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"Meet me at Cherrington's."

Wall paper bargains this week at the Rexall store.

All our new \$2.50 low shoes go at \$1.85. J. W. Hurst & Co.

A big load of cinders delivered any place in town for 75 cents. Phone Leon Electric Co.

The Ladies' Aid of the Christian church will meet at the church next Tuesday afternoon at 2:30.

One lot \$2.50 to \$3.50 pumps and oxfords closing out at \$1.50. J. W. Hurst & Co.

Notice—Special call meeting of the W. R. C. at the G. A. R. hall, Saturday, August 21st at 2:30 p. m. All members please be present.

Buy children's low shoes now for school. You can save money. \$1.25 to \$1.75 misses' shoes 90c. J. W. Hurst & Co.

Mayor Farquhar has had only two cases before him the past week, G. W. Adair being fined \$4.85 for using foul and profane language, and Pearl Barlean was fined \$12.85 for intoxication.

County superintendent Miss Mabel Horner is at Des Moines this week serving on the State Board of Review which finally passes on the examination papers of applicants for teacher's certificates after the state markers have examined them.

Thelma, the little five months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Uriah Perks, of south Leon, died Sunday evening. Funeral services were held on Monday, interment being in the Leon cemetery. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of their friends.

Rags Wanted—The Reporter office wants to buy a quantity of clean cotton rags. Must not be less than 12 inches square, and larger preferred. Will pay 2 cents per pound. We cannot use heavy woolen rags. Bring in your rags and get the money.

Last Tuesday, August 10th, being Mildred Latta's birthday, several of her little friends gathered at her home to help her celebrate the day. Mildred received many nice presents among them being a beautiful bracelet, presented her by her parents. Refreshments were served, the table being beautifully decorated with golden rod and snowballs. The guests departed in the evening wishing Mildred many more such happy birthdays.

Tom Hemphill, the popular pharmacist at Cherrington's drug store for the past year, has resigned his position to accept the position as manager of Coy & Thornton's new drug store at Humeston. Mr. Hemphill went to Oseola Tuesday for a short visit before leaving for his new field of labor. During his residence in Leon Mr. Hemphill has made many friends. He is a gentleman in every sense of the word, an efficient pharmacist, and Humeston is to be congratulated on securing him as a citizen of their town. His many friends in Leon wish him the best of success.

Butler, the Jeweler.

Lunch at Cherrington's.

For Rent—Rooms for school girls. Phone 237 1/2.

Special sale of children's wash dresses, \$1.00 to \$1.50 dresses at 78c. J. W. Hurst & Co.

Found—Iowa auto number plates, No. 84157, which the owner can secure by calling at The Reporter office.

For Sale—One of the most desirable residence lots in northwest Leon. Will be sold at a very low price. See F. S. Stewart at the Big Furniture and Rug Store.

George Minor, who is taking a business course in the C. C. C. College at Des Moines, came down Tuesday noon to visit a few days and attend the Davis City reunion. He will return to Des Moines Friday.

Mrs. Albert Kell, of near Mt. Ayr, came Wednesday morning to visit a few days at the home of her cousin, Peter Cruikshank, in this city. Mrs. Cruikshank, who has been critically ill for several weeks, is gradually getting better.

E. J. Sankey buys and sells land on commission, makes farm loans on approved security at the best rates, and does a general real estate business. Has had 20 years experience in the business. Office, stairs, northwest corner Main and Commercial streets, Leon, Iowa.

A letter from J. E. Penniwell requests us to forward his Reporter to Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, to which place he was sent by the Westinghouse-Church-Kerr Co. of New York City, to superintend a big contract which they have in that city, and John says he will probably be stationed there for from six months to two years, as he cannot tell just how much work is to be done there.

M. E. Kellogg, who has been the linotype operator at the Journal office for some time, departed Sunday for Wellington, Kansas, where he has accepted a position as linotype operator on a daily paper. During their residence in Leon Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg made many friends who are sorry to see them leave Leon, but they decided to be near their parents. Mr. Kellogg's place as linotype operator at the Journal office is being temporarily filled by Miss Helen Whisler.

Last Sunday was the 40th birthday of E. E. Bell and his wife decided she would spring a little surprise on him by inviting the doctors and druggists of Leon to dinner on that day. When Ed came home to dinner and walked into the living room onto this bunch of jolly fellows, they had him "go in some" and picked him up and put him over a table and he certainly got the forty spansks. They then went to the dining room where a fine dinner was served, forty candles burning on the birthday cake which adorned the table. Before leaving they presented Mr. Bell with a beautiful traveling bag, just the thing to carry to the Rexall conventions, which he appreciates very much.

