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GEN. GILES W. SHURTLEFF

Died Friday, May 6, at Home in Oberlin, Ohio

PIONEER RESIDENT OF GENOA

Decensed Was Captain of Company C of the Seventh Ohio Regiment of the Civil War—Was Very Active in Politics

General Giles W. Shurtleff, a brother of Albert Shurtleff and an uncle of Mrs. Chas. Smith of this place, died at his home in Oberlin, Ohio, May 6, 1904, at the age of 73 years.

The funeral services were held from the Second Congregational church, Sunday afternoon, May 8, in the presence of a large congregation of friends and neighbors of that city.

The following is a clipping from the Oberlin (Ohio) News: "General Giles Waldo Shurtleff was born in the province of Quebec, Canada, in the town of Stanstead, September 8, 1831. He was the eighth of a family of nine children. When a boy three years of age he removed with his parents to Lowell, Mass., at which place they remained about four years. In 1836, the father journeyed alone to northern Illinois where he took up a claim to a large tract of unbroken prairie land some fifty-nine miles west of Chicago. He returned to the east for his family and brought them to their new home which was established near the town of Genoa.

By hard work the land was brought under cultivation and the necessary buildings erected. The country was sparsely settled and the family was destitute of many educational and social advantages. When eighteen years of age Mr. Shurtleff had an opportunity to go to the home of a married sister at St. Charles and attend a good school in that town. Later he enjoyed still better advantages at Kenosha. He also attended Oberlin College when twenty-one years of age and in 1859 graduated from the college with honor. When his college course was completed he began his theological course, receiving shortly after an appointment as tutor in Latin in the preparatory department, his study and his teaching proceeded together.

"In the spring of 1861 the call came for men to lay down their books and go into the conflict. Mr. Shurtleff was chosen Captain of Company C of the Seventh Ohio Regiment. Of all Oberlin's contributions to the war this company was the most conspicuous and its commander the most conspicuous man. In the battle at Cross Lanes, Mr. Shurtleff and twenty-eight men were taken prisoners and were held as such for more than a year.

"A severe illness in the spring of 1863 was the occasion of his discharge from the army as unfit for duty. His services were again offered to the government and as Lieutenant Colonel he was placed in command of a regiment of colored men, who served faithfully during the Civil War. When his country no longer needed his military services he entered upon the service of Oberlin college. He was tutor, associate professor and professor of the Latin language and literature from 1865 to 1887.

"In 1864 General Shurtleff was married to Mary E. Burton of Jefferson, Ohio. Their intellectual companionship has been ideal.

MIGHT HAVE BEEN WORSE

Supt. Lucas and Son, Horace, Have Exciting Struggle in Kishwaukee

Republican-Northwestern: Co. Supt. of Schools Jackson Lucas, and his son, Horace, of the post-office force, both had an exciting time in the Kishwaukee river on Tuesday afternoon and both are today thanking their lucky stars that it was no worse.

In the afternoon they drove to the old ford west of the city to let the horse stand in the water. Neither thought of the heavy rains of the day before and did not notice the high water. The horse was driven into the stream and was soon beyond its depth and forced to swim. The rig landed on a small island and could neither turn around nor back up, so the only way out of the dilemma was to head the horse up stream and get out the best they could. They could not get out by going down stream as the north side of the river was lined with a barb wire fence. The horse struggled and struggled to pull its load up the stream. The poor animal was forced to swim and only by vigorous application of the whip did it continue the task. Finally about five or eight rods up stream there was an opening in the willows and the horse was headed ashore.

As the animal struck shallow water it fell from exhaustion. Supt. Lucas jumped out of the buggy in the water which was up to his shoulders to hold the horse's head above water to keep it from drowning and after a serious time the horse and buggy were landed on terra firma again. Some valuable books were lost. The county superintendent is glad they escaped and says it might have been worse.

BUTTER IS FIRM

Price Is Fixed at 19½ Cents on Board of Trade at Elgin

Shabbona offered thirty-five tubs and Maple Park was willing to part with fifteen tubs of butter on the board of trade, but the bids were too low and no sales were made. The market was declared firm at 19½ cents, and the output for this district is 557,500 pounds. The New York market is steady at 20 cents.

Former Markets

	Sales.	Price.
May 9 '04.....	0	20
May 18, '03.....	0	21
May 19, '02.....	.75	22
May 20, '01.....	0	18½
May 21, '00.....	0	19½

B. S. Pearsall was appointed on the quotation committee in place of D. E. Wood. Geo. Hunt, the state superintendent of the dairy exhibit at the St. Louis fair, was present and made a few remarks encouraging the members of the board to do all in their power to make the Illinois exhibit one of the most complete at the fair, and one which shall be representative of this district.

May Accept Run on Main Line

Frank Kelley, conductor on the 8:58 St. Paul passenger train running between Rockford and Chicago, may be transferred to a main line run between Chicago and Omaha. The place has been offered him and he is thinking seriously of accepting it, the only obstacle being that it will almost make necessary the removal of the family from Rockford.

In any event the Chicago-Rockford train, better known as "Kelley's train" will be moved north to Beloit, running from that city to Chicago and return during the summer months.

SMALL EXPENSE AT FAIR

One Should Wait a Month Before Visiting St. Louis

EXHIBITS ARE INCOMPLETE

How a Visitor Can See Greater Part of Exposition at Reasonable Expense Many Ways to Spend Money

If the seeker of pleasure and knowledge will only use discretion and avoid temptation, the wise young man or young woman can go to St. Louis and see the exposition without great expense.

The time is not ripe to attend the exposition. Although many buildings have been completed and exhibits arranged, one should wait at least a month before making arrangements to attend. There are ways to spend thousands of dollars, but one can see the entire exposition without great expense if he will but go to the exposition with this purpose in mind.

If the visitor desires, he could amble about the exposition grounds for three weeks or four weeks and never be subjected to any more expense than the half dollar which he pays for admission.

The 600 acres of open-air exhibits, the live stock department, the Model Indian school, itself a most interesting display, and the camps of all the primitive peoples are free to him.

A conservative, well-meaning young man, who goes to St. Louis with one purpose—that of seeing the World's Fair and its great educational features, nearly all of which are free after one gets inside the gates, can stay fifteen days and keep his expenditures within the \$60 mark if he will only mind his p's and q's. That's the point. Watch your money.

Railroad fare, of course, cannot be figured in this estimate, but after one reaches St. Louis it is not unreasonable to say that he can secure board and lodging and see the greatest Exposition the world has ever known for the minimum cost of \$5 a day. If one would be extremely economical he could do even better than this, but \$5 is quoted as a reasonable estimate.

