

LOCAL NEWS

School days!

Mrs. V. Simonson is suffering from a severe cold.

Miss Louise Zell spent Labor Day at Starved Rock and Deer Park.

For printed matter of any kind, call at the Reporter office.

Miss Emma Wander visited with friends in Naperville Labor Day.

Harold Clark visited from Tuesday to Thursday with his brother Donald at Chadwick, Ill.

Mrs. Frank Harper returned last Friday from a visit with her mother at Sterling, Ill.

Mrs. Studley and son, Victor, of Neponset, Ill., visited at the Nevitt and Barry homes over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warrender and daughter of Chicago, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moberg Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Carlson of Chicago spent a few days visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Zell.

Mrs. J. Woods and family have returned from a visit with Mrs. Wood's mother at Murray, Iowa.

Miss Thyra Alderson has returned to Wall Lake, Iowa, where she is teaching in the grade schools.

Miss Anna Myers and Miss Margaret Knox spent Labor Day in Aurora.

Mrs. Lew Thomas and Mrs. Dickenson gave a "ten-ten" tea at the M. E. church last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Champitt of Winnetka spent a few days this week visiting with friends here.

Mrs. Ed. Frank spent Labor Day visiting her sister, Mrs. Ed. Stark, at Naperville.

J. Reinhardt and wife, of Chicago, visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. Pinner and family at their home on Maple avenue last Sunday.

Now, all together, a booster club to boost Downers, a bunch of boosters in a booster club will boost Downers, why not have one?

Grace Rhanabrook returned Thursday from a month's vacation spent with relatives at New Boston and Kettleshurg, Ill.

If you are unable to send the books in and will notify the library board they will find some way to send for them.

Miss Sadie E. Brown, Miss Nell Brown and Miss Bertha Fitzgerald visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Brown last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Smart, Wm. Smart and Mrs. Grannis left Thursday morning for Vinton, Iowa, to be gone about a month.

Mrs. R. C. Briggs and daughter Mildred were the guests of Mrs. A. C. Cummings at "Sunset Farm" on the Butterfield road, Wednesday.

Wood for Sale—Sawed in store lengths, delivered in half-cord lots or more. Austin-Littleford - Nurseries, Phone 46-W.

The Simonson and Uhlhorn families took pleasant motor trips to Starved Rock and Deer Park state parks over Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Horlick entertained Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young and Mrs. W. W. Barry at lunch last Sunday evening.

Mrs. Walter Barry and son Lester returned last Thursday from a pleasant vacation spent with friends in Duluth, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Chambers and daughter Ruth visited over Labor Day with Mr. Chambers' mother in Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Prentiss of Santa Ana, Cal., visited with Mrs. Elizabeth Gustin and Miss Winifred Richards over Sunday.

Vacationing days are nearly done, and once again ye ed. has not left the office. Kinda soft, this bein' an ed. As B. L. T. says, "oollyes."

Edward Fischer, of Burlington, Ill., visited with his sisters in Naperville and Downers Grove the fore part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Glass, son, Howard, and Miss Beatrice Glass, of Oak Park, visited with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Winter, last Sunday.

Helen Zell spent part of her vacation seeing the wonders of Niagara Falls. She also visited in Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. C. Bertolin returned Sunday morning from a vacation spent visiting her brother and other relatives in Austin, Minnesota.

Heard on the street Wednesday: "Oh, if this weather would only keep up until Christmas." Then, "Oh, what's the use of wishin'."

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Mrs. Flora Flint, of Davenport, Iowa, an aunt of Irving Sweet, and Miss Marcia Millington of Shabonna, Ill., attended the funeral of Irving Sweet on Thursday last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clark and son and Mr. and Mrs. Ernst Dawson motored to Chadwick, Ill., and visited with Donald Clark and family from Friday to Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Prickett, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Barry and Mr. and Mrs. John Sasse of Austin attended the Aryan Grotto picnic at Fox River Park, Aurora, last Saturday.

