

The Eighth Annual Race Meeting at
Streator, July 30-31, Aug. 1-2.

The largest and best ever in sight,
on July 30. The bell will ring at 1:30
for the largest and best string of
horses that ever started on the Streator
track.

Tuesday, 2:30 Trot, 2:24 Pace, 2:18
Pace.

Wednesday, 2:28 Pace, 2:14 Trot,
2:21 Trot.

Thursday, the big day, 2:16 Pace,
2:17 Trot, free for all Trot, free for
all pace.

Friday, 2:12 Pace, 2:24 Trot, 2:30
Pace.

Everybody can get a good seat. We
have enlarged our grandstand, so it
will seat 1500 more people, and give
a grand view of the track at any
point.

Do not forget the fact that we have
the fastest half-mile track in the
world. The track record for three of
the fastest heats ever made over half-
mile track was made by the Broncho,
fastest heat, 2:06.

Tuesday will be free for the ladies,
at the gate. Come, everybody and en-
joy one of the best race meetings you
ever witnessed in Streator.—Streator
Trotting and Fair Association; J. R.
Knox, Secretary.

Dysentery is always serious and
often a dangerous disease, but it can
be cured. Chamberlain's Colic, Chol-
era and Diarrhoea Remedy has cured
it even when malignant and epidemic.
For sale by all druggists.

Renew your subscription for this paper.

**DAIRYMEN
AND
FARMERS**

SILOS

If you are interested in Silos,
write for our Book on Brick Silos,
which will be mailed to you free,
upon request. This Book contains
plans and instructions for build-
ing Brick Silos—Silage feeding
and other information.

The Barr Clay Co.
Streator, Ill.

**DAIRYMEN
AND
FARMERS**

SILOS

If you are interested in Silos,
write for our Book on Brick Silos,
which will be mailed to you free,
upon request. This Book contains
plans and instructions for build-
ing Brick Silos—Silage feeding
and other information.

The Barr Clay Co.
Streator, Ill.

**The
Wired
House**

is a

MORE COMFORTABLE HOUSE

MORE MODERN HOUSE

MORE VALUABLE HOUSE

Ask your neighbor who has it
about the pleasure and convenience
of

Electric Service

It's within the reach of any in-
come. And the expense of wiring
houses for it is low.

We do the work at cost, payable
in 24 monthly installments.

**Public Service Company
of Northern Illinois**

PONTIAC.
(Continued from page 2.)

Voy, at Cornell, spent Wednesday in
this city with friends.

Miss Lillian Holferty, of East Wa-
ter street, is spending several days at
the Johnson home on the West Wash-
ington street road in Bloomington.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hofrichter re-
turned Sunday evening from Morgan
Park. Mrs. Hofrichter has been
spending some time in Wisconsin with
friends.

Mrs. Joseph Solon and children re-
turned to their home at Hammond,
Ind., Monday morning, having been
the guests of her mother, Mrs. Thomas
Andrews.

Miss Harriet Grandy, of East How-
ard street, returned Monday morning
from Mason City, where she had
spent several days with her brother
and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Deidrich, of York,
Neb., who have been the guests of
Mr. and Mrs. John Parrish for sev-
eral weeks, left Tuesday for Chicago
on their return home.

Miss Croxton, of Mount Sterling,
arrived in this city Monday afternoon
to spend some time the guest of Mr.
and Mrs. James McCabe at their
home northwest of the city.

Miss Nellie Power, of West Living-
ston street, left Wednesday afternoon
for Piper City, where she will spend
several days the guest of her sister,
Mrs. Daugherty, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Edwards,
of Kansas City, Mo., arrived here
Tuesday and are guests of the for-
mer's mother, Mrs. Virginia A. Ed-
wards, at 618 South Mill street.

Mrs. F. L. Van Prater, of Alton, who
has been visiting at the Charles Cook
home on West Madison street for
some time, left Wednesday afternoon
for her home, having been called there
by the death of Charles Van Prater.

Buy it now. Chamberlain's Colic,
Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is al-
most certain to be needed before the
summer is over. Buy it now and be
prepared for such an emergency. For
sale by all druggists.

