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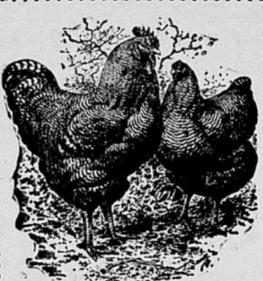
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MANILLA NEWS NOTES.

Mrs. Hathaway, of Manning, visited at the home of T. H. Brown Monday.
Mrs. Alred Bohlander left Thursday for a visit at the home of her parents near Arion.
Miss Ida Bliss, of Charter Oak stopped off Wednesday on her way to Col., and spent the day with her friend Cora Woodyard.
F. L. Van Slyke was an Omaha visitor Thursday.
Mrs. W. P. Crown has been enjoying a visit from her mother, Mrs. Davis the past week.
Geo. Pump, of Harlan, was a Manilla visitor Tuesday.
Mrs. Fred Pease returned Thursday to her home in Dunlap, after a month's visit at the parental home.
Mrs. Cliff Lyons spent Sunday with friends at Dow City.

WEST SIDE TIDINGS.

It is learned that Gus Bodard has sold out and will move to Nebraska in the near future. The family belong to the early settlers in the county.
Mr. and Mrs. Johnson went to Council Bluffs on the early train Monday morning. Mr. Johnson is looking up a new location to go into business again.
Our schools are preparing to give their annual entertainment before long; from what is said about it, it will eclipse any given before, if such a thing is possible.
Miss Raine of Denison was here Thursday and Friday and gave her weekly instruction in vocal music. She is proficient in her line of work and well liked by the teachers and pupils. Besides her work in school she has also several pupils to instruct in instrumental music.
J. F. Grote has again taken up his work as Rural Mail Route Inspector. His family is still here but they are making arrangements to go to Clinton county. Mrs. Severs and daughter of Preston are here yet.
Fred Buck the assessor is round again looking up resources and liabilities and asking all sorts of personal questions.
Mesdames Herre and Smith were down to the county capital Monday and spent the day among old acquaintances.
The R. F. D men here are not much pleased with the outlook of their work; the roads at present are in bad condition. They will have to have more horses and they are wondering where the profit is going to come in.
Chas. Newberg, of Dunlap, was here Sunday and spent part of the day.
John C. Suhr was in Denison Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Linn and children, of Fremont, Neb., are here on a short visit.
Mr. Prendergast of Omaha, was here looking after his farm interests.
Mr. Fisher and family who have been wintering on the farm, will move to town again in the spring.

NEWS ABOUT DELOIT.

Mrs. Horr, correspondent.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dobson moved into the Dell Richardson house last week. He will work Clarence Cose's place this season.
Mr. and Mrs. William Galland, of Dow City, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Galland and family, of Arion, attended the funeral of Lawrence Galland last Friday.
Mrs. Rilla Patchin received news over the phone Monday morning that her father was very low and she and family started to Vail at once. Mr. Richardson has been failing all winter.
Card of Thanks:—Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Galland wish to express their gratitude to their friends who so kindly assisted them during the illness and death of their son Lawrence.
Ward and Guy Johnson and Mrs. M. L. Jordan attended conference at Dow City Saturday and Sunday.
Mrs. James Newcom expects to start to Jackson, Minn., next Friday to see C. J. Newcom and family. Mrs. C. J. Newcom still remains very poorly.
R. Ellis arrived Sunday night for a visit with his sister, Mrs. A. G. Wedlock and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Ira Goff will move this week from Logan to Deloit. Mr. Goff has charge of the C. & N. W. depot at this place, which will be vacated in a few days by Mr. Neary. Mr. and Mrs. Neary expect to move to Wisconsin where he has purchased land.
Mr. C. J. Philipps moved into Mrs. Hester McKim's house Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Galland were in Denison Monday.
Mrs. Geo. Sales and Mrs. C. Galland and family returned to their homes Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Dobson and Jay Myers were in Dow City Saturday and Sunday.
Mrs. Winnie Brown's school closed last Friday. Mr. Brown's school closes next Friday.
Roads are getting very muddy and bad now. The snow has about gone and the frost will soon be out of the ground. Farmers begin to discuss the planting seasons.
Mayor Shilling on Trial. Decatur, Ill., Feb. 11.—The trial of Mayor Charles F. Shilling, under indictment for malfeasance in office, began yesterday. No case in years has attracted as much attention. An indictment was brought by a committee of citizens who allege that the mayor knowingly permitted violations of the law by gamblers and saloon keepers and is liable to punishment under the state law. The penalty is removal from office. A hundred witnesses have been summoned.

