

## SCHELL RETURNS

To Stand Trial on Charges in  
Two Grand Jury In-  
dictments.

BONDS ARE FURNISHED TODAY

Defendant Complains of Manner in  
in Which He Has Been  
Prosecuted.

Matthias Schnell, the former contractor of this city who was the principal defendant in the famous storm drain case and who has been living at an address unknown to the Rock Island county authorities the past two years to escape prosecution on two indictments, returned against him at the May term of the circuit court in 1900, has come back to the city.

Today he voluntarily appeared at the office of Circuit Clerk Gamble and furnished bonds insuring his liberty till his case is called at the next meeting of court.

**Charges in Indictments**  
The indictments against him are for conspiracy, in which he is alleged to have plotted with Dan Drost to secure the marriage of the latter with Anna McDermott thereby annulling the suit that the woman had brought against him for breach of promise. On this his bond was \$1,500. The other was subornation of perjury, it being alleged that he had endeavored to introduce spurious evidence in the civil case of Murphy vs. Schnell in which he was defendant. The bond on this charge was fixed at \$2,000. Those who became security for his appearance were Gustav Stengel, Rev. Thomas Mackin, L. M. Drack, D. E. Noftsker and Aaron Anderson. All accompanied him when he gave bond.

**Defendant Complains.**  
While the papers were being made out Mr. Schnell complained bitterly of the prosecution of which he has been the subject in late years, stating incidentally that he would give \$10 to every man, woman and child in the city if the public could only be brought to understand the systematic course of prosecution that he claimed to have been made the victim of.

### The Weather.

Fair tonight; Thursday,  
partly cloudy. Moderate  
temperature.

J. M. SHERIER,  
Observer.

Temperature—7 a. m. 15; at  
3:30 p. m. 40.

### CITY CHAT.

Zazaro, 5 cent cigar.  
Simon Lewis' tonight.  
Steel ranges at Wilcher's.  
For insurance, E. J. Burns.  
For tin work, H. T. Siemon.  
Open this evening, Young & McCombs.  
For real estate and insurance, E. J. Burns.

The stage of water was 3.90 at 6 a. m. and 4.15 at noon. The temperature at noon was 39.

Ladies, you'll find it pays to get your lunch at the Noonday Rest, No. 1816 1/2 Third avenue.

The Afternoon club will give a dance New Year's afternoon at 2 o'clock at Armory hall.

Telephone call orders to Rock Island and Lumber company. Prompt delivery. Telephone west 1060.

When purchasing cigars see that the blue union label of the Cigar-makers' union is on the box.

Bulk and canned oysters and choice Michigan celery this evening and tomorrow morning at Hess Bros'.

Plenty of choice dressed turkeys, geese and chickens at Hess Bros' this evening and tomorrow morning.

Remember the organ recital at the First Congregational church, Moline, Jan. 2. Admission, 25 and 35 cents.

New Year's dance by the Orma club, Turner hall, Davenport, Thursday, Jan. 1. Admission, 25 cents. Ladies free.

Lange & Heitmann will be open this evening till 8 o'clock to accommodate patrons, and will be closed all day New Year's.

M. T. Stevens, head of the book-keeping department at the Woodmen head offices, has been called to Putnam, Ontario, Can., to attend the funeral of his father, who died at his home at that place.

Special prices this evening on all bottled goods. Now is your chance to lay in a stock of wines and liquors for table use at prices that you won't find elsewhere. Call in tonight and

The only high grade Baking Powder  
made at a moderate price.

## Calumet Baking Powder

see our display. Simon Lewis' retail liquor store.

The board of trustees of the Y. M. C. A. last evening held a meeting and decided to authorize some changes in the arranging of the association quarters the object of which will be to protect members in the exercise of their privileges.

There were no new cases of small-pox today and the two patients were reported to be doing well. At the Rock Island Plow shops, where George Weinberger, the second victim of the disease, was employed, notices were posted today urging the men to submit to vaccination.

The Kewanee, Cambridge & Geneseo Railway company, in which a number of Rock Island parties are interested, was Monday evening given a franchise in Cambridge. The one in Geneseo has already been secured, and at Kewanee it is proposed to use the terminal facilities of the Galesburg & Oneida road so that the heavy part of the franchise getting is now considered completed.

