

# LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK

## WHAT MANCHESTER PEOPLE ARE DOING AT HOME AND ABROAD.

### VIEW AND FORECAST OF THE WEEK

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

—Mrs. W. J. Davis and daughter Julia spent Monday in Waterloo, guests of Mr. Harry Davis.

—Mrs. J. J. Pentory left last Friday for Chicago to visit with her sister, Mrs. Christina Belknap.

—Mrs. Hubert Carr had as her guests over Sunday her mother, Mrs. Lilla Alford and brother Lore Alford of Waterloo.

—Mrs. D. F. Grove departed Monday morning for Cedar Rapids, where she has accepted a position with Killian's Dry Goods Company.

—Mrs. Ona Barnard Tierney is here from Vermillion, So. Dak., for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Barnard.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational church will meet next Wednesday afternoon, March 29th, with Mrs. A. C. Philipp. Mrs. Philipp will be assisted by Mrs. Loren Platt and Mrs. Sherm Turner.

—Glen Strickland returned home from Davenport yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ford went to Rochester, Minnesota, on Monday.

—Read what Gildner Bros. say about men's spring wearing apparel in their ad this week.

—Phillipp's ad this week is on the reasonable subject of wall paper and paint. Read it.

—Attorney J. W. Dossse of Monticello was a business visitor in Manchester yesterday.

—Read what the Lovett & Davis Produce company has to say about seed corn in its ad in this issue.

—G. C. Burnside enjoyed a visit over Sunday from his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Burnside, of Waucoma.

—The third and last study center for this year will be held at Manchester next Saturday, March 25, in the High School auditorium.

—Mr. and Mrs. John M. Jones returned Monday from a visit at Storm Lake, Iowa, where they resided before removing to Manchester.

—D. A. Preussner was at Rochester, Minnesota, the first of the week, to visit his wife, who went there to receive treatment for her eyes.

—Miss Alice Wolcott returned to Evanston, Illinois, yesterday, after a short vacation at home. She is a student at Northwestern university.

—Mr. and Mrs. Rae Kramer of Chicago, spent Sunday in Manchester, guests at the home of Mr. Kramer's sister, Mrs. H. M. Bradley. Mr. Kramer returned to Chicago Monday, Mrs. Kramer remaining a few days longer.

—P. F. Madden advertises a clean sweep shoe sale, which will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. Read his ad for bargains.

—Their friends are pleased to see Mr. and Mrs. A. Bruce home again, much improved in health. They returned Saturday from Rochester, Minnesota, where they have been for several weeks.

—E. M. Hughes has an advertisement in this issue that will be of interest to those who are too busy to come to town to do their shopping. Read what is said about the mail order methods of this store.

—Mr. and Mrs. Glen Seward, who reside near Dundee, are the parents of a baby girl, born on Friday of last week. Mrs. Seward, who will be remembered here as Adah Smith, is a granddaughter of Mrs. Peter Boardway, and the family now has living members of four generations.

—Among the friends and relatives here from a distance to attend the funeral of Mrs. Hermann were: Mrs. Bertha Vincent of Fort Dodge, Burdette Griffin of Minneapolis, Mrs. Wm. Wals, Henry Keibler, Mrs. M. E. Kerr and Miss Nettie Bentley of Dubuque, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hermans of Waterloo.

—Mrs. G. W. Butters gave a six o'clock luncheon last Friday evening in honor of her daughter, Mrs. George Malvenot Long Prairie, Minnesota, who is visiting here. She expects to return home tomorrow.

—The condition of A. C. Carter, who suffered a stroke of paralysis last Wednesday afternoon, remains unchanged. His many friends sincerely hope for his rapid improvement.

**Royal Baking Powder**  
Absolutely Pure  
Made from Cream of Tartar Derived from Grapes

—Mrs. W. C. Chapel, who was very ill last week, is daily improving.

—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Condon returned home last evening from Chicago, where they went to attend the Railway Appliance show, held in that city.

Not for Mother.  
"No, mother, this novel is not at all fit for you to read." "You are reading it." "Yes, but you know you were brought up very differently."—Boston Transcript.

Doc's Little Mistake.  
"Nothing the matter with you at all. You are in perfect health. Why, your pulse is as steady as clockwork!" "But doctor, you have got your fingers on my wrist watch!"

Peculiar Salutation.  
Flinging a jar of water over your friend is one striking form of salutation adopted by the South Sea Islanders.

