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FARMERS WILL GET \$50.00 FOR CORN EXHIBITS

Institute to Be Held in Genoa December 29, 30 and 31.

FREE PACKAGE OF CORN

Will Be Forwarded to Any Boy Under Eighteen Years of Age, Who Would Like to Compete for Prizes.

The directors of the DeKalb County Farmers' Institute met at the court house in Sycamore a few weeks ago and outlined and adapted the following as a special feature of the programme for the agricultural exhibit to be held in connection with the DeKalb County Farmers' Institute at Genoa, December 29, 30 and 31, 1903.

The sum of fifty dollars was appropriated for a boys' "Corn Growing Contest" which may be participated in by any boy in DeKalb county under eighteen years of age. The corn must have been grown by the boy making the exhibit from any pure yellow or pure white seed which will be sent to any boy complying with the following instructions and conditions:

Send name, address and four cents to pay postage, to A. B. Hostetter, Springfield, and he will send a package of seed corn containing 500 kernels of some pure bred variety grown by a member of the Illinois Corn Breeders' association. These contests are for the purpose of interesting the boys in the county institutes and to introduce improved seed corn. The corn must be grown according to directions. The breeder and donor of the corn, the name of variety and the score it received in the exhibit will be printed on the package.

On both yellow dent and white dent corn the first premiums will be ten dollars each; second, three dollars each; third, two dollars each and ten others of one dollar each will be awarded, making a total of fifty dollars. This should arouse a lively interest.

The corn for the contest should be planted far enough away from other varieties so there will be no danger of mixing. Ten ears of corn will constitute an exhibit and no exhibitor can make more than one entry in each class. The corn will be scored by the standard of perfection of the Illinois Corn Growers' association, which is as follows:

A perfect ear should be nine to ten inches in length and seven to seven and one-half inches in circumference; should be cylindrical in form and carry size entire length except near tip where it should taper slightly, and be well filled out at ends, and should yield eighty-eight per cent. of grain.

The score card used in judging all samples according to the above standards with explanation of points is as follows:

Uniformity of exhibit (10); uniform type, size, shape, color and indentation.

Shape of ears (5); cylindrical, straight rows, proportional length to circumference.

Color of ears (10); white kernels, white cob; yellow kernels, red cob.

Market condition (5); soundness, freedom from injury, maturity.

Tips of ears (10); filled out with regular size kernels.

Butts of ears (5); the kernels

swelled out about shrank regularly.

Uniformity of kernels (5); uniform type, shape, color, etc.

Shape of kernels (5); wedge shaped, straight edges.

Length of ears (10); conformity to standard.

Circumference of ears (5); conformity to standard.

Space between rows (10); furrow between rows of kernels.

Per cent. of corn (20); conformity to standard.

A white cob in yellow corn and a red cob in white corn will disqualify an exhibit.

The figures in parenthesis represent a perfect score.

The best corn exhibit at the institute in Genoa will be sent to the St. Louis World Fair in 1904, to help represent DeKalb county agriculture and it is hoped and expected by the institute management that the boys will enter into this matter in earnest and not only help make the institute a success, but provide some fine samples of corn for the exposition and capture the twenty six cash prizes as well.

All other premiums offered at the institute will be open to competition to everybody as heretofore. B. F. WYMAN, Secretary; H. O. WHITMORE, President.

BOOKS TURNED IN.

Taxes Are Turned in to the County Treasurer.

Very nearly all of the collectors of the townships of the county have turned in their books, and of the list Genoa appears as the fourth having the largest tax levied in DeKalb county.

The total county tax levied for all purposes was \$43,291.63. Of this there was on the collectors' books for county purposes \$38,546.29. The balance to be paid by the telegraph and telephone companies is \$28.52 and the ten railroads that pass through the county will pay \$4,716.82.

The following is the list:

| | Levied | Collected |
|--------------|------------|------------|
| Paw Paw... | \$ 9392.63 | \$ 9278.03 |
| Shabbona... | 11848 31 | 11690.01 |
| Milan..... | 7116.47 | 6818.49 |
| Malta..... | 9693.59 | 9562.76 |
| South Grove | 8002.85 | 7783 31 |
| Franklin.... | 13391.50 | 12600.11 |
| Victor..... | 7474.30 | 7404.27 |
| Clinton..... | 12767.62 | 12764.32 |
| Afton..... | 8620.69 | 8620.69 |
| Mayfield.... | 8876.64 | 8510.10 |
| Kingston.... | 11437.18 | 11039.62 |
| Somonauk... | 9690.55 | 9617.70 |
| Sandwich... | 27133.05 | 26305.30 |
| Squaw Grove | 15163.25 | 15127.69 |
| Pierce..... | 9092.33 | 8763.15 |
| Cortland.... | 8626.12 | 8067.15 |
| Genoa..... | 19065.36 | 18277.63 |
| DeKalb..... | 75378.94 | |
| Sycamore... | 48,965.39 | |

FINE COLT SOLD.

William Watson Sold "Young Teddy" to William Ashelford.

The thoroughbred percheron colt "Young Teddy" is now the property of Wm. Ashelford of Clare. The horse is a handsome yearling, the son of "Silence," the famous horse belonging to the Genoa company. The sale of "Young Teddy" occurred recently, the consideration being \$500.

Bargains in Work Shoes.

Just now we have some excellent bargains in men's work shoes; every pair has rock oak soles, and are guaranteed to wear. Prices 1.00, 1.25, 1.49 and 1.98. Theo. F. Swan, Elgin.



Mrs. Maude Fenlon Bollman

To Sing in the Genoa M. E. Church April 10

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

Employees of Finishing Room Are Quite Shocked by Event.

During the storm Wednesday morning a playful streak of lightning flashed across the finishing room at the Selz, Schwab & Co's. shoe factory. No damage was done, but several of the employees were badly scared for a few minutes.

Methodist Announcements.

