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District Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 20th day of April, 1912, an election will be held at Town House in School District No. 232, County of Livingston and State of Illinois, for the purpose of electing one School Director for the full term; President Board of Education (one year); two Members Board of Education (three years).

The polls will be opened at two o'clock p. m. and close at four o'clock p. m. of the same day.

By order of the Board of Directors of said District.
Dated this eighth day of April, 1912.
A. W. ARMSTRONG, President.
Geo. S. Baker, Clerk.

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PONTIAC

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bassett, on the south side.
Mr. and Mrs. John Riess, Jr., accompanied by Mrs. John Riess, Sr., of Bloomington, arrived in this city Monday afternoon for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stewart at their home on West Reynolds street.
Miss Elizabeth Speers, who has been spending several months here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Speers, left Monday evening on her return to California, where she has a position as bookkeeper with a large ranch.
Wayne and Woodruff Crawford, who have been spending several days here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Crawford, of West Livingston street, left Tuesday on their return to Howe, Ind., where they are attending school.
Charles Rice left Tuesday noon for Springfield, accompanying William Brandt, of Sibley, to the sanitarium of Dr. Prince, where the latter will receive treatment for eye trouble. Mr. Brandt received an injury to one of his eyes some time ago by getting a piece of coal in it. Later an abscess formed, which is causing him considerable pain.

Almost a Miracle.
One of the most startling changes ever seen in any man, according to W. B. Holsclaw, Clarendon, Tex., was effected years ago in his brother. "He had such a dreadful cough," he writes, "that all our family thought he was going into consumption, but he began to use Dr. King's New Discovery, and was completely cured by ten bottles. Now he is sound and well and weighs 218 pounds. For many years our family has used this wonderful remedy for Coughs and Colds with excellent results." It's quick, safe, reliable and guaranteed. Price 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at all druggists.

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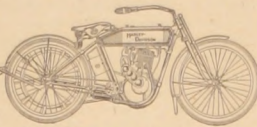
Will Jones visited friends north of Seneca last week.
Mrs. John Chutz visited her parents at Streator last week.
Sam Baker and daughter, Gertrude, were Mazon visitors Monday.
Mike McDermott, of Morris, was a business caller here Thursday.
Frank Colteaux, of Bloomington, called on our merchants Thursday.
Jerome Schaffer, of Seneca, visited his sister, Mrs. W. Jones, here Thursday.
Misses Nellie Ryan and Nellie Morrow were Chicago visitors a few days of last week.
Miss Nan Cosgrove, of Morris, visited her sister, Mrs. Dan O'Connell, here last week.
Several of the young people from here attended the dance at Ransom Friday evening.
Miss Mae Coughlin, of Seneca, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Dennie Walsh, last week.
Jupiter Pluvius tipped over a beautiful bucket of April showers here Friday afternoon.
Mrs. John Dempsey spent this week with her daughter, Mrs. George Hohenbeck, at Dwight.
Messrs. Willie Carey and J. Sullivan, of Dwight, came by auto over to our burg Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wright and son, Harold, of Ransom, spent Sunday with relatives here.
Mrs. Ruby Richards, of Ransom, spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hanna.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cull are entertaining his sister, Mayne Cull, from Chicago, for a few weeks.
Mart Cosgrove and niece, Miss Catherine O'Connell, visited at the Cosgrove home in Morris last week.
George Owens has resumed his duties again as agent for the Santa Fe after a two week's trip through Florida.
Mrs. Annie Smith and daughter, Alice, of Seneca, visited her brother, Charles, here last week, who had been quite ill.
Messrs. Mart Cosgrove, John Chutz, James McClintock, James Mahaffey and John McCambridge went to Seneca by auto Thursday.
Misses Ami Carlson and Dora Rosendahl went to Joliet Saturday and Dora remained at Blodgett, where she spent Sunday with her sister, Mary.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank White and daughters and Miss Nellie Ryan went by auto to Gardner Sunday where they spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. George White.
Misses Anna Ryan, Kathleen Dawson, Mary Mahaffey and Veronica McCloskey and Messrs. Dyas Moore, Harold Donelson and Roy Dawson went to Verona Friday to take the final examination for eighth year.

