PROCEEDS OF EVENING $1,100

Red Cross Auction and Picture Show at Dow City Big Success and Furnished Much Amusement.

SACK OF FLOUR BRINGS $15.50

John Ahart Buys Sack of Seed Corn for $51; John Keairnes Gets Pair of Shoes for $14.00

DOW CITY, Feb. 12—Special—

One of the main attractions of the past week was the Red Cross auction sale held in the opera house, E. T. Malone, of Charter Oak, being the auctioneer. In connection with the sale "The Man Without a Country" was given. The pictures were splendid and very much enjoyed by the large audience. Many articles had been donated for this occasion and good prices were obtained for all, which goes to show that Dow City has the true spirit of patriotism. The proceeds of the evening amounted to about $1100 The door receipts were $95 and the proceeds of the auction sale netted the sum of $659. The balance was made up of cash donations. The opera house was filled to its capacity and all were greatly pleased with the outcome of the event. A short address was given by Elder C. A. Harpe, of Lamoni, that was very appropriate for the occasion and was listened to with much pleasure by each one present. Below we give the list of articles sold and the names of the purchasers: Oscar Fienhold, sack flour, $15.50; John Ahart, sack seed corn, $51; Ed Ahart, for John Ahart, churn, $6; John Keairnes, pair shoes, $14; George Keairnes, pair overshoes, $8.50; Dr. J. A. Brill, 5 lbs. candy, $13.50; Jay Dwine, box of cigars $9; Supt. J. J. Johnson, kodak, $10; Pete Collins, picture, $5; Dr. F. N. Rowe, dressed chicken, $5; Clarence Bryan, stand, $9; O. W. Nelson, stand, $9; W. B. Gibson, war saving stamp, $10; H. E. Butterworth, side of bacon, $13; Clarence Bryan, jar of pickles, $1; F. O. Beane, two halters, $5; G. A. Anderson, watch, $12; Dr. F. N. Rowe, jar of cream, $4; F. C. Buss, table cloth, 12 napkins, $10; Ed Ahart, comfort, $10; Elmer Riddle, cereals, $1; Clarence Bryan, cereals, $1.50; Dr. F. N. Rowe, cercals, $1; Gene Crandall, cereals, $2; Will Turner, cereals, $2; Gene Crandall, cereals, $5; Mrs. Geo. Kearnes, cereals, $2.50; Sears McHenry, picture, $52; F. O. Reynolds, sack of onions, $2.50; Clarence Bryan, sack of potatoes, $5; L. C. Hatch, two chickens, $3; Ed Ahart, comfort, $15; Gene Crandall, comfort, $16; Link Riddle, comfort, $15; W. E. Fishel, comfort and bale of straw, $16; Gene Crandall, pair guineas, $9; Gene Crandall, rooster, $14; Gene Crandall, pair pigeons, $2; Dr. J. A. Brill, goose, $5; Norman Riddle, goose, $5; David Clark, Jr., puppie, $5; Clarence Bryan, white pig, $20; Ed Ahart, red pig, $28; Ed Riddle, red pig, with pedigree, $54; Ed Ahart, barrel of salt, $5; Jesse Agee, picture, $1; 20 men, rooster, $101; John Ahart, white pig, $15; Bank of Dow City, cash $5; Gene Crandall, rooster, $20; Clarence Bryan, rooster, $5; Gene Crandall, 15 bushels 101 oats, $15. The following is a list of those who made $5 cash donations: E. T. Malone, Ed Ahart, John Ahart, Frank Binnall, Fred Pearsall, W. R. Smith, George Binnall, Harold Alexander, Jim Henry, Brinten Sharp, Mrs. Mary B. Fishel, Mrs. Kate Smith, Mrs. Mabel C. Ahart, Miss Lola Fishel, Mrs. Dora Young, W. C. Rolls, Charlie Smith, W. E. Fishel, Fred Buss, E. G. Wiggins, H. G. Scott, E. N. Chamberlain, Fred O. Beane, Geo. Kearnes, J. L. Butterworth, Charles Igou, Geo. Igou, Asa Dwine, Dr. J. A. Brill, F. O. Reynolds, John Weber, Mrs. Lydia Fishel, T. E. Allen, Jay Dwine, Enos Cross, Herman Lazerus, D. E. Bremser, C. O. Miller, Mrs. Ed Ahart, Mrs. Mary Stepanek, Mrs. Della Chamberlain, J. O. Turnlund, Mrs. A. H. Harper, Link Riddle, J. W. Stepanek, Gene Crandall, Dr. F. N. Rowe, Art S. Randall, Morris McHenry, Jr., W. B. Gibson, Riddle Bros., R. W. Houston, Gail Carey, H. E. Butterworth, S. A. Dow, Oscar Fienhold, Geo. V. Jordan, A. L. Jackson, W. E. Dow, Geo. M. Brake, Will Jordan, Gust Frederickson, Lloyd Keairnes and John Birkhofer. The Bank of Dow City donated $15 and Naomi Butterworth, $1.00.

