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Jerseyville News.

—The Light Guard Band furnished music at the Kane racing Matinee, Friday.

—Chas. Ballou and wife are spending a few days with relatives at White Hall and Roodhouse.

—License issued on Friday for the marriage of Nicholas Wendle to Miss Mary Bummer, both of Elsay tp.

—A few choice lots with and without cottages for sale. Apply to J. A. SCARFITT.

—Miss Mary E. Conway died at the residence of Thomas Riley, on East Prairie street, Thursday evening, aged 25 years. Funeral took place from St. Francis Xavier's church at 10 a. m., Saturday.

—The Bluff Line train leaving St. Louis in the evening struck three tramps on a trestle below Alton, Thursday. Two jumped and the other was knocked down, one leg broken and a hole crushed in the forehead. He was picked up, brought to Alton and placed in the hospital. It was no fault of the trainmen.

—Attorney O. D. Leach, solicitor for the Bluff Line R. R., has received an invitation from the General solicitor of the C. & A. R. R., to join a hunting party for a month's outing in Wyoming. The party will leave on Monday, the 16th. Mr. Leach will go if he can make arrangements to absent himself from business that long.

—The remains of Perry Watts, who died at his home at Honey Point, Montgomery County, was brought here for interment, Friday. He was 29 years old and a grandson of Mrs. Priscilla Snell, mother of H. H. Snell. Interment took place at Oak Grove Cemetery, Rev. W. H. Kearns officiating.

—Wm. Loellke, a farmer of Otter Creek, was arrested, Thursday evening by Officer Coltenburger, charged with stealing \$3.00 from the cash register at Paul Nitschke's butcher shop. He was given a preliminary hearing before Squire Schroeder, Friday, and bound over to await the action of the grand jury. Loellke was asked to watch the shop a short time while the clerk delivered an order, and thus committed the theft.

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" 18—Romans.

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CHAUTAUQUA, ILL. AUGUST 14, 1897.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Cutting spent yesterday here.

—Miss Lacey, of Pittsfield, is a guest of Mrs. R. D. Smith.

—Miss Mary Lemen is entertaining Miss Tessie Wyckoff, of Jerseyville, who came yesterday morning.

—The north wing of Mrs. John Fox's cottage is occupied by Mrs. Mary Landon and family.

—Miss Gertrude Voorhees, of Jerseyville, is the guest of Miss Marian English.

—To-night a large party of young people will go up to the Piasa Bluffs Hotel to spend the evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Sam D. Hodgdon are boarding at the Grange Hall. Mr. Hodgdon is Assistant Circuit Attorney of the City of St. Louis.

—Waverly is well represented here. Some of its people here are Misses Wimple, Sallie Battoe, Maggie Teitgen, Mrs. J. E. Hutchison and family, Mrs. Dr. Trible and family, Mrs. Mary Brown and family.

—Samuel Phelps Leland gave his first lecture here Friday afternoon. He made his audience thrill with his eloquence in describing America and its advantages, opportunities and possibilities. After listening to him, an American feels doubly proud of his nationality.

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.

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□—Master Brace Fain, of Carrollton, spent yesterday here with his grandfather, Mr. C. W. Brace, of Kane.

—Miss Susie Newell, of Upper Alton came last evening to the great pleasure of her many friends.

—The attractions of and at Chautauqua are unequalled in their grandeur and stateliness and unrivaled in their beauty and charm.

—Say, Fellows, you ought to put in an appearance down here Saturday night for there'll be a hot time and a hoe-down that night.

—Mrs. T. R. Thomas and sister, Miss Thomas, left Friday evening, the former for her home in Little Rock, Arkansas, and the latter to visit at Atlanta, Ill.

—The Arion-Cooke Combination Co. gave their second program, Thursday evening. It was greatly enjoyed by all hearers. Mr. Cooke was applauded greatly for his clever recitations, Miss Atkins won the resounding applause of the audience with her contralto solo. Mrs. Holman was again gladly listened to by her many friends here. Those who do not hear these entertainers and yet have the opportunity do indeed miss one of the most splendid chances of their lives.

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PROGRAMME.

TO-DAY.

8.30 a. m.	Devotional Hour.
10.00 a. m.	Bible Normal Class
8.30 p. m.	Concert. Arlon Cook Combination.
8.00 p. m.	Lecture. Samuel Phelps Leland, Ph. D., LL. D. "The land of Burns and Scott."

TO-MORROW.

Regular Sunday Services.

AUGUST 16.

8.30 a. m.	Devotional Hour.
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2.30 p. m.	Lecture. Samuel Phelps Leland, D. LL. D. "A Visit to Pompeii."
8.00 p. m.	Moving Pictures. Magniscope.

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—This has been the banner week of
the season.

—Chautauquans have learned to value
the lectures of Dr. Leland.

—Mrs. J. G. Marston spend Friday,
in Alton.

—T. H. Perrin comes up every even-
ing and returns to his business at St.
Louis on the early morning train.

—Rev. A. H. Flagg, of Chesterfield,
spent Thursday on the grounds to hear
the Epworth League program.

—Miss Anna Spencer has been pres-
ent during the entire session of the
Chautauqua.

—Nothing finer on any program
than the series of lectures now being
given by Dr. Leland.

—Tuesday, the 17th, is Sam Jones
Day. The attendance on that day
will be large.

—"The land of Burns and Scott" is
the subject of Prof Leland's lecture to-
night.

—Rev. J. E. Nickerson and Mr. Gard-
ner returned to their home at Kane,
Friday morning.

—Tony McAdamis and a party of
young people from Jerseyville, spent
Thursday, and Friday on the grounds.

—While many places furnish good
delegations to Chautauqua, Jersey-
ville leads them all.

—Through the efforts of Mrs. Dr.
Yerkes, of Upper Alton, the Bluff
Line has carried all freight for the
King's Daughters, gratuitously, from
Jerseyville and Alton to Chautauqua.

Dr. H. W. Rich, DENTIST.

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—Exhibition of the Magniscope mov-
ing pictures on Monday night.

—The Arion-Cooke Combination
give their last entertainment this af-
ternoon.

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ject of Prof. Leland's last lectures to
be delivered on Monday afternoon.

—Prof. M. L. Tremain and Miss
Flagge, of Batchtown, were interest-
ed visitors, Thursday. They drove
home after the concert at night.

—The committee of C. L. S. C. ap-
pointed to locate the Hall of Philoso-
phy has picked a site. As a good por-
tion of the money has already been
subscribed, this will add another fea-
ture to the many attractions for next
year.

—The management of the Chautau-
qua is already planning for next year's
Assembly and we shall see many im-
provements and new features intro-
duced. Though the attendance has
been smaller this year than on pre-
vious ones, on account of the hard times,
the association is doing handsomely
in a financial way and will be on a
firmer basis than ever. Piasa Chau-
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whose destiny is full of promise.

King's Daughters' Donations.

The following donations have been
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Mrs. Hood, cash, \$10; Mrs. Ulrich,
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ket of apples, 5 glasses of jelly; Mrs.
Allen, 2 doz. eggs, one loaf of bread;
Mrs. Hattie Frost, of Woodburn, jar
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