HARTWICK.

More cases of mumps at the home of James Smith.

A fine stone quarry has been opened on Peter Jaklin's farm, and stone is being taken therefrom for the new building at the county farm.

The fall term of our school has closed. Miss Stella Orr was teacher.

Mr. Dunham has a fine field of corn which he estimates will yield an average of 80 bushels to the acre.

EDGEWOOD.

Katie Calkins is visiting friends in town.

Lon Hubbell was calling on his brother, Vint, in Greeley last Monday.

Roy Hawley and family moved into the house on his father's farm east of town on Monday last.

Master Harry Perry is down with the chicken-pox.

Jim Whipple has been having his residence painted.

There was a dance last Saturday night at the home of John Sevey jr.

F. L. Minkler and wife were Manchester callers on Saturday last.

C. H. Ricketts and wife and son Jamie drove up Saturday of last week from Hopkinton, visited over Saturday with relatives here and returned home last Monday.

"Burton's Comedians" were the first company to occupy Hesner and Hesner's new opera house. They gave good entertainments on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings last and were greeted by fair sized audiences.

Mrs. Maud Dorman is visiting her parents, Rev. Hubbell and wife this week.

Mrs. Mabel Coykendall, of Waterloo, is visiting at the home of J. N. Harris and wife.

Mrs. Abbie Coolidge started for Colombus Junction on Wednesday last for an extended visit with her son Jess and family who reside near that place.

Mrs. Edna Burgin visited in Fayette over Sunday with Miss Flora Peet.

Billy Madison and Thomas Fisher sr. have been husking corn for Matt Robinson, and Arthur Breed for Doc Whitehead.

Zenas Coolidge and wife visited with friends in Manchester Tuesday and Wednesday last.

The primary room of our school, which has been closed for some time owing to the illness of the teacher, Miss Martha Peet, was opened on Tuesday last with Miss Stranton, of Elkader, as teacher.

ALMIRA.

The frost a flying reminds one of winter.

Tom Bond of Central City, spent Sunday here with relatives.

There are several cases of scarlet fever around again.

Ed. Sheppard from near Manchester was an Almira caller Sunday.

Ryan Kelley of the Bay was a caller here Monday.

Miss Hattie Locke, who has been spending the past three weeks at Central City returned home Sunday.

Hog cholera has made its appearance in this vicinity.

John McElmeel and wife, of Ryan, visited relatives here Sunday.

There was a gentleman through these parts Monday selling groceries for a firm in Chicago. We are unable to say whether he met with much success or not.

There was a day social Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Sam Danfords.

Miss Bridget Mahoney is reported as not so well the past week.

Wm. Michael and wife were Ryan callers Saturday.

Allen Haight and wife, of Ryan, spent Sunday here with their daughter, Mrs. Frank Towne.

Ed Hugh hauled hogs to Ehler Thursday.

C. A. Locke was on the sick list last week.

Mrs. Johnnie Hugh was a caller here Thursday.

Ezra Alrich was a Ryan caller Thursday.

DELHI.

Will Sherman and family, of Oelwein visited at Ave Jamison's last week.

Mrs. Fay has come to spend the winter at the home of her grand daughter, Mrs. H. R. Salisbury.

J. W. Bateman, of Delaware, transacted business here Monday.

Miss Louie Reimer, who is working in Monticello, visited her parents here from Saturday morning until Monday night. Saturday being her 16th birthday about twenty of her young friends planned and perpetrated a pleasant surprise on her that evening. Games were played, light refreshments served and all enjoyed a pleasant evening.

Mrs Jones, of Manchester, is visiting her friend, Mrs. Jane Flack, this week.

Richard Ede is on the sick list.

Mr. Wells, of Monticello came up here Wednesday to see about making some repairs on his house.

Several from here attended the K. P. banquet at Earlville last Thursday night.

Gwen Perkins, who is attending Lenox college, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Farwell, of Manchester, were callers in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heath and little son, of Morley, Iowa, are visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary Heath.

