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NEWS OF DOW CITY. CHARTER OAK CHATS

E. C. E. Butterworth went to Carroll Tuesday.

Ex-Sheriff Seymour was on our streets last Saturday.

Miss Mildred Wiggins visited friends in Woodbine last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Field are enjoying a visit from a daughter, of Council Bluffs.

Elder D. M. Rudd is improving his residence very much by giving it a fresh coat of paint.

Black Bros. are again obliged to repair the mill-dam before they can accommodate their customers with flour, feed, etc.

Mabel Robertson who has been visiting with her parents for several days returned to Dedham Saturday, where she attends school.

Our post office is being much improved by a different arrangement of the cabinet, thus providing for more box room. Jim Riddle did the carpenter work and Mr. Cameron the painting. Postmaster Wiggins likes to make his office appear to the best advantage.

The board of directors of the independent district met last Friday evening to fill the vacancy in our schools caused by the resignation of Miss Scott. Miss French of Denison was elected to fill the vacancy. She has had several years' experience in graded work in the Denison schools, and comes highly recommended.

We are sorry to report that Miss Scott was obliged to resign her position in the grammar department. Ill health is the cause of her resignation. Miss Scott made a very efficient and satisfactory teacher. Her instruction and discipline were of the very best, and we regret that we are to suffer the loss of so thorough a teacher.

MARRIED, at the residence of the bride's mother, in Dow City, Mr. Taylor Marshall of Belvidere, Ill., and Miss Agnes Bell of Dow City, Rev. Molesworth officiating. The marriage was solemnized Wednesday evening at 5:30 o'clock in the presence of a few of the near relatives and friends of the bride. Those present were the following and their wives: Rev. Molesworth, Lincoln Riddle, Geo. Bell, Wm. Houston, F. R. Schafer, Miss Ellen Scott, and Mrs. Pugsley of Woodbine. The bride was dressed in a beautiful cream silk dress, with slippers and gloves to match. The groom was dressed in a rich black suit. About six o'clock a very delicious supper was served. After all had partaken of the delicacies, two gangs of boys, ever on the alert for such occasions, made their wants known in very unmusical terms. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall took the evening train for Belvidere, Ill., where they will make their future home. After they left the depot platform was thoroughly covered with rice, showering good will to this worthy couple.

MILORD TWP. MUTTERINGS.

Edna Huckstep spent a portion of last week at Vail.

The W. F. M. society met at the M. E. church Wednesday.

Alice Schuler is staying at her sisters Mrs. Wm. Campbell, this week.

Several of our people attended the ball at Denison Monday evening.

Ruth Dawson is spending the week in Denison with her sister, Mrs. A. Schuler.

Mrs. G. Leslie and daughter of Clinton, visiting at the home of J. B. Dawson last week.

Elmer Winans is very sick with the rheumatism and his friends hope for a speedy recovery.

WILLOW TOWNSHIP TWIGS.

Mrs. C. A. Chase is very ill at present.

Louie Chase and sister attended the Easter ball at Charter Oak.

Hugh Foley and sister attended the Easter dance in Dunlap April 3.

Joseph Ballentine is erecting a commodious barn on the Smeek farm.

Dr. Waterhouse and Mr. Cushman were seen in our vicinity Monday.

The nephews of J. Gries are spending a few days visiting at his home.

Mr. Frank Lang is slowly recovering after a few weeks sickness with barbers itch.

Quite a number of the Woodmen boys attended lodge at Charter Oak on Thursday evening.

The Northwestern band furnished music for the dance at Durant's Friday evening, and at Kenwood Saturday night.

CASTORIA.

Will Squibbs and T. A. Harris arrived from Idaho Monday morning. Mr. Squibbs says his father is well and seems ten years younger than when he was here. Mr. Harris expects to move to Idaho in the near future.

Twenty-four members of the M. W. A. of Dow City and Arion were visiting the Charter Oak lodge Thursday evening. After the lodge meeting all adjourned to the City Hotel where a sumptuous banquet was spread for them.