HIGHLAND

Mattie Kilmer spent from Saturday
till Monday with relatives in Morris.
Ray Miller visited home folks at
Secor, Ill., from Saturday till Monday.
Mrs. Cora Finch, of Kankakee,
spent from Saturday till Monday with
her daughter, Mrs. Edmund Walsh.

Mrs. Cora Penn and two daughters,
Irene and Ruth, accompanied by Nel-
lie Trimmer, went to Joliet Tuesday
of this week and enjoyed the circus.

Mrs. John McCabe, of Streator, vis-
ited Tuesday with Mrs. H. Hyslop.
From there she went for a visit at
the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mary
McQuinn.

Mrs. William Smith and little
daughter, of Alpena, Mich., are mak-
ing an extended visit with her par-
ents, Dr. and Mrs. Bucher. Saturday
evening at the sack social Mrs. Smith
gave a couple of readings, which were
heartily enjoyed and added to the pro-
gram.

David Boner, of Plankinton, N. D.,
has purchased the crop in the field of
Cecil Whittemore, who works the M.
F. Small farm. He takes possession
right away. Cecil intends having a
sale of farm tools, etc., at Verona Sat-
urday afternoon. What Cecil will do
now is not known as yet.

For soreness of the muscles, wheth-
er induced by violent exercise or in-
jury, there is nothing better than
Chamberlain's Liniment. This lin-
iment also relieves rheumatic pains.
For sale by all druggists.

GOODFARM

UPPER GOODFARM.

The Gleaners Hall has a new porch
which adds much to its appearance.

Mrs. Ed. Cook and Rosa Wilkinson
called on Mrs. Chas. Rogers Sunday.
Chas. Paxton and Alvin Delong
spent Thursday evening near Gardner.
Joe Waters and Dr. Robinson,
of Mazon, called at A. J. Burkhardt's
Thursday.

Mr. John Mitchell, of Morris, is vis-
iting with his daughter, Mrs. Wm.
Burkhardt.

Louise Walker went to Iowa Sat-
urday night to visit with her sister, Mrs.
Anna Preston.

Farmers are busy cutting oats.
Mr. Chas. Fillman and family were
in Joliet Tuesday.

Della and Beatrice Nelson enter-
tained twenty-nine of their little
friends last Thursday.

Jas. Flood, Chas. Gilmore and Art
Hoedock will work with Andy Bur-
khardt's threshing machine the coming
season.

Mr. Sims and family, of Kansas,
and Mrs. Geo. Mitchell, of Morris,
spent Saturday and Sunday with Wm.
Burkhardt and family.

Mr. Killelea, of Marseilles, is busy
putting up bridges in Goodfarm. He
spent Sunday at home and reports the

oats around there all knocked down
by wind and rain.

A gentleman from Ottawa passed
through Goodfarm Tuesday with a
horse that he had stolen. He was
overtaken near Kankakee with the
horse still in his possession.

WEST GOODFARM.

Mrs. W. Kilmer spent Tuesday eve-
ning at the Jno. Paxton home.

Mrs. D. Lewis spent Wednesday af-
ternoon with Mrs. Jas. Williams.

Miss Bertha Smith spent Tuesday
afternoon with Mrs. Jno. Thorpe.

Mr. Wm. Donohue, of Hastings,
Neb., is visiting his daughter, Mrs.
Thos. Neville.

J. G. Fellingham is erecting a new
crib and granary on his farm occu-
pied by Wm. Rose.

Miss Kathryn McCabe, of Streator,
spent from Tuesday till Sunday with
her friend, Ada Lewis.

Two of our most prominent young
gentlemen attended the dance in
Dwight Thursday evening.

Mrs. Arthur Paxton and little daugh-
ters are spending this week with her
sister, Mrs. E. Davis, near Mazon.

The R. N. A. of Verona will give a
Dollar Social at Verona Hall Saturday
evening. Supper served. Everybody
invited.

Mrs. C. O. Thompson left Saturday
for an extended visit with relatives
in La Salle, Niagara and Rochester,
New York.

Mrs. S. Small, Mrs. H. Preston,
of Mazon, and Mrs. H. Small all spent
Saturday and Sunday with their sis-
ter, Mrs. Wm. Rose.

