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All kinds of cement and brick work contracted by the Leon Cement and Brick Co.

For Sale-A few choice pure bred Hereford Bulls. Ben F. Redman. Leon, Iowa. Route 1. Phone on Va. Wert line.

The K. P. band went to Grand River this morning to furnish the music for their reunion which is being held this week.

Having sold my driving horse I visit in Denver and of offer for sale at a bargain a good fore returning home. rubber tired runabout and a set of single harness. Also a good saddle.

O. E. Hull.

I will keep on hand for sale brick and washed sand. Will contract cement curbing and sidewalk. Guaranteed side walk at 10c per square F. C. Mullinnix.

Farming does not pay, For the farm that's run right, Managed right.

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all in grass except two acres. Any one that wants that kind of a farm call at farm.

J. N. Madden, Leon, Iowa, Route 4.

Those fine souvenirs which Bell & Robinson are going to give away to their customers on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week are shown in their display window and they are attracting much attention. You'll want some of them if you see

Mrs. Angeline Smith, who lives three miles north of Leon, reached that honored age of four scores years on Monday, and the day was a most pleasant one for her, as her children remembered her with some beautiful greenhouse flowers and

The man who threshes forty bushels of wheat and sixty bushels of oats to the acre and has a clean corn field all tasseled out, needn't

Auctioneer's convention at Des Moines on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week, being the only auctioneer from this territory we have heard of who attended the meeting. The auctioneers had a good attendance and a fine meeting.

one of the contractors who built And Lyman will be elected by an the north school building, dropped even greater majority, for he is one dead on the street at Lenox, Iowa, of the most popular men in St. last Friday, where he and his wife Joe, and has never failed to land were visiting friends. His only son any office he ever went after. died quite suddenly at Chariton less than a month ago.

Locate in Decatur County, Iowa. It is a good place to make money. It is a fine place for a home. Its people are industrious, intel-

Buy your granite ware and notions

Pigs for sale-W. E. Shinn, Wel-

Lost-In Leon, an Eastern Star Finder please leave at The Reporter office.

Try our Royal Deodorized Gasoline. High gravity test. 20 cents per gallon. Wm. Crichton & Son.

You must see those fine souvenirs which Bell & Robinson will give away free on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week in order to appreciate them.

Farm For Sale—160 acres belonging to the Sarah Underwood Estate, 2 1/4 miles east of Davis City, must be sold soon. Enquire of Green Stanton, Executor, Weldon, Iowa, Route No. 2.

John F. Garber and family left Tuesday morning for a two weeks visit with his sons, S. E. and F. W. visit in Denver and other points be-

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fenimore and children, Eugene and Marie, of Diamond, Mo., who have been visiting with relatives at Van Wert and in the vicinity of Leon, went to New Hampton, Mo., Saturday to visit a few days before returning home.

B. W. Lanning departed last Tell us not in mournful numbers, Thursday for Winfield, Kansas, having been delayed a day on account of being unable to secure a car. His family went to New Hamp-Brings in money every day.

Buy a farm. Do it now. We sell night with Mrs. Lanning's parents.

Mrs. Thomas Penisten and chil-For sale—I have concluded to sell dren, of Maryville, Mo., who had my land containing 40 acres north been visiting at the home of her of Crown station. Fairly improved, sister, Mrs. Fred Smith, at Pleasan-Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stanley in this

With the oats and hay

Ready when the price is high, With the corn all doing nicely, With all lines of business here scoring high,

Sure and school boy sees it, Meet us for a bargain farm, While the price is standing low. McCrystal Realty Co.

I have been called to my home at Chillicothe, Mo., and will be absent from Leon for five or six weeks. Should any of my patrons break their glasses during my absence from Leon, they can mail them to me at Chillicothe, Mo., and I will have them repaired promptly for

P. F. Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Moyer, of Pittsworry because he wasn't elected a burg, Penna., an uncle and aunt of delegate to anything anywhere. He Dr. F. C. Hume, came last week to has some prospect of comfort and visit a couple of weeks here. They considerable occupation right at came in their auto and were accompanied by Dr. R. A. Foster, of Plano, Col. L. V. Tullis, the auctioneer mother, and Mrs. L. A. Mooney, a company with their husbands they

Our old friend Lyman Forgrave, for many years a prominent citizen of Leon, was one of the successful candidates at the primary election O. A. Hougland, a well known held at St. Joe, Mo., last week, and architect of Chariton, who is quite was nominated for justice of the well known in Leon, having been peace by a handsome majority.

Friends in Leon have received invitations to attend the wedding of Miss Lucile Elizabeth Warner to Dr. Hugo Bruno Carl Riemer, which will be solemnized at Grace Epis-Its people are industrious, intelligent and kind copal church in Ellensburg, Washington, on Monday, September 2nd. Think twice before you leave here. Just buy a little more farm land.
Contentment and safety in it.
Open your eyes, the scene lays at our feet.
Come to us for this new purchase.

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The bride is quite well having spent last it here for repairs. The Drs.
Wagoner returned to Creston on the afternoon train, and the son and day morning.

Try Crisco at Caster's Grocery.

Smoke "Havana Spikes" the cigar that is always the same.

For Rent—A suit of three office rooms opposite the postoffice. See Fred Teale.

For Sale-A thoroughbred Black Poll Angus registered bull, two years old. G. L. Sage.

