

MRS. S. BLANCHARD ANSWERS SUMMONS

RESIDENT OF IOWA NEARLY SEVENTY YEARS. FUNERAL SERVICES TODAY.

FORMER RESIDENT LAID TO REST

Fraternal Societies Pay Tribute to Memory of Late R. R. Robinson.

Mrs. Aurelia (Nelson) Blanchard, a resident of Waterloo, the state for nearly seventy years, passed away at her home in Masonville on Monday, April 14, 1913, at the advanced age of 75 years.

Mrs. Blanchard was born in the state of Michigan, December 28, 1837, and came to Buchanan county when but a young girl, until about fifteen years ago, when she and her family took up their residence in Masonville, where the family has since resided.

To Mr. and Mrs. Blanchard were born five sons. Their first child passed away in infancy, and two of their sons—Howard, Blanchard and Merritt Blanchard—have died in recent years. The sons left to mourn the death of this honored pioneer woman are Clarence and Deibert, both of whom reside in Masonville. Her husband, Samuel Blanchard, passed away June 22, 1904.

Funeral services were conducted this afternoon at the Wesleyan Methodist Episcopal church of Masonville, Rev. Mr. Hoover, pastor of the Wesleyan church at Dundee, conducting the services.

In the death of Mrs. Blanchard the community loses a woman whose life has been an inspiration for good to everyone who had the privilege of forming an intimate acquaintance with her. She was a devout and conscientious member of the Wesleyan Methodist Episcopal church, and her generosity of her time and talents to the upbuilding of that organization, coming to this part of Iowa when the country was sparsely settled, and much of the hardships endured by the pioneer settlers. To the two sons she will cherish in the years to come.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 o'clock on Friday night, accompanied by Mrs. Robinson and two sons, Fred and Glenn, and Miss Ennis Boggs.

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MILITARY DANCE APRIL TWENTY-FIFTH

MEMBERS OF COMPANY D IN ELABORATE PREPARATIONS FOR EVENT.

SOCIAL EVENTS OF PASSING WEEK

Juniors Banquet Seniors of High School in Royal Style at K. P. Hall.

One of the most enjoyable social events of the season took place at the K. P. hall on Friday night, when the juniors of the high school tendered the seniors an elaborately prepared banquet.

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THE LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK

WHAT MANCHESTER PEOPLE ARE DOING AT HOME AND ABROAD.

REVIEW AND FORECAST OF EVENTS

Items of a Personal and General Nature Picked Up About Town.

Mrs. L. Andrews was a Cedar Rapids visitor on Saturday.

E. E. Gilder was a business visitor to Cedar Rapids on Friday.

Mrs. R. A. Denton and daughter Margaret were Duquibue visitors Saturday.

John Mulvihill of Masonville was a business visitor in Manchester Saturday.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. A. Strickland were visitors in Cedar Rapids on Saturday.

Mrs. and Mrs. William Keiser of Prairie township were Duquibue visitors on Saturday.

Mrs. Anthony Lippert of Oelwein was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Oscar Hockaday, the first of the week.

Mrs. Lillian Sevel and her children have moved to Farley, where they intend to make their future home.

Mrs. and Mrs. H. J. Schwietert returned to Chicago Friday afternoon after a brief visit with friends and relatives.

Mrs. C. A. Roland of Chicago was a guest at the John Farley home the first of the week.

SUPERINTENDENT INMAN RE-ELECTED.

The school board, at a special session held Wednesday evening, April 9, re-elected J. R. Inman superintendent of schools for the ensuing school year.

'CLIPPER' TO BE DISCONTINUED.

A number of radical changes in the passenger train schedules of the Illinois Central are to be made in a few days. It is reported that the "Clipper" train, running between Chicago and Duquibue, is being discontinued.

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Mrs. and Mrs. T. S. Doty, who have been spending the winter in Bonnell, Florida, returned to their home on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. G. Prowse have been enjoying a visit this week from Mr. and Mrs. Niles Bradley, who are connected with the Nicholson Vaudeville company, which is playing at the Grand opera house.

Mrs. Jennie McCarran, who teaches in the city schools of Minneapolis, was a guest last week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. McCarran.

