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WEEK'S PRINCIPAL EVENTS

Government by Injunction is Opposed by Coal Miners.

SENATOR MASON'S SCHEME.

European Combine Against American Manufacturers—Chicago Aldermen Charged with Accepting Bribes.

(Special to The Republican.)

The whole subject of the uses and abuses of the writ of injunction is liable to come before the Supreme Court at no distant day as a result of the action of Judge Jackson of West Virginia. Recently an injunction was issued by Judge Jackson at the request of the Fairmont Coal company, enjoining the strikers from interfering in any way with the men remaining at work. A number of strikers who disregarded the court's order to the extent of trying to persuade their comrades to lay down their tools, were sentenced to terms of imprisonment for contempt of court.

This action has raised a storm of protests against "government by injunction." Though few will be disposed to quarrel with Judge Jackson's definition of the scope of an injunction as a remedy for wrongs and injuries for which the law can provide no adequate penalty, many see in the decision an extension of the purpose and use of the writ which practically places legislative power in the hands of the judiciary. They argue that it is perfectly lawful for men to assemble and discuss their grievances. For a court to create a crime not known to the law by enjoining an act lawful in itself, is held to be an usurpation of power which is attended with grave peril.

President John Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers, has expressed his intention of laying the case before the Supreme Court and, if necessary, before the President. There has also been some talk of trying to impeach Judge Jackson.

Have the ultra-protectionists of the senate forced European governments to combine against American manufacturers? This question is being seriously asked in Washington owing to cable dispatches which seem to indicate that some sort of commercial alliance against the products of the United States is being formed among the leading European powers. It is feared that the czar's anti-trust plans are the beginning of a systematic attempt to shut out American manufacturers, a result which could be easily achieved, if these proposals were carried out, by declaring all American goods trust made.

It is claimed by some who are wise in reading the signs in the political heavens that Senator Billy Mason may make trouble for Mr. Hopkins. They point out that many Illinois districts are largely controlled by the railroads, that the time is near at hand when these railroads must make new mail carrying contracts with the government and that Senator Mason's position on the senate committee on post offices and post roads may enable him to exert considerable influence with the roads.

That Senator Mason has by no means given up the fight is seen by the fact that he and his friends have begun building a state organization of their own. They

are sending out thousands of letters to Mason men all over the state, asking them to ignore the regular republican state committee and to join in forming a new state organization.

The Chicago city council is again facing the charge of bribery. The two aldermen from the Sixteenth ward, Kunz and Leininger, are charged by Contractor Joseph Hanreddy with conspiring to receive a bribe of \$200 each for voting for the Gates' iron work switch track ordinance. Dr. Leininger has instituted a suit for slander, asking \$50,000 damages.

The Chicago messenger boys won their strike. Low wages and much overtime for which they were not paid at all were the causes of the trouble. The telegraph companies have made several important concessions and the boys have returned to work.

One result of the strike was that no weather forecast was sent out from the auditorium tower Sunday night.

The council of irremovable rectors and consultors of the Roman Catholic archdiocese of Chicago has recommended the Rt. Rev. John Lancaster Spalding, bishop of Peoria, to succeed Archbishop Feehan.

Four American school teachers in the Philippines have fallen victims to ladrones in Cebu. On June to they started for a brief outing, when they did not return an energetic search was begun which resulted a few days ago in the recovery of their bodies. The leader of the murderers was killed and eight others captured.

The total army loss in the Philippines during the insurrection is officially given as follows: Deaths all causes, 139 officers and 4016 enlisted men; wounded, 190 officers and 2707 enlisted men. High praise is given the medical corps for heroic conduct during the cholera epidemic.

If Emperor William follows the advice of his leading Polish subjects he will not go to the maneuvers at Posen. Polish hatred of all things German and especially of the emperor is at a fever heat and it is hard to guarantee His Majesty's safety.

France is facing serious trouble as a result of the attempt of the government to forcibly close the schools of the Roman Catholic orders.

NOTES

Egypt is suffering from a terrible scourge of cholera.

Great Britain and Japan have signed a second treaty pledging protection to Korea.

Emperor William of Germany is planning to visit the Czar of Russia in the near future.

The crop of cucumbers in the large district of which Keokuk, Ill., is the center, has been ruined by floods.

The western part of Texas has suffered from floods recently, a few lives and much property being lost.

A recent estimate of the cost of England's wars in South Africa and China reaches the enormous total of \$1,140,000,000.

Charles Kendall Adams, until recently president of the University of Wisconsin died at Redlands, Cal., July 26.

James J. Jeffries won the heavy-weight championship fight at San Francisco on July 25, defeating Fitzsimmons in the eighth round. Many reputable sporting writers declare the fight was a fake.

VERY NEAR A CYCLONE.

Bad Storm Strikes Pingree Grove Saturday Afternoon.

SIX PEOPLE WERE INJURED.

Other Employees of the Brick and Tile Factory Narrowly Escape Injury and Death from Flying Debris.

In a fierce storm bordering on a cyclone which struck Pingree Grove late Saturday afternoon, six people were injured and several others escaped by crawling from under a large brickshed which had been blown down by the hurricane and in which they were at the time of the storm. The injured are:

Henry Krumm, right leg broken by falling timbers and otherwise bruised and battered.

Henry Krumm, jr., leg broken in three places below the knee by falling timbers.

Fred Radd, badly bruised and cut about the head and shoulders by falling timbers.

Richard Ludwig, cut and bruised by falling bricks.

Two other men, names unknown, sustained serious bruises from falling bricks and timbers.

Dr. Macauley of Gilberts and Dr. McCornack of Elgin attended the injured men.

The storm, which seemed to be confined to an area of about half a mile in width, struck the brick yard about 4 o'clock in the afternoon. A high wind followed by a heavy rain—the waterfall being six inches and by far the greatest that has descended at one time this season—was the forerunner of what was to come. When the storm had apparently reached its height a sudden blast of wind descended with a roar, crushing the bricksheds like paper. The six men injured were in the employ of the Elgin Brick and Tile company, which owns the yards. The men took refuge in the shed, and as the building collapsed the piles of bricks fell, keeping the prisoners busy dodging bricks. The two Krumms were caught by falling timbers, but escaped with broken legs. The other men were struck by bricks and timbers and it is almost a miracle that they escaped with their lives by crawling out from under the debris.

A farmer living north of Pingree Grove, who had driven under the shed for protection, had his teeth knocked out by a falling timber.

Buggy Overturned.

A farmer named Nicholson had a narrow escape in a runaway on Tuesday. He was driving near Henrietta when his horse became frightened and leaped off the bank of the pike overturning the buggy and throwing out the occupant. The frantic animal mounted the bank and ran to Genoa where it was stopped in front of the postoffice by F. O. Swan and A. E. Pickett, two local merchants.

Cheap Rates to Chicago

Via I. C. railroad. On August 3 to 5 I. C. will sell excursion tickets to Chicago at \$1.75 for round trip, good returning until and including Aug. 9, trains leave Genoa 4.40 a. m., 7.10 a. m., 11.06 a. m. and 7.45 p. m. S. R. Crawford, agent.

A Feast

For bargain seekers. Those Monday sales at Theo. F. Swan's great department store, Elgin.

SESSION CLOSES SUNDAY.

Wet Day at Camp Epworth Closes a Ten Days' Session—Rev. E. K. D. Hester Elected a Director.

The delegation from here who attended campmeeting at Epworth Grove returned Sunday evening and report a pleasant time.

Saturday was Epworth League day. Rev. Hartzell of Elgin, a son of Bishop Hartzell, spoke in morning and in the afternoon Dr. Butler delivered his lecture, "The Lion and the White Horse."

The district meeting of the Epworth League was held in the afternoon at 4 p. m. and the following officers were elected:

President, Professor A. H. Sproul of Elgin.

First vice-president, A. L. Hall, St. Charles.

Second vice-president, Lillie Downing, Genoa.

Third vice-president, Miss Nettie Cooper, Rockford.

Fourth vice-president, Mrs. George Sager, Belvidere.

Secretary, Clara Wicklund, Elgin.

Treasurer, Jacob Strauss, Fairdale.

Superintendent junior league, Mrs. C. Q. Alley, Rockford.

Directors, Rev. J. L. Fluck, Dundee; William Doble, Nunda; Rev. E. K. D. Hester, Genoa.

Old Settlers' and Farmers' Picnic.

Arrangements have been made with the C. & N. W. R. R. for excursion rates at one and one-third fare for the round trip from Rockford, Marengo, Dixon, Elburn, Rollo and intermediate points to Henrietta, tickets to be sold Aug. 28 and good to Aug. 29.

The C., M., & St. P. R. R. will give the same rates from any point on their road within seventy-five miles of Kingston, and tickets will be sold on August 27 and 28 good to return Aug. 29.

Stuart's grove, where the picnic is to be held is within seventy rods of the Kingston station of the Milwaukee road, and is beautifully situated on the south branch of the Kishwaukee river, and large enough to accommodate all who may come.

Agricultural Statistics.

