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## CAMP MEETINGS AT GROVE

Summer Session to Open Thursday  
August 4, 1904

### BARETT'S PATRIOTIC ADDRESS

Genoa People Are Planning to Camp at  
Epworth Grove—Flag Day will  
Mark the Opening

The Rockford district camp-meetings will open at Epworth Grove, Illinois, six miles east of Belvidere, on August 4 and continue for ten days.

The cottages already erected make Epworth Grove quite a thriving village. They number in the neighborhood of sixty, and with the dormitory are capable of housing over 600. A camp-meeting, however, is not complete without tents, so nearly all the available space is used for this purpose.

The special days are as follows: Flag Day, August 4. Evangelist Barrett will deliver the address. Missionary Day, August 12. On this date three services will be held. On Epworth League day, Evangelist Barrett will deliver the address of the afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. H. V. Holt, pastor of the Centennial church, Rockford, will lead the Bible studies.

In regard to the evangelistic work by Rev. Barrett, the following from Rev. C. H. Stocking, D. D., pastor of the Belmont Ave. Methodist Episcopal church at Youngston, Ohio, will be of interest to many. "His preaching commanded attention from the opening sermon. His arguments are strong and convincing and his fund of illustrations enables him with rare ability to attract his hearers and to illuminate and to impress truth. His strong personality, his mastery of human nature, his uncompromising loyalty to righteousness, and his heart so full of love toward God and love of immortal souls, have all combined in making him eminently fitted for the work to which he has been divinely called."

As is usually the case, a small admission fee will be charged; season tickets, 50c and single admission 10c.

The junior camp meeting services will be in charge of Rev. N. J. Harkness of Marengo, who is a specialist in this kind of a service. A junior camp meeting choir will also be organized.

Many Genoa people are making preparations to camp at the grove during the entire session.

### Eastern Star Picnic

The Eastern Star societies of Genoa, Kingston, Kirkland, DeKalb and Sycamore will hold a union picnic at Stuart's grove, Kingston, Thursday, August 4. Coffee, lemonade and ice cream may be secured on the grounds.

### Inquiry About the Next Game

A letter was received the other day from August Damm inquiring about the next game of ball in Genoa, as he was visiting in this locality from his home in Wisconsin. The manager stated that the next game would be played Saturday, July 30, with the All Stars of Belvidere and that it would be fast ball. In reply the same August writes that he will bring the whole Damm family as the Damm boys are lovers of good ball.

## SEVENTEENTH ANNIVERSARY

W. C. T. U. Held Meeting at Church Parlor last Saturday

The Genoa W. C. T. U. held their seventeenth anniversary in the M. E. church parlors Saturday afternoon, July 23, in the form of a due social.

The treasurer had sent out neat invitations with a little sack enclosed to put the one dollar dues in and be returned on that day. It was responded to by nearly every member and of the twenty-six of those who had not paid their dues before were there ready to respond to roll call which was responded to by reading selections regarding the work or a verse of scripture or in some other way, Rev. Ream speaking of the beloved Frances Willard and the great work she had done for humanity as his response.

After scripture reading by Mrs. M. J. Patterson of the Crusade Psalm and prayer by Rev. Ream, Miss Belle Holroyd favored the audience with some instrumental music and one verse of "Rock of Ages" was sung by the audience. Miss Ruth Crawford favored them with instrumental music, after which the president read her annual address showing that the work was progressing slowly but surely and the general report over the world is encouraging and we claim that we are a part of the great white ribbon army who are working for "God and home and every land" and doing the best to our ability whatever our hands find to do.

Attention was called to the W. C. T. U. on the wheel quilt which the ladies had made and filled with names, the proceeds to be put in the emergency fund to be used for purchasing flowers, paying a speaker or helping any sick or those in need or any other use connected with the work. The quilt is now at the home of Mrs. Abbie Patterson and is for sale.

After a dainty lunch and a good social time all departed for their respective homes glad as Frances Willard used to say, "We belong to this grand army and determined to stand firm for the cause if we can no more than count one, pay our dues and wear the white ribbon."

### New Lebanon Grain Market

Barley and rye harvested and a few lots threshed out. The yield is about 40 bu. per acre and the quality is good. The elevator company shipped their first car of new grain last Monday. One car of barley, for which they paid 40 cents a bushel, was shipped. Oat harvest is progressing well, and will nearly be finished this week. Farmers report a light yield. Corn is looking splendid.

### Grain Market

Corn .....44c  
Oats.....35c  
Rye.....60c  
Barley.....40c

L. S. ELLITHORPE.

### Kirkland Reds at Sycamore

The Kirkland Reds, who have a long list of victories hanging at their belt this year, will play the Sycamore team at that place Sunday, July 31. The Reds have won a game from them and undoubtedly can do it again.

### Notice to Teachers

The DeKalb County Teachers' annual institute will be held in Sycamore August 8 to 12. The instructors will be Prof. Frank H. Hall, Prof. John A. Keith, Prof. Fred A. Charles and Miss Elizabeth Eagan of the Rock Island primary school.

## FOUNDATION IS UNSTABLE

Elgin Papers State Smallpox Came from Genoa

### STATEMENT BY LOCAL AGENT

Clipping from the Elgin Daily News in  
Regard to Smallpox in that City  
—Cases Looked After

Smallpox exists at Elgin. Such is the news printed these days by the several dailies of that place, and by the public in general is believed to be true.

The substance of a statement printed in the Elgin Daily News one day last week is one which is entirely untrue. Through this medium the report was placed in circulation that the infection was brought from Genoa.

It is true that laundry has been sent to Elgin, but great care has been taken by those sending the same in that no laundry has ever been received from homes where smallpox existed. E. H. Browne, local agent for the Improved Laundry of Elgin, indignantly denies having sent laundry from these homes, and furthermore in justice to the Elgin laundry and the people of Genoa, wishes to state that clothing sent there came from homes several blocks distant from the place where smallpox existed.

It will be well to understand at this point that Genoa had taken every precaution toward the blotting out of the disease and accomplished as much. The quarantine was lifted a week ago, which goes to inform the public that all cases have fully recovered. The stand which the Elgin papers took in regard to the spreading of the disease would give their readers to believe that Genoa had taken extremely poor charge of the cases in her town. The foundation of this report is unstable.

In regard to the smallpox at Elgin the Daily News says, "While neither doctors nor city officials fear an epidemic of the disease, it has been deemed advisable to take measures to assist in confining cases to the building where the patients are now lying. Members of the health committee have issued the notice in order that the people might know of the situation and understand what measures should be taken to prevent a spread of the disease."

### Howard Shannon Dead

At his home in Kirkland Tuesday morning, Howard Shannon passed away after a lingering illness of lung trouble. He had been confined to his bed for the past three months and the end did not come unexpectedly. He is survived by a son and a daughter. Mr. Shannon was widely known throughout this section.

### Secured Highest Rating

George Reed of Herbert has received notification from George H. Hurt, superintendent of the exhibit of the Illinois Commission to the Louisiana Purchase exposition, to the effect that George A. Cutter of the Shattuck's Grove creamery has secured the highest rating of Illinois contestants in the butter-making competition. Mr. Cutter's rating of 96½ places him in the rank of the best butter makers of the country, and he has good cause for congratulating himself in securing such an excellent grade in this contest.

## BUTTER 17 CENTS

No Change in Price—Sales on the Board of Trade

Twenty-five tubs of butter sold at 17 cents, the same as last week. On the remaining 100 tubs offered at 16½ was bid. Market was declared firm at 17.

### Hear Sam P. Jones

Hear Sam P. Jones in "The Only" at the Sycamore Chautauqua Monday, August 22. Mrs. John A. Logan will be there Monday, August 15. Father L. J. Vaughan, the dramatic orator, and Dr. Thomas E. Green, the noted divine, will speak at the Sunday sessions. Look over the programs and you will find that in the eleven days there will be over thirty lectures and addresses and thirty-two concerts. Then there are the impersonators, magicians and many other attractions, all for \$1.50, less than 2½ cents a session. If you cannot take all in you can go one day and hear at least two lectures, four concerts, etc., for only 25 cents by taking your lunch and staying on the grounds. There are two Sundays—two big days—that you cannot afford to miss. Reduced rates on all railroads, Remember the Sycamore Chautauqua from August 15 to 22.