Small Successes Satisfy Many.  
There are none so low but they have their triumphs. Small successes suffice for small souls.—Bovee.

Believed in Holidays.  
I have a great confidence in the revelations which holidays bring forth.—Disraeli.

Daily Thought.  
Promises may get friends, but it is performance that must nurse and keep them.—Owen Feltham.

Daily Thought.  
He that boasts of his ancestors confesses that he has no virtue of his own.—Charron.

Statesman and Politician.  
A statesman knows what ought to be done and a politician does something else and gets away with it.

Confidence.  
The greatest success is confidence, or perfect understanding between sincere people.—Emerson.

### STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

To the Stockholders of the Manchester & Oneda Railway Co.:

You are hereby notified that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Manchester & Oneda Railway Co. will be held at the council room in the city of Manchester, Iowa, on the 4th day of April, 1916, at the hour of 7:30 P. M., for the purpose of electing five directors of said company and for the transaction of any other business that may come before said stockholders' meeting.

Dated this 17th day of March, 1916.

Attest:  
L. MATTHEWS, JOS. HUTCHINSON,  
Secretary. President.

### MANCHESTER, IOWA.

Letters remaining uncalled for March 20, 1916:

Biddle, L. P.  
Bowers, Mrs. Belle.  
Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Henry.  
Cherry, Mrs. Ida.  
Coleman, Ralph.  
Culbertson, Miss Lorine.  
Carlinghouse, Mrs. Elma.  
Maack, L. H.  
McElmeir, Mrs. A. F.  
Pherson, Mrs. Daniel.

These letters will be sent to the dead letter office April 3d if not called for before that date.

### ROAD NOTICE.

To Whom It May Concern:

You are hereby notified that there is on file in the Auditor's office at Manchester, Iowa, a petition signed by P. J. McEnany et al., asking that the following described road be taken into the county road system:

Commencing at the northwest corner of section twenty, Adams township, at the south end of the Masonville and Robinson road and running thence east one mile, thence south three miles to the Linn county line, there connecting with the road to Cogson, Central City and Cedar Rapids.

A hearing on the above petition will be held at the office of the board of supervisors of Delaware county, at their office in the court house at Manchester, Iowa, on the 3d day of April, 1916.

Any objections to the establishment of this road must be filed at the auditor's office on or before said date, as by law provided.

Dated this 21st day of March, 1916.

C. H. BUNKER,  
Auditor in and for Del. Co., Ia.

### FREAKISH WEATHER.

The freakish man has dished up all kinds of weather here during the last twenty-four hours. It was cold and raw yesterday afternoon, growing warmer during the evening. The next was a thunder storm, accompanied by sharp lightning and a high wind. And to our surprise we awoke this morning to see a four-inch blanket of snow covering the ground.

### Optimistic Thought.

Independence without wealth is more common than with it.

### THE MARKETS

Grain, Provisions, Etc.

Chicago, March 21.

| Wheat | Open     | High     | Low      | Close    |
|-------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| May   | 1.06 1/4 | 1.07 1/4 | 1.06 3/4 | 1.07 1/4 |
| July  | 1.07 1/4 | 1.08 1/4 | 1.07 1/4 | 1.08 1/4 |
| Sept. | 1.08 1/4 | 1.09 1/4 | 1.08 1/4 | 1.09 1/4 |

Corn—  
May ..... 75 1/4 ..... 75 1/4 ..... 75 1/4 ..... 75 1/4  
July ..... 75 1/4 ..... 77 ..... 75 1/4 ..... 75 1/4  
Sept. .... 75 ..... 75 1/4 ..... 75 ..... 75 1/4

Oats—  
May ..... 44 1/4 ..... 45 ..... 44 1/4 ..... 44 1/4  
July ..... 42 1/4 ..... 43 ..... 42 1/4 ..... 43

FLOUR—Spring wheat, patent, Minneapolis, wood or cotton, \$4.50 to retail trade; Minnesota and Dakota patents, \$3.50; extra, \$4.00; straight, \$4.00; first clear, \$4.20; second clear, \$4.30; \$4.70; low grade, \$4.30; soft wheat, patents, \$4.00; rye flour, white, patents, \$4.00; dark, \$4.00.

Chicago, March 21.

BUTTER—Creamery, extras, 30c; extra first, 28 1/2c; second, 27 1/2c; 26 1/2c; dairies, extra, 34c; firsts, 31 1/2c; seconds, 29 1/2c; packing stock, 27 1/2c; firsts, 25 1/2c; process, 24 1/2c.

