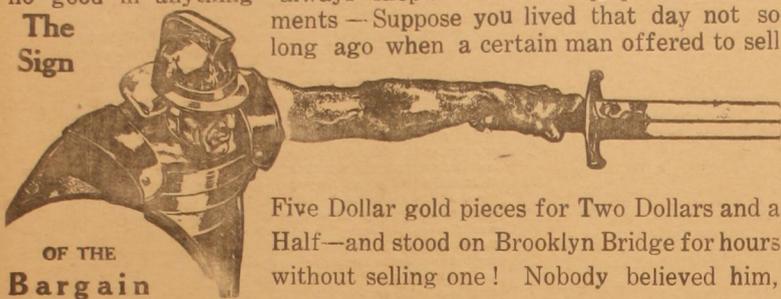


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Assuming, Dear Reader---you are one of those folks who could see no good in anything---always skeptical about any printed statements---Suppose you lived that day not so long ago when a certain man offered to sell

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OF THE Bargain

Five Dollar gold pieces for Two Dollars and a Half---and stood on Brooklyn Bridge for hours without selling one! Nobody believed him, yet how they did reproach themselves when they found later it was an honest offering which found no takers!

Of course you say such things could not happen now---yet on Saturday you will receive an announcement telling of an event that means many dollars in your pocket if you take advantage of the rare opportunity for saving that it affords. And do you know that we believe were it not for this tip you would give it scant thought and say "Another one of those advertisements."

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This season's novelties in Suits and Overcoats

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PONTIAC.
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Bloomington Tuesday noon to attend the state meeting of the Illinois Music Teachers' Association.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fairfield and daughter, Miss Myrta, returned Monday evening from Sheldon and Onarga, where they had spent the past two weeks with relatives and friends.

Mrs. C. H. Long returned Monday evening from Jacksonville, where she had been the guest of her daughter, Miss Catherine, who is a student at the Illinois Woman's College at that place.

Mrs. Martha C. Conarro, of Fairbanks, N. D., arrived here Tuesday, and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carrithers and other friends in this city. Mrs. Conarro formerly resided near Weston.

William Collins returned Monday morning from Cornell, where he had been the guest of George Myers and family. Mr. Myers has been in ill health for some time and was recently compelled to give up his position as station agent there.

Mrs. Earl McBride and daughter left Wednesday afternoon for Flora. Mr. McBride has been pharmacist at the store of the Frank J. Butler Company for some time past and recently resigned. He will leave in a few days for Flora to join his wife and daughter in making that their home.

SAUNEMIN

Grace Hahn visited her brother in Forrest Sunday.

Dorothy Eggenberger is reported as improving in health.

Mrs. Pearl Huber and children spent Sunday in Strawn.

Milton Martin and wife are visiting friends and relatives in Ohio.

Lee Unzicker has been engaged to teach the Star school the coming year.

Alva Simpson, of Planagan, is visiting his brother, Alonzo, and relatives.

Eighteen eighth graders took the diploma examination Saturday in Saunemin.

County Superintendent W. E. Herbert visited the Saunemin school on Thursday.

Mrs. Jessie Schlosser went to Indiana Tuesday to see her father, who is quite sick.

J. S. Watts and R. S. Schlosser made a business trip to Campus and Emington Monday.

The ladies Sunday school class had a very pleasant social at the home of H. B. Kilgore Saturday afternoon.

Bertha Gramse returned Friday from a three months' stay with her uncle, Charles Nolta, at Terra Haute, Ind.

Dillard Ross had one of his feet badly hurt last week in a disc while hurrying in from the field ahead of the storm.

Thirty-three Odd Fellows from this place drove to Emington in autos on Sunday to attend the funeral of Mr. James Wylie.

Charles Hutson is working as secretary.

Constipation Cured.

