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THE REPUBLICAN TICKET

The Vim Of The Party To Be At The Polls.

ELECTION DAY NEXT TUESDAY

A Ticket Composed of Honorable Men, Put Forth by an Honorable Party Is Sure of Being Elected.

A campaign, impressing every voter of the United States as one of unusual merit, is about to draw to a close and the ballots polled next Tuesday will decide the influence of either party in the county, state and United States.

It is and should be the object of man to extend the prosperity of our nation into the extreme future. The nation and its people have entertained the prosperous situation for six years past and every voter at the polls Tuesday, November 4th, should place a cross at the head of the ticket on which are the names of the men who have pledged their lives to this cause.

Commemorative a few weeks past of the death of one of the American people loved as the reinstater of prosperity, we are now to decide whether or not congress shall continue McKinley's protective policy.

The county ticket is one composed of men who are worthy of unquestionable support.

The support of the straight ticket shall be every man's course and the interference with it we strongly condemn.

On the ticket to be used at the polls next Tuesday will appear the following names. Remember them well and you will not regret.

For U. S. Senator (endorsed)
Albert J. Hopkins,
Aurora.

For Supreme Court Clerk,
Christopher Mamer,
Cook county.

For State Treasurer,
Fred A. Busse,
Cook county.

For Supt. of Public Instruction,
Alfred Bayliss,
LaSalle county.

For Trustees State University,
William B. McKinley,
Champaign county.
Mrs. Laura B. Evans,
Christian county.
L. H. Kerrick,
McLean county.

Member Cong. 12th Cong. Dist
Charles E. Fuller,
Boone county.

For Senator, 35th Senatorial Dist
Charles H. Hughes,
Lee county.

Representatives, 35th Sen. Dist
Charles A. Wetherbee,
Whiteside county.
John B. Castle,
DeKalb county.

For County Judge,
W. L. Pond,
DeKalb.

For County Clerk,
A. S. Kinsloe,
Sycamore.

For County Treasurer,
Daniel Hohm,
Hinckley.

For County Sheriff,
Fred Rompf,
Somonauk.

For County Supt. of Schools,
L. M. Gross,
Sycamore.

Our ad. will tell you all about it—Genoa Dry Goods Company.

WANTS MONEY FOR SLANDER.

Sycamore and DeKalb Torn Up Over a Damage Suit.—All Parties Are Very Prominent People in Vicinity.

A sensational damage suit has been brought at Sycamore by Mrs. McAllister against Mrs. John Kirk, for \$10,000 for alleged malicious slander.

The declaration alleges most extraordinary statements on the part of Mrs. Kirk and her friends refuse to believe that she would use the words attributed to her.

All the parties are prominent people and have acquaintances throughout that portion of the state. The suit has been set for hearing early in November and promises to be a lively one if the declaration may be taken as an indication.

Attorneys Pierce and Huff of Belvidere have been retained to defend Mrs. Kirk.—Elgin Evening Press.

HAVE BOUGHT LAND.

Eli Hall and Gus Carlson of Genoa Invest in Red River Valley, Minnesota, Lands.

J. E. Stott recently sold 160 acre farms to Eli Hall and Gus Carlson of Genoa, and similar farms to five parties from Sherburn, Minnesota.

The party visited the famous Red River valley and looked the ground over carefully before buying. The Genoa members of the party think well of the new country, from which they returned last Saturday.

ON BUTTER COLORING.

An Animated Discussion at Dairymen's Convention Held in Milwaukee, Wisconsin Several Days Last Week.

At the National convention of dairymen in Milwaukee, Prof. H. E. Alvord of the agricultural department at Washington, aroused indignation by characterizing the coloring of butter as a fraud. He said: "The coloring of butter is a fraud as well as the coloring of oleomargarine, and I regard increasing the coloring of butter as impolitic. The general and popular movement is toward suppressing food frauds, especially adulterations, preservatives and artificial coloring, and I hope to live long enough to see all fraud and deception in dairy products abolished, including the artificial coloring of pure butter."

Many dairymen denounced the speaker and Charles Y. Knight addressed the convention, making vehement protest against the statement.

The prize butter, consisting of 15,200 pounds, was bought by A. H. Barber of Chicago at twenty-four cents per pound.

NORTHCOTT COMING TO ELGIN.

Silver Leaf Camp of Modern Woodmen Plan for Another Big Meeting on Friday Night at Their Hall.

A special meeting of Silver Leaf camp, Modern Woodmen, Friday evening, at Elgin, arrangements were made to receive Lieutenant Governor Northcott on November 7th. He is coming to address the Woodmen of Elgin on the proposed change in the rates. He favors the change, while Attorney Johnson, who spoke on the subject some weeks ago, is opposed. The Elgin camp proposes to hear both sides.

THE ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Was Dedicated in Genoa, Illinois, in 1867.



The Advent Christian church was organized in Genoa in 1867, and a church building was erected the same year.

The following is a list of the pastors: Harry McCullach, 1867-1869; Marshall McCullach, 1869-1871; J. A. Smith, 1871-1873; E. H. Burlington, 1873-1878; J. A. Smith, supplied-1887; J. N. Potter, 1887-1888; J. H. Nichols, 1888-1893; George J. French, 1893-1896; A. P. Moore, 1896-1899; W. C. Roberts, and Ida M. Roberts, 1899-1900; B. L. DeGries, 1900-1901; J. H. Stuckey, 1901-1902; B. L. DeGries, present pastor.

At present there is a membership of thirty-six.

Sunday morning at the Advent church, the pastor expressed the thanks of his people to those who had so kindly helped to paint the church.

Rev. DeGries said that the church ought to have electric lights as the heat of the two large lamps on either side of his head, beside the heat of the furnace, which is just in front of the pulpit, is too hot a place for any minister and thinks the necessary changes will be made as soon as funds can be collected for this purpose. The pastor said it was



Rev. B. L. DeGries.

almost impossible to keep from taking colds under the present condition of things and hopes the necessary changes, which are much needed, may be added soon.

Rev. DeGries is no stranger to the people of Genoa. His labors here which ended September 1901, are fresh in the minds of all the people. He has won the confidence of his people and has many friends in Genoa. Rev. DeGries was converted at an early age and was called to the ministry from the wood engraving bench. His first charge was that of superintendent of the "Blessed Hope" mission in Chicago, and has the honor of being the founder of this mission, which is in a

very thrifty condition under the management of Rev. O. R. Jenks of Chicago. He has not lost his missionary spirit, but carries it with him in all his services. Owing to poor health, Rev. DeGries retired from the work of the ministry for one year. This time was spent on a six acre farm near Mendota, Illinois, where he labored in connection with other secular duties—all but about three months he has been at work 'tho not in the ministry' since leaving here in August, 1901.