### Rev. Earngy to Preach Sunday

The services at the M. E. churches of Genoa charge will be of special interest next Sunday both at Genoa and Ney. Rev. Dr. Earngy, presiding elder of the Rockford district, will preach at Ney in the afternoon and at Genoa in the evening. There will be special singing at both places. The Genoa choir will render several special selections at both morning and evening services and the Ney choir will render several selections in the afternoon.

Dr. Earngy will have some very important announcements to make concerning the Camp Epworth meetings.

### M. E. Church Notes

Rev. Samuel Earngy of Rockford will preach at the Ney church next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The choir of the Ney M. E. church will meet at the church for rehearsal on Friday evening of each week.

There will be a very interesting Epworth League service next Sunday evening at 6:30 in the League rooms.

Preaching services at the Charter Grove M. E. church next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. J. E. DeLong.

Choir rehearsal will be held at the M. E. church Saturday evening at 7:45. All members are expected to be present.

The Sunday schools of Genoa township are preparing for a township convention to be held about the middle of August.

The fourth quarterly conference of the Genoa M. E. churches will be held at the church parlors in Genoa on Saturday evening at 7:30.

The prayer meetings at Genoa are of special interest. Last Thursday evening there were about fifty who attended the meeting.

Services will be held next Sunday morning and evening at the M. E. church at the usual time. Morning preaching services at 10:30. Evening service at 7:30. Rev. T. E. Ream will preach at the morning service, and Rev. Samuel Earngy at the evening service. Special singing at both services.

## GRAND SHOOT AT PARK

J. C. Young and C. A. Goding to Prove Best Marksmanship

### BALL GAME WITH ALL STARS

Game with Belvidere Team to Be Called Promptly at 2:30—Record of Other Games in County

One of the events of the season which will interest alike the "crack shot" and the base ball fan will attract many to the ball park, Saturday, July 30.

The first number on the program outlined for the day is the grand shoot in which J. C. Young, proprietor of the Commercial Hotel, and C. A. Goding are the sole actors. Live pigeons will be used and a purse of \$10 a side has been offered to make the contest more interesting.

Manager Goding has secured a date with the All Stars of Belvidere and they will be here with the goods—a few good wallops with the willow—netting them the victory. The All Stars have been playing some 2 to 1 games this summer and coming out victoriously.

Popular music by the Genoa band will enliven matters and help to make the day more enjoyable. One admission will admit to both events. Come out and spend a good half day in Genoa.

At Kirkland Sunday, the Rockford Drexels defeated the Reds in a slugging match, the score being 13 to 11. The Reds will play the strong Sycamore team next Sunday at Electric Park.

DeKalb defeated Sycamore on Sunday, 7 to 6.

Hinckley failed to get a game with Maple Park last Sunday. Maple Park has not won a game this season and it is thought they will drop from the league.

Genoa was defeated by the Y. M. C. A. of DeKalb at that place last Saturday. The score was 7 to 1.

## EUREKA NOTES

Phil Lenz and Frank Cummings visited in Rockford and Belvidere Sunday.

Fred Ruehlman entertained his sister and a friend from Chicago over Sunday.

Mr. Messinger, son and daughter of Chicago spent Sunday at the Hansen home.

Miss Effie Canman is spending a two weeks vacation at St. Louis and other points in Missouri.

Miss Maude Millard entertained Mr. Adams of Elgin Friday and Saturday of last week.

Miss Kennedy went to Rockford to meet Miss Moan who was returning from a two weeks vacation at Ruthven and Charles City, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Robbins went to Chicago Friday, the former returning Sunday evening. Mrs. Robbins will remain for a week's visit.

### Eva Santee Is Married

Cards have been received announcing the marriage of Miss Eva Santa of Sherburn, Minn., to William H. Pennington of Winnipeg, Canada, on July 21. Miss Santee formerly made her home on the Ellwood farm, a mile south of Henrietta.

## NEWS OF THE VICINITY

Interesting Notes from the Near-by Publications—Wise and Otherwise

The Aurora Chautauqua will be held August 12-21 and a splendid program has been arranged.

The rural free delivery routes out of Nunda will soon be abolished unless there is a decided increase in the patronage.

The All Stars of Belvidere played an interesting game of ball with the Harvard team last Friday defeating them 2 to 1.

There are about thirty automobiles in Elgin. Under a recent ruling they will be compelled to pay a license fee of \$2.50 and carry a number in large figures.

The Oliver typewriter factory at Woodstock has again resumed work but are only running eight hours a day. They are making about seventy-five machines a day.

Mrs. Geo. Ransley, an old settler of Boone county, passed away at her home in Belvidere Monday. She had resided in Spring township for forty-four years.

While swimming in Fox river at St. Charles last Sunday evening, Gust. Kronquist, a victim of heart disease, succumbed and went down in fifteen feet of water. He was employed at the St. Charles condensed milk factory and leaves a wife and four children.

A new hospital for insane is about completed in Watertown, Rock Island county. This new institution will allow more room at the Elgin asylum for the insane patients from Ogle, Stephenson, Lee, Peoria and Cook counties which will be withdrawn from Elgin and taken to Watertown. Five hundred and seventy-seven patients from these counties are at present quartered in the Elgin hospital and their removal will give much needed room.

John M. Roach, accompanied by a representative of eastern capitalists and an expert civil engineer, Mr. Matlock, visited Belvidere last week to look over the ground and consider the routes for the electric line which is to be constructed without delay between Belvidere and Elgin. The road will be one of the finest equipped interurban lines in the United States. The promoters have already secured options on the magnificent cars now on exhibition at the St. Louis fair, which are claimed to be the most elegant in the world. They can have these splendidly equipped palaces after the fair comes to a close.

### Shoe Factory Notes

Ed. Penny is on the sick list. Inspector Pratt was here Monday.

Wm. Quinn spent Sunday in Chicago.

J. May transacted business in Chicago Saturday.

Fred Pickett began work at the shoe factory Monday.

Frank Shultz is again at work after a two weeks vacation.

On Wednesday morning, 1480 pairs of samples were shipped to Chicago.

Arnold Wills, employed at the factory for some time, is now with E. A. Sowers & Co.

E. Adler went to Chicago Monday. He met his wife there and they left for St. Louis to visit a few days at the fair.

Ray Savery injured his hand one day last week while loading boxes into a St. Paul car. He resumed work this week.

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**Cleveland's Theater, Chicago**

Mr. Cleveland's original greater vaudeville is the talk of the amusement loving public, as well as the entire profession, not only in Chicago and vicinity, but throughout the entire world. The high standard of the performances established is being lived up to, with the result that Cleveland's theater is always crowded. One surprise follows another and the magnitude of the bills presented week after week seems limitless. Mr. Cleveland's name is today a household word, and associated with it is the remark, "he gives the greatest shows in the world."

For week beginning Sunday matinee, July 31, Manager Cleveland offers one of the strongest bills he has yet presented. The leading feature will be the wonderful Rossow Midgets, indisputably the greatest of all European sensations. These diminutive bits of humanity are marvels, Frank the older being scarcely three feet high, while Charles his brother is but two feet eight inches tall. They present an acrobatic novelty, finishing their act with a boxing contest which has been the talk of every city where they have appeared. Professor Macart's wonderful dog and monkey comedians will do much to gladden the hearts of the children. Emmett Devoy & Company will present a pleasing sketch. They come directly to this popular temple of amusement from Belasco's theater in New York City. Billy Link, the famous monologue comedian, will tell his original funny stories and sing topical songs. The two Avolos, the greatest gymnasts in the world, perform on the perpendicular bars and show to what extent the laws of gravitation may be violated without physical harm coming to the performer. Lloyd & Lawrence, high class vocalists, new here, will sing new songs. And last but not least, Ernest Hogan, the "Beau Brummel" of colored aristocracy, will present his specialty which has been the talk of Europe, America, Australia and South Africa. As usual there will be two performances daily, at 2:15 and 8:15 p. m. Matinee prices 10, 15, 25, 35 and 50 cents. Evening prices 10 to 75 cents.

