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Mrs. M. E. Brooks and daughter went to Chicago Sunday night on a visit. Mrs. Brooks' mother accompanied them.

Miss Luella Gleason of Owatonna came Monday to visit her aunt, Mrs. Geo. A. Hornel and other relatives.

Mrs. Geo. E. Anderson is visiting her parents at Corning.

Miss Hazel Webber arrived home Sunday from Detroit, Mich. where she has just completed her course in Domestic science at the Thomas school. She will teach this branch in Albert Lea public schools next year.

Amy and Stella Stockman of Spokane, Washington have come to spend the summer with their grandmother, Mrs. A. Galloway and other relatives.

Next Sunday will be the Fourth of July.

The directors of the Mower County fair met Saturday and by a vote of 7 to 3 decided to allow the fair grounds to be used for Sunday base ball games.

Mrs. Chas. Rice's division served strawberry short cake last evening in the church dining room.

The fire alarm Monday afternoon came from Urbatch's hardware store. The soldering furnace exploded. The fire was quickly extinguished with little damage.

Mrs. E. C. Williams left Monday on an extended trip to Yellowstone park and other western points. She will visit at Northfield and Waterville on the way.

Evangelist W. A. Sunday and wife arrived at Rochester Saturday and he addressed a crowded meeting there on Sunday night. Mrs. Sunday expected to undergo an operation yesterday.

A. N. Kinman went to St. Paul Friday to attend the S. D. Advent tent meeting, returning Monday. Fifty two candidates were baptized. Mrs. Kinman and the four daughters returned last evening.

Peter Hanson is drawn on the U. S. petit jury meeting at Duluth this week and went there yesterday.

The wedding of Guy W. Foster of Brownsdale and Miss Hattie K. Correll daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Val Correll will take place at four o'clock this afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, 307 Fifth street. Rev. W. E. Sloane will officiate. A reception will be given in the evening.



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The Altruist, the High school alumni annual, gives a list of thirteen weddings of graduates during the past year and of 16 births. One obituary, Bernice Edgerton.

On account of Fourth of July coming on Sunday the banks will take next Monday, July 5, for legal holiday and will not be open for business.

Will Cole and Miss Alma Christopher were married Thursday evening at the residence of the bride's sister on east Water street, Rev. G. W. Lutz officiating.

Word was received from Mayor Sutton yesterday afternoon that he was about the same and in a very critical condition.

About 60 were present at the meeting of the W. K. Corps Aid society which was entertained by Mrs. C. N. Beiseker Thursday afternoon. The comrades were invited to supper and a social evening was enjoyed.

Smith Emery and Mrs. Mary E. Smith were married by Justice Ranney on Thursday afternoon.

E. J. Doane of Flint, Mich. spent Sunday with his son, E. M. Doane.

Marie Beding spent Sunday at Minneapolis.

Mrs. Ada M. Smith returned Monday from Minneapolis where she visited her daughter, Mrs. L. N. McWhorter.

Send a postal card to Valdor College at Decorah, Iowa for the handsomest catalog ever sent out from a western school.

The Maccabees will meet Wednesday evening.

Fall term of the Mankato Commercial College, opens Sept. 1. It is best to start with beginning classes. Send for their year book. It is free.

The Danish Brotherhood will meet Saturday evening.

A meeting of the Chicago Baptists Ministers' association, held Saturday, Rev. Frank L. Anderson, pastor of the Normal Park Baptist church, was elected president to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Rev. Johnston Meyers, when the association refused to expel Professor George Burnham Foster. The educator Foster was suspended from membership a week later.

John P. Anderson of Sioux City, Iowa who was formerly with the Hub in Austin, has resigned his position in the clothing house at Sioux City and has taken a position in North Yakima, Wash. They expect to leave about July 7th and will visit the fair at Seattle.

Chautauqua opens in Austin next Monday afternoon. Get your tickets at once. The program is a brilliant one.

