

# CAR VELIE BUGGIES JUST ARRIVED!

Come in and see the best buggy you ever saw and our prices are right. Remember a good buyer is a good seller. Don't forget our 4th of July parade. Nice prizes given to anybody drawing the lucky numbers.

The first 5 numbers out of the box draws a harness, saddle, plush robe, summer lap robe and \$1.00 whip. All it takes is to have a Velie vehicle in our 4th of July parade.

McCormick and Dain mowers and binders are the ones that you can depend on and we have them.

We keep a nice stock of no tar gravel roofing that beats shingles. Easy to put on.

Our rubber tire machine is doing a nice business. Have you any work?

Dain stackers and rakes are the stuff. We sell them and they please.

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### PURELY PERSONAL

Andy Kemp made a business trip to Winterset Thursday.

Prof. Robert Smith went to Blockley last Friday on business.

Dr. J. B. Horner, of Lamoni, had business in this city Monday.

C. E. Gardner had business calling him to Blockley Tuesday.

Mrs. Fawn Parsons was a Blockley visitor the first of the week.

W. B. Ingram, of Mt. Ayr, had business in this city last Thursday.

W. H. Bobbitt had business calling him to Winterset last Thursday.

Reporter J. S. Parrish went to Creston on official business Tuesday.

S. H. Covington, of Grand River, had business in this city last Friday.

C. M. Akes had business at Davis City the latter part of last week.

Marion F. Stookey had legal business calling him to Davis City Saturday.

Bud Davis, of Cainsville, was a business visitor in this city last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barry, of Osceola, visited over Sunday with friends in this city.

Mrs. F. E. Thompson, of Des Moines, is in the city visiting relatives and friends.

W. H. Bobbitt returned Monday from a business trip to Winterset and Des Moines.

Ed Alexander and C. F. Matsler had business calling them to Cainsville Monday.

Uncle Bob Bowsler and Miss Edna Kohler were Blockley visitors last Thursday.

Curtis Burrell, of Davis City, was visiting Leon friends the latter part of last week.

Mrs. L. A. Blackman, of Blockley, was shopping in this city the latter part of last week.

Dr. B. L. Eiker, of Decatur, was in this city on business the latter part of last week.

John Farnes, of Des Moines visited relatives in this city the latter part of last week.

Miles Sparger was visiting with friends at Humeston the latter part of last week.

M. Bailey, of High Point township, returned Tuesday from a business trip to Chicago.

Miss Aneta Howard went to Chariton Monday to visit with young friends for a few days.

Miss Mabel Horner went to Lamoni last Thursday to make a short visit to her parents.

Robert Warner, who has been visiting friends in Des Moines, returned to Leon last Saturday.

George Frizzell, of Newton, came last Friday on a short visit to his daughter, Mrs. Guy Farmer.

Mrs. S. B. Cooper, of Lamoni, was a business visitor in this city the latter part of last week.

Mrs. L. J. Cox went to Van Wert Saturday where she will visit a few days with Mrs. Anna Fierce.

Mrs. F. J. Asbury, of Des Moines, is in this city visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Tharp.

Miss Margaret Hurst went to Lamoni last Thursday to spend a few days visiting relatives and friends.

W. F. Ghromley went to Des Moines last Thursday to look after some important business matters.

Dr. H. R. Layton attended the meeting of the Decatur County Medical society held at Lamoni last week.

Benjamin Bellamy went to Pleasanton last Thursday to visit a few days with his sister, Mrs. Geo. Davis.

Mrs. Thos. Teale, who has been visiting relatives at Afton, returned to her home in this city Monday.

Fred Pearson who has been visiting friends in this city returned to his home in Eagleville, Mo., Monday.

Miss Ida Brooks went to Osceola last Friday and visited over Sunday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Holland.

Robert Bowsler and Miss Edna Kohler returned Monday from a short visit with relatives at Princeton, Mo.

Mrs. L. W. Gates, of Davis City, came last Friday on a short visit to her mother-in-law, Mrs. Frances Gates.

