

COUNTY NEWS.

LIME SPRINGS.

A big, booming 4th of July celebration at Lime Springs on Saturday, July 3rd.

Evan Williams and wife arrived home from Springfield, Mass., on Monday. They made the entire trip by auto.

Lester Moar, E. A. Scholl, of Charles City, Elizabeth Arsen, of Osage and Margaret Jones autoed to Cresco Tuesday night to attend the Chautauqua.

Claude Elzea and wife left Wednesday morning for their home at Sheldon, Iowa.

Fredrick Kollman came from Westgate Sunday night for an extended visit with relatives here.

F. M. Stevens and family completed their auto tour and arrived home Sunday night.

Alve Moen and Willard Webber, of Cresco autoed up Tuesday night.

Frances Barlow visited friends in Chester over Sunday.

S. H. Hall and wife went to Cresco Sunday night to attend the Chautauqua there this week.

Maude Murray autoed to Austin Monday to meet her brother, who was returning from school at Minneapolis.

Mrs. Henry Essen returned Saturday from Marshalltown, Ia., where she has been visiting friends.

George Hall, Joe Williams, Herman Ruesink and Frank and Charles Schacht autoed to Waterloo Tuesday.

Mrs. S. H. Roberts and son Morris left Wednesday for Le Seuer, Minn., for a visit with relatives there.

Mrs. Mary Prescott left Tuesday for Riceville, for a brief visit with friends there.

A. W. Clapham, Lyle Young and C. M. Parker autoed from Lawler Tuesday, for a visit at the Geo. O. Clapham home.

Wm. Hoesehan and wife visited at the Glen Johnson home in Bonair Tuesday.

Seymour Cray, Jr., and sister Josephine, of Cresco visited relatives here Saturday.

Wallace Shaw autoed from Le Roy Tuesday.

Ezra Jones has bought a half interest in the city dry line owned by Arthur Daws, of Cresco.

Irene Roberts, after completing a successful year at Oberlin College, returned home Thursday.

J. L. Farmer and wife left for Waucoma Wednesday.

Albert Lidtke and wife made a business trip last week to Mora, Minn., by auto.

Mary Weber, of Winona, Ia., came last Tuesday for a visit with her aunt, Bessie A. J. Baerman.

Bessie Wells returned Sunday from Maville, Iowa, where she had been the guest of Mrs. Walter McBride.

Miss Alik, of Greenleafton, came last Monday for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Roy Vanderbie.

Mrs. Harry Humphrey went to Chester Sunday, for a visit with relatives there.

Mrs. Richard Lohuis went to Burr Oak Monday, for an extended visit with her daughter.

R. H. Becker, of LeRoy, autoed down Sunday.

Mrs. L. Umhoefer, who has been visiting friends in Mason City, returned home last Tuesday.

Mrs. Vera Connice and little daughter, of Claire City, N. D., came Thursday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Harry Hill.

Thos. Davis, of Oshkosh, Wis., came Friday for a visit with his brother Isaac Davis.

James Lewis, of Winifred, N. D., who has been visiting at the E. R. Morris home, returned home Tuesday.

Augustus Prescott and Herbert Jones left Friday for Madison, Wis., and from there to Lake Geneva where they will camp with the Y. M. C. A. boys.

Lawrence Hall left Monday for Oelwein, after an over Sunday visit with home folks.

Mrs. Ger. Bly came Thursday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Herman Anderson.

J. C. Sanborn and Miss Merle Sanborn autoed to Volga Tuesday.

The I. C. C. Club picnicked at Old Town Tuesday.

BONAIR.

Mrs. Wm. Michael was taken quite ill the first of the week, but we are glad to note she is somewhat improved.

Frances Bird arrived home Thursday morning from Mt. St. Joseph College, Dubuque, to spend her summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Grabau, accompanied by their daughter Eva and son Earl, started by auto for Big Lake, Minn. Mr. and Mrs. Grabau expect to spend a week and Eva and Earl will make an extended visit.

