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## GENEALOGICAL INFORMATION FROM THE HINSDALE DOINGS



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### Introduction

The abstracts contain not only births, marriages, and deaths, but also information from “gossip” columns that would be helpful in searching for ancestors. This includes “visits” that include a relationship or different surname that includes the relationship. Some listings are abstracts, others in which the articles were very short include the full text. Obvious spelling errors are not corrected but followed by “[sic]”. Generally, other spelling, abbreviation, capitalization, and punctuation, especially the use of, or lack of, commas, is left as in the original article. The date at the end of the listing is the date of the issue of the newspaper. The volume and number are shown at the first listing for the date. When the same information was reported in several issues, the information was only included once. When additional important information was included in a later issue, for example, out of town relatives at a funeral, the information is shown in “[ ]” with the issue date. The ¶ symbol in an abstract indicates the information following was in a separate article in the same issue. A Western Springs column was started in 1897 and apparently ended with the September 3, 1898, column. The newspapers are available on microfilm at Hinsdale Public Library but will not be loaned on interlibrary from there. The microfilm can be borrowed on interlibrary loan from the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library in Springfield, Illinois. Continued from *The Review* Vol. 35, Number 4, May 2009 issue.

Oak Forest Cemetery frequently cited in obituaries is the current Bronswood Cemetery located at 3805 North Madison Street, Oak Brook, IL.

Mr. Alfred **Fee**, a former Hinsdale resident, died of consumption at a sanitarium in California last Tuesday. Mr. Fee leaves a wife and three children who are now residing in Hinsdale. *Volume VI, Number 40*, Saturday, July 6, 1901

Administrator's sale. Estate of William **Andorf**, deceased. Elizabeth **Hingst**, Administratrix vs. Dorothea **Wegener**. Petition to sell real estate on 23 July 1901. July 6, 1901

Percy **Pape** entertained his cousin, Harry **Cole**, of Chicago. July 6, 1901

Mrs. F. E. **Carsley** and family of Chicago, visited I. S. **Bush**, her father. July 6, 1901

P. J. **Ashton** and wife, of Watertown, S. D., visited friends in Hinsdale. July 6, 1901

Mrs. F. D. **Farr** left for Vermont where she will spend the summer. Mrs. Farr will also visit her old home at Albany, N.Y. July 6, 1901

Mrs. **Baker** of Sioux City (formerly Miss Addie **Colburn** of Hinsdale) with her little daughter visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. **Childs**. July 6, 1901

Born – to Mr. and Mrs. Will **Hinckley** on Wednesday morning, a son. July 6, 1901

Mrs. J. B. **Parson**, of Pontiac, Ill., visited her parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. D. **Haskell**. July 6, 1901

Mrs. **Staples**, of Chicago, will visit her daughter, Mrs. Frank **Tracy**. July 6, 1901

Mrs. Will R. **Jeffers** and daughter Marian returned from Pontiac, Ill., where they have been visiting Mrs. J. B. **Parsons**. July 6, 1901

Mrs. Peter **Lawson** and niece, Miss Aetolia **Johnston**, leave next week for Minnesota to visit relatives. July 6, 1901

Walter **Walker** left for Orange, Conn., where he will spend the summer with his uncle, Charles **Treat**. July 6, 1901

Mrs. **Tucker**, of Colorado, formerly Miss **Aken**, who occupied the position of soprano in the Congregational church choir, visited Miss **Blodgett** and Mrs. George **Beach**. July 6, 1901

Los Angeles, Cal., July 2. Reeve Scranton **Atwater**, aged 26, son of Mr. and Mrs. John **Atwater**, of Western Springs, a suburb of Chicago, died this morning at Pasadena, following an attack of gripe ... The funeral will be held tomorrow, with interment in Mountain View cemetery. The aged parents and two brothers have been in Pasadena since February. They will leave for Chicago Thursday. July 6, 1901

On July 24 Rev. Percy E. **Thomas** will be united in marriage to Miss Anne **Metcalf** at Evanston. A reception at the home of the bride's parents follows the ceremony. Miss Metcalf is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Sanborn **Metcalf**, 1023 Maple avenue, Evanston, Ill. The happy couple will take up

their residence at Popejoy, Ia., to which Mr. **Thomas** has been called as pastor. *Volume VI, Number 41*, Saturday, July 13, 1901

