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PURELY PERSONAL

Frank N. Hansell had business at Mt. Ayr Monday.
 G. A. Hamilton, of Van Wert, was a visitor in this city Tuesday.
 Mrs. Ella Ogier, of Kellerton, was a visitor in this city Tuesday.
 Ray Easter, of Van Wert, was a visitor in this city last Friday.
 Green Parsons went to Humeston Tuesday to visit his son Fawn.
 Dr. H. B. Layton had professional business at Lamoni Monday.
 Elder J. S. Coffin went to Kellerton Tuesday evening on business.
 Grover Hamilton, of Kingston, had business in this city last Friday.
 Mrs. Orel Estes went to Mt. Ayr Monday evening for a short visit.
 Mrs. T. J. Graves, of Pleasanton, was a visitor in this city Monday.
 J. W. Eddy, of Osceola, was a business visitor in this city Monday.
 Mrs. W. S. Bear, of Decatur City, was a visitor in this city Monday.
 H. T. Rauch, of Lamoni, was a business visitor in this city Monday.
 Mrs. Belle Logan, of Humeston, was visiting in this city last Friday.
 Orel Estes made a business trip to Mt. Ayr last Thursday evening.
 O. S. Heasley, of Pleasanton, had business in this city last Thursday.
 J. V. Wilson went to Davis City Tuesday evening for a short visit.
 Geo. P. Campbell, of Davis City, had business in this city Tuesday.
 Mrs. S. S. Starkey, of Davis City, was a visitor in this city Tuesday.
 Harry J. Vogt left Monday on a business trip to Albany and other towns in northern Missouri.
 Mrs. T. B. Daniels and Mrs. Harl Warrington, of Garden Grove, were visitors in this city Monday.
 Dr. E. W. Doolittle and W. C. Still, of Garden Grove, were business visitors in this city last Thursday.
 Mrs. Joe Forster, of Lineville, came Tuesday evening to visit a few days with relatives in this city.
 G. F. Campbell and wife, of Saline, Mo., were in Leon Tuesday returning from a visit at St. Joe.
 D. P. Leahy, of Blockley, went to Murray last Thursday to attend the big sale held by his son-in-law.
 Mrs. John Perdue and little son went to Albia Friday to visit a few days at the home of her parents.
 Mrs. Sarah J. Chastain returned Thursday from a visit with friends near Weldon and Garden Grove.
 Mrs. E. Wiley went to Lamoni Monday to spend a few days with relatives and friends in that city.
 G. W. Sanger, who has been working at Shenandoah all fall, came in Friday evening and visited until Monday at his home near this city.

Mrs. Gould Wallace and daughter Marcia went to Des Moines Monday to visit a few days with friends.
 J. F. Clawson, of Grand River, passed through this city last Friday going to Kansas City on business.
 Miss Alice Sullivan went to Kellerton Friday evening to visit a few days at the home of her brother.
 Rev. John Wilson, pastor of the Garden Grove Presbyterian church, was a visitor in this city Monday.
 Mrs. F. M. Earritt and daughter, Miss Mabel, of Decatur City, were visitors in this city last Saturday.
 Miss Blanche Woodard went to Des Moines Saturday to enter the Capital City Commercial College.
 Ivan Coontz, of Woodland, went to Des Moines Tuesday to attend the state teachers association meeting.
 Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Wheeler returned Friday to their home at Davis City after a short visit in this city.
 Mrs. A. B. Tansey went to Chariton Friday to visit a few days with relatives and friends in that city.
 Roy Cummins was visiting with friends at Davis City Monday evening.
 C. M. Wheeler, of Pleasanton, was a business visitor in this city Monday.
 Miss Addie Woodard, of Decatur City, was a visitor in this city Monday.
 H. O. Wilson, of Van Wert, was a business visitor in this city Monday.
 Albert Kelley, of Mt. Ayr, was a business visitor in this city last Friday.
 Mrs. W. W. Wiley, of Lamoni, was a visitor in this city last Saturday.
 Abe Goodman, of Garden Grove, was a visitor in this city last Thursday.
 Mrs. C. R. Riley, of Decatur City, was a visitor in this city last Saturday.
 J. S. Moon, of Kellerton, was a business visitor in this city Tuesday.
 Mrs. Mary Harmon, of Davis City, was a visitor in this city last Thursday.
 Charles Rhoades, of Tuskego, had business in this city last Thursday.
 Will Lee, of Davis City, was a business visitor in this city last Friday.
 Mrs. Harry J. Vogt was visiting at Decatur City last Friday afternoon.
 Miss Frances Gardner, of Decatur City, was a visitor in this city Saturday.
 Miss Coral Sanford, of Garden Grove, was a visitor in this city last Friday.
 C. F. Wright was looking after real estate business at Lamoni last Friday.
 M. S. Jones left Monday evening on a business trip to Kellerton and Mt. Ayr.
 Miss Edith Swayne, of Garden Grove, was a visitor in this city Monday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Guy Davis, of Pleasanton, were visitors in this city Monday.
 Mrs. George Viriden, of near Decatur City, was a visitor in this city Saturday.
 J. D. Burns, of Garden Grove, was a business visitor in this city last Saturday.
 Mrs. J. W. McLaughlin, of Decatur City, was a visitor in this city Saturday.
 L. A. Brown, of Davis City, was a business visitor in this city last Saturday.
 Mrs. J. H. Robinson, of Davis City, was a visitor in this city last Thursday.
 Will Epperly and wife, of Van Wert, were visitors in this city last Thursday.
 D. C. Cowles, of Davis City, was a business visitor in this city last Thursday.
 W. A. Williams, of Garden Grove, was a business visitor in this city last Friday.
 Mrs. M. A. Hall returned Monday to her home at Van Wert after visiting a few days with relatives in this vicinity.