Mrs. Zelma Waite left Wednesday
for her home in Denver, Col., after a
two months' visit with her mother,
Mrs. Sarah Paxton and other rela-
tives.

Mr. Killelea, of Marseilles, and four
workmen, are putting in bridges at
the four corners near the chapel, and
also have other bridge work in Good-
farm.

Several from here attended the sack
social given in Verona Hall Saturday
evening of last week, also several at-
tended the dance given there Wednes-
day evening of this week.

Mrs. Jno. Thorpe, daughter Lottie,
and niece Hannah Wolcott, of Dwight,
returned Sunday from a week's visit
with friends and relatives at Deer
Park, Glenn, Starved Rock and Seneca.

David Bonner and family, who re-
cently returned from Plankinton, S.
D., to reside, will locate on the Mil-
lard Small farm, formerly occupied
by Cecil Whittemore, who has taken
a position as a civil service man in
Chicago.

CHILDREN HELD FOR PLACEMENT.

File Applications and Recommendations
If You Wish to Take a Child
to Reare.

The White Hall Orphans' Home
Society has four boy babies aged two
weeks, five, six and seven months and
a baby girl born July 3, 1912, and a
number of older boys to place in good
family homes to be reared as one
would his own child.

These children are all right men-
tally and physically and will be placed
on approval. All inquiries about the
children will be answered promptly,
application and recommendation
blanks supplied.

It may be well to make a first, sec-
ond and even a third choice of a child
from the list, since the one selected
may be taken before your application
is received.

NAMES OF BOYS IN HOME.

Boyer, Wm. E., born April 26, 1905.
Glasscock, Hubert, born Jan. 16, 1904.
Jones, Robert Ozro, born Oct. 12,
1905.

Luster, Stephen, born Dec. 14, 1900.
Martin, John Edgar, born Dec. 13,
1900.

Perry, John, born Sept. 28, 1907.
Robbins, Everett, born July 14,
1905.

Shimfield, Kenneth, born Feb. 7,
1912.

Simmons, Harold Clement, born
Jan. 22, 1912.

Sullivan, Ernest, born March 17,
1908.

This society holds itself in readi-
ness to receive children who are all
right mentally and physically and are
committed to it by the courts. Con-
sult your state's attorney about hav-
ing destitute children committed to
this society.

It may be interesting to know that
this Society placed children in 133
families in 1911—a record breaker.
For further particulars address W. J.
Roberts, State Supt., White Hall, Ill.

What Makes a Woman?

One hundred and twenty pounds,
more or less, of bone and muscle don't
make a woman. It's a good founda-
tion. Put into it health and strength
and she may rule a kingdom. But
that's just what Electric Bitters give
her. Thousands bless them for over-
coming fainting and dizzy spells and
for dispelling weakness, nervousness,
backache and tired, listless, worn out
feeling. "Electric Bitters have done
me a world of good," writes Eliza
Pool, Depew, Okla., "and I thank you,
with all my heart, for making such a
good medicine." Only 50c. Guarant-
eed by John A. O'Malley, druggist.

RAILROAD NEWS

The eight day burners which have
been in use as signal lights in all Al-
ton interlocking plant towers are to
be replaced by one day burners as
rapidly as the change can be effected.
The lights will also be changed in
train order signals where the eight
day burner has been in use. It is
claimed that the one day burner and
which must be given attention daily,
shows a much more brilliant light and
is much more distinct to engineers.
The single day burner, however, con-
sumes much more oil and there is ex-
tra expense in the more frequent at-
tention. Stockkeeper Thomas Stock-
dale is now going over the road mak-
ing the change.

The statement of the Alton earn-
ings for the second week of July
shows a continuation of the slump
which set in on May 1. The road
earned \$297,364 during the second
week, which is \$42,410 less than the
earnings of the corresponding week
a year ago. This is nearly twice as
much as the slump in the first week
of July. The decline will be a great
surprise to all attaches of the Alton
as it was generally supposed that busi-
ness this month was holding its own.
The train sheet of the eastern division
appears to be running even with last
year, and it is presumed that the west-
ern division is not showing up so well.
The Clover Leaf is also making a poor
showing, earning \$68,000 in the sec-
ond week of July, a decline of \$13,000
over the same week a year ago.

