

CHARTER OAK CHATS

Editor McVey was at Arion Thursday.

Gov. Shaw passed through our town Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Miller is visiting relatives in Maquilla.

B. G. Nicholson was over from Denison Thursday.

D. C. Hilton went to Onawa Thursday on business.

H. C. Schultz went to Chicago Wednesday for a few days visit.

R. A. Hart, of Danbury, shipped in a car of western feeders Tuesday.

R. L. Armstrong was doing business at Battle Creek the first of the week.

T. A. Harris was transacting business at Chicago the first of the week.

Fred Seymour was greeting acquaintances in the Oak the first of the week.

Wm. O'Brien and Martin Neal were Denison business visitors Wednesday.

Miss Nellie Hopper, of Deloit, visited the first of the week with Miss Anna Capps.

Mrs. F. L. Schumaker and Miss Nellie Pennell went to Omaha Thursday, for a last look at the exposition.

D. H. McWilliams, W. S. McVey and Frank Loomis were Denison visitors Wednesday.

Carl Hammond, of Dow City, was looking after business interests in the Oak Thursday.

E. E. Springer, of the Farmers Loan and Trust Co., was doing business in the Oak the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Tompson and daughter, Sylvia, were visiting the exposition the first of the week.

Dr. R. J. Hart went to Chicago Tuesday in the interest of Harris, Hart & Co. The firm of which the Doctor is a member, is doing a good business putting up cetelyne gas plants.

The old Blacksmith building, which has been standing north of the stock yards, has been moved to the lot east of Mike Capps livery barn, and will be used for a wagon and blacksmith shop.

Assistant Superintendent Goodnow, and Division Supt. Beardsley of the C. & M. & St. P. R'y, passed over the road Thursday, for the purpose of picking out places for the block signal stations. The Co. has decided to put a block system on the road from Manilla to Sioux City, the same as used on the main line of the road.

Married, in the presence of a number of friends and relatives, Miss Anna Capps to Anton Topf, Rev. Cooper officiating. Miss Capps is one of Charter Oak's charming young ladies. Mr. Topf is a prosperous young farmer. They will go to housekeeping on Mr. Topf's farm, east of Charter Oak. They have the best wishes of a host of friends for a long and happy voyage through life.

NEWS OF WEST SIDE

A. Kelley of Arcadia, was down to see old acquaintances.

John White, who has been very sick, is reported some better.

The M. W. A. held their regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening.

Miss Gurtin Boynton is in Omaha enjoying the sights at the exposition.

Clark Evison was busy thrashing Wednesday. He had a good day for it.

Louis Schumburg is building a barn, 16x24 and 15 ft. posts, on his premises.

Editor Faul, of Der Demokrat and Auditor Carey were up looking after political fences.

Mr. and Mrs. Dow, of Dow City, were up Wednesday visiting Mr. Gradert and family.

David Calderwood and daughter are back again from their visit to the fair and friends in Council Bluffs.

F. W. Blackman has been down to the farm at Vail during the week getting things in shape for the winter.

Mrs. H. Ballow and daughter started home Wednesday on No. 3, after a few days visit among friends and acquaintances here.

Sam Blackman had arranged to spend a day or two at the White City this week, but was prevented on account of sickness in the family.

John Woolhiser was down to Audubon looking after some sheep. They were not the kind he wanted and so he did not purchase any.

Wednesday the cars came in covered with snow and ice. It snowed in the eastern part of the state but it was a most delightful day out here.

Mr. Samuel Wright, a gentleman from Nebraska, is here in the interest of the W. of W. His chances look favorable for starting a Camp here.

A. P. Thayer, of Marshalltown, spent a day among our business men looking after the Times-Republican, which enjoys a good circulation at West Side.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Spotswood visited the fair Tuesday. They were accompanied by their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wells of Shaller.

There was another big rush westward Wednesday. A whole train of Iowa Central coaches passed through about noon, and every coach was crowded to its full capacity.

August Ingwerson, of Bryant, started home Wednesday night on No. 6; he stopped off between trains on his way back from Omaha, where he had bought several car loads of feeders.

The sky is clouding over again today and it looks as though we would get another installment of the beautiful, people shrug their shoulder and say it will be a long winter from now until the first of May.

HAPPENINGS AT BELL

Corn picking has commenced in good faith with the farmers.

Sol Miller was at Charter Oak Monday on a business trip.

E. C. Hansen of Chicago, was in Bell Monday on business.

Sam Fox is building a new barn the size of which is 50x56.

Some of our Paradise people were courting at Denison last week.

T. J. Rule sold his pacer, Maggie R, to our blacksmith for \$325.00.

John Mount shipped four carload of cattle to Chicago Sunday morning.

Mike Mahoney of Kenwood, passed through Bell Saturday on his way to Manilla.

The speaking last Saturday night at the center school house was largely attended. Some of our county officers were present; call again boys, but come in daylight next time.

About 70 men employed by the Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry, who have been putting in new ties, finished their work Saturday and returned to their home in Chicago Tuesday.

HAPPENINGS AT VAIL

Miss Abbie Bailey is visiting at Shaller with relatives.

