

at the opera house and invited the senior class of the high school. The evening was pleasantly spent socially and with dancing. At 10:30 a delicious supper was served in the basement. Paul will soon leave for his new home in Minnesota and will be sorely missed by the entire high school.

Thos. Buton, Jr., was in Des Moines on business Friday.

The eighth grade entertained the faculty at a "hard times" party at the M. R. Hueschen home Friday evening. The costumes were decidedly "a hard time" and a good evening of jolly fun was enjoyed. A very tempting supper was served.

Henry Moeller was in Denison on business Friday.

Mrs. Bart Mitchell and children left Saturday for a visit with relatives at Marshalltown.

Wm. Noelle of Arcadia, called on West Siders Saturday.

Mrs. M. J. Campbell and children spent Saturday and Sunday at the Aug. Kusel home in Denison.

Pete Mumm returned from Minnesota Saturday where he helped his brother, Henry, move.

The German Ladies Aid gave a farewell party at the Jacob Mumm home Wednesday evening. The evening was spent socially and later a delicious luncheon was served. The Mumm family will be missed much but good luck is wished them in their new home in Minnesota.

Sam Griegs of South Dakota, is visiting his sister, Mrs. C. L. Patterson. Hansman was a passenger to Carroll Monday.

Frank Racey, Walter Winters, Frank Praters, Jr., and Henry Kruse joined the M. W. A. Saturday.

Mott Alter and Ernest Massman went to St. Paul Saturday for cattle. E. J. Peters and S. B. McGarvey were Denison passengers Monday, where Mr. McGarvey will invoice the stock of the Grau drug store.

Dr. C. L. Patterson transacted business in Omaha Monday.

Miss Clara Brown was shopping in Carroll Monday.

The M. W. A. held a banquet Monday evening and a jolly good time is reported.

Dan Lawler returned from the hospital in Omaha Monday where he has been very ill.

Mrs. Conrad Slegner is reported to be very ill at this writing.

Surrounded by a crowd of neighbors and friends, Mrs. Henry Hornoff celebrated her birthday Friday. A nice afternoon was enjoyed.

Clarence Pruter was a Denison passenger Thursday.

Art Brotherson and family were visiting at the county seat Thursday.

Carl Moeller and Jacob Peters have been promoted to corporal. West Side was justly proud that her boys are making good.

HERRING ITEMS

Harry Mann and wife of Cherokee, spent Monday visiting L. O. Myers and wife of this city.

Among the passengers who left on various trains to different points Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Art Eaton to Lake View, Mrs. Evans and Mrs. Anderson to Odobot and Girl, Froese, Magdalena Schwanz and Valena Dean to Wall Lake.

Mrs. John Peters and family were entertained at the John Gerken home last Thursday.

Martha Gerken, Anna Kaiser, Hilda Beakman, Nellie and Jake Auen, Lane Rhode and Joe Bruns attended the dance at Arcadia last Thursday evening and returned Friday to Herring.

The Rose Valley Telephone company held their annual business meeting at the school building Saturday afternoon.

Richard Peters received a car load of corn from Carnation last Friday at \$1.24 per bushel.

Wm. Pahl, of Wisconsin, is spending a few days with his uncle, Henry Dreessen.

Clifford Browne spent Saturday and Sunday in Denison.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harmon, of Marshalltown, visited this week at the Geo. Schwanz home.

J. W. Parrish, of Schaller, is spending the week at the F. W. Weed home.

L. O. Myers and wife spent Saturday and Sunday in Denison, returning Monday noon.

Charles Fenton, our former blacksmith, who lately has been employed by the Nye Schneider Fowler company has secured a new position at Auburn and expects to leave Herring soon. Many regret to see him leave as he is leaving a host of friends.

Mother's Spread for Soldiers' Bread.

The W. C. T. U. calls upon all of its members and friends to assist in furnishing a box of "spreads" to be sent to Camp Cody. Jellie and jams only are to be sent at this time. Those having the packing in charge suggest that as far as possible tin cans with lids be used, that is baking powder, cocoa, or coffee cans, and thus the danger of the broken glass will be avoided. All gifts are to be left with Mrs. Rachael Goodrich, first door north of McKim Hall this week. Your prompt and generous response will be greatly appreciated by the ladies and your "spreads" will bring joy to the soldier boys.

