

GENOA'S BUSINESS MEN

Met and Organized last Thursday Evening

DIRECTORS WERE ELECTED

Board of Directors Met last Friday Evening and Chose Committees to Have Charge of the Industrial Work

At an enthusiastic meeting of the business men of Genoa last Thursday evening in the opera house a permanent organization was formed and officers were elected.

The following officers were elected:

Frank Moan, Pres., C. A. Brown, Vice Pres., J. J. Hammond, Treas., A. L. Funk, Sec.

At the close of the election, a ballot on directors was taken and the following four directors chosen for one year—I. J. Kusel, Dr. T. N. Austin, J. E. Stott, W. F. Dumser. The officers of the association are ex-officio members of the board according to the by-laws, making eight directors in all.

The committee on membership was authorized to collect the initiation fee from all members and turn same over to the treasurer.

DIRECTORS MEET

The board of directors met in the city building on Friday evening and appointed the manufacturing and reception committee which composed of the following members:—Frank Moan, E. C. Shippee, I. J. Kusel, J. E. Stott, C. A. Brown, W. F. Dumser, E. Adler, T. N. Austin, Jas. J. Hammond.

The regular meetings of the association are set for the second Tuesday of each month in the city building.

BRIDGE IS SECURED

Commissioners of Highway in the Townships of Kingston and Sycamore Meet

After two years of effort the commissioners of the towns of Sycamore and Kingston met at Sycamore last Saturday and granted the building of a substantial iron bridge across the Kishwaukee river on the public road known as "Base Line".

The commissioners from the town of Kingston were Wm. Watson, Ira Bicksler and Wm. Aves and from the town of Sycamore, Victor Carlson and Wm. Carlson. Supervisor Joshua Siglin from the town of Genoa, Supervisor Dodge of Malta, and Supervisor Hait of Franklin were also present.

The contract for the building of the bridge, which is to be of iron, was let, and called for a structure costing \$3960.00 and is to be completed before the first day of January. The contract was let to the Continental Bridge Company.

Genoa People See Good Show

Genoa people and those for many miles who came and witnessed the performance given by the Siebel Bros'. Dog and Pony Show were more than pleased. It is without a doubt the best show that has visited Genoa in many years. They carried with them 74 ponies and 40 dogs and the performance of these animals was pleasing to all.

The Siebel Brothers for the past twenty years have been pony breeders but this is their first year on the road, and while new at the business their style of show is pleasing wherever they have appeared.

Genoa Public Schools Grow, Improve and Prosper



THE GENOA PUBLIC Schools will open Monday, August 31st, with probably the largest attendance in their existence. To the growth of the town is this increase due. To provide for the increase another room and teacher have been added. This room is the one formerly used as class room by the high school and has been fitted up with modern single desks. The small room formerly used as a store room for supplies has been enlarged so that it is now fourteen by twenty feet in size and answers very well for a class room for a small class.

The board of education has also authorized the expenditure of one hundred dollars for laboratory supplies to be used in the teaching of physics and biology. A small supply of standard apparatus being already on hand this additional purchase will enable the teachers in these subjects to do a much higher class of work than heretofore.

Previous to this year four years of work has been the course in the high school room. This year only three years of work will be done in this room. As the first year of work was really eighth grade work it remains just as it was, the only differences being that it is now taught in the grammar room and by the grammar room teacher rather than in the high school room, the work being essentially the same. The reason this change was made was to give the person in charge of the schools an opportunity to supervise the work of the whole school rather than the high school alone. It also affords an opportunity for a much better class of high school work, and grammar school work as well. In the formerly so called high school the classes were so numerous that the day was divided into ten periods of from twenty-five to thirty minutes each. Then the principal and assistant had to teach all the time. With only actual high school work in the high school the day is divided into seven periods of from thirty-five to forty-five minutes each. In addition the person in charge has two periods to supervise the work of the other teachers. It is manifestly unfair for a person to have the duties and responsibilities of principal or superintendent and have absolutely no opportunities to exercise the function of such. Hence the school board has very wisely made provision for supervising time.

The course of study has been changed in the high school so that a pupil may get credit for all the work done here, upon entering the University of Illinois or any similar institution. One year of academic work will have to be done in preparation for entrance at the University of Illinois as yet, but it is hoped that the village of Genoa will continue to thrive and the property values therein increase to such an extent that another year may provide money enough to add the fourth year. The new course of study is as follows:

First year—Latin, elementary algebra, rhetoric and composition; physiography, one-half year; end physiology, one-half year.

Second year—Latin, plain geometry, American literature; zoology, one-half year; botany, one-half year.

Third year—Latin, ancient history, English literature and physics.

Many changes in text books have been made both in the grades and in the high school. In the grades the changes have been for two purposes, viz: Securing better texts and getting in line with the county adoptions thus securing a much needed uniformity in texts. A list of texts is not given here as it is deemed desirable by the superintendent that no one buy books until after having entered school or at least not until after having conferred with the superintendent.

The corps of teachers is not yet complete at this writing, one teacher being needed in the sixth grade. The line up is as follows:

Miss Ethel Milner will teach in the primary department. She

taught here last year in the second primary and made such a marked success that she was transferred to the first primary with a decided increase in salary. Previous to coming here she taught a very successful school in Kingston. Miss Milner's success is no doubt due in a large extent to her zeal in taking advantage of every opportunity to improve herself along her chosen line. An evidence of this is the fact that she has spent a large portion of her vacation in the DeKalb Normal studying primary methods with Mrs. McMurry, the noted primary training teacher.

Miss Carrie Colton of the second primary department, has also spent the summer in DeKalb studying primary methods. Miss Colton is a daughter of Wesley Colton of Waterman, and has had one year of Normal training in addition to this summer's work. She has taught two years in the rural schools of this county and comes to us highly recommended. While without city experience there is no doubt that with her training and experience she will succeed admirably.

Miss Louise Lyons will teach in the intermediate department and without question will prove a strong addition to the force. She has



Genoa Public School Building

had a great deal of Normal training and has taught a year successfully in the schools of Aurora, Ill. The fact of her success in such an excellent system of schools as Aurora is known to have, leaves no room to doubt her success.

The upper grammar room will be taught by Mr. Albert Quick. Mr. Quick is a young man of pleasing personality, has had about two years of Normal training and has taught an equivalent length of time in the rural schools of this county with marked success. Mr. Quick's success with the New Lebanon school last year was so noticeable that he was recommended for this position and all consider his engagement for this position a fortunate thing for our schools. Mr. Quick is an athlete of no mean ability and will probably take charge of that work in the schools and thereby add to our prestige.

Miss Esther Mohr is the assistant in the high school and comes here with a new sheepskin tucked under her arm from the Illinois State Normal University of Normal, Ill. The president of that institution sent her here with the statement that he "knew she could do the work or he would not have sent her here." She is a graduate of the classical course of that institution and is abundantly equipped to make a success of Latin, English and history.

Mr. Henry F. Stout is a graduate of the same institution as Miss Mohr and of the class of '00. Since his graduation he has taught the department of natural science in the Sycamore high school. His affiliation in Sycamore with such an excellent system should be a great help to him in supervising the work in Genoa schools. Since his graduation he has done work in the Chicago University and is working towards the degree of B. S. which he hopes soon to secure.

Mr. Stout realizes in this, his first supervising work, that he needs the entire co-operation of this community. A principal or superintendent of schools has a position which with probably no exception wields a most powerful influence. This, Mr. Stout realizes to the full and wishes this influence to be for good. The boys and girls will soon be young men and women, and since "as the twig is bent the tree is inclined" he wishes the twig to be bent in the right direction, yea, even if it may be a hickory twig.

