County Correspondence.

EDGEWOOD.

Jos. Schacherer jr. spent Sunday of last week with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Schacherer sr. in Dubuque. He returned home Monday. While there he purchased a new piano which will be installed in his home in a few days, or as quickly as the company finds it convenient to ship it out.

John Coolidge of Manchester spent last Thursday and Friday with relatives here.

On last Tuesday, June 15, the new Catholic church at Littleport was dedicated. A large number from this place attended. They report the edifice to be a very creditable improvement for a town of that size. The high mass was celebrated by Rev. J. T. Hartigan of Strawberry Point. Rev. Dullard of Whitemore, Iowa, at one time overseer of that parish, preached an able sermon suitable for the occasion. After services the ladies of the parish served a dinner that netted $86. The dance given in the evening, the proceeds of which were turned in toward the elimination of the church debt, was attended by one hundred and forty-three couple. A large number of young folks from here were down for the evening.

Mrs. Andy Peters left for Iowa City last Tuesday to undergo an operation.

Clara Depuy of Jesup is spending a couple of weeks here with old time friends.

Ethel Alger has accepted a position in the interstate telephone office here to succeed Miss Jennie Mitchell, who was compelled to resign owing to a loss of voice.

Mrs. H. E. James, Mrs. A. J. Cross, Mrs. R. E. Firman and Mrs. J. Flenniken were among those who took in the ball game at Strawberry Point Friday between Manchester and Strawberry Point. The game resulted in a score of 2 to 0 in favor of the Point.

Chas. Robins of Osborne was the guest of C. S. Maxson and family the first of the week.

Fred Flenniken and Duane Rosenkrans returned home from their school work at U. I. U. Friday evening to spend their summer vacation.

A. J. Arthur, station agent at the depot, is enjoying his annual vacation this week.

Dr. Newman spent last week in Oklahoma.

George Brown and wife were over night visitors at Guttenburg one day last week.

Mrs. Nancy Robins of Manchester has moved her household goods to this place where she will make her future home.

Ira Bower and family have moved to Arlington where they will reside in the future.

Dr. O. B. Blanchard and wife have returned from California, whither they had gone to spend the winter, to remain here for the summer.

Chas. Todd and wife spent Sunday in Oelwein.

Mrs. Dorman and children of Manchester spent a few days of last week with her parents, Rev. Hubbell and wife.

We experienced several remarkably cool nights in these parts last week. "Frisky" Funk tapped a couple of maple trees and says the sap ran fine.

The 21st Iowa Volunteer Infantry held their fourteenth biennial reunion here on June 16 and 17 in Hesner's Opera house. They were shown a royal good time while here and enjoyed the occasion very much. On Wednesday night the hall was crowded with spectators to witness the camp fire scene and to listen to old time war tales. On Thursday afternoon the old veterans were given an opportunity to witness a ball game between the married and single men of this place. Mr. Dyer of Mason City umpired the game. It turned out 4 to 4 at the end of the ninth inning. Neither side wished to tarnish the glory they had gained so the tie was left standing. The next meeting will be held at Central City. The following men of that place were elected for officers: President, E. Smith; vice-president, Thos. Simons; secretary, H. C. Porter.

Chas. Wheeler has decided to erect another one story brick building on the ground formerly occupied by the Mitchell blacksmith shop. The structure is to be 30x60 and will most presumably be used as an implement house and blacksmith shop, provided such arrangements can be made.

Mae Wiley spent last week with relatives at Littleport.

The dance at Hesner's Opera house was attended by about thirty couple and all present reported a good time. Bills orchestra furnished the music.

Dwight Smith has been laid up by a siege of rheumatism of late, but is again able to be up and around which his friends are glad to note.

Mrs. Jennie Breed and daughter Lottie were Strawbery Point passengers Saturday morning.

Miss Mollie McTaggart of Cox Creek was seen on our streets Friday.

Miss Pue of Elkader closed a successful term of spring school in the Fisher district last Friday. Her pupils were given a picnic at Eixby's park and enjoyed the occasion very much.

Miss Grace Platt returned home from Fayette last Friday to spend her summer vacation.

Miss Lou Densmore, who has been attending school at Lenox college is home for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks of Hopkinton spent a couple of days last week at this place the guest of their daughter, Mrs. Chas. Blanchard.

