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GRAND OPERA HOUSE

Tuesday, Mar. 10
2:30, 3:30, 4:15
Night--7:00, 7:45, 8:30, 9:15
Fifth Story of
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Thursday, Mar. 12
The World's Most Wonderful
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The Road
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Direct from 22 weeks in Chicago
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Order seats now.

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The Servant Problem



'Wear-Ever'
Aluminum Utensils

help to solve it.
In three ways a careless cook de-
troys cooking utensils.
1. She allows them to rust;
2. She strikes them against the stove
and they chip and scale; and
3. She ruins them by burning food
in them.
Now, a 'Wear-Ever' utensil cannot
rust, it can't chip or scale, and
burning food in it--which does not
happen as readily as in other uten-
sils--has no effect whatever upon
the utensil. How, then, can a servant
destroy it? She may burn it, or
pound it with a hammer, but even
then it can be restored to its original
shape and worth.

Since 'Wear-Ever' utensils are
bright and clean, are made without
seams, and because food cooked in
them requires less stir-
ring than when cooked
in other utensils, they
are favorites with the
cook. Don't blame the
servant for the fault of
the utensil.

Replace utensils that wear out
with utensils that 'Wear-Ever'

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At the Colonial.
Motion pictures of the great Mexi-
can war, showing the great battles
of Juarez, Tierra Blanca, Mesa and
Ojinaga, will be shown at the Colonial
tonight. Actual pictures taken on the
battle line showing the famous rebel
chieftain, Pacheco Villa. The capture
of the cities, the burning of the dead,
hospital scenes, etc., will be display-
ed. These pictures were taken by Dr.
Charles A. Pryor, Associated Press
reporter and motion picture operator.
Four wonderful reels. The reels are
authenticated by responsible United
States officials and are no framed-up
pictures for the occasion, but are ac-
tual reproductions.
Colvin and Emmons, in new song
hits tonight. A great program. Don't
miss it. It's at the Colonial.--Adver-
tisement.

ARE TAKING STEPS
TO SECURE PASTOR

Congregational Church Meeting De-
cides on Committee to Fill
Pulpit Permanently.
Steps will be taken by the First
Congregational church to secure a
minister to fill the vacancy caused by
the resignation of the Rev. George C.
Williams. A meeting was held after
church services yesterday morning to
consider the question.
J. A. M. Collins was authorized to
appoint a committee of five men which
would assume the task of selecting a
man to fill the pulpit permanently.
Mr. Collins will name his committee
soon.

After a heavy meal, take a couple
of Doan's Regulets, and give your
stomach, liver and bowels the help
they will need. Regulets bring easy,
regular passages of the bowels.--Ad-
vertisement.

Experienced.
'Are you accustomed to the care of
children?' 'I should hope so,' re-
plied the applicant for the position.
'I've had six different places this
last week.'

FLAMES RACE
THROUGH BUILDING

(Continued from page 1.)

"Although I spent some time trying
to recover the book, I was not success-
ful. I think there were between fifty
and seventy-five in the hotel when
the fire broke out. I don't know how
many of them got out."
Although Rickey, one of those killed,
had made his home in Chicago, he
registered from St. Paul because he
was on the eve of moving there. All
of his household goods were pack-
ed and his wife was in Chicago await-
ing his return from St. Louis. The
news of her husband's death was re-
ported first to her brother and was
kept from her until her brother could
go to her.

At 9 a. m., officials of the Missouri
Athletic club had accounted for all
but the following men and they are
believed to have perished in the fire:
William E. Becker, president Becker-
Moore Paint company.
Thomas Wright, auditor Lemp
Brewery company.
William Erd, real estate broker,
East St. Louis.

Allen R. Hancock, Underwood Type-
writer company, and well known am-
ateur baseball and foot ball star.
J. T. Haehlein.
John Ratz, president of the Ryffel
Ratz Plumbing company.
John A. Kinder, president of the
Kinder Construction company.
Thomas Szyne, Underwood Type-
writer company.
William Shields, president Shields
Lye company.

Geo. Goerner, president Holstein
Commission company.
Ben Weatherly, salesman Har-
daga-McKittick Dry Goods company.
Allen Dow, salesman, 500 North
Broadway.
McGinnis, of B. Nugent and Co.
Ludwig Elisman, manager of the
New Orleans branch of the K. E.
Neuman company of St. Louis.