There are plenty of good rooms in St. Louis—many of them close to the Fair grounds—that can be secured for \$1 a day. That is one fifth of the daily allowance gone. With another dollar one can eat two good meals and a luncheon. There are plenty of places, both in the down-town districts and near the Exposition grounds, where a good meal can be obtained for 50 cents, while a sandwich and a cup of coffee at the noon hour will swell the total for the day to \$1.25. With one's room costing \$1, his board and lodging, it can be reasonably estimated, will cost him \$2.25 a day and he will be living well.

The admission to the Exposition grounds is 50 cents, which will swell the grand total to \$2.75 and, if he will, the Exposition visitor can stop right there. He will probably buy an official guide, however, which will cost him 25 cents, and his car fare, out and back, will be 10 cents. That's 35 cents added to his day's expenses, making the figure \$3.10, with the visitor on the grounds ready to see the fair.

The Smart Set magazine will entertain you.

GONE TO HER REWARD

Mrs. Daniel Moyer Passes to the Great Beyond

"After a lingering illness of several months, Mrs. Daniel Moyer passed away last Sunday afternoon, just sixty-two years from the date of her birth, which occurred at Somersetshire, England, May 1, 1842. At the age of four years she was brought to the United States by her parents, who settled in Chicago. Later they moved to Genoa, Ill., where the deceased was married to Daniel Moyer in 1861. In 1865 they came to Shell Rock and lived here until called to the great beyond, Mr. Moyer's demise having occurred in this city four years ago. Deceased leaves two children, Mrs. George P. Stanley, with whom she was residing at the time of her death, and Ezra Moyer, who is engaged in the newspaper business at Pecos City, Texas. Mrs. Casper Dale of Waverly is a sister of deceased.

"Mrs. Moyer was a kind, gentle and lovable woman and was possessed of those traits which make and retain friends. For the past thirty years she was a member of the M. E. church and the patience with which she bore the intense suffering of the last few weeks of her life was due to her implicit faith in her religion.

"Funeral service was conducted from the M. E. church on Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, and was very largely attended. In the absence of the pastor, Rev. Walter Piper, Rev. G. A. McKinley of the Congregational church officiated. Interment was made at Riverside."—The Shell Rock (Iowa) News.

Mrs. Moyer will be remembered as Miss Elizabeth Simms. Mr. and Mrs. Moyer lived for a number of years near Oak Glen, about a mile west of Genoa.

EUREKA NOTES

Miss Ella Hines is still on the sick list.

Chas. Canman spent Sunday in Chicago.

Mrs. F. J. Newton is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Mitten.

Miss Dorothy Spansail spent Sunday with her parents at New Lebanon.

Misses Winnifred Moan and Grace Kennedy visited in Chicago over Sunday.

H. W. Foote and V. H. Messenger made a business trip to Chicago Friday.

Miss Augustine Gonseth of Wilmette, Ill., accepted a position in the winding department Monday.

J. L. L. Geist of the Plume & Atwood Mfg. Co., Chicago, called at the factory Tuesday in the interest of his firm.

Peter H. Flesch of Kenosha, Wis., has accepted a position in the switchboard department and started to work Wednesday.

Miss Marie Hadik, who has been employed in the winding department for the past few weeks, returned to Chicago Saturday.

E. R. Carnell, foreign freight agent of the U. S. Express Co. was here Saturday to name rates on foreign shipment of electrical goods to Bombay, India.

Among those who attended the ball game at Kirkland Sunday were, Misses Blanche Patterson, Birdie Edwards and Edith Myers and Messrs. Frank Cummings, Phil Lenz, Fred Ruchman and Sam Marks.

GENOA BASE BALL CLUB

Organization Effected for Season of 1904

PARK IS BEING REMODELED

C. A. Goding, Manager of the Club, Receives Liberal Contributions—Opening Game June 4

That Genoa will have one of the best base ball clubs and base ball grounds in these parts is now assured the followers of baseballdom.

Last week at a business meeting held at the Board of Trade the Club was organized for the season of 1904 and officers in every way capable to manage a club were elected. C. A. Goding, manager of the Genoa Base Ball Club, has shown his willingness to have the club properly supported by his excellent work in securing from the public at large a neat sum to help defray expenses of the association.

On Wednesday afternoon, a lease of the base ball grounds was secured from Chas. A. Brown for a period of two years. Work on the new diamond has commenced, the management expressing a desire to have the grounds in the best possible condition when the first game will be played with the Hampshire White Stockings on Decoration Day, May 30. The grand opening of the base ball grounds will be Saturday, June 4, when the Kirkland Reds will make a desperate attempt to carry away the first game. The second game will be with the Y. M. C. A. of DeKalb on Saturday, June 11.

It is the plan of those interested to have the park not only fitted for base ball games but for foot ball and tennis games as well. An amphitheatre will be built affording all the conveniences of a modern ball park. General admission will be 25c, ladies and children 15c.

The colors of the base ball suits are grey and black.

A base ball dance for the benefit of the club was held at Crawford's hall last evening and was one of the social events of the season. A beautiful souvenir was presented each and every person attending the ball. Every lady wearing a souvenir to the grand opening of the ball grounds will be entitled to a free admission.

It behooves the people of Genoa to heartily support the club and give the necessary encouragement to have Genoa represented by one of the best clubs in this part of the county.

Quick Arrest

J. A. Gullidge of Verbena, Ala., was twice in the hospital from a severe case of piles causing 24 tumors. After doctors and all remedies failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly arrested further inflammation and cured him. It conquers aches and kills pain. 25c at Hunt's Pharmacy.

Fire Kills 35 Head of Cattle

Livestock to the number of thirty-five head were burned to death in a disastrous fire which occurred on the J. F. Randall farm, three miles south of Huntley, early Thursday morning. Among this stock were twenty-five fine dairy cows, the entire loss falling upon the tenant, who it is said had no insurance on the property. The cause of the fire is a mystery.

VAN FLEET CASE

North Aurora Wife Slayer May Be Tried Again at This Term of Court

Unless something unexpected intervenes, the Van Fleet case will be tried again probably at the coming term of court. Of course it is impossible to tell this far ahead how the work of the term will shape itself, and it may be that the case will be put over again, but the present calculation is that it will come to a speedy rehearing.

It has been the prevailing impression among the members of the bar that Van Fleet matter would not be heard from at the term of the circuit court, which begins Monday and the attorneys for the defense say that the state is not very anxious to get the matter before a jury again.

There seems to be a tacit understanding among the attorneys that it will be practically an impossibility to get a conviction in this county, and several lawyers express the opinion that the case will never go to trial again. The attorneys for the defendant say that they are willing to try the case at another term of court.—Elgin News.

