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HOLD INFORMAL MEETING

Board of Supervisors Met Last Saturday at Sycamore

RESOLUTIONS ARE ADOPTED

Supervisors and Representatives of the County Hold an Informal Meeting in the Court House.

The board of supervisors and representatives of each township in the county, held an informal meeting in the court house last Saturday.

The meeting was called to order and, on motion of Judge Pond, Judge Bishop was made the presiding officer. A. W. Fisk was named for secretary. On a call of the roll all the supervisors were present, except one or two who arrived a few minutes later.

Judge Bishop, upon taking the chair, called upon Attorney D. J. Carnes to state the object and purpose of the meeting, and explain the proposition that was recommended as a compromise.

The proposition is that Sycamore and DeKalb unite and build a home for old people on the line of the electric road between Sycamore and DeKalb, DeKalb to contribute \$100,000 and Sycamore \$50,000, the same to be maintained without any expense to the county whatever.

The resolutions passed are as follows:

Whereas, a settlement of the controversy growing out of the proposed removal of the county seat of the county of DeKalb and state of Illinois, from the city of Sycamore to the city of DeKalb, and an abatement of the strife and ill-feeling engendered thereby, has become desirable to a large number of the citizens of said DeKalb county; and

Whereas, at a meeting of the citizens of the county, called at Sycamore on the 16th of May, 1903, a committee representing the citizens of DeKalb has proposed, that if the city of Sycamore will contribute the sum of \$50,000 toward the establishment of a charitable institution for the care of dependent old people of DeKalb county, and other charitable purposes, to be located by the incorporators, and to be maintained without any expense whatever to the taxpayers of the county, said incorporators to consist of the following named persons, to wit: Isaac L. Ellwood, J. F. Glidden, Jacob Haish, D. J. Carnes, C. F. Meyer, William Jackson and Wm. L. Pond, the citizens of DeKalb will contribute, or cause to be contributed, the sum of \$100,000, and that in consideration of said contributions, the citizens of DeKalb will abandon all effort in regard to the proposed removal of the county seat; and

Whereas, a committee representing the citizens of the city of Sycamore, proposed to make the said contribution of \$50,000, on condition that the board of supervisors of said DeKalb county will consent to the withdrawal by said citizens of the city of Sycamore of all proposals and papers filed with the county clerk, or other county officials, by them, in connection with the said proposed removal of the county seat, or the building of new county buildings in the city of Sycamore, and on the further condition that said sum of \$50,000 is not to be paid to said charitable institution until the corner stone of a new court

house shall be laid at said city of Sycamore; and

Whereas, it has been reported that committees representing the cities of Sycamore and DeKalb have been in conference, and a substantial agreement has been reached regarding the terms upon which the said contributions are to be made and expended. Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of the meeting that a settlement of the above mentioned controversy is desirable to all persons and interests of said county, and should be encouraged by all proper means, and that the board of supervisors in consenting to the withdrawal of all proposals and papers filed with the county clerk, or other county officials, in connection with the subject of the removal of the county seat, or the erection of new county buildings, will be subserving the best interests of the people; and, be it further

Resolved, that it is the sense of this meeting that at the next meeting of the board of supervisors, if the committee representing the interests of the citizens of DeKalb shall not present to said board satisfactory evidence of the carrying out of said propositions on their part, or shall abandon the same, that said board of supervisors immediately proceed to take the necessary steps to erect a court house at the city of Sycamore, and to appropriate for such purpose the subscriptions made by the citizens of the city of Sycamore and vicinity for that purpose; and, be it further

Resolved, that if at said meeting the citizens of the city of DeKalb shall be ready and willing to carry out their part of said proposition, and the citizens of Sycamore shall refuse to carry out their part, or shall fail to have said sum of \$50,000 ready to turn over to some responsible person or persons, to be paid to said charitable institution after they shall be released from their subscriptions on file in the office of the county clerk of said county, and after the corner stone of a new court house shall be laid at said city of Sycamore, that it is the sense of this meeting that said board of supervisors take no action in regard to the withdrawal of any of said proposals or papers filed with the county clerk connected with the said proposed removal of the county seat, or building of a new court house in the city of Sycamore, or any steps whatever in regard to the building of such court house until after May 1, 1904; and, be it further

Resolved, that in case the citizens of the city of Sycamore and the citizens of the city of DeKalb shall each carry out and faithfully perform their respective parts of said propositions, that it is the sense of this meeting that the board of supervisors of said county, at its next meeting, or as soon thereafter as proper, take the necessary steps to erect a court house at the city of Sycamore; and, be it further

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be transmitted to the board of supervisors of said county, with the request that it be received by said board and spread at large upon its records, and that a copy of the same be furnished to each newspaper printed in said county.

Rockford District Meeting

The Rockford district of the W. F. M. S. is holding its convention in Elgin at the First Methodist church to-day; the session opened yesterday.

Hoping against hope is like betting on another man's game.

FEATURE PICTURE NO. 4



VIEW FROM OPPOSITE THE MAIN ENTRANCE
NOTE THE RAPID PROGRESS OF THE WORK

MAKE RICH HAUL.

Burglars Get Plunder from Hampshire Stores Friday Evening.

A rich haul for a gang of burglars was made in Hampshire last Friday evening. Four prominent business houses were broken into, the robbers securing \$100 in cash and goods valued at twice that amount.

Karau's saloon was the first place entered. The burglars pried open the rear door and effected entrance into the back room. The door to the rear of the saloon was also pried open and three bolts on the inside were broken from their places. Reaching the bar the men opened the cash drawers of the slot machines. It is claimed that they secured about \$85 in cash.

At the store of Widmier & McGrath, hardware dealers, the burglars found entrance through the rear door. A pane of glass was broken, and this allowed admission to the stock room. No cash was discovered in the money drawers, but upon examination this morning the proprietor discovered that a large quantity of knives, razors and cutlery was missing. He estimates his loss at \$75.

Proceeding to the Butterfield drug and jewelry store, the robbers also pried open the rear door. A large quantity of pins, brooches, watchfobs and jewelry of little value was taken. Watches and diamonds had been placed in the safe, and the robbers were unable to find the valuable jewelry. Show cases were nearly denuded of their contents, and Mr. Butterfield claims that his loss will be nearly \$100. No money had been left in the cash registers or drawers.

Kirkhoff Bros' lumber and coal office was visited and the money drawer forced open. The proprietors had left only thirty-seven cents in the cash drawer, and the thieves were forced to leave without booty. It is claimed that doors on several other places of business were tried, but the robbers evidently found difficulty in effecting an entrance and abandoned the attempt after a trial.

No trace can be found of the robbers. The thefts are thought to have been made after twelve o'clock, as the night watchman noted no suspicious characters about the town up to that time.

A band of gypsies have been in camp in the vicinity several days and it is thought the stolen goods may be found among their possessions. A diligent search is being made.

SPECIAL MEETING

Six Trustees Present at the Special Meeting on May 15

Genoa, Illinois, May 15, '03. Minutes of special meeting of village trustees. Called to order by President H. A. Perkins. Present—Hammond, Holroyd, Schmidt, Browne, Smith and Malana. Committee on water and light report.

Committee on street and walk report. The following walk needed—from Oak street east 200 feet. West line lot 12 Perkins addition to Washington street, on Jackson street 34 1/2 feet. From Jackson street to Main street on west side 354 feet. Two stone crossings on Jackson street 24 feet and 56 feet. From North line of Mrs. Dean's on west side to corner of Church street thence west to Sycamore street 460 feet. Stone crossing on Locust street at Church street 64 feet. From 10 feet south of north line lot 19, block 9, Citizens' addition to south line of Railway avenue 510 feet. From second street south on west side Washington street to south line of lot 2, block 4, 124 feet. Stone crossing on Second street at Washington 64 feet. From Second street south on Monroe to First at west side 430 feet. Stone crossing across Emmet and Railway avenue 16 feet plank and 50 feet stone. New factory on Second street 180 feet.

Moved by Holroyd, seconded by Hammond that the report be accepted. Motion carried.

Moved by Hammond, seconded by Browne that the hole in Central avenue be filled and six loads of gravel be put on south end of Prairie street. Hammond, yes; Holroyd, yes; Schmidt, yes; Browne, yes; Smith, yes; Malana, yes. Motion carried.

Moved by Holroyd, seconded by Smith that the street commissioner be instructed to repair that tile drain on Main street. Hammond, yes; Holroyd, yes; Scamid, yes; Browne, yes; Smith, yes; Malana, yes. Motion carried.

Moved by Hammond, seconded by Holroyd that board adjourn. Motion carried.

THOS. M. FRAZIER, V. C.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend thanks to our friends and neighbors for their kind assistance and heartfelt sympathy in our late bereavement.

MRS. CYRUS WAITE,
MR. and MRS. SWAN.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

Accident to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Pollock at Rockton on Sunday Morning.

While attending services in the Methodist church, at their home in Rockton, Sunday morning, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Pollock were struck by lightning and quite seriously injured. One of Mr. Pollock's shoes was torn from his foot, so severe was the bolt, and he was badly burned. His wife was less seriously affected.

The accident happened in the midst of the morning services. There was no rain, but successive electrical explosions, and a bolt of fire followed a live wire in the church directly to the place where the injured ones were seated. Mrs. E. Shottliff, who was sitting in the same pew, was probably fatally hurt.

Great confusion followed the shock, and it was at first feared that the three people were killed, as the clothes were almost burned from their bodies.

MEMORIAL DAY

Special Memorial Services will be Held in Genoa May 31.

The Genoa G. A. R. invites the general public, and especially any old soldiers who do not belong to the organization, to attend divine worship at the Methodist church May 31. The old soldiers will meet at the hall at 10 a. m., the services at the church commencing at 10:30. In the afternoon exercises will take place at the cemetery and the graves will be decorated. The veterans will gladly receive donations of flowers for this purpose.

