

Rembrandt Record

Edwall & Rydstad

The Rembrandt Record Newspaper History

Rembrandt, Iowa

Storm Lake Pilot -Tribune (November 5, 1915)

PAPER AT REMBRANDT

The Record Makes Its First Appearance This Week.

The publisher of the Pilot-Tribune has this week established a newspaper at Rembrandt to be known as the Rembrandt Record. The new publication is to appear every Wednesday morning and will be printed in this office, but the news copy will be prepared by Mrs. C. O. Waldron of Rembrandt who has had much experience in the work and who has demonstrated in the first issue her abilities as a news gatherer and a writer. She will have her office with Mrs. Spiegelberg where any matter for publication may be left and where subscriptions, advertising and job printing will be received.

It is unnecessary for this newspaper to call attention to the fact that Rembrandt is one of the best towns of its size to be found anywhere and that its merchants are alive, progressive lot of men. They have time and again expressed a desire for a newspaper and the publisher of the Pilot-Tribune believes that this office is better prepared to serve them than is anyone else. There is no significance whatever to the establishment of the newspaper aside from a business one. Every effort will be put forth to make the Rembrandt Record the second best newspaper in the county. Hobart C. Duncan, field man for the Pilot-Tribune, is already at work soliciting subscriptions for the publication which are being taken at \$1.00 per year as an introductory price and all subscriptions will be dated January 1, or in other words, the remainder of the year will be given free. It is to be hoped that everyone in the community will lend aid in making the paper a success.

Storm Lake Pilot -Tribune (December 10, 1915)

Rembrandt Record Subscriptions

See Hobart C. Duncan at the C. J. Middleton sale, Thursday or in Rembrandt Saturday and subscribe for the Rembrandt Record, \$1 per year. With the new Buena Vista county atlas, the handiest book ever published, \$1.25.

Storm Lake Pilot -Tribune (January 7, 1916)

Forwarding Rembrandt Record to New Address

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Carpenter expect to leave the latter part of this week for Oberon. N . D.. where they will reside on a farm about one-half mile north. Before leaving Mr. Carpenter ordered the Rembrandt Record sent to his new address.

Storm Lake Pilot -Tribune (February 4, 1916)

CITY OF NEWSPAPERS

Storm Lake the Home of Eight Newspapers and Magazines.

Few people conceive of the advertising which Storm Lake, Iowa, is receiving from the sending broadcast over the world, the newspapers and magazines which are published in this city. At present there are eight newspapers and magazines which are printed in Storm Lake with a total circulation of no less than 27,100 and there is scarcely a country in the world that one of these papers does not find its way.

For many years the Pilot-Tribune and Buena Vista Vidette have been published and taken care of the people's needs as country newspapers. The "Tack" edited by the Buena Vista college students has also been published for years. The college Bulletin is a more recent publication, and about 3,000 copies are mailed over the state. The American Freemason, edited and published by J. E. Morcombe is of world-wide importance. More recently was founded the Equitable Sales Journal by B. F. Harrison which already has a circulation of 12,000 copies. The Rembrandt Record is another newspaper which is published in Storm Lake by the Pilot-Tribune. With this week the ninth paper is added to the list, which is the Nemaha Register, which will hereafter be published in the office of the Pilot-Tribune having been purchased of C. C. Keeny by Chas. H. J. Mitchell.

Storm Lake Pilot -Tribune (December 29, 1916)

Trouble at Gas Plant

Through a misadventure at the plant, there was no gas on Tuesday and while the management greatly regrets it, they are mighty glad it did not happen twenty-four hours earlier and stop an important part of the festivities in many homes where gas is the only thing used for cooking. It caused much inconvenience about town and much aggravation and loss in this office where the gas is used for heating the metal on the linotype machine. Operator Staley has kept a night vigil in order to produce this newspaper and the Rembrandt Record had to be issued a day late.

Storm Lake Pilot -Tribune (January 19, 1917)

Sale of Farm advertised in Rembrandt Record

Alfred Hanson, who is going to leave the farm, will hold his sale on January 22 on section 11, Washington township. He is advertising the sale in the Pilot-Tribune and the Rembrandt Record and is not having any large bills printed.

Storm Lake Pilot -Tribune (August 3, 1917)

JOINT REFORMATION

Sioux Rapids and Little Sioux Valley Congregations Unite in Festival - Interesting Program.

