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EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK LEON IOWA INTEREST PAID ON TIME DEPOSITS

Leon No. 4.

Mrs. Wm. Negley and Mrs. Everett Konklyn were Leon callers Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Konklyn visited Clem Lane and wife Wednesday. One of George Cartwright's twin boys died Tuesday. Mrs. L. L. Richardson and Mrs. R. J. Barrett attended the funeral of George Cartwright's baby Wednesday. Hazel Mullins stayed all night with Grace Barrett Tuesday night. Harriett Richardson visited Letha Love Sunday. Joe Mullins came home Wednesday evening. Mrs. Guy Chambers is sick at this writing. Frank Jackson called on Timon Young and Everett Konklyn Friday. Grace Barrett spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Stephen Barry. Leo Stewart called on Raymond Mullins Friday night. Steve Akes and wife visited Wm. Negley and wife Friday night and Saturday. Bill Negley and Steve Akes were in Garden Grove Saturday. Orville Boyce walked down to Joe Mullins' Saturday afternoon. He is just recovering from the flu. Leland Richardson was in Leon Saturday. Lester and Leo Stewart, Frank Myers and Raymond Mullins spent Saturday afternoon in Leon. Nathan Boyce visited at Joe Mullins' Sunday. Bert Stiles and wife visited Sunday afternoon at Nathan Boyce's. R. J. Barrett and family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Barry. Everett Konklyn called on John Snyder and Guy Chambers Sunday. Roy Snyder visited home folks Friday.

Franklin.

Miss Lyda Kentner of Leon, spent Thursday night with Miss Edna Sears. Misses Hazel and Myrtle Petticoord and Muriel Clausen called on Miss Mae Scott Wednesday evening. Freda and Henry Hill spent Sunday at Nate Myers'. Bert Scott has been assisting Will Scott with his work the past week. Dewey McCollough spent Friday night at George Scott's. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Plummer and daughter Arlene called Sunday afternoon at E. J. Clausen's. Miss Mae Scott spent Sunday evening at Glen Petticoord's. Miss Jemima Kob departed Friday for Center, Indiana, to visit her uncle John Kob. Bert Kentner and daughter Viola spent a few days last week at Roy Kentner's. S. J. Clausen and family spent Tuesday evening at S. H. Duffield's. Misses Hazel and Myrtle Petticoord and Muriel Clausen called at Wise McCollough's Sunday afternoon. Wise McCollough spent Friday at Harry Plummer's.

Liberty No. 2.

The flu is still visiting the people. Oscar Orfield and family called on H. Orfield's Sunday. Miss Leah Dobson spent Sunday with Miss Lola Williams. Miss Margaret Guire spent Sunday at H. Orfield's. Robert Chaney went to Chicago Saturday. Miss Ruth Dobson spent Sunday with Miss Mabel Orfield. Miss Vera Sellers spent Sunday with Miss Lola Williams. Jay Sellers was a Decatur caller Tuesday. Mrs. George Havens called on Bell Barritt Sunday.

For Sale—On account of moving away, my Leon residence property on north Main street. W. C. Stampel, 7621 Santa Fe Ave., Ft. Madison, Iowa.

Pleasant Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. James Munyon, of near Ellston, spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Folland and S. M. Folland and wife. Mrs. Lavina Jimmerson has been visiting at the home of her brother H. L. Brammer and to help care for her mother grandma Brammer, who is still very sick with heart trouble. Willard Boles is very sick with pneumonia and is no better at this writing. The remainder of the sick in this neighborhood are improving slowly. Two more deaths the past week. Dewey West and Walter Daughton. Mrs. Ira Foster called on her sister Mrs. Charles Folland Saturday. Mrs. William Warrick and two sons and daughter who have been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Folland, for the past month, returned to her home last Thursday. When she got home she found her husband very sick with the flu. Mrs. George Folland spent last Thursday afternoon with her friend grandma Brammer. School commenced last Monday at Grand River again but several of the scholars are not able to attend yet on account of the flu. Mrs. Isaac Emley, of Grand River, has been visiting the past week with her cousin, Mrs. S. M. Folland. Mr. and Mrs. George Ball spent Thursday night at H. L. Brammer's. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Decmer received word last Tuesday that their son Harvey, of Lacona, was very sick with the flu but they received word later that he was better. Allen Pence, of Grand River, called at H. L. Brammer's Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Les Hendrickson spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Lydia Main, of near Decatur. Mrs. Ida Chipp spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Ramsey.

