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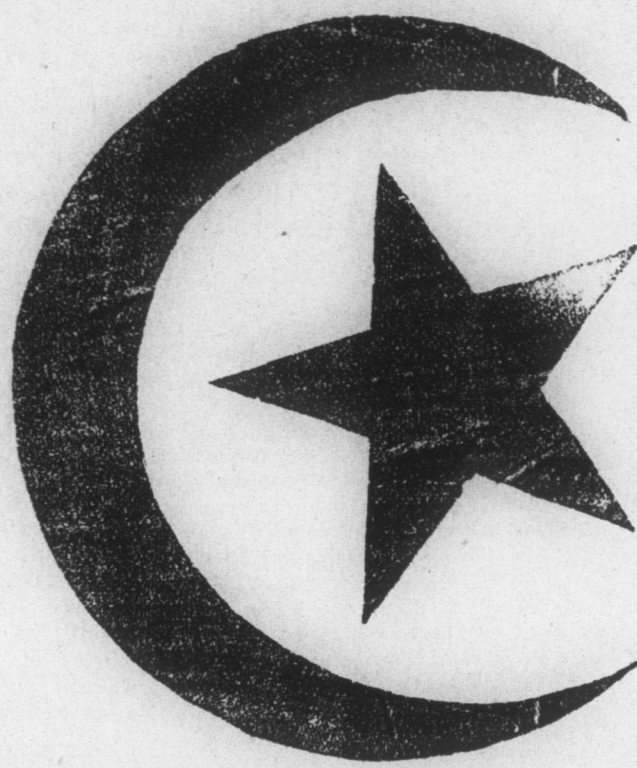
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## Catholic Notes.

Service will be held every Friday evening during Lent at 7:30, in St. Augustine's church. Next Sunday an explanation on the sacrament of baptism will be given at 10 a. m.

### St. Patrick's Day, 17th March.

On the 17th inst. the church will present us again the glorious memory of the Apostle of Ireland, a saint, we may say, of a most extraordinary character, in whatever light he is considered.

His mission seems to have been a sudden illumination, a rapid conquest, of a whole nation; and although one of the earliest preachers of the gospel in Europe, his hold upon the faithful people once converted is apparently as strong to-day as it was fourteen hundred years ago. His death, as it ever was. No saint we can think of, compared to St. Patrick for the permanency, the freshness, the fervor and intensity of love of the land, he drew from the darkness of idolatry to the brightness of divine faith. Before the island of the Britons had emerged from the shadow of Paganism; before the nation of the Franks had heard the name of the true God; while the vast Germania totally ignored the coming of Christ upon earth; while all the nations of the north were still asleep in the darkness of infidelity; previous to the awakening of these various people, St. Patrick raised in Ireland the torch of divine light, and announced the good news, the happy tidings of salvation to the astonished and docile Hibernians. The heavenly seed took at once a marvelous root through the whole island, which divine grace had blessed even more richly than nature. From the beginning, saints succeeded to saints, in a manner they covered the land. Churches arose everywhere; monasteries and convents were founded in which science and exalted virtue continued long to flourish. Such was indeed the renown of Ireland for sanctity and learning, that, by common consent, she received the glorious title of "the island of saints;" foreigners flocked to her shores to be instructed in religion and letters, and a residence in Ireland was considered as almost essential to establish a literary charac-

ter. Not content with affording an asylum to strangers at home, the sons of Hibernia crossed the seas to diffuse the same blessings abroad. All the neighboring nations, England, France, Germany, and Switzerland, profited by the zeal and learning of Irish missionaries, and the most celebrated nurseries of science in those remote ages were founded or improved by Irish scholars. And when the epoch of the great apostasy came in the sixteenth century; when the German defection was followed up at turns by England and Scotland, finally by the whole north, Ireland stood firm, alone; and no persecution, however artful or atrocious, for full three hundred years, has ever been able to shake the faith once implanted in the Irish heart by St. Patrick. Praised be forever the glorious father of such heroic children.

The Stanislas Literary Society gave an elaborate program of addresses, and musical and literary numbers at the Forester's hall last Sunday evening. The program was the fruit of two weeks of careful preparation and reflects great credit on the taste and judgment of the officers. The audience besides being numerous was intelligent and appreciative one. It is a matter of regret that the public at large cannot be admitted, as only members of the St. Augustine's congregation can be present at the exercises. Many, who from lack of room are debarred, would highly appreciate the work of the society. The musical members consisted of excellent performance on the organ, violin, cornet and mandolin by Messrs. John and Jerry Healy and their sister, Miss Maggie. The Meyer sisters gave much pleasure by their vocal duet, and the solo rendered in such a good voice by Miss Annie Meyer was duly appreciated. The prophecy by Mr. Francis Meyer was well received by the audience. The recitations by the Misses Maggie Healy, Annie Walters, and Cinda MacLainburg elicited merited applause. The description of Niagara Falls was scientifically treated by Miss Annie Beck, and showed careful preparation. The comical dialogue by the Misious brothers was calculated to cheer the audience and will be repeated at the next meeting.

