

COUNTY NEWS

RIDGEWAY.

Lydia Wemark, Esther Brekke and Mrs. Theadore Hopperstad and Geneva were at Decorah Thursday.

May and Ruth Noblett, of Bonair, were visiting at Arthur Johnson, Friday and Saturday.

Alma Aga returned to Minneapolis Saturday noon after spending a couple of weeks here with relatives.

John Steensland, of Chicago, came on Saturday noon to visit his sister, Mrs. R. G. Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moe of Blooming Prairie, Minn., came Saturday evening to visit at Tom Moe's.

Eli Werhan, of Decorah, is visiting his brother, Be* Werhan.

Otto Rasmussen, of Postville, has been visiting his friend, Herbert Luhnman, since Friday.

Will and Ernest Moe were over Sunday guests of their brother, John Moe, at Blooming Prairie, Minn.

O. A. Fosse was at Cresco Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Gordanier spent Thursday at Decorah with the Dennis Horan, D. L. Werhan and Thornton families.

Mrs. Bert Daniels was at Cresco on Friday between trains.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ernest a baby boy, May 16.

Rudd Hill, of Forest City, is visiting Adele Hickey.

S. L. Fosse and family, of Lanesboro, Minn., came Sunday to visit at the L. T. Fosse home.

Alma Sime and Dorothy Ellingson left Saturday noon for Albert Lea to attend the Commencement exercises at the college.

Word was received from Lanesboro, Minn., announcing the arrival of a baby boy to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Freuchtie May 30th.

The W. F. M. S. of the German Methodist church met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Fred Butz.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dere of Ossian spent Sunday at the Geo. Lomen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Butz and Mrs. Wick were at Cresco Saturday.

Stella Scarvie returned to Decorah Saturday.

Mrs. O. R. Ringoen and Elmer attended the graduation exercises at Ft. Atkinson Thursday evening.

The teachers from the Ridgeway school returned to their homes Saturday: Ruth Nelson to Forest City; Vera Kuntz to Cresco; Selma Sjoboen to Ossian; Clara Bakke to Decorah and Agnes Hoyt to Madison township.

R. G. Baker and family and John Steensland autoed to Saude Sunday to attend a silver wedding of Mrs. Baker's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Natvig.

Rev. Robins and wife came Friday evening from Fayette and are now living at the parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. Baley autoed to Fredricksburg Friday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Guy Rollins.

Mrs. James Needved of Parkersburg, Iowa, returned home Tuesday after spending a week here with her sisters, Mesdames John Hospodarsky and Frank Riha.

Otto Arneson returned to Decorah the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rans Wentworth, of Decorah, spent the day Sunday at Arthur Johnson's.

Mrs. Perkins, of Minneapolis, came Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Armstrong.

Walter and Herbert Peter went to Lanesboro, Minn., the latter part of the week to visit their brother Edward.

Mr. and Mrs. Paley were at Decorah Sunday.

Orrie Libbey arrived home from Laramie, Wyoming, Monday where he has been teaching school.

Mr. and Mrs. McGillivray and son of Rose Creek spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. Putnam and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Robinson, Mrs. Chas. Goth and Carrie Goth autoed to Luana and spent the day with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Aegerter were at Cresco Sunday.

L. A. S. of the Synod church will meet with Mrs. George Lomen Tuesday afternoon, June 8th.

Theodore Gullickson, Olive, Esther Brekke and Mrs. Ole Brekke were at Decorah Monday.

The Confirmation class of Lincoln church went to Decorah Monday and had their pictures taken.

ALBION.

Some of our people are entertaining the measles but no serious cases at this writing.

W. R. Ashley and wife spent Sunday at the home of her parents in Granger Sunday.

J. N. Smith and wife of Cresco spent Sunday evening at the C. A. Wells home.

Olive Richards is spending this week with Cresco relatives and friends.

John Easler and Mrs. Florence Easler and family were pleasant callers at the J. W. Wells home one day last week.

Lost—An excellent memorial sermon at Albion church last Sunday by all who were not present.

Church and S. S. next Sunday at the usual hour. Everybody welcome.

C. A. Wells has recently installed electric lights in his home.

OTTAR CREEK.

Deno Kratz, of Sumner twp., dined with his brother Rollie last week Friday, besides greeting friends, etc.

