### Pay Taxes.

The taxes for 1907, both personal and real estate, are now due and payable at room 18, M. & L. building. Hours, 9 to 12 a. m., 1 to 5 p. m. Open Wednesday and Saturday evenings from 7 to 9 p. m. Bring your last year's receipts with you.

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### Skin Disease of 20 Years' Standing Cured.

I want you to know how much Chamberlain's Salve has done for me. It has cured my face of a skin disease of almost 20 years' standing. I have been treated by several as smart physicians as we have in this country and they did me no good, but two boxes of this salve have cured me.—Mrs. Fannie Griffin, Troy, Ala. Chamberlain's Salve is for sale by all druggists.

# WON BY FREEPORT

### Local High School Team Loses Decision in Debate on Corporation Control.

### DEFENDED THE NEGATIVE SIDE

Norman French, Charles Larkin and Joseph Kelly Represent School—Are Given Reception.

Freeport, Ill., Feb. 22.—(Argus Special.) — Freeport high school won the decision in the inter-school debate with Rock Island high school last night on the subject, "Resolved, that the federal government should have control of the great corporations doing an interstate business, the constitutionality of such control being conceded."

Freeport debated in the affirmative, being represented by George Green Aipheus Dresser and Oscar Ennenga. The Rock Island team included Norman French, Charles Larkin and Joseph Kelly, who were accompanied here by T. M. Coen of the school faculty.

The judges were Dr. James A. James, head of the department of history in Northwestern University, Dr. M. M. Quaife of the University of Chicago, and Dr. H. B. Kennedy of Beloit college, Beloit, Wis.

**Are Given Reception.**

Rock Island did good work, and the decision was a difficult one for the judges to make. A reception was tendered the Rock Island delegation by the Freeport high school literary societies at the close of the public meeting.

**Had Difficult Side.**

Having the unpopular and more difficult side of the question, the Rock Island boys were not expected to secure a decision from the strong Freeport team. They upheld their contentions creditably, however.

## BASEBALL GOSSIP

Lee Lemon has been traded by Clinton to Freeport.

Montgomery, in announcing the line-up for 1908, placed Noah Henline and Gordon Lewis in the outfield.

Eddie Krebs has been resold by Little Rock to Vicksburg. It is reported that since Eddie got married he has decided to quit the game.

Catcher J. W. White has been sold by Dubuque to Peoria. Pitcher Ralph Lord has forwarded his signed contract to Manager Rowland.

Manager Bosse, who is trying to get together an aggregation for Kewanee in the Central association, announces he has 16 men signed and more coming.

Honus Wagner has purchased a chicken farm, and says he will not rejoin the Pirates in the spring, which causes Barney Dreyfus no end of worry.

The Eau Claire club has joined the Northern league, Rockford having its franchise in the Wisconsin. The team, which was sold to LaCrosse, will be retained.

Wilson Bering, schedule maker of the Three-Eye league, has finished his work, and copies are expected to be sent to the several clubs next week. Mr. Bering was waiting upon the settling of the dates of the Western Trotting association so as to avoid all conflicts. It is said the changes in last year's program will be few. There will be 140 games, and the season will start April 30 and close Sept. 13. There will be usual arrangement of holiday games, and all clubs will play every day in the season.

## TEAMS PLAY IN LYONS

### High School Basketball Five Meets Unknown Opponents.

The high school basketball team left this afternoon for Lyons, Iowa, where this evening it will play the Lyons high school five. The team departed at 2 o'clock over the I. & I. with the knowledge that they were to play a team of unknown quantity to local basketball enthusiasts, and the outcome is awaited with interest. The team will play the regular lineup. Manager McCandless, Coach Victor Hall, and Clifford Hubbard, as substitute, went with the team. Mr. Voss departed this forenoon to visit with friends at Clinton preceding the game.