Mesdames A. A. Fishel and W. E. Fishel spent the day Monday in Omaha.

Miss Duffy, one of the rural teachers, spent the week end visiting in Dunlap.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McElwain have been entertaining her brother, Paul Harley, and wife, of Ankeny, the past week. They have just recently been married and were here on their honeymoon.

Rev. G. A. Barker was a caller at the county capital one day last week.

Private Ralph McKee and wife are the proud parents of baby daughter, born on Wednesday, February 6th. Mother and babe are being cared for at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Edwards. This is Dow City's first war baby.

Mrs. Walter Huff was up from Dunlap between trains Wednesday visiting her sister, Mrs. James Baber, and family. Little Thomas and Myrtle Baber, who had spent several days in Dunlap, came home with their aunt.

Mrs. O. J. Judd spent the day last Wednesday visiting relatives and shopping in Omaha.

Mrs. Reuben returned to her home in Omaha Tuesday after a several days visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Herman Lazerus, and family.

Mrs. T. E. Fritz left Wednesday for Ames, where she will spent several more weeks at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Paul Ahrens. The former had been here for ten days or so attending to business affairs.

Private John Bahr was home from Camp Dodge several days the past week, he having been given a furlough in order that he might attend the sale which was held Friday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bahr.

C. F. Chase, of Buck Grove, was a business visitor in town Wednesday.

Miss Lillian Ahart was in Denison Wednesday having dental work done.

A baby son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ahart Wednesday of the past week. Congratulations.

Miss Maude Tease, a nurse from Denison, has been spending the past week at the Ernest Clark home caring for Mrs. Clark and the infant babe who have not been getting along so well.

Mesdames Frank Binnall and W. A. Seemann were in Denison Wednesday shopping and visiting.

Mrs. B. G. Lyman and Frances Clark were down from Carroll Thursday visiting at the J. F. Rudd home.

A. H. Cook, Charley Smith, Jess Justice and Alex Reuben were county seat callers Thursday.

Mrs. May Rudd returned Wednesday from Council Bluffs, after having spent a couple of days at her home at that place.

Walter McKim, of Des Moines, was a business visitor here Wednesday and Thursday, going from here to Denison where he remained a short time before returning to his home.

George Reynolds was a caller in our town Wednesday from Arion.

John Howorth and wife arrived the fore part of last week from Texas and will probably remain here.

Mrs. Art Randel was a passenger to Woodbine Thursday, where she spent several days at the home of her sister, Mrs. Chas. Keehner, and husband.

Mrs. Martin Wieland and little son and Miss Stella Wieland were Denison visitors Thursday.

Mrs. May Rudd was a passenger to Deloit Thursday, where she made a short visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. T. C. Dobson. On her return she stopped in Denison where she attended the L. D. S. conference.