On June 15, 1909, at her home on west Union street occurred the death of Mrs. A. Densmore at the advanced age of seventy-two years. About a year ago she suffered a stroke of paralysis from which she recovered but partially and has been a helpless invalid every since that time. This highly respected woman came to Edgewood from New York state with her husband and family twenty-one years ago, where she has resided ever since. Besides her husband she is survived by her three children Mrs. Y. Lynde and Frank of this place and Fred of Long Beach, California. The funeral services were held at the Methodist church of which she had been a member for more than fifty years. Interment took place in the cemetary east of town.

The remains of Mrs. Snover arrived here for burial last Wednesday morning. She was for many years a resident a few miles south of this place, but since her departure from these parts she lived in Pennsylvania until last fall when she took up her final residence with her son, George in Minnesota. She is also survived by her son William of this place. The funeral services were held at the Methodist church last Wednesday afternoon. The remains were laid to rest by the side of her husband in the cemetary east of town.

THORPE.

The Union cemetery society of Thorpe will meet with Mrs. Mary and Noan Martin June 24th. Everybody is invited.

Mrs. Henry Wilkins and children of Graf are visiting for a few days with Bell Hendershot before going to Dakota, where Mr. Wilkins has taken up a claim.

Miss Kruger is assisting Mrs. Hindel with her house work.

Charlie Daisy and wife ate Sunday supper with Dan Sark and wife.

Perry McCutchen came out from Illinois and spent Saturday with his father-in-law, Dan Sark.

Charlie Barr was in Dundee this week one day.

Dean Stone came home from Oelwein Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Amsie Stone were in Manchester Thursday.

Mrs. A. O. Stone called on Mrs. Albert Retz Friday.

Harold Stone is spending a few day with his aunt, Mrs. Bert Ryan.

John Daisy spent Sunday with his friend, Howard Sark.

Mrs. Jerome Sabine and children are visiting with her sister, Mrs. L. Platt of Thorpe.

BAILEY'S FORD.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Grapes spent Sunday of last week at the home of Theo. Grapes.

Mrs. Ed Shepard, Edith and Minnie Shepard and Avis Grommon were shopping in Dubuque Monday of last week.

Mrs. R. E. Grommon was shopping in Manchester last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Davis were in Manchesterlast Saturday.

Roy Grommon spent last Friday with his cousin, Earl Davis of Rock Prairie.

Mrs. I. N. Ritchey and son Harvey were in Manchester last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Grapes were in Manchester last Thursday.

Mrs. R. E. Grommon and Mrs. Jas. Shepard were Delhi callers last Saturday.

An ice cream social washeld at Clyde Thompson's last Friday evening for the benefit of the Bailey's Ford Sunday school.

EAD'S GROVE.

Quite a number from here attended the reunion of the twenty-first Iowa regiment at Edgewood last Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. J. J. Edmunds and daughters, Mina andOpal, visited at J. T. Fowler's last Thursday.

Mrs. J. Garlowe and father and Miss Elma Farmer were Sunday visitors at H. Parkinson's.

Amos and Sam Culbertson and Will Holmes went fishing Sunday but did not have very good luck.

S. Ridenour and wife attended the funeral of the latter's grandfather, Mr. Hollenbeck at Greeley on Thursday.

Josie Gordon visited home folds near Wood the patter part of the week.

Mrs. Culbertson visited at Mr. Fowler's a part of last week.

Mrs. Edith Conger of Iowa Falls visited her sister, Mrs. Sam Way, recently.

Josie Goldsworthy and her mother were Manchester shoppers on Thursday.

Quite a few from this way attended the I. O. O. F. memorial services at Greeley last Sunday.

John Croyle attended a barn-raising at Fred Wendel's on Friday.

Doc Coolidge of Edgewood visited his farm here last Sunday.

DELAWARE.

Miss Verga Davis left Sunday morning for Chicago, where she intends to visit relatives for a few weeks.

Miss Maud and Mary Miller of Arlington visited Miss Verga Davis a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kingsley were callers in Manchester Friday.

Mrs. Zelma Truss, Miss Izetta Esler and Mrs. Harry Guthorenson were business callers in Manchester Wednesday.

Mrs. Oscar Larson returned to her home in Chicago Monday.

Mrs. Carl Zirtzman visited her daughter at Ryan last week.

Ellen Larson of Manchester came home Saturday to spend over Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Larson.

Saturday, June 19, was pay day at the Delaware Co-Operative creamery. The price paid for butter fat, 28 1-2 cents, average test 3.5, average price paid per hundred pounds for milk, $1.00.