Horrible accident at Glen Ellyn. A man by the name of George **Reidy**, who had been employed on the training track, was struck and instantly killed by the cars just west of Glen Ellyn Saturday night. ... Justice **Gurnea** went down and held the inquest. The verdict was accidental death, it appearing that in getting out of the way of a freight train he stepped in front of the Freeport passenger. July 13, 1901

Mrs. Emma **Johnson**, beloved wife of Peter **Johnson**, died at an early hour Sunday morning, June 30. For years Mrs. Johnson has been in poor health, but after the death of her son she failed rapidly ... She leaves a widower and two daughters, Annie and Mabel, to survive her. Her remains were taken to the Lyonsville cemetery Monday, June 31, at 2:30, for burial. July 13, 1901

Mrs. George **Beach** celebrated her birthday very pleasantly last Sunday by entertaining several relatives. Those present were Maj. and Mrs. J. J. **Johnson**, of Lewistown, Mrs. **Kellogg** and Miss **Kellogg** of Downers Grove, Mrs. Fannie **Aiken** Tucker, of Colorado Springs, and Mrs. Frank **Griswold**, of Milwaukee. July 13, 1901

Murderer Goes Back to Joliet. The hearing of the habeas corpus petition of Frederick L. **Buck**, of Elgin, heard in Wheaton by Judge George W. **Brown**, resulted unfavorably to Buck, and Judge Brown remanded the prisoner back to the custody of the warden in Joliet ... Buck was sentenced to the penitentiary for 25 years in Kane county in 1895 for the murder of his wife ... July 13, 1901

On Wednesday July 3<sup>rd</sup> at high noon at the residence of Mrs. A. J. **Fredsnhagen**, St. Charles, Ill., occurred the marriage of her daughter Miss Adda Marie, to Mr. Walter Ray **Curtis** of Clarendon Hills. Rev. **Smith** of Wheaton College officiating, his daughter Miss Sadie **Smith**, being the only guest aside from immediate relations ... They will be at home after August 7<sup>th</sup> at St. Charles Ill. July 13, 1901

Judge **Smith's** Descendants Reunite. Mrs. Jesse B. **Barton** entertained over a score of her relatives at a lawn party Thursday ... Of the guests, 15 were descendants of Theophilus W. **Smith**, one of the justices of the supreme court of this state in its earliest days, and six were descendants of a sister of Mrs. Smith, wife of an attorney prominent at the Ohio bar 75 years ago, brother of Henry **Stanberry**, at one time attorney general of the United States. Judge Smith had four daughters, descendants of each of whom were at the gathering.

One of the daughters was married to Stephen F. **Gale**, still living; another married Henry **Hubbard** ...; another married Dr. Lin D. **Boone**, a former mayor of Chicago; and still another, Mrs. Barton's mother, married Jesse B. **Thomas**, likewise a justice of our supreme court. Mr. [sic] Hubbard was a mother of Gurdon S. Hubbard, one of the earliest of Chicago's settlers. ... Judge Smith ... born in New York ... officer in War of 1812 ... The remains of Judge Smith and his wife, and his three daughters and their husbands,

Hubbard, Boone and Thomas, rest in one burial lot at Rose Hill. (*long article*) July 13, 1901

Miss Jessie **Dawson** is visiting her sister, Mrs. John **Dempster**, before leaving on a trip to Canada. July 13, 1901

Miss **Hall** of Chicago is visiting her sister, Mrs. Nellie **Hall Root**. July 13, 1901

Mrs. **Faircloe**, of Sycamore, Ill., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Edgar **Davis**. July 13, 1901

Mrs. Jack **Burton** with her daughter Lucy left for Detroit, Mich., where she will visit her mother, Mrs. **Smith**. July 13, 1901

Miss Edna **Webster** left for Adam's Center, N.Y., where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Sherman **Trowbridge**. July 13, 1901

The Misses June and Ray **Bird** leave Tuesday for Rush City, Minn., where they will visit their aunt, Mrs. **Martell**. July 13, 1901

Mrs. **Huliniska**, of Ouray, Col., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Edgar **Davis**, returned home, Mrs. Jansen **Noble** returned with her aunt. July 13, 1901

Mrs. Walter **Clark** and daughter, Miss Grace **Clark**, returned from Fairview, Ky., where they had been visiting Mrs. Clark's parents, Mr. and Mrs. **Underwood**. *Volume VI, Number 42*, Saturday, July 20, 1901

Mrs. **Hulver** [will visit] her former home in Oswego [N.Y.] July 20, 1901

Mrs. **McCurdy** entertained some of her city relatives ... Mrs. Annie E. **Dow**, Mr. and Mrs. Fred **Dow** and Mr. Scot **Dow**. July 20, 1901