The many friends here of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Stoner, of Strawberry Point congratulate them upon the birth of a baby girl last Sunday, November 11.

G. W. Kickenteger took a business trip to Cedar Rapids Thursday.

Miss Mayme Flemming is home from the sanitarium at Battle Creek Michigan, but she expects th return there in a few days.

Mrs. Bert Ellison and baby are visitng her mother in Hopkinton.

Born, To Mr. and Mrs. Ole Manson on Thursday November 15, a son.

John Allen Dairymyle, of Hopkinton, was in town Thursday.

E. C. Perkins transacted business in Colesburg one day last week.

Miss Pearl Hefner, of Independance and Miss Kittie Manderville, of Delaware, visited the former's sister, Mrs. Grace Stone, over Sunday.

R. H. Bowman has resigned his position as post master at this place. The candidates for the office are too numerous to mention.

EARLVILLE.

The Knights of Pythias held their annual ball and banquet at their lodge rooms on Thursday evening. As this is one of the social events of the year it was largely attended and all unite in voting the Knights royal entertainers. Carpenters orchestra of seven pieces. of McGregor furnished the music for the occasion.

H. J. Kellogg of Chicago has been visiting H. G. and W. I. Millen.

Revival meetings will be held in the M. E. church commencing Sunday, November 25, to be conducted by Rev. B. W. Soper.

Geo. Nieman shipped a car load of horses to Chicago for J. C. Nieman Tuesday and went in with them.

Miss Kate Commerford spent Sunday at her home in Manchester.

Fred Lukenbill and Chas. Schroeder have traded residences and will move this week.

There will be a representation of the Passion Play by pictures at the Congregational church Wednesday evening under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society.

Geo. Ham and family leave Tuesday of this week for Trail British Columbia where they will make their future home.

W. M. Sawyer was a business visitor in town Saturday.

Chas. Fishtemeier left Saturday morning for Monticello where he will be employed by the Diamond Creamery Co. to operate a creamery in that vicinity.

The Outlook Club met with Mrs. H. A. Tobie Friday afternoon.

David Limscher who is book-keeper for the Iowa Grocery Co. at Independence spent Sunday with his parents here.

H. A. Vanfleet was in Chicago on business the latter part of last week.

The Epworth League was pleasantly entertained by Mrs. B. W. Soper Wednesday evening.

A law suit was set for trial before Mayor Taylor, Saturday between J. F. Fahr, manager for the Almoral store and W. L. Wertz stock buyer at that place but a settlement was made before trial.

John Werkmeister and John Voit were in Dyersville Thursday.

Miss Garner, of Farley, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. B. M. Powell, a few days.

HOPKINTON.

On Thursday p. m., Nov. 15 occurred the funeral of Mr. Robt. Wallace at the Covenanter church. He being the father of Prof. Sloan Wallace of the college, the afternoon session of school was omitted.

A short time ago a calf was found in one of the rooms at Clark Hall. The young ladies turned it out of doors. A few days later Dr. Bollman offered a suitable reward for the return of a calf which he had lost. Now the question arises, did the girls take the calf thinking to have a midnight roast in the skyparlors, and for fear of being discovered did they turn him loose.?

Miss Robey and Miss Lathrop were quite sick last week owing to too much exposure. The former young lady is not yet able to get out of her room but she is slowly recovering.

Old Mr. Isbell had a sad accident the other day. The team with which he and his son-in-law, Mr. Harper were working became frightened, jumped over a fence, dragging Mr. Isbell by the lines for quite a distance. His arm was found to be dislocated at the shoulder besides numerous other injuries less serious.

A wedding occurred here last week. Our barber, Mr. Matheson, was married to a Miss Good. Both of this place.

Mrs. C. B. McKean, of Scotch Grove, was visiting friends here a few days last week.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Reeve jr. and Mrs. Thos. Reeve sr. started for Basking Ridge, N. J. on last Tuesday night. Mr. Reeve is pastor of the Presbyterian church of that place.

On Saturday, November 24 will occur the last foot-ball game of the season. Coggon will meet the second team on the Lenox Athletic Park.