Neva Bowden, Bessie Smith and Winifred Evans, as delegates, attended the Epworth League convention at New Hampton Monday and Tuesday and report a profitable time.

Clare Bird visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Minear, south of Cresco.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoopman, living near Lime Springs, visited at the Glen Johnson home Wednesday evening.

Mr. Fox, a former resident, spent several days in our town last week. He is a representative of the Texas Land Co. and expects to reside in that state soon.

Mary Carolan and Ella Costello are attending summer school at Fayette.

Ruby Walker left Friday morning for Manson to visit her brother Grant.

The Father's Day program, which was planned for Sunday evening, will be given later.

The Epworth League social at the Woodmen hall was well attended and all report a good time.

Henry Windmiller, returning from New York, reports fine looking crops and everything good in general.

The men who painted the parsonage succeeded in getting one coat on Thursday. The rest will be added later. The ladies also added much to the interior of the church by varnishing, putting down new carpets and installing three new pulpits chairs.

PROTIVIN.

Follow the crowd to Protivin on July 5th.

Charles J. Chyle departed for Cedar Rapids, Monday to resume his work, after a week's visit with home folks.

John J. Mikesh and family, Lewis Bader and Edward Benda autoed from Le Roy, Minn., Friday. They left for Hawkeye, Monday where they will run the merry-go-round.

Mrs. Margaret De Noyelles and daughter, of Cresco, are visiting Mrs. Anna Zahasky.

Thomas Chyle and daughter Mary were in Jackson Jct. Monday.

Mrs. James Malek and children, of Schley, visited at the W. J. Kalishek home Monday.

August Lukes is the proud possessor of a brand new piano, recently purchased from Marsh music house, of Decorah.

Protivin will celebrate July 5th, 1915. This celebration will be one of the biggest in the history of Protivin. Base ball game Saude vs Ridgeway, etc. Remember July 5th, and come to Protivin, the town that does things.

George Eimwaller and family autoed from Ft. Atkinson Thursday.

Regina Zahasky is working in Lawler.

Wm. Dostal, Charles J. and Chas. W. Chyle and Adolph Cisar, autoed to Ridgeway, Decorah, Conover, Calmar and Spillville Thursday.

Edith Mikesh arrived home from Cedar Rapids Wednesday.

John Malek and family, and Mrs. L. V. Svestka autoed from Schley Tuesday.

Anna Lentz, of Mason City, is visiting here with her sister, Mrs. W. J. Kalishek.

Died—The 9 year old son of Joseph Samec passed away Sunday, June 29, after a short illness. Funeral was held at the Holy Trinity church Tuesday, and remains were laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery. The bereaved ones have the sympathy of all in their hour of sorrow.

The parochial school closed Wednesday for summer vacation.

Rev. Rudolph Lakomy left for Dubuque Monday.

Sisters M. Daria, Salomea and Lucy went to Milwaukee, Wis., Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vokaty, of Lourdes, attended the funeral here Tuesday.

Joseph Kovarik, Jr., purchased a new Ford from Klimesh Auto Co.

A number from here attended the barn dance at John Vrbas' Sunday evening. A great time is reported.

Frank C. Fencel and wife, of Elma, are visiting at the latter's home here.

Celebrate the National holiday at Protivin, July 5th, 1915. Street parade at 11 o'clock, base ball game in the afternoon and other amusements. Dance in Beseda afternoon and evening. Come and enjoy yourself. We will show you that we have the stuff.

(Too late for last week)

Charles J. Chyle and Adolph Cisar arrived from Cedar Rapids Monday, to visit at their homes.

Edward Zahajsky, Leonard and Charles Snopce, who have been attending St. Joseph college in Dubuque, came home Saturday to spend vacation at home.

Albert J. Mikesh and Edward Tupy left Monday for a few days' stay in Cedar Rapids.

