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ALBIA.

Mrs. Fannie Olive of Dallas, Texas spent Friday in Albia. She had been visiting her brother Dr. McCrea in Eddyville and was on her way to Omaha to visit her brother Mac McCrea a former resident of Albia. Mrs. Olive taught music here in the 70's.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rouse from east of town were business callers here recently.

Mrs. George Chitwood and daughter Ruth of Eddyville have been visiting relatives here for a few days.

A marriage license was issued to Orville F. Dunkin, 25, Lovilia and Gladys M. Shultz, 18, Dallas, Ia.

C. R. Harding refused a business caller in Hiteman Saturday.

CHARITON.

Mrs. Bert Powell and children are spending a week with relatives in Hiteman and Albia.

Mrs. Olive Gilliland left Saturday for Biggsville, Ill., to spend the holidays with relatives.

The Misses Gladys and Neva went to Avery who have been spending some time in Chariton with their aunt Mrs. T. J. Lewis and attending the Chariton schools, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. York of Meridan, Neb., were in Chariton Saturday a former resident of Albia. Mrs. York is en route to Derby to visit his sister Mrs. John Haral.

Samuel Badger and daughter Clara were in Russell Saturday attending the funeral of Samuel Van Nice.

Louis Gorach of Montezuma who had been visiting in Chariton with his cousins Hazel and Helen McClure and with relatives at Woodburn returned home Saturday.

Mrs. T. J. Lewis went to Ottumwa Saturday for a brief visit with relatives.

Raymond and Hillard Brightwell expect to spend the holidays in St. Joseph, Mo., at the home of their uncle Lee Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. McBride and little daughter Dorothy Delleth arrived Saturday evening for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Beardsley. Mr. McBride will act as agent for the C. B. & Q. while C. T. Stafford is absent on his vacation in the west.

Mrs. A. B. Tansey of Leon accompanied by her sister-in-law Miss Allie Tansey, arrived Saturday for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Whittlesy. Mrs. Tansey, who formerly resided here, recently underwent a surgical operation for the removal of a tumor, and her many friends are glad to learn that she is again able to be about.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Caldwell and baby of Champron, Alberta, Canada, who had been visiting in Chariton with her sister Mrs. C. O. McNeer, left Saturday evening for a visit in Milo before returning to their home in the north.

FARMINGTON.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lapeyre and Prof. A. T. S. Owen and children Dorothy

For Rent

FOR RENT—216 ACRE FARM—I have a stock and grain farm consisting of 100 acre plow land, balance pasture fenced with 28 in. woven wire. Located in Van Buren county, seven miles south of Eldon, Iowa. Large barn, six room house, farm well watered. This farm is for rent, sale or trade. Make inquiry of owner, H. Bressler, Moravia, Iowa.

and Albert spent Sunday with relatives at Kahoka, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. James Boyer of Bonaparte were recent guests of Mrs. Agnes Stirling.

Attorney W. B. Newbold of Keosauqua was a business visitor in Farmington Saturday.

Sister Mrs. George Blount at Ottumwa. Mrs. Elizabeth Lyons has gone to Ft. Madison to spend the winter with her daughters Mrs. Ed Beeson and Mrs. Ethan French.

Mrs. Frank Hartzel who has been visiting her parents at Chillicothe, Ill., returned home Monday.

Miss Neva Heidman of Farmington and W. A. Johnston of Stockport were married Dec. 1 at Kahoka, Mo. Rev. M. Murphy of the Presbyterian church officiating. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Pope of Athens, Mo. Mrs. Pope is a sister of the bride.

Miss Hazel Kerr of Chicago arrived Saturday to spend the holidays with their mother Mrs. Wesley Steeples.

J. C. Schee of Fort Barre, La., is visiting with his wife and daughter.

J. B. Ware has returned to his home in Wellmore, Kans., after a visit with relatives. His cousin Miss Anna Ware, accompanied him home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Monte Barton and baby and sister Miss Hazel Kerr of Chicago arrived Saturday to spend the holidays with their mother Mrs. Wesley Steeples.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Bacon spent Sunday with Martinsburg relatives.

Miss Cecile Long of Bedford, who is attending the Chicago Training school, visited over Sunday in Chariton with Rev. and Mrs. Jos. Goodsell.

Mrs. Charles Tate left yesterday for a visit in Carson with her mother, Mrs. Anna Seffrit. On the way back she will visit in Lenox with Mrs. John Kimesy, until recently of this city.

The young ladies composing the Bridge club enjoyed a Christmas party and 6 o'clock dinner Saturday evening at the home of Miss Rhea Oppenheimer.

