

PURELY PERSONAL

Bob Toole visited over Sunday with friends at Lamoni. E. J. Warner had business at Davis City last Thursday. W. W. Warner spent Sunday in Des Moines on business. Byron Watsbaugh was a passenger Tuesday for Humeaton. Mrs. L. A. Blackman, of Blockley, was a Leon visitor Monday. C. R. Turner was a business visitor at Pleasanton last Saturday. Mrs. Jane Acton went to Davis City Tuesday for a short visit. O. B. Simpson returned Tuesday from a business trip to Cainsville. C. R. Riley, of Decatur City, had business in this city Monday. W. L. Henderson was visiting with friends at Davis City Monday. Henry Bright was transacting some business at Davis City Monday. W. C. Collins, of Lamoni, was a business caller in this city Monday. E. B. McClelland returned Friday from a business trip to Ottumwa. Miss Cecil Grimes visited over Sunday with relatives at Davis City. Claude Robinson spent Sunday at the home of his parents in Davis City. Mrs. G. R. Turpin, of Pleasanton, was visiting in this city last Saturday. Dr. H. R. Layton had professional business at Davis City last Friday. Dr. W. F. Waight had professional business at Pleasanton last Friday. John Frazier was looking after business matters at Davis City Monday. Mrs. Rosalia Bates was called to Bethany, Mo., Tuesday on business. Deputy sheriff C. E. Wood was at Lamoni Monday serving official papers. Dr. J. W. Mather, of Lamoni, was a business visitor in this city Monday. Dr. J. S. Coontz, of Woodland, was a business visitor in this city Monday. Mrs. S. C. Wolf, of Van Wert, was a business visitor in this city Tuesday. Miss Bessie Meeker, of Decatur City, was visiting in this city last Saturday. Mrs. W. M. Myers, of Decatur City, was visiting in this city last Saturday. Dr. Mary Gates was called to Davis City Monday on professional business. M. C. Ryan, of near Lamoni, was a business visitor in this city Tuesday. Edwin Bovins, of near Blockley, was a business visitor in this city last Friday. Miss Edna Biggs was visiting with friends at Davis City Saturday and Sunday. Amos Chambers, of east of Leon, made a business trip to Creston Tuesday. Miss Flora Thomason left Monday for a week's visit with friends at Bethany, Mo. Miss Madge Hamilton, of Kingston was visiting many friends in this city Saturday. Mrs. Vena Edwards, of Pleasanton, was a business visitor in this city Saturday. Miss Bess Judd, of Garden Grove, was visiting with Leon friends last Saturday. George Renner, of Van Wert, was a business visitor in this city last Thursday. C. D. Mallette, of Garden Grove, was a business visitor in this city last Thursday. Miss Coral Sanford, of Garden Grove, was visiting with friends in this city last Friday. Mrs. E. D. Dorn went to Des Moines Tuesday to visit a few days with friends in that city. Mrs. S. H. Campbell and little daughter, of Decatur City, were Leon visitors last Saturday. S. H. Amos, of Garden Grove, was looking after business in the district court Tuesday. Mrs. John Smith and daughter Miss Rosa, of near Van Wert, were Leon visitors Saturday. Harry Craig, of Garden Grove, was visiting with his many friends in this city last Friday. H. O. Wilson and I. N. Skidmore, of Van Wert, were business visitors in this city Monday. Miss Stella Davis, of Davis City, came Thursday and visited a few days with friends in this city. Patrick Griffin, of Grand River, spent a couple of days in this city on business the first of the week. C. E. Buchanan and wife, of Humeaton were visiting with relatives in this city the first of the week. Mrs. E. J. Talbot came down from Osceola Monday to pack their goods for shipment to that city. Mike and Pat Sullivan, of Kellerton, were visiting with their many friends in this city the first of the week. Mrs. Jesse Bennett went to Grand River Friday and visited a few days with relatives in that vicinity. Mrs. S. S. Wheeler returned Tuesday to her home at Pleasanton after a short visit with relatives in this city. Mrs. Richard Lockwood, of Woodland, returned Saturday from a week's visit with relatives at Mt. Moriah, Mo. Mrs. M. Whitney went to Davis City Friday to attend the Adventist revival meetings being held at that place. Mrs. Harry Jenkins, of Van Wert, came Thursday to visit a few days at the home of her parents in this city. R. M. Black and wife, of Davis City, passed through this city last Thursday returning from a visit in Des Moines. F. C. Mullinax returned Friday to his work at Bethany, Mo., after visiting for a few days with his family in this city.