From the Rembrandt Record:

The joint Reformation festival held at the Little Sioux Valley church on last Sunday was in all respects a success. The weather was quite warm but this fact did not seem to interfere with an unusually large and attentive audience. Rev. Kleppe preached in Norwegian on "The Formal Principle of the Reformation," the Bible as our only guide in matters of faith, doctrine and life. "Large" was then sung by the Rembrandt choir. Rev. Justin A. Peterson then preached in English on "The Material Principle of the Reformation," the saving truth that man is justified by faith alone without the deeds of the law. Following this sermon, lunch was served on the parsonage lawn and at two thirty o'clock the congregation assembled at the church again to hear the remainder of the program which was as follows:

Invocation, Rev. Johnson of Leland, III.

Hymn, "Open Now the Gates of Beauty."

Vocal solo, Miss Refsland.

Paper, "The Condition of the Church on the Eve of the Reformation," Miss Randa Jensen.

Vocal solo, Mrs. Olaf Mosbo.

Paper, "Luther's Childhood and Youth," Miss Thompson.

Hymn, "God Bless our Native Land, Firm May She Ever Stand."

Paper, "Luther as a Preacher and Teacher," Mrs. Martin Christensen.

Selection by Sioux Rapids choir.

Paper, "Luther at the Diet of Worms," Miss Olga Olson.
Vocal solo, Miss Refsland.
Paper, "Luther at Wartburg," Miss Sophia Urdahl.
Lecture, "The Evangelical Conception of Good Works and Their Relation to Faith," Rev. Johnson.
Hymn, "Praise to Thee and Adoration."
Doxology.

Rev. Kleppe on behalf of his congregation expressed his thanks for the invitation extended to his congregation to celebrate this festival with the Little Sioux Valley people and in return invited them to join with them in celebrating another similar festival during the latter part of October.

Storm Lake Pilot -Tribune (August 3, 1917)

Lutheran Church Notes

From the Rembrandt Record:

English services at Rembrandt, 10:30 Sunday morning.
The L. S. V. Ladies' Aid meets at the home of Mrs. Carl Riswold Wednesday, August 8.
The Rembrandt Ladies' Aid meet at the home of Mrs. Olaf Petersen Thursday, August 9.
An ice cream social will be held on Edwall's lawn Saturday evening of this week. Ice cream and cake, coffee and buns will be served.
No Sunday school while the parochial school is in session.—Rev. J. A. Petersen.

Storm Lake Pilot -Tribune (August 3, 1917)

Defeat Truesdale Twice

From the Rembrandt Record:

Two more victories were added to the record of the Rembrandt baseball team last week when they defeated the Truesdale nine by a score of 7 to 6 Thursday and 12 to 6 Saturday. Both games were played after the afternoon session of the Chautauqua. A purse of fifty dollars was awarded to the winner of the last game which the Rembrandt team have used in the purchase of their new uniforms. Walstrom and Grodahl formed the battery for Rembrandt in the first game and Johnson and Scanlon for the second. Enger and Duffy were on the mound for Truesdale in the Saturday game.

Storm Lake Pilot -Tribune (August 10, 1917)

Married at Fort Dodge

From the Rembrandt Record:

J. H. Vickerman and Miss Doris Doyle stole a march on their friends and without informing anyone of their intentions were quietly married in Fort Dodge on Friday, July 27, at the Methodist Episcopal church. Rev. Osborne officiating. The newly married couple then departed on a honeymoon trip to Spirit Lake and Independence, returning to this city last Friday morning. They will make their home with the bride's parents until the completion of the new home which the Lane-Moore company are to erect for them immediately.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hurry A. Doyle of this city and has been reared from childhood here where she has a large circle of friends. She is skilled in the art of housekeeping and will be an able helpmate for the young man who has chosen her for a life companion.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Vickerman of Britt in which town he finished his high school training, afterwards completing his education in a business school at Cedar Rapids. For the past year he has been manager of the Lane-Moore Lumber company's yard in this city and during that time has shown himself

to be an energetic and efficient business man. Thin newspaper joins with the many friends of the young couple in wishing them all the joy and happiness of life.

Storm Lake Pilot -Tribune (August 17, 1917)

Sells Medical Practice

From the Rembrandt Record:

Owing to the fact that he has recently received a commission as first lieutenant in the officers' medical reserve corps of the United States army, Dr. W. M. Hubbard was forced to dispose of his medical practice in this city and has sold it to Dr. J. E. Block, M. D., of Fond Du Lac, Wis., who took possession last Thursday. Dr. Block comes with the best of recommendations and will be sure to please his customers.

