

## ILLINOIS WILL GO REPUBLICAN

Indications Point to Election Of Deneen in That State.

### CANNON TO BE RETURNED.

ALTHOUGH HE HAS BITTER OPPOSITION IT IS EXPECTED THAT HIS PLURALITY WILL BE BETWEEN 5,000 AND 7,500.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 3.—Rousing meetings held in many places throughout Illinois last night marked the close of the active work of the campaign. The contest in both the national tickets was over so far as political management was concerned and the fight left with the voters.

The Republicans claim the state by 190,000, while the Democrats class it as doubtful.

The Democrats, in fact, have strong hopes of electing their candidate for Governor, Adlai E. Stevenson, and the fight, in this particular, is somewhat in doubt.

The Republicans, however, assert that they will return Charles S. Deneen to the gubernatorial chair by a heavy plurality.

It is impossible to predict with any accuracy the political complexion of the next Congressional delegation from this state, save it will be largely Republican. The Democrats claim stoutly and, with some apparent reason, that they will gain a number of Representatives. It is generally conceded, however, that they will be in a decided minority.

The friends of Speaker Cannon confidently predict his re-election by a majority of from 5,000 to 7,500, while the Democrats claim that Henry C. Bell, their standard bearer in this district, surely will defeat Cannon.

There is every indication that the next state Legislature, which elects a successor to Senator Albert J. Hopkins, will be Republican.

**The Eternal Servant Question.**  
In describing the servant of Buenos Aires a writer in the Buenos Aires Herald says, "Cook, housemaid, waitress, chambermaid or nurse, individually and collectively, they are the speck on the ripe fruit of domestic felicity, the fly in the ointment, anything and everything you please that is bad and slovenly and untrustworthy, everything, in short, save good servants."

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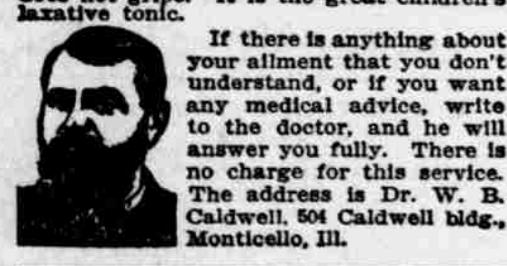
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### Burglars Lunch And Then Play Poker For Their Victim's Money

Cleveland, Ohio, Nov. 3.—Burglars enjoyed a fine lunch and then played a game of poker for their victim's money in his own home last night.

Rattling of the poker chips aroused the family of Leroy Gleason, this city. Gleason stole down the stairs and saw the burglars in the parlor, busily taking his own money.

### THE GAMING PASSION

Incidents In Actual Life That Outstrip Fiction.

#### A COLD BLOODED MONARCH.

Louis XV. and the Dead Man at the Card Table—A Woman Who Gambled on Her Deathbed—Lord Denison's Play While His Bride Waited at the Altar.

If the full story of the card table could be written it would surely be the most startling revelation of human cupidity ever published, and almost every page of it would be marked by some incident which would outstrip fiction.

When Louis XV. was at the card table the fascination of the game made him absolutely dead to all externals and even to decency and humanity.

On one occasion when he was playing for heavy stakes one of his opponents, overcome by excitement, collapsed in his chair in a fit of apoplexy. His majesty affected to ignore the incident until some one exclaimed, "M. de Chauvelin is ill!" "Ill?" retorted the king, casting a careless glance at the stricken man; "he is dead. Take him away. Spades are trumps, gentlemen."

Equally weird is a story Goldsmith tells. When the clergyman arrived to prepare a lady parishioner who had a passion for gambling for her approaching death the lady after listening for a short time to his exhortation exclaimed: "That's enough! Now let us have game of cards." To humor her the parson consented to play. The dying woman won all the money and had just suggested playing for her funeral fee when she fell back and expired.

In the early years of last century a whist club composed largely of clergymen used to meet in the back room of a barber's shop in a Somersetshire town. On one occasion, so the story runs, when four of the club members were acting as pallbearers at the funeral of a reverend brother, some delay occurred, and the coffin was set down in the chancel. One of them produced a pack of cards and suggested a rubber. The coffin served the purpose of a table, and the players were deeply immersed in the game when the sexton arrived to announce that everything was at last ready.

Mazarin's passion for gambling was so strong even in death that he played cards to the very end, when he was so weak that they had to be held for him, and the "merry monarch" spent his last Sunday on earth playing at basset round a large table with his great courtiers and other dissolute persons and with a bank of at least £200 before him.

The curious fascination cards possess for their devotees is illustrated by the following story of Lord Granville, at the time ambassador to France. One afternoon when he was about to return to Paris he repaired to Graham's to have a farewell game of whist, ordering his carriage to be at the door at 4. When it arrived he was much too deep in the game to be disturbed. At 10 o'clock he sent out to say that he was not ready and that the horses had better be changed. Six hours later the same message was sent out, and twice more the waiting horses were changed before he consented to leave the table after losing £10,000.

An equally remarkable story is told of George Payne, the great turf plunger of seventy years ago. On one occasion he sat down at Limmer's hotel to play cards with Lord Albert Denison, later the first Lord Londesborough. Hours after hours passed. The game proceeded all through the night and long after day dawned, and it was not until an urgent message came to tell Lord Albert that his bride was waiting for him at the altar of St. George's, Hanover square, that the cards were at last flung down. It was Lord Albert's wedding day, and he met his bride £30,000 poorer than when he left his bride the previous day.

