

**HIGHWOOD HAPPENINGS.**

Olney Moore is still under the weather.

Extra!!! We have just heard from W. McLaren that "Fitz done Corbett."

On the street:—First citizen, "Why is this winter like a kid with the grip?" Second citizen, "Aw, you're easy! It blows, it snows."

Julius Laegler has sold his home to Harry Clappitt, who will occupy it some time in the spring. Mr. Laegler's family is bound for Chicago.

The mother of Fritsch Bros. died at her home in Deerfield last Sunday, of cancer of the liver. The store was closed Wednesday for the funeral.

Lucius J. M. Malmin visited relatives over Sunday. It may be remembered that he was a classmate of W. J. Bryan in the Union Law College in Chicago.

A meeting will be held soon at the Oddfellows Hall to form a lodge of Knights of Pythias. The promoters are, W. F. Hogan, Dr. Turner, J. A. Bledsoe, and J. C. Brown.

One of our city fathers, commonly known as being well to do, has come to such straits that in a voyage to Kenosha last week, he was compelled to ride in an aristocratic freight car.

Several friends of J. A. Brady were circulating a petition to nominate him for justice of the peace but he promptly sat down on it. He said that he was satisfied by the decision of the caucus Saturday evening.

Mr. Harvey, of Chicago, who is a graduate of Northwestern University, was out Sunday to look over his property, the old Holden home west of the track. After it is thoroughly refitted and enlarged, he intends to move out here and occupy it with his family.

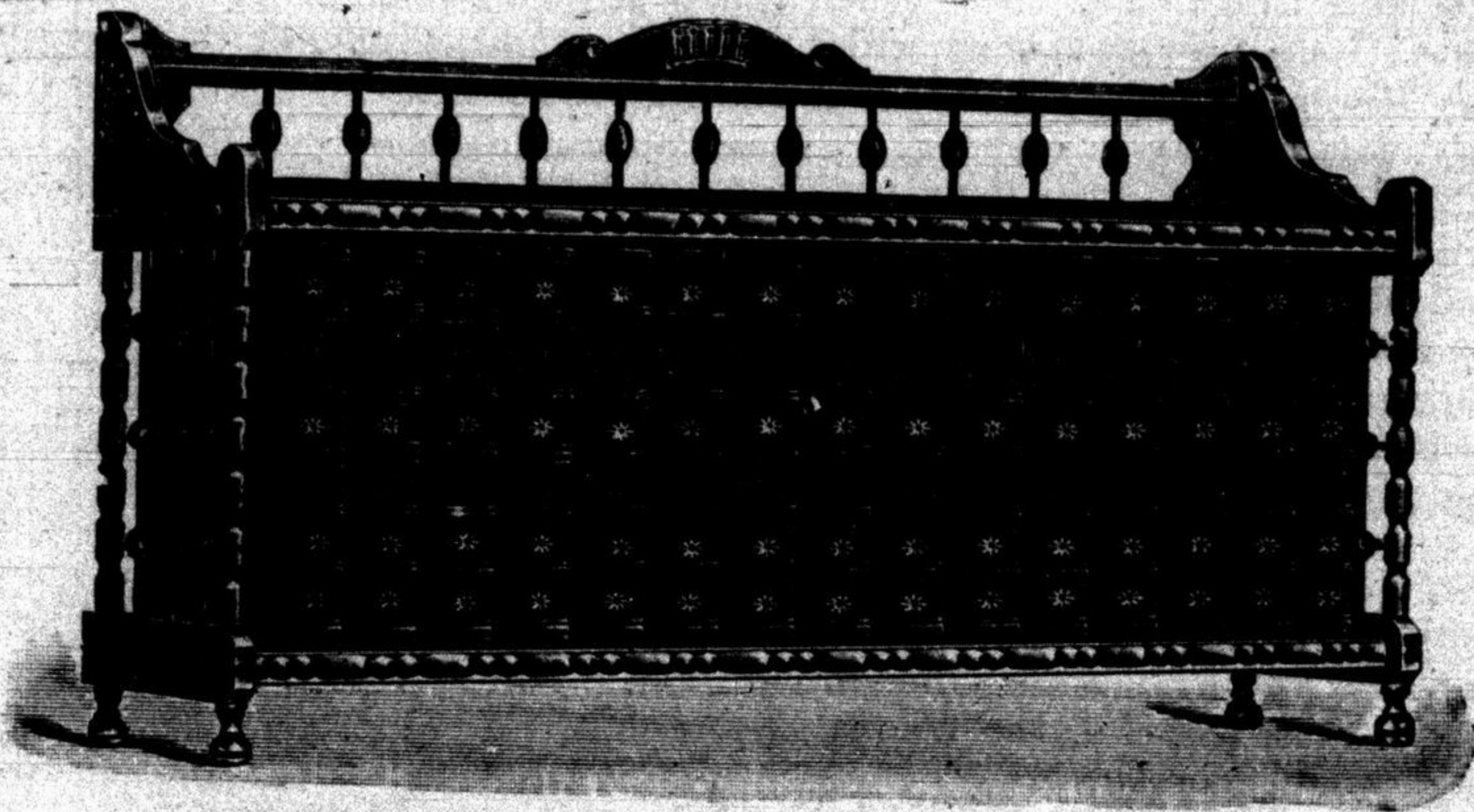
A hard times party was given by Mrs. C. O. Gail at her home last Saturday. What a harvest for a rag man! Only one cent in the party, and that was lost! The prizes were real hard times too. First, a teapot, awarded to Mrs. Turner, and then a reading glass to Weary W. Hogan, and as consolations, Mrs. F. E. Woodruff rejoiced in a package of codfish, while Duff Udem hid a bottle of catsup. The refreshments were "out of sight" in no time. About 30 were present.

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