ASPINWALL SIFTINGS.

Cupid claims another pair. On Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pepper occurred the marriage of their daughter Mary, to Peter Carstens, son of Jurgen Carsten. A large number of relatives and friends were present to witness the ceremony, after which the guests repaired to the dining room where a sumptuous feast was prepared for them. The evening was spent in games and dancing. About eleven o'clock the guests departed for their homes, wishing the bride and groom a long and happy life, and we extend congratulations.
Mr. Claus Stammer shipped two cars of fine steers to Chicago Saturday. His son Edward went in with them.
A number of our young people attended the play at Manning Monday night.
Mr. Claussen was at Manilla looking after his implement building that he is putting up there.
At the meeting of our school board Thursday, Mr. Brink was reelected for the spring term.
Four loads of hogs were shipped to Omaha Wednesday. Those shipping were H. Ewald, A. Miller, H. Hagge and H. Wagner.
Mrs. Wise and daughter were visiting in our neighborhood Friday.
D. P. McMahon shipped two cars of cattle to Chicago, his son Dennis went in with them.

HAPPENINGS AT VAIL

Messrs. Alf Wright and Joe Kelly were up from Denison Thursday.
Mrs. Julius Piper of Denison visited with Vail friends last week.
Frank Curland of Modale, is visiting at the A. D. Servoss home.
Mrs. Pierce of South Omaha, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Will Farley.
Wm. Kelley and wife were up from Denison Saturday.
Messrs. Bert Covault of Denison and Jas. Knight of Charter Oak were visitors in Vail Sunday.
Frank Claussen of Arcadia was a Vailite visitor Sunday.
Ed Ryan was a business visitor at Nevada the first of the week.
Dr. Wright was up from Denison Monday.
Dave O'Riley, now attending the Highland Park College, will play with the Highland Park ball team this season.
Washington's birthday was observed at the public school Monday, appropriate exercises were held in the different rooms.
The Vail Bowlers report an excellent time at Denison Wednesday night and say the Denison boys are as good at entertaining as they are at bowling.
The funeral of Geo. McEntyre was held at Vail Sunday afternoon. Mr. McEntyre was a former Vail resident and was killed Sunday, Feb. 10th, while working in the switch yards at Minneapolis. He leaves a sister and another residing here and a brother at Sioux City.
A daughter of Julia Jurgenson died suddenly Sunday at her mother's home northwest of town. She had been attending college at Denison and came home feeling ill, but nothing serious was thought of her illness. She took worse Sunday and died before a physician could reach her. The funeral will be held Wednesday.
Three car load of stock was the Sunday shipment from Vail.
Geo. Unz was here Saturday from Illinois visiting his brother Otto.
John Kelly of Denison, visited Vail relatives Saturday and Sunday.
A high class opera company will play East Lynn at the opera house Wednesday night, Feb. 26.
The funeral of the 8 months old child of Mr. and Mrs. W. McGrath was held Friday from the house. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of the entire community. Their daughter Irene is very low at present.

CHARTER OAK CHATS.

Mr. J. Sprague and family have left Charter Oak to take charge of the Arion hotel.
Mrs. H. Cummings spent the past week in Omaha.
Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bamford returned on Saturday from Chicago where they went to buy goods.
Mr. White of Holstien visited relatives in Charter Oak last week.
J. H. Kuehl spent Friday in Denison.
On Friday there were special exercises in the public schools. All of the rooms were prettily decorated and the children did well.
Mrs. D. O. Johnson went to Omaha last Thursday.
Herman Harthun of Denison was in Charter Oak on Saturday.
Many people have enjoyed the fine coasting of the past week.
On Thursday evening Rev. Gilles' little daughter was hurt, while on the track.
On Friday evening Mr. Frank Loomis was surprised by a party of friends. A very pleasant evening was spent at cards.
Charles and Louis Jacobson entertained their friends at a George Washington party on Saturday evening.

THREE CHILDREN KILLED.