Mrs. Rose Hembrey and Mrs. Dr. Wailles, of Davis City, were in Leon the latter part of last week on business.

Mrs. Joe Cummins and children, of Cedar Rapids, arrived in this city last Friday to visit relatives and friends.

Dr. J. W. Greenman went to Lamoni last Thursday to attend the meeting of the Decatur County Medical Society.

Miss Ella Grogan went to Weldon last Thursday to visit at the home of her brother, M. C. Grogan, for a few days.

S. H. Lorey went to Pleasanton last Friday where he will visit a few days at the home of his daughter, Wesley Chew.

Mrs. L. D. Sears, of north of town, went to Bethany last Thursday for a short visit to her sister, Mrs. H. C. Key.

W. F. Tew, of Des Moines, came to this city last Thursday to spend a week visiting relatives and numerous friends.

Mrs. Clarence Jenree and daughter, Miss Opal, of St. Joe, came Saturday on a short visit to her father, Uriah Mitten.

Miss Ruth Long, of Shenandoah, came to this city Saturday and is visiting her many friends and relatives in this city.

Mrs. Stephen Johnson returned to her home in Davis City Monday, after a pleasant visit at the home of W. E. Craig.

Mrs. Stella Dudley came over from Mt. Ayr Tuesday and is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. A'ea.

Miss Jess Pryor went over to Mt. Ayr Monday to spend a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Fisher.

Mrs. Thomas Teale went to Afton last Friday where she will make a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Rowell.

F. L. and Clem Jenkins returned last Saturday from Kansas, where they had been looking after some real estate matters.

Dr. F. A. Bowman went to Lamoni last Thursday where he attended the meeting of the Decatur County Medical Society.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Tenant, of Atchinson, Kas., came Tuesday and are visiting with Mr. Tenant's sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Carman.

Misses Angie Whittington and Blanch Wiley, of Des Moines, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Otten in this city.

Mrs. Stephen Varga went to Davis City last Friday where she will make a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Radnisch.

Miss Afton Hembrey, who is attending the summer school in this city visited over Sunday with her parents at Davis City.

Miss Clara Davis, compositor on the Journal went to Saline, Mo., Tuesday for a short visit with her mother, Mrs. H. A. Davis.

Mrs. L. S. Truesdell, of Des Moines came Tuesday on an extended visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hohlhines.

Mrs. A. V. Cotton, of Des Moines, came to this city last Friday to join her husband, who is holding a series of meetings in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Evans went to New Hampton, Mo., Monday for a short visit at the home of Mrs. Evans' niece, Mrs. A. F. Ross.

Mrs. B. J. Swisher who has been visiting her son, Spray, baker at the north side bakery, returned to her home in Osceola Tuesday.

Mrs. Mabel Jeffries and Miss Alice Jeffries, of Davis City, visited over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Lorey in this city.

Miss Nellie Craig returned home from Des Moines last Saturday, where she had been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Harrell.

Misses Lissie and Lottie Worden, of Weldon, returned Saturday from Ridge-way, Mo., where they had been visiting relatives for a few days.

Mrs. Abragial Caldwell, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Gates, returned to her home in Lewisburg, Iowa, last Thursday.

Mrs. Theodore Creveling, of Lamoni, who has been visiting at the home of her brother, James McMorris, north of town, returned home last Saturday.

Mrs. D. F. Keller and daughter returned to their home in Lamoni Monday, after a pleasant visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lemley in this city.

Mrs. R. A. Rodgers and Mrs. M. A. Phipps, of Garden Grove, passed through this city Tuesday, going to Ft. Dodge to visit their brother, Thomas Hurley.

Dr. Amos Mitchell and wife of Weldon were in this city last Thursday, being on their way to Lamoni, to attend the meeting of the Decatur County Medical society.

Mrs. Margaret Covey, of Stewart, Iowa, who has been visiting at the home of Mrs. Margaret Stone in this city, went to Kellerton Monday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Arnett, of Pontiac, Illinois, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bryson, of Woodland township. Mrs. Arnett is a sister of Mr. Bryson.