The society paper was carefully edited and besides being humorous contained also many good moral lessons, which when observed and put in practice, will serve to fit youth morally and socially for life.

## Called to Wolcott.

The Evening Star Chapter, No 41, O. E. S., of Rensselaer, has again been honored by a call from the Grand Deputy to organize a new chapter. Wolcott, Ind., petitioned for the chapter and the work was to have been done last night by special deputies C. G. Spitzer and B. F. Fendig, assisted by one of the best drilled corps of officers in the state, composed as follows:

Mrs. Lizzie Long, Worthy Matron; Miss Blanche Loughridge, Associate Matron; Miss Nellie Hopkins, Conductress; Mrs. Belle Spitzer, Associate Conductress; Miss Ora Duvall, Treasurer; Mr. Alfred Hopkins, Secretary; Miss Helen Kelley, Adah; Mrs. Agnes O. Kelley, Ruth; Mrs. Ray Mossler, Esther; Mrs. Dora Fardman, Martha; Miss Lizzie French, Electa; Miss Nellie Spitzer, Organist; Mrs. M. L. Spitzer, Chaplain. About twenty-five left yesterday by train and will attend, together with the visiting chapters of Remington, Monticello and Goodland. A new feature will be introduced at this organization, consisting of Floral Work, which is effective, beautiful and instructive, and in which the Evening Star Chapter will demonstrate their ability. The goat has had a season of good training, is well fitted for any and all emergencies.

## Thaw-out Notice to Loafers.

EDITOR PILOT:—There is a certain business man on Main street who says he would appreciate warm weather very much, so the loafers can thaw out on the street corners, as too many are hard on show cases. He also wishes to notify the people who are interested in scrapping, to go to livery barns or barber shops or where such things are tolerated.

F. T.  
See clubbing list for special rates with all the Magazines.

Opera House, beginning Monday, March 11. Hascall Comedy Co. Popular prices.

Seed oats for sale by Coen.

## A Sage Young Man.

JORDAN TP., March, 6.—The neighbors are all helping Mr. Nafziger, from Illinois, move on the place Joseph Branson leaves.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sage, a boy.

Miss Hattie Burr, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Ralph Johnson, near Goodland, has returned home.

There is considerable sickness in the neighborhood.

Mr. D. S. Johnson's family of Foresman have been quite sick with la grippe.

William Johnson was visiting his old neighbors in this vicinity this week. He is going to work at Dixon, Illinois this summer.

Mrs. Elliott R. Burr returned from Virginia last week. She reports the family well. Mr. Burr expects to visit here in the summer.

Huffman Kurr has moved to Goodland, and Lewis Spaulding will live on the place vacated by him.

Mr. Hoover is holding meeting at Union school house.  
CRAZY POLLY.

BLACKFORD, March, 7.—Mrs. Lesh who has been sick with pneumonia, is about the same, at this writing, as for several days past.

Mrs. Rebecca Hurley is sick with lung fever.

Scarlet fever and chicken pox at James Longstreth's.

Robert Shook has moved in the house lately vacated by John Price.

A birthday party at Anderson Jenkins Monday for his 50th anniversary.

Cain Galbreath and family have moved to Rensselaer.

Mrs. Boothe preached at the Brushwood church the fore part of last week.

The Elder preached at the Independent school house Saturday and Sunday evenings.

J. M. Spriggs visited at Kniman Saturday and Sunday.

John Pullins has returned from Ohio.

Perry Marlatt has returned from Ohio, where he has been visiting relatives.

William Florence, who has been visiting relatives in this vicinity, has returned to Chicago.

John Nichols family have moved down on B. J. Gifford's farm, close to Rensselaer.

John McCutcheon has traded his fiddle to John Casey for a horse.

Hauling logs and lumber is the order of the day, for the erection of the new bridges.

Charles Gilmore and family have moved on S. R. Nichol's farm.

Literary at the Burn's school house every Friday evening. The question for debate next Friday evening will be: Resolved that the statesman should receive more praise than the soldier. Debaters, J. M. Spriggs, Eugene Miller, Dan and John Lesh, George McElfresh, Frank Wilson, Ernest Frazee, Jesse Jenkins, Chris Arnold and William Cooper.  
BESSIE.

## Farmers' Alliance.

Having accepted the position of lecturer for the fourth district at the hands of President J. F. Willets and the executive committee of our order, I take this means of opening communication with all who may see fit to notice. It is my desire to enter at once upon the discharge of the duties of this position, and I ask the hearty cooperation of all Alliance members to the end that the greatest amount of good may be done during the coming year. It is proper to state in this announcement that the amended constitution of the national F. A. and I. U. provides for five lecturers, to be appointed by the president and the executive committee, but provides no compensation for such lecturers except as may be agreed between the lecturer and those who call for his services. I hope that officers of county or sub-alliances, or individual members of the order, that desire a visit from your lecturer, will write to me without delay and I will endeavor to arrange for a visit at such time as will be most convenient for all concerned, and upon such terms as can be mutually agreed upon. The absence of political excitement during the coming year will make the building of our order on a business basis much easier than in a campaign year when politics absorbs the attention of the people. In the past the cooperative and business features of the order have been neglected.

