COGGON.

Mike McEnany went to Chicago Tuesday to be gone a week.

The Farmer's Institute will be held in Coggon February 5th and 6th.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Houston will start in a short time for an extended visit with relatives in Oregon.

We have reasons to believe that considerable building will be done in Coggon during the present year.

The dedication of the new Odd Fellows' hall at Troy Mills, which was to have taken place last Friday night, was postponed two weeks on account of the death of H. Risdon, a member of the lodge at that place.—Monitor.

PETERSBURG.

A bright girl baby comforts the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hy Niggling.

A mad dog, which created great excitement southwest of town, was shot and killed by Tony Overmann.

Our Creamery Company was busy hauling the ice last Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday for the coming year.

Mr. H. Kirkhoff, of Bear Grove, was noticed here last Tuesday.

Mr. H. Brunsmann and his sister, Lizzie, of Luxemburg, were visiting at Clem Klostermann's last Sunday.

Mr. F. H. Rolfes jr. had business in Earlville last Friday.

Mr. F. H. Kramer, of Dixon Settlement, passed through here enroute for Earlville last week Tuesday.

A mission conducted by Jesuits will be held here from January 27 to February 3.

Mr. F. H. Rolfes sr. bought a fine horse of M. Frank, of Colesburg.

Mr. Frank Rubly, of Hickory Valley, was a pleasant caller last Sunday.

GREELEY.

I. M. Gibson is still confined to the house.

Mrs. Thomas Cole and children, have returned from New York.

We understand that a hotel is to be built in Oneida.

Manchester should not feel sore over not getting that $15,000 bridge at the first attempt. There is another day coming. Try again.

Will Strain has severed his connection with the Hawkeye drug store and has accepted a position with a firm in Independence. It is a step ahead.

We were pleased to see John Armstrong in town Monday. John has not fattened up any during his five weeks illness, but now that he is recovering he expects to soon regain his old time corpulency.

A few of Mrs. R. W. Fishel's neighbors of Eads Grove went to Manchester, Thursday to remind her of her 54th birthday. On account of sickness, only a few were able to attend, but those that went report a good time and a complete surprise on Mrs. Fishel. J. Coyle and wife, J. Martin and wife, S. Welterlen and wife and J. E. Frentress and wife from here were present. The company presented Mrs. Fishel with a set of silver knives and forks as a token of their love and esteem for her.

SLOCUMVILLE.

New Years has come and gone and down has come the Xmas decorations that have cost so much labor and money. Now there is Kalamity Thorpe, we have not estimated just how much he did spend for holiday decorations, but now it is all a thing of the past. And right here let me say if any of Mr. Thorpe's many customers would like to know how Kalamity came by his pseudonym, just step in to Fay French's wagon shop, and the story will be told in good shape.

We have often mentioned in our letters to the Democrat our friend and neighbor, Mrs. Welch, who, if she lives to see her next birthday, will be one hundred and two years old. Mrs. Welch is smart and livelier than many a woman a score of years younger. She lives with her son, James Welch, and has the best of loving care.

We attended the Republican convention held at the Court House in your city and there was a crowd of fine looking fellows in attendance from all parts of the county. Everything ran along smoothly enough until I, forgetting I was not in a Democratic convention, arose and began a few words of good old democratic advice; some one said "that is an old Democrat, let's throw him out." The motion was seconded and the only thing that turned my hot headed brothers minds from their evident intention to do me great bodily harm, was an earnest appeal made by my friend, R. R. Robinson. From that on I kept quiet and in that way steered clear of the anger of the Republican Central Committee and their brothers. I consider that it was a mighty close shave and a lucky escape.

SLOCUM.

HOPKINTON.

Mrs. W. H. Stevenson has removed here from Sand Spring, together with her son, who will attend Lenox College.

James Gray has sold his farm of 67 acres to John Kelley, the price being $55 per acre. Farm lands within the influence of Hopkinton are bringing good prices.

