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Laub Block, Denison, Iowa

Chas. Young was at home from the road over Sunday.

Mr. Kruse of West Side was a Denison caller on Monday.

Dr. L. L. Bond was called to West Side on business last Thursday.

Mrs. Plough of Goodrich, was a Denison shopper last Saturday.

Mr. John Patterson of Omaha, has been a Denison visitor the past week.

L. L. Hoffman of Vail was over on business with the county clerk yesterday.

Mrs. Martyn spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Melvin Smith of Sioux City.

Mr. Ben Smith and daughter of Arion, were calling on relatives in this city on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jensen of Dunlap spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morgan.

Rev. A. G. Martyn returned to his work near Des Moines on Friday after a pleasant Denison visit.

A. Namanny was a business visitor on Monday. He reports his family as all having had a siege of the grip.

Mrs. Flora A. Smith returned to her home in Ute Saturday after a visit with her sister, Mrs. W. T. Wright.

Prof. H. H. Savage delivered a lecture before the Harrison County Teachers' Association at Logan Saturday.

"The Message of the Snow" will be the subject of Rev. Wm. E. Bryce's sermon at the Presbyterian church next Sunday night.

Miss Gertie Bradbury came in from her school Friday to visit with her sister, Miss Myra, who has been visiting here for the past week.

There will be a meeting of the Federation Woman's club Saturday afternoon at 2:30 in the assembly room of the Carnegie library building.

Mr. and Mrs. James Davis of Dow City, will reside in Washington township the coming season, on the farm recently vacated by Mrs. Talcott.

The name of J. N. Turner of Deloit should have been signed to the resolutions printed last week relative to the death of Mrs. Patchin. The correction came just after we had gone to press.

Dr. Carr is gradually improving and expects to be able within the next week or ten days to go south for two months after which he will resume his practice here in conjunction with Dr. P. J. Brannon.

Rev. G. E. Morphy went to Des Moines Monday to attend a meeting of the Board of the Baptist convention of which he is a member. Mr. Morphy will visit the Des Moines College while in the city and address the students.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeph Feinhold had quite a fright one day last week. Their babe had grasped a needle so tightly that it went into the bone. They immediately sent for a physician, but before he arrived Mrs. Feinhold had extracted it with her teeth and the little babe is doing nicely.

Dr. C. W. Carr has associated with him Dr. P. J. Brannon who will have charge of his practice until the Dr. is again able to be at his office. Dr. Brannon comes directly from the St. Joseph Hospital Sioux City where he has for two years assisted both Dr. V. R. Knott and Dr. Jepsen two of the best known surgeons in the northwest. Dr. Carr feels fortunate in securing as an associate a doctor of such ability and training, and wishes to assure his many friends and large patronage that they will be looked after with as much care and as capably as if he were personally able to see them.

Mask ball, Feb. 22nd.

Mrs. Gulick is hostess to Penelope on Tuesday.

Mr. C. L. Voss made Schaller a business visit on Thursday.

The S. S. C. will meet Tuesday night Feb. 14th in the club room.

Mrs. A. G. Martyn left Saturday for a brief visit in Sioux City.

Mrs. Dr. Simpson entertains the Corterie club on Thursday.

Mr. R. A. Romans made Sioux City a business visit on Monday.

Miss Savery of Woodbine is a guest of her brother, W. S. Savery.

Chin Butler and daughter of Arion were Denison guests on Saturday.

Mr. Thos. Munsey of Deloit was a pleasant Denison caller on Monday.

The Coffee club met with Mrs. R. A. Romans on this Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. James Riddle was one of the Dow Cityites who helped swell the Saturday crowd in Denison.

Mr. R. F. Carr returned to his home in Chicago on Sunday after a brief visit with his brother Dr. C. W. Carr.

Mr. Geo. Spottswood and Mr. Chris Book of West Side, spent a few hours in Denison on Sunday. They had just returned from a trip to Chicago with stock.

Rev. F. Lothringer and Rev. Gauger of Manilla were guests of Rev. Freese on Monday. They reported that the dedication of the new Lutheran church at Buck Grove was most successful.

The D. A. R.'s, have a very interesting series of papers read before them on Colonial settlements. At the last meeting Miss Ethel Miller read a very fine paper on the early settlement of Virginia.

Miss Julia Arnold sister of Dr. Emory Miller has been indisposed for the last week. Miss Arnold is 94 years old and has been in remarkable good health for a person who has reached her advanced years.

On Tuesday Mrs. Charles Kemming entertained most delightfully complimentary to her cousin, Miss Kittie Kountz who has been spending the winter with her. Mrs. Kemming's guests had a very social visit and delicious refreshments.

The F. M. S. of the M. E. church had a pleasant and profitable meeting at the home of Wm. M. King on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Gulick gave a very fine review of the "Making of Japan" a subject that proved most fascinating in her capable hands.

