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## COUNTY NEWS.

### ACME.

Minnie Reckner returned to her home at A. J. Dilly's Tuesday after visiting her brothers at Charles City for a couple of weeks.

Grace Marr was an Acme shopper Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Irvin and children were Acme callers Tuesday evening.

Joseph Marr was a caller in our burg Tuesday forenoon.

Frank Swancutt, of Riceville, our Acme stock buyer, is receiving several loads of hogs these days.

Andrew Hintz was calling in Acme Tuesday. We are glad to see him being able to get out again after his hard struggle.

Lewis Lubbert and sons were calling in our burg Tuesday.

Paul Stevens is still entertaining the Boil family which has been his company for some time. Boils are all right if they don't last too long. How about it Paul?

Frankie Reckner spent Tuesday on the A. J. Dilly farm south of town.

Joseph Cashman was an Acme caller Tuesday evening.

Michel Mack and children were Acme callers Tuesday.

Dennis Kennedy and sons delivered hogs in Acme Tuesday.

Geo. Weber, the traveling salesman for the Los Angeles Fruit and Produce Co., left Tuesday morning for Cresco and other towns on the Milwaukee road.

Mrs. Tim Delurrie was a shopper in our burg one day this week.

Frank and Joe Marr were Acme callers Thursday forenoon.

Geo. Bunston and son were Acme shoppers Thursday.

Andrew Hintz was a passenger to Riceville Wednesday.

Lon Lubbert and family spent Sunday at the Andrew Hintz home.

John and Jas. McGourty, Jr., were Acme shoppers Wednesday.

Mary Delurrie was an Acme shopper Friday.

Mrs. Ripley of Riceville came down Wednesday to help care for her son Allison who is on the sick list.

Mrs. Fred Weber and little brother Glendon Neebe were Acme shoppers Wednesday afternoon.

Mary Neebe spent Wednesday evening with her cousin, Stella Cashman.

Gertrude Lubbert called on Mrs. Geo. Webber Wednesday afternoon.

Ralph Dinger autoed to Riceville Wednesday.

Esther Smith was a shopper in Acme Wednesday.

Will Worpel called in our burg Wednesday evening.

Barney Hughes underwent an operation at Mercy hospital at Cresco recently.

Geo. Bunston, Sr., was an Acme shopper Friday evening.

Dr. Hastings, of Alta Vista, was called Thursday to see Mrs. Chas. Neeb who is quite ill.

Charley Murphy and family autoed through our burg Thursday.

W. H. Dinger and Fred Marshall, of Maple Leaf, were Thursday evening shoppers in Acme.

Peter Marr and family were shoppers in Acme Thursday evening.

Mrs. Murphy, of Riceville, was calling on her son James and family.

Gus Aberly the merchant at Davis Corners and son Willie were shopping in Acme Thursday.

Leo Murphy and sons were Acme shoppers Thursday.

Mrs. Jas. Marr and children of Osage autoed through our burg Thursday after visiting at her brother's, Jas. Murphy.

Mrs. Fred Semrod of Maple Leaf was an Acme caller Friday forenoon.

Stella and Joseph Cashman were Acme shoppers Friday.

Joe Marr, Babe Brown and Frankie Reckner were over to the Little Cedar fishing Friday.

Harry Smith was an Acme caller Thursday evening.

Andrew Hintz was a passenger to Elma Friday.

A car load of sand and cement arrived Thursday for the new depot.

Harry Cashman was an Acme caller Thursday evening.

Mr. Craver spent Friday on his farm.

A. J. Dilly is spending the week on the farm, Mr. Ripley being sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Rip Cashman were Acme callers Friday forenoon.

William Cashman was seen on our streets Friday.

Willie Smith was a caller in Acme Thursday evening.

Anna McGourty was an Acme shopper Thursday.

Miss Minnie Reckner is clerking in the A. J. Dilly store during Mr. Dilly's absence.

Mrs. Reckner went down to see her son-in-law Allison Ripley Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Marr and son Raymond were Acme callers Thursday.

Will Worpel called in Acme Friday.

Lon Lubbert and wife were Acme callers Thursday afternoon.

Mary Neeb called at the James Smith home Thursday evening.

Lenford Cashman was an Acme caller Friday.

Chas. Neeb and son Arthur were Acme shoppers Thursday.

Frank Marr and Bill Cashman were callers in Acme Thursday evening.

Frank Bigley, of Maple Leaf, attended the dance here Monday evening.

Miss Stevenson of Maple Leaf was a caller in our burg Wednesday.

Mary Neeb closed a very successful term of school Friday in Dist. No. 12. The pupils of the district with the invited guests picnicked in the Jas. Irvin grove.

Mrs. Geo. Webber and children spent Saturday with Mrs. Weber's mother, Mrs. Chas. Neeb, who is quite ill.

Otto Gesell and family were Sunday evening shoppers in Acme.

