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Dr Watson and wife were in town last Sunday.

Mr T Brock, of St Louis, spent Sunday with relatives at this place.

J Edwin Benson was in St Louis several days last week.

Miss Birdie Godfrey, of Grafton, was in town last Saturday.

It is reported that Jacob Kesler is to be our future Postmaster.

Frank Grether and wife have lately removed from Elsah to Grafton.

Mrs Urey and daughter, of St Louis, visited friends in Elsah, the latter part of last week.

Miss Margaret Randolph, of Jerseyville, is visiting acquaintances in Elsah.

George Zimmerman and wife, of Alton, spent Sunday with Chas. Wright and family.

We are glad to hear that Fred Spangle, of St Louis, formerly of Elsah, is the father of a bouncing boy.

Mr A Acklin, of Springfield, has lately succeeded Mr Cubbye as Superintendent of the Lock Haven-Grafton section of the Bluff Line.

Madame Rumor says: "There will probably be two weddings in Elsah before many weeks". We would refer the parties interested to last Friday's St Louis Chronicle, page 1, the beginning of the second column.

—On Monday evening the Epworth League held its election of officers, resulting as follows: President, Chas. Colenn; 1st Vice Pres., Marian English; 2nd Vice-Pres., Bertha Erwin; 3rd Vice-Pres., Anna Spencer; 4th Vice-Pres., Mrs. Orn; Treasurer, Raymond Nash; Organist, Minnie Stroop; Secretary, Miss Reynolds.

—Hon. G. W. Ware departed on Monday for Denver to be absent one month.

Program Epworth League Day.

- 10:30 Song Service.....Prof. M. E. Johnson
Leader.
- 11:00 Short Addresses, by Rev. C. B. Taylor, President Ill State League; Rev. J. W. Van Cleve, Mt. Vernon, Ill., Member of National Board of Control; and Rev. W. S. Courtney, St. Louis, Ex-President St. Louis City League.
- 1:30 Song Service Prof. M. E. Johnson, Leader. Solo J. G. Delicate, Edwardsville.
- 2:00 Address.....Rev. John Mathews, D. D., St. Louis. Solo.....Master Robert Johnson, Lebanon.
- 2:30 Lecture, "Crowning Aims of Epworth Leaguers," by Bishop W. X. Ninde, D. D., L. L. D., President International League.
- 7:30 Concert.....Arion Cooke Combination.

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Assistant Postmaster.....F. W. Hamilton

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..... 8:56 a. m.
No. 34, "..... 10:13 a. m.

PROGRAMME.

TO-DAY.

- 8:30 a. m. Devotional Hour.
10:00 a. m. Bible Normal Class.
10:30 a. m. Opening Temperance School of Methods, to continue four days, under direction of Mrs. Barker.
1:30 p. m. Ministers' Meeting Called.
2:30 p. m. Lecture. Rev. T. De Witt Talmage, D. D.
8:00 p. m. Grand Concert. Arion Cook Combination.

TO-MORROW.

EPWORTH LEAGUE DAY.

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2:30 p. m. Address. Bishop W. X. Ninde, D. D., L. L. D., "Crowning Aim of Epworth Leaguers."
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CHAUTAUQUA, ILL. AUGUST 11, 1897.

- To-morrow is Epworth League Day.
- Rev. J. F. Corrington is with us again.
- Every train brings quite a number to Piasa Chautauqua.
- Miss Grace Seely is a visitor at Chautauqua yesterday.
- The Cross cottage is now occupied by Mrs. T. F. Remer and family.
- Mr. Jones Greene, of Tallula, Ill., is here visiting his uncle, C. E. Greene.
- Mrs. J. R. Thomas and sister, Miss Thomas, are visiting Mrs. Yerkes.
- Miss Catherine Doolittle of Carrollton, will visit Miss Lucy Hardcastle.
- Mrs. Wm. Rue and Miss Coulthard were among the early arrivals this morning.
- The W. C. T. U. programme yesterday was listened to by a large crowd of people.
- Mrs. L. Hallock returned from St. Louis this morning and with her came the Misses Wasson.
- The Misses Creighton and Messrs. Wines, of Springfield, spent Monday and Tuesday at Gen. Pavey's.
- Mrs. Ward and daughter, Miss Alice, and Miss Hayden returned to their home in Carrollton yesterday.

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 musicals 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.

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—Miss Pearl M. Squire, of Carrollton, is a visitor here.

—A large crowd of Jerseyville people are expected here Saturday night.

—Mrs. M. A. Nutt, of Springfield, will be a guest of Mrs. T. F. Remer, for the balance of the season.