It is the wish of the management of our school to make it an influential factor in the town, to make its influence far-reaching and lasting in benefit. The board has done all in its power to make the school comfortable for the children and convenient for all. To that end a telephone has been placed in the building. The superintendent has done and is doing all he can to build up the school, and it now only needs the co-operation of the rest of Genoa people to make it an institution such as the makers of the constitution of the United States and of the State of Illinois intended—our public schools to be the bulwark of our country.

Genoa's public school, according to those posted in educational matters, is among the best in the state. The citizens take a pardonable pride in the school and believe firmly in keeping it at a high standard and the best teachers obtainable are secured.

The early history of Genoa is exceedingly brief. The first regular school building was built on the spot where now stands the home of Stephen Abraham. It was a small frame building and was erected in about 1850. A few years later the school was removed to the building now occupied by the Journal which was located on the S. H. Stiles property, corner of Sycamore and Main street. In November, 1877, the present structure, or at least two rooms of it, were erected and Professor and Mrs. D. M. Gibbs were installed as teachers. A primary room was added in January, 1878, with Miss Myra Smith as teacher. Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs continued with the school for eight years. Prof. Geo. De Clark was then engaged and remained two

years. Prof. F. M. Drew then took charge and remained two years. In 1889 Prof. Gibbs again assumed the principalship and remained four years. Prof. F. M. Overaker was then engaged and continued for three years. The school having been enlarged the work of the principal was so increased that an assistant, Miss Brewer, was engaged. In 1895, Prof. Gray of southern Illinois, was engaged and was retained but one year. This year the school is still being run by its first board of education, of which D. S. Brown is president, with the following members: H. A. Perkins, J. M. Harvey, Charles Smith, A. L. Holroyd, F. W. Olmsted and W. H. Sager.

In past years the school has taken many pupils from the rural districts surrounding Genoa. To arrange this to suit all concerned, a tuition scale has been arranged. The rate is 50 cents a week in the high school and 37½ cents in the lower grades. This scale set forth by the Genoa school board is reasonable and is within the reach of all who wish to attend a city school where more learned teachers are in charge. The pay roll of the teachers in the Genoa school for the coming school year is higher than it ever was before.

LEAVES TOWN IN HURRY

Man Taking Orders For Enlarging Pictures Decamps

ON EARLY MORNING TRAIN

And Leaves Behind Him Board Bill for \$8.50, also about \$20.00 in Borrowed Money.

A man named Jack Donovan who has been in this vicinity during the summer months taking orders for the enlargement of pictures disappeared on Tuesday morning and has not been seen since.

His departure was taken on the early morning train and the cause of this, was that he was leaving behind him a small board bill of \$8.50. He also left behind a few debts amounting to about \$20.00.

Where the smooth gentleman has gone has not been learned at this writing, and the authorities are endeavoring to locate him if possible.

Some of Donovan's close friends give out the opinion that he has gone to New York to take a position with a theatrical troupe.

He professed to be an actor and his appearance was convincing. During his stay here many rumors were circulated about him regarding the manner in which he had been addressing some of his patrons, but no action had ever been taken.

FINE BILLIARD PARLOR

E. A. Sowers & Co. Will Spend over \$1000 For Tables

A splendid billiard and pool equipment will be installed by E. A. Sowers & Co., the firm hoping to have everything ready for a grand opening about Sept. 15.

Contracts for equipments were signed last Saturday. Louis J. Brunswick of the Brunswick-Balke-Collender Co., being here from Chicago to make the sale.

Mr. Brunswick is, by the way, the amateur champion billiard player of Illinois, and promises to be in Genoa to give an exhibit on the day the new parlors are opened. He is very enthusiastic over billiards, says he is selling many outfits to Young Men's Christian associations and high toned clubs throughout the country, and he can talk for an hour on the history of the game.

E. A. Sowers & Co. plan to run a thoroughly up-to-date billiard parlor, and have ordered the same equipment that has made the famous Muzzy parlors noted.

Genuine mahogany tables with rosewood rails and professional match cushions will give Genoa's billiard parlor a reputation to be proud of.

Died at Age of Ninety-nine

One of the oldest residents of northern Illinois, Mrs. Abigail Scott Douglas Senska, passed away last Friday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Denney at Sugar Grove, Kane County.

The deceased had reached the good old age of of ninety-nine years and had she lived six months longer she would have lived a century.

Mrs. Senska settled in DeKalb County over fifty years ago near Mayfield where she resided many years.

The remains were brought here Saturday and taken to Pleasant Hill for interment.

A. C. Senska of this place is a son.



HENRY F. STOUT
New Superintendent



S. S. GABRIEL
Retiring Superintendent

By Dumser & Dougherty.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 28, 1903.

Reward

We will pay \$10 for evidence sufficient to convict the party who recently cut bee trees on the north west quarter of section 31 in the town of Genoa. D. S. Brown. George Brown.

Postponed Picnic

The old settlers of northern Illinois and farmers of DeKalb Co., postponed their annual picnic from (Thursday) afternoon to August 29, in Stuart's grove, in Kingston.

Will Entertain

Congressman Fuller is to entertain the republican newspaper men of the twelfth district at Belvidere, September 17. A banquet, trip around the city and a trolley ride to Rockford are among the features announced.

Laundry Started Monday

On Monday of this week the Genoa Steam Laundry opened for business and for the first week are receiving surprisingly large patronage.

This new industry adds to the already large number Genoa possesses, and the sentiment is, "The More the Merrier". This addition to Genoa's already many modern conveniences is much appreciated.

TO CHANGE DATE

Action will probably be taken at the next encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic looking toward a change in the date of Decoration Day so that it may be observed on Sunday. The Living Church, the organ of the high church, opposes the proposition to have the celebration on Sunday because of embarrassment to church bodies holding to the Christian year. In place of being observed on Sunday, the Living Church suggests that the date be changed to November 2, the day following All Saints' day and the feast of All Souls.

Final August Sales

The last chance at some very special values. Stocking feet 3c per pair; good white lawn waists 25c; ladies' flounce cut wrappers 49c; ladies' black hose 5 and 7c pair; summer corsets 15c. Closing out sale of ladies' summer skirts at 49 and 69c. Children's dresses, sizes 1 to 5 years, 19c; elegant 25c bow ties 10c; silk string ties 5c; remnants of 10c tennis flannels 6 1/2c yd; dressing sacks now 25 and 49c; toilet soap 1c; men's fancy or working shirts 39c; men's socks 3c pair; boys' suits, 300 on sale, samples, worth up to \$3.25—choice \$1.98. Ladies' suits 87c.

SUIT SKIRTS—FALL STYLES

Ladies, misses' and girls' suits and skirts. Special sale this week to introduce these goods and at a saving to you of 25 per cent. To customers coming from Genoa, trading \$10 and showing round trip railway tickets, we refund full car fare, both ways.

C. F. HALL CO., Dundee.

CAMP MEETING IS OVER

Closing Services on Sunday Last—Next Convention to be held in Genoa.

The Methodist camp meeting at Epworth Grove came to a close Sunday evening. Dr. G. R. Van Horne, former presiding elder of this district, preached the closing sermon.

The Sunday services began with a love feast at 9 a. m., followed by a sermon by Rev. R. H. Pooley, pastor of the Court Street M. E. church at Rockford. There was an immense Sunday school at 1 o'clock and in the afternoon Dr. Clark, general field secretary of Ohio Sunday schools, delivered a lecture on "That Boy's Pa" to the largest audience that assembled during the camp meeting. Dr. Clark acted as superintendent of the Sunday school and conducted a conference of Sunday school workers at 4 p. m.

