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Farm for Sale—Have well improved 100 acres, 1 mile south of Moulton, Ia., will sell \$80 or the 160. Priced for quick sale. Russell Horn R. 3, Moulton, Iowa. 11

Mrs. Horn received a message Tuesday from her son, Charles Horn, announcing he had landed and was at a camp in New Jersey, and would be home within a short time.

Miss Leslie Pullin entertained a number of her young Leon friends at a lawn party at her home in Hamilton township last Thursday evening, serving a most delicious supper and a pleasant evening was spent.

While working with a sickle on the farm near Blockley Monday, Milt Truitt, met with a painful accident almost severing the end of the first finger on his left hand. He came to Leon to have it dressed, but every Leon doctor was out of the city at the time, so he caught a ride to Davis City, and had it dressed there.

J. H. Main, of Eden township, brought us in a sample of his wheat which he shelled by hand, here and there as he was shocking. He has raised wheat for thirty years and thinks the kernels being well filled, although not quite so large as some years, but he considers it a good average crop.

Our Davis City correspondent, Mrs. S. E. Adams, is leaving in a few days for a two months visit at her old home in Indiana. During her absence Mrs. Alice Marble will have charge of the Davis City items, and we respectfully request that all items of news at Davis City, be reported to Mrs. Marble, who will send them to The Reporter.

A letter from Mrs. Rosetta Bedier of Green River, Utah, formerly of Leon, says they are having very hot weather out there, with scarcely any rain during the past year, but their irrigation system insures them a bumper crop of apples, watermelons and cantaloupes. Mrs. Bedier asks to be remembered to all of her old friends in Decatur county.

Mr. M. Mayer is in receipt of a letter from his daughter, Mrs. H. H. Rosenthal, of Cleveland, Ohio, with the information that Mr. Rosenthal has been appointed manager of a big new store which his firm will open at Kansas City items, and appointment carries with it a fine increase in salary. Mr. Rosenthal and family will move to Kansas City within a short time.

The Reporter is going to lose within a few weeks one of its oldest correspondents, Mrs. C. E. Chastain, who has sent in the Burr Oak Ridge items for twenty-nine years, as she will move to Leon the first of September, in order to give her children the advantage of the Leon schools. Her news items will be missed in the Burr Oak neighborhood, but we hope to secure a new correspondent to take her place.

Several members of Helen Whisler's Sunday school class of the Christian church, and a few others, enjoyed an outing in jolly, picnic fashion on the grounds of the new proposed park at Davis City, last Friday noon, on the noon passenger and returning on the nine. The party was composed of Misses Helen Whisler, Edna Brann, Vera Pottoroff, Doras Lowrance, Ruth Ellwell, Laveta Robertson, Dorothy Bardsley, Gladys Dato and Marjory Lorey of Des Moines.

Mrs. L. P. Sigler is putting a new roof on her residence on south Main street. This house is one of the oldest in Leon, the shingles being the old slab shingles which have been on the house for more than sixty years, but the underside of them are brighter than shingles which have been on only a few years. The same is true of the tin used in the gutters, which under the shingles looks like new, quite different material from the tin we get these days.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Ogilvie motored to Des Moines Sunday to meet their son Victor, who arrived at Camp Dodge Sunday night after a long service overseas with Co. F, 22nd Engineers. Victor enjoyed a three month college course at the leading Engineering College in Paris while in France, which will be of great advantage to him, he having graduated from the engineering department at the State College at Ames before going to the service. Victor accompanied his parents to Leon Tuesday afternoon, and will visit here a short time, after which he will probably return to Denver, Colorado where he was employed by the firm at the time he enlisted. His many friends are glad to see him back in good health.

Departing from the merely spectacular and concentrating its essence into a powerful love story, gorgeous California scenic settings, and elaborate musical attributes, "The Eyes of the World," at the New Theatre Monday and Tuesday, July 23 and 24, offers something different in pictorial drama from the run of great film offerings put forward of late. Represented in this achievement are Harold Bell Wright, author of the famous story, which has had a sale of over two million copies in book form, and I. Cline, who was associated in the production of "The Clansman" ("Birth of a Nation") and other large film ventures.

The noted author amplified the story for this production and personally assisted in the work of putting his characters on the screen. While "The Eyes of the World" is primarily a romance, it is melodramatic in the best sense, bristling with adventure, hazard and dramatic clash, as well as idyllic charm. The classic version is in nine acts, was seven months in making at unlimited cost on the actual scenes of the story in southeastern California.

The quarters that gave the book its phenomenal sale are intensified in the pictorial version, which has a wealth of gorgeous photographic settings. The presentation is a lavish one in every way. In numerous cities it has broken all theatre records. An elaborate musical setting is one of the features of the production.

Don't let the weeds get ripe and go to seed. The law which says we shall kill noxious weeds is good—if we do as the law says we shall. Better kill all your weeds now. Some are so near ripe that they ought to be burned. If the property owners don't kill the weeds on his premises, the city authorities will do it, and the cost will be taxed to the property owner. Let the weeds go to seed.

Miss Mabel Bradley, who has been traveling the past year in North Dakota, Montana, and other western states, returned home last Wednesday evening for a few weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Bradley. She leaves again in September to resume her work with a musical trio traveling on the Civic Lyceum Bureau circuit of Chicago, the same company with which she has been traveling the past year.

Alex Ironside is reported to be quite sick at his home in west Leon.

For Sale—A few good breeding ewes and a yearling pure bred Angus bull. Elmer Akers. 48-11

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Merritt Reynolds, who recently had his foot amputated at the Leon hospital, is now able to be around on crutches.