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Slower and two children of Otis, Colo., formerly of this county, who had been visiting their relatives and old friends here, returned home last night.

Hugh Johnston, who is employed in

Des Moines, has returned to his duties after a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom W. Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hayhurst and son of Ellendale, North Dakota, were visitors in this city yesterday enroute from Millerton, where they had been visiting, to West Virginia.

Mrs. J. W. Heagney and daughter, Julia, of Melrose, returned home last evening after a brief visit at the home of her brother, Dan Mahoney.

The tragic death of Roy White and family, who lost their lives in a hotel fire at Cheyenne, Wyo., on Sunday night, has cast a gloom over the entire county. The message which reached

ALBIA.

Mrs. Blanche Anderson of St. Louis who has been visiting here, was called to St. Louis suddenly Saturday on account of the serious illness of a sister.

Ed S. Lowe of Belts, Texas is in Albia for a short time visiting relatives and friends and looking after business.

F. R. Lindsay and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bessie Miller spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Miller in Urbana Center.

In the case of state of Iowa vs. Noah Reasby, indicted on the charge of maintaining a liquor nuisance, the defendant was sentenced to pay a fine of \$400 and costs.

EDDYVILLE.

Mrs. Theresa Barnes died at the home of Chas. Brown Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. She had been ill for some time with bronchial pneumonia. She was 70 years of age at the time of her death. Mr. and Mrs. Barnes came to Eddyville recently from Pleasant Plain and expected to locate here, this having been their home for a number of years. The deceased was a kind and loving wife and mother who made many friends by her generous deeds and she will be greatly missed. She leaves to mourn their loss besides her husband, a son and daughter, Jesse Barnes of Eddyville and Mrs. Ollie Emanuel of Grand River.

After the regular meeting of the Rebekahs on Saturday evening Miss Mary Schaffer was given a farewell surprise by the members of the order. A social hour was enjoyed after which refreshments were served. Miss Schaffer was presented with a number of letters from those present to be read on the trip to California. She will leave Tuesday for Pasadena to spend the winter.

The funeral of James Powell who died at his home in Albia Wednesday was held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from Bethel church. Services were conducted by Rev. Pettitt and interment made in the family lot at Bethel cemetery.

E. L. Bay of Chicago who has been visiting at the parental S. B. Bay home left Sunday evening on a business trip to St. Louis.

C. Frazier of Albia visited this week with his daughters Mrs. Chas. Holcsway and Mrs. John De Tar.

Wm. Allison of Ottumwa spent Sunday in Eddyville, visiting his mother and other relatives and friends.

Wm. Terrel who has employment in Ottumwa visited his parents here Sunday.

RICHLAND.

Mrs. Cecil Snider was supply teacher last week in Miss Cora Johnson's room.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Walker were recent visitors in Fairfield.

Mrs. Summit of Ottumwa who visited her daughter Mrs. John Quackenbush south of town has returned home. One of the twin babes, the girl, of Mr. and Mrs. Hobson Ressler, died last week.

A. C. Bridger fell recently and sustained a broken rib, which confines him at home.

Mrs. W. E. Luthly is seriously ill at present.

Mrs. Fred Hamilton and son Willie have returned from a visit in Ottumwa.

Logan E. Payne of Chicago who recently visited his father Dr. R. E. Payne, has returned home.

Duane Vastine of Harper spent last week here with his mother.

Miss Vera Payne of Salem has returned home after a brief visit with relatives.

Mrs. W. S. Mowry has returned from a visit in Fremont with her sister and other relatives.

Mrs. F. W. Smith and son spent last week in Washington with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Prunty of Batavia were guests last week at the John Pendegrift home.

Mrs. Milton Roop of Ollie stopped off here Saturday between trains enroute for South English.

Joseph Dagle was in Carbondale, Ill., and Mt. Olive last week where he was judge in poultry exhibits. He will be in Ottumwa this week.

Farnes Bridger and wife of Fremont were recent visitors at the parental A. F. Bridger home.

The funeral of Mrs. W. W. Stevens occurred last Wednesday at the Christian church. Services were conducted by Rev. L. M. Dorset of Keota and Rev. Alvin Hoskins of the Friends church. Mrs. Stevens has been sick for several months and it was thought she was better as she was sitting at the breakfast table when she suddenly passed away. Interment took place in Highland cemetery.

WEST POINT.

Mrs. H. D. Wilson has returned from a visit with her father Wm. Torley at Burlington.

Mrs. J. E. Cantril and daughter Miss Oleatha have been visiting with relatives at Fort Madison.