C. Cross, of near Spring Valley, went to Davis City Thursday and visited a few days with friends in that vicinity. Miss Minnie Beach returned to her home at Pleasanton after a short visit with friends in this city last Saturday. Mrs. W. F. Jones left Tuesday for Albany, Mo., where she will visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. S. C. McGhee. Miss Maud Wheeler returned Saturday to her home at Pleasanton after visiting a few days with friends in this city. O. H. Reynolds and wife returned Saturday from a visit at the home of their daughter who resides at Humeaton. Mrs. F. L. Jenkins returned Tuesday from Allerton, where she was called by the serious illness of her uncle French Nelson. Rev. Cyrus Smith departed last Friday for Orient, Iowa, to attend a conference meeting of the United Brethren church. Harry C. Wright, the well known attorney of Lineville, was looking after some legal business in the district court Tuesday. Arthur Tatman and wife, who are staying at the home of his parents near Woodland, were visiting in this city Monday. Miss Fannie Clark went to Des Moines Saturday to visit a week or so at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. L. Parrish. W. H. Snyder and wife, of northeast of Leon, went to Afton Saturday for a few days visit with relatives and friends. James and John Hurst visited over Sunday with friends at Chariton and enjoyed a day's duck shooting in that vicinity. Nellie and Floyd Debolt, of Blytheville, Mo., visited over Sunday at the home of their uncle, J. V. Lemley, in this city. Mrs. J. M. Marvin returned last Thursday from a two weeks visit at the home of a sister residing at Columbus Junction. J. H. Lucas and wife, who have been visiting relatives in Morgan township, departed Monday for their home at Lucas, Kas. Lewis and R. S. Bright left Thursday for Des Moines where they have secured employment and will remain for some time. Miss Ruth Longacre who is attending the Leon schools this year, spent Sunday at the home of her parents near Davis City. Mrs. Harry Paxton, of Cedar Rapids, came last week for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Beavers, of Woodland. Mrs. Fred Waight came from Des Moines Tuesday and is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. James W. Hurst, in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Farquhar, of Winterset, came Monday for a visit at the home of Mrs. Farquhar's brother, Capt. J. D. Brown. Mrs. Elizabeth Detrick returned from a visit of several weeks at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Nina Adwers, in Omaha last Saturday. Mrs. J. W. Attebury returned Thursday from a few days visit at Davis City at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Brown. T. E. Cummins, of Davis City, came Monday and visited a couple of days at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. C. Jeffries in this city. Mrs. W. B. McDonough returned last Thursday from a visit of several weeks at the home of her son, I. N. McDonough, near Moravia. Miss Grace Gardner, of Humeaton, came down Sunday and visited a couple of days in this city at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Anna Curry. Mrs. H. P. Galley returned to her home in Des Moines after a week's visit in this city at the home of her brother, Leander Powell. Mrs. T. E. Cummins returned Tuesday to her home at Davis City after a short visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. G. Jeffries, in this city. Mrs. I. N. Jeffries returned Friday to her home at Davis City after visiting for a few days in this city at the home of her son, Dr. W. G. Jeffries. Mrs. Robert McKee, of Garden Grove, came Thursday to visit a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mills of south of town. A. Kesler and David Smith, the well known horse buyers from Republic, Ohio, came in Monday to pick up a car load of horses in this vicinity. Miss Bertha Fultz who is teaching near Decatur City, was in Leon Saturday on her way to her home at Davis City for an over Sunday visit. Capt. A. A. Jenks returned Friday from DeKalb where he finished doing a big job of plumbing for Dr. B. D. DeKalb in his fine country residence. Dr. W. C. Boone and wife, of Ottumwa, came last Thursday and visited over Sunday in this city at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Boone. James Kirwin, of Des Moines, a former resident of this city, came down last Thursday and visited a few days at the home of his sister, Mrs. Lew Gilham. Mrs. C. M. Wheeler returned Saturday to her home at Pleasanton after visiting a few days in this city at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. F. Grimes. Misses Iva and Elsie Lentz returned Monday to their home near Pleasanton after a short visit at the home of their sister, Mrs. George Allen, east of town. Mrs. Walter S. Snyder, of northeast of town, returned Friday from a few days visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sears, near Decatur City. C. H. Harp was down at Davis City Monday looking for ducks, but reports nothing doing as the ducks don't think much of that town and did not stop there. Albert Bidison returned Thursday to his home at Cainsville after visiting for a couple of days in this city at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. A. Wright.