Frank Kummer left the latter part of the week for New York, where he will make his future home. He has been spending the past two or three weeks at the home of his brother, Ernest, and family. He formerly resided near Denison.

James Pearsall, Sr. and Mrs. M. A. Pearsall were passengers to Denison Thursday, where they attended the L. D. S. conference, which was held at that place from Thursday until Sunday evening. The latter was one of the delegates from the local church.

Miss Mary Riddle was among the visitors at the county capital Thursday.

Holland Pett was a passenger to Woodbine Thursday, where he visited several days with his mother and brother, Lloyd, who is now convalescing from his recent attack of lung fever.

Miss Grace Miller returned Wednesday from a visit at her home in Waterloo. Miss Miller is one of the rural teachers in this vicinity.

Gunnar Carlson arrived Friday from South Dakota for a visit at the home of his brother, O. S. Carlson, and family south of town.

Mrs. Walter Cole, who was reported last week to be suffering with an attack of rheumatism, since developed a case of pneumonia and has been suffering intensely for the past week. A nurse in the person of Mrs. Baughman, of Moorhead, has been secured to care for her, she having arrived on Wednesday. Mrs. Baughman is a sister of John Williamson, of this place. Mrs. Cole is reported better at present and we sincerely hope she may remain on the road to recovery.

S. A. Dow was a passenger to Omaha Friday morning, where he spent the day.

Private Ralph McKee came home from Camp Dodge Thursday to get acquainted with his baby daughter, returning to camp Sunday. The little Miss has been presented with a five dollar war saving stamp, toward which several friends contributed.

The Earl Ettleman family, who for some time have been residing on the former Koenekamp place about three miles west of town, are making arrangements to move to Dunlap at an early date.

Miss Marguerite Mullen, of Arion, spent Thursday night at the Art Houston home. She was on her return from a several days' visit in Dunlap. It will be remembered that Miss Mullen was one of the efficient teachers in the rural district last year, she having taught in the Buss school. She is now keeping house for her father near Arion.

Lee Coburn was visiting relatives in Denison the latter part of the week.

Another box of knitted supplies has been completed and shipped by the local Red Cross chapter. The box contained 24 sweaters, 5 pairs of socks, 7 pairs of wristlets, 3 helmets and 1 muffler. The shipment was made last Thursday. A box of convalescent robes was also shipped then.

Victor Keehner was taken ill last week and a physician was called who pronounced his case to be smallpox. The home was quarantined Friday and it is hoped that the patient will soon recover with no further spread of the disease.

Mrs. J. G. Graul returned Friday from a several days' sojourn in Omaha, where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Julia Mix.

L. C. Hatch left Friday evening for Des Moines, where he spent several days in attendance at the editorial convention.

The boys' basket ball teams of the seventh and eighth grades of the Denison school came down Friday afternoon and played the local teams at the close of school. The games took place on the gymnasium floor. In the game between the eighth grades the score stood 29 to 0 in favor of Denison. In the seventh grade game the home team won by a score of 30 to 1. Professor Lynch, of Denison, was one of the referees. The Denison teams returned home on the evening train.

Mrs. McKee was here from Nebraska the latter part of the week to visit her son, Private Ralph McKee, and wife, and also to become acquainted with her new granddaughter, Nadine Liberty. Both Mr. and Mrs. McKee had been visiting their son at Camp Dodge. The former went from there to Illinois to visit relatives, while his wife accompanied their son here on Thursday from Camp Dodge.

The regular meeting of the Standard Bearers was held Friday evening at the home of Miss Pearl McElwain, and there was a good attendance. The lesson study, which was taken from the topic, "Woman Under the Crescent," was considered first and it proved a very interesting feature. The remainder of the evening was spent socially, some time being devoted to music. Nice refreshments were served, which all enjoyed very much. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Isabell Scott with Miss Lona Wiley as leader.

A basket ball game between the girls of the high school and the girls of the town team was held at the school gymnasium Friday night, which resulted in the score of 10 to 20 in favor of the high school team. The same evening the boys of the town team won in a game with the high school boys by a score of 24 to 8.