Sunday morning's sermon was delivered to an appreciative audience from the text, Acts 17: 18-32. He preached unto them, "Jesus and the Resurrection." "When they heard of the Resurrection of the dead some mocked and others said, we will hear thee again of this matter." The sermon was well sustained by scripture. The necessity of a resurrection of the body was emphasized in order to obtain future existence. "For if there be no Resurrection of the dead then they which are fallen asleep in Christ are perished." 1 Cor. 15:18

The Sunday evening sermon was preached from Isa. 33: 17. The lovers of beautiful scenery can be benefited by taking a trip to the Niagara Falls, or some of the many other points of interest. The World's Fair in Chicago in 1893 was a masterpiece of beauty—to the artistic eye, and there is much of interest in nature and art which the skill of man has been able to devise.

We will bear in mind that "the things which are seen are temporal but the things which are not seen are eternal."

The author and creator of the universe invites our attention to beauties more durable and unchanging than the fading arts of human skill.

"Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither hath it entered into heart of man the things which God hath prepared for them that love him."

The human eye has seen much,

the ear has heard sweet strains of music, but eye hath not seen, nor ear heard; neither hath it entered into the imagination of man—the condition of things as they will be in reality to all those who are found lovers of God and truth.

In view of the fact that a picture of sublime beauty is presented to us—we are lead to inquire why all men are not anxious to accept it.

There is a Bible answer, "The God of this world hath blinded their minds." The God of pride and fashion, the God of pleasure, the rum God, the God of wealth, and numerous other Gods may be mentioned, that are substituted for the true God of Heaven, whose worship is neglected because the God of this world hath blinded their eyes.

Although the eye is never satisfied with seeing, nor the ear satisfied with hearing, there is a sight which meets the demands of the hungry soul. The Greeks of old said, "We would see Jesus." A look at the crucified Christ, one glance at the brazen serpent is sufficient to heal the broken spirit, and satisfy the longings of the sin sick heart. May God help us to look to Jesus.

Let us notice the circumstances of the text. The world did not see Christ in his beauty at his first advent, for the record says he was born in a manger; his early life was that of a carpenter's son and his ministry was accompanied by toils and hardships and many wearisome journeys. He was mocked and spit upon, and finally crucified on the cruel cross of Calvary. There is no beauty in all this, but at his second advent he will come in beauty and much glory "And then shall they see the son of man coming in power and great glory." Mark 13: 26. He who died to redeem man, will reign as King of Kings and Lord of Lords. Then, "The wilderness and the solitary place shall be glad, and the desert shall rejoice and blossom as a rose." Isa. 35: 1. "Instead of the thorn shall come up the fir tree, instead of the brier shall come up the myrtle tree." Isa. 55: 13. "The wolf and the lamb shall feed together, and the lion shall eat straw like the ox, and dust shall be the serpent's meat; they shall not hurt nor destroy in all my holy mountain saith the Lord." Isa. 65: 25. Surely the beauties of the world to come will far surpass our mortal vision.

In Revelation 21 and 22, we see a beautiful picture; a city whose streets are paved with gold, its walls of precious stones; no need of the sun, for there shall be no night there,—"Then God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no death, neither sorrow nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain for the former things are passed away." Rev. 21: 4

Peter, James and John had a glimpse of coming glory when the Master took them on the mount and "was transfigured before them, and his face did shine like the sun, and his raiment was as white as the light."

It is any wonder that Peter shouted and exclaimed, "Lord, it is good for us to be here! let us make here three tabernacles, one for thee, one for Moses, and one for Elias." Mat. 17: 14.

This glimpse of heavenly beauty was only a foretaste of the coming glory to be enjoyed by all the chosen of God. The language of the text is personal—thine eyes. We may little realize the force of this personal language. Nevertheless thine eyes shall see the King.

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DELLA KIERNAN IN LEAD

Substantial Gains Of The Three Candidates.

MISS BUCK HAS SECOND PLACE

Much Interest Manifested in Contest During The Past Week.—All Judges Present to Count the Votes.

The count made by the judges on Wednesday evening shows that the interest in the Ladies' Diamond Ring contest is unabated.

A gain of nearly two thousand votes has been made during the past week, making a grand total of over ten thousand votes.

The close rivalry between the two leading contestants is exciting much interest, as is also the growing strength of the Kingston candidate. In spite of the popularity of the leaders and the number of votes cast for each, there are those who think united Kingston should be able to stand before divided Genoa.

One contestant, Miss Emma Lembke, has requested that her name be withdrawn.

Another count will be made next Wednesday evening, and the result will be awaited with much interest.

The standing of the contestants according to the count made Wednesday evening, October 29, 1902, is as follows:

Della Kiernan	4732
Flora Buck	4196
Mildred Gibbs, Kingston	908
Edyth Carpenter	300
Libbie Brown	222
Della Geithman	200
Ella Hines	26
Total	10,584

THEY ARE COMING.

Clefford & Perkins Have a Large Shipment of Stoves on the Way.—Call and Examine Them When They Come.

The reliable stove dealers of the vicinity, Clefford & Perkins will, in a few days, have in stock their new line of Glen Oak and Victor Oak heaters. These two makes are without doubt the most economical heaters for the home. Your trade is respectfully solicited. Clefford & Perkins, Genoa, Illinois.

BUTTER REMAINS FIRM.

The Price Is Twenty-Four and One-Half Cents.—There Were no Sales Nor Were Any Offerings Made.

There were no offerings of butter. The market was made firm at twenty-four and one-half cents. The output for the week was 486,000 pounds.

C. M. & St. P. R. R. Excursions

Numerous excursions to various places on account of meetings of different societies, and to which tickets are sold on the certificate plan, will not be advertised but tickets can be obtained in the regular way on dates authorized for their sale. J. M. Harvey, agt.

Chicago, Ill.—December 1, 2 and 3, good to return until December 8, on account of Live Stock exposition. Fare and one-third for round trip.

Charter Grove

Holcomb Brothers shelled corn Tuesday.

Fred Naker will begin husking corn Monday.

Nothing is rarer in the world than absolute justice.

The shocking of to-day is the recognized of to-morrow.

James Mackey was here on business matters last Saturday.

Charlie Naker and family were in Chicago a few days last week.

Mrs. Perry Bell and son were shopping in Sycamore last Saturday.

Modesty is a good thing, but can be overdone, like other virtues.

No prayer you ever uttered was unheard, no good deed ever wasted.

Edmund Holmes and mother were shopping in Sycamore last Saturday.

Chas. Eastman has quit the bridge gang and is working with Fred Naker.

Howard King went to Elgin last Monday and will attend school there.

Will Whitacre, who worked in the tower near Colvin Park, is working in the depot here.

Ida Holmes and Mrs. Finnegan were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Holmes last Wednesday.

