

LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK

WHAT MANCHESTER PEOPLE ARE DOING AT HOME AND ABOARD.

REVIEW AND FORECAST OF THE WEEK

Items of a Personal and General Nature Picked Up About the City.

—Attend the Farmers' Institute at this time this week.

—J. S. Jones is a business visitor in Winthrop today.

—Miss Grace Halpin spent Sunday with her mother in Dubuque.

—Miss Stella Mutschler was a guest of her parents, in East Dubuque over Sunday.

—Mrs. William McIntosh and Mrs. N. D. Wilson were visitors in Dubuque last Saturday.

—A. C. Philipp offers a remedy for that cough. Note what he says in his advertisement on page 8.

—The first Delaware County Teachers' Study Center will be held Saturday, January 22, at the Manchester High School building.

—George Hamblin has sold his two-acre farm south of town, to J. E. Cocking of this city, the price per acre was \$225. Mr. Cocking takes possession March 1st, we understand.

—W. V. Keith of Hopkinton, was a business visitor in Manchester Saturday. While in the city he was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Guy Bishop.

—Mrs. George W. Mernitz of Chicago, was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Smith, several days last week. She returned to her home on Friday morning of last week.

—Dr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith, who were obliged to leave their field as medical missionaries in Turkey, arrived in Iowa last week, and have been spending some time with friends at Hopkinton, Rowley and Winthrop.

—Uriah Morey, of Earlville, New York, has been spending several weeks with friends in and near Manchester. He left the first of the week for his home at Earlville, New York.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal church will not meet this week as formerly planned. The meeting has been postponed until Friday, January 28th, on account of the Farmers' institute.

—The Thirteen club was delightfully entertained on Monday evening of Geo. Krapfel, of east of Greeley, in her beautiful new home. The regular program was given, and an interesting evening spent by the members of the club.

—The At Home society of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. F. E. Richardson, on Wednesday, January 26th, at 2:30. A business meeting will be held at 3:00 at which every member is urged to be present.

—The young people of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold a basket social in the parlors of the church this evening, the proceeds from the social to be devoted to the work of the Epworth league. The ladies are requested to bring baskets.

—Harold Brownell, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Brownell of Saskatchewan, Canada, was a guest in the home of his uncle, Charles Brownell. He left last Saturday morning for his home in Canada, after spending several days with his relatives here.

—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis, of Glenwood, Iowa, spent several days with relatives in Manchester. Mr. Davis and his family are nicely situated in Glenwood, where Earl owns a half interest in one of the best semi-weekly newspapers in western Iowa.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Whitney left Monday morning for a several months' stay at Winterhaven, Florida, where their daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Niles resides. Mr. and Mrs. Whitney spent the winter three years ago in Winterhaven, and found the climate delightful.

—The regular January teachers' examination will be held in the County Superintendent's office at Manchester on January 26, 27 and 28, 1916. All applicants will be required to show either six months teaching experience or twelve weeks' normal training.

—The Ladies Society of the Congregational church, formerly known as the Ladies' Society Kensington, will meet with Mrs. C. C. Bradley on Wednesday afternoon, January 26th, 1916. Mrs. Bradley will be assisted by Mrs. Edwin Davis and Mrs. Will Dudley. All the members are urged to be present.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Keith of Marlon, were guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Higman. Mr. Keith is a locomotive engineer, on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, and sustained an injury to one of his hands recently and has been obliged to lay off for a few days.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Taber leave tomorrow for a several weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Kansas. They will first go to Eskridge, Kansas, where they will spend some time with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Paris, and later they will go to McPherson, where they have other relatives.

—J. M. Jones & Sons, who are now getting nicely settled in their new quarters, the Armory building on Main street, begin a series of Ford car advertisements this week, which will prove of interest to all who contemplate the purchase of a moderate priced car. Don't fail to read their advertisement. And by the way, while in Manchester the last three days of this week attending the Farmers institute, step into their place and have them show you their conveniently arranged offices and workshop, and the new Overlands and Ford.

—Farmers' Institute at new Armory on January 20, 21 and 22.
—Geo. W. Snyder of south of this city, advertises a public sale, to take place on Tuesday, January 25th, at 1 o'clock sharp.

—The Manchester Lumber company has something to say about the quality of their mill work and under what conditions their line is manufactured. If you are contemplating building their announcement will prove of especial interest.