Miss Stella **Fox** is visiting at the home of her father, Herman **Fox**. July 20, 1901

Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. **Johnston** of Chicago [visited] their father, A. S. **Johnston**. ¶ Miss Ethel **Johnston** is visiting her brother Harry **Johnston** in Chicago. July 20, 1901

Mary **Barr** left for Pontiac, Ill., where she will spend the summer with her cousin Miss Florence **Parsons**. July 20, 1901

Miss Amy **Brent** of Chicago [visited] her sister Mrs. F. E. **Ayers**. July 20, 1901

Marie **Miller** of St. Louis, Mo., is spending the summer at the home of her aunt Mrs. S. M. **Delano**. July 20, 1901

Mrs. Mary **Peabody** of Chicago [visited] her brother Horace **Cowles**. ¶ Miss Eunice **Cowles** visited in Chicago at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Mary **Peabody**. July 20, 1901

Mrs. Warner **Reed** will visit her aunt Mrs. Fred **Schuyler**. July 20, 1901

Mrs. C. L. **Lutkin**, with her brother, Albert **Wolf**, attended the funeral of a friend, Miss Mae **O'Connor**, of Chicago last Tuesday. July 20, 1901

Mrs. Otis Ward **Hinckley** returned from Denver, Col., accompanied by her mother Mrs. **Branch** who has been visiting there. July 20, 1901

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. **Dennison** and sons were called to Buffalo Monday on account of the death of Mr. Dennison's brother William. For several years he had made Hinsdale his home ... *Volume VI, Number 43*, Saturday, July 27, 1901

On Wednesday evening at seven o'clock occurred the wedding of Mr. Percy E. **Thomas** and Miss Annie **Metcalf**. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. **Metcalf**, 1023 Maple avenue, Evanston. Rev. Arthur **Little** of St. Mark's Methodist church officiated. ... bride's sister Miss Bertha **Metcalf** acted as maid of honor and Mr. Thomas was attended by Mr. E. R. **Perry**. The ribbons were carried by Ruth **Stevens** and Clarence **Adams**. ... Mr. and Mrs. Thomas will take up their work at Popejoy, where Rev. **Thomas** has been called as pastor. Mr. and Mrs. George **Noble** of his Hinsdale parish attended. July 27, 1901

Mr. James **Courter** who has been in the railroad business in Texas has moved his family into a cottage on Garfield. Mrs. Courter and her sons have made their home in Hinsdale with Mr. and Mrs. D. A. **Courter** for several years. July 27, 1901

Mrs. Andrew **Harvey** who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Otis **Cushing**, returned to her home in Detroit. July 27, 1901

H. F. **Carlson** and family of Waho, Neb., are visiting his sister, Mrs. C. G. **Anderson**. July 27, 1901

Rev. **Willard**, of Auburn Park, Ill., visited his daughter Mrs. Walter **Buffington**. July 27, 1901

Mr. and Mrs. Archibald **Dean**, with their two sons, of Brooklyn, N.Y., are visiting the homes of their brothers, Messrs Robert and Harvey **Dean**. July 27, 1901

Miss Bessie **Courtwright**, of Chicago, is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. P. A. **Delford**. July 27, 1901

Miss Charlotte **Cushing** is [visiting] in Chicago at the home of her cousin, Mr. and Mrs. John. H. **Ford**. July 27, 1901

Miss Helen **Van Lein** leaves for Appleton, Wisc., where she will visit Mrs. Conkey a former resident of Hinsdale. July 27, 1901

On Sunday at two o'clock Dr. Delos **Stuart**, the aged father of Mrs. Charles **Holcomb** ... passed into eternal rest. Dr. Stuart was born 85 years ago last January. Part of his early life was spent in Michigan but for more than 45 years he resided in Illinois and practiced medicine until 20 years ago in Hoylton, Ill., ... took up residence with his only daughter in Hinsdale. Funeral [was] held Monday afternoon. Rev. **Rogers** officiated. The body was taken ... Rochelle, Ill. Tuesday ... and interred beside the grave of his wife who passed away many years ago. Miss Mary **Stuart**, daughter of Dr. Morse **Stuart** ... physician of Detroit and brother of the deceased, attended the funeral. Mrs. Charles **Holcomb** and son left the latter part of the week for their former home in Colorado Springs and Denver. Mr. Horace **Holcomb** and daughter were taking a trip ... During Mrs. Holcomb's

absence Annie **Holcomb** will remain at her uncle's home on Third avenue. July 27, 1901