SUES SURETIES

Modern Woodmen Order at Sioux City, Iowa

The Modern Woodmen of America have brought suit in the United States court at Sioux City to recover judgment for \$100,000 against the estate of the late E. H. McCutchen, a banker at Holstein, Iowa, and twenty-one sureties, upon an indemnity bond of \$200,000. The Modern Woodmen had \$100,000 on deposit in the bank of McCutcheon & Co. and on the death of Mr. McCutcheon recently it was found that the bank was insolvent.

The Ball Game with Sycamore

Last Saturday the high school boys from Sycamore proved too strong at the bat for the locals and carried home the victory by a score of 18 to 4. Next Saturday the Marengo high school team will play here, this game being the last Saturday high school game of the season.

Careful Buyers' Prices

The result of our sample and manufacturers' purchases. Note carefully our statements.

100 doz. Children's Heavy 25c Hose 10c per pair; 2000 yds. Best Calico Remnants 4½c yd; Fancy Lawns and Dimities, Remnants of 15c grades, 8, 9 and 5c yd; Ladies' Regular \$1.00 Vici Kid Oxfords 49c; 36 pair only Boys' Fine \$1.75 Kid Lace Shoes \$1.10; Men's Negligee Shirts \$1.00 grades, cut short in body, reduction price 25c; Ladies' Umbrella style Knit Drawers 19c; 250 yds. Fancy Lawns 5c yd.

LADIES' SUITS

Purchase of 200 Suits, spring styles, Ladies' and Misses' sizes, absolutely perfect in fashion, fit and workmanship. Ladies' and Misses' Serge Suits \$5.98 and \$7.98; Ladies' Silk Lined Suits, Broadcloths, Voiles, Venetian Cloths, etc., large assortment of styles, \$8.08, \$10.69 and \$10.98. Customers coming from any town within a radius of 20 miles, trading \$10.00 and showing round trip R. R. ticket, have full car fare refunded both ways. Customers who drive and trade \$5.00 have horses stabled and fed at our expense.

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New Lebanon

Delbert Moore of Genoa was in town Sunday.

Mrs. John Reiser was a Hampshire visitor Monday.

Geo. Conro of Hampshire called in this vicinity Tuesday.

Mr. Hartman has been having some hay pressed this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartman visited their son at this place a few days.

Miss Emma Dumoulin is now working for relatives at Naperville.

Mrs. Henry Korner was a passenger to Elgin one day of last week.

Jas. Kiernan and Ole Taylor of Genoa transacted business here Saturday.

John Reiser shipped five carloads of cattle to Chicago Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Buerer were guests at Albert George's at Genoa Sunday.

Miss Annie Schlick of Burlington visited her sister, Mrs. John Reiser, a few days.

Hampshire

C. B. Oakley has been visiting in Elgin for a few days.

Miss Delia Schultz is a guest of her sister, Mrs. M. Rineck, in Chicago.

Mrs. Eugene Young is slowly improving from a severe attack of appendicitis.

Mrs. Geo. Watts and son of Chicago are visiting Hampshire friends this week.

Miss Mattie Roche has accepted a position as school teacher in the Lyons district near Waterman.

Clark Anderson was taken to Sherman hospital at Elgin Friday to have a mangled hand dressed. Dr. Clark found it necessary to amputate two fingers.

M. E. Church Notes

Services will be held next Sunday morning and evening at the M. E. church at the usual time. Morning preaching services at 10:30. Evening service at 7:30. In the evening Rev. T. E. Ream will preach on the topic, "The Toiler and Sunday" or "A Plea for Character through Rest." The public is most cordially invited.

There will be an enthusiastic Epworth League service next Sunday evening at 6:30. Topic: "False and True Ambitions." Leader: Miss Eva Sager.

Next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. T. E. Ream will preach at the Ney M. E. church.

Prayer services at the Charter Grove M. E. church next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. J. E. DeLong.

Prayer meetings each week on Thursday evening at 7:30 in the church parlors.

Choir rehearsal will be held at the M. E. church Saturday evening at 7:45. All members are requested to be present.

The official board of the Ney M. E. church have decided to build sheds on the north and east sides of the church lot during the last week in May.

Excursion to Madison, Wis.

For the Modern Woodmen picnic to be held at Madison, Wis., Wednesday, June 1st, the C. M. & St. P. R'y will sell excursion tickets at \$2.00 for the round trip. Special train will leave Genoa on morning of June 1st, time of which will be announced later.

J. M. Harvey, Agent.

FIFTEENTH ANNIVERSARY

Program of Interest Rendered Sunday Evening at M. E. Church

A temperance program for the Fifteenth anniversary of the Epworth League was held at the M. E. church Sunday evening. The attendance was large.

The officers of the league were given the installation service and pronounced elected to their respective offices for the coming year. About 200 pledges were circulated, the majority of which were signed and returned. Following is the program in full:

- Opening Hymn.....Faith of Our Fathers Congregation.
- Prayer.....Rev. T. E. Ream.
- Song.....A Clean Heart Choir.
- Reading.....Miss Florence Pratt.
- Song.....Help Somebody Today Choir.
- Address.....Mrs. Eldridge.
- Song.....He That Endureth Choir.
- Recitation.....Will Hannah.
- Hymn.....The Christian Home Congregation.
- Reading.....Miss Ethel Milner.
- Song.....On Which Side Choir.
- Address.....Rev. J. E. DeLong.
- Report of Treasurer.....Miss Carrie Pickett.
- Installation of Officers.....Rev. T. E. Ream.
- Dedictory Prayer.....Rev. DeLong.
- Hymn.....Victory on the Lord's Side Congregation.
- Benediction.

New Electric Line Down Rock River

The interurban line between Dixon and Sterling, which has been under construction since last August, has been completed and will open for business this week. The line is twelve miles long and is expected to do a great dairy business, as the district around Sterling has a large milk production, part of which will be handled at the Borden condensed-milk factory.

Work will be resumed after another week on the new line to Amboy, Steward and DeKalb. It is graded about half way down from Dixon to Amboy, the work having been interrupted by winter. The company expects to have the line in operation to Amboy in about two months. This electric line will give a large section of country, including Lee center and the country west of Steward, its first means of general traffic.

Three Thousand Editors

It is estimated that 3,000 newspaper men, representing forty-one foreign countries and every state and territory in the United States, will attend the exposition during world's press week, from May 16 to 21. Many have already arrived to participate in the world's press parliament, and an extensive programme has been prepared. It is expected that the assemblage will be the largest and most representative gathering of working newspaper men ever before brought together.

A Month of Storms

This is the time when tornadoes and cyclones are probable says Weather Forecaster Hicks. Heavy downpours of rain and hail will attend these disturbances. About May 28 the greatest danger will prevail. Mr. Hicks says he expects this month to be up to the average in warmth, and warns all people to watch the storm clouds during the month.

