetown, were married yesterday evening by Justice Hall. The groom, who has been married once before, gave his age as 56, while his bride was but 32. They will make their home in this city.

"Billy" Collier, as he is known among the employees of the Western brick company, is also now a benedict, being married yesterday morning to Estella West. The latter couple gave their ages as 27 and 20 respectively.

TWO YOUTHS WOULD SERVE COUNTRY

Rollie Allen of Catlin and Frank Shaw, a machinist, recent arrival in Danville, have enlisted in the United States army. Both are twenty-three years of age. Sergeant Smith started them to Jefferson Barracks yesterday, where they will be cavalrymen, and they will be attached to the coast artillery.

SOMEBODY TOLD SOMEBODY

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REPUTED KINGPIN OF WHITE SLAVERS

Federal Officers Arrested Lex Droit For Alleged Wholesale Violation of Mann Act.

Lex Droit, husband of Garnet Droit, notorious woman adventuress and as troublesome a character as the U. S. secret service men of this district have ever had to deal with, is being held at the police station as a federal suspect. It was hinted yesterday that he is wanted in connection with a nation-wide white slave probe now going on and that he is connected with the crime for which his wife is being held at the county jail —white slave activities, and the murder of a baby several months ago in East St. Louis, the illegal child of a girl whom the Droit woman had led astray.

FEDERAL OFFICERS RETICENT.

This the federal officers stated, however, last night, that they unable at present to corroborate until further word is obtained from the authorities in East St. Louis, from which point the investigation has been conducted. The man now being held was located Wednesday in a local rooming house, and his capture was effected by Deputy U. S. Marshal Perry Parker and Deetive Wash Smith of the city force.

WIFE ARRESTED BEFORE

Garnet Droit who claims to be the man's legal wife, was arrested in this city several weeks ago, where it is alleged she was connected with a white slave ring operating between the towns of southern Ohio and East St. Louis, and that she is also responsible for the more serious crime. Before her last escapade she had numerous times clashed with the federal officers on many different charges. She has been arrested before for the same charge she faces now, for connection with counterfeiting, and for "jumping" a large bond which was once put up for her by one of her influential friends of the underworld.

WINTER GARDEN STAR PLAYING AT PALACE

Bill of All Star Features Opened At Danville's Popular Playhouse.

In offering for its headliner for the bill now playing at the Palace theatre, "The Real Mr. Q" as presented by the Miller Bros. and Shubert agreement may well congratulate itself on not only booking one of the finest vaudeville acts in the west, but in securing its first appearance in Danville. The act is a comedy dramatic act but the real critic will find it is based on a good sound moral which will appeal to the average modern time man. Francis Kennedy, who himself raves the leading role, is not unknown to many Danville playgoers. His bill alleges they were married Nov. 13, 1912, and that Bertha has been unfaithful. In fact, he further states that she gave birth, about Jan. 27, 1917, to a child of which he is not the father. They have two children, one of whom is with her parents, and the second is in charge of his father who asks that the court grant him the care and custody of him.

Bertha E. Myers yesterday began suit for $2,000 damages against Wilbern H. Foster. The principe was filed by Graham & Dysert.

George W. Goff vs. Jacob C. Byerly, administrator of the estate of David M. Byerly, deceased, partition, was filed by Enloe & Goff.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT.

Four petitions in bankruptcy, all voluntary, were filed yesterday with the clerk of the U. S. district court. Thomas Conron, of Georgetown, and George Healey, mine operator, both of Harrisburg, Ill., are the first to file petitions, his attorneys being the same for both petitioners and the similarity of debtors leading to the belief that the two were related in business. Each has assets at $333, with liabilities at $1,585.

C. H. Grove and S. R. Elliot, partners in a mercantile establishment of Stewarton, also filed petitions, assets at $981 and their liabilities at $1,081. The Curtis Drug Co., of Christopher, Ill., the last petitioner to appear yesterday, stated assets of $4,362 and liabilities of $4,395.

LAND CASE COMPLETED.

The federal court hearing was yesterday completed in the suit brought against E. E. Jones, Edgar county farmer by the Straus Bros. Liquidator, and real estate dealers. With all the evidence in and the attorneys having completed their work, Judge Wright stated that he would render a decision on the case in the next three weeks after the briefs and other documents have been turned over to him.

