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—Hon. Ham, as a lecturer, is decidedly a success.

—Wednesday, August 11th, is Talmage Day.

—The new board of directors is an excellent one.

—Quite an additional number of Jerseyville people will spend next week at Chautauqua.

—Dr. George's Normal Bible Class is doing good work. The instruction is excellent.

—P. M. Hamilton deserves much credit for working up such an excellent program for Epworth League Day.

—Judge O. B. Hamilton, the faithful secretary, well deserves a place on the Board of Directors.

—Joel McDavid, of Hillsboro, one of Montgomery County's influential citizens, is one of the newly elected directors.

—The lecture of Prof. Soldan tomorrow afternoon promises many good good things. The speaker has a wide reputation.

—The Secretary's annual report showed that the assets of the Piasa Chautauqua Assembly exceed the liabilities by \$20,000.

—W. T. Norton, editor of the Alton Republican and postmaster at that place, will prove a valuable member on the Board of Directors.

—A new feature will be the Magniscope Moving Pictures. The first exhibition will be given on Monday evening, Aug. 16th.

—Rev. W. F. Oldham is a native of India, and his lectures are of more than ordinary interest. Subject of tonight's lecture, "Jesus and Buddha."

—The new officers are just the right kind of men to boom Piasa Chautauqua. They have, in the past, demonstrated their fitness for this work.

—In choosing Christopher P. Stafford, chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Jersey county, a member of the Board of Directors the stockholders selected wisely.

—Rev. Geo. B. McCullough, Pastor of the Glasgow Avenue Presbyterian Church, St. Louis, is one of the new directors. He has always been a staunch friend of the Chautauqua.

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Chautauqua Time Table.

South Bound Trains.

No. 9—Daily except Sunday	6:00 a. m.
No. 11, Mail Train "	5:42 p. m.
No. 13, Daily except Sunday	6:49 p. m.
No. 17, Daily	4:10 p. m.
No. 31, Saturday only	11:52 a. m.
No. 33, Sunday only	8:55 a. m.
No. 35, "	8:10 p. m.

North Bound Trains.

No. 6, Mail, Daily except Sunday	10:44 a. m.
No. 8, Daily	7:47 p. m.
No. 14, Daily except Sunday	6:35 p. m.
No. 16, "	9:50 a. m.
No. 30, Saturday and Sunday	3:21 p. m.
No. 32, Sunday only	8:66 a. m.
No. 34, "	10:13 a. m.

PROGRAMME.

TO-DAY. MUSIC DAY.

8.30 a. m.	Devotion hour.
9.30 a. m.	Bible Study. "Book of Job."
10.30 a. m.	Competitive Musical Contest.
2.30 p. m.	Awarding of Prizes.
4.00 p. m.	Band Concert, Hillsboro Light Guard Band.
8.00 p. m.	Lecture. Rev. W. F. Oldham, D. D. "Jesus and Buddha."

TO-MORROW.

8.30 a. m.	Devotional hour.
10.00 a. m.	Bible Normal Class. Rev. A. P. George, D. D.
2.30 p. m.	Lecture. Prof. F. Louis Soldan, Superintendent St. Louis Public Schools.
8.00 p. m.	Concert. Piasa Bluff Chorus and Hillsboro Band.

After July 26th

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CHAUTAUQUA, ILL. AUGUST 6, 1897.

—Miss Maria Robison is a guest of Miss Ella Hardcastle.

—Mrs. Yerkes' brother, Mr. Boswick, is a visitor here.

—Mrs. Will Sauvage returned with her husband, from Alton, yesterday.

—Mrs. Gardiner, of Kane, was here Thursday, with a party of friends.

—Misses McGill and Bowman, of Carrollton, are staying at the hotel.

—Miss Myrtle Cowen and Miss Grimes, of Jerseyville, spent yesterday here.

—Mr. Hallock and family have returned to their home in St. Louis, for a few days.