During the time Dr. Hubbard has been engaged in practice in this city, he has established a fine business and has given general satisfaction, being a doctor of especial ability, and has an exceptionally large circle of friends who greatly regret to have him leave and join this newspaper in wishing him the best of success in his army work. He is one of the many doctors who are leaving a pleasant and profitable practice to "do their bit" in this great war against the monarchial powers. He will continue to reside in this city until he receives orders to report for duty.

Storm Lake Pilot -Tribune (August 31, 1917)

BUGGY HIT BY AUTO

Nexus Family Injured Saturday Afternoon in Collision With Omaha Auto on Way to Lakes.

From the Rembrandt Record:

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Negus and children narrowly escaped death Saturday afternoon when their buggy was hit by a Packard twin six touring car driven by George T. Wright of Omaha on the corner near the Andrew O'Neal farm near Truesdale. The car was coming from the south at a good rate of speed and crashed into the buggy as it crossed the road from the east. Mrs. Negus sustained three fractured ribs, Mr. Negus and daughter were badly bruised and their fourteen months old baby was badly injured about the head, the seriousness of its injuries are not as yet fully determined. The injured are under the care of Dr. Block of Rembrandt. The auto was thrown into the ditch and went through the fence and into the adjoining pasture, several hundred feet before it could be stopped, the brake rods having been bent in the collision.

The injured family were picked up and taken to a neighboring farm house, and medical aid was summoned. When the excitement had subsided, the car had disappeared having presumably gone on to escape arrest. This supposition was helped along by the fact that a strange car had inquired in Rembrandt as to a road to the lakes which did not pass through Sioux Rapids and Spencer. The indignation against the driver of the car grew and on Sunday morning a vigilance committee headed by Joe Roberts of Rembrandt drove to the lakes to obtain the number and owner of the car. They succeeded and the county authorities stopped the car at Sioux Rapids Sunday afternoon and placed the driver under arrest. He is now under bonds to appear at a hearing in two weeks.

Storm Lake Pilot -Tribune (October 26, 1917)

NEW HOTEL MANAGER

Mrs. E. L. Boylan Sells Rembrandt Hotel Business to Joe Roberts of Drug Company.

From the Rembrandt Record:

Rembrandt people experienced both surprise and regret on Friday when it was announced that Mrs. E. L. Boylan had sold the business of the Hotel Rembrandt to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roberts, who took possession Monday.

Mrs. Boylan came to Rembrandt from Storm Lake in April 1916, to take charge of the hotel and has built up a fine business besides giving most excellent satisfaction. She turns over the paying establishment, only because of ill health. She plans to spend some time in Storm Lake, Aurelia and Correctionville, and may eventually decide to locate in California where she formerly resided and where there is excellent opportunities for a competent hotel manager.

Mrs. Roberts will have active management of the hotel, as Mr. Roberts will continue to operate the drug store. Mrs. Roberts is a trained business woman, and will no doubt give the people of Rembrandt and traveling public first class service.

Miss Alice Brazel, the cook and the three Miss Enrights will continue in charge of the kitchen and dining room.

Storm Lake Pilot -Tribune (November 16, 1917)

RECORD DISCONTINUED

Will in Future Appear as a Department of Pilot-Tribune

Believing that all parties concerning can be served more satisfactorily and more equitably, the Rembrandt Record will be discontinued for the present as a separate newspaper and will appear as a department of the Pilot-Tribune. The Rembrandt field will be covered with the same care as it has in the past and the page will be made as interesting as It can be.

All subscribers to the Rembrandt Record will receive the Pilot-Tribune, providing it is satisfactory to the subscriber. If it is not, a card addressed to this office or a notification of the postmaster will receive immediate attention and the paper will be discontinued. All subscribers to the Record who are paid in advance will receive the Pilot-Tribune for the unexpired time. If they prefer to have their money refunded, a card to this office will bring it by return mail.

Increased cost of publishing a newspaper, together with other reasons, has made this step seem advisable to all concerned. There is no better town for its size anywhere than Rembrandt and no more lively or more aggressive, fair minded business men anywhere and the publisher has every reason to feel grateful for the manner in which they, without exception, have used him. The combining of the two lists will give to the Pilot-Tribune an exceptionally large number of subscribers in the Rembrandt territory which will make it an exceptionally valuable advertising medium through the north central part of the county.

