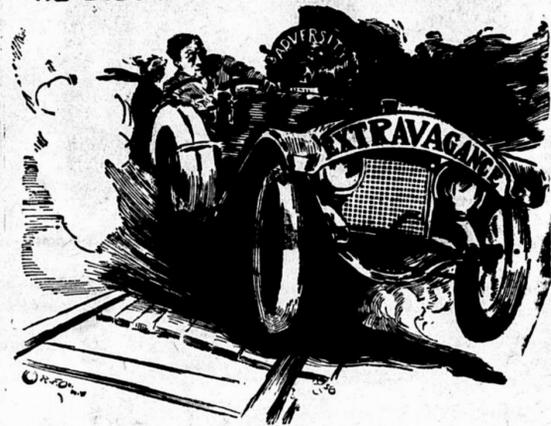


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**CEDAR RAPIDS BUSINESS COLLEGE**  
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Geneva Erier went to Waucoma Saturday.

Clara Parchman went to Lime Springs Monday.

Threshing coal at Lomas & Farnsworth's.

Lillian Kuntz was up from Ridgeway, Tuesday.

Ruth Howland was down from Lime Springs, Saturday.

Tina Beveridge went to Mason City Saturday for a visit.

N. A. Blackburn, Lawyer, office over Field's furniture store.

Mrs. Wesley Johnson was down from Lime Springs, Saturday.

Joseph Bulger returned Tuesday from a visit in Waukon.

Lillian, Mabel and Milton, Kuntz were up from Ridgeway Friday.

Mrs. Nelson and Luella Hoffland were up from Ridgeway Monday.

Leta Goettel, of LeRoy, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Max Thuerk.

Anna Barrett and Don Trainer returned to Minneapolis Saturday.

Dave Evans was over from Mason for an over Sunday visit at home.

Wanted—Girl for general housework. Enquire of MRS. D. A. LYONS.

Mrs. John Dyer and little daughter was down from Lime Springs, Saturday.

Mrs. Will Clark of Mankato was visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Paul last week.

Adah Sibert went to Lime Springs, Saturday, to visit at the Joe Jones home.

Vera LaValley went to Bonair Friday to visit at the home of her grandparents.

Emmet Hauber autoed to Rose Creek, Tuesday, and returned on the train, Saturday.

Mrs. Sarah Daws went to Waucoma, Saturday, to visit her sister, Mrs. M. B. Wilson.

Mrs. Mary DeNoyelles returned Friday to Decorah, after a visit with relatives here.

Horse for Sale—Enquire at this office.

Kathryn Sullivan returned to her home in Le Roy Wednesday.

Wm. Birtwistle and wife left Monday night on a trip to Chicago.

E. L. Jones and wife were down from Lime Springs Wednesday.

Ione Kakac arrived Monday from Chicago for a vacation at home.

BALED HAY—A new supply just in at the F. A. Glass flour and feed store.

Buy your Clocks at Baldwin's. Special prices Saturday. Don't pass this up.

Mrs. G. W. Chick and daughter Susie were down from Lime Springs, yesterday.

Mrs. H. M. Redman arrived yesterday from Lawler to visit at the Jas. Shields home.

For Sale—Full blood Plymouth Rock cockerels. J. B. Barthelme, Rt. 5, Cresco. 50 14

Florence Gager went to Chester Monday for a visit with relatives and friends.

When in need of anything in the Jewelry line, call on Baldwin. See for yourself.

D. Amundson left Wednesday on a business trip to Lawler and New Hampton.

F. A. Glass returned Monday evening from a visit with relatives at Madison, S. D.

Mrs. A. J. Lewis and son went to Austin, Saturday, to visit her mother, Mrs. Chapman.

Mary Carolan returned Friday to her home in Bonair after a visit with Abbie Malanaphy.

Don't forget to take advantage of our sale on China, which we are closing out. Baldwin.

Mary Henks arrived Tuesday from Canora, Canada, to visit her cousin, Cora Sebastian.

Joe Becker and wife went to Le Roy Friday to visit at the home of their son Dr. Ray Becker.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Towne left Saturday for a visit with friends at Hawkeye and West Union.

Mrs. McKnight returned Monday to her home in Le Roy after a visit with Mrs. C. H. Miller.

Mess Herman Anderson and Richard Lloyd, of Lime Springs, were Cresco callers, Saturday.

Alice Wildman returned Saturday to her home in Riceville, after visiting Mrs. L. E. Borst.

Mrs. W. E. Maxfield returned Tuesday to Fayette, after visiting Mess. Donegan and Dean.

