

Manchester will celebrate.

A. H. Hollister spent last week in Wisconsin.

O. H. Moshler of Masonville was a Friday visitor in Manchester.

Withrop Review: Mrs. O. J. Metcalf was a Manchester visitor Monday.

Mrs. M. H. H. visited at Greeley and Strawberry Point last week and this.

E. L. May of Lamont was the guest of Manchester friends the last of the week.

Mrs. Fred Jensen of Dundee was the guest of Mrs. M. E. Blair, Monday.

Orin Greenwood of Strawberry Point was a Manchester visitor the first of the week.

Our May queen had a rainy reign this year, but back in New York state her reign was rainless.

Chas. Reiser and family went Friday to Independence for a two weeks visit with friends.

A. Day, formerly a Manchester boy, now of Valley City, N. D., was the guest of relatives and friends here last week.

Regular meeting, Nazareth Commandery, K. T. this (Wednesday) evening. Members are especially requested to attend.

Messrs. George Moore and G. Snyder attended the State Convention of Prohibitionists at Marshalltown the 27th. They were delegates.

Flower Mission Day will be observed at the county fair on Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Rev. Gilbert has charge of the service.

Mrs. A. C. Phillip will entertain the Young Ladies Society of the Congregational church this week Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The Morris Castle display and the dynamiting of the Maize on the Fourth will be a picture lesson for the youngsters. No one in Delaware county will miss it.

The Ward sisters have started a restaurant on Main street in the Sheldon building, formerly occupied by the Minnie Barr millinery stock. Later they will serve lunches in connection with their baking business.

Marshall Graham is attending the Masonic Grand Lodge at Marshalltown this week. In his absence D. H. Allen is wearing the star—and he looks sort of familiar in it too, so may be because he wore the same for so many years previous to Mr. Graham's assuming the same.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will hold a Rubber Social at the home of Mrs. Dobbie Friday evening of this week. Light refreshments free. Admission—all the old rubbers you can bring. The proceeds will be used in the construction of a new cement walk in front and beside the church. The ladies especially invite you to come.

Independence Conservative: John Ward, of Carbonate Ill., spent Sunday here, in the home of Mrs. Edith Till. He returned Monday, accompanied by his wife and baby, who have been visiting her mother for several weeks. * * * Miss Carrie Kirchbeck, of Colesburg, secretary of the Dubuque District Foreign Missionary Society, has been a guest of the Warburton family south of town, for several days. She returned home Monday.

Peter Boardway had a load of corn come in last Wednesday and while unloading same, he made a rich find. Buried in the grain were a farm account book, a promissory note for \$150 and a chattel mortgage for the same amount, both of which latter documents were properly executed and in favor of the same party and were dated the 14th of last month. Mr. Boardway has returned the valuables to their owner in Missouri.

Elias Pinch departs today (Tuesday) for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Len Metcalf at New London, Minn. Mr. Pinch announces his intention of remaining all summer if he finds the native Minnesotans compare favorably with his Manchester friends, and further that climatic conditions and Minnesota soil prove par with the weather and mother earth of Delaware County. If these requirements are not met Mr. Pinch will return immediately, he says. With such stringent qualifications for a new home, we feel sure the Democrat may safely predict Mr. Pinch's arrival home by the last of the present week.

The Dresville Commercial last week chronicled the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goerd. Of their marriage fifty years ago the Commercial says: They were married in the primitive log church without a floor where the devout worshippers stood and knelt on the ground to offer their prayers and songs of thanksgiving to God and the redeemer of mankind. Everything in the line of civilization in these parts was then in its infancy and the wild animals roamed in the primeval forests and the wide expanse of prairies followed by the Indian who was the apparent monarch of all he surveyed. The names of their children are Henry, August, Frank, Anna (now Mrs. Frank Drexler) and Lizzie, (now Mrs. Frank Drexler).

The hearts of the members of the Manchester Library Board and also of the public in general were made glad Monday by a gift of an exquisite carbon photograph, a copy of the Dutch artist, Ruisdael's painting, the original of which hangs in the National Gallery at Amsterdam—this magnificent present coming from the ladies of Y. M. C. A. auxiliary. Through the efforts of President, Mrs. O. A. Dunham, Secretary, Miss Waugh and Treasurer, Mrs. Tunis, the treasury boardings were increased and this delightful conspiracy to further beautify our library rooms was concocted. The copy is of itself a masterpiece as a work of art and handsomely framed in Flemish oak, it is at the most time ornamental and instructive. The picture was hung Monday.