BOARD OF TRADE

The Market Price of Butter is Fixed at Twenty-one Cents.

The quotation committee of the Elgin board of trade Monday decided on twenty-one cents as the market price of butter. The output for this district is 729,000 pounds.

FORMER MARKETS.

	Tubs.	Price.
May 11, '03.....	0	21
May 19, '02.....	75	22
May 20, '01.....	0	18 1/2
May 21, '00.....	0	19 1/2

The New York market is reported at 22c firm, with receipts of 5,659 tubs.

Sales at Dundee.

Note our Prices—Best stocking feet, 3c; bust form \$1 corsets at 25c; ladies' knit drawers, 10c; fancy lawns, 4c a yard; ladies' entire suits—three styles, worth up to \$2.50—choice 98c; men's summer underwear, 19c and 37c, worth 25c and 50c; ladies' wool Eaton jackets, only 98c; ladies' 25c satin ties, 5c; fancy curtain goods, 10c per yard; lot of men's fine summer suits, worth up to \$8, at \$5 and \$6.50; ladies' tailor-made suits at \$7.75—silk lined goods; summer corsets, 15c and 19c; children's dresses, sizes 2 to 5, at 19c each; fine covert cloth skirts, at 49c; shirt waist sale, at 15 to 35c; elegant samples at 98c, \$1.98 and \$2.69, worth up to \$4; crochet silk, only 4c; sateen and lining remnants, 5c to 9c per yard; ladies' muslin underwear values, one-third saved to buyers; men's belts, 95 samples at 25c and 39c; ladies' fine Oxfords, 98c; men's heavy weight suspenders, 19c; hundreds of bargains; see our way. Get acquainted and let us prove to you that cash buying is the best. Trade \$10 and show round trip railroad ticket and we refund your car fare.—C. F. HALL CO., Dundee, Illinois.

A PIONEER LAID TO REST

The Funeral of Cyrus Waite was Held on Saturday

DIED LAST WEEK THURSDAY

The Funeral was Largely Attended Saturday, the Services Being Conducted by Rev. T. E. Ream.

The death of Cyrus Waite last week Thursday caused general sorrow in this vicinity, particularly among the old settlers of the community who had known and esteemed Mr. Waite during the many years of his residence here.

While Cyrus Waite was never a robust man, yet he had enjoyed reasonably good health until last fall, when his fatal malady first made itself felt. He was not long ill then, and was about as usual until within a week of his death. When Dr. Austin pronounced the case cancer of the stomach, it was known that but few days of life remained for Mr. Waite. Everything that could be done for the sufferer was done, and in the quiet hour that succeeded his terrible sufferings and preceded death, his relatives were at his bedside.

Cyrus Waite was born in New York state sixty-seven years ago. When nine years of age he came to Genoa from Ohio with his father's family. The family located on the Waite farm, just north of Genoa, where Cyrus resided almost continuously until moving to Genoa some twelve years ago. When a boy he attended the Hickory Grove school. In recent years he has assisted his son-in-law, F. O. Swan, in the grocery store on Main street.

Forty years ago the 20th of last January, Cyrus Waite and Emma Jane Abbott were married at the home of the bride's parents in Shaddock's Grove. They kept house for one year on a farm in Riley, and then moved to the old homestead north of town. A son and a daughter were born to them, the son dying some thirteen years ago.

Cyrus Waite leaves a widow and one daughter, Mrs. F. O. Swan, of Genoa. His aged mother, now 88 years of age, lives at Belvidere, as does one brother, Clark Waite; another brother, Chauncey Waite, lives in Chicago. George Reed, who lives north of town, is an uncle of the deceased.

Mr. Waite was a man devoted to his family and friends, and will be sincerely mourned by many. He never joined any club or society, and never sought public office.

The funeral services were largely attended, all the old families of the community being represented. Rev. T. E. Ream preached from I Cor. 13: 9-10, the theme being the imperfections of this life and the perfection of that which is to come. Music was furnished by a quartette, composed of Mrs. Clayton Patterson, Miss Blanche Patterson and Messrs. Shork and Robinson.

The interment was in Genoa cemetery.

The Best Cough Medicine

I sell more of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy than of all similar preparations put together and it gives the best satisfaction of any medicine I ever sold. I guarantee every bottle of it.—F. C. JACOBSON, Inland, Mich. This remedy is for sale by F. T. Robinson, Druggist.

Our friends often think of us as our enemies speak of us,

ADVANCE IN PRICES EUREKA PARK LOTS

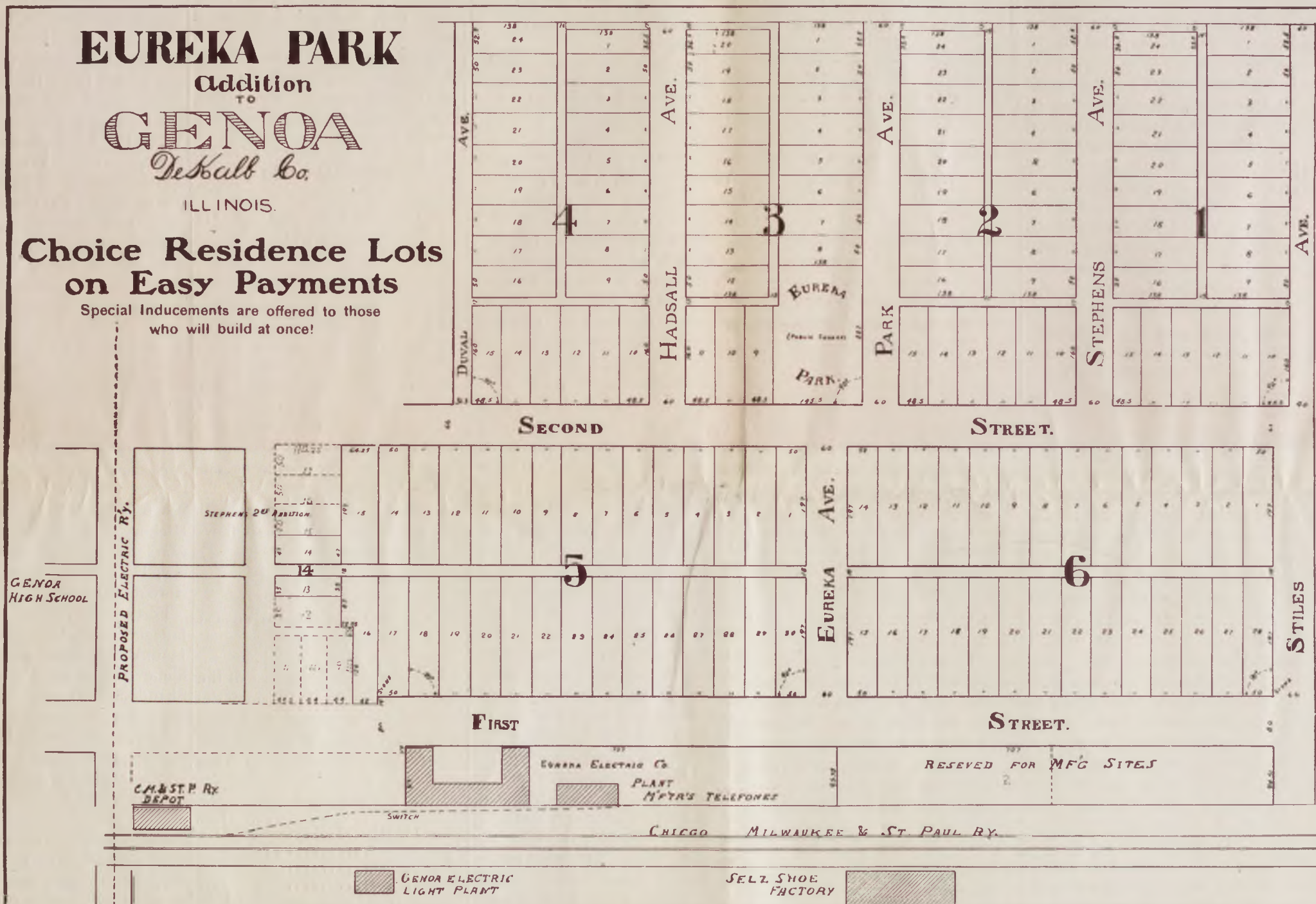
The Prices now are \$100 to \$200

on easy monthly payments. This is low, too low, but you can get one at these prices

until the fifty lots offered are sold. On June 20th, and after, the prices will be \$125 to \$250 per lot

Better take our advice, and
GET IN NOW

35 NEW HOUSES STILL NEEDED



NOW
Is the Time
to Select Your
LOT. . .

Read our Easy
Payment Plan

Inspect the Property

Buy Now!

15 REASONS

Why You Should Buy Eureka Park Lots
NOW!

