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LOCAL NEWS.

For Sale.

Will sell or trade clear title lands in Dakota and Kansas, and money to loan on real estate in this county. E. J. Wolven.

Adrian has two cases of diphtheria. A Threshermen's association has been organized at Slayton with twenty one charter members.

The firemen held their regular meeting Friday. The only business transacted was the drawing of their salary.

Ernest Sterling left for the cities Sunday night.

The Knights of Pythias at Adrian have reorganized.

The eleven months old daughter of Ren McCartney died about four o'clock this afternoon of pneumonia. Otis Bieglow a fireman on the Omaha spent Sunday with his family in this city.

John Thrus, of Adrian arrived Monday to accept a position in the harness shop of F. C. Stitser.

Threshermen's protective association met here last week and took in a number of new members.

Miss Jennie Billington left Monday for Laverne where she will be the guest of friends for a week.

The Salvation Army Brigade farewelled here Sunday night after a three weeks stay. They left for Sioux Falls, from there they go to Brewster.

William Briggs returned last Saturday night to resume his work as flag man for the Chicago, St. Paul Minneapolis and Omaha Railway Co. Mrs. Briggs will soon follow.

A. A. Varner, agent for the Burlington at Round Lake, has been succeeded by M. Berry from Ward, S. D. The first named has been promoted to a better position at Toronto, S. D.

Theo. Thompson who has been on the switch engine on the Omaha for several months has been transferred to the Sioux Falls accommodation leaving Worthington at 8:30.

Mrs. J. I. Kennicutt, of Laverne, was in town Tuesday en route to Minneapolis.

I. T. Branigan left Tuesday for Sioux City.

Mrs. Dr. Palmer, of Laverne was in the city Tuesday.

Frank E. Johnson, of Laverne was in this city Tuesday.

Mayor Douglas was doing business in Minneapolis Tuesday.

F. E. Ferguson made a business trip to Heron Lake Tuesday.

A delightful birthday party was given by Lloyd Helmick at the home of his parents in this city last Saturday in honor of his 13th birthday, about 21 of his young friends were invited to help celebrate the event and it was one of the brightest gatherings of little people seen here for a long time, after refreshments his friends departed for their homes wishing Lloyd many more happy events.

Dr. Dolan of Worthington, was summoned the forepart of this week to the Jenkins home on the Walker farm, and reports two in in that family down with diphtheria.—Fred Schoneman had quite an exciting experience at the Hepler sale last Tuesday. A cow, put on sale, made a run and caught Fred on her horns and threw him about a rod at the heels of a span of bronchos hitched to a buggy. One wheel was smashed and the tongue broken. Aside from a few bruises Fred escaped serious injury.—Round Lake Graphic.

Saturday night the electric lights went out about eight o'clock owing to the bursting of the blow off pipe of the boiler. The other boiler was steamed up as soon as possible, and the lights turned on again about ten twenty. We may expect something of this kind most any time now, owing to the necessity of a change in the apparatus. Had a fire broken out while the boiler was being steamed up, the town would have been at the mercy of the flames as there was no pressure in the mains. This matter is a serious one and needs wisdom to decide what is best for the city to do.

Constipation

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Hoover's department store, 309-311 Broadway, is doing business in our city Tuesday.

H. C. Constable of Rushmore was in town Tuesday en route to Madelia.

John Humiston left Tuesday morning with a car of horses for Canada.

L. E. Fitch, of the St. Croix Lumber Co., did business in Brewster Tuesday.

Mrs. A. R. Schmidt of Dundee was the guest of her brother A. C. Leistico in this city Sunday.

John Graves and wife of Watertown S. D. arrived Saturday and are calling on their many friends this week.

Sheriff Black of Rock county passed through the city Monday en route for St. Peter with a patient for the insane hospital.

Mrs. D. Shell left Tuesday morning for St. Paul.

Mrs. L. Dean left Tuesday for Fulda for a visit with friends.

Miss Susan Stoutemyer returned to her school at Kanabasi Monday.

Mrs. Rew returned Monday from a visit among friends at Artesian, S. D.

Auditor Tripp left Tuesday for St. Paul to attend the meeting of the Auditors State Association.

Stewart Hart who has had a seige of the chicken pox has so far recovered to enable him to return to school.

Mrs. J. R. Conway left Tuesday for St. Paul and will attend the breakfast of the club federation at Minneapolis.

H. Hart of St. James arrived Monday to assist his brother move the stock of goods of the Cut Price Cash Store into their new quarters in the Masonic Block.

J. R. Selby was obliged to kill a valuable horse this week. The animal got its feet tangled up in a wire fence around a stack of hay and cut cords of its legs very badly. Dr. Gould was called but nothing could be done for the horse.