W. H. Weller, formerly of Davis City, but now of southern Texas, was in this city last Saturday on business. Mr. Weller is in the rice milling business and is doing well.

Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Reeder went to Andover, Mo., last Thursday. Mr. Reeder occupied the pulpit on Sunday and Mrs. Reeder will visit with her parents for about a week.

Mrs. W. A. McCann returned last Friday evening from Kellerton where she has been at the bedside of her mother who was seriously injured last week by being thrown from a horse.

Miss Nellie McGrath, of Des Moines, came to this city last Thursday and visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Olsen until Friday, going to Lamoni to visit relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Townsend, of Decatur, left last Saturday for Denver, Colorado, where Mr. Townsend goes to look after some important business matters. Mrs. Townsend will extend her visit to the coast.

Fred Kemp, of Los Angeles, Calif., arrived in this city last Saturday on an extended visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Kemp, in this city. Fred has a fine position in that city but does not know whether he will return or not.

Mrs. L. D. Kelley returned to her home in Lamoni last Saturday, after a short visit at the home of her son, county attorney W. B. Kelley, in this city. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bishop, of Cody, Neb., returned with her for a short visit.

John R. Conroy returned last Friday evening from Springfield, Mo., where he had been for a couple of weeks visiting at the home of his son Trip. Mr. Conroy took a trip down through Arkansas but says there is no country like good old Decatur county.

Mrs. Walter Johnson, who has been seriously ill for some time, was taken to Chicago Tuesday, where she will be cared for at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. E. Somes. The many friends of Mrs. Johnson in this city sincerely hope that she may soon be restored to good health.

S. W. Sears, of Center township, returned last Sunday from Springfield, Illinois, where he went to attend a large public sale of short Horn cattle. Although Mr. Sears did not purchase any stock at this sale he says he was paid for attending in gathering up points in the raising of fine cattle.

J. P. Hall, general agent A. T. & S. F. railway, of Denver, Colorado, arrived in this city last Friday on a short visit to his wife, who is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Amanda McClelland, and also his many friends. Many years ago Mr. Hall was a telegraph operator at the depot in this city but went west and has been promoted until now he holds one of the highest positions of the railway company.

### CORRESPONDENCE

**Franklin Center**

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Arney, of near Crown, were calling at J. W. Worden's Sunday afternoon.

Most everybody in this neck of the woods took in the show at Weldon Saturday.

Floyd lost a fine Jersey cow last Friday.

Mr. Finkbone, wife and daughter spent Sunday with their son James near Fairview.

Dug Lillard, of Weldon, were calling at Floyd Lillard's Sunday.

Will White and family spent last Sunday at Lloyd Smith's.

Mrs. Charley Hedricks and sister spent Friday at Mr. Pollard's.

Helen Bradshaw, of Grand River, is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Frank Worden.

Ira Worden attended church at Weldon Sunday morning.

Lloyd Hensley spent Sunday at Frank Worden's.

Lew Smith and family spent Sunday at Mart Britton's.

Mr. Decker and Rexroad were calling at Lloyd Smith's Saturday.

Nathaniel Boyce and best girl attended church at Weldon Sunday night.

Lloyd Smith and family spent Sunday at the Lowman home near Weldon.

Laura Machlan and a lady friend were seen out buggy riding with a young gentleman from High Point Sunday evening.

Gilman Gardner was seen going south toward Newt Machlan's Sunday evening.

Mrs. Ira Short has a lady friend visiting her this week.

Pearl and Anna Pollard were shopping in Weldon Tuesday.

Mr. Foust delivered hogs at Weldon Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lillard attended church at Weldon Sunday night.

