

Woodland.

Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Lovett made a business trip to Lineville Monday. Jan. S. and Guy Beavers, J. R. and Will Lentz attended Freely Beavers' sale, near Leon Wednesday. N. S. Beavers, W. P. and Ellis Newlin were Lineville business callers Tuesday. Hon. I. A. Smith of Lamoni, republican nominee for representative, was in this vicinity Tuesday. Mrs. Guy Beavers and son Basil returned Tuesday from a week's visit at Bloomfield. Ed Sharp, of Leon, republican candidate for county attorney, was looking after his interests in this community Monday. Mr. and Mrs. John McCalla from near Davis City and Jas. Chastain from near Leon were over Sunday guests at the J. A. Adair home. Dr. J. S. Coontz and Geo. Russell of Garden Grove passed through here Wednesday in the latter's auto enroute to attend Riley Massey's sale. Mrs. E. A. Cartwright went to Mercer, Mo., Sunday to visit her mother, Mrs. McKinley, returning home Monday. D. F. Gordon is having a barn built and his dwelling remodeled. J. W. King and Frank French are doing the work. John Wasson of Leon was a caller here Friday evening. Hon. H. C. Smith of Lamoni, democratic nominee for representative, was looking after his interests in this vicinity Friday and addressed a fair sized audience in the Yeoman hall the same evening. Lenna King spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Zearl Bekhard. Mrs. B. A. Rayn and daughter, Miss Grace, were Leon callers Wednesday. E. H. Carver is having a house built on his farm. J. Q. Lockwood, sr. is doing the mason work and Wm. Curry of Leon the carpenter work. P. E. Hutchinson, Novia Adair, Mr. and Mrs. John Wood and daughter Ina, Mr. and Mrs. Novia S. Beavers were in Leon today. Scott Humbert of Milton, adjuster for the Iowa state insurance Co., was transacting business here Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Lockwood were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beavers. Miss Nora Rains, John Lockwood and wife and daughter Miss Alta, Novia S. Beavers, J. E. Lentz, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Lockwood were business callers at the county seat Saturday. Joe Baker of Colorado is visiting his brother, K. P. Baker of this place. E. H. Carver was a business caller at Leon Friday. Remember a good dinner and supper will be served for 25 cents per meal on election day, by Mrs. Minnie Woolman. John Lockwood's baby has been quite sick the past week but is better at this writing. Mr. and Mrs. John McDowell of Davis City, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Still and Mrs. Mary Beavers, were entertained Sunday at the S. T. McDowell home. The teacher and pupils of the Woodland school are enjoying a two weeks vacation. The teacher, Miss Mary Davis, will visit relatives at Osceola a few days and also attend the teachers state convention at De Moines. Jake Lentz and family, who have been staying at the J. E. Lentz home