Accidental Powder Explosion Has Deadly Results. Owingsville, Ky., Feb. 21.—Three children of John Thompson were instantly killed and another and the mother were fatally injured last night by the accidental explosion of a keg of blasting powder. Thompson was moving and a keg of powder was among some of the things he put in the kitchen temporarily. The children were playing around the room and in some manner one of them dropped a coal of fire in the keg of powder. Instantly there was a terrible explosion and the roof was lifted from the room. When the smoke had cleared away, three little bodies, mangled beyond recognition, were picked up, while the mother and another child were more dead than alive.
Meserve Trial Goes Over. Omaha, Feb. 21.—Because James A. Cline, a national bank examiner, is confined to his home at Minden, Neb., by a sore throat, the trial of former State Treasurer John B. Meserve of Lincoln, on a charge of embezzling \$3,000 interest on \$60,000 of state funds, has been adjourned by Judge Baxter of the criminal court to March 6.
Earthquake Victims 5,000. London, Feb. 21.—Cabling from St. Petersburg, the correspondent of the Daily Mail says the seismic disturbances at Shamaka have recommenced and that a fresh volcano began to erupt vigorously last Wednesday. The correspondent adds that the number of killed in the Shamaka district is now estimated at 5,000.
A sea anemone taken from the Firth of Forth in 1823 lived and flourished in captivity until 1887.

JOHNSONVILLE ITEMS.

On Thursday evening, Feb. 20th, there occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Johnson a very pretty wedding, when Miss Pearl Hedstrom and Mr. Victor Lindgren were united in marriage. Rev. John Abrahamson, of Birds Island, Minnesota, officiating. Miss Amelia Lindgren acted as bridesmaid and Mr. Joseph Johnson as best man. At about 8 o'clock the bride and bridegroom, accompanied by their attendants, took their places by the south bay window which had been decorated. Miss Lillie Larson played the wedding march. The bride was dressed in a white silk gown with trimmings and carried a wreath of flowers. The groom was dressed in the conventional black and made a very fine appearance. After congratulations were over a very palatable supper was served to all. The bride is the oldest daughter of Mr. Hedstrom and is a young lady of many excellent traits and has the esteem and friendship of all who know her. The groom is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Lindgren of Ida county, and is a well-to-do farmer of sterling qualities; one that will make a good husband and will make a good home for the lady he has so wisely chosen for his life partner. Mr. and Mrs. Lindgren were the recipients of many useful as well as costly presents. We join in with the many other friends to wish this worthy couple a long and prosperous journey life together.
A young man from Vail was in our neighborhood a few days last week selling maps.
Dave Johnson came down from Ida county last Tuesday for a few days visit with relatives and to attend the Johnsonville wedding.
Among those who are reported on the sick list are Mrs. Julius Johnson and Miss Minnie Peterson. Their many friends hope for their speedy recovery.
Mr. Carl Lundwig is busy moving his farm and household goods, to his new home, Z. T. Nixon farm.
On account of the thawing weather the roads are getting to be in a very bad shape.
Mr. Will Cade, of Nebraska, a former resident of this county was here attending the Lindgren-Hedstrom wedding.
Dave Johnson reports to us that he and Chas. Johnson were out on an exploring trip to Schleswig and Boyer last Wednesday. They had a great time he says.

BWARE OF FRAUDS.

Many Farmers at Newton, Iowa, are Fleeing. Crawford County Farmers Beware.
The following dispatch appeared in the Des Moines Capital recently:
NEWTON, Feb. 7.—About eighty farmers surrounding this and other Jasper county towns have recently been swindled by one of the cleverest gamblers worked upon them for some time. A party of men, representing themselves as agents of a county with a handsome wagon and team of horses selling what they called the Polar creamery, for which great things were claimed and which sold at \$68. The sellers were not particular about the money or the time given farmers to pay for the purchase. They wanted and received notes and a large number of them. The creamery turns out to be almost worthless, and the warranty given is as bad as the article for which it was given, and the notes readily find innocent third purchasers. The parties gone and there is nothing left but to pay the notes. In some instances the sellers represented that their ware was so valuable that all that was needed was a fair trial, and left the creameries for the farmers to use, asking that they sign a receipt. The receipt is a promissory note which the farmers do not know they have signed. The game is being worked it is understood in other counties of the state.

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ADVERTISED LETTER LIST.
For week ending Feb. 25, letters for the following persons remained unclaimed for at the Denison postoffice:
Bates, L G Porter, Rev G
Davenport, Chas Rose, John
Green, Chas Smith, Abbey
Gale, J G Sylvester, Walter
Flaherty, Mrs M Thude, Dr Wm
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