—On another page of this issue appears the announcement of Mr. S. S. Arnold. Mr. Arnold recently purchased the hardware stock of Bert Stier, and is now in possession of the business. Mr. Arnold, as stated in a former issue of this paper, is a practical hardware dealer, and knows the business from the ground up. He is now filling in the stock, and in a short time will have a complete line of merchandise carried in an up-to-date hardware store.

—Visitors at the Farmers' Institute this week are cordially invited to visit the Rest Room under the First National Bank in this city. The rest room is provided with comfortable chairs, where visitors can make themselves at home, and wait for and meet their friends. All visitors at the rest room are asked to kindly sign the register which is being kept in the room. Signing the register places no obligation upon any one, it is simply there to show the number of persons that visit the rooms during the year.

—The Pioneer Journal of Wadena, Minnesota, contained the following item in its issue of last week: "Miss Hilda Gustafson and Oscar Paulson, of Manchester, Iowa, were united in marriage at the Swedish parsonage in this city, Rev. Isaacson officiating. Miss Gustafson arrived here a week ago from Lindkopung, Sweden, staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Johnson, who reside 6 miles north of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Paulson left on the Winnipeg flyer Wednesday evening for their future home in Iowa."

—Mrs. Michael Hahesey went to Earlville Saturday to confer with friends regarding the removal of the remains of the late Miss O'Connell, who died some time ago in Dubuque, and the remains interred in a cemetery near that city. Friends of the deceased are taking steps to have the remains interred in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery at Delhi, where other members of the family are buried, and where Miss O'Connell wanted to be laid to rest, according to her wishes as expressed to friends during her lifetime.

CITIZENS AFTER THE SALOON.

The citizens of East Dubuque are apparently becoming disgusted with the saloon problem of that city, since the saloons in Iowa have had to close their doors. Last week a petition, to have a "local option" election held in March, was circulated and more than enough signatures were secured to call the special election.

The attempt to make East Dubuque "dry" is being made because Dubuque by the hundreds almost every day cross the high bridge to procure their liquor, and on Saturdays the crowds are numbered in the thousands.

The buses running between the two cities are crowded on every trip with men, who for the most part are either going after liquor or returning after having imbibed a considerable amount. For this latter reason the women have made strenuous objections to East Dubuque remaining "wet" after the spring election which will be held there on March 13.

The women of East Dubuque will have a right to vote on the question at this election and according to reports they are almost unanimously against the "wets."

It is reported that ten East Dubuque saloon keepers have a contract with two auto owners to pay them the sum of \$10 a day if they will put the autos into operation as a bus line between the two cities, with the understanding that they are to carry women passengers only.

Since the first of the year there have been but few arrests made in Dubuque on the charge of intoxication. The city jail is almost deserted and the streets of the city are free from the usual delinquents who made the saloons their headquarters.

As far as can be ascertained the merchants have suffered no noticeable decline in their business. On the other hand the soft drink parlors and confectionery stores report a very large increase.

CHURCH HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Congregational church was held last Thursday evening, when reports from the various departments of the church were submitted. Officers for the year 1916 were elected, and the work for the new year discussed and outlined. From the reports submitted the church had a good year. The financial reports showed that there were cash balances on hand in all of the departments, and that the prospects for a successful year were even more favorable than they were a year ago.

During the year the church suffered the loss, by death, of a number of its most influential members. The pastor, in submitting his report to the annual meeting, made special reference to this fact, speaking in eloquent terms of the part these department members had in the life of the church.

Ventilation, Experiments
Experiments conducted by the New York commission on ventilation demonstrate that as long as the temperature is kept down the vitiated air of an unventilated room where the humidity is kept constant has no direct effects on the pulse blood pressure, body temperature, respiration or metabolism, though the desire for food is appreciably diminished.

RYAN

Hazel McEnany was quite sick with la grippe last week.

Mrs. Anna Underwood arrived here Monday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Rose Summers.

Good news came to Father John Nolan, the dean of St. Joseph college. For a time fear was entertained for his recovery, but now the doctors have hopes for his restoration to health. His many friends will be glad to learn this fact.

John Devlin, a brother-in-law of Jane Coleman, arrived from Canada, Friday evening to be present at his funeral.

The Catholic fair which was to have been held last week, has been postponed until the first week in February.

Mrs. Bessie Henderson, of Silver Creek, left here Monday morning for Anamosa, where she will receive medical treatment.

Father Flynn, who has been at the home of Father Murphy during his illness, returned here Tuesday and is a guest of Father Molloy.