Joseph E. Chasnoff, publicity agent
for St. Louis Republic.
Bert Crouch, salesman Western
Electric and Supply Co.
John Q. Day, insurance agent for
Sun company of London.
Ed. Wells, resident of M. & C.
L. P. Ruff, buyer, Simmons Har-
dware company.

The list of missing does not include
several employed unaccounted for.
Firemen who were working on the
Lucas avenue side of the club build-
ing were called off at 9 o'clock. The
north wall gave evidence of falling,
and Chief Swingley refused to allow
the men to endanger their lives for
the sake of work they might do in
saving property.

The fire was practically out at 10
a. m., but the ruins were too hot to
permit a search for bodies.
Levy was rescued from the ledge
of a window, where he was hanging,
by firemen. He declared he had \$10-
000 in bonds in his room when the
fire started, and that they had been
destroyed. He went to the Hotel
Jefferson for treatment.

W. T. Hawkins, night engineer of
the club, declared he attempted to
rescue occupants of the upper floors
but was prevented by his inability to
run the elevator through the fire and
smoke.
Hawkins said he was in the base-
ment when he smelled smoke. He
investigated, going to the first floor
and running the elevator to the third
floor. He could not run it higher, he
said, and was compelled to descend.
Hawkins declared the elevator might
have been run later and fallen, caus-
ing the noise which was heard by
Manager McGill and which was be-
lieved at first to have been an ex-
plosion. The Shapleigh Hardware
company building was damaged on the
west side. All the window panes
were broken by the heat. Among the
other establishments which will suf-
fer losses are the St. Louis Seed
company, which occupies a four story
building just to the west of the club
building. Every window was broken

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remedy--proof of its power to relieve
quickly, safely, surely, the head-
aches, the sour taste, the poor
spirits and the fatigue of biliousness
--will be found in every dose of

on the third and fourth stories and the
building was flooded.

The second and third stories of the
Beckman Commission Co.'s three
story building at 615 North Fourth
street, caught fire and the building
was flooded with water.
It was said the company had sev-
eral thousand cases of eggs in the
building.
Adjoining the Beckman store to
the north is the St. Louis Poultry and
Feed company's store. It was flood-
ed and many chickens were drowned.
Immediately after it was seen the
fire would partly demolish the Boat-
men's Bank building, arrangements
were made for temporary quarters for
the bank at 124 North Fourth street.

Edward Hell, who conducts an
oyster business at Broadway and
Lucas avenue, saw the glare of fire
over the club building as he left his
establishment at 1:50 o'clock. He
ran to Washington avenue in time to
witness an explosion which drove fire
and blazing embers through the front
windows of the club and bank and
across Washington avenue against
other buildings. After the explosion,
he saw men and women at windows,
pleading for help and within a few
moments a man jumped from one of
the upper floors and struck the pave-
ment almost at Hell's feet. Hell said
some of the persons he saw at the
windows sank back into the smoke
and flames. Others crept out on fire
escapes and began to make their way
to the street.

One man was saved from death
when firemen diminished the pressure
on a stream from a hose and played
the water on the man while he de-
scended the fire escape from the fifth
floor to the street, passing almost
directly through flames that were
belching from the windows at the
lower floors. When the man first
appeared upon the fire escape he seem-
ed dazed and behaved as if he were
about to jump into the street. Hell
and a fireman shouted to him to
climb to the fire escape which con-
nected with the ledge on which he
hesitated. The sight of flames lick-
ing out across the steel stair below
him seemed to daunt him, but when
the cold water from the hose struck
him, he regained his composure and
began the descent. He was almost
drowned when he reached the street.

Search for the missing bodies could
not be begun until shortly before
noon, when part of the wrecked struc-
ture had partially cooled. Firemen
then climbed into the building and
shortly afterward reported finding two
bodies, and a few minutes afterwards
two more bodies were found. All
were unidentified at noon.
Firemen who entered the Boatmen's
bank's quarters declared the evidence
of an explosion in the building was
conclusive. They found the wall be-
tween the first floor quarters of the
Athletic club and the bank driven in
toward the bank and columns inside
the bank quarters sent away from
the club quarters. Firemen declared
only an explosion would have done
this.

