

KIRON ITEMS.

Quite a number from this locality helped to make up the throng at the Ringling Bros. circus at Denison on Wednesday.

O. F. Petersen and family of Alcester, S. D. visited their relatives at Kiron and Odell last week, making the trip auto-overland.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lindberg and Miss Cora Eckman were visitors in Omaha several days last week.

L. Sanders, of Pringham, Ia., was in Kiron Wednesday, inspecting the property of the late Mrs. S. D. Sanders to engage in business.

The Clauson Bros. Real Estate Agency closed a deal last Wednesday in which Mrs. Sampson, of Odell, purchased a quarter section farm, formerly a part of the Cook ranch, owned by Albert Johnson of Kiron.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Petersen, of Alcester, S. D. spent a couple of days in Kiron last week. They were desiring to locate in this town if Mr. Petersen could find light, steady employment.

Miss Malinda Hocum, of Gowrie, Ia., arrived last Wednesday to take charge of and conduct the millinery department at the Johnson and Sanders store. Miss Hocum is a first class trimmer and a well post-milliner, which will assure the ladies the latest in style and make-up.

Everett Warren and wife motored to Kiron on Saturday, making a short visit at the E. E. Clauson and A. F. Lundberg homes.

Vernie Meeland of Grand Island, Neb., is enjoying the week visiting his relatives and friends in this locality.

Earl Stone came up from Omaha on Friday for an over Sunday stay with acquaintances.

Miss Bernice and Master Ralph Lowell and Newell Clauson returned home Saturday from a very pleasant two week's stay at the home of Everett Warrens at Albert City, Ia.

C. S. Billings and family took their final departure for Spencer, Ia., on Saturday last, where their future home will be made. For some time at least, Mr. Billings has secured employment in a dry goods store in that town. Owing to the strike threat, he stored his furniture as it would not be accepted by the local railroad company.

During their stay in Kiron many friends were made who will miss them, and who now join in to wish them success in any venture they may undertake.

Rev. A. Glad went to Swedberg, Ia., the first of the week to attend a mission conference held by the Lutheran church.

The C. A. Larson family returned on Saturday from their trip and visit to Minneapolis, Minn., where they visited relatives and acquaintances and took in the fair, sight seeing the twin cities.

James Malloy, who has assisted druggist Peters for the past week, left Friday for West Side.

The Kiron school opened up on Monday last with a goodly number of enrollment for each department. An extra room has been fixed up for the three departments where the various grades are being taught. A number of pupils from adjoining districts have enrolled and are pleased with the arrangement provided by the Kiron school, which they will avail themselves of. The corps of teachers which will instruct during the term are Miss Henry, of Strawberry Point, Ia., whose efficient work will be in the seventh, eighth and ninth grades. Miss England will teach the fourth and fifth grades and Miss Jacobsen, the primary department. We understand there are several other scholars in the nearby districts who will enter school later. Let us all pull together to maintain and improve the splendid school facilities Kiron already has. A good school will not alone be of great value to the patrons in town but will aid considerably in an ad for the town.

The article published in the Kiron News last week of the investigation of the dreaded disease, infantile paralysis and its source, which in many instances were found to come from the mail order houses. In many instances it was found where wearing apparel as lingerie, stockings and articles were sent out to slum districts after being tried and not meeting the requirements were returned to the concern, who in turn would send out the same to other customers, who, retaining same for wear, would contract, not this mentioned disease alone, but others as well. This item should be read by all, who more or less send away to these concerns for goods and pondered over long and well before taking the risk of importing costly and fatal diseases in their imagined saving of a few cents.

Miss Florence England, of Des Moines and Miss Mary Houry of Strawberry Point, Ia., arrived Saturday to be on deck Monday morning to instruct in the Kiron schools.

August Linman came up from Omaha last week contemplating a stay of several weeks to build cribs on his farms east of town.

Mr. Fred Skarin and son and Mr. S. M. Moline motored to Pipestone, Minn. the fore part of the past week to do some improving on the farm there owned by Mr. Skarin.