John **Zellenka**, a Bohemian, aged 25, was killed at Greggs station, two miles west of Hinsdale, Monday evening by an eastbound express train. ... He evidently committed suicide or was completely intoxicated. *Volume VI, Number 44*, Saturday, August 3, 1901

W. W. **Blanchard**, one of the men of Naper Post G. A. R. was buried Thursday at three o'clock from his late residence in Downers Grove. August 3, 1901

Herbert **Showers**, whose family are occupying the Ruchty house for the summer, ... [sprung into the creek in Fullersburg] ... he landed short ... and struck a large boulder ... unconscious ... investigation by a physician disclosed the boy was paralyzed and his back broken ... he was taken to a hospital in the city. August 3, 1901 [Mr. **Showers** and family who have been occupying the Ruchty house in Fullersburg, have returned to their home in Chicago. August 10, 1901]

A farewell reception was given by Mr. and Mrs. **Mitchell** at the home of Mrs. **Hess** in West Hinsdale ... leave for Oregon, Ill., this week to make their future home. August 3, 1901

Mrs. Margaret **Boese** died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Geo. **Wolf**, Wednesday after a prolonged illness ... She was 81 years and 10 months. Funeral occurs tomorrow, burial being at Waldheim cemetery. August 3, 1901

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. **Blood** gave a family dinner in honor of Chas. **Maydwell**'s 89<sup>th</sup> birthday. August 3, 1901

Miss Alice **Gee**, of Chicago, has been [visiting] her cousin, Miss Grace **Clark**. August 3, 1901

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace **Isbell** of So. Dakota arrived in Hinsdale [to visit] her mother Mrs. **Wallace** [sic]. August 3, 1901

The engagement is announced of Miss Sara **Kinzey** the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. **Kinzey** of Riverside, to H. E. **Havemeyer**, son of W. A. **Havemeyer**. August 3, 1901

Born – On Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. E. **Karlson**, a son. August 3, 1901

Mrs. E. P. **Webster** spent Tuesday in Chicago as a guest of her cousin, Mrs. **Faville**. August 3, 1901

Mr. **Woodworth**, the new owner of the Hinsdale Livery, moved with his wife and two daughters, the Misses Florence and Mildred, into the Benton House. August 3, 1901

Little Hazel **Johnson** was hostess at a party Wednesday in honor of her second birthday. August 3, 1901

On Saturday last Miss Amanda **Busch** of La Grange and Geo. **Bullerman** of Hinsdale, were united in marriage at the former place. They will make their future home in Hinsdale. *Volume VI, Number 45*, Saturday, August 10, 1901

Miss Lydia **Mihm** entertained friends in celebration of her birthday on Friday. August 10, 1901

Miss Minnie **Warland** [went to] Chicago [to visit] her sister, Mrs. Hulda **Johnson**. August 10, 1901

Mrs. J. A. **Porter** of Colo., sister of Mrs. Geo. **Ruchty**, has moved her family into the Geo. **Wolf** house [on] North Garfield avenue. August 10, 1901

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. **Boutwood** was christened at Grace church Sunday morning. August 10, 1901

Mrs. F. A. **Scotfield** entertained a number of little girls on Monday in honor of her granddaughter, Gracella **Scotford**. August 10, 1901

Mrs. **Grist** of Cedar Rapids, Ia., [visited] her niece, Mrs. C. D. **Bird**. August 10, 1901

Twin boys were born to Mr. and Mrs. E. T. **Pape** on Friday evening of last week. August 10, 1901

Mrs. **Willis** of Chicago is visiting her daughter Mrs. Lewis **Tallman**. August 10, 1901

Chas. **Berhense** of Chicago [visited] his uncle, Henry **Fellerman**. August 10, 1901

Mrs. **Coleman** and son, Walter, left Wednesday for Alaska where they will stay until spring. August 10, 1901

Mrs. Wm. **Hopkins**, accompanied by her son, and also by her daughter, Miss Amy **Wentworth**, left for Citronelle, Ala., [for a visit.] August 10, 1901

Miss Clara **Lofgren** and her brother, Emil, with their uncle, P. **Larson**, left for Odebolt [Odeboit?], Ia., where they will visit relatives. August 10, 1901

The marriage of Arthur J. **Buffington** and Miss Mary **Thorpe** of Chicago has been announced, the ceremony having occurred last Saturday. ... Will make home in Chicago. *Volume VI, Number 46*, Saturday, August 17, 1901

