

**\$30 IN JEWELRY STOLEN.**

**Robber Broke Window at Kessenger's and Took Valuables.**

Between \$25 and \$30 worth of property was stolen from C. W. Kessenger's second hand store last night. A gold watch, a revolver and several gold band and set rings were taken.

The thief broke a large window in the back of the store and when Mr. Kessenger opened his store this morning, he found glass scattered all over the floor. The watch that was stolen had a gold case. It had been taken from among a number of silver watches. Razors and other valuables in the case were not touched.

The only clue that could be found was foot prints on the ground back of the store. A jar that had been by the window was moved and in doing this the thief stepped in some powder plaster. His shoe prints were visible wherever he had walked.

**TO FAIRMONT MINNESOTA AND BACK IN 5 1/2 DAYS**

Mrs. A. B. Seelye, Miss Marion Seelye, Miss Helen Seelye and relatives motored to Fairmont, Minnesota, and back, a distance of 1,302 miles, in 5 1/2 days. It took them 3 days to get there last June. They came back in 2 1/2 days and had four punctures. While Abilene persons were roasting, Mrs. Seelye and the rest of the party were wearing large coats to keep from freezing. The biggest fun came when they attended a big circus at Mankato, where real polar bears could live.

**HOUSE IS BLOWN OVER FOR A THIRD TIME—NONE HURT**

Enterprise Push: The home of Ora Toulouse and family on the Robert Baker farm west of Enterprise was blown over during the severe wind storm Monday evening. The house is a frame building 12x14, one story high and Mr. Toulouse says it was turned over three times. The family miraculously escaped dangerous injury but one of the children was hurt about the head.

**Catarrah Cannot Be Cured**

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrah is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrah Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrah Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrah. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.



**Women's Low Heel Shoes**

We make a specialty of this class of Footwear in all the new styles of colors and height of tops.

Price Range  
**\$3.50, \$4.00**  
**\$5.00 to \$8.00**

You know our shoes stand up and hold their shape and if you are looking for choice new fall 1917 styles, come here and see. No obligation to buy.

**DAVIS SHOE STORE**

Brown Telephone Building  
Abilene

**ABILENE BOYS ACCEPTED FOR SECOND TRAINING CAMP**

Paul H. Royer, Paul N. Gleissner, Herbert C. Sommers and Forest G. Baird was the four boys from Abilene called to the second training camp. William A. Stacey is second alternate and Herbert Rohrer is the fourth alternate for all those that applied, so that it is probable they will be called to the camp, too. They took the examination about two weeks ago and will go to camp on August 27.

A heart-to-heart talk from man to man, rather than from commander to commander, was given the students attending the officers' reserve training camp in the big riding hall yesterday afternoon by Col. Tyree Rivers camp commandant. Ninety per cent of the men present will be commissioned officers with a few days, and Colonel Rivers wanted to give them a few pointers on their new, and to most of them unfamiliar, duties of handling men successfully.

**CO. H BASEBALL TEAM TAKES ANOTHER—SCORE 10-2**

[From Saturday's Daily.]

Company H won its second battle of the war yesterday. The boys captured 10 trenches from Chapman and the latter succeeded in retaking two of them. The game was featured by a bunch of errors for Chapman, but Company H played good, tight baseball. The proceeds were \$16 and each team got half. The Abilene company has about \$375 for its mess fund now.

**Will Build a New Church.**

The contract for a new church for the Brethren in Christ congregation at Navarre, to replace the one burned May 22, has been let.

**Cure for Cholera Morbus.**

"When our little boy, now seven years old, was a baby he was cured of cholera morbus by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes Mrs. Sidney Simmons, Fair Haven, N. J. "Since then other members of my family have used this valuable medicine for colic and bowel troubles with good satisfaction and I gladly endorse it as a remedy of exceptional merit." Obtainable everywhere.

**NORMAL INSTITUTE STARTED TODAY—CLASSES ORGANIZED**

The first day of the normal institute held at the Garfield school today, was not a busy one. The classes were organized and then all were dismissed to meet tomorrow. M. L. Smith of Emporia, was the lecturer at the institute today.