A party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Beebe last Saturday evening. A large crowd attended.

Herbert Notes

John Meyers has lately purchased a new piano.

Frank Countryman has moved into Fred Reed's tenant house.

Henry Hagen's corn-busker started up at Jas. Thurlby's Monday.

Mrs. Thornton entertained friends from Rockford and Belvidere Friday.

Geo. Wait has been in Iowa buying up a car load of horses. He returned Monday.

John Uplinger of Kingston put up a new wind mill on the farm of Mrs. Hagen this week.

Thomas Holland has given up his position with the Northwest-railroad and has moved to his house in Herbert.

The dance at the hall Friday evening proved a great success. It was well attended and every one reported a good time.

The work on John Lampard's house is being pushed right along. It is all enclosed and the floor and partitions are nearly all in.

J. F. Meyers has an immense business in the buying and selling of milch cows this season. He shipped in seven car loads within twenty days.

C. G. Meyers shipped a car load of horses to Chicago last week and is now in Iowa after another car load. He found the Chicago market good and solid and everything at top prices.

Leander Wells of Conneaut, Ohio, has been in the vicinity visiting relatives. He is an uncle of Mrs. Emerald Blackledge and Edgar and Will Mayberry. Mr. Wells was a resident here in an early day.

About a week ago Miron Brainard, a lad about fifteen years of age, was held up while on his way home from town, by two men who came out of the corn field at the four corners west of George Wait's place. They demanded the boy's money. He made them a short reply and "took to his heels" and made the distance home somewhat shorter than usual. The men went back into the corn field.

About Folks You Know

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

Viava at Jack Goding's.—5c.

Coal at K. Jackman & Son's.

Magazines at E. H. Browne's.

Ralph Field is visiting in Chicago.

Fall styles—Genoa Dry Goods Company.

Dr. Danforth was at Herbert Wednesday.

Bring your grain to K. Jackman & Son's.

There are 518 names on the Genoa poll list.

John Fuchs was here Thursday from Woodstock.

Miss Mary Cahill of Kingston was here Tuesday.

Mrs. Carrie L. Dumser is visiting in Elgin to-day.

The Victor Oak Heater at Clefford & Perkin's.

Bert Chapman of Elgin will visit here next week.

Will Watson was here from Kingston last Friday.

John Felgenhauer was at Hampshire on Sunday.

Miss Marjorie Rowen spent last Friday in Kingston.

Ed. Rogers was home from Burlington last Monday.

Joshua Siglin was here from Charter Grove Tuesday.

Amos Story was here from Charter Grove Wednesday.

Chas. Saul is out from Chicago to remain over Sunday.

G. C. Rowen made a business trip to Rockford last Friday.

Stuart Sherman was here from Kingston Wednesday evening.

Loren Olmsted returned from South Dakota on Saturday night.

Try a box of "Napoleon" chocolates. For sale at Pickett's only.

Hickory Hill Select Lump, a fine domestic coal at K. Jackman & Son's.

J. E. Stott returned on Wednesday morning from a week's stay in North Dakota.

K. Jackman & Son have some last winter's coal bills that must be settled at once.

Everett Crawford and Charles White shot a couple of ducks Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Frank Moan and Mrs. J. A. Patterson visited at Hampshire Wednesday.

Miss Wyla Richardson returned Sunday from a week's visit at Elgin and Bartlett.

Frank Campbell, of the Kirkland Enterprise, made friends in Genoa a pleasant call Monday.

With our other large line of stoves, we have the renowned Acorn Oak. Clefford & Perkins.

Rev. Simmons is here from Chicago in the interest of the Illinois Home Finding association.

Miss Jennie Beardsley returned from Harvey, North Dakota last Friday evening after a six weeks' stay there.

Misses Agnes and Jessie Hutchison are spending a week in Chicago the guest of friends and relatives.

Miss Hattie Olmstead, who has been living in Iowa, will arrive next week to make her home with her brother, Loren Olmsted.

If you don't want your collars broken, give your laundry to Fred Browne, agent. Improved method laundry. All work guaranteed. Laundry sent Thursday and returned Saturday.

Frank Stockwell, on his way to Elgin, left his auto here over Tuesday night. Geo. S. Adams came up Wednesday from Elgin to make some repairs and the trip to Elgin was again taken up Wednesday afternoon.

Hickory Hill coal at K. Jackman & Son's.

Charity is very often nothing but polite laziness.

Riley Miller of the Sycamore Advertiser was here Sunday.

Geo. Brown of Elgin spent Sunday here the guest of Jerry Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferd Ollman were here from Colvin Park on Sunday.

The Glen Oak, an economical stove for any home. Clefford & Perkins.

Miss Ethel Milner spent Sunday at Belvidere the guest of her parents.

John Schwebke and Charles Stray of Colvin Park were in Genoa last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lettow and daughter and Mrs. Rhubeck of Colvin Park spent Sunday in Genoa.

Miss Grace Waite returned to Chicago last Saturday after a week's visit here a guest of relatives.

Robert Wright of Belvidere passed through Genoa Wednesday in his auto on the way to Sycamore.

L. N. Jackman of Elgin, who has recently returned from an eastern trip, spent Sunday here the guest of his daughter.

C. Magnus of the Improved Method Laundry of Elgin was here Monday and established an agency with Fred Browne.

Miss Jennie McAllister of Genoa and Albert Griffith of Chicago were united in marriage in Chicago last week Wednesday.

Geo. E. Sisley, formerly of Genoa, but now of Chicago, attended the funeral of his step-father last Friday at Sycamore.

A. J. Lettow was here from Kingston on matters of business Saturday. Mr. Lettow and family will move during next month to Texas, where they will spend the winter.

It would be cheaper for a farmer to spend a few dollars for medicine than to lose all his hogs from cholera. K. Jackman & Son handle Haas hog remedies.

John S. Sykes, representing W. H. Laidley & Co., grain merchants of Chicago, was here Wednesday and will open an office Saturday in the front apartment of the Commercial hotel.

If you don't want your collars broken, give your laundry to Fred Browne, agent. Improved method laundry. All work guaranteed. Laundry sent Thursday and returned Saturday.

The Chatauqua met Monday evening at the home of Miss Marguerite Slater. The lesson was a reading journey through Poland. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Gilbert.

Sunday morning at the M. E. church, a sacramental service of the "Lord's Supper" will be observed. In the evening, the pastor's theme will be "Heart Versus Head." "For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness." Romans 10:10.

The Mystic Workers of the World have just paid an account of fifty dollars for disability sustained by Dr. E. A. Robinson. Mr. Robinson was injured while east about two months ago and has suffered since that time from effects of the dislocation.