Burney Davis played with the Greeley ball team at Colsburg Wednesday.

Mrs. G. O. Miller of Arlington is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Davis.

Mrs. Jas. Guthornson and son of Rock Island, Illinois, are visiting the former's son, H. Guthornson and wife.

A. W. Sackett was a business caller in Manchester Thursday.

Mrs. Gill of Manchester and Miss Rose Gienapp took the train here for Dubuque Saturday.

E. P. Coats was a recent caller in Manchester.

Miss Pansy Griffin visited relatives in Delhi a few days last week.

ONEIDA.

Miss Ethyl Breckon returned home Sunday from Sac City, where she has been teaching the past year.

G. B. Cox, wife and son returned home from Minerva Tuesday.

Misses Sadie Bell, Gladys Lillibridge and Eva Rector attended the Sunday school convention at Dundee Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Jennie Croyle attended commencement exercises at Dubuque Wednesday.

Mrs. Grace Schaler and son of Clarion visited her aunt, Mrs. W. A. Connell, several days the past week.

Rev. Kellar and family of Greeley were calling in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Horton and daughter Mildred of Coggon are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. P. Hatch visited at Mrs. Will Ryan's at Fayette Thursday and Friday.

Lucien Smith of Minneapolis is visiting at the J. B. and F. H. Dunham homes.

Mrs. Bertha Dodge and daughter, Dorthy, visited at the J. B. Howe home the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mosier attended the soldier's re-union at Edgewood Wednesday.

Miss Verna Naper is visiting friend at Coggon.

Mrs. Bowman and son of Maquoketa are visiting at the Walter Bowman home.

Mrs. Conell and daughter of Manchester spent the week at the W. A. Conell home.

Rev. Barnes of Manchester called at the H. A. Legg home Tuesday.

HOPKINTON.

Mrs. W. R. Reeve and little daughter visited in Van Horne last week.

Miss Blanche Cummings went to Fayette Thursday.

Mr. Charles Root returned Monday from an extended trip in the east.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks, Mr. Dunlap and daughter, Vivian, Mr. Strane and Mr. Dalrymple attended the reunion of the 21st regiment held at Edgewood on Wednesday and Thursday.

A half dozen or so of ladies drove out Wednesday to Hillside to visit the campers.

Misses Luella LeClere, Lela Strane and Dorothy Robb and Stewart Brokan and Dean Morgan were delegates from the Presbyterian Sunday School at the convention at Dundee.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Keith of Delhi visited relatives in town on Friday.

Mrs. Van Swearengen came down from Strawberry Point Thursday evening.

Cecil Ricketts came Wednesday from Huron, S. D. for a couple of weeks visit.

Rev. Stevens and wife attended the commencement at Fayette last week.

Isaac Hughes of Central City was in town Thursday. He had been attending the reunion of the 21st, reg. at Edgewood of which he was a member.

Rev. Ensign was down from Manchester and assisted in the Ordination services of Rev. Harry Midkiff.

Edward Tourtellot returned Friday night from Wisconsin University.

Miss Minnie Zench attended the graduating exercises of high school. Her brother William being one of the class.

Mr. A. L. Barker and family, Mrs. Joseph and Miss Myra Joseph left Thursday for an automobile trip to Avon, Illinois.

J. D. McAllister was a Cedar Rapids visitor Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boomhour left for Onslow Friday night.

John Good arrived hme from Taos, N. M. last Wednesday. He expects to return soon.

Mrs. Thomas Chambers and daughter, Nancy, and son, George, left Monday for a trip to Kansas and Colorado.

Announcements have been made of the marriage of Miss Nellie Steward to George W. Stamp at Cedar Rapids June 9th. Miss Steward is a niece of Mrs. Livingston.

Mrs. Fred Barker left Thursday evening for Manning, to attend the funeral of an uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lux returned Thursday evening from their western trip.

Mrs. F. M. Wheeler went to Lamont Thursday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Firman.

Russel Doolittle returned Saturday from Rush Medical college and F. W. Doolittle from Alton, Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingersol and little daughter of Marion were over Sunday visitors at the home of Norman Landers.

Dr. and Mrs. Hands are visiting relatives in town this week.

Mr. Loomis from Ohio, with his wife and daughter, visited his aunt, Mrs. S. J. Tourtellot, last Saturday.