**Optimistic as to Russia's Credit.**

Petrograd, Aug. 11—N. V. Neriksoff, vice president and minister of finance, in a statement to the press on financial resources of the country, today said he believed commercial monopolies the government purposed establishing would soon bring a stable credit. Subscription to the liberty loan, he said, so far are three and a half million rubles.

**Bring Smallpox to Chicago.**

Chicago, Aug. 11.—The migration of southern negroes to the north since the European war began threatens to result in an epidemic of smallpox in the opinion of Dr. John D. Robertson, Chicago health commissioner, who today asked the city council for \$25,000 to conduct vaccination among them.

For any itchininess of the skin, for skin rashes, chaps, pimples, etc., try Doan's Ointment. 60c at all drug stores.

**GERMAN PLANES SCATTER BOMBS ON COAST OF ENGLAND**

London, Aug. 13.—Twenty-three persons, including nine women and six children, were killed and fifty persons were injured at Southend in Essex, forty miles east of London, by bombs dropped from German raiders today, says an official statement issued tonight.

**Police Close 13 Saloons.**

Kansas City, Aug. 13.—Thirteen more saloons were ordered to remain closed today by John J. Reiger, excise clerk, acting under instructions from the board of police commissioners, who conferred with Chief Flahive yesterday afternoon on the strike situation.

**Santa Fe Raises Wages.**

Chicago, Aug. 3.—Eighteen thousand employees of the Santa Fe railway today received notice of an 11 to 15 per cent wage increase effective September 1.

**Sixth Infantry to Nevada.**

Nevada, Mo., Aug. 13.—The entire Sixth Infantry, Missouri national guard, were ordered today to proceed immediately to the mobilization camp at Nevada. They were en-training at their home stations and will arrive here during tomorrow.

Clean old papers for sale at this office; 5c a bundle.

**Chautauqua and Home Coming Week**

**Abilene Aug. 31, Sept. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6**

**Ada Roach and Her Smile at Chautauqua**

**Al'hea Players**

(1)

**Ada Roach**

(2)

**The Hawaiians**

(3)

**"Peggy" Hill**

(4)

**Metropolitan Men Singers**

(5)

**Keller-Wille Company**

(6)

**Ducrot**

(7)

**Jane Dillon**

(8)



The above are some of the musical companies and entertainers on the seven-day Chautauqua program to be seen for a few cents for each program by buying a season ticket. See booklets for particulars of the great lecturers who are coming and of "PINAFORE" and "LITTLE WOMEN." The greatest productions ever presented from a Chautauqua platform.

- (1) Six charming girls who play and sing comprise the Al'hea Players. One of the novel features of their program is a violin sextette. There is variety and vivacity in their program. Artists, everyone.
- (2) "That's the funniest program I ever heard in my life," said a boy to Miss Ada Roach after she had completed her program in Kansas City a few weeks ago. You will agree thoroughly with that sentiment after you have heard and seen her. Her smile is sufficient to make everyone in the audience smile. Her funny stories, told in perfect dialect, will make you laugh and laugh.
- (3) Nearly everyone likes good Hawaiian music. The Chautauqua is bringing you the best company that can be secured. Their program is unique, amusing, charming and quaint. There is spice and variety to the selections.
- (4) "Peggy" Hill is another girl who brings sunshine to the Chautauqua program. She is extremely versatile and gives a merry, musical program.
- (5) Weighing approximately 900 pounds is not the only claim to distinction held by the Metropolitan Men Singers, four talented men with great voices. There is lot of humor in the program as well as plenty of the classical and the "old home songs" and patriotic melodies.
- (6) Harrison Keller's work is vital, sensitive and expressive of the best in music. Stewart Wille as a pianist ranks among the highest. These artists have spent several years together in preparatory and concert work and their sympathy and understanding of musical art have done wonders in making one of the big programs of the musical world.
- (7) Ducrot's program will be different from any other on the Chautauqua. He will amuse, astound and astonish you with his wonderful feats of magic.
- (8) Jane Dillon is an interpreter of the world's masterpieces of literature. She has a personality and a versatility that will make you admire her and appreciate her program.

**RESPONDING TO CALL FOR FLAG'S HONOR**

The company takes exercise every morning and it tires them out, too. After the exercises, the sick call is given. So far, none have answered at the sick call.