At the I. O. O. F. meeting last Thursday night the following officers were installed for the ensuing year, the district deputy, C. L. Hackbarth, of Earlville, presiding: W. H. Hull, N. G.; W. J. Petrie, V. G.; S. P. Carter, treasurer; Fred Loop, secretary; F. M. Wheeler, permanent secretary. After the installation was over the members partook of an oyster supper at the Hotel Hopkinton.

Here's a sample of hog raising that we think will be hard to beat. John Glanz, who occupies one of Fred Bort's farms started in last March with 25 brood sows, and from the increase he has already sold $1100 worth of live hogs, has 50 contracted for delivery on the first of February at $5 per hundred, and in addition to that has 50 brood sows left to begin the new year on. Mr. Glanz is hustler as a farmer, and he is using judgment along with plenty of good work. These returns show what practical farming is capable of accomplishing when directed with intelligence.

A. B. Waters, of Manchester, has bought the J. D. Morgan livery business and took possession on Monday. Mr. Waters was formerly connected with the Quaker Mill company at the county seat but was compelled to give up that work to escape the confinement of indoor work. He has stepped into a good business and will continue the reputation of the stable as one of the best equipped liveries in the county, and he will be found a pleasant gentleman to deal with. His family will immediately remove here and will temporarily occupy quarters in the brick house recently completed by E. M. Loop. Mr. Morgan will give his attention to the rural mail business and other matters.—Leader.

RYAN

John Dolphin is making preparations for the erection of a large barn on his farm west of town, the contract has been let to Henry Gilchrist.

Ted Zweisler of Dubuque, spent several days of last week visiting his brothers Isadore and Joe.

John Monaghan of Benton, Wis., was calling on friends here Friday.

Geo. Schroman of Dubuque, was the guest of uncle John O'Brien and family last week.

Mrs. P. Clark and brother Michael Seerey left last Friday for Greene county where they will be the guests of relatives for a few days.

Nick Weiler went to Chicago with a car of cattle Wednesday.

EARLVILLE.

Prof. E. B. Fogg, field agent for Cornell College, was looking after the interests of the school in town Friday.

The members of W. I. Millen's Sunday School class with a number of other young people were pleasantly entertained at his home on Wednesday evening. The evening was spent with games and music and a pleasant time was enjoyed.

Tuesday evening "The Trapper's Daughter" was given in the town hall by a troupe of traveling players. A large house greeted the performance which was fairly good.

Burt Millen, of Epworth Seminary spent Sunday at home.

Mrs. Charles Fishtemeir went to Cedar Rapids Wednesday for a visit with friends in that city.

W. W. Loomis is buying hogs at this place for his brother Ben of Farley.

H. G. Millen went to Kansas City last week.

E. B. Gould accompanied his son to South Bend, Indiana, where he will visit for a time.

Miss Della Jackson, of Delhi, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. Phillipp over Sunday.

Miss Kate Robinson who has been attending Epworth Seminary, came home Monday night. She is suffering with an attack of the grip which it is hoped will not last long.

Howard Lynch, of Waverly, visited friends in town over Sunday.

H. J. Van Fleet had five car loads of cattle on the market at Kansas City Monday.

A missionary program was given at the Congregational church Sunday morning.

DUNDEE.

A. Lee, who has been on the sick list is somewhat improved at this writing.

The firm of Duerst & Duerst have sold their property and stock of merchandize to Mr. Andrews of Hazel Green, Wisconsin.

Miss Maud Fay, of Forestville, is attending school here.

N. H. Christenson, of Waverly, state deputy of the Mystic Toilers was in town last week in the interest of the local council here.

Rev. Bruce conducted meetings in the Lutheran church last week.

The C. G. W. Ry, is locating a gravel pit west of town. They have a force of men at work testing it, but have not arrived at any conclusion yet.

Several cases of scarlet fever are reported southeast os town. The Dixsie school has been closed on that account.

R. Almers is helping F. Zemanek in the blacksmith shop.

Niss Nellie Briggs is employed at Hotel Goldsborough.