The statement of agricultural statistics for DeKalb county forwarded to the state auditor by the county clerk this week contains the following items of interest: Produced in 1901, corn, 4,216,220 bu.; oats, 2,977,946 bu.; wheat, 2293 bu.; rye, 22,526 bu.; barley, 7885 bu.; potatoes, 62,908 bu. Number of horses and colts, April 1, 12,324; colts foaled in 1901, 1296. Number of cattle, April 1, 46,972; sold during 1901, 11,719, gross weight 13,414,870. Cows kept, April 1, 18,797; sheep, 8270; hogs, 46,872; pigs farrowed in 1901, 80,723; hogs sold in 1901, 64,779; gross weight, 14,822,057; number of pigs died of cholera in 1901, 8597. Pounds of honey produced in 1901, 10,520. Value of poultry sold, \$42,861; eggs sold, \$28,206.

Search Warrants

Not needed to find the bargains at those Monday sales at Theo. F. Swan's great department store, Elgin.

Extended Lake Trip.

Miss Emma Swanson left this morning for a trip to Sault Ste. Marie, Canada, by way of the lakes in company with her sister and brother-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Macauley of Gilberts.

One year, one Dollar.

FARMER SHOOTS HIMSELF.

Henry Campbell Shoots Himself Monday Evening.

DIES 7.30 THURSDAY MORNING

Many Misfortunes Recently Cause of Deed—Sits on Front Porch and Fires 1 Shot From a 22 Revolver.

Henry Campbell, residing seven miles northwest of Genoa made what proved a successful attempt to end his life at 6 o'clock Monday evening by shooting himself in the right temple with a twenty-two revolver, life expiring Thursday morning at 7:30 o'clock.

He came home from Kirkland about 6 o'clock, where he had been working with his brother, John Campbell, during the day. His brother, George, accompanied him, and on the way home he talked of going fishing the next day. At times he would seem insane and would remark to his brother that something was going to happen soon.

On his arrival home he put his horses in the barn and while watering them at the tank talked vigorously to himself, which attracted the attention of his brother who asked to whom was he speaking. He laughed and said nothing. Not fifteen minutes later he went to the house and took from the machine drawer a twenty-two calibre revolver and went to the front porch. Sitting down, he called his wife by name, "Lyda," as she reached the door leading to the porch, he said, "Good Day" and pulled the trigger with the barrel of the weapon pressed closely to the right temple.

The discharge of the revolver so close to the head rendered a hideous wound and severely burnt the flesh. Mrs. Campbell knelt over the almost lifeless form which had fallen back upon the porch.

His brother, George, who was coming from the barn when the shot was fired, rushed around the house just as the suicide was falling.

The remainder of the family were on the scene in a moment. George ran to a neighbor's house who went at once to Kingston and returned with Dr. Ludwig. Upon examination of the wound, the doctor pronounced it fatal and said the bullet had traveled away from the brain, which would prolong the end.

It was thought at first that an operation would be necessary but later it was decided it would be useless.

Under the constant care of Dr. Ludwig, the suicide lay between life and death until the end came Thursday morning at 7:30 o'clock. Not at any time during the 61 hours of life after committing the deed did he regain consciousness. A slight move of the right leg and the opening of the eyes were the only signs of consciousness.

Mr. Campbell had had many misfortunes during his life, and the one's which seem to be recorded in blackest letters commenced about seven years ago when he lost his first wife. One child, Hattie, was born to this union and she survives.

About five years ago he was united in marriage to Lyda Hare.

Last winter, his home near the scene of his death burned down and since that time he has not seemed sane.

Of late he has been teaming

about the country and only a few days previous had said that he thought of selling his horses and going back to Aurora where he worked in a saw mill about a year ago.

Besides a wife and child, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Campbell, and three brothers, John, George and Hiram, and one sister, Mrs. Hattie Foster, are left to mourn.

Hiram is engaged in the livery business in Genoa.

The funeral will take place today at 1 p. m. from the home and 2 o'clock from the Baptist church at Kingston. The Rev. Reeves of Canton will conduct the services. Interment will take place at the Kingston cemetery.

ELGIN MAN MURDERED.

After Six Months Search His Remains Are Found—Mexican Cowboy Suspected—Had \$100 in Money.

The remains of W. B. Ehrenfeldt of Elgin, who disappeared six months ago in Colorado, have been found on a lonely trail on the mountains and identified by the clothing. A Mexican bowie knife and a crushed skull told that he was murdered, and a Mexican cowboy is under suspicion. Young Ehrenfeldt had gone to Colorado for his health, and after a year on the ranch started home riding to the nearest station on horseback. He had a gold watch and \$100 in money with him at the time.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

Horace Young Falls Through Hay Rack Last Saturday and Injures His Spine—Is Confined to His Home.

While hauling hay for Millard's hay press last Saturday, Horace Young fell through the rack and severely injured his spine. He is still confined to his home in an almost helpless condition, and it is feared that his injuries may cripple him for life.

Bridge Repairer Drowns.

Jonas Wollicker, a bridge repairer of Sycamore, was drowned July 25 in the Chicago river. He jumped from a bridge when a freight train was almost on him, and as he could not swim, drowned before assistance reached him. He leaves a wife and two children. His body was taken to Hagerstown for burial.—Rockford Register Gazette.

A Notice.

Consumers of coal.—On and after August 1, 1902, all coal will be sold at our respective yards, for cash and only cash.

Merritt & Hadsall,
Cohoon & Lawyer,
K. Jackman & Son.

Branch Office.

The American Express company have engaged E. H. Browne as agent of the Genoa branch office. Packages left and called for at his place of business. Money orders sold.

Rockford Chautauqua Assembly.

At Rockford, Aug. 14 to 27. The Illinois Central will sell excursion tickets Aug 14 to 22, good returning until Aug. 28; fare and a third for round trip. S. R. Crawford, agent.

You Can't Dodge Them.

There are bargains at every turn at those Monday sales at Theo. F. Swan's great department store, Elgin.

Republican Ticket

- For U. S. Senator (endorsed)
Albert J. Hopkins,
Aurora.
- For Supreme Court Clerk,
Christopher Mamer,
Cook county.
- For State Treasurer,
Fred A. Busse,
Cook county.
- For Supt. of Public Instruction,
Alfred Bayliss,
LaSalle county.
- For Trustees State University,
William B. McKinley,
Champaign county.
- Mrs. Laura B. Evans,
Christian county.
- L. H. Kerrick,
McLean county.
- Member Cong. 12th Cong. Dist.
Charles E. Fuller,
Boone county.
- For Senator, 35th Senatorial Dist.
Charles H. Hughes,
Lee county.
- Representatives, 35th Sen. Dist.
Charles A. Wetherbee,
Whiteside county.
John B. Castle,
DeKalb county.
- For County Judge,
W. L. Pond,
DeKalb.
- For County Clerk,
A. S. Kinsloe,
Sycamore.
- For County Treasurer,
Daniel Hohm,
Hinckley.
- For County Sheriff,
Fred Rompf,
Somonauk.
- For County Supt. of Schools,
L. M. Gross,
Sycamore.

The controversy between Mr. Cleveland and Mr. Bryan as to which of them led democracy into the "shadow of predestined defeat" is quite amusing. It is quite wrong for either gentleman to blame the other—either is enough to queer any political party.

LOCAL NOTES

Belvidere is having a mad dog scare.

Augustana college, Rockford, is to have a new \$50,000 library.

Pile ointment; cure guaranteed; 50c box. Vernon Remedies Co., Sycamore.

All the news of the county worth printing can always be found in the Republican.

For Rent—7 room house, East Main street, barn, well, cistern, in good shape; call at Republican office.

Rockford people think the railroads are discriminating against the town, and a meeting was held this week to frame a protest.

Kellogg & Adams have just received a new car load of buggies, harness, fly nets, blankets, and whips. We carry the Staver buggies.

There will be a change in time on the C., M. & St. P. railroad after Sunday August 3. Watch the Republican for correction next week.

Golden ointment is the best remedy for sick and nervous headaches; cuts, burns and sores. It cures sunburn, skin eruptions, mosquito bites and all skin diseases. Sold by Miss Gertrude Browne, Genoa.

Extraordinary
Values in white skirts—lace and embroidery trimmed for 49 and 98c at Theo. F. Swan's, Elgin.

**About Folks You Know
in and about Genoa**

Jack Goding was in Elgin on Tuesday.

Wm. Creighton had business here Monday.

Miss Sue Holroyd was in Chicago Monday.

Mrs. Dusenberry was at camp-meeting last week.

Harry Wilson was here from Freeport last week.

Mrs. E. Stiles is visiting friends in DeKalb this week.

Dr. H. C. Billig was here from Belvidere on Saturday.

Mrs. Martin Malana was a Chicago shopper Wednesday.

Walter Buck of Chicago is visiting friends here this week.

Hiram Campbell was at Kirkland Thursday of last week.

Frank Bernard of Elgin was here on business Wednesday.

Bert Millard and wife of Elgin are the guests of E. B. Millard.

Irene Singer of Sycamore is visiting friends here this week.

Joe Patterson was at Freeport Wednesday attending the races.

Miss Bessie Ide visited her sister, Mrs. Ben Muzzey, of DeKalb this week.

R. D. Hollebeak was here from Elgin Monday evening on business.

Dr. Wyllys and wife of Kingston called on Genoa friends Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Johnson were here from Charter Grove Saturday.

Thomas Donahue and E. H. Richardson were at Marengo last Saturday.

Floyd Hancock of Belvidere visited with relatives Saturday and Sunday.

Fred McDonald and family of Charter Grove were Genoa visitors Saturday.