Fireman standing on part of the
collapsed roof of the building which
had fallen to the third floor narrowly
missed death when the portion of the
east wall that had not fallen earlier
in the morning gave way shortly be-
fore noon. The entire east wall down
to the third floor fell into the street.
Portions that fell inside the structure,
however, missed firemen who were
playing a stream of water into the
building, by a margin of a few feet.
H. C. Henley, chief of this fire pre-
vention bureau made an inspection of
the cellar this afternoon. He report-
ed that he found in there that two
gas meters which were fed from a six
inch main had been melted from their
connection. He advanced the theory
that the enormous volume of gas thus
released ignited in the flames and
caused the explosions reported by the
survivors of the fire. Henley exam-
ined the vaults of the bank and said
he found them intact, the flames not
having reached them. The money in
the vaults, is therefore safe.

Three Believed Dead.
CLARKSBURG, W. Va., March 9.--
At least three persons are missing and
believed to be dead and three others
fatally injured by jumping, was the
toll of a disastrous fire, which, early
today, swept one of the principal
business blocks on West Main street.
The four story Lowe building was
totally destroyed when the ten story
Union Bank building was gutted.

Fatally Injured.
Robert Huggitt, back and legs brok-
en in fall from apartment on fifth
floor of Union Bank building.
Marsh Canon, district manager of
the Philadelphia company of West

Virginia, limbs broken and internal
injuries in fall from fifth floor Union
Bank building.
Mr. Brown, injured in leap from
fourth floor apartment in Iowa build-
ing.

It is believed here General Car-
ranza's telegram to Villa suggesting
that he drop the demand for a ran-
som, will have its effect and that Ter-
razas will be spared further trouble.
Villa is not so intent upon getting
money as he is upon stopping the
financing of filibusters by General
Luis Terrazas, father of the prisoner.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

To the Voters of the City of Keokuk

If elected as one of your councilmen at the coming city
election, my platform will be as follows, to-wit:

FIRST. A respectful consideration of all requests and
complaints of the people, with open meetings according to
law.

SECOND. No increase of the bonded debt without a fa-
vorable vote of the people.

THIRD. No grants to private or corporate enterprises
in which the rights of our city are not fully protected.

FOURTH. A careful scrutiny of all expenditure of public
funds, and approval only of such, for which the city receives
full compensation.

FIFTH. The adoption of the U. S. army method (of
which I am perfectly familiar) of accounting for all supplies
issued to the Police, Fire and Public Improvement depart-
ments.

SIXTH. A close and thorough investigation into the
justness of the present charge for gas, and the minimum
charge of one dollar for electric light. I confess, that I ap-
proach this subject with great prejudice against the present
price, therefore will not act hastily, but with the thought
ever present that both sides should be treated fairly.

SEVENTH. Either give the saloon men the protection
they pay for by driving the bootlegger out of business, or
quit taking their money. The present system is robbery.

EIGHTH. If elected to office I will devote all my time
to caring for your interests as if they were all my own.
If these are your sentiments, then vote for me.

J. A. M. COLLINS.

THEY GET BODY
FROM GRAVE

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cept from the family and relatives of
Vergara who fully identified the
body."

Those who recovered Vergara's
body are today the heroes of the
Texas border. In view of the circum-
stances, it is certain that no arrests
will be made even if the identity of
the invaders is known. Mexican fed-
erals are now in an awkward position
as they had stated that Vergara was
alive and with the constitutionalists.
Action of Washington authorities is
waited with extreme interest. The
county surveyor of Webb county in-
formed Colquitt today that the island
from which Vergara was lured, lies
in Texas.

Not Excited by News.
MEXICO CITY, March 9.--The
news that Texas rangers had crossed
the Rio Grande and seized the body of
Vergara, which reached here from
Juarez, created no excitement. Ameri-
cans and foreigners feared that the
Mexicans might resent the act of the
Texans, and professing to fear anti-
American demonstrations, General
Huerta ordered extra guards to patrol
all the streets of the capital but they
were unnecessary. The Mexicans
seemed to view the affair as trivial
and there was no indication that the
government would seek to make it an
international incident.

Rangers Did Not Cross.
AUSTIN, Texas, March 9.--Mexican
federal returned the body of Cle-
mente Vergara, American, to the Texas
side of the Rio Grande, according to
information Governor Colquitt receiv-
ed from Ranger Captain Sanders at
Laredo today in a long distance con-
versation with the Texas executive.
Sanders explained to the governor
that neither he nor any rangers cross-
ed the border Saturday to get the
body of the slain Texas rancher but
that Mexican federal advised him to
go to a point opposite Hidalgo, Mexi-
co, for it, and he did so. Who were
in the party who returned the body,
Sanders said he did not know.