Mrs. John Mapes has returned to her home in Aledo, Ill., after a visit with her daughter Mrs. Wm. Wilson.

Mrs. Martha Williamson pleasantly entertained the Ladies' Aid society at her home Thursday afternoon. Refreshments were served and all enjoyed a most pleasant afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Adams and baby of Groom, Texas are visiting Mr. Adams' sister Miss Agnes Adam.

Mrs. Jos. Reinstein of Ft. Madison visited Wednesday with her son Joseph and family.

The Overton school house situated about six miles west of here was destroyed by fire Wednesday morning. The fire started from the chimney.

At a meeting of the town council M. J. Hall, a civil engineer of Centerville was secured for the drawing of the plans, specifications and the supervision of the waterworks at New London, Fairfield and Donnellson.

Lawrence and Edward Groene returned Thursday from Welton, Iowa, where they have been working during the summer.

Wm. Swinderman and family have moved to New Boston and will make their home there for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Enslow have been spending a few days at Keokuk.

Miss Nora Link has been visiting her sister Mrs. Roy Bean at Ft. Madison.

Wm. Younk was called to the bedside of his wife Monday evening. Mrs. Younk is taking medical treatment at the hospital at Iowa City.

Stephen Ludwig of Roseville, Ill., is visiting his brother J. M. Ludwig.

Barney Niggemeier of Davenport is spending a few days at the John Piets home.

Henry Benjamin has rented the McEvoy farm and moved to the same last week.

Miss Rosa Dohman, has returned from a visit with her sister Mrs. Luegerine at Fort Madison.

Mrs. Mayme Brown and baby of Texas are visiting at the home of her father Al Sheets.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Strothman have returned to their home at Ellenwood, Kans., after several weeks visit with relatives here.

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French and Italian artillery and riding horses wanted next Saturday the 23d at the sale barn.

I am just in receipt of word from St. Louis to get in all the French and Italian horses I can for next week, as they expect to finish up their contracts by the last of the week. The English deal is already off, and the others are expected to be off before the last of December. So if you have anything in the line of a war horse 4 years old and over you want to have him in not later than Saturday of this week. Artillery from 4 to 9 years old 15% to 16% hands, big boned, need not be fat. Cavalry 14-3 to 15-3, 5 to 8 years old. Must be absolutely sound. Bring them in next Saturday. Also war rejects for sale.

MORRIS WILLIAMS.
P. S.—Since writing the above I am in receipt of a telegram from J. H. Morris, New York City, stating will arrive Thursday at 5 p. m. to buy load of big New York horses. These horses must be good and weigh 1650 and up. This is the party who bought a load of good horses early in the fall. Call me up immediately if you have some of his kind.—M. H. W.

SALEM.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mogel celebrated their forty-fifth wedding anniversary Thursday, Dec. 14. At high noon on the same day they gave their daughter Nina in marriage to Frank Moyle, Rev. Benjamin Berryhill of Nauvoo, officiating. Immediate relatives and friends were present. The bride and groom will reside with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Gilbert Bailey, wife and daughter, Mildred, departed Tuesday for their home at Salina, Kas. They had been with Mrs. Bailey's mother, Mrs. Kate Brown, who is quite ill.

A union missionary meeting was held at the Friends church Tuesday afternoon. Miss Effie Comfort of Stockport gave a short address. Refreshments were served and a social time enjoyed.

At the home of Mrs. T. Ingram Saturday afternoon, the Salem M. E. Aid society entertained M. E. Cottonwood and Donaldson Chapel Salem Congregational and Friends societies.

Thursday evening Oak Leaf chapter gave a reception in honor of Mrs. O. H. Tyner, who has been appointed

grand representative of Massachusetts in Iowa Grand lodge O. E. S. Her commission is for three years.

Peter Knight and daughter, Laura, are at Keokuk, guests of J. W. Rhode, Leorin, Sam and Chester Rhode and their families.

Mrs. King Brooks and Mrs. Chester Brooks visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kincaid at Donnellson, last week. Mark Kirkpatrick has purchased Miss Cora Kelley's property in the east part of town. Will take possession March 1.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Stevens royally entertained a number of their friends Wednesday evening at a rook party. Refreshments were served.

Dr. Frank Wilmoth of Lincoln, Neb., was a guest of his brother Arthur Wilmoth and family Friday.

Mrs. Sallie Black of Cincinnati, O., arrived Sunday, called here by the serious illness of her sister Mrs. Kate Brown.

The Aid society of the Congregation-

al church enjoyed a Kensington social at the home of Mrs. J. B. Bickler on Thursday afternoon.

William Geese has returned from a visit with relatives in Illinois.

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