

Mrs. P. J. Roche is the guest of friends in Chicago. C. E. Smith is the guest of relatives and friends in this city.

Mrs. J. W. May returned Saturday from a several weeks visit with relatives at Spencer and Independence.

Mrs. J. B. Hoag has returned from her visit with relatives at Minneapolis.

Will Strain, of LaPorte City was the guest of Manchester friends Saturday.

Fred Johnson, of Chicago, is the guest of relatives and friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Paul, of Des Moines, are guests of friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Merriam, of Des Moines are visiting relatives in this city.

P. F. Madden and family have moved into the W. A. Roe residence on Union street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Kent mourn the death of their little old baby, which died Saturday.

Clyde Heath who is firing on the Illinois Central is the guest of relatives and friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Johnson, of Dubuque, spent Sunday with relatives and friends in the city.

Fred Cornish, editor of the Bounder (Montana) Age is the guest of his mother Mrs. Edie Cornish.

Ben Smith goes to Cedar Falls today where he will resume his studies in the Iowa State Normal School.

County Attorney Cloud and Postmaster Lucas, of Earlville, were Manchester business visitors Monday.

Quite a number of Rebekahs from Greeley and Delhi attended the meeting of the local lodge Monday evening.

Will Friend departs the first of next week for Leavenworth, Washington, where he will make his future home.

Miss Lillian Bateman has returned from Chicago and is again on duty in the military department at B. Clark's store.

The Declaratory contest held at the High School Friday was well attended. Miss Anna Lein won the first place.

The meeting of the township clerks and trustees of Delaware county held at the Court house last Thursday was largely attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Del. Snyder, of Primchar, Iowa, are the proud parents of a baby boy born Tuesday March 10.

Marriage licenses were issued during the past week by Clerk Georgan to Julius Berg and Mary Corwell, and Hiram J. New and Anna Cook.

Asa Caldwell passed away last Wednesday at his home in Monticello. Mr. Caldwell was a brother of Mrs. W. Clark and Mrs. E. Marshall of this vicinity.

Lemmet McGrew who is a student at the Cedar Rapids Business College, was an over Sunday visitor here, the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McGrew.

Mrs. Geo. Sellens died Sunday forenoon at her home in North Manchester. Services were held at the St. Pauls church. Interment was made in the Manchester cemetery.

John Halmeyer of Durango, Dubuque county, who recently purchased the Ed Stimson farm southwest of this city, arrived here Tuesday morning with his stock, farm machinery and household goods.

The new switch board for the Delaware County Telephone Company is being placed in the Company's offices in this city. We understand that the phones now in use will be taken out and better instruments will take their places.

A. R. Acres has resigned his position as operator with the Illinois Central R. R. Co. at this station and will leave this week for Van Meter, Ia., where he will visit relatives and friends.

Herb Stoner, the well known base ball player of Earlville, has signed to play with the Dubuque league team this coming season and will report in this city about the first week in April.

James Fowler, of Honey Creek, has been in town several days, in training, we supposed, for a bout with Sheriff Fiebel and the other candidates for the other candidates for the republican nomination for sheriff.

Thomas O'Hara, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael O'Hara, who live near Coggon was instantly killed by the bursting of a balance wheel on a wood saw last Thursday.

The subject of good roads is just now uppermost in the minds of those who have to travel them.

I suffered with nervous debility for two years and doctored with many of the best doctors, but got no relief.

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North Dakota Postmaster is Smothered to Death.

Bismarck, N. D., Special.—George W. Moffet, an old and well known farmer of Burleigh county, living twenty-five miles southeast of this city was killed by the collapse of a granary.

While we do not want to take advantage of the unfortunate man who was killed by the collapsing of an over-stored corncrib, we still have an impressive fact here.

Can you now doubt us when we say that North Dakota is fast becoming a corn producing state.

At the Pan-American Exposition North Dakota Corn won second prize silver medal, in competition with the great corn states.

It is the land of wheat, corn, flax, oats and barley. Stock raising brings big profits.