- Buy Now! 1st.** Because it is a well known fact that in the past fifty years of our history money invested judiciously in realty has increased many times faster than it would have done at compound interest.
- Buy Now! 2nd.** Because it is absolutely certain that Genoa real estate can never again be purchased as low as today.
- Buy Now! 3rd.** Because it gives promise of yielding larger profits in the near future to the investor of today than even the earliest land owner of Genoa has made by rise in values.
- Buy Now! 4th.** Because real estate investments in a growing city have been not only large but have proven they are the SURE profit winners.
- Buy Now! 5th.** Because wealthy men of today were the purchasers of real estate ten or twenty years ago. The wealthy men of years to come will be those who are today laying the foundation by purchasing real estate.
- Buy Now! 6th.** Because "that only by saving and putting aside into some profit yielding form some portion of his daily earnings is it possible for the wage earner to become, in his later years, independent of the labor of his hands."—Henry George.
- Buy Now! 7th.** Because by our easy payment plan any wage earner has an opportunity which his father before him did not have—that is

- the opportunity to secure a beautiful home in the choicest part of Genoa and pay for it in a way that he will hardly feel.
- Buy Now! 8th.** Because at the prices asked now there is not a single lot that is not a genuine bargain either to a home seeker or an investor.
- Buy Now! 9th.** Because so long as a person is undecided he is to a certain extent unhappy. When he has come to a conclusion he experiences a peculiar satisfaction, and after deciding to select a lot in Eureka Park addition this experience of satisfaction will be all the more pleasant as there can be no cause for regret.
- Buy Now! 10th.** Because "Poverty is the slough of despond which Bunyon saw in his dream" and in which good books and good advice may be poured forever without result unless the wage earner can be led to get rid of the burden of rent paying.
- Now-Now 11th.** Because to make people industrious, prudent and intelligent they must first be relieved from want. No family whose support depends upon wages or salary can long be secure from want without the ownership of property, the ownership of at least a home.
- Now-Now 12th.** Because if you are a wage earner, in the factory, store or office, your employer will think more of you if he knows you are saving your money for a home. You will be a better workman. You will take on new thoughts, new interests. You will be a new man.
- NOW! 13th.** Because our present prices will positively be advanced early in June, or just as soon as the new factory is occupied. If the sale continues as started all the lots offered will be sold before that time.

We are doing
...GOOD 14th. Because every lot we sell for a poor man's home helps to extirpate pauperism, abolish poverty, raise wages, lessen crime, elevate morals and purify government. Our creed is: "There is no higher form of benevolence than this of leading, inspiring and helping people to home ownership." It is the possession of property, and especially a home, that gives a man a stake in the country and an interest in its government.

Our
Ambition 15th. It is our ambition to see Genoa a city of 5,000 people or more. A model city of happy homes, contented and prosperous people. We are more encouraged than ever and have full confidence that our fondest hopes will be realized.

Others Are Buying Now-----You Had Better
START NOW! If you don't buy now you will probably put it off from day to day until too late and to your sorrow. Do it NOW! Time is worth money, so in buying these lots or any lots in Genoa, the longer you wait the more you must pay.

TO NON-RESIDENTS We say "There is Something Doing" at Genoa. There will be work and money for all. You had better COME, SEE and BE CONVINCED. There are more good things coming for Genoa. REAL ESTATE has advanced 10 per cent. monthly since Feb. 1, when it was definitely decided that the Eureka Electric Co. and the Advance Electric and Telephone Co. of Chicago would consolidate and remove their combined plants to Genoa, where magnificent buildings are now being erected for them. That values will continue to rise is conceded by all. Come and see, or send for descriptive folder and full particulars.

Genoa Improvement Syndicate
PUNK, LAWRENCE & CO., Mgrs. GENOA, ILLINOIS
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The Kingston News

As reported by Harry S. Heckman for THE GENOA REPUBLICAN of the week ending May 22, 1903.

SURPRISE THEIR FRIENDS

Are Married at Genoa Wednesday Evening at 8:30

REV. T. E. REAM OFFICIATING

John Uplinger, one of Kingston's prominent merchants, and Miss Flora B. Wilcox, of Fredonia, N. Y., were united in marriage Wednesday evening at 8:30, at the M. E. parsonage, by the Rev. T. E. Ream.

The news of the happy event took Kingston by storm, as it spread about shortly after the ceremony took place Wednesday evening.

Mr. Uplinger and his bride elect, in company with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Moore, of Kingston, on Wednesday evening quietly drove to the M. E. parsonage at Genoa, where the pastor, Rev. Ream, united the happy couple, using the ring ceremony.

After the services they returned to Kingston to prepare for a short honeymoon.

Mrs. Uplinger is a talented, educated and refined lady, and her welcome to Kingston is a cordial one. At her former home she could be no more highly esteemed and the best wishes for their success is unanimous.

Mrs. G. W. Moore, of this place, is a sister.

Mr. Uplinger is one of Kingston's most prominent merchants, and possesses the esteem of the community. His many friends join THE REPUBLICAN in extending congratulations.

They will be at home to friends at Kingston after July 1.

Our Store

has ever had the reputation of showing the best millinery. We take a pride in that reputation and guard it carefully. This season our patrons are more than pleased at our styles, workmanship and prices, and you can't go astray if you depend on us for your summer hats.—Theo. F. Swan, Elgin.

Personals

B. P. Penny was over from Belvidere Friday.

Miss May Heckman spent Saturday in Chicago.

Mr. Tyrell is the new night operator at the tower.

Arthur Starks is learning telegraphy at the tower.

Edgar Burton returned home Monday from Chicago.

Mrs. Wyllys returned Friday evening from Wyoming.

Henry Landis made a business trip to Sycamore Friday.

Interest paid on deposits at Farmers' State bank, Genoa.

No charge for bank drafts at Farmers' State bank, Genoa.

Prof. I. E. Conover and wife visited in Belvidere Saturday.

Mrs. Sallie Harper is visiting relatives in Belvidere this week.

Rev. J. C. Huffman preached at Chelsea, Wisconsin, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bales, of Elgin, spent Saturday at H. A. Lanan's.

Deposit with Farmers' State Bank, Genoa, Ill. \$25,000 capital.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Foster were passengers to Chicago Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Brainard are guests at the home of Eli Brainard.

Eli Brainard and daughter, Miss Mabel, were Sycamore visitors on Monday.

Dr. McAllister was here from Genoa Saturday, a guest of his brother.

Milton Orton, of Sycamore, moved a house for John Moyers this week.

Mrs. Frank Heffner and mother of Belvidere visited here a few days last week.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Clark of Belvidere last Thursday morning.

Misses Hazel and Grace Kapus, of Elgin, visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Maderer over Sunday.

A business meeting of the Epworth League was held at the M. E. church Friday evening. The church trustees met Monday on important business.

Mrs. Jennie Worcester closed a successful term of school at the Five Corners last Friday.

Mrs. Geo. Maderer attended the funeral service of Mrs. Wm. Channing at Hampshire Friday.

A. L. Fuller, and son Kryle, spent Thursday at Monroe Center, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hunt.

Otto Holtgren and Miss Bonnie Oakley, of Hampshire, were guests at the home of Geo. Maderer Sunday evening.

Mrs. Martin Dunbar fell from a porch at her home in Belvidere last Thursday, breaking two bones in her ankle. Dr. DeSobe is in attendance.

Sycamore has completed arrangements for a Chautauqua assembly from July 31 to August 10. The assembly will be held in Marsh's grove in a tent 80x100 feet, provided for the occasion.

\$5.00 Reward

Kingston, Ill., May 15, '03.

Any person giving information that will lead to the conviction of any person shooting, fishing or damaging signs on the two bridges west of Genoa will be paid the above reward. WM. WATSON, IRA BICKSLER, WM. AVES, Highway Commissioners.

South Riley

Joel Nylung was a Marengo caller Saturday.

M. J. Corson was a Chicago passenger Saturday.

John Hutchison called on Marengo friends Thursday evening.

Miss Bertha Williams of Genoa spent Sunday with Margaret Corson.

Charles Craft of Lily Lake was the guest of relatives here last week.

Alvin Fague and Harry Williams called at Genoa Saturday evening.

The L. A. S. met at the home of Mrs. W. Bedell on Thursday afternoon.

J. A. Burch and family, of Chicago, are guests at the home of John Burzell.

Geo. Geithman is the possessor of a new Monarch bicycle, purchased of Clifford & Perkins, Genoa.

FRANK ARBUCKLE INITIATED

Received Summons from Neptunus Rex and Davey Jones

PROGRAM VERY INTERESTING

Sailors on Board U. S. Flagship Newark Commanded to Appear in Court and Initiated in Mysteries of Empire

As is the general custom, the sailors aboard a flagship in crossing the equator are initiated into the mysteries of his empire—that of Neptunus Rex.

While the U. S. Flagship Newark was southward bound to Montevideo, Uruguay, Frank D. Arbuckle and a number of sailors were commanded to appear before Neptune Rex, and were properly initiated into the mysteries of his royal domain.

Following are the summons and greeting in full:

Domain of Neptunus Rex. To Frank D. Arbuckle, "U. S. F. S. Newark."

January 20, 1903.

Notice and Listen Ye Land Lubber:

I order and command you to appear before me at my court tomorrow to be initiated in the mysteries of my empire. If not you shall be given as food for sharks, whales, pollywogs, frogs, etc., who will devour you, head, body and soul as a warning to any lubbers entering my domain.

Therefore bear and obey or suffer the penalty.

NEPTUNE REX. DAVEY JONES, Secretary to His Majesty.

SEAL NEPTUNUS REX. Registered

Domain of Neptunus Rex. Greeting to All Sailors Around the World:

Be It Remembered: That on this 23rd day of January in the year 1903, there has appeared within the limits of our Royal Domain, the United States Flagship Newark, bound southward to Montevideo, Uruguay.

And Be It Therefore Understood: That the said vessel and the officers and crew thereof have entered our kingdom and have been inspected and passed upon by myself, as also by the officers of my Royal Staff, And Be It Known by all ye sailors, soldiers, landlubbers, park statutes, boxcar tourists, haymakers, politicians and others who may be honored by his presence, that Frank D. Arbuckle has been gathered to our fold and from now and forever shall enjoy our Royal Protection.

And Be It Further Remembered: That I do hereby enjoin all sea-going men to bear in mind that the said ship has been recognized and that Frank D. Arbuckle has been duly initiated into the many mysterious degress of the Order of the Deep.