The Advance reporter dropped into E. L. Nance's meat market Tuesday morning and asked to be shown the large consignment of fish that he heard so much about lately but was informed by that gentleman that the whole nine hundred pounds lasted only a week, he did not have even a scale left to show anyone and it was the largest consignment ever sent to this city. Nance is the right man in the right place his eye is ever open to the wants of his patrons all the time.

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An exchange says that the quickest way to warm a house in the morning is to open the doors and windows a few moments, long enough to change the air. The philosophy of this is that the air of the house or room after being closed over night is impure and sluggish, somewhat like muddy water. Fresh air is pure, buoyant and active and will circulate quickly through the rooms, carrying the warmth of stoves or radiators swiftly to every corner. Besides that, there is joy and comfort in breathing fresh air.

John Flynn left Tuesday afternoon for Hot Springs, Ark., where he will spend several weeks for the benefit of his health. Since his recent attack of appendicitis general health has been poor and his physician thinks a treatment at the Springs will be very beneficial.—A large number of friends gathered at the opera house Monday even to tender Co. Supt. Abbott and wife a farewell reception before their departure for Worthington. The reception was hastily gotten up, as it only became generally known Saturday afternoon from our midst, but notwithstanding this the affair was a very pleasant one. A nice musical program was arranged after which the ladies prepared a very good supper. While waiting for supper the young people enjoyed themselves dancing, the Condon harp orchestra furnishing the music for them. At 11 o'clock supper was served, and then the crowd departed, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Abbott much happiness and prosperity in their new home at the county seat.—Ellsworth News.

The Finest Cake

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Mrs. A. R. Albertus gave a tea to a few of her friends Saturday afternoon, which was enjoyed very much by the guests.

J. R. Selby returned last week from a visit with his brother near Breckenridge. He likes that county but did not invest.

I Wanted—To clerk auction sale and will guarantee that every thing offered for sale will be recorded in the book will also give a detailed record of the entire sale list free of charge. Will take care of sale notes taken by myself at face value. For particulars and dates call at my office. Respectfully S. Kindlund.

Warren Muck arrived in town Tuesday.

Mr. Perkins has moved here from Ashton occupying the house opposite M. P. Mann.

J. W. McBride of Reading moved here Wednesday occupying the Chute house on 10th street.

Chas. Arnold, of Chicago arrived Tuesday to join the Peterson Comedy Co. now playing an engagement here.

Charles Peterson did business in Windom Tuesday and Wednesday this week.

Miss Pearl Bass of Round Lake was the guest of Miss Nettie Fitch Monday and left for Rushmore Tuesday.

Ed. Ellis returned to his place in the Torrance Big Store, Wednesday after a few days visit with friends in Watertown, S. D.

G. W. Reinhard, engineer on the Burlington road moved his family to the large square house corner of 7th and lake street, Tuesday.

The Cut Price Cash Store is now located in the Masonic Block. Mr. Hart the proprietor will have a very nice location and store when he gets the goods in shape again. The room has been reapered, and is very neat. An elevated office has been placed in one end, thus all the room is utilized.

The Big Clearance Sale is still going on at Harrington's shoe store. It will pay you to investigate.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to sincerely thank the many kind friends and neighbors who gave us such generous assistance and help during the late illness and death of our daughter.

C. C. Dessem and Family. Store Worthington.

M. E. Lawton transacted business in Bigelow Wednesday.

William Marr, of Adrian, was in town Wednesday en route to Winnipeg.

Chas. Slade, of Adrian, was in town Wednesday on his way to Winnipeg.

Mrs. Geo. Minkey living four miles out of town visited friends in Brewster Wednesday.

E. G. Flinn, Manager of the St. Croix Lumber Co. was looking after the company's interest in this city Wednesday.

Fred Tuttle breaking on the Sioux Falls branch was called to Mankato Wednesday to run an excursion train from Mankato to Sioux Falls.

Rev. Carl A. Anderson, formerly pastor of the M. E. Church in this city but now at Laverne was in town Wednesday on his way home from St. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Folschow gave a delightful dancing party to their many friends at their beautiful home across the lake Monday evening which was enjoyed by every one present.

The Maecabees lodge of Worthington entertained their friends after their regular meeting Tuesday evening to the number of about fifty invited guests, Music, dancing and games were indulged in and a real enjoyable time was had, as is always the result when this worthy organization has charge.

Over sixty different styles of Red Seal Gingham for shirt waist, Ladies and children's dresses, just received at Murdock and Hoover's.

Salt \$1.25 per barrel at Murdock and Hoover's department store.

Cut in crockery still going on at Murdock and Hoover's store.

Hugh Barry who has been breaking on the Sioux Falls night passenger for some time is now assigned to a day run on the same road with conductor Jones.

An agent for a motorcycle of Minneapolis was here Wednesday placed the agency with J. M. Shanahan. This machine is a gasoline bicycle and a fine thing for anyone that has much use for such a machine, or for pleasure riding.

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