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Scene from the "Metro" picture, "The Silent Voice," featuring the two distinguished screen stars, Francis X. Bushman and Marguerite Snow at the Hippodrome Theatre, for the last time tonight.

Poor Team Work. J. R. in the Davenport Times: Even so great a magazine entertainer as Trv Cobb is unable to train the wild, untamable illustrator in the way he should go. In the latest edition of the Saturday Evening Post Cobb writes about an operation and gives his impressions of the surgeon who "wore a beard." The author devotes considerable space to a detailed description of the beard, but when one turns to the illustration, one finds that the illustrious artist has taken pity on the doctor and given him a smooth shave.

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LETTER READ FROM BISHOP JAS. DAVIS

Expression of Regret at Not Being Able to Attend Meeting of the Keokuk Deacons Here Tuesday.

CEREMONIES OF MASS ARE SILENT OFFICERS

Carried Out Yesterday as an Example—Next Meeting to be Held in May, at St. Peter's.

At the opening of the semi-annual conference of the priests of the Keokuk deanery, held at St. Peter's rectory yesterday afternoon, Very Reverend Dean Gillespie read a letter from Right Rev. Bishop James Davis of Davenport in which he expressed his regret at not being able to be present at the meeting. He praised the priests of the Keokuk deanery for their fidelity and their work.

There was a full attendance present at the meeting. The ceremonies of a solemn high mass were carried out in the afternoon as an object example of how this service should be conducted. Rev. Joseph Ronger was the celebrant. The other officials were Rev. Benno Fesser, deacon; Rev. H. Phillips, sub deacon; Rev. Mathias O'Loughlin, master of ceremonies; Rev. N. J. Peiffer and B. Decker, acolytes; Rev. James Toner, thurifer and Rev. Peter Hopman, critic.

DEATH OF STEPHEN POOLE AT CANTON, MO.

Old Citizen of Missouri Town Was Father of Keokuk Man—Other Relatives Also Survive. CANTON, Mo., Nov. 17.—Stephen Poole, one of Canton's old residents, died Tuesday morning after an illness of about two or three weeks. Mr. Poole is an old veteran and he will be missed by Canton people.

GERMANY (Continued from page 1.)

"are unable to delay our advance anywhere. On the east and west fronts, there have been artillery duels and mine fighting, but no changes in positions."

THE WEATHER.

For Keokuk and vicinity: Threatening with rain or snow tonight and Thursday. Warmer tonight and colder Thursday. Fresh to strong shifting winds.

Weather Conditions. The western depression is central in Nebraska this morning, with areas of high pressure on either side, in the central valleys, and in the central mountain region.

It is somewhat warmer in the plains states, in the region of low pressure, and the temperature change has been slight in other districts, freezing temperature prevailing this morning over the northern half of the country, east of the Rockies.

There has been snow in the lake region, and it was snowing in Nebraska this morning.

River Bulletin. Flood Stage. Stage Changes. St. Paul 12 not received. La Crosse 12 6.4 x0.6. Dubuque 18 5.8 x0.1. Davenport 15 4.6 x0.0. Keokuk 14 5.3 x0.2. St. Louis 20 not received.

Local Observations. Nov. 16 7 p. m. 39. 17 37 N Clear. 17 8 a. m. 30. 14 29 E Clear. Mean temperature, Nov. 16, 28. Highest, 49. Lowest, 27. Lowest last night, 27.

FRED Z. GOSEWISCH, Observer.

TRAFFIC SIGNS PLACED TODAY

Red Flags in Heavy Iron Bases Are Put at Main Street Corners to Regulate Vehicles.

ALL DRIVERS ARE SUPPOSED TO RESPECT THEIR WARNINGS AND TO DRIVE TO THE RIGHT OF THESE SIGNS.

The new signs which will be used for the regulation of traffic have been installed on Main street. They have an iron base from which a bright red flag is flying. These signs will serve as silent traffic policemen and the motorists and drivers of all vehicles are supposed to heed their warnings.