COUNTY COURT.

Bert Jones, a Westville miner, pleaded guilty yesterday in the county court to the charge of failing to support his wife and five children, and the case was continued until March 1, the defendant in the meantime to support his family.

PROBATE COURT.

The will of Faye R. Haskins, deceased, of Grape Creek, was filed yesterday in the probate court and the hearing was set for Feb. 21. It leaves all of the estate to the decedent's mother, Mrs. Annie Haskins.

SHAWHAN'S

Home cooking restaurant reopens today.

NOTICE TO FARMERS

To have your dead animals removed call 589 or send a card to Geo. A. Phillips, 17-21 South Vermilion street.

MONEY TO LOAN

By the Danville Benefit and Bldg. Association, 4 East Main. M. J. Wolford, secretary.

GRAND JURY FAILED TO MAKE A REPORT

Will Resume Work This Morning on Indictments—Defendant in Divorce Case Fainted.

There will be a docket setting in the circuit court Saturday morning. All divorce cases remaining unimposed of will be called Saturday.

The grand jury did not finish its labors yesterday as expected, by State's Attorney Lewman, Wednesday, and adjourned until this morning when the voting of indictments will be resumed and rushed to a conclusion.

DEFENDANT FAINTED.

During the trial of the divorce case of Howard Edwards vs. Bessie Edwards yesterday in the circuit court, the defendant fainted, but was quickly resuscitated by Dr. Billy North and Mrs. Chamberlain, the probation officer. Charges of unfaithfulness were made by both sides, the defendant having filed a cross bill, and it was while a woman from Oakwood was on the witness stand admitting that she had visited Westville with Edwards and denying statements she is alleged to have made afterward in a letter to Edwards, that Mrs. Edwards keeled over. While the evidence appeared sufficient, Judge Partlow continued the hearing until the couple could determine which should have charge of their children.

CASE DISMISSED.

The case of Alice Renner vs George C. Full, a breach of promise to marry suit that promised sensational developments if tried was dismissed yesterday by the plaintiff and cause of action was settled. The terms on which the settlement was made were not learned. The defendant is a farmer living north of St. Joseph.

The following orders were made yesterday by Judge Partlow:

COMMON LAW.

G. B. McLemans vs. R. L. Briles attachment. Suit dismissed. Cause of action settled.

Alice Stanner vs. George C. Fuller trespass. Suit dismissed. Cause of action settled.

CHANCERY.

Thomas Conron vs. J. C. Multarkey et al foreclosure. Heard by court and decree of foreclosure against defendants for $727 and costs. Master to sell.

Bertha White et al vs. Richard White et al partition. Will Goodner, Ed Snyder and Lawrence Leonard appointed commissioners.

Elizabeth Kowalski vs Dominik Banonowski divorce. Bill dismissed by complainant at her costs.

NEW CASES FILED.

Claiming that his wife, Bertha Kerr deserted him in February, 1916, to go to St. Anne and join one Elmer Long, Frederick Kerr has filed a petition show known as the Woods-Holland-King, Co., Joseph B. Kerr asks for a divorce in his bill filed yesterday by Graham & Dysert.

His bill alleges they were married Nov. 13, 1912, and that Bertha has been unfaithful. In fact, he further states that she gave birth, about Jan. 27, 1917, to a child of which he is not the father. They have two children, one of whom is with her parents, and the second is in charge of his father who asks that the court grant him the care and custody of him.

"The Beautiful," is the peer of spectacular impersonation acts. The Nelson sisters compromise a duo of real class and splendidly put over a line of songs, dances, and new jokes, which will find favor with any theatre goer While the Lamb Brothers, of The Lamb Co., are distinctly knockabout comedians, are go far in the fore of any act of the nature in this city recently.

The fourth clever act of the "Great Secret" the thrilling new serial featuring Francis Bushman and Beverly Bayne which is being regularly shown at the Palace, is also doubtless aiding in bringing the capacity crowds which are inevitable now at the Palace.

DANVILLE MAN'S FATHER IS DEAD

John Gregg Cones, one of the oldest native born residents of Indiana, and known as that state as the "grand old Hoosier patriarch," died recently at his home in Thorntown, where he had lived for more than half a century. The decedent was the father of John P. Cones, of Danville, and well known in this city, having frequently visited relatives here during his long residence in Thorntown.