**Barnum & Bailey Shows**

Already the public is congratulating itself upon the fact that it is to have the Barnum & Bailey Greatest Show on Earth this season. The date has been positively set for July 29, 1904, and a great crowd as well as a great circus day are anticipated. Elgin will be the only city in this vicinity where this greatest of all big shows will exhibit this year, and naturally there is a great deal of local interest in the event. Inquiries at the ticket offices of the various transportation lines elicit the information that special cheap rate tickets to the show will be on sale circus day, and that large numbers of people in this locality will take advantage of the opportunity to see the big exhibition. They will go expecting to see a great performance as well as a splendid exposition of zoological and other displays, and, judging from the unanimous verdict of the newspapers in New York City and elsewhere, they will not be disappointed. The comments of the New York press the day after the annual opening at Madison Square Garden were laudatory in the extreme. The Sun declared: "It is the best show that ever struck this town."

The performance is original from beginning to end. It opens with a magnificent reproduction

of the "Durbar at Delhi," the most gorgeous picture of Oriental pageantry and coloring ever attempted, and closes with a series of sensational and hotly contested modern and ancient racing events. The intervening circus program is complete with startling novelties. A great company of 300 performers from all parts of the world presents all that is best and most startling, and forty clowns make the great hippodrome track resound with frequent and hilarious merriment. The greatest sensational acts are the marvelous feats of Volo, the Volitant, in riding the aerial arch, and of the famous Ancillotti in turning a somersault on a wheel while looping the gap. The menagerie, with its thirty elephants, its herd of four giraffes and its fifty cages of other rare animals, is in itself a great exhibition. The circus engagement will be introduced with a monster free street parade.

**Clearing Sale Prices**

3 styles regular \$1.00 Night Gowns 70, 79, 89c; \$1.98, \$2.29 Shirt Waists, white only, reduced to 98c, \$1.29; Child's Wash Jackets, sizes 2 to 5, 49c; elegant \$15.00 Silk Shirt Waist Suits \$8.49; Linen Unbleached Crash 6c yd; fine White Madras Shirt Waist Suits, clearance price 75c per suit; Men's all silk Four-in-hand Ties 10c; Ladies' Fine Vici Kid and Patent Colt Oxfords, all styles of \$2.50 grades, \$1.98; plain Kid Lace Oxfords 49c; silk Petticoats \$4.49.

Handsome Steel Grey, Black and Blue, all wool Mohair Skirts, new styles of \$3.75 grades, clearance price \$1.98; White Duck and Crash Skirts reduced in price to \$7, 98 and \$1.29; 32x16 in. Linen Tuck Towels 10c; Ladies' Shirt Waist Suits, Black and White Lawns, choice 63c; Gingham, Madras and Crash Suits, worth up to \$4.50, \$1.98 and \$2.69; Black Lawn Waists choice 49c; sale of Dressing Sacks 25c.

Men's Suits, summer weights, all wools, clearance prices \$5.00 and \$6.50; odd Summer Coats 98c; Men's Crash Outing Suits, specials \$2.49.

To customers who come from any point within a radius of twenty miles, trade \$10.00 and show round trip R. R. ticket, we refund full car fare both ways. Customers who drive have horses stabled and fed at our expense.

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**Additional Local**

J. E. Stewart, agent for the Singer Sewing Machine company, is now located in Genoa and ready to make repairs on old machines, and the same taken in part payment. Needles and all kinds of supplies. Address P. O. Box 43, Genoa, Ill.

We have had several calls for Dr. Vaucaires' celebrated remedy and wish to inform our lady patrons that we have obtained the formula and now have in stock the required articles of highest grade for putting it up. Ask for formula B804. Hunt's Pharmacy. Phone 83.

We desire to call the attention of farmers and stock owners to our Common Sense Stock Powder. We make it, we know what it is made of and we tell you. We do not ask you to pay a big price for the cheap filler that goes into the ordinary stock foods. If you want more bulk you can put in filler yourself at 1/4 the price asked by the stock food manufacturers, using Common Sense Stock Powder as the basis. Ask for explanatory circular. Hunt's Pharmacy. Phone 83.

**Northwestern Line**

Excursion rates to Epworth Grove (Ill.) camp meeting, via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at reduced rates August 3 to 14, inclusive, limited to return until August 15, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

**Fire at Durand**

Fire which started in the hotel at 3:30 o'clock destroyed that structure, and communicating to the elevator across the street to the east swept away the whole row of structures as far as the Milwaukee stockyards. The loss is estimated at \$30,000.

It was only by the most heroic work on the part of the citizens of the village and the surrounding country that the remainder of the business portion of the village escaped destruction.

Cheap excursion to St. Paul and Minneapolis on August 6 to 11 inclusive, round trip tickets on sale at the low rate of \$10.76 round trip, good until August 25 and may have extension till September 15. On the same dates excursion tickets will be on sale to points in Minnesota, North Dakota, northern Wisconsin and northern Michigan. If you are contemplating a trip apply to the undersigned for rates, dates of sale, etc., of these or other occasions.

**Cured of Chronic Diarrhoea**

"I wish to say a few words in praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," says Mrs. Mattie Burge of Martinsville, Va. "I suffered from chronic diarrhoea for ten years and during that time tried various medicines without obtaining any permanent relief. Last summer one of my children was taken with cholera morbus, and I procured a bottle of this remedy. Only two doses were required to give her entire relief. I then decided to try the medicine myself, and did not use all of one bottle before I was well and I have never since been troubled with that complaint. One cannot say too much in favor of that wonderful medicine." This remedy is for sale by G. H. Hunt.

**Night Was Her Terror**

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough

frightfully and spit blood, but, when all other medicines failed, three \$1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 58 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure coughs, colds, la grippe, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Hunt's Pharmacy.

**C. G. W. Ry Announcement**

Home-seekers Excursion—The Chicago Great Western Railway will on the first and third Tuesday up to October 18th sell tickets to points in Alberta, Arizona, Assiniboia, Canadian Northwest, Colorado, Indian Territory, Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Saskatchewan, Texas, Utah and Wyoming. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent, or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

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# The Kingston News

News of Kingston and Vicinity as reported for THE GENOA REPUBLICAN of the week Ending July 29, 1904

## FEW DAYS IN ROSEBUD

Second Letter by C. S. Clay on Trip through Reservation

You can find all classes of men, red, white and black, at Bonesteel. To catch the nimble quarter are attractions in the way of shows.

It was my privilege to see about 150 Indians in full war dress, in original glaring faces, hued in gaudy colors. Some were without clothing, save breach clouts, their bodies painted and decorated in many colors. After a war dance a circle was formed when all of the Indians squatted down on their haunches and the pipe of peace was passed from mouth to mouth. This pipe had a stem perhaps nearly a yard long with a bowl about two inches in length. After all had smoked, an old Indian chief arose and addressed the others with Indian language and spoke about thirty minutes. It is amusing to contemplate the expression on an Indian's face. It was evident to me that the speech was a product of some considerable oratorical skill, but the stoical, blank expression on the faces of his auditors was to be compared to a stone wall.

I do not think I had been in Bonesteel fifteen minutes before I came very nearly losing my knife and a few nails by the skill of a pickpocket, who bumped up against me and was about to cut my pocket when he was discovered by one of our fellows who came with us, and he beat a hasty retreat.

We did not stay over night in Bonesteel, preferring to camp out on the open prairie. We put up for the night on a pile of hay gathered by ourselves, by the railroad track on the border of the Reservation. We had lots of company which enjoyed our presence to the extent of amusing themselves in giving us some severe bites. It was never my pleasure to see a genuine flea, but if his sight is as obnoxious as his bite I am satisfied in remaining in ignorance of his appearance. Withal our suffering from flea bites we had a little sound sleep and at break of day were off for the Reservation.