Several of our lady teachers will begin school next Monday. Misses Goldie Crone and Elsie Butterworth in Morgan township; Miss Anna Dexter, No. 1, Charter Oak; Miss Hattie McGrath, the Staley school; Miss Goldie Thompson, the Sweet school, south of town.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kenyon of Harwarden, owners of the City Hotel property, have taken possession of it and will thoroughly renovate and refurnish it, and run a first class hotel. The saloon will again be used as a sample room. We gladly welcome this class of people to Charter Oak.

LUTHERAN.
A Lutheran district conference was held at the Oak Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, the pastors present were—Reverends Amstein, Onawa; Runge, Hanover; Wehling, Soldier; Lothringer, Denison; Schuck, Ida county; Wolker, Ida Grove; Miller, Sac City.

M. E. NOTES.
An Epworth League social at the parsonage Friday evening. Everybody came.

Quarterly meeting next Sabbath in the M. E. church, Presiding Elder Lothian will preach. Quarterly conference Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. A large attendance is desired.

Subject next Sabbath evening—"What the 19th Century Demands of a Young Man or Woman of Charter Oak." The pastor desires to see a large attendance of young people.

The Sabbath school under the care of Bro. Shumaker is doing good work, 153 were present last Sabbath morning; the record was made up at the beginning of the service and many more were present before it came to a close.

PRESBYTERIAN.
A very large congregation was present Sabbath evening and enjoyed an excellent service. We were glad to note a number of travelingmen in the congregation both morning and evening.

The secretary of the Sabbath school announced an increase of twenty in attendance over last Sabbath. The pastor requests every one attending morning service to bring a bible that all may participate in the responsive reading.

At a congregational meeting held a week ago, Rev. L. C. McEwen was unanimously elected pastor for the ensuing year, and yesterday the people were much gratified at his notice of acceptance. During the past year the work has moved forward with rapid strides along all lines.

GOODRICH GOSSIP.

Wm. Cruzan's visited in Deloit last Tuesday.

E. R. Snell has been to Des Moines on a short trip.

Miss Florence Prentice begins school at district No. 8 on April 17.

The school house property at No. 6 will be appraised on April 19.

Jess McAhren was transacting business in this vicinity last Monday.

Hannibal Fink was a visitor at the John Newcom home last Wednesday.

Morris McHenry was doing business in this vicinity last Thursday morning.

Miss Eugenia Ainsworth was a visitor among relatives in this vicinity last week.

Mr. Brink and Miss Crawford were callers at Elmer Cruzan's last Sunday evening.

Sell Montgomery made a trip to Charter Oak Saturday, returning Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Ainsworth went to Denison Thursday to settle with the railroad company.

Mrs. Grace Simmon and baby took their departure for their home at Oto, Ia., last Thursday.

School begins at district No. 10 on Monday, April 10, with Miss Olive Johnston as teacher.

The Wilkinson family have been quite afflicted the past week with bad colds, sore throats, etc.

The new buildings in the neighborhood are a horse shed at Jas. Newton's and a hen house at Elmer Cruzan's.

McKinley prosperity has struck the people along the Boyer valley. We note the following improvements: Henry Johnston has about completed a barn on his place; a fine hog house looms up on the Fritz Miller farm; A. Leming has material ready for a new building; Carl Winey is adding to the appearance of his place by painting his house; J. C. Phillips is reshingling his kitchen; Chauncey Prentice has built a small but unique hog house; Cash Newcome has added some sliding doors to his corn crib. What with the new town and the prospective railroads, who says we are not flourishing.

HAPPENINGS AT VAIL. ALL ABOUT DELOIT. FROM ALL OVER IOWA

Lon Mahon is visiting his family this week.

Postmaster Hoffman spent Sunday at Carroll.

Frank Clausen spent Sunday at Arcadia.

Joe McDonell is assisting at M. J. Casey's.

O. E. Theim is assisting at the Traders' Bank.

John Cook of Denison was a Vailite Friday.

Dave McCollough returned to Omaha Saturday.

Nels Jensen and wife are moving back to Vail.

Thos. Fitzpatrick of Denison spent Sunday in Vail.

Ed Ryan returned Wednesday from his Chicago trip.

J. G. Shumaker, of Charter Oak, was a Vailite Monday.

Len Hoffman and wife now occupy the Kinkade house.

Mrs. Ted Kinney is at Chicago caring for a sick sister.