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For Sale—1912 Ford touring car, \$200.00. Estes & Co.

Many special values this week at the Rexall store. J. W. Hurst & Co's.

For Rent—Two cottages, two blocks east of the square by Sept. 1. P. F. Bradley.

Furnished rooms for small family or ladies or students. Light house-keeping. Henrietta Vogt.

Don't miss the shirt waist and kimono sale Friday, Saturday and Monday at J. W. Hurst & Co's.

Mrs. Archie Skinner, of High Point, who was operated upon at the Leon hospital a couple of weeks ago, is making a fine recovery and will be able to return home in a few days.

The monthly gospel team prayer meeting will be held at the Christian church Thursday evening. All interested in God's work are invited to attend. Kindly study the twelfth chapter of Romans.

Strawberry Plants—I can supply you with fine strawberry plants, Crescent or Dunlap, from beds which raise as fine berries as any in the country. C. H. Jenree, 915 Randolph St., St. Joe, Mo.

Mose Powers, of southwest of Leon, brought us in a fine Wolf River apple from his orchard Tuesday which measured 13 inches in circumference and weighed fourteen ounces. The Wolf River apples are not much for eating but are pretty good cookers.

M. S. Jones, who recently sold out his produce business to again engaged in the insurance business, has purchased a Saxon roadster from Alexander Bros., and Mose says he is now in shape to write more insurance than any man in southern Iowa for his Saxon can run just as fast as he can talk insurance and that is going some.

Mrs. Belle Gunter, who resides in south Leon, was taken to the insane hospital at Clarinda last Thursday for treatment. Mrs. Gunter has had several previous attacks of insanity, and about four weeks ago she again became worse and it was necessary to send her to the hospital for treatment again. She was taken to Clarinda by Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Barry.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Perkins' 12 year old son Claud, who was dangerously hurt on the head by being thrown from a horse some weeks ago, was able to ride to town Tuesday morning with his parents in their auto. It was an extremely serious case of concussion of the brain which rendered him unconscious for nearly a week after the accident and the little fellow and the family are to be congratulated on his now almost complete recovery.—Lineville Tribune.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cain, who had a strenuous time when they drove from Chicago to Leon in their car a couple of weeks ago, departed last Thursday in their car for their home in Chicago, being accompanied by Mrs. Cain's sister, Miss Stella West, who will visit a few weeks in Chicago. A letter received by Mrs. J. D. Brown says they escaped any mud on their return trip, but found the roads pretty rough. They visited a few days with friends at Sycamore, Illinois, on their way to Chicago.

According to a law passed by the last General Assembly the county treasurer must collect a penalty of 48 per cent on all tax which is delinquent for four years or more. This change was made to remedy a defect in the old law which made it impossible to collect any interest or penalty after four years. If a property owner paid his delinquent tax at the end of three years he was compelled to pay a penalty of 36 per cent while if he waited another year he could pay the original tax without any extra charges. This was allowed a premium on delinquency and the new law is expected to result in more prompt payment of personal tax.

Clarence Coen, who has been head salesman at F. S. Stewart's big furniture store in this city ever since Mr. Stewart has been in business in Leon, departed Saturday for Creston, where he has accepted a position as head salesman with the McGregor Furniture Co., one of the leading business houses of Creston. It is with sincere regret that we chronicle Mr. Coen's departure from Leon, for he has been one of our most popular young men in both social and business circles. That he will make good in his new position goes without saying and while we are pleased to see him moving up to a higher salaried position, we will sorely miss him in Leon.

Deputy county treasurer J. Wesley Chew, wife and daughter returned Saturday from their auto trip to California and other points in the west, having been absent over two months. They drove in their car as far as Bernalillo, New Mexico, where they left their car and took the train to San Francisco, having been delayed on the trip by muddy roads, and also had a long pull in the mud on the return trip. Out in Kansas at one point they had to load their auto in a freight car and ship it by freight across the Republican river, as the river was so high, and roads so bumpy, that they thought they would have been delayed for a number of days before being able to cross. Mrs. C. M. Wheeler and children, of Des Moines, accompanied them to Leon for a few days visit with relatives.

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Alfalfa seed for sale by Biddison Coal & Grain Co.