The Council Bluffs Nonpareil today prints an account of the arrest of Harry Swayhart, charged with bringing intoxicating liquor into dry territory. Swayhart stated that he is a resident of Crawford county. According to the Nonpareil he had twenty-four quarts of booze when picked up. It came from St. Joseph. It is generally understood that he had been sent for the liquor by others, but he refused to divulge any names.

"You do not deny that you brought this liquor into a dry state do you?" asked Commissioner Organ.

"How the h—l can I?" asked Swayhart with a sickly grin.

Swayhart was bound over to the federal grand jury by the commissioner and his bond was placed at \$100 cash.

"I can furnish it if you give me time," said Swayhart.

"You can have all the time in the world," replied the commissioner.

The J. W. Miller, Jr., Real Estate Agency purchased the Alice M. Silletto residence property with two lots located on Washington Avenue this week.

SOCIAL NOTES.

The Rebecca club met with Mrs. Fred Brummer and Mrs. Alice Ainsworth as assisting hostess, Friday, February 8th. A delightful social time was enjoyed and a fine supper was served at 6 o'clock.

The Current Event club will meet this week with Mrs. Fred Brummer. A special Valentine day program is planned.

Friday club will meet with Mrs. P. W. Harding on Friday, February 15th. Instead of with Mrs. L. Seemann, as previously announced.

Mrs. Fred Kadoch delightfully entertained the Priscilla club at her home on Tuesday. The afternoon was spent as usual with knitting and a very enjoyable social time was had, at the close of which the hostess served a delicious supper.

Mrs. Ira Gillmor was hostess to the coffee club on Thursday afternoon. The ladies bustled themselves with various kinds of handwork and enjoyed a delightful social time. At 6 o'clock they were seated at tables and a sumptuous three course dinner was served. Mrs. Chas. Pemberton, of St. Charles, Ill., was an out of town guest.

The Rebecca lodge held their regular meeting on last Monday evening with a very good attendance. After the usual business of the evening was transacted an enjoyable social hour was spent. It was decided at this meeting that the first meeting of each month which occurs on the first Monday, will be a social meeting, while the meeting coming on the third Monday of the month will be a strictly business session.

A number of Mrs. M. L. Branch's friends and neighbors very pleasantly surprised her at her home this afternoon with a covered dish party. The afternoon was spent in visiting with this good lady, and an enjoyable time was had.

Mrs. Theresa Cochran entertained the members of the Woodman Circle club at her home Thursday afternoon. The afternoon was pleasantly passed with social conversation and fancy work, and at 5 o'clock the guests were seated at the table which was beautifully in its Valentine decorations, and served to a delicious supper.

The Berean Sunday school class of the Methodist church was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Weiss Friday evening, when a most delightful time was spent. Games and other entertainment helped to pass the evening and a nice lunch was served at a late hour.

Miss Marie Howarth entertained the K. K. club on Tuesday evening, when a most enjoyable time was spent by those present. A nice lunch was served later in the evening.

Penelope club was delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. C. M. Jensen Tuesday, with every member of the club present who was in the city. The parlors were decorated with a profusion of patriotic emblems and colors and hearts in keeping with the day. These first four lines of a clever original poem which was read by the hostess show how ingeniously were combined the patriotism of the times and Lincoln's birthday and the sweet sentiment of Valentine day:

"Just now when things are so chaotic it behooves us all to be patriotic. And if the situation I understand. Love and patriotism go hand in hand"

The latter part of the poem instructed each lady present to find among the decorations a valentine unmistakably appropriate to herself. This furnished no end of amusement and with the social hour served to pass a most delightful afternoon, which was concluded by a delicious supper.

