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BROWNSDALE

L. L. QUIMBY, Editor.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Lawrence of Federal, S. D., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lawrence, at Mr. Pike's home on Monday. Howard Madison went to Lyle on Saturday for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Little of Fairmont, are guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sodergren.

The Methodist and Baptist Sunday schools will hold their Christmas exercises on Friday evening. Both will have the old fashioned tree.

Though the weather is not so severe here compared with other places, the frost seems to be doing its work as never before, heaving up sidewalks and buildings in such a way as to make the doors fit unpleasantly and so many complain of its getting into the houses in spite of the amount of fuel used. The coldest yet has been 13 below.

Hunt & Sleeper report the sale of the John Habercorn farm to D. C. Givens of Latimer, Iowa, at \$60 per acre, possession to be given on March 1st.

The remains of Mrs. Frank O'Brien of Minneapolis, arrived on Friday and were taken to Greenwood cemetery for interment. The husband, and father and uncle, Cliff and Bert Edwards of Minneapolis and Lakefield, respectively, accompanied the remains. The deceased was the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Edwards and was married eight years ago. She leaves besides her husband, a little girl four years of age. The cause of her death was quick consumption. She was 25 years old.

A number of people drove out to the Noffsinger farm on Friday evening and spent a pleasant evening at this hospitable home.

Though very few think of it the following from Successful Farming is well worth putting into practice: Everybody expects us to say something about using the fanning mill next spring before seeding but now is the best time to use it.

Clean every bit of grain you feed your stock and you will prevent millions of weed seeds from going back onto the fields in the manure. Grain has to be very finely ground to crush such as mustard seed, rag weed, etc. and the chances are the seeds will cause you trouble next season unless you fan them out now.

If you have been observant you have seen whole oats pass through the horses. Don't you suppose the little weed seeds will too?

May as well clean up your grain now and select your seed oats, wheat, etc., and be done with it, at the same time fan out the grain you will feed out.

If you want a good demonstration of what the fanning mill will do towards ridding your farm of weeds just clean all the grain you feed this winter and save all the weed seed. See how many bushels of foul stuff you have been putting back on the farm to pester you through the summer.

Rolly Pace returned on Saturday from a trip to Winnebago City.

Miss Christie, a professional nurse, arrived from Austin on Saturday to take care of Mrs. E. C. Quimby.

Rich Men's Gifts Are Poor beside this: "I want to go on record as saying that I regard Electric Bitters as one of the greatest gifts that God has made to woman, writes Mrs. O. Rhine-vault of Vestal Center, N. Y., "I can never forget what it has done for me." This glorious medicine gives a woman buoyant spirits, vigor of body and jubilant health. It quickly cures Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Headache, Backache, Fainting and Dizzy Spells; soon builds up the weak, ailing and sickly. Try them. 50c. at K. O. Wold.

GRAND MEADOW.

School closes on Friday for a two week's vacation, commencing again on Jan. 10.

Plasterers are busy on the new M. W. A. Hall.

Our merchants had a busy day last Saturday.

Mrs. Atkins was at Spring Valley on Thursday.

Masonic and Star joint installation will be held Monday evening, Dec. 27.

W. A. Nolan held a large auction at Rose Creek on Monday for D. Coughlin.

Leland and George Higbie and Lynn Martin are home from the State U. for the holidays.

The Christmas exercises of the M. E. and Congregational churches will be held on Christmas eve. at the two churches.

Rev. Roberts of Minneapolis, conducted services in the Congregational church on Sunday evening. No services were held in the morning.

The funeral of Mrs. Oliver Lewis was held from the M. E. church on Sunday morning. Rev. Madsen officiating.

Miss Della Thornhill arrived home Saturday from the school to spend the holidays.

There will be Christmas programs in some of the rooms at school Friday.

LYLE.

A. B. Wilder was in Denver, Colo., last week on business.

Albert Tieman and Miss Mabel, daughter of Gundee Berg, were married by Rev. N. N. Esser Wednesday morning. They went to Minneapolis on a trip.

Martin Johnson returned to Lyle last week from Marion, N. D., and will spend the winter there.

The Congregational Sunday school will give a Christmas cantata on Christmas eve.

Miss Isabel Berg went to Wauwatosa, Wis., Thursday to take a nurse's course of instruction.

H. G. Dahl and Ed. Sherman were at St. Ansgar Wednesday.

Mrs. A. B. Wilder attended the funeral of N. S. Bowers Sunday afternoon.

—Extra lot of Rutabagas 50 cents a bushel, Onions 75 cents a bushel at Dalager's. 39tf

Best coal dealers have been hauling coal the past week. We are informed they will soon strike.

F. W. Smock transacted business in Kason Friday.

C. F. Schrapf of Dodge Center was in town last week, in the interest of the Griswold Real estate business.

The officers of the Evangelical Sunday school have been hard at work preparing the program for Xmas eve.