Oscar Johnson left last Tuesday for Newton, Ia., where he has secured a good position as typesetter in a local paper office. With the vim and fire Oscar has possession of, we venture the prediction that he will soon climb rapidly upwards.

Glen Goetsch returned on Monday last from a week's visit at the home of his parents near Lorimer, Iowa.

Mrs. John Lass and children, of Denison, visited the latter part of the week at the S. A. Northrup home.

Miss Amelia Michaelson and her niece Fern Johnson, left on Friday for Hawarden, Ia. Fern who has been visiting at the home of her grandparents during the past month returned to Hawarden to resume her school work. Miss Michaelson will visit acquaintances before returning.

Mrs. Ed Anderson and daughter Florence, went to Albert City and Marathon, Iowa Friday to spend a few days visiting with former acquaintances.

Oscar Larson and children ended their visit Saturday with their Kiron relatives and returned to their

home in Sioux City. The threatened railroad strike cut their visit shorter than was planned.

E. E. Clauson transacted business at Hawarden, Ia., and Alcester, S. D. last Tuesday.

Miss Lazore, of Ute, Ia., came to Kiron Thursday to remain for some time assisting her aunt, Mrs. Johnson, at the Kiron hotel.

Sanford Larson, after a week's pleasant visit with relatives and renewing his acquaintances of former days, left Saturday for his home in Lawton, Iowa.

C. S. Johnson and family went to Omaha Friday for a short stay. While there, Mr. Johnson assisted in the purchase of the bank fixtures for the new proposed bank at Boyer, of which he holds the office of president.

Michael McVey, and daughter, Miss Jessie, of Omaha, made this locality a visit several days last week, looking after their piano business.

The Mission Sewing Circle was entertained on Friday afternoon by Mrs. Francis Norelius at her home in old Kiron. The attendance was especially good, notwithstanding the muddy roads.

Harry Moorhouse severed his connection on last Friday at the Kiron hotel and accepted a position in the Kiron post-office store.

Just as we are ready to mail our news letter, we learn that Miss Edith Jacobson, owing to arduous circumstances, tendered her resignation as teacher of the primary grade of the Kiron school. The board accepted the resignation and appointed Miss Ruth Petersen as her successor. Miss Petersen is a Kiron teacher well equipped with the requirements of a splendid teacher of the primary department, and together with her natural gifts, will unquestionably give the best of satisfaction. The appointment of this home teacher by the board will meet with favorable approval by all the patrons.

The baptismal service held on Sunday at the river three miles southwest of town, was attended by a goodly number. Three candidates were immersed by Rev. Irvin Johnson.

Seth Dolk and family autoed over from Boone Sunday for a short visit with Kiron relatives.

On Thursday of this week the opening service of the Free Church commences and continues over Sunday with three sessions a day. The opening address on Thursday evening will be delivered by Rev. F. O. Dahlberg of Madrid, Ia. Quite a number have sent word of their attendance from the various churches of the state.

Leslie Larson, who has spent the week with relatives and old acquaintances, left on Monday morning for his home in Alcester, S. D.

John Peters, of West Side, Ia., spent Sunday in Kiron.

D. L. Stevens, of Peterson, Ia. made a brief business visit in Kiron Monday morning.

Mrs. Claus Peters came over from West Side Sunday to remain for a few days with her Kiron druggist husband. They expect to start housekeeping soon in the Alfred Johnson residence.

We annually raise half a billion chickens.

POLITICAL JOTTINGS

At that, however, from beginning to end this has been more of a "you kick me and I'll kiss you" administration.

Vance McCormick says the Progressives are stampeding to Wilson, and it's a ten to one bet he wishes he could believe it.

The Democrats are finding out that pork comes home to roost out their standing.

The men and women who prefer a man who does things to a man who writes notes about them will vote for Hughes. Government by correspondence takes too long to get anywhere, but government by deeds is always on the job.

Those who are concerned to know what Mr. Hughes would have done had he been in Mr. Wilson's place may rest assured he would not have done as Mr. Wilson has. And that is answer enough.