This information was sent to Pres-
ident Wilson.

Tongues are Bridled.
EL PASO, Texas, March 9.--General
Venustiano Carranza today
issued specific instructions by wire
that all officers of the constitutional-
ist government, whether civil or mili-
tary, should be very circumspect in
the matter of making statements on
government matters for publication.
Just why this order was issued at
this time is not known in Juarez, but
it is believed that owing to the deli-
cacy of the situation growing out of
the Bauch and Benton cases and the
reported discovery of the body of Cle-
mente Vergara, executed American,
at Hidalgo, he feared expressions of
opinion by his subordinates might
complicate matters.

The relatives of Colonel Luis Ter-
razas II are anxiously awaiting the
result of a conference at Chihuahua
today between General Francisco
Villa, rebel leader, and U. S. Consul
Marion Letcher. Letcher made rep-
resentations to Villa regarding the pro-
posal to send Terrazas to the firing
line at Torreon where he would be ex-
posed to the fire of the federal de-
fenders of that city. Although the
period within which the prisoner's
father, General Luis Terrazas, was to
pay a ransom of 500,000 pesos expired
last night, members of the family said
no money had been paid and no word
had been received regarding the pris-
oner's fate.

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Constitutionalists assert that
should the elder Terrazas arm and
equip filibusters again, his son's life
might be forfeited.
A dispatch from Chihuahua says
several members of General Car-
ranza's commission, named to investi-
gate the execution of Wm. Benton,
Englishman, and the disappearance of
Gustave Bauch, American, arrived
there Sunday night. No testimony
will be taken, however, until the ar-
rival this afternoon of General Fraus-
to, president of the commission.

Attack on Torreon.
[By a United Press staff correspon-
dent.]
MEXICO CITY, March 9.--Rebel
attack on Torreon by General Villa's
troops began early today, according to
despatches received here and immedi-
ately 2,000 federal were rushed to
the town by special train to rein-
force the defenders.

A dozen of the leading citizens of
Torreon were killed when the rebels
blew up a passenger train near Hor-
nos, not far from Torreon. Most of
the passengers on the dynamited train
were refugees fleeing from the rebel
attack.
Salvador Cortes, one of the greatest
poets Mexico ever produced, who had
allied himself with the rebels, was
executed at Tizimin, in the state of
Yucatan.

"God will rule in Mexico," shouted
Cortes with his last breath as the
guns of the firing squad barked out.
The poet was defiant to the last. Four
other rebel leaders were executed
with Cortes by the Yucatan officials.

Look on the Bright Side.
Get into the habit of looking for
the silver lining of the cloud, and
when you have found it continue to
look for it, rather than at the leaden
gray in the middle. It will help you
over many hard places.--A. A. Willis.

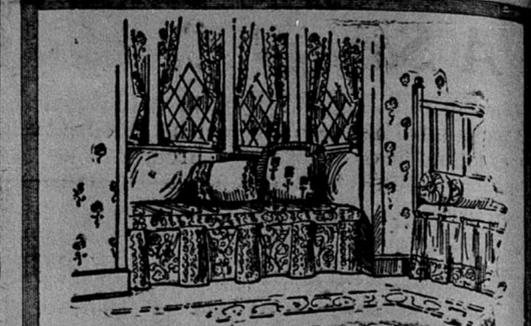
SALTS IF BACKACHE
AND KIDNEYS HURT

Stop Eating Meat for a While if
Your Bladder is Troubling
You.

When you wake up with backache
and dull misery in the kidney region
it generally means you have been
eating too much meat, says a well
known authority. Meat forms uric
acid which overworks the kidneys in
their effort to filter it from the blood
and they become sort of paralyzed and
luggy. When your kidneys get slug-
gish and clog, you must relieve them
like you relieve your bowels; remov-
ing all the body's urinous waste, else
you have backache, sick headache,
dizzy spells; your stomach sours,
tongue is coated, and when the weather
is bad you have rheumatic twinges.
The urine is cloudy, full of sediment,
channels often get sore, water scalds
and you are obliged to seek relief two
or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable phy-
sician at once or get from your phar-
macist about four ounces of Jad Salts;
take a tablespoonful in a glass of
water before breakfast for a few days
and your kidneys will then act fine.
This famous salt is made from the
acid of grapes and lemon juice, com-
bined with lithia, and has been used
for generations to clean and stimulate
sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize
acids in the urine so it no longer ir-
ritates, thus ending bladder weakness.
Jad Salts is a life saver for regular
meat eaters. It is inexpensive, can-
not injure and makes a delightful,
effervescent lithia-water drink.