Born—A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Bouska, Thursday, June 10, 1915. Congratulations.

Born—A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bouska, Tuesday, June 8, 1915. Congratulations.

John Holecsek and Wm. Zahajsky were callers in Cresco Thursday.

Mrs. Fred Vachta, of Cresco is visiting here at her home.

L. V. Ptacek and family, of Cresco spent Sunday here with relatives.

Thomas Chyle and son Wm., autoed to Jackson Jct. Monday.

Mrs. Kobliska, of Bassett, is visiting here, her daughter, Mrs. Charles Bouska.

Wm. Polashek was in Lawler Saturday.

Edward Lukes and wife, and Fred and August Lukes autoed to Decorah Monday.

The forthcoming marriage of Wm. Svestka and Mary Krall, both of Jackson Jct., was announced at the Holy Trinity church, last Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Jinderlee and daughter autoed from Cresco Tuesday.

C. H. Zender, wife and babe went to Cresco Tuesday.

Mrs. Mary Wendt is enjoying a visit from her brother of Cleveland, Ohio.

SCHLEY.

Ed Cenek transacted business in Cresco Saturday.

Frank Capouch, wife and baby spent Sunday at the Polansky home.

Wm. Hoppe and wife and Fred Decker and wife spent Sunday with relatives at Alta Vista.

Henry Rethamel and Bert Rhinehart was Cresco callers Saturday.

Fred Derr went to Ft. Atkinson, Thursday, returning Saturday. He was accompanied home by his father-in-law, Mr. Falck, for an over Sunday visit.

Mrs. J. T. Hooper returned home Sunday after a few days visit at the Capt. Hooper home in Cresco.

Seyvert Knuteson and wife spent Sunday at the Fred Rethamel home.

Andrew Frank and wife, attended church at Cresco Sunday.

Joe Bilek and wife spent Sunday at the Fred Derr home.

John Nohale and daughter were Cresco shoppers Tuesday.

John Omacht, wife and daughter, and M. A. Derr attended church at Cresco Sunday.

Joe Chitek attended the Chautauqua at Cresco Tuesday evening.

John Malek autoed to Cresco Tuesday.

Clara Omacht returned home Friday after spending a few days with relatives at Cresco.

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

RIDGEWAY.

Mrs. M. C. Maricle, of Aberdeen, S. D., came to-day to visit her sister, Mrs. M. O. Libbey.

Anna Ellingson was a Cresco visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Robert Blackburn and son Stewart went to Blooming Prairie Saturday to visit her brother, Julius Olson.

Mrs. H. E. Grimes returned to Minneapolis Saturday, after an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. C. Degro.

Grace Gulickson left for Fayette Monday to attend summer school.

Charles Degro, from near Schley, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. C. Degro.

Elmer Powers, of Cresco, spent the week with his brother John.

Alice Gulickson went to Kendallville Saturday to visit the Gust Jacobson family.

Mrs. John Thompson and daughter Florence, of Baltic, S. D., are here visiting the Ringson and Gulickson families. The former's mother, Mrs. Torger Thompson, accompanied them.

Mrs. Ferd Bakken and sister, Selma Guttormson, came up from Decorah Saturday.

Lars Guttormson's entertained the Y. P. S. of the W. L. church Sunday evening.

Dorothy Schuetz returned from a two weeks' visit at Nashua and New Hampton on Saturday.

Mrs. J. D. Parker, Hugh and Elmer, of Fayette, came up Saturday to visit the Klemme and Baker families.

Mrs. A. Johnson was at Cresco Saturday attending the rural school graduation. Her niece was a graduate.

A few from town attended the Olsoning here Wednesday.

Mrs. K. Hathaway has been quite ill since Saturday.

Emma Anderson returned to Oasian this week with her brother Martin.

Mrs. Irwin Allen, of Postville, who has been visiting Mrs. Lemon, spent Friday afternoon here with Mrs. W. J. Paley.