EGGS—Firsts, 16 1/2c; ordinary firsts, 15 1/2c; miscellaneous lots, cases included, 15 1/2c; cases returned, 17 1/2c; extra, 22 1/2c; checks, 14 1/2c; dairies, 16 1/2c.

LIVE POULTRY—Turkeys, 12c per lb.; Iowa; spring chickens, 17c; young, 14c; roosters, 12c; ducks, 16 1/2c; geese, 10 1/2c.

DRESSED POULTRY—Turkeys, young, 28c; chickens, springs, choice, 17 1/2c; ducks, 15 1/2c; geese, 12 1/2c.

POTATOES—Minnesota, Dakota, white, \$2.80 per bu.; Wisconsin, Michigan, white, \$2.80; Minnesota and Dakota, Ohio, \$2.95.

New York, March 21.

WHEAT—Irrregular, business fair; No. 1 northern, \$1.23; No. 2 red, \$1.23; No. 2 hard, \$1.22; May, \$1.17; June, \$1.10.

CORN—Firm, limited dealings; No. 2 yellow, \$0.85; No. 3, \$0.82.

OATS—Stronger, demand quiet; No. 2 white, nominal; No. 3 white, 50 1/2c; No. 4 white, 49 1/2c.

### Live Stock.

Chicago, March 21.

CATTLE—Steers, good to choice, \$7.75; 10.00; yearlings, good to choice, \$7.50; 9.00; prime steers, \$7.50; 8.50; stockers and feeders, \$7.25; 8.15; good to choice heifers, \$7.00; 8.50; good to choice cows, \$6.50; 8.00; cutters, \$4.00; 5.70; canners, \$3.50; 5.25; butcher bulls, \$4.00; 5.70; bologna bulls, \$5.00; 6.40; good to prime veal calves, \$9.25; 10.25; heavy calves, \$7.50; 9.25.

HOGS—Prime light butchers, \$8.50; 9.50; fair to fancy light, \$8.15; 9.15; prime medium weight butchers, 240 to 270 lbs., \$9.50; 10.70; prime heavy butchers, 270 to 310 lbs., \$9.50; 10.70; heavy mixed packing, \$8.25; 9.50; rough heavy packing, \$8.00; 9.25; pigs, fair to good, \$7.85; 8.85.

SHEEP—Native ewes, fair to good, \$7.40; 8.00; western fed ewes, \$7.00; 8.00; yearlings, \$7.50; 8.50; short yearlings, \$8.00; 9.00; wethers, fair to choice, \$7.75; 8.25; feeding lambs, \$5.50; 6.75; Colorado lambs, \$10.00; 11.00; fed western lambs, \$9.75; 11.50.

East Buffalo, N. Y., March 21.

CATTLE—Market active and steady; prime steers, \$9.25; 9.50; butcher grades, \$8.00; 8.75.

CALVES—Market slow; cull to choice, \$6.00; 11.00.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market slow; choice lambs, \$11.50; 11.75; cull to fair, \$7.00; 11.25; yearlings, \$9.00; 10.50; sheep, \$4.00; 8.40.

HOGS—Market active; Yorkers, \$9.00; 10.00; pigs, \$8.75; mixed, \$9.00; 10.00; heavy, \$10.00; 10.10; roughs, \$9.00; 10.00; stags, \$6.50; 7.50.

St. Louis, March 21.

HOGS—Market steady; pigs and lights, \$7.00; 8.00; mixed and butchers, \$8.50; 9.70; good heavy, \$9.00; 10.00.

CATTLE—Market steady; native beef steers, \$7.50; 8.50; yearling steers and heifers, \$8.50; 9.50; cows, \$6.00; 8.00; stockers and feeders, \$5.00; 6.00; Texas and Indian steers, \$5.25; 6.00; cows and heifers, \$4.00; 6.00; native calves, \$6.00; 10.75.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION.

Of the First National Bank at Manchester, in the state of Iowa, at the close of Business, MARCH 7, 1916. No. 4221.