CHICAGO, March 9.--Wheat--No. 2
red, 94c; No. 3 red, 93c; No. 2
hard, 92c; No. 3 hard, 91c; No. 2
soft, 89c; No. 3 soft, 88c.
Corn--No. 2 white, 67c; No. 2 yellow,
66c; No. 4 white, 65c; No. 4 yellow,
64c; No. 2 mixed, 63c; No. 4 mixed,
62c.
Oats--No. 2 white, 38c; No. 2 yellow,
37c; No. 2 mixed, 36c; No. 4 white,
35c; No. 4 yellow, 34c; No. 4 mixed,
33c.
Rye--No. 2 white, 1.10; No. 2 yellow,
1.09; No. 2 mixed, 1.08; No. 4 white,
1.07; No. 4 yellow, 1.06; No. 4 mixed,
1.05.
Sorghum--No. 2 white, 1.10; No. 2 yellow,
1.09; No. 2 mixed, 1.08; No. 4 white,
1.07; No. 4 yellow, 1.06; No. 4 mixed,
1.05.



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LATEST MARKET QUOTATIONS

United Press Association Telegraph Market Report Over Gate City
Leased Wire.

Grain Review.
[United Press Leased Wire Service.]
CHICAGO, March 9.--At the out-
set today, grain traders were mostly
influenced by the official figures of
farm reserves made public after the
close of the market Saturday. Wheat
reserves were reported considerably
lighter than the trad had anticipated
and prices bulged 1/4 to 1/2 at the
start. Free selling caused a reaction
and at noon, prices had fallen a frac-
tion under those prevailing at Satur-
day's close.

Corn moved in the same way as
wheat. The trade had anticipated a
report of heavier reserves and at the
start today prices advanced 1/4 and
then broke sharply under heavy sell-
ing. In the forenoon trading, May
lost 1/2 and July 1/4.

Oats were under pressure from the
start, the official report showing
heavier reserves than expected. The
decline in the other grains was an-
other bear factor that caused a de-
cline of 1/4 to 1/2.

Provisions were firm and higher at
the start on account of a strong hold
market, but with little demand, prices
eased off.

Daily Range of Prices.
CHICAGO, Ill., March 9.--
Open. High. Low. Close.

WHEAT--
May 93 1/2 93 1/2 93 1/2 93
July 87 1/2 87 1/2 87 1/2 87 1/2
CORN--
May 66 1/2 66 1/2 66 1/2 66 1/2
July 64 1/2 64 1/2 64 1/2 64 1/2
OATS--
May 38 1/2 38 1/2 38 1/2 38 1/2
July 36 1/2 36 1/2 36 1/2 36 1/2
PORK--
May 21.70 21.72 21.52 21.52
July 21.70 21.77 21.57 21.60
LARD--
May 10.90 10.90 10.75 10.75
July 11.07 11.07 10.92 10.92
RIBS--
May 11.60 11.62 11.50 11.52
July 11.57 11.70 11.57 11.62

Chicago Cash Grain.
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Chicago Live Stock.
CHICAGO, March 9.--Hog receipts
30,000; market strong; higher. Mixed
and butchers, \$8.45@8.80; good heavy,
\$8.45@8.75; rough heavy, \$8.30@8.45;
light, \$8.50@8.75; pigs, \$6.75@8.40.
Cattle receipts 24,000; market
steady, 10c lower. Heaves, \$7.10@
9.70; cows and heifers, \$6.00@8.45;
stockers and feeders, \$5.60@8.30; Tex-
ans, \$7.00@8.10; calves, \$7.50@10.75.
Sheep receipts 30,000; market slow,
steady. Native, \$4.85@6.15; western,
\$4.85@6.15; lambs, \$6.75@7.63; west-
ern, \$5.75@7.70.
St. Louis Live Stock.
EAST ST. LOUIS, March 9.--Cattle
receipts 3,000; market strong. Texas
receipts 900. Native beef steers, \$7.50
@9.75; cows and heifers, \$4.25@8.50;
stockers and feeders, \$5.00@7.50;
calves, \$6.00@11.00; cows and heifers,
\$4.00@6.00.
Hog receipts 9,000; market 10c high-