

Neighborhood Notes.

Wilke.

Several ladies of this vicinity spent Friday afternoon listening to the closing exercises at the Wilke school house.

Mr. and Mrs. Boddum entertained company from Waterloo Sunday. Will Kopp returned Sunday from North Dakota where he has been working for several months.

Mrs. A. Evans, Mrs. L. Evans and Mrs. A. Lindblom and baby Leona were recent visitors in Iowa Falls. Oct. 28.

Pleasant Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wunder of Howard, S. D., have been visiting with the latter's uncle, Peter Schwiebert and family, of this place.

A number of Pleasant Hill gentlemen attended the progressive speech at Kamrar Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Brock and baby spent Sunday at the J. C. Sterling home in Webster City.

Mrs. O. L. Gilmore will entertain the ladies at an all day wool picking next Thursday.

Mrs. Robt. Jones will entertain the Ladies Social Circle one week from next Thursday afternoon.

Miss Maude McConnell spent a few days the past week with her sister, Mrs. Shadd Huddleston, of Harmony Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Anderson and family spent Sunday with Mrs. A's parents near Homer. Oct. 28.

Stanhope.

Rev. and Mrs. Cole of Osceola came up to be present at the dedication of the Christian church parsonage.

The ladies aid society recently met at the home of Mrs. Jackson Kent. A neat sum was made.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Dick spent Monday and Tuesday in Webster City. On Tuesday they attended a birthday surprise on the former's father, S. B. Dick. Mr. Dick was ninety years old and his many friends hope he may spend many more as happy birthdays as his ninth one.

Mrs. F. D. Riley of Webster City, accompanied by little Miss Helen Reinsel, visited with the former's mother, Mrs. Sarah Wilson, Thursday evening and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Riley and son Ransom, and daughter, Miss Hazel, and Mrs. Iver Nelson, were callers in Boone Saturday afternoon.

A very interesting service was held at the Christian church Wednesday evening in dedication of the Christian church parsonage. They raised six hundred and fifty dollars which cleared the debt on the parsonage. Oct. 25.

Jewell.

Thomas Abrahamson of Rockwell is here visiting relatives and friends. B. S. Millett has had his house in the west part of town treated to a fresh coat of paint.

Mrs. W. D. Bonner and Mrs. Bert Read went to Des Moines last Friday.

Miss Mildred O'Connor came home from Ames to spend Sunday.

Owing to the high cost of feeding cattle, several carloads of sheep

have been shipped in for feeding purposes.

A. A. Hottle and family of Slater were the guests of relatives and friends here a few days last week, leaving Friday for Garwin, their old home.

The city council is busy trying to contract for a new well.

County Supt. Snow of Webster City visited in Jewell Monday evening.

Rufus Nelson, republican candidate for sheriff, will be elected by a rousing big majority, in spite of the dirty campaigning which is being done against him.

Vote for Taft, pray for Roosevelt, but bet on Wilson.

J. C. Willis has gone to Minnesota to look after his farm. Also one in Clay county, this state.

Aug. Winkle has built a new barn on the place lately purchased by him of Mrs. Kirk.

There seems to be a great scarcity of men around here to do the corn picking.

The ladies aid society of the Congregational church held a bazaar and chicken pie supper in the town hall Saturday and netted about \$58 from the supper. Oct. 28.

Flugstad.

David VanWinkle, who has been very ill, is improving fast.

Mary Lutz of Duncombe closed her school Friday for the fall vacation.

Wallie Moline and Arthur and Jessie Stahl were business callers at Webster City Saturday.

W. H. Strause returned home Thursday after a few days visit at Cedar Rapids with his son.

Martin Olson was a business visitor in Duncombe Saturday.

The three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Olson fell and broke his arm Friday at their farm. He is getting along well at present.

Wm. Melrose has been kept on the jump the past week taking care of the grain that has been coming into the local elevator.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Moline and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stahl were business visitors at Webster City Saturday.

Martin Olson is building a new hog house on his place.