Miss Leafie Gilchrist and Wellington Taylor of Fairdale were here Saturday.

Mrs. W. W. Ide returned Monday from a short visit with relatives in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Oursler of DeKalb are spending several days here with relatives.

Mrs. Preston, living east of town is entertaining her two daughters from Chicago.

Mrs. Forest Allison of Lincoln is spending several days here at the home of J. C. Young.

Mrs. H. Shattuck returned home Sunday from a short visit in Chicago with her son, Fred Hall.

Miss Hattie Smiley and Joe Taber of Belvidere are visiting here the guests of Miss Libbie Brown.

W. G. Best of Rockford was here on business Wednesday.

Mr. Best erected a large monument at Kirkland Tuesday, in which business he is engaged.

Mrs. E. A. Brown and daughter, Mrs. F. H. Holroyd, left last Thursday to spend some weeks with her daughter, Mrs. R. W. Hollebeak of Casey, Iowa.

Mrs. Mary Brandt of St. Paul, Minn., visited here Friday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Swan and left Friday evening for Chicago where she will spend an extended visit.

Miss Elma Smock was called to her home in Monroe, Wis., Saturday on account of the sickness of her sister, Alice, who died Sunday noon. Miss Smock remained until after the funeral.

Hiram Gilkerson was the guest of Geo. Tower of Mayfield on Monday. Mr. Gilkerson will spend the summer looking after his property in this township, returning to Champaign in the fall.

James Kiernan made a five and a half mile run with his auto one day this week, repaired a harvesting machine and returned to town—all in forty minutes. The auto can go a thirty mile an hour clip very easily.

Will Snow was at Marengo Tuesday.

Geo. Sowers of Elgin was here Monday.

W. P. Lloyd was in Chicago on Monday.

Jas. Hammond spent Sunday in Hampshire.

Chas. Brown was at Lake Bluff on Sunday.

Chas. Miner of Kirkland was here Monday.

Chas. Saul was here Sunday the guest of friends.

Miss Eva Sager was a Sycamore visitor Saturday.

Miss Louise Peck of Elgin was here Wednesday.

Geo. Bresee of Rockford was here Wednesday.

Mrs. Viola Harris was at Sycamore on Saturday.

Miss Emma Lembke spent Sunday in Chicago.

Mrs. E. H. Richardson was at Sycamore on Friday.

Miss May Wyndorf is at Peoria the guest of her sister.

Mrs. E. C. Shippee was at campmeeting last week.

James Wilmington was here from Chicago on Monday.

Wm. Schmidt spent Sunday at Elgin the guest of friends.

D. S. Brown and James Kiernan were at Sycamore on Sunday.

Jas. Hines, who is employed at Lily lake, spent Sunday here.

Thomas and John Casey of Burlington spent Tuesday here.

W. S. Bayliss was here from Elgin Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Edith Johnson of Sycamore spent Sunday with friends here.

E. H. Richardson and Loren Olmsted were Chicago passengers Monday.

Miss Allen of DeKalb was here the guest of relatives the fore part of the week.

J. Franzen left Saturday for Atton, Illinois, where he will start a shoe repairing shop.

Miss Cora Brandt is here from St. Paul to spend a week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Swan.

Miss Addie Doty of Hampshire was here to spend Sunday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. DeWolff.

Wm. O'Brien drove over from Hampshire on Monday to get some repairs for a harvesting machine.

W. S. Pittinger and Miss Blanche Harshberger of Hillsdale, Michigan, are here the guests of L. M. Olmsted.

Mrs. Harry Herendeen of Chicago, formerly Miss Jessie Daven, is visiting her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Daven.

T. J. Tucker, the stage manager of the Elgin opera house, was here Monday looking after the advertising of the Elks' carnival at Elgin.

C. W. Groves, superintendent of the Dixon schools, called on D. S. Brown and S. S. Gabriel last Saturday. He is a graduate of the University of Illinois, and was here on business connected with the schools.

The Oriental Parades.

A feature of the great Bostock-Ferari mighty midway is its oriental parades about the show grounds, which never fail to please and interest everybody and invariably proves a most potent inspiration to keep enthusiasm at blood heat. They are truly a dazzling, bewildering, soul-stirring spectacle of sun-bright radiance, pomp and glory. Huge elephants harnessed with gold and jeweled trappings; sure-footed camels, gaudy in the gay glean of the Syrian desert; magnificent Arab steeds that are as peerless specimens of horse flesh as their riders are horsemen. The patient donkeys and their native Egyptian drivers; queer bands of oriental nations, playing the (to them) inspiring strains of their national airs; jungle guides, hunters and warriors from India, Arabia, Ceylon, Egypt, Malta, Java, Africa and the remotest recesses of the earth's forest and wildest lands; Roman chariots, as were used in the days of Nero—all will be seen at the Bostock-Ferari mighty midway at Elgin, August 25-30.

C., M. & St. P. Excursions.

For the annual convention Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America, Dubuque, Iowa. The C., M. & St. P. Ry. will sell excursion tickets Aug. 3 to 7, good to return until Aug. 12 at fare and a third for round trip, extension until Aug. 31 can be obtained.

For the Chautauqua assembly at Rockford, Ill., excursion tickets will be sold Aug. 14 to 22, good to return until Aug. 28. Fare and a third round trip.

Excursion tickets on sale daily to St. Paul and Minneapolis. Special excursions to Colorado, Utah and South Dakota points July 14 to 31; Aug. 15 to 22 and 25 to 29 and Sept. 11 to 15, good to return until Oct. 31; very low rates.

St. Paul and Minneapolis.—Special excursions, almost daily until Sept. 10; \$12.50 round trip; tickets good to return until Oct. 21.

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

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Dry Goods

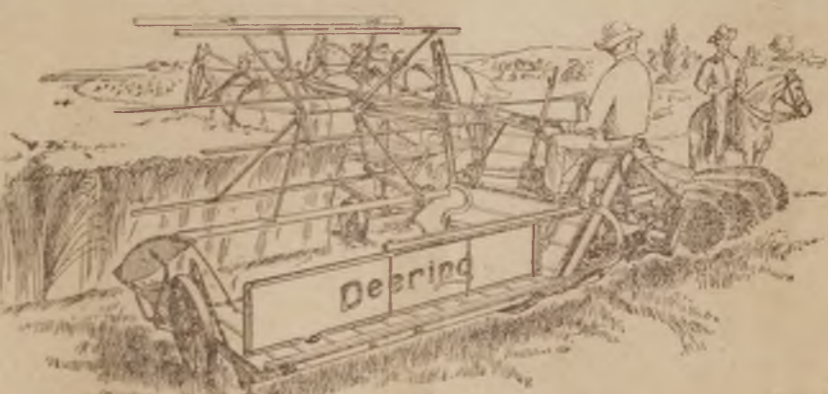
Shoes

- We have a new line of parasols, all black, \$1 to.....\$1 65
 - Children's 1 1/2 Hose, in all colors.....24c
 - Large Turkish Towels, 10c and.....12 1/2c
 - White fringe cotton Towels, 22x40.....9c
 - New lot of fancy color Table Spreads.....75c
 - A new line of Corsets, straight front, white and colors.....49c
 - Gents' and boys' black striped twilled Shirts, (collars) 45 to 50c
 - Men's fancy striped Shirts.....50c
 - Ladies' plain black Hose, 10c to.....25c
 - Fashionable striped Percales.....9c
 - Good quality Gingham.....9c
- The above is our low prices on our new line of Summer Goods just received.

GENOA, ILLINOIS.



**Advance
Engines
and Threshers**



Deering Eight Foot Harvester

It will pay you to call and examine this machine before you buy. We have a machine on exhibition and give the fullest guarantee. We also have six and seven foot machines in stock.



Deering Corn Shocker

This is the first season this machine has been on the market. The manufacturers, however, thoroughly tested the machine last season, and it is fully guaranteed to do all that is claimed for it. Those interested are invited to call and talk the matter over. August 1 we will have a machine on exhibition.

ELGIN WIND MILLS : HENNEY BUGGIES

JAS. R. KIERNAN .: GENOA

THE NEW STORE
L. L. Knipp, Mgr.

GENOA DRY GOODS CO.

HIGHEST STANDARD OF QUALITY

CLOSING WEEK OF OUR JULY CLEARING SALE

Saturday, August 2

- We sell 800 yards light and dark Prints (while they last) at, per yard.....12 1/2c
 - Men's Rockford Socks, ten cent values, at.....5c
 - 50c Summer Corsets, eight styles, a few sizes in each, at.....39c
- Now is the time to get a good cool dressing sacque.
- All figured Lawns, most of them in short lengths, going at half price. Don't miss this chance.
- Ladies' Oxfords and Walking Shoes at greatly reduced prices on our line of five different styles.
- See the new line of fancy dress Prints in this week.

LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS

Good Assortment of Sizes in White and Colors.

- 50c waists now.....\$.33
- 59c white waist, buttons in back, new cuffs......39
- \$1.25 white waist, solid embroidered front......89
- \$2.00 colored mercerized gingham waists.....1.29

Our fancy madras cloth negligee shirt for men at 50c is the biggest seller we ever had. Get one. Remember our line of men's work shirts, overalls and pants. Just a bit better in every way for the same money that you pay elsewhere. Men's shoes of all descriptions. Our patent Corona nobbiest, best wearing shoe made in a dress shoe, see them at \$4.00. New Idea Patterns—any pattern 10c. The most popular paper pattern made.

