

THE LOCAL NEWS OF DELAWARE COUNTY

NEWS HAPPENINGS OF THE PAST WEEK GATHERED BY OUR CORRESPONDENTS.

A WEEKLY HISTORY TENSELY TOLD

Interesting Compilation of Items of Moment Throughout the County.

DELEHI. A business meeting of the Epworth League will be held on Tuesday evening, April 7.

J. W. Hartman and E. G. Adams attended the county meeting of the M. W. A. at Manchester Wednesday.

Mrs. J. Waddell and Miss Rimmer left for South Dakota Wednesday.

H. J. Vanfleet of Earlville had business in town Friday.

Harry Michaels, who recently signed up with the Marshalltown team as shortstop, received orders to report for practice on Monday, April 6.

Chas. Vessey, who signed with Duquesne as pitcher, received orders to report at Prairie du Chien, Wisconsin, for practice Saturday.

Mrs. Schumacher and daughter of Aurora visited at P. B. Fulver's last week.

Mrs. Nicholson and son of Strawberry Point spent Sunday at Prof. Trezona's.

Will Hull made a business trip to Hopkinton recently.

Miss Gladys Adams spent Sunday in Hopkinton.

Mrs. Gwen Bentz, who is a teacher at Spencer, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Perkins.

An Easter program will be given next Sunday at eleven o'clock at the M. E. church.

The Ladies Aid society meets with Mrs. L. M. Barnes Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Edith Volt of Earlville spent Sunday at the Beals home.

S. F. Crabb and John Porter went to Independence last Friday after two Stanley Steamers.

Mr. and Mrs. Schuster of Hopkinton were in town the first of the week.

In the near future there will be a lecture in Delhi on "The Prevention and Cure of Hog Cholera," to which all interested are urged to attend. Watch for further notice.

The house on the Eschelman farm west of Delhi occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Will Haasie, burned to the ground at 4 o'clock Tuesday morning.

Such heavy duty had been done when the fire was discovered that it was impossible to save anything of contents which is a great loss to Mr. and Mrs. Haasie.

Peter Keith of Blairburg visited relatives in Delhi and vicinity this week.

Harry Michael and Charles Vessey spent Sunday with Hopkinton friends George Morris and Andrew Cumming are serving on the jury at Manchester this week.

Miss Allene Stove, elocutionist, and Mr. Greenup, cornetist and vocal soloist, will give an entertainment at the M. E. church Friday evening, April 24th, for the benefit of the public school. Come to the entertainment and be a booster for our school.

Mrs. A. N. Billings visited with her relatives at Volga the past week.

Several from Delhi went to Delaware Monday to attend a quarterly conference of the M. E. church.

The young people had a farewell on Miss Burnett's Rimmer Tuesday evening. She goes to Armour, S. D., to spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Waddell.

Rev. J. S. Westfall is visiting his daughter at Tipton and Bennet this week.

J. W. Swinburne has been subpoenaed as a juror in the United States court to be held in Dubuque this month.

Lloyd and Florence Wilson spent Tuesday in Manchester.

A game of ball was played Saturday between Hopkinton and Delhi. The score was 11 to 3 in favor of Delhi.

Cliff Jackson and family now occupy one of Mrs. Doolittle's houses.

HOPKINTON. Mrs. C. M. Dunlap visited in Manchester Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Williams of Marion visited her sister, Mrs. Frank Dean, Thursday.

Mrs. Cliff Majn was here from Monticello Thursday.

David Sutherland of Great Falls, Montana, was at the home of W. S. Johnson last week.

Mrs. A. D. LeClere and daughter were in Anamosa last week.

Miss Vivian Dunlap has returned to her college work at Cedar Falls.

Miss Peters of Cedar Rapids is here as trimmer in Miss Kelley's millinery store.

Mrs. Will Dennison of Onslow visited Thursday between trains with Mrs. J. D. MacAllister.

Mr. and Mrs. Irish and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Milroy went to Dubuque Thursday evening.

Miss Lou Densmore came down from Edgewood Thursday evening. Miss Jessie Dunlap will teach the spring term at Golden.

Mrs. Packard of Edgewood will be here with her daughter who is a student at Lenox during the spring term. They have rooms with Mrs. Bowen.