Buy your Watches from Baldwin. Give them a trial and see what results you get. Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hill came down from Lime Springs, Saturday, for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Leffer went to Bonair, Saturday, for an over Sunday visit with relatives.

Mrs. Phebe Clark and little daughter went to Bonair Monday to visit at the Geo. Croxton home.

Mrs. John Junker arrived Saturday from Faribault, Minn., for a visit at the J. Rutsch home.

Mrs. C. W. Burdick came up from Decorah, Tuesday, for a visit at the W. H. Tillson home.

Donald Dawley returned Friday from a visit in Charles City, with his uncle, Fred Frost and wife.

If you want a farm loan at a low rate of interest, see American Loan & Trust Company, Cresco, Ia.

Miss Lane was called to Riceville Wednesday on account of the serious illness of her mother.

Farmers on the job. Try Gang Plows before buying, that's the way B. R. Evans sells them. 50 12

Mrs. Owen Murray and children went to New Hampton, Friday, to visit her sister, Mrs. O'Halloran.

Messames Fred Burr and Frank White went to Chester, Tuesday, for a visit at the Stinzi home.

Theo. Raker was called to Dyersville, Tuesday, to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. John Trumm.

Wm. Fleming left Wednesday morning for Madison, S. D., to look after matters on his farm there.

Blanche Grebin and brother Vere left Monday for a two week's visit with relatives in Dubuque.

Mrs. Alvin Nash and sister, Harriett McCullow of Minneapolis were down from Lime Springs Friday.

Mrs. Wm. Huber and daughter went to Ft. Atkinson, Saturday, for a visit with Mrs. Huber's parents.

Gannon & Gager, all kinds of carpenter and cabinet work. Phone 218. Shop next to Alexander's Yard. 13 1/2

Mary Zbornik, and niece and nephew, went to Ft. Atkinson Saturday for a two week's visit with her parents.

Nellie Walsh, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Miles Henry, returned Saturday to her home in Decorah.

T. P. Logsdon, and son Ben with his wife and babe came up from Decorah, Tuesday, for a visit with relatives.

Marguerite Baker and Alice Beach went to Lime Springs, Saturday, for a visit with Lillian and Myrtle Tipton.

FARM FOR RENT—320 acres 6 1/2 miles southwest of Cresco.

50 JAKE RINK, Rt. 7, Cresco, Ia.

New harness and good wagon for sale cheap. Enquire of S. S. CULVER.

Rev. and Mrs. Graf returned Saturday to their home at Strawberry Point, after a visit at the Rev. Pless home.

FOR SALE—A good work horse, safe for women to drive. A bargain. No use for him. 49 EDGAR J. TAFT.

FOR SALE—Cora wood, both oak and and poplar, at the new race track. Enquire of ENOCH STROTHER. 28 1/2.

John Brierly, wife and children arrived Wednesday from Kansas City for a visit with relatives and friends.

Use Miller's Creek Kentucky Splint Coal for threshing. LOMAS & FARNSWORTH.

Frank Gould and wife, of Elgin, Ill., are guests at the W. J. Webster home. Mess. Gould and Webster are sisters.

A. E. Satre and wife returned Friday to Le Roy, the latter after recovering from an operation at the hospital.

Mrs. Chas. Owens and little son arrived Tuesday from Marshalltown, Ia., to visit her brother, S. H. Livingston.

Mrs. E. J. Lang and two daughters arrived Saturday from Waterloo to visit her sister, Mrs. E. P. Thompson.

Mrs. Albert Williams, who was a patient at the hospital, was able to return to her home in Decorah, Friday.

Mrs. A. W. Miller returned Friday to her home in Decorah, after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Fred Woellstein.

Have you seen the New Vases at Baldwin's? Prices right, and will give you one on a \$5.00 purchase, Saturday only.

Mrs. Wm. Hughes and little son came down from Lime Saturday for an over Sunday visit at the Robert Hughes home.

Marie Jensen and Hazel Foss returned Friday from the Upper Iowa University, where they attended summer school.

LOST—Aug. 1st, between A. Marshall's and Will Cummin's, a boy's brown coat. Finder please return to this office.

DIAMONDS—A fine line to select from in Rings and Pendant Necklaces. Prices are the lowest in Cresco at Baldwin's.

Reginald, Leslie and Paul Barnes left Tuesday for Butte, Montana, to visit their uncle, Peter Breen, on his ranch near there.

Mrs. Janet McIntosh, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. F. McIntire returned Tuesday to her home in Decorah.