Mae Hickman spent Saturday with Minnie Reckner.

Jan. McGrane and wife were Acme callers Sunday evening.

Jake Whittinger of Maple Leaf called in Acme Sunday.

Jas. McGourty, Jr., and the George Weber family autoed over to New Haven Sunday.

Mr. Swanson, of St. Paul, shipped a car load of cattle from here to Omaha, Neb., Saturday.

Mrs. Hickmann and son Wayne were Acme shoppers Monday.

Jas. Murphy and family were Acme shoppers Monday.

Tressa Delurrie returned to school duties Monday at Elma after spending Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo. Murphy are rejoicing over the arrival of a new daughter.

The Brown Bros. autoed to Schley Sunday.

Grandma Craver spent Saturday with Mrs. Brown.

The Hickmann family are entertaining company from David this week.

Lou and Gus Lubbert were Elma callers Monday.

Bills are out announcing a moving picture show here Wednesday and Thursday evening.

The Andrew Hintz family entertained company Sunday.

Clem Enright spent Sunday at the Chas. Neeb home.

Wm. Irvin and family autoed to Riceville Sunday.

John McGourty was an Elma shopper Monday.

Albert Stevens called in Acme Monday evening.

Mrs. Will Bunston called on Mrs. Chas. Neeb Saturday evening.

Harry and Lenford Cashman called in our burg Monday evening.

Bob Bathen of Riceville Sundayed at the Neeb home.

OTTER CREEK CLIPPINGS.

Quite a number attended the lecture on "Deaconess Work" at the German M. E. Church last week Friday evening.

Jim Soukup, our cream gatherer, now comes three times a week instead of two, owing to greater amount of cream and warmer weather.

Philip Smith came down from Cresco one day last week to call on folks at the old home.

Rev. A. F. Damerow, of Decorah, held preaching services at the German M. E. Church last Sunday and called upon some of his parishioners through here fore part of week.

Eddie Peter called on his brother Alfred, of Howard Co., fore part of the week.

Lincoln township base ball fans and Madison township crossed bats Sunday afternoon. Result, Lincoln 20 scores and Madison 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Krueger and children of Florenceville spent Sunday down here with Mrs. K's parents Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Kratz.

Jim Soukup purchased a six cylinder Buick touring car last week Thursday.

Jacob Hornberger, Eddie Weidaman and Ray Koch were pleasant visitors at the Fred Koch home Sunday afternoon.

Robert Vopava and hired man of Sumner Twp. are busy hauling lumber this week for the new granary he is putting up.

Leona Koch visited her sisters, Mrs. Robert Vopava, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weidaman and children Mildred and Vern were pleasant afternoon callers at the Amel Koch home Sunday.

Mrs. Amel Koch was a business shopper at Protivin Monday afternoon.

Tom Kittleson, our fish peddler, made a call among his customers Thursday.

Mrs. Robert Vopava and baby Ileen and sister Leona Koch were pleasant callers at the Joe Vopava, Sr., home Wednesday afternoon.

Sunshine, cloudy and rain is the happenings of one day now.

Leona and Lizzie Koch were pleasant evening callers on Mr. and Mrs. Fred Koch Tuesday.

Will Kuntz has been using his gas tractor on the roads the past week.

Don't forget to go to the polls next week and vote for women suffrage.

Rev. W. A. Scholer, of Cresco, performed the rite of baptism on the babe of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Moe, last Sunday.

Victoria Kratz returned home Sunday from Florenceville, where she had been for several weeks staying with her sister Mrs. Dan Krueger.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernst Fiest of Sumner, Iowa, autoed up here last Sunday to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. John Aegerter and family.

### Treasurer

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination to the office of Co. Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primary election June 5th. I greatly appreciate the kind support I have previously received, and if my work merits re-nomination and election I will be pleased to accept it; if a change is desired I will as gracefully retire.

A. L. WHITE, Cresco, Iowa.

### Auditor.

I wish to take this occasion to announce that I will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for county auditor at the June primary. I appreciate the support my friends have given me in the past and hope to merit their support in the coming campaign.

E. A. HOOPMAN.

### For Sheriff.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Howard County, Iowa, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the Primary Election to be held June 5th, 1916.

34-1f L. J. CAMERON.

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### Announcement.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican ticket for the office of County Recorder, subject to the decision of the voters of Howard County at the primary election to be held June 5th, 1916.

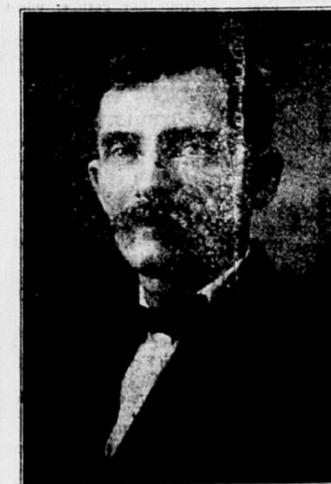
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