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## Additional Local News.

Shenandoah pants at Nash's.  
Mrs. R. D. Parker has gone east. She will return in a few weeks.  
Croquet sets from 70 cents to \$2.50 per set at Mertz & Mochel's.  
D. K. Craig and family are again residents of Downers Grove.  
Mrs. Flora S. Hoop left Saturday for a visit with her brother in Iowa.  
Foolish to mix your paint when you can get Devos ready mixed; better.  
Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Smith leave Sunday for an extended trip to the west.  
WANTED.—Girl, general house work; wages \$3 per week. Address Mrs. John C. Gorman, 31 Maple avenue.  
C. E. Oldfield returned from Vandalia Thursday, where he had been the guest of J. H. Oldfield and family.  
A. H. Wetten was here from the city Saturday on business connected with the sale of his Maple avenue residence property.  
H. DeWaele, Miss Egan, J. DeWaele, Miss Finn and Mr. and Mrs. Albrecht of Chicago were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Doelaeere Sunday.  
The Arcadian club met at the home of its president, Miss Grace Huling last Friday. It will meet with its secretary, Miss Bernice Smith on June 6th.  
We have a few wickless, blue flame oil stoves which we will close out at less than cost. Now is your chance for a bargain while they last at Mertz & Mochel's.  
Lighting struck the Wylie house, corner Franklin and Foote streets last Saturday evening doing considerable damage. D. G. Graham, local agent for the insurance company, promptly adjusted the loss in full.  
The village has granted a license to Henry Janowiak to sell beer in gallon lots—the second license to be granted this season—and Janowiak has opened a warehouse in the basement of the old Wendlowaki hall in Gostyn.  
Supreme Deputy Oracle Mary C. Mulcahey of the Royal Neighbors is here from Rock Island for the purpose of organizing a local lodge of the order. The Royal Neighbors is an auxiliary of the Modern Woodmen and all Woodmen and lady members of their families are eligible for members, both social and beneficiary.  
Lost.—Thursday night, May 22, between Hughes' coal office and Thompson's store, a pocket book containing about twenty dollars—\$20. Finder will please leave at post office or 74 West Curtiss street. ROBERT WELLS.

Biennial meeting of Pythias San Francisco, Cal., August 11 to 22. On August 3 to 8 inclusive the Burlington route will sell tickets to San Francisco and return for \$50, final limit September 30. For further information enquire of C. P. Booth, ticket agent telephone No. 3.  
Clara Courtwright suffered a painful accident last week in which her face was severely cut in a barbed wire fence. She was playing hide-and-seek with a number of playmates and ran into the fence, cutting her upper lip through to the bone. Several stitches were taken in closing the wound.  
The ladies of the Cass Methodist church have arranged a musical and literary entertainment to be given at the church this, Thursday evening. The program consists of vocal and instrumental solos and readings. Miss Bertha Hardin, pianist; Bradley Roe, soloist; and Rev. T. K. Gale, reader.  
The Aid society of the M. E. church met May 22nd with Mrs. R. D. Parker, and at about five o'clock the ladies were requested to lay aside their work and were ushered into the dining room and seated at a very beautifully laid table decorated with a profusion of roses. After a very enjoyable time the ladies departed for their homes.  
The Chicago Weekly Inter Ocean is the only weekly newspaper published in Chicago in connection with the great daily papers. It contains a judiciously selected summary of the news of the nation and world, the best stories, home, farm, women's, and other special departments, and fair, patriotic, able editorials, written from a republican view point. It is by far the best general newspaper of the western states. The regular price for the Weekly Inter Ocean is \$1.00 and for the REPRODUCTION \$1.50 but subscriptions will be received at this office for the two papers in combination for one year only for \$2.00.  
The great success attained by the Innocent Maids company which comes to Hopkins' theatre for the week commencing Sunday, June 1st, is largely due to the many novelties which are presented by this attraction. The management after considerable consideration and research has gotten together a company which promises to eclipse any organization of the kind on the road. The first part is a funny skit entitled "A Wooden Woman," and introduces 30 young ladies, handsomely gowned in a series of new and original songs, marches and ensembles, prominent among which are the Belle and Beauz sextette, the Scrub Woman's Chorus and a very novel change act. The olio comprises many acts which are new to the vaudeville stage.

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