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dent at Lenox during the spring term. They have rooms with Mrs. Bowen. A little son is reported at the home of Rev. Alfred Nickless and wife at Chicago.

Mrs. S. P. Thorpe and daughter Aylo returned Tuesday from a three month visit in California.

Miss Cora Ricketts left Thursday evening for Iowa City where she visited for several days with her brother, Jamie, who is still in the hospital.

Mrs. Heam of Monticello and Jacob Landis of Colesburg were visitors at the home of A. J. King and wife last week.

J. S. McConnell, William Zeuch, U. F. Wheelless and wife and Arthur Reed and wife were in Manchester Tuesday.

Thomas Mathers, who has been here since January first, left Wednesday for his home in Nebraska.

Mrs. Lake and Mrs. Walters of Anamosa and Mrs. Campbell of Dubuque were Saturday visitors with Mrs. W. H. Zollar.

Walter Ferguson was here from Monticello Wednesday at the home of H. Moulton.

Prof. J. W. Parkhill is taking his vacation in Chicago.

The social afternoon of the Methodist ladies was held at the home of Mrs. A. B. Wheelless on Thursday and a large number were in attendance. The proceeds were \$3.00.

Miss Isabel Heisey, of the class of 1912 of Lenox college, who is now teaching at St. Ansgar, and her brother, of Monticello visited in town Wednesday with their sister, Susanna, a Lenox student.

Misses Margaret and Esther Gearhart of Springfield visited Tuesday and Wednesday at the home of their uncle, N. A. Gearhart.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Reed are settled in the front upstairs rooms of the hotel building. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Billings will have rooms on the east side of the same building.

The many friends of Prof. Thomas Houston MacBride will be interested in the announcement that he has been appointed to fill the vacancy as president of the State University, also that it is possible it may be permanently filled by W. B. Guthrie. Some of the glory of either name shines over old Lenox.

There was certainly a hot time in the old town last Monday over election. However all passed with no blood shed and everyone has again settled down to business, either his own or that of some one else.

The citizens committee had a social gathering at the opera house Friday evening, to which were invited all the voters, candidates elected and otherwise at which time a good time is reported.

A picked-up team played base ball at Delhi, Saturday. The Delhi boys won.

Mrs. Eaphart went to Cedar Rapids to attend the teachers meeting. John Morris has been making quite a business of buying and shipping basswood and poplar to a Dubuque firm for excelsior. He has had cut 1491 cords most of which has already been shipped and paid for at the same \$67.00.

A. W. McDonald and family moved last week into their beautiful new bungalow.

The Women Workers of the Presbyterian church will be entertained by the Northeast group at the home of Mrs. Livingston next Wednesday.

The public schools are having their vacation this week.

Miss Jennie Dunlap has been confined to her bed during the past week.

Lenox college opens Wednesday for the spring term.

Daily Thought. There is no duty to so much undertake as the duty of being happy.—R. L. Stevenson.

bank has found it necessary to take a vacation from his work. Mr. Foley at the present time is not feeling his very best, hence his reason for laying off.

Harlem Merriam spent Sunday with his friend, Walter Barry, near Masonville.

John McDaniel of Farley, spent Saturday in Ryan.

Rose McCusker was in Cedar Rapids on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Flood spent Sunday in the country, guests of their son, Edgar, and family.

W. H. Ward spent a day in Manchester last week.

Mrs. W. B. Robinson and daughter, Lucy, of Silver Creek, boarded the train here last week for Cedar Rapids where they spent a few days with the Norris family.

Holy week services will be carried out as usual in the Catholic church, beginning Wednesday and continuing until Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tarleton were passengers to the Parlor City one day last week.

Mrs. Ellen Smith, of Dubuque, was a visitor at the George Johnson home several days of last week.

Miss McKeever and father, of Central City, spent a few days last week at the Fred McKeever home.

Richard Houlahan and family spent Sunday with his mother in the country.

Anna Ward was a passenger to Manchester Wednesday.

Mrs. Kaufman of Robinson and daughter, Clestis, who attends St. John's school here, spent Sunday in Cedar Rapids.

Mrs. Turner, of Earlville, and Mrs. Phillips, from near Delhi, were week week visitors at the Dr. Cummings home.