Mrs. Halver Bakken, of Mahanomen, Minn., is here visiting relatives.

Mrs. Louise Clark returned to Nashua to-day, after an over Sunday visit with her sister, Mrs. N. Schuetz.

Rev. and Mrs. Sheemaker, Grace Powers and Anna Brown attended the E. L. convention at New Hampton Monday and Tuesday.

H. H. Albertson and family, of Le Roy, Minn., returned home Monday morning, after spending Sunday with relatives here.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Julius Linde, at Calmar, a daughter, Saturday morning, June 19th.

Allen Butz, Oswald Orum and Earl Libbey spent Sunday at the C. L. Wilson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Cobb, of Lyle, Minn., are here visiting their daughter, Mrs. N. C. Putnam.

Mrs. Gordon Bowers and Beattie, of Cresco, spent the week here visiting her sister, Mrs. Glen Bowers.

An ice cream social will be given to the band on O. R. Ringoen's lawn, Friday evening of this week. A concert will also be given by the band.

Mrs. Thompson and her mother, of Baltic, S. D., went to Saude to-day to visit relatives.

Mrs. Haakenson entertained the L. A. S. Thursday.

Selma Guttormson, of Decorah, who is visiting relatives here, had her eye quite badly burned Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Libbey and Mrs. M. C. Maricle, of Aberdeen, S. D., attended the old settlers picnic at Burr Oak Tuesday.

SARATOGA.

Saratoga will celebrate the 5th of July. Hurrah! for Saratoga.

Wm. Schaal autoed to Elma Wednesday evening, accompanied by Henry Ponck, who spent the rest of the week there.

Wm. Baethke and his brothes-in-law, Wm. Ball, left Wednesday morning for Sauk Center, Minn., and returned Friday.

Mary Baethke, after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Ball, returned home Saturday.

Willie Groth autoed over to J. L. Kent's Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Albert Lockie and daughters were Riceville visitors Thursday.

Chas. Viebrock autoed to Riceville Thursday, accompanied by Mrs. Carl Prinz and daughter, Minnie and Dave Dunn.

Mrs. Wm. Schaal and daughters Stella and Lucy were Cresco shoppers Thursday.

Mrs. F. M. Buresh and children autoed to Riceville Thursday forenoon.

Mrs. John Miles and children called on grandpa and grandma Miles Thursday evening.

Fred Groth and wife autoed to New Hampton last Thursday.

Grandpa Miles and his three sons, Alfred, John and Bill, went to Mason City Thursday to take in the races.

Wm. Timmerman called on Wm. Groth last Friday.

The dance at Wm. Bohneman's was well attended, and all report a good time.

Mrs. Roy Gladden from Staples, Minn., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kelsey, these days.

Carl Prinz and family were entertaining company Sunday evening.

August Warnke and family are the owners of a new Hupmobile purchased last week.

Wm. Groth and family were Elma visitors Sunday last.

Fred Groth and family, spent Sunday evening at the C. F. Baethke home.

Chas. Sigler and Wm. Baethke are doing carpenter work for Fred Bartles these days.

The Children's Day program last Sunday was fine and a large crowd attended.

The girls of our village had a picnic Tuesday in Sigler's woods and a good time was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson from Stanton, Minn., are visiting their daughter Edna and son Ed, and other friends in this vicinity.

Jess Miles sold some hogs to Riceville buyers Tuesday.

OTTER CREEK CLIPPINGS.

Another frost visited this locality last week one night.

Robert Mealy is cultivating corn for Charley Kuntz these days.

The German M. E. people are going to celebrate Children's Day with an appropriate program at their church, next Sunday evening.

A gang of men under our efficient road superintendent are working on the road near the Howard county line, at Win Kratz's.

Sub-director's meeting next week Thursday, July 1st.