Mrs. A. B. Griffith of Azusa, California is the guest of Mesdames F. S. Gulick and Martin. Mrs. Griffith just returned from a three months visit in Baltimore. Mrs. Griffith says she came east to see snow and we are sure Denison is doing all it can to oblige her.

The Richard-Henderson Co. presented the difficult play "The Vendetta," very acceptably at the opera house last Friday night. On account of the severe weather the audience was not as large as it should have been. Theatre goers will be pleased to learn that Manager Sibbert has booked this company for a week of repertoire in March.

Mr. A. F. Durkee of the Fairmont Creamery went to Mason City the 2nd to attend the buttermakers convention. The convention was saddened by what came near being a tragedy. Some wholesale men got to "celebrating" and in a drunken spree attacked a bell boy at one of the hotels and almost killed him. It is needless to say that Mr. Durkee had no hand in this part of the convention.

Mask ball, Feb. 22nd.

J. D. Sievers made Dow City a business trip on Tuesday.

Peter Jepsen made Omaha a business visit on Tuesday.

Mr. Leslie Poitevin of Dow City, spent Tuesday in Denison.

Mrs. Mabel Cushman-Merrick visited Dow City friends on Tuesday.

Mr. Hugo Gebert spent the fore part of the week in Omaha on business.

Mr. P. J. Eggers attended to business matters in Council Bluffs Saturday.

Mrs. H. F. Schwartz is slowly recovering from a prolonged siege of the grip.

Mr. Raub McKim who has been visiting Denison friends spent Saturday in Dow City.

The Commercial Club meets tonight. A number of new members have made application and will be voted on.

Mr. Herman Lorenzen is again about after a ten days' struggle with the grip which left him looking a bit the worse for wear.

Oil Baker of Scranton, Iowa, is in Denison this week visiting his cousins, Mr. J. W. Baker, Mrs. J. Ph. Jones and Mrs. Aug. Moeller.

Word comes from Gibbons, Neb., that the son of John Kuebler, who disappeared from home nearly a year ago, is working for a farmer near that place.

The J. B. Roman's Co. this week begins a series of "Machine Talks." They are wise to use THE REVIEW for their talking machine and to commence their talks when the farmers have plenty of time to read.

The cost of THE REVIEW to each reader is a trifle less than three cents per copy. Read the paper carefully and then own up "honest injun" that you are getting more than your money's worth. Then make it a point to come in and pay up.

On account of the severe cold the coasting party given by Miss Helen Pester was turned into a delightful house party. Sherlock Holmes proved an excellent game and delicious refreshments were served. The young folks present formed themselves into a secret society called the W. W., whether this stands for Weary Willie's, Willing Workers or Weine Wursts we know not, but undoubtedly they will have lots of fun out of it.

It does not speak very well for Mr. Wm. Gilbreath that the first time that he knew that he had been married twenty-five years on Feb. 2nd was when he came home with his wife and found some thirty guests assembled to surprise them. Will says he has not been so embarrassed for twenty-five years. The celebration of the silver wedding was a merry one. Delightful two course refreshments were served during the evening and many were the wishes that the worth couple might live to celebrate their golden wedding in health and happiness.

A cattle raiser from Sac county came to Denison last week and proceeded to go on a high lonesome, probably on account of the dryness of his native county. He was found in a drunken stupor and given lodging in the county jail, when searched it was found that he had \$125.00 on his person, the night watch took the money in charge and it was handed over to the stock feeder the next day. It is fortunate for him that he fell into good hands and it is to be hoped that the next time he will not yield to the temptations afforded by a large city.

Peter Hollowell of Arion was a Denison business visitor yesterday.

City Marshall J. C. Phillips, of Deloit was on our streets yesterday.

Miss Myra Bradbury left on Saturday for Chicago after a brief Denison visit.

Mr. John Lass goes to Dunlap tonight for an other try at the Masonic goat.

Rev. P. F. Farrelly, of Carroll, visited his brother Rev. M. J. Farrelly yesterday.

Mr. S. G. Wright has returned from Pender, Neb. where he assisted in conducting a sale of merchandise.

Mrs. Lewis Romans went to Charter Oak yesterday to attend the funeral of little Gail Drake, which occurred this forenoon.

The young people are all agog over the Club Dance to be given to-morrow evening. Toce the harpest will furnish the music.

Mr. W. H. Scott proprietor of the Lake View summer resort well known in Denison died last week and was buried in Carroll last Wednesday.

The Misses Anna and Jessie Williams and Clara Roberts of Charter Oak attended the theatre in Denison on Friday evening remaining over Sunday to visit friends.

With all the fires that are visiting Iowa cities it is time to look up your insurance and see that it is in force and sufficient to cover losses. It is also a good idea for cities to test their hydrants and make sure that everything is in good working order.

For some three months Mr. Frank Gibson has been confined to his bed by illness supposed to be caused by a severe fall on a defective walk in Denison. He has suffered great agony and while holding his own is still far from well. We hope soon to be able to report his convalescence.