Mrs. C. M. Ketcham went to St. Joe Thursday where she will remain for several weeks with Mr. Ketcham, who was operated upon in that city Friday morning. Mrs. B. M. Drohan, who has been visiting in this city for a couple of weeks, went to Centerville Friday to visit at the home of her daughter in that city. Mrs. J. W. Weidner left Monday for Winterset to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Earp, and attend a family reunion at which all of their children will be present. A. B. McClaran returned Friday to his home near Pleasanton after being in Leon for a few days performing his duties as a member of the board of supervisors. Mrs. C. B. Lefollette, of Des Moines, and Mrs. Guy Bremer, of this city, visited over Sunday at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Bert Scott, near Garden Grove. Mrs. Brice McDonough went to Corydon Saturday and visited over Sunday with her sister, Miss Margaret Baker, who is taking treatment at the Corydon Eye Infirmary. G. E. Acton and wife went to Davis City Friday to visit a few days at the home of his sister, Mrs. A. I. Henderson. Mr. Acton is slowly recovering from his recent severe illness. J. H. Evans returned Tuesday from Iowa, Kansas, being called there by the death of his son Fred, who died from typhoid fever last Friday and was buried at Iowa on Sunday. Henry Oney and wife, of southeast of Leon, and Mrs. M. A. Hall, of Weldon, returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Randall and Leavenworth, Kansas. J. H. Evans left Friday for Iowa, Kas., having received a message stating that his son Fred was down with typhoid fever at his home in that city and was in a critical condition. Miss Estella Foster, the trained nurse from Albia who has been waiting on Mrs. Fred Smith since she was again operated on a couple of weeks ago, returned home Tuesday. George Adair and Hal Lutz went to Decatur City Monday to do some repairing on the residence property which Mrs. Willis Cornett recently purchased in that city. Reuben Shelton, of Kellerton, was visiting at the home of his brother-in-law, U. R. Acton, in this city, the first of the week, being on his way to Osceola to visit a daughter. Mrs. M. L. Davis and children, of Pleasanton, were in Leon Monday, returning from a short visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ingram, near Decatur City. Miss Mary Freeman, of Davis City, came Thursday to attend the reception given by Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Boone in honor of their son, Dr. W. C. Boone and wife, of Ottumwa, that evening. Mrs. G. B. Lefollette and children, of Des Moines, who were visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Emmet Gore, near Blockley, came to Leon Thursday to visit a few days with relatives in this city. Miss Bertha Lowenburg, of Ottumwa, came Friday for a short visit at the home of W. A. Boone. Miss Lowenburg is a sister of Mrs. W. C. Boone, and one of the popular young society ladies of Ottumwa. John Bonfield, of Redding, visited over Sunday in this city at the home of his sister, Mrs. Wm. Tharp. He recently sold his farm in Ringgold county and went to Corydon Monday with a view of buying a farm in Wayne county. H. E. Hughes and wife returned Thursday to their home at Albia after visiting a few days with relatives in this city. Mr. Hughes is engaged in the manufacture of cigars at Albia and reports having a very good sale this fall. Mrs. D. P. Leahy and daughter, Mrs. H. D. Pierce, were passengers Saturday for Des Moines, taking with them the infant child of her daughter, Mrs. George Slanker, who with her husband is sick with typhoid fever in a Des Moines hospital. Mrs. W. H. Howard returned Friday from a stay of several days at Garden Grove at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. McCaul, who accompanied her to Leon and will spend the winter here. Mr. McCaul having been in very poor health for several months. Mrs. John Bell went to Shenandoah Saturday to visit her daughter, Mrs. O. S. Long. The many friends of Mr. Long will be pleased to hear that he is gradually recovering from the effects of the terrible fall from the top of his store building a couple of months ago. W. W. Lucas, of Lamoni, who travels for a St. Louis heavy hardware wholesale house, was a Leon visitor last Thursday. Billy is the same genial old fellow as when he was working for Bowsher & Bowsher in this city, and his many friends here were glad to see him. Miss Elizabeth Adams, of Denver, Colorado, who has been visiting for several weeks in this city at the home of her cousin, Mrs. J. W. Rowell, left Tuesday for Chicago where she will visit friends for a short time before returning home. During her visit in this city Miss Adams made many friends who greatly enjoyed her visit. Marion Woodard returned Thursday from Des Moines, where he filed the application of J. C. Norman for a pardon in the office of Gov. Cummins. The governor was absent from Des Moines but will take the matter up when he returns, and it is thought that the application will be granted as Mr. Norman made a very strong showing. J. L. McCutchan, of Bellfield, N. D., a former well known farmer of this county, came in last Wednesday to visit a few days with his sister, Mrs. F. L. Jenkins and other relatives in this vicinity. His many friends will be pleased to hear that since going to Bellfield some three years ago he has been very successful and has cleaned up a snug fortune with land and horses.