Ben Wingrove, wife and children were down from Denison Friday visiting at the Thos. Munsey home.

E. N. Chamberlain went to Virginia, Ill., last week on business. He will also visit relatives there.

The marriage of Snowed Thompson and Miss Nora Finnigan took place last Wednesday at Manilla. They will make their home on a farm owned by his uncle, Clark Sterrett, of Quimby. We join with the many friends of the newlyweds in wishing them a long, happy and prosperous journey through life.

Mr. and Mrs. William Smith enjoyed a visit from his sister, Mrs. W. O. Hildebrandt, of Omaha, several days last week. She came up to assist them during their sale.

Mrs. Hugh Butterworth returned on Friday from a several days' visit with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schliefer, in Ida Grove, and at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carol Denio in Lake View.

Miss Florence French went over to Charter Oak Saturday for an over Sunday visit with her folks.

Mrs. Anna Williams was a visitor at the county capital Saturday.

Mrs. Herman Ahart, of Mapleton, visited here last week with relatives. Saturday she went to Dunlap, where she made a visit with her brother.

Mrs. W. F. Hulburd and baby, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. McMurray, and little son, who are visiting here from Jesup, were passengers to Woodbine Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bray and children went to Mapleton Sunday for a visit with relatives.

Miss Anna Bell, accompanied by her little sister, Nina, were Denison visitors Saturday.

Mesdames A. E. Aleman and W. E. Sharp were in Dunlap Saturday between trains.

George Keairnes and wife were passengers to Denison Saturday, where they attended the L. D. S. conference, returning Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Turner returned Wednesday from Jefferson, where they had been called by the death of her brother-in-law.

J. M. Pett was a passenger to Woodbine Saturday for an over Sunday visit with relatives.

Word reaches us of the marriage of Miss Florence Cramer and William Pangborn, which event took place in Yankton, S. D., on the 28th of January. They will make their home in Rowena, S. D. The bride is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cramer, of this place. She has spent nearly all of her life in Dunlap with the exception of the past year or more which she spent in Dow City. The groom is not very well known here. He was employed on the new school building for several months. The best wishes of all are extended to the happy couple.

Miss Anna Hansen, of Dunlap, was a guest of her cousin, Miss Minnie Bahr, over the week end. The girls spent Saturday afternoon in Denison visiting and shopping.

Mrs. Jim Dearduff entertained her two daughters who were up from Dunlap Saturday. Mrs. Dearduff, who has been caring for Mrs. E. E. Newkirk, since the latter's operation for appendicitis several weeks ago, expects to return to her home in Dunlap the latter part of the week. Mrs. Newkirk is now able to be about the house and is getting along very nicely, a fact her friends are greatly pleased to note.

Miss Mabel Ahart was down from Denison Saturday and Sunday visiting her cousin, Miss Lillian Ahart.

Miss Anna Nelson was a passenger from Denison Saturday for an over Sunday visit at the parental, Fred Nelson, home.

Mrs. Carl Blackman and little daughter, returned to their home in Denison Saturday after a visit at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Saul Miller.

On account of having been misinformed it was stated last week that the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brill had been given the name of Joseph, Jr. It should have read John Marty. We wish to take this means of rectifying the error.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Reeser entertained as Sabbath guests Mrs. Watson, of Des Moines, and Mrs. Gosh, of Logan. The two ladies were passengers here from Logan Saturday afternoon, the former having been there for a visit and stopped off here on her return to Des Moines.

Louis Reuben came up from Omaha Saturday for a visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. Herman Lazerus, and family.

Mrs. Carol Denio was here from Lake View the first of the past week visiting at the parental, E. N. Chamberlain home. Little Naomi Butterworth went home with her Tuesday and returned Friday with her mother, who had also visited there.

Miss Marian Short was a passenger from Vail Saturday for an over Sunday visit at the home of her friend, Miss Mae Houston.