Frank Hrdina dined with C. Schild and family last week Friday.

Joe Vopova, Gilbert Hopperstead and brother Ole were pleasantly entertained at the Amel Koch home the other week Friday evening.

Little Miss Eileen Vopava called on her cousin, Clinton Koch, other week Wednesday.

Millie Wentworth, of Cresco, was entertained the other Sunday by the Misses Myrtle and Ida Schorr.

Ernest Baumgartner called on Herbert and Walter Peter the other Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haakenson and daughter Gale were Spillville shoppers last week Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Robert Vopava and daughter Eileen spent the other Friday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amel Koch.

Amel Koch and daughter Leona were shoppers at Ridgeway the other week Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Koch and son Clinton were pleasantly entertained the other Sunday evening by Harry Wiedeman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Peter, Sr., and son Lawrence spent a very social evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Peter at Cresco the other Sunday.

Elsie Vopova was a pleasant caller at the Robert Vopova home one day recently.

Ernest Baumgartner and Herbert and Walter Peter spent the other Sunday afternoon with Louis Schorr and family.

Theo. Kratz and family dined and spent the other Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Deno Kratz of Sumner twp.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Kratz called at the Amel Koch home the other Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Ladwig and children spent a very pleasant time with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haakenson the other Sunday afternoon.

Clara Sifka spent the other Sunday with Josephine and Annetta Hopperstad and also called on Elsie Vopova later in the day.

Some of Albert Mzik's folks were callers at Protivin the other Sunday.

Roy Koch and sisters Leona and Lizzie spent a very pleasant time with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vopova, of Sumner twp., last week Monday evening.

Theo. Kratz and family went to Florenceville Sunday to spend the day with Dan Krueger and family.

HAPPY CIRCLE

Blanche Jeffers called at the A. Peter home Thursday evening.

Charles Powers, wife and two children spent Friday evening at Will Reinhart's.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gerber and the former's sister, Mary Gerber, called at the Fred Buri home Friday evening.

Louise Halweg spent Thursday night at Adolph Peter's.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hansen and daughters called at the Peter Hansen home Friday evening.

Alfred Gesell and son Elmer made a business call at the P. Hansen home early Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roth, Ernest Roth, Louise and Ernest Ratz, Mary Gerber, Hazel Burnikel and Elsie Peter were pleasantly entertained at Adolph Peter's Sunday.

Laura DeGroote spent Sunday under the parental roof.

The school in Dist. No. 1 closed Tuesday after a successful term with Miss Louise Halweg as teacher. A picnic was held in the school house as the weather would not permit the picnickers to go to the woods as was planned.

Alfred Gesell is improving his place by digging a cistern.

Mrs. A. Peter and Mrs. Fred Goth called on Mrs. A. DeGroote Sunday afternoon.

Laura DeGroote called on Hazel Burnikel Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bouska and little daughter and Mrs. F. Bouska called at the Leslie Sebastain home and Joseph Burnikel homes Saturday evening.

Charles Fish and wife attended the American Legion meeting in Cresco on Monday.

(Too late for last week.)

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Pankow and daughter Margaret were up from Ossian, Friday.

Will and Clara Peter, who are employed in Waterloo, came home last Tuesday for a visit, returning Monday.

Joseph Burnikel is improving his place with a new porch. John Meyer is doing the work.

Mrs. F. Bouska spent Monday with her sister in Calmar.

Loel Reinhart had the misfortune of breaking his left wrist at school, one day last week.

John Burnikel and Lewis Peter were on the sick list, a few days this week, but are able to attend school again.

The most perfect of all remembrances—the Bride's Photograph. We make only the best.

404 BLUMQUIST SAYRE STUDIO.

TWIN VILLAGES

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lansing and little daughter of Minneapolis were Monday callers with A. C. Holscher, going by auto Tuesday to Madison, Wis.

D. M. Hunt and son Desmond were Preston visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Lee Copeman was a Tuesday visitor with son Charles and family.

Mrs. and Mrs. Tosten Applen and brother Enos of Preston were Tuesday visitors at the Wm. Applen home.

John Biel, of Cresco, was a Granger visitor Wednesday afternoon.

John Soffa returned from his Wisconsin visit Wednesday.

Mrs. A. C. Holscher returned from Madison, Wis., Wednesday.

