

HAPPENINGS AT VAIL. CHARTER OAK CHATS AN ARION LETTER.

John Ainsworth was a Vailite Wednesday.

Charley Fitzsimmons was a passenger to Omaha Thursday.

C. C. Mundy is making some repairs on his dwelling place.

Miss McManus, of Davenport, is a visitor at the Maguire home.

Miss Sutherland, of Chicago, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Phillips.

A. Arshak has returned with a large stock of clothing and shoes.

Mrs. M. J. Casey returned Tuesday from a week's visit in Clinton county.

Thos. Adams and Nick Nelson shipped in several cars of cattle for feeders.

Mrs. Kate Reed and son, of Morrison, Ills., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beck.

Joe Cousins of Kansas City, is visiting relatives and friends in Vail and vicinity.

Vail was well represented at the Woodman picnic despite the unfavorable weather.

Mary Cranny and Miss Tierney, of Blessing, Iowa, are visiting Miss Cranny's brother J. P. Cranny.

The county board sold at auction on Wednesday, the Wagoner buildings on Main street. \$1,000 was the price.

Mr. and Mrs. John Loehner entertained Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rodas, of Manila, the fore part of the week.

Maggie Short came up from Honey Creek the fore part of the week to resume her duties as teacher of music in our public schools.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Kenney were passengers west on the afternoon train on Wednesday, Mrs. Kenney going to Omaha, and Ted spent the day at Denison.

HANOVER MENTIONS

Miss Doretta Schelm is spending a few days as the guest of Mrs. Wm. Brethauer.

F. Rothe is building quite a comfortable house near the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. F. Rabe.

A. Glockzien is building a fine residence on his farm which is about five miles northeast of "the Oak."

The weather has turned quite cool since the late hail and rain storm, which makes people feel more ambitious.

The German school opened Monday the 5th, with Prof. Geiseman as instructor. As usual the attendance is very large.

Messrs. Emil, Will and Erick Messenbrink and sister Bertha, are spending a few days in East Boyer township, visiting relatives.

Little Carl, son of August Rothe, fell from a porch last Tuesday, breaking his wrist. Under the care of Dr. Hart he is recovering rapidly.

Quite a number of the teachers commenced their schools in this township the 5th. Among them are Celia Clary of Denison, Olive Johnson of Deloit, and Cora Heister of Buck Grove.

BUCK GROVE ITEMS

Geo. Gigax is sick with malarial fever.

Ed Bill is at Omaha taking in the exposition.

Jas. Snyder, of Arion, was in town last week.

Will Leeper is barber pro tem at the Grove now.

Mrs. S. Moffitt was a visitor at Manilla Monday.

Dr. Evans, of Arion, was a professional visitor Tuesday.

H. Rudd, of Dow City, was in town on business Wednesday.

J. P. Jones, of Denison, was here on business matters Tuesday.

J. and Leon Bicknell took in the Omaha exposition last week.

Quite a few of our people attended the M. W. A. picnic at Manilla.

Bert Cruise, of Arion, was a visitor at the Grove one day this week.

Ethel Williams has gone to Denison to attend the fall term of school.

We understand that Mr. Arendt, our grain buyer, will soon move his family to town.

County Supervisor Hink, with a force of men, is doing a lot of grading south of town.

Chas. Mitchell, who has been working in an Omaha packing house, is home for a short time.

Church services have been held at the M. E. church for the past weeks, Mr. Leeper being in charge.

Mrs. E. G. Franklin, who has been visiting her friend, Mrs. Moffitt, has returned to her home at Elwood, Ia.

Mrs. Olive Marsh, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Weatherly, has returned to her home at Des Moines.

S. M. Thew, R. Getty, J. Wiley, and J. Road, all prominent farmers, were in town this week.

Ottie Williams has moved to Sioux City where he has secured a situation on the Milwaukee.

Wm. Topf was an Arion visitor Wednesday.

Hans Neethan, of Bell, was a visitor Thursday.

W. S. McVey and Harry Mains drove to Denison Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Wilder were over from Denison this week.

W. C. Johnson was a Rodney business visitor Wednesday.

B. Y. Nicholson was over from Denison the first of the week.

Frank Stouffer of Sac City, attended his brother's wedding here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Brown are enjoying a visit from their daughter-in-law from South Dakota.