And Moreover Be It Understood: That by virtue of the power invested in me by all living things of the sea, I do hereby command my subjects such as mermaids, sea serpents, dolphins, pollywogs, skates eels, whales and others to abstain from eating, playing with, or otherwise maltreating his person should he be unfortunate enough to lose his head and fall overboard. Disobey this order under penalty of my Royal displeasure.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Ruler of the deep; on twenty-third day of January, nineteen hundred and three.

NEPTUNE REX. DAVEY JONES, Secretary to his Majesty.



Jim Dumps gazed out on sidewalks hot
And looked in vain for one cool spot;
And vowed he ne'er again would eat
A lunch of heat-producing meat.
Once more has "Force" restored his vim,
Although 'tis hot, he's "Sunny Jim."

"Force"

The Ready-to-Serve Cereal

makes comfort possible
on a sweltering day.

Helps Him to Keep Cool.
"Force" is a blessing to hot humanity. I find since eating it—and I want it every morning—that I am able to go through a hot day with much more comfort than when I used to eat hearty meat breakfasts. It has taught me how to live.
—R. B. CLAYBERGER."

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Children's Shoes
Men's Shirts, Pants, Overalls, Jackets
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Staple Groceries

Good Goods at Lowest Prices

Slater & Douglass

We have the Justrite Corset, long dip front and hip, at 50c, 1.00 In Satteen, Batiste and Net

The "M" Waist for Children : : : 15c and 25c

LADIES' READY MADE WALKING SKIRTS
SATTEEN AND MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Queen Quality Shoes, the best in the World for
Style and Wear, in Oxford and Patent Kid
at \$2.00, \$2.50 \$3.00.

Men's Shoes that Can't Be Beat for wear
and Satisfaction

JUST RECEIVED---A New Line of Men's and
Boys' Pants

SUMMER WASH GOODS

A Magnificent Variety of the latest popular styles is ready for your selection . . .

Fine Zephyr Ginghams at, per yard . . . 12½ to 25c

Madras Waistings, 33 inches wide, per yd. only 25c

Extra Fine Dimities, per yard 15c

A small lot of Mercerized Fancies that were 25c and 35c a yard, to close only 18c

We give Green Trading Stamps

SABIN BROS.

Belvidere, Illinois

Hampshire Items

Mark Smith is home from De Kalb.

Mrs. Blanche Tremon is on the sick list.

Robert Widmayer is on the sick list.

Currien Conro was a caller at Elgin Sunday.

Sam Miller was home Sunday from Woodstock.

Jesse Ketchum has quit working at the county farm.

George Humphrey was home from Savanna Wednesday.

Harry Tremán transacted business at Burlington Monday.

Cecil Smith visited at the home of E. W. Dickson Sunday.

Leander Lovell was home from Sycamore the first of the week.

James Kiernan and daughter were down from Genoa Sunday.

Maude Humphrey has returned to her work at Genoa, after a few weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. William King and son, of Harvard, called on Silas Baldwin Thursday.

Mrs. Ganong, of Barrington, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. DeWitt.

Cook & Son have sold their store, which is occupied by W. H. Keyes, to Lincoln Scott.

Colvin Park

Several young people went fishing Sunday.

Chas. Cole was a Kingston visitor Saturday.

Several attended the show at Genoa Wednesday.

Miss May Crosby returned to her home south of town Sunday.

Mrs. John Babbler spent two days at Charter Grove last week.

Frank Strang and John Babbler were in Genoa Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Chas. Strege went to Antioch Ill. Wednesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Joe Buitton.

Misses Alvina Gillman and Cora Schroebke and Will Ollman attended church at Genoa Sunday.

Esmond Locals

W. G. McKenzie went to Chicago Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kock of Fairdale visited at J. H. Van Horne's Sunday.

J. Greenway attended the I. O. O. F. lodge at DeKalb Monday night.

L. Schumaker shipped a car load of hogs to Chicago Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barnes visited relatives at Clare over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brew entertained Mr. and Mrs. Miller of Adeline Sunday.

Mrs. H. Wadey and Mrs. Tindall of South Grove returned home Sunday morning after three week's visit with their sister in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Brew returned home Saturday night after several day's sight seeing and purchasing a large farm in Dakota.

Fairdale Items

Mrs. Lewis Smith is better.

Dr. Gould has been ill this week with the grip.

Miss Grace Castle went to Rockford Tuesday.

Claude Miller was a Rockford caller Tuesday.

Evan Woodward was home from Rockford over Sunday.

Dr. Woodward of Cherry Valley was in town on business Saturday.

Mesdames M. R. and H. J. Jewitt were Kirkland shoppes Monday.

R. B. Proctor and wife are

making plans to start for California Wednesday.

Frank Van Voorhis and wife visited this week with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Van Voorhis.

Mrs. Hervie Van Horne of Esmond visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Proctor Sr., Tuesday.

G. F. Schoonmaker and wife and V. L. Woodward and wife drove over to Camp Epworth on business Tuesday.

DIED AT HAMPSHIRE

Mrs. William Channing Passed Away at Her Home Last Wednesday

The death of Mrs. William Channing at her home in Hampshire last Wednesday was quite a surprise to her many friends in Genoa. For many years she has been an invalid.

Mrs. Channing came to Rockford at an early date, and has resided at Kingston and Hampshire, in later years making her home at the latter place.

She leaves to mourn two sons, Walter and Frank, and one daughter, Mrs. W. H. Keyes.

The funeral services were held Friday from the home, Rev. J. H. Johnson officiating. Interment at Hampshire.

MRS. KELLOGG ENTERTAINS

Genoa Women's Club are Pleasantly Entertained Wednesday Afternoon.

At the spacious home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Kellogg, on Genoa street, Wednesday afternoon, the Genoa Woman's Club was entertained at one of their regular meetings. The study of physical geography was taken up, followed by the reading of "Lovey Mary."

During the afternoon Miss Flossie Pearl Kellogg rendered in a pleasing manner a number of whistling selections. At 5:30 a dainty luncheon was served to thirty. During the luncheon, Mrs. Ira Brown, of Elgin, a member of the club in former years, arrived on the scene. The presence of Mrs. Brown was a treat to the members of the club, as her presence made the affair one that will long be remembered.

Made Young again

"One of Dr. King's New Life Pills each night for two weeks has put me in my 'teens' again" writes D. H. Turner of Dempseytown Pa. They're the best in the world for Liver, Stomach and Bowels. Purely vegetable. Never gripe. Only 25c. at F. T. Robinson's Drug Store.

A Sun Umbrella

will save your complexion, and at the prices we offer them, are cheaper than complexion restorers and face lotions. Colored umbrellas are in demand, and good dresses are carrying them. Shown in red, brown, green and blue—\$1.98 to \$4.98 each. Black ones, 98c to \$6.98.—Theo. F. Swan, Elgin.

Woodmen Picnic at Janesville

For the Woodmen picnic to be held at Janesville, Wis., June 4, the C. M. & St. P. Ry will sell excursion tickets at \$1.50 for the round trip. Special train will be furnished for the occasion, time of which will be announced later. J. M. Harvey, Agt.

\$50 to San Francisco

or Los Angeles and return. The tickets on sale via Chicago Great Western railway, May 3 and May 12-18. Good to return June 15, stopovers allowed going or returning. Via Portland and northern lines about \$11 higher. For further information apply to any Great Western agent, or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago.

Quick Arrest

J. A. Gullledge of Verbena, Ala. was twice in the hospital from a severe case of piles causing 24 tumors. After doctors and remedies failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly arrested further inflammation and cured him. It conquers aches and kills pain. 25c at F. T. Robinson, Druggist.

GOES TO JAIL

C. G. Shelby Robs John Hutchison of \$15.00.

Called out bed at 1 o'clock in the morning and taken into custody by Marshall Fay on a charge of robbery is the story of C. G. Shelby late carrier.

Today he is held in the county jail at Sycamore charged with taking fifteen dollars from the clothes belonging to John Hutchison at the Geo. Geithman, farm near Riley, where he was boarding.

The money was not missed until Tuesday evening when Hutchison was about to pay his board.

The theft by Shelby was established late Wednesday after he had returned to Genoa and paid his board at the Commercial hotel presenting a \$10 bill that had been torn and was known to be the property of Hutchison. A warrant was issued about 12 o'clock Wednesday night. Marshall Fay went to Shelby's room in the Commercial hotel annex and ordered him to dress and come with him. Thursday morning Shelby pled guilty and was taken to Sycamore.

Entertains in Honor.

The handsome new Clifford home on Sycamore street has been the scene of a joyous week.

Each evening of the week has been spent socially in honor of Mrs. James Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Boswell, Mrs. John Fry and daughter, Helen, and Miss Florence Carpenter, all of La Fayette Indiana. Music, cards and games were indulged in.

Wanted

fifty farmers to contract to grow pickles in Genoa territory, this season for delivery at our Herbert factory. Best prevailing cash prices and fair treatment guaranteed. Drop postal card to Thos. Sheahan, our manager, Herbert, Illinois, and he will call on you and make contract and supply you with seed.

MARSH & HAARMANN.

Note—Manager Sheahan has arranged with Slater & Douglass to handle the pickle seed for this season. See them for seeds and contracts.

RAILWAY TIME CARD AT GENOA, ILLINOIS.

KINGSTON TIME CARD.

Table with columns: No., Eastbound, No., Westbound. Rows: 8... 6:00 a m, 21... 10:30 a m, 36... 7:16 a m, 9... 3:15 p m, 10... 11:50 a m, 35... 5:21 p m, 24... 3:48 p m, 7... 6:56 p m. Local Freights: 92... 9:05 a m, 91... 5:10 a m, 94... 1:10 p m, 93... 12:25 p m. O. W. Vickell, agent.

R-I-P-A-N-S Tabules, Doctors find A good prescription For mankind

The 5-cent packet is enough for usual occasions. The family bottle (60 cents) contains a supply for a year. All druggists sell them.