Storm Lake Pilot -Tribune (September 6, 1928)

Things Seen and Heard

By Old Timer

Hans Beck and Louis Pingel had an interesting conversation on the Citizens First National bank corner the other day relative to old days in Rembrandt when Hans was a blacksmith and Charley Mitchell was publishing the Rembrandt Record in connection with the Pilot-Tribune. Hans recalled the time that Donald Hill was "covering" Rembrandt for the Record and wrote him up as the village blacksmith without the spreading chestnut tree under which to stand.

Both agreed that the Record was a valuable adjunct to The Pilot-Tribune and regretted that Mr. Mitchell found it necessary to discontinue it some years ago.

Rembrandt Booster (September 7, 1944)

Don't Get Confused - This All Happened 27 Years Ago in Rembrandt

Twenty-seven years ago Rembrandt had a newspaper, Henry Wellmerling brought us in a copy of the newspaper, at that time called the "Rembrandt Record" a copy of which he had put away in a trunk and which he run across recently. The issue is dated July 25, 1917, and was published for the town of Rembrandt, by Chas. H. J. Mitchell, at that time editor of the Storm Lake Pilot-Tribune. The issue was of volume 2, showing that the paper, had been published for almost three years.

The Record at that time chronicled some very interesting community happenings, as follows:

The issue gave the complete list of names of the first 293 men drawn from Buena Vista county, in World War 1.

Rembrandt's first Chautauque was advertised for July 26, to be held on the school grounds.

Dr. W. M. Hubbard, offered his services to the government, and was named a first lieutenant in the medical division of the officers corp of the U. S. army.

An interesting confirmation services was held at the Rembrandt Lutheran church on Sunday when three adults were confirmed. They were Mrs. Ollie Peterson, Mrs. LeRoy Gulbranson and Mrs. Albert Mickelson.

Grit Siefken put in a new cement walk east of the Hawkeye Cafe.

First War Victim

The war has claimed its first Buena Vista county victim in the person of John Brazel, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Brazel, who died at Norfolk, Va., shortly after the arrival of Mrs. Brazel, W. O. McGrew and Miss Mina McGrew went there last Wednesday, he was conscious when they arrived. His death resulted from malarial fever. He was born on April 19, 1888.

The 40th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Berger was appropriately observed by the sons and daughters of this estimable couple, together with other relatives and friends at their home on Sunday afternoon. The affair was a complete surprise to the Berger's and in order that the home might be prepared for the guests Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Berger took the unsuspecting out for an automobile ride in their fine Franklin car and when they returned, the home was appropriately decorated.

Rembrandt Wins

Rembrandt's recently organized baseball team took the celebrated Truesdale team into camp at Truesdale on Sunday by a score of 14 to 10. As it was the first game Rembrandt has played, the boys are feeling mighty good over it. Fred Nelson pitched a good game for Rembrandt and J. B. Vickerman did his share towards winning the game by getting two home runs and a single out of five times up. Smith was on the mound for Truesdale.

Corn at \$2, 27 Years Ago

D. W. Thomas, manager of the Farmers Elevator, says that his judgment was justified on Monday when he was offering \$2 per bushel for corn. Last winter he predicted that corn would go to that figure before another crop was harvested and he was paying that money on the local market Monday, Mr. Thomas says that there is still considerable grain in the vicinity and that it was coming in.

Fire Fighting Team

D. W. Thomas, Chief, T. F. Lawson, A. C. Schluntz, Assistants.

Chemicals - Joe Roberts, Joe Doerr

Bucket brigade - H. E. Edwall, J. B. Vickerman, Hans Beck.

Hook and ladder - Roy Cannoy, Charles Wahlstrom, O. J. Hegna.

Chemical engine - F. W. Hickman, Harry Kaufman, S. Nelson.

Pipemen - Fred Nelson, I Grodahl, R. Siefken.

Hand chemicals - R. Evans, Ole Warren.

A C. Schluntz bought a new 7 passenger Chalmers car.

J. K. Haraldson, Ole Warren and D. W. Thomas were at Pickerel Lake last Friday.

Roy Cannoy, Ole Warren and Dick McBride were fishing at Spirit Lake last week.

George J. Theiss and Sons bought 48 head of fine Short Horn cattle from a herd at Carroll for the snug sum of \$12,000.