**Willard Fredrick LaFollett.**

Willard Fredrick LaFollett, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. LaFollett, was born at Des Moines Nov. 13, 1905, and died June 19, 1906, aged 7 months and 6 days. The funeral party arrived Wednesday and the little sleeper was tenderly laid away in the Leon cemetery. The circumstances were particularly sad, as the mother was detained by the illness of the little brother in the distant city, watching in the shadows by the bedside of the other little sufferer at the time of the burial of Willard. Mr. and Mrs. LaFollett have the sympathy of all in this their affliction.

It's only a little grave they said;  
Only a little child that's dead;  
And so they carelessly turned away,  
From the mound the spade had made that day;  
Ah, they did not know how deep a shade,  
That little grave in one home had made.

**NATURE'S WARNING.**

**Leon People Must Recognize and Heed It.**

Kidney ills come quietly—mysteriously. But nature always warns you through the urine.

Notice the kidney secretions. See if the color is unhealthy—If there are settlements and sediment, Passages too frequent, scanty, painful. It's time then to use Doan's Kidney Pills.

To ward off Bright's disease or diabetes.

Doan's have done great work in Leon. B. A. McKern, retired living in south ward says: "Ever since a child I have been troubled with kidney and bladder trouble. The secretions were irregular in action, contained sediment, were highly colored and often so full of acid that they scalded. As if that was not a sure indication that my kidneys required attention my back ached some times with a dull nagging pain, at others if I stooped or brought any extra strain on the muscles of the loins it changed to sharp twinges. Attacks of dizziness followed and other indications clearly proved that my kidneys were upset. Noticing Doan's Kidney Pills advertised in the Leon papers and that they were for the kidneys alone I went to L. Van Werden's drug store for a box. Before I had used half of it as directed benefit resulted and to say a continuation of the treatment brought relief very mildly expresses the results."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

For Oklahoma real estate write or call on C. B. Jordan, Enid, O. T.

### Tabernacle Meetings in Progress

Under the auspices of the Iowa conference of Seventh Day Adventists.

A. V. Cotton and J. F. Piper, of Des Moines, are conducting a series of Gospel lectures in the north part of town, two blocks east of the school building. The following are some of the subjects to be presented:

Wednesday, June 27—"May we Know When Christ's Coming is Near."

Thursday, June 28—"Present Truth."

Friday, June 29—"Back to the Old Paths."

Saturday, June 30—"The Longest consecutive Line of Prophecy."

Sunday, 3 p. m., July 1—"What is the Sanctuary and What is its Cleansing?"

Sunday evening, July 1—"Capital and Labor from a Bible Standpoint."

Monday, July 2—"The Work of Angels Are They Our Departed Friends?"

Tuesday, July 3—"Knowledge Shall be Increased and Many Shall Run To and Fro."

Song service at 7:30 p. m.; preaching at 8. Come, bring your Bibles and enjoy the evening with us.

**Don't for the Fourth.**

Don't go on an excursion if you have a happy home.

Don't take your wife and baby buggy riding behind a nerous horse.

Don't pick up a cannon cracker to find out what is the matter with the fuse.

Don't assault the fool who shoots his revolver in the air. He may have another load left.

Don't put a cannon cracker under your grandmother's chair. She may have money to leave.

Don't try to persuade the boys from setting them off in bunches. They'll go quicker that way.

Don't forget, if you have no children that the people who have them are a good deal more anxious than you are to have it all over and done with.

**Fine Farm For Sale.**

The Burgess farm adjoining the town of Pleasanton, Iowa, consisting of over 98 acres of cultivated land (of which 58 acres is within the corporate limits) thirty (30) acres of timber and lots 1 and 5 of block 5 of Snook's addition to the town of Pleasanton is now on the market. See this and make us your best offer. For price and further particulars, address S. A. Burgess, 415 Locust St., St. Louis, Mo.; Wm. Anderson, Lamoni, Iowa; T. J. Burch, Pleasanton, Iowa, or J. Wesley Chew, Pleasanton, Iowa.

