

Forest City and Vicinity

HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST, AS RECORDED BY DELPHEUS

—Wanted—Man to work on farm by year. As my business calls me to the city each afternoon, I find it necessary to hire a competent man to work and look after my interests. References exchanged.

GEORGE BURRIER.

—Mrs. V. H. Brock and daughter, Doris, went up to Mound City, Saturday, where they spent a few days with her parents, Rev. J. N. Cole and family.

—Mrs. S. P. Allen and son, Silas, Jr., came out Saturday and spent the afternoon with her mother, Mrs. S. T. Huiatt and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Mills spent last Sunday in Landon with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bowers.

—We are sorry to hear of our old friend, Mr. E. O. Plummer being very low at this writing, but we hope to learn of his improvement soon.

—Ray Comer lost a valuable cow last week.

—Mrs. H. E. Hopkins and son, Lawrence Earl, of Hamburg, came down last Saturday, and are making a visit with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Guyer and family.

—Mrs. Albert Walker and children, Miss Wilma and Leona, spent the day, last Thursday, with her folks, George Reeves and wife.

—Howard F. Teare, of St. Joseph, was up Saturday, shaking hands with his many friends, and visiting with relatives. Howard is now in the furnishing goods department of the Block Bros. store in St. Joseph.

—L. L. Houston, of Mound City, spent last Saturday with Conley Swain and family.

—Wm. Baker went down to Forbes, last Saturday morning, and visited with his two sisters, Misses Eliza and Jane Baker.

—Miss Dora Schaeffer went to Mound City, Saturday evening, where she will keep house for her aunt, Miss Anna Schaeffer, who was taken to the Ensworth hospital, Monday, where she was operated upon for appendicitis.

—Sam Waddle and family, of Nodaway, came up Saturday evening, and visited over Sunday with his mother, Mrs. G. M. Waddle.

—Mrs. H. L. Everson and son, Wylie, returned to Kansas City, Saturday, where Wylie is attending school, after spending a few days here with home folks.

—Chas. Beard and family have removed to Forest City from Fortescue, and are occupying the John McMullen property on Commercial street.

—Mrs. John Carter and children went to Bigelow, Friday evening, where they spent a few days with Chas. Worley and family and George Cook and family. John went up Sunday morning and spent the day with them.

—Mrs. Ada Lee and children, of Amazonia, came up Friday evening and visited over Sunday at the George Stroud home.

—Chas. C. France was transacting business in St. Joseph, Saturday.

—Miss Margery Fitzmaurice was on the sick list, a few days, the latter part of last week.

—Wm. Wood attended a meeting of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance in Mound City, last Saturday.

—Hershel Raiser is on the sick list this week. We hope for his speedy recovery.

—Miss Mabel McGuire went to St. Joseph, Friday afternoon, where she spent several days with her folks, Nate McGuire and family.

—Everett Schaeffer and Gooley Crow, of Holyoke, Colo., returned to their homes, Thursday night of last week. John Schaeffer returned with them for an extended visit and may decide to locate there. Mr. Crow was called to Maitland by the death of his sister, Mrs. Robert Allison, who passed away Monday night of last week, December 29. Mr. Fred St. John, of Bigelow, was also down and spent the day with them, last Thursday, at the H. W. Schaeffer home.

—Mrs. Ed Fitzmaurice, Mrs. Bert Gordon, Mrs. George Evans and Mrs. George Elliott spent one day, last week, at the Sam Kunkel home, in Monticello district.

—Mrs. D. C. Stallard and Ruby Chesney spent New Year's day with Tile Chesney and family.

—Harry Moberly came up from Kansas City, last Wednesday, and is making a visit with his uncle and aunt, Col. S. Bailey and Miss Marcella.

—Chris. Jamison was in St. Joseph, last Thursday, with a car load of cattle.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ed May, of Napier, were in our city, Friday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baker, of near Mound City, spent Tuesday of last week with her brother, Corbin Clift and family.

—Mrs. Riley Turney, of Haxtum, Colo., was called to Auburn, Neb., Saturday by the death of her brother-in-law, Mr. James Armstrong. Bert Fairbanks and daughter, Alice Frances, who accompanied her, came on to Forest City for a few days' visit with Dr. F. E. Bullock and family and other relatives.