The flags mean that all drivers shall keep to the right of the signs, and that pedestrians shall not "jay-walk" across the streets, that is cut corners. As much trouble is experienced by this "jay-walking" habit as from anything else, the traffic policemen find. The flag system has been tried in other cities and has been quite a success. It is expected that it will prove as useful in Keokuk.

JUDGMENT OF SOLOMON NEEDED (Continued from page 1.)

on such a case! I cannot express an opinion, because such a case might come before me."—Judge George F. Barrett, of the criminal court.

"I agreed with Dr. Haiselden to let my baby die. I love the poor deformed little one. With tears and breaking heart, I gave my consent to its death. Left to itself it has no chance to live.

"No one need think me cruel or an unnatural mother. My heart is full of mother love for all my children. But this poor little one, if allowed to live, would be for years, only a burden to itself. Its life would be dark, barren, useless, unrelieved by happiness to itself or pleasure or service to others. It is, as the doctor says, one of nature's blunders, and I am willing that nature should correct its error by my baby's death.

"I am satisfied that I am doing right. My husband thinks as I do. "This is a pagan idea. The fundamental principles of christianity is saving lives. Deformed persons do a lot for this world, as history shows. Most of them are lovable and law abiding. I am horrified at the idea."

Rev. Father Frank S. O'Brien, Holy Name church. "It is difficult to hold a dogmatic opinion in a case like this. I am divided between conviction and sentiment. The trend of science teaches us to prolong life and christianity recognizes the sacredness of life. There, I believe everything should be done to keep the child alive. I must add that circumstances alter cases, and the doctor must be the final judge of conditions."—Bishop Samuel Fallos.

Conference of Officials. CHICAGO, Nov. 17.—Police Chief Healy this afternoon called a hurried conference with Commissioner of Health John Dill Robertson and Coroner Peter Hoffman to decide what action, if any, those departments can take to compel hospital authorities to perform the operation to save the life of the child of Mr. and Mrs. Bollinger.

Divided Opinion. NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—New York physicians were divided in their opinion today of the case of Baby Bollinger, dying in a Chicago hospital because surgeons refuse to perform an operation that may save his life and yet leave him a defective.

Dr. Irwin Arnov, superintendent of the big Jewish maternity hospital, severely condemns the action of the Chicago hospital staff.

"Whether the baby is an idiot for life, does not enter into the question," said Dr. Arnov. "It is the duty of every medical man in the country to save life in every case where it is possible."

Dr. Gertrude B. Kelly expressed the same view. "No person has a right to curtail life in any way," she said. "Doctors are not little gods to make life or death decisions."

Dr. John A. McCorkle, of the Long Island hospital, said the Chicago hospital staff did "exactly right."

"Why prolong life if the child is bound to be a burden to society," he said.

Miss Katherine B. Davis, commissioner of corrections of New York said her experience with the worst types of mental defectives convinced her the Chicago hospital authorities were exactly right.

Lindsey's Opinion. DENVER, Colo., Nov. 17.—Judge Ben Lindsey today stated it would be an "act of mercy" to let Mrs. Anna Bollinger be deformed infant die.

"This case in Chicago should give an impulse to the national movement for birth control and prevention of defectives," said the famous juvenile court leader.

Iowa Supreme Court Decisions. [Special to The Gate City] DES MOINES, Nov. 17.—Jewel Tea Co., appellant, vs. Shepard, et al, Polk county, affirmed.

State of Iowa vs. Thomas, appellant, Polk county, affirmed. WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 17.—The woman's rights question is causing dissension in the ranks of the Washington newspaper correspondents corps. The demand of women newspaper writers for the privileges of the press galleries of congress is

Late Market Quotations

Table with columns for WHEAT, CORN, OATS, PORK, LARD, RIBS, and various market prices. Includes sub-sections for Chicago Live Stock and St. Louis Live Stock.