DON'T BE FOOLED

Advertisements having appeared in various publications wherein Sears, Roebuck & Co., offer Wheeler & Wilson sewing machines, we wish to warn the public that they are not our authorized agents and that we do not sell our machines to them nor any other catalogue house or department store.

Their advertisements are not for the purpose of promoting the sale of our machines. They are using our reputation as makers of the highest grade machines only, in order to get the names of possible buyers and persuade them to purchase one of their cheap STENCILED MACHINES, the manufacturers of which they are, evidently, ashamed to make public.

If you want a genuine Wheeler & Wilson machine, do not waste your time writing to anyone who is unable to furnish it. The genuine Wheeler & Wilson machine, made by us and backed by our warranty, is for sale by our authorized dealers only. When you buy a Wheeler & Wilson, you get a machine that is a machine, backed by a reputation of 50 years' unparalleled success.

Wheeler & Wilson Mfg. Co., Chicago, Ill.

For Sale by

Cohoon & Lawyer GENOA, ILL.

Advertisement for G. M. PECK stockings. Features: 80c worth of Stockings for 50c, 70 Doz. Pairs FOR BOYS 30c Saved, 80 Doz. Pairs FOR GIRLS 30c Saved. Includes text: 'We always give the best values in our STOCKING SALES, but this sale eclipses anything we have ever offered.' Sale begins tomorrow morning and ends next week Friday night.

GENOA AND SYCAMORE BUS LINE. Leave Genoa at 9 a. m. daily. Leave Sycamore at 4 p. m. daily. PARCLS DEILVERED, 10c FARE: One way, 35c; round trip, 50c. Renn Robinson, Prop. Leave orders or wait at the Republican office.

50 YEARS' EXPERIENCE PATENTS TRADE MARKS DESIGNS COPYRIGHTS &c. Anyone sending a sketch and description may quickly ascertain our opinion free whether an invention is probably patentable. MUNN & Co. 361 Broadway, New York.

ELGIN FURNITURE CO. 160-165 DuPage Street, Elgin. A Safe Place. To procure Bedsteads and other Bedroom Furniture, furniture for the whole house, from cellar to attic, is at the Elgin Furniture Co. It's been proved many a time to many people; but we're on the premises to prove it to as many more. We'd like to prove it to you.

WHY it Pays to SUBSCRIBE for the Chicago Journal NOW! THE CHICAGO JOURNAL, regular price \$3.00 6 Times a Week. 310 Times a Year. THE GENOA REPUBLICAN, regular price 1.00 52 Times a Year. BOTH 1 YEAR FOR 2.50 Send us \$2.50, either express or money order, money or personal check, and on receipt of same we will see that your name is properly entered on both lists for a year's subscription. A combination that can't be beat. The Chicago Journal gives all the news of the world. The Genoa Republican gives all the home news. Dumser & Dougherty

About Folks You Know

Personal Paragraphs Pertaining to People Coming and Going in and About Genoa & Local Notes

J. B. Blake, of Belvidere, is here.

Tested seed corn. K. Jackman & Son.

Read THE REPUBLICAN want column.

Woven wire fence. K. Jackman & Son.

J. Downing, jr., was at Sycamore last Friday.

Mrs. Geo. Johnson was an Elgin shopper Monday.

Charles Swanson was here Friday and Saturday.

I. E. Conover was here from Kingston Thursday.

Cecil Smith, of Rockford, spent Sunday evening here.

Have you seen the seed corn at K. Jackman & Son's?

Allie Smith came out from Chicago Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Kusel and son were here from Chicago.

Mrs. Annie Fisher was at Alton Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Anna Kiernan called on friends at Hampshire Saturday.

E. H. Richardson, of Marengo, was here Wednesday and Thursday.

Emerson corn planters are the best. Sold by K. Jackman & Son.

J. A. Young, of the Home Nursery Co. of Bloomington is here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartman were here from New Lebanon last Saturday.

H. A. Kellogg was in Chicago Wednesday and Thursday on business.

Dr. and Mrs. Blagden, of Sycamore were Monday the guest of relatives.

Harry Heckman, of THE REPUBLICAN force is taking a week's vacation.

V. S. Messenger, of the Eureka Co., was here Monday from Chicago.

Dr. Reed's cushion sole shoe for tender feet at McClure's shoe store, Elgin.

Hiram Campbell will soon move to Genoa Junction, where he will start a saloon.

L. D. Kellogg and Joe Corson were shopping at Elgin and Chicago Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Dougherty, of Elgin, visited here Tuesday, the guest of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert George spent Sunday at New Lebanon, the guests of relatives.

H. H. Hanson has rented the Stiles home, on Sycamore street, and will soon move there.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gathercoal of Willmet, Illinois, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Watson.

Wm. Prain who is in the employment of the C. M. & St. Paul road, was here Friday night.

Miss Collins Buchanan, of Elgin, was here last Saturday, the guest of Miss Margaret Slater.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hanson were here from Chicago last Friday looking up a future home.

The G. A. R. post at Sycamore has secured the services of the Burlington band for Decoration day.

Jas. J. Hammond was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Landis in Kingston Sunday.

Mr. J. Rendell and wife, of Elgin, visiting Genoa Sunday, and are considering making some investments here.

Cash Conrad, of Sycamore, purchased Joseph Patterson's Shetland pony Wednesday, the consideration being \$100.

Manager Nichols, of the DeKalb-Sycamore Electric line, in company with Superintendent Glidden, was here Thursday.

The Genoa ball team has arranged a game for Decoration day with the Eureka team of Chicago. Many from Chicago will attend.

Mrs. O. S. Wheeler and daughter, Della, returned home to Brookfield, Missouri, on Saturday last after a short visit here with Mr. and Mrs. John Hadsall.

Miss Pearl Davis who has been visiting at the home Wm. Wyldes, left for Valparaiso, Indiana. On her way she will stop off at Wheaton, Ill., where she will be the guest of Mrs. S. J. Cummings.

If you have any friends you are anxious to have locate in Genoa call at the improvement syndicate office, get some good literature about Genoa and send to them or give their names to Mr. Funk.

Want Column

Want advertisements not to exceed five lines inserted in these columns at the rate of 25 cents an issue; three insertions 50 cents

WANTED—Modern home for family of two. Apply A. L. Funk.

WANTED—35 new homes for Eureka employees. Apply to Genoa Improvement Syndicate.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Apply at once at the REPUBLICAN office.

WANTED—A man who wants a second-hand iron force pump, in first-class condition.—K. Jackman & Son.

WANTED—Three competent carpenters; right men will receive good wages. Apply Jas. J. Hammond, Genoa, Ill.

WANTED—Family to try that delicious ice cream at Browne's—15c a pint, 30c per quart. For family use, at Browne's.

TO THE FARMER—If you have anything to sell, rent, or if there is something you want, try these columns and you will benefit by it.

Will Snow was at Elgin Wednesday.

E. H. Browne was in Sycamore Wednesday.

Chas. Coon was here from New Lebanon last Saturday.

A. M. Frisch is here from Madison, Wis., on business.

Fred Raymond was here from Sycamore Wednesday.

Jas. Kiernan and A. M. Frisch were in Huntley Wednesday.

Phil Thorwarth was here from Charter Grove last Saturday.

Mrs. Chas. Nutt and children, of New Lebanon spent Sunday here.

Mrs. Fred Abraham and sons are here from Chicago the guest of relatives.

Frank Strong and John Babler were here from Colvin Park, the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Ira Brown and son, Harry, were here from Elgin Wednesday the guests of friends and relatives.

The Belvidere Nationals and the Kirkland Reds will play at Riverside Park, Kirkland, Saturday afternoon.

Geo. Johnson on Wednesday purchased of Frank Moan the lot on Genoa street, next to the Holtgren lot.

Rev. T. Ream went to Rockford today (Friday) to conduct the funeral of John Worthington, an old settler there.

WANTED—I will be here for five days, commencing Friday, May 22, to do scavenger work in and about Genoa. Leave orders at E. H. Richardson's saloon.—J. Blake, Belvidere, Ill.

FOR SALE—An iron force pump. Has been used but is complete and in perfect condition. K. Jackman & Son.

FOR SALE—Fine residence lots in Moan addition; also, several desirable homes for sale. Apply to Frank Moan.

FOR SALE—Seven room cottage on east Main street; both well and cistern water; furnace—\$1,500. Apply REPUBLICAN office.

FOR RENT—Seven room house in east part of town, near shoe factory—\$6. Apply REPUBLICAN office.

TO THE MERCHANT—If you want help, advertise in these columns and the public will know it.

Lorin Olmsted is ill.

The Clio club will give a May party in the opera house Wednesday evening, May 27, 1903. Gulano Bros. orchestra, of Sycamore, will furnish the music.

An opportunity can't wake the dead. It can only reach the living. Test yourself. If alive, call at our office and let us show you a lot in Eureka Park addition.

Funk, Lawrence & Co.

Those that are here from Lafayette, Indiana, the guest at the home of A. B. Clifford are: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Boswell, Mrs. John Fry and daughter, Helen, Mrs. James Watson and Miss Florence Carpenter.

For the Forepaugh & Sells Bros. circus to be held at Rockford on June 12, the Illinois Central railroad will sell excursion tickets at one and one-third fare for round trip. Tickets will be sold June 12 and good until June 13.

Opportunities have come and gone and will come and go, but if you do not take advantage of them they never exist for you. No one will give you money but we will give you a chance to make money if you will follow our advice now. Genoa Improvement Syndicate.

To persons wishing to attend the visit of President Roosevelt to be held at Freeport on June 2, the Illinois Central railroad will sell excursion tickets at one and one third fare for the round trip. Tickets sold June 2, good until June 4. For further information apply to Illinois Central agent.

