

The Discontented Man.
 He grieved because the times were hard,
 And everything went wrong;
 Such weather would his trade retard,
 The butter tasted strong,
 His coffee never looked quite clear,
 And everything he bought was dear.
 In fact, from early dawn till night
 He gloried in his woes;
 No earthly thing was ever right,
 And all his friends were foes.
 But this fact most his patience tried:
 His wife was always satisfied!

WARREN WILLIS FRIES,
 From Demorest's Magazine for May.

Morrissey-Hagerty.
 The marriage of Miss Margaret Morrissey and Mr. James Hagerty was solemnized on Wednesday, April 11, at 10 o'clock, a. m., at the Catholic church, of this city, by Rev. Father Moore.

The bride, a highly respected daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. Morrissey, of Goodfarm, taught school for a number of years with the utmost satisfaction to pupils and patrons. Her popularity among the teachers of Grundy county was shown by her being appointed at one time vice-president of the Teachers Association.

Her kind and loving disposition has won for her the best wishes of a large circle of friends. The groom, the eldest son of Mr. Thos. Hagerty, living northwest of Dwight, is a young man, of excellent qualities and has a host of friends. He has purchased a farm in Round Grove township on which they will be nicely located in a few weeks.

The bridal toilet was of steel grey novelty cloth slightly low at the throat with long sleeves and elaborately trimmed with moire ribbon with hat and gloves to match. She carried a beautiful ivory covered prayer book.

The bridesmaid, Miss May Morrissey, of Chicago, was attired in a suit a shade darker than that worn by the bride. Best man Mr. Edward Hagerty; he and the groom wore the conventional black. After the ceremony they repaired to the home of the bride's parents where an elegant wedding breakfast was served, only immediate relatives were present. The gifts were useful and numerous.

Mid showers of rice the happy couple departed on the evening train for Chicago where they spent several days visiting relatives and friends. The young couple have numerous friends who wish them all possible happiness and prosperity. **SUBSCRIBER.**

Cards of Thanks and Resolutions.
 From this time on "cards of thanks," and "resolutions" published in this paper will be charged for. The reasons for this course are numerous. At the time of a death or funeral, this paper always pays a tribute to the memory of the deceased, to the best of its editor's ability, and never thinks of any compensation for same. It is a matter of fact and is done cheerfully, and the news are given as far as obtainable.

When a society passes resolutions it supposed they voice its sentiments and pay its tribute to the deceased, and if publicity is desired we see no reason why the societies should not pay them. The "card of thanks" is merely a return of thanks from the relatives, and if published should be paid for.

We have decided that in the future 25 cents must be paid for each card of thanks, and 50 cents for each set of resolutions. This is merely about the cost to us of setting the type, and we trust our readers will see nothing wrong in this action.

Rare Chances.
 Unprecedented Opportunities to visit a Grand Country by America's Most Popular Railroad, at a Very Low Rate. Special Homeseekers' Excursions to the South and Southwest. The whole Southern Country now pervaded with the fragrance of Spring.

The Chicago & Alton Railroad Company begs to announce that on April 9th, 10th and 14th; May 5th, 22d and 29th and June 5th, 1894, it will sell low rate round trip Homeseekers' Excursion Tickets to all points in the South and Southwest. These low rate tickets will be sold to certain portions only of the Southern and South Western country on each of the above excursion dates, but when the list of the excursions has been completed they will have been found to have reached almost every point in the states of Arkansas, Texas, Louisiana, Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee, Georgia, Kentucky and Florida, and many points in Missouri and Kansas.

Full particulars as to exactly what territory is reached on each excursion can be obtained of the undersigned agents of the Chicago & Alton Railroad, who will also be glad to quote you the rates. Secure out the time of your trains, and, if you give us any further information on this subject.

The rate for these Homeseekers' Excursions will be one fare for the round trip. Tickets at this rate will be sold only on the above dates, and will be good for return passage up to and including thirty days from date of sale. Stop-overs will be allowed on going trip. In providing this series of Spring Homeseekers' Excursions, the Chicago & Alton makes a radical but welcome departure from the old custom of confining these popular excursions to the Fall of the year. Inquire of ticket agent C. & A. Railroad at this place, or James Charlton, G. P. and T. A., Chicago, Ill.

A Train of Thought.
 Is frequently the result of contemplation of a summer outing and where it should be spent, and if properly followed it will lead to your taking a train of the Wisconsin Central from the Grand Central Passenger station, Chicago, for Lake Villa, Antioch, Burlington, Mukwonago, Waukegan, Waupesa, Ashland or some other equally popular resort where rest, enjoyment, recreation and sport are to be had in all their plenitude. For descriptive pamphlet, "Along the Line," write to Jas. C. Pond, General Passenger Agent, Milwaukee, Wis.