H. F. Beyer of Edgewood was in Manchester Monday.

Where will you celebrate? At Manchester of course.

Clyde Elder is at present employed by a union cigar shop in Redfield, S. D.

Fred Klebler of Dubuque was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Wm. Hermann, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Falchold of Cedar Rapids visited Manchester friends last week.

Miss Eliza Westgarth is a guest from Chicago in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Sullivan.

Robert Lawson of Clear Lake, S. D., is a guest at the home of his brother, J. H. Lawson in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dubois spent two days the past week with friends at Strawberry Point.

Tom Elder is spending a day or two in Dubuque with his son, Lyle's family and his daughter Merie.

Mrs. G. D. Gater, is in Hubbard, for an indefinite period, visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jennie Greenfield.

Mrs. H. W. Tirrill has been quite ill the past week, being confined to her rooms by a severe attack of the grip.

Rev. Fathers Martin of Osage and Gunn of Cedar Rapids were entertained last Thursday by Rev. Father O'Neary.

Edgewood and Greeley friends will celebrate with us this year. The Glorious Fourth promises to be a stunner in Manchester.

The Mesdames John L. Sullivan and Geo. Dougherty departed Monday for Epplaney, S. D., where they will visit friends.

Dr. G. H. Sumner of Waterloo came down last Thursday evening to hear Senator Dooliver's commencement oration to the class of 1923.

Mrs. Tucker departs today (Wednesday) for Minneapolis, Minn., to pay a short visit to her daughter, Mrs. Bernadine Briggs of that place.

Marriage licenses issued last week to Howard C. Lynch and Grace Matthews of Earlville, and Henry S. Claus and Anna Voelker of Delaware.

The Misses Inez Griffin and Jennie Sullivan of Masonville, who have been attending school here the past year, went home Friday for the summer.

Letters addressed to Mrs. Sink Roof, Miss Louise Benson, Mr. W. F. Walker, and K. Szanowa Paul are advertised as unclaimed at the post office.

Miss LeRoy and her class in the Congregational Sunday School entertained the Young People's society Monday evening in the parlors of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Reed, who were recently married at the bride's home in Fairbanks, departed yesterday—Tuesday—for a two months visit at Fort land, Oregon.

Mrs. Hamblin and A. H. Cleveland participated in the Annual Shoot of the Dubuque Gun Club last week, each making a record on 131 birds out the possible 180.

Preparations for the Fourth are being rapidly pushed so that Manchester will entertain her guests on that day as they have never before been entertained on a gala day.

Mrs. Mary Bradford spent last week visiting relatives in Dyersville. With her returned Mrs. Chas. Toogood who will remain for a visit with her son, James Toogood, and other relatives here.

One day last week Auntie Stevens as she is familiarly known, aged 92 years sustained some injuries, occasioned by a severe fall she received while attending some little household duty in her kitchen.

Edgewood Journal: Mrs. Oscar Dorman and babies have been visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. Hubbell, at this place for the past week. On Tuesday her husband came up and she accompanied him home.

The "Daylight Special" souvenir, descriptive of the Illinois Central's "Handsome Train" between Chicago and St. Louis, is a beauty. If the train is anything like the souvenir it must be luxurious, artistic and exquisitely beautiful.

Friday evening June 12th, St. Xavier's Convent School will hold its graduation exercises in City Hall. There is one graduate this year and a very interesting program is being prepared for the evening. Rev. Father O'Connor of Osceola will deliver the address.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pierce returned Thursday from a several weeks stay in New Mexico, whence they had gone because of Mrs. Pierce's ill health. Their many Manchester friends are glad to have them home and all are gratified to know that Mrs. Pierce is improved in health by her sojourn in the south.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Blake and grand daughter, Miss Marian, leave today (Wednesday) for an extensive eastern trip, which will include a visit in Vermont at Mrs. Blake's girlhood home. All of the larger cities of the east will also be visited and altogether the travelers have planned an exceedingly pleasant outing that will probably consume the greater part of the summer months.

