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Mrs. J. H. Bateman was the guest of Mrs. Gillette, of Aurora, last week. Mrs. Smith of Randali street is visiting in Aurora this week.

Miss Evelyn Brown has recovered from her recent illness.

Ahe. Johnson and wife are now in the Hawkins flat on Main street.

Mrs. George spent a few days this

week with relatives in Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. J. Lehman are visiting relatives in St. Paul, Minn.

C. E. Anderson left Tuesday evening

for Topeka, Kan., on a business trip The Edfors family of Carpenter street are preparing to move to May-

wood.

Mr. aud Mrs. Lemon have returned vacation trip through Michi-

Mr. and Mrs. W. Heintz and Miss

Binder took a trip to Joliet Sunday in their little flivver. Mr. and Mrs. Ed LaMott and daugh-

ter have returned from their vacation

at Van Lue, Ia. D. J. Miley is attending the Illinois State Conference of the B. M. and P. L.

U. at Peoria this week Miss Hazel Angelo and Miss Lillian Stephenson are spending their vaca-

tions in Santa Fe, New Mexico. Hollis Ferguson of Jacksonville, III. visited over Sunday at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Angelo.

Mrs. G. L. Horlick is visiting her mother in Chicago while her husband is away on a business trip.

Mrs. Achern and Mrs. Winslow, of Chicago, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young.

Mrs. Snyder and daughter, of Oak Park, visited last week with Mrs. Carrie Baker.

Mrs. B. C. White returned from Rochester, Minn., where she enjoyed pound pickerel as proof. a visit with her sisters-in-law.

Miss Marie Winterton is able to assume her duties at the office after a

Mrs. Fred Gerwig returned Monday from a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Sass at Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Mebren enter tained Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Chevalier and sons at dinner Sunday evening

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Lauer at daughter, of Chicago, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hobosky Thursday.

Mr. T. Moranz visited with the

Walloboy family in Chicago over Sun-

spent Labor Day in Downers visiting friends.

Mrs. LaCharty and daughter, Madeline, spent Sunday in Chicago the guesta of Dr. and Mrs. Lamphere. Mrs. H. P. Jones and mother, Mrs.

Hunt, are enjoying a trip to Niagara

Falls. The Shakespeare class held its regulare meeting on Monday at Mrs. F. C.

Lancaster's. Ed Pfaff is at home from his sum-

mer work with the Redpath Lyceum

Bureau. Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Heintz and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Lacey motored to Starved Rock last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Saunders of Lane place left Sunday evening for St Louis, Mo., and Ft. Worth, Tex., on two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Batcheller, who makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Wilhelm, is visiting her daughter in Chicago.

G. L. Horlick left Sunday night on a three weeks' business trip. He will take in Philadelphia, St. Louis and other cities.

Mrs. W. Plumb, Mrs. Richter and Mrs. Porter returned Sunday from a few days' visit with their sister and father in Vandalia, III.

Albert Vix and Theron Potter have returned from a long stay in the gouth, mostly spent on the Gulf of Mexico.

Mrs. George Willard entertained the "17" card club on Tuesday. Mrs. Frank Willard captured the first prize and Mrs. W. W. Barry the second.

Did anyone hear a rumor around Sunday evening about automobile bandits? Or rather, is there anyone who did not hear the rumor?

Wood for Sale-Sawed in stove engths, delivered in half-cord lots or Austin-Littleford Nurseries, Phone 46-W.

Jane Bateman and niece, Charlotte. left for Quincy, Ill., Tuesday morning to visit for a few days with James

Bateman, who has been sick. Mrs. Lucy Graves, of Linscott avenue, has returned to her home after a prolonged visit with her son at La-

Moyle, Illinois. The Rev. R. Wilbur Babcock, who resigned September 1st, will assume

Moline, Ill., on October 1st. Miss Mayme Engelschall has reon Oconomowoc Lake, where she

charge of the First Baptist church at turned from Spring Bank, Wisconsin, ducing the cultivation of alfalfa. He t a delightful two months' vaca-

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Mrs. R. F. Stark and son, Clarence, were called to Michigan on account of the death of Mrs. Stark's brother, who died very suddenly Wednesday morn-

Aid of Congregational Church will meet Thursday afternoon, Sept. 23d, at home of Mrs. Collier, 117 Saratoga avenue. Hope for a good attendance A

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Michels have returned from a vacation spent at Fairmont, Minn. A. G. didn't tell any fish stories, he brought back a six-

Miss Violer Lundquist of St. Louis who has been visiting at the home of Victor Peterson, returned to St Louis on Wednesday to resume her course at hospital work.

Arthur, William and Emil Vix, John, Brobitz, Van McGinnis and Frank Sofranksi returned iast Saturday from a week's camp on the Mississippi river at Galena Junction?

George Dicke is contemplating banging out a shingle as a Teacher of Spanish. He took his first lessoon in this Miss Pauline Wirkins of Naperville language at Hinsdale last bunday night elry visited at the Moranz and Bobosky and says it's very easy to learn if one has a pretty teacher.