Mr. Hughes is not only going direct to the public, but the public is going direct to him. A genuine American fifty-fifty!

President Wilson's alarm clock is ringing at 5 o'clock these mornings. He can reach out of bed and turn it off the morning of March 5.

Postmaster General Burleson is too foxy a politician to adopt for his department the McAdoo rule forbidding Treasury department employees participating in politics. Mr. Burleson realizes that postmasters are entitled to some exercise for the money.

There are no strings or mental reservations to the public pledges of administrative reform given by Charles E. Hughes. His record as governor of New York guarantees the fulfillment of every promise.

Democrats are now convinced that Charles Evans Hughes is a warm proposition.

It is gratifying, indeed, to find that Mr. Wilson still stands on the suffrage question where he stood at the beginning of his administration. He has changed on about everything else.—Philadelphia Evening Ledger.

It strikes one that instead of wildly hounding for the State of Maine, Vance McCormick might do better work by taking his wrecking crew to the West to repair the Democratic bridges that are being dynamited by Justice Hughes.

WEST SIDE ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Martens were Denison visitors Friday.

A. J. Kelley and family, Mrs. Anna Sievers and Mrs. Emilie Jentsch were Carroll passengers Thursday.

E. B. Spottswood has purchased the C. R. Knecht residence and Mr. Spottswood and family will again move to West Side from Mapleton, Mr. Spottswood having a position in the Valley bank here.

School began in West Side Monday September 4th. The teachers this year are Miss Grace Tarry, primary; Miss Frances Mumm, substitute for Christine Anderson, first intermediate; Miss Charlotte Anderson, second intermediate. The high school teachers are Miss Works, Miss Jansson, Miss Mary Peters, C. C. Rundall and Mrs. Cook, who will teach in emergency as Miss Zittero resigned.

Wm. Goetsch received a car load of cattle from Omaha Friday.

The Hoffman family from Denison spent Sunday at the Dr. C. L. Patterson home.

Mrs. Claus Anthony was on the sick list the past week.

Mrs. Ed Martens was operated on at the Meekhan hospital in Denison Monday. Her condition is reported to be quite serious.

Mrs. John Steinhauer, Sr. spent Monday at the Hans Sievers home.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Winey on Monday, a daughter.

Paul Lawler was a passenger to Vail Wednesday.

Mrs. P. H. Dolso, Mrs. M. J. Campbell and son, Paul, visited friends in Arcadia Wednesday.

Chas. Englund and family left Tuesday for their new home in Gowrie. We wish them happiness in their new home.

The Kruse orchestra played for a dance at Manning Wednesday and at Herring Saturday.

Misses Gertrude and Rosella Stier returned home Wednesday from Cedar Falls, where they attended summer school.

Ludwig Slegner has returned from Morningside, where he attended summer school.

Miss Theresa Nickelsen was a guest of the Chas. Pirih home in Wall Lake over the week end.

Mrs. James Nickelsen and daughter, Miss Pearl, were in Denison Thursday having dental work done.

P. H. Dolso was in Arcadia on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brockson and baby and Miss Elizabeth Brockson returned Thursday from a visit at the Reimers and Kelley homes in Holstein.

Chas. Schoenjahr shipped two cars of hogs to Omaha Thursday.

Carl Peters arrived here from Goodhue, Minn., Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bornhoff, Sr. returned Friday from a visit in Austin, Minn.

August Schroeder bought thirty head of cattle from Hannes Stoffers and John Rickers Thursday.

Parks Gulick, of Denison, visited friends here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beck and grandson, Milton Bradstreet, returned Friday from their visit at Coelridge, Neb.

T. J. Biernie visited his parents at Carroll Friday.

Fatterson & Campbell received a load of the new model Fords Saturday.

Harry Strathman spent Saturday in Denison and Arion.

Dr. C. L. Patterson passed another milestone Sunday.

John McGovern, of Vail, was here on business Friday.

Mrs. John Killeen, and Mrs. Charles Petersen and daughter, Mary Jane, of Vail, spent Tuesday at the Aug Voss home.