Ten cars of stock was the Sunday shipment from Vail.

Mrs. Emil Kruger of Denison was a Vail visitor last week.

Lulu Hulce left for Sac City Monday night for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. M. J. Casey and Miss Lizzie Sunday with Mr. Casey at Carroll.

Dan Manning of Omaha was a Vail visitor the fore part of the week.

John Stewart, of Wall Lake, was a business visitor in Vail last Friday.

Dr. J. H. Jensen, of Eddyville, Neb., spent a short time in Vail Tuesday.

Melvin Sherwood, of the Denison Normal, visited his parents last week.

Messrs. C. C. Wood, Thos. Adams, Alfred Wright were county seat visitors Thursday.

Tom Powers has moved his shoe shop to the building one door south of Becks furniture store.

Miss Lizzie McGuire of Denison spent a few days last week visiting her friend Miss Alice Riley.

Marshal Ryan and P. J. Quirk arrested two men Friday wanted at Scranton, Iowa, for burglary.

Geo. Deiter has replaced his old barber chairs with two fine hydraulic chairs of the latest pattern.

Geo. DeWolf and wife left Wednesday for Nebraska, where they will look up a business location.

Frank Bracelin is the new weighmaster appointed by the council at their meeting Monday night.

Miss Glennie Paine went to West Side Monday night for a few days stay looking after her millinery business.

A gang of railroad carpenters are making some much needed improvements on the stock yards at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Tompson left Tuesday noon for an extended visit with relatives in Minnesota and Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hulce, of Paulina, Iowa, returned home Wednesday morning after a visit with relatives and friends in Vail and vicinity.

Many Vail friends received with sadness the news of the death of Mrs. Frank Leahy at Denison. The husband has a host of sympathizing friends in his sad bereavement.

The Misses Lulu Maguire, Katie O'Connell, Nellie Quirk, Stella Fitzsimmons, Mrs. L. F. Ratchford and Mrs. M. J. Keane, and Messrs. Sam O'Hara, Ed Sheridan, John Curry and Dr. Phillips attended the dance at Denison last Friday night.

KIRON CHRONICLES

Mr. and Mrs. Al Hanson visited with Odebolt relatives over Sunday.

Pearlie Headstrom arrived home last week from her lengthy stay at Warsaw, Nebraska. Her many friends are pleased to have her back with them.

Contractors were here last week and arranged for grounds for their tents and stables, and this week grading tools and men will arrive. Work will be commenced at once.

Considerable building will be done throughout this locality. Mr. Lindstrom is having lumber hauled ready to build a new barn, and Nels Larson will erect a good sized kitchen.

Win. Straha of Odebolt spent a couple of days in Kiron's midst on business and also in visiting relatives. He made our office a call and arranged to have the Review visit him another year.

S. N. Sandstrom and son, and P. A. Winstrom went into Chicago on Saturday evening with stock. They should find a good market as their cattle were in excellent condition to command the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Engleking arrived at Kiron last week from Warsaw, Nebraska. Mrs. E. will remain a portion of the summer in Kiron. After a short stay here Mr. E. will go west in view of a location.

Patty Myers arrived at Deloit last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Zea visited his parents Sunday.

The Modern Brotherhood lodge occupied the hall Friday evening.

Blaine Hunt attended services at the brick church in Deloit Sunday morning.

Ed Ainsworth, our old teacher of years ago, made Deloit a brief visit Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKim are happily domiciled in rooms rented of B. F. Wicks.

J. T. Newcom and family were Denison visitors Friday and had a family group taken.

Messrs. C. J. and J. T. Newcom and wives Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cash Newcom.

Myron Myers, our old barber, made a trip to Omaha last week to get new supplies for his shop.

Elder C. J. Hunt occupied the pulpit at the L. D. S. church last Sunday morning and evening.

Ed and Fred Baber of Dow City came up Saturday and stayed over Sunday with J. T. Newcom.

Mrs. M. Hattery of Vail purchased a building place of Wm. Johnson just north of the postoffice and expects to start a bakery soon.

F. McCormick made a business trip to Kiron Friday. His wife and little son accompanied him as far as Deloit stopping for a visit with Mrs. M. Hunt. They returned home Sunday morning.