#### RESOURCES.

|  |              |
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| Loans and discounts  | \$38,848.58  |
| Overdrafts, secured  | 41.76        |
| Overdrafts unsecured   | 41.76        |
| U. S. Bonds to secure circulation                                      | 40,000.00    |
| Securities etc., on hand   | 1,681.52     |
| Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve Bank                          | 3,000.00     |
| Less amount unpaid   | 1,500.00     |
| All other stocks   | 3,040.00     |
| Furniture and fixtures   | 7,770.95     |
| Due from Federal Reserve Bank  | 10,500.00    |
| Due from approved reserve agents in central reserve cities             | 9,048.75     |
| Due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities               | 17,527.41    |
| Due from banks and bankers (other than above)                          | 18,220.73    |
| Checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank             | 2,210.66     |
| Outside checks and other cash items                                    | 420.33       |
| Fractional currency, notes and coins                                   | 133.45       |
| Notes of other national banks  | 1,175.00     |
| Legal money reserve in bank  | 22,344.00    |
| Less Four Percent Reserve  |              |
| Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5% on circulation) | \$2,000.00   |
| Total  | \$531,321.94 |

#### LIABILITIES.

|   |              |
|---|--------------|
| Capital stock paid in   | \$5,000.00   |
| Surplus fund  | 15,000.00    |
| Undivided profits   | 6,933.90     |
| Less current expenses   | 4,113.12     |
| Interest and taxes paid   | 2,830.78     |
| Circulating notes   | 38,667.50    |
| Less amount on hand and in treasury for redemption or in transit to the same city or town as reporting bank | 3,266.50     |
| Due to banks and bankers  | 2,801.50     |
| Individual deposits subject to check  | 11,967.41    |
| Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days  | 14,743.41    |
| Total demand deposits   | 26,710.82    |
| Time deposits (payable after 30 days or subject to 30 days or more notice)                                  | 13,946.02    |
| Certificates of deposit   | 3,278.25     |
| Postal time deposits  | 172,664.25   |
| Total   | \$531,321.94 |

STATE OF IOWA, County of Delaware:—  
I, DON A. PREUSSNER, Cashier, of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DON A. PREUSSNER, Cashier,  
15th day of March 1916.

E. B. STILES, Notary Public  
Correct—Attest  
Hubert Carr  
A. R. LeRoy } Directors.  
A. D. Long

### 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. L. E. RICHMOND.

### PERMANENT PLACE WANTED.

By girl of eighteen in private family. Call at this office. 11wks1.

### FOR SALE.

House and lot on Howard street. MRS. C. H. TAYLOR, 8wks4

### WANTED WORK.

On farm near Manchester by good reliable young man, best of habits, do not use tobacco or liquor in any form. Best of references (exchanged). Very neat about the house. Must be easy driving distance of Manchester. Call at residence on Marion St. West Side.

DEWEY THURBER,  
10 wks Manchester, Iowa.

For sale—One 144 egg Standard Cyphers incubator. One Cyphers style A, out door pure air brooder. One Humphrey out door pure air brooder. Also egg for hatching, from 25 varieties of Standard bred poultry; address: HARRY SWINBURNE, Delhi, Iowa.

Vimidia (health medium) is a natural and wholesome system of home treatment. Through its use you can avoid expensive local treatment and operations. Headquarters at Kansas City. Local representative at Mrs. Given, 113 Madison street. Phone 160. 10 wk 4.

### TO THE FARMING PUBLIC.

If you lack anything in the line of second hand harness, or parts of harness to go into the field for spring work, call on me—Corner of Franklin and Delaware sts. GEO. E. SIMMONS, Harness Repair Shop.

### LOST.

Small Savings Bank—First National Bank's name on cover. Finder please call 208. C. M. MORGAN.

### FOR SALE.

Household furniture, as good as new. Inquire at this office. 11w4.

### FOR RENT.

Large barn for garage or storage purposes. Inquire at this office. 11w4.

### MARRIED MAN WANTED.

For farm work by the year. A good house and garden furnished. Must be good milker. Inquire at this office.

### 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 Annie Rubly, deceased, has been filed, opened and read, and Saturday, the 25th day of March, A. D. 1916, fixed as the time, and the court house in Manchester the place for hearing and proving the same.

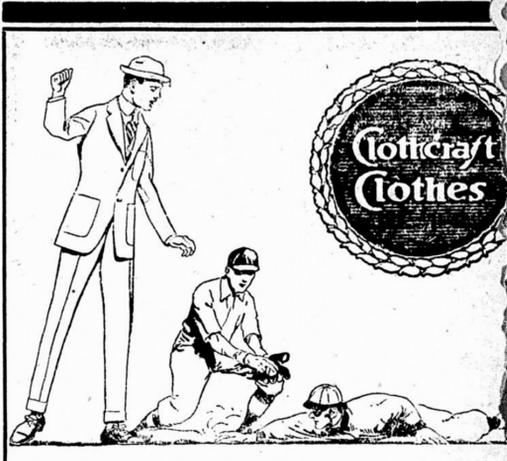
Witness my hand and seal of said court this 25th day of March, 1916. (Seal) A. O. STANGER, Clerk District Court.