Genoa Dry Goods Company

HAMPSHIRE

Lon Smith is on the sick list. John Canavan was a Saturday caller.

C. P. Klock was an Elgin caller Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Keyes welcomed a baby girl Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Janecke drove to Elgin Sunday.

J. F. Janecke made a business trip to Chicago on Saturday.

Joe O. Larey spent Friday among his Hampshire friends.

Mrs. W. Sisley is spending a few days with relatives in Chicago.

Dr. Danforth and Jas. Hutchison drove up from Genoa Friday evening.

Mrs. Marks and son, Will, of Chicago spent Sunday with Mrs. M. Allen.

Fred Humphrey returned Saturday from a two weeks' sojourn at Fox lake.

Mrs. E. Blazier is spending a week with her son, Chas. Maderer, at Genoa.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Gustavason, Mrs. Newton and children spent Sunday in Genoa.

Mrs. W. Channing and son, Walter, spent Saturday with Chas. Maderer at Genoa.

There will be a dance here Aug. 1 given by the Lady Maccabees at Hathaway's hall.

Mrs. Kate Meredith of Elgin is spending a few days with W. Roache and family.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Oakley of Sycamore visited Mr. A. Oakley and family over Sunday.

Geo. Cummings of Wheaton came Monday to spend several days with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Verham and niece, Vera Hahn, of Elgin were visiting friends and relatives over Sunday.

Miss Florence Hansen returned to her home at Elgin Saturday after a short visit with Kate Johnson.

Mrs. C. H. Bachus and daughter, Dorothy, returned Sunday after a week's visit with friends in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Weaver, Alice and Willie Werthein returned Saturday from a two weeks' outing at Fox lake.

Miss Lottie Scott returned Saturday from a few day's visit at North Plato the guest of Miss Ruby Anderson.

Misses Julia and Maggie Roache of Elgin were the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Roache on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Channing and son, Paul, started Saturday for Colorado where they will spend several weeks.

Mrs. E. Ropp of Chicago and Miss Jones of Batavia returned to their home Monday after a week's visit with Mrs. Fred Mattoon.

NEW LEBANON

Mrs. F. Spansail was a Hampshire caller Monday.

F. Spansail was visiting his parents over Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Witt was shopping in Genoa on Saturday.

Thos. Aicholzer was a Chicago passenger last week.

Aug. Anderson was a Hampshire caller last week.

Thos. Aicholzer was at Elgin on business last Thursday.

A. M. C. Todson of Elgin was visiting at J. Danielson's Sunday.

Ed Spansail and John Danielson were Genoa callers Saturday evening.

Miss Clara Spansail is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. Johnston, at Winfield, Ill.

Mrs. Thos. Aicholzer has been visiting her parents in Chicago the past week.

Miss Rose Wrosch of Elmhurst has been the guest of Miss Dorothy Spansail the past week.

Chas. Delvin of Chicago spent Sunday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Ellthorpe.

Dorothy Spansail returned home on Wednesday after a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. H. Johnston at Winfield, Ill.

KIRKLAND

Mrs. Wm. Soost paid a visit to Kingston friends Thursday.

Miss Winifred Ross spent a few days at Janesville, Wis., last week.

Miss Snow of Omaha, Neb., is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. S. M. Stewart.

Mrs. Geo. Heyward visited her mother, Mrs. Mary Thomas, at Elgin last Thursday.

Mrs. James Porter of Monroe Center was here to visit her parents, Dr. R. B. Spicer and wife, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Hiram Burchfield and son, Hollis, made a business trip to Rockford on Saturday.

The C. E.'s of the county held a picnic at South Grove Friday. Large delegations from surrounding towns were present and quite a number from here attended.

The ping pong social given Saturday evening by the Anna Cole chapter was well attended.

The jardiniere, which was raffled off, was won by Mr. Moutet, a conductor on a freight train on the Milwaukee.

COLVIN PARK

S. H. Stiles was in this vicinity Saturday.

Chas. Cole was a Charter Grove passenger Monday.

J. Babbler has resumed his position at the depot.

C. F. Ollman and Sons are repairing their elevator.

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

J. Babbler and wife returned from their vacation Sunday.

Jas. R. Kiernan of Genoa was in this vicinity in his auto on Tuesday.

J. Weaver's barn is complete and adds very much to the looks of his farm.

Mr. Greduski and wife, who have been visiting with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lettow, have returned home.

CHARTER GROVE

Sandford Holcomb was here last week on business.

John Babbler and wife visited Mr. and Mrs. Bubs last week.

John Bell now occupies the house he recently purchased here.

Edmund Holmes was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Mackey of Kingston last Sunday.

James Whitacre and wife were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Calkins last Sunday.

Charles Anderson moved from here last week Thursday and is now located near Sycamore.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Holmes and son have returned from Monroe, where they were visiting relatives.

Illinois Central Excursions.

Illinois Central excursions to St. Paul and Minneapolis, \$12.50 round trip from Genoa, on sale June 16 to 30, July 1 to 4, July 16 to 31, Aug. 1 to 31, Sept. 1 to 10, all tickets limited until Oct. 31, on above dates excursion tickets can also be sold to Duluth, Superior, West Superior, Ashland and Bayfield for \$16.50 round trip. To Fairbault, Northfield, Cannon Falls and Red Wing, Minn., \$15.50 round trip.

Clear Lake, Iowa.—On certain dates during July and August tickets can be sold to this well known summer resort for \$8.50 round trip, good returning until October 31.

Homeseeker's tickets one fare plus \$2, first to third Tuesdays to points in the usual homeseeker's territory. S. R. Crawford, agent.

RAILWAY TIME CARD. GENOA, ILL.

Table with columns for Illinois Central RY. and Chi. Mil. & St. Paul RY. listing train numbers, departure times, and arrival times.

Table for C. & N. W. RY.—AT HENRIETTA, listing train numbers, departure times, and arrival times.

Table for SOCIETY AND BUSINESS DIRECTORY, listing various societies and their details.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS, Genoa Lodge No. 708, meets in regular session every Monday evening.

ORDER EASTERN STAR, Golden Star No. 255, meets in Sisters' Hall on second and fourth Friday of each month.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS OF AMERICA, Camp No. 319, meets in Odd Fellows Hall on the first and third Wednesdays of each month.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA, Genoa Camp No. 162, meets every second and fourth Thursday night.

DELLA BRIBECAS, I. O. O. F. No. 78, meet first and third Friday night in Odd Fellows Hall.

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC, Reg. Co. No. 118, meets on first Tuesday of each month.

K NIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES, Genoa Tent No. 11, meets every other Tuesday night in Odd Fellows Hall.

COURT OF HONOR, GENOA DISTRICT, No. 118, meets in regular session on second and fourth Friday of each month.

A. F. & A. MASONS, GENOA LODGE No. 288, meets in regular session on second and fourth Wednesday of each month.

WALUNA LODGE NO. 14, MYSTIC Workers of the World, meet in Odd Fellows Hall on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS. C. A. PATTERSON, DENTIST.

HOURS: 8:30 to 12 a. m., 1 to 5 p. m. OFFICE OVER EXCHANGE BANK.

A. M. HILL, M. D. Office over Lane's jewelry store. Hours, 6:30 to 8 p. m., 12:30 to 2 p. m.

C. H. MORDOFF, M. D., Office and Residence South Side of Main Street. Office Hours—1 to 4 p. m.; 6:30 to 8 p. m.

DR. T. N. AUSTIN, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office over Wells & Olmsted's Store.

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

CHURCHES. ADVENT CHRISTIAN. Sunday services—Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

GERMAN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN. Rev. Midham, Pastor. Preaching every Sunday at 10 a. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL. Rev. E. K. D. Hester, Pastor. Sunday services—Preaching at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

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Beginning Friday, Aug. 1st and continuing to Sept. 1st we will offer all odds and ends in Summer Footwear at greatly reduced prices.

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Ladies' "Assorted Lots" Fine Shoes, regular price \$3.50 to \$4.00 now \$2.65

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Ladies' "Assorted Lots" Heavy Shoes, regular price \$1.50 now .95

Big Bargains in Oxfords.

Ladies' Welt Oxfords, regular price \$2.50 to \$3.00, now \$1.95

Ladies' Welt Oxfords, regular price 2.00 now 1.65

Ladies' heavy sole Oxfords, regular price \$1.50 now 1.15

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Men's Shoes and Oxfords.

Mens' Assorted Lot "Walk Over" Shoes, regular price \$3.50 to \$4.00, now 2.95

Mens' Assorted Lot Fine Shoes, regular price 3.00 to 3.50, now 1.95

Assorted Lot Broken Sizes, were 3.50, now .95

Mens' Patent Leather Oxfords, were 3.50, now 2.85

Mens' Oxfords, calf and kid, were 3.00 to \$3.50, now 2.45

Assorted Lot Oxfords, regular price \$2.50, now 1.95

Misses and Children's Shoes at greatly reduced prices. You will have to see them to realize what a saving we offer you.

To our friends of Genoa and vicinity we wish to say, we guarantee to save you your bus fare on every purchase of two dollars. Give us a call, whether you buy or not.

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GOOD SKATING next November, but we cannot sell summer goods then—they must go now. Everything in hot weather wearables must be closed out and we are making prices accordingly.