Three new students have lately been added to the roll.

It is reported that certain young men consulted their watches so frequently during prayer meeting that the minister was constrained to speak of it.

Miss Hester Hutton, a former student of Lenox, is spending a few days here.

Our chapel choir has been undergoing a modification. It is now composed entirely of male voices. A marked improvement (?).

From the Leader.

A host of the friends and neighbors of Ward Kirk and wife gave that estimable couple a farewell party last Friday night, to attest the esteem in which they are universally held and express regret because of their contemplated removal to Missouri.

The many friends of R. L. Wallace, whose illness from typhoid fever was noted in the Leader last week, were pained to learn of his death which occurred Tuesday afternoon, after an illness of seventeen days duration. Mr. Wallace's condition was full of encouragement for his recovery until within a few days of his death, when the disease took a turn for the worse and his demise soon followed. He was one of the early settlers of this community and a man highly respected by a large circle of friends who regret his untimely taking off. The funeral occurred today from the R. P. church, of which denomination he was a member. Obituary data will be given next week.

A. P. Blanchard was among the Leader callers Monday, coming in to renew his subscription. Mr. Blanchard is now in his 85th year and walked into town from his residence three and a half miles west, and said he was going to make the return trip in the same manner rather than to wait for a team to carry him home. He has been a resident of Iowa since 1836, first settling at Muscatine, but ten years later he came to Delaware county and has resided here for 54 years. Mr. Blanchard says he is getting crippled up so that he doesn't feel so young as he did a half century ago, but there are a whole lot of young fellows of the present generation who would need considerable inducement to undertake a walk of seven miles on a frosty November morning.

PETERSBURG.

Last week Saturday we had the first snow storm of the season.

Many people attended Knee's slaughtering sale at Colesburg last week.

Mrs. John Klostermann and his sister Cilie were visiting John Naber and family at Bear Grove last Sunday.

Mr. Tony Muehl was a New Vienna visitor last Sunday. How did you like it Max?

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Budden drove to New Vienna last Sunday.

Our creamery Co. had a meeting last Monday afternoon.

A large crowd attended the Mensen's house dedication. All were cordially received, and enjoyed themselves immensely. Barney owns one of the finest houses in this township.

A pleasant party came off at Mr. and Mrs. Suebpeck and family last Sunday. All had a good time.

Mr. Barney Goedken transacted business in Colesburg last week Saturday.

Cold, colder coldest.

RYAN.

Our schools opened Monday for the winter term.

Miss Agnes McCaffrey came out from Dubuque Saturday.

John Beacom purchased a fine team of driving horses in Castle Grove last Monday.

Miss Striegel, of Waterloo, has been the guest of her brother John and family the past week.

Mr. Beacom and family have moved from their farm residence to town and are occupying the store room in the Beacom block.

J. P. Smith departed Saturday evening for Davenport, Iowa where he will attend a social Democratic convention.

Mrs. H. Brayton, of Barryville, was shopping in town Saturday.

Court 856 C. O. F. will hold a grand ball, Friday evening, November 23d, to which all are cordially invited. Music will be furnished by the Harmony Orchestra of Manchester with Dewey as prompter.

Rev. S. H. McNamara, of Oxford Junction, was the guest of Rev. P. H. Ryan last Wednesday.

GREELEY.

Henry Box, jr., of Baltic, S. D., came on Monday, for a visit with parents and relatives.

Married, on Sunday, Nov. 11th, 1900, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. John Hindal and Miss Emma Fuhrmann, both of this place. We extend best wishes for their future happiness.

Yesterday a number of the friends of Aunt Sarah Waters gathered at the home of James Fowler and celebrated Aunt Sarah's 61st birthday. The lady is one of our old residents and is respected and loved by all who know her.

A letter was received Monday from Louie Baker, county attorney, Toelle county, Utah, in which he states that he was re elected by an increased majority, and that while a great deal of hard campaigning was done there, he was surprised at the results.