Before proceeding to describe my trip through the Reservation, I must tell you some of the amusing events I had in trying to get a snapshot of some of the Indian bucks. On the street in Bonesteel I had located a fine specimen who was on the point of driving his ponies and buggy out of town. Cautiously, as a brave scout would reconnoiter in the presence of the enemy, I drew near the wily redskin and when about to adjust my camera I hailed him to attract his attention. Seeing my camera he flew into a rage, applying the lash to his slowly moving ponies. Men acquainted with the Indian told me that they would as soon face a rifle as a camera. I however was more successful later in catching a picture of Yellow Horse in full war paint and feathers, which I secured without his knowledge. I also induced War Eagle and three little Indian girls to pose for me on condition I give the girls each a nickle and send him a photo.

The finest land in the Reservation is located about twelve miles west of Bonesteel, which is as level as a floor, situated on elevated table land. The quality of the soil is determined by location, i. e., altitude and the grasses grown upon it. When you can find buffalo, salt and blue-joint grass you have a soil that you can rely on. When the two former are absent you need use caution

in the selection. A peculiarity of the country is that the best land is found on the table land, which soil will endure the drouth far better than the low land. Already lumber is being drawn to St. Elmo in the Reservation where a townsite is located which is about twelve miles west of Bonesteel. A party from Iowa purchased some heirship land on Indian allotment, taking twenty acres paying \$250 for the same, in which St. Elmo is to be located.

We camped near the site of Elmo and filled our jug from Eaglenest spring—a fine spring located about forty feet higher than the surrounding country and issuing from the hillside. Here I also picked wild black cap raspberries which leads me to know that shrubbery will grow there.

I eagerly sought to locate stakes or corners as we passed along the trail. In the seventy miles of travel through the Reservation we only found two stakes indicating corners. Whoever succeeds in drawing a chance will find considerable difficulty in locating his claim, for nearly all of the stakes are burned off by the prairie fire that passed over the Reservation last spring. If you are fortunate enough to find a corner the only marks of it will be a mound of earth and a hole in its side. A compass and chain is almost an imperative necessity, with which you can with some degree of accuracy, with the help of a sectional map, locate your claim.

We classified the claims in the Reservation with the following result: First class claims, 113; number of claims that is a safe investment, 800. For any who draw a chance above 800 it is an open question whether it is a paying investment. Much of the land is rolling and somewhat rough, which will furnish accommodations for grazing purposes only.

While at camp for dinner, my brother slept under the buggy while Rev. Graham and myself scaled a steep rocky hill. At its base we counted fifteen springs of water and on its crest tons of sand and whitestone rock. While making selections among the rocks a strange wierd buzzing noise broke upon our ears and my partner shrieked, "a rattlesnake, run he is attacking us." I scarcely need tell you that I needed no great amount of urging to move rapidly, so we withdrew believing that it was better to leave a live rattlesnake than a dead snake and perhaps a dead man. His body just back of his head was over three inches in diameter.

In our trip the first day we passed by the government school building which is in a tee shape, the longest part being about forty-five feet in length. Here last year the principal and one of his students were killed by an irate step-father who came to the school with the purpose of disposing of his step-son. The teacher interfered resulting in the death of both teacher and son. Swift justice was meted out to the murderer who was taken to Pierre and shortly after hanged.

C. S. CLAY.

## Homeseekers' Excursions

To the Northwest, West and Southwest, via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets at greatly reduced rates are on sale to the territory indicated above, Standard and Tourist Sleeping Cars, Free Reclining Chair Cars and "The Best of Everything." For dates of sale and full particulars apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

## ST. PAUL BRAKEMAN HURT

Brakeman Abel Taken to Hospital at Rockford Last Friday

Last Friday, a St. Paul brakeman by the name of Abel was so badly injured while working in the yards at Stillman Valley that he was immediately taken to Rockford for treatment.

Abel was noticed on top of a car when the train was at this station, and as he was in a very weakened condition from the loss of blood, he was hurried to the station and cared for by a local physician and then taken to Rockford. Just how the mishap happened could not be learned, though it is thought that he had been attacked by tramps, who were stealing a ride on the train. At Rockford, while being taken to the hospital in an ambulance, he was continually speaking as if to someone, and he gave the impression that he was trying to ward off blows and speaking to someone that might have attacked him.

None of the other trainmen seemed to know anything of the affair and nothing will be found out until the man is able to talk. He is resting well at the hospital and the attendants said he is doing nicely.

## Injured Eye

While cutting a spike one day last week, a small piece of steel flew into Elmer Bacon's eye. Up to the present time the steel has not been removed and he may lose his sight.

## The Colorado Special

Chicago, Union Pacific and North-Western Line. This solid through train, only one night to Denver, will, beginning July 10th, leave Chicago at 7:00 p. m., reaching Denver next evening at 9:00 o'clock. A perfectly appointed train.

Another Colorado train leaves Chicago daily at 11:00 p. m. arriving Denver early the second morning. The route of these trains is over the only double-track railway between Chicago and the Missouri river. The best of everything.

The Chicago-Portland Special, now leaving Chicago 10:30 p. m., will, beginning the above date, leave daily at 11:00 p. m., with through sleeping car service to San Francisco, Los Angeles and Portland. Low rates in effect daily. Ask ticket agent for particulars.

## Brutally Tortured

A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equaled. Joe Golobick of Colusa, Calif., writes, "For 15 years I endured insufferable pain from rheumatism and nothing relieved me though I tried everything known. I came across Electric Bitters and it's the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it completely relieved and cured me." Just as good for liver and kidney troubles and general debility. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by Hunt's Pharmacy.

## Kingston Happenings

Artistic job printing at the Republican office.

Miss May Burton of Elgin is a guest at Chas. Burton's.

J. A. Kepple of Belvidere spent Monday evening with friends.

Coroner Morris was here from Kirkland on business Monday.

The Epworth League is planning a social for the very near future.

Chas. Brainard, employed at Belvidere, is spending a few days at home.

Miss Erma Allen of Leaf River is a guest of her friend, Miss Neva Clay.

W. E. Armbruster and daughter are visiting relatives in the eastern states.

Mrs. Read, a sister of Dr. J. B. Ludwig, returned to her home at Lemont last Saturday.

Ralph and Verne McDonald of Elgin came Wednesday to visit relatives in this vicinity.

Miss Ada Rich of Hampshire was a guest of her cousin, Miss Maude Bradford, last week.

Miss Sadie Goble of Spencer, Iowa, is a guest at the homes of John Moyers and John Taylor.

The ladies of the M. E. church gave a social on H. A. Lanan's lawn Friday evening, clearing \$12.

Oscar Lucas and wife were over from Belvidere the first of the week, guests at John Taylor's.

Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Mulford of Rockford spent Sunday with Mrs. Emma Tazewell and Ed. J. Stuart.

Rev. Holm is visiting relatives at Rock Falls. Before his return he will visit at Eagle Grove, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Poust of Sandwich are guests of friends and relatives in this vicinity this week.

The Kingston band gave a social on the lawn of O. W. Vickell Tuesday night. \$21.25 was taken in.

Miss Minnie Steenrod and Miss Zaida Walker of Sycamore are guests this week of Misses Esther and Polly Branch.

Elmer Bell left Tuesday for Twin Lakes, Colorado, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Foster. He has employment there.

Mrs. A. S. Gibbs left Monday morning for Tomahawk Junction, Wisconsin, to spend several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Brown.

Prof. H. D. Hollebeak of Des Moines, Iowa, gave a musical and literary entertainment at the M. E. church Thursday evening.

About forty friends of Walter Ruback helped him in celebrating his seventeenth birthday last Saturday evening. Refreshments were served.

Trial subscription, 3 mo. for 25c.

Prof. I. E. Conover will give an address at the M. E. church next Sunday evening at 7:45. His subject is, "The Christian's Relation to Society."

Dr. J. B. Ludwig has sold his residence to Dr. Geo. Markley of Roscoe, and his son, Dr. A. J., moved here Wednesday. The latter gentleman will immediately take charge of the practice.

At the M. E. church next Sunday morning, Rev. Samuel Earngey, D. D. will preach and conduct the fourth quarterly meeting. There will also be an opportunity given for the baptism of either children or adults. The fourth quarterly conference will be held on Saturday at the M. E. church at 2 p. m.

