

Court meets again Monday, April 25th.

W. E. Gildner spent Wednesday last in Dubuque.

Miss Grace Sheldon spent Saturday with Greeley friends.

Born, Friday, April 8th, to Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Grant, a son.

Will Keith, Jr., of Hopkinton was a last week guest with friends here.

Grandmother Halsey is quite ill at the home of her son, James, in Milo.

Brother Dow of the Greeley Home Press was in Manchester Saturday.

James Ward and wife of Cedar Rapids spent last week with relatives here.

Mrs. Mary McGuire of Monti was a Saturday guest in the Jack Goen home.

Miss Daisy Palmer is now a member of the clerical force in B. Clark's store.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lawrence have a baby girl born to them Monday, April 11th.

Dr. E. E. Reed of Edgewood was a Manchester visitor a day the first of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Philipp Trainor of Prairieburg were Saturday guests with friends in this city.

Miss Minnie Dobbins returned to Masonville Saturday after a visit with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. O. C. Clark and mother Mrs. Cossey of Forestville were shoppers in Manchester markets Saturday.

Our purse occupies a prominent position in the Manchester Lumber Company's advertisement this week.

Miss Etta Sherlock spent last week with her mother and other relatives here, returning Monday to her duties as a telephone girl in Waterloo.

Judge Blair went up to Waterloo last week to hold court but the lawyers having cases were not yet ready to be given a hearing so he returned.

W. H. Hutchinson returned Thursday from a few days spent in St. Paul, where Mrs. Hutchinson and Miss Delight have been visiting for some time.

The Organ and Voice recital at the Congregational church last Friday evening was attended by a goodly audience and was indeed the treat that had been anticipated.

Attorney Frank J. Quinn of Peoria, Illinois, was in Manchester Friday last on business connected with the settlement of the Thomas S. Davidson estate of Coleburg.

The marriage of Patsy Drummond and Miss Fleming of Castle being solemnized today, Wednesday at the church of the immaculate Conception at Castle.

Miss Stella Spear of Westgate went in the A. D. Brown home last Sunday morning and sang her beautiful soprano voice heard in the Congregational church.

John Meyer of Myrtle, S. D., is ancestor to-day en route home a few weeks visit at New Vienna here he was called by the death of his father Geo. Meyer, an aged most respected citizen of Dubuque.

Julius Pleth of St. Hilaire, Minn., writes that the Red Lake Reservation in Minnesota, consisting of 250,152 acres will be open for settlement this summer.

If this then interests you, a should read his local "Preamble to Homestead" in another column.

To demonstrate the superiority of their fire arms to the holders of this locality, a representative of Hibbard, Spencer Bartlett & Co. will give a free exhibition of .30 shooting in Manchester April 14th. While here he will make his headquarters at Simon & Atwater's ware store.

Miss Mary Link, who has used an enviable reputation as an entertainer, was hostess last Wednesday evening to the members of The Young Ladies Society of St. Mary's Catholic Church and a number of their male friends. Supper and cards was the order of the evening and right well did the guests appreciate the hospitality of their hostess.

M. A. Sheldon is making various improvements in his store building and residence on Main street. The store building, occupied by the Misses Ward as a bakery and lunch room, is having a large kitchen addition that will leave these ladies a large dining room and also give them a space later on for their ice cream patrons. This kitchen room will be two stories high and the second story will add much in modern convenience to the Sheldon home, which is above stairs.

Missouri farmers, says the Minneapolis Journal, are being worked by one of the meanest tricks now out on the pike. As this shrewd device from separating the honest toiler from his coin is likely to work its way north, the awful details are given here. In the first act of the tragedy a stranger appears on the road near the farmhouse, diligently searching for a lost diamond ring.

As he does not find it he offers \$100 reward for its recovery. He goes away without finding the ring and shortly afterward a tramp picks up a ring. The farmer who is to be the victim offers the tramp \$25 for the ring, expecting to get the \$100 reward. The tramp hesitates, but finally accepts it and leaves. When the farmer cannot find the stranger he grows suspicious and has a Jeweler examine the ring. It is generally pronounced to be worth about 15 cents.

Chas. Thorpe is in Chicago.

Geo. Commerford is in St. Louis.

Miss Fern Latimer is visiting at Omaha.

Attorney H. F. Arnold is in New Mexico.

Clarence Lister was home from Iowa City last week.

Mrs. Ackly, the mother of Mrs. G. D. Gates, is quite ill.

Geo. Simon spent Sunday with his family at Cedar Rapids.