Word was received Saturday from A. B. Holbert, stating that he and Tom would land one day this week. It was not the calculation that Tom was to return to this country this winter, but Mr. Holbert was unable to secure help and therefore he had to use Tom. He expects to return at once and resume his studies in France.

Ed. Webber, of Manchester, one of the brick layers on the new creamery met with a painful accident Friday. He was at work on a scaffold about 15 feet from the ground, when Will Cornell, a tender, stepped onto the same scaffold with two pails of mortar, the combined weight was too much and the scaffold fell carrying both men to the ground. Cornell only received a shaking up but Webber was not so fortunate. He received several bad bruises and a very bad scalp wound.

The deadly feed cutter has again got in its work. Malengthen Thomas living northwest of here was on Tuesday rendered a cripple for life by one of these machine. Mr. Thomas was feeding the machine when his left hand was caught in the rapidly revolving knives and fearfully mangled. Drs. Thomas and Bradley were called and they amputated every finger on his left hand. Mr. Thomas has the sympathy of the entire community in his sad affliction.—Home Press.

Letter From Washington.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 16, 1900.

Editor Democrat:—

The premonitory symptoms of the coming session of Congress are observable. People are pouring into the Capital; the employees are returning after having aided in "saving the nation;" the papers are instructing the legislators what to do, but with very little agreement, and the Capital building is being renovated and improved. Yes, Congress will soon be in session again, and the last meeting of the 56th Congress will begin on December 3, 1900.

There is considerable important legislation to be considered; no one can tell how much will be accomplished, for, while the House because of its rules for expediting business can do much, the Senate with its easy methods can easily kill off any objectionable legislation.

Here are some of the bills of importance before Congress. The Oleomargarine bill which seeks to prevent the substance in imitation of butter from being sold as such, by subjecting it to the police regulations of the state when it is a matter of Interstate Commerce.

The Subsidy bill seeks to encourage our Merchant Marine, and to utilize it in case of war, by paying a bounty to citizens of the U. S. who build vessels for such service. The amount to be appropriated is not more than nine million dollars a year, for the period of twenty years. Such vessels will have to carry the U. S. mail free of charge, and the Republicans will, as a party, support the measure, being along the lines of protection, and the Democrats will oppose the bill. Individuals, however, in either party will antagonize the doctrine of their party.

The Nicaragua Canal bill will be pressed for a favorable consideration in the Senate—it has passed the House—by Senator Morgan, of Alabama. There is determined opposition to this measure both from interest and principle. Those who believe the canal ought to be dug by private capital, and those interested in the Ismian Canal will strenuously oppose it.

Then the bill for the reorganization of the Army will be pressed. The fight in the Philippines is not over yet, and the army will have to be arranged in view of as early and practicable a settlement as possible.

The usual appropriation bills must be passed. This session there will be two character of appropriation bills considered, which, because of the presidential election portending, received but little attention last session; they are the River and Harbor bills, and appropriations for public buildings. A good deal of unnecessary money is supposed to be expended in these matters. That in the River and Harbor bill is technically known to the "Third House" as "Pork," which is off set by "Pie" in the public building grabs. However, there is a good deal of false clamor on these subjects. If, occasionally, money is squandered on Podunk Creek, the general good accomplished in the improvement of our great rivers, and our innumerable harbors, far more than compensate, while the interest on the money invested in fine public buildings is not much more than the rents now paid for necessary conveniences. Our people have a peculiarity of getting red in the face over comparatively small wrongs, while smiling satisfactorially when matters of far more seriousness are taking place.

Of course there are innumerable pension bills now on the Calendar of each House, and thousands in Committees, but only a few will get through this session. There are bills now before the House to knock out the Army Canteen or Saloon, introduced by Mr. Bowersock, of Kansas, and one to limit the meaning of the word "conspiracy" and also the use of "restraining orders and injunctions" as applied to disputes between employees and employers, introduced by Mr. Ridgely, of Kansas. The character of the legislation proposed is pro tem; fortunately only a small portion of it ever gets further than the Calendar Mediocrity seldom makes any permanent impression.