Lost-A small female brindle Boston Bull terrier. Weighs about twenty pounds. A liberal reward will be paid for her return to Ancel Lost-On or near the Chautau-

qua grounds, a pair of gold rim nose eye glasses. The finder is re-quested to leave them at The Re-

Mrs. W. H. Miller and daughter Meda, of Brookfield, Mo., came Tuesday for a visit at the home of her brother, O. H. Reynolds, near this city. Miss Irene Reynolds, who had been visiting at Brook-Garber, at Cheyenne and Silver who had been visiting at Brook-Crown, Wyoming. They will also field returned home at the same

Rev. and Mrs. E. N. Bradshaw returned Saturday from Minneapolis, Minn., and other northern points they enjoyed a two weeks stay during Rev. Bradshaw's sum-mer vacation from his duties as pastor of the Presbyterian church in

So lets all be up and doing, Not sit idle till too late.

Buy land in this Decatur county, Grand, if not to keep,

Then just to speculate. We can show you the spot. Address all letters, Decatur City, Iowa. McCrystal Realty Co.

Department Commander J. D. Brown, of the Iowa G. A. R. went to Glenwood Monday to attend a reunion being held at that place. On Wednesday he went to Keokuk to be present at the dedication of the new soldier's monument in honor of the unknown dead. Mrs. Brown left here Wednesday morning to join him at Keokuk.

Mrs. Rosanna Baxter returned Tuesday to her home at Valley Center, Kansas, after visiting for sever-al weeks in this city at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jas. A. Arm-strong. Her grandson, Estey Arm-strong, accompanied her to Valley Center to visit a few weeks before returning to college at Pella, Iowa.

Mrs. Dr. J. H. Reynard, of Osceola, was an over night guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Lemley in this city last Thursday. She came down especially to hear Thaviu's great band at the Chautauqua. Several autos of Os-ceola people had arranged to visit Leon Thursday, but the heavy rain on Wednesday and Thursday prevented them coming.

Mrs. J. Wesley Chew and Mrs. C. M. Wheeler, of Pleasanton, came in the way home on account of the mud. Mr. Chew and Mr. Wheeler came in on the night train.

Dr. and Mrs. A. Brown and daughter, Mrs. John Lindsey, of Des Moines, came down Saturday for a visit with their many friends in this city. Dr. Brown, who is a government pure food inspector, with headquarters at Des Moines, had to return to that city Monday morning on the early train, but Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Lindsey remained for a few days visit.

Dr. Geo. F. Wagoner, wife and son and daughter, Geo. E. and Florence, of Creston, drove down Sunday morning in their auto to spend the day with their son, F. A. Wagoner, The Reporter's linotype operator, and wife in this city. Just west of Leon they broke a small

The quality in "Scottish Rite" cigars is better than ever.

Try Zephyr flour. Every sack A. M. Caster.

Havana Spikes, Havana Spikes. Absolutely the best cigar in town.

For Rent-About Sept. 1st, a seven room house in southeast Leon. U. R. Mitten.

See the free souvenirs on display in Bell & Robinson's window which will be given away on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

Lives of farmers all remind us, Farming is the thing; For the man who owns a farm,

Is as happy as a king. Write your wants to us. McCrystal Realty Co.

Elmo Evans, of Bisbee, New Mexico, who had been to New York City on business, stopped off in this city last Wednesday and visited until Friday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Evans. Elmo is one of the prominent business men of

Stock Farm For Sale—Lindley township, Mercer Co., Mo. 205 acres at \$50 per acre or 125 acres at \$60, watered by deep well, and stream, 40 acres in river bottom, good road and rural route, 4 miles from railroad town. S. P. Rogers,

P. B. Morris, editor of the St. Joe Gazette, with his family passed through Leon yesterday in an auto, enroute to Detroit, Mich., for a visit. They were also accompanied by Colonel McCord, a prominent citizen of St. Joe and his chaffeur. The two cars left Leon in the mud headed for Des Moines.

Miss Hazel, the seventeen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Griffin, of Grand River, was stricken with a strange illnes last Saturday afternoon, which completly baffled the physicians, a specialist being called from Des Moines in consultation. She remained uncon-sciousness until 1:15 yesterday afternoon, when she passed away.

Miss Olive Gwinn, one of the popular young ladies of this city, was operated upon by Drs. Mayo at Rochester, Minn., last Wednesday for appendicitis. Reports received are that she is doing fine, and is well on the way to recovery. She was accompanied to Rochester by her aunts, Mrs. E. H. Alexander, of this city and Mrs. C. M. McGuire, of Humeston.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Cozad, of Eden township, left Tuesday evening for Carter, S. D., where the Cozad boys have a big farm, and Mert will help to harvest 1,000 acres of flax. They will be gone for several weeks.

Fred Fisher returned last Thursday from Cainsville, where he has been working for some time on the carpenter work of the new school building being erected at that place by C. H. Harrison, the St. Joe contractor who built the Burlington depot in this city.

Mrs. M. Tolbert, of Des Moines, who was visiting at the home of Win Cash in this city, went to De-catur City Monday where she will visit a few days with relatives and then return to Leon for a longer visit before returning to her home

Bell & Robinson are going give some fine free souvenirs to their customers on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. See them on display in their window.

The fine rains of the past week have insured a bumper corn crop in Decatur county this year, but they have interfered considerably with the many threshing crews at work in this county.

Mr. Harry L. Johnson, of Salem, Iowa, came last Thursday to visit a few days in this city at the home of his cousin, Mrs. E. E. Bell. Mr. Johnson was on the Redpath-Vawter Chautauqua System last year and enjoyed visiting with some of the talent while in this city.

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