Mrs. John Owens and daughter Gertrude returned Wednesday to their home in West Union, after a visit with relatives here.

Grace Meyer, who has been taking a course in training at the hospital, returned Friday to her home at Strawberry Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Skinner, of Minneapolis, who have been visiting at the Herbert Miller home, went to Decorah, Tuesday.

Miss Elva McKee, who has been a guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Mary McKee, returned Saturday to her home in Austin.

Julia Sullivan and Mary Roche returned Saturday to their home in LeRoy, after a visit at the home of Mrs. L. Fleming.

New sewing machines for sale and rent—also repaired. JNO. J. VAN SLYKE, Singer Sewing Machine Agent, Cresco Iowa. Phone 15.

Ed. Gaynor and Miss Mildred Lee, of Dubuque, were over Sunday visitors at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. R. J. Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Lomas went to LeRoy, Saturday, for an over Sunday visit at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Merrill Bowers.

Mrs. S. Gunderson, who has been visiting at the G. H. Melas home and with other friends, returned Friday to her home in Ridgeway.

Miss Rachael Forthun, of Minneapolis, and Helen Butler, who have been guests at the C. Forthun home, returned yesterday to LeRoy.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Elderkin and Mrs. Guy Daws and little son George returned Wednesday by auto from a two weeks' visit with relatives in Mankato.

Mrs. C. E. Farnsworth and children left Monday evening for a visit with relatives at Darien, Wis., and Clint left the following morning for Missoula, Montana, to seek relief from hay fever.

Louise Melas, of Minot, N. D., has been visiting at the home of her brothers during the past week.

Mrs. Henry Melas, who has been visiting at the G. J. and Anton Melas homes, left yesterday for Minneapolis, enroute to her home at Minot, N. D.

Mrs. John Rastratter and daughter returned Friday to their home in Minneapolis, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Wilson.

Mrs. Herman Bundrick and little son returned Saturday to their home in Lime Springs, after a two weeks' visit with her aunt, Mrs. Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Despard and little son, of LeRoy, were guests at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Frank Bickford, the first of the week.

George Humphrey of Seattle, Wash., who has been visiting his son at Mason City, was in Cresco over Sunday visiting among relatives and friends.

Be a Missourian—let the Gang Plow show you on your farm whether its a gang plow or a horse-killer. That's the way B. R. Evans sells plows.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Barrett, who were here to attend the wedding of Miss Nona Barrett, returned Sunday night to their home at Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Borge, who have been visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Mary McKee, left Friday by auto for their home at Arcadia, Wisconsin.

FOR SALE—A complete Minneapolis threshing outfit, with Wing feeder. Reason for selling, other business interests. Enquire of AHERN BROS.

Buggy and harness for sale at once. All good as new, buggy heavy substantial make. Harness light driving, hard rubber rings. G. W. Meyers, Bonair.

The Morgan Epworth League will give an entertainment on August 27th, on the lawn at the home of Mrs. Jennie James. Further announcement later.

Clara and Donald Dawley returned Friday from Charles City; their aunt, Mrs. Fred Frost, accompanied them home for a short visit, returning Saturday.

Mrs. Clifford Sherwin, of Goodhue, Minn., and Mrs. J. W. Lambert, of Plaza, N. D., arrived Tuesday for a visit with their sister, Mrs. Max Thuerk.

Mrs. Theo. Gunderson and children went to Ridgeway Saturday to visit at the Otto Gunderson home. Miss Mabel accompanied them to her home in Ridgeway.

Mrs. John Bateman, who has been visiting at the William and E. E. Bateman homes and with relatives in Harmony, returned Friday to her home in Spencer.

Henry Stinson and bride arrived Monday from Dent, Montana, where he is in the drug business, for a visit among relatives and friends in Cresco and vicinity.

Dr. D. T. Robertson left Sunday night for Madrid, N. Y., to visit his parents and to join his family in a vacation visit. He expects to return about Aug. 28th.

James Howard and family and Mrs. R. J. Baldwin and little daughter autoed to New Hampton, Wednesday, and were guests for a few days at the L. S. Joyce home.

Mrs. W. Longstreet and daughter returned Wednesday to their home in Decorah, the latter having recovered from an operation on her throat which she underwent Monday.

Miss E. L. Whitney, niece and nephew, Dorothy and Howard Whitney, who have been visiting at the John Martin home, returned Saturday to their home in Medford, Minn.

