

ALL ABOUT DELOIT.

Deloit school began last Monday and is well pleased, having secured the services of Ed Ainsworth, a former teacher of this place, and needs no recommendation as his old pupils all remember him as one of the teachers of Crawford county. Maud Hall will have charge of the little folks.

John Worley and wife and twin brothers spent Thanksgiving with relatives at Kenwood.

Five new members were added to the M. W. A. lodge last week and new applications come in readily so they will be kept quite busy.

Mr. Blithe has secured four miles of grading at Lyle, Minn., and moved his camp to that place the first of the week.

Ed Schuler will move his blacksmith shop to the lot south of the postoffice at once.

Mrs. Francis Lumley will have her house moved on the lot south of the brick church.

Mr. Nobles instead of Jones is moving the Hunt building.

Water McKim came down from Lake City to spend Thanksgiving with relatives.

Mrs. Mary Turner, landlady of the new restaurant, is in Deloit hurrying up the work on her new house.

Claude McKim was appointed to assist in the Deloit postoffice this winter.

T. Hattery had his finger mashed while working in the Denison yards on the section Saturday.

Michael Ainsworth had a cow run over by an I. C. engine last Tuesday.

MANILLA PUNCHES.

Skating has been fine the last few days.

Chas. Neeley returned Friday from Sheldahl, Iowa, where he has been conducting a general store for J. M. Chapman.

T. Brown is on the sick list.

C. A. Saunders is building a new barn.

Revival meetings still continue at Pleasant Hill.

Those persons who are asking where bachelors shall go for "Thanksgiving" might propound a harder question and seek to learn what they have to be thankful for anyway.

Frank Weed of Sioux City was in Manilla Friday.

F. S. Pease was an Omaha visitor Tuesday.

The band expects to give a concert in the near future.

D. F. Neff of Omaha Sundayed at Manilla.

Adora Atherton spent the Thanks giving holidays at her home in Manning.

Cleora Morgan is home on a visit.

Frank Wood was called into head quarters at Dubuque again Saturday for a second trial for examination for freeman with the same result as before.

Saunders Bros. are laying in quite a large holiday stock.

Rev. D. A. Allen delivered a most forcible and eloquent temperance sermon from the M. E. pulpit last Sunday.

Young mens meeting at the Presbyterian church last Sunday was quite well attended. Let every one turn out to these meetings and extend an arm of help and encouragement to the Christian young men of our city.

HAPPENINGS AT BELL

Frank Downs of Arion was at Bell Monday.

Mr. Hartun of Denison passed through Bell Monday.

Fred Timm and wife of Denison called on friends at Bell Sunday.

Wm. Rule was a Dunlap visitor Friday.

Sam Johnson of Brooklyn, N. Y., visited with friends here last week.

John Harker who has been visiting in Huntington, Nebraska, returned home Saturday night.

Frank Green of Dow City passed through Bell Tuesday.

Wm. Jenkins made a business trip to Kenwood Monday.

The section men at Bell have been laid off on account of cold weather.

Sol. Miller was at Charter Oak last week.

We understand C. M. & St. Paul Ry. will move their tool house and force from Bell to Arion this winter.

The sports of Bell made the poor rabbits hard to catch while the snow was on the ground.

Carl Carstensen intends going to Omaha Thursday to spend the winter.

DISTRICT TEACHERS' MEETING

The regular Denison District Teachers' meeting will be held at the high school building Saturday afternoon December 9. The following topics will be discussed: "Ideal Discipline in the School Room;" "Neglected Children;" and "Red Tape in the Public Schools." Citizens and teachers are cordially invited to be present.

CHARTER OAK CHATS

J. F. Shumaker was down from Sioux City again Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Messenbrink visited Thursday with Mrs. Bray at Ute.

D. Holmes returned from Clinton where he has been during the summer, Wednesday.

T. Brazel and son, Roy, returned to their home at Sioux City Thursday.

Mrs. Harm was down from Ute between trains Thursday.

Mrs. Wood and twin babies of Kenwood are visiting her sister, Mrs. L. Romans.

J. Bolleu and P. D. McMahon have purchased the clothing store of G. O. Schelm and took possession Wednesday.

Wm. Servoss of Denison is a guest of friends near the Oak.

Harry Bates of Harlan was an Oak caller Wednesday.

T. A. Harris of Idaho Falls arrived on Thursday afternoon and was warmly welcomed by his many friends.

Chas. Brown and two children who have been visiting his parents since Thanksgiving, have returned to their home in Sioux City.

J. Wirth is quite sick this week at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Riedesel.

Wm. Pithan of West Side is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Pithan, this week.

Owing to the revival meetings on Tuesday afternoon the Tuesday Club will meet Monday afternoon with Mrs. E. E. Springer.

Arrangements have been made for a Christmas tree and exercises at the M. E. church Christmas night.

OTTER CREEK LOCAL ITEMS

Louie Witt was transacting business in Schleswig Tuesday.

Anderson boys are busy shelling corn for Smith Bros. this week.