The last election has accomplished the usual decapitating fete. In the Senate after the 4th of next March Senators Pettigrew, of South Dakota, Wolcott, of Colorado, Carter, of Montana, and Allen, of Nebraska, will retire to private life. So will Senators Shoup, of Idaho, and Thurston, of Nebraska. Senator Thurston retires because he has never enjoyed senatorial life—the others retire because the people request them to.

In the House the most noted retirement is Mr. Lentz, of Ohio, who was defeated by eight votes. Even his democratic compatriots will not mourn over his departure. Mr. McAleer, the democratic member from Philadelphia, who was elected to the last two Congresses without opposition, was defeated this time, but even the republican papers contend that it was done fraudulently.

Mr. DeVries, of California, a young man and a member of this Congress, has resigned, having been appointed on the New York Board of Appraisers, by President McKinley. It is a life office with an annual salary of $7,500.

One of the events of this fall here is to be the Centenial celebration of the founding of the government in this, the Federal City, as it was called by Washington. When President Adams and the officers of the department came here one hundred years ago, all told they numbered 56 persons. Now there are about 5000 in the Treasury, 1700 in the Pension Department, 3500 in the Interior Department; as many more in the War Secretary Department, 3000 in the Census Bureau, and probably 5000 more in other departments. We have grown.

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William Cousins & wf to Lilly Watt lots 5 & 6 in block 27 Earlville 1 00

Hattie C Goldsborough to George W. Goldsborough lot 8 in blk 1 Dundee 1 00

W F Merrick & wf to Freda and Charles Schrader lot 5 in block 5 of Haskins add to Nottingham 1500 00

P A Kehoe & wf to F B Dickey com at sw cor of sw¼ sec 31-87-4 running n 18 rds e 9 rds s 18 rds w 9 rds 60 00

Nancy Witse et al to Clem Niehaus sw¼ sw1-4 sec 11-9-3 ..... 200 00

William Mead & wf to Oliver H Lewis e 15 a of sw1-4 se1-4 sec 34-90-5 except 2 r wide off e side 350 00

Sarah E Loop & hus to Geo W Harris lots 2 & 13 block 4 Carter's 2nd add to Hopkinton 500 00

Nancy Cutler et al to L M Meilihger lots 2-3 & 11 in block 2 Carters add to Hopkinton 1610 00

Notice of Incorporation of the Masonville Savings Bank of Masonville, Iowa.

Notice is hereby given that there has been recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds of Delaware County, Iowa, and in the office of the Secretary of State at Des Moines, Iowa, articles of incorporation of the Masonville Savings Bank, a corporation for pecuniary profit, organized under the lows of the state of Iowa, with the principal place of business at Masonville, Iowa. That the general nature of the business of said corporation shall be the transaction of the usual business of a savings bank under the provisions of title nine (9) of the code of Iowa, and of all laws amending and modifying the same. The amount of capital stock authorized is Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000) in shares of One Hundred Dollars ($100) each, all of which has been subscribed and is now fully paid. That said corporation will commence business on the receipt of a certificate from the Auditor of State, authorizing it to do business, and will continue for a period of fifty (50) years therefrom unless sooner dissolved as provided by law. The affairs of this corporation will be managed by a board of five directors elected by the stock holders at their annual meeting to be held on the first Monday in January of each year. A president, vice president, cashier and such other officers as said board shall see fit to provide for shall be elected at a meeting of the Board of Directors held immediately after the annual meeting. Until such annual meeting in the year 1901 the provisional board of directors shall be; Thomas Rose, J. W. Turley, Daniel Regan and Dennis McGraw, all of Masonville, Iowa, and J. J. Hanley, of Monti, Iowa, and the provisional officers until the first annual election thereof shall be: Thomas Rose, President; Dennis McGraw, Vice-president, and J. W. Turley, cashier; all of Masonville, Iowa. The board of directors shall fill all vacancies in its membership and in the officets of the bank, between annual elections. The private property of the stockholders shall be exempt from liability for corporate debts except as provided for in section 1882 of the Code of Iowa.

