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The Downers Grove Fair closes every evening except Saturday at 8 o'clock.

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Galvanized wire, poultry, lawn and field fence, all sizes. Don't fail to call and let us quote you prices before placing your spring orders. Mertz & Mochel.

I have the brick dwelling, barn and 20 lots in Gostyn for rent or sale. Will rent for \$10 per month for one year from 1st of April or May. D. G. Graham.

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WEATHER POOR FOR CROPS.

The weekly crop bulletin for the week ending Monday says: The temperature was abnormally low during the week, there being a marked deficiency over the entire state. Freezing temperatures were recorded in the central and northern districts, and killing frosts occurred the latter part of the week. The deficiency in temperature averaged about 10 degrees. An almost total absence of rainfall, together with high wind movement, has fitted the soil for plowing in many localities, although there is much complaint of the wet, soggy condition of the ground. Wheat is in a fair condition but many adverse reports have been received. In the low land the crop is dead, and it has made but little progress during the week and it is not so promising as it was a week ago. The feature of farming operations has been the sowing of oats, in which rapid and satisfactory progress was made. Seeding is practically finished. Meager reports show rye to be in a good condition. Some plowing for corn has been done in the northern and central districts, and little planting has been done in the southern district. The weather has been too cold for grasses, and growth has been slow. Considerable young clover has been killed or damaged. Stock is in good condition. The fullest effect of the latest cold spell is not yet apparent on fruits, but no serious damage is believed to have occurred. In the southern district cherries and peaches are in bloom. The past winter has been severe on bees and many hives have been killed (hardening is in a backward stage. Considerable planting of potatoes has been done in the southern district.

CASS ITEMS.

Myron Oldfield was in Cass last Sunday.

John Slayard spent Saturday and Sunday in the city.

Chester Heartt left for Kansas City last Friday on a pleasure trip.

Henry Welch of Englewood is visiting at Patrick Welch's a few days.

Mrs. Augusta O'Neal of Chicago spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Henry Reehl.

Henry Reehl is having his residence painted. Chas. Hawkins of Lemont is doing the work.

Miss Ivoy Craigville of Lyonsville spent last week with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Oldfield.

Fitzgerald Bros. were sawing wood for Chas. and J. E. Oldfield last week, with their gasoline engine.

Miss Mabel Hoy, the Luce school teacher, and her sister, Miss Elsie, were visitors at the center Cass school last week.

The school caucus in Center Cass passed off quietly. Jas. Welch and Merritt Chivers were chosen for the new directors.

Henry Orlean, 12 years old, of Lemont, was killed about 8 o'clock Monday night by a fast train on the Santa Fe. He was riding a tricycle and was caught on the river bridge and thrown into the water.

"THE APACHE WARPATH."

The subject of Nat M. Brigham's third lecture to be given Tuesday evening, April 26, in the Methodist church is indicated in the above heading and should appeal to all patriotic citizens but more particularly to Grand Army men. Mr. Brigham was well acquainted with Gen. Geo. Crook, the greatest of all Indian fighters and many of the pictures shown in this lecture were given the lecturer by Gen. Miles and Mrs. Lawton, widow of Gen. Henry Lawton. To secure these pictures of the Apache scouts Mr. Brigham made a trip last summer through the Apache country. Gen. Chas. King commends the lecture in the highest terms. Mr. Brigham will sing during the lecture "Tenting tonight on the old camp ground" and "The vacant chair." Some one has said that to hear him sing is worth the price of the lecture alone.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, holds Sunday services on the top floor of the Oldfield building at 10:45. Sunday school for children at noon. Subject April 24, Everlasting Punishment. Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; and let him return unto the Lord, and he will have mercy upon him, and to our God, for He will abundantly pardon. This church holds regular Wednesday evening testimonial meetings at 8 p. m. in Oldfield hall. Reading room for the benefit of the public open every Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock at 102 Gilbert avenue. All are cordially invited.

BURLINGTON PREPARING TO ELEVATE.

