

MANILLA ITEMS.

Ruth Robertson was a Manning business visitor Thursday. Irma Grief left for Omaha Saturday morning for a visit. Jesse Westbrook of Defiance transacted business in this burg Monday. Mrs. Lane returned Saturday from Defiance after a visit there with relatives. Fred Bill and family spent Sunday in the country at the Jacob Gesseman home. Abbie Cook is visiting in Neola this week with her sister, Mrs. Andrew Pierce. Mr. and Mrs. Mon Peterson and baby spent Sunday visiting relatives in Astor. Lorene Jackson departed Friday noon for a visit there with friends and relatives. Eva and Nora Boliven left Monday for Panama for a three week's visit with friends. Dan McGrath of Aspinwall spent Sunday here with his cousin, Mrs. A. G. Carothers. Mrs. Sutton and Marion and Rose left Tuesday morning to attend the Carnival at Vail. Mr. Burkemeier and daughters Grace Margaret and Nevin were Aspinwall visitors Thursday. Mr. Warwick of Battle Creek spent the first of the week visiting with his friend, Tom Moore. Eva Cable returned home from Shenandoah Wednesday after a weeks visit with relatives. Eunice Robertson spent the past week in the country visiting at the John Stammer home. Bessie Saunders has returned from Wall Lake where she had been "outing" the past week. Rev. M. M. Cable and wife spent Wednesday in the country visiting at the Alvin Willis home. Mrs. Paiste returned from Grant Center Saturday after a visit there with Mrs. John Miller. Margaret and Nerven O'Neil of Mapleton spent the past week at their uncle's, Mr. Berkneir. Dora Schroeder spent Sunday and Monday in Astor visiting at the home of her friend, Bell Barr. Mrs. Vinke and children went to Manning Friday for an extended visit there with her parents. Mildred and Thomas Wolfe of Chicago came Thursday for a visit with their cousin, Mrs. Alfred. Lottie Walker and Theora Paist left Monday for Grant Center for a visit at the John Miller home. Mr. and Mrs. John Gluekstadt, Earnest Stewart and Bessie DeWitt spent Sunday at the Gluekstadt home. Mrs. Mann of Marshalltown came Sunday, being called here by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Owens. Lulu Willis and Mary Eberle returned home from Harlan Sunday where they have been attending institute. Mr. Fish, who was reported last week to be on the sick list is not much improved at this present writing. Howard Pierce returned to his home in Neola Saturday after a weeks visit here with his grand-mother, Mrs. Barrett. Mrs. Peterson of Buck Grove came Sunday evening for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Thompson, who lives near Irwin. Cora and Hattie Slagg returned from Wisconsin Sunday morning after an extended visit there with friends and relatives. Lillian Hoes, who underwent an operation in Omaha, returned to this point and is now visiting her friend, Bessie Saunders. L. L. Hovkett and wife and baby returned from Rockwell City Wednesday, after an extended visit there with Mrs. Hockett's parents. Murrs Van Meter, Carl Neils, Harry McCracken, Everett Dyson, Arthur Packard and La Roice, returned home Denison Monday to play ball. Clara Morgan who has been visiting with her aunt in Defiance the past summer spent Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. Phylis Morgan. Mrs. C. S. Dempster and daughter, Ruby and La Roice, returned home from Sac City Monday evening after an extended visit there with relatives. Misses Mattie Buffington and Millie Milligan returned from Pocahontah Center Monday evening after an extended visit there at the Buffington home. Rev. U. G. Lacey of the Pres. Church occupied the pulpit at Battle Creek on Sunday last. J. C. Richtes spoke to the congregation of the Presbyterian Church here Sunday morning and union services were held in the M. E. Church Sunday evening.

M. E. Church Notes.

Sunday, August 23. Sunday School ..... 10 o'clock Preaching ..... 11 o'clock Class Meeting ..... 12 o'clock Epworth League ..... 7 o'clock Union Services in the Presbyterian Church at 8 o'clock. You are cordially invited to attend all of these services.

M. M. Cable.

VAIL ITEMS.