Mrs. G. A. Barker and the members of her Sunday school class met at the home of Miss Isabel Scott Tuesday evening of the past week for a social time, the main feature being a taffy pull. Each one present enjoyed the occasion to the utmost. We understand that their plans are to hold a similar meeting every month.

W. L. Swatman was up from Omaha last week visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Jess Agee. He went from here to Dunlap for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Swatman, before returning to Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brasel went to Malvern Saturday, where they were called by the serious illness of their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Luther Brasel, who is being cared for at the home of her parents at that place.

Mrs. A. H. Harper was hostess to the members of the Priscilla club, including several invited guests, at her pleasant home last Thursday afternoon. The attendance was very large, there being about forty guests present. The time was devoted to needlework, knitting, etc., and at the close a very tempting luncheon was served. Mrs. D. J. Butler, of Arion, and Mrs. Frank Odell, of Logan, were out of town guests.

The regular meeting of the Rebekah's was held Wednesday night and after the business session the time was spent in a social manner. Miss Hilda Turnlund was awarded the prize in a game of making the most words out of "Rebekah lodge," in ten minutes' time. Dainty refreshments were served, which added greatly to the evening's pleasures.

Misses Mildred Wiggins, Caroline Shirk and Mabel Cole were among the county seat callers Saturday.

Mrs. J. Burwell, of Sac City, and Mrs. Clyde Haskins, of Manilla, came Saturday for an over Sunday visit at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Reeser.

Misses Frances and Mary Zimmer were passengers to Denison Saturday, where they made an over Sunday visit, returning Monday afternoon.

Mrs. L. C. Hatch and daughter, Lois, attended the L. D. S. conference in Denison Sunday.

John Ahart received a car of cattle from Omaha Saturday, which he will feed for the market.

A business meeting of the alumni was held at the home of Mrs. W. A. Seemann on Thursday evening. Arrangements were made for the publishing of the alumni annual, also other business matters were attended to at this time.

Noah Thompson attended the wedding of his brother, Snowed, in Manilla Wednesday morning.

Herbert Butterworth was in Denison Saturday having dental work done

Lieut. Floyd Sharp was home from Camp Dodge and made an over Sunday visit with his folks.

Robert Mayne sold some horses, cattle, hogs and farm machinery at the livery barn Saturday. He is preparing to move to the farm which he purchased of H. G. Scott, known as the former home of John Ahart, about two miles north of town.

Mrs. Shumate, of Arion, who has been spending the past week at the Jim Baber home caring for their little son through his siege of pneumonia, has secured rooms at the G. V. Jordan home, where she will make her headquarters hereafter.

The members of the library association held a business session at the home of Mrs. A. H. Harper Friday evening and made arrangements to serve a supper on Saturday evening of this week. The ladies have secured the building on the corner where the L. D. S. Aid served their supper three weeks ago. Please bear in mind the place and date. The proceeds will be used for the benefit of the library.

Miss Alvina Peterson visited with her folks in Arion Sunday.

Miss Eva Roy was visiting relatives in Denison Saturday.

The Royal Neighbors held their regular meeting at the country home of Mrs. W. H. Buss on Tuesday of the past week, at which time the officers elected some time ago were installed, they being as follows: Mrs. W. H. Rule, oracle; Mrs. Clair Butterworth, vice oracle; Mrs. T. E. Fritz, recorder; Mrs. Geo. Binnall, receiver; Mrs. E. H. Swasey, marshal; Mrs. Spray Malone, inside sentinel. Mrs. Frank Bolton, of Denison, outside sentinel; Mrs. A. J. Wight, chancellor; Miss Mildred Butterworth, manager for three years and Dr. F. N. Rowe, camp physician. The officers were installed by Mrs. Buss. A social hour was enjoyed after the business session, the guests being treated to a dainty repast.