**Gem City Business College, Quincy, Illinois.**

The largest, most successful Business College in America. 20 teachers, 1400 students, and \$100,000 College Building. Bookkeeping, Shorthand and Typewriting, Penmanship, Banking, Etc. Graduates readily secure employment. Write today for 64-page Illustrated Catalogue Free, showing how to qualify for a good situation as stenographer or bookkeeper. Address, D. L. Musselman, Pres., 43-10t Quincy, Illinois

**The Nickel Plate Road**

will sell special summer tourist tickets to Canadian and New England points, at one fare plus two dollars for fifteen day limit, from Chicago, and one fare plus four dollars for thirty day limit, from Chicago. Information given upon application to city ticket office, No. 107 Adams St., Chicago. 43

**Aberdeen-Angus Bulls.**

A few choice, pure bred Aberdeen-Angus bulls for sale. Call on or address J. V. Arney, Leon, Iowa. 43-4t.

When the baby talks, it is time to give Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It's the greatest baby medicine known to loving mothers. It makes them eat sleep and grow. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. W. C. Stempel & Co.

### FREE LANDS For Homesteaders

**IN THE Shoshone Reservation of Wyoming**

Uncle Sam will give everybody entitled to take up homesteads a chance at these lands, comprising approximately 1,150,000 acres. It is estimated that between 300,000 and 400,000 acres are first-class agricultural lands susceptible of irrigation. The remainder are grazing, timber and mineral lands.

To secure a homestead you must register at one of the points designated by the government on any day from July 16 to 31, 1906.

The Burlington Route will sell very low priced round-trip tickets daily from July 12 to 29 inclusive. Those who make sure their tickets road to Worland, Wyo., have the big advantage of reaching the reservation over the Burlington's line through the heart of the Big Horn Basin. To see this rich irrigated section is worth any mans time and money.

Let me give you a free folder, telling about the opening, cost of ticket, trains, etc.

**C. M. KETCHAM, Agent,**  
44-3t **C. B. & Q. Ry.**

**1,000,000 acres of Government Land Free to Homesteaders!**

One of the few remaining opportunities to secure a free homestead of really good land comes this month when the Crow Indian reservation in Montana will be thrown open for settlement.

Every person entitled to take up government lands and desiring to secure one of these homesteads **must appear in person** on any day from

**June 14 to 28, 1906, inclusive, at Sheridan, Wyoming, Billings, Montana, or Miles City, Montana.**

(The ONLY EXCEPTION to this requirement is that a former soldier or sailor in the army or navy of the United States having had at least 90 days war service may send an agent, with power of attorney, to represent him. Such an agent may represent only one soldier or sailor.)

**Very Low Rates for Round Trip Via Burlington Route.**

Ask me today for a folder, telling about the opening, cost of tickets, trains, etc.

**C. M. KETCHAM, Agent,**  
June 21 **C. B. & Q. Ry.**

**You Look Yellow**

The trouble is, your liver's sick. One of its products, "bile," is overflowing into your blood.

You can't digest your food, your appetite is poor, you suffer dreadfully from headache, stomach ache, dizziness, malaria, constipation, etc. What you need is not a dose of salts, cathartic water or pills—but a liver tonic

**Theford's Black-Draught**

This great medicine acts gently on the sick liver. It purifies the blood, renews the appetite, feeds the nerves, clears the brain and cures constipation.

It is a true medicine for sick liver and kidneys, and regulates all the digestive functions. Try it.

At all dealers in medicines in 25c packages.

### TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c

### Special Summer Tourist Rates to Canadian and New England Points.

via Nickel Plate Road. Fifteen day limit, one fare plus two dollars, from Chicago. Thirty day limit, one fare plus four dollars, from Chicago. For dates of sale, reservation of sleeping car berths, etc., write or call at city ticket office, No. 107 Adams St., Chicago.

### Advertised Letters.

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the Leon postoffice for the week ending June 23, 1906:

Mr. E. Mitchell, Mr. W. A. Hook, G. W. Grimm, B. W. Stanley.

In calling for the above letters please say "advertised."

MILLARD F. STOOKEY, Postmaster.