WEATHER CROP BULLETIN

For the week ending April 13, 1913. Des Moines, Iowa.

The past week was unseasonably cold and stormy. The local temperature was about 7 degrees below, and the average rainfall nearly two inches more than normal.

On Friday evening, April 12th, the pupils of St. Xavier's convent will give their annual musicale, under the direction of the Sisters of Mercy. The pupils of the school have prepared an attractive program, to which the public is invited.

Mrs. J. A. Strickland will be hostess to the Friday afternoon club this week. This will be the closing meeting of the club for the year, following the program which the ladies of the club will give, a banquet is to be given.

Mrs. F. F. Cary was hostess to the Manchester Woman's club at her home on East Butler street on Tuesday. A highly interesting program of papers and discussion was carried out by the club members.

Members of the K. P. lodge are reminded that there is to be work in rank of Knights at the lodge hall on Monday night, April 21. Supper and a good time.

Mrs. Burton Clark was hostess to a company of ladies at a delightful luncheon on Thursday afternoon. An enjoyable afternoon was spent by the ladies.

Mrs. Sherman Harris will entertain at luncheon on Thursday afternoon a company of twelve ladies.

The Woman's Relief corps held its regular meeting in the G. A. R. hall this afternoon.

Regular meeting of Manchester Lodge No. 35, A. F. & A. M., will be held on Saturday evening of this week.

Basket social, Friday evening, April 18, at the Red school house, short program will begin at eight o'clock. The proceeds are to be used for the benefit of the school.

Everybody come bring baskets. HUGH JONES, BDNA COWLES, Director.

MANCHESTER BOYELECTED MAYOR.

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WATERLOO ATTORNEY FOR THIRD JUDGE

GOVERNOR APPOINTS MULLAN OF WATERLOO THIRD JUDGE IN THIS DISTRICT.

PIONEER LAWYER OF WATERLOO

Lawyer of High Standing and Formerly Attorney General of Iowa.

Following the going into effect of the new law, creating the office of a third judge in this judicial district, Gov. Clarke appointed Hon. Charles W. Mullan of Waterloo to that position.

The appointment meets with general approval over the district. Mr. Mullan has been for many years one of the leaders of the Black Hawk county bar. He is a man of high legal ability and will do justice to himself and to the important office which he has been appointed.

The indorsement by members of the Black Hawk County bar association occupies a high place in the history of the bar of the county and of the state, and his name is connected with the very beginning of the community itself.

General Mullan, together with his sister, is now the original settler of Waterloo, although still a man in the prime of life and activity. He was born in Wayne county, Illinois, coming to Blackhawk when but six months old, his father founding the original town of Waterloo. He has witnessed the growth and development of city and county from the early days to the present.

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TO ERECT HANDSOME RESIDENCE.

Mr. and Mrs. William Barr Jr. have sold their residence on East Union street to Will Hahney, who will remove the building to a lot in the northeast part of the city and remodel and build additions to the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Barr are now having plans and specifications drawn for a large and thoroughly modern residence, which they will erect on the lot on Union street. The Democrat is informed that they expect to spend about \$8,000 in the erection of a residence. When completed the building will be one of the finest modern dwellings on Manchester's most beautiful residence street.

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MANCHESTER MARKETS.

Butter, 37; Eggs, 36; Potatoes, 25-49; Corn, 50-55; Tame Hay, loose, 12-20; Tame Hay, baled, 12-18; Wild Hay, loose, 8-10; Wild Hay, baled, 8-10; Straw, loose, 5-6; No. 1 Spring Wheat, 87; No. 2 Spring Wheat, 84; No. 3 Spring Wheat, 81; Chickens, 12; Hens, 12; Geese, 12; Old Rooters, 12; Veal Calves, 8-10; Hogs, 8-65.

Edwards Rellly Jr. and wife to Fred Eggman. Four and one-half acres situated on sec 12, twp 87, north range 5, west of the 5th P. M. \$1

M. E. Longford to H. L. Sherman. One-half acre situated on sec 11, twp 87, north range 5, west of the 5th P. M. \$1

Chas. B. O'Rourke to Wm. H. Hartbeck. Forty acres situated in section 20, twp 80, north range 3, west of the 5th P. M. \$1

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