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One of 130 acres about two miles from Decatur, close to school nicely located, will sell with small payment down. Just the farm for a man that has to rent and move every year. Other farm has 170 acres about 6 miles from Decatur and I will also sell it and carry most of it myself for a man and give him a chance to pay for it out of his stock.  
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**Saturday, Nov. 16,**

**At the Farm of the Late J. T. Eveland**

2 miles east of Garden Grove, and 3 miles west and 2 miles south of Humeaton, Iowa, I will offer the following property, commencing at 10 o'clock:

**17 Horses and Mules**  
1 roan road mare, 1 4-year-old black mare 1400 pounds, 1 bay brood mare, 7 2-year-old mules, 3 3-year-old mules, broke; 1 sucking mule colt, 1 sorrel 2-year-old colt, 1300 pounds, 1 sucking horse colt.

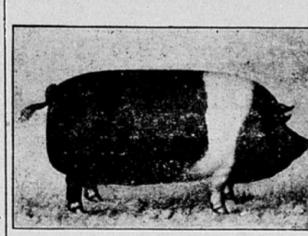
**31 Cattle**  
4 cows with calves by side, 2 other Galloway cows, (2 of these cows are registered) 4 three-year-old heifers, 2 Jersey cows giving milk, 3 yearling heifers, 2 heifer calves, 4 yearling steers, 3 steer calves, an aged registered Galloway bull, a 2-year-old and a yearling full blood Galloway bull. These are extra good Galloway cattle.

**95 Hogs**  
14 sows 1 year old or over, 40 spring sows, 23 gilts, 17 barrows, 41 summer pigs. All of these hogs are full blood Duroc Jerseys and some of them are recorded.  
400 bushels of seed oats, 20 tons hay in barn, 28 stands of bees and bee supplies, threshed hay and straw, 80 acres pasture, 50 acres stalk pasture.

**Implements.**  
Mowing machine, binder, gang plow, 2 corn planters, disc, hay loader, 2 riding cultivators, 2 harrows, sulky rake, 2 hay racks, walking plow, garden plow, sleigh, bob sled, corn sheller, 1 road scraper, wagon, surrey, low down seeder, 2 sets harness, wind mill tower, saddle, stock scale, 2 portable hog houses, work bench, vise, carpenter tools, tilling tools, hog waterer, troughs and other useful articles. Will also sell some household goods.  
TERMS—Sums under \$5, cash; over that 12 months' time without interest, and if not paid when due to draw 8 per cent from date. 6 per cent off for cash.

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