Saturday was Epworth League day. The annual election of district officers was held. It was decided to hold the next district convention (April, 1904) in Genoa. Grace church, Elgin, extended an invitation, but when it came to a vote Genoa was selected. The newly elected officers are as follows:

President, Rev. Chas. Briggs jr., South Elgin; first vice-pres, Mrs. Amos Turner, Belvidere; second vice-president, Rev. C. Kleihauer, Rockford; third vice president, Florence Pratt, Genoa; fourth vice-president, May Stewart, Rockford; secretary, Clara Wicklund, Elgin; junior league superintendent, Ada Ades, Rockford; directors, Rev. J. E. Fluck, Dundee; Rev. H. V. Holt, Rockford; Mrs. E. Merrill.

Coming Attraction

Like a freshly opened bottle of champagne the "Beggar Prince Co." has bubbled and fizzed its way into the hearts of the amusement loving people. Miss Kittie Nice portrays the soubrette part with rare charm and refined methods. T. J. Johnson, the really funny comedian, is too well known to require praise and the other members work together in friendly rivalry to make the performance notably perfect.

The cordial manner with which the opera and company has been everywhere greeted is so pronounced as to leave no doubt as to their prosperity and their appearance at the opera house next Wednesday, September 2, is ample evidence that the engagement is a profitable one.

Seats now on sale at G. E. Stott's office. Seats on sale Tuesday morning.

Public School Notice

The Genoa schools will open Monday, August 31.

Non-resident pupils will be required to pay tuition to the principal for each term in advance. The rate will be 50 cents a week in the high school and 37 1/2 cents in the lower grades.

No tuition pupil to be admitted until payment for full term is made.

By order of Board of Education.

Notice

Anyone holding accounts against the late Maria Burton send bill to Lee Hall, Genoa, Ill.

Religious Notes

Special singing at evening service.

Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30.

An enthusiastic Epworth League service will be held Sunday evening at 6:30.

Choir rehearsal on Saturday evening at 7:45, all members of the choir are requested to be present.

Service will be held next Sunday at the M. E. church as usual. Rev. Ream will preach in the morning at 10:30 and in the evening at 7:30 p. m.

DIRECTORS OF INSTITUTE HERE

Meets Local Committee on Farmer's Institute Here last Saturday

The local committee on the DeKalb County Farmers' Institute to be held in Genoa this year met with the directors of the institute in the opera house last Saturday.

The preliminary work of the annual institute was taken up with the local committee. The directors and officers at the institute present were as follows: H. O. Whitmore, Pres., B. F. Wyman, Sec., E. P. Smith, Hiram Holcomb, all of Sycamore. Andrew Lovell and Ernest Wilmarth of Cortland.

The local committee in charge of the institute to be held in Genoa during the holiday week of this year are as follows: D. S. Brown, chairman; Joshua Siglin, J. R. Furr, M. S. Campbell, Frank Moan W. F. Dumser, Jas. R. Kiernan D. S. Lord, G. E. Stott.

The committee on program as appointed was as follows: D. S. Brown, M. S. Campbell, Joshua Siglin, G. E. Stott and B. F. Wyman.

The meeting adjourned to meet at a coming date.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of AUGUST LETTOW, Deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed executor of the last will and testament of AUGUST LETTOW, late of the County of DeKalb and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby give notice that he will appear before the County Court of DeKalb County, at the Court House in Sycamore at the November term, on the first Monday in November next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 25th day of August, A. D. 1903. JOHANNA LETTOW, Executrix.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of LINA A. ELLITHORPE, Deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed executor of the last will and testament of LINA A. ELLITHORPE, late of the County of DeKalb and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby give notice that he will appear before the County Court of DeKalb County, at the Court House in Sycamore at the November term, on the first Monday in November next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 25th day of August, A. D. 1903. LOUIS S. ELLITHORPE, Executor.

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TUESDAY

SEPT. 2, 1903

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Lv Genoa	Ar Chicago
No. 8... 6.05 a m...	7.55 a m
36... 7.23 a m...	10.00 a m
* 22... 8.58 a m...	10.25 a m
* 10... 11.58 a m...	1.45 p m
24... 3.54 p m...	5.55 p m
4... 8.25 p m...	9.55 p m
Lv Chicago	Ar Genoa
No. 21... 8.20 a m...	10.24 a m
5... 9.35 a m...	11.03 a m
* 9... 1.30 p m...	3.09 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...	12.11 p m
† 1... 6.00 p m...	7.30 p m

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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.
H. J. Jones, Agent.

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Dubuque, St Paul...	10.23 a m
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St Joseph, Kansas City	8.05 p m
Holcomb, Rockf'd, Byron	5.42 p m

Going East

Chicago Suburban	*5.55 a m
Chicago Limited	6.50 a m
Chicago Local	7.46 a m
Chicago Special	12.13 p m
Chicago Express	7.36 p m

Sycamore-DeKalb

Lv Sycamore	Ar DeKalb
*8.05 p m	8.20 p m
*7.40 p m	7.55 p m
Lv DeKalb	Ar Sycamore
*5.40 a m	5.55 a m
7.20 a m	7.35 a m
6.35 p m	6.50 p m

*Daily except Sunday.
†Sunday only.
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320. 2.45 pm	307. 10.51 am
310. 8.50 pm	309. 6.22 pm

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No. Eastbound	No. Westbound
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

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94... 1.10 p m	93... 12.25 p m

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The Kingston News

As reported by Harry S. Heckman for THE GENOA REPUBLICAN of the week ending August 28, 1903

WHERE THEY TEACH

School Teachers Will Soon Begin Work for Coming Year

The Kingston public school will open for the fall term Tuesday, September 1.

From last year's instructors, Prof. I. E. Conover has been retained, and with the present corps of instructors good work is sure to result during the coming year.

The board has seen fit to make a number of improvements at the school grounds, the building having been painted and cleaned and the sidewalks repaired.

Following is a list of schools and the names of teachers for the ensuing year:

- Schandemeier—Eliza Thurlby.
- Arbuckle—Maude Moore.
- McDonald—Miss Millard.
- Lacy—Nellie Peterson.
- Stuartville—Gertrude Dibble.
- Hix—Lizzie Vandeburg.
- Vandeburg—Lura Waterman.
- Nelson—Lillian Hill.
- Kingston—Lillian Mitchell, Laurel Biggs, Bay Fulkerson, I. E. Conover.

Kicked in Face

George Sexauer entered the stable at the home of John Meyers south of Belvidere Sunday when one of the horses seemed to object to his presence there and let fly at the visitor, striking him in the face with considerable force. He was knocked over against the wall but luckily was not at the right distance to receive the full force of the blow and escaped with a few bruises.

M. E. Church Notes

Four delegates have been chosen to the county convention held at Sycamore next week.

The camp meeting contingent returned from Camp Epworth on Monday forenoon. Unusual interest was manifest on the part of Kingston people, for there was a larger attendance from this place this year than was the usual case.

At the morning service next Sunday, the pastor will preach a sermon to the probationer class, after which baptism will be administered to any person desiring the same. At this service a large class of probationers will be received into the church in full connection, and several by letter. We hope to make this a grand jubilee day for Methodism in Kingston. We urge every member of the church to be present.

The fourth quarterly conference for this charge will be held at Davis, Saturday, September 5, at 3:30 p. m. A full attendance of the members of the members of the quarterly conference is imperative. Quarterly meeting will be held at Kingston, September 3, at 10:30 a. m. and at Davis at 2:30 p. m. The presiding elder, Rev. Samuel Earney, will be present and conduct both services.

Home Entered by Burglars

On Tuesday evening of this week the home of D. B. Arbuckle, two miles north of town, was entered by burglars and \$50 taken. The theft occurred about midnight; no clew to the robbers has been found.

TO LECTURE IN M. E. CHURCH

Rev. Abraham Merza Will Occupy Pulpit Next Sunday Night

He is a Medical Student at Northwestern University and Preparing Himself for a Medical Missionary—Free Talk

Rev. Abraham H. Merza, the converted Mohammedan priest, will lecture in the M. E. church next Sunday evening, August 30, at 7:45 o'clock.