Mr. Yager returned from Boone yesterday, where he had been called by the sudden death of a brother.

Will Meyers, the popular Review editor, and Judge Connardrove over from Denison on business Thursday.

The Ladies' Foreign Missionary Society will meet in the Methodist church Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Miss Maggie Armstrong started Wednesday for Des Moines where she will attend school for the next year.

Mrs. Glan has moved her gallery from near the First National Bank to the rooms above Holmes restaurant.

Merian Riedesel and Emil Junger went to Morning Side Friday where they will attend school the coming year.

Caleb Squilbs went back to Idaho the first of the week. He was accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Ainsworth of Ute, who will visit friends at Idaho Falls.

By invitation of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Holmes the M. E. church was well filled Thursday to witness the marriage ceremony of their daughter Miss Irene Holmes to Mr. Samuel M. Stouffer of Sac City, Rev. W. W. Brown officiating. Miss Holmes is one of the most popular young ladies of Charter Oak, having taught a number of summers in the Charter Oak high school. She is a graduate of Woodbine Normal College. She was a great worker in church and social life and will be missed by her many friends here. Mr. Stouffer is the popular editor of the Sac Sun, a young man of promising abilities. The bride was dressed in white India linen trimmed with lace. She carried a bouquet of bridal roses. The groom wore the conventional black with a bouquet of roses. Mrs. Brown played the wedding march. The ceremony was short but impressive, after which an informal reception was held. Mr. and Mrs. Stouffer took the noon train to visit friends in Illinois amid showers of old shoes and rice, and the hearty wishes of long life and happiness of many friends.

Cool weather makes everybody good natured and ambitious.

Frank Evans spent three days visiting the Omaha exposition last week.

Some of our young people went to Vail Sunday and had a muddy time returning home.

Mrs. Johnson, of Cahoka, Mo., is visiting her mother, Mrs. McColl, and other relatives in Arion.

Don Talcott commenced his school last Monday morning. He expects to spend the next few months with the Bell people.

Dr. Evans spent Wednesday in Denison examining soldiers for pensions it being the first Wednesday in the month.

Mrs. Lucy Downs is enjoying a visit from her daughter and family from Illinois. Before returning home they expect to visit the exposition.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Rule will regret to learn of the death of their infant daughter. She was a sweet babe of six months and will be greatly missed from the home.

Mrs. Ruth Richards expects to spend the coming year in Denison preparing herself for kindergarten work. From her record as a Sabbath school teacher she will certainly make a success of it.

Last week a few of our young people had a picnic. They started for the Dow City park and all went well until the conveyance broke down and they were obliged to walk. All came home on the S.M. train.

Walter Town resigned his position as principal of the Arion school on account of poor health. It is a disappointment to the Arion people as we believe he would have filled the place well. There have been many applicants but the decision is not made as to who will be the choice.

The Ladies Union Aid society will give a concert in the hall Saturday, September 17. The original Dow City male quartette consisting of Chas. McHenry, Will Schouten, Frank Stone and Chin Butler, will furnish part of the program which will be well worth hearing. The proceeds are to be given for a good cause, look out for the program next week.

Fred Marr met with a serious and painful accident last Saturday. While the train on the Northwestern railway was switching he jumped from the car, came near rolling under but, he bounded from under the wheels and severed the flesh from one of his arms and injured his skull. His father from Council Bluffs was sent for, at present writing he is doing as well as could be expected. This should be a lesson to boys.

KIRON CHRONICLES

Rev. H. C. Nash, of Sac City, was a visitor at the home of Rev. A. P. Hanson on Tuesday.

Miss Lydia Erickson is reported on the sick list. Her numerous friends hope for her speedy recovery.

Mrs. May Campbell, of Goodrich township, and Mrs. Fred Shuler, of Otter Creek township, made our berg a short visit on Tuesday.