—The installation of officers for the Forest City A. F. & A. M. lodge was held Saturday night of last week, when the following were installed: James Shumate, W. M.; J. E. Alkire, S. W.; Wm. Schaeffer, J. W.; W. J. Glass, S. D.; C. C. France, J. D.; Geo. Hopper, Secretary; D. C. Stallard, Treasurer; Chas. Schaeffer, J. S.; Ed Hopper, S. S.; Chas. Mills, Chaplain; John Anderson, Tyler.

—James W. Arnold returned to his home in Sparks, Okla., last Saturday, after a two weeks' visit with relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. Perry Turney and children accompanied him as far as St. Joseph.

—Mrs. Ed Toupain, of near Rufo, Neb., came Sunday evening and is making a visit with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hall.

—A rook party was given by Miss Anna Anderson at her home, last Tuesday night. A two-course luncheon was served. Those present were: Misses Bernice Bullock, Mary Alkire, Genevieve Birmingham, Grace Eber, and Anna Anderson; Messrs. George Terhune, Otto Stallard and Herbert Richardson. A good time was had. —J. T. Scott went to St. Joseph, Wednesday, for medical treatment.

—Quite a crowd of young people gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James McClanahan, New Year's Eve to watch the old year out and the new year in. At a late hour, refreshments consisting of oyster soup and pickles were served, and a most delightful time was reported by all present.

—The "Over-Comers," a Class No. 3 of the Forest City Methodist Sunday school is now known, will have its regular business meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson, Friday evening, January 9, 1920, unless the weather is unfavorable, then it will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Emery instead. Let every one make an effort to attend.

—A watch party was given by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kollmer in honor of Mr. James Arnold, of Sparks, Okla., who has been here for the past two weeks. Rook was played at four tables. Mrs. Kollmer served dainty refreshments. The invitations were limited to members of Mrs. Kollmer's Sunday school class and the Sophomore class of the high school.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Applegate, of Ottumwa, Iowa, went to Springfield, Mo., last week, where they attended the funeral of his brother-in-law, John Molen, who formerly lived around Forbes. On their return home, they stopped over here and made a few days' visit with Mrs. Applegate's cousins, Corbin Clift and family. Mr. and Mrs. Applegate and Mr. Clift and family spent Sunday at the John Cotton home in Oregon. This is the first visit Mr. and Mrs. Applegate have made to the old town in twenty-two years, but they have met several old-time friends they knew.

—Mr. Shunkwiler, of the Davis ranch, spent Sunday at the True Davis home in St. Joseph.

—Chas. Cass is wearing his right arm in a sling now, caused by falling against the wall while practicing basketball and spraining his shoulder.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Mary Harvey, in St. Joseph.

—Mrs. H. M. Kinder, of Falls City, Neb., who has been making a visit with her mother, Mrs. T. S. Lease, and brother, James Lease, left Wednesday of last week for Monett, Mo., where she is with her niece, Mrs. W. B. Coe, who is very sick.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Staley, of Benton district, were St. Joseph visitors, Monday.

—Ezra Matrin and family spent the day, Sunday, with Ike Book and family.

—Sunday being Mrs. Mary Andler's 78th birthday, her children all came in and surprised her by giving a birthday dinner at the home of her son, J. L. Andler, in the Benton district, where she resides. Quite a number of useful presents were received. Those present who enjoyed the dinner were: Mrs. Ella Weyhart, of Horton, Kansas; Ed Andler, of Whitmore, Kansas; Lee Andler, of Holton, Kansas; Josh Guthrie and family, of the Lincoln district, and George Derr and family, of the Divide district.

—Mrs. Edna Severinghaus, Mutual Bureau representative of Chicago, was in our city, the past week, and while here contracted with our school and local business men for a lecture course to be given here next winter.

—Miss Fern Loudon, of Fairfax, visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Brock, Monday and Tuesday. She also made a short visit with our school.

—Harry C. Teare, of St. Joseph, came up Monday for a few days' visit with his mother, Mrs. Matilda Teare, and relatives in Oregon.

—Quite a number of the Masons from here attended the Masonic meeting in Oregon, Monday evening.

—Fred Knoble, of Oregon, has purchased the mail and express truck from Truman Crouser, which runs between Oregon and Forest City. Fred began work Monday.

—George Drake has returned from St. Joseph, where he was operated upon in one of the hospitals there, and we are glad to state that he is getting along nicely.