One of the most romantic of gambling stories is told by Mr. Thistlethwaite of a plainly dressed stranger who once took his seat at a faro table and after an extraordinary run of luck succeeded in breaking the bank. "Heavens," exclaimed an old, infirm Austrian officer who had sat next to the stranger. "The twentieth part of your gains would make me the happiest man in the world!" "You shall have it, then," answered the stranger as he left the room.

A servant speedily returned and presented the officer with the twentieth part of the bank, adding, "My master, sir, requires no answer." The successful stranger was soon discovered to be the King of Prussia in disguise.

The most costly game of cards on record was probably that in which the late George McCulloch, chairman of the Broken Hill Proprietary company, once took part. A syndicate of seven had been formed to finance the famous Broken Hill silver mine, and Mr. McCulloch was one of the seven. One

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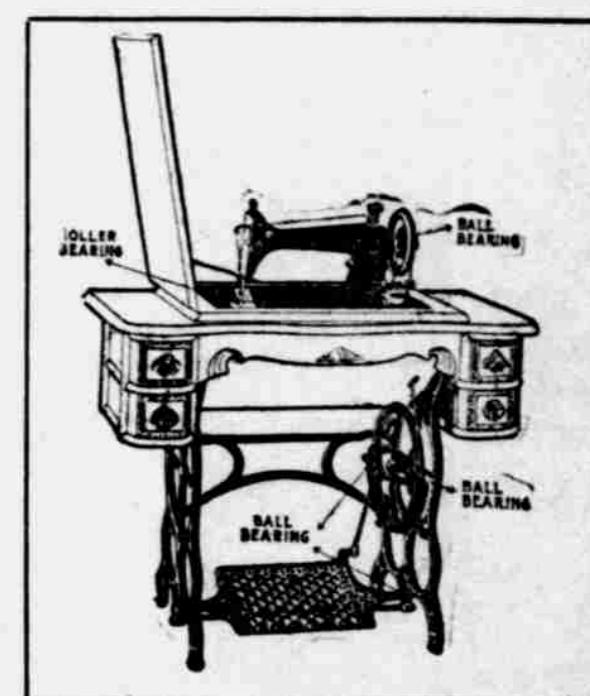
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### PRESENT SYSTEM IS MORE COSTLY

Mayor's Family Objects to Present Time of Holding City Court.

### POLICE LIKE PRESENT PLAN

BY HOLDING COURT IN AFTERNOON MANY OF INCONVENiences OF THE PAST HAVE BEEN DONE AWAY WITH.

#### To Make Them Smart.

"Mr. Pedagog is an oldtime teacher. He believes in the rod to brighten up dull boys."

"Well, isn't that the natural way to make them smart?"

#### The Burned Church.

Jim regarding damage to church by fire—Good job it wasn't a factory, Bill. Bill—You're right, mate. Only one man put out of work, and he draws his money.—Punch.

The Rule of Three. Stella—What is the rule of three? Bella—That one ought to go home.—New York Sun.

### THE CITY IN BRIEF

Pension vouchers executed at John Irredell's office, with the Ferguson Investment Co., 4 N. 9th street.

This week, donation of can goods, fruits, vegetables, staples and Money thankfully received at Margaret Smith Home.

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### WAS ENGAGED IN CHARITY WORK

Mrs. Kate Ayer Who Died Monday Well Known.

Mrs. Kate Ayer died yesterday evening, after an extended illness. The funeral will be Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Carrington, 100 Fort Wayne avenue. Friends may call any time. Mrs. Ayer was always an active worker in charity and was the first president of the Penny club, and was one of its first members and organizers.

CONFIRMATION LECTURE.

Services will be held Friday night at 7:30 in St. Paul's Episcopal Parish house which will be followed by a confirmation lecture.

### POSTAL RECEIPTS SHOW PROSPERITY

Increase in September and October.

Say does this look like hard times?" asked Postmaster Speckenhier as he picked up off his desk a pad showing a bunch of figures.

"Last month," said he, referring to the figures, "the receipts at the local postoffice exceeded by \$254 the postal receipts of October last year. During last September and October the receipts of the local postoffice exceeded the receipts of the same two months last year by \$816. Guess that's pretty good when you come to consider that September and October last year marked the high water mark of prosperity under the Roosevelt regime."

Another objection is being raised to the city court being held at an afternoon hour and this time it comes from members of the mayor's official family.

The protest is entered because of the increased expense to the city. The city allows 15 cents per meal for each prisoner fed and when they remain at the city jail until the afternoon session of court they have to be provided with dinner. This is the cause of the additional expense. When six or seven prisoners are in the city jail and each is supplied with breakfast and dinner the increase in expense is not considerable.

"Why, what did he say?"

"He didn't say anything at all."

"Did you ask him?"

"I said: 'Sir, I wish to marry your daughter. Have I your consent?'"

He turned and looked at me a minute.

Then he began to grow red in the face, and then he grabbed me and threw me over the banisters, and before I could ask him again he had slammed his door and locked it.

But he didn't say anything either way."

Most children eat too much, overtax the digestion, get thin, weak, languid, stop growing—that's malnutrition or non-digestion of food.

One of the greatest drawbacks that

is expected to be encountered by the

new plan relates to the duties of the

prosecuting attorney. When the

circuit court is in session and important

trials under consideration, the prosecu-

tor can not be at both courts at the

same time. This means one court will

have to suffer inconvenience or the

work must be turned over to a deputy.

Although the time has been changed

for three weeks the plan has not un-