All services will be held at the Genoa M. E. church on Sunday as usual. Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. In the evening, Rev. T. E. Ream will preach a sermon on the topic, "The Scientific Side of Immortality."

Sunday afternoon Rev. H. G. Dildine will preach at the Ney M. E. church at 2 p. m.

Rev. T. E. Ream will preach at the Charter Grove M. E. church next Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m.

There will be special choir rehearsals for Easter services at the M. E. church on Friday evening, and regular choir rehearsal Saturday evening.

Next Monday evening the Reading Circle of the Epworth League will hold their meeting in connection with the business meeting of the Epworth League.

Last Sunday morning Rev. T. E. Ream received three adult members into the church.

The proceeds of the "Bollman Concert" will go toward paying for the new electric lights in the M. E. church.

Mrs. Maude Fenlon Bollman will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Lorin Olmstead on Genoa street when in Genoa.

Something New Under the Sun.

Is a black suede kid glove that will not crock or stain, won't you appreciate it? You would if you have had the ordinary kind rub off and soil a delicate colored garment; we sell the stainless kind at \$1.85 a pair. An expert fits them to your hand. Theo. F. Swan, Elgin.

NEW GAME LAW.

Provisions of Measure Which Probably Will Pass.

A new game law for Illinois, which has already reached first reading in the senate and was made a special order for Wednesday in house of representatives will doubtless be among the statutes of the state before the close of this session of the legislature. The bill was introduced in the senate by Senator Alberton of Pekin, and in the house by Representative Montgomery of Moro, and has the support of the Sportsmen's association, the Illinois Game Reservation association, the fish commission, the game warden and nearly all of the gun and rod clubs in the state.

By the bill quail are protected and the open season is from Nov. 10 to Dec. 20 giving forty days in each year in which they may be killed.

Prairie chicken are protected for four years from July 1 next, thereby making it possible for middle and southern Illinois to again stock the fields and prairies with this bird.

The bill prohibits the killing of wild geese, brant and ducks for commercial purposes the same as the old law; prohibits the sale of quail, prairie chicken and squirrel, and also limits the number of game birds that one person may kill in a day to fifty ducks, twenty-five snipe or quail. The bill makes provision for a fund with which to enforce the law, pay game wardens and provide birds for stocking districts, by requiring sportsmen and those who get the most benefit of the game protection to pay into the game-protection fund the small sum of \$1 per year, and does not tax those who do not hunt or are not interested, nor does the farmer, his children, or tenant have to contribute to this fund for hunting on their own lands.

What we Show in Easter Wearables.

"Swan's Special" kid glove, the equal of any glove sold in Elgin at \$1.25, for 98c; all colors and sizes fitted to the hand by an expert.

Don't wear that old veil, or get another one like it, we show new things, novelties, that you'll like better, and at the same prices as others charge for ordinary kinds.

We only ask you to look over our spring millinery. We know your own good judgment will induce you to buy when you look it over.

We show an especially pretty line of children's and Misses' spring jackets in pretty shades of blue, red, green and tan Monte-Carlo and Box Backs, \$1.98 to \$5.98. Black silk coats, \$3.69 to \$6.98. Theo. F. Swan, Elgin.

A Nice Comment.

Genoa, Illinois, is one of the snappy little business towns on the I. C. railway and C. M. & St. P. railway lines. It has a population of public spirited people that have secured a grand new factory—that is the plans and specifications are all in readiness and accepted for the erection of a telephone supply works, which will employ from 150 to 200 hands. It is understood that a bonus of \$35,000 has been offered the promoters of the affair. It is capitalized at \$120,000. Many families will come from Chicago to work there. Genoa has had a big shoe factory for years and with this new accession Genoa will go some this summer.—So says the Rockford Register Gazette.

WORK STARTED MONDAY ON THE NEW FACTORY

Building Will Be Completed as Soon as Possible

SIDE TRACK STARTED

Officials of the Eureka Electric Company Inspected the Property Monday.—Joliet Stone Is Unloaded.

That Genoa is on the boom is the evidence one gains by viewing the large tract east of the C. M. & St. P. depot where on Monday ground was broken for the new Eureka factory.

The scene is an encouraging one and those who have visited it this week returned with an inspired feeling and a light heart, for invariably each one in thought drew a picture of little Genoa's future.

Owing to a necessary transaction by the Milwaukee officials, the work was somewhat delayed, as the side-track from which the carloads of Joliet stone were to be unloaded was not completed in time and it was necessary to transfer the stone from the south side-track to the factory site.

Genoa is to be congratulated on the interest taken in the new factory by the Genoa Improvement Syndicate, managed by Funk, Lawrence & company, who have their office at 807 Security Bldg., Chicago.

The new Eureka addition, lying in the same tract in which the new Eureka factory is located, has been surveyed and stakes have been set representing 150 lots and a beautiful park known as Eureka Park.

S. T. Armstrong, county surveyor, has spent a week here in the work of setting the stakes for the new additions and factory.

The stone for the foundation has arrived, and the material for the brick work will be on the siding in a few days.

Mr. I. J. Kusel, president of the Eureka Electric Co., and Vice President H. V. Cannmann, were here Monday in the interest of the company.

The officials of the company are making an effort to have as many as possible enter their employment now so as to have received instructions and come to Genoa with the factory. Any who wish to take up positions will call at the REPUBLICAN office and arrange to take up the work at once.

Advent Church Announcements.

Preaching services at the Advent Christian church, Sunday, April 5, both morning and evening.

Prayer meetings commencing Wednesday, April 8, will be held regularly every Wednesday evening at the church instead of the cottage meetings as heretofore.

Special Easter services, April 12.

Your Easter Gown.

Will fit better, look better, and be more satisfactory in every way if fitted over one of the late models of corsets; we show a most comprehensive line including the best styles of the following well known brands—"N. B.," "Henderson," "Warner's Dust Proof," "G. D. Justrite," "American Lady," "Flexibone," "Kabo," "Gibson" and "La Gresque." All fitted by an expert. Theo. F. Swan, Elgin.