W. and F. Keegan, jr, of Masonville, were business visitors here last Monday.

There was a basker social at Mr. Southern's last Friday night. It was reported a success both socially and financially.

DYERSVILLE.

Mrs. Frank F. Vorwald of New Vienna has returned from a three week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs Edward Raker of Arcadia. She reports a very pleasant visit with old friends.

Arnold Boeckenstedt of Bear Grove was here Tuesday. He reports his son Frank who has been quite sick for some time, on the road to recovery, which will be pleasing news to his many friends.

Mr. Jos. Erdman, one of the pioneer settlers east of New Vienna, died at his home last Saturday at the age of seventy-five years, being born in Westphalia, Germany, on May 18, 1826. He came to Dubuque about fifty years ago, where he was married to Miss Katie Bruning. Soon after they settled on their farm near New Vienna, where they made their permanent home. His wife died a year ago last October.

It has been nothing uncommon during the past few years, for a farmer on going to his barnyard in the morning to find his hennery looted of all his fowls. We learn that at a rough estimate nearly eight hundred farmers in this and surrounding counties have suffered losses by thieves during the past few years, while the promoters of the crime have increased wonderfully in experience and the mode of securing their plunder which may be styled as professional, which has caused a general uprising among the farmers.

In last week's issue the Commercial gave an account of the sudden death of Mr. Anton Harmeier, an aged and respected farmer near Petersburg, Ia., which occurred January 7th. Mr. Harmeier was one of the oldest settlers in this section of Iowa. He was a native of Voltage, Hanover, Germany, where he was born April 15th, 1819, and was therefore nearly 82 years of age at the time of his death. He emigrated to America when he was 22 years old. At Hamilton, Ohio in 1845, he was united in marriage to Miss Mary Kortenbrock. About 1860 he moved directly to his farm near Petersburg, Iowa, where he continually resided until his death. The past few years he had made his home with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Dettmer. Deceased is survived by three daughters and one son, Maggie, now Mrs. Aug. Dettmer; Mary, Mrs. Jacob Kleespies; Lizzie, now Mrs. Henry Bruning and Henry Harmeier. The funeral took place at St. Peter and Paul's church at Petersburg, Rev. Rottler officiating. The remains were laid to rest in the Catholic cemetery at that place. Mr. Harmeier was one of the most highly esteemed and respected residents of this section. He was well known by all, especially by the older generation with whom he had lived through the pleasures as well as the trials of the pioneer days.—Commercial.

EAD'S GROVE.

Jacob Moser and family visited near Almoral Sunday at the home of Mr. Moser's brother, Will.

Messrs. Bruce Hunt and Sam Ridenour and the Misses Nettie and Gertie Fowler attended the play at Edgewood Wednesday evening.

Arthur Breed, who teaches school at No 7, had to close school on account of his father's ill health. Mr. Breed died Wednesday morning and was buried Thursday, January 17th at Edgewood.

Ray Moody, of Greeley, visited Will Rutherford last Tuesday and Wednesday. They took in the play at Edgewood Tuesday evening

Mr. McKinnis and family visited at Frank Segars, near Oneida Sunday.

Smith Bros. killed a jack rabbit last Saturday, that weighed seven and one-half pounds. It was almost clear white This makes four jacks the boys have brought down this winter and they say this was the smallest one of the four.

John Armstrong is able to be out again although he looks pretty well petered out.

Will Smith sold forty seven hogs last Tuesday which netted him the neat little sum of $600.

J. M. Retherford and wife spent Wednesday evening at the home of J. Moser.

Ralph Barger was selling fruit trees to some of our farmers last week.

Mr. Strain sold twenty-five hundred bushel of corn recently. One thousand to A. B. Holbert, one thousand to Clute Bros. and five hundred to H. Wilson, of Greeley, which they are delivering this week.

The little four year old son of Winfield Lash has been very sick but is somewhat better at this writing.

Grace Edmunds visited Miss Sadie Fowler last Friday.