—Quite a large amount of stock was shipped from this station to the St. Joseph market, Monday, by the following parties: George and Jack Cotton, a car of hogs; Dwight Meyer, a car of hogs; Chas. Nolan, a car of hogs and cattle, mixed; Sid Eads and Ed Bledsoe, a car of hogs; W. J. Glass, a car of cattle. Ernest Oppenlander and Wm. Derr, of Oregon, each shipped a car of hogs from here, Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Matthews, of Burr, Neb., stopped over this week for a few days' visit with A. M. Nye and family, while on their way to Boyd, Kansas.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Thornhill were St. Joseph visitors, Tuesday.

—Mrs. James Willis has been on the sick list the past week, but is much better at this writing, we are glad to hear.

—Wm. Johnson, of near Oregon, spent Monday night at the George Drake home, going on to Mound City, Tuesday morning.

—Prof. Fred Conner went to Mound City, Saturday evening, where he refereed the game between the Oregon and Mound City high school teams, the score being 9 to 13 in favor of Mound City.

—Wm. Pinney, of Route 4, returned from St. Louis, Friday, where he had been spending the holidays with his best friend, his mother, Mrs. Margaret Pinney.

—Albert Keith returned to the Soldier's Home, at Leavenworth, Kansas, Friday, after spending Christmas week with his daughter, Mrs. Mary Bledsoe and children.

—Lewis Lewin was here several days, last week, from Thurston, Neb., visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Crawford.

—Mrs. G. W. Kaiser and children returned to their home, last Wednesday, after spending a few days with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hall.

—Clifford Douglas and wife returned to their home in Red Cloud, Neb., Wednesday, after spending the holidays with relatives here.

—V. H. Brock returned to his home in Holyoke, Colo., Wednesday of last week, after spending the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Brock. His wife and daughter, Doris, and Miss Dora Patent left Sunday evening for Holyoke.

—James Quick and daughter, Miss Grace, left Wednesday of last week for Bern, Kansas, where they attended the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Florence Quick, who died Tuesday night, December 30.

—A. B. Cass was a business visitor in Fortescue, last Wednesday.

—Miss Gladys Stanton returned to Clarinda, Iowa, last Wednesday, after spending Christmas week with her folks here.

—Mrs. F. R. Elton, of Tarkio, spent Wednesday of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Kunkel.

—John Hood, of Bigelow, was in our city, Wednesday of last week.

—George Frazier has been very sick from a complication of diseases. Dr. Chandler is attending him. We hope for his recovery soon.

—Judge G. W. Cotten, of Forbes, and his brother, James Cotten, of Florence, Colo., came up Sunday morning from Forbes and spent the day with the former's son, Arthur Cotten and family.

—Mrs. Bert Gordon has returned to her home in Wessington, S. D., after a visit with relatives here.

—Mrs. O. E. Emery made a business trip to Blanchard, Iowa, Wednesday of last week.

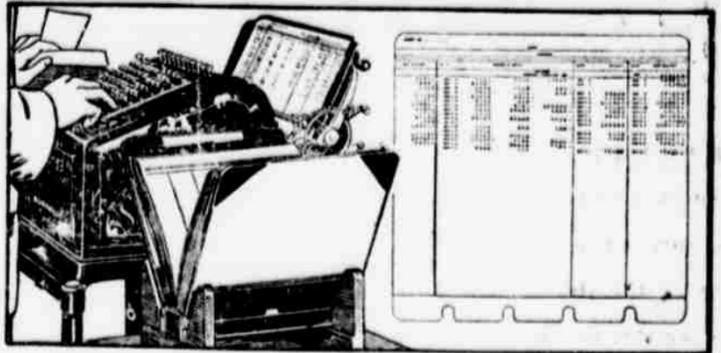
—Medway Hoover and family spent Sunday with her folks, James Meyer and family, near Oregon.

—Miss Margery Fitzmaurice left Monday for Evanston, Ill., where she will take up her university work again. Her mother, Mrs. T. P. Fitzmaurice, accompanied her as far as St. Joseph.

—Mrs. Kate Greiner and family and Mrs. Claressa took New Year's dinner at the Chas. Plinn home.

—"Bud" Kunkel came in last week from Wessington, S. D., where he has been working the past season.

—John Bailey, of Durango, Colo., is here on a visit with his sister and brother, Miss Marcella and Col. S. Bailey.