—Mrs. Jane Smith with her daughters, Mrs. McKinney and Mrs. Robert Hardcastle, are here for the season.

—Mrs. W. E. Corby is entertaining Mrs. J. A. Corby, Miss Corby and Miss Anna Woods, of St. Louis.

—Miss Mayme Florida left last evening for Kane. Miss Florida has been for the past two weeks with the Log Cabin party.

—Mr. Geo. E. Rathel, of St. Louis, arrived here Tuesday evening, to celebrate his birthday at "The White House." After the concert a water melon party was given him, the guests staying until a late hour.

Piasa Chautauqua.

Piasa Chautauqua is a summer resort that is well known, and should be better known among the people of the Mississippi Valley. It is fast becoming a pleasure resort for people living within hundreds of miles. Its situation is between two of the magnificent bluffs that line the Mississippi river above Alton, Ill. These bluffs are famous in history as the home of the "Legend of the Piasa," and are noted the world over for the grandeur and beauty of their scenery. Thirteen miles above Alton, on the Illinois side, Piasa Chautauqua lies between two of the highest and most beautiful of them. It is convenient to St. Louis and all stations on the railroads of Central Illinois and Missouri. The steamboats of the Mississippi land excursionists who invariably find it a place of contentment and enjoyment. It is laid off into streets and avenues that are lined with trees and flowers. There are long walks and beautiful grass plots for the benefit of picnic parties. A spring of water so cool and refreshing that it rivals that of the "Old Oaken bucket," is constantly bubbling up from the side of one of the bluffs. This spring has a well known reputation for its purity and excellence. The climate of this resort is everything that could be wished for; not too hot, not too cold, no mosquitoes (contrary to the usual summer resort) nights cool and refreshing, and an atmosphere invigorating, clear and pure. Scenery is never found more beautiful in America. From the bluffs the Missouri and Illinois rivers may be seen. On the Mississippi the boating and bathing opportunities are especially good. All Steamers stop at Piasa Chautauqua where excursionists take their outing. Once a year the Piasa Chautauqua Assembly meets and for one month gives a program of Literature, Science, and Music. This program is made up by the most eminent entertainers obtainable. An auditorium built with splendid acoustic properties affords an opportunity for thousands to see and hear the best lectures, entertainments and musicales that can be inaugurated. The scenery of Piasa Chautauqua is superb, its surroundings grand and stately. Its climate all that could be wished for. Beautiful for situation, the joy of the whole earth is Piasa Chautauqua. a haven of beauty and rest.

—Mr. D. Y. Stafford has come back after a few days illness. Mr. Stafford and C. W. Slaten are the most successful fishermen in the camp.

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Don't forget that Leon Engel carries a complete line of Men's, and Boy's shoes, all new and up to date styles, at the very lowest prices.

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LEON ENGEL,
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—Mr. John Parkman Woods will spend Saturday and Sunday as usual with his family.

—The Auditorium was filled Wednesday night with an appreciative audience that listened to a splendid lecture by Hon. W. J. Ham, on the "Snollygoster in Politics."

—Mrs. Weir, of Kane, with her daughter, Mrs. Ella Blackner and friend from Texas, are staying at the hotel.

—At the election of officers Wednesday evening the following were elected: Rev O M Stewart, President; T H Perrin, First Vice-Pres; Col A F Rodgers, Second Vice-Pres; O B Hamilton, Secretary; Geo H Dougherty, Treasurer. A W Cross and J B Ulrich were re-elected members of the Ex-Comm.

—Hon. H. W. J. Ham is a thorough Southerner and a man whose eloquence in depicting southern life brings tears to the eyes of his hearers. The purest and sweetest sentiments that influence humanity were shown in his description of the love and devotion with which the "Old Mammy" sang her lullaby to the little boy with the stubbed toe and tearstained face, who came to her for comfort and sympathy.

—Miss Marian English has returned from a visit to Miss Maude Haper, of Gilead, Ill.

