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TEED'S.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

FOD RENT—house at 620 Oak Ave. J. B. Henton. 5d6t1f1*

Two 160 gallon gasoline tanks for sale very cheap at Sheldon's. 5d2f1*

Fred Hahne is having a cement walk laid in front of his residence property on Webster street.

Earl Brees of Aurora, Iowa, has accepted a position as plumber in the Mueller hardware store.

Miss Minnie Bateman has resumed her work in the Kane Variety store after a three weeks vacation.

The Swastika society will meet Thursday night at 7:30 with Mrs. W. E. Brown.

Mrs. Charles J. Jennings has accepted a position as saleslady in the McFarlane notion store.

Bert Phipps has accepted employment with the Mason Hardware company and will begin his work at once.

Mrs. P. H. Lynch, who has been ill in Mercy hospital for a couple of weeks, has been removed to her home.

William Harrison, engineer on the Crooked Creek railway, is taking a week's vacation and his duties are being performed by Sam Arnold.

The entrance way and platform in the rear of the Sheldon grocery store is undergoing repairs now that the alley paving is finished.

There will be a social meeting of the Pleasant View Grange, Thursday, October 8th, at the Walter Church home.

The Past Noble Grand association will meet at the home of Mrs. W. W. Stow, Thursday afternoon, Oct. 8, at 2:30 o'clock.

The Baraca class of the Baptist church will hold a business meeting at the church Friday night, Oct. 9, at 7:30. All members are requested to come.

The ladies aid society of the Baptist church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. W. H. Cunningham. A large attendance is desired.

A business meeting and social session of the Gleaner Sunday school class will be held tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs. Imogene Brewer on Third street.

Miss Edna Omstead has resigned her position in the Buelow millinery department and her place has been filled by Mrs. Calla Bishop-Lyons.

Enoch Olson, who has been employed as manager of the Eagle Cafe in Eagle Grove, owned by H. H. Mickelson, has resigned his position and accepted one in the Vienna cafe in this city.

The Highview ladies aid met at the home of Mrs. Ford Price last Thursday to tie comforts. About forty were present and late in the evening a fine three course lunch was served. The next meeting will be at the Frank J. Webb home, Mrs. Vanschoyck being hostess.

There will be a penny social at the White Fox school house for the benefit of the Cass Center church next Friday evening, October 9th. The ladies aid society of the church will meet next Thursday for an all days session with Mrs. Carl Bickford.

W. J. Zitterell, who owns the lot adjoining the St. James hotel on the west and who is making preparations to build upon it, has discovered that the three story brick wall of the hotel is on his ground, being over twelve or fifteen inches. Rube McFarren and G. D. Thompson own the hotel property.

DEDICATION AND GET TOGETHER WEEK

Baptists to Give Program of Events in Celebration of Fine Church Edifice.

The members of the Baptist church will hold a dedication and get together week beginning next Sunday, Oct. 11th, and closing Friday, Oct. 16th. Some interesting events are on the program for this occasion. Rev. A. F. Colver, former pastor of the church, will preach the dedicatory sermon. The affair is to be held in celebration of the many and great improvements recently made in the church edifice of the society, who are to be heartily congratulated upon their present very handsome and convenient house of worship. The program in detail follows:

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11.
Worship and Dedication.
10:30 a. m.—Sermon by Rev. A. F. Colver, Nevis, Minn.
12:00 m.—Bible School.
3:15 p. m.—Gideon Service for Men. Conducted by Mr. A. B. T. Moore, National President. Music by Des Moines Quartet.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 12.
4:00 p. m.—Primary Department Social. A good time for the young folks.
7:30 p. m.—Happy Hour for the Choir. Good cheer at the parsonage.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13.
3:00 p. m.—The Pink-toe Brigade. Babies of the "Cradle Roll" will bring their mothers to the parsonage.
7:30 p. m.—Sunday School Jollification. For all members of the school.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14.
3:00 p. m.—Woman's Work. A union meeting of the Aid and Missionary Societies.
7:30 p. m.—The Baptist Brotherhood. Good Fellowship and Business for Men.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15.
6:30 p. m.—Refreshments, Business, and Christian Fellowship for the Church and Congregation.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16.
7:30 p. m.—Philetia and Baraca Rally.