Dr. J. M. Glynn is repairing his dwelling on Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Olson are at the exposition taking in the sights.

The unfavorable weather kept many from attending the exposition this week.

Jas. Boyle, of Chicago, is a visitor at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John McCormick.

Norman McCombs returned Thursday to his regiment at Des Moines, to be mustered out.

J. L. Kamrar, of Webster City, will speak from a republican standpoint at the City Hall next Tuesday night.

The Telephone office has been moved from Kenyon's to Ryan's drug store. The company have put in a neat little office.

Wm. Byrnes, our up-to-date Undertaker, went to Des Moines Wednesday, where he will take examination before the Secretary of the State board of health.

ALL ABOUT DELOIT.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wicks were Denison visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Chauncey Prentice was the guest of Mrs. S. Horr Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Dobson and Miss Dollie, visited the exposition this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hagar, Bernice and Burton McKim were exposition visitors this week.

J. McAhren, Joseph Brogden and T. J. Garrison of Denison, took dinner at S. Horr's boarding house Tuesday.

S. Horr is prepared to keep boarders and those wishing to stop at Deloit will get meals at any time and also feed for teams.

Deloit is full of business this week; the railroad employers make things lively. Grading has begun on the Boyer valley and the whistle of the engine is expected to be heard on the line by Christmas.

Married—At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Prentice, on last Wednesday evening, Mr. Chas. Childress and Miss Lelia Prentice, Rev. West, the M. E. pastor, officiating. The wedding was a quiet one only the nearest relatives being invited. An elegant and delicious supper was served and the bride and groom were the recipients of many useful presents. They have been residents of this place for many years and are well and favorably known, and their many friends join in wishing them a happy and prosperous journey through life. They are going to build on Mr. Childress' place near Elgin, and as soon as their home is erected will be at home.

WILLOW TOWNSHIP TWIGS.

Corn husking is now in progress.

Miss May Cook spent Sunday at home.

Daniel Swanson purchased a new wagon Monday.

School closed in district No. 5 Friday for a two week's vacation.

Earl Mackey of the "Oak" is working for Dan Swanson this week.

Miss Myrtle Wilson of Charter Oak, was seen in our town Sunday.

Mr. Chas. Keopke's cousins returned Monday to their home in Wyoming.

A preacher from Ute preached an excellent sermon at the center school last Sunday.

The sermon delivered by Rev. Sawyer Sunday evening greatly interested a large crowd.

A large crowd assembled to hear a speech given by William Davie Wednesday evening.

Kiron Still Alive!

And so are we alive to the fact that people must use this year, as in years gone by, Fall and Winter Goods, therefore we have laid in a complete line of Caps, Mitts and Gloves, Blankets, Woolen Yarns, Children's Underwear, Men's and Women's Underwear in all grades and qualities.

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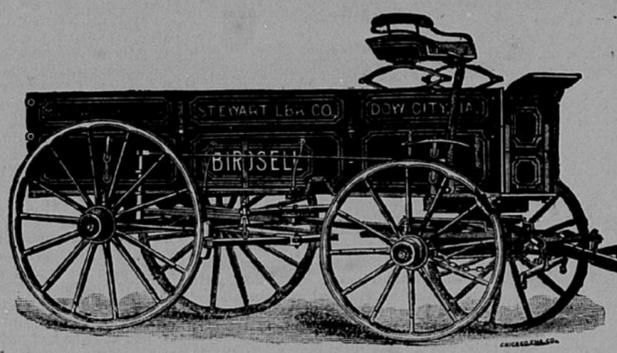
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KIRON CHRONICLES

Corn picking is taking the time of our farmers.

Messrs. Alf. J. and Otto E. Clauson went to Omaha on Saturday to visit relatives and take in the fair.

August Waldemar ended his visit to Kiron on Tuesday and returned to his home in Pine Bluff, Wyoming.

Mr. Fred Erickson was very suddenly taken sick on Monday last and last reports he was hardly any better.

Judge Conner and Cyrus Beard will address the voters at Kiron on Saturday evening of this week, on the leading questions of the day on political lines.

Railroad talks and rumors are all the go, and many reports are afloat that are without foundation. This morning a report is out which is vouched for by reliable source, that forty teams and scrapers commenced work a few miles east of Kiron to grade. So it seems now a sure thing that a railroad will be built. This morning a gentleman was in our burg looking over the location who is connected with the railroad.

LATER—A gentleman in town just as we are all ready to send our items in informs us that it is true that work has commenced on the new road on this side of Wall Lake and that the railroad company is advertising for teams and labor.

BUCK GROVE ITEMS

Dakota land agents are plenty down this way.

Jas. Snyder made a flying trip to Arion Monday.

J. H. Jones, of Denison, was here on business Monday.

J. F. Wiley was at the county seat last Wednesday.

Threshing in this section of the county is about done.

Jack Griffin and Dr. Christie were up Defiance Sunday.

Mayor Johnson of Charter Oak, was in town Saturday.

E. Downs of Arion, was at the Grove on business Wednesday.

Our farmers are busy now digging potatoes and picking corn.

Wm. Marshall of Denison, was out this way one day this week.