ANNUAL STATEMENT
 For publication of receipts and expenditures of township and district funds, by the treasurer of Township No. 30, Range No. 1, Livingston county, Illinois, during the fiscal year beginning April 1, 1893, and ending April 2, 1894.

TOWNSHIP TREASURER IN ACCOUNT WITH SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

Cash on hand at beginning of fiscal year (April 1, 1893) belonging to principal of township fund	\$176 67
Received from notes paid and land sales	45 59
" from township fund	402 44
" from T.P. superintendent	452 72
Total	\$1,077 42
Items of Expenditures	\$980 38
Loans and investments of twp. funds	\$1576 63
Distributed and put to credit of dist.	952 16
Paid compensation of Treasurer	1 15
" incidentals of trustees	2 00
" printing report	1 00
Cash on hand at date April 2, 1894	41 90
Total	\$268 98

TOWNSHIP TREASURER IN ACCOUNT WITH SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

Items of Receipts.

Bal. on hand at beginning of fiscal year, April 1, 1893	\$422 83
From distribution of trustees	852 16
Special district taxes	670 56
railroad, telephone and telegraph taxes	119 06
From back taxes	285 39
" district bonds or notes issued for building purposes	500 00
From tuition fees	1 00
" sale of old pump	1 00
Total balance and receipts	\$1,417 97
Items of Expenditures	\$1,317 33
Paid out on directors orders, acct'd dis.	1 37
" " " " " "	3 42
" " " " " "	3 42
" " " " " "	4 37
" " " " " "	6 49
" " " " " "	6 23
" " " " " "	7 34
" " " " " "	262 97
Cash bal. on hand at date, April 2, 1894	418 74
Total expenditures and bal.	\$1,417 97

I do hereby certify the foregoing report to be correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 9th day of April, A. D. 1894. J. A. NAFZIGER, Notary Public.

ANNUAL STATEMENT.
 STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss.
 LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ss.
 Town of Round Grove. Office Town Supervisor, E. T. POTTER.

The following is a statement by E. T. Potter, supervisor of the town of Round Grove, in the county and state aforesaid, of the amount of public funds received and expended by him during the fiscal year just closed, ending the 31st day of March, 1894, showing the amount of public funds received, and from what source received, the amount of public funds expended, and for what purpose expended, during said fiscal year ending aforesaid:

Amount of public funds on hand at commencement of fiscal year	\$ 70 41
July 12, Rec'd from county collector	27 44
Mar. 26, " from town collector town tax	148 54
1894, " " dog tax	70 56
Total	\$ 316 95

EXPENDED AND FOR WHAT PURPOSES.

April 8, B. M. Thompson as town clerk	\$ 4 45
" " E. T. Potter as auditor	1 50
May 6, C. S. Brydia printing ballot	1 00
July 12, Johnson & Young print report	4 00
" 29, Thos. Lawless as commissioner	18 00
1894, Mar. 5, Wm. Todd clerk of election	3 10
" " E. T. Potter judge of election	6 21
" 6, S. L. Glover clerk of election	5 00
" 9, district No. 5, use of house	5 00
" 25, Aaron Frickeit as commissioner	6 00
" " John Keethy as judge of election	1 50
" " " auditor	1 50
" " J. H. Hollmeyer as commissioner	21 24
" 27, B. M. Thompson town clerk	31 24
" " John Keethy as assessor	100 29
" " Thos. Lawless as commissioner	27 78
" " Henry Palmer	6 29
" " L. H. Hollmeyer	24 60
" " Geo. Hulbert as auditor	1 50
Total funds expended	\$ 246 77
Cash to balance	70 18
Total	\$ 316 95

The Splendid Percheron Stallion BRILANDO 9517,
 Recorded with pedigree in the Percheron Stud Book of America. Will stand in the home of the undersigned, three miles southwest of Dwight, for the season of 1893, each week day except Saturdays, when he will be at Beel's Livery barn in Dwight. Terms, \$12.

LOU STRAWN,
 Attorney at Law,
 PONTIAC, ILL.
 Prompt attention given to all law cases, collections, etc. Call on or address him at his office in Pontiac.

Religious Notices.
 Rev. Ayling will occupy his pulpit Sunday morning and evening. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
 Sunday school 9:30 a. m., L. A. Naffziger, Supt.
 Epworth League service at 6:30 p. m., W. T. Wilson, Pres.
 Junior League, Wednesday 4:15. Lydia Seabert, Pres.

Preaching morning and evening at the Congregational church. All invited, seats free.
 Sunday school at 12, noon, Sunday, Mr. Van Emsan, Supt., Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m.
 Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening, Benevolent Society, Thursday, p. m. Choir practice, Friday, 7:45 p. m.