FOR SALE—American adding machine. Brand new. A bargain. Inquire at this office. d-t-tf

The C. W. B. M. of the Christian church will meet on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. H. Harrison on Boone street, instead of with Mrs. D. E. Drackley as previously announced.

Linemen are busy replacing and repairing the electric wires in the "Buster" Brown drug store. The wires are getting old so Mr. Brown thought to have them repaired before any damage resulted.

"Duke," the valuable bull dog owned by J. W. Hittle, died yesterday from strychnine poisoning. He was gentle and a household pet and playfellow of the little Hittle children and they feel their loss keenly.

The Christian ladies aid society will meet at the home of Mrs. John E. Olmstead tomorrow for an all day's meeting to quilt and tie comforts. Each one is requested to bring something and a picnic dinner will be served at noon.

FOR SALE—big type Poland China male pigs—vaccinated with the double treatment. I can furnish my customers of last year with new blood. Address, J. W. Western. Martin phone 1817. 9-30d6t3f3*

Restaurant Changes Hands.
The Star restaurant changed hands yesterday, C. E. Brooks selling the business to Thos. Beroth of this city. The dray business in which Mr. Beroth has been engaged will be continued by his son-in-law, Wm. Quinn.
Mr. and Mrs. Brooks have not decided what they will do in the future. For the present they have stored their household goods and will visit among relatives for a time.

Suffers Fainting Spell.
Ralph France suffered a severe attack of appendicitis last night about eight o'clock while on his way to the C. & N. W. station. He is subject to these attacks but this time he fainted away on the street near the Roy O'Brien pool hall and was carried into the hall where a physician was called and later Mr. France was removed to the home of A. J. Leonard where he is a trifle better today.

SOCIAL AFFAIRS.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE.

About forty friends and neighbors completely surprised F. A. Patterson at his home on the east side Saturday night, the occasion being his 47th birthday anniversary. Early in the evening he was invited over town by a friend and upon his arrival home found the house full of company. The home was decorated with colored crepe paper and autumn flowers. Games were played and a merry time was had during the evening and at a late hour lunch was served. He received many presents, postcards, etc.

SIX O'CLOCK PICNIC SUPPER.

The Six O'clock club enjoyed a picnic supper last night at 6 o'clock at the home of one of their members, Miss Charlotte Crosley. The affair was in honor of a former member, Mrs. H. P. Goddard, who is visiting in the city. Mrs. Goddard's sisters, Mrs. Otto J. Montzeimer of Primghar, Mrs. Fred E. Estes of Los Angeles, Cal., and Mrs. H. P. Mason of this city were also guests of the club. The two course supper was served in the dining room, the table having for its centerpiece a large bouquet of white daisies, the club flower. Autumn leaves were also tastefully used in decoration, with the red-leaved ivy vines. The place cards were Roycroft cards. The evening following the supper was spent in visiting.

A SOUTHERN LUNCHEON.

An afternoon altogether novel because of the pretty southern ideas carried out, was enjoyed by the ladies of the Home club yesterday with Mrs. J. B. DeValcourt as hostess. A four course luncheon of delectable southern dishes was served at one o'clock. A beautiful bouquet of pink and white carnations and foliage graced the center of the long table around which the ladies were seated and at each cover was placed an odd little souvenir representing tiny dainties playing musical instruments while seated on bales of cotton.

The afternoon was devoted to the initial club lesson of the season and Mrs. DeValcourt was leader with the fitting subject, "Dixie Land." The lesson proved to be very interesting and was enlivened by a number of piano selections of typical southern music rendered by the hostess and leader.