Mrs. Emma Main and two daughters of Kalispel, Montana, are visiting relatives here.

A special meeting of the Dubuque Presbytery was called last week to examine, license and ordain Rev. Harry Midkiff. The services were held in the Presbyterian church Wednesday orning. Dr. Reed, as oderator, had charge of the services. Rev. Ensign of Manchester was present and gave the charge to the minister. Rev. Midkiff's parents and sister were in attendance.

Rev. Roy Porter and wife, who have been visiting their parents went to Fyaee Saturday to attend commencement. Rev. Porter delivered the annual address to the literary societies, after which he will go to Clermont where he has charge.

Ray Seneff and Miss Jessie Dighton went to Manchester Monday and were married by Rev. Ensign. Their home will be in Wyoming where Mr. Seneff has charge of the Home Lumber company.

Dr. W. B. Guthrie has gone to Vinton where he will be one of the teachers in the summer school.

Walter Place has rented the Barker cottage and removed to i.

Misses Bertha and Bessie LeClere were Dubuque visitors last week.

Childrens' day will be observed in the Presbyterian church next Sabbath.

Miss Trevarthan of Waterloo is visiting Winona Cummings.

LENOX COLLEGE.

The Lenox summer school opened Monday morning.

Miss Hilda Taylor '06 arrived home Thursday morning and will spend the summer here.

Clifford Paul '98 of Anamosa was in town Tuesday.

A lecture will be given in the college chapel next Saturday afternoon on Poultry raising by a professor from Ames.

A fine course is laid out for the agricultural department which cannot help but be very helpful to all to take it.

The summer school has been a great advantage to teachers in this part of the county and also to high school students who desire to make up grades.

DELHI.

Miss Avis Grommon is attending summer school at Hopkinton.

Miss Mable Holtzman is visiting friends in Fayette.

Mrs. E. B. Porter was a visitor with her parents in Strawberry Point Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cross returned from Holyoke, Colorado, Wednesday. Sidney Dudley returned with them.

Mrs. E. G. Adam's mother and sister from Arkansas are visiting her.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Simons and Ward White attended the reunion of the 21st Iowa at Edgewood last week.

Mr. George Pulver of Delhi and Miss Addie Angell of Earlville were married at the M. E. parsonage in Earlville Wednesday, June 16, 1909. Rev. Dawson officiating. These young people have many friends who extend hearty congratulations.

The M. E. aid society meets Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. E. J. Wintenburg.

E. R. Stone, G. M. Himmell, E. G. Adams and J. A. Frankfort went to Dubuque last Thursday in E. R. Stone's automobile.

A large number of our ladies went to the dinner at the Bay last Wednesday.

Mrs. Mary Simons returned to her home Friday.

Judge F. B. Doolittle was a recent Des Moinesvisitor.

Rob Graham and family of Manchester were guests at E. B. Porter's Sunday.

Roy Grommon leaves Tuesday for a trip in the west. He will visit in Colorado and the Dakotas before his return.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smith of Oneida were over Sunday guests at Brady Miller's.

Glen Pettion is seriously ill with appendicitus.

Miss Maude Glew of Manchester was a guest of Mrs. A. O. Billings the past week.

Mrs. May Howard is expected home from Iowa City the first of this week.

Rev. R. C. Lusk attended commencement at Mt. Vernon last week.

Wm. McCuthcheon of St. Edward, Nebraska, is a guest of Thos. Simons. He came to attend the reunion of his old regiment, the 21st Iowa, at Edgewood.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Barnes returned from Ft. Dodge Saturday. They came through in a new Maxwell automobile, a recent purchase.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reed were Hopkinton visitors Sunday.

Oscar Kleespies is visiting his father in Dubuque.

Mrs. A. O. Billings and daughter were Manchester visitors recently.

E. J. Carpenter was over from Earlville Sunday to attend I. O. O. F. memorial exercises.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Stimson entertained a company of friends at dinner Saturday it being their eight wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Will McIntosh and children of Manchester were over Sunday guests at H. H. Porter's.

Drs. Bradley of Manchester and Wintenburg of Delhi performed an operation on Glen Petion Monday for appendicitis. He is a very sick boy but all hope he may soon recover.

COLESBURG.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hang, son Fred, daughters, Norma, Viola and Lyida and Master Ray Bush made an automobile trip to Dubuque Saturday to spend a short time with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Wm. Adams was visiting in Dyersville during the week. William was a Sunday visitor in that city and persuaded Mrs. Adams to return home with him.