A social item worthy of special mention, but which was overlooked in our last issue, was the Woman's club banquet, which occurred on Monday evening, February 4th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Caswell. The banquet was served at 6 o'clock to thirty guests who were seated at one long table which was very pretty indeed in its decorations of red and white. A most delicious menu was served throughout which the color scheme was also evident. At the close of the repast Mrs. A. Heisley delivered a very cordial address of welcome to which G. L. Caswell responded in a pleasing manner. This was followed by vocal solos by Mrs. R. O. McConaughy and Miss Lillian Garrison, which were greatly enjoyed and encored. Mrs. J. B. Romans also favored the company with a clever reading. The amusement of the evening was created by Mrs. J. Shaw Van, Mrs. N. L. Hunt and Mrs. J. B. Romans, who were attired in regular gypsy fashion and proceeded to tell the fortunes of the guests. The annual guest night of the Woman's club is an affair which is always looked forward to by the members of the club and this occasion was no exception.

War Beer in Germany.

Reports from Berlin recently received in London show that the Kaiser's subjects are facing a further reduction in the supply of beer, says the New York Times. The amount of malt available for brewing has just been fixed, and, whereas the amount for the last year was 25 per cent of the peace quota, the amount for the next year is to be only 10 per cent in North Germany, and 15 per cent in Bavaria.

When the requirements of the army and of the munitions factories—which in Germany get precedence—have been met, there will be enough malt to provide the civil population with about one-third of its consumption in peace time, but the beer is only the thin "war beer." The barley harvest in the rest of Germany has been bad, and there is now a great increase in the proportion of barley that is used for food.

After the War.

"I shall want some money today, dear," said George Pipwhistle to his wife before the latter set out for business one morning in 1927. And Mrs. Pipwhistle, grumbling the while, handed out the chips and waved her hand from the garden gate as she made a dash for the eight-nineteen.

Three hours after Mrs. P. had returned from the city, George Pipwhistle came in. He had a mountain of parcels in his arms and the light of triumph in his eyes.

"Yes," he panted, as he untied the parcels and disclosed four corkscrews, a stuffed owl, an assortment of paint brushes, a remnant of a cloth-bound "Uncle Tom's Cabin," six walking sticks, a toasting fork, a brace of tin openers, and a roasting jack. "Such a scramble! It's just about the best bargain sale that ever was!"

America Now Leads in Toys.

"American manufacturers are making 90 per cent of the toys being sold in this country today, and they are never going to let this wonderful and profitable industry which has been developed since the war to slip out of their hands."

That statement was made by William G. Whittemore, manager of the stationery and novelty department of the American News Company, says the New York Journal of Commerce. Mr. Whittemore was in Germany when war was declared, buying toys for his concern. This was before the war, one of his duties, but it is doubtful if such a trip will ever be necessary after peace is declared because of the fact that the American toy manufacturer has taken hold of his problem with such aptitude and facility.

Herman Goetsch and Clarence Pruter were passengers from West Side to Denison Thursday on a business mission.

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Wednesday, Feb. 20th

Commencing at 10 o'clock, the following described property:

5 Head of Horses

One gray horse coming 4 years old, weight 1600; 1 roan mare coming 4 years old, weight 1400; 1 bay horse, 9 years old, weight 1250; 1 black horse, 9 years old, weight 1050; 1 colt, 4 1-2 years old.

16 Head of Cattle

Four milch cows, 2 fresh early in the winter and 2 fresh in March; 10 head of heifers coming 2 years old; 1 Shorthorn bull coming 2 years old; 1 calf.

7 Head of Brood Sows

These are fall yearlings due to farrow in early March.

Grain, Hay and Seed Corn

About 30 tons of hay, timothy and clover mixed; some alfalfa and some second crop clover; about 400 bushels of good sorted corn; about 50 bushels of oats, and 150 bushels of Marquis wheat; 8 bushels of seed corn.

MACHINERY AND HARNESS

1 set of 1 1-2 in. harness, nearly new; 1 set of heavy single harness; 1 set of light single harness; 1 saddle; 4 wagons, 1 nearly new; 1 carriage; 1 buggy; 1 P & O corn planter with 120 rods of wire; 1 Deere force feed seeder; 1 Deere model B disc; 1 3-section harrow; 1 walking cultivator; 1 16-inch walking plow; 1 6 ft. Deering mower; 1 5-ft. McCormick mower; 1 McCormick hay rake; 1 hay rack; 1 wagon box manure spreader; 1 10-barrel wagon tank; 1 DeLaval separator, No. 17; 1 well win dlass; 1 wind mill with 30 ft. tower; 2 steel barrels; 1 grind stone and many other things too numerous to mention.

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