The clean up August sale of low shoes at Hurst's this week.

Vose & Sons, the home piano. Edwards Piano Co., Humeston, Iowa.

I am prepared to do all kinds of light hauling and delivering. Guy Smith, Phone 38.

All our new \$3.50 and \$4.00 pumps and oxfords \$2.95. J. W. Hurst & Co.

Just received a car of bran and shorts and a car of oil meal. Gammon Bros. Mill.

Wanted—I want to buy 80 acres of improved land in Decatur county. W. H. McCalla, Davis City, Ia. 5242t.

Children's rompers and dresses, age 2 to 6, values 50c to 75c, this week, choice 32c. J. W. Hurst & Co.

Mrs. Leon Leeper, of northeast of Leon, has been dangerously ill for several days, but is slightly improved at this writing and hopes are entertained for her recovery.

John Edwards, of Grand River, is at the Leon hospital, receiving treatment for a broken arm. Last Thursday evening he fell at Grand River and sustained a fracture of his right arm.

Miss Grace Sutton of Leroy, who was severely injured on April 3, when she was struck by the engine of a freight train, has settled with the Burlington route for \$1500. The family received a draft from the company Thursday. The girl's left arm and leg were broken and she suffered other injuries. She has not fully recovered from the effects of the accident, which occurred near the depot in Leroy.—Humeston New Era.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Bisplinghoff, of Des Moines, arrived Saturday evening and will again make Leon their home. Mr. Bisplinghoff having accepted a position as bookkeeper and salesman at F. S. Stewart's big furniture store, taking the place of Clarence Coen, who has gone to Creston. Since leaving Leon Mr. Bisplinghoff has been employed in the furniture store of Chase & West at Des Moines. Both Mr. and Mrs. Bisplinghoff have many friends in Leon who are pleased to see them become residents of this city again.

Notice.

The ladies of the Christian church will hold an exchange at O. H. Stoner's next Saturday, Aug. 21.

Grand River Chautauqua Commenced Yesterday.

The Grand River Chautauqua opened yesterday for a seven day session, Senator W. S. Kenyon being the speaker last evening. They have a fine program for each of the seven days, the attractions being furnished by the Travers-Wick System.

High School Teacher Resigns.

Miss Grace Phillips, of Maquoketa, who was a member of the Leon High School faculty the past year and had contracted with the Leon School Board for the coming year, has written the board asking to be released from her contract, as she has been tendered a better position than the one in this city, and the board has granted her request, but have not yet selected a teacher to fill the vacancy.

Camping Near Davis City.

A jolly party of young folks left Sunday morning to enjoy a week's outing camping in the Radnich pasture above Davis City, but reports from them say they are kept busy trying to club the mosquitoes to death, for this year they are said to be almost as large as qualls. The camping party is chaperoned by Misses Ella Grogan and Mate Parrish, those in the party being Misses Ruby Gardner, Harriett Lionberger, Leda Stephens, Josephine Bowers and Katherine Horn and Messrs. Lester Hutchinson, Charles Horn, Frederick Hoffman and Raymond Jenkins.

Control Hessian Fly.

Arrangements have been made to have F. C. Taft, from the College at Ames, to lecture on "How to Control the Hessian Fly," Saturday, September 4th, in the court room at Leon, promptly at 1:30 p. m.

When we consider the damage done to winter wheat the past season it is time to adopt some measure to fight it. Every farmer that intends to sow wheat this fall should attend this lecture and learn how to get rid of the fly before sowing any wheat. It is possible to starve out the fly if certain rules are followed to keep it from propagating itself. Come and hear how it is done.

The Decatur County Improved Stock Breeders Association will hold their regular quarterly meeting after the lecture for the purpose of electing officers and make arrangements for a stock show this fall. On account of bad roads no officers were elected last spring at the regular meeting. We would like to see as many members as possible come to this meeting and not let the association go backward.

A great many people have come to look on our annual shows as a permanent feature that the breeders and farmers of Decatur county cannot afford to lose. All persons interested in keeping up the stock show be sure to attend this meeting.

A. H. Metier, President, Weldon, Iowa. A. E. Cotterill, Secretary.

Velle Decatur County Auto Co. Decatur, Iowa.

5 Per Cent Loans

I am authorized by the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Co. to take applications for farm loans at 5 per cent net to the company. Commission 2 per cent for one year only. E. J. Sankey.

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