

THE GENOA ISSUE.

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LOCAL NEWS JOTTINGS.

Personal Notes, Happenings, Etc.
Pertaining to Genoa.

—Buy barb wire of Sager.
Frank Hall was at Malta Monday.
—Iron and wood pumps at Sager's.
Mrs. Page was in Chicago yesterday.
DeKalb is billed for a circus May 18.
R. T. Hewitt was in Chicago Monday.
Read John Amundson's new ad this week.
The city "dads" meet tomorrow night.
Quite a hailstorm last Sunday wasn't it?
Ira J. Mix was out from Chicago yesterday.
Ira Douglas was in town the first of the week.
—Best machine oil in town at Sager's.
Babe Hollingsworth was at Elgin Tuesday.
—Buy floor paint of pager—he sells the best.
G. O. Gordon was here from Chicago yesterday.
—Whips, curry combs and brushes at Sager's.
Miss Ava Clefford was at Rockford last Saturday.
—Don't borrow a step ladder—buy one of Sager's.
Ed Donahue, of Sycamore spent Sunday in Genoa.
Mrs. J. M. Harvey was a Chicago visitor Monday.
Supervisor Jackman is home from a visit in Indiana.
Mrs. L. Landis is visiting friends at North Kingston.
Mrs. Richard McCormick has recovered from her illness.
H. K. Hale entertained his brother from Dixon this week.
Mrs. James Hewitt is visiting her mother in Wheaton.
Carl Dutton's cottage will shortly be ready for occupancy.
Mrs. J. Moore visited relatives in Charter Grove Wednesday.
—Biggest stock of paints, oils and brushes in town at Sager's.
Charles Lederle has moved here from Belvidere with his family.
—Take your lawn mower to Sager if you want it properly sharpened.
Miss Nora Malana and Miss Haverly, were at Hampshire, Sunday.
Miss Sadie Brown was up from Elgin, Sunday, the guest of relatives.
Rev. Geo. Barth and son Albert, of Hampshire, were in town Monday.
C. Richmond of Palatine, was at guest this week, of Mayor Hutchison.
Mr. and Mrs. Ira J. Brown attended a family re-union at Elgin last night.
Ernest P. Kepple is a student of the "art preservative" in THE ISSUE office.
—H. H. Slater is selling his last year's stock of shoes at cost and for less.
Miss Nellie Wait, of Pingree Grove, visited friends and relatives here this week.
The Janesvilles will play the DeKalbs on Saturday at DeKalb at 2:30 p. m.
New goods arriving daily at the new dry goods store of C. E. Paige, Genoa.
Mrs. Kate Cozzens and daughter, Klea, were at Hampshire the first of the week.
The Loyal Legion will meet with Mrs. A. B. Clefford on Saturday at 2:30 p. m.
Stone is on the ground for the foundations of the Teyler and Lederle buildings.
Street Commissioner Patterson has been improving the appearance of Main street.
Henry Patterson erected a handsome monument last Saturday at the grave of his wife.

—Just received a carload of the Moline Plow Co's. celebrated goods at E. H. COHOON'S.

There is some kind of meeting in the M. E. Church every night this week except Saturday.

Miss Howard and Miss Edith Sheldon, of Winnebago, visited in Hampshire on Monday P. M.

Do not forget that the new store can and will save you money on dry goods, etc., C. E. PAIGE.

Miss Caroline Sumner, who has been in Nebraska and Colorado for the past twelve years is here.

Twenty-three from Genoa attended the Epworth League convention in Kingson last Friday night.

Miss Marguerite Cliff and Mrs. Geo. E. Sisley sang at an entertainment in Hampshire tomorrow night.

Watch for John Lembke's new ad next week. A big stock of dry goods has arrived and more are coming.

Miss Mary Donahue returned last Saturday to Sycamore after a several weeks' visit with her mother here.

TO RENT—Desirable house in a desirable locality. Good residence property for sale. D. S. BROWN.