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LITTLE SLED IN THE ATTIC.

Winter again; and I turn once more
To my childhood's home for a holiday,
And lift the latch of the attic door
And climb its rickety, worn stairway.

Ancient umbrellas, rent and torn,
Lanterns, saddles, and horseshoes old,
Trenchers and cradles, and samplers worn,
Trinkets of silver, and bits of gold;

Garments so quaintly out of style,
Books and parchments, yellow and dim,
Tools that no workman's art beguile,
And dishes no house-mother conjures in;

Through all the rubbish I find my way
To my dear little brother's cherished sled;
It has made us happy for many a day,
And its slight wakes memories long since
Dead.

Handsome carriages, built for ease,
Railway palace-cars, rich and grand,
Steamships plying the mighty seas,
Jeweled treasures from every land—

All from my vision pass away!
Rarest melodies cease to flow!
And the sweetest chimes that I hear to-day
Are the bells of a little sled over the snow.

Never a song of the vanished years,
Full of the rhythmic notes of joy,
Can thrill my spirit or free my tears
Like the musical laugh of a happy boy

Do you not hear it—so silvery and clear?
Have you heard any other ring out like
his?

He is laughing aloud in glory now,
Through a thorny pathway he trod to
bliss.

Call me weakly, ye women white,
Laugh as ye will, stout-hearted men!
I'd give for one hour of the old delight,
All I have sought or known since then.

O, the years! O, my brother! I miss him
sore,
Who rides over pavements the angels
tread,
In the City where nobody sorrows more,
And they laugh and shine who were sad
and dead.

And I vow once more to be pure as snow,
To lighten the burdens that others feel,
To smile when the selfish tears would flow,
And when proud and bitter to humbly
kneel.

With my face to the morning I'll travel on;
With my brow to the stars, if I fall I'll
lie;
I will go to him who will not return,
In the Land of the Holy, some by and by

And through the grace of the One Divine,
Who bade us live as a little child,
I will keep my trust, I will hide my time,
Till I laugh with my brother—the unde-
fied.

—Rev. Frances E. Townsley, in Union Sig-
nal.

My Strangest Case

BY GUY BOOTHBY.

Author of "Dr. Kikola," "The Beautiful White Devil," "Pharos, The Egyptian," Etc.

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CHAPTER IX.—CONTINUED.

"In point of fact," he said, "I may say that I have traveled from Dan to Beersheba, and, until I struck this present vein of good fortune, had found all barren. Some day, if I can summon up sufficient courage, I shall fit out an expedition and return to the place whence the stones came, and get some more, but not just at present. Events have been a little too exciting there of late to let us consider it a healthy country. By the way, have you heard from our friend, Kitwater, yet?"

"I have," I answered, "and his reply is by no means satisfactory."

"I understand you to mean that he will not entertain my offer?"

I nodded my head.

"He must have 'all or nothing,' he declares. That is the wording of the telegram I received."

"Well, he knows his own affairs best. The difference is a large one, and will materially affect his income. Will you take *creme de minthe-kummel* or *cognac*?"

"Cognac, thank you," I replied, and that was the end of the matter.

During the remainder of the evening not another word was said upon the subject. We chatted upon a variety of topics, but neither the matter of the precious stones nor even Kitwater's name was once mentioned. I could not help fancying, however, that the man was considerably disappointed at the non-acceptance of his preposterous offer. He had made a move on the board, and had lost it. I knew him well enough, however, by this time to feel sure that he had by no means despaired yet of winning the game. Men of Gideon Hayle's stamp are hard to beat.

"Now," he said, when we had smoked our cigarettes, and after he had consulted his watch, "the night is still young. What do you say if we pay a visit to a theater—the Hippodrome, for instance. We might while away an hour there very pleasantly, if you feel so disposed."

I willingly consented, and we accordingly left the restaurant. Once we were in the street Hayle called a cab, gave the man his instructions, and we entered it. Chatting pleasantly, and still smoking, we passed along the brilliantly illuminated boulevards. I bestowed little, if any, attention on the direction in which we were proceeding. Indeed, it would have been difficult to have done so, for never during the evening had Hayle been so agreeable. A more charming companion no man could have desired. It was only on chancing to look out the window that I discovered we were no longer in the gayly-lighted thoroughfares, but were entering another and dingier part of the town.

"What is the matter with the driver?" I asked. "Doesn't he know what he is about? This is not the way to the Hippodrome! He must have misunderstood what you said to him. Shall I hail him and point out his mistake?"

"No, I don't think it is necessary for you to do that," he replied. "Doubtless he will be on the right track in a few minutes. He prob-

ably thinks if he gives us a longer ride he will be able to charge a proportionately larger fee at the end. The Parisian caddy is very like his London brother."

He then proceeded to describe to me an exceedingly funny adventure that had befallen him once in Chicago. The recital lasted some minutes, and all the time we were still pursuing our way in a direction exactly opposite to that which I knew we should be following. At last I could stand it no longer.

"The man's obviously an idiot," I said, "and I am going to tell him so."

"I shouldn't do that, Mr. Fairfax," said Hayle, in a different voice to that which he had previously addressed me. "I had my own reasons for not telling you before, but the matter has already been arranged. The man is only carrying out my instructions."

"What do you mean by already arranged?" I asked, not without some alarm.

"I mean that you are my prisoner, Mr. Fairfax," he said. "You see, you are rather a difficult person to deal with, if I may pay you such a compliment, and one has to adopt heroic measures in order to cope with you."

"Then you have been humbugging me all this time," I cried; "but you've let the cat out of the bag a little too soon. I think I'll bid you good-by."

I was about to rise from my seat and open the door, but he stopped me. In his hand he held a revolver, the muzzle of which was in unpleasant proximity to my head.

"I must ask you to be good enough to sit down," he said. "You had better do so, for you cannot help yourself. If you attempt to make a fuss I pledge you my word I shall shoot you, let the consequences to myself be what they may. You know me, and you can see that I am desperate. My offer to those men was only a bluff. I wanted to quiet any suspicious you might have in order that I might get you into my hands. As you can see for yourself, I could not have succeeded better than I have done. I give you my word that you shall not be hurt, provided that you do not attempt to escape or call for help. If you do, then you know exactly what to expect, and you will have only yourself to blame. Be a sensible man, and give in to the inevitable."

He held too many cards for me. I could see at a glance that I was out-manuevered, and that there was nothing to be gained by a struggle.

Ten minutes later the cab came to a standstill, there was the sound of opening gates, and a moment later we drove into a stone-paved courtyard.

CHAPTER X.

If you could have traveled the world at that moment, from north to south, and from east to west, I believe you would have found it difficult to discover a man who felt as foolish as I did when I entered the gloomy dwelling-place as Hayle's prisoner. To say that I was mortified by the advantage he had obtained over me would not express my feelings in the least. To think that I, George Fairfax, who had the reputation of being so difficult a man to trick, should have allowed myself to fall into so palpable a trap, seemed sufficiently incredible as to be almost a matter for laughter rather than rage. There was worse, however, behind. Miss Kitwater had been so trustful of my capability for bringing the matter to a successful conclusion, that I dared not imagine what she would think of me now. Which ever way I looked at it, it was obvious that Hayle must score. On the one side, he kept me locked up while he not only made his escape from Paris, but by so doing cut off every chance of my pursuing him afterwards; on the other, he might console himself with the almost certain knowledge that I should be discredited by those who had put their trust in me. How could it very well be otherwise? I had committed the criminal folly of accepting hospitality from the enemy, and from that moment I should not be seen. The natural supposition would be that I had been bought, and that I was not only taking no further interest in the case, but that I was keeping out of the way of those who did. To add to my misery, I could easily imagine the laugh that would go up on the other side of the channel when the trick that had been played upon me became known. But having so much else to think of, that fact, you may be sure, did not trouble me very much. There were two things, however, about which I was particularly anxious; one was to set myself right with Miss Kitwater, and the other was to get even, at any cost, with Hayle. The first seemed the most difficult.

It must not be supposed that when I had alighted from the carriage I had given up all hope of escape. On the contrary, had it not been for the presence of three burly fellows, who immediately took up their places beside me, I fancy I should have made a dash for liberty. Under the circumstances, however, to have attempted such a thing would have been the height of folly. Five to one, that is to say, if I include the coachman in the number, with the gates closed behind me, were too long odds, and however hard I might have fought, I could not possibly have been successful.

"Perhaps you will be kind enough to step into the house," said Hayle. "The air is cold out here, and I am afraid lest you might take a chill."

Before complying with his order I looked around me once more, to see if there was any chance of escape. But so far as I could see there was not one. I accordingly followed one of my captors into the building, the remainder bringing up the rear.

From what I could see of the house with the help of the light from a solitary candle hanging in a sconce upon the wall, it had once been a handsome building. Now, however, it had fallen sadly to decay. The ceiling of the hall had at one time been richly painted,

but now only blurred traces of the design remained. Crossing the hall, my guide opened a door at the further end. In obedience to a request from Hayle, I entered this room, to find myself standing in a fine apartment, so far as size went, but sadly lacking in comfort where its furniture was concerned. There was a bed, a table, three rough chairs, and an entirely inadequate square of carpet upon the floor. I have already said that it was a large room, and when I add that it was lighted only by two candles, which stood upon the table in the center, some idea will be formed of its general dreariness.