J. J. Hieberger has been sick for several days at his home north of town.

Patrick Coleman from McCracken, Kans., was called here by the death of his brother.

Mrs. Johnson Sheppard underwent a successful operation for appendicitis at the Mercy hospital, in Iowa City, last week and is getting along nicely. She was accompanied by Mrs. John Tarlton.

James Murphy and his sister from Dubuque, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Hines.

Carl Hartman, jr., had two of his fingers badly bruised Monday while engaged in sawing wood at his home near Ryan.

George Smith was a business caller in Cedar Rapids Friday.

Mr. Harry Chrystal and Miss Anna Heiserman, of this place, were united in marriage Wednesday of last week, at Manchester and left the same evening on a wedding trip to Nebraska. They will live near Ryan in a beautiful home which the groom had built last year.

Mr. Pat Divine, who has been sick for several weeks, is able to be out again.

Frank Keltz is expecting his brother, Fred from Ottawa, Kansas, this week.

Mr. Aron Dickey, who has been sick for several weeks with typhoid fever, passed away at his home near Masonville, Saturday morning. He leaves a wife and two small children to mourn his loss.

The many friends of Frank McGuire will be glad to learn that his family is improving rapidly.

Vincent Drummy has returned from Iowa City, after spending several weeks at the hospital, taking medical treatment.

Miss Blanche McEnany returned to her school duties in Dubuque, after spending several days at home.

Rev. Father Behan from Blessing, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Behan, during the week.

Miss Maud Arduser, a student, of the Cedar Rapids business college came up Thursday evening to visit over Sunday with the Misses Worley and other friends.

R. C. Wendling was in Cedar Rapids on business Thursday.

Mrs. Will Davis of Manchester, is here helping care for her little granddaughter, Iva Brayton, who is quite sick.

N. Weiler and George Johnston, were business callers in Cedar Rapids during the week.

The many friends of Mrs. Godfrey Wenger will be glad to learn that she came out of her operation and is getting along nicely.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church entertained their husbands at a party held at the O. M. Wright home Friday evening. The evening was spent in a social way, and a two course supper served. All present report a very enjoyable time.

HOPKINTON

Joseph Clark of De Smet, S. D., visited last week with his sister, Mrs. H. L. Main.

M. H. MacArthur made a business trip up from Davenport Tuesday and was accompanied by his little daughter.

Mrs. F. C. Rees is again able to be up, after an attack of grippe.

Miss Mae Dunlap has been at the sanatorium in Anamosa the past week. W. H. Hull has sold his stock of merchandise purchased a few months ago at Delhi to Frank Sherman, of Strawberry Point.

Mrs. James Belknap and daughter, from Parkston, S. D., are visiting W. A. and Ralph Milroy, brother of Mrs. Belknap.

Mrs. J. J. Kirkwood has been quite ill the past week with grippe, which threatened pneumonia.

J. W. Bennett, of Mitchell, Neb., is visiting his sister, Mrs. John Cook, whom he has not seen for twenty-five years.

The death of John Bowers occurred last week at the home of his stepson, W. E. Dolly, at the age of 69. The funeral was held in the Methodist church, Saturday, Rev. L. A. Bradford officiating. He had lived in this vicinity about 25 years.

Rev. Harold Anderson, who has been in Bahia, Brazil, as a missionary for five years, gave a very interesting account of his work there and of the people and the country. It was an unpleasant evening and so many sick that many who would have been glad to have heard him were unable to attend.

Mr. Frank Bell of Harrisburg, Pa., gave a lecture in the opera house, Monday evening on Christian Science.

Thomas Mather arrived Friday from Nebraska, to make his annual

visit with his sister and brother-in-law, W. L. Campbell, who is recovering nicely from his burns, but not able to be out yet.

The Hopkinton high school team played the Edgewood boys Friday evening and won the game 35 to 28.

G. L. Libbits visited last week in West Union with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cline.

S. B. Weltergen, G. A. Coon, H. J. Coon, E. Lawrence, C. A. Clute, S. C. Culbertson of Greeley, and Bob Fishel, of Manchester, attended the installation of officers at the I. O. O. F. lodge, Monday night.

There was a large audience at the Presbyterian church Sabbath morning to hear Dr. Floyd Smith speak of his work in Turkey. While accounts of missionary work are always interesting, these were especially so at the present time, when he passed through great dangers and trying times for himself and wife, and also because they were here several years in college and both graduates of Lenox.