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the East Grove church will meet next Thursday, Sept. 16, at the home of Mrs. Dunn. All interested in this work are invited to attend.

"In and Around the High School" is the title of a new department, starting with this issue, which we expect to publish every week during the high school term.

Ten ladies, friends of Mrs. Ahrens, surprised her on her birthday and presented her with a lovely gift. Refreshments were served and those present spent a pleasant afternoon.

Wednesday the thermometer touched ninety in the shade. We think this is a record for the summer. Cheer up, you may get the vacation tan before Christmas, after all.

S. J. Perkin and wife started Sunday morning on a motor trip to Lansing, Michigan, to visit relatives. When last heard from they were making good time and the "little Ford was ramblin' right along."

LAST Labor Day, oval shaped hough, in green and white settings, between East Grove and Dicke theater. Finder please return to Kohler's. Miss Myrtle Lantz of Chicago visited with her sister, Mrs. J. J. Ralston, over Labor Day.

Mr. Geo. MacDonzall, Robert MacDonzall and Harold Clark returned Sunday morning from a fishing trip to Diamond Lake, Michigan. They report the only sizable thing they caught was a large sized cold.

John Wolfersheim, Jr., of Chicago, was a guest of L. E. Bunning at the Belmont Golf Club, Wednesday. "Hons" says it seems like old times to be following the little white pill around the course.

Wish there was a nice big lake within easy walking distance of Downers Grove, where we could fish, swim, go boating and enjoy all the other pleasures which a lake means. How about a vote? The eyes have it.

Frank Dewey and Roland Schultz spent Saturday, Sunday and Monday at Delavan Lake, Wisconsin. They say the weather was kinda bad, no big fish, but a nice string of pan fish were the net results.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Staats, son, Elton, and Harry Bateman took a three-day outing to Slocum's Lake, in Lake County. They encountered bad weather and so did not get much fishing. Harry says "the big one got away, as is usual."

Complaints have been received by the village authorities of small boys playing football and other games on private property and when told to move on by the owners, politely refused. This matter will be looked after, it is promised.

The wind storm which centered here about 5:30 Wednesday evening gave most of the feminine population of the Grove a bad scare; they were hunting cyclone cellars. If the wind did no other good it cleared the apple trees of most of the surplus fruit.

Once more the boys and girls are wending their way to the little red school houses. Boys in Downers Grove, especially the smaller ones, were wearing an expression of woe Tuesday morning, as they thought of the long rainy vacation which had departed.

Although a number of friends of the library have announced their intention of giving books to the library, but a few have actually been sent in. Those intending to make such donations should do so at once, as all books received must be gotten ready before we move into the new building.

Charles Warrender, of Chicago, a brother of Mrs. Walter Moberg, and Miss Marie Senate, of Aurora, were married at St. Mary's church, Aurora, at 7 a. m. Tuesday morning. After an elaborate wedding breakfast they left for a short honeymoon in Streator. They will live in the Corcoran house on North Forest avenue, near Chicago avenue.

The Rod and Gun Club will hold a "Ladies' Day" shoot at the club grounds, on the Plank road, next Sunday morning. Members are urged to attend this shoot and bring out the ladies, who will be given a chance to demonstrate their prowess at the clay birds. Frank Rogers broke the local record Labor Day when he broke his string of twenty-five birds; he totaled forty-six hits out of a possible fifty.

Mrs. A. P. Daniels has been entertaining Chicago guests.

Mrs. E. W. Foster is spending a week visiting relatives and friends in Iowa.

Miss Maude Bateman has returned from a visit of several weeks in New York City and Detroit.

Mrs. G. F. Greenwood and daughters of Edgewater visited in Downers last week.

Dr. Goodwin will speak on the Commission Form of Municipal Government Sunday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Joseph's church.

Mr. E. C. Kuenzel and daughter, Aris, returned to their home in New Bremen, Ohio, on Saturday after a week's visit at the home of Ernest Schultz.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Freeman of Carol, a. visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rogers Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Freeman is a nephew of Mrs. Rogers.