Little Miss Margaret Fonda of St. Paul is here to spend some time at the home of her uncle, Walter Eppens. The little girl is recovering from a delicate condition of health and we hope the pure invigorating air of our country town may prove beneficial.

The new Catholic church at Littleport built to replace the one destroyed by fire last summer was dedicated last Tuesday. Mrs. S. P. McMahon, Louis McMahon and R. B. Hogan and wife attended the ceremonies.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Coon had as their guests over Sunday the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Toomer, of Dyersville.

Relatives in this city have received invitations to the wedding of Miss Lola Van Valkenburg and Mr. Leonard J. Thorpe, which is to be solemnized at the home of the bride's parents on Grandview Avenue, Dubuque, June 30th. Miss Van Valkenburg is the granddaughter of Caleb Jacobs and the daughter of Mrs. Anna Jacobs Van Valkenburg, both well known to many of our people. The bride-to-be has visited here at the home of Dr. C. H. Jacobs. Colesburg friends of the family extend congratulations and hearty good wishes.

Mrs. Sidney Walker accompanied her friend, Mrs. Nettie Smith, to Dyersville Saturday. Mrs. Smith had spent the week with friends here and was returning to her home in the Key City.

Zala Tobie is a visitor here among her many little friends, having accompanied J. Smith over from Earlville the first of the week.

Mrs. Carrie Derr and son Lyle of Clinton are visiting with relatives here. They arrived Thursday.

A son and heir was born May 12th to Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Reid of Clinton and has been named James Edward. Here's wishing long life to the youngster. The mother will be readily recalled as Miss Edith Lochridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamar Lewis and baby came over from Edgewood Saturday and remained over Sunday at the home of his mother, Mrs. A. E. Lewis.

J. A. Bush went to Dubuque Thursday to consult Dr. Guthrie in regard to his health which is not the best. He was acompanied by his wife and son Leo, who returned Saturday. Mr. Bush remained for treatment at the hospital.

John Brown jr. had a birthday and his young friends treated him to a surprise party in the evening. We take it for granted that the young folks had a good time. They usually do.

Mrs. Margaret Myers of Cedar Rapids is a guest here at the homes of her brother, A. W. Rea, and her sister, Mrs. F. A. Grimes. She is accompanied on her visit by her granddaughter, Marjorie Myers.

Cyrus Craig went to Edgewood Wednesday to attend the soldiers' reunion. He reports a fine time among "the boys".

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Craig was the scene of a happy wedding last Wednesday evening, June 16, when their daughter, Miss Martha Craig, was given in marriage to Miller S. Nelson of Goldfied, Iowa. The spacious rooms were profusely decorated with ferns, smilax, carnations, roses and other beautiful flowers and was filled to overflowing with guests.

To the strains of the wedding march played by Mrs. William Adams the bridal couple entered the parlor and took their place beneath an arch of ferns, from which a floral wedding bell was suspended. The impressive ceremony which united the lives of these estimable young people was performed by Rev. F. T. Cassidy of the M. E. church and Rev. Wm. Gifford of the Congregational church. Congratulations, hearty and sincere followed. The bride was becomingly gowned in white batiste and Irish baby lace and carried bride's roses. The groom wore the conventional black. At the conclusion of the ceremony there was a shower of roses and it was a caution to see the maiden ladies scramble to secure the favors as it is said the lucky one will be the next bride. On this occasion we think the prize was secured by the right party. The guests then repaired to the dining room, where a dainty two course luncheon was served and heartily enjoyed. A fortune cake caused not a little merriment for the unmarried portion of the guests. The presents were many and beautiful, a number having been received of friends not present at the ceremony. The bride was born and grew to young womanhood in the near vicinity and is well known and universally beloved. She was educated at Epworth seminary and followed the profession of teaching for several years. It was while teaching at Goldfield that the acquaintance with Mr. Nelson began, which culminated in their happy marriage. The groom is a prosperous farmer and young man worthy of the birde he has won. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson departed Friday morning for their home at Goldfield, where a reception was tendered them Friday evening. Among the out-of-town guests present at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Nelson, parents of the groom, Miss Philbrooks, Miss Agatha Cameron and Miss Nina Hansen of Goldfield, Miss Helen I. Hanna of Epworth and Mr. and Mrs. John Moser of Osterdock.