To Give Address at Monroe Center

The school board and teachers of the Monroe Center high school have invited Rev. T. E. Ream to deliver the annual address at the graduating exercises to be held there June 15.

A Startling Test

To save a life, Dr. T. G. Merritt of No. Mehoopany, Pa., made a startling test resulting in a wonderful cure. He writes, "a patient was attacked with violent hemorrhages, caused by ulceration of the stomach. I had often found Electric Bitters excellent for acute stomach and liver troubles so I prescribed them. The patient gained from the first, and has not had an attack in 14 months." Electric Bitters are positively guaranteed for dyspepsia, indigestion, constipation and kidney troubles. Try them. Only 50c at Hunt's Pharmacy.

CAMP MEETING DATES SET

Conference Tuesday at Epworth Grove Results in Confirming August 4-14

The semi-annual business meeting of the Centennial Camp Epworth association was held Tuesday at the camp grounds. The attendance was not very large. Besides the presiding elder, Samuel Earney, six pastors were present representing the following churches: Genoa, Woodstock, Rockford, Kingston, Marengo and Belvidere. The date for holding the camp meeting August 4-14 was sustained as suggested at the annual gathering last autumn.

The renting of the dining hall and procuring gate tickets, etc., was put into the hands of a committee consisting of Messrs. Dunham, of Genoa; Fassett, of Belvidere, and C. Q. Alley of Rockford. About seventy-five were in attendance, some taking their dinners, others returning immediately after adjournment.

Council Proceedings

May 13, 1904.

Minutes of regular meeting of Village Trustees. Called to order by President H. A. Perkins. Present—Hammond, Holroyd, Schmidt, Browne, Smith and Malana. Minutes of last regular and special meetings read and approved.

- The following bills were approved by Finance Committee:
- Genoa Republican, printing.....\$ 7 36
 - E. G. Cooper, gasoline.... 41 40
 - Leu Duval, street work.... 31 35
 - Al. Oursler, teaming..... 26 83
 - Geo. Spies, wiping joints.. 12 00
 - W. H. Heed, gravel and hauling..... 34 27
 - M. Malana, fire dept..... 2 50
 - F. I. Fay, salary and supplies..... 51 25
 - Genoa Elec. Co., light April.....117 50
 - Henion & Hubbell, bill rendered..... 10 08
 - Moved by Browne, seconded by Schmidt, that bills be allowed and orders drawn on treasurer for amounts. Hammond yes; Holroyd, yes; Schmidt, yes; Browne, yes; Smith, yes; Malana, yes. Motion carried.
 - Moved by Smith, seconded by Hammond that board adjourn. Motion carried.

T. M. Frazier, V. C.

To the World's Fair, St. Louis, Mo.

Very low rates now in effect via the North-Western Line to St. Louis and return, from all points. Excellent train service and liberal return limits. Ask Ticket Agents, Chicago & North-Western R'y for full particulars.

Salary is \$1500

In compliance with the act of Congress, the returns from the Genoa postoffice for the four quarters ending March 31, 1904, have been reviewed, and, upon the basis of the gross receipts as shown, the salary of Postmaster C. B. Crawford has been fixed at \$1500 per annum.

Insurance

For best rates of insurance on life, accident, fire, plate glass, lightning, wind and tornado, see G. E. Stott, Genoa, Ill.

Illinois Central Announcements

Modern Woodmen of America Picnic Madison, Wis., Wednesday, June 1, 1904. For the above occasion the I. C. R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Madison \$2.00 for round trip. Special accommodations and pamphlets will be announced later.

Prohibition State Convention, Springfield, Ill., May 25 26, 1904. For the above occasion excursion tickets on sale at one fare for round trip.

Biennial Convention Illinois Christian Endeavor Union, Springfield, Ill., July 7-10, 1904. For the above occasion excursion tickets on sale at one fare for round trip.

S. R. Crawford, Agent

HER MONOPOLY

She Held the Trump Card in Happenings of All Kinds.

"What is the reason Mrs. Lawton, with all her good points, is so unpopular?" asked the sprightly young visitor of her aunt, Miss Euphemia Boggs. "I'm sure she is kind hearted and generous and capable and good natured."

"She's a monopolist, or thinks she is," snapped Miss Boggs, "and folks don't like it."

"A monopolist?" repeated her niece. "What do you mean, Aunt Phemy?"

"I mean just what I say," said Miss Boggs firmly. "She's a monopolist of diseases and accidents and happenings of every kind. Start in to tell her about an attack of rheumatism you've had or a sprained wrist or your cousin's diphtheria or a railroad disaster you've read about or how your stovepipe fell apart or what an unusual drought they've been having where your brother lives, and she'll sit on the edge of her chair looking as if she'd burst till you stop for breath."

"Then when you do stop she'll say: 'You can't tell me anything about rheumatism;' or, 'The doctor said he never saw a sprain like mine;' or, 'I guess you've never heard how I hung between life and death for weeks with diphtheria;' or, 'No railroad accident sounds like much to me after what I passed through in Ohio when the bridge broke;' or, 'I haven't got anything to learn about what stovepipes can do after my experience two years ago;' or, 'I presume it's slipped your mind that I was in California at the time of that terrible drought, the worst that's ever been known.'"

"And does she make up stories," asked Miss Euphemia's niece in amazement, "stories to fit all such times?"

"Make 'em up?" said Miss Boggs testily. "She don't have to make 'em up. That's what irritates folks so. Everything she says is true. And you take a town like this, about all we've got to be proud of is what happens to us."—Youth's Companion.

A Witty Retort.

The first premier of New Zealand was a witty and eloquent Irishman, James Edward Fitzgerald.

On his first election he was subjected to much interruption at the hustings by a butcher, who enjoyed a dual notoriety as a heckler in local politics and as owner of the first sausage machine imported into the new settlement.

The crowd wearied of his interjections and heckled him in turn, and at last one man called to him, "Leave politics and go back to your sausage machine!"

"If I had the candidate in my sausage machine I'd make mince-meat of him!" cried the excited butcher.

Fitzgerald, with immobile face, retorted, "Is thy servant a dog that thou shouldst do this thing?"

His Excuse.

Mike is a married man—a very much married man. He has married no fewer than four times, and all his wives are still to the fore. According to Michael's own account at the Dublin assizes, where he was tried for bigamy and found guilty, his experiences have not been altogether satisfactory. The judge in passing sentence expressed his wonder that the prisoner could be such a hardened villain as to delude so many women. "Yer honor," said Mike apologetically, "I was only thryin' to get a good one, an' it's not aisy!"—Chicago Record-Herald.

