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## FARMING IMPLEMENTS.

Tiger Disc, Union, Farmers Friend and Streator Steel Corn Planters; Tait Check rowers; Avery Cultivators; Hoosier Seeders; John Deere Plows, Riding and Walking; Hay Loaders; Hand Made Harness, Extra Straps or parts of Harness to Suit.

**H. T. McLANE, - DWIGHT, ILL.**

## LARGEST AND FINEST

LINE OF

## Furniture,

## Wall

## Papers,

## BORDERS,

## Window Shades,

## Lace Curtains,

## CARPETS

and anything in the PAINT LINE at Lower Prices than you can purchase elsewhere. You are invited to call and see.

## Baker's Furniture Bazaar.

## DIAMOND CROWN FLOUR.

EVERY SACK WARRANTED GOOD OR MONEY REFUNDED.

We do all kinds of Custom Grinding. Hay, Straw, Ground Feed, Bran and Shorts constantly on hand. Come and see us.

84 East Mazon Ave. **GREGG & STERRETT.**  
Dwight, Ill., March 10, 1893.

## MILLINERY.

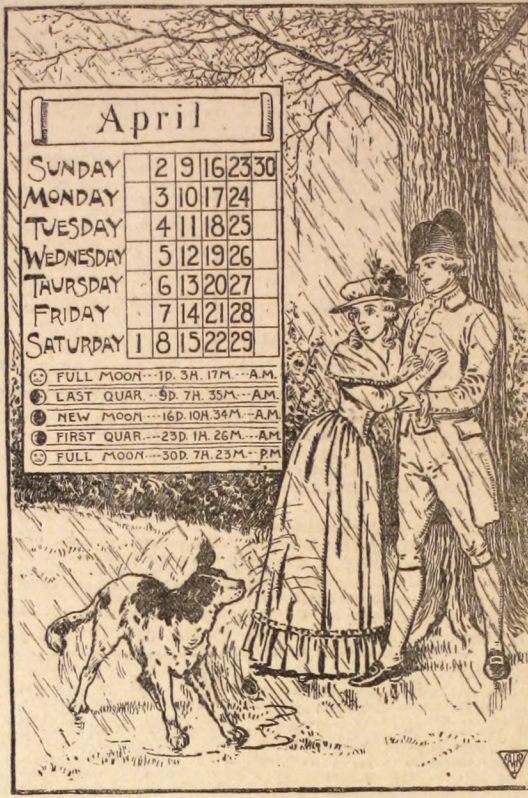
I have taken the old established Millinery Store of MISS LIZZIE BURGER, and cordially invite all to call and examine my complete stock of Millinery Goods.

**MRS. W. E. FENN.**

**A. RHODE,**  
**MERCHANT TAILOR,**  
Over Kern Bros. Grocery Store, Dwight.

I have the best SAMPLES OF  
**FALL AND WINTER GOODS,**  
For Overcoats and Suits. First-class workmanship.  
Suits from \$23 up. Pants from \$6 up.

**CLEANING AND REPAIRING PROMPTLY DONE**



**May Jurors.**  
Petit jury for the first two weeks: Nebraska, T. N. Vandorne, P. H. Higgins. Long Point, Earnest Bentke, Lewis Weaz, John Cooper. Rooks Creek, U. D. Pemberton, Peter Pample. Newtown, G. W. Appelgate. Pontiac, James Fenton, Joseph Fischer, John Beach. Belle Prairie, Wm. A. Hieronymus. Indian Grove, Henry Bartlett, John T. Brown, Emil Keller. Owego, John W. Riley, J. M. Porter. Odell, C. W. McDougall, Andrew Allen, James Carothers. Nevada, John Dunbar. Fayette, W. S. Catton. Forrest, G. E. Albright. Saunemin, Geo. Brooks, C. L. Tanager, Joseph Sanson. Union, Wm. Telford, Joseph Tricker.