John Whitsell, field representative for Epworth seminary, was here during the week in the interest of the school. He also took occasion to call on friends while in the city.

A large delegation from this "neck o' the woods" went to Guttenburg, Saturday to attend the celebration given by the I. O. O. F. lodge in honor of their fiftieth anniversary. The town people who went were Mr. and Mrs. James Knee, Miss Florence Knee, Mrs. W. H. Bush, F. A. Grimes, and F. C. Nichols. From the vicinity north of town a large number attended the celebration. A good time is reported.

The Northeastern Iowa Medical society met here last Tuesday at the home of Dr. and Mrs.M . E. Dittmer. A picnic dinner in the grove had been planned but on account of the late arrival of the guests was served on the lawn at the Dittmer home. Among those present were Dr. and Mrs. E. G. Dittmer of Manchester, Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Rogers of Earlville, Dr. and Mrs. John Mueller of Dyersville, Dr. McNeil of Epworth and Dr. Kearney of Farley.

Bill'sodrchestra of Oelwein played for a dance at the Opera house Wednesday night. On account of the rain early in the evening the crowd was not as large as it otherwise would have been. Nevertheless there was good time for those inclined to dance.

Geo. F. Potts is treating his residence to a liberal dose of paint, thereby improving the appearance thereof "muchly". F. H. Coon is wielding the brush.

Miss Helen I. Hanna of Epworth is spending a few days with her former pupils at the seminary. Misses Morga, Lizzie and Gusta Craig.

W. H. P. Bristol went to Dubuque Saturday to remain over Sunday with Mrs. Bristol, who is at Finley hospital.

The Greeley base ball nine camo over last Wednesday afternoon to beat our boys playing ball. Both sides put up a good game but at the finish the balance was in favor of the locals—1 to 0. This caused our visitors to feel a trifle "sore." Don't be discouraged boys. "Try, try again".

Mr. andM rs. Cyrus Craig spent Sunday with their daughter Mrs. Edna Bolsinger at Jefferson.

The Colesburgers who attended commencement at the U. I. U. were Rev. and Mrs. F. T. Cassidy, Mrs. F. A. Grimes, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gries, Misses Blanche and Marie Grimes and Lillian Dittmer. Mrs. Cassidy remained for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. John Dorman.

R. M. Peck made a recent trip to Dubuque to consult Dr. W. B. Guthrie about his continued ill-health.

Rev. Wm. Klaus of Burt, Iowa, has been visiting relatives and friends here of late and also looking after his farm interests.

Henry Wordehoff of Dyersville was a Colesburg caller Thursday.

Mrs. Carrie Derr and son Lyle, Mrs Minnie Shellito and children, Opal, Dale and Alexander and George Gore spent Saturday and Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Maude Sheppard and family at Delhi. Mr. Gore delivered a gasoline engine and feed mill which he had sold to Mr. Sheppard.

Peter Seiples of Dubuque was transacting business here last week. He brought a sorrel team of George Flynn and a span of roans of T. Hansel paying each the princely price of $500. Both were fine teams. Mr. Hansel has a span of blacks for which he refused $500. Verily horses are desirable property just now.

Mrs. F. C. Wilson and children, Mrs. H. W. Putz and children and Blanche Stillinger took an outing Wednesday at Brownfield's mill. It was Bob Wilson's sixth birthday.

Rev. Wm. Gifford has the contract for the Star mail route to begin July 5th.

Mrs. J. B. Schwietert and son, B. B., have gone to Redfield, South Dakota, for a visit with Wesley Schwietert and family.

Mrs. M. A. Hodges has recently returned from a visit with her son, Tom, and family in Dubuque.

Miss Ione Bolsinger spent Saturday and Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Maude Sheppard at Delhi.

EARLVILLE.

Miss Eva Fitzpatrick of Strawberry Point visited friends in town Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Schaller visited in Manchester Wednesday and Thursday.

C. L. Hackbarth of Atchinson, Kansas, arrived Saturday morning to get acquainted with his little daughter. Mrs. Hackbarth and two children will accompany him on the return trip Wednesday.

Albert Volt spent Sunday with friends near Greeley.

Married Wednesday, June 16 Miss Addie Angel of this place and Mr. George Pulver of Delhi. Both of the contracting parties are well known to a large circle of friends who wish them joy and prosperity on the journey of life.

Mrs. C. Voit visited with friends in Delaware Monday.

Rev. Patterson spent several days in Waterloo last week.