Welcome Ridge.

Charles Mills went Monday to see his brother who is very sick. Fred Fowler was a Lamoni caller Monday. Loren Stephens called on his uncle James Stephens Monday. Mrs. Isaac Payton returned home Monday after spending a few days taking care of her sister Mrs. W. B. Staley and family who have been very sick. Cal Boord was seen in this vicinity Tuesday enroute for Lamoni. Mr. and Mrs. Nile Gibson and children called on his parents Will Gibson of near Tuskego, Tuesday. Charles Mills and wife were Lamoni callers Wednesday. Mrs. N. Gibson and Goldie King were Decatur callers Friday. Those who were Decatur callers Saturday were W. B. Stanley and James Stephens. Howard Beard came Saturday to spend over Sunday with his sister Cieta who is boarding at the Claude Norman home. Miss Iva Stephens and sister Nora called on Mrs. Ida Gravatt one day last week.

Fairview District No. 8.

Will Lewis hauled hogs for Mrs. Fanny Easter last week. Ronald Easter played with Summerfield Herrold Wednesday afternoon. Ted Cox spent Tuesday night with Ira Lewis. Mrs. Tom Hughes and daughter Julia and son Phil spent the day at the home of Will Lewis. Ralph Herrold went to a sale Wednesday with Harry Plummer. Miss Pearle Maclan did some sewing the first of last week for Mrs. P. C. Morgan. The mud Sunday sure was a fright, especially for a car. Ted Cox spent Thursday night with Truman Howell. Carrie Overholzer has quit Leon High School. The flu is still lingering around Fairview.

Delray.

Fine weather we are having after the big snow. Most of the flu patients are improving at this time. Miss Grace Keller is returning to her school at Decatur, having been confined to her home on account of the flu. Charlie Shell is caring for George Smith. Bessie Upfield is spending a few days in Des Moines. Mrs. Koenitzer left yesterday (Monday) to spend a few days at Corydon with her sister who is quite sick with flu. Grover Hamilton shipped a car load of hogs today of his own feeding. Frank Binning sold a horse to Ed Rushing and delivered it at Leon Friday. A car load of flour arrived at Delray this morning for the Farmers Union. Ora Eaton took a load of wood and two dressed hogs to Osceola one day last week for Mr. Willant. Redman and Kelley shipped eight load of hogs from Delray and Van Wert last week. Mr. Binning's have received word from their son Ralph who is in the navy that he has been stationed at a seaport in England. Mrs. Mary Maclan is caring for the sick at Frank Binnings. Mr. Bright is threshing for Will Goodman. Mrs. Heather and Florence are able to be up after having a spell of the flu.

West Eden.

Boyd Craig and Charles Beasley went to St. Joe Wednesday morning to do some shopping. Frank Craig and family were visiting with Robert Frakes and wife Sunday. Martin Still's son-in-law Everett Fox, is home from Camp Dodge. Leonard Still and family visited Sunday with his father, Martin Still. Earld Cox is home from Fort Sill, Okla. Mrs. Luella Doolittle visited Mrs. Beasley Wednesday afternoon. A. J. Fulton has been buying a car load of cattle from South Eden neighborhood. Luther Beasley has engaged a job of corn husking of Alba Elliott. Clarence Doolittle, wife and daughter, Maxine spent Sunday with grandpa Skales. Luther Beasley and Price Rex finished picking Mrs. Cox's corn. Lonie Hullinger expected to enter school again Monday, having been absent on account of a broken arm. Mr. and Mrs. Kelley are improving from an attack of influenza.

Gospel Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Morgan returned home Tuesday after a few weeks illness with the flu at the home of their son Carl. Mrs. C. S. Evans was called to Leon Wednesday by the death of her mother Mrs. W. H. Frost. Earl Norton and family moved to the C. E. Roe farm Saturday, Mr. Roe moving to the Grove. Mrs. James McDoom is caring for her daughter Merle and family, who are quite sick with the influenza. Will Rosegrant was a business visitor in Leon Saturday. C. E. Roe was visiting with friends in Leon the last of the week.

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