A. L. Jackson has bought the building where Jim Turnlund formerly conducted a grocery store and will have it moved onto the vacant lot between the office of E. H. Swasey and N. R. Wilder and the Pearl Vore garage, he having purchased the lot some time ago. We have not learned what he will use the building for. Rumor says that a bank is to be erected on the corner where this building stands.

Miss Flora Wiggins was up from Woodbine and spent Sunday with her folks.

Paul McElwain was a caller at the county capital Saturday.

A volley ball team has been organized among the business men and a number of others. The members of the team will practice on Wednesday evening of each week.

The Friday club met at the home of Mrs. P. J. Hallowell on Friday afternoon, there being a fairly good turnout. The stormy weather prevented many from attending, which was a great disappointment to them. Those present report a fine time. The hostess served a delicious luncheon which proved an enjoyable feature.

Frank Field returned Friday from a week's visit at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Will Burke, and other relatives in the Bluffs.

The Roger Paul home, several miles west of town, is under quarantine, Mrs. Paul being the victim of smallpox.

H. A. McQueen arrived Saturday from Holdredge, Neb., where he had held a position as electrician since his resignation here two or three months ago. He has given up the work at that place and will take up his former position here. His wife and children have been with her folks in Tama since their removal from here, but will also return later. All are glad to welcome this family back again.

The Ahart and Smith sale, held on Wednesday, is reported as being quite successful. Mr. Ahart and Mr. Smith have dissolved partnership. Mr. and Mrs. Smith have decided to move to Colorado and will leave in about two weeks. A sale was also held at the Peter Bahr home Friday. The Bahr family expect to leave soon for their new home near Osmond, Neb.

Mrs. O. S. Carlson returned Monday morning from a six weeks' sojourn with relatives in Chicago.

F. C. Buss was a Denison visitor Saturday. He expects to go to Des Moines Wednesday of this week to attend a tractor demonstration.

Mrs. Fred Christiansen underwent an operation at a hospital in Ute last week. Friends are glad to learn that she is getting along nicely.

Mrs. O. J. Judd and daughter, Bernice, spent the day Monday in Omaha on a shopping expedition. The latter leaves Thursday for Washington to accept a government position. She will make her home with her uncle there. She will be accompanied as far as Chicago by her mother.

Barney Brinkman and Oscar Hansen were Denison passengers Saturday.

Ray Field and wife and Mrs. Jay Field were in Woodbine Thursday to attend the wedding of their cousin, Miss Minnie Smith, to Chester Butterworth.

Mrs. S. M. Kuykendall returned on Monday from a several months' sojourn with relatives in Kansas, Oklahoma and other places.

The Baptist prayer meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. A. H. Harper Thursday evening of this week. The Methodist prayer meeting will be held in the League room of the church.

Mrs. Frank Odell and son, Hugh, and daughter, Byrl, came up from Logan Thursday to visit former friends and acquaintances. The former two returned Sunday, while the latter remained for a more extended visit.

Mrs. Shumate returned Monday from Denison, where she had been in attendance at the L. D. S. conference.

Mrs. Arthur Driggins and little son, of Dunlap, were visiting her mother, Mrs. Jim Dearduff, at the Newkirk home the first of the week.

Chester Butterworth and bride arrived here Monday afternoon for a visit with their numerous relatives. They were married Thursday. Mr. Butterworth is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Butterworth of Sioux City.

Grandpa and Grandma Rudd were both quite sick the fore part of the week, they being confined in bed. At the present writing they are reported to be some better.

Relatives here received a sad message Monday morning which stated that Mrs. Woodard had passed away at her home in Council Bluffs after a lingering illness. The deceased was a sister of Mrs. Frank Field, of this place.

J. L. Butterworth, Raymond Butterworth and wife and M. A. Pearsall were among those who attended the L. D. S. conference in Denison.

Mrs. G. M. Brake went to Logan Sunday to spend a few days at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. E. McBride.