The "Koffee Klub" of Belvidere were entertained by J. Weaver Sunday. A portion of the day was spent in the grove. The Belvidere Northwestern says, "When the members of this popular club go out for a good time they have it and Sunday was no exception to the rule. With plenty of good things to eat they were happy."

## BASEMENT BARGAINS

SATURDAY, JULY 30, 1904

Special for Saturday--A 6 quart, white lined, triple-coated, enameled Preserve Kettle for **15c**

Women's summer vests	6c
Women's 10c and 12c ribbed summer vests, taped shoulders, full elastic sizes, clearing price	6c
Women's vests, ribbed, plain and lace trimmed in regular and fancy weaves, have been selling for 15c and 20c, now	11c
Women's umbrella drawers, with lace trimmings, regular 25c and 35c values, now	19c
Union suits, 50c values	38c
White shirt waists on sale at half actual value; only a few left.	

## Under-muslins, Gowns, Skirts and Corset Covers

Ladies' and Misses corset covers, laced trim—regular 25c and 35c sellers	17c
Gowns, tucked yoke, regular size, good quality of muslin, only	35c
Gowns, embroidered yoke	48c
Gowns, embroidered, a very pretty gown 85c and \$1 values	68c
Ladies' muslin drawers, tucked, good quality of muslin	14c
Ladies' and Misses drawers, lace trimmed ruffle umbrella style	19c

**SPECIAL** Apron Gingham, a yard **4c**  
25 pieces Gingham, 10c value, a yard **6c**

## A Few Remnants of Wash Goods Left

Calicoes	3c a yard.	Lawns and Dimities	7c a yard
Cotton Voils, 25c values, 15c a yard.		Wash, Striped, Summer Silks, 29c a yard.	
Handkerchiefs—lawn, hem-stitched, 2 for 5c.		Fancy, regular 10c values for 5c	

Glassware, Graniteware, Vases, China Dishes 5c and 10c each.  
No Stamps Given only on Regular Priced Goods.  
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A. F. & A. M.  
Meets second and fourth Wednesdays of each month.  
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Number 344.  
Meets second and fourth Tuesdays of each month in I. O. O. F. hall.  
John Riddle, Prefect  
Fannie M. Heed, 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.

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Leave Genoa at 9 a. m. daily.  
Leave Sycamore at 4 p. m. daily.

**PARCELS DELIVERED, 10c FARE:**  
One way, 35c; round trip, 50c  
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If you haven't a regular, healthy movement of the bowels every day, you're ill or will be. Keep your bowels open, and be well. Force, in the shape of violent physic or pill poison, is dangerous. The most healthful, easiest, most perfect way of keeping the bowels clear and clean is to take  
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THEY WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP  
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Pleasant, Palatable, Potent, Taste Good, Do Good, Never Sicken, Weaken or Grip; 10, 25 and 50 cents per box. Write for free sample, and book-let on health. Address  
Sterling Remedy Company, Chicago or New York.  
**KEEP YOUR BLOOD CLEAN**

**News From the County Seat**

George Wright is here from Nevada.

Mrs. A. W. Brower is visiting at Twin Laker, Wis.

Miss Agnes Brown of Elgin is a guest at George Brown's.

Dr. Sherman Chaplain is here from Chicago, visiting friends.

Charles Townsend is at Star Lake, Wisconsin, on an outing trip.

Mrs. V. Hix and daughter, Eva, have returned home from California.

Floyd Whittemore of Springfield is a guest of Sycamore friends.

Miss Zada Walker is a guest of Misses Esther and Polly Branch at Kingston.

Miss Rose Snell is here from Chicago this week, visiting her cousin, Miss Roos.

Many attended the big excursion to Rockford Tuesday. A very pleasant day was spent at Harlem park.

P. M. Alden, H. J. Stark and Frank Patten departed Saturday for Alabama where they expect to purchase land.

**Probate**

Estates of—

Fannie Gilson, inventory filed and approved.

Theodore Meyer, petition for probate of will set for hearing August 15.

Albert E Beveridge, A W Beveridge appointed administrator; bond \$4000.

Geo Klinmsid, report of sale of stock approved; expense account of \$570.85 allowed.

Ann Cook, petition to sell real estate.

Margaret Grier, proof of death; no appraisers; October term for claims.

Andrew Gunderson, Huniston Bros account of \$3.75 allowed.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**  
R J Abrams, Lawrence, Mich.  
Mary E Lawrence, Waterman

**TRANSFERS**

John J O'Brien to Jas O'Brien lann in sec 27 Afton, \$1.

E Stoutenberg and wife to Chas Stoutenberg lot 4 blk 6 Somonauk, \$500.

Madison D Shipman to H W Seaman 70 acres DeKalb, \$1.

Frank Moon and wife to Gussie B Shork lot 5 blk 40 Original DeKalb, \$1.

David Barr to Mary E Merrill lot 5 blk 40 Original DeKalb, \$1.

David Barr to Mary E Merrill land in sec 30 DeKalb, \$1.

David Barr to Mary E Merrill lot 1 blk 17 DeKalb, \$1.

E S Todd etal to Mathew Spray lot 12 blk 15 Shabbona, \$600.

John Watson and wife to W J Swanson lots 10 and 11 blk 14 Shabbona, \$4300.

Mathew Spray to Chris Wedemaier lot 12 blk 15 Shabbona, \$600.

Carl Carlson to Albert Carlson lots 1 and 2, 62, 78, sec 18 Sycamore, \$1800.

First Baptist church of Sycamore to Eliza Alden land in Sycamore, \$2250.

Ernest Swanson to Trustees First Baptist church Sycamore house and lot corner Washington Place and DeKalb avenue, \$2300.

**First and Third Tuesdays**

First and Third Tuesday of Each Month—The Chicago Great Western Railway will sell Home-seekers Tickets at one fare plus \$2.00 to points in Alabama, Arkansas, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mexico, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, North Carolina, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Virginia and Wyoming. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent, or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

**Chicago Great Western R. R.**

Cheap round trip rates via Chicago Great Western Railway. Every day this summer to September 30th the Chicago Great Western Railway will sell tickets to St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Superior, Ashland, Bayfield, Denver Colorado Springs, Pueblo and Salt Lake City at about one-half the usual rates. Good to return until October 31st. If you are contemplating a trip apply to any Great Western Agent or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill., for complete information.

Special round trip rates via Chicago Great Western Railway. Commencing June 28 and continuing thereafter on each Tuesday during July and August, 1904, the Chicago Great Western Railway will sell round trip tickets at very low rates to Banff Hot Springs, Ala., Laggen, Alb., and Field, B. C. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent, or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

Special summer tourist rates to St. Paul and Minneapolis, Minn., via Chicago Great Western Railway. One fare plus 50 cents for round trip. Tickets on sale Aug. 6 to 11 inclusive. Good returning until August 25. For further information apply to any Great Western Agent or J. P. Elmer, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

**C. M. & St. P. R. R.**

To Hot Springs, Custer, Deadwood and Lead, S. D., one fare plus 50 cents for the round trip.

St. Paul and Minneapolis, tickets on sale daily until Sept. 30, \$16.45 for the round trip, good to return until Oct. 31.

Coach excursions to St. Louis. Tickets on sale each Tuesday and Thursday in July, rate \$7.00 for the round trip, limit of tickets 7 days.

Excursion to St. Louis via the C. M. & St. P. R. R. and its Chicago connections. Tickets on sale daily via direct lines at lowest rates.

Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo, Colo., to Glenwood Springs and to Salt Lake City and Ogden, Utah, one fare plus 50 cents for round trip.

To Cloudcroft, N. M., one fare plus 50 cents, El Paso, Tex., \$6.50 more than Cloudcroft, tickets on sale daily until Sept. 30, good to return until Oct. 31, for information as to stopovers inquire of agent.  
J. M. Harvey, Agt.

**Illinois Central R'y**

Barnum & Baileys shows at Rockford Aug. 5. Excursion tickets at one and one third fare for round trip.

Freeport races at Freeport August 9 to 12, excursion tickets on sale at one and one third fare for round trip.

Biennial encampment Knights of Pythias at Louisville, Ky., Aug. 16-20, 1904. Excursion tickets Aug. 12 to 16, inclusive, \$10.55 for round trip with liberal return limit.

