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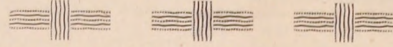
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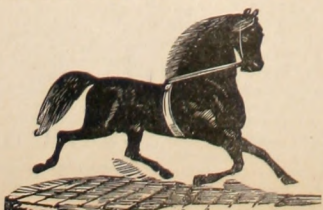
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SEASON OF 1894.

MARY COBB,  
Trotting Bred Stallion,  
SERVICE FEE \$30.00.



ANDY BURTT, JR.,  
Running Stallion,  
SERVICE FEE \$30.00.

MARY COBB'S STANDS.—Mondays, three miles west and three miles north, at Geo. Bleswyn's; Tuesdays and Wednesdays at home, three miles west of Dwight; Thursdays at Grimes barn in Odell; Fridays and Saturdays at Rea's barn in Odell.  
ANDY BURTT, JR.'S STANDS.—Mondays at Geo. Bleswyn's; Tuesdays at R. Kirkendall's two miles south of Gardner; Wednesdays at home; Thursdays at Grimes barn in Odell; Fridays and Saturdays at Rea's barn in Odell.  
JOHN T. BUFFHAM, Dwight, Ill.

### FOURTH IN DWIGHT.

It took a long time for our citizens to decide what they would do about the Fourth of July, but when they did make up their minds, they decided to not do things by halves. Dwight will have a celebration that will eclipse anything in its history.

Quite a number of new features will be added to the program to interest the visitors, such as Coxey's and Kelley's army on the march.

The committee wish to invite the young men of the country to organize and join the procession mounted and each carry a small flag.

Also wish to invite the school scholars to join the procession carrying flags.

The different societies of Dwight are invited to join the procession. They are particularly requested to turn out this time, and the committee hope the matter may be brought up at an early day and prejudice thrown aside, if any, and the committee notified of their acceptance. It should not be beneath any loyal man to join in the procession any Fourth of July. It has been a long time since the civic societies have turned out in Dwight. Let this year be the commencement of a new era, and let each society show their loyalty by assisting by their presence to make the celebration a success. It is beneath no good, true, loyal man, or true, loyal society to take part in the celebration of our national independence, and certainly no one is ashamed of the society to which they belong. It will assist the celebration and the society at the same time.

The committee expect to have Ex-Governor Joseph W. Fifer address the people. The beautiful east school grounds have been engaged for the speaking, and there will also be games of all kinds. The Dwight Brass Band will furnish the music for the occasion. They are practicing every night, and are playing exceedingly well. The firemen are intending erecting a platform for dancing, for use day and night. It is proposed to have some of the foot-racing on East street so that every one can see from the sidewalk. The Dwight Racing Association has come to the front in good shape, and offered in addition to the money raised by the citizens about \$250 for purses for races in the afternoon. The races will not last more than three hours, so the people will not be taken away from town long. In the evening there will be an elegant display of fireworks, dancing, and all the fun wanted in different ways. The people always like to come to Dwight as the celebrations are

always conducted in an orderly manner, and the town is free from saloons and the tough element that hangs around them.

The general committee met Saturday night and made the following appointments:

President of the Day—Mayor F. A. Haise; Vice-Presidents—S. T. K. Prime, Col. R. P. Morgan, Col. J. B. Parsons, Ed. McWilliams, Joe Miller, Austin Gibbons, Nevada; Myron Tambling, Round Grove; W. E. Thompson and Wm. Walker, Union; Chas. E. Axt, Ed. Metz and James Hunter, Odell; M. F. Reilly, Reddick; Jas. Maguire, Wilson; A. W. Strahl, Gardner; Wm. Constantine, Goodfarm; W. P. Bartholic, Highland; W. P. Corbin, Blackstone. The vice-presidents will act on reception and speaker committees.

Marshal of the Day—D. B. Stevens; General Committee—James Kelagher, John McWilliams, A. Bovik and W. G. Dustin; Committee on Music—D. B. Stevens, C. V. Bower, Miss Artie Pollard, Miss Cora Adams, F. L. Evans, E. E. Fenn, and C. C. Adams. Committee on Decorations—Col. Parsons, J. C. Lewis, J. W. Koehler, Orville Brown, Jas. Buffham; Committee on Sports—John Thompson, A. L. Orr, Geo. Flagler; Committee on Fire Works—L. S. Hause, L. Roe, Chas. Crandall, V. S. Wright; Coxey's and Kelly's Army—W. T. Prime, Doc. Hagerly, Will Leach, Len Hahn, Harry Seek, Roy Seymour, Bruce Rearick, Fred. Mowbray.