Class No. 17 of the M. E. Sunday school have issued invitations to each member of same to attend the class Sunday, June 7th. The lesson is to be on Paul's Voyage and Shipwreck and in the week following will be held their sixth celebration marking the enrollment of the 6th seventy on the class membership records. Four hundred and seventy members in Class No. 17, each one of whom will be expected to bring a friend! This picnic surely promises to be a grand rally.

Dining room chairs at W. W. Ford's Racket Store. Note his furniture adv.

Saturday of this week is Special Pant day at Gildner's. If you have not read their prices, turn to their adv. lamely. It will interest our gentlemen friends.

The Death of Mrs. Cornish.

It is a very difficult task to speak of the death of our friends. Words are not full enough to express the deep sorrow which befalls our hearts when a loved one passes from us to that other shore. Mrs. Cornish was our friend. We had walked with her in many of the intimate paths of life, we had rejoiced with her, and we had sorrowed with her, and in the buoyancy of her spirits, nothing seemed so foreign to her death. We had seen her in every other part of life's drama but this, and for this she seemed so unprepared. Her ready wit and humor continued no sting, her quick repartee made many a merry hour for us. A generous loving spirit—one in which firm justice was but one of many admirable qualities—is standing before its Maker for judgment. Loving hands have borne her body tenderly to its last resting place, and we have lost our friend. "The gay will laugh, the solemn brow of care plied on and each one as before pursue his favorite phantom" but enough years will never pass that this memory of our pleasant acquaintance with Mrs. Cornish will leave us.

Ellie, the daughter of Christopher and Marie Post, was born in Wyoming county, New York, in the month of October, 1836. In May, 1858, she was united in marriage with Horace Nelson Cornish, and to Mr. and Mrs. Cornish were born two children, a boy and a girl. The husband and daughter preceded Mrs. Cornish home, whence her spirit took flight, after a week of bitter illness, Wednesday morning, May 27th. With the son, Fred E. Cornish, a community of friends are mourning over the death of this gentle kindly woman, his mother. May the union of sorrow prove a sustaining sympathy to him in his loss.

The funeral services were held at the Cornish home Friday afternoon, Rev. Mrs. Crum of the Universalist church delivering a beautiful tribute to the departed life. Interment was in the Manchester cemetery, the order of the Eastern Star of which Mrs. Cornish was a valued and helpful member, having charge of the funeral obsequies.

Manager's Statement for the Month of April, 1923.

At the meeting of the Manchester Co-operative Creamery Company directors last Friday afternoon in the office of the Delaware County State Bank the following report was made by Manager S. J. ...

Sales in New York: \$494.17

To Patrons: \$49.91

Received from Spring Branch Creamery Co.: \$2.14

Total: \$546.22

Bills paid by Manager: \$28.93

Total: \$517.29

No. pounds milk brought in, 492, 510. Average test 4. Pounds of butter fat, 19,590. Pounds of butter made, 20,914; pounds excess, 1,324; average, per hundred, 98 cts.

Wireless Telegraphy.

An exhibition of wireless telegraphy will be given at the M. E. church in this city by Prof. W. B. Patty, who gives his services free in this lecture and exhibition for the benefit of the Epworth League.

Price of admission, adults 25 cents, school children, 15 cents. Remember the date, June 5.

W. R. C. Notes.

Decoration day was observed by our Post and Corps, at City Hall, owing to the rain, and a few appropriate selections were read and sung, and an eloquent discourse suitable for the occasion was rendered by Rev. McCord of Masonville, after which a buss full of soldiers and W. R. C. ladies proceeded to the cemetery in fraternal regard to spread flowers, as mantles over the sleeping comrades, who repose there, and also the sisters of our order who have preceded us to the silent city of the dead.

On Sunday evening, May 31, at 4 o'clock, notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, a large number of citizens, post and corps met at the river bank at the foot of Union street to scatter blossoms of spring on the river which flows to the ocean, beneath which many a soldier sleeps, never forgotten, though at rest after the conflict of battle and the march of life. The services were very impressive and beautiful. A small craft or boat had been prepared and decorated with the national colors, with the stars and stripes floating in the breeze, and was moored at the edge of the stream. This the children and friends proceeded to laden with flowers and verdure, and when filled the moorings were sounded and the little craft was sent adrift, bearing the beautiful tokens of peace, whose fragrance will laden the air with the breath of sweetest memory of our beloved dead and we bow our heads in sorrow for those departed veterans and their noble auxiliaries who have gone on before.