> George Shaw Cook, C. S. B., will deliver a lecture on Christian Science at Dicke's hall, Friday evening, Sep-Mrs. Rudolph Schwab tember 24th, under the auspices the local church. Admission to the hall will be free.

The Woman's Child of St. Andrew 'hurch will meet with Mrs. A. Lynch, & Cakwood avenue, Wednesday next Soph 22. It is desired at this meeting to arrange for a social tea to be given in the near future.

The Woman's Guild of St. Andrew's church will hold a bakery sale at the church Saturday afternoon, September 25th, from 2 o'clock until 5. Any one wishing to order in advance can notify Mrs. Tizzard. Phone 118-J .-

Miss Helen Richardson of Oak Park and Miss Ellen Fagan of St. Charles, III., spent the week-end with Miss Madeline Hughes. These young ladies are both engaged in library work and were very much interested in our new library building.

Mrs. DeWitt and a party of ladies motored to Aurora Wednesday after calling at the homes of Mrs. John Ma son and Mrs. Chas. Wade. A ride through the country toward Joliet was greatly enjoyed. Those of the party were Mesdames DeWitt, Lemon, Bunge, Kelley, W. H. Blodgett and Huntington.

The civics committee of the Wo man's Club met at the home of the chairman Tuesday. The officers and members of this committee are as fol-Mrs. Lemon, chairman; Mrs Oliver, secretary; Mrs. Miller, treas urer: Miss Stewart, press correspon dent: Mrs. DeWitt, Mrs. Shoemacker and Miss Baxter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rogers, G. H. Bunge and Miss Gladys Rogers mo fored to Bloomingdale, Ill., last Wednesday, where they attended the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Du gan. The bride was Miss Nettie Bun nel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Punnel, old residents of Downers

Mrs. C. A. Carlson was very pleas antly surprised Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Budd L. Kellogg on Maple avenue. After an enjoyable time, refreshments 'ere served and Mrs. Carlson was presented with some very beautiful gifts. Those present were Mesdames Bennett, Orsinger, Prickett, Kellogg, Carlson, Brown, Cooper and Henderson

Mrs. M. A. Sacksteder is in Ohio. her brother-in-law, Mr. Jos. Wing of Woodlawn Farm, Mechanicsburg, Ohio. ernment as a soil expert and traveled extensively in various countries infrowas on the staff of the Breeders' "but if you haven't, you have cheated Gazette and is well known through | the management."

WHO SAYS THE YOUNG-STERS CAN'T PLAY BALL?

All those who saw Saturday's game with La Grange-there was no spectators from Downers Grove-will testify that they can.

Downers was scheduled to play off the postponed game with LaGrange on their grounds Saturday, but on account of the bad weather none of the boys, expected to play and all came home without stopping off. One two, who were still awake, were a the depot when the early afternoon trains came in and hurried everyone who would play for a uniform or some old clothes, and just nine men left Downers on the 2:20 train. When they arrived, they fell into their unl forms, handed their valuables over to fill Dexter, who hadn't had time to get a uniform, and went after them. Pill had his pockets full of money as well as five or six watches and every one was on edge when Bill went to but for fear he would be hit by the pitcher, or slide on some of the jew-

With five of last spring's high school players playing their regular positions, Downers played LaGrange to a 3 to nine innings, and if it had not seen for darkness, the game would doubtless have gone on several more played a dandy game all the way through, although they made three misplays, but no two of them came in the same inning and only one was costly. All of the infaction were poor throws, which were excusable considering the wet grounds and had

himself out of several had holes. Arnol Ulborn and Davenport figured in a pretty double play at second base and John Mochel made a star catch of foul against the grandstand near third Johnny put down his head and ran be hall and just as he looked up pped on something slippery and w forward in a horizontal position. a ching the hall just as his elbows it, and slid along the ground. Tom chaltz accepted three chances in cenor field in nice style and shared the batting honors with Anderson, Nash and Curtiss of Downers and Old Mai. Williams of LaGrange, who poled three

Downers will play off the game at LaGrange next Saturday and it should he a corking contest

BOWLING ALLEYS OPEN FOR SEASON

Wednesday evening the Dicke bowl ing alleys were thrown open to the bowlers for the first time this season and quite a few old timers took ad-

vantage of the fact. They have been planed, scraped, sandpapered and polished until one can hardly recognize them as the same alleys. They are in first class shape and as fast as any alleys can be.

It is expected by local bowlers that a successful season is coming. Plans are being formulated to start a local three-man, five-team league. Efforts will also be made to get a suburban bowling league started, with teams entered from along the Burlington.

Opinion Plainly Expressed. The rehearsal had not gone at all to please the stage director, who, at its close, severely and unjustly criticized the leading man. In conclusion he said: "Say, do you think I have that," answered the actor snavely,

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BOB AND THE BONES.