The Rev. gentleman is a medical student in Northwestern University and is preparing himself



REV. H. ABRAHAM MERZA.

for a medical missionary. He will lecture on "My conversion from Mohomedism to Christianity." He is an entertaining speaker and interests the large audiences that usually attend his lectures.

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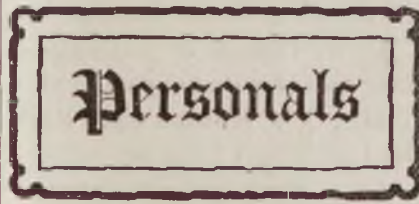
Have Arrived Home

The boys of Company B, Third Regiment, I. N. G. arrived home last Saturday from a week's tour of duty in camp at Springfield.

Company C of Ottawa, the next company to the Belvidere boys, was called out by the governor to proceed to Danville, where the race riots have broken out. When the company marched out of camp every other company was sorry that it wasn't their command.

The company took first honors in dress parade and rifle range practice.

The men of company B have been much complimented for their soldierly appearance and behavior, and Capt. Fair and the two Lieutenants Fassett and Sweatman as well as the under officers came in for much praise.



John Lettow is visiting in Rockford.

Born to Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Clay a girl last Friday.

Mark Eychaner was in Sycamore Saturday evening.

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

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

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Bishop are guests of Robert Outman and family.

Mr. Smith of Sycamore spent Saturday and Sunday with Phil Arbuckle.

Misses Jennie Ort and Katie Bassett spent Saturday at the county seat.

Otto Worcester was in Rockford last Sunday, attending the chautauqua.

Miss Lillie Balcom of Sycamore spent Sunday with Miss Anna Larsen.

Miss Blanche Winne of Herbert spent Thursday and Friday with Miss Mabel Brainard.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Shaffer and I. A. McCollom returned on last Thursday from Perry, Iowa.

O. W. Vickell entertained his brother, Charles Anderson, of DeKalb a few days this week.

Mrs. Ed. Thompson has been quite ill with appendicitis. Mrs. Shaw, a nurse, is caring for her.

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

Miss Lillian Hill returned Saturday from a two months' visit with relatives in Merriam, Kansas.

Miss Bay Fulkerson returned Wednesday from a visit with Miss Bertha Sivwright at Hutchinson, Minn.

Miss Neva Clay, who has been visiting at Mt. Carroll, returned Thursday, accompanied by her grandmother, Mrs. Martha Clay.

The weed cutters in Kingston should not find the times dull if they are looking for occupation. There are still some bad patches about town.

Mrs. Alta Gross and daughter and Mrs. Goodrich were here from South Grove last Saturday, visiting the former's mother, Mrs. A. N. Wyllys.

Winnie Outman, after spending his summer vacation with his brother, Robert, and sister, Mrs. Roy Tazewell, returned to Marseilles Saturday.

The Major Raymond farm of 110 acres was sold last week to John Wylde of Sycamore for \$6050. The farm was sold by J. B. Stephens, Master in Chancery.

Nate Baker came Wednesday to visit friends.

Mrs. Swanson of Chicago is a guest of Mrs. Worcester.

Miss Hadfield is here from Oak Park, visiting R. C. Benson and family.

Al. Smith is here from White-water, Wisconsin, a guest of his brother Fred.

Mrs. Martha Clay of Mt. Carroll is visiting her son, Rev. C. S. Clay, this week.

Clarence W. Uplinger of Sherburn, Minnesota, will visit here the first of the week.

Miss Pearl Reed and Miss Della Geithman spent a few hours here Tuesday evening enroute to Herbert.

A. J. Miller returned Wednesday from Lake Preston, South Dakota, at which place he had spent several months with his son.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. O'Brien is now ready for the plasterers. The carpenter work was done by Jas. Mackey and Ed Stuart.

The youngest child of Frank Stark, who has been living at the home of Sumner Townsend in Mayfield, died Sunday evening. Funeral services were conducted from the home Tuesday at 2 p. m. and interment was in Kingston cemetery.

Paul Lucas, son of J. G. Lucas, superintendent of schools of Boone county, has been engaged as principal of the Garden Prairie school for the coming year. Mr. Lucas graduated from the Normal last June. His many friends in Kingston wish him success in his new vocation.

KILLS EIGHT CATTLE

Passenger Train Runs Into a Drove Near Herbert Station

The north bound train on the Spring Valley division struck a bunch of cattle near Herbert on Tuesday on its north trip and when it stopped ploughing through them, eight lay by the side of the track either dead or so near it that they were killed. It has not been learned to whom they belong.

Mrs. George Oaks Is Dead

The death of Mrs. Geo. E. Oaks occurred at her home in Belvidere last Friday, after an illness of several months with tuberculosis.

Nettie L. Hovey was born in the town of Flora on August 17, 1859. She was married to George E. Oaks, February 18, 1892, and went immediately afterward to Belvidere, where she has lived since that date. Besides the husband there survives her mother, Mrs. Sarah Dean, and brother, Abner Hovey, of Belvidere, and a sister, Mrs. Mary Swits, of Rockford.

Mrs. Oaks was a woman of lovely character, patient and uncomplaining under suffering, and endeared to a wide circle of friends who will sincerely mourn her departure. On last Sunday morning the funeral sermon was preached by Rev. F. B. Hardin of Rockford.

Cider Mill

We will run our cider mill in Kingston every Tuesday and Friday. TAZEWELL & BICKSLER.

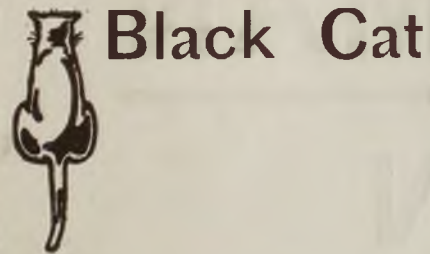
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 J. W. Sowers, Secretary.



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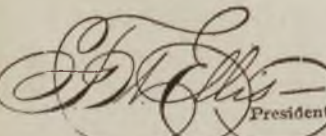
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FOR SALE—Fine residence lots in Moan addition; also, several desirable homes for sale. Apply to Frank Moan.

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GENOA, ILLINOIS

Colvin Park

Chas. Aves is suffering from a crushed toe.

Albert Stray was a Genoa visitor last week.

Jim Stuart of Kingston was in town Saturday.

Chas. Cole was a Kingston caller Wednesday.

Will Ollman went to Whitefish Bay Wednesday.

Otto Ruback attended church at Genoa Sunday.

Mrs. W. L. Cole was a Genoa passenger Friday.

Mrs. John Babler was on the sick list last week.

Miss Gustavison was a Rockford visitor Saturday.

Work was begun Thursday on the over-head bridge.

Herman Ollman was a Kingston caller Wednesday.

Miss Alvina Ollman was in Milwaukee Wednesday.

Fred Ollman and wife attended church at Genoa Sunday.

Mrs. C. F. Ollman was a Kingston shopper Wednesday.

W. L. Cole and wife were shoppers in Kingston Saturday.

Ed. Lettow and family attended church at Genoa Sunday.

C. F. Ollman & Son shipped four cars of oats the past week.

Mrs. C. V. Johnson was a Rockford passenger Saturday night.

Chas. Stray and wife entertained company from Genoa Sunday.

Chas. Cole and John Babler visited Genoa Saturday evening.

Quite a number went to camp meeting at Epworth Grove Sunday.

Jno. Babler and Joe Redding were Genoa visitors Thursday evening.

Mrs. John Babler visited relatives in Monticello, Wisconsin, last week.

Will Ollman and Miss Alvina Ollman were Genoa visitors Saturday evening.

Miss Annie Knoble returned to her home in Monticello, Wisconsin, Wednesday.