Miss Hughberger is taking a course at the State Normal, going there last week.

Richard Barry spent Sunday with home folks.

Miss O'Brien and brother, of Sand Springs were in Ryan on Sunday.

John Brayton and family were Manchester visitors Sunday.

The work on the Will McElliot residence is near completion and when it is finished the house will be occupied by Mr. Sullivan and her sister, Miss Hennessy.

Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. Thompson that they are now in Hubbard and that Mr. Thompson is delighted with his new position.

Harlan Merriam, of the Manchester High school, spent last week at home, it being vacation.

Dan Kewan and wife were in Ryan Saturday.

The creamery company had a sale of boxes, wares, etc., Saturday and everything sold well.

E. J. Hopkins of Delhi was here on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ware entertained relatives from Coggon during the week.

Miss Heiserman, who is working in Manchester spent several days at the parental home recently.

Mrs. Hawker and daughter were in Manchester Thursday.

EARLVILLE. Miss May Powell returned Sunday from a visit in Dubuque.

Mrs. Chas. Pulver returned from Parkview hospital last week, where she was confined. She is much improved in health.

Mrs. Eliza Vanfleet was hostess to the Outlook club Thursday. Dainty refreshments were served after the program.

Miss Edith Volt is visiting in Delhi this week.

Mrs. C. Vandyke spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hackbarth.

Mrs. A. C. Harro of Waverly is visiting her mother, Mrs. Blanche Williams.

Mrs. Oscar Ester of Manchester spent Sunday at the Werkmeister home.

Mr. Reed of Bear Grove was in town Saturday enroute to Independence where he went to consult physicians in regard to his health.

Mrs. Georgiana Dougan and children left Tuesday for Chicago and Danville, Illinois, where she will make an extended visit with home folks.

Mrs. Hammel left Friday for Shell Rock, Iowa, for a visit with home folks.

Arnold School returned Tuesday to Ft. Snelling, Minnesota, after a month's furlough spent with home folks.

The following young people were confirmed at Emmanuel Lutheran church in this city on Sunday morning by Rev. Lutz, pastor: Messrs. Arthur Hackbarth, Harry Lubben, Walter Schuchert, Ernest Hoyer and the Misses Anna Hahn and Edna Wendt.

Miss Elva Thompson of Dubuque is spending several days at the home of her husband, A. Thompson.

The Misses Freda Hahn and Bertha Scheel were visitors at Waterloo Sunday.

Wm. Buchholtz was a Dubuque visitor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rol. Burrow left on Tuesday for a visit at Excelsior Springs, Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Jones of Davonport spent several days at the Werkmeister home.

Mrs. Harrison Ellsworth and little son left Saturday evening for her home at Britt, Iowa, after a short visit at the Henry Stumpf home.

Miss Grace Horsey was hostess to the young ladies' society on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Geo. Bechtel and little daughter of Dubuque have been guests at the L. C. Schaller home for several days.

Paul Klaus of Manchester spent several days at the A. L. Prentice home last week.

Widow's Three Tests. A smart widow at a country house was telling the other day that there were three courses through which every woman should put a man before she married him. These were eating, laughing and kissing. "A man's laugh tells a lot," she said. "If it is hearty and merry he is good tempered; if loud and empty it means he lacks feeling. Beware of a greedy man. It will be a case of 'feed the brute' all the time." And, according to her, kissing was the most important test of all.

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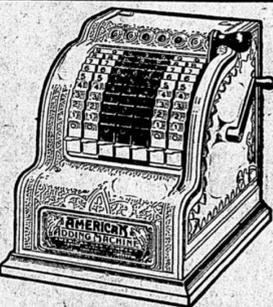
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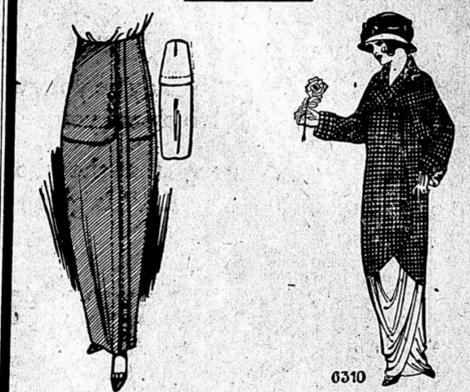
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