Fred Martin was a Cresco shopper Thursday.

The Granger school closed Thursday with a picnic which was held on the school ground.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Serfling of Preston were Twin Village callers Friday.

Rosa Ludwig was assisting Mrs. Jesse Stevens with her housework the past week.

Johnnie Jacobson, of New Hampton was a Village caller Friday and Saturday.

Ralph McCloud had one of his horses injured so badly in the wire fence that it had to be killed Friday.

Mrs. R. R. Wickham, who has been staying at the J. T. Drummond home for some time, returned to her home at Madison Friday.

Married at Cresco, Saturday, May 29th, Mr. Sever Jacobson and Miss Betsy Peterson. We extend to them congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roland and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Roland and two children of Prosper were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brink.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crawford of Cresco and Mrs. Fuller of Charles City were Sunday visitors at the Ralph McCloud home.

ORLEANS.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Church and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Hovey, Sunday.

Jessie Hovey and Grace Drew took supper, Wednesday evening, with Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Hagen and family.

A number of our young people attended the dance at Ridgeway, Thursday evening, and report a good time.

Martin Benton is the proud owner of a new Dodge touring car.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Midthus and sons Otto and Arthur, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hovey and family.

Spencer Anderson left Saturday morning for Albert Lea, Minn., to attend the graduation exercises given at Luther Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Anderson and daughters, Grace and Anna, of Cresco, called Thursday evening on Mr. and Mrs. Anon Anderson and family.

Lillie Benson was an over Sunday visitor with home folks.

Grace Drew, Olena, Millie and Jessie Hovey and Clifford Hagen took supper Friday with the Anon Anderson family.

Amanda Bigalk is helping her sister, Mrs. Herbert Anderson, with domestic duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hovey and son Mahlon called at the Gabrielson home, Sunday evening.

Grant Iverson took a spin to Decorah, Saturday evening.

Kenneth Makepeace, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, came the fore part of the week to visit with his sister, Mrs. John Hovey.

PROTIVIN.

Zephie, Viola, Alma and Edward Zahajsky autoed to Cresco, Wednesday, last week.

John J. Mikesch, Frank and Jessie Vachta were visitors in Cresco, Friday.

Alois Kofron, of Cedar Rapids, is a business visitor in town, this week.

Mrs. Frank Svestka, of Jackson Jet., visited relatives here, Saturday.

Mrs. J. D. Bouska, Mary Shores, Beatrice and Frank T. Chyle were in Spillville, Monday.

Lewis Shindelar autoed to Cresco, Tuesday morning.

Mesdames Mary B. Lands, Edward Lukes and Chas. Tucheck were among the Cresco visitors, Thursday.

Emil Polashek and family, of Cresco, visited relatives here, Sunday.

John J. and Mike Mikesch are building an addition to W. M. Kalishek's residence.

Frances Kinkor is working for Mrs. W. J. Kalishek.

Mrs. Fred Lukes and Mrs. Edward Lukes autoed to Cresco, Monday afternoon.

Rev. John P. Broz, of Spillville, Rev. Chas. Dragoun, of Fort Atkinson, and Rev. Vince Opava, of Little Turkey, assisted Rev. Rudolph Lakomy with High Mass, Sunday.

Theresa Shimek left Saturday for Kimball, S. D., for an extended stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lukes and Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Andera spent Sunday in Lime Springs.

Albert M. Miliota went to Cedar Rapids, Tuesday, via auto.

Frank S. Andera autoed to Cresco, Friday evening.

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KENDALLVILLE

Charles Curtis, Dave Easler and wives attended church at Harmony Sunday evening.

Amy Betts was calling on friends here Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Boyer returned to the Fred Barnes home the last of the week from Cresco where she was helping in the care of grandma Barnes.

Max Daskam came here from New York city the last of the week for a visit with relatives and friends.

Lois Soltow came home from Cedar Rapids Saturday where she has been visiting.

John Clink and family and Lola Headington spent Sunday afternoon at the W. A. Clink home.

Clyde Barnes and mother attended church at Cresco Sunday evening.

Cornelia Barnes spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Fred Smith.

The L. A. S. will serve a chicken pie dinner at the hall Monday, June 7.

John Greenhalgh and wife of Cresco and Mrs. Wm. Greenhalgh of Osage called at the W. A. Clink home Sunday afternoon.