Long Commission Co. Grain Letter. CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 17.—Wheat—Scattered liquidation of December wheat and selling of May by local longs gave the market a heavy tone. Commission house buying on raising orders absorbed the offerings on the way down. The prospect of unsettled weather had no effect on the market, because of reports from southwest of dry weather. Private reports indicate a material reduction in amount of wheat acreage as compared with last year. A fair amount of export business was reported today, worked on this decline. Although there are claims of some Manitobas being re-sold by foreigners, the expectation of decreased receipts has not yet materialized. Primary receipts today were 2,798,000 bushels as compared with 2,069,000 bushels last year. After the close of navigation there is likely to be some accumulation of wheat and this should result in a more attractive level at which to invest.

Corn—The untrational corn was heavy, and although some realising occurred from inside prices, closing was only 1/4 and 1/2 lower. Although complaints as to the quality of the crop are numerous local cash handlers say that the quality of receipts here are about the average. A few cars of exceptionally high grade have been received, they are the exception rather than the rule. Cool and sweet corn is offered at heavy discount, under the December and is meeting with slow sales. Cash demand is easy, about 1/4 lower and hard to dispose of.

Oats—The decline in other grains brought out corresponding weakness in oats. Commission houses were free sellers and the demand not urgent. The demand around inside prices was credited to cash interests. The movement keeps on a liberal scale.

Provisions—Despite the larger hog market, provisions advanced, commission house's buying was on a larger scale, with May lard in good demand from this source. Packers were the best sellers on the advance.

Chicago Estimates for Tomorrow. [Furnished by Long Commission Co., 402 1/2 Main, Telephone No. 100.] Hogs, \$8.00; cattle, \$6.00; sheep, 12.00; wheat, 18c; corn, 18c; oats, 18c.

Liverpool Close. Wheat unchanged; corn, unchanged; oats, unchanged. Clearances. Wheat and flour, 1,208,000; corn, 12,000; oats, 2,000.

Northwest Wheat Receipts. Minneapolis, 690 cars; Duluth, 742 cars; Winnipeg, 1,276 cars.

Chicago Cash Grain. CHICAGO, Nov. 17.—Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.12@1.13 1/4; No. 3 red, \$1.05@1.09 1/4; No. 3 hard, 99c@1.03; No. 3 spring, 97@99c.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 60 1/2@61c; No. 4 yellow, 59 1/2@60c; No. 5 yellow, 57 1/2@58 1/2c; No. 3 white, 58 1/2@59 1/2c; No. 4 white, 57 1/2@58 1/2c; No. 5 white, 55 1/2@56 1/2c; No. 3 mixed, 59@60 1/2c; No. 4 mixed, 57@57 1/2c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 35 1/2@36 1/2c; No. 4 white, 35 1/2@35 1/2c; standard, 33 1/2@34c.

Peoria Grain. PEORIA, Ill., Nov. 17.—Corn—Market unchanged, 1/4c higher. No. 2 white, old, 62c; No. 3 white, old, 61 1/2c; No. 4 white, new, 58 1/2@57c; No. 5 white, new, 55 1/2c; No. 2 yellow, No. 3 yellow, old, 64c; No. 2 yellow, new, 60 1/2c; No. 4 yellow, new, 57 1/2@57c; No. 5 yellow, new, 55@55 1/2c.

Oats—Market 1/4c lower. No. 2 white, 34 1/2c; No. 4 white, 34 1/2c.

St. Louis Cash Grain. [Furnished by Long Commission Co., 402 1/2 Main, Telephone No. 100.] ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 17.—Wheat—No. 2 red, new, \$1.17; No. 3 red, new, \$1.10 1/2@1.16.

Corn—No. 2, 61c; No. 3, 59 1/2@59 1/2c; No. 3 yellow, 61c; No. 2 white, 60 1/2@61c; No. 3 white, 59@59 1/2c.

Oats—No. 2, 36c; No. 3, 34 1/2@35c; No. 3 white, 36 1/2@37 1/2c; No. 4 white, 35 1/2@36c.