John Cones was born in Indiana June 12, 1823, and all of his life was spent in the Hoosier state. He was united in marriage to Mary A. Bridgeford, who preceded him in death several years ago, in Indianapolis on Feb. 27, 1845, and the high contains twelve children were born. Nine of the children survive. He is also survived by two brothers, one sister, twenty-five grandchildren and one great grandchildren.

NUN-BETTER PEACHES

True to its name. Try a can.

DAIRY CONVENTION WAS HUGE SUCCESS

Members Went on Record in Favor of Sixty Million Dollars for Building State Hard Roads.

Another step was taken yesterday in favor of hard roads in the state of Illinois when the members of the Illinois State Dairymen's association went on record in favor of a state bond issue in the sum of $60,000,000 for the construction of hard roads.

The action came along with other sections of resolutions adopted during the closing hours of the convention yesterday. In connection, the legislature was requested to take the necessary steps to make available all aid which might be forthcoming from the federal aid movement for good roads. Other resolutions adopted favored the plan of Governor Lowden for the consolidation of many of the state departments, including a memorial to the members of the legislature, asking for favorable action on the plan The resolution also thanked the people of Danville, the business men, the press of the city and the Chamber of Commerce for their support of the convention.

Most of the business of yesterday, including the election of officers, was transacted at the morning session. By mid-afternoon most of the delegates were enroute home, taking with them the various exhibits of the convention. Only a short session was held in the afternoon.

The meeting was one of the most successful conventions held in the city in recent years, the same not as largely attended as some others have been, Danville people are loud in their praise of the value accruing by the holding of the convention in this city. At every session a number of local people were in the audience, gaining what experience they could from the well informed corps of lecturers who addressed the sessions. Danville people also felt considerable pride in the fact that several of the prizes were awarded to Vermilion county persons.

The officers of the association were, for the most part, re-elected. They are;

President—J. P. Mason, Elgin.

Vice president—H. C. Horneman, Watseka.

Treasurer—Charles Foss, Cedarville.

Secretary—George Caven, Chicago.

Directors—J. B. Newman, Elgin; Lewis Nelson, Galesburg; Ben Schertz, Roanoke; Sidney B. Smith, Gorham; H. J. Credicott, Freeport; J. P. Mason, Elgin; H. P. Irish, Farina.

AMONG THE SICK PEOPLE OF DANVILLE

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jones, South street, is ill at the family home.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coleman, South Kimball street, is ill.

Charles Bennett, south of Greenwood cemetery, a coal miner, sustained severe injuries, Wednesday, while at work at Bunsen mine No. 3, which will prevent him from resuming work for several days.

John R. Current, North Jackson street, who has been confined to his home suffering from a severe cold, has recovered and was on the streets again yesterday.

Mrs. J. S. Reed of Georgetown, who is a patient at St. Elizabeth hospital as a result of an injury to his leg, caused by a heavy fire pot striking the member, is improving nicely.

Eugene Houge of Indianola, who is a patient at St. Elizabeth hospital, is improving slowly and his recovery is now hoped for. He is suffering from an attack of pneumonia.

Thomas McGuire, 1012 North Walnut street, is confined to his home suffering from a severe attack of the grip.

Walter Towne, 908 North Vermilion street, is ill at the family home.

Mrs. J. S. Reed of Georgetown, who is a patient at St. Elizabeth hospital, is improving nicely.

Joe Tinsman of Brook street, former saloon man, who a few days ago, was seriously ill, has recovered.

Mrs. Sarah McDonald Mason, wife of Attorney O. D. Mann, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, Tuesday at Lakeview hospital, is improving very nicely.

Mrs. Hannah Lockett and Mrs. A. M. Anderson, both are ill at their homes, 1001 North Hazel street.

Mrs. J. H. Williams, 113 Buchanan street, is ill at her home suffering from an attack of the grip.

SPECIAL CANDY SALE

Twenty kinds of fresh milk chocolates, with cream and nut centers, Saturday at 20c per pound. Cream caramels with nuts and cream patties for Saturday specials, 25c per pound. At Sanichas, Vermilion street.

BOSTON SHOE REPAIR CO.

We do work while you wait. Called for and delivered also. We sell work shoes.

