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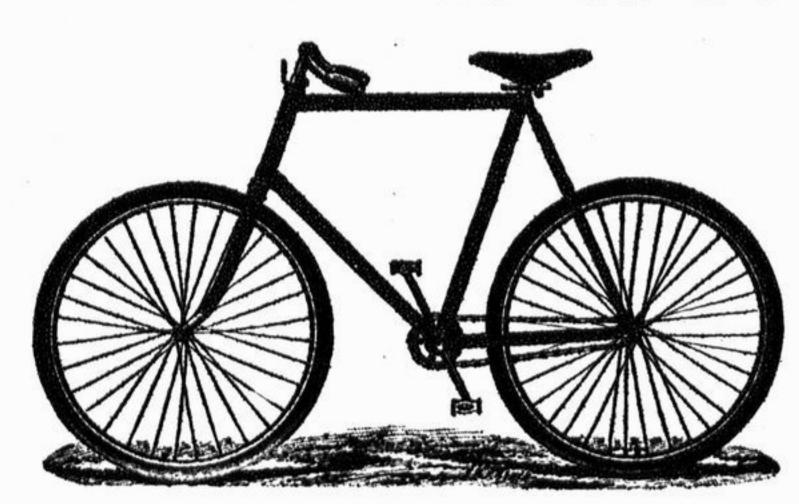
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Additional Local.

Cherries are almost ripe. Get your onlons sets at Thompson's.

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Miss Joey Kellogg is visiting friends n Riverside.

Seasonable fruits and vegetables at Thompson's.

R. O. Curtiss made a business trip to the city today.

This office will be closed decoration day after 11 a. m.

is making her a visit. Mrs. C. A. Rogers is again in Down-

ers, visiting her sons. A. H. Saxon is slowly recovering

from his severe illness. W. S. Alden of Star City, Ind., called

on his friends here this week. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Barnhart, visited

in Douglas Park, last Sunday. \$3.69 procures a barrel of Washburn's best at the Club House Grocery.

Wanted-Turkey and duck eggs for hatching. Address P. O. Box 335.

Archie Marvin has moved to a house on Maple avenue, near Main street.

The Schubert quartette will sing at the Baptist church Sunday night, The I. O. O. F. will march in the pro-

cession as usual on Decoration day.

No-Tox wild cherry phosphate free to all Club House Grocery patrons.

W. C. Lyman reports that the cut worms are devastating the meadows.

E. Thatcher thinks of visiting a brother in Michigan some time in June.

on the market, at Courtright & Rang's. | trouble now and in the future. Mrs. John Wylie has an aunt from

Miss Prudence Campbell of Normal visited with her aunt, Mrs. F A. Brode, Wednesday.

gan, was a guest at Mr. John Stanley's over Sunday. Henry Selig is selling tickets on a high-class bicycle which he will raffle

off on July 4th.

Why pay more. Don't go thirsty while the Club house Grocery is serving wild cherry

Postmaster Stanger has rented the Wetten place on Curtiss street and will occupy it next week.

phosphate free.

the fire last Saturday. Quite a number from Downers attended the funeral of M. S. Ellsworth

at Naperville yesterday. Anna Escher, of Chicago, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Stanger.

Until electric lights are established, let Thompson furnish you with the

Room and board for two gentlemen; pleasant front room; use of bath. MRS. HAYDEN, Washington St.

Mrs. Chartie Johnson, of Chicago, visited ber sisters, Mrs. Horace Aldrich and Miss Hellen Briggs, last Saturday.

Our ice cream is second to none, and price and quality. Courtright & Rang. | western train to return to his home in Mrs. Jos. Tyler, who has been quite

Will Blanchard of Chicago, member of Naper Post, G. A. R., marched with

ill, is at present writing getting along

his comrades to the memorial service last Sunday. The democratic county convention

will be held in Wheaton, Saturday, June 13th to nominate county officers and select delegates to the Chicago

Plenty of room for horses and carriages. Rood on premises, We are offering geraniums, heliotropes, fuchsias, coleus, pansies and tomatoes and cabbage plants at whole-

The fare will be \$1.75 for the round it wakes up their babies and they can't excursion to Oregon, Ill., on May 30th

on the Rock river. He quotes a few prices which will prove interesting to purchasers of harness. He carries only the heat in the various qualities,

tour in the west. He is going with a supposed tramp appropriated his watch view to securing a business location for and made off with it. He was seen by himself. Allen has the required quali- a small boy who gave the alarm and fications for a successful career.

Now that the summer season is here, made good his escape. It has been begin right by buying the best gas-surmised that the thief was in some oline. It is the cheapest in the end. I am sole agent for strictly 74° gravity der case on West Madison street in Pennsylvania gasoline, D. K. CRAIG.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist church will serve ice cream and cake in a tent adjoining the Auditorium on fair hand of Rachel.

and it is estimated that upwards of 1,000 persons were killed. The amount of damage done the property will reach into millions of dollars.

money is offered on the result.

Mrs. Park was called to Dowagiac, Mich., by the dangerous iliness of her sister-in-law. Miss Clara Strong takes her place in school during her absence.

Here are some prices on canned goods at Bateman & Palmer's: Choice marrowfat peas, 8 cans for 25c; corn, 4 cans for 25c; tomatoes, 8 cans for 25c. We have other inducements. Come and investigate. Our prices are down.