Rev. W. A. Scholer, of Cresco, was a pleasant visitor at the Schild home the fore part of the week.

Theo. Kratz and wife, and Malanna and Amelia, also Mrs. Rollie Kratz, of Sumner Twp., drove to Golden Ridge last Saturday evening to take in the Children's Day program at the Evangelical church, and greet friends and relatives.

Mrs. Mike Hruska spent a pleasant afternoon with her friend and neighbor, Mrs. Mike Kratz, Monday this week.

R. A. Griswold, of Ridgeway, made a business call through here last week, looking up troubles in gasoline engines.

Walter Kratz, one evening last week, gave A. F. Schild and the latter's nephew, Ralph, a fine joy ride in his Reo.

Hattie Kratz entertained a lady friend of hers from Cresco, last week one day.

C. Schild and family were entertained at dinner last Sunday by John Aegerter and family.

Lewis Walter, wife and son, of Golden Ridge, were pleasant callers at the parental home of Mrs. W's last week one day.

Myrtle Schild arrived home from Naperville, Ill., last week Friday morning, where she had been pursuing studies at Northwestern College the past two years.

Charley Beaucher, of Ridgeway, made a number of business calls through here last week.

Henry Vathauer and his brother Fred, from near Ridgeway, were out looking up stock for market last week.

Wesley Kratz and his brother Walter were pleasant callers at the C. Schild home, last week Saturday evening.

Hattie Kratz visited her sister, Mrs. Lewis Walter, of Golden Ridge, a number of days last week and this.

Fred Falck and wife, north of Ridgeway, Alfred Peter and family, F. C. Koch and wife, Mike Kratz's folks and Carl Goocher, spent Sunday with Amel Koch and family, passing a very pleasant time together.

For Sale

Farms and ranches; good corn and alfalfa land from \$20 to \$60 per acre on easy terms, owners prices. Inquire of J. H. Dunn, O'Neill, Neb.

ELMA.

Miss Meyers, of Oasian, came Tuesday to spend a few days with her sister, Erma Meyers.

Herbert Pospichal returned from Dubuque to spend his summer vacation with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Krueger, of Riceville, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller.

Mrs. Frank Trunkey and daughters Marjorie and Beth came from Waterloo, Sunday, to visit relatives.

J. W. Mahoney left Sunday night for Chicago.

Nellie and Colletta Conway came home Sunday from Sinsinawa, Wisconsin, at which place they have been attending school.

Florence Kane and Doris Fallgatter returned from Lawler, Tuesday.

Phil Daley is home from Creighton College to spend his vacation.

Mary Kildee and brothers Paul and Miles came up from Waterloo, Sunday, to attend the I. C. A. Alumni Banquet, Monday evening.

Mae Keefe went to Dubuque, Tuesday, to take a course in music.

Leo O'Donnell, Mark Deegan, Harry Conway and Joe O'Donnell returned home Thursday from their school work at Prairie du Chien.

Miss Fink, of Alta Vista, spent Sunday with Doris Fallgatter.

Mr. and Mrs. Richmond, of Riceville, were callers in Elma, Wednesday.

Hilda Meyers is visiting relatives in Oasian.

Masters Dan and Don Dunton spent a few days in Riceville, visiting relatives.

Mabel Butler, of Dyeraville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Will Gardner.

Mrs. Irving Despres returned home, Thursday, after an extended visit with relatives in Chicago and Decorah.

Mrs. Perry and daughter, of Illinois, are visiting her sister, Mrs. N. T. Davies.

Mrs. Kane and Doris Burke are visiting relatives in Nashua.

KENDALLVILLE.

Clifford Eddy and Walter Daskam and wives spent Sunday at the Bert Yates home at Canton, Minn.

Mr. Germain has been on the sick list the past week.

Ole Ellingson delivered hogs at Cresco Tuesday.

Fred Todd spent a couple of days at the home of his brother Steve this week.

Chas. Curtis had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse Monday morning.

