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FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE

JOHN T. STRANGE announces that
he is a candidate for the nomination
as Judge of the forty-eighth judicial
circuit of Indiana, the same being
Grant county, as a republican, at
the primary election March 7, 1916.

FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE

G. A. HENRY announces that he is
a candidate for the nomination as
Judge of the forty-eighth judicial
circuit of Indiana, the same being
Grant county, as a republican, at
the primary election March 7, 1916.

COUNTY RECORDER

SHI BIRELEY announces that he is
a candidate for Recorder of Grant
county, as a republican, subject to
the primary election March 7, 1916.

PICK-UPS.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Shaw were the
hosts at a delayed Thanksgiving
dinner at their home Sunday, those
present were Mr. and Mrs. A. C.
Horner, Mr. Tom Harris, his mother
and sister, Mrs. Harris and Nellie
Harris of Muncie, Mrs. Hardacre
of Swayzee, Mr. and Mrs. C. W.
Horner of Marion, Mr. and Mrs.
Jerome Shaffer and children, Ralph
and Earl, and Clio Zeek.

The Upland City Basket Ball team
plays at Matthews January 12, at
Gaston January 15, and Gas City
comes here January 18.

Those having already bought
Fords at the Bell Hardware store
are Ernest Himelick, Frank Wise
and Jay Townsend.

The new primary law gives until
including February 5 in which to
file petitions. The law requires that
candidates for state offices have their
petitions on file sixty days and
candidates for county and congressional
offices, etc., have their petitions on
file one month before the primary.

Frank Wise renewed his subscription
with the Monitor last week.

The H. S. team will journey to
Amboy next Friday night where they
will play their first game away from
home.

Hollen Brown has taken the
contract for the remodeling of the
Carl Anderson house on East
Washington-st.

Mrs. Glen Duling and son of
Fowlerton Zelman Duling, wife and
son of Matthews and Mrs. Luther
Connelly and small son were
Sunday guests of Mrs. C. M. Hobbs.

Jr. O. U. A. M.

Lands District Meeting

At the district meeting of the Jr. O. U. A. M., held in Hartford City Saturday evening, Upland lodge men claim they landed the next district meeting. The district is composed of the counties of the counties of Wells, Blackford, Grant and Howard. The following is a couple of paragraphs from the Hartford City News, concerning the meeting held at Hartford City Saturday night.

Attorney J. A. Bonham, of the local lodge, made the first address of the evening. He was followed by Arthur D. McKinley, of Muncie; John Fisherbeck, of Upland, and W. P. McKinney, of Marion. All of the addresses were along topics of interest to the lodgemen. Following the address, a nice lunch was served.

The meeting was in charge of George W. Unger, of Marion. At the business session it was determined that the next district meeting shall be in Upland, about the middle of April. Upland, Jonesboro, Marion, Kokomo and Bluffton had the larger delegations at the meeting.

Drain Petition Granted

In the Blackford circuit court Monday morning, Judge Eichhorn granted the petition for the cleaning and repairing of the H. B. Smith drain which starts in Washington township and runs into Monroe township, Grant County.

The drain was built many years ago. The petition as granted asks that it be placed in condition as set out in the original specifications. There was no remonstrance filed. The matter was referred to County Surveyor Frank P. Wallace.—Hartford City News.

Prosperous Year

The Upland State Bank has the past year had a very prosperous business and is expected to have even a better business during leap year.

The annual meeting of the stockholders was held last Wednesday and the following directors were all re-elected:

- R. J. Spencer
- H. Fisherbeck
- Edward Bloch
- C. W. Reed
- Jerome Shaffer
- H. T. Connelly
- A. L. Horner
- N. E. Duckwall

The following officers were also re-elected.

- R. J. Spencer
- H. Fisherbeck
- H. T. Connelly
- E. L. Bragg
- Pres.
- Vice Pres.
- Cashier
- Asst. Cashier

SOME BUTTER

From January 1st, 1915 to Jan. 1st, 1916 R. B. Walker farmer living northeast of Upland, sold 1889 lbs. of butter not keeping account of what they used but estimating it at 150 lbs. makes 2,039 lbs. He did not milk more than six cows at any time, making an average of 336 5-6 lbs per cow.

ELECT OFFICERS

The following officers were elected recently in the K. of P. Lodge for the ensuing term.

- James Harrison
- Claude Allen
- Thomas Dollar
- Carl Anderson
- W. O. Clay
- Geo. B. Pierce
- Jay Pugh
- Fred Marley
- O. B. Whitties
- A. M. Ballinger
- C. C.
- V. C.
- Pre.
- M. A.
- K. R. S.
- M. E.
- M. F.
- Trustee
- O. G.
- O. G.

BASKET BALL

The Sweetser High School basket ball teams both boys and girls played the High School teams here last Friday night.

The boys game was one of the fastest games ever witnessed on the local floor and considering the fact that it was the first "real" game our boys ever played they all did themselves proud. The fact that the fast Sweetser team only beat them by a score of 29 to 17 makes the boys feel like they can develop something strong in a few more weeks. The guards were Orville Taylor and Fred Marlene; center, Hobart Connelly; forwards, Clarence Snyder and Ralph Bedwell.

The girls played an excellent game, most of them being new players, the guards were Doris Miles and Grace Graves; centers, Mary Reynolds and Sarah Broyles; forwards, Farol Horner and Anna Scott. The score was in favor of Sweetser 25 to 12.

1915 RECORD

The year 1915 has been a year of great achievement for Taylor University, Upland.

First, the Martha McGrew farm. Mrs. Martha McGrew gave \$5,000 for the purchase of a seventy-acre farm adjoining the college campus, on condition that \$5,000 more can be secured. This was done in short time and the farm was purchased and Dr. John Parr dedicated it June 14th.

Second, the Swallow dormitory. Dr. Silas C. Swallow offered us \$5,000 on condition that another \$5,000 be raised for a ladies' dormitory. The amount is in the bank by December 29th. The dormitory will be erected early in the spring.

Third, the campaign for the \$30,000 debt fund inaugurated August, 1914, was completed this year. The entire debt, with the exception of about \$5,000 is provided for.

Fourth, commencement. The 1915 commencement was the largest and most enthusiastic ever held. Rev. Fred Fischer of the Laymen's Missionary Movement delivered the address. Forty-two graduates received diplomas; twenty-two were from the college department and twelve of the forty-two are volunteers for the foreign field.

Fifth, foreign missionaries. Two members of the class of 1915 have sailed for the foreign field. Clara Sauer went to China, and Alice McClellan to India.

