

## Neighborhood News.

Written by our assistant editors.

### DIAMOND.

**Mrs. CHARLES ELTING.**  
The fellow who said he would live on corn bread,  
Is surely and undoubtedly out of his head,  
For the corn is killed by the drought you see,  
And if he has old corn he is ahead of me.  
He must live in town, but if he will drive out,  
He'll find our menu wind pudding and walk about.

An accident occurred to the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Osborn Friday which may yet prove serious. While Mr. Osborn was putting hay in the barn with a hay fork, the little boy in some way got near one of the pulleys and the rope pulled him into it, tearing the flesh from his hands in a frightful manner, the weather being so warm it will likely go pretty hard on the little fellow. Mr. and Mrs. Fogar from east of Jasper spent Sunday with Will Garrett and wife. C. Lunt and family spent Sunday with Mr. Beason and family. Several from this neighborhood attended the baptizing at the ford east of Blue school house Sunday afternoon. Theo. Mitchell traded a horse to John King last week. Erwin Elting from near Carthage is spending a few days with his uncle, Chas. Elting, and family. The thrasher is busy in our neighborhood. J. F. Gulick is busy cleaning out some springs for a new water supply, his ponds being dry and it makes the water question a puzzle for him as for a great many others in our community. Mr. Osborn has three dry wells and is hauling water for 55 head of stock from Mr. Elting's pond. Theo. Mitchell is getting his water supply of Lesby Garrett. Chas. Nett and family spent Sunday at Bethel. Mrs. Tom Wardlow who has been sick for several days, is improving nicely. Thomas Edwards and wife and baby spent Saturday night and Sunday with Chas. Elting and wife. Theo. Mitchell and family spent Sunday with Frank Wood and family. A very contagious disease is going through our neighborhood and the local physician calls it the "blues." A number were absent from Sunday school on account of it. If we get a good rain we are sure every member will be in their places next Sunday. Beatrice Mitchell had an experience last week which was at the time very exciting. After saddling the family driving horse, she took a pail on her arm and proceeded to ride a quarter of a mile to their potato patch for some potatoes. After getting her potatoes she remounted, but the horse became frightened at the noise the potatoes made in the pail, and ran frantically down the road, nothing serious happening except the loss of the potatoes.

### BLUE STAR.

**Mrs. MYRTLE COINER.**

Mrs. A. Beeson and daughter Cora visited Mrs. F. A. Baston Tuesday afternoon. John Lucas and family visited Sam King's Tuesday. C. M. Campbell and wife called on H. E. Coiner's Tuesday evening. H. Beall has been doing some painting on their farm the past week. Chas. Johnson hauled lumber for Mr. Major Wednesday. Jakey Kaderly was a Lakeside visitor Tuesday. Geo. Budd and family and Bob James were in Lamar Wednesday. Miss Amy Despain is working for Robert Wolfe this week. Mrs. R. Larabee has been quite sick the past week. Effie Johnson and Mr. Pennington have also been on the sick list. John Hickman baled straw for Fred Rex last week. Mr. Mikesell visited with A. Beeson's Saturday. Miss Verona Hickman visited with her parents Saturday night and Sunday. Sam King and Mr. Lear were Carthage visitors Sunday. Mr. Larabee visited over Sunday with home folks. Joe Dayringer and family and Steve Lucas and family spent Sunday with Geo. Budd's. H. E. Coiner and wife spent Sunday with Ed Owen and family. Mrs. Emma King and children visited with Mrs. Nelson Sunday. A good many from here have been attending the meetings at Blue. Bert Kaderly is quite sick at the home of his aunt, Mrs. J. E. Hull. Geo. Baston is still confined to his home, his foot not improving very rapidly. Miss Norca and Cecil Larabee spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. J. E. Hull. Miss Hazel Wood spent Sunday with Georgia and Wave Kelley.

### A Dewey Medley.

The great big crowd at Salem, which on Thursday night was seen,  
Was there because the Jasper Band Was playing on the green.

And while the strains of music floated Like an "Arab's Dream,"  
The boys and girls also enjoyed The soda and ice cream.