Jess Cranny spent Sunday at home. John Hoffman of Carroll was here Monday. Ed Olson drove over to Manilla Wednesday. Rev. Father Farley of Denison was here Friday. Fred Smith of Boyer was trading here Saturday. John Larson spent a part of last week in Des Moines. Miss Agnes Maher of Arcadia was calling on Vail friends. Mr. Lyman visited at Cedar Rapids and Chicago last week. Clint Payne came in from his ranch in S. D. for a short stay. Pat Flynn of Denison was a business caller here Monday. Miss Madaline Glynn is the proud possessor of a new piano. Mr. Guhur was transacting business in the county seat Friday. Clarence Molseed has been on the sick list for the past week. Mrs. Brown of Denison is visiting her sister here, Mrs. Martin. Mr. and Mrs. Del Servers spent a couple of days here last week. John Finneran of Denison was a business visitor here Saturday. E. L. Ryan spent a couple of days in Omaha the first of last week. Mr. Thos McGriven of Denison was calling on friends here Monday. Miss Loretta Monaghan spent Sunday with friends at Charter Oak. Mrs. O'Connor and son are visiting at the parental, F. O. Boyle home. George Dieter was an over Sunday visitor with friends at Charter Oak. Miss Lottie Vennik spent last week with friends at Schaller, Iowa. Mrs. John Duffy and Mrs. C. Payne were in Omaha the first of last week. Mrs. Ed Monaghan and daughter, Kate were in Denison on business Thursday. Paddy McCullough spent a part of last week in Omaha buying restaurant goods. J. R. Brockelsby and Harry Magill were Omaha callers the first part of the week. Mrs. Casady of Des Moines was the guest of her friend, Mrs. Pete Ludwig last week. Mrs. McNamara and daughter of Omaha are guests at the Mrs. Monaghan home. Mrs. Adolph Etzel and daughter, Grace spent Sunday in Denison at the F. Hanns home. Miss Clara McAndrews is spending her vacation at Bridgewater, S. D. with her sister. Mrs. Rose Mayhard returned from South Dakota last week after proving up on her claim. James Norton came over from Odebolt Wednesday for a couple of days stay with friends. Mr. and Mrs. Koester and family drove over to Manning and spent the day with relatives. Mrs. John Breen returned Saturday from a six weeks' visit with her parents at Forest City. Miss Blanche Harrington returned Wednesday from a two weeks visit in Omaha with relatives. Wilbur Hawley is having a fine new house built to take the place of the one burned last winter. Axel Lindberg returned from South Dakota Sunday and says he failed to find a place to suit him. Miss Anna Norton of Davenport has been a guest at the Pat McCarthy home for the past week. John Holland attended the Supervisors convention at Waterloo a couple of days last week. Miss Farr Ratchford came over from Lake View last week and visited a few days with friends. Mrs. James Reilley and mother Mrs. Thos. Duffy spent a part of last week in Omaha with relatives. Mrs. Joe Cranny and children are visiting Mr. Cranny's parents at Rhinebeck, Iowa, for the past week. Mrs. A. A. Leahy and daughter, Jewel of Des Moines are visiting old friends here and at Woodbine. Mr. and Mrs. J. Arff of Charter Oak visited a couple of days the first of last week at the home of Mrs. C. Mundt. Mrs. Jas. Dugan's brother, Daniel Fitzpatrick arrived here from Ireland

Coming Attractions.

GERMANIA OPERA HOUSE, B. J. Sibbert, Mgr.

Sept. 1—Funny Fellows of New York Sept. 17—Along the Kennebec Sept. 22—Prince of Swedes.

Family Electric Theatre B. J. Sibbert, Mgr.

Program for

Thursday, Friday and Saturday: Smart Capture, Enoch Arden, Pretty Flower Girl, Useful Beard, Macbeth. Between Two Fires. Change of program Monday and Thursday. Show starts promptly at 8 P. M. Two Performances

Price 10 Cents to Everybody.

last week and expects to make this his home.

Mrs. C. C. Munday and daughter, Helen, visited last week in Des Moines with her brother, Geo. Thompson and wife. Joe McDonnell and Vincent O'Donnell who have been making an extended trip throughout the west arrived home Saturday evening. Miss Nellie Hickey returned Saturday from Clarence, Iowa, where she has been visiting her aunts, the Miss Hickeys for the last three months. Mrs. Maher and daughter who have been guests in the Thos. Fitzgibbons home for the last ten days left for their home at Lincoln Saturday noon. Wm. Farley sold his livery and sale barn to Tom Sheridan and Ed Olson. Mr. Farley made a success in this business and accumulated considerable wealth and expects to go in the horse commission business at the South Omaha stock yards. The Vail people are sorry to lose Mr. Farley for he was very accommodating in his line of business. The gentlemen now in possession of the livery business are men experienced in this line and will no doubt give good satisfaction. Vail has grown to be a good livery town and Mr. Sheridan and Olson are welcomed by the people of Vail. Mrs. Mary Costello died at the home of her son, John, Tuesday, August 11, 1908. The funeral took place Friday morning from St. Ann's Church where a solemn Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Father Murphy, assisted by Father Farley of Denison. The burial took place in St. Ann's cemetery. Mrs. Costello was about sixty eight years of age and had lived in this country about thirty-five years. She was well known and by her generosity made many friends which was attested by the large funeral attendance. Those from a distance attended the funeral was her brother, Dr. D. Langan of Clinton City, James Langan and wife of Omaha and her two sons from Wagner, S. D., Hugh and Jim, also Frank Manning and wife of Sioux City.

