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COLESBURG

Winter is King. S. G. Walker was in Dyersville on business Friday.

Mrs. M. J. Wilson has been on the sick list. The Colesburg friends of Mrs. Henry Eike, nee Josie Hofer, sympathize with her in the death of her husband which occurred last Tuesday at his home near Petersburg.

He had been ill for some time with Bright's disease. Mrs. Eike is left with three small children. The family formerly resided a mile south of town.

J. J. Pentony was over from Manchester Saturday transacting business pertaining to his office.

T. F. Keller made a business trip to Garber, Friday.

Mrs. George Walker is recovering from her recent illness, a fact her friends are glad to know.

Amos Livingston's new house is now ready for occupancy and they expect to take possession at once.

Wm. Flasher and wife will then move onto their farm thus vacated.

Mrs. Fred Cole is making an encouraging improvement, considering the seriousness of her condition, and it is now thought that she will recover.

Mr. Cole's hands are seriously burned also. With three small children in the family and both parents disabled is hard luck. Indeed, however, kind friends have come to their assistance.

D. B. Eldredge and family expect to move to town this week, taking possession of their property recently vacated by George Herman and family.

The following Colesburg young people enjoyed a sleigh ride to Ellipton, Friday evening and attended a play given by the students of the High school, Prof. I. R. Appleman, Misses Elvina Kuhlman, Ruth Greer, Sallome Foote, Golda Bolsinger and Mary Platte, Fred Peck, Walter Bush, Arthur Platte, Leo Bush, Ted Dittmer, Wilbur Connor, Spencer Smith, Wm. Moreland and Maurice Bush.

J. W. Smith and wife are entertaining relatives from South Dakota.

Miss Harriet Krumpel went to Charles City during the week to attend the observance of her cousin, Mrs. George Datsman. Mr. Datsman is a former resident of this vicinity and has many friends who sympathize with him in the loss of a beloved wife. Her death occurred in Chicago, where she had submitted to an operation for goiter, with fatal results.

Lawrence Wessel of Penton, Iowa, is visiting here among relatives and friends.

A. L. Sheppard is to have a public sale Saturday of this week to dispose of his personal effects. John Kaufman is to be the auctioneer and T. A. Foote, clerk. We hear that Mr. and Mrs. Sheppard are contemplating a move to Oelwein.

Wm. Harris and family are moving today to the Daniel McDonald place near Uppergraph, he having secured work from Jess Walters for the coming season.

Dr. Wilson was a professional caller at Edgewood, Wednesday. An operation for appendicitis was performed upon J. F. Flenniken. Dr. Guthrie of Dubuque was assisted by Drs. Gray and Wilson. The outcome was favorable as Mr. Flenniken's many friends here are glad to know.

Mrs. George Hermann and daughter went to Dubuque, Wednesday for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. F. Lemper.

DELAWARE

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Persson and daughters, Agnes and Effie, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Persson and son Howard visited at the Dan Persson home near Onoda Sunday.

At Taylor of Earlville was here on Wednesday enroute to Delhi to visit his daughter, Mrs. Cora Thibadeau, who is quite sick.

Mrs. Will Roloff visited her sister and family at Hazelton Thursday.

Miss Mary Veidon and Mr. Carl Hillers returned home Saturday after

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ing. They took their refreshments and also a very nice chair with them.

C. A. Robertson of Pittsville, Wis., visited last week. He spent some time with his brothers-in-law, J. I. Brownell and A. H. House, and his uncle, David Smith. He was called to Amber to attend the funeral of his father.

The little two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Martin died Monday. There was no funeral services on account of the family being quarantined. The little one was laid to rest Monday evening. The family have the sympathy of the entire community under the unusually sad circumstances.

The neighbors and friends east of town gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith once more before they left the neighborhood. They have rooms in C. N. Hull's residence until their own is completed.

A fire alarm was given Thursday morning which proved to be a primary school building, caused by the chimney burning out and sparks falling on the shingles, which a few pails of water soon extinguished.

The agricultural short course closed last Friday but on February 11, 12 and 13 there is to be held here an automobile short course in the opera house for the benefit of auto owners and it is also expected to hold a dairy day when a special train will be run through here accompanied by lecturers and a display of interest to dairymen and farmers.

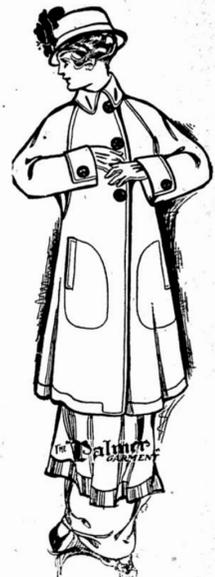
Millard Morrow, who is engaged with the Rock Rapids Co. at Minneapolis, is visiting his parents, Mrs. Smith and Miss Brady of Shelton, Nebraska, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Bentley.

At an annual meeting of the Hopkinton creamery company last week, J. H. Griffith was elected as one of the directors in the place of P. H. Dunblow. Frank Shipman is engaged for another year, with D. H. Clymer as assistant.

A letter was received by J. D. Morgan, of the Rock Rapids Co. at Minneapolis, is visiting his parents, Mrs. Smith and Miss Brady of Shelton, Nebraska, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Bentley.

The Methodist Brotherhood held a banquet in their room in the basement of the Phillips Hotel. They intend having the room open two or three times a week as a gathering place for men and boys, where they may have reading and games.

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Special reduction on all women's coats—1 to 1/2 from former price. Every garment offered is new with this season from Fields' and Palmer's.