Mrs. Albert Meyer is afflicted with partial paralysis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Delzer of Hayfield Sundayed at G. Bartel's.

Mrs. G. Gunderson and Miss Taylor went to Austin Saturday to buy their Xmas supplies.

The B. B.'s did not meet at T. Grimm's Thursday on account of the severe storm.

Farmers are kept busy picking turkeys for the city supply.

Hans Walken sold eight registered Shropshire sheep at West Concord on Saturday and bought a fine registered Shorthorn bull.

LE ROY.

The third number of the entertainment course will be given by Robt. O. Bowman, Jan. 7.

Village schools closed Friday for two weeks' vacation. A Christmas program was given in the high school room in the afternoon. Several of the grades also gave programs.

Mrs. Marie Henderson of Glencoe is spending Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Herzog.

Miss Anna Kasson arrived Wednesday from Blaisdell, N. D., to visit relatives.

Mrs. S. White went to St. Paul Wednesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Cotton.

Ernest Boyd went to Minneapolis Wednesday to do extra work at the postoffice during the holidays.

Mrs. M. J. Hart visited in Austin Wednesday.

Charles Shamba went to the Soldiers' Home Tuesday to stay for the rest of the winter.

ROSE CREEK.

Warren H. Dean attended the Charity ball at Austin Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Cronan are planning on a trip to Washington, D. C., soon, taking in more Southern points.

Christmas programs will be given by the public schools Friday afternoon.

Miss Lillian Jensen is spending Christmas with Mrs. Frank Smith.

Mrs. Joy Q. Hawkins and Mrs. L. J. Phillips plan to leave soon after New Year's for Louisiana to visit relatives.

The Congregational Sunday school will have a Christmas entertainment with tree at the church Friday evening.

The library has a new consignment of fifty books which may be found at Rev. Thompson's residence.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Schammel were in Austin Thursday.

George W. Phillips was an Austin caller Wednesday.

MAYVILLE.

School closed in Dist. 93 last Friday for a two week's vacation for Christmas and New Year's.

John Habercorn has sold his 120 acre farm east of town to a party from Iowa for \$60.00 per acre. Will give up possession March 15, 1910. Mr. Habercorn expects to buy again near Medford, Wis.

C. Stroschion of Sargeant loaded two cars of pressed flax straw last week.

Herman and Frank Beneke were up to Clear Lake, Wis. last week on business.

The bridge crew which has been grading on Bridge No. 10 left last week for Austin to grade up a side track in Austin.

Edgar Schuett who is attending Concordia college at St. Paul returned home last Tuesday.

Herman and John Smith of Sargeant were on our streets last week.

Frank Matter came home last week from Iowa where he was husking corn.

Ferdinand Matter of Clear Lake, Wis. arrived last week to spend Christmas at home.

Will Danley attended the N. K. Strayer sale last week.

B. Beneke and John Frank drove to Blooming Prairie last week.

LANSING.

Mary Beadell was a guest of Mrs. Will Bell a few days last week.

A new stove has been put in the M. E. church, the gift of A. J. Salzgeber.

The following Eastern Star officers were installed Saturday evening: Charlotte Thompson, W. M.; Harcor Lyon, W. P.; Mary LaBar, associate M.; O. C. LaBar, sec.; Maud Thompson, Cond.; Mary R. Vaughan, associate Cond.

Mrs. H. R. Soule has been on the sick list for several days. Herbert is also sick with the mumps so that he had to quit his studies at Pillsbury academy.

Nelson J. Straver shipped a car of lambs Tuesday to the Chicago market.

Alex Mackie returned last week from Goldfield, Iowa, where he spent ten days with relatives.

Miss Mary Brown, who has spent two months with her sisters, Mrs. J. J. Phillips and Miss Brenda Brown, here, returned to her home at Spring Valley Wednesday.

Mrs. Will Eagen and son, Arnold, came Sunday to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Rector.

Mrs. Lindsley of Grand Meadow came Wednesday for a short visit with her son.

C. W. Stimson of Winnebago City visited his folks here on Wednesday.

B. L. Stimson was called to Austin Tuesday of last week on account of the serious illness of his mother. She is better.

Glen Condit, a student at Pillsbury academy, called on Lansing friends Sunday.

Little Meredith Markham, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Miss Hattie McIntyre went to Lyle and Myrtle Friday, returning Sunday.

The sleighing in the country is getting quite good.

WALTHAM.

We are having good, solid winter weather, being around zero nearly every day.

Miss Lawrence, who has been ill for a few days, was able to resume her school duties here Monday. Miss Lottie Rockwell of Red Rock taking her place as primary teacher during her illness.

There will be a school-entertainment at the M. E. church Thursday evening and a Christmas tree in connection. A nice program has been arranged and a good time is assured. Bring your presents as early in the evening as possible so the committee can have the tree arranged.