Triennial Conclave Knights of Templar, San Francisco, Cal. Sept. 5 to 9. Sovereign Grand Lodge Independent Order of Odd Fellows, San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 19 to 25. Excursion tickets Aug. 15 to Sept. 10, inclusive, good for return until Oct. 23. Rate \$50.00 from Genoa to either San Francisco or Los Angeles and return.  
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"For years fate was after me continuously," writes F. A. Gullledge, Verbena, Ala. "I had a terrible case of piles causing 24 tumors. When all failed Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me. Equally good for burns and all aches and pains. Only 25c at Hunt's Pharmacy.

**The Humorous Side of Things**

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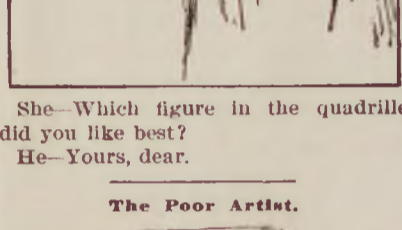
Millie—Poor Mr. Jones was unable to meet his creditors, I hear.  
Jack—Oh, no; that's quite wrong. His difficulty was to dodge 'em.

**The Reply Courteous.**



She—Which figure in the quadrille did you like best?  
He—Yours, dear.

**The Poor Artist.**



She (gushingly)—I saw your picture at the academy, Mr. Brush, and it was just heavenly.  
He—Heavenly, eh? Maybe that was why it was "skied."

**Repartee.**



The Artist—You know you critics can't tell a good drawing from a bad one.  
The Critic—Well, I can tell an old joke from a new one, anyhow.

**A Difference in Necks.**



Ostrich—Yes, I have a great deal of trouble getting collars high enough.  
Parrot—That's strange. Why don't you patronize my haberdasher? He always suits me.—New York Times.

**Making Sure of It.**



"Hello! Where are you going with that lantern?"  
"A-courtin', sir."  
"Goodness! I never used a lantern when I went a-courtin'."  
"That's why I'm takin' one."

**More Than Likely.**



Wife—How do you like my new hat, George, dear?  
Hubby—Oh, I suppose I've got to like it or else buy you another.

**Good Advice.**



Always see that your bridle reins are sound. There are times when they have a considerable strain on 'em!

**Embarrassing.**



"Buy a monkey on a stick, sir!"  
—New York Evening Journal.

**RAILWAY TIME CARD**

**KINGSTON TIME CARD.**

Passenger Trains	
No.	Time
8...	6.00 a m
36...	6.48 a m
10...	11.50 a m
24...	3.48 p m
92...	9.05 a m
94...	1.10 p m
21...	10.30 a m
9...	3.15 p m
35...	10.25 a m
10...	1.45 p m
24...	5.55 p m
91...	5.10 a m
93...	12.25 p m

O. W. Vickell, agent.

**AT GENOA, ILLINOIS.**

Chicago	Genoa	Chicago	Genoa
Lv Chicago	Ar Genoa	Lv Chicago	Ar Genoa
No. 8....	6.05 a m....	7.55 a m	
36....	6.53 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	
Lv Chicago	Ar Genoa	Lv Chicago	Ar Genoa
No. 21....	8.20 a m....	10.24 a m	
No. 11....	7.15 a m....	8.44 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 RY.**

Chicago	Genoa	Chicago	Genoa
Lv Chicago	Ar Chicago	Lv Chicago	Ar Chicago
No. 6....	4.40 a m....	7.00 a m	
36....	7.10 a m....	10.05 a m	
32....	11.34 a m....	12.55 p m	
4....	8.29 p m....	9.55 p m	
2....	8.03 a m....	9.30 a m	
Lv Chicago	Ar Chicago	Lv Chicago	Ar Chicago
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....	6.00 p m....	7.25 p m	

All trains daily except Nos. 31 and 32, which are daily except

Sunday. Trains No. 1, 2 and 5 do not stop at Genoa.  
S. R. CRAWFORD, Agent.

**C. & N. W. RY.—AT HENRIETTA**

North Bound—	South Bound—
9:07 a. m.—mail and express.	11:20 a. m.—express.
6:15 p. m.—express.	5:45 p. m.—mail and express.

No Sunday Trains.  
J. J. SHELEY, Agt

**THE CHICAGO GREAT WESTERN. AT SYCAMORE.**

Dubuque, St Paul	Chicago Suburban	Chicago Limited	Chicago Local	Chicago Special	Chicago Express
10.23 a m	*5.55 a m	7.15 a m	7.46 a m	12.13 p m	7.42 p m

**Sycamore-DeKalb**

Lv Sycamore	Ar DeKalb	Lv DeKalb	Ar Sycamore
*7.45 p m	8.00 p m	*5.40 a m	5.55 a m

\*Daily except Sunday.  
All others daily.  
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**WORLDS FAIR**

Louisiana Purchase Exposition, St. Louis Mo., April 30 to December 1, 1904

The best, most direct and only correct route to the Worlds Fair at St. Louis is via the Illinois Central R. R. Following are the rates from Genoa:

15 day excursion tickets on sale April 27 to Nov. 30. Fare \$10.35 for round trip.  
60 day tickets on sale daily, April 25 to Nov. 20. Fare \$11.50 round trip.

"Season tickets" on sale daily, April 15 to Nov. 15, good for return until Dec. 15, 1904. Fare \$13.80 round trip.

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S. R. Crawford, Agent.

**Special Reduced Excursion Rates**

Will be in effect from all points on the Chicago & North-Western Railway for the occasions named below:

San Francisco, Sept. 5th to 9th, Triennial Conclave Knights Templar.  
San Francisco, Sept. 19th to 25th, Sovereign Grand Lodge I. O. O. F.  
Louisville, Ky., Aug. 16-29, K. P. Encampment.  
For information as to rates, dates of sales, etc., of these or other occasions, call upon the ticket agent of the North-Western Line.