Will Frentress has gone to Dundee to care for his brother Emsley who is very sick. His recovery is uery doubtful.

Robin Taylor has the mumps.

The cold weather and rough roads seem to have no effect on the book agents. Geo. Lull, of Greeley, one of the latest recruits is selling "The Galveston Disaster." But then George is not hard to get rid of. All you have to do is to put your name on his subscription list.

C. M. McKinnis has rented Otis Stone's farm, better known as the Boggs farm. The fact that Mr. McKinnis remains in this vicinity is a positive proof that Delaware county is the place. After selling his farm to Mr. Retherford, Mr. Mckinnis went to South Dakota and then to Oklahoma in search of a desirable location, but found nothing quite so good as Iowa. Now Cy may be heard humming:

"Mid pleasures and palaces
Though we may starry;
Be it ever so humble,
There's no place like Iowa."

LAMONT.

Union Revival meetings will begin here in the M. E. church January 27. Let everyone attend.

The Misses Lottie Hilton and Nellie Wing visited their Dundee and Manchester relatives the past week.

Miss Lula Crew came up from Oskaloosa Wednesday to take the position in the dry goods store of Swaine & Co. made vacant by the absence of Miss Minnie Baily, who left for her home in New Richland one week before.

Mrs. Bert Crew, while washing January 14 ran a needle whole length into her hand. She immediately went to Dr. Ward, who succeeded in getting it out but her hand is still very sore.

C. L. Brown and John Brown attended the assessors' meeting called by auditor V. W. Davis in Independence January 11, when they estimated a uniformity of taxation. Each assessor is allowed $2 per 8-hour-day labor. C. L. Brown, Lamont city assesor, is allowed twenty-two days to assess and John Brown, township assessor, is allowed forty-five days.

An up-to-date ball here in Wheeler's opera house January 31st.

Will Rule gave a good time party to his many young friends January 18.

Dell Cowles is home from Oelwein.

Mrs. J. M. Franks wired her sister, Mrs. J. Jones also, J. M. Franks of the death of her sister, Mrs. Cairy, who died at Andrews, Iowa, last Monday leaving a heart broken husband and six helpless children.

Miss Ada Lake went to Fayette January 14 to visit her friend Miss Flora Peet.

Mrs. F. E. Peet took passage to Fayette January 16 to spend the remainder of the winter with her daughter, Miss Flora.

D. M. Whitney is improving and is now able to be up around the house.

Mrs. Robert McCormack, of Oelwein, visited her daughter, Mrs. G. S. Reid, and family lest week.

Elmer Able and family enjoyed a visit from his parents last week, the latters' home is in Mt. Auburn, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark, of Stanley, were here visiting and patronizing our dentist, G. E. Genung.

D. K. Cook and wife with their household furniture took passage to Elwood Tuesday. May health, wealth, happiness and all that is good and pure be their continual friend.

The Lamont Woman's Club will meet with Mrs. J. J. Hesner Friday p. m. January 25. A rarely good program is outlined.

Miss Nettie Chase, of Charles City, visited her friends here last week, they being Mrs. A. A. Ostrich and her former teacher, J. F. Davidson, our esteemed editor.

Prof. H. F. Carter and wife are here for the winter teaching oil painting.

The annual meeting of the Lamont Creamery will occur February 2 at 1 p. m. in the Wheeler opera house, to elect officers and transact other business.

Wm. O'Brien took the job to fill the Lamont ice houses and he with his gang of helpers brought in some of the finest ice we have had for many a year. It is 12 to 15 inches thick and clear as crystal.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Knettle returned from Elgin, Illinois, last Tuesday after a two month's absence visiting both from a business and friendship standpoint.

Wm. Goldsmidt took charge of the Commercial hotel here Monday. Mrs. Goldsmidt's parents, C. F. Stallard and wife, and Miss Francis will take charge of the hotel assisted by Guy Brigham as clerk. Wm. Goldsmidt will continue as traveling salesman on the road for a Bostonfirm.