Sixth, the Bible institute of ten days was inaugurated. It is expected to grow into a very important feature of the school. It was held April 24 to May 3.

Seventh, enrollment. The largest first-term enrollment in the history of the school, 293.

Slogan for 1916: Campaign for the \$200,000 indebtedness.—Monroe Vayhinger, President.

LOCALS.

Xen Edwards of Fairmount proprietor of the Pioneer Drug Store, was in Upland Tuesday on business.

Arley Wilson and Ode Pugh were in Marion Tuesday on business.

Al Tudor dropped a dollar for the Monitor this week.

Mrs. Maude Schooley of Manila, P. I., is a guest at the home of W. O. Peelle and wife this week.

The cold days recently have brought ice skating into its own and each available stretch of ice is proving a popular place. South of town are the Stanley and Wilhelm ponds, and north is the Pat Ballinger pond all of which many athletes are making good use.

R. P. Cole made a business trip to Marion Tuesday.

The Upland Band has decided to give a concert in the near future and is working hard on a program. The boys are all doing fine, considering the fact that a high grade of music is placed before them, however they are arranging to get music books which it is thought will not overtax any members musical ability.

A number of the young bucks about town are becoming deeply interested in the game of checkers. Last Monday afternoon a series was played in one of our numerous barber shops of town and things were worked up almost to a white heat.

Friends and relatives gathered at the home of A. R. Keene and wife in Hartford City Sunday in honor of the seventy fifth birthday of Mr. Keene. He was formerly a resident of Upland and is a veteran of the Civil War, belonging to Company D, 84th Indiana Volunteer Infantry. Those present were Mrs. Hattie Monroe of North Bradley, Mich., Mrs. Pearl Clinger and children, Helen and Leslie Jr. of Muncie, Ind., Elva Troxell of Ft. Wayne; Lon, Carl and Mary Keene of Upland; and William Needler of Anderson.

Nelson E. Duckwall is a new member on the Van Buren town board.

John Moore has returned after a few weeks visit in Ohio.

Chas. Seavers renewed his subscription with the Monitor last week.

Next Friday night the Amboy High School basket ball team comes here to meet the local High School team and a fast game is expected.

E. King gave the Monitor office a call Saturday and renewed his subscription.

Mrs. C. E. Van Valer and children of Gas City, and Mrs. Gertrude Goss of Marion visited relatives in Upland over Sunday.

Frank Wise unloaded a car load of hominy hearts last week which he says is the stuff for a hog.

Vern Sutton, Alvin Ginn and Chas. Cox have each renewed their subscription with the Monitor.

Gladys Worley is visiting her friends since the burial of her father Frederick Roush of Hartford City. She expects to go back to go back to North Dakota in a few days to join her husband who is teaching.

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FREE SPACE

The Indiana Historical commission sends out matter to the country publishers under date of Nov. 19, pleading with Mr. Editor to "not consign me to the yawning waste basket. Please hear me for my cause and hang me on the live hook," etc. Just about this time Mr. Editor gets all worked up for "the cause" and decides to look over the dope before consigning it to either waste basket or live hook, and the first paragraph is an advertisement pure and simple for the Indianapolis Star.—The Publishers Bulletin.

PERSONALS

Clevé Smith and wife entertained for dinner Sunday William Smith wife, and two children Gerald and Jerry, Charley Smith, wife and two children from Wisconsin, Edgar McVicker and wife and three children Silva, Earl and Ruth. All had a pleasant time.

Charley Smith and family from Wisconsin are visiting his parents, William Smith and wife.

Florence McVicker called on her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brooks Sunday afternoon.

ARCANA

Mrs. O. B. Whitties and mother spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Pierce. Thomas and Stephen Howard were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stroup Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Graff and children and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Blue and children were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. King and family.

Miss Gertrude Dodson spent Sunday with Miss Elsie Johnson.

Vernon and Everette Graff spent Sunday with Lloyd Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Thornburg and Mrs. A. Eskins of Gas City visited with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Roads and family Sunday.

F. A. Fleming still remains on the sick list.

Rev. McKinley and family spent Sunday with Jason Holloway and family.

Mrs. Roscoe Fleming and children called on James Huits and wife Sunday afternoon.

Lon Pulley is on the sick list.

Jasper Holloway and wife of Okla. visited with the formers mother this week.

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FUNERAL

The funeral of Mrs. John Patterson age 61, who died last Saturday noon, death being due to tuberculosis, was held at the Friends Church Monday morning. Rev. E. A. Weis being in charge of the services. Burial was made in the Johnson cemetery.

Those left to mourn her loss are Mrs. Hazel Davis, Mrs. Iva Pace, Wilber, Eldo and Miss Lulu Patterson.

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Most of the advice we get isn't the kind we want.

After the war many a plowshare will be dulled by cannon balls.

Anyhow, the grand old Liberty Bell had a cracking "good time" of it.

You can't tell from the size of an automobile how far it will splash.

Because there is no fool like an old fool the young fool is able to get by.

It is impossible to make a bilious man believe the world is getting better.

Commercially and industrially Uncle Sam is now master of the world.

A soft answer turneth away wrath, but doesn't prevent it from taking an encore.

Much of the war news is ranking among the most popular fiction of the day.

Employers call it "the servant problem" and servants call it "the employer problem."

What has become of the motherly woman who used to knit mittens for the kiddies?

There are barbed wire entanglements around every office that is worth having.

The Culebra cut is persistent in developing a kind of landslide that does nobody any good.

If the Russian boot is generally worn in winter, why not the Fiji stocking in summer?

By the exercise of superhuman penmanship the war correspondents still maintain the deadlock on the western front.

Here man is beginning to find out what woman knew all along, that the principal part of a wedding is the trousseau.

Why doesn't somebody invent a diving apparatus that goes down from the bedroom to the basement and starts the furnace fire?

"An average man breathes about twenty-one cubic feet of air into his lungs every hour." And the beauty of it is it's free.

A reformer complains because we spend \$10,000,000 a year for poodles and neglects to tell us what kind of dogs we should buy.

In order to express the emotions it is capable of arousing the hyphen may be lengthened to a dash followed by an exclamation point.

A man may disagree with his neighbor on religion and be merely a fool; if it be a political difference then it is clear he is a scoundrel.

A historian says the ancient Romans smoked something like our modern cigarette. No wonder the ancient Romans are all dead.

The way fashions work around to the beginning serves as a reminder that the famous "cocked hat" will soon be up to date again.

The principal farm crops of this season amount in money to five and a half billions. No wonder they are looking to us to feed the world.

One advantage which Venice, in being bombarded, has over cities is that when the bombs fall in its streets it has unrivaled facilities for putting them out.