Dwight, E. K. Clover. Germanville, Walter Leggate. Chatsworth, H. P. Turner. Charlotte, Harry Entwistle, Frank Hallam. Sullivan, J. W. Bailey. Round Grove, James Eaton. The second two weeks. Nebraska, Walter Thompson. Long Point, John Coleman. Reading, Wm. Arnold, Rene Julian. Pike, H. C. Beeks, Reinhard Elnen. Edward Blanchfield, Paul G. Balbach. Rooks Creek, Wm. Antrim. Amity, Abel Gourley. Eppards Point, H. R. Ehrhardt. Pontiac, Geo. R. Brown, Walt Cleland, Geo. Hayes, W. P. Corbin. Esmer, F. E. Rowley. Belle Prairie, I. C. Campton. Avoca, Answer Sudinger, Walter Tucker. Owego, W. H. Danforth, Thurston Mortimore. Odell, Thomas Cosgrove, R. R. Puffer. Nevada, James Lannan, Albert Gutzell. Forrest, Wm. Clow, Walter Hodgson. Pleasant Ridge, Oscar Holloway, Joseph Brown. Union, E. P. Metz, J. F. Puffer. Dwight, A. L. Leach. Chatsworth, James Puffer, Wm. Meguire. Sullivan, Henry Griswold. Broughton, John T. Lavell.

**Suicide.**  
The suicide of a young girl in the depot at Braidwood Saturday night, caused considerable excitement in that place. It was the same sad story of loving not wisely but too well. The girl came from Litchfield, Ill., to Chicago to meet a brute by the name of Crandall who is, we understand, a brakeman on the Alton. Not meeting him there she came to his home in Braidwood Saturday night on the accommodation. The girl called at the fellow's house and did not find him, and then went to the hotel, but the keeper refused to allow her to stay. She went to the depot, sat down and deliberately took a revolver and blew her brains out. So

instantaneous was her death that she did not even fall out of her seat. The revolver was evidently intended for her destroyer, and it's a pity she didn't use it on him first. It is a very sad affair, and when taken into consideration that the law cannot reach the rascal it is doubly so. There was talk of lynching in Braidwood.

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**Got Thumped.**  
Edward Arron, the malt dealer who sold his stuff to Walter Scott, was in town Monday, and came to grief. The next time he tells a man that if he gets in trouble selling his malt he will see him through, he will probably do it. We understand that is what he told Walter Scott, and in that way induced him to go into the business, and, as the STAR AND HERALD said, when Mr. Scott got in trouble the malt dealer went back on his word, and had no use for Walter after he had got all the money he could. Mr. Arron went into Scott's place Monday night to collect a bill, and of course there was not a very kindly feeling toward him there. Mr. Scott was out at the time, but Gus Hendricksen was in. As soon as he saw the author of all of Scott's trouble coming in his blood began to boil, and he went for the malt agent and pounded him all over the place, until Mr. Arron ran out yelling "save my life, save my life."

Hendricksen didn't pound \$400 and costs out of Arron but he did the best he could toward it. Mr. Arron, we understand, says he is through with Dwight. Dwight got through with him some time since.

**Birthday.**  
Mr. Anton Paulsen has three daughters, Christina, Dora and Hannah, aged respectively, 17, 12 and 10, and they were all born on the 20th day of March, and one birthday celebration does for all three. On the 20th day of March this year Ed. Hahn and wife and J. Seaman and F. Smith and a few children assembled at the Paulsen home and had a nice time. It is a very curious circumstance and worthy of comment, and the first time we ever heard of three sisters being born on the same day.

**Alderman Taylor Gets There.**  
We copy the following from the Streator Free Press. It would be only an act of justice for all papers that have copied the lying articles to correct them when they find out they are misinforming.

"A number of our exchanges have recently, in pursuance of that gentle and humane spirit which prompts even editors to rip a fellow being up the back when the opportunity offers, been copying a slanderous article concerning Dwight, Ill., in which it was intimated that the town was on the decline. A Kankakee paper was moved to publish the article, and the other day its editor was surprised with a visit from a citizen of Dwight who is making it his special business to trace the slander to its source, and to make the originator sweat for it. Our es-

teemed contemporary published a full and satisfactory retraction, and we shall undoubtedly see similar results following the Dwight representative's 'pleasant calls' in the sanctums of other esteemed contemporaries."