Fred Gigax Jr. and wife took in the exposition at Omaha this week.

P. O'Meara and wife were shopping at Denison the first of the week.

Fred Gigax Sr has moved into his new house which he built this summer.

Olof Peterson who has been in South Dakota this summer, has returned home.

Jack Mitchell and wife of Perry, are visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

J. Bill, J. H. Hayes and Robt. Getty, all prominent farmers, were in town this week.

The K. C. Grain Co. will soon shell out some of their corn to make room for this year's crop.

Art Kadoch, of Charter Oak, republican nominee for county auditor, was down this way Saturday.

Sid. Ross, our station agent, was knocked off a bridge Monday by a passenger train. Sid. was extremely lucky in escaping with a few bruises.

Notice of Appointment of Administrator.

THE STATE OF IOWA, In Probate. CHAMBERLAIN COUNTY.

In the matter of the estate of J. Fred Meyers, late of Crawford County, deceased. NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR.

To whom it may concern:—You are hereby notified that on the 12th day of October, 1908, letters of testamentary were issued to the undersigned, as executor of the will in the above entitled estate, and all creditors of said estate are notified to file their claims in the office of the Clerk of the District Court, in and for Crawford County, Iowa, within one year from the date of this notice, according to law, and have the same allowed and ordered paid by the said court, or stand forever barred therefrom.

Dated October 30th, 1908.

CHARLES K. MEYERS, Executor.

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THE MARKETS.

Grain, Provisions, Etc. Chicago, Oct. 27.

WHEAT—Unsettled. December, 65 1/2 @ 67 1/2; May, 67 1/2 @ 69.

CORN—Stronger. Cash, 32 1/2 @ 33 1/2; December, 32 1/2 @ 33 1/2; May, 34 1/4 @ 35 1/4 and 34 1/2 @ 35 1/2.

OATS—Unsettled. No. 2 cash, 23 1/2 @ 24 1/2; December, 23 1/2 @ 24 1/2; May, 24 1/4 @ 25 1/4.

BARLEY—Good sale and firm. Poor seeded barley, 33 1/2 @ 34; feed, 30 1/2 @ 31; low grade malting, 30; fair to good, 30 1/2 @ 31; and choice to fancy, 40 @ 42.

PORK, LARD AND RIBS—Weak and lower. January pork at \$9.07 1/2 to \$9.10; January lard at \$4.97 1/2 to \$4.97 3/4 @ 5.00; January ribs, \$4.97 1/2 to \$4.97 3/4 @ 5.00.

POTATOES—Demand good and higher. Burbanks, 32 1/2 @ 34; Hebrons and Peerless, 30 1/2 @ 32; Rose and early Ohio, 29 1/2 @ 31.

EGGS—Ruling firm. Strictly fresh stock, loss off, cases returned, were saleable at 17 1/2 @ 18; and recandled stock, new cases included, about 18c.

BUTTER—Steady to firm. Extras, 21 1/2 @ 22; dairies, 12 @ 13c.

LIVE POULTRY—Market good. Turkeys, 7 @ 10 1/2; Chickens, 7 @ 8; Ducks, 7 @ 8 per pound; Geese, \$3.00 @ 3.50 per dozen.

New York, Oct. 27.

BUTTER—Firm. Western creamery, 15 @ 20; Eggs, 23c; factory, 11 1/2 @ 14 1/2.

CHEESE—Quiet. Large white, 8 1/2 @ 9; small white, 8c; large colored, 8 1/2 @ 9; small colored, 8c.

EGGS—Firm. Western, 20c.

Live Stock. Chicago, Oct. 27.

HOGS—Choice to fancy strong-weight shipping, \$3.67 1/2 @ 3.75; plain to choice heavy packing, \$3.40 @ 3.62 1/2; fair to choice heavy mixed, \$3.50 @ 3.70; assorted light, \$3.50 @ 3.70; common to choice light mixed, \$3.45 @ 3.55.

DENISON MARKET SUMMARY.

Hogs..... 3 00 @ 3 20
Wheat..... @ 53
Rye..... 35
Corn, -70 lb..... 23
Oats..... 18
Hay—Prairie..... 4 00 @ 5 00
Hay—Timothy..... 6 50
Potatoes..... 11
Butter..... 11
Eggs..... 10

Becoming Dresses for Stout Women.

A black net waist will apparently reduce a stout woman's size, but she must not use the cross tucks; she should put on lengthwise strips of black lace insertion, and finish off the lower edge with narrow folds of black silk like the skirt; the latter should be of five gores with two tiny ruffles on the edge. A design which is much trimmed should be avoided. Have the collar of a band of brilliant jet and jeweled passementerie, or of velvet or taffeta of a bright color.—November Ladies' Home Journal.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

The following list of letters remain uncalled for in the postoffice at Denison, Iowa, up to Oct. 24, 1908. If not called for same will be sent to the dead letter office. Parties calling for letters please say "advertised letters."

J. W. Busker, George Bonesteel, Ira Corey, Robert Cruise, J. Henry (2), Joe Harrington, Gustav Jeschke, W. J. Lang, R. V. Payne.

D. L. BOYNTON, Postmaster.

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