Dr. King's New Life Pills will relieve constipation promptly and get your bowels in healthy condition again. John Supsic, of Sanbury, Pa., says: "They are the best pills I ever used, and I advise everyone to use them for constipation, indigestion and liver complaint." Will help you. Price 25c. Recommended by John A. O'Malley, Druggist---Adv.

and trick operator and Norman Watts is holding down the third trick during the absence of M. Martin, second trick operator.

Professor Johnson, of Decatur, who was hired as principal of the Saunemin school for next year, sent in his resignation and the board has hired Professor W. D. Woulfer, of Thawville, with Miss Pearl Ridinger as intermediate and Miss Myrtle Ellis as primary teachers.

NEVADA

Mrs. Will Morrissey was in Streator Monday.

Miss Mayme Ruddy was a Streator passenger last Tuesday.

Mrs. Michael McDonald visited relatives in Odell last week.

Michael Burns and family visited at Mrs. Corrigan's Sunday.

Roy Baker visited his brother, Bob, down near Pontiac Sunday.

Misses Anna and Frances Altfer were Dwight callers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sullivan visited at Michael Sullivan's Sunday.

Mrs. Will Bowden, who has been on the sick list, is better at the present time.

Mr. and Mrs. William Grundler and Emmet Corrigan left for Canada last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Altfer and daughter, Anna, visited at the home of Henry Shilling Sunday.

PROBING SECRET OF NATURE

Scientists So Far Have Been Unable to Ascertain How Gold Is Compacted Into Nugget.

How do nuggets of gold originate? Sometimes a mass of the precious metal worth a thousand dollars or more is found. By what process was so much gold compacted into a lump? An attempt was made not long ago to answer this question. An investigator in Australia cut and sliced and polished gold nuggets with the sole purpose of finding out just what is their structure. The first thing he discovered was that there is one curious point of resemblance between gold nuggets and meteorites. Both, when polished and etched with chlorine water, exhibit a crystalline structure. In the case of meteorites, the lines thus exhibited on the etched surface are called Widmannstatten figures, and their presence is said to be one of the most invariable characteristics of those metallic bodies that fall from the sky to the earth.

But it is not meant to be implied that gold nuggets have fallen from the sky because they exhibit a crystalline structure recalling that of meteorites. The resemblance is apparently only superficial, and the crystals of the nuggets differ in form from those of the meteorites.

Another curious fact is that when a nugget is heated in a Bunsen flame explosions take place on its surface. Blisters are formed which continue to swell until they burst with a sharp report and bits of gold are violently scattered about. It is evident that the nuggets contain either gases or some liquids or solids which are easily converted into the gaseous form, the expansion of which produces the explosions.---Harper's Weekly.

"Nero" Was Only a Pup.

Mr. Raymond appeared at his neighbor's one evening at dusk in a towering rage and uttering fierce threats against his neighbor's dog Nero. Vainly the neighbor tried to explain that Nero was only a puppy. "He belongs to Johnny," he went on, "and it would break Johnny's heart if anything happened to him. I think," hopefully, "that his manners will improve."

"Manners!" repeated Raymond. "I'm not complaining of his manners, but his nature. After he has jumped all over me he bit the back of my leg."

"That's as far as he can reach," broke in Johnny in a wounded tone. "You don't expect a little pup like him to bite a big man like you on the neck, do you, Mr. Raymond?"---Youth's Companion.

Tantalum Pens.

Pens for writing purposes are being manufactured today in Germany by a process which is exciting some curiosity. The trouble found with steel pens is that they oxidize easily and the ink sticks to them. This fault is not to be found with gold pens; but, on the other hand, these are too flexible to be entirely satisfactory. Moreover, in order to form a point suitable for writing purposes, the material of that part of the pen has to be mixed with some hard metal like iridium and this operation is both complicated and expensive. This new pen is of tantalum and comes to the manufacturer in the form of a black powder. The pen that is made from this has the tenacity of steel and the flexibility of gold.---Harper's Weekly.

Appropriate.