NEW CLOTHING HOUSE

Frank Olmstead and C. F. Bright Will Open a Clothing House.

Frank Olmstead, Genoa's successful dry goods merchant, and C. F. Bright, formerly of Marengo, but now of Chicago, will, about June first, open an up-to-date clothing store in the Mordoff building.

The stock put in will be large and complete. The store will also contain a shoe department and gent's furnishings.

Mr. Bright is well known to Genoa people, and the success of the firm is assured under the management of two men so well experienced.

Our Local Business

has increased to such an extent as to require almost double the sales space it occupied last year. This season bids fair to be the greatest lace season in many years. Our's is the most complete lace stock in Elgin. You'll find here just the lace you want, and at prices less than you'll expect to pay.—Theo. F. Swan, Elgin.

SUES FOR DIVORCE

Mrs. Fred Wahl, Married Less Than a Year, Asks for Divorce

Mrs. Fred Wahl, nee Emma Schnur, has brought suit for divorce from Fred Wahl, charging cruelty. She also asks for an injunction restraining her husband from disposing of any property while the suit is pending. The couple have been married about a year, and have one child. Mr. Wahl is an expert workman in the shoe factory.

Cool, White Shirt Waists

There's as much difference in lines of white shirt waists as between corn bread angel cake. Our line is the angel cake variety. The materials are fine lawns, cambrics and nainsooks; the trimmings, the neatest embroideries, laces and tuckings. The workmanship is assured, for each garment bears the authorized label of the Consumer's League, yet our prices are no higher than other's ask for the corn bread variety—98c to \$6.98.—Theo. F. Swan, Elgin.

W. M. McAllister & Co.

Sycamore



CARPETS

Just a Word About Carpets

They all look alike to some buyers, but after you have had them on the floor for a short time you will find there is a difference. Some CARPETS always look grimy and dirty no matter how you sweep them, others always look clean and fresh when swept, last a long time and keep their color. The later carpet you will find here, because our combined stores use enough Carpets to induce the largest Carpet mills in the country to bid for our business, and in order to get the order they submit their very best qualities and patterns with an equally low price, as it means to the successful bidder nearly \$1500.00 on a single order.

That is one great reason you can get a better Carpet from us than any other store in Northern Illinois.

Bring your catalogue from the large city stores or their samples and compare with what we offer you—on the same quality you can save 3c to 5c per yard, beside the freight or express, and you see what you are getting when buying here.

Sears Roebuck & Co's catalogue price is 63c for all wool carpet, we offer you exactly same quality for 60c delivered. They offer you a common granite Carpet for 25c a yard, and you pay express—we sell you an extra heavy fast color wash Carpet at 25c delivered free.

RUGS, ART SQUARES, LINOLEUMS, MATTING, WINDOW SHADES, at same low price. Come to our store—see our goods—get our prices—you will be convinced that our Prices are right.

SPECIAL

200 yards Apron Check Ginghams, per yard..... 3 3/4c
All Silk Wash Ribbons at one-third less than regular price

Big Display of White Goods for Graduating Dresses in the Latest Materials

NOTICE!

The Advantage Points of OUR Clothing over other makes, Are

The High Cut, Hand Padded, Felled Collar

The Form-Fitting Back

The Perfect Fit and graceful hang of the Trousers

Lining and Trimmings are all of the Best



The long, graceful, concave Shoulder

The Shape retaining front

The hand-made Button holes

All Seams are double sewed, with lock stitch

Sycamore C. H. STUART Sycamore



Millinery

Ladies' and Children's Hats and Bonnets

Goods for Summer Skirts

Black wool etamine 60c
Black wool voile 60c
Albatross, black, white, green, pearl 50c
Cotton suiting, per yard, 14c and 20c
Pique 15c and 25c
PETTICOATS
Ladies' black sateen petticoats, 3 ruffles \$1
Other styles, ruffles and pleating, \$1.25—\$1.50—\$2 and \$3
MUSLIN
We can show you 15 different styles of muslin petticoats, tucked, lace and embroidery trimmed, 50c—75c—\$1.00—\$1.50—\$2.00—\$2.50

Gingham skirt, extra wide. 50c
Fancy White Goods
2,000 yards fancy white goods in plain and lace stripe, just the thing for white waists, suits, children's dresses, etc., 8c, 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c.

SILKS SILKS
Black Peau de Soie, extra value \$1.00
36 inch black taffeta 1.25
28 inch black taffeta 1.00
Wash Silks, all colors.

SILK MULLS
Lace stripe, cream and white silk mulls.
Plain silk mull, all colors.
Dotted silk mull in black, white, pink, blue, green.
Fine quality of black silk mull in plain, lace and figured.

Summer Underwear

FOR LADIES AND CHILDREN
Ladies' lace stripe sleeveless vests, sale price.... 10c
Misses' lace trimmed gauze pants 20c
Ladies' and children's muslin pants 25c
Men's shirts and drawers, light weight 25c

300 Shirt Waists

Consisting of linen, lawn, India linen, Mercerized, white wash silks, gingham and batistes.

McCall Patterns 10c and 15c

Hosiery, Gloves, Parasols, and Fans

Frank W. Olmsted, Genoa, Ill.

Elgin's Best Shoe Store



Women's Oxfords and Slippers

We want the particular customers. Those who are hard to please.



Unusual care is experienced in fitting our customers.

YOU CAN DEPEND on this store for Correct Styles in Summer Footwear—our Assortment is Complete—we request your inspection when visiting Elgin. Extension sole Oxfords in plain stock with Patent Tip and Patent Kid or Patent Call (Guaranteed) at \$2, \$2.50 and \$3. Slippers for dress wear in all leathers—high or low heels—at \$2.00 and \$2.50.



Elgin, Illinois

THE EXCHANGE BANK

—of—

BROWN & BROWN

Established in 1882.

GENOA, ILLINOIS

Does a general banking business.

Buys and sells foreign and domestic exchanges.

Sells banker's money orders payable in New York, Boston, Chicago, San Francisco, New Orleans, Toronto, Montreal, Winnipeg, Vancouver and Mexico City.

Residence property—improved and vacant—for sale.

RELIABLE JEWELRY & HOLIDAY GIFTS

ROVELSTAD BROS. JEWELERS

CHICAGO-ST. ELGIN-ILL.

A Common Trading Point

Most every individual has some particular store in the different lines, where the bulk of his trading is done.

WHY? Is it simply a co-incidence, or is it the natural result of Courtesy, Fair Dealing, and Good Judgment in Buying and Selling?

We believe our large and growing patronage is the result of the latter, and judging from the appearance and quality of the new goods arriving daily, we shall be enabled to retain all of the old and add many new customers this season.

Rovelstad Bros.
Jewelers and Opticians
162 Chicago St. ELGIN

If you care to be correctly dressed, see **AHERN** the tailor, Sycamore.

Fit Style Reasonable Price

Religious Notes



Next Sunday morning and evening Miss Marie C. Brehm will speak at the M. E. church.

Next Sunday afternoon Rev. H. S. Dildine will preach at Ney at 2 p. m.

Rev. T. E. Ream will preach at the Charter Grove M. E. church on next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The ladies' aid society of the M. E. church will meet at the home of Mrs. Edsell on Friday afternoon, May 22. All ladies invited.

The Army Sociable.

On Friday evening, May 22, "The Army for Light" will give their "experience sociable" in the M. E. church parlors.

A splendid supper will be served and a very excellent program will be rendered after supper, from 8 to 9 o'clock.

The following captains of the "army" will call the roll, and all enlisted are requested to respond:
Captain—Miss Zoe Stott.
" " Jessie Hutchinson
" " Cassie Burroughs.
" " Jennie Stewart.
" " Mr. Geo. Harvey.

The above staff of officers, under Col. Miss Carrie Arnold, have never lost a battle.

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 positively guaranteed for Dyspepsia, Indigestion Constipation and Kidney troubles. Try them. Only 50c at F. T. Robinson's.

Temperance Day.

Next Sunday will be "temperance day" at the M. E. church for the people of Genoa.

Services will be held both morning and evening under the auspices of the temperance committee of the M. E. church.

Other churches have been invited to join.

Miss Marie C. Brehm, president of the Illinois Woman's Christian Temperance Union, will make the addresses. Subject: Morning—"A Great Concept of God." Evening—"The Road to Jericho."

The Best Liniment

"I have derive great benefit from the use of Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism and lumbago," says Mrs. Anna Hagelgans, of Tuckahoe, N. J. "My husband used it for a sprained back and was also quickly relieved.

In fact it is the best family liniment I have ever used. I would not think of being without it. I have recommended it to many and they always speak very highly of it and declare its merits are wonderful." For sale by F. T. Robinson.

War Veterans to Meet.

The state encampment of Spanish-American war veterans will meet in Bloomington, Ill., June 18-20, '03. For the above occasion the Illinois Central railway will sell tickets to Bloomington as follows: from stations where one-way rate is \$2.25 or less, sell at rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip; from stations where one-way rate is \$2.26 to \$3.00, sell at rate of \$3.00 for the round trip; from stations where one-way rate is \$3.01 or more, sell at the rate of one fare for the round trip.

Tickets to be sold June 17-18, limited to return until and including June 22 '03. Further information received from Illinois Central agents.

Ney News

James Mansfield visited at home over Sunday.

Rev. Ream was an Elgin visitor last Monday.

Jess Gethman of Genoa called on friends here last week.

E. H. Cohoon visited at Belvidere Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Chet Shipman is recovering from a siege of measles.

Rev. F. A. Hardin preached at the church Sunday evening

New Lebanon

Mrs. Ellithorpe is on the sick roll.

Wm. Coon was a passenger to Elgin Monday.

Mr. Ellithorpe called at Burlington Monday.