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SAUNEMIN

F. E. Righter was a Pontiac passenger Monday.
Samuel Morehart was in Pontiac on business Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. William Sellmeyer went to Pontiac Monday.
The W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. Jennie Kimbell Tuesday afternoon.
Quite a number of farmers here sold their corn at 75 cents per bushel.
Mrs. Jennie Kimbell and Mrs. Clara Kilgore were Pontiac passengers on Monday.
Mrs. Bert Cording and Mrs. J. P. Lannon were Chicago passengers on Monday.
George J. Carson received his Oldsmobile auto from Chicago Monday morning.
Mr. and Mrs. Steve Allen, of Forrester, spent Sunday at the B. Shaub home here.
Mrs. Charles Shaub, of Kempton, visited relatives here the latter part of last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Bud Simpson visited the former's parents in Flanagan the first of the week.
The election Tuesday as to whether Saunemin would have a water system or not was voted down.
Miss Mae Pemberton, who has been sick for some time with lung trouble, is able to be around again.
A large number from here attended the wrestling match in Odell Thursday night between Young Jordan and Angel Economon, the Saunemin wrestler, Young Jordan won the match.

WEATHER REPORT.

Report of the weather for the week ending April 17, 1912, at 6 o'clock p. m., showing highest and lowest temperature, also precipitation as compared with same period one year ago. 1912—

Date	Max.	Min.	Prec.
11.....	75	43	.00
12.....	72	50	.18 thunderstorm
13.....	70	44	.00
14.....	76	55	.02
15.....	64	52	.00
16.....	56	35	.00
17.....	40	32	1.24 rain & snow

Average—Maximum, 64.7 degrees; minimum, 44.4 degrees; total precipitation, 1.44 of an inch.

1911—

Date	Max.	Min.	Prec.
11.....	63	41	T. rain
12.....	62	47	.11 rain
13.....	69	50	1.46 thunderstorm
14.....	51	37	.04 rain
15.....	57	32	.00
16.....	63	33	.00
17.....	69	29	.00

Average—Maximum, 62 degrees; minimum, 38.4 degrees; total precipitation, 1.50 of an inch.

The mean temperature for the past week, 54.5 degrees, was 5 degrees above normal, 9.7 of a degree warmer than the week previous, and 4.3 degrees warmer than the corresponding week, 1911. Pleasant weather prevailed during the first six days, followed by a cold rain, with frequent snow flurries, during the entire day of the 17th, resulting in the greatest rainfall for any day, since April 13th, 1911. Unsettled conditions mark the close of the week with a trace of snow on the ground.

E. O. Welch, Observer.

RAILROAD NEWS

All passenger trainmen have been notified to provide themselves with summer uniforms by May 1.
The monthly meeting of the Illinois railway and warehouse commissioners was held Tuesday in Springfield and was attended by Supt. Ferritor of the Alton and Supt. Boomer of the Lake Erie and Western. The latter's private car 99, was handled to Springfield on No. 43 Tuesday morning at the same time Supt. Ferritor went down. Crossing cases were up for discussion.
The inspection of the Alton by General Manager W. B. Scott of the Union Pacific, was completed Monday, that official departing for his headquarters at Omaha via the Santa Fe from Joliet. The party, after coming up from Kansas City on No. 12 Monday morning, were taken from Springfield to Dwight via Peoria and went into Chicago on No. 4, the latter train picking them up at Dwight. No one has been able to fathom the reason for the object of the inspection except that it might be made to secure data for an expert's report.

The statement of Alton earnings for the first week of April has just been issued. The road in that week earned \$248,488, which is a decrease of \$1,535 over the same week a year ago. The decline is smaller than expected, as it was thought that the suspension of the coal mines would affect traffic more seriously than the earnings indicate. Since July 1 the road has earned \$11,631,325, an increase of \$305,563 over the corresponding period in the preceding fiscal year. The Clover Leaf earned \$68,679 the first week of April, an increase of \$4,558 over the same week a year ago. The Clover Leaf has increased \$123,734 since the first of July.