Mary Thams visited Denison friends and relatives recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jurgen Heesh were on the streets of Schleswig Monday. They say it is quite a town.

Louie Witt and his sisters, Tina and Amanda, attended the Thanksgiving dance at Denison. They report a fine time.

Amanda Hollander was at home over Sunday returning to Denison in time for school Monday.

Asmus Hollander from Ida was a visitor in our vicinity Sunday.

Justina Peterson is staying with her aunt, Mrs. Jessen, this week.

Wm. Hirsch from Holstein is in the vicinity visiting friends. His friends were glad to meet him.

E. W. Bartholomew from Astor is teaching in District No. 8 and is boarding with Fritz Witt.

BUCK GROVE ITEMS.

Dr. Evans of Arion was in town on professional business Thursday.

M. Conway of near Denison was a Grove visitor last Friday.

The farmers in this part of the county are all done picking corn.

George Copeland, Arion's lumberman, was in town on business last Friday.

T. H. Hayes, one of our big farmers, shipped a car of hogs to Chicago Monday.

T. L. Williams is ceasing the center school house in district No. 5.

W. L. Brown has sold his farm and moved to Kansas. The county loses a good citizen.

Jack Griffin and wife of Defiance were up this way on a visit last Saturday.

Ex-County Supervisor Hink was in town on business last Wednesday.

Carl Hawley of Denison was out this way on business last Saturday.

The Holiness people are holding services in the new school house at present.

W. H. Laub of Denison was out this way one day this week.

The winter term of school started in town last Monday with Jennie Mitchell as teacher.

G. Tyler from Defiance was in town on professional business last Monday.

S. M. Thew, G. Fotheringham, J. Green and S. Ross were at the county capital on business last Wednesday.

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HAPPENINGS AT VAIL.

R. A. Buckley of Coon Rapids is employed as tinner at B. O'Donnells.

D. C. Bell of the Bankers Life was a Vail visitor Thursday.

The Swiss Bell Ringers will show at the opera house Monday night.

Henry Winans left Wednesday for a visit with a daughter in the northern part of the state.

Noram McCombs is the new clerk at E. Chamberlin & Sons.

A. Wright and John Cook were up Wednesday from Denison.

H. Shurtcliff and son, Ted, were Denison passengers Thursday morning.

Wm. Devine of Denison was a Vail caller Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hulce were county seat visitors Thursday.

Will Farley left Wednesday for Omaha.

GOODRICH GOSSIP.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark of Sac City are making a short visit with R. B. Johnston.

School begins in No. 6 next Monday with C. E. Gillett as teacher.

There is a very bad crossing on the I. C. Ry. just east of the McAhren school house, there being a high embankment it is impossible to see the train coming from either way. The road should be fenced.

Fritz Miller has just finished building a large cattle shed.

An oyster supper is to be given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Johnson Friday evening in honor of the tenth anniversary of their wedding.

Steve Newton's are comfortably fixed for the coming winter in their neat, new house.

Hannibal Fink is on the sick list. It is to be hoped he will make a speedy recovery.

L. Dunbar is tearing down and moving his house on E. R. Snell's land and moving it to his farm which he recently purchased lying about a half mile south of Deloit. He and his family are living in the old O. Ainsworth house at present.

Louis Grill has returned from Clinton county where he had been visiting relatives and is in school again.

KIRON CHRONICLES

Sol. Laughey of Deloit was in town on business Monday.

At the meeting of the township trustees on Saturday, Alf. J. Clauson was appointed township clerk, W. J. Sandberg resigning.

Clara Johnson returned home the first of the from an extended visit with schoolmates at Danbury and Correctionville, Iowa.

The family of G. A. Norelius moved out of old Kiron into their new cosy and commodious residence in new Kiron on last Monday. They have the finest residence in town.

Rev. A. Modig started on Tuesday on a missionary tour throughout the northern part of the state to be absent some two weeks. Rev. C. Stone will fill his place at the Mission church next Sunday.

G. A. Norelius leaves for Sioux City this afternoon, Wednesday, where he intends to pick out a large assortment of the latest holiday goods for the store of Norelius & Nordell. Our people need not send away or go to other towns for suitable gifts for their children, parents, sisters or brothers, or their dearest as they will find a large variety to select from right at home.

Our new barber, Gus Schneider, is now cooly settled in his new shop and many of the boys are more than pleased that the "shave themselves" period is over. Mr. Schneider put in a neat new outfit of fixtures and will have a laundry basket. Kiron can now leave their laundry in his hands.

Two accidents occurred in our midst the first of the week in which both parties were very fortunate in escaping with so slight injuries. On Monday evening John Gustafson, in the employ of the C. N. W. Ry. Co., was struck by a post thrown from a car, which inflicted a deep gash on the side of his head. On Tuesday afternoon Emil Larson employed by the same company in getting on a hand car which was moving slowly, stepped in a manner so as to get hit by the hand lever of the car receiving a bad gash in his head and severely bruising him about the face. Dr. Burrow dressed the wounds of both men who are doing nicely.

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The undersigned will offer for sale at public auction at W. J. McAhren's livery barn, in Denison, on

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