January is giving us all we could wish in the way of making an ice crop. 24 degrees below zero Wednesday morning and 20 Thursday, and not warmed up very much since, does not incline many people to be out. Around the fireside is the most comfortable place.

LENOX COLLEGE.
The Clarke Hall girls entertained a number of the alumni last Monday evening.

The Lenox basket ball team expect to have a game with Luther college, Feb. 11.

Mrs. Russell, of Foreman, N. D., spent several days last week at Clarke Hall with her daughter, Miss Helen Russell.

Rev. Harold Anderson, missionary from Bahia, Brazil, gave a very interesting talk Monday morning at chapel.

Rev. Carlton, one of Lenox honored alumni, was a visitor Monday morning.

Harold Campbell, a former Lenox student, has become the junior member of the firm of Gildner Bros., Mason City.

The Clarke Hall girls and their company were delightfully entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Barker Wednesday evening.

The Lenox team went to Dubuque, Friday and played one game with St. Joseph college team and lost 39 to 16. They played the Dubuque boys Saturday and won 17 to 16.

Miss Nellie Moline went to Delhi Monday evening to see her brother, before his return to Minnesota.

ONEIDA

Mr. Chas. Ocher of Oak Grove, was a business caller here Friday.

Miss Dora Haight has gone to Ryan to spend a few weeks with relatives.

Mrs. Wayne Bushnell was shopping in Manchester Saturday.

Mr. John Carter spent Saturday with his sister, at Dyersville.

The young people of the M. E. church will hold a leap year basket social in the basement of the church, Friday evening, Jan. 28. The boys to bring the baskets and the girls will buy them.

On Wednesday at noon occurred the wedding of Mr. J. B. Dunham and Miss Adelia Cox. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Alexander of Greeley, in the presence of about twenty relatives and friends. A five course dinner was served and the happy couple left on the evening train for California, where they will spend the next two months. Those present at the wedding were, Mrs. Dunham and Mrs. Fay, Manchester; Mr. and Mrs. Maxfield and Miss Ada Nichols, of Minerva; Mrs. Kate Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Will Cox and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. House, Jeanette Ferris, Leona Ross, of Oneida; Rev. Alexander and wife, Mrs. Richardson and Mrs. Alexander and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Sherman of Greeley. Mrs. Maxfield and Miss Ada Nichols, of was a business caller here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxfield and Miss Ada Nichols, who have been visiting at the George Cox home, returned to their home at Minerva Wednesday.

Forecast

January 20 to February First

Extremely Low Prices on all GROCERIES

H. R. McDONALD

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Your House Plants.

The professional florist understands that although house plants must be kept moist they must never be allowed to become soggy. To begin with, they should be well drained. Broken pots or cinders should be placed below the earth they grow in. The soil should be mixed with sand, too, to lighten it. Never water a plant until the soil on top is almost dry. Then water it thoroughly—through it, but let the water drain out through the bottom of the pot, and never let it stand in the saucer under the pot, for it becomes stagnant and injures the plant.

Poor Outlook.

"We want to keep business out of politics," said the reformer. "Well," replied Senator Sorghum, "you've taken all the pleasure out of it. If you take all the business out of it, too, I don't see what's going to be left."—Washington Star.

No Murry at All.

"Your wife has a muscular affection which renders her speechless. I can cure her, but it will take time." "Take all the time you want, doc," responded the mean man.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL.

STATE OF IOWA, Delaware County, ss.

To All Whom it May Concern: You are hereby notified that the last will of James Coleman, deceased, has been filed, opened and read, and Monday, the 24th day of January, A. D., 1916, fixed as the time, and the court house in Manchester the place for hearing and proving the same.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court this 18th day of January, 1916.

A. O. STANGER, Clerk District Court.

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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

STATE OF IOWA, Delaware County, ss.

Notice is Hereby Given, That the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as Executor of the estate of Robert Rodies, late of Delaware County, deceased. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same will present them, duly authenticated, to the undersigned for allowance.

BERTHA RODIES, Dated January 8th, 1916. 2wks3

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

To whom it May Concern:—

Notice is hereby given that the F. J. Campbell Co., Manchester, Iowa, by unanimous consent of all the stock holders was dissolved according to law on the 6th day of January, 1916. Dated at Manchester, Iowa, this 6th day of January, 1916.

F. J. CAMPBELL, President. B. L. HICKS, Secretary.

Manchester, Ia., Jan. 11, 1916.

NOTICE TO PHYSICIANS.

