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The people were surprised Sunday morning when they looked out to see all the world robed in a garment of sparkling whiteness. The first snow of the season had come quietly while all were sleeping.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Allen of Centerville came last week for a few days visit with Mrs. Allen's mother, Mrs. Jack Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hawkins visited last Thursday with their son Roy and wife and baby girl.

Mrs. Dow Kelley spent last Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. A. B. Fierce. Mike Fry went to DeKalb Wednesday morning for a short visit with his sister, Mrs. Charles Wilson and family, returning home Thursday afternoon.

Willie Walker who is working in Des Moines, came last week for a short visit with his mother, Mrs. Mattie Walker and sister Emma.

C. J. Price was a business visitor in Osceola Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lamoree, who have been spending the past few weeks visiting with Mrs. Lamoree's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Irving and other friends, departed for their home in Kansas last Tuesday. They were accompanied home by Miss Rose Lamoree who will remain for a short visit.

Roy Hawkins was transacting business at the county seat Thursday.

Miss Lela Easter who has been spending the past few days at Des Moines visiting with her sisters, Nell and Flossie and cousin, Miss Lenore Price, returned home last week.

Miss Velma Spencer was a Saturday night visitor with her friend, Miss Vera Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Saylor spent one evening last week with Mrs. Saylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Lantz.

Miss Violet Briner left Monday for a short visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Vanderpool near Grand River.

J. A. Smith was an Osceola visitor last Thursday.

Dr. O. W. Foxworthy and wife of Leon attended the funeral of Mrs. A. B. Cornell Friday.

Mrs. Anna Fierce and daughter, Mrs. Bertha Murphy left Monday for Des Moines for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. Shandsberry of California came last week for a short visit with his sister, Mrs. Isaiah Thompson.

Misses Fern and Vera Lantz left Monday morning for Des Moines for a visit with friends.

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Misses Esther and Dora Bunch and Anna Schriek of Des Moines spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Phil Lantz and daughters.

Hallard Snyder of Humeston came Saturday for an over Sunday visit with his cousin, Miss Fern Snyder.

Misses Velma Spencer and Olive Jennings spent Sunday with their friend, Miss Vera Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Grimm and children were visiting Sunday at the home of Mr. Gochenour of Leon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Price and children drove to Clearfield Sunday for a days visit with relatives. They were accompanied home by Miss Mertie Price, who will spend a few days visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shriver and sons spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Shriver's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Walker.

Mrs. A. B. Fierce and Mrs. Sarah Smith spent Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Thompson.

Mrs. J. A. Blair and daughter of Battle Creek, Michigan, came last week for a visit with Mrs. Blair's mother, Mrs. Emily Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Price spent Sunday afternoon with their daughter, Mrs. Ralph Thompson and family of Fairview.

Ora Steen who has been visiting with his mother, Mrs. John Thompson for the past few days, returned to his home Monday.

Miss Mertie Price spent Monday in the country with Mrs. Fannie Easter.

Miss Louva Hanner left Friday for a short visit with her sister at Grand River, returning home Saturday.

Oliver Blair and wife spent Sunday in the country with their daughter, Mrs. Everett Fry and family.

Mrs. Horney and Mrs. Tom Lowell and Mrs. Wray Lowell of Weldon took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Price Friday.

Mrs. John Steen of Des Moines who has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson returned to her home in Des Moines Monday morning.

The series of League meetings which were held at the M. E. church proved to be very interesting and instructive.

Decatur City.

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Burr Oak Ridge.

W. H. McCalla, Joe McClain and John Adams of Davis City and John McCalla of Ohio and Roy Chastain of Delray were Sunday visitors at Chas. Chastain's.

Miss Belle Webster returned to Lineville after a visit with home folks.

Steven Barry and hands have been doing some road work on Eden Prairie.

Elmer Shira was a caller at his farm.

Miss Eva Rumley was a caller at home Sunday.

Orren Keller of Pleasanton and his family were over Sunday visitors at Clarence Rumley's.

Mrs. Richard Meek continues quite poorly.

Noah Richards and nephews James and Gerald Adams of Perdy and John A. Richards of Cambria motored over in a D. L. F. and spent Saturday with J. E. Richards and family, returning to their homes the same day.