Last Saturday, Frank and Wm. McQueen of Esmond journeyed to Madison, Wis., with James R. Kiernan and purchased a splendid steam threshing outfit, to be delivered next June. On Monday, Mr. Kiernan made a similar sale to W. H. Stolp of Hinckley.

THE NEW STORE
L. L. Knipp, Mgr

GENOA DRY GOODS CO.

HIGHEST STANDARD OF QUALITY

UNDERWEAR BUYING

Made easy when you have the right thing at the right price offered to you. Our large assortment of the very best grades of wool and fleece lined underwear enables you to secure fit and comfort at prices considerably less than our competitors are able to give.

Men's heavy wool ribbed union suits at \$2.25
Ladies' grey ribbed wool, \$1 and .73
Best fleeced union suits for ladies at 1.00
Children's union suits at .25

Men's mottled wool garments at .98
Best wool union suit for ladies at 2.25
Boys' fleeced shirts and drawers, all sizes .25

Full line of children's single pieced garments in mottled wool, Jersey ribbed wool and fleeced cotton.

Outing Flannel Night Robes

Not the ordinary flannel night robes, but garments 14 to 18 inches wider, full 60 inches long in the ladies' garments, French seams, collar on band, and of best of goods. Prices the same as for those the others have. See them in Men's, Ladies' and children's.

Flannelette wrappers at \$1.69, \$1.25 and \$1.
Men's Duck coats at \$2 25, \$1 69, \$1 48 and \$1
Flannelette blankets at \$1.75, \$1 39, \$1, 59c, 43c.

See the new belts, back combs, side combs, stick pins, hand bags, and other notion novelties. Latest. Full line of pretty golf gloves at 48c and 25c.

GENOA DRY GOODS CO.

Home Made Comfortables?

Yes, Ma'am! We have them—a nice lot of them, and they are "home made" too. We furnished the outside and inside ourselves and Elgin parties did the work. They are 2 yards by 2½ yards long, are covered with a good grade of Silkolene (handsome patterns) and filled with honest batting from a fine grade to the very best kind. Prices? From \$2 to \$2 50 each.

Then we have comfortables that are filled with one 4-lb. sheet of laminated batting to each one, and covered with good silkolene, that we are selling from \$1 50 to \$2 50 each. And if you should want "factory made" Comfortables, we can give you good ones for \$1.25

BLANKETS? - - Sure Thing!

We have lots of blankets, and while it is true that we sell nothing but GOOD BLANKETS, yet this does not signify that we sell only high priced goods. Our prices range for COTTON BLANKETS, tan and gray (with borders), white (with or without borders) from 50c to \$1.75 a pair. ALL WOOL BLANKETS, gray and white (fancy borders) from \$3.50 to \$9 a pair. We are selling a five-pound blue, all wool army blanket at \$2 85 apiece, and 8½ pound white, all wool army blanket at \$3.85 apiece.

Step down stairs—We can show them to you better than we can tell you about them.

Peck's Block. **GEO. M. PECK** Elgin, Illinois.

CLOTHING

A full line of

Men's & Boy's & Children's SUITS AND OVERCOATS

NEW FALL STYLES are now on display and include all the newest imported and domestic patterns and fabrics.

GENTS FURNISHINGS The neatness in all the latest patterns. Neckwear, hosiery, and other furnishings for the young men.

SEE OUR LINE of NEW HATS The latest fall styles and the newest shapes.

F. O. HOLTGREEN

GENOA ILLINOIS

The Kingston News.

As Reported by Harry S. Heckman, for THE GENOA REPUBLICAN for the week ending October 31, 1902.

RAILWAY TIME CARD AT GENOA, ILLINOIS.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.

Lv Genoa	Ar Chicago
No. 6.... 4.40 a m.... 7.00 a m	36.... 7.10 a m.... 10.05 a m
32.... 11.06 a m.... 12.55 p m	4.... 7.45 p m.... 9.30 p m
2.... 8.03 a m.... 9.30 a m	
Lv Chicago	Ar Genoa
No. 3.... 8.15 a m.... 9.47 a m	31.... 3.45 p m.... 5.18 p m
5.... 2.55 a m.... 4.22 a m	35.... 2.10 p m.... 4.36 p m
1.... 6.10 p m.... 7.41 p m	

All trains daily except Nos 31 and 32, which are daily except Sunday. Trains No. 1, 2 and 5 do not stop at Genoa.
S. R. Crawford, agent.

**CHICAGO GREAT WESTERN.
AT SYCAMORE.**

Dubuque, St Paul....	10.23 a m
Minneapolis, Des Moines....	12.44 a m
St Joseph, Kansas City....	8.02 p m
Holcomb, Rockford, Byron....	5.42 p m

Going East

Chicago Suburban....	*6.00 a m
Chicago Limited....	7.35 a m
Chicago Local....	7.55 a m
Chicago Suburban....	7.45 a m
Chicago Special....	12.10 p m
Chicago Express....	7.35 p m

Sycamore-DeKalb

Lv Sycamore	Ar DeKalb
8.05 p m	8.20 p m
7.20 p m	7.35 p m
2.45 p m	3.00 p m
Lv DeKalb	Ar Sycamore
5.50 a m	5.59 a m
7.30 a m	7.44 a m
7.05 p m	7.20 p m

*Daily except Sunday; all others daily.
L. E. Palmer, agent.

CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL.

Lv Genoa	Ar Chicago
No. 8.... 6.47 a m.... 8.35 a m	36.... 7.39 a m.... 10.00 a m
22.... 8.58 a m.... 10.25 a m	6.... 11.58 a m.... 1.45 p m
24.... 3.54 p m.... 5.55 p m	
Lv Chicago	Ar Genoa
No. 21.... 8.20 a m.... 10.28 a m	5.... 2.00 p m.... 3.39 p m
35.... 2.05 p m.... 5.13 p m	23.... 4.05 p m.... 5.33 p m
7.... 5.15 p m.... 6.50 p m	3.... 10.25 p m.... 11.58 p m

J. M. Harvey, agent.

C. & N. W. RY.—AT HENRIETTA.

North bound.	South bound.
No. 306. 9.07 am	No. 319. 8.00 am
320. 2.45 pm	307. 10.51 am
310. 8.50 pm	309. 6.22 pm

KINGSTON TIME CARD.

Passenger Trains

No.	Eastbound	No.	Westbound
8...	6.42 a m	21...	10.35 a m
36...	7.32 a m	5...	3.45 p m
6...	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. Vickel, agent.

J. H. DANFORTH M. D. V.
Livery and Feed Stable



Veterinary Hospital

Dr. Danforth is a graduate of McKillip's Veterinary College, Chicago. Best attention given in all cases.

GENOA, ILLINOIS.

FOUND DEAD IN HER BED.

Mrs. Grant Dibble Dies While Alone Monday Evening.

CORONER'S INQUEST IS HELD.