OBITUARY.

The death of Mrs. Della Fosse at the Cresco hospital Wednesday, April 28th at 7 o'clock a. m., marks the passing out of this world of one of God's patient women, a good neighbor and friend, and the breaking up of a home wherein husband and wife were just beginning to drink of life in the fullness.

Della Jeanette Hickey was born in Ridgeway, Iowa, Sept. 17th, 1887. She was confirmed in the Lutheran church at the age of fourteen and later in life became a member of the Methodist Ladies' Aid society.

July 8th, 1911, she was united in marriage to Addison Fosse. Five children were born to them. Her husband and four children mourn the loss of her death.

Marvin, Lorna, Vivian and a baby boy of four weeks, also her mother, Mrs. E. C. Hickey, and grandmother, Mrs. M. A. Hickey.

Three sisters Mrs. Ernest Freuchte of Lanesboro, Minn., (Adele and) Mayme of this city. She will not be a stranger in Paradise as her little son Adrian, who preceded her Jan. 7th, 1919, will give her a glad welcome to the father's house of many mansions. May the Saviour give to each of these sorrowing ones, his comfort and aid. May each perform the required task well, till he shall say to them, "Come ye blessed of my father inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world."

Mrs. Della Fosse went to her death after six weeks of lingering illness. All that medicine and surgery could do failed to relieve or cure.

Friday, April 30th, the funeral was held from the home of her husband's parents at Ridgeway, Ia. It was in charge of Rev. H. M. Normann of Cresco. Three ladies sang beautifully before and after the address. The Rev. Mr. Nash of Decorah spoke on the word of Christ: "I am the way, the truth and the life."

Rev. Normann took as his text, Job 19, 25-27: "I know that my Redeemer liveth" etc., showing what balm for sorrowing hearts is to be found in the word of God. The interment was made in Ridgeway cemetery.

A large and beautiful floral tribute was seen massed about the casket.

The very large gathering present attested to the high esteem in which she was held and their sympathy for the sorely bereaved relatives, husband and children.

Among out of town visitors present at the funeral were seen, C. A. Fosse and wife and daughter Madeleine of La-Porte City, Iowa. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Freuchte, of Lanesboro, Minn; Seymour L. Fosse and wife and daughter of Lanesboro.

May the good Lord heal the wounded bind up the brokenhearted and lead us all to His home in heaven when our earthly course is over.

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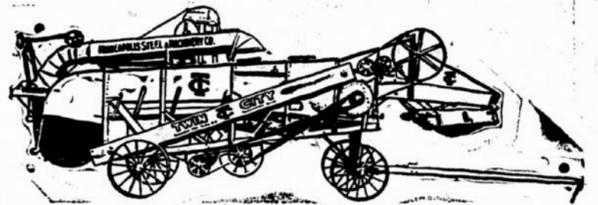
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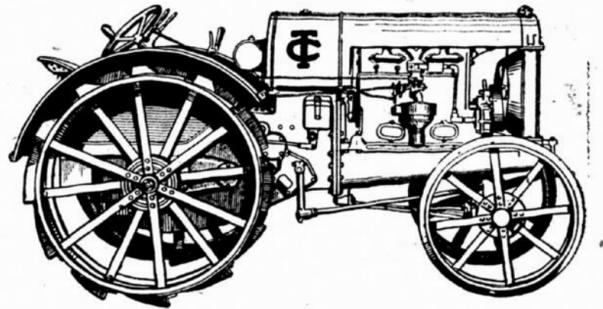
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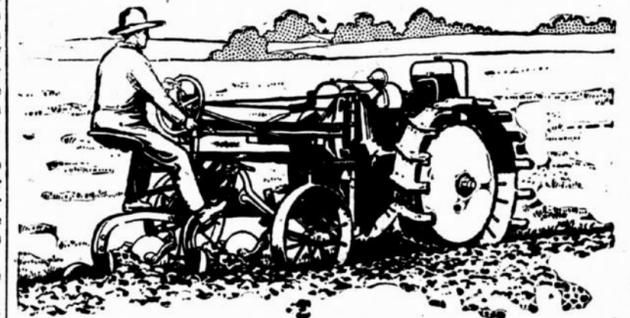
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Saturday, June 5

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