Mrs. Sarah M. Davis, of Richland Center, Iowa, purchased a house and lot of W. A. Clink and expects to take possession soon.

Mrs. J. C. Todd is treating her barn to a coat of paint.

Max Daskam returned from his auto trip Sunday morning, and is assisting Miss Pederson in the store.

John Heas has sold his farm to a party from near Oasian.

Fred Barnes and family autoed to Cresco Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sobolik autoed out from Cresco Monday, for a visit at the Barnes home, Mrs. Barnes returning with them for a week's visit and take in Chautauqua.

John Hess is now running a fine new Buick.

Steve Todd and wife spent Sunday at the John Pierce home near Plymouth Rock.

Alice Gulickson, from Ridgeway, is visiting at the Gus Jacobson home.

Christina Eide is assisting with the housework at the Clinton Fifield home.

Grandma Ellingson is a pleasant guest at the Ellingson home.

Relatives from Postville are visiting at the Hatfield home.

GRANGER.

Mr. Brufoldt, of Harmony, agent for the Crown Pianos, was a pleasant caller in the Twin Villages on Wednesday.

Several of our village, people attended the convention at Greenleafton on Thursday.

J. T. Drummond and wife, G. Rumlil and wife, and Clara Dell Wickham autoed to Spring Valley on Monday.

Manley Robinson, of Cresco, agent for the Fuller Brush Co., was a caller in the village Wednesday.

A. G. Serffing has been a business caller in the villages the past week.

Fred Ahns and wife, Mrs. Erwin Ludwig, and C. W. Newmiller autoed to Cresco on Tuesday afternoon.

B. E. Thorne and wife, of Bonair, attended the meeting here Sunday. Mr. Thorne will be remembered to our village people as once the village teacher.

Erwin Ludwig and wife, Herman Lange and Fred Ahns were business callers at Preston on Thursday.

After three weeks' meetings, Mr. Woods and Brooks closed their campaign Sunday night. We hope that these good meetings have been for the benefit of each and every one.

WEST VERNON.

Tom Allen spent a very pleasant Sunday at the Bulger home at Cresco.

Fred Fish and wife visited at the Ed Miller home, Sunday.

Madge Eldredge entertained a gentleman friend, Sunday evening.

Leslie Sebastian called on his father, Leonard Sebastian, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Anton Maachovec and daughter are spending a few weeks at the Frank Novotny home.

Frank Bouska and wife spent Sunday evening at the Joe Burnikel home.

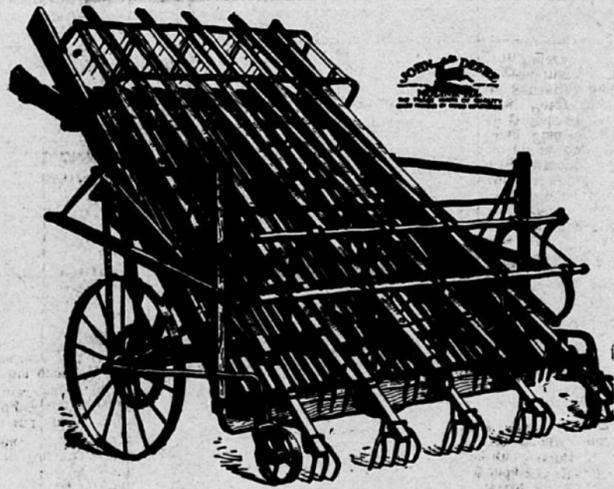
Mrs. Amos Doolittle visited with Elsie Peter, Sunday.

Chas. Fish spent Sunday afternoon with friends at Cresco.

Mrs. Peter Hansen visited at the Len. Sebastian home, Sunday.

A great many of our neighbors attended the funeral of Mr. Woods, Sunday.

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It pushes the hay so far forward on the wagon that only one man, the driver, is required. The easy-running, clean-raking loader.
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