Will Decker shipped a couple cars of stock this week.

G. H. Bollow has been over to Sargeant a few days looking after the marketing of some of his grain.

Mr. Torsliff received a car of feed from Austin Tuesday.

There is a very nice display of holiday goods at our stores these days.

Frank Siegel and wife of Sargeant took our noon train for Austin Tuesday.

Willie Jarvis and wife of Mason City came Saturday evening for a week's visit with relatives at friends.

Alfred Kenutson, who is attending high school at Austin was the guest of Willie Chapman over Sunday.

Oscar Erickson left last week for a few days' visit at Minneapolis.

Mrs. H. Krueger and children visited at Austin last week.

Mrs. E. Friert and daughter are spending the week at Mason City.

On account of election of officers in the Woodman camp Saturday evening the band boys rehearsed Friday evening.

Mrs. E. Erickson and little daughter, Edith, left last week for several days' visit with parents and friends at Rochester.

ALONE IN SAW MILL AT MIDNIGHT

unmindful of dampness, drafts, storms or cold, W. J. Atkins worked as Night Watchman, at Banner Springs, Tenn. Such exposure gave him a severe cold that settled on his lungs. At last he had to give up work. He tried many remedies but all failed till he used Dr. King's New Discovery. "After using one bottle" he writes, "I went back to work as well as ever." Severe colds, stubborn coughs, inflamed throat, and sore lungs, Hemorrhages, Croup and Whooping Cough get quick relief and prompt cure from this glorious medicine, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free, guaranteed by K. O. Wold.

OAKLAND.

Arrangements have been made for alternate union services here during the winter. Next Sunday the two congregations will unite at the Presbyterian church, the following Sunday at the Baptist church and so alternating.

The Baptist Ladies Aid made \$57 at their sale and dinner Thursday.

DEXTER.

Farmers have brought a large amount of stock to market for the past few days, also considerable grain.

T. B. Thompson is having the Juelson building remodeled to make it convenient for his butcher shop. He will move from his present location the first of the year.

Our merchants are having a fine Xmas trade.

George Buck a former business man of the village, but now of Rochester, was seen in the streets Monday.

C. H. Preibe of Racine was here Saturday looking after his farming interests.

A fine Christmas program has been prepared by our schools. It will be rendered at the opera house Wednesday evening. All are invited to attend. A charge of a nickel will be made to defray the expense of the hall.

The village schools will be closed Thursday for a two weeks vacation. The teachers will go to their respective homes to spend the holidays.

Lutheran services at the Advent church next Sunday by Rev. Guse. In German in the afternoon and in English in the evening.

The Union Fibre company is bailing flax straw here.

Hay Langworthy of Spring Valley preached at the Congregational church Sunday.

Roy Heimer came from Northfield college Saturday to spend two-weeks vacation.

Grand ball at the Opera House Wednesday evening, Dec. 29. Kelly's harp orchestra.

Miss Eva Watson came home Tuesday from St. Olav hospital much improved in health. She went with her sister, Mrs. Brown, to Dakota on Thursday.

LONDON.

Merry Christmas to everybody.

Mr. L. F. Allen left last Wednesday for Mendota, Mo. to visit relatives.

Miss Lela Goslee is assisting Mrs. Jas. Goslee with her house work.

Mrs. E. E. Dunn of Myrtle spent last week with her mother, Mrs. G. P. Meadowcroft.

The Ladies Aid will give a pound social and oyster supper Jan. 8, 1910, in the ladies annex of the church. You are requested to donate a pound of groceries to our pastor Rev. Date. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Dunn spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Barclay.

Miss Mildred Robinson spent Sunday at her home in Austin.

Geo. P. Meadowcroft left Monday p. m. for an extended visit at the Isle of Pines, Cuba.

Two sleigh loads of our young people drove to the E. E. Dunn home at Myrtle Sunday evening. Did they have a good time? Just ask some of them.

James H. Goslee is improving so he is able to be up and about part of the time, as his many friends will be glad to know.

Isaac Magee was an Austin caller Saturday. Special attraction there, we think.

Mrs. Alva Lang will spend the holidays with her father, A. Fialka.

The Ladies' Aid met at L. Machacek's Friday afternoon to elect officers and consider financial matters.

Mrs. Addie Fialka plans to go to West Concord Wednesday to spend Christmas and New Year's with her sister, Mrs. Jake Nelson.

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MOSCOW.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

We were all so very glad to see Elizabeth and Lucy Bennett out to the bazaar Thursday, also glad they never caught cold.

Miss Hazel Dyssin spent Sunday at her home.

O. A. Overlie spent Tuesday in Albert Lea visiting his son Alfred.

Mrs. Roy Register will spend Christmas at her home.

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