Mrs. Bell Spicher is now landlady of the Hazleton hotel, preferring the change as her relatives live in Hazleton. We wish her and the children success.

Vera Flaucher entertained her several little friends last Saturday per invitation from Mrs. Flaucher, it being Vera's ninth birthday.

Died, at her home in Lamont last week Sunday, Mrs. O. F. Turner after a long illness. Deceased leaves an affectionate husband, four children, Harry F. of Centralia, Illinois. Glen, Maud and Charlie, of Lamont. We tender them the sincerest of sympathy. The funeral was held at the house at 3 p. m., after which the remains were taken to Waterloo where the loved one was laid to rest.

Chas. Bray and wife were called on last week Wednesday to part with their six weeks old baby boy. Sympathy is extended to them.

HARTWICK.

Homer Porter was a business visitor to the county hub Friday.

Furman Bros. have put in a new dam and are doing a large grinding at their mill.

About thirty-five people from this place surprised Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shaw last Wednesday, the occasion being the marriage anniversary of that worthy couple. The surprisers took with them a large supply of edibles. After supper Mr. Stoner, in behalf of the guests, presented Mr. and Mrs. Shaw with a pretty set of glass ware. Games were played and a general good time had.

Orman Hartman, after a long sickness, is again able to attend school.

ALMIRA.

The weather caught cold Wednesday.

John Flannagan and Jim McGuire were Ryan callers Wednesday.

Ed Hugh drove to Hill's Mill and back Friday.

There was a social little gathering at James Warrell's Monday night.

C. A. Locke and wife went to Central City Monday returning home Tuesday.

Bud Sheppard was a Ryan caller Monday.

Fred Bartche and wife from near Hartwick visited the latter's parents here Sunday, H. D. Aldrich and wife.

Wm. McCusker had a corn hauling bee to Ryan Saturday and Monday.

Will Flemming was through these parts last week buying cattle.

Dr. Bradley of Manchester was called here Thursday to see Ollo Thomas who is very sick with pneumonia.

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Acheap remedy for coughs and colds is all right, but you want something that will relieve and cure the more severe and dangerous results of throat and lung troubles. What shall you do? Go to a warmer and more regular climate? Yes, if possible; if not possible for you, then in either case take the only remedy that has been introduced in all civilized countries with success in severe throat and lung troubles, "Boschee's German Syrup." It not only heals and stimulates the tissues to destroy the germ disease, but allays inflammation, causes easy expectoration gives a good night's rest, and cures the patient Try one bottle. Recommended many years by all druggists in the world. For sale by Dr. Donnelly, Ryan, Iowa.

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Persons who suffer from indigestion can not expect to live long, because they cannot eat the food required to nourish the body and the products of the undigested foods they do do eat poison the blood. It is important to cure indigestion as soon as possible, and the best method of doing this is to use the preparation known as Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat and restores all the digestive organs to perfect health. Smith Bros.

The Maid was in the GARDEN.

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This is the first number of Leslie's Monthly which represents the new century, and it may fairly be taken as establishing the high water mark of mechanical excellence in magazine making in an inexpensive form. The editors are conventional enough to believe in appearances, and they wish to call especial attention to the looks of the Monthly—the printing, the paper, the illustrations and the general "makeup." The illustrations show the best results yet achieved by ten cent magazines. The paper is opaque; the print in single column, big and clear—the best print for weak eyes which any illustrated magazine of to-day has to show.

When threatened by pneumonia or any other lung trouble, prompt relief is necessary, as it is dangerous to delay. We would suggest that One Minute Cough Cure be taken as soon as indications of having taken cold are noticed. It cures quickly and its early use prevents consumption. Smith Bros.

Horses Wanted.

Harry Light the Pennsylvania horse buyer will be at Sheiden's barn Saturday, January 18th and Monday, January 21st, to buy one car load of sound Driving and Draft Horses from 3 to 8 yrs. old. Remember the date and bring in your horses.

H. E. Light,

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