The arbitration commission created
to settle the controversy over wages
between the fifty-two railroads east of
Chicago and their engineers resumed
its sessions at Manhattan Beach Mon-
day. The presentation of the engi-
neers' side of the case, under the di-
rection of Warren S. Stone, chief of
the brotherhood, having been com-
pleted, the railroads began the production
of evidence in support of their claim
that the wages and working condi-
tions of the engineers are all that the
present business of the roads will war-
rant. B. A. Worthington, president of
the Chicago & Alton Railroad, who is
in charge of the case for the railroads,
said that he would call general man-
agers and yardmasters to show that
the locomotive engineer of today has
an easier job than in years gone by.
He said that there is a hostler to
bring the locomotive out of the round-
house, inspectors to see that it is in
order, mechanics to make repairs and
competent firemen to assist in opera-
tion. Mr. Worthington submitted a
bound volume of tables of statistics
showing the present rate of wages on
each of the fifty-two railroads in-
volved, the increase in recent years
and the estimated cost to each rail-
road in case the scale of wages now
asked for is granted. Mr. Worthing-
ton went to the witness chair and ex-
plained the tables in detail. He testi-
fied that each railroad company fur-
nished data covering its own opera-
tions, and from these figures the
tables show that the proposed new
scale for engineers would be an in-
crease of 17.7 per cent above present
wages, and the total annual cost to
the railroads would be \$7,500,000.

How's This?
We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward
for any case of Catarrh that cannot be
cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.
We, the undersigned, have known F.
J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and be-
lieve him perfectly honorable in all his
business transactions and financially able
to carry out any obligations made by
him.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken inter-
nally, acting directly upon the blood
and mucous surfaces of the system.
Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per
bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipa-
tion.

**A HAND-MADE CIGAR
FRESH FROM THE TABLE**

wrapped in foil as soon as made,
thus keeping fresh until smoked.
A fresh cigar made of good tobacco
is the ideal smoke. The old, well
cured tobaccos used in the Single
Binder are so rich in quality that
many who formerly smoked 10c
cigars now smoke LEWIS' SINGLE
BINDER straight 5c. In fact,
Lewis' Single Binder does taste
like a good 10c cigar. The
Lewis' Single Binder costs
the dealer some more
than other 5c cigars, but
the higher price en-
ables this factory
to use extra quality
tobacco, thus giving
the consumer a bet-
ter smoke than is
possible in big profit
cigars.

**LEWIS' Single Binder
5c Cigar**

GUARANTEED

FRANK LEWIS' STRAIGHT FIVE SMOKER

**YOU PAY FOR THE CIGAR
THE FACTORY PAYS FOR THE CIGAR**

**LEWIS' SINGLE BINDER
EXTRA QUALITY
FACTORY, PEORIA, ILL.**

**A MILD, SATISFYING SMOKE.
ANNUAL SALES
11,500,000.**

Tell the dealer you want LEWIS' Single Binder.

CHICAGO THEATRES.

Olympic.

The metropolitan premier of a new
comedy heralded as the funniest and
the most original of the year 1912 will
take place in Chicago at the Olympic
Theatre on Thursday, August 1st. The
name of the approaching attraction is
"Putting It Over." Members of the
White Sox and the New York Ameri-
can League ball teams will attend the
opening performance. The theme of
"Putting It Over" is love and baseball.
The authors, Lee Arthur and Frank
Hatch, have decisively succeeded in
weaving these two elements of modern
emotion into a logical and absorbing
plot, full of spontaneous laughter and
surprises. "Putting It Over," while a
producer of merriment, is not a play
of purely farcical nature. The cast is
formed of distinguished players and
includes Edwin Holt, Helen Holmes,
Allison Skipworth, Royal Tracey, Har-
old Vosburgh, Frederick Burt, Frank-
lin Ritchie and Veda Steele. The hero
of "Putting It Over," Ross Sterling, is
a collegian and an athlete. He is the
star pitcher on the college team, but
when he is not playing baseball, he is
thinking of a girl, whom he hopes to
take as his wife when his college days
are over. Sterling's troubles start
after he resents an insult directed at
the young woman. He thrashes the
cad who made an imputation against
her good name, and is arrested. Ster-
ling's father, who is the guardian of
the girl, uses up her small fortune in
defending the youth. Things look blue
for young Sterling, with everyone
against him, including the girl he
loves. A light breaks through when
he is offered a chance to make good
on a major league baseball team. He
pitches the most important game of a
big series, and through his share of
the winner's bonus, he is able to
square his father's accounts and thus
pave the way to the restoration of his
happiness.