The Presbyterian Sunday school will hold a picnic next Monday in Johnson's grove west of Austin.

Mrs. Mate Sargent of Nevada arrived home Saturday from Great Falls, Mont. where she spent two months with her son Mahlon.

Miss Erma Owen spent the past week with her cousin Frank Owen at Cedar Falls, Iowa, returning Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Beltz of Brownsdale were Austin callers Thursday.

Mrs. Fay R. Smith and Mrs. E. W. Wilder went to Mason City Friday for a brief visit.

Mrs. W. T. Mandeville and daughter, Mrs. Bischoff will visit relatives in Minneapolis this week. Mrs. Mandeville will leave for Rocky Ford, Col., the first of next week to live with her son Bonnie.

The longest days of the year were last week.

The weather has been excessively hot for the past three days.

Austin gardens are doing well. Early sweet corn is commencing to tassel, green peas and strawberries are ripe and new potatoes are about ready for use.

John C. Hawkins has his dahlias in bloom in June.

Catherine Lobb went to Chicago Sunday night to visit her father and two sisters, Mrs. Mabel Wilcox and Francis Lobb.

A new spring has been opened in Lafayette park west of the log cabin and this will be a great accommodation to those using the pavilion.

O. J. Simmons leaves today for Los Angeles, Cal. to attend the National Elks convention as a delegate from Austin lodge.

Dr. A. W. Allen and Alex S. Campbell went to Omaha Thursday to visit Mayor George Sutton who has been critically ill for the past week. They returned Saturday.

Dr. W. L. Hollister arrived home yesterday from Atchison, Kas. where he spent two weeks with his brother.

Dr. A. W. Allen and wife went to Omaha Sunday to stay with Mr. and Mrs. George Sutton during his critical illness.

Geo. S. Burnham and wife plan to leave next Tuesday for Los Angeles, Cal. to visit their son Earl, and family. Earl is credit man for a large firm there.

Miss Elsie Studer of Sutton went to Milwaukee Thursday to visit relatives.

Miss Alta Finley of Faribault and Miss Mattie Finley of Owatonna came Thursday to visit Mrs. C. F. Woodie. They returned Saturday.

Miss May Fairbanks of Sutton attended summer school in Austin last week. She will begin her work as teacher in the summer school at Cambridge next week.

This store will be closed Monday July 5th from 10 o'clock in the morning. McBride, The Grocer.

C. Hemstredt arrived home Monday from Fayette, Iowa. He has spent the past four months in that locality. He plans to go to Velva, N. D. soon on a visit.

Bassett & Wallace, proprietors of City Sale and Livery barn, shipped a careload of fine draft horses Sunday to Oconto, Wis. They averaged 1,600 lbs. Farmers having horses to sell should see them.

Mrs. A. E. Hilker went to Saragant today to visit her mother, Mrs. Ed Kickhafer.

Robbie Hobson arrived Thursday from Stuttgart, Ark. where he has been attending school and staying with his aunt, Mrs. Doctor Morrison. He will return in the fall. Joe Morrison graduated at the high school there in June.

Last Monday was the tenth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. An drew Hobson of Austin township and a company of about thirty friends made them a surprise visit in the evening. A very social and happy time was enjoyed. Refreshments were served and a variety of appropriate presents were given.

A large number from Austin went out Thursday to see the big dredger at work above Kearns bridge but the threatening storm drove most of them home early. The lightning struck J. J. Jeffries house in this city and also John Murphy's house. It scared the editor's cow in great shape while he was milking. No special damage.

The wedding of Michael McCourt, aged 75 years, and Mrs. Amelia Murphy took place Thursday evening at the home of J. C. Kenevan, Justice Fairbanks officiating. A wedding reception was given Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. M. Tracy.

The Yeomen of America will hold their regular meeting Friday evening June 18.

Mrs. O. E. Nicholson and children visited a few days last week at the home of her brother, Hans Carlson in Lansing.