Mrs. Louis Lager of Aberdeen, South Dakota, was the only out-of-town guest.

LUNCHEON AT IOWA FALLS.

Miss Clara Lane was the honored guest at a delightful luncheon given at Iowa Falls Saturday afternoon by Misses Helen Weaver and Juanita Hall to several Webster City and Iowa Falls young ladies. Those from this city went over in the forenoon and about sixteen guests in all, were present.

The three course repast was served upon a table with central feature of yellow chrysanthemums upon a plateau bordered with sumac leaves. Sumac branches also decorated the other rooms. Verses appropriate for each guest were written upon the backs of the place cards. During the serving of this luncheon Miss Lane was repeatedly summoned by spasmodic alarms from an alarm clock hidden in different places all over the house. She was required to find the clock and with it was always a dainty piece of hand painted china, gifts from the guests present. During the afternoon the guests were taken for an auto ride over the beautiful countryside in the vicinity of picturesque Iowa Falls and returning, visited until train time.

Big Millinery Special.
Saturday, Oct. 10th, untrimmed shapes, \$1.95 and less. Big reduction on trimmed hats. Splendid values at a very reasonable price. Don't miss this sale. Give us a glance before buying your fall and winter hat. Buelow Millinery Dept., in Ed McFarlane store. d1f

In Newspaper Business.
Noah Falb, who formerly was employed with the firm of Shipley & Black in this city, but who left their employ about one year ago, has embarked in the newspaper business, buying out the West Bend, Iowa, Journal, Sept. 1st. Mr. Falb is now editor and proprietor of that weekly paper.

The Wilke Auto Co. have taken the agency for the Studebaker and Briscoe line of automobiles. The new cars have many improvements over the 1914 autos and at a much less price. See them before you buy. 10-1d4-f-t-1mo

SEWER CONNECTION WAS NEVER PUT IN

Catchbasin at Corner of Bank and Seneca Street Found to Have No Outlet.

After the heavy rain of two weeks ago when the sewer at the corner of Seneca and Bank streets refused to carry off the water and the flood backed up half way to the Congregational church corner, investigations were commenced to see what was the matter with the sewer. The excavations revealed the fact that although a manhole existed at Seneca and Bank streets and a catch basin was regularly installed, there was no link between sewer and basin. A 14 inch pipe was the outlet for the manhole but no tile had ever been laid as outlet for the catch basin. Hence, every time there was heavy rains the water backed up to a level with the curb. This manhole was put in a number of years ago and a small joint of tile was the only thing to indicate that the sewer was expected to drain the catch basin at the corner. Two or three other such jobs of sewer outlet work have also been reported, where nothing but a single joint of tile led into the manhole. Street Commissioner Cunningham at once got busy when the truth was known and an outlet was laid from the catch basin at the corner to the manhole at the intersection of Bank and Seneca streets.

This shows the careless work of some engineer. It is not likely the council would accept any sewer job unless the engineer certified that it was according to plans and specifications and this defect shows that the engineer either didn't examine the work thoroughly or purposely made false reports to the council.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY WANT RELICS

Mr. McMurray, Who Owns Many, Would Prefer That They Remain in Webster City.

L. A. McMurray yesterday received a letter from the state historical society of Iowa at Des Moines, stating that they had read the article in the Freeman-Tribune regarding the unearthing of an old Indian stone pipe by E. E. Johnson in the vicinity of Homer and were interested in knowing if it might not be obtainable for the historical collection in Des Moines. Also, they noted the fact in the same article, that Mr. McMurray had a collection of Indian relics, and they would be glad to give space to the collection in the Historical collection at Des Moines. He replied that the collection he had preferred to place on exhibition in Webster City although appreciating the honor of its request by the society.