—The harness trade is still increasing at E. H. COHOON'S. Come and see the bargains he is offering in his line.

The gypsy's little sorrel proved too much for the Stott horse in a running race yesterday, and the gypsy took the cash.

Dr. Billig allowed the gentle lake breezes of the "windy city" to waft them selves o'er his classic phiz Monday.

—Come and look over Cohoon's immense stock of farm machinery and you will surely find something you want.

Butter dropped to 17 cents on the Elgin board of trade Monday. This however is two cents higher than a year ago.

There is a large amount of building going on in Genoa at present. A detailed account of which will be given next week.

Mrs. Chas. Moyer, Mrs. A. Stiles, and P. J. Harlow attended the funeral of Mrs. Hattie Church at St. Charles Monday.

Hon. Hiram Ellwood, Mayor Brown, and Dr. Mayo, of DeKalb, shed the light of their refulgent countenances in our city Monday.

—For the next ten days I will sell my own make of farm harness for \$25 cash. All work warranted. 3-28-2t M. F. O'BRIEN.

—H. H. Slater is closing out his last year's stock of shoes for 95c a pair, worth \$1.50 to \$3.00 a pair. Come soon before the best are picked out.

Saturday's and Sunday's storms were hummers to say the least. Hail as large as—well not eggs, fell on Sunday, but doing no particular damage.

—All I ask is a fair comparison as to the quality of my goods and I know that the prices will suit you. E. CRAWFORD.

Several of our citizens wandered around Sunday with stubble fields on their faces. They had forgot that the boys close their barber shops on that day.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Johnson, of California, Mr. and Mrs. James Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hollebeak, of Elgin, were guests at Ira J. Brown's Sunday.

Al. Schneider's new barber shop fixtures are simply out of sight. They are of the latest design and by far the finest we have ever seen. Al is very proud of his outfit and well he may be.

Will Brill has returned to Hampshire after a several month's engagement with THE ISSUE. Will is a popular young man and made many friends while here.

The entertainment given by the Odd Fellows in commemoration of their 76th anniversary, last Friday night was well attended and greatly enjoyed. Past Master Conway of Chicago, gave a very interesting talk on Odd Fellowship. Music and recitations completed the program.

Jim Kiernan is not one of those superstitious fellows when it comes to corn planters. He sold thirteen of the Hayes make last week and he says he will do it every week, unlucky or not.

"Jack" Godding will shortly go on the road with Rex, Hardy in the balloon ascension business. "Jack" is generally quick to catch on, but what he will do when he makes the big drop we are unable to say.

County Superintendent Gross conducted a teachers' examination at the school house last Friday and Saturday. It was well attended and a large number of applications were made for teacher's certificates.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society will be held at the home of Mrs. George De Wolf on Wednesday afternoon and evening, May 15th, afternoon session at 4 and tea served from 5 to 7 followed by program.

Harry Bull, the little four-year-old son of Herman Bull, died yesterday morning very suddenly. He seemed in perfect health when he was put to bed the night before, having been fishing in the afternoon with his father. It is thought that he had eaten something of a poisonous nature. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of all.

Take your summer vacation trip to Colorado and Yellowstone Park. The Burlington Route will run a special car, personally conducted tours to Colorado and the Yellowstone Park, leaving Chicago June 28, August 7 and 14. First class service. Low rate, including all expenses. For descriptive pamphlet apply to T. A. Grady, Manager, 211 Clark St., Chicago.

At the annual meeting of the M. E. Sunday School this week, reports showed increase in enrollment, and no debts. The time of School remains as before. The following were elected officers: Supt., N. H. Stanley; Asst. Fred E. Wells; Secretary, Floyd Bowen; Treas. Jennie Lawrence; Librarian, Elva Sumner; Asst. Librarian, Willie Jackman; Com. on Music, Mrs. W. C. Howard. It is expected to make additions to Primary Helps, Library, and Song Books before a great while.