Harper Hibbe has two friends, Bob McElroy and Mr. Bones. Bob is tech, school boy with leanings toward professional career. Mr. Bones will

oe more particularly identified later. in search of enlightenment on the mysteries of university life Bob recently visited Harper. The visit was on invitation. In fact, Harper had spent much time which might have been more profitably spent in the purunit of his studies in arranging a reception for his friend Bob. After some desultory conversation and hurried view of the "university books," Bob was asked if he would like to meet Mr. Hones, who, according to Harper, could be of great assistance to fiob should that youth elect to be-

come a physician. Hob was delighted. He said so with enthusiasm and was forthwith conducted into the presence of Mr. Bones, who lay on a hospital chair in a room which was dimly lighted by a red Harper deftly removed a covering from Mr. Bones. A skeleton rat-Curtiss pitched a nice, steady game | fled and extended its articulated phaand got most of the assists, pitching langes to Bob, who incontinently fled haste he neglected to notice that Harper was convulsed with laughter or that a porch pillar of solid cement

harred his hasty flight. After giving first aid to the injured and binding up sundry cuts and bruises on Bob's face, Harper explained an in tricate system of wires by which he was able to cause the skeleton, alias Mr. Bones, to extend his hand in re sponse to an introduction.

The credibility of the foregoing Item s vouched for by a source no less authentic than Harper Hibbe, and he ought to know, for both Bob and Mr Bones are his friends. Certain partly healed bruises on the physiognomy of Bob also lend the color of truth to the varn

WIEKLY WEATHER FORE CAST.

U.S. Department of Agriculture Chicago, Ill Tuesday, September 14, 1915. Issucd by the U. S. Weather Bureau, Washington, D. C., for the week be ginning Wednesday, Sept. 15, 1915 For the region of the Great Lakes: Local thundershowers at the beginning of the week will be followed by fair and cooler weather beginning

For the Upper Mississippi Valley and Plains States: The week will b one of generally fair and cool weather with some probability of frosts the first half of the week in the middle and northern Plains States and the extreme upper Mississippi Valley.

Only Four Tallors! world over you will only find four O. S. Davis, Charles M. Stuart been a stage director for fifteen years | tailors' cutters who can turn out a satfor nothing?" "I can not say as to isfactory pair of trousers, and that these four are resident in the Admin fatrative city of London,-Ford Madon Mueffer in London Outloo

EVEN SOUTHERN WE WITHOUT

To decrease the attendance of our evening have arranged for a Saturday afternoon matines admit children (under 6 years of age) free, provide their parents

Saturday Sept. 18th

Charlin Chaplin in "A Gentleman of Nerve" "The Missing Clue" Vitagraph C "The Battle of Elderbush Gulch"

Paramount Travel Series "Hazards of Helen,"

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R. R. series.

Tuesday Sept. 21st

Daniel Frohman presents Tyrone Power in the famous Society Drama "Aristocr

Thursday Sept. 23rd

Jesse L. Lasky presents

"The Circus Ma

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Theodore Roberts, in

After a pastorate of six years in Downers Grove, Mr. Babcock leaves us the 1st of October to go to the First Baptist Church of Moline, Bl. We regret exceedingly that he must leave us, but he goes with our united

love and interest. Distance will separate us but our hearts will still be united in one com-

Our interest is going to be broader than ever before, for while we go forward with the work here with unabated zeal, our love, our prayers and our influence are going to have some part in the work of Brother Babcock in his new field of labors."

We fully appreciate the large opportunity for him and while we know that he is equal to the demands of the new field and work, yet we realize the loss to us will be great, and not only to us as a church but to Downers

Mr. Babcock has been an influential factor not only in the church in which he has served so faithfully these past years, but in the community. His work among the Boy Scouts has been wonderful and he will be greatly missed by them. He has also been a strong factor for clyle righteusness as well and Downers Grove loses one of its best citizens.

"None knew thee but to love thee; None named thee but to praise. E. V. MORTON.

CHRISTIANITY AND THE MODERN MAN

A great course of lectures on this apportune theme, free to the public, will be given by the Rev. Francis I. Patton, D. D., Ll. D., ex-president of Princeton, at 4:00 o'clock on the aft ernoon of Monday to Friday (Septem ber 27-October 1, inclusive) in Central Music Hall, 64 East Van Buren street near Michigan boulevard.

These lectures, to whose prepara tion a great deal of time was given. were delivered before Princeton University last spring and are scheduled for several of the larger cities of the country this autumn.

The arrangements are in charge of The Moody Bible Institute, but the in vitation to Dr. Patton was extended not only in the name of Dean James. M. Gray, but by representatives of the different ministerial associations and theological seminaries in Chicago and Evanston, including the Revs. W. E. Shirey, Floyd H. Adams, J. C. Dancey, Herman H. Thoren, Roy I am aware that if you search the Bowers and J. M. Wilson and Dra-

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card, Rockford, Ill. BERT C. WHITE, P. M.

Joys and Sorrows Differed Little From Those With Which Modern Woman in Familiar.

Sophoeles, the ancient Greek drs matist, described the young girl of day rejoicing in the flowery meads of and mother and learned to know the painful watches of the night, spent in anxiety for husband and children. It would have been well for her if such anxiety, the common lot of all had been the sole cause of trouble

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