Tuesday Roosevelt day in Manchester little Florence, the infant daughter of one of our color bearers, Mrs. Katie Ella, in behalf of the post and corps presented our first official of the land, with a beautiful bouquet of pink roses, as a token of esteem to our superior officers.

Manchester Public Schools.

Report for the month ending May 20th, 1923. C. H. Atkinson, Superintendent.

Table with columns: No. of Absences, No. of Tardies, No. of Punishments, etc.

Ohio Prohibitionists.

Springfield, O., May 28.—The Ohio Prohibition convention has ended its session. The nominees are as follows: Governor, Rev. Dr. N. D. Creamer, of Columbus; Lieutenant governor, Captain J. M. Scott, of Granville; auditor of state, A. C. Purvis, of New Lexington; treasurer of state, William Kingham, of Lakeside; judge supreme court, E. Jay Pinney, of Cleveland.

Deserted Wife Kills Herself.

Princeton, Ind., June 1.—Mrs. Emma Gambrell, aged 37, wife of Juel Gambrell of this city, is dead from taking poison. Her husband recently left her. Both families are wealthy. She was the daughter of the late Daniel Kendrick, city councilman.

Special Pant Day, Saturday June 6.

Watch for special bargains during the month of June. Do you wear straw hats during the hot weather? Have you seen ours?

Men's Pants. In fancy striped hair line and wool mixtures, regular \$1.25 and \$1.50 values, going at 95 CENTS.

Men's Pants. Light weight kerseys, homespun weaves with cuff bottoms and worsted stripes, regular \$2.00 and \$2.50 values going at \$1.85.



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Twenty-seven drowned. Is a Rumor That Came a Long Way Round East of Dead at Kansas City. Kansas City, June 1.—A message to The Times from Kansas City, Kan., by way of Leavenworth, says that twenty-seven men were on the Union Pacific bridge which spanned the Kansas river when it went down, and all of the men were drowned.

The Times this morning publishes the following list of dead in this vicinity: James Deerman, of Armourdale; William Herbert, expressman, Armourdale, drowned with two others; five persons, three men and two women, drowned by capsizing of a boat near Union Pacific bridge; three persons, a man and two women, in capsized boat, disappeared north of the Missouri Pacific shops on Cypress; unknown man, see to fall from an abandoned Pitt Line locomotive into the flood near Peet Bros' plant; William Heister, truck driver, drowned in front of his house in the East bottoms; two men reported drowned at Electric park; Philip Wray, garage owner, aged 30, drowned near Twelfth and Hickory; unknown man, body drifted under "L" bridge.

The greatest flood in the history of Kansas City, Kan., and the bottoms of Kansas City, Mo., prevails here, and means of dollars' loss will result. The entire stock yards, situated on the state line, are submerged. Many of the pens being five feet deep in water. A force of police began ordering out the main waiting room of the Union depot the hundreds of persons who had crowded the platform. At that time the water had reached the trains, outward bound for all directions. Shortly after noon the Third regiment, M. N. G., 800 strong, was ordered out, both as a precautionary measure and to stop looting. At 6 p. m. eight distinct fires were burning in the flood district between Eleventh and Bluff streets, three blocks west of the Union depot, and Toad-a-Loup, the latter a settlement near Armourdale. It is impossible to reach any of the fires, as telephone communication is cut off and the use of boats is uncertain. The fires were started by lime slaking in freight cars and other storage places.

Armour's Swifts, Cudaby's and Swartschick & Sulzberger's packing house losses will in the aggregate, \$2,000,000. The Armour Packing company suffered a loss from water roughly estimated at a half million dollars.

RIOT ON BALL GROUND

Players Order "Ball Shooters" to Leave and on Their Refusal to Do So a Battle Enues.

Pittsburg, June 1.—One negro was killed, two were probably fatally shot, a third was badly beaten and thrown over a hill, and three white boys were severely but not fatally wounded in a riot at a baseball game at High Bridge, near here. One of the negroes narrowly escaped lynching. Charles Kelly, a negro, aged 30, literally was pounded to death. William Davis, negro, was shot in the back and neck, probably fatally, came near being lynched by the crowd; "Sandy" Garret, a negro, was shot in the left breast; George Foster, a negro, was badly beaten with clubs and stones; Leo Kerin, white, was shot in the hand; John Plesky, white, was shot in the groin; Joseph Tametha, white, was shot in the face.

