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The managers of the big Methodist university at Evanston have elected Professor James, of the University of Chicago, as president of the school. It is hoped that he is the man for the place. The only thing that raises a doubt in the mind of the public was that bombastic, overdrawn, sophomoric article in last Sunday's Record-Herald. They allowed the best president they ever had—Henry Wade Rogers—to be crowded out by small men, and now find it no easy matter to get another man of like proportion to fill his place.

The "poolroom" sensation seems to have subsided almost entirely. The real difficulty in the case was right here, as we are informed: The people living nearest and knowing most of the institution refused to testify, and hence the prosecutors do. Of course those folks would not testify; it was for their own personal interests not to know anything about it. The poolroom folks understood that perfectly well and acted accordingly.

A subscriber wants to know something about the high school. Well, it is still heating up hard coal and hard cash at a rapid rate. How rapid you will know when you call on James H. Duffy to pay your taxes. You can put on your double-soled, heavy tapped Putnam boots, if you wish to be ready to kick.

The best notes on the Sunday school lessons of which we know are Pell's, published in Richmond, Va., in a little vest-pocket book for each month. They are fresh, up-to-date, and hit the nail on the head every time and are very cheap.

**SHOULD DEMAND CASH.**  
The newspaper has two sources of income—space and circulation. The circulation comes from the management and the brains of the newspaper. The advertising is the result of the circulation and is the heavy source of income. Whenever an individual or society or company gets a notice that is of benefit to the mention has a market value and should be paid for, but too often the press is expected to give the space for a complimentary ticket and if it is to an enterprising man and write it up and puff the people who take part when nine times out of ten they should be roasted. The country newspaper is imposed upon to a greater degree than any other business on earth.

**INFALLIBILITY.**  
A person who will take offense at everything said in reference to

him, unless complimentary, has a guilty conscience. Recently a business man (?) of this place was so incensed at the misplacement of a punctuation mark in a news item in this paper, that he forthwith stopped his paper. Some people have lots of sense (?) when you don't probe for it. This man did not wait for an explanation. As he is an earnest church worker and thereby hopes to land above, we hope he will be given a chance to explain why he did not pay up his subscription before questioned.

There is no calling or profession in which one needs to be so cautious about knowing what he tells and about telling what he knows. The preacher can claim that his hearers' ears were dull, the lawyer can blame the jury and the court can demand a rehearing, the doctor can say it was heart failure and have his mistake soon buried and the grass growing over it, the teacher can erase the chalk marks from the board, but when the newspaper man makes a mistake in answering the question "What shall I say?" his bridges are burned behind him and his papers are not, for the printed leaves, with their proof in black and white, have been scattered hither, and he is in the hands of foes as well as friends.

The bookkeeper can correct his footings, and possibly not even his employer may be the wiser; the merchant may make good the flaw found in the dress pattern, and only the one customer may even share the knowledge with him; the mechanic, when he blunders, may saw another board or put putty in the crack, but when an error creeps into the paper every reader within at least a Sabbath day's journey of the office hastens to call the editor's attention to it.

**SURPRISE PARTY.**

Miss Alice I. Evans was given a birthday surprise at her home in honor of her 16th natal day. The affair was planned by Miss Ida Rudolph and E. R. Evans. She was presented with a gold ring, set with a garnet, by her brothers, E. R. and A. E. Evans. A number of other presents were received from her friends; also flowers. Music and games was the program of the evening. At 11:30 p. m. lunch was served by Mrs. R. G. Evans, assisted by Miss Grace Elvey, Miss Florence Evans and Mrs. Stringer.

Among those present were: Alma and Selma Freberg, Minnie Pierson, Ingeborg Sundburg, Ida Rudolph, Jay Miller, May Welch, Marion Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. St. Peter, Anthony Ueberoth, William Robelin, Avery Rudolph, August Neorenberg, Lem Rudolph, Irving Fisher, Max Moffat, A. E. Evans.

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**A CORRECTION.**

A few weeks ago we said the new fire department building would be erected out of the surplus in the water fund. So it will, with water fund dollars. But those dollars don't all belong to the water fund. When the city bought water meters by the wholesale, the water fund could not pay for them, so borrowed from the city's miscellaneous fund, in all several thousand dollars. Now the city takes out of the water fund \$1,216 toward this new building, and \$284 out of the interest fund.

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