GREAT PUBLIC SALE.

Horses and Other Articles to Be Auctioned at Kellogg & Adams' Barn.

An auction sale will be held Tuesday, April 7, at Kellogg & Adams' livery stable. Farmers are requested to bring their horses and such other articles as they care to dispose of.

These goods will be auctioned by S. Abraham at a reasonable commission. Every effort will be made to make the sale a popular one. Already fifteen horses—road and draft horses—have been placed on the list. See bills for terms.

Citizens' Caucus.

A citizens' caucus for the purpose of nominating one president of board of trustees, three trustees, one village clerk and electing a citizens' village central committee. Said caucus will be held at the village hall in Genoa, Illinois, Saturday, April 4, 1903, from 4 p. m. to 7 p. m. By order of Village Central Committee, E. C. Crawford, Chairman.

Wanted

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

MARSH & HAARMANN.

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

Hog Remedy

The past year has demonstrated the practical value of Haas' hog remedy in this community. As to its value for growing hogs, K. Jackman & Son refer you to Mr. Howard Crawford.

Got Your Easter Hat?

Then you should have a pair of our dress shoes to complete your outfit; prices \$1.49, 1.98, 2.49 and 2.98. Theo. F. Swan, Elgin.

LODGES IN GENOA

GENOA LODGE NO. 288
A. F. & A. M.
Meets second and fourth Wednesdays of each month.
C. A. BROWN, W. C. G. E. STOTT, Sec.

GENOA CAMP
No. 163
Meets second and fourth Thursdays of each month.
Visiting neighbors welcome.
J. H. VanDresser, Ven. Consul.
E. H. Browne, Clerk.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS
Meets every Monday evening in I. O. O. F. Hall.
S. S. Slater, Noble Grand.
J. W. Sowers, Secretary.

EVALINE LODGE
Number 344.
Meets second and fourth Tuesdays of each month in I. O. O. F. hall.
John Riddle, Prefect
Fannie M. Heed Sec.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

C. A. PATTERSON
DENTIST
Hours:—8:30 to 12 a. m., 1 to 5 p. m. OFFICE OVER EXCHANGE BANK.

C. H. MORDOFF, M. D.
Office and Residence, South Side of Main street. Office Hours:—1 to 3 p. m., 6:30 to 8 p. m.

A. M. HILL, M. D.
Office over Witt & Shork's jewelry store. Hours, 6:30 to 8 p. m., 12:30 to 2 p. m. Residence on East Main street. Calls promptly attended to, day or night.

E. A. ROBINSON, M. D.
Office at residence West Monroe St.
Hours from 2 to 3 and 7 to 8 p. m.

DR. T. N. AUSTIN.
Physician and Surgeon.
Office over F. E. Wells' Store.
Office Hours:—7 to 9 a. m., 1 to 2:30 p. m. and 6:30 to 8 p. m.
X-Ray laboratory in connection.

Telephone—Office 1014; Residence 1173.
CLARA L. TODSON
OSTEOPATHIST
Suite 25, The Spurling, Elgin, Illinois. Correspondence solicited. Literature on application. Office hours—1 to 6 p. m. and 7 and 8 p. m., Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

DON'T BE FOOLED

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

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

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

Wheeler & Wilson Mfg. Co., Chicago, Ill.
For Sale by
Cohoon & Lawyer
GENOA, ILL.

THE GENOA REPUBLICAN.
By Dumser & Dougherty.
FRIDAY, APRIL 3, 1903.
REPUBLICAN TICKET
Town Election April 7, 1903.

FOR SUPERVISOR
Joshua Siglin

FOR TOWN CLERK
H. A. Perkins

FOR ASSESSOR
J. W. Sowers

FOR COLLECTOR
August Fite

FOR COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS
J. W. Brown

FOR TRUSTEE OF SCHOOLS
Ira Douglass

FOR TRUSTEES OF NEY CEMETERY
G. C. Kitchen, George White and George Eichlor.

Annual Town Meeting.

Notice is hereby given to the citizens, legal voters of the town of Genoa, in the County of DeKalb and State of Illinois, that the annual town meeting and election for said town will be held at the office of K. Jackman & Son in the village of Genoa in said town, on Tuesday, the 7th day of April next, being the first Tuesday of the month, for the purposes following, viz.: to elect one supervisor (who will be ex-officio overseer of the poor) one town clerk, one assessor, one collector, one commissioner of highways and one trustee of schools, and as many pound masters as the electors may determine, and also three trustees for Ney cemetery.

At the hour of 2 p. m. of said day the electors of said town will meet in said polling place to transact the miscellaneous business of the town, and to act upon any additional subjects which may, in pursuance of law, come before said meeting when convened. Polls will be opened at 7 o'clock in the forenoon, and closed at 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day.

Given under my hand at Genoa, Illinois, this 13th day of March A. D. 1903.
H. A. PERKINS, Town Clerk.

Robbed the Grave.
A startling incident, is narrated by John Oliver of Philadelphia, as follows: "I was in an awful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite, growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Then I was to use Electric Bitters; to my great joy, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they robbed the grave of another victim. No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents, guaranteed, at F. T. Robinson's drug store."

South Riley

Will Ratfield was home over Sunday.

The roads in this section are improved.

Rev. VanAuken preached at the Center Sunday.

Chas. Corson had business at Burlington Monday.

W. Badell and Oscar Clayton were at Marengo Sunday.

Rollin Hainline and L. Blonday were in Genoa Friday.

The Riley S. S. helpers will meet tomorrow with Mrs. Jas. Corson in Riley.

Miss Addie White, daughter of Wm. White, has secured a position at Milwaukee.

Mrs. Hattie Buck of Marengo is teaching the spring term in Hatch district, formerly taught by Grace McKee.