Funeral Services Held Thursday.—Was a Lady of Many Acquaintances and Was Well Liked Hereabouts.

"Death due to natural causes" was the verdict returned by the coroner's jury at the inquest held Tuesday morning over the body of Mrs. Grant Dibble of Kingston, who was found dead in bed Monday evening about seven o'clock.

Miss Mary Cahill, sister of Mrs. Dibble, who came up from Elgin Monday afternoon, on receiving a telegram to the effect that her sister was ill, arrived in town a few hours before her death. Dr. Mordoff of Genoa had been sent for and arrived shortly after seven o'clock, and, upon examination, found that life was extinct. Dr. Ludwig of Kingston was also called and issued a request that a coroner's inquest be held.

At ten o'clock on Tuesday, the following jury was impaneled: L. C. Shaffer, foreman, Stuart Sherman, Fred Smith, I. A. McCollom, Avory May and H. G. Burgess.

The testimonies of Grant Dibble, Miss May Cahill, Miss Gertrude Ackerman, Dr. Mordoff, and Dr. Ludwig were heard which revealed the evidence and caused the jury to return the verdict, "Death from natural causes."

It was learned that Mrs. Dibble had been ill for some time and on Saturday and Sunday had grown worse. Monday morning she asked that a telegram be sent to her sister at Elgin, and, her wish being complied with, Miss Cahill arrived on the four o'clock train.

When Miss Cahill left the home to telephone Dr. Mordoff at Genoa, she left Mrs. Dibble in company with her four year old son and Mrs. Dibble at that time was reported as feeling some better. On the return home of Miss Cahill, she found the little boy attired in his night robe and sound asleep beside his dead mother.

Coroner Morris, upon completing his examination and questioning of the witnesses, asked the verdict of the foreman of the jury and "Death due to natural causes" was returned.

Mrs. Aggie Cahill Dibble was born twenty-six years ago at the old home four miles south of Woodstock. Five years ago, she was united in marriage to Grant Dibble, who is now employed as an engineer in the electric light plant at Belvidere. To them was born a son now four years of age.

A man who wins a girl's hand and loses his head in the operation pays too much.

Beautiful Home Completed.

The new residence of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Landis is ready for occupancy. Jas. J. Hammond, of Genoa, who contracted for its erection, has completed his portion of the work and is to be congratulated on the neatness of construction. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Landis is by far the most beautiful residence property in Kingston.

A woman will forgive open enmity quicker than she does indifference.

Married in Spring.

The marriage of Miss Minnie Taylor and Chas. Rudolph was celebrated last Monday evening by Dr. Tompkins at the home of the brides parents in the township of Spring, where the young people will live until next year, when they will begin farming for themselves in company with the bride's brother.

The wedding ceremony was attended by relatives and friends from Belvidere and the immediate vicinity. Their many friends wish them much happiness.

Will Be a Warm Winter.

If the Indian is any kind of a weather prophet we shall be glad, and the dealers in fuel who have been having a quiet laugh on account of the high price of coal wont reap the harvest they expected.

The old Indians of the Pottawatamies are very close observers of the weather signs, and they are looked upon by many as experts in determining long distance weather conditions—a feature in prognostications that the weather bureau hardly dares meddle with yet. According to the Indian we are to have a winter suited to poor people on account of its mildness. The St. Joe (Mich.) Press says that Mackey Shawgoguet, an old Indian living in the Pottawatamie settlement, is one of our greatest weather prophets, and when he was asked concerning the future weather he said: "I see 'em many coon an' he all poor; no fat on him. Coon live out. Don't want 'em any nest for winter. Musk rat don't want 'em any house. He tear 'em all down. Going to be warm."

Ed. Stuart was at St. Charles Saturday.

Harry Penny is home from Evanston.

Mrs. Emma Tazewell spent Saturday in DeKalb.

Miss May Taylor visited in Belvidere several days last week.

Mrs. A. N. Wyllys visited relatives in South Grove last week.

Harry Gochnaur made a business trip to Chicago last Friday.

Miss Marjorie Rowen of Genoa spent Friday here with relatives.

M. W. Cole spent in DeKalb with Judge W. L. Pond and family.

The W. C. T. U., met Wednesday of this week with Mrs. S. Shoemaker.

Miss Blanche Cooper was here from Fairdale last Saturday a guest of friends.

Max Shely, a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Shely, has an attack of spinal meningitis.

James Lantz and Miss Blanche Cooper of Fairdale were guests friends here Sunday.

Irish & Hix papered and painted the Lacy school Friday and Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Landis and daughters spent Sunday in DeKalb with relatives.

Mrs. Anna DeYoung of DeKalb spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Hedda Worcester.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Outman and son of Marseilles were visiting the former's sister, Miss Mamie Outman, over Sunday.

Ray Pratt, agent at New Lebanon, is visiting relatives in Chicago and Libertyville during his week of vacation.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. George Thompson came over from Kirkland on Monday morning and will spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hill.

Miss Flora Wilcox, who returned to Fredonia, New York, about three months ago to care for her mother during an illness, returned to Kingston last Saturday.

Kirkland Items

Every bully is at heart a coward. Mr. Bell of Kingston was here Saturday.

Harvey Roe of Milwaukee was here Friday.

Mr. Johnson of Chicago visited friends over Sunday.

Winnifred Ross spent Sunday in Chicago with friends.

Harry Roe and Hazel Kirk spent Monday in Rockford.

Monotony begets patience, and patience is a commendable virtue. Mr. and Mrs. Willard and family will move to Chicago soon.

Mr. Roe and son, Harry, will start in the hotel the latter part of the week.

Most people will fight for prejudices but readily come to an understanding on principles.

Harley Burchfield returned from Belvidere on Saturday where he had been visiting his sister, Mrs. Will Catlin.

Colvin Park

Not every brick is gold. Herman Ollman was a Kingston visitor Saturday.

Chas. Cole was at Kingston Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferd Ollman were Genoa visitors Sunday.

W. L. Cole and wife were Belvidere shoppers Saturday.

W. L. Cole and wife were in Kingston last Friday afternoon.

A good working conscience is the requisite of those who would govern.

If you could sell what you know, what price would you set on it?

Rev. L. A. Koeller will ship his milk to Chicago, beginning November 1.

Messrs. John Schwebke and Chas. Stray were in Genoa Saturday afternoon.

It's likely the case that the grass widow isn't as green as the name indicates.

C. F. Ollman & Sons are buying baled hay and shipping the same from here.

Messrs. George Smith and Henry Hagen were in Kingston Saturday afternoon.

Joe Britton is butter-maker at the creamery. He is assisted in the work by Mr. Smith.

How rare the person who can lay the blame for adversity on his own mismanagement.

Hagen & Schwebke have finished threshing and will commence corn shredding this week.