News Items  
That Are of  
General Interest  
to All

## DOINGS OF THE WEEK ABOUT THE TOWN

Fruit at Frazier's.  
Buster Brown suits at the B. & O.  
Mrs. A. Lettow is on the sick list.  
Olmsted's for bargains Saturday.  
Chicken feed K. Jackman & Son.  
Outing suits \$6.75 up at the B. & O.  
Buy the Florsheim shoe at the B. & O.  
Deaf mutes will not answer as servants.  
E. H. Browne was in Chicago Saturday.  
Miss Libbie Browne spent Sunday in DeKalb.  
Lester Fish has returned to his home at Hebron.  
Roy McKee was over from Kirkland Tuesday.  
Fred Robinson was home from Sheridan Saturday.  
Mrs. Oley Taylor spent Monday in Hampshire.  
Rev. C. S. Clay was here from Kingston Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ide spent Sunday in Kirkland.  
John Hutchison was a Sycamore visitor Sunday.  
Jas. Hutchison made a business trip to Clare Monday.  
Six packages of Uncedas for 25c at T. M. Frazier's.  
For the latest in men's furnishings go to the B. & O.  
Whiskey and the police get a lot of men into trouble.  
Emmett Burr spent Saturday at his home in DeKalb.  
E. H. Richardson was over from Marengo Sunday.  
Dr. A. M. Hill is at St. Louis attending the exposition.  
Ira Douglass was a Chicago business visitor Tuesday.  
Mrs. John Awe is quite ill at her home in New Lebanon.  
Mrs. Robt. Mitten left Tuesday for Denver to visit relatives.  
Strictly first class groceries always on hand. T. M. Frazier.  
Lon Holroyd and Wm. Eichlor were Kirkland visitors Sunday.  
Miss Irene Patterson is visiting with Miss Zada Corson at Ney.  
A 6-quart granite preserve kettle at Olmsted's Saturday 15c.  
Miss Sabie Leonard was a guest of friends at Sycamore Saturday.  
Will Cooper and Robt. Gallagher were DeKalb visitors Saturday.  
Earl Prouty and Will Jeffries were Chicago passengers Saturday.  
K. Jackman & Son offer bargains in mowers, rakes and tadders.  
Auctioneer Yates of Belvidere was a Genoa caller Saturday afternoon.  
A stylish coat on a man's back enables him to put on a bold front.  
Miss Maude Wilson of Chicago spent Saturday and Sunday with friends.  
The B. & O. has the largest assortment of straw hats in the county.  
Chas. Whipple is having his home on Sycamore street improved.  
C. A. Briggs of Evanston made Genoa friends a pleasant call over Sunday.  
For Sale—80 acre farm in the town of Malta. Inquire of Wm. Watson.  
Our wagon will call for your order every morning if desired. Groceries always fresh. T. M. Frazier.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Yalden are parents of a son born last Tuesday.  
Jesse Geithman and Lee Hall spent Saturday and Sunday in Chicago.  
It is better to be a big man in a small town than a small man in a big town.  
For first class harness oil, gall cure, harness dressing, etc., try J. Franssen.  
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Will Johnston of Rockford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Alden.  
Geo. Cummings of Wheaton spent Sunday at the home of E. C. Crawford.  
John D. Corson of Ney, visited his uncle, Jerry Patterson, and family Sunday.  
Sam Mattison of Burlington was a guest at the home of E. B. Arnold Wednesday.  
Miss Hazel Robinson returned from Elgin Saturday after a several weeks visit there.  
Ice cream a specialty this month at Sowers. Same quality of cream at a low price.  
Miss Laura Johnston of Rockford is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Jas. Alden.  
Mrs. G. W. Banks of Irene visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brown, the past week.  
Miss Elma Smock returned on Monday from a visit with relatives in southern Minnesota.  
For Sale—Five room house with three acres of land at Henrietta, Ill. Wm. Ritter, Genoa, Ill.  
At the meeting of the M. W. of A. last evening ten candidates were initiated into the order.  
Try a quart of ice cream of Sowers' manufacture for supper. It goes fine with strawberries.  
Clearing sale of men's, women's and children's tan vici kid and patent colt oxfords at Swan's.  
For sale at a bargain—20 acre tract adjoining village.  
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Chas. Gilbert is here from Rockford this week getting a write-up of Genoa for the Rockford Star.  
We will receive the first cars of our Indiana Block coal for threshing on July 15. K. Jackman & Son.  
For Rent—Four good rooms up stairs; also one furnished front room down stairs. Inquire of Al. Oursler.  
Patronize home industry by trying a quart of ice cream at Sowers & Co. 25c the quart, 90c the gallon.  
A. J. Lettow is here from Madison, Wis., this week a guest of his mother, Mrs. A. Lettow, who is quite ill.  
For Sale—Single buggy—Good as new, leather top, rubber tires. Hand made throughout. Apply at this office.  
The first new rye was brought to Jackman & Son Saturday. The quality is good and weight is sixty pounds.  
Miss Mary Ryan came out from Chicago Saturday evening and is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Ryan.  
Mrs. E. C. Shippee, who recently underwent an operation at Sherman hospital at Elgin, is slowly improving.  
Swan's for men's, women's and children's shoes, insoles, shoe laces and shoe dressing. Clearing sale of all oxfords.  
A. E. Proctor of New Orleans returned home Saturday, having attended the funeral of John G. Smith of Charter Grove.

Fred Malana returned to Galesburg Wednesday evening after spending several weeks with his wife who has been quite ill.  
Mrs. E. H. Griggs and daughter, Miss Jessie, of Lilly Lake came Wednesday to visit her mother, Mrs. Abbie Patterson.  
Mrs. Luissa Titus of Belvidere visited her uncle, Alvars Crocker, and other friends in Genoa from Saturday until Monday evening.  
If you want to buy a house or a lot or a farm worth the money, call on or address D. S. Brown at the Exchange Bank, Genoa, Ill.  
For Rent—Pacific Hotel Building. Arranged for residence for two families. Will let one-half or all as desired. See G. E. Stott or D. S. Brown.

Subscribe for The Republican. Vay Kellogg, Frank Wyld, Fred Browne, George Evans, Lawrence Kiernan and Abiram Crawford were Sycamore visitors Sunday evening.  
Mrs. J. A. Patterson returned from Chicago Saturday evening where she has been treated by Dr. Cox. She is very much improved in health.  
Rev. J. Molthan left Tuesday morning to visit a few days at the home of E. L. Brase, Worden, Ill. Before returning home he will visit the St. Louis exposition.  
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Mrs. T. E. Ream received word from Rockford that her uncle, Charles Miller, died suddenly last Sunday morning. Mrs. Ream went to Rockford Tuesday evening.  
Harry Naker visited at the home of his great grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brown, last week in company with his mother, grandmother, great and great,

great grandmothers, representing five generations.  
For the best job work try the Republican office. We will endeavor to please you if you will but let us try.  
The Home Missionary society will give a social on Sager's lawn Friday evening. Ice cream and cake will be served, the price is only 10c. If the night is stormy the social will be held at the hall.  
Mrs. Abbie Patterson entertained quite a large company of relatives and friends last Friday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Mary Compton Adams of Minneapolis, Minn., and Miss Lou Allen of DeKalb, relatives of the Pattersons, who visited in Genoa last week.

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## Night In a Dungeon

It was an old and yellow manuscript that Jack and Arthur found in the bottom of the little hair covered trunk up in the attic. Perhaps the reason it had escaped notice was that the trunk was lined with paper of nearly the same color. However, that may be, none of us had ever seen it before, and when on that rainy afternoon we were all gathered in the sitting room Aunt Harriet opened it.

"It is in your great-grandfather's handwriting," she said, and of course we all crowded around to see it. "Your great-grandfather was a Frenchman, and of course this is written in French." This brought forth a number of disappointed exclamations, but when Aunt Harriet added, "And if you wish I will translate it as I go along," the faces of the group brightened, and all settled themselves comfortably to hear what Great-grandfather D'Almar had to tell:

It was a piece of ill luck that I at last fell into the duke's hands. He had long sought to do me some harm in payment for the trick I played him in running off with the woman he loved, but for fifteen years I had avoided him and escaped his vengeance. At last, however, I was snared by two of the duke's retainers, and, being blindfolded, was conveyed whither I know not, for when the bandage was removed I was being led through a large stone hall and my conductors were making ready to thrust me into a narrow dungeon which one of them unlocked. It was of no avail to reason with the men. They were under the duke's orders and dare not disobey him.

So they closed the door upon me and pushed the bolts in place with a crash, and I was alone. The dungeon was entirely made of stone, with but one small and strongly barred window near the roof. The only piece of furniture in the room was a small stone bench, upon which I seated myself to think over the sudden circumstance which had placed me in this strange and unpleasant position.

Not a bit of anything was to be seen. In fact, the cell was bare of everything except the bench on which I sat, and that was merely a projection from the stone wall. I had always been accustomed to have good things to eat when I wanted them, and the thought of being without food for any length of time was not very pleasant. In fact, I had never been without my regular three meals a day.

There seemed no possibility of escape, and all I could hope for was clemency from the duke. I thought he would hardly dare kill me in his own house. He might perhaps try to starve me to death. But at these thoughts I clinched my hands and shut my teeth firmly together. I would not give up without a struggle.

The moonlight commenced to shine in through the bars of the window, first in sickly little streaks and then as the moon rose higher in a blaze of white light. There was some companionship in this, and it cheered me a little, and as the feeling of hunger had almost passed away I determined to make myself as comfortable as possible with the limited resources within reach. Removing my coat, I rolled it up to form a pillow, and then, after offering up my customary prayer, I lay down upon the stone bench and in a few minutes, like a tired school-boy, I was lost in a deep and dreamless sleep.

How long I slept I cannot say, but after a time I awoke with a sensation as if I were choking. The sensation did not cease when I left my improvised bed. It seemed rather to increase. Why this should be I could not discover until as I again sat on the bench I perceived peculiar vapors issuing, as it seemed, from the stone sides of my prison. On closer examination I found in the walls at each end of my cell a number of small holes, which were without doubt connected with pipes on the outside of the wall.

