

COUNTY NEWS.

KENDALLVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Banks, of Spencer, Ia., visited at the Elmer James home, last week.

Little James Flynn is having a tussel with the measles.

Everett Clark had the misfortune to break his saw and had to purchase a new one. He has one in running order now and sawed at the Burton home, Tuesday.

Paul Brown was quite sick for a few days last week, but is much better now.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Elias Hoines a baby girl on Monday, March 10th. Congratulations.

John and Albert Flynn are home from Austin helping the family move to Cresco.

Mrs. Sy. Elliott and daughter Anna spent a few days at the Grebin home, last week.

Ernie Reuter was a business visitor at Decorah, one day last week.

Clarence Hoines came up from Decorah, Saturday, for an over Sunday visit at home.

A number of young people from Cresco spent Saturday evening at the home of Edna Clink.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Pierce were over Sunday visitors at the L. Pierce home near Canton.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Eddy spent Sunday at the Walter Daskam home.

Mrs. Ada Young returned Monday from Riceville where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Rivers and family.

We are glad to report Bernard Davis much improved after his winter of continuous sickness.

Mrs. Allie Daskam returned to Kendallville, one day last week, after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Bert Yates.

Mrs. Walter Robinson returned to her home at Hawkeye, after a visit at the C. C. Brown home.

Rob. Barnes is working for Bert Yates.

Frank Wallace has just purchased a fine new gasoline engine.

The L. A. S. met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Joe Young.

Our home school was out Friday for spring vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Curtis spent Sunday at the Burton home.

WEST VERNON

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Flick and son Charles and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Sebastian spent Sunday at the F. Bouska home.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Adams and daughter Anna and Henry Adams left Tuesday for their home at McIntire, after a visit at the F. Miller home.

Peter Lickteig and family spent Sunday at the Joe Lickteig home.

Mrs. Wm. Woods spent Sunday at the Wm. Wilson home.

Mayme Miller and Mrs. Geo. Adams and daughter Anna spent Sunday at the Shields home.

Susie Coughlin entertained a number of her friends at her birthday party, Saturday.

Adolph Peters left Wednesday morning for Minnesota to spend some time with his brother there.

Frank Lickteig assisted Mr. Steffens in moving, Monday.

John Montague is assisting Mike Slika with work.

"Mound City 'Horse Shoe' Pain wears longest, looks best. P. A. Clemmer. 2yl

MAPLE LEAF.

Anton Roman Sr., was an Elma caller Friday last.

Harry and George Herpinck were visitors at the Kakac home Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Bigley were seen in our burg one day last week.

Frank Zak was a visitor at the Joe Shimek home Friday evening.

Thomas McKnight purchased a fine team of A. J. Ritze of Maple Leaf one day last week.

M. Stevenson is working for Mrs. John Graf for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Dinger of Acme, visited at E. H. Bigleys Sunday last.

Frank Kubicek called at Adolph Kakac's Monday.

Mr. Beran and family visited last Sunday at Fred Buresh's at Saratoga.

Mr. Walter Fox is staying with Ed Bigley's folks for a few days.

(Thomas McKnight and son attended the Monholland sale near Saratoga last Monday.

Thomas Armstrong was an Elma caller on Tuesday last.

Mike Bigley and wife visited at the Bigley home Saturday last.

Sorry to say Ed Bigley is not recovering.

Aug. Ritze purchased a fine horse from John Wacha, Monday.

A. and F. Kakac called at the E. H. Bigley home Monday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Beran were Elma shoppers Saturday last.

Will Bigley was an Elma caller Saturday last.

M. F. Bigley delivered some cattle to Elma Saturday.

Henry Calahan was an Elma caller Saturday.

Albert Frana called at Elma one day last week.

Mat Ludwig was an Elma shopper Saturday.

George Kubicek spent Sunday afternoon at the Wm. Weesner home.

Miss Elsie, Joe and George Kubicek, and Agnes Zosack spent Monday evening at the John Voves home.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Kubicek, Mr. and Mrs. Y. Buresh spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Beran.

Joe Kubicek and J. Musil called on Joe Zosack Monday.

Elsie Kubicek went to Cresco to have some dental work done Saturday.

James and Mayme Steveson were Cresco shoppers Saturday.

Elsie Kubicek returned home from assisting her sister, Mrs. J. Drtina.

John Voves, John Shock, and Jas. Haskovec called on Frank Zosack Sunday evening.

James Haskovec is working for Art Harnak.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Kubicek and family spent Sunday at the John Drtina home.

Frank Hutton and mother drove to Wm. Frank's Sunday.

NORTH ORLEANS.

Eugene Oelson spent Saturday evening at the Wesley Gager home.

Luella and Anna Askelson and Emma Ellingson spent Monday evening at Wesley Gager's.

Nellie Pollitt came home Saturday from Cresco for an over Sunday visit.

A few of the neighbors helped John Olson celebrate his birthday Thursday evening. All report a good time.