A concrete wall 14 feet high and 1-200 feet long has just been finished by the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad on the south side of its right of way in Chicago near Blue Island avenue. This is the first stretch of nearly two miles of concrete wall that will be built by this company to support its elevated tracks. The cement embankment is nearly 20 feet wide at the base and about six feet at the top, and has the distinction of being the highest wall for elevated railroad tracks in the city. The rest of the long wall will be built this season, but it is not likely that the tracks will be elevated until next year.

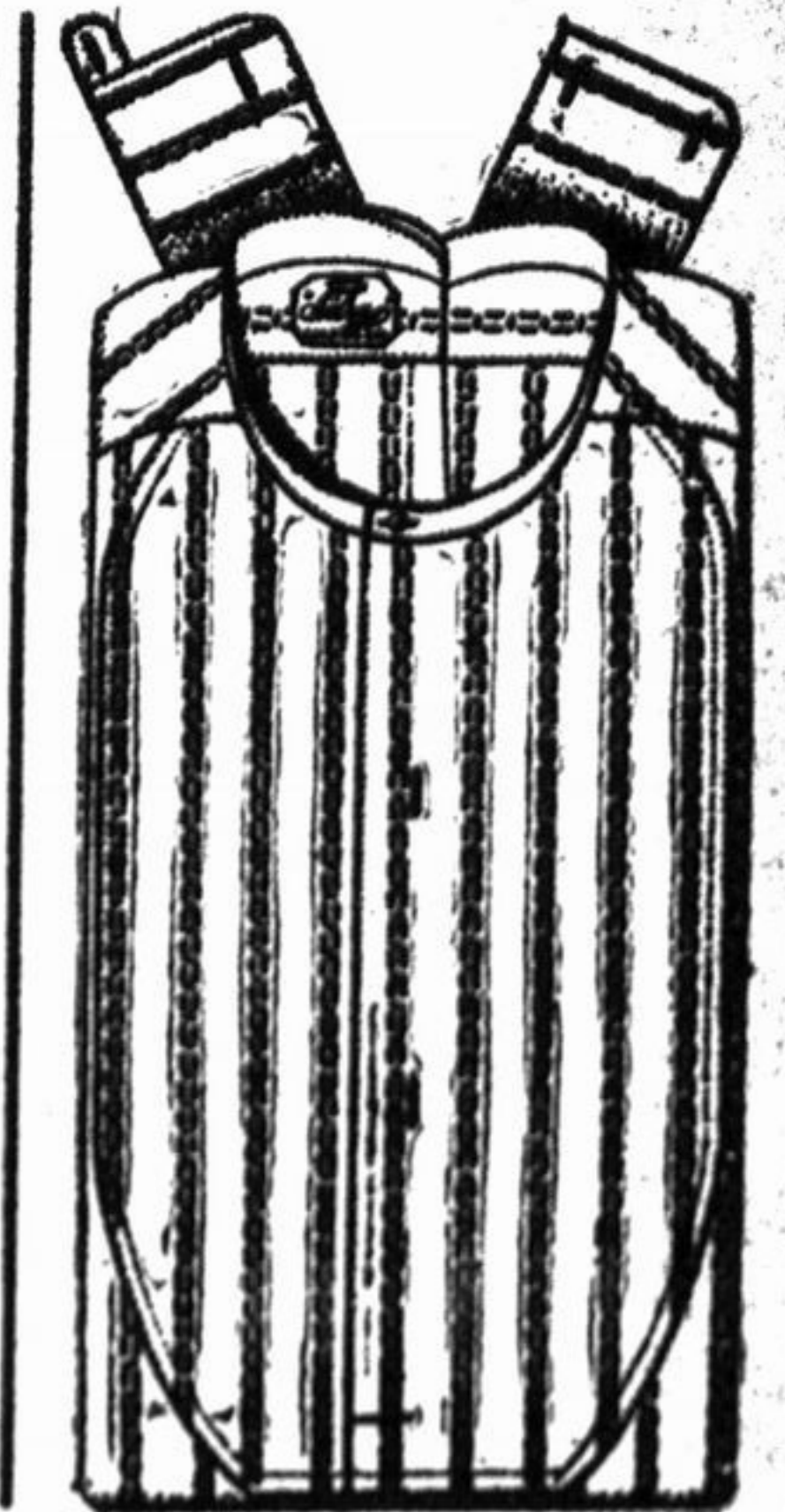
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