Manx Taxes.

In the matter of taxation the Isle of Man is unique. There is no income tax and no succession duties chargeable against the estates of deceased persons. Roads are manipulated by the revenue from two sources—a small tax upon every wheel and shod hoof and a levy upon every male inhabitant, who must give a day's work on the road or its equivalent in cash. There are no stamp duties on receipts, checks, promissory notes, etc. In fact, stamps are used only for postage. The island has no pawnshops.

His Only Knowledge.

"Where is the board of health?" inquired the stranger who had been wandering aimlessly about the city hall.

"I can tell you where it isn't," replied the dyspeptic looking man.

"It isn't at Mrs. Starvem's. I know that much, because that's where I board." — Philadelphia Ledger.

York's Lady Mayoress.

A privilege belongs to the lady mayoress of York by immemorial custom. It is the right to have the prefix "lady" before her name for the rest of her life. A local rhyme runs: The mayor is a lord for a year and a day, But his wife is a lady forever and aye.

FOR FARMERS ONLY

THE EMERSON CORN PLANTER

K. JACKMAN & SON

SPECIAL--We have a few 14 inch Grand Detour Walking Plows which we offer below cost. You need the best that's what we sell.

Memorial Day Services

Services appropriate to Memorial day will be held Sunday, May 29. In the forenoon at 10 o'clock they will meet at the G. A. R. hall and march to the Methodist Episcopal church where services will be held. In the afternoon at 3 o'clock they will again meet at the hall and march to the cemetery to decorate the graves. The address will be made by Rev. T. E. Ream.

A cordial invitation is extended to members of the Post and Sons of Veterans, and all friends to attend. All families who give flowers will kindly have them sent to the hall.

W. C. T. U. Notes

The W. C. T. U. receives an invitation from Mrs. Jennie Foote to meet with her on Thursday, May 26, at 2:30 p. m. She hopes to have a full house Mr. Foote will be at the post-office at 2 o'clock with conveyances.

Want Column

FOR SALE—House with modern improvements on Sycamore St. Also cottage and barn on Stott Street with good improvements. Inquire of J. A. Patterson, Genoa, Illinois.

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The Kingston News

News of Kingston and Vicinity as reported for THE GENOA REPUBLICAN of the week Ending May 20, 1904

VAN ZANDT CASE

Hearing of Geneva Man who Seeks Release from Elgin Asylum

J. W. Van Zandt, the Geneva man who was until recently confined to the Elgin asylum but who charged his wife with conspiracy to keep him in this institution and to secure possession of his money, was presented before the court at Chicago Saturday of last week. Pending his further examination and an investigation of the charges made by him against his wife, he will be held at the county jail in Chicago. The writ of habeas corpus under which he has been taken from the asylum will be argued before Judge Dunne on Friday morning.

Peculiar Case of Frank Collier

The mental condition of Frank Collier, who died in 1901 and who prosecuted the Aarrington case in Sycamore, is told in a medical journal under the heading "A case of Circular Insanity," by Dr. Richard Dewey, his attendant, who is now at the head of a sanitarium at Wauwatosa, Wis., but formerly was connected with the Elgin asylum. The author declares that his condition was by turns sane, dull, depressed, insane, and again sane.

Cured His Mother of Rheumatism

"My mother has been a sufferer for many years with rheumatism," says W. H. Howard of Husband, Pa. "At times she was unable to move at all, while at all times walking was painful. I presented her with a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and after a few applications she decided it was the most wonderful pain reliever she had ever tried, in fact, she is never without it now and is at all times able to walk. An occasional application of Pain Balm keeps away the pain that she was formerly troubled with." For sale by G. H. Hunt.

Advertised Letters

The following are the letters at the Genoa postoffice that remain uncalled for:

Letters:
Mr. Theron Crook.
" W. H. Whitmore,
" Walter White.
Mrs. Isabel Richardson.
" Alex Cutter.
" Nettie White.
" Augusta J. Lillie.
" W. W. McDonald.
Emma Nelson.
F. W. Carmon 2.
Herr Henry J. Egly.
Hay & Day.
Mrs. Julia Smith.
When calling for one of the above, mention advertised letter.
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Property Purchased

F. P. Smith has purchased the property of Mrs. O. F. Lucas on Main street. The transfer was made Saturday, consideration being \$650. Will Bell made the sale.

Last Friday Will Bell closed a deal whereby Jacob Miller has disposed of his confectionery business to John Swombom of Sycamore. Mr. Swombom was in a similar business at Sycamore.

Fiftieth Anniversary

Fiftieth Anniversary Jubilee and Annual Commencement Exercises University of Wisconsin at Madison W.s., June 5th to 9th, 1904. For this occasion the I. C. R. R. will sell excursion tickets at one fare for round trip. Good to return until June 10.

When a man sets popularity before his eyes, he is likely to let principle out of his heart.

Personals

Miss Florence Pratt has the mumps.

Henry Landis drove to Coltonville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor were at Camp Epworth Tuesday.

James Mead was home from Marengo the first of the week.

Sargent and Hix are busy this week painting the M. E. church.

Jas. Russell of DeKalb was a business visitor in Kingston Saturday.

Miss Lillie Bodeen of Sycamore was a Kingston visitor over Sunday.

The Chautauqua class met at the home of Mrs. H. F. Branch Monday evening.

Miss Mason of LaGrange is spending the week at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Ludwig.

Mrs. O. F. Lucas came over from Belvidere Saturday to visit at the home of John Taylor.

Mrs. John Helsdoe will leave the latter part of this week for Milwaukee to visit a brother.

Miss Edna Dodd of Hammond, Ind., is a guest this week of her sister, Mrs. Marion Arbuckle.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Campbell, who reside at Belvidere, are parents of a son born Sunday morning.

The Baptist pulpit was occupied Sunday morning and evening by Rev. A. C. Brush of Sycamore.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Curtiss of Garden Prairie were guests at Agent Sheley's the first of the week.

Mrs. H. M. Stark and granddaughter attended the "Midgits Wedding" at Sycamore Thursday evening.

A. L. Fuller was at Saginaw, Michigan, last week. He represents the U. S. Acaeth and Accident Co. of that place.

The Epworth League will celebrate its anniversary next Sunday evening, May 22. A short program has been arranged.

Carpenters are busy this week erecting a large implement room for J. H. Uplinger just north of his present store building.

Ten carloads of stock arrived from Texas on Monday for the Ellwood farm. The total number to be shipped is 800 head.

Miss Tessie Coman of Plattsfield spent Saturday and Sunday with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Prentiss.