Will Strause of Cedar Rapids arrived here Thursday to visit friends and will probably stay here this winter.

D. S. Darnell of Cass Center is building some corn cribs on his farm near here.

The hog cholera is breaking out very near here, but it is hoped it will not spread.

School closed Saturday at the Miss Hall school. An excellent programme was given and enjoyed by all who heard it.

Postmaster Darnell announces that the Flugstad postoffice is soon to be discontinued. The local office has failed to pay out for the last three years, hence it will soon be closed. Oct. 28.

Farm Loans.

I am prepared to make farm loans at lowest current rates and can now take for the acceptance and approval of my loan companies, applications for loans wanted for closing at any time up to and including March 1st, 1913.

29d6f11t Varick C. Crosley.

Personal Briefs

—Mrs. E. D. Curtis returned to Hampton yesterday after an over Sunday visit in this city.

—Rev. Hugh Moore of Sac City arrived in the city yesterday to visit his mother, Mrs. D. M. Moore.

—Mrs. R. E. Channer and daughter, Miss Evelyn, returned this morning from a brief visit in Fort Dodge.

—Mrs. H. H. Clark, of East Division street, arrived home yesterday from an extended visit in Illinois and eastern Iowa.

—Miss Letta Warren returned to her home in this city yesterday from her school duties in Newell, having finished her fall term.

—Miss Hattie Cuppet returned to Fort Dodge today following a visit in this city with Miss Myrtle Martin.

—Dr. Chas. Reed of Woolstock is a caller in the city today.

—Dr. E. E. Richardson left last evening for Des Moines, where he will attend an adjourned meeting of the state board of health.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Boeye left yesterday for Des Moines where they will spend a few days visiting friends.

—Miss Bertha Hendrickson of Kamrar returned home this morning after a few days visit in this city with friends.

—Mrs. John Beverly of Chicago arrived in the city today to visit at the home of her brother, S. B. Bair.

—Frank Carey is a business visitor in Eagle Grove today.

—C. E. Atkinson went to Mason City today on business.

—Mr. and Mrs. George S. Neel returned today from an extended visit with relatives in Ohio.

—Mr. Snyder of the auto firm of Hood & Snyder, of Jewell, is a business visitor in town today.

(From Monday's Daily).

—Chas. Hopkins of Lake City was an over Sunday visitor here with his father and sister, A. Hopkins and Mrs. J. B. Huff.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Crawford of Fort Dodge were Sunday guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. Frances Kimball.

—S. H. Miller of Des Moines arrived in town Saturday for a visit with his son, Ray W. Miller and family.

—Peter Hove of Stratford was in the city Saturday.

—Mrs. W. A. Straight of Auburn, this state, is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. C. Wiese and family.

—Fred Metcalf, who is a student at Grinnell college, spent Sunday at his home in this city.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Black were Eagle Grove visitors yesterday.

—Mrs. Wm. C. Halvorsen of Woolstock is visiting in the city today.

—Clarence Pike returned to Hampton last evening to complete the building of a dwelling house in that town.

—Coy Parish of Woolstock was visiting friends in the city yesterday.

—Dr. and Mrs. Smith of Woolstock are callers in the city today.

—Mrs. Mourlan of Woolstock is in the city on business today.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Young left Saturday for Minneapolis to visit relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. Bert Barnett and Misses Cecil and Faerie Smock drove overland to Des Moines Saturday and will remain for a few days visit.

—Lloyd DeFrance returned today to his school duties in Des Moines College.

—Miss Ada Gerber of Williams spent Sunday at the C. J. DeFrance home in this city.

—Miss Bertha Anderson is spending a few days with friends in Fort Dodge. Miss Eva Thompson is taking her place at the Mercantile.

—Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Nelson of Kamrar visited yesterday at the E. H. Hemmen home in this city.

—Mrs. F. P. Helmick and daughters, Minnie and Maude, and son Wallace, visited friends in Woolstock yesterday.

—Miss Mary Tilghman spent Sunday at her home in Williams.