The ladies of St. Andrews Mission will meet at their guild rooms Thursday afternoon, June 4th, at which time there will be a sale of articles left over from the fair. This will be a good opportunity for ladies to provide themselves with aprons. Ice cream and cake will also be served.

Art Rose and Glen Edwards have gained quite a reputation as musical entertainers and their reputation has extended to neighboring cities. Last Mrs. John Wylie's mother of Omaha night they rendered a program in Carpenter's drug store which was listened to by ladies in Aurora, Joliet and Chicago over the long distance 'phone.

A very pretty home wedding united Miss Harriet C. Gibbs of this village to Dr. Windsor of Chicago, The ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride's mother, on the corner of Highland and Prairie avenues, Wednesday evening, May 27th, at 6:30 o'clock, by Rev. Herbert H. Rood. The bride, who has resided here since childhood, is one of the leading young society belles and has hosts of friends who wish her much joy in her new life. The groom is a professional gentleman with an extended practice in the city, where the newly married couple will make their home.

There are some boys here who seem disposed towards malicious mischief. Some lads have evidently escaped punishment in the courts through the leniency of their victims who have thus far declined to make complaint, but there comes a time when patience ceases, and properly so, to be a virtue and the law will be invoked and en-C. A. Prout of Wheaton, is doing forced. There are parents here who some surveying on the Ducat property. might save trouble, anxiety and disgrace by exercising a more strict watchfulness and jurisdiction over their boys, thus keeping them from Ten cents for the largest and best pie lawless actions and habits and saving

Naper Post, 468, U. A. R., will as-Denver, Colo., spending some time semble at their hall on Saturday. May 30, at 8:30 o'clock and take the 9:10 train for Hinsdale for memorial services. At Hinsdale the post will be met by a drum corps from Chicago, and will decorate the graves of their G. T. Holcomb, of Kalamazoo, Michi- fallen cemrades there. Returning they will leave Hinsdale at 11:53. The post will assemble in post hall at 2:30, make a short march, headed by the Chicago drum corps, decorate the memorial monument in the old cemetery, then repair to the Auditorium and fisten to Club House Grocery patrons say our an address by Cotnrade Elliott. All M. and J. coffee at 35 cents has merit. societies and the citizens generally are cordially invited to participate with the post in honoring the dead heroen,

Mitton S. Elisworth died at his home in Wheaton Monday of cystitis. He had been confined to the house for the past four months and on Thursday submitted to an operation, performed by Dr. C. S. Owen, chief surgeon of the T. Hall desires to thank the citizens Chicago and Northwestern railway, who assisted in saving his residence at assisted by Dr. Vanderhoff of Wheaton. Mr. Blisworth was born in Troy, N. Y. Sept. 8, 1829, and came to Illinois when eight years of age. He had been county clerk of DuPage county for the last eighteen years and discharged his Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Escher, and Miss duties to the full satisfaction of his constituents and friends and no greater tribute to his integrity could be given than his continuance in office for so many years. He had been prominent in politics and a strong republican. The funeral occurred yesterday at Naperville, his old home, and was attended by a large concourse of sorrowing friends.

WHEATON,

(Too late for last week.) J. Q. Adams came very near being

A short time since L. L. Hiatt's sons nicely and is in a fair way to complete proposed to the G. A. R. boys that they would donate the paint to brighten up the pavillion at the cemetery if they would do the work, and the past week

will present a much improved appearance Memorial day. Hamilton of the Wheaton Press in his report of the Congressional Convention held at Aurora on the 11th inst of which he was the secretary, leads off with the startling headline "Nominated Large barn for rent on Highland ave. by Acclimation." Does he mean that Hopkins has got so used to the air of Rent \$2 per month. Apply to H. H. Washington, that any one else from the district could not live there, or does

it has been attended to. The building

he have any very clear idea what he There is a loud kicking by certain sale prices. Call at C. S. Foote's green parties at the new regulation which calls for the blowing of the whistle on the electric light power house at nine The C., B. & Q. railway will run an o'clock in the evening, claiming that trip, which includes a steamboat ride or four hours of hard work. How

working in a ditch in the northern part of the city, hung his vest contain-Allen Barnhart is contemplating a ing his watch on a post near by. Budd chased him some distance, but was unable to overtake him, and he way connected with the Marshall mur-Chicago. The value of the watch is variously estimated at from six to one hundred dollars.

Last week some of the dog catchers Decoration day. Refreshing lemonade appointed by the city, having secured from Jacob's well will be drawn by the several cantnes, went over to the fair grounds with a view of making some The city of St. Louis was visited pound, and while there in some man-pesterday by a very disastrous cyclone and it is estimated that upwards of Nox stalls on the north side of the enclosure got on fire and the entire line of buildings from the gate to the north Mrs. E. Wootton and Frank Prentiss ed, including the secretary's office and had an argument the other day as to the building for the accommodation of whom had the best roadster, which was the ladies. There does not seem to be speedily settled. The affair was not entirely satisfactory and we under-stand the race will be repeated for the thing is certain, the buildings are gone ice cream in the near future. Even and will have to be replaced in some form before a fair can be held.

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