The general committee trust that every man on committees will take an interest in this matter and commence immediately to make arrangements to make the parts assigned them successes. No one man or half dozen can attend to these things, but it requires the combined work of all. The general committee request the different committees to meet and report progress from time to time.

We understand there will be no celebration in Odell, Gardner, Wilson, Braceville, Reddick, Streator and other places around here, and the committee extends a special invitation to all the people to come to Dwight and have a grand, good time.

### G. A. R. Notice.

The regular monthly meeting of Dwight Post, No. 626, will be held on Tuesday evening, June 19. All comrades requested to be present.

FRANK FORD, C. W. AYLING,  
Adjutant, Commander.

### Important Notice.

All persons indebted to J. A. Webster are hereby notified to call at the coal office and settle on or before June 25, 1894, as all accounts due him will be placed for collection after that date.

J. A. WEBSTER.

Three weekly papers for \$2.50, Inter Ocean, N. Y. Tribune and your home paper.

### Children's Day.

The beautiful custom of devoting one Sunday in the year exclusively to the children is a beautiful one, and is observed in our churches generally. It is looked forward to with a great deal of pleasure by the little ones. Very nice programs were rendered at the M. E. and Congregational churches. The little ones looked very pretty in their summer suits and all did nicely. The exercises at the churches mentioned were held in the morning and largely attended. In the evening Revs. Ayling and Wright both preached able sermons to the young people.

The program at the M. E. church we could not get on account of it having been mislaid.

Following is the program rendered at the Congregational church:

Singing by the Sunday School.

Welcome from the Children—Hazel Fisk.

Prayer by the Pastor.

Baptism of Children—By Pastor.

Antiphonal Reading—Mrs. Lewis and Mrs. Spencer's class.

Bible Symbols—By Infant Class and Others.

Song—Spring Time—Henrietta Miller.

Colloquy—By Bible Class.

Recitation Dialogue of the Clouds—Lola Graham.

Song—Come to the Sunday School—By the Sunday School.

Responsive Reading—Rev. Wright's and Miss Harris' Class.

Recitation—"Over the Meadows"—Tommy Harding.

Conversation—Mrs. Fisk and Little Girl.

Song—By Choral Class.

Recitation—"The Mother's Opportunity"—Beatrice Bell.

Song—"God Is Love"—By Three Little Girls.

Recitation—Bonnie Baker.

Song—"The Glorious Army"—By Sunday School.

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### The Mutual Aid.

Three new members joined the A. O. M. A. Monday night at their meeting in Odd Fellows' Hall. They were Joe and Carl Miller and Frank L. Smith. The order is becoming quite popular and justly so, and is composed of a splendid lot of men, as are all fraternal societies. Recently there has been a very pleasant interchange of courtesies between Odell, Emington and Dwight lodges. The Odell lodge is composed of about ninety members, we understand, and the Emington, although a new lodge, has about thirty members. The Odell boys are a jolly lot and well up in the work, and the Dwight lodge is particularly fortunate in having such pleasant and efficient neighbors. They came from Odell Monday night to the number of about twenty-five, and several from Emington. The following were among those we noticed present: E. L. Jones, Chapman, A. Borkin, A. Kahn, W. West, H. C. Barber, Fred. Fran, J. D. Pound, E. Upham, R. D. Worthley, P. Hyrup, Fred. Finfield, D. Allen, Geo. Flice, H. M. Thomas, D. Darry, Frank Kennedy, E. P. Church, J. G. Smith, Joe Riborty, and A. Schurr, of Odell. James and Thomas Kennedy and Peter Lavell, of Emington.

After work a lunch of coffee and sandwiches was served, and many had something to say for the good of the order. All around a very pleasant evening was spent.

If any one has a little surplus to invest each month they can do no better than to carry a little building association stock. Inquire at this office.