Dr. Philip **Rice** and wife from Hilo, Hawaii, visited Hinsdale relatives. They were enroute to Milwaukee to [visit] the doctor's parents. Upon their return they expect to make a longer visit with their Hinsdale relatives. Mrs. W. B. **Maydwell**, mother of Mrs. Rice, joined them in San Francisco and is at present visiting here before [going] to Philadelphia where she will [visit] her sister. August 17, 1901

The funeral service over the remains of Mrs. Chas. **Pfeifer**, were held Friday and the interment followed at Oak Forest ... victim of consumption ... On Monday the end came at Woodland, Okla., and her remains were brought to Hinsdale ... F. H. **Wolf**, brother of deceased with his wife, who reside at Ft. Wayne, Ind., were present at the funeral. August 17, 1901

On Thursday of last week, Louisa, the daughter of Wm. **Railing** was taken with scarlet fever and passed away. She would have reached her tenth birthday had she lived until this week Thursday. Dr. **Lawton** is now attending another

daughter, Belle ... [they live in a small cottage on the way to Fullersburg.] There are two other children. August 17, 1901

The "San Diego, Calif., Union" of July 31<sup>st</sup> published the following ... where Mr. **Whitton** made his home for many years and Mrs. **Whitton** is well known as Miss Alice **Mann**, she grew up in our [Hinsdale] village "word was received by the local camp of The Woodman of the World that the remains of C. W. **Whitton** whose death was announced yesterday in Visalia, would be sent here for interment ... funeral will take place Thursday ... leaving wife and child residing at Mokena ... he spent last year in Klondike country." August 17, 1901

Mrs. H. **Heinke** leaves to visit her daughter in Philadelphia. August 17, 1901

Mrs. John **Porter** and children are visiting her brother, Ford **Davis**, of Downers Grove. August 17, 1901

Mrs. **Flechtner** and son William returned from a visit to her brother, Mr. **McAllister** of Kingston, Ill. August 17, 1901

Miss **Nash** of Chicago will [visit] at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. L. **Becker**. August 17, 1901

Mrs. John **Staples** of Chicago was a guest of her daughter, Mrs. F. B. **Tracy**. August 17, 1901

Harry **Scharkop** who has been [visiting] his uncle, Henry Timke, returned to his home in Chicago. August 17, 1901

Born – To Mr. and Mrs. Herbert **Thayer** on Thursday night, a daughter. August 17, 1901

Mrs. L. C. **Newell** entertained in honor of her niece, Miss Christine **Wheeler**, of Buffalo. August 17, 1901

Mrs. **Woodcock**, Mrs. Wells Hawtin and son, Horace, returned from Elk Point, S. Dakota, where they have visited Mr. and Mrs. Thomas **Woodcocks**. August 17, 1901

Mr. and Mrs. T. **Lamb** of New Haven, Conn., are being entertained at the home of their daughter, Mrs. C. E. **Raymond**. August 17 1901

August **Pantke**, father of Mrs. Chas. **Mihm** of this village, died last Saturday night of consumption at his home near Willow Springs. The remains were laid to rest in the German Lutheran cemetery at Willow Springs Tuesday. He was an active member of the congregation since its organization in 1867. Mr. Pantke immigrated from Germany in 1848 and at that time made his home in Wisconsin. After living there six years, he moved ... to Western Springs. *Volume VI, Number 47*, Saturday, August 24, 1901

Neighbors entered Andrew **Bindall**'s house at Wheaton ... It is supposed he had been dead for a week. His widow is an inmate of Elgin Asylum. A son and daughter have found homes in other families. August 24, 1901

The following from a city paper will interest many Hinsdale young people who are acquainted with Mr. and Mrs. L. P. **Walters** and the bride's father, C. A. **Whitney** of the La Grange News. "Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. **Whitney** of La Grange announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Grace

**Rood**, to Louis P. **Walters** of Western Springs, Ill. The wedding took place Tuesday evening, August 20, at Emmanuel Episcopal church. The Rev. Dr. **Cooper** of Cleveland officiating. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Mabel **Whitney**. Stuart H. **Lamp** of Chicago supported the bridegroom, ushers Messrs. Ellmore C. **Patterson** of Western Springs, Sherman Booth of Chicago, Glen **Whitney** of La Grange, Ill., and Gary **Burrington** of Lansing, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Walters will reside in Western Springs. August 24, 1901

