

### LA HARPE PLAYERS HERE FOR MATCH

Kekuk Had Slightly the Better of Argument Yesterday Afternoon in Tennis Doubles and Singles.

### HOW MATCH RESULTED

C. R. Joy Won in Singles, Ralph Joy and J. R. Bell Won in Doubles and Messrs Buchanan and Collins Lost.

LaHarpe's four leading tennis players found the Kekuk stars a little too formidable yesterday afternoon in the return match on the courts of the Kekuk Country club and on Mr. C. R. Joy's private court. Although H. M. Buchanan and Earl Collins lost close matches to their opponents, Ralph Joy and J. R. Bell came back strong and won in straight sets from both the Illinois teams. Mr. Joy did not take part in the double, but contented himself with defeating Dr. Neal Vedder of Carrollton in straight sets, winning 6-1, 6-2 and 6-0.

In the first match of the afternoon, Messrs. Buchanan and Collins lost to Messrs. Will B. Kaiser and F. F. Vedder by the following scores: 3-6, 3-6, 6-2, 7-5, 6-4. The match looked easy for the Kekuk men, but the visitors, displaying improved form, took the third set after the first two had been lost. The last two sets were hard fought and went to the visitors, by the above close scores.

Again on the Country club courts, Messrs. Buchanan and Collins were defeated by Messrs. John M. Hungate and James C. Mayor, the scores being 9-7 and 6-4.

On the private court of Mr. Joy, Messrs. Ralph Joy and J. R. Bell won in straight sets from Messrs. Hungate and Mayor by the following scores: 6-3, 6-4 and 7-5. Later in the afternoon the same pair defeated Messrs. Kaiser and Vedder by the following scores: 6-3, 6-1 and 6-0. The visitors pronounced the court of Mr. Joy's the best they had ever played on. Louis Dandant acted as referee.

Dr. Neal Vedder, Mr. Joy's opponent in the singles, is a former Michigan student and while in college was a member of the second college team. The scores given above are in no way a line on the game which the doctor played, for Mr. Joy was given a hard fight at all stages of the game. He is an ambidextrous player who can play with almost equal skill from any angle on the court and is a difficult man to defeat for this reason.

The LaHarpe players are young business men and college students who play a classy game. Their ability was shown on numerous occasions during the matches yesterday and they fought hard for every point.

The players came to the city in automobiles and were entertained at supper at the Country club. The matches are simply a result of friendly rivalry and the visit of the Illinois men yesterday was a pleasant one.

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MANIFESTA: Order Gold Medal Flour if your folks are peevish about their victuals. SALT ANNE.

### UPTOWN YARDS BEING ENLARGED

Work of Excavating for the Placing in of Three New switch tracks Begun Yesterday.

### THE BUSINESS IS BRISK

Notable Increase in Freight Business and Passenger Traffic Exceedingly Heavy at Present

The uptown C., B. & Q. freight yards are being enlarged, work of excavating for the placing in of new tracks having begun yesterday and today a dozen teams and a force of thirty men have cleared away a large portion of the embankment between Fifth and Seventh streets and in the alley between Exchange and Johnson streets in that locality.

A month ago the work of enlarging the present five track up town yards was planned and work has been commenced and three additional tracks will be placed up town, enlarging the yards to twice their present size and giving better facilities for the large number of cars which recently have been congesting the yards with the large increase of local freight business.

One track will be run from between Fifth and Sixth to Seventh street in the alley and the other two will be placed between the tracks already laid and the alley track.

### Business Increase.

With the fall season coming on, a notable increase in freight business can be seen and with the first of September the local switchmen and railroad men will have their hands full with the fall business as is the usual order of things.

The past summer season has been unusually brisk in the freight traffic line and the usual slump in business during the present hot weather months was not so noticeable as during the previous seasons. For the past six weeks, long freights have made their appearance each day and extras have been frequently required to handle the overflow of business.

Though the weather has interfered greatly with grain shipments, on account of the continued drought through out the middle west other shipments have been good.

Passenger business during the summer season, coming to a close has been one of the busiest, say railroad men in several years and not since the St. Louis World's Fair in '04, has passenger traffic on the local and main lines been so good and thousands of people have been handled by the various lines running the four compass points during the past several months. In the matter of crowds, the Seattle exposition has thus far been a success and many people have made the trip who would otherwise have passed up a trip of several hundred miles.

### Curea Hay Fever and Summer Cold.

A. S. Nusham, Batesville, Ind., writes: "Last year I suffered for three months with a summer cold so distressing that it interfered with my business. I had many of the symptoms of hay fever and doctor's prescription did not reach my case and I took several medicines which seemed only to aggravate it. Fortunately I insisted upon having Foley's Honey and Tar. It quickly cured me. My wife has since used Foley's Honey and Tar with the same success." Wilkinson & Co.

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### THOMAS HAS GONE HOME

Left the Team at Burlington Last Night Saying That He Was Too Sick to Play Ball.

### BERTE WILL REPORT

Mier Injured His Hand in Yesterday's Game and Came Home Last Night to Be Doctored.

There has been much doing in the local baseball camp for the past day outside of losing a double header. Mier had his hand split, Thomas left the team and Berte of Jacksonville was signed by Manager Belt. Thomas left the club last night and expects to leave this evening for his home. Berte is expected to report today at Burlington and be in the lineup against the Pathfinders.

It was rumored that Thomas has jumped his contract but in conversation with his this morning a Gate City reporter learned a few facts which would seem to discredit these reports. Thomas states that the reason for his leaving the club was owing to the fact that he is sick and has been sick ever since he arrived. "I have not slept over two hours any night that I have been in this town or any town in this league," he said. When asked if Belt had given him permission to leave the team he said that he didn't say that he couldn't go. It seems that he can no longer stand it to play in the condition which he is in and just has to have a rest.