It is a pity that there has never been provision for a display of collections in the Kendall Young library. Such collections of historical relics, Indian mementoes and natural history curiosities are valuable to the boys and girls of the county and should be on display in connection with the library. A small collection of Indian relics is now displayed in the library, but there is no space for any more, unless it might be arranged for in the basement. It would be a splendid thing for the trustees to consider the erection of a room in connection with the library proper, in which displays of everything pertaining to history, science or literature might be placed. A prominent citizen recently remarked to the writer that he had collections of every kind which he would be glad to place on exhibition if only there were a suitable place for their reception. These collections range from natural history, including minerals, ores, etc., to autographs of famous personages. There are in the city many articles of value along these lines which would be gladly loaned by their owners for exhibition purposes.

Articles of household use of fifty and sixty years and longer ago, are here and should be out where the growing generation could see them and make use of their knowledge. Spinning wheels, looms, lanterns of ancient pattern, old pieces of furniture, hand carved wooden articles such as rollingpins, butter ladies, etc., are accessible and if gathered in one display room would make a

very interesting collection. One of the best collections of autographs in the state is in this city. Several other individuals have autographs and letters which are very valuable. Coins, stamps, ores, in fact all articles of historical interest and value should be in use instead of being packed away as they are in most instances in barrels and boxes, there to mold and rust and crumble as useless lumber. Fine examples of carding, spinning and weaving are embodied in blankets and counterpanes owned by many different individuals in the community and their exhibition would not only be of interest to young girls, but of greater incentive for the possession of useful knowledge which reaches farther than a strip of tating.

A room in connection with the Kendall Young library is one of the wants of the community which need suffer no delay because of lack of funds, but lacks only the executive touches.

Court Next Monday.
District court in and for Hamilton county convenes in this city next Monday with Judge Wright presiding. It promises to be a busy term, as there are 119 new cases on the docket.

Struck by Flying Cable.
Earl Barker, who is employed during the construction of the Central heating plant was injured last Friday when the ends of a broken cable flew back and wrapped around him. He is still confined to his bed from the injury.

Hand Injured.
John Levison, who is employed in the National Sewer Pipe factory, suffered a painful accident Friday when he caught his right hand between two tiles and mashed the muscles of the member badly. No bones were broken but the hand is badly swollen and he is not able to use it.

Will Office With A. N. Boeye.
The new county attorney, J. E. Burnstedt, has made arrangements to office with attorney A. N. Boeye. Another room has been added to the suite already occupied by Mr. Boeye, thus making ample accommodations for both. While the gentlemen are not in partnership, each will look after the business of the other when either is absent from the office.

The Opening Play.
"Sweet Clover," the opening play given by the Theresa Martin stock company at the armory opera house last evening, was witnessed by a large and appreciative audience. This stock company has been here two times previous to this, but never with as good performers as now. Miss Martin carries much better scenery this year than heretofore. The stage costumes are also far superior and a four piece orchestra has been added to the company. One of the specialties given last evening were selections by a harpist which were very good. The play this evening will be "The Girl of the Golden West."

Against Dope.
At the recent meeting of the Iowa Pharmaceutical association, R. E. Channer of this city was appointed a member of the general committee. This committee consists of one member from each county, who receives appointment from the executive committee on the recommendation of the druggists of his county. Recognizing the alarming growth of the use of habit forming drugs and the ease in obtaining same the association has taken a stand against the traffic in narcotics ("dope") and is conducting a campaign that will, they say, absolutely regulate the traffic whether by druggist, doctor or others. They hope to make it impossible for the habitual users (or dope fiends) to obtain supplies from any source whatever.

Death of Mrs. Homer Kirchner.
Mrs. Homer Kirchner passed away October 3, 1914, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Seiser, residing near Breeze Hill. The deceased had suffered for several months with tuberculosis. She was born at Towanda, McLean county, Ill., and was married to Homer Kirchner, Feb. 23rd, 1908, near Bloomington, Ill. There were no children to bless this union, but she leaves to mourn her death, her husband, parents, five sisters, Mrs. Frank Roach of Farnhamville, Iowa; Mrs. George Kirchner of Vincent, Iowa, and the Misses Katie, Mary and Susan at home, besides three brothers, Herman, Charles and Edmund, all of Webster City and vicinity.