Ed. Pollitt and wife spent Friday with their daughter, Mrs. Walter Daskam.

PROTIVIN

Emma Ellingson spent Sunday and Monday nights with her friend, Luella Askelson.

Teddy Crawford called at the Ed Pollitt home Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Crawford was a business caller in Cresco Wednesday.

Harry Crawford and Clifford Pollitt visited their friends, Melvin and Alexander Hatlestad Sunday.

John Olson and wife were callers in Kendallville Friday.

Willie Clink spent Sunday night with his friend Clifford Pollitt.

A few young folks spent Sunday evening at Mons Askelson's.

Clarence Oison spent Sunday at the Frank Walton home.

Luella and Anna Askelson spent Sunday at Ed Pollitt's.

Harry Pollitt and family spent Sunday at Ed Pollitt's home.

John Olson and wife spent Sunday at Mrs. Mandus Olson's.

NORTH ALBION

Newton Bigalk and a lady friend attended the home talent play at Granger Friday evening.

Mrs. Amil Keune and Clara Blatter returned home Friday from Hampton, Ia., where they visited at the Stayner home.

G. Blatter was a Cresco caller Friday.

Roge Clark spent Sunday at home.

Ester Bigalk went to Cresco Monday to resume her school work, after a few weeks vacation.

Christine Plank spent Sunday at her home in Decorah, Iowa.

Elsie Huntington and brother Sterling spent Sunday at the Milbrath home.

Mrs. Ben Offen and John Bronner, were visitors at Amil Keune's Monday.

George Volkman was a Preston caller one day last week.

Malinda DeGrave spent Sunday with Clara Krueger.

Joe Owens called at Wm. Wolf's Friday.

Mrs. Wm. Goetsch visited at G. Blatter's last week.

Alex. and Will Goetsch called at A. A. Bigalk's Monday.

Herbert Keune is very ill at this writing.

ORLEANS.

Ruth Emslie, of Cresco, visited at the John Cunningham home last week.

Andrew Stinger and wife spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Humphrey.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Bert Perry, Monday, March, 10th, a daughter. Congratulations.

Mrs. Ahern and daughter visited at G. Benson's Sunday evening.

John Betts and wife moved to Cresco this week.

Clarence Olson and J. Fuller spent Saturday and Sunday with the Walton boys.

Mrs. Eddy and daughter called at Gene Howard's Sunday.

Frank Walton is visiting relatives in Oelwein this week.

Joe Steinmetz entertained company Sunday.

Frank Burr and wife moved into their new home on the M. Banning place last week.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

ALBION.

W. R. Ashley returned Thursday of last week from a business visit to Daventport.

Ella Costello closed her school Friday in the Albion District; also Miss Phillips, of Bonair, in the Darrow Dist.

E. H. Ransom, of Wisconsin, was looking after business matters in Albion, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Stevens entertained relatives last week Wednesday.

Mrs. M. Volkman is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Reuter.

Geo. and Ed Easler, of Harmony, were visitors at the J. W. Wells home, Friday.

Sylvia Ashley visited Friday and Saturday at the Job Darrow home in Cresco.

Otto Stevens and family spent Sunday at the John Stevens home near Cresco.

Charley Andrews spent Sunday at the C. A. Holcomb home and attended church.

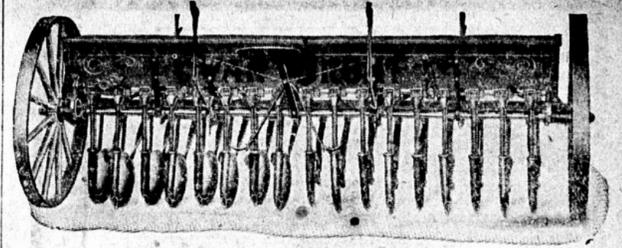
Those who attended Rally Day exercises at the Albion church, last Sunday, were very much interested and delighted at the manner in which the little folks acted their part in the program. Surely they as well as those having the program in charge are deserving of much credit.

W. L. Wells and family will spend a short season at the home of his parents in Cresco before resuming their farm work in Albion.

Remember the annual meeting of the Albion Farmers' Telephone Co. to be held at the Albion school house, Tuesday, March 18, 1913, at 1 o'clock p. m.

Mrs. Will Stockman entertained her mother Mrs. W. C. Nichols, of Cresco the first of the week.

FOR SALE—Registered Short-horn bull, red and white, four years old. Phone or write J. C. SWESTKA, Rt. 7, Cresco.



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Notice to Bidders for Township Road Grading.

Notice is hereby given that the Clerk of Paris township will receive bids for township road work for the year 1913. All bids must be sealed and filed in the office of Township Clerk before 12 o'clock M, Saturday, March 15, 1913. Said bids are to state the amount per day asked for furnishing four men and four teams to operate the township machinery at such time and places as members of the board of trustees may direct. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

P. W. NORTON, Clerk Paris Twp.

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