## and Compiled for Busy Readers

#### MISCELLANEOUS NOTES, ETC.

Did You Ever Do It? "Big Tim" Sullivan, the New York congressman, joined with some friends in sending a commissioner to New Orleans to place a lot of money on "a sure thing" at the races there. The horse lost and in an hour or so Mr. Sullivan received this telegram: "Am broke? How shall I act?" The New York statesman wired back, "Act like you are broke," and went home in

#### 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 them or have access to the mails. Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 58 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, LaGrippe, Bronchitis and all Throat and rural patrons. Lung Troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at all drug stores.

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#### New Theatre

It is just barely possible that Downers Grove may have an up to date family theatre established here soon. Efforts are being made in that direction. The a monthly magazine devoted to the location is the old Hathaway building. J. O'Neil and his wife are interested in and the extension of the religious parlia the project. Both of these people are ment idea, is just out. Some of the well and favorably known here, both in subjects are "A New Religion," "The a professional way and as citizens. Mr. Religion of pro-Semitism," "The Yellow O'Neil used to be manager of the Peril," "Petrarch," "Polygamy of the Burnett Opera House at Louisiana, Mo., Mormon," "Theory of Evolution and and has held several very important Man's Place in Nature," " Was Hamlet theatrical engagements in Chicago, Insane?" "The Praise of Hypocrisy," Mrs. O'Neil is a well known elocutionist and dramatic reader. The proposition is to convert the building into a modern theatrical structure with a drug store below, offices, a living room flat above. and an auditorium 40x60, with a balcony capable of seating about 450.

If suitable arrapgements can be made at 1 p. m. Mr. O'Neil would lease the theatre and produce about two plays weekly during elocution, dramatic art and dancing. There is no doubt but that Power. Downers Grove would appreciate the es tablishing of a modern, up to date ar deement house here. The old build Ing on South Main street, while it has events, has served its day.

#### **Board of Education Meets**

acted upon, so the session was short, society. Mr. Slusser was absent and Mr. Blodgett was ill and consequently ab sent. Some small bills and other rou tine matters received consideration. There are some vacancies on the teach ing staff but these will go over to the committee on vacancies with power to fill. Two new teachers have been secured already. They are Miss Hahn, of Rock Island, and Miss Hull, of Wheaton, who has just completed a normal course at that place. Both roung ladies come highly recommended and will no doubt add much to the high grade of teaching that our schools are noted for.

#### BRUTALLY TORTURED

A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equated. Joe Golobick, of Colusa, Cal., writes: "For 15 years 1 occasion. endured insufferable pain from Rheuma tism 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 all druggists. .

#### Rockford Chautauqua

The Rockford Chautauqua will hold its third assembly, August 18 to 31, 1904. A program covering the fourteen days, a copy of which we have recently eccived, assures a most enjoyable and rank of the Chautauquas of the United with a child's express wagob and had States and none present a better pro- left it in a passageway at the family thing to send to your friend at a disgram this year. It has a permanent residence on West Maple avenue and in auditorium, seating five thousand, and passing along Mr. Penner tripped and is quickly reached by street car; has fell headlong over it, injuring himself in dining hall, toilet rooms, class rooms, the breast inwardly. For some time he etc., in abundance. Some of the most was greatly overcome from the effects of W.J. Beyan, Dr. Frank M is still suffering in breathing.

Bristol, Bishop John H. Vincent, Hon. Chas. H. Grosvenor, Hon. Champ Clark, Mrs. John A. Logan, Mrs. L. M. Lake, Rabbi Leon Harrison, Rev. J. M. Thoburn, Bishop Charles C. McCabe, Mrs. Items of General Interest Gathered Helen Rhodes, Frank R. Roberson, Florence Ben-Oliel and scores of others.

#### WORKING NIGHT AND DAY

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#### A Suicide Club

Woodford county is said to have a suicide club. There have been four deaths by self destruction in that section since January 1,

The last was that of a young man named Clifford Miller, aged eighteen. who was found one day last week hang ing to a tree near Secor village. He left a note saying he was tired of life.

#### The July "Open Court"

The July edition of the Open Court science of religion, religion of science "George Brandes on the Shakespere-Bacon Problem.

#### Among the Churches

Mrs. A. P. Daniels gave a luncheon for the Episcopal Guild Friday, July 8,

At the Baptist church the pastor will the season. During the summer he and speak in the morning on the subject, bright and diligent students here, and his wife propose to open out classes "The Grateful Life," and in the evening at 7:30 on "The Confident Use of Our

"A Man Overboard," will be the sub ject of the discourse at the regular Sunday evening service of Rev. H. H. Rood, answered the purpose for recreatory of the Congregational church. Service begins at 7:30 p. m.

An ice cream festival will be given at the home of Mrs. J J. Riley, 53 Grove First Congregational church officiated. The Board of Education held its reg street, this evening at 8 p. m. by He was assisted by Rev. Booth Hazen, ular meeting on Tuesday evening. Very the ladies of St. Mary's Catholic little business had accumulated to be church, for the benefit of the Atlas

> night (Friday) at the home of Mrs. wishing the young people congratula-Elliott, East Grove, for the purpose of tions in this an eventful period in their gathering funds for the new Mission lives. The bride was gowned in white. church there.