REPUBLICAN

For Supervisor
 JOSHUA SIGLIN

For Town Clerk
 H. A. PERKINS

For Assessor
 J. W. SOWERS

For Collector
 AUG. FITE

For Commissioner of Highways
 J. W. BROWN

For School Trustee
 IRA DOUGLASS

For Trustees Ney Cemetery
 GEO. WHITE
 GEO. EICHLER
 G. C. KITCHEN

PETITIONER

For Collector
 CHAS. WHITE

For Commissioner of Highways
 JOS. PATTERSON

PETITIONER

For Collector
 E. J. WHITNEY

PETITIONER

For Collector
 A. S. PORTNER

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the official ballot for township election of the town of Genoa to be held April 7, 1903.

H. A. Perkins
Town Clerk.

Ney News

Miss Margaret Corson spent Saturday in Genoa.

Milt Corson was at Genoa on Tuesday on official business.

There will be preaching at the M. E. church Sunday afternoon.

Chas. White and E. C. Crawford were hunting in this vicinity last week.

Miss Cora Buck of Genoa spent Sunday here a guest of her parents.

Mrs. Arthur Buell and son of Marengo returned to their home after a visit here the guest of friends.

Charter Grove

Mrs. Chas. Welsh is gaining.

Mrs. Darnell of White Willow came last Thursday.

James Whitacre moved to Sycamore Tuesday.

Sanford Holcomb was here on business Wednesday.

Mrs. Smith was a passenger to Chicago last Thursday.

Fred Naker and son were in Genoa last Wednesday.

Geo. Naker attended a funeral in Chicago last Tuesday.

Chas. Naker and wife were in Chicago a few days last week.

A car load of telephone poles were unloaded here last week.

Mrs. Thorworth and Grace Downing were shopping in Genoa last Thursday.

Thos. Holmes and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mackey at Kingston Sunday.

James Whitacre of Sycamore was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Holmes last Friday.

Colvin Park

Homer Witter is working on the section.

Ed. Lettow and wife drove to Genoa Friday.

Henry Strege was a Belvidere visitor Thursday.

W. L. Cole and wife were Kingston visitors Friday.

C. Cole visited at Port Crosby's near Kingston Sunday.

Albert Strege and wife were passengers to Belvidere Thursday.

Ferd Ollman returned Saturday from Rockford, at which place he has been some time on account of the illness of his father.

Mrs. Chas. Curphy, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Popp, returned to Chicago Wednesday.

Mrs. Wesley Foster passed away at the home of her daughter in Belvidere last Saturday. She was very well known in this community.

Herbert Notes

E. C. Lettow and family were visitors in Genoa Sunday.

Mrs. Jno. Babbler returned from Charter Grove last Friday. Her sister, Mrs. Welsh, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Walter Cole is going to build a new barn south of town.

Mrs. Irish is visiting relatives in Belvidere.

A number attended the funeral of Mrs. Foster at Kingston Monday.

Levi Brainard will soon build an addition to his barn at the farm.

Nathan Sheley has the contract to build a barn on the M. W. Cole farm in north Kingston.

H. C. Witt and George Waite were in Chicago Thursday, looking after the horse market.

Mrs. Thomas Lampard starts Monday for Cleveland. She has been visiting here the past two months.

Chas. Meyers arrived Monday night with a car load of horses from the west. He shipped a car load the same day.

E. S. Sheley has employed Mr. Lupnow of Rockford to fill the place of Pierce Sovereign at the shop. He has moved into one of S. Davis's houses.

The Royal Neighbors held camp last Wednesday afternoon for the special purpose of initiating two new members. A regular meeting will be held on Wednesday afternoon.

A Great Sensation.

There was a big sensation in Leeville, Ind. when W. H. Brown, of that place, who was expected to die, had his life saved by Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, he writes: "I endured insufferable agonies from asthma, but your new discovery gave me immediate relief and soon thereafter effected a complete cure." Similar cures of consumption, pneumonia, bronchitis and grip are numerous. Its peerless remedy for all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c, and \$1.00. Guaranteed by F. T. Robinson, druggist. Trial bottles free.

We Will Furnish You with Business Cards, Wedding Invitations, Calling Cards, Wedding Announcements, or anything in that line. Stylish, neat and inexpensive.

The Genoa Republican

COURT HOUSE

Transfers

FRANKLIN.

F B Townsend to C F Meyer, pt of sec 2 Franklin and land in Boone county, \$9600.

C H Gilchrist to Sarah Dean, sw one-quar ne one-quar nw one-quar sec 16, \$300.

DEKALB.

D L Martin et al to P M Gustafson, lot 10 of Martin & Gall's, sub div, sec 27, \$4500.

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GW Rowley to Thomas Martenson, lot 3 bl 2, Peterson's, \$1800.

C F Smith to A W Stark, lot 12 bl 1, Hay-Smith's, \$130.

J C Seaman to H A Jones, lot 4 bl 1, Spangenberg's, \$500.

O R Brown to Ella Eggleston, lot 2, bl 2, Gurler's \$1900.

SYCAMORE.

Bent Nelson to J D Beckler and H M Knights, lot 4 bl 1, Kenyon's, \$400.

Catherine Carroll et al to P Keefe, lots 3 and 4 sub div lot 3, Lattin's, Sycamore and other land in bl 9, \$900.

Mongie Lindstrom to G E Lindstrom, part sections 6 & 7, \$6,372.75.

PAW PAW.

I M Arnold to J W Greenfield, land on sec 26, \$5000.

SANDWICH.

W E Barber to C T Sedgwick, lot 4 bl 7 Stinson's, \$500.

H C Bramble to Mary E Cooper, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, bl 23, Fuller's \$900.

SOMANAUK.

Clara Townsend to Gen Minick, pt n one-half e one-half of w one-quar sec 33, \$4300.

George W Winchell to Augusta J Armstrong, lots 10 and 11, of bl 4, sec 26, \$520.

SHARBONA.

Geo Mullins to Wm Mullins, pt sec 7, \$7859.

CORTLAND.

J P Seaman to C E Rogers, pt of lot 14 nw one-quar of section 14, \$240.

SHABBONA GROVE.