WEST DENISON

Frank Houllhan and sisters were Sunday visitors in Dunlap. Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Kuhl visited Sunday evening at the Wm. Kahl home. Miss Marjorie Bryan is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. George Powell. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kahl visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sonnichsen Sunday. Messrs. Douhefty and Fitzpatrick visited at the W. J. Bauman home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kruse and family were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kolls Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. N. Haworth and D. F. Bryan and sons were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. George Powell. Mrs. James Owens and daughter, Mrs. J. P. Hughes and Mrs. McConnell were visitors with Mrs. Thos. Brown last Wednesday. Eugene Owens and sister Mrs. J. P. Hughes and Mrs. McConnell were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McGrin of East Boyer Saturday. Messrs. Bauman, Kahl and Evers and the Misses Fitzpatrick, Haworth, and Kahl were guests at the home of Mrs. Thos. Brown Sunday. Miss Anna Petersen is back again in the Baller-Broderjerson store, after a vacation time spent with the Misses Schumaker at their home out in Nebraska.

GOODRICH NEWS.

Mr. McNeil and family visited Sunday at H. Fink's. Rev. Bruce and wife spent Thursday at the home of H. Fink. Messrs. Newton and Winey with their families drove up to Boyer Sunday. Glen McKin and wife, have been visiting a few days at Merle Myers' home. The picnic at Mr. Hoffman's was an enjoyable affair to those who were present. Hanibal Fink and sons of Elk Run went to Omaha Wednesday morning to buy sheep. Miss Abbie Winey and Miss Iva Galland are visiting at their uncle's home, Albert Winey. Mrs. John Anderson and her friend, Mrs. Stowell of Canton, Dakota, visited Thursday at U. S. Dunbar's. Uncle Bob Childreth and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hobson and son, Lemuel, were visitors at A. D. Winey's Sunday. Among those who had a few loads of grain threshed to feed were, L. Miller, Eugene Brogden and L. D. Newton. The yield of oats is not very good. The farm on which Mr. Stehr lives was sold recently for \$90 per acre. Mr. Hansen, we understand, purchased it. This is one of Crawford's best farms. Mr. and Mrs. Broder Boyson and son drove over to Deloit Wednesday. Tremaine Fink of Nebraska has been visiting his nephew, Hanibal Fink the past week.

BUCK GROVE ITEMS.

Miss Ola Hodgell returned Sunday from a visit to Arion. Miss Susie McGuire of Chicago, is visiting her brother, Tom McGuire. Mr. Robert Moffitt has treated his store building to a fresh coat of paint. Mrs. Frank Zimmer has returned from a visit to the parental home in Nebraska. Mrs. J. P. Welsh is somewhat under the weather at this writing, but nothing serious. Miss Geraldine Perrian of Manilla, is visiting her little friend, Nellie Welsh, for a few days. Mr. Dee has been quite sick during the past week with rheumatism, but is somewhat better at this writing. Dr. Evans of Arion and Dr. Van Metre of Dow City were among the visitors at the picnic August 15th. The Stewart Lumber company have laid a fine new floor in their ware house—a much needed improvement. Mrs. Corrigan of Chicago, was the guest of Tom McGuire and family for a week and is now visiting in Manilla. Mrs. Winans and son of Odebolt, a cousin of Mrs. Lentz, arrived last Saturday for a few days' visit. They returned home Thursday. Miss Nellie Sullivan is entertaining friends from Omaha and Manilla since last Friday. Miss Finnegan returned to Omaha Sunday evening. Mr. Stroebel of Elk Point, visited with his friends, Mr. Martin and wife from Saturday until Monday. He was on his way home from Denver. Mr. Hale Cox, who has been staying with Cal Carpenter for a few months, left Friday for Wisconsin, where he expects to make his home in the future. He is not in very good health at present and he hopes that the change will be beneficial. Mrs. Marian Newman has just returned from a visit in Corning, Iowa, where she was the guest of her son-in-law, Vinton Hockett and family. She brought back with her two of her little nephews who will visit for a few weeks. Misses Pearl and Bernice Bonney have been enjoying the pleasures incidental to "life by the ocean wave" and seeing the sights of New York City and vicinity during the past two weeks. They left for Philadelphia Monday, where they will remain until time for them to leave for home in time to commence their fall term of school. That good old bird, the stork, has been quite busy in this vicinity lately. He called at the home of Cal Carpenter Saturday morning, August fifteenth