### THE NEW FEE BILL OF TWIN-CITY PHYSICIANS

The Rock Island and Moline Medical union, which comprises all the licensed physicians of both cities, has adopted a new fee bill which goes into effect New Year's day. The fees from Jan. 1, 1903, will be:

For visits between 8 a. m. and 6 p. m., \$1.50 to \$3.  
For visits between 6 a. m. and 8 a. m., \$2 to \$4.  
For visits between 6 p. m. and 10 p. m., \$2 to \$4.  
For visits between 10 p. m. and 6 a. m., \$3 to \$5.  
For visits at stated time, \$2 to \$3.  
For visits during office hours, \$2 to \$5.

For emergency visit (where everything must be dropped in order to make it immediately), \$2 to \$5.  
For consultation visit, \$5 to \$25.

An extra charge may be made for bad roads or inclement weather. The only change is in regard to the first item which has been raised from \$1 to \$3 to \$1.50 to \$3.

There are more changes in other parts of the fee bill, especially in the surgical schedule. There are many operations now of almost daily occurrence which were unheard of 10 or 15 years ago, when the old fee bill was formulated. The reasons for the slight increase in the amount of the fees are that much more is demanded of physicians and surgeons now than formerly and the vastly increased cost of living.

The following named physicians have pledged themselves to the new fee bill:

Rock Island—Drs. Joseph Asay, Carl Bernhardt, Eli Bradford, C. C. Carter, H. H. Chase, J. P. Comegys, G. G. Craig, G. G. Craig, Jr., Joseph DeSilva, G. L. Eyster, F. A. First, C. T. Foster, B. F. Hall, S. B. Hall, J. R. Hollowbush, W. H. Ludwig, M. M. Moore, Emma Morgan, Louis Ostrom, F. D. Paul, E. M. Sala, H. D. Wilson, Emily Wright.

Moline—Drs. Martha Anderson, A. B. Arp, A. M. Beal, A. R. Beal, W. O. Beam, H. S. Bennett, H. D. Browning, L. D. Dunn, E. A. Ellen, F. H. Gardner, E. L. Kerns, A. E. Kohler, T. J. Lamping, O. W. Looker, R. C. J. Meyer, Louis N. Miller, J. W. Morgan, R. W. Oakley, E. Sargent, J. G. Swenson, J. J. Tremblay, P. H. Wessel, A. D. West, C. E. Whiteside, J. M. Wyland.

### LAST EXERCISES OF CHRISTMAS ARE HELD

Christmas exercises for the Sunday school children were held last evening at the United Presbyterian church and the South Park chapel of the Broadway church. At the former place a program was presented including songs and recitations by the children, and a cantata was given, in which a large number took part, entitled "Welcome to Santa Claus." Afterward a tree was uncovered, and the children were treated to nuts and candy by old Santa himself. The program was in charge of Miss Gertrude White and Mrs. Lysinger.

At the South Park chapel the exercises included recitations, songs, tableaux and a recitation and pantomime scene with accompaniment by a mandolin orchestra. The children were given presents afterward. During the evening Rev. W. S. Marquis, the pastor, presented to the Sunday school teachers and officers of the chapel souvenirs that he had brought from the Holy Land.

**Kodol Dyspepsia Cure**  
Digests all classes of food, tones and strengthens the stomach and digestive organs, cures dyspepsia and indigestion, stomach troubles, and makes rich, red blood, health and strength. Kodol rebuilds worn out tissues, purifies, strengthens and sweetens the stomach. Gov. G. W. Atkinson, of West Virginia, says: "I have used a number of bottles of Kodol and have found it to be a very effective and, indeed, a powerful remedy for stomach ailments. I recommend it to my friends."

Harper House pharmacy; A. J. Riess drug store, corner Seventh avenue and Twenty-seventh street.

**The Pride of Heroes**  
Many soldiers in the last war wrote to say that, for scratches, bruises, cuts, wounds, corns, sore feet and stiff joints, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best in the world. Same for burns, scalds, boils, ulcers, skin eruptions and piles. It cures or no pay. Only 25 cents, at Hartz & Ulmeyer's drug store.

### K. C. COUNCILS HOLD A RECEPTION

Pleasant Affair at Industrial Hall—  
Other Social Do-  
ings.