"Now, look here, Mr. Hayle," I said, "the time has come for us to have a serious talk together. You know as well as I do that in kidnaping me you are laying yourself open to very serious consequences. If you think that by so doing you are going to prevent me from eventually running you to earth, you are very much mistaken. You have obtained a temporary advantage over me, I will admit; but that advantage will not last. Do not flatter yourself that it will."

"I am not so sure upon that point," said Hayle, lighting a cigarette as he spoke. "If I did not think so I should not have gone to all this trouble and expense. But why make such a fuss about it? You must surely understand, Mr. Fairfax, that your profession necessarily entails risks. This is one of them. You have been paid to become my enemy. I had no personal quarrel with you. You can scarcely blame me, therefore, if I retaliate when I have an opportunity. I don't know what you may think of it, but the mere fact of your dining with me to-night is very likely to go hard with you, so far as your clients are concerned. Would it be a good advertisement for the famous George Fairfax to have it known that, while he was taking his clients' money, he was dining pleasantly in Paris with the man they were paying him to find? I laid my trap for you, but I must confess that I had not very much faith in its success. Your experience should have made you more wary. A student of human character, such as you are, should have known that the leopard cannot change his spots, or the tiger his—"

"If you continue in this strain much longer," I said, "I'll endeavor to stop your tongue, whatever it may cost me. Now, either let me out, or get out of the room yourself. I want to see no more of you while I am in this house."

He blew a cloud of smoke, and then answered nonchalantly:

"You had better occupy yourself thanking your stars that you are let off so easily. At one time I was tempted to have you put out of the way altogether. I am not quite certain it wouldn't be safer, even now. It could be done so easily, and no one would be any the wiser. I know two men now in Paris who would gladly run the risk for the sake of the ill-will they bear you. I must think it over."

"Then think it over on the other side of that door," I said, angrily. "Play the same traitorous trick on me as you did on Kitwater and Codd if you like, but you shall not stay in the same room with me now."

My reference to Kitwater and Codd must have touched him on a raw spot, for he winced, and then tried to bluff it off.

"I rather fancy Messrs. Kitwater and Codd will have just such kindly things to say concerning you in the future as they do about me now," he said, as he moved toward the door. "And now I wish you good-by. As I leave Paris almost immediately, I don't suppose I shall have the pleasure of seeing you again. For your own sake I should ad-

vised before me continually, gazing at me with sweet, reproachful eyes. Oh! what a fool I had been to accept that rascal's invitation! The more I thought of it, the angrier I became with myself. Now, goodness only knew how long I should be confined in this wretched place, and what would happen during my absence from the world!

At last the dawn broke, and with it a weird, sickly light penetrated the room. I sprang from my bed and approached the window, only to find that it overlooked a small courtyard, the latter being stone-flagged, and surrounded by high walls. I could see that, even if I were able to squeeze my way out between the bars, I should be powerless to scale the walls. At a rough guess these were at least 12 feet high, and without a foothold of any sort or description. This being so, I was completely at the mercy of the men in the house. Indeed, a rat caught in a trap was never more firmly laid by the heels than I. At about half-past seven o'clock a small trap-door, which I had not noticed near the ground and the main door, was opened, and a grimy hand made its way in and placed upon the floor a cup of coffee and a roll. Then it was closed once more and made secure. I drank the coffee and munched the roll, and, if the truth must be confessed, poor as they were, felt the better for both.

At midday a bowl of miserable soup was handed in; darkness, however, had fallen some considerable time before I could detect any sound in the hall outside that might be taken to mean the coming of my evening meal. At last there was a clatter of feet, the bolts shot back, the key turned in the lock, and the door opened. A man carrying a lantern entered, followed by two others, and as the light fell upon his face I uttered a cry of astonishment, for he was none other than my old friend Leglosse, while behind him was the infallible Lepallard.

"Well, thank goodness we have found you at last," cried Leglosse. "We have had such a hunt for you as man never dreamed of. I called at your apartments late last night, hoping to see you, on important business, but you had not returned from a dinner to which you had been invited. I called again this morning, and was informed by the concierge that they had, up to that moment, seen nothing of you. When the good Lepallard informed me that you had left the restaurant in a cab with M. Hayle, and that the latter had returned to his apartments this morning in a great hurry, only to leave them a short time after with his luggage for the railway station, I began to grow uneasy. You have no idea what a day I have had looking for you, but it has been well spent, since we have the pleasure of seeing you again."

[To Be Continued.]

HAVOC OF THE REMINISCENT.

An Invitation That Carried with It a Serious Reflection Upon a Family Trait.

It is only tactful people who should be allowed to give personal reminiscences, but unfortunately they are not the only ones, who do give them, says London Tit-Bits.

"How well I remember your father when I was a little girl!" lately said an elderly woman to a Newcastle clergyman. "He used to come to our house to dinner. We were always delighted to see him, children and all."

"That is very pleasant to hear," said the clergyman, with a smile; but the narrator remained gravely unconscious of his interruption.

"I remember what a hearty appetite he had," she continued, blandly. "It was a real pleasure to see him eat. Why, when mother would see him coming along the road she'd send me running out to the cook and say: 'Tell Mary to put on just twice as much of everything as she had planned, for here is Mr. Brown coming to dine with us!'"

The eminent son endeavored to preserve a proper expression of countenance at this interesting reminiscence, but his composure was sorely tried when, with great cordiality, the lady said:

"You are so much like your father! Won't you come home and dine with us after the service?"

He Did His Best.

The late Sir John Stainer, one of England's most celebrated musicians and composers, was once staying in a small Swiss village, and the English clergyman was on the lookout for a musician to assist at the service.

Stainer was in the office of the hotel when the clergyman found him, and started the conversation with: "Do you play the harmonium?"

"A little," was the reply of the organist of St. Paul's cathedral.

"Will you, then, be good enough to help us out of our difficulty on Sunday? We will read the Psalms, and the hymns shall be the simplest I can select," added the delighted parson.

"I will do my best," said Stainer, with a smile.

The service proceeded satisfactorily, but the congregation at the close listened to a brilliant recital. When the parson heard the name of his assistant he asked him to dinner. "Do you smoke?" he asked at the close.

"I will do my best," responded Stainer, and the ensuing laughter was the prologue of an entertaining exchange of Oxford reminiscences.—Youth's Companion.

A Sidewalk Prescription.

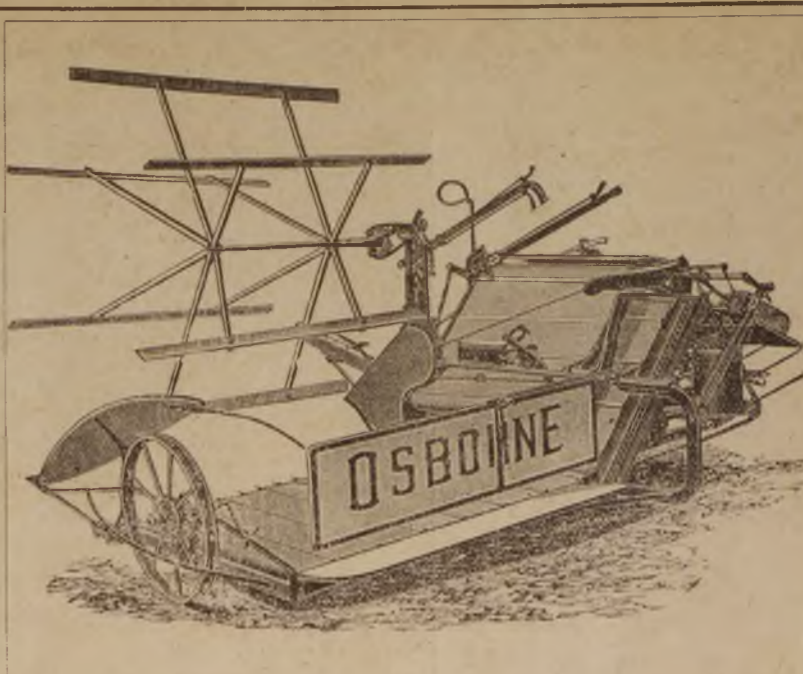
The busy doctor was hurrying down the street when he was stopped by a man noted for his ability to get "sidewalk" advice.

"I am thoroughly worn out, and sick and tired. What ought I to take?" asked the man.

"Take a cab," replied the unfeeling doctor.—N. Y. Times.



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A fine 240 acre farm within a mile of the Chicago & North-Western Railway junction and postoffice. Land lies slightly rolling and is perfectly clean; not any foul seed on the place. One-half mile frontage on Fox Lake, one of the finest resorts in Southern Minnesota. Ten acres of grove on the lake shore. Two-thousand-dollar cottage, built in 1891, overlooking the lake. Good farm buildings generally; all kinds of fruit. Thirty-five acres along lake shore fenced with six barb wires for pasture. Without exception the prettiest farm offered for sale here today. We have bought this ourselves and can make the price and terms right to the man that wants to buy an ideal home.

Others.

We have a fine list of improved and unimproved farms accessible from Sherburn that we can offer at prices ranging from \$40 to \$60 an acre. All of the best bargains are offered through our agency. We own and are offering for sale ourselves over 2,000 acres, while we have exclusive control of at least 10,000 acres. Write to or call on us if you want to make a good investment or buy a home.

MARTIN COUNTY.