Ira Conover drew up several policies in a life insurance company here last week.

Mrs. W. L. Cole was a guest of Mrs. A. J. Sherman Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Several from here went to Whitefish Bay, Wisconsin, on the excursion Wednesday, and enjoyed a pleasant day.

Wm. Helwig, who lives south of the Northwestern tower, had several cows killed by the evening train last Tuesday.

Hampshire Items

Arthur Starks was here Saturday.

C. M. Coon is here from Joliet, visiting relatives.

School begins Monday, September 14.

Rev. P. S. Lent preached at Burlington last Sunday.

Mrs. John Krueger of Genoa is a guest of Mrs. Chris Pfingston.

Miss Fay of Hennepin is a guest of relatives here this week.

Chas. Holtgren and son are in St. Louis this week on a pleasure trip.

M. E. Howe attended the chautauqua at Rockford last week.

W. H. Starks of Rockford was here on business several days of last week.

The carnival at St. Charles this week will attract a number of people from here.

The Kane county teachers will hold their annual institute, August 24-28, at Geneva.

Many people from Hampshire attended camp meeting at Epworth Grove last Sunday.

S. L. Miller, who works in the typewriter factory at Woodstock, is home on a short vacation.

The many friends here of Ernest Drymiller were surprised

to learn of his marriage on Thursday. H. Drymiller, a brother, was present.

Hampshire is well represented at the McHenry county fair this week. A fine program has been prepared in honor of the golden anniversary.

Kirkland

George Willard has returned to Chicago.

A. L. Newton was a Chicago passenger Friday.

Miss Winnifred Ross is home from a visit at Cary, Ill.

Dell Slaymaker is spending his vacation at Delavan Lake.

Amiel Gritzbauch and wife were Chicago visitors last Wednesday.

Mrs. Jas. Porter is here from Monroe Center, visiting her parents.

The Swedish church is being repaired this week by Benson & Buckman.

Misses Alta and Minnie Moon returned Monday from their visit in Freeport.

Attorney Finnegan was here from Sycamore on legal matters last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Chandler of Sycamore visited friends here several days last week.

Conductor Roe and son, Harry, are occupying their summer cottage at Delavan Lake.

Will Lambert has rented the Alva Clark farm for the coming year. Mr. and Mrs. Clark will move to Kirkland.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newton have moved to Rockford. Mr. Newton has secured a position as conductor on the city street railway.

The Stenner farm of eighty acres has been sold by W. H. Bell of Kingston to Thompson & Siebert. Consideration \$85 per acre.

Burlington

Mrs. Sheffner is home from a visit in Iowa.

Mrs. George Haderer spent last week in Chicago.

R. Westgarth of Iowa has been a guest of T. J. Conreaux.

Mrs. Ben Sherwood is improving from her recent illness.

Miss Jessie Mitchell has returned to her home in Prairie View.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin of St. Charles visited friends here last week.

Miss Elsie Walgamuth of Elgin returned to her home Monday, after visiting Miss Hazel Samis.

Eddie Clark, who has been spending the summer in the state of Connecticut, returned on Monday.

Fairdale Doings

John Patton is rapidly gaining.

Mrs. M. R. Jewett was a Rockford visitor Thursday.

Mrs. Monkis visiting her daughter, Mrs. House of Esmond.

Clara Proctor returned home Thursday to care for her brother Glenn.

J. F. Belshaw attended the Chautauqua at Rockford last Thursday.

Dr. A. Rose of Chicago was called to this city on business last Thursday.

Mrs. Clara Koch of Genoa is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Shanahan, this week.

Daisy Duncan who is in the Sherman hospital at Elgin, Ill., is reported as not improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Belshaw, returned home last Thursday.

While driving from the field last Thursday with a load of oats Glenn Proctor was thrown from the same and quite badly injured.

New Lebanon

Mr. Coon was a Marengo visitor Sunday.

Fred Renn drove up from Genoa Friday.

Mr. George drove here from Genoa Saturday.

Samuel Coon called at Marengo Saturday evening.

Miss Lina Ellithorpe was an Elgin visitor last week.

W. C. House was a passenger to Hampshire Saturday.

Miss Annie Wahl of Genoa visited over Sunday here.

C. B. Ream of Hampshire is doing some painting here.

Mr. Rencon of Riley brought his oats to the elevator Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dumoulin visited Burlington friends Sunday.

George Buerer and L. Hartman visited among Hampshire friends Sunday.

Miss Dora Spansail of Genoa spent Sunday at the home of her parents.

A few from here attended the dance near Henpeck Saturday evening.

Most of the grain has been threshed in the vicinity of New Lebanon.

The Death Penalty

A little thing sometimes results in death. Thus a mere scratch, insignificant cuts or puny boils have paid the death penalty. It is wise to have Bucklen's Arnica Salve ever handy. It's the best salve on earth and will prevent fatality, when burns, sores, ulcers and piles threaten. Only 25c, at F. T. Robinson's, drug store.

Esmond Locals

Ray Eychaner has been on the sick roll, but is now able to be out.

The Home Workers met with Mrs. George Gillis last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles Rykert of Chicago is spending the week here with her sister, Mrs. W. G. McKenzie.

N. E. Breaw, Fred Vodden and Mr. and Mrs. John Vodden have gone to North Dakota on a short vacation.

An entertainment was given at the M. E. church last Tuesday evening by Fordica Fennenman, an elocutionist from Chicago. The proceeds will go to the Sunday school.

MAYFIELD

Conference will be held in the Wesleyan church next week.

Mayfield is well represented at the old settlers' picnic this (Thursday) afternoon.

We will run our cider mill in Kingston every Tuesday and Friday. TAZEWELL & BICKSLER.

School begins in the Vandenburg district Monday, August 31. Miss Lura Waterman is teacher.

Mrs. Bert Moyers left Thursday for Wyandot to visit her parents. She will return Saturday.

End of Bitter Fight

"Two physicians had a long and stubborn fight with an abscess on my right lung" writes J. F. Hughes of DuPont, Ga. "and gave me up. Everybody thought my time had come. As a last resort I tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The benefit I received was striking and I was on my feet in a few days. Now I've entirely regained my health." It conquers all coughs, colds, and throat and lung troubles. Guaranteed by F. T. Robinson's drug store. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

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Buy Eureka Park lots now.
Mrs. Chas. Saul is quite ill.
Best ice cream at J. P. Evans'.
Pure orange cider at Pickett's.
D. S. Lord was at Elgin Tuesday.
Go to Pickett's for fancy candies.
I. J. Kusel is suffering with hay fever.
D. S. Lord is home from Oklahoma.
Linen pants at Bright & Olmsted's.
Alpaca coats at Bright & Olmsted's.
Tonight—"What Happened to Jones."
The Want Column for your wants.
Pickett can save you money on candy.
Miss Anna Gardner of Elgin is here.
Straw hats at Bright and Olmsted's.
Rev. Ream is home from camp meeting.
A. L. Funk spent Sunday in Chicago.
Lorin Olmsted was at Elgin Tuesday.
Chas. Snow was at Rockford Tuesday.
Miss Elizabeth Rosenska is improving.
Will Jeffries was at Kirkland on Sunday.
Woven wire fence. K. Jackman & Son.
Al. Yalden was in DeKalb on Wednesday.
Try that delicious ice cream at J. P. Evans'.
Jas. J. Hammond was at Irene last Tuesday.
Kranz's fine candies for sale at Pickett's only.
F. O. Holtgren was at Kirkland on Wednesday.
A. Crawford spent Sunday evening at Kirkland.
Lorin Olmsted went to Rockford on Monday.
Better than a savings bank—Eureka Park lots.
Harry Kusel returned from Chicago Tuesday.
We envy the one who is loved by little children.
Rev. Ream was at Elgin on business Tuesday.
Henry Lanan was here from Kingston Tuesday.
Jesse Wing was here from Elgin the first of the week.
D. S. Brown was at Sycamore on business Tuesday.
School suits for boys at Bright & Olmsted's \$1.25 up.
The dance was well attended last Saturday evening.
Miss Mary Donahue was ill the fore part of the week.
Misses Elma and Emma Smock spent Sunday at Elgin.
Mrs. I. J. Kusel was at Sycamore last Thursday afternoon.
Ave May was here from Kingston Tuesday on business.
A. H. Pond is at Delaware, Iowa, the guest of his son.
E. H. Richardson was at Apple River on business Tuesday.
Harry Heckman has returned from a two weeks vacation.
W. L. Douglas \$3.00 and \$3.50 shoes at Bright & Olmsted's.
How the success of some other people makes us turn green.
Wm. Watson of Kingston was here Wednesday on business.