since they returned from Montana, moved to their farm 4 miles south of town Monday. Irl Beavers was a Lineville caller Monday. Mrs. Eugene Massey and children and Mrs. Frank Sylvester spent Sunday at the A. K. Keller home. E. A. Cartwright spent a few days at Davis City the past week. Miss Sylvia Bright of Elm Chapel is assisting Mrs. Tom Prather with her household duties. Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Browning were over Sunday guests at Lineville. P. E. Hutchinson, Novia Adair and Verne Bracewell attended a social dance at Ira Brown's near Weldon Saturday night. R. D. Lockwood is doing some carpenter work for Earl L. Beavers. Miss Berntha Smith of High Point was a caller here Friday. Chas. Davis from near Leroy came down Friday evening and his daughter, Miss Mary, accompanied him home. Mrs. E. A. Bright and two children, Ruth and Edith, went to Indianapolis Monday of this week to visit her mother, Mrs. E. L. Truitt, and brothers, Clarence and Albert. Mrs. Patton and daughter of Nebraska returned to their home Friday after a pleasant visit here with the former's son, E. M. Patton. Blanche Cartwright, Erma and Ione Woolman spent Sunday with Alta Lockwood. Eli Hutchinson and Fred Still spent Sunday with home folks. Mr. and Mrs. Novia S. Beavers spent Sunday with Hon. and Mrs. C. C. Dye. Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Patton visited Sunday at the Marion Beavers' home near High Point. Mr. Brewer has three very sick children. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lockwood, Miss Nora Rains, Alice and Josie Patton and W. H. Coontz were guests Sunday at the J. Q. Lockwood, sr. home. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lovett of Lineville spent Sunday here with Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Lovett. Misses Grace Rayn, Sarah Coontz, Lenna King, Hildah Riddle and Mrs. B. A. Rayn were entertained Sunday at the Carey Delsher home. Mrs. Louella Manney of Marshalltown, came Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. J. E. Lentz. Mrs. Jas. S. Beavers, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Beavers spent Sunday at Guy Beavers'. Kills Her Foe of 20 Years. "The most merciless enemy I had for 20 years," declares Mrs. James Duncan, of Haynesville, Me., "was Dyspepsia. I suffered intensely after eating or drinking and could scarcely sleep. After many remedies had failed and several doctors gave me up, I tried Electric Bitters, which cured me completely. Now I can eat anything. I am 70 years old and am overjoyed to get my health and strength back again." For Indigestion, Loss of Appetite, Kidney Trouble, Lame Back, Female Complaints, its unequalled. Only 50c at VanWendens & Kopp's. Little River. Almost everyone in this vicinity have been shucking corn. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Drury had business in Leon Wednesday. Mrs. Jane Piester of Promise City visited last week with Mrs. Seth Davis and friends. J. W. Spargur had business in Davis City Saturday. Mrs. Francis Turpen spent Saturday with home folks. Claude and Raleigh Moore attended the auto day at Leon Thursday. Seth Davis and wife, Mrs. Piester and Mrs. Storms attended Huston's sale Tuesday. Sam Dale and family visited Sunday at their daughter's, Mrs. Clifford Cowles. Mrs. Storm and children are visiting Mrs. Marion Davis. Will Craig and John VanWinkle assisted J. W. Spargur in moving his barn Wednesday. Misses Mae and Edith Spargur spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Marion Davis. Those that visited Sunday at Ed Still's were William Henderson and wife, Beulah and Anna Hubbard, Ed Craig and Nona Still. Emmett LeFollett and family visited Sunday with friends and relatives. Seth Davis and wife and son Lear returned Sunday from a few days visit with relatives in Missouri. Dave Turpen helped build a cave for Mrs. Landphair the first of the week. Grace Drury spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Francis Turpen. Charles Graham has been doing some work on his farm which he purchased of Marion Davis. Kingston. Corn husking is the order of the day. Gordon Heather returned from Colorado last week and expects to spend the winter with his parents. John Willant and wife spent Sunday with Harry Trauple's. Mr. Shelby Eddy of Leslie was in this neighborhood Sunday and bought a carload of butcher stuff. Mart Sanger and wife took dinner with Geo. Smith and wife Sunday. Frank Binning and family were Leon visitors Thursday. Clarence Wilson of Akron, Colo., came Friday and visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. Ben Redman. Vern Binning had the misfortune to get his right thumb mashed quite badly Monday. Dr. Phelps dressed the wound and he thinks it will get along without losing it. Bert Redman and family spent Sunday at John Letler's near Grand River. Mrs. George Huffman returned from a three weeks visit in Kansas last week. M. F. Springer and family took dinner at Frank Binning's Sunday. Accidents will happen, but the best-regulated families keep Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for such emergencies. It subdues the pain and heals the hurts.

Bradney.