—Misses Katherine Kelly and Gladys Humbert visited friends in Woolstock yesterday.

—Miss Emma Renz of Wiona, Illinois, is spending a few days visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Frank Corbin of this city.

—N. L. Rood, democratic candidate for congress from this district, left this morning for Jefferson and other points in the southwestern part of the district to deliver the closing addresses of the campaign. Mr. Rood says Roosevelt is very strong in Iowa and that Wilson's friends must fight hard to get the state. Taft will be a poor third, in the judgment of Mr. Rood.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. A. Miller

and son, Chester, spent Sunday with relatives in Jewell.

—Rufus Nelson, republican candidate for sheriff of Hamilton county, is in the city today greeting friends.

—Verne Shafer returned to Eagle Grove today following a visit at the Cris Rucker home in this city.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bratnaber of Williams were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Moore in this city yesterday.

—Mrs. E. A. Burkett and daughter, Anna, returned to Chicago yesterday following a visit with Mrs. W. O. Rauworth of this city.

—Levi T. Coates and daughter, Dorothy Coates, returned to Iowa Falls today after a visit at the R. D. Isham home in this city.

—Mrs. T. Worsing returned to her home in Boone today following a visit with her son, Frank Worsing and family of this city.

—Mrs. Chas. Dakin and niece, Miss Orlina Albright, are spending the day in Fort Dodge.

—Mrs. W. E. Brown went to Iowa Falls today for a brief visit.

—Miss Neva Garrick returned today from a brief visit at Conrad.

—Mrs. Jack Troy of Hubbard is in the city today.

—Misses Myrtle Arnold and Gustine Kelly visited over Sunday with Miss Omondson of Jewell.

—Miss Florence Bohri of Clarke, South Dakota, is a guest at the Chas. T. Smith home, being on her way home from a visit with Mrs. Gladys Smith-Miner of Jefferson.

—Mrs. Wolcott returned to her home in Humboldt today after a brief visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Geo. F. Tucker.

—Miss Elva Doolittle of Woolstock was a visitor in the city today.

—Mrs. Babcock and Mrs. Hammit of Garwin are visiting at the home of their sister, Mrs. C. J. DeFrance.

—W. R. Ryan went to Ellsworth on business this afternoon.

—W. V. Shipley of Iowa Falls is a business visitor in the city today.

—Misses Julia Amundson and Marybelle Omstead were callers in Eagle Grove yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Scott Lyle of Cedar Rapids were in the city yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bonner of Des Moines are guests at the N. L. Rood home in this city.

—Walter Buell of Audubon was a Sunday visitor at the home of his parents in this city.

(From Saturday's Daily).

—Lehigh Argus: Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Stewart moved yesterday to Webster City where Mr. Stewart has a position as machinist with the new sewer pipe company. They have a large circle of friends here who wish them success and happiness in their new home.

—Misses Etna Battles of Mitchellville and Maggie Brandon of Des Moines are visiting in the city at the home of their cousin, Miss Jane Russell.

—Bert Maxon, the barber, has gone to Iowa Falls to accept work, he having discontinued his barber chair in the Butler pool hall.

—Mrs. M. H. Brinton of Ellsworth was a Webster City visitor yesterday.

—Grover M. Neese of Stratford has been in town for a day or two.

—Miss Bessie Lyon went to Des Moines yesterday where she will spend Sunday visiting friends.

—Prof. F. E. Webb of the high school faculty left yesterday for Omaha to spend Sunday with friends.

—Miss Vivian Williams went to Jewell yesterday evening and will spend Sunday with relatives.

—C. H. Currie was a business visitor in Eagle Grove yesterday.

—Miss Ethel Mabbott closed her fall term of school in the district northwest of the city yesterday and is home for a three weeks vacation.

—Mr. and Mrs. David Eyer and Mrs. C. D. Hellen went to Ellsworth this afternoon to spend Sunday with Mrs. M. H. Brinton.

—Mrs. C. Woodbridge and little daughter, who have been visiting at the Dr. E. E. Richardson home and with other friends in the city, left yesterday afternoon for their home in Des Moines.