Henry Taylor and wife and two children motored up from Wilmington, Ill., last Sunday and visited with their brother and sister, Mr. and Geo. Schiniller.

The first meeting of the "Young Women's Physical Culture League" will be held Monday evening, September 13, 1915, in the gymnasium. At this meeting plans will be made for the coming year, and classes re-organized. Bring your enthusiasm and September dues with you.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Letters advertised below will be sent to the dead letter office on Oct. 5th if not called for prior to that date. A charge of 1 cent on all advertised matters:

Helen Anker, letter; Frank Carna, letter; D. R. Cox, letter; Louis F. Gishwiller, letter; Mabel Miller, card; B. M. Nilson, letter; Edwin Pridham, card; Mrs. Henry Palao, card; Fred Platt, card; Ralph Schoemaker, letter; Louis Woods, card and letter.

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Olympic A. C. B.; Berwyn A. C. I. In a game featured with fast fielding, great pitching and a home run, the Olympics defeated the Berwyn A. C. last Sunday by the score of 6 to 1. A large number of people turned out and by their applause showed that they appreciated what undoubtedly was the best game played in Downers Grove this year. The Olympics have a splendid record and it would be in order to have the Downers Grove A. A. team cross bats with them to determine who's who in the Downers Grove baseball world.

The score:

Olympic A. C.—	R. H. P. A. E.
Davenport, Eb.....	0 1 2 2 0
N. Jorgensen, H.....	0 1 1 0 0
A. Nabraski, M.....	1 2 3 2 1
C. Mrkwicka, P.....	1 2 0 1 0
Harber, G.....	2 12 2 0
H. Jorgensen, B.....	1 2 2 2 0
W. Dexter, R.....	0 2 0 0 2
Adams, C.....	1 2 0 0 1
Totals.....	4 12 27 13 2

Berwyn A. C.—

R. H. P. A. E.	
Doyle, R.....	0 0 0 0 1
Kallman, B.....	0 0 3 2 2
O'Hara, C.....	0 1 3 4 1
Berg, M.....	0 1 2 1 1
B. Gubbin, H.....	1 0 0 0 0
C. Williams, C. & P.....	0 0 0 0 2
C. Williams, B.....	0 1 2 1 1
Harrett, C. & P.....	0 2 0 0 0
J. Gubbin, B.....	0 0 0 0 1
Totals.....	1 2 24 11 9

Berwyn A. C.....0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0-1
Olympic A. C.....0 0 1 1 3 4 1 0-4
Two-base hits—Parker, C. Williams. Home run—H. Jorgensen.
Stolen bases—Adams 2, Parker, Nabraski, H. Jorgensen, Harrett, J. Gubbin.

Bases on balls—Mrkwicka 1, O. Williams 1, Harrett 1.
Struck out—By Mrkwicka 12, O. Williams 9.
Wild pitch—O. Williams, Harrett.
Double plays—Davenport to H. Jorgensen; Harrett to J. Gubbin.
Hit by pitcher—By O. Williams, Adams; by Mrkwicka, B. Gubbin.

THE PLEASANT SMILE.

He was not rich in worldly goods;
No offices he held;
In no one field it might be said
Of him that he excelled;
He managed but to get along,
To march with rank and file,
And yet he was unique in this—
He had a pleasant smile.

While others careworn faces wore,
He smiled his way through life;
He'd had his share of trouble, too,
Of worldly care and strife;
But somehow furrows never came
That mark the weary mile;
His face a benediction was—
He had a pleasant smile.

He made our burdens lighter seem;
Our worries chased away;
His cheery greeting always made
A brighter, lighter day;
What though he never rose to fame,
Or never made his name;
A monarch might have envied him—
He had a pleasant smile.