The Alton maintenance of way department is now making its annual distribution of ties. A work train was out Monday in charge of Finley and Wells, distributing twenty car loads between Bloomington and Dwight. Each supervisor will be given ten to twenty cars according to the needs of his district. The company has ordered 300,000 for the eastern division and these will come at the rate of 50,000 or more per month until the order is filled. The ties bought this year are largely of oak and other hard woods. All have been creosoted and should last for many years. It is said that these ties cost the company sixty cents each, in addition to the hauling and distribution, making an item of expense that runs into a big wad of money.

There was an interesting meeting of Alton officials, agents and trainmen handling local freights, held in a coach west of the general offices in Bloomington Monday evening. The gathering was called at the instance of Supt. L. J. Ferritor, who has been anxious to reduce the expense of claims for lost or damaged freight. This item has been steadily increasing of late years, and has attained such proportions as to demand attention. Present last evening in addition to the local officials were Trainmaster Boyle of Springfield and Trainmaster Farrell of Roodhouse, together with various traffic agents, including J. C. Mann of Springfield; H. B. Belt and J. E. McCarthy, both of Chicago, and agents of Pontiac, Springfield, Peoria, Lincoln, Carlinville, Alton, East St. Louis, Jacksonville, and other Illinois points. The subject up for discussion, was fruitful and many ideas were presented, calculated to reduce the number of the amount of claims and avoid complaints from shippers. The views of the train and engine crews were heard with interest, and considerable information of value to the company was secured. Supt. Ferritor will likely embody the gist of the discussion in a circular of instruction and which will be calculated to lessen this item of expense.

THE MURRAY STORE.

Store News.
We've succeeded in assembling for your inspection all the authoritative Ladies' Fashions in Dress Apparel for the Spring and Summer Season of 1912.
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CHICAGO THEATRES.

Chicago Opera House.
"The Glass House," the Martin Beck production of Louis K. Anspacher's new play, will continue to be the attraction next week at the Chicago Opera House with its splendid cast, including Edwin Arden, Frank Mills, Tim Murphy, Ralph Morgan, Sidney Herbert, Katharine Kaelred, Kathryn Kidder, Olive Oliver, Rosamond Carpenter and Grace Arnold. The play affords an opportunity to witness really fine "acting" in every sense of the word. It is a story of a mismatched couple, the woman's best friend trying to save the husband from downfall by sacrificing her own honor, and the "woman in the case" later finding her sacrifice a barrier to her own happiness.

Whitney.
"The Divorce," which Rowland & Clifford will produce at the Whitney Opera House, Saturday night, April 20th, is a thesis on the problem of divorce set forth in dramatic form vibrating with human interest. Mr. McGuire contends that the hereditary right of the child to its parents, the obligation of the parents to the life they are the means of creating, the ethical responsibility of contributing useful numbers to society and the maintenance of a high standard of morality are far greater considerations than the individual interest involved when unfortunate alliances seem to render divorce unnecessary or desirable and fully justify the sacrifice of the participants under such circumstances.

Majestic.
For the opening of the regular Spring season at the Majestic Theatre, Chicago, a very lively bill has been secured, including a number of acts of exceptional merit and interest—in fact, all of the acts belong to the artistic class of genuine entertainment. Houdini will present his remarkable feats of escaping from all manner of manacles and locks. Willard Simms & Co. will present "Filkin's Furnished Flat." Thomas Shea & Co. will play at this time a very intense and entertaining drama called "A Run on the Bank." Maude Lambert and Ernest Ball will appear in a

Quest of Scientists.
What science is now trying to do is to ascertain what physical, mental and moral characters are dominant in human beings and what recessive. It would like to be able to take, say, a tall, stout man, red haired, big nosed, blue eyed, a cruel disposition, bad temper and no tendency to disease, and a short, slender woman, black haired, brown eyed and with oval face and small teeth, a sweet disposition and brilliant mind and the daughter of consumptive parents, and predict which of these characters would be transmitted to their grandchildren; how they would be grouped and in what proportions.

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