Dr. J. B. Ludwig is having a large barn, 40 ft x 54 ft, erected on his farm south of town. The frame work was raised Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Chalmers came Sunday morning from Salt Lake City, Utah, to spend several weeks with H. G. Burgess and family.

Miss Lura Waterman, who taught a successful term of school in the Vandeburg district last year, has been engaged to teach the Person school north of Sycamore.

Thirty-three notices to non-resident defendants in the partition case of the J. Y. Stuart estate were sent out by the force of the circuit clerk's office at Sycamore the first of the week. This is the largest number in one case on record. Notices were sent to twelve states.

Band concerts will be given at Lord's Park at Elgin this summer as usual. Definite arrangements will be made in the next few days and the first concert is planned early in June.

According to the Daily Northwestern Charles Foster has returned to his home at Belvidere from St. Anthony Hospital at Rockford where he went three weeks ago to be operated upon for appendicitis. He is feeling quite well.

Low Excursion Rates

To Dedication of Illinois Monument, Shiloh Battlefield, Tenn., via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold May 13 to 15, inclusive, limited to return until May 22, inclusive. Apply to Agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

The Molestations of Marriage

Sarah A. Balcomb of DeKalb filed in the circuit court on Saturday last a bill for divorce from Ansel G. Balcomb, to whom she was married in Geneva, Wis., on November 25, 1886. They have a son, aged 19, and a daughter, aged 17. She says that he has beaten and choked her and has neglected to furnish her and the children with proper clothing. She adds that he is strong and healthy and capable of earning large sums, and she asks for the household furniture and that he contribute to his family's support. —Sycamore True Republican.

A Startling Test

To save a life, Dr. T. G. Merritt of No. Mehoopany, Pa., made a startling test resulting in a wonderful cure. He writes, "a patient was attacked with violent hemorrhages, caused by ulceration of the stomach. I had often found Electric Bitters excellent for acute stomach and liver troubles so I prescribed them. The patient gained from the first, and has not had an attack in 14 months." Electric Bitters are positively guaranteed for dyspepsia, indigestion, constipation and kidney troubles. Try them. Only 50c at Hunt's Pharmacy.

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Cincinnati, O., July 18th to 23rd, Grand Lodge B. & P. Order of Elks.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 16-20, K. P. Encampment.

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JURY IS SELECTED

The Condemnation Suit Was Taken Up at Sycamore Tuesday

On Monday at Sycamore the jury selected for the case of the Illinois, Iowa & Minnesota railway vs. Marie Denton et al. Following is the jury:

Shabbona—George Mohr and J. L. Story.

Sycamore—Sergius Lloyd and A. H. Driver.

Sandwich—William Cook.

Clinton—A. C. Hauffman.

Milan—C. O. Sanderson.

Cortland—Emmett Wilmarth.

Kingston—G. D. Wyllys and C. H. Powers.

Genoa—John Hadsall and A. L. Holroyd.

The jury went to look at the farm in Pierce township Tuesday.

C. G. W. Ry Announcement

Homeseekers Excursion—The Chicago Great Western Railway will on the first and third Tuesday up to October 18th sell tickets to points in Alberta, Arizona, Assiniboia, Canadian Northwest, Colorado, Indian Territory, Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Saskatchewan, Texas, Utah and Wyoming. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent, or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

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NEWS FROM THE COUNTY SEAT

The Sycamore base ball club was defeated at Hinckley on Friday by a score of 16 to 9.

Sherman White is here from Emporia, Kansas, visiting among his many acquaintances.

Miss Margaret Dillon of Sterling is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. W. P. Wild.

Mrs. George Robinson is entertaining Mrs. B. W. Melick of Atchison, Kansas. She arrived Sunday morning.

Eddie Hart, advance agent of the Eastern Missouri Girl, has returned to his home here. The season closed Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Banta of Paxton, Ill., are here this week guests of Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Moore.

John McCarty is here from South Dakota this week visiting friends and relatives. Years ago he was employed in the dry goods store of G. P. Wild & Co.

Probate

Estates of—
John Gahagan. Final report. Proof of notice of final settlement filed. Estate declared settled and executor discharged.

Robert S. Dunbar. Petition for proof of will and letters of administration with will annexed, set for hearing June 7.

Edward Lewis. Inventory filed and approved.

Stephen D. Coleman. Proof of notice to creditors.

Henry Graves. Proof of notice to creditors.

James Y. Stuart. Account of \$1.91 allowed B. F. Uplinger and \$25 I. A. McCollom.

William C. Whitford. Petitions for letters of administration ordered that Abram C. Kauffman be appointed administrator on filing bonds in sum of \$1000.

Jerry D. Brown. Petition for letters of administration; ordered that Maggie M. Brown be appointed administratrix on filing bonds in sum of \$300.

Michael Hopkins, insane. Inventory filed and approved.

George Kleinsmid. Petition for leave to file desperate claims; petition for leave to sell Fair Association stock.

John T. Evans. Petition for letters of guardianship; ordered that Mary Evans be appointed guardian of the minors on filing bond in sum of \$4,800.

Edward Lewis. Inheritance tax.

John T. Evans. Expense account of \$233.53 allowed.

Mary M. Barber. Accounts of \$17.95 allowed L. C. Shermehorn and \$1.25 allowed Gus Kirchner.

Susan G. Hodge. Inheritance tax.

William Thorp. Appraisal bill filed and approved.

David B. Stryker. Proof of heirship.

Mary Solemna Seaton. Account of \$7.24 allowed Schuyler Baker.

Henry Graves. Note of \$62.65 and interest allowed Mary E. Graves; accounts of \$12.50 allowed John W. Hall and \$55.12 allowed Bert Rogers and Stephen Rogers.

Henry Wood. Petition for probate of will and letters testamentary; will set for hearing June 7.

John Cain. Petition for probate of will and letters testamentary filed.

Albert S. Warren. Account of \$205 allowed Jones & Rogers. Petition for private sale to sell personal property.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Toby Vatne, Malta 20
Minnie Paulson, Malta 20
Charles Swanson, DeKalb 28
Hilma Gustafson, DeKalb 28
Dell Allen, Sycamore 35
Mina E. Austin, Sycamore 22
August Palatable, DeKalb 22
Ella Olsen DeKalb 22
Oley Swenson, Sandwich 23
Tilley Sampson, Sandwich 22

TRANSFERS

Albert Holroyd to Trustees Kingston Cemetery Assn pt nw one quar sw one quar sec 23 Kingston. \$235.50.

Willard B. King to John Hagman 40 ft lot 4 blk 4 W. B. King's DeKalb. \$350.

Oley Hall and wife to Wm. Myer lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 13 blk 6 Esmond. \$335.

Walter Langlois et al to Andrew Broman lots 1 and 2 blk 3 Townsend's Place DeKalb. \$475.