Marvin Hughitt to William and Anna Bates, lots 44, 15, 17, 18, bl 3, \$200.

Probate Curt

Estate of—
John Danielson. Administrator's report of final distribution approved.

Everell F Dutton. Inventory and final report approved. Estate declared settled.

Daniel Pierce. Proof of heirship. From affidavits presented, deceased left as only heirs at law, Eleanor Townsend, his daughter, and Daniel P Wild, Elizabeth W Crum and Eleanor Wild.

Joe P Johnson. Just and true account approved.

William Maley. Will set for hearing April '03.

John Olsen. Oscar Berg appointed administrator; bond \$400.

Christopher J Olson. Inventory approved. Petition for private sale of personal property allowed.

Helen S Glidden. V A Glidden appointed administrator; bond, \$100.

Papers of naturalization issued to Tuamas Luhbala, Jaakks Talsa, Matti Korbesmaki, Wihtori Hah-to, Julius Israel, Willie Wollen-neber.

RAILWAY TIME CARD

AT GENOA, ILLINOIS.

CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL.

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
* Except Sunday.
† Do not stop at Genoa.
J. M. Harvey, agent.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RV.

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.
H. J. Jones, Agent.

Some people are born great, some have greatness thrust on them, others hunt it all their lives, and a good many don't care anything at all about it.

Licenses

Otto Klemmedson, Sycamore 26
Ada Nelson, Mayfield 20

The Kingston News.

As reported by Harry S. Heckman for THE GENOA REPUBLICAN of the week ending April 3, 1903.

Special Ballot on Gravel Tax Proposition

Shall Kingston Township levy a Special Gravel Tax?

YES

NO

DRY GOODS

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

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

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

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

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

SHOES

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

Men's Shoes

Made from a Chrome Tanned Colt Skin, warranted not to break through. Prices from \$3 to \$4 per pair. Other dealers would ask \$3.50 to \$4.50 for same shoes.

Men's Oxford Goodyear welt in Vici Kid and Patent Kid. Prices \$1.50 to \$3. Come and see our stock.

Women's Shoes

Ladies', Misses and Children's Shoes, in Goodyear, Welt, McK, sewed and hand turned. Prices \$1.50 to \$3.25 in Ladies' Shoes. For Misses Shoes, \$1.25 to \$2.

Ladies' Oxford buttons and ties Juliets at \$1 and \$2. Misses and Children's Oxford button and ties.

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

JOHN LEMBKE

Genoa, Illinois



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The season for a change of Dress approaches--a change in Jewelry is in good taste.

You'd not wear last year's hat--why wear last year's hat pin?

You'd not wear last year's belt--why fasten it with the same old buckle?

Styles change in Jewelry as in other things: You will realize this fully by taking a look at our new line of novelties. Choice designs in Brooches, Stick Pins, Buckles, Etc.

Prices right and quality guaranteed.

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W. W. HILL

For Commissioner of Highways

WM. AVES

For Commissioner of Highways

GEO. SCHANDELMEIER

For Trustee of Schools

D. B. ARBUCKLE

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the official ballot for the township of the town of Kingston to be held April 7, 1903.

Stuart Sherman

Town Clerk.

MRS. WESLEY FOSTER DIES AT BELVIDERE

Formerly Lived in Kingston. Many Mourn Loss

The death of Mrs. Wesley Foster occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Hiram Clark, in Belvidere last Saturday. Death was due to heart trouble.

The remains were brought here Monday, the funeral service was held in the Methodist church, Revs. Clay and Whitcomb officiating. Interment in Kingston cemetery.

Hattie L. Campbell was born in Flora township, Boone county, Illinois, September 30, 1856, and died in Belvidere, March 27, 1903.

She was married to J. Wesley Foster on September 17, 1875. There remain to mourn her death the husband, two daughter--Mrs. Mabel Clark and Mrs. Carrie Mayberry--and the little niece, Dolly, who has been as a daughter in the home since infancy, the aged father and mother and three brothers.

Being a woman of many excellences of character, she leaves many friends who mourn her death--one less to love on earth, one more to love in Heaven.

Remember That

Wm. Sargent, decorator and paper-hanger of Kingston, Ill., will be glad to show you a complete assortment of over 500 new designs from the Decorator Wall Paper Co., of Chicago and New York. Prices are absolutely the lowest; a postal will bring them. It will cost nothing to look at them, and if you find nothing no harm is done. If you buy or not, I would like to do your work.

KINGSTON TIME CARD.

| Passenger Trains | | | |
|------------------|-----------|-------|-----------|
| 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 |
| Local Freights | | | |
| 92... | 9.05 a m | 91... | 5.10 a m |
| 94... | 1.10 p m | 93... | 12.25 p m |

O. W. Vickell, agent.

The Republican has more paid subscribers in Genoa and Kingston than any other Genoa paper ever had in DeKalb Co.

KINGSTON PERSONAL MENTION

Deposit with Farmers' State Bank, Genoa, Ill. \$25,000 capital. Mrs. I. A. McCollom is improving.

Mrs. Sedgwick of Kirkland was here Monday.

Mrs. J. B. Ludwig was a Chicago passenger Tuesday.

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

Phil Ar buckle is home from DeKalb on a short vacation.

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

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Rowen spent Sunday with Pierce Ort and family.

G. M. LaShell spent several days this week with his family in Shannon.

FOR SALE--3500 white oak posts. Apply to Roy S. Tazewell, Kingston, Ill.

An operation for appendicitis was performed on Mrs. Walker in Chicago on Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Ethel Milner was here a few hours Friday evening enroute to her home in Belvidere, Ill.

Ed. Burke left Tuesday night for Watertown, S. D. He will build a house and barn for Jay Miller.

Misses Edna and Zada Tazewell and Mildred Gibbs are enjoying a short vacation from school duties.

Robert Hutchison, an old resident of South Grove township, passed away last Saturday. Mr. Hutchison had suffered several months from paralysis. The funeral was conducted Monday at the home.