—Bluff Avenue is very lively at present. It has a great many young people and the prospect of a great many more in the near future

Meeting of C. L. S. C.

C. L. S. C. program under the auspices of the class of 1900. Aug. 4, '97. Open by prayer. Solo. Mrs. Wilson.

Mr. Young gave a short talk which was much appreciated by all.

Mr. Scott Rice and Miss Shultz, recited in a way that caused everyone to listen with rapt attention.

Dr. George gave some good advice which should be heeded by all.

There was a committee appointed, consisting of Dr. Corrington, Mrs. S. H. Bowman and Miss Mae Kirby, to make arrangements for securing headquarters for the C. L. S. C.

The meeting adjourned to meet Friday Aug. 6, at 5 P. M.

Miss MAE KIRBY, Sec'y.

—Rev. Geo. B. McCullough, Pastor of the Glasgow Avenue Presbyterian Church, St. Louis, is one of the new directors. He has always been a staunch friend of the Chautauqua.

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Commencing Monday, June 26th, Bluff Line trains will arrive at and depart from Jerseyville as follows:

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No. 2 mail, north	6:49 p. m.
No. 3 passenger, south	5:30 p. m.
No. 4 passenger, north	8:30 a. m.
No. 5 St. Louis passenger, south	6:05 a. m.
Above trains daily except Sunday.	
No. 10 passenger arrives from St. Louis	8:01 p. m., and stops here. Daily except Sunday.
No. 22 local freight, north	8:10 a. m.
No. 20 local freight, south	2:15 p. m.

D. C. DUNSETH, Agent.

A Musical Treat.

A great musical treat is in store for those visiting the Chautauqua Assembly on Music Day Aug. 6th. The Monroe Angulo Concert Co., go to the Atlanta Exposition for a month's engagement will give one of their excellent entertainments and the Hillsboro Light Guard Band will furnish instrumental music. A number of noted Soloists will also engage in a prize contest. The Railroads will make very low rates for the occasion. The Chautauqua Assembly is furnishing an excellent programme this year and the increased attendance is pleasing to its promoters.

Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage, D. D., has been engaged for a lecture on Aug. 11th and Rev. Sam Jones on Aug. 17.

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Jerseyville News.

—The golden era seems to have
dawned.

—Our grain dealers are paying 22
cents for corn.

—Thomas A. Price has been appoint-
ed postmaster at Fidelity.

—Miss Truman, of St. Louis, is the
guest of her sister, Mrs. W. F. Pickett.

—H. M. Randle, of Hillsboro, a sheriff
of Montgomery County, transacted
business at this place, Thursday.

—The Standard Elevator has just re-
ceived two cars of seed wheat from
Tennessee which is being sold at 95c.

—Premium lists of the Greene Coun-
ty Fair are out. The dates are Octo-
ber 12, 13, 14 and 15, 1897.

—Miss Gussie Wyckoff gave the Jun-
ior Endeavors a picnic party at the
old Camp Ground, Thursday.

—What, if Jersey County had a good
wheat crop, would our farmers lack?
The price is the highest for years.

—Miss Cappie Linkogle, who is vis-
iting relatives at Otterville, accom-
panied her cousin, W. F. Lehmkuhl, to
this place, Wednesday.

—The Matinee at the Fair Grounds,
on Thursday afternoon, was well at-
tended. The Light Guard Band furn-
ished music.

—Prof. J. Pike again departed for
Cripple Creek to look after the inter-
ests of the Jerseyville Gold Mining
Company. The very latest news are
more encouraging than ever.

—A great many Woodmen from this
place will attend the annual picnic of
the Southern Illinois Woodman Pic-
nic Association to be held at Alton
next Thursday.

—Miss Estelle Cloninger and Mr.
and Mrs. Chas. Benz, of Kampsville,
came over, Wednesday evening, to
spend a few days with relatives. They
visited Chautauqua, Friday.

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