On Jan. 22, 1916, the Board of Supervisors will receive bids for the giving of medical attention to the poor of the county for the year 1916. Bids will be received either by townships, towns or groups of each or both and also for the County Farm.

All bids must be filed at the Auditor's office on or before noon of the 22nd of Jan., 1916. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 11th day of Jan., 1916. C. H. BUNKER, Auditor.

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Want Ads.

YEOMEN.
Brotherhood of American Yeomen, meets regularly every 1st and 3rd Tuesdays. Visiting archers always welcome.

W. D. HOYT, Foreman.
CHAS. H. BUNKER, Correspondent.

NOTICE.
Anyone wishing to sell or buy real estate, see. M. I. B. RICHMOND.

KINDLING WOOD.
Sawed to stove length. \$1.50 per truck load delivered. Phone 634. 2wks3 C. K. READING, Manchester.

FOR SALE
Horse, wagon, harness and sleigh. Inquire of C. G. YORAN, Manchester. 2wks2

FOR SALE
If you are looking for a new and modern residence in Manchester located near the High School, inquire at this office for particulars. 62wks1

FOR SALE
25 thoroughbred Duroc Jersey stock hogs at reasonable prices. Some of the choicest strains. Inquire at farm, 4 miles south of Manchester, 80 rods west of Young School house. Phone 1-2 and 1 on 10. 43wks1 EMIL WENDLING.

WANTED
Man past 30 with horse and buggy to sell Stock Condition Powder in Delaware County. Salary \$70 per month. Address 9 Industrial Bldg., Indianapolis, Indiana. 3wks1

WANTED
Work in small family. Telephone to E. S. JEWETT, Masonville, Iowa. 3wks1

FOR SALE.
One horse, and two mares with foal. One black stock hog which I will sell for \$10 if taken soon. MAURICE HENNESSEY, R. 2, Manchester. Telephone 1-12 on 6, Delaware.

WANTED
Your sewing neatly done; children's clothes a specialty. MRS. LEE TAYLOR. 521 Iowa St. 3rd house north of Union St. 2wks

NOTICE TO DRIVERS OF MOTOR VEHICLES.
Owners of automobile vehicles, in order to run their machines, must have in their possession either a post office money order, express money order, draft or receipt to show that license number has been applied for or may be arrested or fined. 3wks1 By order of City Marshal.

NORTH CAROLINA LANDS.
Western North Carolina farms for sale. Climate unsurpassed. Soil adapted to grain, hay, corn and unlimited variety of farm and garden products. Great opportunities for dairymen, cattlemen and stock raisers. Large or small farms to suit purchasers. Prices of lands cheap and reasonable. Improved or unimproved. All well watered. Full description upon request. Write LAWRENCE J. ANDERSON, 1021 S. Fulton St., Salisbury, N. C. 3wks2

Wit Always Welcome.
Wit makes its own welcome and levels all distinction. No dignity, no learning no force of character can make any stand against good wit. It is like ice, on which no beauty of form, no majesty of carriage, can plead any immunity; they must walk gingerly, according to the laws of ice, or down they must go, dignity and all.—Emerson.



Nip it right at the start. If you let it get a firm hold on you, it will be with you all winter---unless it turns into something worse and more disastrous. Pneumonia always starts with a cough---consumption generally does.

STOP THAT COUGH!

One Bottle Philipp's Cough Syrup will save you that hacking and irritating exhausting and perhaps your life. Pleasant to take---children like it. Immediate relief.

Price 35c per Bottle

Prescriptions compounded with care. Phone if you can't come. We deliver.

A. C. Philipp
Manchester, Iowa.

Only 3 More Days

January White Sale

CLOSES SATURDAY EVENING, JAN. 22

If you have not taken advantage of the great reductions on Household necessities you have 3 more days in which to supply your needs. Do your spring sewing now; you can buy your muslin underwear for spring at remarkable savings.

Make Our Store Your Headquarters During Farmers' Institute

The following lines on sale at reduced prices:

Sheetings	Table Linens	Muslin Underwear
Towelings	Napkins	Sweaters
Muslins	Turkish Towels	White Outing Gowns
Tubings	Huck Towels	Lace Curtains
Long Cloth	Embroideries	White Wool Blankets
Nainsook	Laces	White Cot. Blankets
Dimities	Waistings	White Waists
Bed Spreads	Crepes	Table Padding

Women's Coats Your choice at three prices \$1.00, \$4.75 and \$10.00

Children's Coats All at 1-2 Price

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Manchester's Leading Dry Goods and Ready-to-Wear Store