E. H. Richardson was home from Marengo over Sunday.
That brick cream of E. H. Browne's is delicious. Try it.
Lou Duval attended the ball game at Kirkland last Sunday.
J. Armstrong spent Sunday in Chicago the guest of relatives.
2 houses for sale on easy payments.—Funk Lawrence & Co.
L. N. Jackman of Elgin spent Sunday here, visiting relatives.
Go to Pickett's for fresh candy. Pickett has the latest candy out.
Every owner of an Eureka Park home gets a turkey for Christmas.
Mr. and Mrs. Smith were here from Charter Grove last Tuesday.
Richard McCormick was at Sycamore Wednesday afternoon.
Miss Maude Kimmy visited in Genoa several days of last week.
Whoever does injustice, in the end suffers more than his victim.
Mr. and Mrs. Perry Harlow are home from camp meeting at Mendota.
Miss Gertrude Kirk visited at Rockford the fore part of the week.
Prof. H. N. Snow of Lake Geneva, Wisconsin, was here Wednesday.
W. W. Neal of the Sycamore Tribune was in Genoa on business Tuesday.
Miss Lizzie Pettler will return to her home in Milwaukee on Saturday.
Lawrence Kiernan and Harvey Ide were at Kirkland last Sunday afternoon.
Miss Jennie Beardsley has been filling the position of post mistress this week.
Lloydie Whipple has returned home from his visit with relatives in Chicago.
Allen & Burns make the best ice cream in this section. See J. P. Evans.
Thomas Hutchinson of Chicago spent Sunday here the guest of his parents.
H. F. Stout and D. S. Brown were in Chicago on business Wednesday.
Chas. Sager played ball with the Kirkland Reds last Sunday at that place.
One hundred people wanted to buy ice cream of E. H. Browne. It's delicious.
Lorin Olmsted returned Monday from a few weeks' stay at Powers Lake.
Mrs. Clara Koch is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Shanahan of Fairdale, this week.
R. E. Farrand is back from Minnesota, where he took a party of land seekers.
After you have tried all the patented breakfast foods, then comes the funeral.
Flossie Kellogg left Tuesday for a few days' visit in Chicago the guests of relatives.
Miss Emily Sheeser of Chicago spent Sunday here the guest of Mrs. Effie Canman.
Misses Eva and Neva Craft are here from Chicago the guests of their brother Joseph.
Dr. J. H. Danforth was at Genoa Junction last Sunday and returned with a pair of horses.
Miss Julia Bowers and Miss Helen Cliffe were at Sycamore Wednesday afternoon.
If you want a house, a vacant lot, or a farm, see D. S. Brown's list in the want column.
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W. H. Hammond of Chicago spent Sunday here a guest of his brother, Jas. J. Hammond.

Are you going to get married or have a picnic? Then buy your ice cream of E. H. Browne.
Miss Pearl Reed of Herbert has been the guest of Misses Libbie Brown and Della Geithman.
Mr. and Mrs. H. Q. Guest of Chicago are visiting here the guests of friends and relatives.
Food for young stock, heavy middlings for pigs, Blatchford's calf meal. K. Jackman & Son.
Mrs. Harry Whitney and Mrs. Grant Smith attended the ball game at Kirkland last Sunday.
Willis Sprague of Rockford was here Tuesday in the interest of R. G. Dunn Mercantile agency.
For up-to-date clothing and men's furnishings go to Bright & Olmsted's, the reliable clothiers.
Misses Ethel and Amy Pond of Sycamore spent the week here guests of C. A. Brown and family.
Miss Bessie Clefford of Wheeler, Indiana, is here to spend a week the guest of her uncle A. B. Clefford.
From now on the forces at the Eureka Electric and shoe factories will work Saturday afternoons.
A base ball team is being organized at the shoe factory, and the boys will furnish games on Sunday.
Raymond Brown, son of J. D. Brown, had his tonsils removed on Monday by Dr. W. S. Brown of Elgin.
Miss Alma Hamilton and Roy Winders were here from Sycamore on Thursday afternoon of last week.
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hammond of Hampshire spent Sunday here the guests of their son, Jas. J. Hammond.
E. H. Browne can supply you with ice cream, frozen puddings, sauces, punches, ices, and ice cream models.
New goods—a winner. Pickett in the lead with union-made cigars, tobacco and snuff. Try them at A. E. Pickett's.
Mrs. Chas. Brown and daughters, Gladys and Lorine, returned Sunday evening from a few days' visit in Chicago.
Mrs. E. H. Richardson spent Wednesday and Thursday at Kirkland the guest of Mrs. Dr. Hollingworth.
L. L. Lewis of Morgan Park has moved his family here and accepted a position in the office of the new factory.
Mrs. Minna Moltham returned home to Chicago after spending two weeks here the guest of her son, Rev. Moltham.
E. L. Denniston, osteopath, Sycamore, Ill. Office hours, 8:30 to 11:30 mornings, for non-residents of Sycamore.
Wear clothes made-to-order by Strauss Bros. Chicago, American leading tailors. Samples at Bright & Olmsted's.
For bargains in improved or unimproved real estate in or about Genoa, see D. S. Brown's offerings in the want column.
Miss Florence Clefford returned Wednesday from a few days' visit in Chicago the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Abraham.
Mrs. Amelia Stiles and Mrs. Joshua Sturtevant have returned from Mendota, where they were attending camp meeting.
Mrs. Maria Richardson is at Dane, Wisconsin, to spend an extended visit the guest of her son Geo. W. Richardson.
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.
Rev. T. E. Ream was called to Marengo Thursday to officiate at the funeral of Mrs. Dunham one of the old settlers of Coral township.
Mrs. J. D. Brown and son, Raymond have been visiting several days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Brown of Elgin.