Messrs. Herman Ollman, Otto Rhubeck and Chas. Cole were Kingston callers Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lettow and daughter and Mrs. C. Rhubeck attended church at Genoa Sunday.

John Babler has been suffering for the past week with rheumatism in his right arm and shoulder. He is improving slowly.

Rev. Dix of Kingston loaded his household effects here Wednesday and shipped them to Scales Mound. The family left Thursday for their new home.

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Hampshire News

John Buchal visited friends in Elgin on Monday.

Frank Starks visited friends in Genoa on Sunday.

Otto Holtgren was a business caller in Chicago on Tuesday.

Mr. Hyde of Belvidere is spending the week here with friends.

M. N. Stafford attended a banquet at Elgin last Friday evening.

Miss Rose Peterson of Elgin visited her parents over Sunday.

D. W. Sholes and I. Reams visited in Peoria several days last week.

Joe Manning of Chicago is spending the week with George Syler.

Mr. Philips has moved into the Chris Kacheley house on Park street.

A daughter arrived Saturday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Porter.

Mr. Phelps of Sycamore is spending the week here with friends.

Andy Pitcher of Ft. Scott, Kansas, spent last week here with friends.

Henry Bradford of Elgin visited E. E. Rich and family over Sunday.

Mr. Magnus of the new method steam laundry of Elgin was here Monday.

John Peterson of Iowa shipped in a car load of cows the first of the week.

Andrew Roth has moved into the E. D. Boses home north of the depot.

Henry Scott and Thomas Wallace visited friends in Marengo Tuesday.

Whitney Douglas of Emporia, Kansas, visited old friends here last week.

Mrs. Mel Allen has gone to Chicago to live with her daughter Mrs. Marks.

Jessie Stringer of Huntley visited his brother, John, and family over Sunday.

Miss Mable Starks of Starks Station visited Miss Ollie Van over Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Scott spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Ronin, at Sycamore.

Justice W. H. Starks married a couple from New Lebanon Tuesday morning.

Dan Orton has moved to Fairmont, Minn., where he recently purchased a farm.

Mrs. H. S. Wells of Bristol has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Cook.

Mrs. Eda Holtgren has returned from a week's visit with relatives at Geneva.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Shannon of Elgin visited G. W. Cook and family over Sunday.

George Shatters has returned to Los Angeles, California, where he will remain for a year.

Dr. McCormack of Elgin was called here Monday to see Mrs. Henry Melins, who is very sick.

Mrs. C. B. Hennighan of Sycamore is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Maggie Treman.

Wm. Starks distributed about 100 pencil sharpeners with compliments of the GENOA REPUBLICAN.

Mr. Thompson left here Tuesday of last week for North Dakota where he intends to buy a farm.

Homer Farrell has arrived here from Iowa, where he has been visiting relatives for several weeks.

Wm. Shatters received a talking magpie which was sent here from Ft. Lupton, Colorado, by his brother Julius.

The dance in Hathaway's hall last Friday night was largely attended. About seventy-five tickets were sold.

W. H. Starks and wife and Fred Weed and wife visited Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Starks at Stark Station Sunday.

George Conro is remodeling the Treiber house that was recently purchased and will occupy it as soon as it is repaired.

New Lebanon

Carley Witt was in Genoa Sunday.

Wm. Reid of Genoa was here Friday.

J. W. Lord was a Genoa caller Saturday.

Edd. Spansail was in Hampshire Sunday.

L. S. Ellithorpe was in Hampshire Monday.

Mr. Gilkerson of Riley was in town Thursday.

Wm. Coon was a Genoa caller Sunday evening.

Joe and John Reiser were in Sycamore last Friday.

Harvey Burroughs was here from Genoa on Friday.

George Beherer attended the dance Friday evening.

Wm. Dumoulin was a Hampshire caller Saturday.

George Conro expects to move to Hampshire soon.

Miss Cassie Coon returned from Hampshire this week.

L. S. Ellithorpe was in Genoa on business Wednesday.

Edd. Gustafson was a Hampshire shopper Tuesday last.

Harrison Lord and family are here from Elgin this week.

Annie and Rosy Conro were Hampshire callers Tuesday.

Mrs. Kate Spansail was an Elgin passenger Friday morning.

Mrs. Martha Cummings was here from Hampshire on Sunday.

H. Hartman and daughter, Edna, were Genoa callers Friday.

Misses Emma and Annie Dumoulin were shopping in Genoa on Friday.

Chas. Delvin of Chicago visited his daughters, Ruth and Tina, Friday.

Miss Ida Engel of Burlington is visiting her sister, Mrs. Annie Harder.

Miss Emmie Dumoulin attended a dance at Hampshire Friday evening.

Joe Reiser and brother, Charles, went to Hampshire on business Tuesday.

Ray Pratt, the depot agent, was calling in Kingston on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Kate Spansail and daughter, Clara, were Hampshire shoppers Friday afternoon.

Conro and Reiser had their sale last Wednesday. Everything sold well, especially the cows.

Jesse Wing and wife and son of Elgin were visitors at the home of George Conro on Wednesday.

A lot of new seats are being put in at the school house. Must expect more scholars this winter.

Mrs. Jos. Engel of Burlington visited her daughter, Mrs. Joe Harder, Friday. Miss Ida returned with her in the evening.

Illinois Central Excursions.

Commencing Sept. 1, 1902, and continuing daily until Oct. 31, 1902. One way second-class settler's rates to Billings and various other points in Montana; Ogden and Salt Lake City, Utah; Walla Walla, Ellensburg, Seattle and various other points in Washington; Portland, Ore., etc., at very low rates, apply to Illinois Central agents for specific information.

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Remember the Republican's Great Diamond Ring Contest is now on!

The Rules of The Contest.

1. Any unmarried lady under thirty years of age may enter the contest.
2. Each paper, including this issue, will contain one coupon good for two votes. The name of the person for whom the ballot is cast must be written in blank space and the coupon mailed or brought to THE REPUBLICAN office before eight o'clock p. m., December 24.
3. For each new subscription or renewal of old subscription for one year will be given a coupon good for one hundred votes. For each new subscription or renewal of old subscription for two years will be given a coupon good for two hundred votes. For each new subscription or renewal of old subscription for three years will be given a coupon good for three hundred votes.
4. In order to vote for a contestant it is necessary to write plainly the name (for whom you wish to cast your votes) in blank space left for that purpose on the coupon. The same is then placed in the ballot box.
5. A contestant may work for her own interests and secure as many votes as possible.
6. A count of the vote will be made each Wednesday night of the weeks while the contest is on. The official count will be given to the editor and the same correctly published in the next issue of THE REPUBLICAN on the following Friday. A small bulletin of the last count before the final will be published and circulated at twelve m., December 24th.
7. If the name upon a vote is not plainly written, the vote will be cast out, or the decision of three of the judges will decide its identity.
8. Mayor Stott of Genoa will be chairman of the judges and Mayor Sherman of Kingston will act in his stead if sickness or any unforetold circumstances should not allow Mr. Stott to be present.
9. The qualifications of a contestant and the rules will be published in every issue of THE REPUBLICAN during the contest.
10. A contestant wishing to withdraw cannot cast her votes for any other contestant.