Chas. Coon transacted business at Genoa Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartman were Genoa callers Saturday.

Mrs. Chas. Witt and children spent Sunday in Genoa.

Mrs. William Dumoulin spent a few days of last week at Lisle, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert George of Genoa spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Lehman of Elgin visited at Joe Dumoulin's Sunday and Monday.

John Reiser shipped a car load of cattle to Chicago Sunday evening. He returned home Monday evening.

A large crowd attended the barn dance at August Japp's Saturday evening. Everyone reported a nice time.

Charter Grove

Amos Story was shopping Saturday in Sycamore.

Phil Thorwarth and wife were shopping in Genoa Saturday.

Arthur Holcomb, of Sycamore, was here on business last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Welch were visiting relatives in Sycamore last Sunday.

Miss Hulda Peterson visited friends in Sycamore last Saturday and Sunday.

Thomas Holmes and wife were shopping in Sycamore last Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Haines Sunday.

Mrs. Babler, of Colvin Park, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Welch, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Balsler, of Lily Lake, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Haines Sunday.

Fred Walser and wife, and Mrs. Thomas Holmes, were shopping in Sycamore Saturday.

Thos. Holmes and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Calkins, of Sycamore, Sunday.

Arthur Haines, of Sycamore, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Haines, Sunday.

Burlington

Joe Conreaux of Hampshire, called in our town Friday.

Mr. Williams of Genoa is working in Ira J. Mix creamery.

Floyd Dixon of Hampshire, passed through here Friday.

Cecil C. Smith and lady friend called on his mother Sunday.

Alfred Stott called on friends in Genoa Thursday afternoon.

The Misses Grace Sibley and sister spent the Sabbath with Miss Lois and Bertha Sweet.

Velma Crawford and Annie Kiernan of Genoa, spent several days last week with Mrs. A. E. Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cripps and Mrs. Eugene Young of Hampshire, attended the school fair Saturday evening.

John Rafferty, of Seward, and Miss Hyde, of Rockford, were joined in wedlock Wednesday. They will spend a few days with their brothers, of this place.

DRY GOODS

DRESS GOODS--we have just received a large, new line of Dress Goods. It consists of SERGES, CASIMERE and HENRIETTAS. Prices range from 25c to \$1.00 per yard.

WASH GOODS--New line of Zephyrs and Seersucker Goods in all the latest Patterns for Waistings.

PRINTS--In this line we show a very handsome variety in Blue, Black, Red and Gray.

LADIES' WRAPPERS--a handsome line of the Regian Mfg. Co's, make. They are without doubt the best fitting garments made. Prices from 80c to \$1.35.

CORSETS--we handle the famous Feather-bone Corsets. They are the best fitting Corset made.

SHOES

In this line we can show you the largest and best line in Northern Illinois. Bought direct from the best manufacturers :

Men's Shoes

Made from a Chrome Tanned Colt Skin, warranted not to break through. Prices from \$3 to \$4 per pair. Other dealers would ask \$3.50 to \$4.50 for same shoes. Men's Oxford Goodyear welt in Vici Kid and Patent Kid. Prices \$1.50 to \$3. Come and see our stock.

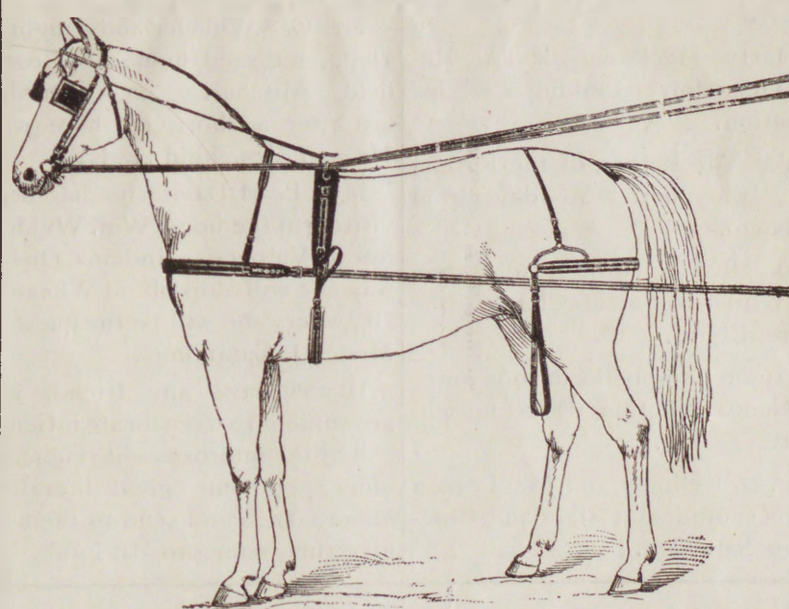
Women's Shoes

Ladies', Misses and Children's Shoes, in Goodyear, Welt, McK, sewed and hand turned. Prices \$1.50 to \$3.25 in Ladies' Shoes. For Misses Shoes, \$1.25 to \$2. Ladies' Oxford buttons and ties Juliets at \$1 and \$2. Misses and Children's Oxford button and ties.

Have just received 25 dozen shoes in the newest and latest styles; the balance will be here in a few days.

JOHN LEMBKE

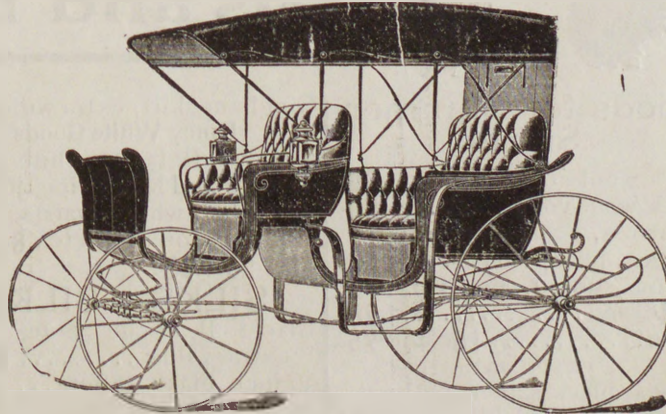
Genoa, Illinois



HARNESS SNAPS

We bought over One Thousand Dollars' worth of hand-made Harness from a concern that was being closed out. We bought these goods at less than cost and are selling them accordingly. We challenge the whole country to compete with our goods and prices.

Kellogg & Adams have just received the Largest Shipment of New Buggies, Surries, Runabouts, Carts, Spring Wagons, etc., ever seen in DeKalb County!



WE have bought our goods from the leading manufacturers, such as the genuine Columbus Buggy company of Columbus, Ohio. We also handle the celebrated Staver Buggies of Chicago and the Brookville Buggies of Brookville, Indiana. Ask dealers elsewhere for these goods, and they will tell you they are too high priced for their trade. We know these makes are the very best, and are selling large numbers of these famous makes. There is nothing too good for our trade.

Kellogg & Adams

COURT HOUSE

Probate

Estates of—
William D McCleery. Will set for hearing June 2.

Myrtle F Barber, minor. Report of guardian approved.

Andrew J Johnson. Letters issued to Leander Johnson. Bond \$100. J F Bergquist, C W Heideklang and Ole Nelson appointed appraisers.

Franklin Stevens. J W Middleton, I E Stevens and James Lane appointed appraisers.

Peter Ramer. Will admitted to probate. Letters issued to Elihu B Ramer; bond \$5,600. Fernando Slater, Henry Stark and Fred Smith appointed appraisers.

Marriage Licenses

E R Jackman, DeKalb	30
Minnie R Scott, "	23
R R Foster, Twin Lakes, Colo	70
Sarah J Clark, Kingston	60
O M Edwards, Sandwich	35
Etta M Jones, "	25
Elmer Clark, Scottsburg, Ind	21
Ella Bridgewater, "	18
J L Helwig, Wilmington, Ill	26
Clara D Spach, Sandwich	23
Michael Moser, Cortland	27
Amy Allum, "	19
C A Read, Sycamore	49
Carrie Reams, Sycamore	39

Transfers

SYCAMORE.

Elizabeth Beers to Ben Hakanson, land on secs 6 and 7, Sycamore, \$2903 60.

Harriet B Balcom to Nathaniel Leaher, pt lot 5 of lot 4 of lot 2, sec 32. \$550.

SANDWICH.

Louisa Judson to J C Kimball, Jr, lots 4, 5 and e one-half lot 6, bl 3, Stinson's, \$1.

Frederick A Slack to Jennie S Cook, lot 9, bl 6, Stinson's \$1.

FRANKLIN.

Bessie D Rowan-Newton to John R Waterman, e one-half n w one-quar and e one-half sw one-quar and n one-half, ne one-quar, sec 28, \$5

DEKALB.

D D Brown to Alice M Galt, lot 3, except s 10ft and e 15ft of n 50ft, Brown & Smith's, \$5,000.

Langlois & Townsend to Victoria McCann, lot J of bl 2, L & T sub div of Ellwood's syndicate, \$500.

George Groves to Michael Gleason, lot 2 bl 1, Thos Corking's, \$3,100.

Simeon Kuter to J A Nash, s 30ft and n 25ft, lot 16, bl 4, \$2500.

Samuel Peterson to Samuel Milligan, lot 3, Peterson's re-sub of J P Jones, \$3500.

W M Hay to C F Smith, undiv one-half interest in lots 5, 7, 13, 14, 23, 24 and 25, bl 1 and lots 2, 3, 4, 15, 26 and 7, bl 2, \$450.

SOMANAUK.

Markus Kuhn to Joseph Kuhn, e one-half n fr one-half sec 30, \$1.

Markus Khun to Edw H Dannewitz, sw one-quar, sec 29, \$1.

Street Fair Excursion.