SOCIETY DIRECTORY.
 A. F. and A. M.—1st and 3d Monday evenings, K. of P.—Every Wednesday evening, K. of P.—Every Tuesday evening.
 G. A. O.—2d Tuesday.
 W. R. C.—1st and 3d Tuesdays.
 A. O. U. W.—2d and 4th Tuesdays.
 Eastern Star—2d Friday.
 Danish Brotherhood—2d and 4th Thursdays.
 Keesley League—Every morning at 9 o'clock. Song service at 9:30 Sundays.
 M. W. A.—2d and 4th Tuesdays.
 Dwight Lodge No. 513, I. O. F., meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, in Odd Fellows Hall. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to be present.
 M. C. STARRETT, N. G.
 S. HARRISON, Sec'y. A. COMER, V. G.
 Visitors are cordially received by all the above societies.

Examinations.
 Candidates for teachers' certificates will be examined on the following branches in the order given: Friday beginning at 8:30 A. M., Written Arithmetic, Mental Arithmetic, Geography, Grammar, History and Orthography. On Saturday forenoon, Physiology, Pedagogy, Reading and Penmanship. For the first grade, in addition to the foregoing, Botany, Zoology and Philosophy are given.
 The required average for a second grade is 80 per cent, with a minimum of 70; for a first grade, an average of 70 per cent, with a minimum of 55. Persons not personally known to the Superintendent must furnish references as to moral character. According to the provisions of the law, an institute fee of \$1 will be collected from each applicant. The required age is 18 for males and 17 for females.
 The following are the dates for 1894: January 19 and 20; February 16 and 17; March 16 and 17; April 20 and 21; May 15 and 16; June 15 and 16; None in July; August 17 and 18; September 21 and 22; October 19 and 20; November 16 and 17; December 21 and 22.
 H. A. FOSTER, County Superintendent.

Nothing in This World
 Is so cheap as a newspaper, whether it be measured by the cost of its production or by its value to the consumer. We are talking about an American, metropolitan, daily paper of the first class like THE CHICAGO RECORD. It's so cheap and so good you can't afford in this day of progress to be without it. There are other papers possibly as good, but none better, and none just like it. It prints all the real news of the world—the news you care for—every day, and prints it in the shortest possible space. You can read THE CHICAGO RECORD and do a day's work too. It is an independent paper and gives all political news free from the taint of party bias. In a word—it's a complete, condensed, clean, honest family newspaper, and it has the largest morning circulation in Chicago or the west—125,000 to 140,000 a day.

Prof. J. T. Hatfield of the Northwestern University says: "THE CHICAGO RECORD comes as near being the ideal daily journal as we are for some time likely to find on these mortal shores."
 Sold by newsdealers everywhere, and subscriptions received by all postmasters. Address THE CHICAGO RECORD, 181 Madison-st.

ANNUAL STATEMENT
 of the Treasurer of the Village of Dwight, for the year ending 1893.

To the Honorable President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Dwight, Ill.	12 23
ADMINISTRATION ACCOUNT.	RECEIPTS.
1893.	
Apr. 12 Balance from former Board	\$ 6915 30
May 18 W. E. Baker delinquent tax	600 00
July 5 " " " "	150 00
Aug. 22 Com. Highways roads and bldgs	324 45
1894.	
March 27 Thomas Harford corp'n tax	7314 55
" 28 Com. Highways roads and bldgs	212 40
April 11 John Thompson fines	1 15
" " F. A. Halse, water rent	1762 52
" " " " " "	275 30
" " " " " "	73 15
" " " " " "	341 00
" " " " " "	10 00
Total	\$1787 15

EXPENDITURES.

Paid clerk's salary	\$ 150 00
" compensation of trustees	436 00
" fire department	738 85
" judiciary	1628 31
" miscellaneous	736 72
" street and alley	3609 29
" police department	476 70
" water works	1028 50
" interest	1500 00
" special sewer tax fund	21 23
Total	\$12,919 26
Balance on hand	567 19
Total	\$13,486 45

Treasurer's Report of Special Sewer Account, for the year ending April 12, 1894.

Installment No. 1 bal from last admist'n	\$ 2470 31
" No. 2 " " "	157 11
" No. 3 " " "	157 11
" No. 4 " " "	157 11
" No. 5 " " "	157 11
Total	\$ 2909 75

RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR
 from L. A. Naffziger, collector special assessment.

Installment No. 1	\$ 518 09
" No. 2	3097 36
" No. 3	241 42
" No. 4	241 42
" No. 5	241 42
Total	\$ 7648 46

EXPENDITURES.