The many friends here of Miss Edna Morrison were surprised to learn of her marriage last Saturday to Albert Peterson of DeKalb. The ceremony took place in Freeport. The bride formerly taught school in the Pleasant Hill district.

The Sycamore Tribune says that Henry Wood, who is now in the south and who recently underwent an operation on his eye in a New Orleans hospital, was at last accounts doing well, with the chances good of complete recovery for his eye.

YES! AHERN, the Tailor, was here--watch for his clothes on the street within the next two weeks. You can tell them. We can fit You--better give us a trial. Yours for Satisfaction, **AHERN**, the Tailor.

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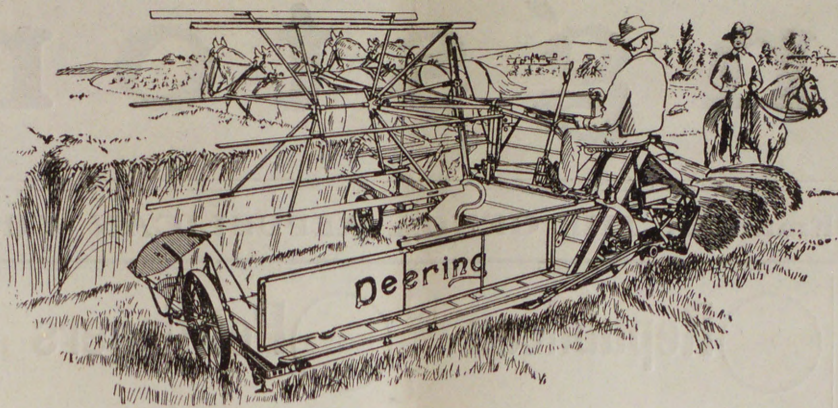
which embraces all the new Spring styles. We have Wall Paper for the home decoration. We cut and sew your Carpets, and our Sewing is done Perfectly. We save Waste.

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I have Con-
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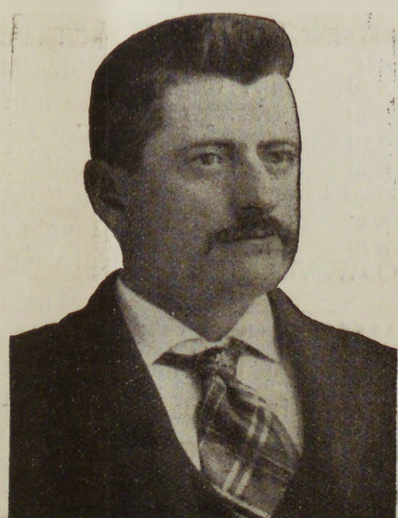
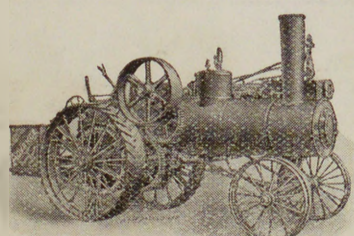
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Consisting of Wagons, Buggies, Plows, Disk Harrows

Planters, Cultivators, Land Rollers

Come and See my Line of Goods!

JAS. R. KIERNAN



About Folks You Know

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

Olmsted's spring millinery. Rev. Ream was at Elgin Tuesday.

The REPUBLICAN for fine job work.

Watch for the Eastern Star social.

John Brown returned to Elgin Monday.

D. S. Brown was at Sycamore Tuesday.

The latest spring hats at Frank Olmsted's.

Will Hoye of Kirkland was here Monday.

L. M. Gross of Sycamore was here Tuesday.

Jas. R. Kiernan and son were in Beloit Tuesday.

E. Taylor of Elgin was here on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Patten of Sycamore was here Monday.

Stuart Sherman was here from Kingston Tuesday.

Dr. Brunk at Commercial hotel, Wednesday, April 8.

L. S. Ellithorpe of New Lebanon was here Tuesday.

L. C. Shaffer was here from Kingston on Monday.

James Hines spent Saturday and Sunday at Bartlett.

20c buys a pound of fine Mocha and Java coffee at F. E. Wells'.

Rye middlings is a great hog feed. For sale by K. Jackman & Son.

Jas. Kiernan and daughter, Anna, spent Sunday in Hampshire.

Geo. Burton was here from Elgin last Friday the guest of J. E. Stott.

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

G. E. Stott and E. C. Crawford were at Sycamore on business Monday.

Colvin Brown of Elgin visited at the home of Wm. Heed Friday evening.

FOR RENT—Store on Main street; good location. Apply to C. H. Mordoff.

Jesse Geithman, Jas. Kirby and John Canavan visited Hampshire friends Sunday.

Genoa lodge, I. O. O. F., will hold installation of officers next Monday evening.

Sidney Riddle, George Evans and Vay Kellogg called on friends in Kingston last Sunday.

Miss Buchanan of Elgin gave physical culture lessons at the public school Friday afternoon.

Fred Browne accompanied Colvin Brown to Elgin Saturday morning, returning Sunday evening.

H. C. Alcox of Fargo, N. D., was here on business last Friday and remained the guest of J. E. Stott.

K. Jackman & Son have a full line of stock and poultry foods. Malt or dried Brewers grain for milch cows.

Not built light to meet cheap competitive grades, but built to wear—the machinery sold by K. Jackman & Son.

Lots of style and comfort in our men's dress shoes at \$1.90. They wear better than most \$2.50 shoes. Theo. F. Swan, Elgin.

I. J. Kusel stopped over here Monday morning on his way to Chicago from the west where he has been on a five weeks' tour in the interest of the Eureka Electric company.

Dr. Brunk from Dixon, Ill., will be at the Commercial hotel, April 8, from 12 m. to 5 p. m., to refract eyes for glasses or see cases having trouble with their ears, eyes, nose or throat.

Henry Downing is improving. See Frank Olmsted's "ad" this week.

Will Waite is visiting here from the west.

Call at Frank Olmsted's for spring hats.