Lieut. Roe Caster arrived at Chariton yesterday and will come to Leon today, Mrs. Caster going up yesterday to meet him.

Mrs. John Gelatt, who has been seriously ill for a number of weeks, is now able to be out, and made her first trip up town Monday.

Bob Teale motored down from Lake Okobuck Monday evening for a few days visit here and to look after some business matters.

For Sale—Forty acres of land known as the old Quigley farm for miles south of Decatur on the Davis City road. For particulars call on H. M. Quigley who occupies the farm. 49-11

There are splendid prospects that another factory enterprise will be secured for Leon, but the project is not yet ready to be made public. Shake up your mind that Leon is going to grow.

George Chastain, of Des Moines, who is visiting at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Chastain of Eden township, went to Davis City Monday evening to visit a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McCalla.

Mrs. J. N. Estes, of Pleasanton, who had been visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Loretta Mitchell, at Seymour, stopped off in Leon Tuesday to spend a few days at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Farquhar, before returning home.

The tourist travel over the Jefferson Highway this year is something remarkable. The hotels and garages are crowded every night, and the tourists all seem to know that Leon is a good place to spend the night, and make their plans to be here over night.

Mayor Morris Gardner is building a mammoth new porch around his fine residence on north Church street, which will add greatly to the appearance of the property and the comfort of Mr. and Mrs. Gardner, and they will have one of the best residences in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stazel and Mr. and Mrs. Clay Harris attended to Centerville Sunday night, on receipt of word that James Ironside was much worse, and word received Tuesday night from Centerville was that Mr. Ironside was very low, with but little hope for his recovery.

After an election the people are left to their fate, no one takes any interest in them. Precisely in the same way, after a marriage, all interest in a bride and groom ceases, and they are compelled to hustle for themselves. All the world loves a lover, it is said, but all the world will stand no nonsense from a husband.

There are all kinds of shows in Leon this week, but the one big show will be given Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock on the lawn at the home of Jas. F. Harvey by the children of the neighborhood, who will present "Fairy Land," the admission being 3 cents, reserved seats 5 cents. The advance seat sale is very flattering.

Miss Jewell Drury and little sister Fernie of Pleasanton, who were in Leon last Thursday returning from a visit with relatives at Freeman, S. D. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Waldaer, of Freeman, accompanied them home, Mrs. Waldaer being a sister of Miss Drury, and they expect to have a visit with relatives in the vicinity of Pleasanton.

Miss May Caster, who has traveled with the Minges Evangelistic company for several years, is expected in Leon next week to spend the summer vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Caster. The company is now at Ulysses, Nebraska, and were to have closed last week, but the meetings were extended for another week. They have a date at Bethany, Mo., the coming fall.

Orel Estes, the local Ford dealer, was the nearest cleaned up Monday he has ever been since he entered the auto game, as he said the only thing on wheels which he owned that day was a wheel barrow, having sold every new and second hand car he owned, including his private car, and even the truck he was using at the garage. Cars are getting mighty hard to get, and Estes & Co. are receiving new cars right along, but they are immediately gobbled up.

Mrs. James Gill, of Garden Grove, county vice president of W. C. T. U., accompanied by Mrs. Laura B. Hale, state organizer for Iowa, were in Leon Tuesday afternoon in the interest of the work, being guests of Mrs. C. F. Wright while here. It is the second week in the county by Mrs. Hale, next they will be in Lucas county. They are making a drive for \$305 in the county, first national financial drive in 46 years of its organization, although no other organization has done so much work on as little financial aid.

The One Cent Sale at the Rexall Drug Store in this city last Thursday, Friday and Saturday, was one of the biggest sales Mr. Bell has ever held. Many of the articles in the sale were entirely sold out the first day of the sale, for people have learned that at these sales they must get in early if they want to take advantage of the bargains. Mr. Bell thought he had an ample supply of all the one cent bargains to supply the trade, but the demand was so much greater than he anticipated that many customers were disappointed.

Miss Nadine Throckmorton, of Derby, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. F. Throckmorton, of Derby, was driving from Humeston to Derby one day last week in company with Mary Wiley when the Ford skidded towards a ditch and in trying to keep out of the ditch Miss Nadine turned the steering wheel too quickly and the car overturned catching both the young ladies under the car and had quite a distance to go to secure help. When the car was lifted up Miss Throckmorton was found unconscious, remaining so for some time, but has now recovered, and no serious results are anticipated, aside from bruises sustained by both young ladies.

When you first know people you think for a day or two that they are different from others you have known; but within a week you find they are the same old things.

In every town it is said of some husband, by the women, that he should be tarred and feathered. There is such a husband in the town where I do my trading; in fact, I have heard of four.

The big chiefs hold too many powwows, and recommended too many things. That is the trouble with appointing a man a chief, giving him a big salary and nothing to do except talk things over.

Every morning something new and startling is going on, according to the morning paper. Every afternoon something that demands the serious attention of the people at once is going on; according to the evening paper, I am old-fashioned, and say that no news is good news.

When you want a real smoke at a moderate price, call for a Masonic Knight or Havana Spike. All dealers have them.

In all the practical affairs of life the conservatives are regarded as our best men, but in patriotism politics and religion the boomers are able to chase them with a feather.

Men will do anything for health, except eat properly. They will buy pills, and submit to dangerous operations, but the remedy is a simpler diet. Same way with our public affairs; we will try big experiments at any time and cost, but refuse to accept the real remedy, which is simple common sense.

Every man who works too long hours gets the fan-tods, which means nervousness resulting from restraining himself when meeting bores. When you meet a man you want to cuss, but smile instead and say you are glad to meet him (indeed, that it is a distinct pleasure to meet him), the effort results in fan-tods.

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