and left him a bright little baby boy. The Catholic picnic held here August fifteenth was a grand success in every way. Our town was filled with people from all near points, every town in our vicinity being well represented, in fact there was the greatest number of people here than ever before on a like occasion, thus proving that the success of Buck Grove picnics is getting noised abroad. The sum of money taken in amounted to \$298.00, which will go a long ways toward the needed repairs on the church. Our little town of Buck Grove is the home of a writer. This is nothing new or startling, for Doctor Bonney has been writing for the magazines for several years, for which he has acquired a little local celebrity. But he feels now that he is really filling at least a small niche in the literary world, for last week he has sold two stories to "The Black Cat," a magazine published in Boston, for one of which he received thirty dollars and the other, one hundred and fifty dollars. The latter story won a prize in the late contest, recently held by that magazine. As the doctor was in competition with many of the best writers of the present day, he feels that he has just cause to feel elated. Quite a party of our young people enjoyed a very pleasant outing last Thursday. They took the morning passenger west, intending to go to Grant Center to fish, but found out before reaching their destination that Smithland was the better place, so changed their plan. The party did not say definitely how many fish they caught, but all unite in saying they spent a pleasant day and are loud in their praises of the courteous treatment accorded them by the residents of Smithland. Those who composed the party were as follows: Messrs. Dwight Hutchinson, Roy Moffet Marcus Glee, Albert Palzein, Frank Hain and Elmer Polzein, and the Misses Verne Moffet, Della Nehls, Lillie Paulson, Martha Hugg, Lura Moffitt, Bernice Hain, Mabel Bremster and Miss Glassburne.

HOG CHOLERA.

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BOYER RIPPLINGS.

Mr. Hill visited at Arthur last week. Ed Clausen was seen on our streets one night last week. David Anderson has been attending Normal at Denison last week. Mrs. Erickson of Kiron, visited her daughter, Mrs. Johnson, Monday. Mr. Floyd Dreher of Scranton, Ia., visited at Chas. Ernie's over Sunday. Mr. Ernie only received four bushel of oats to the acre where the hail struck. Harry Nord of Kiron, came down Monday to assist in putting up machinery. Ellwood Anderson was a Denison visitor between trains Friday and Saturday. Paulina and Ella Kooch and Annie Nissen were passengers to Denison Wednesday. Miss Beda Berglund of Wahoo, Neb. has been visiting her sister, Lydia, in Boyer the past week. John Hagge who has been visiting at John Newman's returned to his home in Ogden, Iowa. George Maynard was a passenger for Denison Thursday, to choose furnishings for his new home. Mrs. J. Kullberg is enjoying a visit from her cousin, Mrs. Thoren Noren and husband of Logan, Ia. Mr. Dave Clark has been visiting his father-in-law, Mr. Wolf, of Boyer, the fore part of this week. Miss Lizza Clauson came Saturday from Ricketts to make a prolonged stay with the Wm. Meyers family. Miss Florence Munsey of Deloit, has been visiting her friend, Clara Shupiter, during the past week. Miss Annie Kohn of Arthur, Ia., has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Gus German and other relatives and friends. Mr. F. W. Pithan, who has been visiting his son, John, returned to his home in Charter Oak, Ia. Monday morning. Miss Lizzie Shupiter, who has been staying with her sister, Mrs. Blanche Kotas, of Carroll, returned to her home Saturday. The Arion band furnished music at Messenbrink's hall Saturday evening. On account of the threatening weather very few were present. Rena and Roy Corey, who stay with their aunt, Ida Dean, living south of Herring, were visitors at their Grandpa Darling's Saturday. A few most intimate friends of R. D. Darling's, east of Boyer, gathered at their home Saturday evening and enjoyed themselves dancing. A mistake was made last week in our news saying Chas. Ernie received insurance. It should have read John Pithan and August German. Mrs. Dave McCullough left last Tuesday for Clinton, Iowa, where she will visit relatives and friends. Her sister is keeping house during her absence. Misses Alice and Minnie Haden felt of Denison, who have been visiting at John Newman's and other friends around Boyer returned home Monday. Mrs. Emma Larson of Dayton, Ia., who has been visiting with Augusta Anderson's, went to Odebolt Saturday, where she will visit some time before returning home. Sam Newcom Jr. of Smithland, Ia., accompanied by a friend, while driving through to Boyer last Saturday, had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse at Schleswig. It is said that clover blout was the trouble. The German Lutherans held a mission feast in Henry German's grove west of Boyer last Sunday. Rev. Froese assisted Rev. Richter in conducting services. An offering was taken up and some thirty dollars raised for foreign and home missions. A picnic dinner was served to a large crowd who went away feeling that the Sabbath was well spent.

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