MARTIN COUNTY is geographically located in the southern tier of Minnesota counties, next to the Iowa line, 200 miles west of the Mississippi river. It has long been recognized as one of the garden spots of the Northwest and in the past year the fact has been emphasized by the unprecedented boom and influx of the best class of Illinois farmers. The country has now lost all appearance of newness and is as well developed as DeKalb county. We have German and Scandinavian communities, as well as mixed settlements where the Yankees predominate. The beautiful lakes scattered throughout the county are one of the most attractive features of the landscape.

The soil is a heavy black loam from 2 to 4 feet deep, overlaid with a clay subsoil. This combined with one of the finest climates enables us to make a most favorable

Crop Bulletin.

Corn--Condition above the average at this time of the year. Acreage more than 10 per cent greater than any year before. Sixty bushels an acre was a frequently stated yield last season. Prospects are better, if anything, this year.

Oats--Extra heavy straw; well headed and filled. All standing fine. Will be harvested next week. Big yield assured.

Barley--Harvested. Extra good crop.

Timothy Hay--The best ever cut, and weather conditions most favorable for curing.

Potatoes--A bumper crop in sight.

ANOTHER.

The S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of 17-101-32.

One hundred and eighty acres four miles from two good towns. Land lies almost level and is in a fine state of cultivation. Improvements are fair; now occupied by recent owner. Farms in this neighborhood are selling as high as \$70 an acre. We own this ourselves, and until August 1 only are offering it at \$50 on terms that will surprise you.

MORE.

We have a large list in Swift County, 100 miles west of St. Paul. This county is still in the corn belt and will likely remain so for several years to come. The best farms are selling from \$25 to \$40. Write us for our list.

In the Great Bend country of North Dakota, between the Knife and Missouri rivers, we have as fine lands as lie in the open air, that we can retail at from \$5 to \$10 an acre; $\frac{1}{4}$ cash and the balance in four equal annual payments. Write us or see our local agent.

EVERYTHING LOOKS THE BEST EVER KNOWN - - - - MARTIN COUNTY NEVER HAD A CROP FAILURE!

A DeKalb county investor in Martin county lands, through our agency, cleared up \$2,000 cash on a 240 acre investment in a little over 11 months. This country has a good future. You can do as he did. Call on us. Yours truly,

STUART SHERMAN, KINGSTON, ILL., LOCAL AGENT.

Martin County **Chas. Uplinger & Son** Sherburn, Minn.

DE KALB NOTES

Miss Nora Gleason is on the sick list.

A. Smith spent Sunday in Hampshire.

A baby girl is a member of V. A. Glidden's family.

Mrs. Garnet Pearl spent Sunday with Malta relatives.

R. N. Leslie is entertaining his mother from Chicago.

Miss Cora Wagner spent Sunday with Chicago friends.

Allen Tyler returned Saturday from a trip to lake Mackinac.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Wiswall are home from a trip to Colorado.

Miss Cora Fiscus is home from a visit with friends in Indiana.

Miss Helen Perry of Chicago is the guest of Mrs. A. W. Fiske.

Mrs. Wm. Brown is entertaining her sister from Niles, Mich.

Mrs. Arthur Hiland is suffering from a severe attack of tonsillitis.

Miss Edith Huckins of Rockford is the guest of Miss Louise Brown.

F. Mosher and family are enjoying a week's outing at McHenry.

Misses Lou and Jeanette Allen of Chicago are visiting DeKalb relatives.

Miss Mabel and Hattie Coey of Chicago are visiting Miss Neva Terwilliger.

H. A. Pond and wife of Iowa were guests of Judge W. L. Pond over Sunday.

Miss Halle Wright is slowly recovering from a severe attack of heart trouble.

Miss Helen Baldwin entertained a party of girl friends Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. F. J. Flush is entertaining her niece, Miss Mittman, of Minden, Nebraska.

Miss Stenquist of Chicago is the guest of her cousin, Miss Josephine Erickson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Lott and Mayor and Mrs. Brown spent Sunday at Fox lake.

Miss Lizzie Hiland left Monday for a two weeks' visit with her brother at Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Hanrahn and son, George, are guests of relatives at Green Bay, Wis.

Miss Minnie Whalen of St. Charles will be the guest of Miss Minnie Riddell this week.

Misses Pearl Cheney and Gertrude Condon are home from a two weeks' visit in Gibson City, Iowa.

James P. Low was in town Saturday to select a site for the new postoffice. He was accompanied by Congressman A. J. Hopkins.

Miss Harriet Colburn entertained at cards Friday evening in honor of Miss Arnold of Austin and Miss Bekemeyer of Springfield.

BURLINGTON

Frank Sweet is able to return to work.

Fred Weed of Hampshire was a caller Monday.

L. Shefneer went to Elgin last Thursday on business.

Winings & Buck have completed a well for I. J. Mix.

George Miller was a Chicago visitor Saturday and Sunday.

H. L. Godfrey and O. Koch were Chicago visitors Tuesday.

Henry Rafferty was a Chicago visitor Tuesday and Wednesday.

Lois Sweet visited several days with Fin Smith of Pingree Grove.

C. B. Godfrey and B. Stuter were in Genoa on business Friday.

Mrs. Ada Smith spent Thursday with her son, Cecil, in Chicago.

Louis Shefneer and Frank Sweet drove to Dundee on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry of Elgin visited the former's folks over Sunday.

Chas. Dois of Chicago was visiting Albert Davis for the past week.

Peryl Smith and Clara Walker attended the teachers' institute in Dundee Tuesday.

Miss Bert Sweet returned from an extended visit with Kansas friends Wednesday.

Miss Marie Wright returned to her home in Saybrook after a two weeks' visit with Mrs. Ada Smith.

Thursday an inmate of Elgin asylum escaped and walked here. He was captured by one of the attendants.

Frank Van Dusen and Mary Van Holden of Green Bay, Wis., were united in marriage Monday in Sycamore.

Eddie Seyler and Effie Engle were married July 23 at Sycamore from there they went to Chicago and returned to Burlington on Monday.

The Man-Eating Lion.

Everybody in Christendom has heard and read of Wallace, the fierce man-eating lion which escaped from his cage in New York some few years ago and held the city in a reign of terror for sixty hours and was finally found in a stable where he had killed and partly devoured a horse. The authorities wanted to shoot him, but the daring Captain Bocaccia, of the Bostock-Ferari force of trainers, begged to be allowed to attempt his capture, and finally succeeded by means of rope lassoes. Three weeks later he entered the cage in an attempt to train him and was torn to pieces. Since then three other trainers have perished beneath his mighty paws. It is said he killed four men before he was brought to this country. He is, without question, the most ferocious and bloodthirsty of his kind ever seen in captivity, but at the same time the handsomest specimen of the black-maned African lion ever captured. Time and time again he has been doomed to death, but each and every time his magnificently majestic appearance has saved him. He will be seen at Elgin with the Bostock-Ferari mighty midway shows the week of the Elks carnival, Aug. 25-30.

A. M. Rothschilds, founder of the A. M. Rothschilds company and a prominent Chicago merchant, committed suicide at his home in Chicago, July 28. Ill health is supposed to have been the cause.

One year, one Dollar.

Special Assessment Notice.

Notice is hereby given, to all persons interested, that the Board of Trustees of the Village of Genoa, DeKalb county, Illinois, having ordered that a local improvement be made consisting of an extension to the system of water mains and fire hydrants to be laid in parts of State and Jackson streets, in said village, according to the ordinance of said village for the same, approved May 14, 1902, now on file in the office of the village clerk of said village, and said Village of Genoa having applied to the county court of DeKalb county, Illinois, for an assessment of the cost of said improvement, according to benefits, and an assessment thereof having been made and returned to said court the final hearing thereon will be had on the 12th day of August, A. D. 1902, at the hour or 10 o'clock a. m. or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit. All persons desiring may file objections in said court before said day and may appear on the hearing and make their defense.

Said assessment is made payable in five yearly installments and the deferred installments will bear five per cent interest. Dated Genoa, Illinois, July 22, 1902. C. B. Crawford, Officer appointed to make assessment.

A Perfect Bonanza

For economical women--those Monday sales at Theo. F. Swan's great department store, Elgin.

Floods have caused great damage along the Illinois river.

Pleasantly Entertained.

A pleasant party was given in honor of Mrs. Chas. Stott of Des-plaines last Saturday at the home of Mrs. C. H. Wager. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wager, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stott, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Harlo, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hall, Mesdames E. Stiles, H. H. Slater, and Miss Maggie Slater.

GENOA AND SYCAMORE BUS LINE

Leave Genoa at 9 a. m. daily.

Leave Sycamore at 4 p. m. daily.

PARCELS DELIVERED, 10c

FARE:

One way, 35c; round trip, 50c.

Chas. Geithman

Tel. 45---GENOA, ILL.

We would be glad to put your name on The Republican list. It is only a Dollar a year--Cheap enough, is it not?

News from County Seat

Miss Grace Crosby is home from a visit at Janesville.

Robert Holmes, clerk for B. M. Calkins, is taking a week's vacation.

Elthom Rogers and family left the first of the week for a month's vacation at Carp Lake, Wis.

William Fulton, our popular second baseman, is at Hartford City, Ind., on an extended visit.

About 400 attended the moonlight picnic given by the Beckas at Mill Creek last Friday.