> The Lord's Supper was observed at the Baptist church Sunday morning, per. The newly married people are en-The pastor preached two very inter. joying a honeymoon tour in several eastesting and instructive sermons, one in ern points. the morning and the other in the

of Downers Grove, holds services in Mason's hall on Sunday at 10:45. Subit not the communion of the blood Christ? The bread which we break, is it not the communion of the body of Christ?" I Corinthians, 10:16. Sunday houses, and data of the town from its school immediately after morning service. Wednesday evening service at 8. All are cordially invited.

#### Peculiar Mishap

C. Penner, harness maker on South profitable time to all who attend. This Main street, met with an accident on exambly, although young in point of Thursday evening in a very peculiar years, has assumed a place in the front manner. His little boy had been playing names on the program are: the fall. Dr. Gourlay was called and B Taylor, Col. Geo, W. Bain, attended him. Mr. Penner is able to P. Jones, Dr. J. Merritte Dri- take up his duties in his shop now, but

#### Late Local Happenings

party of friends from Chicago on the Fourth. Bountiful refreshments were served and all are reported to have had a fine time. Fireworks was one of th features of the evening.

The village trustees held a meeting The busiest and mightiest little thing Tuesday night and transacted some routine business. A couple of ordinances were passed and ordered to be adverbrain-fag into mental power. They're tised. The board adjourned to meet

#### **Patriotically Celebrated**

Captain and Mrs. T. S. Rogers, Warren Rogers and wife and Edward Lemon and wife united in celebrating the , rural mail carriers are not permitted Fourth at the Rogers home on Highto solicit business or receive orders of land avenue. A lawn picnic was to have been one of the features of the day, but on account of the high wind, luncheon was served in the dining room. Those present from out of town were Mrs. Kinley, of Aurora, and Mr. Funk, of

#### Happily Wedded

C. F. Davis and his sister, Mrs. Wm. Hampton, Ill., where they were attending the wedding of their niece, Miss Coffin, daughter of Mrs. Ida Coffin, a former and well known Du Page county resident. Miss Coffin became Mrs. Walter Frels on June 29.

The young people will make their home in Hampton in the future.

#### Triple Birthday Celebration

L. H. Clement and wife entertained a large number of friends on June 26, in honor of Mrs. E. E. Downer, Mrs. L. H. Clement and Miss Ethel Clement, i being their birthday. The chief entertainment was music furnished by the Noceto Brothers' orchestra from Chicago. Miss Letta Downer also helped to entertain the guests by reciting a number of elocutionary selections. Ice cream and cake was served,

Among the out of town guests were Theodore Buck and wife; Tony, John, and Marie Noceto; Louis Buck and Miss

#### Secure Degrees

The commencement exercises of the Lewis Institute, Chicago, occurred June 23d: Among those who received the academic certificate was Samuel J Kenison, and the title of Associate in Arts was conferred on Edwin G. Norse and Edwin S. Pridham. These three young men are residents of Downer's Grove, and were brought up and educated in our schools. They were exem plary, studious and scholarly, and were have maintained their record in the Lewis Institute. We bespeak for them a large measure of success.

#### Hymeneal

On Thursday of last week at the home of Mrs. James Clifford, aunt of the bride, the marriage of Arthur Whiffin and Miss Maude Cobb was solemnized The Rev. H. H. Rood, pastor of the pastor of the Baptist church. The solemnization took place about 8 p. m. and there was present about eighty of the immediate friends and acquaintances of A lawn social was scheduled for last the contracting parties, who joined in She carried in her hand a beautiful bouquet of pink peas. After the ceremony all sat down to the wedding sup-

#### Worthy of Preservation

What will be no doubt one of the The ladies of the Methodist church brightest and most artistic souvenir promet at the parsonage Thursday of this ductions of its kind for any of the towns week to make arrangements for the and villages about Chicago is being gotbanquet to be held on Thursday evel ten out by The Kelmscott Press. It is a ning, August 11, in connection with the brochure of some forty pages, and will Methodist jubilee and 10th anniversary contain beautiful photogravures of the principle streets, buildings, and the many cozy nooks, etc., to be found in First Church of Christ, Scientist, and about our pretty little village. Downers Grove is an ideal place for the photographer to enjoy himself to his ject for Jully 10, "Sacrament." Text, heart's content; and the finest and best "The cup of blessing which we bless, is views obtainable will be reproduced in of this little volume.

It will also contain business announcements of the leading business early inception.

Downers Grove is one of the landmarks of the early history of Illinois, and many of its former residents and their children have gone to all parts of the world, where they have before them new scenes and different conditions, but, no doubt, ever and anon, the mind in its reminiscent stage, turns to the former days in old Downers Grove.

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#### DRIVEN TO DESPERATION

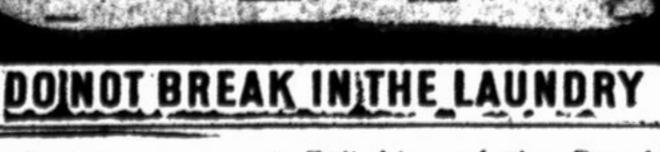
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