Horse for Sale—At once, good gentle horse, not afraid of autos, etc. Would be good for school children, cheap. Single or double driver or rider. G. W. Meyers, Bonair.

Mrs. Mary Byrnes went to Decorah Saturday to visit at the home of her brother, L. H. Fleming and to get acquainted with the new nephew which arrived there Saturday morning.

E. D. Yarrington, of Rapid City, S. D., was in Cresco on Monday, coming from Decorah, to which place he brought his aged father-in-law, who has been at Rapid City for some time.

FOR SALE—A new 7-room house, with electric lights and all new outbuildings, half acre of land, south side. A fine residence and a bargain. Enquire of 49 1/2 A. J. EVANS.

LOST—An accidental insurance policy, issued by the Bankers' Ins. Co. to Frank Kjellgren. Lost on the streets of Cresco on Wednesday, July 22nd. Finder please leave at this office.

Mrs. J. C. Biel and son Donald and Mrs. Henry Boller and son Rudolph, Mrs. Engelhardt, Mrs. F. Reinke, and Mrs. Lois Heckendorf went to Lime Springs Monday to visit Mrs. Augusta Jones.

Mrs. Cornelisen and son, of Pittsburg, Kansas, who have been guests of the former's aunt, Mrs. C. I. White, left yesterday for LaCrosse, Madison, South Dakota, and other points, enroute to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Glise returned Tuesday to their home in Decorah, after visiting at the home of their cousin, Mrs. E. A. Bents.

For Sale—Two high grade Holstein heifer calves, four and eight months old. Also a good wagon with a tigh box. Emery Beauregard.

Georgia and Stella Tillson, who have been visiting relatives and friends here, left Wednesday for a visit in Minneapolis and at Perham, Minn., enroute to their home at San Diego, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Bandle and family, Mrs. Mike Erion and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Henniges and children autoed over from Alta Vista, Friday, and were guests at the Rev. Pless home.

Rev. Dr. Perkins S. Slocum, of Clinton, Iowa, was a Cresco caller yesterday enroute to Chester. He is making a great success as an orator and lecturer on the Chautauqua platform this season.

Mrs. Duncan McIntosh returned Saturday from Austin where she went to attend the funeral of Rev. Lutz, of Winona, Minn., which took place at Austin, Thursday. Mrs. Lutz is a cousin of Mrs. McIntosh.

Mrs. Chapin and daughter, Mrs. Helen Hansen and little son, who have been visiting relatives and friends here, left Monday morning, the former to visit her sister in Minneapolis, and the latter for a visit at Prior Lake, Minn.

Bert L. Perry, residing on the Rowley farm east of Cresco, will have the first auction sale of the season on Tuesday, Sept. 1st. He has an especially good lot of farm machinery, including a corn shredder and a 12-horse gasoline engine.

C. W. Reed and family and A. B. Converse left Wednesday morning for Osage where Mr. Reed's family will visit while the gentlemen go on to Clear Lake to remain a few days and participate in the annual encampment of the Patriarchs Militant of the state.

The German Catholic congregation are contemplating more improvements to their church property in the near future, it being planned to either remodel and enlarge their present church building or to build a new church with seating capacity for 600 or more.

Graduates of rural schools are amply prepared to take the regular commercial course at Valder College, Decorah, Iowa. A special 3 month's course in bookkeeping, arithmetic, grammar, letter writing, penmanship, spelling and commercial law for the farmer is given. Write for catalog.

J. S. Swenson is installing an individual electric light plant in his factory, the electricity being generated by a small dynamo run by a gasoline engine and held in storage batteries. Mr. Swenson has the agency for the outfit and can install an outfit very cheaply for any one who has a gasoline engine to furnish the power.

Protect that property NOW with a good insurance policy protecting it in case of loss from Fire, Lightning or Tornado. I have the agency for the Companies recently represented by Mr. John Steinman. These companies have been tested out in this locality and made good—nothing better—nothing cheaper. City and farm insurance of all kinds written.

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Correspondents Wanted

The Plain Dealer wants a few more good correspondents to send in the items from their locality. We especially want one at Elma, Riceville, Saratoga and Lourdes. If you care to take up the work, let us hear from you.

Wood and Posts for Sale.

Have a quantity of good burr oak posts, also good burr oak and black oak, either in cord wood or cut in stove lengths. Call on or phone.

D. A. Lyons.

For Sale

House and three lots, well located for some retired farmer. Small barn and good well. Enquire at this office.

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One car of corn, also some cattle for pasture. Phone Maple Leaf 21.

A. G. White, Cresco, Ia.

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