E. Richards returned to Perdy with them for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

Phil Kopp, the Leon druggist, and family, and Miss Whitney, one of the High School teachers spent a very pleasant day at W. H. Walt's Sunday.

W. H. Hazlet has gone to Texas on a business trip.

Charley Johnson departed Tuesday for Weldon where he will gather corn for Mr. Waller.

Beauty Ridge.

Mrs. Jake Miller and children were Leon callers Monday.

Mrs. Robert Greenhalgh and son Roy were Leon callers Monday.

Will Miller delivered hogs to Decatur Monday.

Floyd Shelton called on the Miller boys Wednesday.

Floyd Caldwell called on his sister, Mrs. Dora Miller Thursday.

Mrs. Snare and daughter, Mrs. R. E. Greenhalgh were Leon callers Saturday.

Will Miller and family were Leon callers Saturday.

Miss Dorothy Hale is visiting her sister, Mrs. Floyd Shelton.

Miss Elveta Greenhalgh visited at the Jones home in Decatur Friday night.

Ora Eaton and wife and sons Raymond and Rosco were Decatur callers Saturday.

Clyde Miller of Oklahoma came Saturday for a visit with his uncle, Jake Miller and family.

Miss Pearl Miller called on her friend, Miss Ina Greenhalgh Sunday.

Edward Miller spent Saturday night in Leon the guest of relatives.

Miss Laura Dingman visited Sunday with Ella and Ethel Beers.

George Green was a Decatur caller Saturday.

Women are always asking questions and men are always inventing answers.

Long Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kentner and daughter Viola spent Saturday night and Sunday at the S. D. Miller home near Decatur.

Miss Letha Beers was a Grand River caller Saturday and Sunday.

Frank Miller sr., and Mr. and Mrs. James Miller went to Lamoni Sunday as guests at the John Burnett home.

Ivan Foland called at the Isaac Woodard home Thursday evening.

John McKee was a Decatur caller Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jink Wells and Miss Edith Beers were guests Sunday at the S. D. Miller home near Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Redman returned home last week after several weeks visit with relatives in Dakota.

Miss Edith Beers spent Saturday night with her aunt, Mrs. Lucy Wells.

Mrs. Grace Woodard is much improved at this writing after a slight attack of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Bert Kentner and daughter Viola spent Thursday with the former's sister, Mrs. Harry Foland.

Ernie Cummins and family of near Leon spent Sunday at the Fred Beers home.

Miss Letha Beers returned to Lamoni Monday after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Grace Woodard.

To pretend to satisfy one's desires by gratifying them is about as successful as trying to put out a fire by piling straw on it.

SCHEDULE OF TERMS

FOR THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF IOWA
FOR THE YEARS 1916 AND 1917

It is hereby ordered by the Judges of the District Court of the Third Judicial District of Iowa, that the following schedule shall fix the times and places of holding court in each county in said district, as designated, for the years 1916 and 1917:

COURT CALENDAR 1916				COURT CALENDAR 1917			
COUNTY	PLACE	JUDGE	DATE	COUNTY	PLACE	JUDGE	DATE
Adams	Corning	Maxwell	January . . . 3	Adams	Corning	Maxwell	January . . . 1
"	"	Evans	March . . . 20	"	"	Evans	March . . . 19
"	"	Maxwell	May . . . 15	"	"	Maxwell	May . . . 14
"	"	Evans	October . . . 16	"	"	Evans	October . . . 15
Clarke	Osceola	Maxwell	February . . . 7	Clarke	Osceola	Maxwell	February . . . 5
"	"	Evans	April . . . 24	"	"	Evans	April . . . 23
"	"	Maxwell	September . . 11	"	"	Maxwell	September . 10
"	"	Evans	November . . 20	"	"	Evans	November . 19
Decatur	Leon	Evans	January . . . 24	Decatur	Leon	Evans	January . . . 22
"	"	Maxwell	March . . . 20	"	"	Maxwell	March . . . 19
"	"	Evans	August . . . 21	"	"	Evans	August . . . 20
"	"	Maxwell	October . . . 23	"	"	Maxwell	October . . . 22
Ringgold	Mt. Ayr	Evans	February . . . 14	Ringgold	Mt. Ayr	Evans	February . . . 12
"	"	Maxwell	April . . . 10	"	"	Maxwell	April . . . 9
"	"	Evans	September . 11	"	"	Evans	September . 10
"	"	Maxwell	November . 13	"	"	Maxwell	November . 12
Taylor	Bedford	Evans	February . . 28	Taylor	Bedford	Evans	February . . 26
"	"	Maxwell	April . . . 24	"	"	Maxwell	April . . . 23
"	"	Evans	September . 25	"	"	Evans	September . 24
"	"	Maxwell	November . 27	"	"	Maxwell	November . 26
Union	Creston	Maxwell	January . . . 17	Union	Creston	Maxwell	January . . . 15
"	"	Evans	April . . . 3	"	"	Evans	April . . . 2
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Signed this 15th day of September, 1915. HIRAM K. EVANS, THOMAS L. MAXWELL, Judges.