To amount paid on installment No. 1	\$ 2627 13
" " " " " "	8409 68
" " " " " "	308 53
" " " " " "	308 53
" " " " " "	308 53
Total	\$ 7232 46
Balance on hand	416 00
Total	\$ 7648 46

A. BRUBAKER, Treasurer.

Approved, HENRY FOX, Sec'y Finance Committee.
 B. A. BUCK, JOHN GEIS, Notary Public.

The Chicago Weekly Inter Ocean on year and STAR and HERALD to January 1, 1895, for \$1.25 to new subscribers.

Dwight Land and Loan Office.

CHAS. L. ROMBERGER, Prop'r.
 Attorney-at-Law.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE OR TO TRADE IN ALL PARTS OF THE COUNTRY.

Represents the best Insurance Companies in the World.

Money to Loan.

ON GOOD SECURITY.

Call on or address

Chas. L. Romberger.

JOHN BAKER, Assistant.

THE INTER OCEAN

—IS THE—
 MOST POPULAR REPUBLICAN NEWSPAPER OF THE WEST

—AND—
 HAS THE LARGEST CIRCULATION.

TERMS BY MAIL.
 DAILY (without Sunday), \$6.00 per year. DAILY (with Sunday), \$8.00 per year.

The Weekly Inter Ocean, per year, \$1.00

As a newspaper THE INTER OCEAN keeps abreast of the times in all respects. It spares neither pains nor expense in securing ALL THE NEWS AND THE BEST OF CURRENT LITERATURE.

The Weekly Inter Ocean

Is edited especially for those who, on account of mail service or any other reason, do not take a daily paper. In its columns are to be found the week's news of all the world condensed and the cream of the literary features of the Daily.

AS A FAMILY PAPER IT EXCELS

all Western Journals. It consists of EIGHT PAGES, with

A Supplement, illustrated, in Colors, of EIGHT ADDITIONAL PAGES, making in all SIXTEEN PAGES. This Supplement, containing SIX PAGES OF READING MATTER and TWO FULL-PAGE ILLUSTRATIONS, is alone worth the price charged for the paper.

THE INTER OCEAN IS PUBLISHED IN CHICAGO, the news and commercial center of all west of the Allegheny Mountains, and is better adapted to the needs of the people of that section than any paper farther East.

It is in accord with the people of the West both in Politics and Literature. Please remember that the price of THE Weekly Inter Ocean IS ONLY ONE

Star and Herald and Inter Ocean

One Year, \$1.50.

This Offer Expires June 1, 1894.

After that date the two papers for \$2.00.

J. M. MAGUIRE,

WILSON, ILL.,

Dealer in

General Merchandise,

FARMING IMPLEMENTS, BUGGIES, WAGONS, COAL, ETC.

John Deere Plows and Cultivators, Deere & Mansur Cutaway and Disc Harrows, Rock Island Superior Cultivators, Plows and Harrows, Hoosier and Bloomington Seeders, "Wild Irishman" Riding Plows, Corn Planters, Eagle Claws, (King & Hamilton Gophers.) Call and examine and get prices before you buy.

Buckeye Binders and Mowers

Agent for CARRINGTON, HANNAH & CO., Grain Dealers, of Chicago.

ELKHART CARRIAGE and HARNESS MFG. CO.

Have sold to consumers for 21 years, saving them the dealer's profit. We are the oldest and largest manufacturers of American selling vehicles and harness this way—ship by freight to examine before any money is paid. We pay freight both ways! not satisfaction. Write your own order. Box 1000, Elkhart, Ind.

WHOLESALE PRICES.
 Spring Wagons, \$31 to \$50. Guaranteed same as sell for \$60 to \$80. Surreys, \$65 to \$100 same as sell for \$100 to \$125. Top Buggies, \$37.50, as fine as sold for \$65. Phaetons, \$65 to \$100. Farm Wagons, Wagonettes, Milk Wagons, Delivery Wagons and Road Carts. BICYCLES FOR MEN, WOMEN & CHILDREN.

Our Harnesses are made at the Manufacturer's Prices.

RIDING SADDLES and FLY NETS. 5 percent off for cash with order. Send us in purchasing dress, we will stamp to pay postage on 112-page catalogue. Address W. B. PRATT, Sec'y, ELKHART, IND.

No. 27, Surrey Harness	\$11.00
No. 78, Road Wagon	\$26
No. 1, Farm Harness	\$23.50
No. 78, Top Buggy	\$37.50
No. 3, Farm Wagon	\$43.00
Single, \$8 to \$20	
Double Buggy, \$18-\$25	
Farm, \$16 to \$22.00	
Elkhart Bicycle, 28 in. wheels, steel tubing, drop forgings, steel tubing, drop forgings.	\$55