That old saying that there are always two sides to every question should stretch a point when it comes to a love tragedy, for most always there are three.

It is all very well to saw wood for a night's lodging, but the case is different with the gentleman in the next room who saws wood all night long and then denies that he snores.

The wounds of a friend are faithful enough while they are strong enough to shock you, but when they are gentle touches, you are likely to be very sore before you get entirely well.

Scientists have not yet advanced the theory that when nature designed man's head she placed his ears in their present position so that they might be handy for the anchoring of spectacle bows.

"Be kind to men" is a good slogan to put on the other side of the "Votes for Women" banner.

Though promptly disavowed by every warring nation said to be indulging in it, peace talk is being heard with increasing frequency.

Confusion sometimes arises from the efforts of a scientist to startle or entertain the general public instead of waiting to have his views considered and indorsed by his fellow scientists.

Household Work Is Most Honorable

By Wells Andrews, M. D., Chicago

Why should girls be raised in idleness? Why should work and service be considered a disgrace by them? Why should the home be filled with ignorant and half-trained servants to waste and annoy, when there are two or three almost useless daughters in the household, who would be healthier in mind and body if each took her share of the work in every department of the home? Fathers and brothers devote themselves to earnest service, but the wife and daughters too often sit in comparative idleness, demanding to be served.

It is just here that the social life of the great middle class of Americans, especially in the cities, is so sadly defective. In this false home training of girls the body politic is hurt, for in that training lies the fruitful source of one of the most deplorable of all social evils. Young men, unless they are rich or in prosperous business, cannot afford to marry. The cost of supporting a woman who thinks it degrading to make a loaf of bread, cook a dinner or wash the dishes is too great for most young men who have to depend solely upon their own hands and brains for a livelihood. A great many take the risk and burden with a half blind confidence that all will come out right. But too many of these, after a few years, find themselves hopelessly in debt, while the family expenses go on steadily increasing. Then come shifts and expedients, the breaking up of homes and boarding in order to reduce the cost of living.

Is all this chargeable to the false education of girls? Too much of it. And until they are taught that work and service are as honorable to them as to their brothers and idleness as wrong and disgraceful, there will be little or no change for the better in social life.

Girls should be trained from the beginning to regard all household work as good and honorable. To be skilled in every department of home economy is as much a woman's duty as it is the duty of a man to be skilled in the trade or calling by which he is to become the breadwinner for his family. Let duty and service be set before girls as the highest end of life and pleasure and self-indulgence as the lowest. False sentiment reverses this. And it is causing sad disasters in many homes, homes built upon the sands of pride and self-indulgence, instead of upon the solid foundation of prudence, industry, economy and a loving self-sacrifice.

How to Live on Farm Is Problem

By MARY L. OBERLIN, Colorado Agricultural College, Fort Collins, Colo.

Someone has said that the farmer's family faces two problems—how to make a living on a farm and how to live on a farm. Although many people would answer unhesitatingly that everyone knows how to live on a farm, while how to make a living is a very real problem, there is, after all, some doubt as to which is the greater problem.

Successful living in any place depends primarily upon the spiritual and mental attitude. One must be in sympathy with the natural environment in which he finds himself. The family on the farm must have a feeling of permanency. They must believe that it is the best place for them to live, the ideal place for a home, the place where the children have the best opportunity to develop strong bodies, sound minds and the characteristics that make for efficiency. They must be open-minded and try to learn whatever they can that will improve farm conditions. They must believe in wholesome recreation for themselves and every member of their household. They must realize that all the really worth while things of the city, such as household conveniences and labor-saving devices, opportunities for education, for the enjoyment of music, art or literature and the companionship of others, are within their reach at some times and in some forms. When they are convinced of these things and have learned "to love the wind and the rain, the growing things, the birds, and all the rest, the dawn, the early morning odors, and to find each part of the day, each twilight and each nightfall filled with wonders," they will know how to live on a farm, and how to make a living on a farm will be less of a problem.

No Help for the Panama Slides

By Andrew Dade, Civil Engineer, Chicago

Slides have been more frequent in the Panama canal in the last year than before the ditch was opened for navigation, but that was to be expected. I have visited the canal on several occasions, just before this government took it over from the French and several times since construction began under supervision of Colonel Goethals. When the board of engineers visited the canal at the outset the subject of slides was much discussed, and it was agreed that it would be a long time even after the completion of the canal before it would be entirely free from slides. No matter how thoroughly the work might be done, no engineering foresight could guard against the work of nature, and we have just got to be patient until Gold hill and other great bodies of earth get through pouring their dirt into the ditch.

Meantime steamship lines operating the all-water, coast-to-coast route by way of the canal may be expected to lose by the unexpected interruption. It has been estimated that as a result of the recent disastrous slide the steamship companies lost in the neighborhood of \$1,000,000 by reason of being tied up for an indefinite period. With steamer rates at the present high level, it is said that the average daily cost to steamship companies for holding a vessel at either terminal is not less than \$1,500 a day. Of course the government can do nothing.

There Are no Hundred Best Books

By J. P. WARRINGTON, New York

I like the way in which the most incongruous titles and subject-matters drift together on my bedroom shelf. It does me good to see how close a pious tractate and a blasphemous brochure entitled, "Les Moines: Comedie Satirique," nestle there in peace. The life of a member of the Society of Friends, long a missionary at home and abroad, jostles the latest sophistry of Anatole France; and when, by a piece of unassisted coincidence, Crevecoeur's delightful "Letters From an American Farmer" stands beside William Barnes' "Poems of Rural Life," I am a thousandfold better pleased than I could ever have been by any intentional arrangement of these books together.

What though a "Nonsense Anthology," a "History of Witchcraft Since the Middle Ages" and "Principal Sharp's Poetry and Philosophy" rub one another just a little rudely?

Such a juxtaposition can do poetry and philosophy no lasting harm—and it pleasantly piques my sense of the grotesque.

After all, there are no hundred best books—no hundred worst ones.

If the question "What is to be done with our girls?" was more carefully considered and more wisely determined, the other problem, "What to do with the boys," would be easier of solution.

Fairy Lightness in Party Frocks



Party frocks for the young maid could not symbolize more clearly youth and gaiety and irresponsibility than they have this season. The thinnest and most vapory of materials have divided honors with laces in point of favor for making them. And everywhere silver and gold-thread laces lend sparkle to the general radiance of white and light colors in the sheerest materials.