Miss Nellie Hamblin was home from Cedar Rapids over Sunday.

C. Yorlan is expected home from Albany N. Y. today-Wednesday.

Miss Maggie Fuller is home from a visit with Chicago friends.

Rev. R. Wolfe of Mount Vernon was a last week visitor with friends here.

Rev. Stoddard of the Earlville Congregational church was in Manchester Monday.

Bryan Murray was called to Minneapolis Saturday by the illness of his mother.

George Steinhilber of Pocahontas, Iowa, was a last week business visitor in this city.

"Uncle Rube" by home talent at Central Opera House, Thursday evening, April 21st.

Joseph B. Hog was a Masonville visitor between trains last Wednesday evening.

Atty F. B. Blair and Dr. C. L. Leigh spent Sunday with Robt. Johnston at Waterloo.

Mrs. R. C. Dowe and little daughter are expected this week for a visit with home friends.

Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Beacom very pleasantly entertained the Flinch club last Friday evening.

A buttermaker's and dairymen's convention is being held this morning-Wednesday-in Lamont.

Mrs. W. B. Patty spent a few days last week in Chicago, Mr. Patty being in that city lecturing.

The Mesdames W. H. Norris and E. B. Stiles were Wednesday and Thursday visitors in Chicago.

Mrs. W. C. Nieman and Miss Gusta of Earlville were Saturday visitors with Miss Neiman in this city.

Saturday, April 23rd, Gildner Bros. will give with every suit or spring over coat sold a fine negligee shirt.

Prof. and Mrs. Louis T. Eaton were pleasant guests over Sunday with relatives here, returning to Des Moines Monday.

The Dubuque District Conference of the M. E. church will convene in this city Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

At the People's New Dry Goods store for the next six days, there will be a Challenge Sale of Large Art Squares. Read their ad.

Miss Ida Woodrich, who has been a winter visitor with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Philipp in this city, has returned to her home in Chicago.

The Juvenile ball team and the High School team opened the baseball season Saturday and the youngsters went out by a score of 14 to 9.

Lieutenant Bradshaw of the United States army, and who is just returning from the Philippines, was a last week guest in the A. A. Anderson home in this city.

The Manchester High School Basketball team played their eighth and final game for the season last Friday night with Waterloo at that place, losing in a score of 13-10.

Invitation are out for the marriage of Miss Mildred A. Minkler daughter of Mrs. C. H. Davis of Bailey's Ford, and Mr. Charlie Smith, on Wednesday, April 27th.

Letters address to Mrs. May C. Rever or Beecer Maud M. Loder, Miss Lyaia Hinman Mr. Byron A. Smith, Earl A. Robinson, G. S. Armon and Master Willie Whitman are uncalled for at the post office in this city.

We have received a program of the Joint Convention of the 37th and 44th Annual Convention of the Delaware and Clayton county Sunday School Associations to be held at the Opera House in Edgewood May 25, 26 and 27.

This Tuesday evening, theatergoers of this city are having an opportunity to hear a return engagement of "The Burglar." At its first engagement here in the winter, it was thoroughly enjoyed and no doubt a large audience will hear it tonight.

Miss Sylvia M. Wisdom, who is advertising this week to teach short hand and type writing, has had very successful classes in Maquoketa, Marion and Cedar Falls. She is at the Clara M. Clark will do one interested in the work will do well to read her local and see her.

Miss Annabel Clark, reader, is appearing this Tuesday evening at the Methodist church under the auspices of the local G. A. R. Post and Corps. Miss Clark is a trained elocutionist from the Cumcock school of Oratory of Northwestern University at Chicago and is a pleasing and intelligent reader. It is hoped that a large audience may hear her.

Mrs. Carrie Toogood Chagee, who has now returned to her home in Amenia, N. D., gave the members of the congregation at the Congregational church Sunday evening the pleasure of once again hearing her sing. When Mrs. Chagee lived here, her voice was accounted one of the sweetest and most pleasing in Manchester, and it was an enjoyable treat to hear it again.

Edward Cross Injured.

A wreck on the Illinois Central between two freights near Scales Mound on last Wednesday resulted in two known deaths with the addition of several badly injured. Ed. Cross of this city, who was head brakeman on No. 52, was injured but was able to walk and assist in the release of others who were pinned in beneath the wreckage.

Death of Hugh M. Ryan.

The death of Hugh M. Ryan at his home just north of Manchester on Tuesday night of last week removes one of the most popular young men of Delaware county from a life that was replete with promise for a bright future.