### May Have Malaria.

He describes his sickness as affecting his head saying that neither himself nor the doctors who he has consulted know just what is wrong with him although it is very probable that he has malaria. It seems that since he got spiked in the hip the trouble has become worse till he can no longer cavort around the diamond. Thomas states that he has already packed his clothes and will probably leave this evening for his home in Altoona, Pennsylvania and that if he begins to feel better in a week or so he will again join the team.

### Mier's Finger Split.

Mier received a bad injury in the third inning of the game yesterday on his first trip to the bat getting hit by one of Spencer's wicked shoots on a finger on his right hand. The Burlington Hawk-Eye states that his finger was torn off but Mier said this morning that his entire finger was split and that the injury made him sick. Just previous to his getting hurt Lemon had his hand split and both the victims were in hands of the doctor at about the same time. Mier came home last night in company with Thomas and this morning visited the doctor to have the bandages renewed. He will not be able to get into the game again for some days.

### Berte Was Signed.

Berte, the fast shortstop, formerly manager of the Jacksonville team has been signed at last by the directors and is expected to join the team today. Berte should bolster up the team greatly as he has more ginger than any man in the league and can play his position with the best of them. Berte went to St. Louis immediately after being deposed as manager and several managers have been after him since.

### New Catcher Coming.

Belt is in line with a new catcher from Wichita who is expected to report immediately, if the deal carries through without a hitch. Treasurer Sterne was unable to say who the man was and nothing can be said as to his ability.

### THE DEATH OF REUBEN KILE

Old Resident of West Point Who Had Reached the Advanced Age of Nearly 80.

On Saturday, August 21, 1909, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, occurred the death of Reuben Kile, an aged resident of West Point. He had been in failing health for over six months, and after the death of his wife in June he declined rapidly and followed her to the grave just two months later. Paralysis was the cause of his death.

Deceased was born in Lancaster county, Pennsylvania, March 28, 1830. He grew to manhood in the state of Ohio, and in 1852 he came to Iowa, where the same year he was married to Elizabeth Bayer, whom he had met in Ohio. Eleven children were born to this union, four of whom preceded their parents to the grave. Those surviving are James, Vernns, Eli and Katherine of West Point; David and Enoch of Phoenix, Ariz., and Mrs. Shelledy of New London. In early manhood Mr. Kile followed the carpenter trade, building many of the houses in the town and country that were erected in early days.

For the past thirty-five years he has been proprietor of the West Point foundry and machine shop. He was an indulgent father and a kind husband and was respected by all his neighbors. The confidence that all had in him is manifested by the fact that he was never without a local office of some kind. He was township trustee for eighteen consecutive years, school director for many terms and was at different times a member of the city council.

His father, George Kile, enjoyed the distinction of fighting in defense of Fort McHenry from the attack of the British fleet in 1814, the engagement in the war of 1812 which was made famous by Key in his "The Star Spangled Banner," which he wrote while a captive on one of the British ships.

The funeral services were held at his late home Monday at 2:30 p. m. Rev. B. K. Brockert, pastor of the Presbyterian church, officiated.

Five grandsons, namely Sherman, Warren, Harry, Ervin and Albert Shelledy and Joseph Peitz, acted as pallbearers.

The choir composed of Misses Clara Whitlock and Leona Carstens and Robert A. Gardner sang the same songs that they had rendered only two months before at the funeral services of his aged companion. Beautiful floral pieces covered the casket and he was laid to rest in a grave decorated with flowers, by the side of his late wife, in the city cemetery.

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### DROWNED MAN PROBABLY MURDERED

Man Found in Flint Creek Was in Ft. Madison Last Week With a Big Roll of Money.

Fort Madison Democrat: The body of the stranger found floating in Flint creek Sunday, two miles north of Burlington, had nothing on it to assist in its identification. There being no marks of violence it was evident that the man was drowned, though he may have been thrown into the stream by thugs, while possibly under the influence of drink or drugs.

The man had on his person a glove buttoner from the clothing store of O. B. Stevenson of this city. In conversation with O. B. Stevenson as to the glove buttoner he recalled a customer of about a week ago who called at the store after supper and made a considerable purchase. The dead body answers Mr. Stevenson's description very well. He was about six feet tall, smooth face, light hair, and wore a brown suit of clothes. He told Mr. Stevenson that he was a printer and when asked his name said that he traveled under several different names, and this was his only answer. He had plenty of money and explained that very unusual condition with a printer by saying that he was carrying a \$2,000 insurance policy in an old line company and needing money had sold it for \$1,500. He also said that he owned a piece of property in Madison township. While at the store he purchased a blue serge suit of clothes, a hat, three shirts, handkerchiefs and a suit case. He told Mr. Stevenson, who made the sale personally, that he was going to Burlington that night. He displayed quite a roll of money and seemed unaccustomed to handling so much money. It is probable that he found plenty of help in Burlington to spend the money, and from the fact that there was no hat or coat, or any article in the pockets but a printer's composing rule, the man (if he is the same one that visited Fort Madison), must have been robbed, and it is possible that he was either slugged or doped and thrown into the creek.

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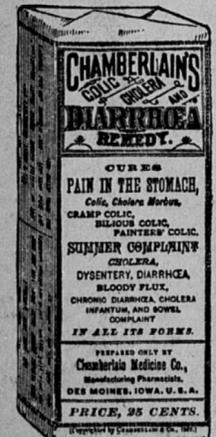
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