Emily C. Garland to Thos. Renwick lot 14 and e 10 feet lot 13 blk 12 Kirkland. \$1800.

John Pearson to Carl Johnson lot 3 blk 7 W. L. Ellwood's DeKalb. \$1525.

John Black's heirs to Magdeline Lauritson land in Black's addition on west DeKalb avenue. \$900.

Louisa Crawford and heirs to Jessie Crawford Eddy n one half lat 5 blk 27 DeKalb. \$1000.

Susan A. Hewitt to Gustaf A. Peterson lots 3 and 9 and pt lot 2 blk 4 Sycamore. \$1100.

James L. Campbell to Frank St. Clair land on Holland Ave., Sycamore. \$150.

Claus Loptien to Wm. McAllister lot 7 blk 22 Sycamore. \$3500.

Marion F. Waddell to Louisa A. Waddell land in blk 11 DeKalb. \$200.

John McLean to Wm. Scherer lot 1 blk 9 Citizen's Genoa. \$150.

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Miss Tabby—How is your husband getting along, Mrs. Thomas?
Mrs. Thomas—Not very well. He lost his seventh life yesterday, and I am getting worried about him.—New York Times.

Forewarned.



He—What did you say when that idiot Lambton proposed to you?
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A Family Talk.



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The Point.



The Little Fat One—You don't see the point.
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32... 11.34 a m...	12.55 p m
4... 8.29 p m...	9.55 p m
2... 8.03 a m...	9.30 a m
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No. 3... 8.15 a m...	9.47 a m
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5... 2.55 a m...	4.22 a m
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C. & N. W. RY.—AT HENRIETTA.

North Bound—	Time
9:07 a. m.—mail and express.	
3:00 p. m.—way freight to Herbert only.	
6:15 p. m.—express.	
South Bound—	
8:00 a. m.—way freight.	
8:00 a. m.—express.	
5:45 p. m.—mail and express.	
No Sunday Trains.	
J. J. SHELEY, Agt	

THE CHICAGO GREAT WESTERN.

AT SYCAMORE.

Dubuque, St Paul	Time
10.23 a m	
Minneapolis, Des Moines	12.44 a m
St. Jos., Kansas C., Ft.	
Dodge, C. B. & Omaha	8.07 p m
Holcomb, Rock'd, Byron	5.42 p m
Going East	
Chicago Suburban	* 5.55 a m
Chicago Limited	7.15 a m
Chicago Local	7.46 a m
Chicago Special	12.13 p m
Chicago Express	7.42 p m

Sycamore-DeKalb
Lv Sycamore Ar DeKalb
* 7.45 p m 8.00 p m
Lv DeKalb Ar Sycamore
* 5.40 a m 5.55 a m
* Daily except Sunday.
All others daily.
C. E. HURD, Agent

News Items
That Are of
General Interest
to All

DOINGS OF THE WEEK ABOUT THE TOWN

Blue Stamps.
Fruit at Frazier's.
Blue Trading Stamps at Olmsted's.
Chas. Snow drove to Kirkland Saturday.
Phil Miller was here from Dixon yesterday.
Miss Kate Kelley spent Sunday in Hampshire.
Blue stamps are good forever and everywhere.
B. C. Mead was here from Belvidere yesterday.
Blue stamps are as good as government bonds.*
Fifteen Genoa merchants are giving blue stamps.
The latest styles in summer goods at Olmsted's.
Miss Ella Hines has recovered from her recent illness.
Wm. Jewel drove over from Sycamore Wednesday.
John Collier of Belvidere spent Thursday in the village.
Mrs. Dusinger was a Chicago visitor the first of the week.
Mrs. Reed Burchfield was over from Kingston Wednesday.
Strictly first class groceries always on hand. T. M. Frazier.
Dolly Varden designs in summer goods at F. W. Olmsted's.
Blue Jay Corn Plasters make life brighter, too—Hunt's Pharmacy.
Miss Winnifred Moan spent Sunday in Chicago a guest of friends.
D. S. Brown arrived home Monday morning after a very pleasant two weeks' trip through the south.

Blue Stamps.
The latest styles in summer goods at Olmsted's.
Six packages of Uncedas for 25c at T. M. Frazier's.
The name "Benedict" is on all blue stamps. Watch for it.
Miss Mae Burroughs is quite ill with inflammatory rheumatism.
Jas. Kirby spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at DeKalb.
Mr. and Mrs. Martin Malana drove to Belvidere Wednesday.
Have you read the very interesting magazine, The Smart Set?
Chas. Sager plays third base for the Kirkland Reds this season.
Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Thurber of Savanna were Genoa visitors Monday.
Mrs. Rowell, an old resident of Hampshire, passed away Tuesday night.
Mal Miller and Mrs. Wager visited relatives at DeKalb Wednesday.
Mrs. Chas. Saul and Mrs. Ralph Field visited friends in Sycamore Monday.
The Mystic Workers will hold their annual picnic at Plano on August 4.
Brighten your piano case with Eureka Furniture Polish. Hunt's Pharmacy.
Real enjoyment is had when reading that clever magazine, The Smart Set.
The blue stamp is the only stamp that is good all over the United States.
Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Rowan spent Sunday in Kingston with Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Ort.

Blue Trading Stamps at Olmsted's.
Jack Kelley of Garden Prairie spent Sunday in Genoa.
Dolly Varden designs in summer goods at F. W. Olmsted's.
Miss Agnes Moan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moan, is ill with the mumps.
Miss Louise Lyons of DeKalb visited Genoa friends the latter part of the week.
A. L. Fuller of Kingston was a business caller here Saturday, writing insurance.
Schrafft's Chocolates and Bonbons are pure, fresh and dainty. Hunt's Pharmacy.
The DeKalb Y. M. C. A. team will play the Kirkland Reds Saturday at Kirkland.
Mrs. J. S. Sykes and son, Kelso, spent Monday in Sycamore guests of Dr. and Mrs. Riste.
Ash. Taylor came over from Sycamore Wednesday to spend a few days with relatives.
Mrs. Fred M. Worcester was here from Monroe Center last Saturday visiting friends.
Miss Edna Dodd and Miss Jennie Ort were here from Kingston Wednesday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Olmsted spent last Sunday at Sycamore with their son, John, and family.
Miss Grace Kennedy returned from Chicago Monday evening after a few days visit with friends.
If you want to buy a house or a lot or a farm worth the money, call on or address D. S. Brown at the Exchange Bank, Genoa, Ill.
G. E. Stott returned Tuesday afternoon from a two weeks' visit at Kittanning, Pa., with Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Stott.
John Wylde and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wylde were here Tuesday from Belvidere, enjoying the trip overland in an auto.
Do you want a house with four acres of ground in Genoa? If you do, come and see me. I believe that I can suit you.
D. S. BROWN.