J. N. Painter, of Pleasanton, was up last Thursday to attend the auto tournament.
 Mrs. Guy Stark returned Monday evening from a visit with relatives at Norwalk.
 John Parker, of Van Wert, came Tuesday evening to visit his parents east of town.
 Mrs. W. H. Matsler went to Van Wert Saturday to visit a few days with friends.
 Mrs. George Huffman, of near Kingston, was a visitor in this city last Thursday.
 Miss Ona Riley, of Decatur City, was visiting with friends in this city last Saturday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Bert Graham, of Davis City, were visitors in this city last Thursday.
 J. Wesley Chew, of Pleasanton, was a business visitor in this city last Thursday.
 Will Daughton, of Beaconsfield, was a business visitor in this city last Thursday.
 Mrs. P. E. Shirley, of Davis City, was visiting in this city last Thursday afternoon.
 Miss Nina Still returned Monday from a short visit with friends at Garden Grove.
 C. B. Talbot went to Osceola Saturday and visited over Sunday with his family.
 Mrs. Nora Lindsey and daughter Lucy, of Davis City, were Leon visitors Tuesday.
 Milan Sanger returned Tuesday to Shenandoah after visiting a few days in this city.
 Miss Anna McGovern returned Saturday from a stay of some weeks at Garden Grove.
 Mrs. M. A. Sears returned Tuesday evening from a visit with relatives at Lineville.
 Mrs. M. E. Parsons, of Humeston, was visiting with relatives in this city last Saturday.
 J. N. Gates, the Davis City banker, was a business visitor in this city last Thursday.
 Miss Mabel Briggaman went to Davis City Friday evening for a short visit with relatives.
 Mr. and Mrs. Port Bowsher, of Lamoni, spent last Thursday with relatives in this city.
 L. L. Showers, of Weldon, passed through this city Monday, going to St. Joe on business.
 Mrs. F. C. Mullinix went to Humeston Monday to visit a few days with relatives.
 A. J. Watsbaugh came down from Van Wert Friday and spent a few days in this city.
 Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Frakes, of near Davis City, were visitors in this city last Thursday.
 C. L. Rudibaugh, of New Buda township, was a business visitor in this city last Saturday.
 Mrs. Roy Biddison returned Monday from a visit at the home of her mother near Cainsville.
 E. Spencer returned to Lamoni Monday after visiting over Sunday at his home in this city.
 Mrs. P. E. Shirley and Mrs. R. M. Black, of Davis City, were visitors in this city Tuesday.
 Mr. and Mrs. C. Farmer, of Leroy, came last Thursday for a short visit with friends in this city.
 Misses Ruth Asbach and Gladys Rogers, of Davis City, were visitors in this city last Saturday.
 Mrs. W. S. Bear and daughter Lucille, of Decatur City, were visitors in this city last Saturday.
 Mrs. J. D. Brown returned last Thursday evening from a short visit with friends at Osceola.
 Miss Maud Clark went to Shenandoah Tuesday to visit a few days at the home of her brother.
 Fred Teale and A. L. Ackerley returned Friday evening from a business trip to Centerville.
 C. E. McDowell, of Tingley, spent a couple of days in this city the first of the week on business.
 James Osborne and wife, of east of town, went to Blythedale, Mo., Tuesday for a few days visit.
 Mrs. Horace Farquhar and Mrs. B. L. Eiker returned Friday evening from Boone, where they attended the grand chapter of the O. E. S.