One of the prettiest is made of white net and Venice lace. A fine quality of voile might be used instead of the net, with good effect. Two-inch tucks, with spaces of equal width between, are hemstitched in the material, covering all the surface. The skirt is short and round and the bodice is cut in the surplice fashion, with the tucks in both running around the figure. There is a crushed girdele of soft wide satin ribbon about the waist. Very short sleeves, that hardly amount to more than a cap over the arms, are finished with a frill of lace which extends only half way round them.

Over this dress a long straight-hanging and sleeveless coat is worn,

made of Venetian lace. Bows of satin ribbon with floating ends are caught to the coat at the shoulders. They are of narrow ribbon, matching the girdele in color. Black velvet ribbon may be used for them and for the girdele if a touch of dignity is needed to adapt this gown to an older wearer.

In the party gown pictured above, silver-thread lace edges the underskirt of thin crepe or satin. A wide over-dress of chiffon is edged with a satin-covered cord at the bottom. Chiffon roses decorate the bodice and are repeated in a wreath in the hair. This is one of those very dainty frocks whose usefulness begins and ends with evening dress. The gown previously described may be worn both for afternoon and evening.

In January the new "lingerie" gowns will appear for the use of those who journey South. They are in the making and awaited with the keenest interest, for they are the most adaptable and refined of dainty things. But they will not displace the party frocks of tulle and lace, given over to airiness and sparkle which make a grace of being gay.

Some Pretty Ribbon Things



There is actually no part of the apparel of women, from head to feet, in which ribbons are not playing a prominent role this season. The patron saint of weaving, or the goddess of the looms, appears to have turned especial attention to the fostering of this particular article of adornment. The result is that the beauty of ribbons has compelled attention and inspired their universal use. They crown the head and clothe the feet and touch up all the belongings of womankind.

Just a few of the pretty things that have kept the ribbon business brisk are shown in the picture given above. These include a pair of boudoir slippers with heels, and a pair without them, a pair of gaiters with small pendant satchet bag, and a ribbon bag. The last is suited to many purposes, but is found chiefly useful for carrying the necessary accessories to evening parties. There is an immense variety in ribbon bags, including those made for shopping and those for holding gloves, handkerchiefs, slippers, toilet articles, etc. Besides these there are workbags with fittings required for mending or sewing. But they are frivolous-looking affairs, so

gay and pretty that it is hard to believe their intention to be useful is serious. Ready-made soles are bought for making the ribbon slippers, and they are covered on the inside with plain satin ribbon. Flowered and brocaded patterns lined with the plain sateen ribbon are used for the upper part. This is cut in the proper shape and sewed by hand to the soles. A very narrow ribbon quilling usually finishes the edges of these gayly attractive slippers.

The gaiters are made by shirring narrow satin ribbon (usually in two colors) over flat elastic. Bows and rosettes finish them, and the addition of tiny sachets is a new touch.

Colored applique trimming, such as was used a number of years ago, has been seen upon one recently created gown. It is doubtful, however, if it will succeed in establishing itself in this season of comparative severity.

FROM ONE YEAR'S CROP HE PAID FOR HIS LAND IN WESTERN CANADA

Remarkable as are the reports of the yields of wheat in Western Canada, the marketing of which is now under way, they are none the more interesting than are those that are vouched for as to the value of this grain crop to the farmers of that country.

Some months ago the Department of the Interior, at Ottawa, Canada, wrote to those in the United States who were owners of land in Western Canada that was not producing, advising that it be put under crop. The high prices of grain and their probable continuance for some years should be taken advantage of. Cattle and all the produce of the farm commanded good figures, and the opportunity to feed the world was great, while the profits were simply alarming. The Department suggested that money could be made out of these idle lands, lands that could produce anywhere from 25 to 65 bushels of wheat per acre. A number took advantage of the suggestion. One of these was an Illinois farmer. He owned a large quantity of land near Culross, Manitoba. He decided to put one thousand acres of it under wheat. His own story, written to Mr. C. J. Broughton, Canadian Government Agent at Chicago, is interesting.

"I had 1,000 acres in wheat near Culross, Manitoba. I threshed 34,000 bushels, being an average of 34 bushels to the acre. Last Spring I sold my foreman, Mr. F. L. Hill, 240 acres of land for \$9,000, or \$37.50 per acre. He had saved up about \$1,000, which he could buy seed with, and have the land harrowed, drilled and harvested, and put in stock or shock.

"As a first payment I was to take all the crops raised. When he threshed he had 8,300 bushels of wheat, which is worth in all \$1.00 per bushel, thereby paying for all the land that was in wheat and more, too, there being only 200 acres in crop. If the 240 acres had all been in wheat he could have paid for it all and had money left."

That is a story that will need no corroboration in this year when, no matter which way you turn, you learn of farmers who had even higher yields than these.

G. E. Davidson of Manitou, Manitoba, had 36 acres of breaking and 14 acres older land. He got 2,186 bushels of wheat, over 43 bushels per acre.

Walter Tucker of Darlingford, Manitoba, had 3,514 bushels off a 60 acre field, or over 58½ bushels per acre. Forty acres was breaking and 20 acres summer fallow.

Wm. Sharp, formerly Member of Parliament for Lisgar, Manitoba, had 80 acres of wheat on his farm near Manitou, Manitoba, that went 53 bushels per acre.

One of the most remarkable yields in this old settled portion of Manitoba was that of P. Scharf of Manitou, who threshed from 15 acres the phenomenal yield of 73 bushels per acre.

These reports are but from one district, and when it is known that from almost any district in a grain belt of 30,000 square miles, yields while not as large generally as these quoted, but in many cases as good, is it any wonder that Canada is holding its head high in the air in its conquering career as the high wheat yielder of the continent? When it is pointed out that there are millions of acres of the same quality of land that has produced these yields, yet unbroken, and may be had for filling upon them as a homestead, or in some cases may be purchased at from \$12 to \$30 an acre from railway companies or private land companies, it is felt that the opportunity to take part in this marvelous production should be taken advantage of by those living on land much higher in price, and yielding infinitely less.—Advertisement.

Free Advertising.

"Have you a publicity staff?" "I used to maintain one," answered the prominent railroad president, "but here of late the government has kept me so much in the public eye that I contrive to get on the front page of newspapers every day or two without any solicitation whatever."

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make us look older than we are. Keep your eyes young and you will look young. After the Movie Murine Your Eyes. Don't tell your age. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, Sends Eye Book on request.

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"George kissed me for the first time last evening."
"He told me it was the last time."

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When all others fail to please Try Denison's Coffee.

Silent watches of the night are those we forget to wind.

Julia Bottomley

WILL FIGHT RABIES

Government to Combat Spread of Disease.