D. S. Brown went to Freeport yesterday.
Corn planters have been running all the week.
Mrs. W. F. Dumser came from Beloit yesterday to visit her parents.
Mrs. F. J. Newton came Wednesday from Sandwich to spend a few days with Robt. Mitten and wife.
Bath Requisites, Brushes, Mitts, Sponges, Toilet Waters, Soaps and Bath Tablets. Hunt's Pharmacy.
Mrs. Henry Holsker spent Saturday and Sunday with Fred McDonald and family at Charter Grove.
Quite a heavy frost was seen Monday morning, but no serious damage to growing crops is reported.
Our wagon will call for your order every morning if desired. Groceries always fresh. T. M. Frazier.
Dabrooks Perfumes are most delicate and lasting—Flowery Fragrance concentrated. Hunt's Pharmacy.
For Sale—A model home on West Main street on easy terms. Also a No. 1 dray line at a bargain. J. E. BOWERS.
Mrs. Fred McDonald of Charter Grove has entirely recovered from her recent illness. She spent Monday with friends.
Miss Jennie Whipple returned to school duties at Evanston Monday morning, having spent Sunday with her parents.
Mrs. Knies returned to her home at La Grange on Tuesday afternoon, having spent several days here a guest of her daughter.
I want to sell a residence, well located, fit to live in and at a price that is right. If you want to buy, call and investigate.
D. S. BROWN.
Rev. and Mrs. T. E. Ream are entertaining the latter's mother, Mrs. J. P. Miller, and aunt, Mrs. Bonner, of Rockford on Wednesday.

Jas. J. Hammond and force of carpenters are erecting a fine modern home for Frank Moan on Genoa street.
The Abbott building on Main street, occupied by Eli Brainard, is being neatly papered and painted this week.
Genoa sent a big delegation of base ball enthusiasts to Kirkland Sunday to see the Reds defeat the Rockford Athletics by a score of 9 to 1.
Conductor Roe has taken the regular run of Conductor Kelley, passing through Genoa at 5:33 p. m. The run will last for the summer months.
There will be two graduates from the Genoa public school this year, Misses Minnie Koeller and Clara Drake. Exercises will be held June 10.
Otto Dietrick of Rockford, representing the Advance Threshing company of Madison, was a guest of Jas. R. Kiernan Wednesday and Thursday.
Elmer Harshman is having a fine cottage erected on Brown street. Jas. J. Hammond has secured the contract, work commencing this week.
Genoa lodge A. F. & A. M. No. 288 went to Kingston Thursday night to witness third degree work. A banquet was given by the ladies of the Eastern Star.
The funeral of Miss Ida M. Tyrrell was held Monday at 10 o'clock from the home of her parents at Youngsdale. She was born at Almore and was six years of age.
Dora Carlson has filed a petition for a divorce from her husband, Frank Carlson. They were married in Chicago November 2, 1901, and are residents of Franklin township.
Two boys who live north of town had a runaway last Friday night. The horse broke away at the store of Slater & Douglass and ran to Kellogg & Adams' barn where the buggy was somewhat damaged.

Pen Wernham of Marengo is clerking at the B. & O. during the absence of Charles F. Bright of West Baden, Ind.
Misses Jessie Kirkpatrick and Mabel Hipple of Waterman were guests of Misses Ethel Milner and Carrie Colton several days last week returning to their home Monday afternoon.
H. L. Kupel of Peoria, expert machinist of the Bartholomew company, was here this week making adjustments on J. M. Alden's auto. Upon his departure, he left the auto in fine running order.
The Hampshire Register says that Otto Holtgren took possession of "The Spot" Monday as Manager, and business at that stand will go on as usual. Otto is qualified for the position, as Hampshire people well know, and will beyond a doubt make it go there.
A Polo man purchased his wife a revolver and insisted upon target practice, so she could defend the home in case of his absence. After the bullet had been dug out of his leg and the cow buried, he said he guessed she better hunt burglars and tramps with a bread knife.
Among those who went to Rockford Friday evening to hear the sermon by Rev. Sunday were Misses Jennie Stewart, Ella Duval, Hattie Hammond, Lillie, Osia and Vina Downing, Etha Pierce, Emma Grabbey, Cora McIntyre, Stella Pratt, Julia Bowers and Jessie Hutchison and Messrs. Arthur Hill and Clayton Pierce.
The new Louisiana Purchase postage stamps are on sale at the post-office. They are of the elongated shape. The ten cent stamps are brown, with a map of the United States; three cent are purple with a picture of Monroe, two cent are red with a picture of Jefferson, one cent are green with a picture of Livingstone and the five cent are blue with a picture of McKinley. They will be kept on sale until the exposition closes.

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BUILDING SALE

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Having decided to move my present store building to the rear and erect a two story brick building, 24 x 30 feet, there will be held a Grand Building Sale in order to dispose of the goods before the removal of the building, thus insuring a much better display now than during the period of removing. To the public at large will be offered the greatest chance of a life time to get a vast amount of goods at cost.

\$10,000 Worth of Goods at Cost

Every thing in my store with the exception of Groceries will be sold at COST. Now is the time to investigate these great bargains the goods must go and as soon as this sale is over the moving and building will begin

This Sale will Commence Saturday, May 14

In order that you may get the best selections come in early to avoid the rush. This sale commences at 2 o'clock p. m. each day and continues until the closing time. Don't forget that our enormous stock of Ladies', Gent's, Misses' and Children's Shoes are going at Cost. These goods are sold for cash only.

Green Trading Stamps will be Given with Every Purchase

The following are a few of the articles offered--Etamines, Brocaded Goods, Dress Flannels, Cashmeres, Brillanteens and Plaid Goods in all colors, Percales and prints, light and dark, Shaker Flannel, Canton Flannel, Wool Flannels, Silkolones, Cretonnes, Shirtings, Table Linens, Waist and Dress Gingham, Lawns and Dimities in all shades, and Linings--Selisia, Percales, Taffeta, Cambric and Sateens.

This is Strictly a Cash Sale

This sale is guaranteed to comprise an almost endless variety of the season's newest and most desirable goods. Everybody should examine them. These splendid materials are placed on sale at prices which will make this event a most profitable one to you. By the buying of these goods it will net you a big saving. Did you ever stop to think what poor economy it is to buy anything but the very best in order to save a trifle in material? Space does not allow us to describe our lines, so you must come in to see them to appreciate them. Remember this sale commences Saturday afternoon, May 14, 1904.

GENOA, ILL.

JOHN LEMBKE

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