—Mrs. Fox has rented her cottage to a large party of pleasure seekers from Waverly.

—Messrs. James Edwin Duffield, and Charley Hagan, of Alton, were up to Piassa last evening.

—Mrs. Otrich, of Ama, Ill., and Mrs. C. N. Noble and Mrs. H. B. Hill, of Jerseyville came down to-day on a visit.

—Monday evening J. H. VanBuren rowed Mrs. Fisk and Mrs. Richards across the river in his skiff, teaching them to use the oars in a very short time.

—Mr. Theodore Page, of Jerseyville, was here to-day visiting friends and making preparation for his mother's coming who will be here to-morrow to stay a week.

—Misses Tessie Wyckoff, of Jerseyville, and Susie Newell, of Upper Alton, will be here next Friday to be the guests of Miss Lemen until the season ends.

—A rather funny incident happened the other night in Mr. Clarence Greene's room. Mr. Greene's roommate is his partner in the Assembly store, Mr. Fred Heller. It seems that Mr. Greene was about half asleep and feeling a movement near him he concluded that some one was trying to rob him. So never "dreaming" who the person might be he lay still and waited until another movement was made when he planted a right-hander on Mr. Heller's cheek. The commotion that followed awakened both of them. Hereafter either Mr. Heller will sleep with head under the pillow or Mr. Greene will chain his fist up.

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D., L. L. D., President International
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Normal Bible Study.

Beginning Saturday at 10 o'clock, Rev. Dr. George, of Kansas, will give an hour each day, till the close of the Assembly, to the outline study of the Bible by books.

The following is the order of the studies:

- Aug. 11—Acts,
" 12—Nehemiah,
" 13—Philemon,
" 14—Esther,
" 16—Peter and James,
" 17—Jonah and Joshua,
" 18—Romans.
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Jerseyville News.

—Miss Edna Corns is visiting friends
in White Hall.

—Miss Amanda Lynn has returned
from her visit to the west.

—Dr. Theodore Page departed
Tuesday morning for Chautauqua.

—Miles Kehoe and family have re-
turned from San Antonio, Texas.

—Mrs. James Wallace and son Les-
ter are among the late guests at
Okawville Springs.

—Miss Addie Leady and Joseph
Nolte, of Alton, were guests of Mr.
and Mrs. Michael Snyder, Monday.

—Sheriff Aderton and county clerk
Flamm, of Hardin, passed through
here Monday on their way to Spring-
field. Their wives accompanied them.

—Mr. Garber who was employed in
the science department of our High
School has resigned the place. He
expects to go south.

—A. O. Auten and J. M. Ingersoll
have bought a lot of stock cattle in
St. Louis which are brought up and
placed on Mr. Auten's large ranch in
the west end of the county.

—At 11 o'clock Tuesday morning a
fire broke out at the residence of Mr.
Regelman. Fortunately it was dis-
covered before it had made much head-
way, and Mr. Thos. Williams climb-
ing upon the roof succeeded with a
few buckets of water in extinguish-
ing the flames which had caught in
the roof.

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Commencing Monday, June 26th, Bluff Line
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No. 1 mail, south	8:49 a. m.
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 Sun-
day.

No. 22 local freight, north	8:10 a. m.
No. 20 local freight, south	2:15 p. m.

D. C. DUNETH, Agent.

—Mrs. S. H. Bowman says that Chau-
tauqua is the only summer resort.

—Mrs. Samuel Darlington was a
visitor to McClusky, the fore part of
the week.

—Mrs. Charles Noble and little
daughter will spend a week at Chau-
tauqua.

—Will G. Burnett returned yester-
day morning from his southern trip.
He reports a very pleasant visit at
his old home and a continuous feast
of watermelons, peaches etc.

—Messrs. Paul Chapman, Paul Por-
ter, Carlton Randolph and Perry Ran-
dolph have just returned from a weeks
fishing on the Illinois river. The boys
report a jolly time.

—The remains of Cornelius B. Bell,
who died at Grand Haven, Michigan,
arrived Monday evening. Interment
in Oak Grove cemetery. He was the
son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bell, for-
merly citizens of Jerseyville.

—Mr. George Schwartz returned,
Saturday evening from a business trip
to Oklahoma. He expresses himself
as being much surprised at the growth
of the country and the up-to-date im-
provements of the cities. He reports
abundant crops.

—Walter Malott came up from Chau-
tauqua Monday, returning the follow-
ing day. He reports that a game of
base ball is being arranged for to be
played by a picked nine from the As-
sembly grounds and a nine from the
Hillsboro Light Guard Band.

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