The entertainment given last evening by Mrs. Emma C. Buchanan and Mrs. Carrie Nutting Stone was not as well attended as it deserved although a fair sized audience greeted the ladies Mrs. Buchanan has vastly improved in her elocutionary talents and her dextere posing was very pretty and highly enjoyed. It was Mrs. Stone's first appearance in Genoa, but those present last evening hope it will not be her last. Her voice has a rare sweetness and strength. This combined with a pleasing address made her popular with her audience. Mr. Ed. H. Lane, as accompanist, was as usual efficient.

The attention of every voter of Genoa is called to the notice of a special school election for the purpose of voting for or against a proposition to enlarge our present school building. For the past two years the building has been entirely too small, and during the present term it has been found necessary to allow scholars in the primary room to attend but a half a day each a part going in the forenoon and balance afternoon. This is a decided hardship on the pupils in holding them back in their studies. Genoa people have the credit of being liberal supporters of a good school, and the good name of our school should be upheld at every cost. It brings many pupils here and is in every way an advantage to Genoa. Let every voter be sure to vote and vote in favor of the proposition. The election is on next week Saturday, May 18th from 3 to 7 P. M.

Some contemptible wretch, meaner than "pizen or pusley" gave strychnine to George Hunt's dog one day last week and the dog has gone to that happy bourne from whence no dog returns, where the yaller dog has the same rights as the blooded pup, and the contemptible dog poisoner can not enter. And may the latter sleep be ever troubled with visions of dogs of all colors, sizes and shape, from the yaller cur to the big Newfoundland.—Kingston News.

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- Webb slippers, all sizes per pair..... **25c**
- John Kelly's Celebrated Turns and Welts, Ladies, in all sizes.
- Misses Dongola shoe patent leather tip, finely polished, sizes 12 - 2..... **97c**
- Childs Dongola shoes patent leather tips, size 3-6 **39c**
- Mens Satin Calf Shoes lace, cape pointed toe..... **1.50**
- Mens Glasgow Calf, lace, cape pointed toe..... **2.25**
- Mens Goodyear Welt genuine dongola, narrow square to..... **2.95**

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As time goes on it looks more nearly certain that Hon. A. J. Hopkins of Aurora, will be the next governor of Illinois. There were several months ago considerable talk about Fifer, but even that is dying away and Mr. Hopkins is forging to the front rapidly.—Aurora Express.

Late Literary News.

Rudyard Kipling will shortly return to India where he will prepare for The Cosmopolitan twelve articles to appear in the American and English editions of that magazine. India is one of the most interesting of countries, and Mr. Kipling is able to write of it as no one else. His work will be looked forward to with world-wide expectation. Perhaps the most beautiful series of pictures ever presented of the Rocky Mountains will be found in a collection of fourteen original paintings, executed by Thomas Moran for the May Cosmopolitan. To those who have been in the Rockies this issue will be a souvenir worthy of preservation.

Schiller Theatre.

The famous play "Francesca da Rimini" which the associated dramatic stars, Frederick Warde and Louis James, with their accomplished company, are giving at the Schiller theatre, keeps that house crowded. Not since the days that Lawrence Barrett played Lanciotto in Francesco a favorite part with him, this season magnificently sustained by Frederick Warde, has there been such a splendid production of this celebrated romantic drama as at the Schiller. It is presented with a superb cast: Frederick Warde as Lanciotto, Louis James as Beppo Pepe, the jester, a character that versatile actor played with such signal ability in the original Barrett cast that his representation of it at once became one of the notable characters of the American stage. Miss Edythe Chapman, as the beautiful and unfortunate Francesca, and the accomplished leading man, Guy Lindsley, as the passionate and impetuous lover, Count Paolo. Such a cast, in one of the greatest of the standard romantic dramas, has not been seen in Chicago or upon the stage anywhere, for many a day.

As a stage picture, or more properly speaking, a series of stage pictures throughout its intensely interesting story, "Francesca da Rimini" is most handsomely put upon the Schiller stage. The gardens around the palace, the moonlit scene of the camp and the great cathedral scene, where the marriage of Lanciotto and Francesca is celebrated, all are charmingly illustrated with special scenery, created by several of the first artists of America; the cathedral scene being made very impressive by an ecclesiastical procession, special music, chanting choristers, etc.