A sudden horrible suspicion assailed me. Was the duke trying to exterminate me with the fumes of some deadly gas? I tried to reach up and stop the holes with my hands. By standing on tiptoe I could just reach two, but was forced to withdraw my hands immediately as a stream of steam was forced against them. Almost suffocated with the fumes, I rushed to the bench and, mounting it, managed to grasp the iron bars of the window and pull my head up to breathe some of the fresh air. This was not an easy task, but by forcing an arm out and around a bar I managed to cling there, where I could breathe the pure air.

Hanging in this way, I gradually became insensible, and when I regained consciousness I found, to my great delight, that the instrument

of torture had been removed. Could it be possible that the duke was watching me from some concealed hole and was inflicting this punishment upon me for the pleasure of seeing me suffer? It made my blood boil to think of such a thing.

I was beginning to regain strength and courage when a new dread presented itself. As I lay on the floor of the cell I was horrified to see the roof slowly but surely descending upon me. It was a matter of but a few minutes when my life would be crushed out by that great weight of stone. I had heard of similar means being employed to punish criminals in the Italian prisons and it had always made me faint and sick to think of such a thing.

Down it came, slowly, but not for a moment staying its deadly approach. I could touch it now with my hand as I stood up. I fell on my knees to pray. When I again stood upright my head struck the still descending roof. I endeavored to stand straight, using all my might to resist the downward pressure, but in vain. Again I fell upon my knees. The weight reached my head and pressed me farther down. I was now lying on my face. The air felt hot and unbearable. I turned on my back and with my hands and knees tried to push back or at least stop the further descent of that awful wall.

As I did so I thought I could hear a chuckling noise which sounded like laughter. At length, in hopeless despair, I lay still and awaited the end. My body was pressed gently against the floor. The weight on my chest was so great that I could not breathe. I made a violent effort to scream, then moaned faintly, and that was all I was conscious of.

That was not the end, however. The bright sun shining into my place of torture and imprisonment roused me to consciousness and brought back the awful remembrance of the evening before. The roof had been raised to its original position and there was nothing to show that it had ever moved. My head throbbed with fever and a burning thirst parched my throat and mouth. I cried aloud for some one to bring me water, but there was no answer.

Then I rose and flung myself with all my weak strength against the bolted door, but it gave not an inch. I staggered to the seat and fell upon it, with my face against the stones, in order to gain some slight relief from the coolness. I placed my tongue and lips against the stone, but it gave only momentary relief.

Hark! What was that? Surely it was the sound of running water. What other torture would they offer me? I wondered. How close the water sounded! I turned my head and saw, to my delight, streams of pure water flowing from the holes of which I have already spoken. I flung myself to the ground with a cry and commenced to lap up the water which was fast covering the floor. The fiend! It was not water, but some fiery liquid which scorched and shriveled up the skin of my mouth. I flung myself back on the seat and resolved not to move again, but patiently await death.

But the water still kept on flowing. What did it mean? It was creeping slowly up to the bench. Was drowning in this fiery liquid to end my sufferings at last? Well, I would lie still and let its mission be accomplished without a struggle. But this was impossible. The instinct of self preservation was still strong within me, and I stood up. The water was now up to my waist and rising. What would be the use of prolonging life by swimming in this liquid? I might as well give up at once and die. Still I struck out with my arms and tried to keep my head above the liquid. In my feeble state it was hard work.

I tried to float. My head sank, and again I put forth my little strength and managed to keep on the surface for a short time. Then I felt that I couldn't hold out any longer. I sank once and rose again, making no effort to save myself. Then I sank and rose once more. Then I realized that I could rise but once again and opened my eyes to catch a glimpse of the sunlight streaming in at the other end of the cell.

To my intense delight I saw only a head of beautiful golden hair, and a little voice which came from the child who had her arms about my neck said: "Why, papa, why do you shiver and shake so when you take a nap? Come, leave your musty old books and go down to the spring with me to get a drink of water."

### Easily Answered.

"The subject for discussion at the next meeting of the Village Debating society is, 'What Is Truth?'"

"Indeed? Well, that is a question that should be easily answered."

"I'm not of your opinion. What is truth?"

"Truth is what two persons speak when they fall out with each other."—London Tit-Bits.

## A GLASS OF WATER.

When to Drink It and the Effects It Will Produce.

Drink a glass of water when you get out of bed in the morning. Never mind the size of the glass. Let the water be cold if you will. Some people prescribe hot water, but that isn't necessary. You may have washed your face already and relished the experience. You may have taken a cold plunge into the tub and delighted in the shock and its reaction. The brisk use of the tooth-brush has left your mouth clean and the breath sweet. But you are dirty still. Drink a glass of cold water and enjoy the sensation of being clean inside. All that is luxurious in the cold bath cleansing the outside is artificial. That which should prompt the glass of water after sleeping is natural. As a test, tell the nine-year-old protestant against his morning scrub of cold water that he may escape it by drinking half a pint of the fluid. He will jump at the opportunity.

Sleep has drawn upon the water in the blood, and the instinct of the animal under natural conditions is to replenish the circulatory system and distend the blood vessels anew. The food in the stomach which had so much to do toward inducing sleep has disappeared, leaving a mucous substance in the alimentary canal. Yet man would wash his face and leave these half clogged canals do the duties of another day.

Drink a glass of cold water in the name of cleanliness. It becomes one of the shortest and easiest of toilet duties. It is swallowed in a second, and in five minutes it has passed from the stomach, taking with it the clogging secretions of the alimentary tracts. It has left behind the stimulus that goes with cold water, and by filling the arterial system to the normal it puts a spur to the circulation that has grown sluggish in the night. It is one of the greatest of awakeners and one of nature's own stimulants.

Drink a glass of water before breakfast, another before luncheon and another before dinner. Water is the best, cheapest and pleasiest medicine.—Chicago Tribune.

### A Faithful Cat.

My husband had a devoted cat a few years ago that used to meet him at a certain lamppost near the house every evening on his return. She would then escort him home with many manifestations of joy and sit under his chair while he dined, waiting to receive her dinner from his hand.

One winter a business trip took him away from the city for several weeks. Nights of fruitless watching at the lamppost, her trysting place, we called it, were followed by listless days, when she would eat scarcely anything. She would sit under his empty chair at meal times and sniff dejectedly at the most appetizing morsels. At last she seemed to give up hope, or else her weakness prevented her from walking so far, and the lamppost knew her no more. Toward the end of the third week and just a day before my husband returned she died—of grief and starvation.—Cat Journal.

### A Busy Little Woman.

They had just been married. She was very pretty and lovable, but very fresh to the household duties, and the husband was a very patient man. One night, however, she had a great surprise in store for him, so, putting her arms around his neck and kissing him, she said:

"Come and look, darling; I have been stitching up two big slits in your coat."

He then kissed her to hide the look which came over his face, called her a busy little woman and then went out and groaned.

She had sewn up his coat tail pockets.

### It Was His.

A small boy was telling his mother of a mishap which had occurred to a playmate of his. The youngster, it appeared, had been regaling himself with one of those large, marblelike candies which are a particular delight of childhood, and in a moment of excitement it slipped down and stuck in his throat. But, said the narrator, they succeeded in relieving him.

"Oh," said his mother, "you got it out, did you?"

"Naw," was the impatient answer; "we shoved it down; it was his, wasn't it?"—Harper's Weekly.

### Inflexible.

"Oh, don't be so inflexible!" pleaded the fair suppliant. "Think of my helpless children! You are too hard upon me! Indeed you are! Ought I to be punished so cruelly for a hasty action, committed in a moment of anger and bitterly repented of immediately afterward? Where is your sense of justice? Reconsider your decision, I beg of you!"

But the cook, whom she had offended, was obdurate and refused to stay.—Chicago Tribune.

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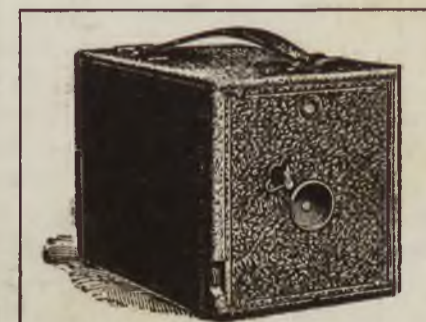
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