### ASSISTANCE APPRECIATED.

We take this method of expressing our appreciation and thanks to the neighbors and friends who so promptly and kindly rendered their assistance during our recent loss by fire. To many of whom we are doubly indebted for having twice fought faithfully to save our home within the past sixteen months.

We thank each and every one and assure you that such kindness can not be forgotten.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Duffey and Family.



## The Truth in Advertising

You've heard about the nationwide movement against misrepresenting goods for sale.

Here's our viewpoint: we're in business to increase sales from year to year.

To do this requires the confidence of the people. And to get this confidence, truth is an essential.

National Dress-Up Week Begins March 27th. See Our Show Windows.

Hart Schaffner & Marx Spring Suits \$18.00, \$20.00, \$25.00

New CLOTHCRAFT Spring Suits \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00

See No. 5130 Clothcraft Special Blue Serge Suits \$15.00

**Stetson and Longley Hats**  
In gray, tan, brown, blue, black colors. New wide rim styles. All colors are guaranteed \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00.

**Gildner's Overalls and Work Shirts**  
Guaranteed foreign dye Oakkosh overalls \$1.25; other heavy denim foreign dye 50c to 85c. Work shirts, regulars, longs and stouts 50c. Gildner's special work shirts 35c, 3 for \$1.00

**Gildner's Shoes Wear**  
New English styles with rubber soles, tan and black. Every pair fits and wears well. Dress shoes in button and lace \$2.50 to \$5.00. Gildner's special work shoes solid leather \$1.95.

**Boy's Suits**  
In brown and gray mixtures with two pair of full lined pants \$5.00, \$6.50 and \$7.50 with one pair of full lined pants \$3, \$3.50 and \$4.00. Boys wash suits 50c to \$1.50.

## GILDNER BROS.

Iowa's Largest Clothiers. Get to Know Us

If you have suffered for months with a chronic affliction you owe it to your own best interests to consult a specialist who has fitted himself by years of study, training and experience to treat you correctly, therefore successfully. Do not delay but arrange to see Dr. Wilbert Shallenberger at your very earliest opportunity for the quicker any disease properly treated the more assured that it will be promptly and permanently cured.

Dr. Shallenberger will be at Clarence, Manchester, Friday, 24th.

For results try a Want Ad.

## Northern Iowa Grown Seed Corn!

### Home Grown Glover and Timothy Seed For Sale.

We have in stock a good supply of seeds and seed corn which we are selling at very low prices. It will pay you to come to us before you buy and look at our seeds. Also Alfalfa and Sweet Clover Seed.

Northern Iowa Grown Seed Corn is what you want to plant. DO NOT buy Southern Grown Corn.

Only a few days until seeding comes in; get your clover and timothy seed and be ready.

**Incubators**—We have in stock the OLD TRUSTY and the QUEEN two of the best incubators made, both hot water incubators. Order now before the rush, our prices are right.

REMEMBER—We are selling only Northern Grown Seed Corn at \$4.00 per bu. of Scrop Germination. There are hundreds of scrog shovel seed corn dealers this year; beware of them. Buy your seed corn of responsible dealers, who are not selling you Southern Grown Seed Corn. That is us.

Our grass seeds are home cleaned by us and tested at Ames, Iowa.

EGGS—Last—We have about fifty regular customers selling us eggs. If you are not selling us your eggs you should because we pay cash and top prices. Get the habit.

**Lovett & Davis Produce Company**  
MANCHESTER, IOWA.  
TELEPHONE 463  
All kinds of Home-grown Clover Seed for sale.

# Spring Millinery Opening

at Meggensburg's Millinery Annex

## Friday and Saturday March 24th and 25th

YOU are cordially invited to attend our Formal Opening, to see the most exquisite line of Beautiful Spring and Summer Styles of Millinery ever shown in Manchester. Our showing this season is the largest and best variety of everything that is in style. Can we have the pleasure of having your presence with us.

**Meggensburg's Millinery Annex**  
Mrs. D. J. Meggenberg, Proprietor