Mrs. **Curry**, Mrs. C. F. **Goesling**'s mother, has typhoid fever. August 24, 1901

C. **Schwendener** spent vacation in Chicago at home of cousin, F. **Bittle**. August 24, 1901

Mrs. E. P. **Webster** and daughters May and Helen returned from vacation in Colorado. August 24, 1901

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey **Dean** and children, Hazen and Olive, returned from Conway ... Miss Luella **Dean** will remain a week. August 24, 1901

Miss Rachel **Curry** is visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. F. **Goesling**. August 24, 1901

Elizabeth **Clark** of Grossdale is visiting her cousin Charlotte **Barr**. August 24, 1901

Miss **Nash** of Chicago is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. L. **Becker**. August 24, 1901

Mrs. **Huntington** of Chicago was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Jesse B. **Barton**. August 24, 1901

H. S. **Loomis** with sons Wendall and John is visiting Charles J. **Wilson** of Hammond, Ind. August 24, 1901

Earle **Stillwell**, brother of Mrs. A. T. **Cole**, returned to Hinsdale from a western trip. August 24, 1901

Born – To Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. **Ayers** on Sunday last, a boy. August 24, 1901

Mrs. Will **Jeffers** visited her sister, Mrs. **Arthur**, in Chicago. August 24, 1901

Mary **Barr** who has been visiting her cousin, Miss Florence **Parsons**, in Pontiac, Ill., will return to Hinsdale. August 24, 1901

Miss Jane **Ross** who has been a guest of her cousin, Mrs. T. H. **Murray**, returned home to Evanston. August 24, 1901

Mrs. Fayette **Cable** and daughters Rachel, Gladys, and Roselle left for Conway, Mich., for several weeks. August 24, 1901

George **Hipple**, father of Mrs. Joseph **Frost**, died Thursday at his home in Sheldon Park, Chicago. He survived his wife only a few months and was laid to rest at her side in Graceland Thursday. *Volume VI, Number 48*, Saturday, August 31, 1901

Mrs. George **Lee** [who spent] the summer in Europe with Mrs. **Ducat** formerly of Downers Grove ... returned to Hinsdale. Catherine **Lee** who has been visiting her

grandmother in Dayton, Ohio, also returned. August 31, 1901

Miss Lucy **Burton** of Chicago visited her sister, Mrs. Herbert **Thayer**. August 31, 1901

Albert **Lemmon** of Chicago visited his sister, Mrs. James **McDonald**. August 31, 1901

Miss Bessie **Andrew** of Berwyn has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. O. P. **Bassett**. August 31, 1901

D. M. **Skinner** who has resided on North Lincoln street, will move his family to St. Joe. August 31, 1901

Lloyd and Harold **Meyers** have been at Devil's Lake, Wisc., since Tuesday, of which date their cousin gave a German [sic], it being her birthday and Harold's. August 31, 1901

M. N. **Kimbell**, wife and two sons, came out from the city to visit relatives at La Grange and Hinsdale ... visited Mrs. Kimbell's mother, Mrs. **Craigmale** in La Grange, C. B. **Kimbell**, Mrs. Henry **Payne**, and uncle David **Craigmale** of this village. August 31, 1901

Mrs. **Bowman** and Miss **Rawlings** of Jacksonville are visiting their brother, Dr. F. M. **Rawlings**. August 31, 1901

Miss Harriet **Barber** of Marengo returned to the city Wednesday after visiting her cousin, Sarah M. **Kimbell**. She will resume her duties in Austin public school. August 31, 1901

Born – To Rev. and Mrs. C. G. **Anderson** on Monday, a girl. August 31, 1901

Miss Nora **Horan** of Chicago is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. G. **Merrill**. August 31, 1901

Mrs. **Wilson** and children of Wheaton visited her aunt, Mrs. J. W. **Webster**. August 31, 1901

F. J. **Vanderblue**, rate clerk of Northern Pacific, has gone to Detroit to assume similar duties. *Volume VI, Number 49*, Saturday, September 7, 1901

Mrs. **Wallace** entertained Thursday in honor of her daughter, Miss Amy **Mills**. September 7, 1901

Dr. H. O. **Higbee** is to leave Hinsdale to enter a practice at Galien, Mich. September 7, 1901

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. **Skinner** and family left Friday for St. Joe, Mo., where they will make their home. September 7, 1901

Mr. and Mrs. **Pratt** and family moved to their old home in Evanston. September 7, 1901

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. B. **Murray** visited Sunday in Oswego at the home of Mrs. Murray's brother. September 7, 1901