C. E. Rickley of Omaha, our new merchant, arrived Thursday and opened store Monday at the old stand. A car load of goods is expected any day in addition to those already here which will make the finest display ever seen in Deloit.

M. E. NOTES-DELOIT.
Ellis Langhery, our new janitor, is proving an efficient little workman.

The committee on music met last Thursday evening and transacted some very important business, electing an organist and making arrangements about new song books.

The Easter services in Deloit M. E. church were well attended and an excellent program was rendered, the little folks doing exceedingly well. The music rendered by the choir was very appropriate.

Volunteers Become Regulars.
SIOUX CITY, April 7.—Several Sioux City young men, most of them former members of the Fifty-second Iowa regiment of volunteer infantry, have gone to San Francisco, and are expecting to be sent to the Philippines. They have enlisted in the regular army and are in San Francisco awaiting assignment to regiments which are soon to cross the Pacific.

Ice Gorge Breaks.
SIOUX CITY, April 7.—Word has been received from Gayville, S. D., that the dangerous ice gorge at that place has broken and has allowed the floating ice to pass down the stream. The river at Sioux City fell two feet just before the gorge up the river broke, but once more the water is high, although there does not appear to be any more danger unless another gorge is formed.

Iowa Bankers to Meet.
CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., April 7.—At a meeting of the council of administration of the Iowa Bankers' association here yesterday it was decided to hold the annual convention at Burlington on June 14 and 15. A program was formulated. A number of topics will be discussed and among the speakers will be Hon. James H. Eckels and President Stickney of the Chicago Great Western.

Fatal Weakness of Coffeepot.
FORT DODGE, Ia., April 7.—The 4-year-old daughter of George Robinson was accidentally scalded to death yesterday by her father, who spilled boiling coffee over the child's head. The family was sitting at supper, when the father reached over the child's head for the coffeepot, which was on the stove nearby. As the coffeepot passed over the child the handle broke and the boiling contents were spilled over its neck and shoulders.

Iowa Fruit Crop Prospects.
DES MOINES, April 6.—Secretary Greene of the State Horticultural society received reports from nearly every county in the state on the apparent condition of fruit trees of the state. These reports indicate that the blight to the fruit crop from the severe weather of the last season is not so great as was at first reported and that if the spring and summer seasons prove to be average ones there is likely to be enough small fruit to supply the home market at least.

Accidental Death of Hunter.
CLARINDA, Ia., April 5.—Charles Bolton, aged 14 years, was found dead about 100 yards from his home, nine miles southeast of this city. He had gone hunting the day before, leaving his two companions to track a rabbit. Some time after he left them they report having heard the discharge of his gun. In the evening, as he did not return home, alarm was felt and he was searched for all night. It is believed that his gun was accidentally discharged with the fatal effect.

Coal Growing Very Scarce.
DES MOINES, April 8.—The strike of the coal miners is making coal very scarce in Des Moines. The dealers have not yet raised the price, but they will sell only very small orders and the factories are having a hard time getting fuel. Some of them are figuring on shipping in coal. The situation is little changed. All the miners in the smaller mines have gone back to work, as the small operators have conceded the demands, but in the large mines the men are still out. In the Christy mine, for instance, but 30 men are at work. The usual force is 525. The big mines claim they will hold out against the demands.

Dismissed on Murder Charge.
CHEROKEE, Ia., April 10.—The preliminary hearing of Oscar Nellis, who was arrested about two weeks ago for the murder of the Schultz family on Aug. 16, 1893, was concluded before Magistrate O'Donnell Friday. The defense made no showing whatever and the prisoner was released by the court on its own motion.

Robbers Saw Through Jail Bars.
CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., April 6.—Two men giving the names of Cooksby and Miller, held to the grand jury in sums of \$500 each for robbery committed at Center Point a few nights ago, sawed out of jail last night before being taken to the county jail and made their escape.

Tommy Britton to Race Oakland.
DUBUQUE, Ia., April 7.—George West has accepted Andrew McDowell's challenge to race Oakland against any stallion except Directum Kelly, for \$5,000 and has selected Tommy Britton. The race will be run at the Dubuque fall meeting.

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