Mr. Ryan was born in this county twenty eight years ago and this has always been his home. He is survived by a wife and one child, his mother, five brothers and two sisters.

The funeral services, conducted by Rev. S. K. Kirkwood, were held from the home on Friday morning.

Death of John Smith.

John Smith died at his home in Coffins Grove last Friday afternoon after a long illness. The burial services were held Sunday morning from the Masonville Catholic church.

Mr. Smith was one of Delaware county's pioneer settlers, a substantial, earnest, thinking gentleman, who will be missed not alone by his immediate family but also by a neighborhood of friends that includes the whole county.

Our Masonville and Coffins Grove letters both contain obituaries of this worthy man who has entered into his reward.

Marriage of Sheriff T. J. Hennessey and Mrs. Winnie Parrott.

The marriage of Mr. Thos. Hennessey and Mrs. Winnie Works Parrott in Chicago on Tuesday last united two of Manchester's most popular young people. Mr. Hennessey has been engaged in business in Manchester for a number of years and his success has been due to his untiring energy and ability.

His popularity and the regard felt for him throughout Delaware County was attested last November at the polls when, running on a ticket adverse to the sympathies of the vast majority of the voters of the county, he won the election and was made Sheriff of Delaware County by a handsome vote.

Mrs. Hennessey numbers us all as her friends and together with every one in Manchester we are this week wishing her, as well as Mr. Hennessey, all that goes to make life most livable and pleasant. May these wishes so cheerfully accorded them help bestrengthen their path with all health, happiness and prosperity.

Fish and Game Laws.

The following amendments to the fish and game laws were passed by the thirtieth general assembly and are now in force:

Section 2540 was amended by making open season for fish May 15th to November 15th; by making the use of trot lines lawful in streams only from May 15th to November 15th; and by making it unlawful to kill, destroy or have in possession or under control for any purpose whatever, any bass, cat-fish, wall-eyed pike or trout less than six inches in length.

Section 2546 was amended by prohibiting the issuing of permits to take certain fish by seine or otherwise, except in lakes having an area of not less than two miles, and then only from June 15th to December 1st with seine, making seines, spears and other devices for taking fish unlawful and a public nuisance, and making it the duty of all wardens and peace officers to seize and destroy them.

Section 2551 was amended by making open season for ruffed grouse or pheasant, wild turkey or quail from November 1st to December 15th, and making open season for snipe from September 1st to April 15th.

Section 2552 was amended by making it unlawful for any one person to kill in any one day more than twenty-five of any pinnated grouse or prairie chicken, woodcock, quail, ruffed grouse or pheasant, wild turkey, duck, goose, or bant, or to kill for traffic any pinnated grouse or prairie chickens; woodcock, quail, ruffed grouse or pheasant, or to have in possession at any one time more than twenty-five of either kind of the above named birds, "except duty" or to ship in any manner any of the above named birds except that twelve birds may be shipped in any one day, on an affidavit filed with the common carrier that they are not shipped for sale or profit.

A new law prohibits the shooting of live birds at any shooting tournament.

An Interesting Wedding.

One of the prettiest weddings ever witnessed in Manchester was that of Miss Maye Cary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Cary, and Mr. Jerome Sabin on last Thursday evening. Two hundred and twenty five invitations had been issued for the ceremony and reception, and a large number of those invited were present when promptly at eight o'clock the wedding march, played by Mr. Elmer Copeland announced the coming of the bride and groom. Accompanied by Mr. Howard Smith and Miss Maude Cary, sister of the bride, Mr. Sabin and Miss Cary took their places in the big bay window in the south parlor, prominent in the decoration of which were the monograms C. and S. done in similar.

A simple marriage service was read by Rev. Kirkwood of the Presbyterian church and after congratulations, all adjourned to the parlors of the Congregational Church where a delicious supper was served.

Miss Cary is one of Manchester's sweetest girls, a gracious queenly character who makes and keeps friends wherever she is.

Mr. Sabin is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Sabin, who recently retired from the more active labor on their farm just north of this city and are now enjoying a goodly competence in a less busy life, Manchester being their home. Jerome is a young man of much business ability and many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Sabin left on Friday for a short wedding trip, after which they will be at home on the Sabin farm.



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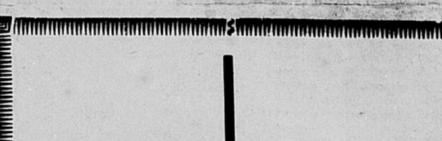
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