The numerous relatives here of the young lady mentioned in the Sabula (Ia.) Gazette ... she is the oldest daughter of Capt. J. L. **Kimbell** ... she has been occasional visitor here "Miss Harriet **Kimbell** departed for Manson Iowa ... where she has been elected a teacher ..." September 7, 1901

Mrs. **Barton** entertained her sister Mrs. **Huntington**.  
September 7, 1901

Born – To Mr. and Mrs. Alex **Tully**, a daughter Sunday  
night. September 7, 1901

Mr. Albert **Lemmon** of Chicago [visited] his sister Mrs.  
James **McDonald**. September 7, 1901

Nelson H. **Webster** will be married next Wednesday  
afternoon at Naperville to Miss Mary W. **Naper**. The young  
couple will make their home in Hinsdale. *Volume VI,*  
*Number 50*, Saturday, September 14, 1901 [Nelson  
**Webster** the popular young pharmacist was married  
Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock to Miss Mary **Naper**  
only daughter of Mr. **Naper** of Naperville. The ceremony  
took place at the home of the bride's parents ... immediately  
took possession of their home at Third and Grant.  
September 21, 1901]

Mrs. John **Staples** of Chicago was the guest of her daughter  
Mrs. F. B. **Tracy**. September 14, 1901

Mr. Charles **Warnland** of Chicago was the guest of his  
sister Miss Minnie **Warnland**. September 14, 1901 [Miss  
Amanda **Warnland** of Chicago visited her sister Miss  
Minnie **Warnland**. September 28, 1901]

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. **Marsh** will celebrate the twentieth  
anniversary of their wedding this week. September 14, 1901

Miss Emma **Heinke** and her mother returned from a [visit]  
with relatives in Trantum. September 14, 1901

Mrs. **Stanley** and daughter Margaret have arrived in  
Hinsdale; Rev. **Stanley** accepting the call of the Methodist  
church. September 14, 1901

Mr. and Mrs. Frank **Johnson** and son of Chicago will move  
to Hinsdale ... will reside at Johnson homestead at south end  
of Lincoln street. September 14, 1901

Mrs. J. C. **Ross** leaves for Des Moines, Ia., where she will  
visit her niece, Mrs. **Mc Arthur**. September 14, 1901

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan **Head**, of Austin, visited their  
brother, T. W. B. **Murray**. September 14, 1901

Mrs. Harvey **Dean** left for Iowa where she will visit her  
parents, Dr. and Mrs. **Guernsey**. September 14, 1901

Rev. and Mrs. **Brodie** and family moved into the  
Congregational parsonage Thursday. Rev. Brodie is from  
Manistee, Mich. September 14, 1901

Miss Christine **Wheeler** who has been visiting her aunt,  
Mrs. L. C. **Newell**, returned to her home in Buffalo, N. Y.  
September 14, 1901

Miss Grace **Golding** of Chicago visited her mother, Mrs.  
Alece [sic] **Golding**. September 14, 1901

Among the marriage licenses in last night's "Daily News"  
was that of William **Beisel** of Grossdale and Miss Maria B.  
**Feibinger** of Hinsdale. *Volume VI, Number 51*, Saturday,  
September 21, 1901

Jack **Rhodes** of Chicago was in Hinsdale visiting his cousin  
Lloyd **Myers**. September 21, 1901

Mrs. **Foster** of Downers Grove visited her niece Miss Inez  
**Abbott**. September 21, 1901

Geo. **Parker**, of Chicago, visited his aunt Mrs. G. L. **Mc**  
**Curdy**. September 21, 1901

Mr. and Mrs. Eustace **Robertson** and family, who have been  
residing for the summer in the T. H. **Linsley** house, left for  
their home in Park Ridge, N. Y. September 21, 1901

Because he misjudged the space between his seat on a load  
of grain and the top of the stable door entrance, George  
**Raynor** [was severely injured.] Mr. Raynor who lives just  
north of the village and is a son-in-law of Daniel Quince ...  
Taken to Presbyterian **hospital** in Chicago ... has wife and  
six children. September 21, 1901

The marriage ceremony of Miss Tillie **Peterson** of Hinsdale  
and Martin **Boquist** of Peoria, Ill., will take place in the  
Swedish church next Saturday evening, September 28<sup>th</sup>.  
September 21, 1901

Mrs. **Fuller** of Moreland visited her brother Mr. William  
**Evernden**. September 21, 1901