The city is about to lay a sewer on DeKalb avenue. The funds will be raised by special assessment.

Circuit Clerk Armstrong will erect a residence on Somanuk street south of John Adees' new house.

C. F. Barnes of Chicago, who purchased the Hatcher sheep sheds about a year ago, has moved his family to Sycamore.

The total value of personal property in Genoa township assessed for 1902 is \$452,850 a decrease of \$6835 from the 1901 assessment.

Several cars of rails have arrived for the DeKalb-Sycamore electric line and are being scattered along the right of way. Over a mile of track is laid in DeKalb.

The Elgin district of the Free Methodist church will hold a camp meeting in Marsh's grove in the west part of town from August 12 to 21. The meetings will be conducted by the district elder B. D. Fay.

The DeKalb County Telephone company at a meeting last week voted to increase their capital stock from \$50,800 to \$100,000. The stock will not be sold at once but will be put on the market only as the funds are needed for extensions of the system. The stock now out is paying six per cent and is considered a good investment by those holding it.

Licenses

Edw Seyler, Burlington, 22.
Effie M Engel, Burlington, 19.
Jas C Wiltse, DeKalb, 23.
Hedvig Jacobson, DeKalb, 17.
Wm E Perry, Sycamore, 22.
Nina B Bagley, Earlville, 22.
Carl E Roose, Sycamore, 33.
Hattie E Lesander, Sycamore, 30.

Probate Court.

Estate of—
Emery G Wallis. Wm Calligan appointed guardian, bond \$7000; Wm Calligan appointed adminis-

trator, bond \$ 000; appraisers S P Wangler, M Ballou and Burton Cook; October term for claims.

Philena Stephens. Expense account of J B Stephens, admr, allowed at \$230.

Julia Gross. Final report approved; leave given executor to make distribution as prayed.

E Q Sumner. Report approved; just and true account approved.

James Riddle. Claim of H B Rowan allowed at \$43.40.

Peleg S Winslow. Proof of notice to creditors.

Geo W Severance. Final report approved; estate declared settled and administratrix discharged.

Louis Suppes. Guardian's inventory approved.

In the matter of petition for special assmt for sewer DeKalb ave, Sycamore; filed; order appointing commissioner as per draft filed this day.

Drainage dist No 1, Victor. Expense account of Fred Legner allowed at \$11.11.

Transfers

Patrick Kennedy to Albert and Gusta Nelson, pt n e quar, n e quar, sec 23, Cortland, \$300.

August Larson and wf to E F Shellaberger, lot 14, bl 2, W L Ellwood's, DeKalb, \$250.

Ella Steele and hus to E F Shellaberger, lot 11, bl 2, W L Ellwood's, DeKalb, \$20.

Chas Sivwright to G W Dunton, lot 8 ang 9, bl 6 Waterman & Ellwood's, South Sycamore, \$1.

Jonathan Ledoyt to E F Ledoyt, lots 2 and 3, bl 8, Stinson's, Sandwich, \$500.

David J Armstrong to Lillie Thompson, lot 13 and w half 12, bl 2, Castle's, Sandwich, \$125.

Trustees Finnish Evan Luth ch to Majakka, s 30 ft, lot 3, bl 9, Gilson's, DeKalb, \$50.

Chas H Beach and wf to G W Dunton, lot 6, bl 2, Young's, Sycamore, \$2000.

W L Pond and wf to E F Shellaberger, lots, 1, 2 and 3, bl 2, W L Ellwood's, DeKalb, \$550.

John Young and wf to E F Shellaberger, lot 11, bl 2 W L Ellwood's, DeKalb, \$60.

Jacob Spansail and wf to Mrs L A Ellithorpe, land on s w quar, s e quar, sec 23, Genoa, \$60.

W S Granger et al to Lewis Decker, lots 7 and 8, and e half 9, bl F, Kirkland, \$1000.

Kingston Notes.

By Harry S. Heckman.

L. C. Shaffer was a Genoa visitor last Friday.

Fred Helsdon is a guest of relatives in Rockford.

Walter Ackerman of Chicago is visiting his parents here.

Miss Edith Tindall of Kirkland spent Monday in Kingston.

Rev. E. S. Holm and daughter of Kirkland were here Monday.

Elmer Bacon and A. L. Fuller had business in Clare on Monday.

George Robinson of Sycamore spent Saturday here with friends.

Mrs. David Moyers of Nebraska is a guest at John Moyers' this week.

Prof. A. L. Thorpe was here from Flagg several days last week.

Roy Gibbs of Hampshire was a visitor here several days last week.

Will Winchester of Malta spent Thursday at the home of John Moyers.

Miss Gladys Vosburg is visiting her grandparents in Maple Park this week.

Mrs. O. W. Vickell and Miss Rosa Taylor are visiting relatives at Durand.

G. M. LaShelle spent Wednesday in Shannon.

J. J. Sheley was a Chicago passenger on Friday.

H. R. Fuller is a guest of his son at Bristol this week.

Walter Poust of Sandwich was a visitor here Wednesday.

Miss Florence Kepple of Belvidere was a Tuesday visitor.

Miss Lizzie McDonald is sick at her home in the country.

Miss Alice Pratt of Waukegan is spending the week in Kingston.

Mrs. A. N. Wyllys is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jas. Gross at Esmond.

A. L. Fuller and Stuart Sherman had business in Herbert on Tuesday.

Pierce Ort and wife and Miss Maggie Miller were Genoa visitors on Monday.

Mrs. John Moyers and daughter were guests of Fairdale relatives Wednesday.

E. W. Johnson of Beloit was here Tuesday in the interest of the Beloit academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Lethin of Elgin were guests of Mrs. Chas. Marshall on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Landis and Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Smith were visitors in Genoa over Sunday.

Mrs. Dexter, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Whitney the past week, returned to her home in Chicago Tuesday.

The many Kingstonites who camped in Epworth Grove the past two weeks returned on Tuesday and reported a very pleasant time.

About twenty-five young folks attended a surprise party at Walter Rubeck's home in the country on Thursday evening. All report a pleasant time.

Mrs. A. L. Smith of Sycamore and sister, Mrs. Arthur Wheeler, of Belvidere were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Smith on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Henry Lanam returned from Sherburn, Minn., on Tuesday evening. She was accompanied by Mrs. Chas. Uplinger, who will visit with relatives here.

Eugene Loudon and family of Chicago were guests of friends here on Monday.

Miss Maude Patterson of Rochelle is a guest of Misses Edna and Zada Tazewell.

Postmaster Hix and grandson, Raymond Ackley, attended the ball game in Sycamore last Thursday.

Misses Marjorie Rowen and Louisa Stewart of Genoa were guests of Mrs. F. R. Rowen on Friday.

Mrs. Wallace McDonald and daughter, Florence, of Elgin were visiting relatives in North Kingston last week.

Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Tupper, who have visited Geo. Pratt and family during the week returned to Chicago on Monday.

Guy Harrington and family are now nicely located in their new home in the village. They are living in the George Wyllys house.

JOKELETS

by our jokesmith

Everybody's baby is bad but yours.

It is safe to predict rain for August.

It isn't so much a woman's looks as her ways.

The Republican is guarded—he have a Pickett next door.

Genoa's locomobile probably so called because it is local.

The young man that attempted to unfasten his collar one night last week about 12 o'clock will probably sue the electrical light company for damages.

Did the sermon please all its hearers? If so, something was lacking in it.

Genoa street is said to be noisy of late. A movement is on foot to deaden the sound—deaden the people first.

It would be worth knowing to learn what some women see in some men that make them want to marry them.

Sycamore and DeKalb will soon be connected by an electric road. Both are sure they will not be rode over in the future probably because the line terminates at each town.

Mosquito Cinches.

See those pretty lace stripe and fancy colored hose for Oxford wear at Theo. F. Swan's, Elgin.

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Dry Goods Groceries
Boots and Shoes

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We carry the Queen Quality Shoe. The price all over is \$3.00



We are Sole Agents in Genoa for this high grade of Footwear

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For a Cool Drink. Anything in the line of soft drinks, from a glass of water to an ice cream soda.

Cream furnished for Parties, Socials, Etc.

Big reduction on PLUG TOBACCO for ten days. Don't miss it.

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If you are ready To equip yourself with the necessary summer articles for your home, lawn or garden don't forget that we have just what you need along this line.

Lawn Hose Garden Tools
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To the People of Genoa and Vicinity

We want to call your attention to a few things which may be of interest to you. There are a great many things in our line of goods such as **CLOTHING, FURNISHING GOODS, HATS**, etc., which you cannot get at home for the simple reason that the town is not large enough to support a store big enough to carry a full assortment of everything in Men's wear. When you want a good assortment of up-to-date goods you have to go away from home to get it, and where do you go? If you have been in habit of buying goods in Chicago, change over just for once and give us a call. We will meet Chicago prices on everything in our line as we are in position to do it, and besides

we guarantee everything we sell

If goods do not give you satisfaction, you can have them replaced or your money back if you want it. Your fare does not cost you much to come here and you are almost certain to find what you want, as we carry a stock that would do credit to a city of 25,000 inhabitants. Buy what you can at home and what you can not get at home, buy it in your own county as long as you can do as well, or better than you can outside of the county. We have come here to stay, and already we have found that the people of the north part of the county appreciate our effort to please the public. Yours truly,

Anderson Bros.  Sycamore