Dated, November 12, 1900.

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In The District Court of Iowa In And for Delaware County February Term 1901

George R. Hamblin vs. James Nadeau, Maria Latour (formerly Maria Nadeau) Alexis M. Nadeau, Mrs. Antoine Nadeau and the unknown claimants of the south east quarter (1-4) of the south east quarter (1-4) of section twenty-six (23) and the north 39½ acres of the north east quarter (1-4) of the north east quarter (1-4) of section thirty-five (35) township 88 north range 5 west of the 5th. p. m. in Delaware county, Iowa. Defendants.

Original Notice.

To the above named Defendants: You and each of you are hereby notified that there is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the district Court of Iowa, in and for Delaware County, the petition of the plaintiff, George R. Hamblin, in which he alleges that he is the absolute owner in fee of the south east quarter (1-4) of the south east quarter (1-4) of section twenty-six (26) and the north 39½ acres of the northeast quarter (1-4) of the north east (1-4) of section thirty-five (35) township eighty-eight (88) north range 5 west of the 5th. P. M. in said county.

That plaintiff became the owner of said premises by purchase and conveyance from Annie E. Barker and husband, Lester R. Barker and wife and Arpolina Barker; and that they obtained their title thereto as shown by abstract of title attached to said petition and the allegations of said petition.

That diligent search and inquiry has been made and plaintiff has not been able to ascertain whether Antoine Nadeau or Alexis M. Nadeau, upon their decease left them surviving any heirs at law or devisees, other than the defendants, Maria Latour and James Nadeau, and avers that if any such there are their names and place of residence is not known to plaintiff and that he cannot more particularly describe the unknown claimants to said real estate than as stated in said petition.

That the plaintiff and those under whom he claims title to said real estate, now are and for more than ten years last past have been in the continuous, actual, open, adverse, exclusive, visible and notorious possession of said premises, and of every part and parcel thereof, under color of title and claim of right. And among other things asks that his title to said real estate be established and confirmed against the adverse claims of the defendants their heirs and assigns and all unknown claimants thereto; that they and all persons claiming by, through or under them be barred and forever estopped from having or claiming any right, title or interest in said premises adverse to the plaintiff; and for other and further relief.

And that unless you appear thereto and defend on or before noon of the second day of the next February term of said court to be begun and holden at Manchester, said Delaware county on Monday the 11th day of February 1901 default will be entered against you and judgment and decree rendered as prayed.

Dated this 17th day of November, 1900.

BRONSON & CARR
Atty's for Plaintiff

I, A. S. Blair, judge of the District Court of the 10th Judicial District of Iowa, do hereby approve the foregoing original notice in the case of George R. Hamblin vs. James Nadeau et. al, and I do hereby order that the same be published in the Manchester Democrat, a weekly newspaper published at Manchester, Delaware county, Iowa, for six consecutive weeks prior to the first day of the February 1901 term of the District court of said Delaware County.

Signed at said Manchester this 17th day of November 1900.

A. S. BLAIR,
Judge of the 10th Judicial District of Iowa.

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In The District Court of Iowa, In And For Delaware County, December Term, A. D. 1900.

In the matter of the Application of Tommy B. Armstrong, a registered Pharmacist, for a permit to buy, keep and sell Intoxicating Liquors

Notice of Application for permit

To F. B. Blair, County Attorney, and all others whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that there is now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District court of Delaware county, Iowa, the petition of Tommy B. Armstrong, at Greeley, Iowa, asking that he be granted a permit to buy, keep and sell intoxicating liquors in the two-story frame building known as the Holbert building on Front street in Greeley, Delaware County, Iowa.

That said matter will come on for hearing on the 2nd day of the next term of the district court of said Delaware County to be begun and holden at Manchester on the 17th day of December, 1900, of which you will take notice and govern yourselves accordingly.

Dated at Manchester, Iowa, this 1st day of November, A. D. 1900.

TOMMY B. ARMSTRONG, petitioner.
BRONSON & CARR
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