Forest Service and Biological Survey Will Try to Stop Wave of Infection of Wild and Domestic Animals in West.

Washington.—The department of agriculture is taking action through the biological survey and the forest service to combat a serious wave of rabies infection of wild and domestic animals that is in danger of becoming widespread in the far West. The fact that the extensive dissemination of the disease is taking place through the agency of coyotes makes the situation a difficult one to meet.

Outbreaks of rabies among coyotes have been noted from time to time for several years in parts of Washington, Oregon and northern Idaho, and the forest service undertook last year to aid in bringing the disease under control by employing hunters to make war on coyotes in the national forests of some infected localities. Since, however, the coyotes breed in the foothills and around the outskirts of the forests, a more comprehensive campaign is called for.

The eradication of coyotes in sparsely settled or rough country is said to be an exceedingly difficult task. Inasmuch as these animals are always a source of considerable losses to the live stock industry of the West, congress last year provided a special fund of \$125,000 to be spent by the biological survey for the eradication of predatory animals, both in the national forests and on the public domain, and from this fund a special allotment has now been made to provide for fighting the rabies.

The disease first appeared in parts of eastern Oregon and Washington and northern Idaho, in a region surrounded by natural barriers which tended to confine the outbreak. Domestic animals and human beings were bitten, and a good deal of alarm was manifested by residents of the infected districts, many of whom feared for the safety of their children on the roads to and from school. The disease is now reported as having extended into northern Nevada and northern California, whence it may easily be carried far.

The forest service, the biological survey and the state board of health are working together to meet the situation in California. Modoc and Lassen counties have been put under quarantine by the state board, which has appointed forest rangers inspectors in Modoc county. Funds have been provided by the biological survey for the employment of additional men and the purchase of traps and poison. The public will be enlisted in the campaign, which will be led by the biological survey officials and the forest rangers.

BLIGHT FATAL TO SQUIRRELS

Animals Are Dying by the Thousands in Blue Ridge Chestnut Forests.

Waynesboro, Pa.—The squirrels are said to be dying off in droves in the Blue Ridge mountains to the east of Waynesboro and on down through the Catoctin ranges in Frederick county. Bunches of dead fox and gray squirrels are being found on the ground by woodchoppers, chestnut hunters and others.

The condition is so exceptional that the folks about the mountain are unable to account for it, except on the theory that the animals have been poisoned by the chestnut blight that has been raging in the Blue Ridge chain for the last year, destroying thousands of trees. Hunters and others say that this blight is a deadly poison and that no animal except a catamount can partake of it and survive.

NURSE AND CUB LION



Keeper Boyd of the Grant park zoo at Atlanta, Ga., hired a trained nurse to care for a cub lion born at the zoo. The cub has a small fox terrier for a playmate.

Woman, Ninety-Four, Tries Lottery. Minot, N. D.—Mrs. Margaret Foley of Minot has the distinction of being the oldest person to register an opportunity to participate in the distribution of the Fort Berthold lands. Mrs. Foley confessed to ninety-four when she enrolled her name.

PRETTY CAPITAL DEBUTANTE



Miss Marie Simms, daughter of Representative Simms of Tennessee, is one of the season's most popular debutantes in Washington.

CAPTAIN CLAD IN AIGRETTES

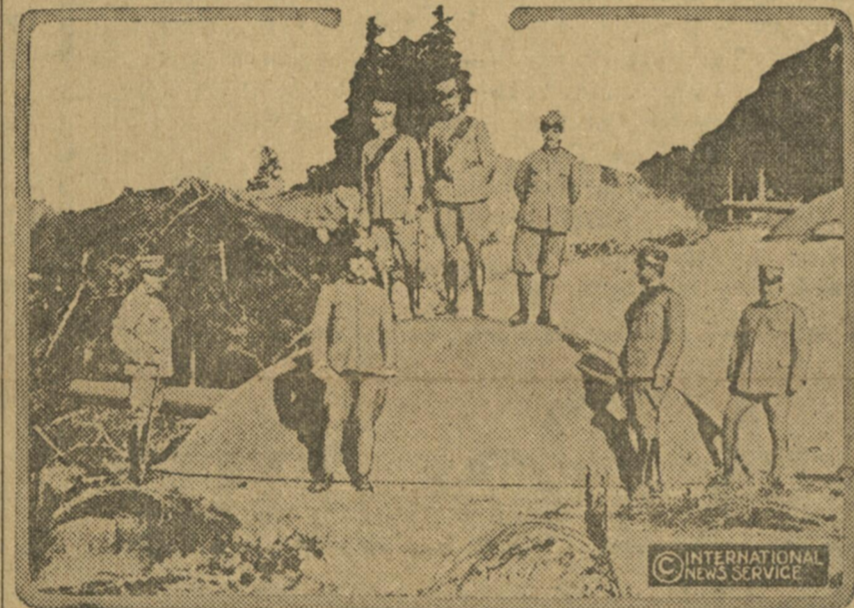
His Whole Body Covered With Feathers Worth Thousands of Dollars.

New Orleans, La.—When Capt. J. Pedersen stepped from the gangplank of his vessel he was accosted in a friendly manner by a customs inspector. Then, noticing what seemed to be a small feather sticking to the captain's wrist, the federal official attempted to brush it off. The movement disclosed a long aigrette.

"Why," Captain Pedersen stammered, "that's only a feather I was bringing to my wife."

"Strip off that vest," the inspector

MOUNTAIN BATTERY ON ISONZO FRONT



Photograph taken recently along the Isonzo front showing one of the numerous mountain batteries protecting the flanks of the advancing Italian army.

replied, "and we'll see how many feathers you have."

Captain Pedersen took off his vest, and swung by a cord about his neck and surrounding his body were 200 aigrettes, tied in bundles of 25 each, and valued at between \$3,000 and \$5,000. He was thereupon arrested, the importation of aigrettes being prohibited by a federal law.

SEEDLESS APPLE IS COMING

Old Tree Found Which Produces Unique Fruit, and the Idea May Spread.

Riverside, Cal.—The birthplace of the seedless apple as well as the seedless orange is the latest claim to distinction made by Riverside. Last year P. T. Evans discovered an old tree which produced fruit which was absolutely seedless and coreless and of sweet and attractive taste. He had a number of buds removed and budded into nursery stock.

One hundred and fifty of these budded trees are now ready for planting, and in order to give his discovery a thorough test Evans is arranging to distribute them without charge to various parts of the county to growers who wish to assist in the experiment. The original tree, well cared for, has a good crop this year.

NEGRO IS 104 YEARS OLD

Election Day Figure in Tennessee is Uncle Isham, Who Was Born Before Napoleon Died.