The Denison Fire companies held a joint meeting on Friday evening and appointed Mr. Chas. Kemming as a committee to attend a meeting of the Maple Valley Association held at Wall Lake to-day and to request a membership in the organization for Denison.

The Reeh-Lehfeldt sale must have been an unlucky day. In the morning Mr. Meyer, one of our successful farmers was kicked in the breast by a fractious horse, in the afternoon Mr. W. J. Cochran slipped on the icy sale grounds falling on his elbow and dislocating his shoulder.

The Elite Lunch Counter has again changed hands Mr. Montgomery selling to Milton McAhren, Ralph Norris and Clayton Romans, we understand that Mr. Romans will be general manager, Mr. McAhren floor walker and Mr. Norris secretary and bouncer at any rate the boys expect to make some improvements in the place and we wish them abundant success.

**MAMIE SIEVERS WEDS.**

Mr. J. D. Sievers informs us that his sister, Miss Marie Sievers, was married on Saturday, Feb. 4, at Oberlin, Ohio, to Mr. Neal Wells.

The date of the wedding was kept secret from all but Mrs. Sievers and the boys did not know they had a new brother-in-law until this morning. Miss Sievers has known Mr. Wells for a long time and he is said to be a young man of high character and excellent ability. We can but congratulate him upon winning for his bride a young lady possessed of so many virtues. Modest and unassuming, Miss Sievers was known here as a deep student not only in music but of books, as a girl of the highest character, loving, kindly and attractive. We wish her the utmost happiness in her wedded state.

Mr. and Mrs. Wells will make their future home in California and expect to visit Denison on their westward journey.

**COMING ATTRACTIONS.**

Peck's Bad Boy—Feb. 11.

High School Contest, Feb. 17.

The Banker's Child, Feb. 20.

Lecture Course, Feb. 21.

Mask Ball, Feb. 22.

Matt Mill made a business trip to Carroll yesterday.

It is mighty hard for the mail carriers to plough through twenty-five miles of snow every day. If the farmers would take pains to break the roads each day during this stormy weather the service would be much improved.

Mr. A. J. Bond informs us that he now has 980 names on the census roll and has not yet completed the third ward. He estimates that the third ward will contain from 1300 to 1400 inhabitants. The first and second wards are not so large and the official counts will run about 3500.

The D. A. R. elected two new members at a meeting held at Mr. W. H. Laub on Tuesday. Mrs. Hugo Gebert and Miss Bernice Osborn. The Chapter decided to have the Colonial party at the home of Mrs. W. H. Laub.

Yesterday we visited the hospital now opened by Mrs. Lulu Ellithorpe. The hospital while small is bright, cheery and thoroughly comfortable and well prepared to accommodate the present wants of the community. Mrs. Ellithorpe is an experienced trained nurse and with the co-operation of the physicians of Denison she should soon build up an extensive hospital business. Denison has long needed a hospital and this venture should be accorded the hearty support of all our business men. In cases of emergency it will prove invaluable and will afford suitable convenience for necessary surgical operations. We believe it would be well for the physicians of the county to visit the new hospital and see the arrangements that have been made for the convenience of the sick and send their patients there rather than to have them make expensive trips to city hospitals where they will receive no better care than they will in Denison.

**PRELIMINARY CONTEST.**

The preliminary high school declamatory contest was held on Tuesday evening. There were fourteen contestants, three of whom were boys. The girls took all the honors however. The nine who will contest at the public contest to be held Feb. 17 are as follows, Hedwig Brodersen, Beatrice Lally, Clara Strahan, Ethel Orr, Gladys Tucker, Elsie Smith, Allie Morris, Florence Baker and Helen Brub. The winner will represent Denison in the Northern Iowa contest. The judges of the preliminary contest were Rev. W. E. Bryce, Prof. McAnelly and Miss Carr. Special arrangements are being made for a fine musical program in connection with the contest and a complete announcement will be made next week.

**A DELIGHTFUL DINNER**

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Voss gave an elegant dinner on Tuesday night as a compliment to Mrs. A. P. Griffith of Azusa, California who is the guest of Mrs. H. S. Gulick.

The table was beautifully decorated with pink carnations and ferns in a lace centerpiece were pink glass candle sticks with pink candles.

The favors were tiny suit cases filled with bonbons and containing conundrums.

A sumptuous four course dinner was served. After dinner a number of games were played and nothing could be more informal and delightful. Entertaining is a fine art as practiced by Mrs. Voss. The guests were, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Laub, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. E. Gulick, Mr. and Mrs. Kuehnle, Mesdames Griffith, Bartholmew, Romans, Martin, H. S. Gulick and the Misses Bedford and Meyers.

Mr. R. T. Evans of Des Moines is in the city showing a patent fence post which looks like a splendid thing for the farmer's use. Next week he will tell all about it in the columns of THE REVIEW and we would advise our farmer friends to read what he has to say and then to look him up and see the contrivance for themselves.

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