**Under the Rod.**  
The following poem was written by Clara Marcella Green, an aunt of the late Prof. Fisk. This lady is an author of considerable note, having written several popular books and poems that have found places in our best periodicals. This poem was written as an evidence of sympathy with the widow of the Professor, who resides in Dwight. We reproduce it with pleasure:

Will God give back again, somewhere, some day,  
Mine own that I so loved, but could not keep?  
More love hath He than I, doth any say?  
More tears than mine have wept did His eyes weep?  
More—more than I love, hath He loved me so?  
Am I too weak to know?

Only to be glad so little while we met,  
My loved and I, our passing was so fleet;  
Only to touch lips and part with all regret,  
More bitter far that meeting was so sweet,  
"Peace?" Ah, so little who commend it know  
What anguish racks me so!

I cannot yet look up, nor through my tears  
Quite see—they blind me so—how Life can be  
A blessing any more, or how the years  
Can one by one be borne; I cannot see  
Through streaming eyes the way I am to go,  
It is too dark to know.

My feet have trod a desolate mountain range,  
Where blood has marked my footsteps all the way;  
My loved went from me on the sea of change;  
And can I see the shores where drifted they  
If I but climb Faith's heights—ah say you so?  
I must press on, I know.

Yet say not "peace" for how can peace or rest  
Be in that heart so torn and rent as mine?  
I can endure, but peace flies that wild breast  
That like a mangled, wrenched and bleeding vine  
Remorseless blasts are beating to and fro!  
Peace? Rest? Ah, no—ah, no.

I can endure—aye, bend, if need must, the  
While  
I would for comfort I could know that He  
Forebears to chide me if I do not smile;  
It will be over soon—the weeping—so  
He will forbear, I know.

And when, as days wear on, I shall have gained  
Strength from His strength, and quietness to  
bear,  
I shall be still, regretful that I pained  
Some other heart, may be, with my despair.  
Not ease, nor rest, but less of anguish so  
He gives us all, I know.

Then if He gives again, somewhere, some day,  
Mine own that I so loved, and so soon lost  
It half seems I possessed not—O I may  
In re-possession so forget the cost  
And price of joy—He may compensate so:  
He may—He will, I know.

**Death of Father Halpin.**  
The sad announcement of the sudden death of Rev. Father Halpin, of Odell, was received here Thursday morning. His death was unexpected, as his health was considered very good. The cause of his sudden demise, was apoplexy. Father Halpin had a host of friends in this vicinity who will sincerely mourn his untimely death. The funeral services will be held at Odell to day.

**Military History.**  
The legislature of Maine has appropriated \$20 toward the erection of a memorial tablet in honor of the First Maine Artillery near Petersburg, Va., conditioned upon the raising of an equal sum for the same purpose by the association of survivors, of which Albert P. Eastman, of the Paymaster General's Office, residing at Falls Church, Va., is president. The First Maine Heavy Artillery has the distinction of having suffered greater losses in battle than any other regiment in the United States service during the late civil war. It went into the final assault upon the enemy's works in front of Petersburg, June 18, 1864, with 850 men and came out with 246, leaving 604 of its number, or over 70 per cent, killed or wounded on the field.—Washington Post, March 18, 1893.

Postmaster Parsons was one of the original members of this gallant regiment and went with them from Maine to Appomattox. He may justly feel proud of this honor conferred upon his old regiment by the legislature of his native state.

**Payson Prosperous.**  
A Washington item says: "Ex Congressman Payson, of Illinois, has established himself in Washington in the 'claims' business and is said to be rapidly acquiring a fortune. He lives well, drives a good team of horses, and is apparently on the crest of prosperity."