Atlanta, Ga.—Uncle Isham Griffin, who will be one hundred and five years old next March, was born near Augusta, Ga., and lives now in Chattanooga, Tenn. He was ten years old when Napoleon died. He was born before the telegraph, the telephone, the phonograph, or the motion picture. The aeroplane and the fireless cooker are ninety years younger than old Isham.

No one ever attempted to influence his vote because everybody knew that he voted the same kind of ticket "Uncle Dan Lillard" did.

Once a young Democrat brought him in a buggy six miles to the polls, but when "Uncle Isham" dismounted he hunted up Mr. Lillard and voted his ticket.

DOG FINDS WEALTH

Scrapes Up Gold Buried Many Years Ago.

Owner of Dog Turns Money Over to Administrator of Property—Some of the Coins Over Fifty Years Old.

Dubuque, Ia.—John Datisman, Jr., painter and paperhanger, lives in the town of Richardsville, in a house on the old Maxwell place. A few days ago his dog was digging under the porch at the back of the kitchen, and Datisman watching him saw something glitter in the dirt. It proved to be a twenty-dollar gold piece. Then Datisman did some digging himself, with the result that, scarcely covered with earth, was found a small tin box with gold coins. The dog in digging had raised the top of the box and scraped the single coin out with loose dirt. The box was found to contain \$1,000 in gold coins of \$5, \$10 and \$20 denominations.

Datisman was the only person who knew of the find. He knew the money was not his, but he didn't know whom it belonged to. He determined to find the rightful owner if possible and restore the money. He consulted no one about the matter, but refreshed his mind about the property on which he was living and made inquiries of other persons better acquainted than he.

It was found that for many years James Maxwell had lived in the place, that he was reported to be wealthy and that it was said he sometimes buried money. Maxwell died about fifteen years ago, killed in an Illinois Central crossing accident. The property went to his son, Alexander Maxwell, who has since died, and is now in the hands of an administrator, John Broessel, who lives near Peosta.

Datisman surmised that the money had been buried by the senior Maxwell and that it now belongs to the

STOP ALL DRINKING.

A handbook recently issued by the German government for the use of field surgeons sounds a note of warning against John Barleycorn. The article is by Prof. Max Gruber of the Royal Hygienic institute of Munich. We quote:

"This is no time for the use of alcohol. Not only is the guzzling of all alcoholic drinks to be stopped, but the use of even small amounts is, as a rule, an evil.

"It is scientifically established that even small amounts of alcohol weaken and paralyze our powers of observation, memory and judgment, the command of our intellect, our wills and our reason, our impulses, our brains, our body; cut down the gains from exercise, the endurance of hardships, the ability to resist external injuries.

"One's strength and mental power may be enough to withstand the moderate use, but efficiency cannot be improved by it. And those of us who are small and deficient in mental and physical power act recklessly when we dissipate the little that we have, especially when we are under obligations to accomplish the most that we can."

AMERICA'S GREATEST FOES.

"Had saloons never been discovered, and were it then in my power to portray the effects of such a discovery, all men, without exception, would declare it impossible to conceive of any more diabolical plan for the degradation and destruction of the human race. Our greatest foes are the manufacturers and distributors of alcohol. The stories of injuries done by drink are so written in the sad life history of many of our greatest men; are so evident throughout our land in squalor, poverty, misery and crime, and replete in prisons, workhouses and asylums, as well as in domestic infelicity, that it is inconceivable that any intelligent, rational man can deny the necessity for strong, united action to rid the land of both manufacturer and distributor."—Dr. A. Kelley of Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore.

BEER WORSE THAN WHISKY.

This is what the Home Life Insurance company of New York has to say about beer:

"Of all intoxicating drinks, it is the most animalizing. It dulls the intellectual and moral and feeds the sensual and beastly nature. Beyond all other drinks, it qualifies for deliberate and unprovoked crime. In this respect it is much worse than distilled liquors. A whisky drinker will commit murder only under the direct excitement of liquor, a beer drinker is capable of doing it in cold blood. Long observation has assured us that a large proportion of murders deliberately planned and executed, without passion or malice, with no other motive than the acquisition of property or money, often of trifling value, are perpetrated by beer drinkers."

TO THE VOTER.

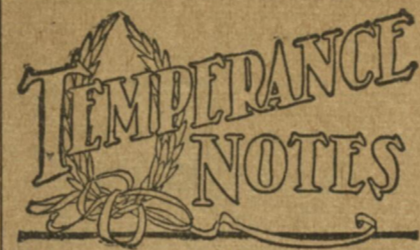
Which of your boys do you intend Shall stand in the footprints of ruined men?

Will you help them to enter a life of woe Because of your votes? Oh, no! Oh, no! If you vote for saloons, I verily fear You'll have to support them; so now look here

Which of your boys are you going to give To ruin and death, that saloons may live?

DRINKERS BARRED.

We do not employ habitual drinkers, and never have, because they are not good workmen.—President White Automobile Company.



(Conducted by the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union.)

WHY DRINKERS ARE FAT.

The labor leaders are beginning to teach through the pages of their journals the nature and effects of alcohol upon the physical organism. The following is from the United Mine Workers' Journal:

"Not all hard drinkers are fat, but the tendency of alcoholics to obesity is too marked to escape notice. A well-known doctor says it is because the alcohol usurps the function of the fat, which accumulates. This is how he explains it:

"It is noticeable that those addicted to the use of alcoholic beverages often reveal a tendency to corpulence which is proportionate to their use of the drug. The fatness is not a sign of health. It is not even an indication that alcohol is harmless. It is merely the result of the complete oxidation of the substance of alcohol by the human body. The body will oxidize a two-ounce quantity of alcohol in 24 hours, and will do it so completely that no trace of alcohol can be found in any excretory substance. This simply means that the unnatural heat produced in the body by the presence of the stimulant answers, for the time being at least, for what would otherwise be produced by the expenditure of fats and carbohydrates. These latter are the fuel stored up by the body and normally burned up in the production of necessary bodily heat—though not a natural heat—and this expenditure is avoided. The fat is therefore stored up in the body unused, and corpulence is the necessary result. This, of course, is not a normal condition nor a proper process. It becomes more unnatural with increasing use of alcohol."

SCENARIO RIGHT THERE.

"The silent drama," said little sister, reading the dramatic notes. "What's the silent drama?"

"Aw," said brother, "that's when pa is sneaking in from the club at two a. m. in his stocking feet with his shoes in his hand and ma is waiting in the dark at the top of the stairs ready to whale him over the head with a curtain pole."—Judge.