Gazing at a group of nine children gathered about a small stoop, an old lady called one of the little girls.

"Are all of these children your sisters and brothers?" she asked.

"Yes, mum," replied the youngster.

"What is the largest one named?"

"Maxie, mum."

"And what do you call the smaller one?"

"Minnie, mum."

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ROAD ITEMS

Good Roads for All.

As the nation improves its waterways, as in the case of the Mississippi; not for the good of a few, but for the good of all; as it builds new waterways, as in the Panama Canal and its little sister, the Sault Ste. Marie Canal; not for the few, but for the all; as the nation subsidizes the railroads with great mail contracts and land grants, not for the good of the few, but for the good of the all, so must the nation build, or improve its roads. Not for the good of the few---the pleasure-seeker with his automobile or the farmer with his fast horse---but for the good of all. For the good of the man with the hoe, who raises the corn, the potatoes, the wheat. For the good of the man who eats, who now pays more in the labor of his hand than the product is worth because of its cost of hauling and its scarcity. For the good of the man in the city who would live in the country if the country had means of communication with adjacent cities and towns and was thus livable and not isolated. For the good of the worker, the capitalist, the laborer and the man of leisure; for the school child trudging through mud to the school house and for the man on the farm killing his horses to get a ton of hay to market, for each and every one, not for the few, the nation must build its roads.

with good roads offers just as much, if not more. The states with the good roads have the least of this overburdened city population. Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut and New York are thickly settled with many small towns and many prosperous farms. In the extreme northeast and in the South are many deserted farms. Can it be that the good roads of the states mentioned have anything to do with this? Has the motor truck and its wonderful lowering of hauling cost anything to do with the good roads movement, now sweeping like wildfire across the State of Ohio? Or do the people buy motor trucks in the hope that maybe some day the roads will be improved?

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It isn't going on yet. It may not be going on tomorrow. But the hundred roads' bills in the nation's Congress today, where one was laughed to death five years ago, show the trend of things. It is coming, and coming soon, and the more it is realized that France and England have found it necessary to build their own roads, the more will it be seen that our need is greater than theirs, because our territory is greater and our population larger.

BAD ROADS MEAN LESS FARMS.

But it isn't only the cost of hauling that makes living high. It's the enormous rush to the city---the fact that we have too many abandoned farms and not enough men growing up to be scientific, up-to-date farmers.

Why is this rush to the city? Because the city offers more civilization. But the suburb, the outlying town,

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"SILVER CREST FARM" FOR SALE.

One of the best 160A farms in Northern Iowa. Two miles from Kanawha, Hancock County, a thriving, prosperous, wide-awake business town. Three-fourths of a mile from school.

This farm has been farmed for years by the owner, a practical farmer, farming on a four year crop rotation, and has been handled as a stock and dairy farm. Soil is in a fine state of fertility and free from foul weeds.

Soil: Deep, black loam with a clay sub-soil. Smooth, slightly rolling surface---well tiled and fenced and cross-fenced with woven wire.

Buildings all in good repair and well painted.

Dwelling consists of ten rooms and has just been remodeled, equipped with furnace, modern plumbing, large cellar and cistern. Water piped to both dwelling and barns.

This farm has one of the largest and best orchards in the vicinity, consisting of apple and plum trees and small fruit. Buildings protected by a large grove of black walnut and ornamental trees.

Horse barn 28x28---20 ft. posts.

Cattle barn 40x48---16 ft. posts.

Silo 16x34, built in connection with cattle barn.

Hog house 20x40x8 equipped with large windows and has brick floor.

Crib and granary 24x26---15 ft. posts. Concrete foundation and floor throughout. Grain bins above, and building is equipped with a Sandwich Portable Elevator.

On account of family connections the owner is seeking a change of location and places the farm on the market for \$155.00 per acre. \$20,000.00 down on contract. Balance on March 1st, 1914. No encumbrance now on the premises.

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