Kansas City Cash Grain. [Furnished by Long Commission Co., 402 1/2 Main, Telephone No. 100.] KANSAS CITY, Nov. 17.—Wheat—No. 2 hard, new, \$1.01@1.07; No. 3 hard, new, 98c@1.07; No. 4 hard, new, 89c@95c; No. 2 red, new, \$1.10@1.12; No. 3 red, new, \$1.00@1.08; No. 4 red, new, 90c@94c.

Corn—No. 2, 60c; No. 3, 58 1/2@59 1/2c; No. 2 yellow, 61@61 1/2c; No. 3 yellow, 61c; No. 2 white, 59@59 1/2c; No. 3 white, 58 1/2@59c.

Oats—No. 2, 34 1/2@35 1/2c; No. 3, 33@34c; No. 2 white, 37 1/2c; No. 3 white, 36@36 1/2c.

Chicago Live Stock. CHICAGO, Nov. 17.—Hog receipts 48,000; market 10@15c lower. Mixed and butchers, \$5.30@6.70; good heavy, \$6.00@6.45; rough heavy, \$5.90@6.10; light, \$5.80@6.15; pigs, \$3.75@5.65.

Cattle receipts 17,000; market steady. Heaves, \$5.90@10.30; cows and heifers, \$2.75@8.25; Texas, \$6.20@7.10; calves, \$5.25@10.25; westerns, \$6.35@8.45.

Sheep receipts 14,000; market slow. Native, \$5.60@6.15; western, \$5.75@6.15; lambs, \$6.50@8.75; western, \$6.75@8.75.

Chicago Live Stock. [United Press Leased Wire Service] CHICAGO, Nov. 17.—The hog market closed slow at the early decline. Immense receipts were responsible for the weak market. Estimated for Thursday, 20,000.

The cattle market closed steady with top \$10.30. The sheep market closed steady to strong with \$6.15, the top for sheep and \$8.75 for lambs.

Chicago Live Stock—Close. [Furnished by Long Commission Co., 402 1/2 Main, Telephone No. 100.] CHICAGO, Nov. 17.—Hog receipts 48,000; market 10@15c lower. Mixed and butchers, \$5.80@6.70; good heavy, \$5.90@6.70; rough heavy, \$5.90@6.10; light, \$5.60@6.45.

Cattle receipts 17,000; market steady, strong; top \$10.30. Sheep receipts 14,000; market weak and slow; top \$6.15. Lambs, top \$8.75.

ST. LOUIS Live Stock. ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 17.—Cattle receipts 6,000; market steady. Native beef steers, \$7.50@10.40; yearling steers and heifers, \$8.50@10.35; cows, \$6.00@7.75; stockers and feeders, \$6.00@10.50; calves, \$5.25@8.50; cows and heifers, \$4.00@6.50.

Hog receipts 9,500; market 10c lower, yesterday's average. Mixed and butchers, \$6.20@6.55; good to heavy, \$6.60@6.75; rough, \$6.00@6.25; light, \$6.20@6.55; bulk, \$6.20@6.50; pigs, \$5.75@6.25.

Sheep receipts 3,500; market steady. Sheep and ewes, \$5.00@6.25; lambs, \$8.00@8.75; yearlings, \$6.50@7.25.

OMAHA Live Stock. OMAHA, Nov. 17.—Cattle receipts 6,200; market steady. Steers, \$5.75@10.00; cows and heifers, \$3.75@6.75; stockers and feeders, \$5.50@6.00; calves, \$6.00@9.50; bulls and stags, \$4.00@6.00.

Hog receipts 3,700; market 10@15c lower. Bulk, \$6.10@6.15; top, \$6.30. Sheep receipts 10,000; market steady. Yearlings, \$6.00@6.70; wethers, \$5.50@6.00; lambs, \$8.60@8.70; ewes, \$5.25@5.50.

KANSAS CITY Live Stock. KANSAS CITY, Nov. 17.—Cattle receipts 7,500; market steady. Steers, \$5.50@10.00; cows and heifers, \$4.00@9.00; stockers and feeders, \$5.50@7.75; calves, \$6.40@10.00.