Fancy Comforters at special prices, reduced to 98c, \$1.19, \$1.39, and the finest grades at \$2.49 and \$2.75.

Men's and Women's Flannel Night Robes at 25% less than regular prices.

50 bolts of extra good quality Cotton Flannel, in light and dark shades. 8c.

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All our \$1.19 and \$1.25 fancy umbrellas, at one price 85c.

Special lace curtain offerings, a decided cut in prices for early buyers, 2 1/2 yards, ready to hang, the \$1 kind, now per pr. 69c.

Fancy bungalow curtains, 2 1/2 yds. long, very special at 59c.

February Ladies' Home Journal Patterns

Stearns & McCormick Department Store

announcing the marriage of Mr. Wm. Joseph Supple of Cedar Rapids, and formerly of Manchester, and Miss Catherine Winifred Loftus of New Haven. The marriage ceremony was performed by a cousin, Father Loftus of Chicago.

Mr. John Riley was a visitor with her parents in Coggon on Monday.

R. M. Merriam spent Sunday and Monday at the home of Mrs. Mina Fear. H. A. Haight of Mio was attending to the telephone board here during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McCay of Winthrop was here and settled up business in regard to the Seagrath estate and shipped the household goods to Winthrop.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mangold attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Keenan. Mr. Keenan is a brother of Mrs. John Mangold.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bock Jr. and family of Elkader visited at the parental home last week.

Mrs. Krogman, living east of town, has purchased the residence now occupied by P. M. Cloud and family, of Mrs. Elizabeth Cousins. The consideration was \$3,000. Possession is to be given soon.

The following changes in residence will be made soon: James Wilson is moving into the place occupied by the late Mrs. Anna Sandcock; Maurice Maroney will move into the place vacated by Mr. Wilson; Mrs. Binning will move into the place vacated by Mr. Maroney; P. M. Cloud and family will move into one of the places owned by Geo. Gilias in the east end of town known as the Biggrove residence; Will Cite has moved to town and is nicely settled in the place recently purchased from E. B. Krogman.

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Edgewood. E. Blagrove is nicely located in his new home which has just been completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hicks of Earlville, Iowa, are visiting at the R. W. Burrow home on their honeymoon trip.

The Nemo theater will begin its Wednesday evening exhibitions at 8:00 o'clock instead of 8:15 as heretofore.

James Grapes, who has been conducting the hotel, will open a restaurant and rooming house in the place known as the Zimmerman property. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Green of Delhi are moving to town and will conduct the hotel.

Mrs. Geo. Heyer, who has been seriously ill at her home in this city, is reported to be improving. A trained nurse is in attendance.

The revival meetings which have been in progress at the M. E. church for the past two weeks, were concluded Sunday evening.

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Public Sale!

Having decided to remove from Delaware County, the undersigned will sell on the Frank Child farm, one-half mile east of Masonville, on old Hawkeye Highway, on

Saturday, January 30th, 1915,

Sale to commence at 1 p. m., the following described property:

HORSES, CATTLE, ETC.
Two bay mares, 12 years old; two mules, 10 years old; two heifers coming 1 year old; one good brood sow.

FARM MACHINERY, ETC.
One disc, one 4-section plow, one oats seeder, one Moline stirring plow, one Hummer stirring plow, one McCormick mower, one McCormick grain binder, one side-delivery hay rake, two sets of work harness, one new; one wagon, one truck wagon, one 1-horse wagon, one top buggy, one cream separator, one swill cart, one hand corn sheller, one Kimball organ.

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FOR SALE.
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FOR SALE.
A Duroc Jersey boar with Illinois state pedigree. Also ten ton of bred timothy hay, which was never been raised on.

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Now is the time to buy that Heater or Range which you have been figuring on for a long time.

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A TYPICAL backwoods mountaineer, but with the soul and genius of an artist, is the leading character of our new serial. He is a member of a feudist clan, taught to avenge the deaths of his ancestors. His introduction to modern civilization, his transformation to a man of law and order and his efforts toward regenerating his people are entertainingly told in

The Call of the Cumberland

In addition to the many stirring incidents with which the story abounds there is a capital love story that will appeal to the women. If you like a good story don't miss the first installment of

The Call of the Cumberland

Real Economy.
Economy also means that the father with a turkey wing income ought not to undertake to buy ostrich plumed hats for his daughters who regard washing dishes as a drudgery and sitting the frying pan a disgrace.—Houston Post.

NOTICE.
The undersigned is now ready to accept calls for nursing.
JULIA EVANS,
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DRESSMAKING SCHOOL.
I will take a limited number of pupils in dressmaking, from February 9 to 20, inclusive.
MISS JENNIE HOLMES,
4w3. Howard St., Manchester.

Charles Neville Buck.

yer by profession, it was newspaper work that brought him into connection with the lawless feudists of the Kentucky mountains and that is to a certain extent responsible for the plot of his story.

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The story has been dramatized and the play has met with unusual success throughout the country.

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Another Try.
Recruiting Officer—What's the good of coming here and saying you're only seventeen years old? Go on and walk around that yard and come back and see if you're not nineteen.—Punch.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Duart of Manchester are visiting friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. O. U. Talmadge will move Wednesday to a farm near Manchester. Quite a number of their friends met at their home Friday evening and gave them a farewell party.

Mrs. Fred Pulver is on the sick list.

Some young people very pleasantly surprised Harry Swinburne last Saturday evening. It was his birthday.

Mrs. Schumacher of Aurora is here helping care for her daughter, Mrs. Fred Pulver.

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