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and we have depended too much upon the social and educational work to keep up the roll of membership. This course has always been attended with unsatisfactory results and during the coming year it will be the chief care of our officers to perfect the business methods in their various lines so that membership in the alliance shall be profitable, not alone socially, morally and educationally, but financially as well. I wish to be fully informed of the needs of the order in all parts of this district as quickly as possible, and to this end, ask all members as well as officers to write me fully so that I may be advised of your condition and requirements at once. The fourth district includes Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska; South Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan. Trusting that the coming year may be one of great prosperity to our order, and that each member will contribute his or her best efforts to promote this prosperity. I remain  
Fraternally yours,  
C. VINCENT.

37 1/2 W. Market street,  
Indianapolis, Ind.

## Those Gravel Road Bonds.

Without presuming to criticize the wisdom of bunding the gravel roads of which the county stood so greatly in need, this article is designed to show conclusively that there are certain federal laws, now operating for individuals only, which, if extended to county governments, would enable the people to get money to build roads and for other public purposes, without the payment of any interest. Few will dispute the justice of the general government loaning money to a rich county on the same terms that it loans money to a private firm, yet that is just what the law does not authorize. The law permits the government to loan to individuals, practically without interest, and on poorer security than the bonds of Jasper county. This is done whenever a bank is started. United States bonds are deposited with the secretary of the treasury and he loans, as a practical fact, ninety per cent of the face value of the bonds, in bank bills, to the owners of the bonds. It is demonstrable that United States bonds are less valuable than county bonds, for this reason: A county may be sued, and the courts may direct a levy of taxes that is equivalent to foreclosing a mortgage, while there is no way to compel Uncle Sam to pay his obligations if not able to do so. Would it not be just as reasonable for the government to loan the county money, free of interest, for such purposes as the building of gravel roads or court houses, upon the pledging of county bonds, to bear no rate of interest, as it is to loan, in like manner, to national banks, the pledge U. S. bonds, upon which the bankers draw interest besides having ninety per cent of their value to loan to the people?

Is there any risk that the government would take in such a transaction? Is there any one who would not be a gainer by the enactment of such a law except the private money lender? Mrs. Emory's "Coin's Financial Conspiracies" should be read by every person in the United States. It gives a history of the legislation that has built the money power of America. Sent post paid to any address for 10 cents or three copies for 25 cents. Address this office.

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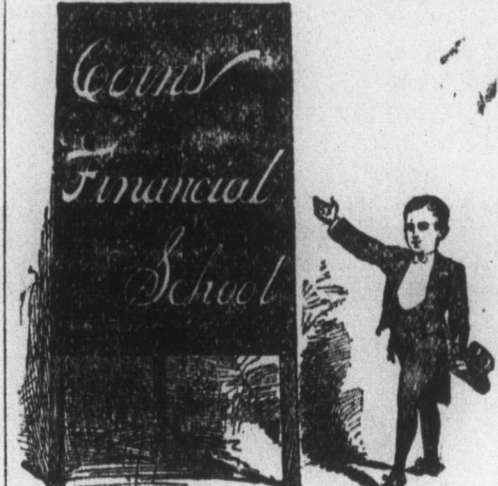
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The demand for "Coin's Financial School" continues to take an average of 5,000 copies per day. Several orders of 1,000 each from prominent men have been filled by the publishers in the last week. The character of these orders is illustrated by that of W. R. Bennett, a prominent business man of Omaha, who orders 1,000 copies and says: "It should be in the hands of every voter in the United States."

William J. Slack, La Grange, Ind.: "I have used 100 'Coin's Financial Schools' and will use more. It is a good shot, well aimed, and in time, as I hope."

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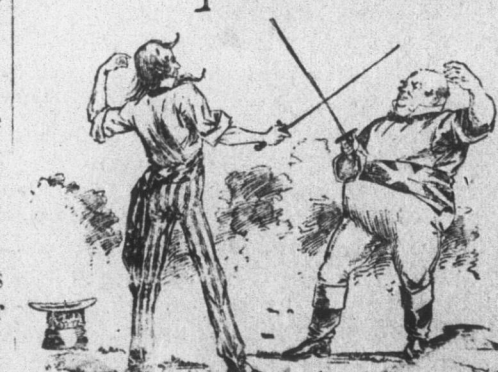
E. A. Stearns, secretary of Drovers' Journal Company, South Omaha, Neb.: "It is the simplest statement of what money is and its relation to business affairs that I ever saw."

T. C. Dalbey, ex postmaster, Frankfort, Ind.: "I purchased and read a copy of 'Coin's Financial School,' but was at the time prejudiced against it, and read it as much or more, with a view to criticism as anything else. However, I am free to confess that I had read but a portion of the book until I found that it had the better of me, and by the time I had completed the perusal thereof was soundly converted. Everybody ought to read it, especially those who, like myself, may entertain a prejudice for it."

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