The ladies sent in lots of cakes, We counted by the score,  
And so we send them many thanks, And thank the Band some more.

And many thanks to all who helped To raise the cash that night,  
For with it the committee hopes To paint the church all white.

Then Deweytown and all around, Turned out on Friday night,  
To Mrs. Leila Mareum's, where They had the fun all right.

Miss Lora Smith, her sister, was Just "sweet sixteen" that day,  
Was very much surprised to have Her friends come there to play.

All Dewey took a moon-light ride, To Jasper Saturday night,  
And listened to the Jasper Band, Which played with all its might.

Mr. Charley Daniels has Come from the Buckeye State,  
He's visiting Joe Edwards and Right here he may locate.

There's Mr. Greenwood and his girls— You ought to see them go—  
They are the first in Deweytown, To run a new auto.

Orin Buster came from town, Spent Sunday with his mother;  
Miss Vaneh Simmons came out, too, And visited her brother.

Mr. Tommy Flowers spent A day with Clarence King,  
The thrashers have arrived this week, Which is a proper thing.

Judge Brook and all his family spent A day with Hamilton's,  
Courtney, Rice and Husby have Disposed of their Bell phones.

Mr. Roteh Kincaid will move To Carytown next year,  
Mr. Will Jones takes his place, He has before lived here.

Mr. Queen and all his folks, Were very sick with ptomaine,  
The poison that they think they got Was in their own ice cream.

Mr. Askins on a trip Is Mrs. Turner's father,  
He has returned to Marionville To hunt for cooler weather.

The Bulls and Alexanders all, To Carterville they went,  
To attend the funeral services, Of Mrs. Rusk, an aunt.

The farmers are all busy now A plowing ground for wheat;  
The women think they have a time, To find green things to eat.

### ZION.

**Miss GLADYS BALLARD.**

Misses Mary and Adaline Schooler returned home last week from a trip to California. Miss Stella Thomas made a shopping trip to Carthage Tuesday. Lucile Scott, who is spending the summer at her grandfather's. H. O. Earl, is taking music lessons of Miss Oma Webb of Jasper. Mrs. Lowenstein and daughter of Carthage, visited last week with the former's mother, Mrs. Folmer. Mrs. J. J. Schooler and Mrs. Isenman called on Mrs. Ben Smith and little daughter, who has been very ill, Friday afternoon. Rev. Yancy of Carthage, filled Brother Medearis' place Sunday. Mrs. Lula Haneney, who has been in the hospital at Kansas City for the past few weeks, returned to her father's Friday. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Jewel Tunnel, for a few weeks' visit. Will Tullis and family were the guests of Emery Tiller and family Sunday. Miss Stella Strecker and Lillian Magers were the guests of Gladys Ballard Sunday. Miss Mary Drake of Jasper visited the latter part of last week with Jessie Johnston. John Schooler and family and Carl and Edna Ballard motored to Blue school house Tuesday evening and attended the meeting being held there by Rev. Medearis. George Earl purchased a team of mules of C. A. Covert Tuesday. Gladys Ballard was the guest of Pearl Hay of Salem Thursday night and attended the ice cream social at Salem. N. W. Showalter has gone to Eldorado Springs for a few days' rest. Mrs. Isenman of Keosauqua, who has been visiting Mike Isenman's, also spent Friday with Mrs. J. J. Schooler. Misses Fern Powell, Edna Ballard and Stella Thomas left Thursday morning for Eldorado Springs, where they will