Clarence Martin of Dubuque spent Sunday at A. B. Healey's.

Children's day was observed in the M. E. church Sunday.

F. B. Doolittle of Delhi transacted business in town Saturday.

MASONVILLE.

The Misses Bergary and Devlin of Monti were guests of Emma Ryan last week.

Maurice Nolan and Louis Mulvehill, students of St. Paul seminary are home for vacaion. Also Ed O'Hagan of St. Joseph's college, Dubuque.

M. Mohanan and family of Argile, Wisconsin, visited with Geo. Higgins and sister of Monti last week. While here he purchased two carload of cattle from Wm. Durham.

Dean Eldridge is home from South Dakota from a visit at home.

Miss Agnes Duffy, who has been attending Visitation Academy Dubuque, arrived home Friday for vacation.

Rev. John Murtagh celebrated his First Mass here lastW ednesday with very elaborate ceremonies. The church was filled and visitors from surrounding towns were present also clergy and students from different parts of the state assisted at the High Mass. A very appropriate and eloquent sermon was delivered by Rev. Thos. Conry. Rev. John Murtagh leaves this week for Dubuque, where he has been appointed assistant at the Cathedral. Father John's many friends extend congratulations.

The ball held in the Opera house last Friday night was a most enjoyable affair and was attended by sixty-six couples.

E. F. Mulvehill and wife returned last week after a week's visit with friends in Waterloo and Gilbertville. Mr. Mulvehill also attended the state C. O. F. convention at Cedar Rapids and was present at the ordination ceremonies at the seminary in St. Paul.

M. McQuaid of Darlington, Wisconsin, spent several days here with his student friend, Louis Mulvehill, this week.

A. H. Sullivan of Iowa Falls was a visitor here one day last week.

Misses Julia Sowles and Jessie Smith, who have been teaching in western Iowa are home for vacation.

Dr. Graham was an Independence visitor Monday.

Miss Daisy LeMaster of Wintrop was a guest ofM rs. E. F. Mulvehill last Friday.

The Western Union Telegraph company had a force of men here last week putting up a new line.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Nemers, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Schares of Gilbertville and Mr. and Mrs. N. Federspiel of Waterloo attended the ceremonies of Rev. John Murtagh's First Mass here last Wednesday.

T. Snyder of Winona, Minnesota, visited here a few days this week with friends.

Miss Maud Schares andM iss Susie Racey of Waterloo were guests of the former's sister, Mrs. E. F. Mulvehill, here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore, who have been visiting for a few days with his father and sisters, returned to their home at Osage, Iowa last Friday.

The Misses Katie Manyon and Celia McGowan of Fairbanks visited here the past week being guests of the Rev. Father Murtagh.

O. McMahon will soon build a new barn which makes him two new barns erected within a year. John Towley of Middlefield is also erecting a new barn.

DUNDEE.

W. B. White of Thorpe called here Saturday.

Chas. Zemanek left for North Dakota Sunday.

The basket social at the Alleghaney school was well attended. The proceeds amounted to $7.50 which goes for library books.

The Dundee band goes to Aurora July 3rd.

Delbert Clark of Thorpe called here Saturday.

Peter Reynolds was in town Saturday. He has a permanent position now at Aurora with the Chicago Great Western Railway.

Albert Reynolds moved from Thorpe to Dundee Saturday.

Our town was entertained by the band Sunday afternoon, who were assisted by five from Lamont.

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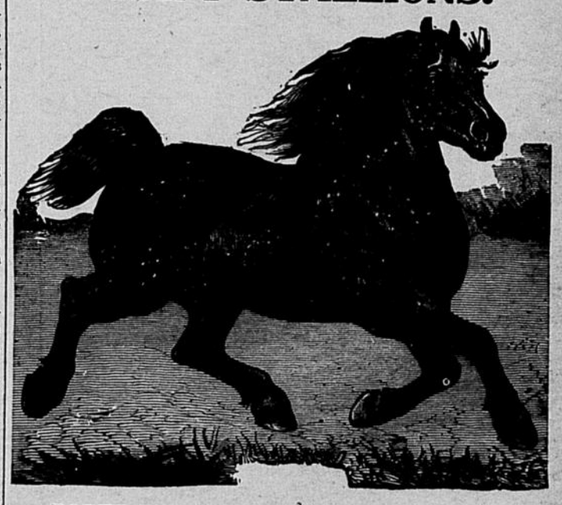

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