—Mrs. W. T. Jones and daughter of Woolstock are trading in the city today.

—Mrs. Ed Garth and Mrs. H. W. Lundell were Des Moines visitors yesterday.

—Miss Alta Bailey went to Cedar Falls yesterday to attend the fall initiation of the sorority of Kappa Theta Psi.

—Mrs. J. B. Tedrow of Williams was visiting with friends in this city yesterday.

—Miss Irene Mabbott is home from her school near Highview for an over Sunday visit with her parents.

—Guy C. Mills was a business visitor in Fort Dodge yesterday.

—Miss Lois Kelly, who teaches school near Highview, is visiting at

Social Affairs

AFTERNOON LUNCHEON.

Mrs. Cary H. Brown entertained a few friends yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. E. F. Stevenson of Waterloo.

HALLOWEEN PARTY.

Misses Vesta Hill and Verna Bailey will entertain friends this evening at a Halloween party at the home of Miss Hill.

SOCIAL SESSION.

The members of the Baraca class of the Baptist Sunday school will meet in a social session at the home of Alfred Rasmussen this evening at eight o'clock.

COMPLIMENTARY LUNCHEON.

Mrs. W. A. Crandall entertained a few friends at luncheon Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Wm. O. Coast of Iowa City, who is a guest at the Varick C. Crosley home.

HALLOWEEN PARTY.

The Eltekah, S. P. I. and St. Andrews classes of the Methodist church will give a Halloween party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe A. Iliff on Wednesday evening of this week.

DANCING PARTY.

The Et-a-Virp dancing club gave the first of a series of dances, which they expect to enjoy during the winter months, at Elmo hall last evening. About twenty-four couples were present and danced the light

the home of her parents in this city.

—Mrs. E. F. Stevenson and children of Waterloo are visiting friends in the city.

—Mrs. Sarah Lane returned today to Hastings, Nebraska, following a visit with the G. S. Lane family in this city.

—Miss Nona Vorhes of Williams is in the city today on business.

—Mrs. Kellogg returned to Sioux City today after a visit at the Dr. A. Kellogg and Geo. J. Mauch homes in this city.

—Miss Grace Whitley of Iowa Falls is spending Sunday at the home of her parents in this city.

—Mrs. C. H. Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Billings, Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Colver and Mrs. J. F. King returned yesterday from Council Bluffs, where they attended the state convention of the Baptist church.

—Mrs. H. E. Schroeder of Blairburg visited in the city today with relatives.

—Mrs. E. A. Schroeder and children of Blairburg were business visitors in the city today.

—H. T. Yungelas and son Willie and daughter Claire, accompanied by Rev. Arthur Metcalf and Dennis Kelly, left this morning in the Yungelas car to attend the Ames-Grinnell football game at Ames this afternoon.

—Barton Like went to Goldfield today for a brief visit with relatives.

—Miss Agnes Moore of Milford is spending Sunday at the home of her mother in this city.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. Brockman and daughter, Evelyn, who have been visiting at the Chas. W. Beulow home, left this morning to visit relatives in Bancroft and Paulina. Mrs. Beulow accompanied them to Bancroft.

—Miss Julia Willner left this morning for Sioux City for a brief visit.

—H. J. Buell is spending a few days looking after farming interests in Minnesota.

—Donald Baldwin of Chicago arrived in the city yesterday for a visit with his uncle, Ralph Baldwin and family.

—Mrs. Arch Foster is spending a few days with relatives and friends in Independence.

—Mrs. Jessie Austin-Boys returned today from a week's trip to Elkhart and Charlton, where she gave demonstrations in domestic science work.

—Harry Coppernal, J. B. McCollough and John Hanrahan spent the better part of yesterday on a fishing trip north of the city. Mr. Coppernal was successful in getting a large catfish that will weigh in the neighborhood of nine pounds, while Messrs. Hanrahan and McCollough also returned with well filled strings. Most of their catch were bass.