Miss Rose Zimmer and Mrs. M. J. Breen were eastbound passengers on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pearsall and son returned Sunday from a week's sojourn in Ethan, S. D. They had been called there by the death of her sister, Mrs. Guy Corbin.

Jess Agee has decided to discontinue his blacksmith business and will farm the coming year, he having hired out to Frank Howorth, and will move his family to the Howorth ranch southeast of town. Mrs. Agee's parents, W. L. Swatman and wife, who have been residing in Omaha for some time, will move back here and make their home with their daughter and family. Mrs. Swatman has been here for several weeks.

Mrs. Claus Hansen was visiting in Denison the first of the week.

We are very sorry to report that Ben Mesenbrink is again confined in bed, he having suffered a relapse from his recent attack of nervous prostration. All hope that he may speedily recover.

George Igou, Jr. and wife have returned from their wedding trip to Minnesota.

On account of school having opened one month later than usual last fall it has been decided to hold school on Saturday for about ten weeks in order to make up for lost time, this plan taking effect on Saturday of this week. The patrons of the school were consulted in regard to the matter by a petition being sent to them. When these were returned it was found that the majority were in favor of the new plan. This will no doubt seem rather unpleasant for the pupils and the teachers as well before becoming used to it.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society will serve a chicken pie supper in the basement of the Methodist church on Tuesday evening, February 19th. Everyone should plan to attend.

ARION ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Downs of Woodbine were in Arion on business on Thursday.

C. A. Saunders of Manila, came to Arion Tuesday and bought a bunch of registered Shorthorn cattle for a western cattle firm.

Karl Motter of Council Bluffs visited his mother, Mrs. Flora Motter over Sunday.

Word reached Arion that Mrs. Bert Stilson had been taken to the hospital for an operation for appendicitis. She was as well as could be expected at this writing.

Mrs. Motter returned from her mother's home in West Virginia last week. She was called there to nurse her mother who had suffered a stroke of paralysis a short time before. She advanced age of her mother forbade recovery and she died before Mrs. Motter could reach her. She spent one day with her brother there, then went home to Ohio with her sister, whom she had not seen for thirty-two years.

Mrs. Metheny has been suffering from an attack of grip this last week.

Miss Nellie Anderson was a Denison caller Tuesday.

George Reynolds moved into the hotel recently vacated by Mrs. Mary Butler. Mr. Reynolds will run an auto delivery in connection.

Miss Iona Brosius will hold services at the Congregational church next Sunday evening. The subject will be "The Bible—How We Got It and How to Use It." There will be good music.

Miss Brosius has moved to Arion and will make her home with Mrs. Wm. Butler.

The Ladies Aid Society met last Thursday with Miss Brosius to re-organize and rename the society. A prize of a quarter was offered for the best name given which was won by Mrs. Marr. The name "Arion Circle" was decided upon. The afternoon was spent in sewing silk carpet rags. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. Ladwig's Thursday afternoon for the benefit of the missionaries.

Last week the Red Cross chapter of Arion sent a box containing 22 sweaters, 13 helmets, 6 pairs of socks, and 1 pair of wristlets.

Mrs. Howard Mathews, Clyde Justice and Ruth Goodrich are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Goodrich.

Mrs. Wm. Butler has been out in the country caring for her daughter, Mrs. Frank Marr who has been quite ill.

About thirty ladies from Arion and vicinity gathered at Mrs. Kelly's home south of town Saturday afternoon for a farewell party. The afternoon was spent in doing fancy work while several piano selections were enjoyed. Mrs. Kelly leaves soon for her new home in Denison. She will be greatly missed for she has won many warm friends while living in and about Arion. Miss Brosius in behalf of the ladies present, presented Mrs. Kelly with money for a rocking chair. After this, lunch was served. The ladies departed wishing Mrs. Kelly and Ivan success and happiness in their new home.

Pansy Brown was an Arion caller Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Miller's daughter from Dunlap is spending a few days here with her folks.