C. T. Haas bought 8 cows from F. K. Robeson last week at \$95 per head which he will butcher and sell over the block in his handsome meat market.

Looking Back Over the March of Time

What happened in Rembrandt, eighteen years ago, taken from an old Rembrandt Record of Jan. 19, 1916, brought to the Booster Office by Chas. Waldron. If you were here at that time, or before, you will no doubt recall the following occasions:

Miss Hinda Haraldson went to Storm Lake Saturday evening for a week's visit at the S. E. Hesla home. The R. Beecher, O. Hesla, H. C. Berger and Carl Kidmans are the homes in Rembrandt and immediate vicinity that are infested with measles.

Mrs. C. A. Peterson is quite ill with la grippe and the two children, Margaret and Eldon are having a siege with the measles. Miss Ethel Thomas, a sister of Mrs. Peterson, went to their home Friday to assist in caring for them.

Hans Beck, the progressive Rembrandt blacksmith, has secured the portion of the building in the rear of the present shop and which was formerly used by Caskey & Siefken for the manufacture of cement blocks. This means that Mr. Beck is better prepared than ever before to take care of the increasing business along his line. Caskey & Siefken expect to erect a building as soon as spring opens up to be used as a cement block factory on the site near the W. G. Caskey residence,

Members of the high school are planning on the organization of an orchestra to be composed entirely of high school pupils. This will prove to be a splendid opportunity for the development of musical talent under an efficient instructor which will be provided by the school board.

A Stark piano has been ordered for use at the high school through the J. K. Haraldson agency and will make a splendid addition to the equipment of the school making it possible for the addition of music to the regular course of study.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Edwall and daughter returned Wednesday from a visit of a few days with friends in Sioux City. Mrs. Edwall and Tempest have spent the past three weeks visiting at Beresford, Hawarden and Sioux City.

Virgil Guenther who was a guest at the W. O. McGrew home, left the fore part of last week for a visit at Hartley before returning to his home at Antelope, Mont.

These are strenuous days for the rural mail carriers as the roads are in bad shape and the weather stinging cold. On Thursday our present carrier R. Duddles made the entire trip leaving the post office at 9:30 a.m. and returning at 7 p.m. spending about nine hours on the route.

The A. E. Anderson and Frank Klentz sales held on Tuesday and Thursday of last week which were conducted by W. E. Ritchie as auctioneer with H. C. Berger as clerk were carried on under rather trying conditions, the thermometer on Thursday registering something like 30 below zero. Both sales were very successful and at the Klentz place old corn brought 90 cents and new corn 56 cents by crib measurement being a remarkable price for this year. The Klentz sale amounted to about \$7000.

The following review and history of the town of Rembrandt, in 1916, was written by Jno. H. D. Gray.

Rembrandt is the second town on the Minneapolis & St. Louis railroad north of Storm Lake. It is surrounded by a rich agricultural country and the farmers who live adjacent to Rembrandt are prosperous and enterprising. The land yields in abundance and "blossoms like the rose." Nearly every farmer rides in his own automobile and could boast of his bank account, if he wished to do so.

The railroad first penetrated this fertile spot in the year 1899. During summer of 1900 regular train service was started. Ground was broken for the first building in fall of 1899. The first general store was that of Haraldson & Lee. Brandvold Bros, opened a hardware store about the same time.

Rembrandt was only a village up to 1901, when the town was incorporated, and has now a population of about 300. The first regular meeting of the city dads was held in August, 1901. The following are the names of the town's first officers: W. H. Hayward, mayor; Geo. Brandvold, J. K. Haraldson, D. J. Siefken, O. J. Hegna, Chas. Hovick, F. J. Richards, councilmen; H. C. Berger, treasurer; Wm. Brandvold, clerk. The present officials are O. Warren, mayor; G. A. Rystad, A.D. Odor, Hans Beck, H. H. Covey, H. C. Berger, councilmen; H. J. Wickman, clerk; L. F. Pingel treasurer, Tom Lawson, marshal.

Olive Irene Haraldson was the first child born in the town.

Regina Spiegelberg is the name of the lady who looks after the post office for your Uncle Samuel and Mrs. C. O. Waldron is her assistant.

E. T. Claisson is the good natured station agent at the depot.
Dr. H. J. Wickman, surgeon and physician, has the confidence of all and enjoys a good practice.
Dr. H. T. Lohse, V. S., is on the job all the time. We understand he has been very successful in his professional work.