**The Columbian Celebration Co.**  
Proprietors of "The MacKaye Spectatorium," Chicago, in Chicago, that city of lofty buildings, the highest point of vantage is 220 feet. Thirty feet above this toward the land of clouds will the main dome of "The MacKaye Spectatorium" rear its head. From this tower an exceptionally fine view of the World's Fair grounds and buildings can be had. There are also located in this building, at a height of 100 feet, two immense restaurants and a vast roof garden. To relieve the tediousness of the ascent and to supply their patrons with swift, sure and safe means of reaching these altitudinous points the Columbian Celebration Co., has made a contract with the Standard Elevator company, of Chicago, to supply fifteen elevators, the largest and best ever built for passenger traffic, which shall be able to carry 10,000 per-

sons each hour. These elevators in themselves an exhibit of much interest will be supplied with every appliance for speed and safety.

F. H. WAKEFIELD,  
Chief, Bureau of Information.

**Millinery Display.**  
Those who witnessed the millinery display in Miller Bros.' new department Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, acknowledged it to be the finest ever seen in Dwight. Too much cannot be said of Miss Mamie Barnum who has charge of this department. Everyone in Dwight and vicinity knows Miss Barnum, who for the past five years has been engaged with the old established millinery store of Miss Lizzie Burger. Her display of millinery and the artistic manner in which it was arranged was commented on and greatly admired. This enterprising firm will always aim to sell the best and most stylish line of goods, and at the most reasonable prices. Anyone wishing an Easter hat should see their stock and get their prices before purchasing elsewhere. A cordial invitation is extended by Miss Barnum to her many friends and old customers to call on her. She will take great pleasure in showing you their large stock of hats and millinery trimmings.

**Dead.**  
Mr. John Stack who for the past year has been in the employ of Kern Bros., died at 3:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. Mr. Stack had been quite sick for the past few days but Friday morning feeling much better, he dressed and about one o'clock was on the street. His death was very sudden and was a surprise to everyone. He leaves a wife and four children to mourn his loss.

**Union.**  
Mud has been the bill of fare for the past week, we hope it will not continue long. The political pot of Union is boiling, as for who is in the soup we will tell you later. Mr. Klein, of Marshall county, has been visiting his brother P. W. Klein. Joe Ribordy visited the World's Fair city last week. Jim Thompson, of Round Grove, visited his brother, Thursday of last week. Mr. Will Leach, of Onarga, and Miss Nellie Taylor, of Dwight, visited friends in Union.

We are pleased to note that Mr. Geo. Lithgow, sr., who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is convalescent. Rev. Excell, of Chicago, has accepted the pastorate of the Emington Congregational church, and will move there May first. U. Shelly spent part of last week in Morrison, Ill., on business. Miss Jennie Thompson has closed her school in District No. 1 and will spend her vacation with her mother at Normal, Ill.

**Campus.**  
Sowing oats is all the rage this week. Frank Foltz, of Lincoln, Neb., is visiting friends and relatives here this week. Maloney is building a new implement house this week. Wm. Broughton intends to move in his new butcher shop the 1st of April. Mr. Harry Drew and Miss Ella Marvin, of Emington, were the guests of Elmer Marvin, Sunday. Dennis Glenn is visiting in Chicago this week.

There is a young man, that thought love was deeper than mud Sunday night. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Feehery, last week, a daughter. Don't forget to vote next Tuesday.

**Money Found.**  
MR. EDITOR:—California is admitted to be the land of sunshine, flowers and wealth. Land is being given away free by the CALIFORNIA LAND AND WATER EXCHANGE, of Dayton, O. Their plan is new and the idea original. They will send you a free deed to one acre of land that will grow, if irrigated, oranges, figs, grapes, in fact anything that is produced in California by irrigation. All they ask you to do is to help pay to get water, which can be done in small payments. They plant and cultivate the land for five years; they pay for the trees, labor, cultivation, taxes, assessments and guarantee to pay you a certain sum of profits every year. You can get full information if you address as above.

**Wanted.**  
Mending and plain sewing to do at reasonable prices, at 109 Waupansie street, or box 103.