On Wednesday evening, August 31, the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Engberg was filled with friends and relatives who had gathered to witness the marriage of their daughter, Nettie D., to Mr. Harlan Smith, of Odebolt. The brief but impressive ceremony was performed by Rev. A. P. Hanson. The congratulations following the ceremony were the heartiest and we trust that the wishes of their friends may ever come true. The groomsmen were E. Larson and Mr. Gilbert, the bridesmaids were Misses Leda Engberg and Nancy Johnson. Many and elegant were the gifts bestowed in testimony of the popularity of bride and groom. Mr. Smith is a young farmer who is well spoken of as an affable and ambitious gentleman and most kind hearted and manly. The bride's many friends are glad that she is to have a husband who is most worthy of her. He has a home prepared near Odebolt where he will take his prize that Kiron loses. Nettie is well acquainted in our midst having grown to womanhood here and has the confidence and esteem of all. Her removal from our midst will be sincerely regretted by her many friends. May the richest blessing of an almighty hand rest over our esteemed friend and her husband in their new home and in their journey through life.

Original Notice.

In the District Court of Iowa for Crawford County.

Stone & Temple, Plaintiffs, vs. Benton Miles, Defendant.

ORIGINAL NOTICE.

October Term, A. D. 1898.

To the above named Defendant:

You are hereby notified that there is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Crawford county, Iowa, a petition by the plaintiff, Stone & Temple, a partnership, claiming of you the sum of \$91.00, with interest thereon at 8 per cent from March 25th, 1898, and statutory attorney fees and cost of suit upon one promissory note given by you to the plaintiff which petition further asks an attachment against your property.

For particulars see petition when on file.

Now unless you appear to retort and defend before noon of the second day of the next term of said court to-wit: at Denison, Crawford county, Iowa, on the tenth day of October, A. D. 1898, default will be entered against you and judgment rendered as prayed.

J. P. CONNER, Attorney for plaintiff.

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And I wish to say right here that while I do not intend to participate in any price fight I expect to be in the lead notwithstanding any competition in or out of town. My goods are all just bought and of the latest styles, and the quality speaks for itself. Goods are cheap, in fact they have never been so cheap, and therefore old stocks will not stand a show with a new one.

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Best quality dress prints..... 4	Good quality denim..... 10
Good quality prints..... 3	Misses' and children's black hose..... 5
Dress cambric..... 4	Boys' good heavy knee pants..... 25
Best indigo blue prints..... 4 1/2	Boys' elegant knee suits..... 1 00
Standard L L muslin..... 4	Men's pants, not overalls..... 50
Bleached muslin..... 5	Men's all wool suits..... 7 50
Best checked apron gingham..... 4 1/2	Baby's fancy cloaks..... 1 00
All thread, per spool..... 3	Men's duck coats, corduroy collar... 95
3 papers pins for..... 5	Ladies' fine fleece lined underwear... 20
Turkey red table cloth..... 25	Child's underwear, small sizes from 5c up
Good heavy shaker flannel..... 5	2-quart Mason fruit jars, per dozen... 75
Best quality table oil cloth..... 12 1/2	

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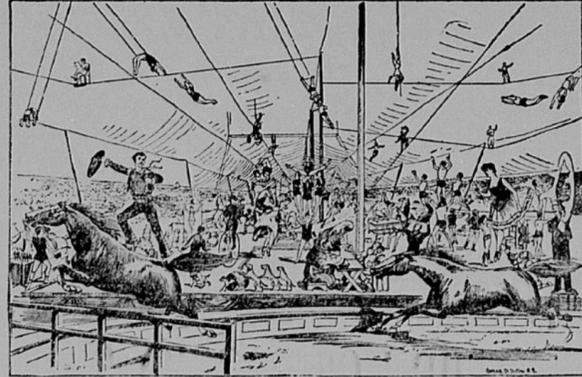
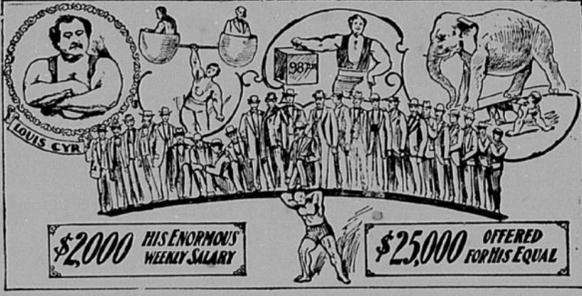
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AT DENISON, IOWA, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1898.

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Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Hitchcock*