M. R. Sanger and wife came down from Van Wert Tuesday evening to visit a few days in this city.
 John Thomas, Elva Moore and Albert LaFollette, of Pleasanton, were visitors in this city last Thursday.
 Mrs. S. G. Covington returned Friday evening to her home at Davis City after a short visit in this city.
 Mrs. Lew Gardner went to Van Wert Thursday and will probably spend the winter there with relatives.
 Charles Combes and two daughters went to Ridgeway, Mo., Saturday and visited a few days with relatives.
 Miss Ruth Farquhar went to Davis City Monday evening to attend a Halloween party given by Miss Leah Teale.
 Mrs. James Meacham, of Ottumwa, came Saturday for a short visit in this city with her mother, Mrs. David Short.
 Mrs. F. C. Mullinix returned Friday from Boone, where she had been attending the grand chapter of the O. E. S.
 W. J. Bassett, of Mercer, Mo., came up last Thursday and visited a few days with relatives in this vicinity.
 Mrs. Eva Campbell, of Saline, Mo., was in Leon Saturday, being on her way to St. Joe to visit with relatives.
 Mrs. A. M. Thompson and daughter, Mrs. George Daniels, of Davis City, were visitors in this city last Thursday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Bert Teale, of Mt. Ayr, were guests at the home of his brother, Fred Teale, in this city, last Thursday.
 Miss Sarah Lillie, of south of Leon, left last Thursday for an extended visit with friends at St. John, Kans.
 Miss Grace Lake returned Thursday to her home at Decatur City after visiting a few days with friends in this city.
 Mrs. Margaret Waight and little daughter, of Humeston, came down Saturday and visited over Sunday in this city.
 Mrs. W. H. Snyder went to Garden Grove Saturday to visit a few days at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harry Zook.
 Mrs. Lou Mannie, of Marshalltown, came Saturday for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. E. Lentz, of Woodland.
 Mrs. Ed Parker, of east of Leon, went to Van Wert Monday to visit a few days at the home of her son, John Parker.
 Mrs. W. J. Cummins, Mrs. J. J. Pough and Mrs. W. A. Cummins, of Davis City, were visitors in this city last Thursday.
 Mrs. Martha Hall, of near Van Wert, came last Thursday to visit a few days with relatives and friends in this vicinity.
 C. W. Hoffman left Monday on a business trip to St. Joe and Kansas City, looking after the legal interests of a client.
 Rev. J. S. Coffin returned Saturday from spending a few days at Moravia, where he was looking after business matters.
 Miss Jessica Pryor and Florence Oney went to Davis City Friday where Keller & Pryor were holding a millinery sale.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Holt, of near Cainsville, were in Leon Monday on their way to Lamoni to visit a few days with relatives.
 Clyde Pickering and wife, of Decatur City, came over Thursday and visited a couple of days with his parents in this city.
 Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Hoffman, of Kellerton, spent Monday in this city. Mr. Hoffman still continues in quite poor health.
 J. L. Still, of Garden Grove, was in Leon Friday, being in his way home from Decatur City, where he had been on business.
 Miss Anna Folmer and brother Will, of northwest of Leon, departed Monday for a visit with relatives at Farmer City, Ills.
 Henry Fulton came in from Ottumwa Tuesday on a short business trip. He is well pleased with his new home in that city.
 Mrs. H. O. Mitchell returned Friday to her home at Weldon after a few days visit in this city at the home of Will Epperly.
 I. E. Evans and daughter Miss Olive went to Des Moines Tuesday to visit a few days with relatives and friends in that city.
 Mrs. W. A. Tong, of Pleasanton, came Monday to visit a few days in this city at the home of her sister, Mrs. O. P. Barnett.
 Mrs. E. W. Teale and daughters, Misses Leah and Gretchen, of Davis City, attended the auto tournament in this city last Thursday.
 Mrs. G. W. Stanton returned Saturday to her home in Des Moines after a visit in this city at the home of her uncle, Steve Crouse.
 Mrs. J. F. Smith and little son went to Decatur City Friday afternoon and visited a couple of days with friends in that place.
 Mrs. E. A. Bright and children, of Woodland, went to Indianola Monday to visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. E. L. Truitt.
 Mrs. Elizabeth Baker and granddaughter, Mrs. Archie Rhoades, of Cainsville, were in Leon Tuesday on their way to Worth, Mo.
 Miss Wynne Cash went to Des Moines Saturday to spend a week with friends and attend the state teachers' association meeting.
 Mrs. C. W. Hoffman returned Monday evening from a few days visit at the home of her brother, Judge R. L. Parrish, in Des Moines.
 Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Brothers, of Grand River, returned home Saturday after visiting a few days in this city at the home of their daughter, Mrs. John Dale.
 Misses Hattie and Lucy Lindsey, of Davis City, were visiting in this city Saturday, being on their way home from their schools at High Point and Crown.
 Andrew Wilson, of DeKalb, was a business visitor in this city Monday. He says the democrats up in that neck of the woods are all up and coming this year.