Mrs. Will Buehrer has returned from a month's visit with her parents at St. Ansgar, Ia.

Mrs. C. Dable went to Adams Friday.

An entertainment under the auspices of the East Side Sunday school will be given at Maurek's hall, Friday July 5, at 8 p. m. A fine program is arranged. Admission 10 and 15 cents.

Professor and Mrs. J. E. Manchester of Minneapolis are visiting relatives here and will remain several weeks.

A family reunion was enjoyed at P. H. Zender's home Sunday when four Zender brothers and one sister with their families met to spend the day together.

Dr. C. F. Lewis arrived home from Atlantic City and other eastern points. He has been gone about a month.

James Balwebber moved his family to Minneapolis this week to reside. He finds a larger field for the real estate business.

The races closed Wednesday afternoon. The guarantee fund will be only partially used. There was as fine a string of racers as ever were seen here. The rain Wednesday afternoon somewhat interfered but the association feels that it was a good success.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay E. Milbrad left for Spokane, Wash. Thursday and will locate in that vicinity.

Fourteen liquor licenses were granted Friday evening by the city council.

Mrs. S. H. Harrison went to Minneapolis Saturday to visit her sister.

Mrs. P. Cotter of Minneapolis is visiting her sister, Mrs. Francis Rademacher.

Miss Agnes Cronon is visiting friends at Winona and Plainville.

The ads are crowding our news columns this week.

Bishop Joseph B. Cotter, aged 64 years died Sunday night at Winona. He often visited Austin and was well known in Catholic circles here.

Mrs. C. H. Davidson and two daughters left for their home at Garlington, N. D. on Thursday after visiting relatives here for two weeks.

Dr. Piester's division of the Baptist Ladies Aid served supper at Lafayette park Friday afternoon, taking in about \$18.

Mrs. Rhoda Earl and two daughters, Irene and Pearl returned Thursday from a visit with relatives at Osage, Iowa.

For sale four registered Shorthorn bulls three yearlings and one two year old, milking strain. C. E. Fairbanks, Dexter township, Austin rural 1.

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Stainless Flag Services.

Next Sunday will be used by the churches to promote the Stainless Flag movement.

Rev. J. H. Carstens will speak at the Presbyterian church. Rev. Johnson will speak at the Congregational church. The Christian, Baptist and Methodist congregations will join in these two services.

Rev. J. A. E. Naess will speak in his own church.

Rev. J. S. Budlong will speak on this topic Sunday morning.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses were issued to Smith Emery and Mary E. Smith of Austin. Michael McCourt, 75 years old and Amelia Durfee of Austin. William M. Boeff and Pauline Anna Zeh of Dexter. Willie E. Helfritz and Lizzie Olson of Lyle. James O. Huff and Bertha Petree of Mason City. W. J. Wiedermann and May Dorsey of Dexter. William A. Cole and Alma J. Christopher of Austin. Guy W. Foster of Brownsdale and Hattie Correll of Austin. Edward H. Wyant of Austin and Jennie Qualley or Clayton township.

Large advertisement for 'We Stand Alone.. As Price Makers. Our Offers Are Bona Fide.' featuring 'Straw Hats' and 'Golden Eagle... Clothing House'.

Obituary for Mrs. Ole Anderson and Mrs. James C. Adams, including details of their lives and deaths.

Advertisement for 'Closing Out Sale' at 'J. E. PITZEN' with 'COST PRICE' and 'Will Save You From 15 to 25 Per Ct.'.

Advertisement for 'CHAUTAQUA' opera house, 'AUSTIN'S BIG' and '5C' price.

Local news items including 'AUSTIN ALUMNI MEETING', 'SATURDAY'S STORM', and 'SUMMER SCHOOL'.

On account of lack of space the National Temperance convention at Lyle and the W. C. T. U. convention at LeRoy will not be published before in our next issue.