The funeral services were held in this city yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the M. E. church, conducted by Rev. C. H. Kamphoefner and the remains interred in Grace-land cemetery.

ASK DAMAGES OF \$6,300 OF CITY

Number of Property Owners Near Sewer Outlet Declare it is a Nuisance.

A number of the property owners residing near the outlet of the Second street sewer have brought action against the city for damages. R. H. Ash asks for \$1,500, Fred Jensen \$1,000, J. A. House \$1,500, L. F. Booser \$1,500, C. M. Studley \$800. The petitions state that said sewer is used as the outlet for the sanitary sewage of a large portion of the city and a great amount of filth and refuse matter is collected and discharged at said outlet and in close proximity to plaintiffs' residences and thereby has caused and continues to cause a nuisance to plaintiff's said dwellings, emitting noxious, foul, offensive, unsavory and unhealthy odors, which taint and corrupt the atmosphere so as to render the dwellings almost uninhabitable.

Cough & Warren Co. ask judgment against F. C. Ruegnitz for \$407.47 alleged due on notes.

Card of Thanks.
The undersigned wish to express their heartfelt thanks to neighbors and friends for help and kindness during the illness and death of the late John R. Whaley.
N. J. Whaley and Sisters.

Fell From Horse.
Z. Bourne, father of Mrs. D. E. Drackley and H. S. Bourne of this city, was seriously injured Saturday morning when he attempted to mount a horse at his farm home near Ellsworth and fell, dislocating his hip. Mrs. Drackley and Mr. Bourne went down to Ellsworth at once and returned yesterday, and although the old gentleman is resting easily, he is still in a serious condition and Mrs. Drackley will return to her father's bedside today.

Council Meeting.
The regular meeting of the city council was held last night with all members but Essig present. The evening was the one on which bids for the Division street sewer extension were to be received. Only one bid was received and that from Zitterell, which was accepted. The bond and contract of C. D. Carl for the laying of water mains on the east side was also accepted. Reports from the different city officers were read and accepted, and monthly bills allowed. The meeting adjourned until next Monday evening.

The Moderation club will give their first dance of the season at Willson's hall Wednesday evening, Oct. 7th. All cordially invited. 7d2

OFFICIAL CHICAGO MARKETS.

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	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT.				
Dec...	1.09	1.09 3/4	1.07 1/2	1.07 3/4
May...	1.15 1/2	1.16	1.13 3/4	1.14 1/4
CORN.				
Dec....	67 3/4	67 3/4	66 1/2	66 3/4
May...	70 1/4	70 3/4	69 3/4	69 3/4
OATS.				
Dec....	48 3/4	48 3/4	47 1/2	47 3/4
May...	51 3/4	51 3/4	50 3/4	50 3/4
Hogs estimated 18,000. Open steady; close 10 and 15c lower.				
Top \$8.70.				
Hogs estimated for tomorrow 22,000.				
Hogs left over yesterday 2837.				
Cattle 6500. Open steady; close weak, \$11.00.				
Sheep 40,000. Open weak; close steady, \$5.70.				

AFTERNOON GRAIN LETTER.
Chicago, Oct. 6.—A dull day in the export demand for all grains about explains the market tone today. Canada usually exports enormously in Oct. and Nov. This may be a factor for a week or two. Any winter campaign abroad will allow our provision stocks to accumulate later on. Outside demand for corn futures is still poor and corn rallies are a disappointment. Trend for Wednesday depends on export demand. As foreigners are waiting to see our figures due at 1:15 tomorrow the grains do not promise any permanent bulges early tomorrow.
E. W. Wagner & Co.

THE LOCAL MARKETS.

Wheat	\$1
Oats	33 1/2
Shelled corn	62 1/2
Ear corn	60 1/2