A large crowd of young people from Arion and neighboring country went in bob sleds Tuesday evening to the Tim Coleman home for a farewell party. The evening was spent in playing games after which a lunch was served by the ladies present. Tim Coleman has purchased the A. A. Conrad house and expects to move to Arion soon. This family will be gladly welcomed.

Mr. Sam Fox, Sr., has purchased the George Reynolds property and expects to move to Arion in March. Arion is very fortunate in having this esteemable family live here.

The town of Arion was without water for several hours on Monday but with the aid of a gasoline engine owned by Mr. Davidson, the tank was filled in a short time.

MANILLA ITEMS

Friends in Manilla have received word from Mrs. V. L. Nelson, of Sioux City, stating that her husband who enlisted with Co. A, 5th infantry at Lincoln, Neb., had departed for France the middle of January, and perhaps at this time he has already landed on French soil.

Chuck Saunders, of the Cumberland stock farm, made a business trip to Arion last Wednesday.

Mrs. C. L. Wilhite entertained the Missionary society of the Presbyterian church on Thursday afternoon in a very pleasing manner. Mrs. Harry McCracken sang a solo, which was very much enjoyed. Light refreshments were served and the afternoon very pleasantly spent.

ORDER SHOWING OPPOSITION TO DISCHARGE.

In the United States District Court, Southern District of Iowa.—Western Division.

In the matter of Thomas F. Ransom, Bankrupt—In Bankruptcy.

On the 11th day of February, A. D. 1918, on filing and reading the petition of the above named bankrupt for his discharge herein, it is

Ordered, that the 16th day of March, 1918, be and the same is hereby fixed as the date on or before which all creditors of, and all other persons interested in, said estate and in the matter of the discharge in bankruptcy of said bankrupt, shall if they desire to oppose the same, file in my office at Council Bluffs, in said district, their appearance, in writing, in opposition to the granting of said discharge; and also within ten days thereafter, file in my office specifications of the grounds of said opposition.

Witness my hand hereto at my office in Council Bluffs, Iowa, the day and date herein first above written.

FREMONT BENJAMIN,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
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Public Sale!

The undersigned will sell at public auction in Union township, section 21, on the Nick Aeberhardt farm, 1-2 mile west and 2 miles south of Dow City, 8 miles east of Dunlap, on

Friday, February 22

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

10 Head of Horses

One sorrel mare, 12 years old, with foal, weight 1700; 1 roan mare, 14 years old, with foal, weight 1500; 1 gray mare, 9 years old, weight 1300; 1 old horse, weight 1500; 2 roan geldings, 5 and 6 years old, weight 2800; 1 roan gelding, 3 years old, weight 1400; 1 black mare, with foal, 5 years old, weight about 1300; 2 2-year old colts, weight 2200; 1 suckling colt.

19 Head of Cattle

Two cows with calves; 3 cows will be fresh soon; 2 heifers will be fresh in April; 2 steers coming 2 years old; 1 bull 3 years old; 7 calves.

TWENTY-EIGHT HOGS—11 good Duroc Jersey brood sows; 1 Duroc Jersey boar, and the balance are good stock hogs.

Farm Machinery, Etc.

Milwaukee binder; new broadcast seeder; Oliver gang plow, new; 2 16-inch stirring plows; 1 breaking plow, new; Deering and McCormick mower; 2 lumber wagons; Galloway manure spreader; 2 Jenny Lind cultivators; disc with truck; John Deere corn planter with 80 rods of wire; 1 Dain hay buck; McCormick hay rake; 1 7x16 hay rack; 2 3-section harrows; 1 2-section harrow; feed grinder; spring wagon; 4 sets good work harness; 2 sets fly nets; 1 single harness.

600 to 700 bushels of oats; 1400 to 1500 bushels corn in crib, all hand sorted; few bushels of good seed corn; some good potatoes; and many other small articles.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: All sums of $10 and under, cash; on sums over that amount one year's time will be given on good secured notes bearing 8 per cent interest.

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