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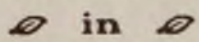
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**PROFESSIONAL
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By Geo. E. Walsh

There was the silver and gold plate of a dozen different families. The jewels and diamonds that had come down as heirlooms from several generations, small statuettes, gold framed pictures and photographs, solid silver knives, forks, spoons and plates, watches, rings and bric-a-brac of more or less value were piled in heaps and clusters on the floor and tables. In short, there was everything that a robber could collect from a house and carry away in a bundle.

Gazing at this strange accumulation of miscellaneous goods, I felt that I was standing in a dangerous place, for the collector of them would not hesitate an instant to kill me if he once discovered my presence. Here were the ill gotten gains of both my master and the doctor, and either one would be provoked and frightened enough to take my life if he once saw me in the storeroom. Nevertheless I was so fascinated by the glittering heaps of gold and silver and precious jewels that I could not refrain from examining and handling each one individually. I must have run considerable risk in so doing, for some of the pieces rolled out of the heap and fell upon the floor. But the fever of excitement which possessed me could not be controlled. In all my experiences I had never beheld such a sight. It seemed like a glimpse of a burglar's paradise.

I believe for a short time I was bewildered and half crazy. I know that I seated myself on the floor and took up one article after another, holding it up to my lantern to be sure of its genuineness and then pressing it closely against my face.

Then I filled my pockets with them and tried to estimate the wealth that I could carry away, although I had no intention of removing a single article from the house. My plan was to retrace my steps so that the doctor would not know that his storehouse had been visited by a stranger. I had another way to corner him or at least to bring him into my power by holding his secret over his head.

When I was finally satisfied in gloating over the stolen goods, I began to think of returning. I put the articles back in their places just as I had found them and drew the cover over them so as not to excite any suspicion. Then I left the room after one long look behind, locked the door and retreated up the ladder to the cupola. I could not fasten the staple in as securely as before, but by means of a long piece of wire I succeeded in attaching it loosely into the door so that nobody would notice it unless he happened to visit the cupola. This I judged rarely occurred, and I thought I was safe in leaving matters as they were. I climbed down the piazza post and once more found myself on the green lawn without having aroused any of the inmates of the house.

My night's adventure had been successful, and I retired to my bed feeling that I possessed a secret which made me the equal of either my master or the doctor in power. At any time I might use this knowledge to ruin them or to force them to do my bidding. Altogether I thought I was a pretty lucky dog.

CHAPTER XVI

KNOWING beyond doubt now the double dealing of both my master and Dr. Squires, I found myself sympathizing with Miss Stetson and almost unconsciously planning to save her from either one. It may seem a little strange that one of my character should find fault with anybody following the same line of business that had occupied my attention for half a lifetime and that I should begin to criticize my master for crimes that I had many times committed. I doubt very much if I should have troubled myself in this way had not Miss Stetson commanded my respect and confidence. She was too pure and good to fall a victim to such villains. There was a sacredness about her love for Mr. Goddard, even though it could never be consummated in marriage, which made her ten times more beautiful and lovely in my eyes. If such a love had been mine in early life, I should never have drifted away from an upright and honorable life.

She was not to marry him. That she had settled in her own mind, but she was consecrating her young life to him. The dread of the leper in him was an effectual barrier to their union, but she loved him none the less. Her pale face and sad, lustrous eyes revealed this even to me, and I blessed her for it. Her love was of a nobler type than the ordinary, but the pity of it was that my master was not worthy of it.

My feelings did not exactly undergo a transformation. Apart from his relationship with Miss Stetson, I still liked and admired my master. He was a skilled master in his profession, a man with many virtues and genial qualities, one whose kindness in the world had done much to make others happy. He was in reality my beau ideal of a criminal, a man who pursued his unlawful work without imbruing his own nature, a master of his profession and not a slave to it.

But when it came to a question of choosing between my master and Miss Stetson I unhesitatingly sided with the latter, one whose virtue was no less a powerful factor in attracting me than her utter helplessness in the hands of two such men.

Dr. Squires had enlisted my dislike from the first, and through varying degrees of feelings I had reached a climax in positive hatred for him. I would thwart him in his aim even

though it compromised my master in the doing. I had convincing proof that he was all I ever imagined him to be.

I soon became a spy in the interest of Miss Stetson and in a sense a traitor to my master. This underhanded procedure displeased me, and several times I was on the point of applying for a position in the Stetson mansion. But this would remove me from the base of my supplies. I could not obtain the material so essential to conduct a successful warfare against the two men. I would have to play the traitor for a time at least—a role, be it said to my credit, that I never acted before.

I strove to make myself liked and trusted by her, for I knew that the day might come when it would be very important that she should believe in me and have confidence in my wisdom. Although nominally a mere butler, I knew that my master had praised me to her and had made her look upon me as something more than a common servant.

Meanwhile an accident that nearly proved fatal to her enabled me to increase her friendliness for me. While riding one of the horses which John said needed exercise, a feature of my old life as groom that I had not totally abandoned, this adventure occurred.

It was a quiet, peaceful morning, and I was cantering down the highway thinking deeply of the strange circumstances which had so occupied my mind of late. I heard the clatter of feet in the distance, and as they seemed to approach rapidly and increase in volume I turned my head to see the cause. Down the old country road a horse was flying, throwing up clouds of dust and swaying the rider irregularly from left to right. I turned my horse and waited a moment to let the daring rider pass.

But as the running steed rapidly loomed up out of the showers of dust his feet were creating I saw that the rider had lost all control of the animal and was uncertainly retaining his seat in the saddle. A moment later my heart gave a little bound of fear when I realized that the rider was a woman and that woman Miss Stetson. She was unattended, as she often was in her morning rides, and along the old country road there was little chance of her attracting any one who could help her.

The horse was panting and snorting with the violence of his exertions, and by the way he swung his head and neck I knew that he was liable to cut up any dangerous trick to unseat his rider. As they approached within a few rods of me I caught a glimpse of the white face of Miss Stetson. She was nearly overcome with fright and exertion, and her appealing eyes stirred up every latent power within me.

(To be Continued)

Postal Examination.

The United States Postal official filling the capacity of rural mail department examiner was here Tuesday examining the applicants for the position on route number two which was left vacant by the resignation of Dr. J. H. Danforth. After the acting of the department, the new carrier will take charge. The applicants were: Miss Cora Buck, Wm. Sowers, H. T. Young, A. C. Schneider and Geo. DeWolf.