Fully 2,000 people were at the grounds to witness a game between two amateur clubs. The trouble arose over the presence of six negro craps shooters with their outfit. They were ordered to leave, and in the fight that ensued Kelly was killed and the others wounded.

Business Locals.

For Sale. Three extra good Short Horn bulls, 15 months old. 1st. A. PUNK, Edgewood, Iowa.

For your liver and stomach ills. Take Heacon's Picnic Pills. They will regulate your liver. They will stimulate your blood. And make you feel as happy as a clam. Try them. 25 cents. All druggists. 50¢

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

You feel mean, cross, ugly down in the mouth, nothing goes right. Bad liver. Better take Rocky Mountain Tea. Drives away the blues. 35 cents. Denton & Ward.

Horses for Sale. Four mares. For terms &c. Enquire of the undersigned on the Bronson & Carr farm in Collins Grove Township. W. S. SPILHORN.

If you want to have a picnic. Take Heacon's Picnic Pills. They will regulate your liver. And drive away your ills. Try them. 25 cents. All druggists. 50¢

FOR SALE. Good residence property of Franklin Street. 25ft. J. J. PENTONY.

The June sun shines on many a fair bride, made doubly lovely by the use of Rocky Mountain Tea. The bride's best friend. 35 cents. Denton & Ward.

Farm for Rent. The Ludwig Schneider farm near Golden is offered for rent. For terms apply to Bronson & Carr. 43-17.

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

Why do you fret and grumble. Why don't you take a tumble. Use Heacon's Picnic Pills. They will drive away your ills. Try them. 25 cents. All druggists. 50¢

Are you thin? Would you like to get fat and plump? Tried "laughing" 'wouldn't work—now take Rocky Mountain Tea—'twill do the business. 35 cents. Denton & Ward.

Cemetery Notice. There will be an annual meeting of the Manchester Cemetery Company at the office of Thrill & Pierce, on Wednesday evening, June 10, 1923, at 7:30 p. m., to elect officers and trustees for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any business that may come before the meeting. Dated Manchester, Iowa, May 25th, 1923. G. G. PIERCE, Sec'y.

Notice of Appointment of Administrator. STATE OF IOWA, ss. DEWANE COUNTY. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as Administrator of the Estate of Loren C. Smith, late of Dewane County, deceased. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them, duly substantiated, to the undersigned, for allowance. Dated this 25th day of May 1923. FRED BOARDWAY, Administrator. Bronson & Carr, Attys for Estate. 23-39.

All sorts of good people seem to regard Maple City Self-Washing Soap as a personal friend. Maybe you do not know it. Then why don't you get some friend to introduce you?

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. If you want the real swell exclusive things, different from what others have to offer, you will find them here.



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Shirt Waists.

Scores of new creations in plain or daintily trimmed garments in Silks and Cottons. Handsome Granite Cloth Waists, White Oxford Cloths and white Madras Waists, made in only the newest effects. Our showing is almost twice as large as ever before and illustrates all the new ideas.

Burton Clark.

Dining Room Chairs! A new lot of Dining Room Chairs, first class in every particular. Something new in Plate Racks, Room Moulding, Fancy Stands, Tables, Rockers, Iron Beds and Wooden Beds.

We can sell you anything in FURNITURE, of the best quality for prices, that suit the person, the pocket book and the times. Dry Goods! Shoes! Groceries!

W. W. FORD, Racket Store. Phone 270.

Millinery!

We are better prepared than ever to show all the new and desirable effects in Fashionable Head Wear. Our stock is new and complete. Call and inspect our display of the latest styles in Millinery.

Carpets!

The time for spring purchases in Carpets has arrived and business is good in this department. We are well supplied with choice selections, and good variety from which to select. Call if interested. We can do you good in this line.

Prices as Low as the Lowest. Respectfully,

Everything Necessary For a Complete Outfit.

W. L. Drew, Successor to D. F. Riddell & Co.

Agent for Butterick Patterns. Call and get a fashion sheet.

Kalamity, The Fishermen's Outfitter

New Advertisements.

Kinne & Madden have a handsome Oxford pictured in their adv.

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