Majestic.

For the week of July 29th at the
Majestic Theatre, Chicago, the most
popular ingenue star in this country,
Mabel Taliaferro, will appear in an
entirely new play. Miss Taliaferro
wrote this play for her own use and
called it "The Return of Tori San," a
name which indicates a Japanese set-
ting and atmosphere, and which tells
the story of Mollie Mathews, an Amer-
ican girl who disguises herself as Tori
San, an almond-eyed daughter of
Japan in order to surprise her father
and friends. The setting is placed in
the library of Judge Mathews in Chi-
cago, and the plot is worked out in
that dainty and exquisite manner.

CHICAGO & ALTON RAILROAD
NEW SERVICE TO TEXAS

Commencing Sunday, May 19th, the Chicago & Alton Railroad in connection with the Iron Moun-
tain, Texas & Pacific and International & Great Northern Railroads, will inaugurate through Electric
Lighted Drawing Room Sleeping Car Service, between Chicago and Houston, Texas, and between Chicago
and El Paso, Texas, on the following schedule:

SOUTHBOUND				CHICAGO TO HOUSTON				NORTHBOUND			
C. & A.	1st day	9:00 P.M.	Lv. Chicago	Ar.	7:55 A.M.	C. & A.	3rd day				
C. & A.	2nd day	7:01 A.M.	Ar. St. Louis	Lv.	11:45 P.M.	C. & A.	2nd day				
I. Mtn	2nd day	9:05 A.M.	Lv. St. Louis	Ar.	8:30 P.M.	I. Mtn	2nd day				
I. Mtn	2nd day	7:50 P.M.	Ar. Little Rock	Lv.	9:20 A.M.	I. Mtn	2nd day				
I. Mtn	2nd day	10:15 P.M.	Ar. Hot Springs								
I. Mtn	3rd day	12:40 A.M.	Ar. Texarkana	Lv.	5:05 A.M.	I. Mtn	2nd day				
I. & G. N.	3rd day	8:01 A.M.	Ar. Palestine	Lv.	10:58 P.M.	I. & G. N.	1st day				
I. & G. N.	3rd day	2:10 P.M.	Ar. Houston	Lv.	4:25 P.M.	I. & G. N.	1st day				
I. & G. N.			Ar. Galveston	Lv.	2:40 P.M.	I. & G. N.	1st day				
I. & G. N.	3rd day	6:30 P.M.	Ar. San Antonio	Lv.	1:55 P.M.	I. & G. N.	1st day				
SOUTHBOUND				CHICAGO TO EL PASO				NORTHBOUND			
C. & A.	1st day	9:00 P.M.	Lv. Chicago	Ar.	7:00 A.M.	C. & A.	4th day				
C. & A.	2nd day	7:01 A.M.	Ar. St. Louis	Lv.	9:00 P.M.	C. & A.	3rd day				
I. Mtn	2nd day	9:05 A.M.	Lv. St. Louis	Ar.	6:45 P.M.	I. Mtn	3rd day				
I. Mtn	2nd day	7:50 P.M.	Ar. Little Rock	Lv.	8:00 A.M.	I. Mtn	3rd day				
T. & P.	3rd day	7:50 A.M.	Ar. Dallas	Lv.	8:10 P.M.	T. & P.	2nd day				
T. & P.	3rd day	9:05 A.M.	Ar. Ft. Worth	Lv.	6:50 P.M.	T. & P.	2nd day				
T. & P.	4th day	8:55 A.M.	Ar. El Paso	Lv.	8:15 P.M.	T. & P.	1st day				