HER ADVANTAGE.

"Women can't fool me. I can make every one of them show her hand."

"How do you manage it?"

"I'm a glove fitter."

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SOMEWHAT HARD TO FOLLOW

Sturdy Veteran's Recipe for Long Life All Right, But for Certain Strong Considerations.

George McBean, a Jamaica negro, seventy-five years old, a sailor for 61 years and still an active and able seaman, veteran of a thousand storms and a score of shipwrecks, has been telling the Philadelphia Public Ledger how to avoid illness and attain old age without losing an ounce of the strength of youth. Here is George's recipe:

"Eat as much as you like, whenever you desire.

"Eat whatever you like.

"Sleep whenever you feel sleepy. No particular hours are necessary.

"Just live like you want to."

There is no doubt that George has the right idea. Youth—at least until implacable age has broken it of its desire—believes in eating as much as it likes, whenever it likes, and in sleeping when it feels sleepy. But by the time one is more or less able to "just live like he wants to" a lifetime of training in the opposite direction holds up inhibitory hands and robs his liberty of its savor.

George is an example—but he perhaps owes more than he realizes to the belying pin and the rope's end, both of which aids to good habits were in their prime when his habits were forming.—Kriegerbocker Press.

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With Cuticura, the Quick, Sure and Easy Way. Trial Free

Bathe with Cuticura Soap, dry and apply the Ointment. They stop itching instantly, clear away pimples, blackheads, redness and roughness, remove dandruff and scalp irritation, heal red, rough and sore hands as well as most baby skin troubles.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

MOTHER'S ERRAND.

"Is your mamma at home?" asked a caller of five-year-old Lola, who answered the bell.

"No, ma'am," answered the small miss. "She went out to get some time."

"To get some time!" echoed the caller.

"Yes, ma'am," replied Lola. "She said she was going over to one of the neighbors for a minute."

TO FORTIFY THE SYSTEM

Against Winter Cold Many users of GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC make it a practice to take a number of bottles in the fall to strengthen and fortify the system against the cold weather during the winter. Everyone knows the tonic effect of Quinine and Iron which this preparation contains in a tasteless and acceptable form. It purifies and enriches the blood and builds up the whole system. 50c.

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Even More Improbable. "You'd never dream he had money." "Oh, I dunno. I even dream that I have money sometimes."

Incredible. "Nero fiddled while Rome burned." "I don't believe it," replied the man who likes to disagree. "No violinist with Nero's political pull would have permitted a pyrotechnic display to go on as a rival performance."

Why is Castor Oil, Anyway? Mary Catherine, three, had been told that God made everything. She had also been taught that God likes everyone. One day she cried, coaxed and pleaded to avoid a dose of medicine. Having to take it, however, she looked up with a tearful and dubious expression as she wryly wiped her mouth and asked:

"Mamma, if God likes little girls, why did he make castor oil?"—Cleveland Leader.

The Difference. The mistress of the house found Truda, the cook, very busy writing at the kitchen table, though it was past time for getting dinner. For a half minute perhaps she watched the laborious process of literary composition. Then she spoke with asperity.

"How much longer," she exclaimed, "are you going to be over that beggarly post card?" Truda looked up indignantly.

"Beggary post card!" she said. "Beggary post card! I'd have you know that this is no beggarly post card! Not much! It is a field post card, it is—to the exempt reservist, Hieronymus Weinzierl, with the Third Bavarian army corps, Fifth Bavarian Division, Fourteenth regiment of infantry, Second company."

Make the Liver Do its Duty

Nine times in ten when the liver is right the stomach and bowels are right.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS

gently but firmly compel a lazy liver to do its duty.

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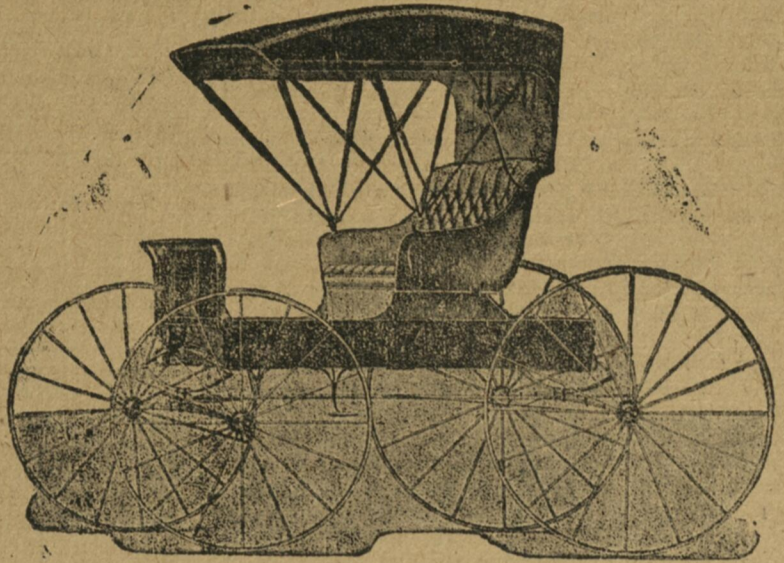
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Why don't you place your order now for a sulky plow, walking plow, disc harrow, harrow, corn planter, cultivator, binder, mower, hay loader, rakes, wagons, buggies, harness, wire fencing, hardware, stoves, etc.

You can buy NOW and pay later and get your tickets on a \$100.00 buggy and eleven other valuable premiums to be given away Free March 4, 1916.

With every one dollar cash sale two tickets will be given and with every one dollar credit sale or an order for goods to be delivered on or before Sept. 1st 1916, one ticket will be given, why not buy now, it costs no more and you may save money, as most goods are advancing in prices.

Come in at your convenience and see our large and complete stock, new goods arriving every day.

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Upland, Ind., Jan. 12, 1916.

MR. FEEDER.
Dear Sir:-You are cordially invited to attend the money-saving DEMONSTRATION ON FEEDS at my elevator. I am sure this Demonstration will interest every feeder. Date of Demonstration- SATURDAY JAN. 15, 1916 from 10 A. M. to 2:30 P. M.
Yours Respectfully,
W. W. PEARSON.

Our Dumb Animals

Last Tuesday afternoon a rig was hitched to the hitch rack in front of the O. C. Bowen Grocery. The driver being unknown and neglecting to come after his horse at supper time, the horse shivering from the exposure of being in the cold rain and sleet all afternoon, was taken to a livery barn and ordered cared for by our New Marshal, Curtis Ferguson. It is understood the same action is to be taken in all similar cases hereafter.