PUBLIC SALE!

I will sell at public sale at my farm, 8 miles southeast of Leon, 1 1/2 miles west of Woodland, known as the Claude Beavers farm, on

Tuesday, Nov. 23, 1915

Commencing at 10 o'clock sharp, the following property, to-wit:—

The first thing to be sold will be my **225 1/2 Acre Farm** Terms made known day of sale.

210 Head of Live Stock.



13 Head of Horses and Mules

Consisting of dapple gray mare, 8 years old, weight 1800, sound and in foal; steel gray Percheron mare, 4 years old, weight 1750, sound and in foal; roan mare, 4 years old, weight 1550, sound and in foal; blue roan mare 4 years old, weight 1300, in foal; roan mare smooth mouth, weight 1200, in foal; driving team 6 and 8 years old, weight 2100; bay driving mare 8 years old, weight 1200; dapple gray Percheron filly 2 years old, weight 1400; bay mare 1 year old, weight 1000; black mare 1 year old, weight 1000; black mare 1 year old, weight 900; sorrel driving horse 1 year old; sorrel suckling driving colt; 2 suckling mule colts, horse and mare.

2 Head of Cattle

Consisting of 1 extra good milch cow to be fresh in March, yearling heifer.

100 Head of Hogs

Consisting of 18 head of good brood sows, 86 head of shoats weighing from 50 to 125 pounds.

95 Head of Sheep

Consisting of ewes and lambs, 2 Shropshire bucks.

1000 bushels of White corn in crib by day of sale. 24 tons hay in stack. 20 acres corn stalks. 20 acres blue grass not pastured this summer.

FARM IMPLEMENTS.—16 inch Oliver sulky plow, 14 inch Emerson gang plow, Hayes cultivator, 2 Blue Gen cultivators, John Deere corn planter, 3 section 16 foot harrow, 5 foot independent mower, McCormick hay rake, Acme sweep rake, 2 good wagons, Galloway manure spreader, international saw outfit complete with 4 horse gas engine, 2 hole corn sheller, stone burr grinder, fanning mill, 2 sets heavy work harness, set light work harness, 2 sets single harness, buggy with pole and shafts, grindstone, 30 gallon iron kettle, Turney bob sled, hay rack, 2 sheet iron hog troughs and numerous other articles.

Lunch on Grounds

TERMS.—A credit of 6 months will be given on all sums over \$10, purchaser giving note with approved security drawing 6 per cent from date if paid when due, otherwise to draw 8 percent. 2 per cent discount on sums over \$10 if paid in cash on day of sale. No property to be removed from the premises until settled for.

McWHINNEY & BUCHANAN, Auctioneers. CLERK from EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK, LEON, IOWA. **T. D. Murphy & Son**

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Marion Hullinger and family were Sunday visitors at Willie Moore's.

Mrs. Edgar Blakesley and children of Oklahoma spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Marion Evans.

Mrs. Jean Gammon spent Sunday at Fred Potter's.

Mrs. Charley Campbell spent one afternoon last week with Mrs. Mike Griffin.

Lonesome Ridge.
E. J. Evans and family, George Evans and wife and Zack McDaniel spent Sunday at the Mrs. E. A. Little home.

Roy Waller and family and Mrs. Sylvia Evans were Sunday visitors at Clyde Waller's.

Willard Piercy and Glen Garner spent Sunday at Wm. Martin's.

Mrs. Maude Blakesley and children spent a few days last week at Marion Evans'.

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