Prices on hard coal are bound to go higher, K. Jackman & Son have bright clean coal of all sizes, the longer you wait the higher the prices, buy now.
Misses Addie Doty and Edna Allen both of Hampshire were here Sunday and attended camp-meeting with their cousin, George DeWolf and family.
The Genoa Lecture Course Ass'n will hold a meeting in the opera house next Monday evening to take up the work for the course to be given this season.
Mr. and Mrs. Martin Vogt and Mrs. Wallace Marsh of Sycamore were entertained at luncheon last Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Kusel.
On Wednesday Clefford & Perkin's installed an elegant large steel range at the home of Lorenzo Robinson of the Acorn make.
Charles Holtgren returned home Saturday from Hutchinson, Minnesota, where he spent three months the guest of his uncle, S. R. Hawkins.
Hinckley defeated Maple Park in a spirited game of ball last Sunday at the new ball park near Sycamore, the score being 7 to 4. There was a large crowd in attendance.
"Town Talk" tells all about the new towns on the Omaha extension of the Chicago Great-Western Railway. For free copy write Edwin B. Magill, Mgr. Townsite Dept., Fort Dodge, Ia.
DeKalb County W. C. T. U. will hold its annual meeting in Genoa M. E. church on Sept. 15 and 16. A good program is being prepared and everybody is invited to be present and enjoy it. The program will appear later.
John DeWolf of Tilden, Nebraska, formerly of Hampshire, was the guest of his nephew, George DeWolf, this week. Mr. DeWolf will attend the reunion of the 52nd. Illinois Infantry at Elgin Sept. 2, after which he will return home.
The sealed envelope in Bright & Olmsted's window contains the retail price of the hats on display. This will be opened at 9 o'clock Saturday evening, and the one guessing nearest to these figures takes his choice of any hat in stock.
Among our changes of and new advertisements this week are to be found those of the Genoa Steam Laundry, Genoa Improvement Syn., John Krueger, Sylvester Land Co., all of Genoa; also L. C. Shaffer and J. H. Uplinger of Kingston. There are many things said in these advs. that are of benefit to you, and will save you money.
Joseph Mott of R. E. Farrand's party of land seekers returned last Friday afternoon, also John Krueger and Chris Pfingston (the latter of Hampshire) arrived on Wednesday morning, having made a short stop to visit relatives in Iowa. All report crops in fine condition and the country to be more than Mr. Farrand represented it to be.
Dr. Blumberg, the noted optician of Chicago, formerly at Dr. Hill's office, will have his headquarters at the Commercial hotel and he will again be in Genoa for three days, from Aug. 31 to Sept. 2, inclusive. Leave orders at the Commercial hotel and he will call at the house and give examination and consultation free. No eyes are too bad to be helped when vision is left.
Genoa met defeat at the hands of the Kirkland Reds Sunday in a one sided affair by a score of 12 to 4. Genoa was weakened through the loss of several of their best men and the hard practice they had undergone during the week. Christy pitched a good game but lacked the support necessary to win, which was due to the fact that several men were called upon to fill positions that they were not accustomed to filling. This led to confusion through which Kirkland got a lead that the Genoa team was unable to overcome.

GENOA STEAM LAUNDRY

We are
Now Ready
AND
Open For
Business

We are located in the Smith building on Main street. Your laundry will be called for if you but leave us your order

These facts are
for your benefit

All our work is guaranteed and prompt service. Some laundries make a specialty of certain articles, but we make a specialty of all

GENOA STEAM LAUNDRY

COME COME COME!

To Genoa and Prosperity.

GENOA, ILLINOIS

Sat. Sept. 5, 1903

GRAND AUCTION SALE

of Lots and other Property

Wide Awake Investors
Home Seekers
The Business Man
The Working Men
will get the "cream of it" if they buy lots in Genoa now.
The new Electric Line will be built.
More new factories will come.

—AT THIS SALE—

25 lots in Eureka Park Addition will be sold singly to highest bidders in 25 minutes.
25 lots in Morning Side (Main St.) addition will be sold in as many minutes.
Some other properties will also be sold.
Residence lots are now selling at from \$125 to \$300. Terms \$10 down and \$5 and upward monthly without interest. Prices will double within one year.

The Belvidere Band will give a concert on the ground, and a troupe of celebrated Troubadour Jubilee Singers on an elaborate portable stage will furnish the fun.

Three Prizes—\$150, \$50 and \$25.
Free Chance to Everyone.

Come to this Auction Buy Now! You can't keep from making money. Mr. D. Long, the auctioneer, has a national reputation for selling a lot every minute—this alone will be worth coming miles to see.
If you are thinking of buying a lot in Genoa better see us before or be sure and be at this auction—after that prices go up another step.

Genoa Improvement Syndicate.

D. Long, Auct. Genoa, Illinois.

EXCHANGE ITEM COLUMN

Items of Interest Clipped From Nearby Publications

LATEST ON ELECTRIC ROAD

Large Barn North of Malta Burns From Unknown Cause—Loss Includes This Season's Grain

Boone County Republican—Andrew Mitchell, an employe of the Belvidere Gas and Electric company, was driving on West Lincoln street last Saturday when a street car struck his rig, throwing him out and badly injuring his head and back. He was taken home by Charles Knight. * * *

* News about projected electric lines of an interurban sort having Belvidere for a terminal or a station has always immediate local interest. The projectors of the Belvidere-Marengo-Woodstock-Harvard line are about to commence another survey from Epworth Grove to Fifth street. This survey has been talked of but not taken. It will run across the north side of the Conger farm and follow a direct line east and also west to the street named, the survey already completed strikes in at Church street, after passing just south of the hospital grounds and crosses Coon creek a few miles east of the city. It has been suggested that the promoters of the new line are perhaps in combination with the owners of the Rockford-Belvidere line in the purpose to build the Marengo road. This is positively denied, however, by those interested in the road now in the survey stage.

Sycamore True Republican—From some cause unknown the barn on the Fred J. Hueber farm, three miles north of Malta village, caught fire on Thursday night and everything in reach of the flames was destroyed, including the large barn built only two years ago, granaries, pens, all their contents which included the big crop of this season's grain and hay, together with five horses. Practically nothing was left except the dwelling. The loss is estimated at \$6,000 and the insurance was \$3,000.

Advertising that Doesn't Pay

What would we say of a manufacturer who built a fire under his boiler then went off and allowed the fire to die out, expecting his mill to run all day on that one fire? And yet there are advertisers who make "one time" splurges or take "trial advertisements," then because business does not keep them up nights, say "advertising does not pay." How about the farmer who plants corn and then sits down to wait for the crop? He would be expected to say that "farming does not pay." And yet there are advertisers who plant the seed of an advertisement and think their work is done. For such people advertising does not pay and never will, and money spent in such advertising would better be deposited in the poor box at church. Advertising is the fire under the business boiler, which must be tended and kept hot to produce the result sought. It is the seed planted which, if properly nurtured and tended, will spring up and bear fruit "some thirty, some sixty and some a hundred fold."—Ex.

Special Reduced Excursion Rates Will be in effect from all points on the Chicago & Northwestern railway for the occasions named below.

Ogden and Salt Lake City, Utah, September 15-18; National Irrigation Congress.

Baltimore, Md., September 21-26; Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F.

Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, October 7-11; Brotherhood of St. Andrew.

GENOA LOCAL MARKETS

Quotations Furnished by our Home Merchants Yesterday

The following list of home market produce is furnished us each Wednesday morning by home merchants. It shows the price paid by them during the week.

K. Jackman & Son offered the following prices Wednesday:

Corn, per bushel... \$.47 to \$.48
Oats, per bushel... .30 to .31
Rye, per bushel... .45
Hogs, per 100 lbs... 4.75 to 5.05
Dry Cattle... \$2.00 to \$3.00

John Lembke and T. M. Frazier paid the following prices Wednesday for farm produce:

Fresh eggs, per doz... 13cts
New potatoes, per bu... 50cts

Farmers will be pleased to note the advance in oats. Genoa is becoming a favorite market for the farmers, the firm of K. Jackman & Son paying out over \$2000 for farm produce this week. The firm shipped a carload of oats every day this week and a carload of hogs on Wednesday.

Farmers on rural routes who wish to follow the Chicago market can do no better than accept our offer of the Chicago Daily Journal for \$1.50 per year to REPUBLICAN subscribers—both papers one year for \$2.50.

ELGIN BUTTER MARKET

At a meeting of the board of trade Monday the price of butter was advanced from nineteen cents to nineteen and one-quarter cents. Winslow offered thirty tubs which were withdrawn before the quotation was announced and Byron offered thirty-five tubs but would not sell on a bid of nineteen and one-quarter cents by Moles.

The output for the district during the week was 724,318 pounds.

FORMER MARKETS

Date	Price
August 17, '03	19c
August 25, '02	20c
August 26, '01	20 1/2 c
August 27, '00	20c
August 28, '99	20c

The New York market is reported steady at nineteen and three-eighths cents, with receipts of 9,717 tubs.