STORK

The stork paid a visit to the home Mr. and Mrs. Casper Floyd, Monday, and left with them a fine baby boy.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Secrest are the proud parents of a baby boy.

Dan Kever, Robert Thomason, Ray Campbell, Ed Schnell, Geo Rank, J. M. Starkey, Chester Campbell, Tom Atkinson, Grover Oliver, Charley Carmichael, Frank Huffman, Wm. Jones, Harry Mayberry and Joe Schiese attended the initiation of twenty seven candidates in the Loyal Order of Moose Lodge at Hartford City last Wednesday night.

MARKET PRICE

The following prices are quoted for immediate delivery at the Upland elevator.
Corn .85 cwt.
Wheat 1.15 per bu
Oats .30
Rye .75
Timothy \$13.00

W. W. Pearson

Preachers to Marry

Winchester, Ind., Jan. 10.—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cortner today announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mildred Cortner, formerly known as the "preacher girl," to the Rev. Ernest Treber of Upland. The groom-to-be has been attending Taylor University at Upland, where they made their acquaintance. She is one of the youngest ministers in the pulpit today and is pastor in two churches in Mercer County, Ohio. He is pastor of the Christian Church at Dawn.



DO YOU know of anyone who is old enough to read, who has not seen that sign at a railroad crossing?
If everyone has seen it at some time or other, then why doesn't the railroad let the sign rot away? Why does the railroad company continue to keep those signs at every crossing?
Maybe you think, Mr. Merchant, "Most everybody knows my store, I don't have to advertise."
Your store and your goods need more advertising than the railroads need to warn people to "Look Out for the Cars."
Nothing is ever completed in the advertising world.
The Department Stores are a very good example—they are continually advertising—and they are continually doing a good business.
If it pays to run a few ads round about Christmas time, it certainly will pay you to run advertisements about all the time.
It's just business, that's all, to
ADVERTISE IN THIS PAPER

NEWS ITEMS.

Dr. G. W. Sweigart of Hartford City is expected to come to Upland to night (Wednesday) and the organizing of a Pocahontas Lodge will be worked on in the Red Men's Hall. The charter is now open.

Mrs. John Henderson and son Ralph are visiting relatives in Jonesboro this week.

4 Room House For Sale. Inquire of Stephen Chapel.

Dr. H. S. Jeffrey stated Wednesday morning that his wife was a little better, however she is still very poorly.

John Henderson and Wm Fuller attended a sale at Montpelier Wednesday.

Chas. Lyghtle has purchased of L. L. Ress his Ford touring car.

Mrs. Culla J. Vayhinger, state superintendent of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union went to Elwood Sunday where she addressed two large audiences.

The Fairmount City Basket Ball team cancelled their game Tuesday evening owing to the bad weather.

Guy Miller is a new member of the Monitor reading circle.

Grandma Allen, residing with Drs. Samuel and Ella Hollis, of Hartford City is suffering with an injured ankle as a result of a fall she sustained at the Hellis home. The accident occurred while the aged woman was crossing the floor. Mrs. L. A. Sutton and Mrs. Edward Reasoner are daughters of the victim.

Flint Crozier, a former student of Taylor University, gave an interesting talk on the Phillipines Sunday evening in the Methodist Church.

Lee Wright has been on the list of la gippe victims the past few days.

Mrs. O. W. Outland has returned from Kokomo, where she was called to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Frank Shannon, who died in Indianapolis last week.

C. C. Ayers, owner of the Ayers Lumber Company at Red Key visited here with his brother B. W. Ayers Monday night. Saturday night the safe at his office in Red Key was blown open by burglars and \$35 taken while several thousand dollars in notes were overlooked.

Charged With Conspiracy to Rob

Wm. Nelson of Gas City and Frank Huffman resident here were placed in the cage Tuesday evening by Marshal Curtis Ferguson.

Upon the arrival of the Prosecuting Attorney J. W. McClellan of Matthews Wednesday morning, a preliminary hearing was given the men who were charged with conspiracy to rob W. W. Elliott, Pennsylvania freight agent.

Squire A. M. Ballinger sat as the judge in the case. Witnesses for the state were Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Bedwell, Mrs. Grant Bedwell and Curtis Ferguson. O. W. Hamilton was attorney for the defendants.

The testimony given by Mrs. Grant Bedwell was to the effect that Wm. Nelson and Frank Huffman entered the latter's room in her home shortly after the 3:09 train arrived Tuesday afternoon. And that her mother-in-law Mrs. S. F. Bedwell and herself overheard a plot or conspiracy involving the hold up of W. W. Elliott who was to send the railroad company's money to Logansport on the 5:37 train that evening. She stated that Mr. Nelson seemed to be unfamiliar with the location of the freight house and surroundings and that Mr Huffman laid the plans, and that Mr. Nelson was to attack Mr. Elliott when the latter came from the freight house to the depot just before the five o'clock train. They wanted and needed money and were aiming to have it if it cost the life of Mr. Elliott or words to that effect were sworn to by Mrs. Grant Bedwell. She said that after talking about what kind of caps they would wear they left the house

and that Mrs. S. F. Bedwell and herself followed the men to the Maria Peelle corner on East Washington-st. where they turned and went toward the freight house.

Mrs. S. F. Bedwell in taking the witness stand testified to practically the same things that Mrs. Grant Bedwell related.

Curtis Ferguson testified that he was called to the freight house about 5:20 and that he saw Frank Huffman and Wm. Nelson on the platform of the freight house on his way there.

Mr. Huffman taking the stand swore that he and Wm. Nelson having chummed together when they were kids drifted to Upland on the 3:09 train from Gas City and that they played a couple games of pool and then went to the room of Mr. Huffman, talked about different things, then they parted and Mr. Nelson was headed for the home of Squire Pugh, where he intended to make a friendly call, neither seeing each other again until they met in jail about 7:00 o'clock.

Mr. Nelson testified that he knew nothing whatever about the supposed hold-up or conspiracy and that he came to Upland thinking he might get a job in the glass factory, having worked only one day in the past three weeks.

A. M. Ballinger after sifting up the evidence declared them guilty and placed a \$500 bond on them and bound them over to the circuit court, where their trial will come up later.

It is understood that Mr. Elliott had on his person over \$1,000 which he mailed on the train the evening of the trouble.

Mrs. Paul Vayhinger of Chicago is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Vayhinger this week.

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J. L. Thompson of Gas City, a trustee of Taylor University, accompanied Warren T. McCrae, a Republican Candidate for Governor from the 10th district, to Taylor University Wednesday morning where he addressed the student body in Chapel. Evangelist Johnson also gave a talk booming Mr. McCrae as a candidate for Governor.

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