MATINEE

Every Saturday afternoon at 2:30
To decrease the attendance of our evening entertainments we have arranged for a Saturday afternoon matinee at which we admit children (under 6 years of age) free, provided they are with their parents

Saturday Sept. 11th

Charlin Chaplin in "The Masqueraders"
The fable of "The Home Treatment and the Sure Cure"
Paramount Travel Series
"Hazards of Helen," R. R. series, Kalamazoo
"A Pair of Queens" 2-reel Vitagraph Comedy

Tuesday Sept. 14th

Charles Richman in the famous Comedy Drama
"The Man From Home" by Booth Tarkington

Thursday Sept. 16th

Gladys Hanson in the powerful Drama
"The Straight Road" by Clyde Fitch

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WEEKLY WEATHER FORECAST BULLETIN

U. S. Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau, Chicago, Ill., Tuesday, September 7, 1915. Issued by the U. S. Weather Bureau, Washington, D. C., for the week beginning Wednesday, Sept. 8, 1915.

For the Region of the Great Lakes: Overcast weather and shows Wednesday and probably Thursday will be followed by fair weather and moderate temperature until about the twelfth, when showers are again probable.

For the Upper Mississippi Valley and Plains States: Fair weather and moderate temperature will prevail until about the eleventh or twelfth, when local showers are probable, to be followed by fair weather the last two days of the week.

COULDN'T AFFORD TO ADVERTISE.

Jud Shaw sold shoes and sealing wax, and lamps, fishpools and glue, tobacco, candles, gum and tacks, slicers and sardines, too, dry goods and beans were in his line; he dealt in pens and pens; he kept the general store—in fine, sold overalls and jeans; but Jud, somehow, he wasn't wise—"Couldn't afford to advertise."

Not that he harbored any grudge against his home town sheet; he was, as anyone might judge, a kindly man to meet; his customers he treated fair, and yet he prospered not; his goods were honest, one would swear, he simply was forgot; for Jud, somehow, he wasn't wise—"Couldn't afford to advertise."

Mail order firms from out of town, much wiser in their day, paid liberally for their removal, and gather in the hay; their catalogues went everywhere; they advertised for trade; their name went forth with trumpets blare, and, ah! the coin they made; couldn't afford, they were so wise, couldn't afford NOT to advertise.

Now, Jud's stuff it was just as good; his prices were the same; the loss was ours; he simply WOULD not spread abroad his name; though townfolks might have much preferred in their home mart to buy, of Jud Shaw they had never heard—you know the reason why, for Jud, somehow, he wasn't wise—"Couldn't afford to advertise!"

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PARTISANSHIP.

Partisanship may be a legitimate adhesion to party, or it may simply be an association for selfish ends. This latter partisanship may become the bane of national existence, as it is organized to gratify principle while it is grabbing the spoils. As one writer puts it, such partisans are "bound together by the cohesive power of public plunder." This perverted partisanship bends its greatest efforts to the control of political situations through organizations masking under the names of social or moral associations. Under a plea of morality, or reform, they seek to gain office or power, regardless of the greater good of the state or the nation. The methods of such partisans may be distinguished easily. They are always the same—pledges from candidates, falsehood, treachery, the denial of obligations and corruption of officials either through threats of defeat or promises of favors. Frequently the efforts of such partisans are inspired by zeal, but zeal in a bad cause may be even a greater evil than that which the zealot would try to remedy. Reform in itself may be desirable, but if the consequences of that reform are worse than the evil reformed, nothing is gained and progress is hindered. Partisanship should be regulated by common sense and knowledge.

HIS LETTER.

Dear Bill: I don't feel you have given you kids a tip about the Dandy Home we had on our last Florida trip. We caught three Parrot & I wish you'd send me a tip. The State we went to had some of the best ones we ever dug. The Wrens looked like where the Cardinals were. We went to the State where we had some of the best ones we ever dug. The Wrens looked like where the Cardinals were. We went to the State where we had some of the best ones we ever dug. The Wrens looked like where the Cardinals were.

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