

Star and Herald.

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GARDNER GATHERINGS.

Lawyer J. H. Shay, of Streator, visited friends here Monday.

The total enrollment in our public schools for September was 235.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kulp are visiting relatives in Elkhart, Ind.

Mrs. O. C. Minor and daughter visited relatives in Ladd, Ill., last week.

Agent Croker expects to move duly to Gardner this week or next.

Wm. Gallagher, ex-station agent, Gardner a few days last week.

Miss Olla Wessels, of Gardner, visited Miss Lillie Bagley, over Sunday.

O. A. Miller, Dr. McMann's efficient drug clerk, supports a new salty bicycle.

Mrs. Croker, of Streator, wife of our Alton agent, spent several days here last week.

Louis Germain attended the unveiling of the Grant monument last week.

Mary White has purchased lots 7 and 8 of block 6 in Gardner, of H. A. Gardner, for \$60.

There were no services at the M. E. church Sunday on account of the absence of the pastor.

F. A. Pagal attended the annual communication of the state A. F. M. in Chicago last week.

Mrs. Thomas S. Green and Mrs. W. S. Allison visited in Chicago several days last week.

Quite a number of people from Gardner attended the Free Methodist quarterly meeting at Mazon Sunday.

Mr. Alex Fuller, of Streator, who was the guest of W. S. Allison several days, returned home Monday.

Robt. Cummings, of Chicago, a brother of Thomas, George and John, was here several days this week visiting relatives.

John Brown, cousin of J. and W. Ke-win, was in town on business Tuesday. He is in the tannery business in Joliet.

Gardner second nine vs. Clark City professionals played a game of ball, Sunday, Oct 11, score 15 to 17 in favor of Gardner.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Maloney, who have been visiting with T. Reel returned to their home in Buckley, Thursday evening.

David Smith went to Joliet Tuesday, on business connected with the improvements to be made in the M. E. church shortly.

Several of the Alton section men went over on the Santa Fe Tuesday to assist in tearing up several miles of track for the latter road.

At the last meeting of the school board it very sensibly decided to put in a cistern to procure water for cleansing purposes.

Certificate of publication and mailing notices were filed by W. S. Allison, executor of the estate of John Allison, last week at Morris.

Col. Babcock who was murdered in this county, was a Chicago man—Kellogg Nichols was a Chicago

man; and so were Maxwell and Fitzburg, and so is Barnett.

Dr. Harry Ferguson, of Gardner, was in Morris yesterday. The doctor is working into quite a good practice, we are glad to know.—Morris Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Spiller, of Kansas, visited the world's fair city Sunday. Mr. Spiller is a brother of Wm. Spiller, one of our enterprising citizens.

Mr. Frank Reece had the misfortune to get badly injured from the kick of a horse Tuesday morning. The fact of the horse not being shod probably saved Mr. Reece's life. He was about the barn in which there was a blind horse that had a sore foot. He reached down to examine the foot and as he did so the horse was scared and kicked, landing one foot over the left eye cutting a long and deep gash in which quite a number of stitches were taken. He is badly injured, but Dr. McMann informs us that he will pull through all right in a few days.

GOODFARM.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blade and Louis Wagner, of Chicago, spent a few days at Geo. and Henry Gantzert's.

Joe, Small having finished the well at Pat Leach's is now drilling one at Paul Kimes.

Mrs. Lizzie Robbins and children and Miss Jessie Rheinart are visiting old friends in our vicinity.

S. H. Smith is working in the tile factory at Mazon.

Geo. Sweely and wife, of Missouri, are visiting the Gantzert brothers.

John Crocker and wife spent Sunday at Arthur Crocker's.

John Henney and wife called on Geo. Unz and family last Tuesday. Wm. VanHouten and wife visited at C. E. Stevens last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill spent Sunday at Geo. Gantzert's.

Johnnie Hahn's infant was baptized last Sunday.

May Terwilliger spent Sunday with Jennie Robison.

Mrs. L. Hahn is improving slowly. James Kruse and wife spent Sunday with George and Bell Ash, of Highland.

Two young friends of Ed. Constantine spent several days with him.

Simon Bundensen and family was in Round Grove Sunday.

Mrs. Hannah Gantzert and daughters spent Tuesday in Highland.

Several of the farmers are putting up new corn cribs this fall.

Mrs. Wm. Bartholic and daughter Ina, returned from their visit in the west last Wednesday.

Mrs. Mackey is visiting with her daughter Mrs. Pat Leach.

John States, of Highland, has his new barn nearly done.

Susan Bressner was at Peter Sudegard's last Friday.

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