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## MRS. C. O. YOUNG

Reader, at Augustana College Monday Evening, in "Enoch Arden," Musical-Dramatic Recital, with Sigfred Laurin, Pianist.—Mrs. Young was Formerly Connected with the Department of Elocution at the College.

## TEAMS OF STATE ARE TO CONTEST

### Baseball Championship Meet of Illinois High School Athletic Association Arranged.

Formal announcement was made today by Principal H. E. Brown of the local high school, secretary and treasurer of the Illinois High School Athletic association, of the completion of arrangements for a basketball tournament along the line suggested recently, and heretofore referred to in The Argus. The tournament is to decide the championship of the association, and will be held at Oak Park March 27 and 28. Schools registered in the association are eligible to compete, and Rock Island will send a team to the tournament.

The preliminaries will be held the afternoon and evening of March 27 and the morning and afternoon of March 28, at the Oak Park Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. If the entries are so numerous that the preliminaries cannot all be held at the time, arrangements will be made to hold some of the preliminary contests earlier on neutral floors. The finals will be held the evening of March 28.

The contest will be in charge of Athletic Director Tapp of the Oak Park Y. M. C. A., and he will name the officials to act at the games. The entries must be in the hands of Lewis Omer of Oak Park by March 14. Suitable trophies will be provided.

## TOURNAMENT IS CLOSED

### Tigers Lead in Basketball Contest at the Y. M. C. A.

The business boys' basketball tournament at the Y. M. C. A. has come to a close, with the Tigers in the lead with a standing of .800 per cent. Physical Director Franks will start a second tournament Tuesday night with the same teams for a series of 30 games. The tournament just closed consisted of the same number of contests. The following were the teams and their standings:

| | W. | L. | Pct. |
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| Tigers, Carl Krell, captain | 4 | 1 | .800 |
| Owls, Willard Parks, captain | 3 | 2 | .600 |
| Ponies, Elmer Schuck, Capt. | 3 | 2 | .600 |
| Cubs, Arthur Lundeen, Capt. | 2 | 3 | .400 |
| Knockers, Ben Mitchem, Capt. | 2 | 3 | .400 |
| Whalers, Frank Barker, Capt. | 1 | 4 | .200 |

## GUN CLUB HOLDING A SHOOT

### Is an Informal Affair, the Banquet Being Postponed.

The members of the Rock Island Gun club are holding a shoot this afternoon at the range near the Watch Tower. The shoot will be resumed tomorrow afternoon. The event was to be between two teams made up of members present, the losers to pay for a spread. Owing to the inability of a large number of the members to attend, the affair was changed to an informal shoot, and the event for a banquet will be held later.

## MEET FRAT TEAM AGAIN

### Augustana Basketball Players Hope to Defeat Moline Boys.

The Augustana basketball team will lock horns with the Moline frat team tonight for the second time. The frat boys won the first game, but the college team hopes to be victorious tonight as the game is to be played on the college floor.

All the news all the time—The Argus

## GOLF TOURNEY HERE NOT THE EARLIEST

### Skokie Club at Chicago Will Have Invitation Meet July 9-11—Other Dates Are Fixed.

Dates for four open tournaments were announced yesterday at Chicago by Secretary E. A. Engler of the Western Golf association. The Skokie Country club will hold an invitation tournament July 9 to 11. Following the western amateur championship at Rock Island July 13 to 18, the Glen View club will hold its annual event July 20 to 25, the first day being set apart for the Marshall Field cup contest. Onwentsia's classic for the Mayflower and subordinate cups will be played Aug. 3 to 8. The Kent Country club of Grand Rapids has been given July 30 to Aug. 1 for an open meet.

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# GETS THE VERDICT

### Packey McFarland Wins Well Earned Decision From Fred Welsh, the Englishman,

### THOUGH BOUT GOES THE LIMIT

Attempt to Land a Knockout Fails—Stanley Ketchell Picked to Defeat Mike Sullivan.