James Malloy returned from Kiron Friday, where he had visited with Claude Peters.

S. B. McGarvey went to Syracuse, Ind., Friday, having been called there by the serious illness of his brother.

Mrs. Aug Voss and daughter, Miss Vera, were shopping in Denison Friday.

Mrs. Sam Kemp passed another milestone Friday. In the evening a card party was given in her honor.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bauer were visiting relatives in Holstein Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Effert were Carroll shoppers Saturday.

Henry Pacholke has purchased the John McGovern residence. His son, Will, and family will occupy the house.

The D. A. R. met with Mrs. C. L. Patterson Saturday in Denison on business Saturday.

John Goetsch, Ben Freese, Henry Schlueter and Ernest Massman each purchased hogs at the state fair.

John Steinhauer, of Arcadia, visited his children here Saturday.

Carl Moeller was in Denison Friday. Herbert Effert returned Saturday from a visit in Rock Island, Ill.

Bill Goetsch spent Friday in Omaha.

Otto Kruse and children, Vernon, Alta and Ruth, returned to their home near Northwood Wednesday.

Irwin Wilson spent Sunday in Omaha.

Mrs. Claus Anthony and daughter, Miss Annie, were passengers to Omaha Thursday, where the latter will have her tonsils and adenoids removed.

Tom Wiese and a friend arrived on Sunday for a visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wiese.

Tony Anthony and family and Mr. and Mrs. Hannes Herman returned from a visit in Minnesota Saturday.

Alva Stiner returned Saturday from a visit in Madison, Neb.

W. N. Walters and family returned Saturday from a visit in Maquoketa, Mrs. Switzer and children returned to their home in Denison Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schossler and sons, of Omaha, visited relatives here Sunday.

Chicago has a barber shop where patrons shave themselves. The employees are hired by the patrons.

CARROLL A. DEVOL.

Brigadier General, Head of Quartermaster Corps of U. S. Army.



The Chicago Daily Farmers' and Drovers' Journal in its issue of last Wednesday contained a most interesting table, which shows the condition of the corn crops this year in the states of Illinois, Iowa, Indiana, Ohio, Minnesota, Missouri, Wisconsin, Kansas, South Dakota and Nebraska, which constitutes the corn belt. The statistics were gathered by the Drovers' Journal from representative farmers residing in the states named above in order to ascertain whether or not the crop report issued ten days ago by the department of agriculture predicting enormous shortages in the 1916 crop was authentic. From the reports received it is apparent that the 1916 crop will fall below that of last year. Illinois reports excessive heat and drought which will curtail the crop to a great degree. Of all the states in the corn belt, Iowa seems to be in the best condition. Twelve counties in Iowa report that the 1916 crop will exceed that of last year from twenty to ninety percent. Mr. F. W. Pruter, who resides south of West Side, made the report for Crawford County thru the Drovers' Journal. In his estimation acreage of corn this year in Crawford County, will equal that of last 1915. He estimates that 15 percent of the crop was planted late but that 30 percent of the crop is in better condition than it was a year ago. Mr. Pruter reports that the corn crop in Crawford county will be 80 per cent larger than it was last year and the yield will equal the bumper crop of 1914. If the report as compiled by the Drovers' Journal is correct, the price of corn will soar between the middle of winter.

The presidential candidate on his tours is no longer bothered with tedious and prosy questions about national policies. The voters can tell better if they like him by slapping him on the back and saying, "Hello, Charlie," or "Hello, Woodie."

What a satisfaction it is after working hard in the garden since May, to sit on your porch and see the nice crop of weeds now maturing.

Prospective high prices for wheat flour are viewed with indifference by many people in view of the probable reduction in gasoline.

When crops are short the consumer has to pay high prices on account of the shortage, and when crops are abundant the consumer has to pay high prices because of the tremendous labor cost of the harvest.

Japan is experimenting with the making of artificial silk.

Aluminum is one of the most abundant metals and ranks third among the elements that make up the earth's crust.

It is about time for the barbarous nations of the world to interfere and stop the civilized powers from killing each other off completely.

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