NEW YORK MARKETS

Extras, creamery 19 3/4, renovated extras 17, factory firsts 15 and 15 1/2. Receipts 9,717. Margin easier. Cheese fancy colored small 10 3-8, large colored 10, large white 9 3/4. Market weak. Receipts 1,855. Eggs firm. Western extras 20 and 21, firsts 18 1/2 and 19. Receipts 8,339.

Excursion Tickets to County Fair

and reunion of 95th Illinois infantry at Belvidere, Ill., via the Northwestern line, will be sold at reduced rates Aug. 31 to Sept. 4, inclusive, limited to return until Sept. 5, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern railway.

Did you ever see the "no-break-fast" people at dinner? Oh, my!

Puts an End to it All

A grievous wail oft times comes as a result of unbearable pain from over taxed organs. Dizziness, backache, liver complaint and constipation. But thanks to Dr. King's New Life Pills they put an end to it all. They are gentle but thorough. Try them. Only 25c. Guaranteed by F. T. Robinson's drug store.

Half Rates to Peoria, Ill.

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at one fare for round trip Aug. 30, 31 and Sept. 1, limited for return until Sept. 3, inclusive, on account of Grand Commandery, Knights Templar of Illinois, annual meeting. Apply to Agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Don't be afraid of being laughed at when trying to do a good thing.

Excursion Rates to Northern

Illinois fair at Freeport via the Northwestern line. Excursion tickets will be sold at reduced rates Aug. 31 to Sept. 5, inclusive limited to return until Sept. 7. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern railway.

COURT HOUSE

Probate

Estates of—
Thankful H. Brown—Final report of executor. Estate declared settled.

W D Selee—Final report of executor. Estate declared settled.

Mary O'Brien appointed administrator. Bond \$12,000. Edward Roach, Wm. Minnegan and Bernard Lyons appointed appraisers. October term.

Seneca Willis—Report of private sale of personal property approved. Proof of heirship. Expense account of \$583.96 allowed. Estate declared settled and executors discharged.

M C Dedrick—Frank D Pease appointed administrator. Bond \$8,400.

Geo W Culver—J H Latham appointed administrator. Bond \$140,000. No appraisers. October term for claims. Proof of heirship.

Samuel Williams—Final report of executor approved.

Marriage Licenses

H S Brainard, Plano, Ill. 21
Mary E Johnson, Sandwich. 20
Jos Ashelford, DeKalb. 28
Clyde E Balzley, Sycamore. 26
W W Armstrong, Sandwich. 23
Faye McDonald, Sandwich. 20

Transfers

Mleanor M Tenney to J H Woodbury e 1/2, lot 12, sec 26, Shabbona, \$250.

F C Clark to Lora A Clark und 1/2 se 1/4, sec 29, Paw Paw, \$8,000.
T A Dean to Belle F Dolan, lot 9, block 1, Sandwich, \$1,600.

Jacob Haish to C H Alm se 1/4, n 1/2, ne 1/2, sec 31, Mayfield, \$1.

J E Fulton to C D Rogers und 1-6, lot 5, block 3, Wyman & Langlois' add Sycamore, \$80.

A L Funk to P M Reed, lot 6, blk 3, Eureka Park, Genoa, \$118.

Not Over-Wise

There is an old allegorical picture of a girl scared at a grasshopper, but in the act of heedlessly treading on a snake. This is paralleled by the man who spends a large sum of money building a cyclone cellar, but neglects to provide his family with a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as a safeguard against bowel complaints, whose victims outnumber those of a cyclone a hundred to one. This remedy is everywhere recognized as the most prompt and reliable medicine in use for these diseases. For sale by F. T. Robinson.

It is all right to jump at conclusions if we are sure they are there.

OF INTEREST TO STOCKHOLDERS

Free Transportation to Attend the Annual Meeting at Chicago.

Public notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Illinois Central Railroad Company will be held at its offices in Chicago, Illinois, on Wednesday, October 21, 1903, at twelve o'clock noon.

To permit personal attendance at said meeting there will be issued to each holder of one or more shares of the capital stock of the Illinois Central Railroad Company and registered on the books of the Company at the close of business on Tuesday, September 29, 1903, who is of full age, a ticket enabling him, or her, to travel free over the Company Lines from the station on the Illinois Central Railroad nearest to his or her registered address to Chicago and return, such ticket to be good for the journey to Chicago only during the four days immediately preceding, and the day of the meeting, and for the return journey from Chicago only on the day of the meeting, and the four days immediately following, when properly countersigned and stamped during business hours—that is to say, between 9.00 a. m. and 5.00 p. m.—in the office of the Assistant Secretary, Mr. W. G. BRUEN, in Chicago. Such ticket may be obtained by any holder of stock registered as above, on application must state the full name and address of the stockholder exactly as given in his or her certificate of stock, together with the number and date of such certificate. No more than one person will be carried free in respect to any one holding of stock as registered on the books of the company. A. G. HACKSTAFF, Secretary.

What Do You Want?

If there is anything you want or anything you think somebody else wants, the Republican want column is the place to tell your wants. A want of twenty-five words three times in the Republican will bring results and only at an expense of fifty cents to you. If you have a room to rent, a horse to sell, in fact anything you wish will be granted you through the Republican want column.

6 per cent Money Wanted

We have several first mortgage real estate loans for sale ranging from \$700 to \$1200, 3 to 5 years at 6 per cent. Insurance on new buildings equals loan.

Funk, Lawrence & Co,
Genoa, Ill.

Wanted, the address of the plain girl who praises the handsome one.



COMFORT SWING CHAIR

Made entirely of metal and fancy colored canvas. The material is light and firmly braced, finished in black enamel. Folds compactly, occupying space of only 4 1/2 x 31 inches. Is set up or folded by removing only four stove bolts. Perfectly simple.

Be Comfortable

Let the Comfort Chair make you really so. The Comfort Chair is different from almost anything else. It's not a hammock, not a swing, not a chair. The good things of all combined. Simply solid comfort whether sitting or reclining. Every action of the chair is automatic. Whatever position your body assumes, the chair just follows, and that without any effort on your part.

To see it, to sit in it, costs you nothing.
To buy it and have it delivered
To your door costs you only \$3.50.

S. S. Slater, Genoa

POSITIONS FOR GRADUATES

We make a specialty of Business and Shorthand Education. More calls for office help than we could supply last year. Positions guaranteed all who take a complete course. Send for booklet. New term begins Tuesday, September 1, 1903.

W. H. CALLOW
Proprietor

ELGIN BUSINESS COLLEGE

Notling Block, Elgin, Ill.

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.

Our Job Department for the latest

Carpet Room BARGAINS

Before entering into fall business we wish to dispose of several lines of goods and have thrown them on the market for Two Weeks at prices that challenge attention and merit appreciation.

65c all wool ingrain Carpeting for 57 1/2 c
65c Tapestry Carpeting for 55c
8 ft 3 x 10 ft 6 \$16.50 made up Brussels Rugs 14.50
8 ft 3 x 9 ft 7 14.00 made up Brussels Rugs 11.50
8 ft x 8 ft 3 19.00 made up Brussels Rugs 14.00
8 ft x 8 ft 3 14.50 made up Brussels Rugs 12.00

A splendid assortment of Smyrna, Brussels, Axminster and Wilton Rugs on which we are making special prices. They must be seen to be appreciated—haven't space to particularize, but they are in every known size and color combination : : :

Remember
this sale closes on
AUG. 31

If you want these bargains
get them before Monday

MATTING FROM 11-cents TO 35-cents. A SPECIAL QUALITY OF "JAP" STRAW MATTING FOR 22-cents

PECK BLOCK

GEO. M. PECK

ELGIN, ILLINOIS