### LEBANON.

**Miss ALTHEA ARMSTRONG.**

Geo. W. Vincent bought a good work mule from John King Monday of last week, and sold Mr. King a mule the same day. Frank Thacker had an arm badly bruised and almost broken last week by his mule team crowding him against the barn door as he was leading them into the barn. Mrs. Henry Graham was quite sick a few days last week, but is better at this writing. Mrs. W. B. Lyman and children returned home from Arkansas Thursday where they had been to visit Mrs. Lyman's parents and her sister who is sick. Mrs. John Sinclair of Jefferson City and little daughter Katharine, are visiting at the home of Chas. and Wm. Woodrow. Mrs. Sinclair is a niece of Mrs. Wm. Woodrow. Geo. Carns and wife have recently moved from Wentworth to the home of Mr. Carns' parents, John Carns and wife. John Jones and wife, who for several weeks have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Jones' mother, Mrs. Hendrick, of the Union Valley neighborhood, and at the John Carns home in this neighborhood, returned to their home in Kansas Friday. Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Carns are sisters. Harvey Law of Nashville, visited at J. C. Law's Sunday. Earl and Vernie Ray are hauling building material to begin building a dwelling house for their mother, Mrs. Fannie Ray. Misses Orpha and Mae Woodrow attended church at Blue Star school house, and entertained at dinner Miss Edith Cone Sunday. Lewis Cheek from near Greenfield, who has been visiting Mr. Martin and family of the Zion neighborhood, took dinner at Mrs. Fannie Ray's Wednesday. Frank Thacker and wife called at A. E. Armstrong's Sunday afternoon. Frank Miller and Miss Winnie Hill were married last Saturday at Dublin schoolhouse by Rev. J. A. Reid of Jasper. They will reside on the Fred Miller place. Their many friends are congratulating them.

### MALTA.

**Miss LILLIAN MAGERS.**

Most of the farmers are busy cutting hay. Lemie Thomas, and Don Johnston spent Sunday with Lester McConnell. Ruby Jarvis called at Mrs. Welsh's Wednesday. W. C. Mackey shipped a car load of cattle and hogs to Kansas City Wednesday. Will Magers spent Sunday with Roy Mackey. Jim Etter is suffering from getting his hand hurt badly while helping haul the bridge iron out from Jasper last week. Mrs. J. S. O. Wilson helped her mother cook for thrashers last week. Lillian Magers and Stella Strecker spent Sunday with Gladys Ballard. Will Magers and Elmer Foster helped Mr. Wilson put up hay last week. Mrs. John Welsh and daughter called at Magers' Tuesday afternoon. Walker Hubbard and family spent Sunday with E. E. Hubbard and family. Geneva Hubbard is visiting at Alba this week. Raymond Wheeler bought a new buggy Saturday. Girls, who will be the first? Will Garber and family of Lockwood visited Sunday with W. C. Mackey and family. Mrs. Clyde Dunivan visited with Mr. Fenner's and Mr. Sheets' last week. Mrs. G. M. Magers is visiting her sister and family in Nevada and her daughter, Mrs. G. F. Hossack of Girard, Kans., this week.

### DUBLIN.

**Mrs. BERTHA WEBBER.**

Fred and Davis Grider came home Tuesday evening from near Great Bend, Kans., where they have been working in the harvest fields. Bertie Garner visited Mrs. Sam King last Monday afternoon. John Griffiths and family are moving to Mulberry, Kans., this week. Mr. Grider and wife left

here last Saturday morning for Miami, Okla., to visit with their daughter, Mrs. Minta Breedon. Sam King made a business trip to Carthage the first of the week. J. C. Webber and wife called on Mr. Hamm and family last Friday evening. Some hay balers from near Golden City were baling straw for Earl Garner last Wednesday and Thursday. Miss Edna Dayringer helped Bertie Garner cook for the straw balers. Earl Garner helped thrash wheat at Job Millers last Wednesday. Herbert Armstrong has been working for Earl Garner the past two weeks. The Dublin people were quite surprised last Saturday evening when a young couple came out from Jasper, accompanied by a preacher and his wife, and were married in the school house yard. Sunday callers at J. C. Webber's were Bill Griffiths, Earl Garner and wife, Mrs. John Armstrong of Jasper, and Miss Maggie Dayringer. Mr. and Mrs. Dayringer and daughter Edna and son Clark spent the day at George Budd's Sunday. Mrs. Emma King and children were visiting with her mother, Mrs. Nelson last Sunday. The Hamm sisters were visiting with Mr. Griffiths and family last Sunday. Tom Armstrong of Carthage visited Mr. Dayringer and family last Monday.

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