Hog receipts 10,000; market 10c lower. Bulk, \$6.15@6.40; heavy, \$6.30@6.50; medium, \$6.20@6.45; light, \$6.10@6.40.

Sheep receipts 8,000; market steady, weak. Lambs, \$8.15@8.50; ewes, \$5.00@5.65; wethers, \$4.50@8.20.

NEW YORK Money Market. NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Money call, 2 percent. Six months, 3 percent. Mercantile paper, 3 percent. Bar silver London, 24 1/2d. Bar silver New York, 51c. Demand sterling, \$4.66 1/2.

NEW YORK Stocks—Close. [Furnished by Long Commission Co., 402 1/2 Main, Telephone No. 100.] American Beet Sugar, 69. American Can (common), 69. American Can (pdf), 68. American Car & Foundry, 83. American Locomotive, 88. American Smelter (common), 98. American Sugar Refining, 127. American Tel. and Telg. Co., 128. Anaconda, 108. Atchafson, 108. Baltimore & Ohio, 94. Brooklyn Rapid Transit, 99. Butte & Superior, 72. Canadian Pacific, 186. Chesapeake & Ohio, 63. Chicago Great Western, common, 63. Chicago Great Western, preferred, 63. Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, 94. Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific, 65. Colorado Fuel & Iron, 54. Crucible Steel, 76. Erie, common, 44. Erie, preferred, 44. General Electric, 177. Great Northern, pdf, 131. International Copper, 41. Lehigh Valley, 77. Maxwell com., 69. National Lead, 102. New York Central, 116. Norfolk & Western, 69. Northern Pacific, 119. Pennsylvania, 59. Reading, 52. Republic Iron & Steel, com., 23. Republic Iron & Steel, pdf, 23. Studebaker, 154. Union Pacific, 67. United States Steel, com., 116. United States Steel, pdf, 79. Westinghouse, 69. Willys Overland, 43.

Potatoes—Receipts 55 cars; Minnesota, \$5@8; Wisconsin, 60@60c. Live poultry—Fowls, 10@12c; ducks, 12@13c; geese, 18@13 1/2c; spring chickens, 13c; turkeys, 16@17 1/2c.

NEW YORK Produce. NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Flour market irregular, unsettled. Pork market dull. Mess, \$17.00@17.50.

Lard market quiet. Middle west spot, \$9.00@9.10. Sugar, raw, market easier. Centrifugal test, \$5.02; Muscovado 89 test, \$4.25.

Sugar, refined, market easy. Cut loaf, \$9.90; crushed, \$8.80; powdered, \$8.10; granulated, \$6.00@6.05. Coffee Rio No. 7 on spot, 7 1/2c. Tallow market steady. City, 7 1/2c; country, 7 3/4c; speckled, 8c.

Hay market firm. Prime, \$1.27 1/2@1.30; clover, 90c@1.22 1/2.

Dressed poultry market firm. Chickens, 14 1/2@27c; turkeys, 14@25c; fowls, 12@17 1/2c; ducks, 12@22c.

Live poultry market unsettled. Geese, 15@16c; ducks, 15@22c; fowls, 13 1/2@15c; turkeys, 20@21c; roosters, 11 1/2c; chickens, 14@15c.

Cheese market firmer. State milk common to special, 12 1/2@13 1/2c; skims common to special, 8 1/2@13 1/2c.

Butter market firmer. Receipts 8,213. Creamery extras, 30@30 1/2c; dairy tubs, 25@29 1/2c; imitation creamery firsts, 23@24c. Egg market quiet. Receipts 8,078.

A compromise in sight today, advanced by the standing committee correspondents governing admission to the press seats, and house public seats in the senate and house public rooms still available practically to men only.

A Santonic Press. Quoting St. Paul Pioneer Press: Preparation to justify military preparedness seems to be parting unacceptably of the proverbial devices of the devil.