NUN-BETTER PEACHES

Try a can. The flavor lingers.

SHAWHAN'S

Home cooking restaurant reopens today.

CRUZAN HOME WAS DAMAGED BY FIRE

Three Fires Kept Departments Busy Yesterday—Cold Made Work Dangerous.

But for the hard work of the fire departments 1 and 6 yesterday morning when the home of Alpheus Cruzan, 107 West North street, caught fire from sparks alighting on the roof the well known contractor would have been compelled to visit some of his friends today. As it was, the firemen managed to extinguish what would otherwise have been a disastrous fire before it had caused any great loss, and the room occupied by "The Judge" was not damaged at all. As the flames were bursting forth and the fire was at its worst, Mr. Cruzan, who has had two other fires the past year, calmly stood by and directing the work of the firemen while he computed what the loss in boxes of cigars would cost him. The rear end of the house and several rooms, however, were reached by the flames and water by the time the residence will have to undergo pretty extensive repairs.

Two other fires, both small and doing little damage, were extinguished yesterday. At the home of Walter Durkin, 709 North Jackson street, the flue burned out, and caused the neighbors to become frightened and send in an alarm. Later in the day a grass fire at the home of Gosling Farrel, 11 Pearl street, was extinguished by departments 6 and 7.

The three alarms of yesterday were quite enough to suit the firemen, because of the cold weather making it so difficult to handle the hose properly. When the departments returned from the alarms yesterday several of the men who had become wet were covered with ice, the water having frozen as soon as it touched them.

COMMENCEMENT EAST END SCHOOLS

Exercises Will Be Held at 7:30 This Evening at the Olivet Presbyterian Church.

Commencement exercises of the Oaklawn and Elmwood schools, district 116, will be held this evening commencing at 7:30 o'clock at the Olivet Presbyterian church, when the following program will be rendered:

Presentation of Diplomas to Graduates—Rev. Houston.

Piano Duet, selected—Miss Freeland and Miss Watkins.

Group of Songs—Second Grade pupils of Elmwood school.

Song and Game—"Will You Come and Play?"

Flag Song—Second Grade pupils of Oaklawn.

Solo—"My Beautiful Doll"—Frances Wiltsher.

Group of Songs—Fourth Grade pupils of Elmwood.

"Candle Song"—Little girls from second grade Elmwood.

Song—"Japanese Maidens—Little girls from Oaklawn.

Group of Songs—Second Grade pupils of Elmwood.

Address—"Needs of Modern Education"—Mr. Otis Hayworth.

Piano Duet, selected—Miss Herren and Miss Watkins.

Group of Songs—Fourth Grade pupils of Elmwood.

Flag Song—Martha Sandifer in costume of "Uncle Sam," Oaklawn.

There are twenty-three eighth grade graduates and twenty-five seventh.

Names of the eighth: Clay Augleton, Vera Darling, Melvin Hawkins, Elizabeth Hadley, Evelyn Hunt, Alvin Jump, Alphus Keenan, Mabel Locker, Elbert Mahaffey, Geneva McLillian, Winifred Mahaffey, Myrtle Myers, Joseph Nearhoff, Beatrice Nesbitt, Neoma Peterson, Mildred Reeder, Magdalene Robinson, Doris Smith, Fred Stephenson and Ethel Wilson, Helen Williams, Emma Williamson, Frank Wilson.

TRACED RUNAWAY BOY TO DANVILLE

Acting on information that his runaway son of fifteen years was in this city, F. R. Wethington, Indianapolis contractor, came to Danville and aided by the police spent yesterday in a fruitless search for the boy who has not been heard from definitely since he left home December 3. The father however, will return to his home with a considerably lighter heart, it being determined at the Big Four depot that a lad answering the description of the missing one was there a few days ago and inquired the time of trains to Indianapolis and admitted when questioned that he intended to beat his way home by freight.

Wethington came here in answer to a letter from a well known north end attorney that a Westville lad into his home, given him clothing and food, and "pumped" him for his name and history when he applied at the attorney's home for something to eat several days ago. The father in describing the boy yesterday to the police stated that he was of light complexion, rather small for his size, and that when last seen was wearing overalls and a gray overcoat.

HAVE-A-HEART

Cavanaugh and Meyer have no sympathy for prices. Men's high grade shoes, broken lines at $2.49.