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Loans	\$156,638.11	Capital	\$ 20,000.00
Due from banks	20,041.13	Surplus	1,000.00
Cash in safe	3,477.83	Earnings, net	5,136.13
Building and fixtures	6,597.95	Deposits	156,562.96
Overdrafts	258.73	Bills payable	11,891.73
Bonds	5,400.00		
Cash items	577.97		
Total	\$192,990.82	Total	\$192,990.82

—Harry Frazier and family and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Wallace spent Sunday at the George Frazier home.

—Miss Nellie Book, of this city, and Mrs. John Book, of Bigelow, were shopping in St. Joseph, Tuesday of last week.

—Hugh Wilson and family, of Oregon, spent Sunday afternoon at the Fred Landers home, and, of course, they came down to see the new son, Donald Fred.

—Mrs. P. A. Landers and Dale Moody left Sunday for Kansas City, where she will make a visit with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Meyers. Miss Dale will remain at her home there. Mrs. Landers will also visit with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Coleman, at Dennison, Kansas, before returning home.

—Ed May and family spent Saturday with her mother, Mr. and Mrs. George Frazier.

—Mrs. Kate Greiner and family and Miss Murzie Walker took dinner and spent the day, Sunday, at the Jeff Kieffer home. Miss Murzie remained for an extended visit.

—Mrs. Myrtle Dawson spent a few days, last week, at the George Frazier home.

—One day, last week, Cate Schaeffer lost a mare by being drowned in the Missouri river.

—Effie, daughter of John Clark and wife, had her left arm broken, while she was running and playing with their dog. The arm was broken at the elbow. Dr. F. E. Bullock rendered the necessary surgical attention.

—Mrs. Joe Williams and Mrs. Harry Brant and daughter, Elizabeth, of Savannah, came over and spent New Year's day with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Vine Hovey and daughter, Miss Laura.

—Otto Stallard, Herbert Richardson and Basal Bennett left Sunday night for Liberty, Mo., to resume their school work, after spending the Christmas holidays with home folks.

—On Thursday night, January 1, the following officers for the ensuing term were installed in the Forest City Lodge, No. 578, I. O. O. F., by Nate Baker, acting district deputy: Art Cook, N. G.; Chas. Sanners, V. G.; O. A. Williams, Sec. Secretary; Medway Anderson, Fin. Secretary; Medway Hoover, Warden; Jack Dryden, Conductor; Fred Doehbeling, Chaplain; Nate Baker, R. S. N. G.; Robt. Church, L. S. N. G.; John Story, R. S. V. G.; Ezra Martin, I. S. V. G.; Elmer Fike, I. S. V. G.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Mills and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Meyer were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Richardson, Sunday.

—Mrs. Clarissa Murray and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Murray and Stanley, attended the funeral of their sister and aunt, Mrs. Eunice Kennicutt, at Amazonia, Monday afternoon. Mrs. Kennicutt died Saturday evening, Jan. 3, and is survived by her husband and four children.

—The state president of the Rebekah Assembly, Mrs. Allie Whites of Sikeston, Mo., will be present at the next meeting of the local lodge, Monday night of next week. All members are urged to be present.

—The B. Y. P. U. will be led next Sunday by Miss Hazel Lyons. The topic is "Joseph, a Favorite Son Who Made Good."

—Mrs. E. L. Gardner returned home last Thursday from Rushville and St. Joseph, where she had been spending several days with relatives and friends.

—Miss Bonnie Lovelady returned home last Wednesday, after a week's visit with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Dawson and family, in Mound City.

—Friday evening, a farewell party was given at the home of Miss Margaret Kirk in honor of Misses Pearl and Ruth Henry. Those present were: Miss Theresa Hartnett, Elizabeth and Florence Fitzmaurice, Hazel and Minerva Ford, Nettie Hood and Bonnie Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Plummer, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nolan, Messrs. Mike Fitzmaurice, Frank and John Hartnett, Harry Casteel, Paul and Jack Pottinger, Herman Schulte, "White" Yates and Thomas Kirk. Snacks were furnished by Messrs. Ralph Miller and Cecil Elder. Refreshments were served at midnight, and Misses Ruth and Pearl Henry left on the three o'clock train, No. 23, for their home at Paradise, Kansas. Every one reported a most enjoyable time.

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