A band consisting of 18 members fills one of the needs of the town. L F. Pingel is the leader of the same and, we were told, D. W. Thomas, one of the live wires of the town, gives valuable assistance to this excellent organization.

The Churches

The Methodist first held services in the M.W.A. hall over the meat market for several years before building a church. Their church was erected in the year 1909 and the parsonage in 1912. Rev. F. J. McCaffree was their first pastor.

The Lutherans have a fine church property. The church was built during the year 1910 and Rev. Henry Nass was its first pastor. For some time Rev. C. O. Otteson, who is also pastor of the Little Sioux Valley church, has occupied the pulpit of the Rembrandt church. He preaches in the Norwegian language in the Little Sioux Valley church and in the English language in the Rembrandt church.

The school house was erected in 1913 at a cost of nearly \$13,000 including fixtures. It was built for the independent district about one year before the schools were consolidated. We would not be surprised if it would be found not of sufficient size to accommodate all who want to attend inside of two years. The school has an enrollment of 175. The school is in good condition and has an excellent corps of instructors. The teachers are J. T. Kaveny, superintendent; Edna Sutherland, principal; Jennie McQuinlin, Alta Church, S. Marie Merryman and Anna Berger, teachers. The directors are D. W. Thomas, A. D. Odor, Oliver Brandvoid, Guy McKibben and John Herbert; H. H. Covey, secretary; L. F. Pingel, treasurer.

The C. T. Haas Meat Market advertises the following meat prices: beef steak 20c per lb, shoulder roast 16c per lb, rib roast 15c per lb, sausage 15c per lb, lard 12c per lb, boiling meat 10c per lb.

Rembrandt Booster (December 14, 1944)

Do You Recall These 28 Year Ago Events

News items taken from an old Rembrandt Record dated Dec. 20, 1916, and brought in by Mrs. Anna Mosbo.

Miss Gladys Bonnichsen who has been seriously ill with an attack of pneumonia is rapidly improving under the care of Dr. W. M. Hubbard and Miss Blanche Titus of Spencer, who has been with her constantly during her illness.

August Rystad is having a well bored at his new home this week.

Carl Walstrom bought a herd of cattle from S. Haraldson this week.

Miss Netta Brandvold and Lillian Hyllested spent Saturday shopping in Sioux Rapids.

Miss Helen Gulbranson is assisting Postmistress Spiegelberg during the holiday rush.

Miss Bertha Michaelson went to Storm Lake Monday evening to do some Christmas shopping.

B. G. Morgan went to Indiana Wednesday evening where he will spend the winter visiting friends and relatives.

Edwall & Rystad commenced Monday to install the hot water heating system in the new Farmers State bank building.

Miss Ethel Thomas spent a few days last week visiting Miss Verna Haroldson who is attending Buena Vista college at Storm Lake.

Miss Amanda Hesla who has been quite ill for sometime is recovering and will soon be able to take up her work at the Rembrandt Mercantile Co.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Holm returned Tuesday evening from Minnesota and their intentions are to farm the Lessmeir place 6 miles northeast of this city.

RECORD

REMBRANDT, IOWA, WEDNESDAY, OCT. 4, 1916

No. 49

VOL. I.

"Dollar Bill" says:

"When you buy clothes, a Good Deal depends upon a Good Deal."

Samples now here from
Lukone Tailoring Company
CHICAGO
Responsible Tailoring
Made-to-Measure only

You're sure of a Good Deal
In Fabric, Fit, Style and Hand Workmanship.
This charming line awaits YOUR inspection TODAY.

Haraldson & Hegna
Rembrandt, Iowa

MANY ENJOY PICNIC

Old Settlers Recall Early Days Last Thursday—Permanent Organization Effected.

Chilly weather and the high wind did not seem to interfere with the enjoyment of the old settlers who gathered in Storm Lake last Thursday to enjoy the day recounting the experiences of the early day and breaking bread together.

After the picnic, the old settlers gathered at the court house for a permanent organization. Following were the officers which were chosen: President, A. R. Brown; Secretary, A. C. Smith of Storm Lake; Historian, H. L. Perry of Lin Grove.

Executive committee: George W. Chappin, C. L. Ward of Lin Grove and W. Bennett of Storm Lake. Committee to draft constitution and by-laws: A. C. Smith, A. R. Brown, C. L. Ward, L. G. Anderson, Herman Mathison.