Mrs. E. H. Richardson visited in Elgin Wednesday.

Mrs. Julia Adams was here on business Wednesday.

Oliver Low and children were visitors in Elgin Saturday.

Mocha and Java coffee only 20c a pound at F. E. Wells'.

Clover, timothy, lawn grass and rape seed for sale by K. Jackman & Son.

E. H. Richardson was here from Marengo Tuesday and Wednesday.

F. H. Palmer and Prof. Lewis of Sycamore were visitors here Monday.

A. Nichols, principal of the Shabbona public school, was here Tuesday.

A. L. Funk stopped here on his way to Chicago from Freeport Wednesday.

Dr. Brunk at Commercial hotel to fit glasses and see eye and ear cases, April 8.

Miss Mae Wolcott of DeKalb visited Miss Florence Low Monday and Tuesday.

Misses Dorpha and Maude Stafford of Hampshire are guests of Miss May Tischler.

S. T. Armstrong was here the fore part of the week, surveying the new factory grounds.

Misses Myrtie and Maude Waugh of Belvidere visited Miss Libbie Browne this week.

J. Siglin was here from Charter Grove Tuesday and attended the meeting of the township auditors.

Milt Corson was here from Ney on Tuesday attending the meeting of the township auditors.

D. L. Cannmann was here from Chicago Monday in the interest of the Eureka Electric company.

A meeting for the teachers of Franklin, Kingston and Genoa townships will be held here Saturday.

A. Lincoln Funk was here from Chicago Monday in the interest of the Genoa Improvement Syndicate.

Miss Nettie Olmsted is making her home at Elgin, where she is taking instructions in stenography.

Howard Smith of Chicago, representing the Burroughs adding machine, was here Wednesday and Thursday.

C. C. Corson and A. Stewart shipped a car load of steers to Chicago Wednesday evening. Mr. Stewart accompanied the car.

Looking for work shoes? Then get the best; a new pair for every one that don't wear. Prices—\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.49 and \$1.98. Theo. F. Swan, Elgin.

Work was commenced last week on the house and barn to be erected by Jos. Patterson. The buildings will cost \$1800 and Jas. J. Hammond has the contract for their erection.

L. L. Knipp, formerly manager or the Genoa Dry Goods company, but now of Aledo, Ill., attended a store-keepers' meeting of the McAllister company's store managers.

The Eastern Star cordially invite you to be with them at their Easter social to be held on Thursday evening, April 9, 1903, at Slater's hall eggsactly at 8 o'clock. Refreshments eggstremely light; admission not to eggceed to cents. They will be eggceedingly pleased to see you all.

Very Low Rates.

To points in Montana, Idaho, Washington, Oregon, British Columbia, Utah and Colorado, in effect daily from February 15 to April 30, via Chicago Great Western railway. For full particulars apply to any Chicago Great Western agent, or J. P. Elmer G. P. A., Chicago, Illinois.

A Thoughtful Man.

M. M. Austin of Winchester, Ind., knew what to do in the hour of need. His wife had such an unusual case of stomach and liver trouble, physicians could not help her. He thought of and tried Dr. King's New Life Pills and she got relief at once and was finally cured. Only 25c, at F. T. Robinson's drug store.

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

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

Commencing February 15 and continuing until April 30, the C. M. & St. P. Ry will sell special second class colonist tickets to western points at very low rates. San Francisco and California points, \$33; Portland, Tacoma and Seattle, \$32.40; Helena, Butte and Anaconda, \$28.40; Ogden & Salt Lake City, \$28.40; Billings, Montana, \$23.40.

Intervening points at similar low rates; three through Pacific trains daily, pullmans, tourist sleepers, chair cars, etc.

J. M. Harvey, Agent.

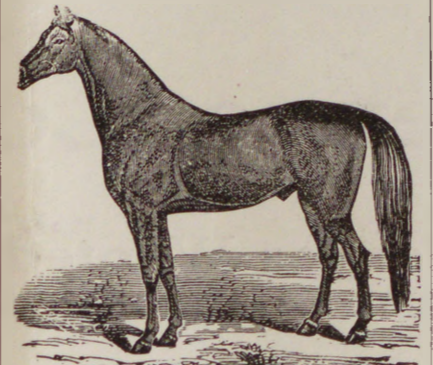
The devil passes by the man who knows his Bible.

Makes a Clean Sweep.

There's nothing like doing a thing thoroughly. Of all the slaves you ever heard of, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best. It sweeps away and cures burns, sores, bruises, cuts, boils, ulcers, skin eruptions and piles. Its only 25c, and guaranteed to give satisfaction by F. T. Robinson, druggist.

All that some people give to the church is trouble.

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.

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Our Street and Dress Hats are in. We get a new assortment of Trimmed Hats once a week from Chicago.

Easter Gloves

White Kid and Silk Gloves, black, ecru shades and browns.

Hosiery

Our stock of Hosiery is large in plain and lace effect. Ladies' and Children's Lace Hose in black, white, pink and blue.

Muslin Underwear

Don't miss seeing our Muslin Underwear Stock and get our Prices.

Corsets

We can show you just what you want in a Corset. We handle the Kabo Corset; also the Aurora Henderson Corset.

Ready Made Garments

Wrappers 15 Dozen new Wrappers in Lawns, Dimities, Percales and Calico.

Dressing Sacques Tailor Made Skirts

Children's Percale and White Dresses. Mercerized Sateen Underskirts. WAISTS—in Lawns, Silk, Satin and Batiste.

Men's and Boys' Dress and Work Shirts,

Ties, Collars and Overalls

F. W. Olmsted

FARMERS!

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

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

OLIVER gangs.

EMERSON disc Harrows and Corn Planters.

OSBORNE disc Harrows.

QUAKER CITY and APPLETON Seeders.

End Gate Seeders, Grain Cleaners and general supplies.

Each Carries an unqualified Warranty given by both the makers and ourselves. No low grades. Each the best of its kind.