For full information concerning farm lands in Ransom and adjoining counties call on our local representative, or write us.

PRICE & BRONSON LAND CO., Lisbon, North Dakota.

A DEMOCRAT "AD." PAYS

WANTED--YOUR ATTENTION! HATS! HATS! HATS!

Doesn't your winter hat look just a little shabby? Don't you think a new hat would be a good thing for your business? Buy it, let people know you are progressive--and ready for the Spring Season.



We believe we have the largest and best line of hats ever shown in Manchester--although we will leave it to you. Come in and judge for yourself. All Men's and Boys' every day hats, "Planters" in assorted patterns, only 30 CENTS.

Spring Caps, the 'Automobile' is the newest thing. Get a Key to the \$20 Bank. Every even \$2.00 cash purchased entitles you to a key.

Gildner Bros., Clothiers and Tailors.

Manchester Markets. Hogs, per cwt. 4.50. Steers, per cwt. 4.50. Hens, per cwt. 3.00.

ALL NEW! Shoes, Dry Goods, Groceries, Furniture Tin and Granite Ware.

All Departments are full and PRICES better than ever. Mr. Roe is in charge of the FURNITURE and will do your repairing neatly and at reasonable prices.

W. W. FORD.

Business Locals. Makes mother eat, makes father eat, makes grandma eat, makes grandpa eat.

Hotel For Sale or Rent. The Greeley House, in Greeley is for sale or rent.

WANTED--Two young men to collect. Good position to fight, parties. Call this week at Globe Hotel, Room 15.

Put roses in her saucy cheeks. Makes her eyes grow bright with fun. Makes months seem like weeks.

Great spring tonic. Drive out all impurities. Makes the blood rich. Fills you with warm, tingling life.

For Sale. A well improved 155 acre farm, located 6 miles from Manchester.

For your liver and stomach ills. Take Bessom's Pileo Pills. They will regulate your liver.

CHEAP--Residence Property in this city. Enquire of Bronson & Carr.

Horses for Sale. Four mares. For terms see. Inquire of the undersigned on the Bronson & Carr farm in Collins Grove Township.

FOR SALE. Good residence property on Franklin Street, 2817.

Farm for Rent. The Ludwig Schneider farm near Gordon is offered for rent.

Mason Work. Now I am ready to take contracts in mason work of any description.

For Sale. 80 acre unimproved farm in Collins Grove township.

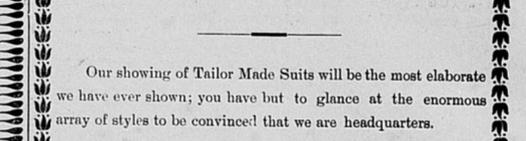
Girl Wanted. Can you now doubt us when we say that North Dakota is fast becoming a corn producing state.

Banoroff's Beautiful Flowers. Our catalogue is now being mailed to all our customers.

For a good, competent, trustworthy person \$3.50 a week. Inquire at this office.

An Exceptional Showing of New Tailored Suits and Skirts.

Our showing of Tailor Made Suits will be the most elaborate we have ever shown; you have but to glance at the enormous array of styles to be convinced that we are headquarters.



Tailor Made Suits From \$6.00 to \$25.00.

A showing of new styles and ideas that we are frank to say, we believe to be above comparison with any other showing in town.

Shirt Waists.

Scores of new creations in plain or daintily trimmed garments in Silks and Cottons.

Burton Clark.

Trunks, Traveling Bags, Valises and Telescopes.

Cut in Waistings!

25 Pieces Flannelett Waistings, Former Price 10c. now 8c. 20 Pieces Flannelett Waistings Former Prices 12 1/2 to 15c.

Housekeepers' Linens. Choice selections of Table Linens, Napkins, Towels and Crashes. Prices low as the lowest.

D. F. RIDDELL & CO.

The Biggest Line to be Found in Manchester.

Kalamity. The Traveler's Outfitter.

Agents for Butterick Patterns.