Receives Injury.

Rev. E. K. D. Hester met with a serious accident Tuesday while loading his household goods on a car, preparatory to the trip to Rockford. In attempting to step from the dray to the car Mr. Hester fell, striking on the iron work of the car. He was picked up in an unconscious condition, and it was some moments before he was able to stand. One of his teeth pushed through his lower lip, inflicting a painful injury. A swollen face and a black eye added to his general discomfort.

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REV. DE GRIES' SERMON

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There are two classes who will see him. First: "Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall see God." Consecration leads to purification. When the life is consecrated to God, he purifies it from all sin, hence we are classed with "the pure in heart who shall see God." Second: the impure in heart. How sad to think that man may neglect the all important topic of all topics—his personal salvation—and lose the promised possession.

The one class will be received with joy, while those whose minds have been darkened by the God of this world will be banished forever from the presence of the Lord. Notice the scripture, "And the Kings of the earth, and the great men and the rich men, and the chief captains, and the mighty men, and every bondman, and every freeman hid themselves in the dens and in the rocks of the mountains, and said to the mountains and rocks: fall down on us and hide us from the face of him that setteth on the throne. For the great day of his wrath is come, and who will be able to stand.

Every knee shall bow, and every tongue confess, but often not until judgment is at the door and mercy has fled forever.

The world will go on in its mad rush for pleasure, etc., serving the God of this world, until they shall stand face to face with Him who shall judge the world in righteousness.

Thine eyes shall see the King, only to realize what you have missed by neglect. The pure in heart will be saved from the doomed world—the curtain will be drawn to one side and—"Ye shall see Abraham, Isaac and Jacob in the kingdom of God and you yourselves thrust out."

May God help all to accept Christ and see the King in peace.

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News of the Week with Court House Reports in Full

E. L. Palmer has returned from his trip to New York state

Miss Maud Allen is employed as stenographer in Cliffe Bros. law office.

H. M. Whittemore is in Chicago as a juror in the United States court.

Alvin Resch of Chicago is spending a few days with Sycamore friends.

Ray Winders of Champaign spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Sycamore.

Miss Mabel Richardson is employed as stenographer by the DeKalb Fence company.

C. K. Wayland of Portage, Wis., formerly of Sycamore, was here Friday and Saturday.

The grand jury adjourned Wednesday. There were few cases up before them at this term.

Miss Emma Waterman, who has been spending the summer in Europe, has returned to Sycamore.

Frank S. Regan of Rockford, prohibition candidate for congress in this district, spent Saturday in Sycamore.

P. M. Alden returned last week from a visit to New York. Mrs. Alden will remain for a time with her daughter, Mrs. Wood.

The petit jurors for the October term of the circuit court have received orders not to report until November 10th, owing to the election on November 4.

F. B. Townsend is erecting a dwelling on DeKalb avenue east of Earnest Swanson's residence. When finished, it will be occupied by Engineer Trotter of the Northwestern.

The street lamps were lighted Sunday night for the first time in about three months. The electric company have borrowed a dynamo from Rochelle to use until their plant is re-fitted.

John H. Leslie & Co., of Chicago, who own the citron factory here, are contemplating an addition to their plant next year that will enable them to can jams and jellies of all kinds.

The Sycamore fire department was called out at two o'clock Saturday morning by a false alarm of fire from box number six on west State street. Crossed wires are supposed to be responsible for the ringing in of the alarm.

Frederick G. Maxfield, who lives north of town, and Miss Mary A. Hooker of this city were married at Toledo, Iowa, Thursday of last week. They will spend a couple of weeks visiting in Iowa after which they will reside on Mr. Maxfield's farm north of town.

The new city council has let the contract for lighting the streets and pumping water to the DeKalb-Sycamore Electric company for a period of ten years. The electric company promises to spend \$15,000 in improving their plant here and to put down a well that will furnish 300,000 gallons of water per day.

A suit has been filed in the circuit court to stop the further construction of the electric railway in Sycamore. The suit will not be heard until some time in November. In the meantime the contractors are going ahead with the road and will probably have it finished before the suit is heard. The petitioners in the suit claim that the franchise under which the road is being built is invalid.

Cora Poile of Sandwich was adjudged insane in the county court Tuesday and sent to the Elgin Hospital for insane. There was no previous insanity in the family and no assigned cause for the attack which has been of

about four months duration. It is believed that a short term of treatment at the hospital will cure her of the affliction.

The force in the county clerk's office have been busy this week getting out the ballots and supplies for the election of November 4. There are twenty-seven election districts in the county. The total number of ballots prepared and sent out was 31,800, comprising 2,700 women's ballots, 14,550 general official ballots and 14,550 ballots on proposed questions of public policy. These tickets are all counted and sealed in packages of 100. After the election all ballots are returned to the county clerk and kept for a period of one year before destroying. The boxes containing the ballots filled an express wagon

Transfers

Esther A Bell to C L Carpenter, lots 1, 2, 11 & 12, Chapman's, Kingston, \$700.

WATERMAN.

David H Hoagland to Arestes N Rowley, lot 3, bl 3, Greeley's, \$100.

Isaac Potter to John A Greene, pt 5 & 6, bl 6, \$500.

Fred A Brown & wf to Ida May Rowley, lot 12, bl 7, \$325.

Ida May Rowley & hus to Frank P. Robinson, lot 4, & w one-half, lot 3, bl 4, Greeley's \$1400.

Mary Anne Crowell to Soren Larson, lot 2, bl 5, \$120.

Anna O Ferris to Ezra M Ames, lots 8, 9 & 10, bl 3, Congdon's, \$725.

Probate Court.

Estate of—

Angeline Tapper. Will set for hearing November 18, 1902.

Henry Peckman. Refusal of one of the appraisers heretofore appointed to qualify. Ordered that Louis Medebauch, H E White and Thomas Mercer be appointed and warrant issue to make appraisement.

Ellen Ferris. John McCabe appointed administrator. No appraisers. January term, 1903, for claims. Inventory approved.

Sarah R Burt. Final report approved. Estate declared settled, administrator discharged.

John Castle. Edgar B Still appointed administrator on filing bond in sum of \$2000.

C A Arison. Following claims allowed. Smith Swanson, \$102; M W Cole, \$118.93; Andrew Gustafson, \$102.88; John Bodeen, \$209.21; A G Anderson, \$581.49.

Licenses

Henry W Hummel, Pierce 30
Minnie C Seerahn, Hinckley 26

Rudolph Nehring, Sycamore 21
Nora Page, Sycamore 18

John Troupe, Sandwich 24
Nellie Sidford " 22

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Rosa Bodeen, " 18

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