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NEWS NOTES OF NORTHWEST IOWA

Important Events of the Week Tell in a Few Lines for the Benefit of Our Busy Readers.

LaMar city council has purchased a motor fire truck. Jacob Schmitt and Dorothy Knud of Peasbush are married.

Leonard Smith of Ida Grove has decided to locate in Odebolt for the practice of law. Warner Mosser and Nora Baughman of Peasbush are married.

Spencer last week. William Schmitt, living near Maun, was instantly killed by lightning one day last week.

The Midland bureau has contracted to put on a chautauque at Ida Grove next season. Mrs. J. C. Knud of Laurens is dead at the age of thirty-seven years. She leaves eight children.

W. C. Ellis is erecting a new business block in Laurens. It will contain three business rooms. Scott Rhule has purchased the H. H. Paul market in Odebolt and will take immediate possession of the same.

John Youngdale and Mabel Anderson, well known young people of the vicinity of Peasbush, are married. During a recent electrical storm, two farmers lost stacks of hay by fire set by lightning near Rockwell City.

George Shimo, a Peasbush automobile dealer, and Katherine M. Shimo of the same place, were married last week. Mrs. Ellen Callaghan of Spencer has reached the age of one hundred years. She has lived in Spencer for a third of her life.

A fire which broke out in the electrical plant at Spencer last week caused a loss of \$3,000 before it could be extinguished. The paying contractor at Ida Grove will be compelled to replace two blocks over there on account of some interior work.

Henry Fredrick, a well known farmer living near Maun, was killed last week when his Ford car overturned with him. Charles A. Keller of LaMar died last week at the age of forty years. He had lived in Cherokee county for twenty-five years.

Walter H. Martin, a sixteen year old boy, has been sent to the reform school for a crime. He was charged with having stolen a horse. His father and family settled in Benton county sixty-two years ago.

John Avery of Peasbush is under arrest at Fort Dodge, charged with stealing some automobile accessories from a garage in Clara. John T. and Lewis Fitzgerald have purchased the Peasbush business of J. D. Fitzgerald in Peasbush and have already taken possession.

Iowa county will vote on a proposition to issue bonds for \$50,000 for a new county home for the poor at the time of the general election. LeRoy Coffman and Amy Ella Hopson, well known Laurens young people, were married last week, much to the surprise of their friends.

Charles M. Peterson, who has been employed in a store in Rolfe for some time, has decided to engage in the grocery business in this town. Marcus held a big horse show this week. This annual event attracted a great deal of attention down there and some excellent horses are on exhibition.

The barn on the H. C. Wilson farm at Anson, Iowa, which was recently destroyed by fire, together with eighty tons of hay and other produce, was insured for \$10,000.

Mildred Volder died last week at Emmetsburg and the remains were taken to Laurens, the former home of the family, for interment. She was a victim of tuberculosis.

The Rolfe school board made an exceptionally advantageous sale of the bonds the returns from which will be used in building a fine new school house in this town.

Charles Anderson, a well known Spencer young man, was killed last week when he came in contact with a live electric wire. He was married two weeks.

Maria Corrie, daughter of S. M. Curran of Ida Grove, left last week for San Francisco where she will shortly become the bride of Paul E. Earle, formerly of Des Moines.

Three women of Ida county are suing for divorce. Catherine Iverson versus Lars Iverson, Laura E. Woodard versus S. S. Woodard, and Lizzy Larson versus Lars Larson.

Mrs. Henry Oudet has purchased the meat market at Peasbush which Mr. Oudet conducted until the time of his death, which was the afternoon of the day he was killed.

He was an experienced man in charge. Ole Paulson, for thirty-five years a resident of Aurelia and for twenty-five years a resident of Peasbush, died last week. He was the oldest of his family.

Burglars have been numerous in Howard the past few weeks. On Tuesday night of last week the post office and the Harlan drug store were entered and a considerable sum of money stolen.

Post Schmitt of Sioux county was picked up over near Cherokee last week in a demented condition. When he was brought to town he was found that he had more than \$100 on his person.

Many Manufacturing company, manufacturers of farm machinery have located a branch distributing

DR. WICKMAN TO LEAVE

Sells Practice to Dr. W. M. Hubbard Who is Already Here.