Quite a change in the weather since our last writing. Real estate has been flying high, but we can't all have our choice. A few of our people attended the auto show and parade and pronounced it all right, but the cold wind kept a number at home. Have it earlier next year, I suggest. Ora Muse is visiting at Pleasanton this week. Mrs. Anna Snyder was the victim of a surprise on her 45th birthday, October 30th. They had gone visiting at one of the neighbors and were called up by phone to come home, when she arrived found a number of relatives and friends to greet her. All brought well filled baskets and the table groaned under its weight of good things. She received a number of presents. Every one seemed to enjoy themselves. We should have more of these family gatherings to know each other better. Ralph and Raymond Perdue visited their sister, Mrs. Della Waller, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Gardner and daughter Alta were shopping in Leon Monday. They found the merchants well stocked with goods for the winter trade. James Konklin was hauling porkers to Garden Grove Monday. Mr. John Snyder and son Lloyd are sawing wood in the south neighborhood near Woodland this week. Ross Fulton and wife are rejoicing over the arrival of a son on October 23rd. All are doing well. Chas. Beavers has been threshing in this neck of the woods for the past week. There has been revival services at the Franklin church. A few have come out on the Lord's side. May the good work continue. Salem. M. Linden went to Durham, Iowa one day last week on business. Ode Dale and family and Lloyd Moore spent Sunday at Mr. Schoonover's. Next Sunday, November 6th is meeting day at this place. Everybody cordially invited to come. Pearl Blakesley took dinner with Meryle Dale Sunday. Several from this place went to Leon automobile day. Miss Ora Muse of near Leon came down one day last week and spent a few days at the Stover home. Several from this place attended meeting at Freedom Sunday night. Virgie Schoonover spent Sunday with Pearl and Mabel Stover. The Boothtown children are enjoying a vacation this week. Lloyd Moore arrived from Dakota last week to spend a few weeks with home folks. Mrs. Stover was a Leon caller Saturday. Mr. George Warrington and a friend from Garden Grove came down and spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Ralph Judd. Raleigh Moore is husking corn for Mr. Kerrins. Grandma Dale is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Huling. Johnnie Kerrins of Leon high school visited over Sunday with home folks. Sunday school at this place every Sunday. Merryville. Most everyone from these parts attended the dedication of the new I. O. O. F. hall at Decatur Friday night. Miss Eisey Bibby from near Humeston, visited from Saturday until Monday with her friends, Blanche, Nannie and Louva Hanner. A crowd of young people from this vicinity attended the protracted meeting at Maple Grove church Saturday and Sunday night. Cal Negley, wife and son Reuben spent Sunday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Buckingham. Clyde Millsap and wife attended church at Decatur Sunday night. Margaret Beck spent Saturday evening with Mae Buckingham. Mr. Sam Hoffines from Hutchinson, Kans., was seen in these parts Sunday evening. Miss Grace Buckingham visited Saturday night and Sunday with her aunt, Miss Rosa Negley. R. E. Lee, J. Alexander, C. C. Beck, Alvin Miller, Scott Jones, I. F. Fitzwater, Sylvester Millsap, John Hanner, Clyde Millsap and wife and Mrs. Allen Kier were business callers at Decatur Saturday. Miss Bess Porter spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks. Mrs. Scott Jones visited with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Woodmansee Friday.

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whereabouts from his family, relatives and friends. That he has been absent and his whereabouts unknown for a period of about twenty-five years. The plaintiff believes defendant, Wilson Shaffner dead. That he has property in Decatur county, Iowa. That Wilson Shaffner was never married. That his only heirs are his mother, or his brothers and sisters and children of deceased sister. Plaintiff asks that Wilson Shaffner be declared legally dead, and that S. Varga be appointed administrator of the estate of Wilson Shaffner as though he were known to be dead. Now unless you appear thereto and

defend on or before noon of the second day of the next term of said court to be held at Leon, in said county, commencing on the 16th day of January, 1911, default will be entered against you and judgment rendered thereon in accordance with the prayer of said petition. C. W. Hoffman, 6-8t Attorney for Plaintiff.

J. W. ROWELL, DISTRICT CLERK. All work done first-class and guaranteed. Offices in Leon, Iowa. V. R. McGINNIS, ATTORNEY. Successor to Curry & McGINNIS. 6-8t

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