Via the Northwestern line. Excursion tickets will be sold at reduced rates June 1 to 5 inclusive, limited to return until June 8, inclusive, to Spanish-American war veterans' state encampment at Bloomington. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern railway.

Half Rates to Bloomington.

Excursion tickets will be sold at one fare for round trip, June 1, 2 and 3, limited to return until June 5, inclusive, to the June festival and free street fair at Dixon. Apply to agents of the Chicago & Northwestern railway.

\$1.50 from Henrietta.

Excursion tickets will be sold Thursday, June 4, limited to return the same day, to the M.W.A. picnic at Janesville, Wis. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern railway.

GREATLY ALARMED

By a Persistent Cough, but Permanently Cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Mr. H. P. Burbage, a student at law, in Greenville, S. C., had been troubled for four or five years with a continuous cough which he says "greatly alarmed me, causing me to fear that I was in the first stage of consumption." Mr. Burbage, having seen Chamberlain's Cough Remedy advertised, concluded to try it. Now read what he says of it: "I soon felt a remarkable change and after using two bottles of the twenty-five cent size, was permanently cured." sold by F. T. Robinson.

Esmond Locals

Fred Barnes is entertaining his mother.

John Greenway spent Monday at DeKalb.

John Hostler came over from Pearl City on Sunday.

Dave Syme was over from Sycamore last Tuesday.

Mrs. Henry Barber visited in Sycamore last Wednesday.

Miss Myrtle Byers of Clare is a guest of relatives here this week.

N. E. Breaw will soon move to North Dakota. He has a farm of 320 acres there.

Harry Gustafson of Clare, a brother of Mrs. George Barnes, is ill with appendicitis.

Mrs. Harkness of Sycamore is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. McQueen.

Mrs. H. Wady and Mrs. Geo. Tindall have returned after a three weeks' visit in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Mowers have recently purchased a farm in Iowa and will move there this fall.

A Sure Thing

It is said that nothing is sure except death and taxes, but this is not always true. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is a sure cure for all lung and throat troubles. Thousands can testify to that. Mrs. C. B. VanMetre of Sheperdton, W. Va., "I had a severe case of Bronchitis and for a year tried everything I heard of, but got no relief. One bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery then cured me absolutely."

It's infallible for Croup, Whooping Cough, Grip, Pneumonia and Consumption. Try it. It's guaranteed by F. T. Robinson Drug-gist. Trail bottles free. Reg. sizes 50c, \$1.00.

\$33.00 to California. To San Francisco, to Los Angeles, or to most any of the principal points in California. Every day until June 15, '03. Via Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway. Also low rates to hundreds of other points, west and northwest. Ask nearest agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway for additional information. Colonist folder free on request. F. A. Miller, General Passenger agent, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, Chicago.

Low Rates to California and Return

First-class round-trip tickets on sale July 1 to 10, inclusive, to San Francisco and Los Angeles. Favorable limits and stopover privileges and choice of routes. The Overland limited, most luxurious train in the world, leaves Chicago daily at 8 p. m. Less than three days en route. Drawing room and compartment cars, observation cars, dining cars, buffet library cars (barber and bath), electric lighted throughout. Three trains a day from Chicago to the coast through without channe. Daily and personally conducted tourist car excursions to California, Washington and Oregon. For particulars apply to Ticket agents Chicago & Northwestern railroad.

The man who never made a mistake in his life is still unmarried.

FARMERS!

To meet your needs for the Spring Season we offer you the following Standard makes of Implements:

GRAND DETOUR gang and Sulky Plows; disc and lever Harrows; walking Plows.

OLIVER gangs.

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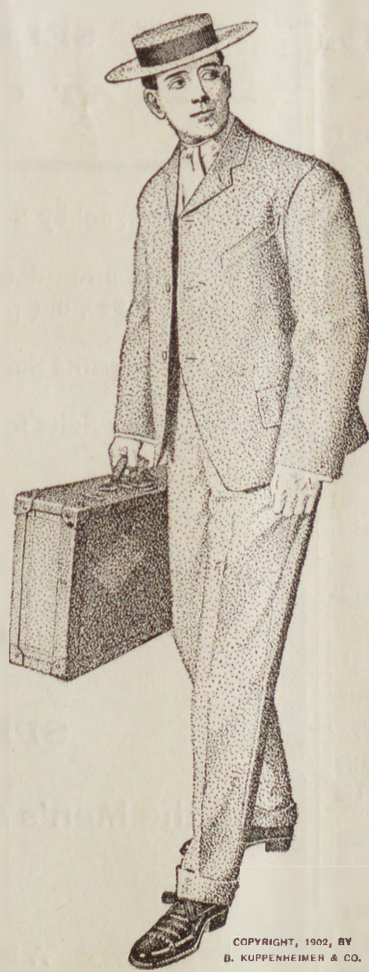
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Genoa, Illinois

Still They Come



Although the Spring has been backward, it has put no damper on our trade. Our business this Spring is far ahead of anything we have experienced in former years.

There is a reason for this. The public is beginning to find out more that their money will go farther here than at any other store in this part of the state. The fact is that we can watch Chicago prices on anything in our line, and we do it every day in the year. Then again, we carry such an immense stock to select from that no one needs to go away disappointed.

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We are willing at all times that you compare our prices and goods with any other store that sells the same class of goods as we do, and you will find that this is the place to trade if you want to do justice to yourself.

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GENOA LODGE NO. 288
A. F. & A. M.
 Meets second and fourth Wednesdays of each month.
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 Meets second and fourth Thursdays of each month.
 Visiting neighbors welcome.
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 Meets every Monday evening in I. O. O. F. Hall.
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 J. W. Sowers, Secretary.

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 On sale via Chicago Great Western railway on the first and third Tuesdays in each month to September 15, '03, to points west and south-west. For further information apply to any Great Western agent, or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

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Kirkland

Arthur Hoye is away on a vacation.
 Miss Birdie Hoye, of Elgin, was here last week.
 Some repairs are being made at the M. E. church.
 Mrs. M. L. Ives visited Kingston friends last week.
 Mrs. John McKee was a Chicago passenger last Wednesday.
 Geo. Hunt, of Monroe Center, was over on business Friday.
 Mrs. Aldrich spent several days of last week with Mrs. Streeter.
 Mrs. Eva Sedgwick was a passenger to Hampshire yesterday.
 Ed Rote left for Chicago last week, where he has employment.
 Joe Morris came out from Chicago last week to visit his parents.
 Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Jewitt, of Fairdale, were the guests of A. G. Batty last week.
 Mrs. Sedgwick has been engaged to teach the school at New Lebanon the coming year.
 Otto Holtgren and sister furnished the music at the dance in the opera house Friday evening.
 Harm Campbell, who has been operating a saloon at Genoa, will soon move to Genoa Junction, Wisconsin.
 Rev. William Pierce, former pastor of the Congregational church here, has resigned as pastor at Danvers, Ill.

The Ladies' Aid society met at the home of Mrs. Wenzel last Thursday afternoon. Supper was served to a large crowd.
 On last Thursday morning fire broke out in the large barn on the Francis Rich farm, south of town, and burned it to the ground.

Special Excursion Rates.
 Beginning June 1st, excursion tickets will be sold to Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Salt Lake City, Hot Springs, Lead, Deadwood and Custer, S. D., etc., good to return until Oct. 31. A splendid opportunity is offered for an enjoyable vacation trip. Several fine trains via Chicago & Northwestern daily. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern railway.

Educational Excursion
 The Illinois Central railroad will run an excursion June 1 from Rockford to the state university at Urbana, Illinois, the fare for the round trip being only \$2.50. The train will leave Rockford about 6 a. m. June 1, and leave for the return about 1 p. m. June 2, reaching Rockford at 8 o'clock in the evening. The trip will be of interest to all, especially the farmers, who will have an opportunity to visit the agricultural college and experiment station. See I. C. agent for particulars.

PROGRAM FOR PICNIC

To Be Held in Janesville, Wisconsin, on June 4th
 The program for the Modern Woodmen of America picnic to be held at Janesville on June 4 has been made up.
 The various camps of DeKalb county will be largely represented at this annual gathering. The camps will soon meet to decide on final arrangements.
 The speakers selected will be Hon. J. G. Johnson of Kansas, Mayor A. O. Wilson and M. G. Jeffries, who will address the big crowd at 2 o'clock in the court house park at the close of the parade.
 Following is the program with the line of march and prizes:
 10:30 a. m. Parade
 12 m. Dinner
 1:30 p. m. Fire Run West on Milwaukee street.
 1:45 p. m. Tug of War.
 2:00 p. m. Speaking, court house park. Singing by Y. M. C. A. quartette of Rockford. Horse races at Fair Grounds.
 2:45 p. m. Drill Contests in front of City Hall.
 3:00 Ball game between Rockford and Bloomington.
 Following are the prizes:
 Best decorated float.....\$15
 Most comical float..... 10
 Best band..... 25
 Best M. W. A. drill team..... 75
 Second " " " 50
 Third " " " 25
 Best R. N. of A. drill team.... 15
 Second " " " 15
 Best decorated store front and windows..... 15
 Second best decorated store front and windows..... 10
 Third best decorated store front and windows..... 5
 Tug of War between Wisconsin and Illinois.
 First prize..... 12
 Second prize..... Box of Cigars

The total amount of the prizes to be given amounts to \$282, which is a small portion of the expenses for the day.
Colorado---California
 A handsome book of fifty-six pages descriptive of these two wonderful states his just been published by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway. It is illustrated by half tones and colored plates, and will form a valuable addition to any library of travel. Brief reference is made to the new through train service from Chicago to Nebraska, Colorado, Wyoming Utah and California via this line. The book will be sent to any address for six cents postage. F. A. MILLER, general passenger agent, Chicago.

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- Ladies' Ultra Shoes, \$3.50

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