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Genoa, Illinois

Genoa Improvement Syndicate

Owners of

EUREKA PARK ADDITION TO GENOA, ILLINOIS

OFFERS

Choice Residence Lots on Easy Payments

40 New Houses Wanted for Eureka Company Employees.
Special Inducements are offered to those who will build at once!

"There is no higher form of benevolence than leading, inspiring and helping people to Home Ownership."

FREE! A \$200 LOT FREE!

Editor Genoa Republican:

The GENOA IMPROVEMENT SYNDICATE hereby offers to donate and give free and clear, 1 Lot, 50x145, in EUREKA PARK ADDITION to Genoa, Illinois, to the first couple accepting the proposition to be married in front of or in the new factory of the Eureka Electric company, at such hour and on such date as we may direct, between the 1st and 20th of May, 1903.

Applications or acceptances of this proposition must be accompanied with names, addresses and ages of both parties, and a further deposit of a certified check or Chicago draft for \$25 as an evidence of good faith and guaranty that they will be present to be married.

Absolute secrecy of names of applicants will be maintained and deposit returned if an application has preceded yours.

License and marriage fees will be paid by the Syndicate, and after the ceremony a warranty deed and the deposit of \$25 will be handed to the bride. The deposit may be made payable to John Hadsall, Trustee (cashier Farmers' State Bank of Genoa.)

FUNK, LAWRENCE & CO.
Syndicate Managers.
Chicago Office: 807 Security Bldg.

"Anything that fosters a wise economy, fosters the highest good and a man, woman or child who purchases a lot is encouraged to economy."

EUREKA PARK ADDITION is located on a beautiful tract of land in the north-east part of Genoa, Illinois, one block north of the Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, just across the street from the new factory of the Eureka Electric company, one block from the Selz Shoe factory and only two blocks east of the Genoa High School. The Eureka Electric company makes telephones and a complete line of apparatus and equipment for telephone exchanges. They will employ 200 or more people, skilled artisans, refined and educated class that will make desirable, prosperous and permanent citizens.

Eureka Park Addition has been designed and laid out by competent engineers into six blocks with broad streets and avenues with also an alley in the rear of each lot. About the center of the subdivision, ground has been reserved for a park which will be improved and beautified at once and be known as Eureka Park. The streets will be graded, side walks built, water mains extended and ornamental shade trees planted on each lot. No effort or expense will be spared to make this the most desirable residence portion of Genoa.

There are 150 residence lots in Eureka Subdivision besides the ground reserved for Eureka Park. Each lot has 50 feet frontage on street or avenue with perfect drainage and there is not a single undesirable lot in the subdivision.

Fifty of these lots have been sold and reserved for Eureka Electric company employes, many of whom will build homes. Of the remaining 100 lots

ONLY 50 LOTS, OR EACH ALTERNATE LOT WILL BE OFFERED For Sale Now!

The Prices now are \$100 to \$200

| | | |
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| \$200 lots, | \$20.00 down and | \$10 monthly |
| 175 lots, | 17.50 down and | 9 monthly |
| 150 lots, | 15.00 down and | 8 monthly |
| 125 lots, | 12.50 down and | 7 monthly |
| 100 lots, | 10.00 down and | 6 monthly |

Ten per cent. discount will be allowed for all cash. No interest will be charged on deferred payments. In case of death, if payments have been kept up, your lot will be deeded to your estate without any further payment.

Applications for the purchase of one of these lots will be received now and until May 1. Each application must be accompanied by check, draft or money order for ten per cent. of price of lot desired. We reserve right to withhold announcement of acceptance of applications until May 1. Selections may be made in order in which applications have been received and filed and contracts for warranty deed will be given each purchaser. Warranty deed and abstract showing perfect title will be given on full payment.

If applications for all the lots in this allotment has been received before your application arrives we will return your money to you at once.

Make all checks or drafts payable to John Hadsall, trustee, (Cashier Farmers' State Bank, Genoa, Illinois) and mail with your application to

GENOA IMPROVEMENT SYNDICATE

Chicago Office: 807 Security Building. **Funk, Lawrence & Co., Mgrs.** GENOA, ILL.

N. B. In our next sale we expect to get 25 to 50 per cent. higher prices. Use the following form, fill out and mail with Check for 10 per cent. of price:

TO GENOA IMPROVEMENT SYNDICATE

Funk, Lawrence & Company, Mgrs.

GENOA, ILLINOIS, _____ 1903.

I hereby make application to purchase one \$..... lot in Eureka Park Addition as per your offer and herewith hand you a deposit of \$..... to apply on payment therefor.

In case you accept this application I promise and agree to pay to John Hadsall, trustee, (at the Farmers' State Bank of Genoa) the sum of \$..... monthly until the balance of full purchase price is paid.

NAME

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"If every man owned a home and had a few hundred dollars in the bank he would be absolute master of any financial emergency."

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"More fortunes have been made from rise in real estate values than all other courses combined."—Andrew Carnegie.

"The surest source of profit is the increasing value of land in an area of municipal growth and industrial development."

"There is not a foot of land in Genoa, Illinois, that will not double in value within the next two years."

"The Genoa Improvement Syndicate are not boomers. They are builders of values."

"Saving and home ownership should be advocated and encouraged, because it is the best way to make the industrial classes independent."

A NEW SAVINGS BANK WILL PAY 100 PER CENT. ON DEPOSITS

You can deposit \$10 to \$20 as a first payment on a lot in Eureka Park Addition to Genoa, Ill., and pay \$6 or more monthly until your lot is paid for and feel that your money is just as safe as if it was in any bank in the United States.

Your Lot will double in value in a year or two, while a Bank only pays 2½ to 3 per cent. on deposits and it takes nearly 20 years to double your money that way. For particulars, prices and terms, call or address

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"The desire for home ownership is instinctive; every man, no matter how discouraged he may be, still longs for and dreams of a snug little place all his own where his children may be reared, where under his own roof he can meet his friends and where, free from all annoyance, he can rest and enjoy himself."