Dr. F. E. Whitley is expected home this evening from a meeting of railroad surgeons which was recently held in Chicago. While away he also went to Jamestown, New York, for a visit with his sister and relatives. During his absence his office rooms in the Whitley building on Des Moines street have undergone a thorough renovation and are now in fine shape awaiting the doctor's approval.

fantastic to the strains of the harp and violin of the Leach orchestra of Ackley. A most delightful social time is reported by all present. Dances will probably be given every two weeks by this club during the winter.

LOYAL DAUGHTERS ENTERTAIN.

The Loyal Daughters have issued invitations to their friends for Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Irene Thompson. Amusements will be in keeping with the Halloween season.

HONOR VISITING FRIEND.

Misses Malda and Elizabeth Black entertained a few friends Thursday evening, in their apartments over the Miss Amanda Johnson millinery store, in honor of Mrs. C. Woodbridge of Des Moines.

ONE O'CLOCK LUNCHEON.

Mrs. F. O. McKee entertained a company of ten ladies at one o'clock luncheon Friday afternoon at her new home on First street. After the delicious luncheon the ladies spent the afternoon very pleasantly in visiting over their fancy work.

A PLEASANT EVENING.

Mrs. J. E. Olmstead was hostess to the ladies of the Maccabees and a few neighbors Friday evening at her home on Boone street in honor of her visiting sister, Mrs. J. E. Kriel of Rushville, Minn. Cards and music furnished the evening's entertainment and dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. Chrysanthemums were given as favors and all present report a most enjoyable time.

DANCING PARTY.

One of the most delightful of the fall social functions in the city was the dancing party given Friday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Varick C. Crosley in the Willson hall in honor of Mrs. Wm. O. Coast of Iowa City. The balcony of the hall was transformed by rugs and tables profusely decorated with pink roses and carnations into a most attractive reception room. Mrs. F. E. Whitley, Mrs. L. A. McMurray, Mrs. F. E. Willson, Mrs. L. L. Estes, and Miss Charlotte Crosley assisting the host and hostess in the receiving of the guests. The early part of the evening was pleasantly spent in an informal social manner and the later hours devoted to dancing. Klemmers orchestra of Ames discoursing sweet music. A dainty luncheon was served in the balcony during the evening to about one hundred guests. Among those from without the city were Mrs. Wm. O. Coast of Iowa City, Mrs. Crabtree of Washington and Miss Grace Whitley of Iowa Falls.

Indebtedness.

Are you in debt? If so no doubt you expect to pay it some time, if you live. If you should die—and you will some time—who will pay it? The Equitable Life Insurance Company of Iowa will do so, if you will make the arrangements with them now while you are in good health. G. W. and Varick C. Crosley, Agents. 29d6f11t

Dog Eat Dog.

Floyd Litchberger, the sixteen year old son of Mrs. N. Lichtenberger, who resides on the corner of Walnut and Broadway streets, has been mourning the death of his huge black pet Newfoundland dog, "Tiger," which was caused by having had several severe self-defensive fights with the bull dogs owned by a family residing on Bank street. These dogs roam about at will and after several "two to one" battles with "Tiger" in the Litchberger yard succeeded in hurting him so badly that he died a few days ago. Peace to his ashes, for he was a noble dog. But what of his murderers?

OFFICIAL CHICAGO MARKETS.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT.				
Dec.	92 1/2	92 3/4	92	92 1/4
May	97 1/4	97 3/4	97 1/4	97 3/4
CORN.				
Dec.	53 1/2	53 3/4	52 1/2	52 3/4
May	52 1/2	52 3/4	52	52
OATS.				
Dec.	32 1/2	32 3/4	32 1/2	32 3/4
May	34 1/2	34 3/4	34 1/2	34 3/4

Hogs estimated 20,000. Open 5 lower.

Top \$8.15.
Hogs left over yesterday 1876.
Cattle 6500. Open strong; close steady.

Sheep 28,000. Open strong.

THE LOCAL MARKETS.

Wheat	78
Oats	