Milwaukee, Feb. 22.—Packey McFarland of Chicago showed whirlwind form against Freddie Welsh of England last night in the 10-round battle before the Badger Athletic club, winning the decision after a terrific bout. The pride of the stock yards administered a fearful beating to the speedy Briton, although he fell down in attempt to win a bet of $200 to $100 that he would stop Welsh inside of the limit.

It was the old story of a lightning fast boxer against a scienced slugger in which the latter won out. Referee Malachy Hogan's decision was received with favor, although a small number of the 4,500 present hooted the verdict.

Welsh showed indominable courage and stood the gaff at all times, never flinching for an instant, although he frequently adopted a crouch that worried the little Chicago champion.

**The Preliminaries.**

In the first preliminary Fred Nehr knocked out "Sailor" Thompson in the second round. In the second preliminary Eddie Greenwald in a six round go earned the decision over Marty Kane in easy fashion.

The eight round semi-windup between Steve Kinney of Milwaukee and Eddie Kenny of Chicago was awarded to Kinney after a tame contest.

**Ketchell Picked as Victor.**

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 22.—The supporters of Stanley Ketchell, who is dated to meet Mike (Twin) Sullivan of Boston in a 25-round bout at Colma this afternoon, are forced to give odds of 2 to 1 on their man and there are few wagers of any size recorded. Sullivan's friends appear to have little confidence in the Boston man against Ketchell and most of the Ketchell money is going begging.

## CHARTERS ARE IN DANGER

### Corporations Will Forfeit if They Fail to Send in Reports.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 22.—Six thousand Illinois corporations are in danger of losing their charters for failure to file reports as provided by law. Under the law, corporations are required to make two reports annually to the secretary of state: one, the so-called anti-trust affidavit, in the month of September, the other the annual report as to officers and business, between the first day of February and the first day of March. Over 6,000 corporations are still delinquent in the making of the February report. The penalty for failure to report within the time required by law is forfeiture of charter, with a provision that reinstatement may be had within one year, on the payment of a penalty of $20.

## INSURANCE BAR IS PUT UP

### Metropolitan, Equitable, and Prudential Kept from Missouri.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 22.—Superintendent Vandiver of the state insurance department announced yesterday that when the licenses of the Metropolitan, Equitable, and Prudential Life Insurance companies expire, March 1, he will refuse to grant licenses for the next year, because of the act passed by the last legislature prohibiting the licensing of any company which pays officers salaries of over $50,000 a year.

## EXPULSION FOLLOWS HAZING

### Faculty of Hedding College Ousts Three Students and Suspends Two.

Galesburg, Ill., Feb. 22.—The faculty of Hedding college, at Abingdon, has expelled three students, Ben Thurman, Morris Robinson and Lloyd McLeish, suspended two others and reprimanded two young men and five young women. The action followed the hazing of Clarence Robinson, who was tied to a tree during the blizzard and almost perished. Another breach of discipline was the holding of a dance, which President Mac Vey, in an address to the students, said was a violation of the rules of the institution.

**Dubuque for 90 Cent Gas.**

Dubuque, Iowa, Feb. 22.—At a late hour Thursday night the city council passed an ordinance providing for 90 cent gas. The present rate is $1. The mayor refused to state whether he will sign the ordinance.

**Papa of 14 Weds Mamma of 8.**

Sterling, Ill., Feb. 22.—William Evans of Kasbeer, Burcau county, wedded his third wife yesterday. He is the father of 14 children and she the mother of eight. Their ages are 60 and 68, respectively.

**What to Do When Bilious.**

The right thing to do when you feel bilious is to take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will cleanse the stomach and regulate the liver and bowels. Try it. Price, 25 cents. Samples free at all druggists.



## GLEE CLUB IS TO BE HEARD

### Lake Forest Boys to Give Program at High School March 7.

The Lake Forest Glee club will give an entertainment at the high school Saturday evening, March 7. The club has appeared in the city on previous occasions and has always met with an enthusiastic welcome. William and Stewart Marquis of this city are members of the club.

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