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**STATE
HAPPENINGS**

Chicago.—Fred Francis, a freight conductor employed by the Indiana Harbor Railroad Company, was stabbed three times in the head and probably fatally wounded by Edward Beckman, a switchman employed by the same road.

Chicago.—The second of a series of tag days for the benefit of the new Polish university and arranged by the Alumni association of St. Stanislaus college took place Sunday. The first tag day was held in the St. John Cantus parish.

Chicago.—The Postal Savings Bank league, with headquarters in the First National bank building, has notified President Taft that it has renewed its fight for a postal savings bank bill which he advocated in his inaugural address.

Benton.—Miss Byrie Somers shot herself through the heart with a revolver. She was a daughter of I. L. Somers, a farmer residing one mile south of here, and is 16 years old. The coroner's inquest showed no cause for the act.

Mount Morris.—Mount Morris is seeking a Pied Piper, combative cats, terrible terriers or any other person, thing or animal that can destroy the plague of white rats that threatens the peace and tranquillity of the town.

Bloomington.—Transfers of farm realty in McLean county reached the record-breaking figure of \$900,000, nearly \$200,000 greater than last year. Bankers regard the great increase as an indication of returning prosperity.

Kilbourne.—As a result of giving an overdose of morphine, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Brent is dead. The mother gave the poison through mistake and was prostrated over causing the death of her babe.

Kewanee.—Judge Graves called the special grand jury of Henry county to consider the case of A. D. Cassidy, a well-known horseman, accused of brutality treating Paul Vanderborg, a 12-year-old boy he had taken to raise.

Danville.—Charles E. Brown, a prominent Danville lawyer, who was indicted at the September term of the federal grand jury on a charge of being a maker of spurious coin, was reindicted on the same charge.

Pana.—James McKittrick of Tower Hill has purchased what is known as the Bliss farm, lying west of Pana, consisting of 160 acres. The consideration was \$14,800.

ON TRAIL OF \$25,700 ROBBED.

Man Who Robbed Monrovia, Cal., Bank Under Surveillance.

Los Angeles, Cal., Mar. 10.—According to a story printed yesterday the man who robbed the First National bank of Monrovia, Cal., of \$25,700 December 14 last is now under surveillance by private detectives in Omaha after a chase extending over half a dozen western states and may be taken into custody at any time. It is stated also that a confederate has been located in this city. It is claimed that the man under surveillance in Omaha has already spent a greater part of the stolen money in gambling and extravagances. At Globe, Ariz., he is said to have gambled away thousands of dollars. At El Paso, where he went next, trace of him was lost until he was located in St. Louis and was followed finally to Omaha.

Fierce Snowstorm in Iowa.

Des Moines, Ia., Mar. 10.—All Iowa awoke yesterday to experience one of the severest snowstorms of the season. Snow began falling in the central portion of the state shortly after midnight and it continued with severity. Luckily the wind was not strong, while the thermometer was above zero. Trains are having some difficulty in moving and street cars were running after an intermittent fashion.

Kansas Hit by Elements.

Topeka, Kan., Mar. 10.—The heaviest snowstorm of the year prevailed yesterday and was general over the state. Trains were from one to two hours late. The temperature was about freezing. The snow was wet and heavy and in Topeka was sufficiently heavy to tie up street car traffic.

Shoots Man; Kills Self.

New York, Mar. 10.—A man believed to be Charles Loeffler of Newark, N. J., entered the hat store of A. Wheeler at 690 Broadway, Brooklyn, yesterday, shot and seriously wounded Norman Bush, 23 years old, and then shot and instantly killed himself with the same weapon.

Unhealthy Metropolis.

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