The physician will probably be here tomorrow for the vaccination. There will be no drill for 48 hours after the vaccination. The boys will all keep pretty quiet, too, as much movement would make them sick.

Last evening when the company went to the picture show, Lieutenant Lucier heard one girl say, "If it takes them ten minutes to get in here, how long will it take for a million men to get to France?" That girl ought to see a battalion move.

The Chapman ball team arrived this afternoon and it expected it will show Company H a good fight.

Another man offered a flag to the company today but it could not be accepted as the company is not allowed to carry any flag of its own. However, the offer was greatly appreciated.

The three cooks of the company do not have to drill—they have plenty of other work to do.

A plan has been put into effect in the Third regiment by which the members may buy articles and make money on the sale. A place known as the "exchange" was organized and the companies of the Third regiment were allowed to buy stock in the organization. Company H purchased \$75 worth of stock. Now when one of the members of this company buys some candy, pop, tobacco or any other little thing that the "exchange" sells, the boys get the profits so they are getting the articles at cost and the amount they invested is merely to keep the store in operation.

"If you want to see how the boys are progressing in drill, come down some time and see them," is Captain Browne's invitation to all. Military etiquette is no easy thing to pick up in a hurry, but the boys do remarkably well. If a private wishes to speak to an officer and the officer does not see him, the private says,

"sir." Notice, too, when Captain Browne or any of the other officers pass the members of the company on the street the men will stop and salute. The officer returns the salute.

**Liver Trouble.**  
"I am bothered with liver trouble about twice a year," writes Joe Dingman, Webster City, Iowa. "I have pains in my side and back and an awful soreness in my stomach. I heard of Chamberlain's Tablets and tried them. By the time I had used half a bottle of them I was feeling fine and had no signs of pain." Obtainable everywhere.

**RAILWAY TIME TABLES**

**UNION PACIFIC**

Eastbound

102	4:24 a.m.
104	11:51 a.m.
170	4:14 p.m.
166 Mixed	5:25 p.m.

Westbound

169	6:26 a.m.
103	3:32 p.m.
119	10:43 p.m.
165 Mixed	6:48 a.m.

165 and 166 daily except Sunday. Other trains daily.

**ROCK ISLAND**

Eastbound

536 Passenger	11:03 a.m.
566 Local Freight	3:00 p.m.

Westbound

535 Mail and Express	5:45 p.m.
566 Mixed	11:03 a.m.

**SANTA FE**

Southbound

210 Freight	3:20 p.m.
206 Passenger	9:30 a.m.
208 Freight	1:40 p.m.

Northbound

207 Passenger	9:30 a.m.
209 Freight	12:30 p.m.
211 Freight	12:35 p.m.

Salina Branch  
Leave for Salina

217 Mixed	9:45 a.m.
219 Mixed	2:00 p.m.

Arrive from Salina

218 Mixed	9:10 a.m.
220 Mixed	12:20 a.m.

**ABILENE SOCIETIES**

**ROYAL ARCH MASONS**—Cyrus Chapter No. 25 meets in Masonic Temple on the second and fourth Fridays of each month. H. L. Humphrey, H. P.; Joseph E. Keel, Secretary.

**A. F. & A. M.**—Benevolent Lodge No. 23 meets first and third Monday evenings in each month in Masonic Temple, corner Third and Spruce. Joseph L. Goodell, W. M.; J. L. Worley, Secretary. Visiting brethren welcome.

**Toliver's Service Broadens**

We have just moved into our new addition which gives us more shop and garage room. We are ready to do business in a more satisfactory way than ever.

We have just opened a large room in the front of our building for an auto accessory store. We are filling this new room with a fine line of first class auto accessories and tourists' necessities. This means that you can get anything you want in the auto and machine repair line at

**BATTERY "Exide" SERVICE**

**Toliver's Garage and Machine Shops**  
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**YOUR HOME LAUNDRY DESERVES YOUR HOME TRADE**

The Abilene Steam Laundry has added new machinery and is equipped with the best of them. It employs expert help and guarantees its work to be first class.

Miss Julia Murray, who has been connected with the business for a number of years, will have the entire management and personally oversee all work.

Your patronage is solicited with a guarantee of satisfactory work. Give home institutions your patronage. We use Sand Springs Water.

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