The first joint reception by Allouez, Loras and Leo councils, Knights of Columbus, of Rock Island, Davenport and Moline, last evening at the Rock Island Industrial Home hall, was attended by 125 couples, proving a fine social success. The reception was from 8 to 9, and then dancing followed until 1, with music by Petersen's orchestra. On the north wall of the hall room a large design of the initials of the order made up of incandescent lights with a background of purple, the society's color, shone forth with pretty effect throughout the evening. At midnight refreshments were served, and when the hour for the ending of the festivities arrived cars were in waiting to bear home the Davenport and Moline knights and their ladies.

An entertainment was given at the conclusion of the business meeting of the Federal Aid association at Krell & Math hall Monday evening, the program, which was heartily enjoyed by all present, consisting of recitations by Hazel Bergstrom, Anna and Manda Anderson and Laura Schneider, music by quartet, tableau by Ellen Anderson, Nellie and Esther Bergstrom, and an essay on "Fraternity" by Ida Blankenburg.

Charles Rosenfield Monday night entertained 14 college men from the three cities, who, like himself, are at home for the vacation. Mr. Rosenfield is attending Exeter academy, in Massachusetts.

This evening a reception will be given at the First Methodist church from 7:30 to 8:30 by the Epworth League in honor of the 50th birthday of W. B. Bruner.

The New Year's ball at Industrial hall this evening will be quite a society event. The gentlemen in charge of the arrangements are William Miller, Leon and Ardo Mitchell, Thomas Vetter, Duke McCaffrey, Charles Call and Jim Preston.

### TIPS TO TRAVELERS.

One hundred miles shortest to Chattanooga, Queen & Crescent route.

Queen & Crescent fast line to Birmingham and New Orleans. Two fast trains daily.

Only through car line to Asheville, N. C., Queen & Crescent route and Southern railway.

Queen & Crescent service Cincinnati to Atlanta and Jacksonville, the best in the country.

Homeseekers' excursions the first and third Tuesdays to points in Minnesota, Iowa, Nebraska and Dakota via the C. M. & St. P. railway.

C. M. & St. P.

For Christmas and New Year holiday excursion tickets can be sold to stations within a distance of 200 miles at one fare and one-third for the round trip.

No excursion ticket to be sold for less than 50 cents.

Tickets to be sold Dec. 24, 25 and 31, 1902, and Jan. 1, 1903, limited for continuous passage in each direction and for going passage commencing date of sale, with final limit up to and including Jan. 2, 1903.

For further information call at the ticket office, foot of Seventeenth street. Phone 1363 west.

### SLEEP ON A COLD SMOKE.

Puffing an Empty Pipe Said to Be an  
Insomnia Cure.

After giving a fair and patient trial to each of many alleged cures for sleeplessness the writer stumbled across a simple method of inducing somnolence that has the merit of being harmless and inexpensive. To smokers the remedy involves no cost whatever, but of nonsmokers the capital outlay of the price of a pipe is required. It must be a wooden pipe and curved, not straight.

Having retired for the night, the sufferer should lie perfectly flat on his back, discarding pillow rests, and puff steadily at an empty pipe until he feels thoroughly drowsy. The desired result usually is achieved after from about sixty to a hundred puffs have been made. The puffing should be done slowly, with a deep inhaling movement. The expelling motions must be made deliberately with narrowed mouth. During the entire operation the pipe should not be removed, as each displacing and replacing movement tends to wakefulness.

Those capable of great concentration of thought should, if smokers, imagine they see volumes of smoke, and those who eschew the burning weed will be helped by counting the puffs.

As sleep is often successfully wooed while yet the pipe is in the mouth, bowls of meerschaum or clay are not recommended, since these are liable to be broken when the coming of slumber allows the pipe to slide from the mouth. Nervous people may be reassured that there is no danger in falling asleep with the stem edge of a curved pipe caught between one's teeth. Sleep always occasions the grip to be removed. That may hold also of straight pipes, but for other and obvious rea-

sons these are less suitable than those with curved stems.—New York Mail and Express.

### LONDON'S LORD MAYOR.

His Power as Well as the Area He Rules Is Limited.

The lord mayor of London is not the all powerful official he is thought to be on the continent. He is not the mayor of all London, but only of the city of London, and the City is but a fraction of the whole. Greater London has, roughly, a population of 6,000,000, but in the 650 acres that comprise the City there is a resident population at night of only 38,000 and by day of little over 300,000. And even within this area the powers of the lord mayor and of the twenty-six aldermen and the two hundred odd common councilors are by no means autocratic.