Mr. and Mrs. James **Delaney** and daughter Ella of Chicago  
visited their aunt Mrs. A. **Hoffmeyer**. September 21, 1901

Invitations have been issued to the wedding of Miss  
Constance **Williams** and Mr. Harry **Serviss** of New Jersey.  
The ceremony will take place at Unity church Thursday  
evening September 26<sup>th</sup>. September 21, 1901

Capt. J. J. Cole, formerly a resident of Downers Grove  
during the fifties, died at his home in Wheaton Friday of last  
week after a long illness. He was in his 69<sup>th</sup> year having been  
born in N. Y. state April 16, 1833. He came to Ill. about  
1854 and settled in Big Woods coming to Downers Grove a  
year later. After the war during which he served in the 13<sup>th</sup>  
Ill. Infantry, he returned home and engaged in the mercantile  
business until his election as county clerk when he moved to  
Wheaton. The funeral was held Sunday. September 21,  
1901

Miss Bessie **Allen** returned from summer vacation and is  
staying with her sister, Mrs. Alex Tully. September 21,  
1901

On Thursday evening, September 26<sup>th</sup>, at Unity Church,  
Miss Marion Constance **Williams** was married to Mr. Harry  
J. **Serviss**, of South River, N. J. ... grown up from a little  
child in this village. The day of her marriage will be ... a  
double sacred day since it marks ... her birthday as well. ...  
more than two decades ago [she was born] in a small  
Pennsylvania hamlet. The Rev. John R. **Effinger**, of  
Chicago, the veteran Unitarian minister who organized  
Unity Church fifteen years ago was chosen to perform the  
ceremony. Bridesmaids and ushers were all schoolmates  
... Miss Hattie **Hughes** was maid of honor, Misses Mabel  
**Edwards** and Agnes **Smith**, bridesmaids; ushers were  
Messrs. George A. **Wright**, Lester **Childs** and Robert  
**Crossette**. Mr. Albert Chadwick **Williams**, the bride's

brother, was best man, ... given away by her father Mr. George H. **Williams**. Their future home will be in New Jersey. *Volume VI, Number 52*, Saturday, September 28, 1901

Friends of Miss Vinnie **Sachrist** of La Grange and Mr. Birney **McClintock** of Hinsdale gave a linen shower ... at the home of Wilfred **Morgan**, 344 Viola Ave., La Grange. The marriage of this young couple will occur in the near future. September 28, 1901

On Friday, October 4<sup>th</sup>, a reception will be tendered Rev. and Mrs. **Brodie** and family at the Congregational Church ... all members invited to attend to become acquainted with the new pastor. September 28, 1901

Dr. and Mrs. Horatio **Keeler** of 3541 Prairie Avenue, Chicago, have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Florence, to Mr. Royal Dawes **Smith** at the family residence the evening of October 8<sup>th</sup> ... Dr. **Keeler** will be remembered ... as a resident practitioner during the seventies and Mrs. **Keeler** [a resident] in her girlhood days and for some years after marriage. This is their daughter's birthplace and her home during her early years. September 28, 1901

A delicate surgical operation was performed at the West Side Hospital [on the eye] of little Mildred, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. **Kimbell**. September 28, 1901

Peter **Flenning** of Rockford is visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. C. **Ross**. September 28, 1901

Died – At 215 Jackson Park Terrace September 19, 1901, at 9:45 p.m. Grant **Mitchell** M. D. Funeral was held Sunday September 22. Burial at Graceland. September 28, 1901

W. W. **Graves** with his family, of Rochester, N. Y., was the guest of his sister, Mrs. F. M. **Merrill**. They were enroute to California. September 28, 1901

Miss Mary **McNair** was called away from her school duties suddenly Monday by the death of her father ... at the time of his death, he was at the home of his daughter in Redwood Falls, Minn. September 28, 1901

Mr. **Tracy** of Chicago visited in Hinsdale at the home of his son, F. B. **Tracy**. September 28, 1901

Mrs. **Melon** of Chicago [visited] her sister, Mrs. John **Dempster**. September 28, 1901

Florence **Earle** will entertain a number of friends next Monday in honor of her birthday. September 28, 1901

Mrs. **Dennison** entertained friends in honor of her sister, Miss **Fairchilds** of Buffalo. September 28, 1901

Born – To Dr. and Mrs. Thomas **Lawton** on Sunday last a baby boy. September 28, 1901

Ralph **Buehler** of Gettysburg, Penn., is visiting his uncle, Lafayette **Briggs**. September 28, 1901