HEAR THE SONORA

Before you buy a phonograph, Danville Furniture & Carpet Co., 11 and 13 East North street.

ALL PERSONAL TAXES

Are due. Pay at 14 Walnut street. W. H. Fox, Collector.

C. E. SOCIETY HAD ANNUAL MEETING

Elected Officers, Banquetted—Fine Program Was Rendered At First Presbyterian Church.

The fourth annual banquet, business meeting and election of officers of the City Christian Endeavors Union, was held last night at the First Presbyterian church.

Following the election of officers the intallation took place, Rev. H. B. Wooding acting as installing officer. About one hundred persons were present at the banquet.

The program rendered following the banquet was:

Song—Y. M. C. A. Quartet.

Address—Mrs. E. B. Cooley.

Solo—Miss Gay Ogden.

Address—Rev. George H. Simonson.

Address—Ralph Gerrard.

Officers elected for the year were: President—Ralph Gerrard.

First Vice President—Miss Lola Kessler.

Second Vice President—Miss Elsie Roberts.

Third Vice President—Mr. Blary.

Secretary—Miss Mattie Wallace.

Treasurer—Buford Hike.

Superintendent of Prayer Meeting —Miss Elsie Schuette.

Superintendent General Committee—Victor Schuette.

Chancellor—Rev. H. B. Wooding.

REVIVAL MEETING.

Beginning Sunday night last, Rev. L. J. Henning, pastor of the Vermilion Heights church, assisted by Mrs. Henning as the revival singer, Pleiers, is conducting a series of revival meetings at the Vermilion Heights M. E. church.

The meetings have been very successful thus far, seven conversions having resulted, while the membership has been revived, and many persons have exhibited a keen interest in their religious well fare.

Rev. Wheeler is assisting in the services is a young man, who just recently has entered the ministry of the church.

The series of meetings have been largely attended and will continue indefinitely.

AT McKINLEY CHURCH.

The revival at the McKinley M. E. church is making excellent progress. To date there has been nearly a half hundred converts. Tonight Rev. Pence will preach on the "Prodigal Son's Vision."

At the service tonight an offering will be taken for an unfortunate woman in the east part of the city. The husband of the woman is a patient in the hospital, and the family which is composed of a little child, in addition to the parents, is in straitened circumstances. Those who can not give money are asked to bring groceries or anything else they may feel like giving to the family.

A boy's scout class has been organized at the revival held by Rev. J. Fred Melvin, pastor of the church is the scout master.

Sunday afternoon a special sermon will be delivered for men only at the church, and Sunday night the Clarion quartet will render and render a number of selections.

TILTON REVIVAL.

Beginning Sunday night Rev. Louis Holman, pastor of the Tilton M. E. church, will conduct a series of revival meetings there. In the work he will be assisted by Rev. J. E. McGiffin, pastor of the Grace M. E. church.

The meetings will be continued for at least two weeks, and longer, if the series of services prove to be successful. Special music will be rendered. Have just concluded a revival campaign at the Grace M. E. church, where there were a number of conversions and several additions to the membership of the church. Rev. Holman is by occupation a printer, and entered into the ministry of the church has been somewhat recent. His sermons have been very successful in getting sinners to a religious lift, and should the revival at the Tilton church be a repetition of other meetings which he has conducted, success is assured.

ODD FELLOWS WILL INITIATE; THEN FEED

Are you an Odd Fellow? There are a lot of odd fellows in Danville, but you must be a member of the order of that name before you can partake of the good things that will be served at the Odd Fellows' Banquet, to be held at the hall this evening. There is going to be initiatory work, and after the victims have been put through the mysteries an old-fashioned oyster supper will be served All local Odd Fellows and all visiting members of the order who happen to be in Danville, today are cordially invited to attend the initiatory ceremonies and partake of the hospitality of the Danville lodge, No. 69.

CAVANAUGH & MEYER

Will make a clean sweep of broken sizes and if you are wise you will come to their rout'em-out-sale today.

FARMERS

If you have any milk for sale or contract that expires within the next 90 days send us your name and address, we have a proposition that will make you money. Danville Pure Milk Co., 319-325 N. Washington avenue, Danville, Ill.

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I NEED POULTRY

Will call for it. Paul E. Moore. Phone 2066, 230 West Main.