Much of what used to lie within his and their province has been taken over by the London county council. In fact, the average Londoner never thinks of the lord mayor as a chief making, law giving official. He stands altogether apart in the popular mind from questions of rates and assessments, schools and police. Very few people could say what legislative functions, if any, he fulfills. They may have heard that he is the chief magistrate of the courts, but beyond that their knowledge of his precise duties does not stray. It is the social and decorative side of his position that impresses the public. The lord mayor is never without his badge and rarely without his robes and chains of office. He rides abroad in a magnificently gilded coach, with powdered coachmen and footmen in cocked hats and silk knee breeches, sending a gleam of gold through the dirty drab of London.

The lord mayor's show on Nov. 9 is one of England's few annual pageants and, uncouth as it is, has a warm place in the hearts of the populace, and, besides all this, he has some rights and privileges of 400 years' standing. No troops may pass the City boundaries without his leave. The sovereign himself has to ask permission to enter the city walls, just as he has to ask for permission to enter the house of commons.—Harper's Weekly.

### Her Trick.

A cantankerous old farmer, who hardly ever agreed with anything his wife said to him, came home one wet day and, placing his back to the fire, stood up to dry.

After some little time his wife turned to him and said:

"John, you'd better watch yourself or you'll burn your flannels."

To which John replied:

"I think I'll need to burn my trousers first."

"Indeed, John, you'll need to do naething of the kind. They're burnt already."—London Tit-Bits.

### Improve.

It is a solemn duty devolving on all to make the utmost possible out of themselves. Men seek the highest development of their bodies and hearts and grain and flowers. The result is the improved flora and fauna of these days over those of prior ones. But should this evolution cease with the lower order? Should the body of creation improve and not the head, which is man?

### His Line.

Hook—So he is a poet, eh? What is his particular line?

Nye—The Market street line principally, although I occasionally see his verses in some of the other cars.—Philadelphia Record.

### Chronic Rheumatism Cured

Dr. H. B. Hettinger, Indianapolis, Ind., says: "For several months after spraining my ankle I was severely afflicted with rheumatism. I finally tried Detchon's Mystic Cure for rheumatism, and in 4 days could walk without any cane; two bottles cured me sound and well. I take great pleasure in recommending the Mystic Cure to all who are afflicted with rheumatism." Sold by Otto Grotjan, 1501 Second avenue, Rock Island; Gust Schlegel & Son, 20 West Second street, Davenport.

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### Administrator's Notice

Estate of Lucy R. Curtis, deceased. The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of Lucy R. Curtis, late of the county of Rock Island, State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Rock Island and at the county court room, in the city of Rock Island, at the March probate term, on the first Monday in March next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 27th day of December, A. D. 1902.

HUGH CURTIS, Administrator.

### Brown's Business College

Reopens for Mid-Winter Term  
Monday, Jan. 5.

**R**EMEMBER, this is a high grade school, and so is the training it affords — the kind required to fill first-class positions.

**O**NE term of 10 weeks costs but \$20, with a liberal slice off for three or more terms in advance.

**W**HY not attend a good school — one which guarantees to place you in a good position when the course is completed, or refund your tuition.

**N**OW is the best time to begin a course which will be of greater value than stocks, bonds and life insurance.

**S**END for our circulars, then start the New Year right by joining our classes in business, shorthand and ad-writing, Jan. 5. Day and night schools. Office open from 9 to 4:30 daily. Welcome!

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We advance liberal amounts on all articles of value. We also have some great bargains in unredeemed goods. Greater New York Loan Bank, 320 Twentieth street. Phone 663 brown.

## Have You Been Caught Napping

and failed to remember your friends at Christmas? If so, NEW YEAR'S DAY is a good day to SQUARE YOURSELF.

### New Year's Gifts

Rocking Chairs  
Library Tables  
Music Cabinets, Mirrors  
Plate Racks,  
Dining Chairs  
Book Racks,  
Hall Trees, Book Cases  
Ladies' Writing Desks  
Sideboards  
Reception Chairs  
Center Tables  
Brass Beds, Couches  
Davenport, Chiffonier  
Dressers and  
Dressing Tables

### New Year's Gifts

Office Desks & Chairs  
Carpets, Rugs  
Fancy Pillows  
Pillow Tops  
Carpet Sweepers  
Parlor Furniture  
Pipe Racks  
Indian Blankets  
and Novelties  
Curtains, Portieres  
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