Mrs. Malissa Hartman departed Tuesday for her home at Beverly, Kans., after a visit at the home of her niece, Mrs. Alvin Markham in this city and with relatives at Weldon.
 J. A. Arney returned Saturday to his home at Hadsell, Mo., after a few days visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. Morris Gardner in this city and with other relatives in this vicinity.
 Mr. and Mrs. C. Adams, of Woolstock, Iowa, who were visiting at the home of Mrs. Adams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Frakes, near Davis City, departed for home last Thursday.
 Mrs. D. S. Ewan, of Grand River, returned Tuesday from Bethany, Mo., where she attended on last Sunday the golden wedding anniversary of her brother, George Morgan and wife.
 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stewart, Mrs. Nellie Wharton and Mrs. McDaniel, of Afton, attended the auto tournament in this city last Thursday, being guests at the home of Dr. J. W. Rowell.
 Mrs. Harry Zook, of Garden Grove and her cousin, Mrs. Merrill Upton, of Osceola, came Tuesday for a visit at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Snyder in this city.
 C. W. Sutherland, of Davis City, was a business visitor in this city last Saturday. He had just returned from a visit of several weeks at Dalhart and Stratford, Texas, where he owns a considerable tract of land.

Mrs. E. E. Culbertson, of Grand Island, Neb., who was visiting in this city at the home of her son, Fred Culbertson, went to Cambria last Thursday to visit relatives in that vicinity.
 S. Emberling and granddaughter, Miss Grace Bowman, returned Monday from Perry, Iowa, where they were called last Friday by a message announcing that a nephew of Mr. Emberling had been killed by the cars.
 Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Brotherton, of Sullivan, Ill., who have been visiting in this city at the home of their daughter, Mrs. E. G. Monroe, went to Garden Grove Monday to visit a few days with friends in that vicinity.
 Mrs. W. A. Brown, of Lincoln, Neb., who has been visiting for a few days at Centerville, came last Wednesday for a visit with relatives and friends in this city. She went to Davis City Saturday to visit a few days at the home of Will Lee.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jamison, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Beard, Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Sells, and Mesdames C. H. Edwards and Frank McAully, of Osceola, came down in autos last Thursday and spent the day with friends in this city.
 Dr. Wid Robinson, a prominent dentist of Des Moines, came down Monday evening and visited over night with his brother, Claude Robinson, our popular druggist. He came down after his auto which he left here some weeks ago on account of a small accident to it.



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Nominations for our Great PIANO CONTEST

The following persons have been nominated as participants in our piano contest. The contest will be decided by certificates received, but these nominations will assist persons who are undecided regarding the different people who are likely to enter the contest for the piano.

- Lenna Cummins
- Mabel Still
- Fay Evans
- Ruth Tharp
- Mabel Blatt
- Muriel Warnstaff
- Ollie Benefiel
- Grace Aldredge
- Alice Flynn
- Mae Epperly
- Maud Ogilvie



- Margaret Walton
- Dorothy Beardsley
- Ruth Farquhar
- Beulah Brooke
- Theda Hinds
- Dee Snyder
- Ormand Starr
- Marguerite Johnston
- Alice Sullivan
- Lenna Bowman
- Lillie Moore
- Vivian Arney

Get your votes in this week as the standing of the contestants will be published next week.

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