LITTLE ROBINSON CRUSOE.

The boom for "Little Robinson Crusoe" the new musical burlesque, the summer attraction at the Schiller, is now making things active at that house. Manager Prior has received from Harry B. Smith, the librettist, the first act and stage business. The piece contains an eccentric and amusing character for Eddie Foy, the star of the organization, it is entitled Daredevil Willie, an amateur pirate, who in this comical story of Robinson Crusoe, up to date, will exploit himself at a fashionable eastern summer resort. The whole idea is extremely funny. Little Robinson Crusoe is splendidly put upon the stage with special scenery, handsome costumes, spectacular effects and specialty acts and people contributing to a production which will fully equal, if not surpass, any burlesque production ever given here.

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The State Commander writes from Lincoln, Neb., as follows: "After trying other medicines for what seemed to be a very obstinate cough in our two children we tried Dr. King's New Discovery and at the end of two days the cough entirely left them. We will not be without it hereafter, as our experience proves that it cures where all other remedies fail."—Signed F. W. Stevens, State Com.—Why not give this great medicine a trial, as it is guaranteed and trial bottles are free at F. T. Robinson's, Genoa, and L. C. Shaffer, Kingston. Regular size 50c and \$1.

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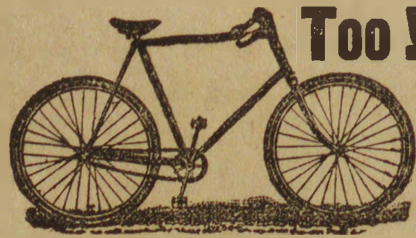
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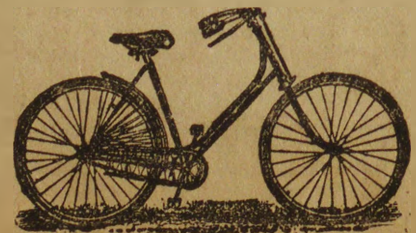
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B. CRAWFORD.

M. E. Church Notes.

Epworth League Day will come on Sunday, May 19.

Arrangements have been started for a sun-rise prayer meeting; an anniversary sermon by the pastor, special music, and a platform meeting; beside the regular Junior and Epworth League services. It will be a day full of good things. The choir is doing good work with their new books. They meet Friday night at 8 P. M. sharp.

The thought of the Prayer meeting this week will be given to the Sunday School, and general young people's interests. Let everybody come tonight at 7.30.

Rev. Wm. Clark told his hosts that Genoa has the most beautiful church he ever saw.

Services every Sunday indicate a steadily growing interest. Improvement is especially noticeable in the young people.

No More Wild West.

The whirligig of time has brought a reversal of condition, when the traveler in the Indian country, the farmer in the New Mexico Valley, feels more secure than the citizen of the metropolis who trudges homeward on a dark night with an eye to the alleys; when the old inhabitant gazes dreamily at his rusty Winchester on the wall and shudders at the desolating fury of the live wire and the trolley-car. Shooting through the roof is almost out of fashion west of the Missouri) I know one Territorial saloon where it is not allowed even on the Fourth of July; riding horseback on a billiard-table is no longer commonly practised by the male society of railroad towns. A large proportion of the standing army has secured a sedentary occupation in the East, and the West is becoming commonplace and agricultural. In short, the frontier is effaced; and the blood-and-thunder novelist of the future who seek material of "contemporaneous human interest" will go farther and fare worse if he leases the airs of the New York policeman for the aneventful regions where the war whoop is no longer heard. —William Trowbridge Larned, in May Lippincott's

W. W. Welch, Veterinary Surgeon and Dentist. Diseases of all domestic animals treated as taught at Ontario Veterinary College, of which he is an honorary graduate. Will be at F. J. Robinson's for the present.

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