Rembrandt people will be greatly surprised that Dr. H. J. Wickman has sold his practice in Rembrandt to Dr. W. M. Hubbard and that the Wickmans will leave only next week for Anadarko, Okla., where they will spend a short time looking after property in town after which they will go to their old home at New Hampton, Iowa, to locate.

Dr. Wickman has built up a fine practice here and at the same time he has made friends of all, and the Record joins in the general regret that he and his family are to leave. Dr. Hubbard, who succeeds him, is a graduate of the medical college of the Chicago university, known for years as the best medical school for ten years he practiced medicine in Oklahoma City, where he was city physician for six years. For two years he has been doing special hospital work in Chicago. He will be cordially welcomed to Rembrandt.

There was a real banquet at Wall Lake the other night when a company of our state actors entertained the Methodist Episcopal church net together and after dinner pledged themselves to be used in paying for improvements to the church property.

Miss Ellen and Hazel Simon, daughters of the well known Ida Grove dishing merchant, were married in Sioux City last week to Lewis Goodman of Chicago and Chester E. O'Connell of Jefferson. The double ceremony was performed in the hall of the Martin hotel.

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FIRST NUMBER FINE

Large Crowd Heard Dr. Claire Sisters, Musicians, Saturday Evening.

The first number of the Rembrandt Lyceum was given at the opera house before a large audience on Saturday evening, when the Dr. Claire Sisters were the attraction. They are very accomplished musicians in every branch of music.

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Why do you transact your banking business here in your home town—in your home bank—instead of the city bank?

First. Because honesty is an asset, as well as your financial honesty. Second. Because your banker is acquainted with you financial condition and is always willing to take care of your legitimate demands in time of need. Third. Because what benefits you is a benefit to your banker and likewise what is a benefit to him is a benefit to you. Fourth. Because you are assured of courteous treatment. Have you always received the above treatment? Let us demonstrate our methods of handling your business.

FARMERS STATE BANK

Rembrandt, Iowa

"A HOME INSTITUTION"

TEACHERS INSTITUTE

County Teachers to be Here October 5 and 6—Excellent Lecturers Engaged for Occasion.

The Boone Vista county teachers' institute for this year will be held at the Storm Lake high school building on Thursday and Friday, October 5 and 6, 1916. The schedule of the institute will be as follows: Thursday, October 5, 9:15, L. C. Cheney, 10:15, J. W. Parkhill, 10:30, Horace Ellis. Friday, October 6, 9:15, G. M. Wilson, 10:15, J. W. Parkhill, 10:30, Horace Ellis. The lecture program which has been arranged is better than ever and is as follows: Thursday, October 5, 9:15, L. C. Cheney, 10:15, J. W. Parkhill, 10:30, Horace Ellis. Friday, October 6, 9:15, G. M. Wilson, 10:15, J. W. Parkhill, 10:30, Horace Ellis. The lecture program which has been arranged is better than ever and is as follows: Thursday, October 5, 9:15, L. C. Cheney, 10:15, J. W. Parkhill, 10:30, Horace Ellis. Friday, October 6, 9:15, G. M. Wilson, 10:15, J. W. Parkhill, 10:30, Horace Ellis.

COURT CLOSURES

Buy Season Ends Saturday—Much Business Transacted.

District court closed a very busy day on Saturday and Judge E. C. Coyle left that evening for his home in Humboldt.

Interest in the latter part of the week centered in the case brought by R. N. Peterson to secure the custody of his little son two years of age from his little fellow's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wart. After hearing the matter under advisement for a time, Judge Coyle decided that the laws were with the father and the child was given to him.

H. H. Henderson and Lewis McFalls, colored, who were indicted for larceny, were each fined \$100 and costs and are in jail in default of bond.

H. H. Boettcher of Truesdale, who was indicted for violating the liquor laws, pled guilty of two counts and was fined \$25 and costs on each count, which he paid.

Arvid Richardson was granted a divorce from Ray Richardson. The divorce action brought by Mrs. Pearl Kraemer against Joe Kraemer was withdrawn. After having been on the docket for some time, the case of Ben Peterson versus George Tabell was settled by stipulation. M. G. Caskey of Sioux Rapids gave bond in the sum of \$500 for his appearance at the November term to answer to his indictment.

Judge Coyle has rendered no decision in the case which was brought by the Linn Grove Consolidated school district to compel the Barnes township treasurer to turn what funds he has over to the new district.

TRUESDALE

Truesdale, September 27.—A. L. Whitney of Storm Lake was in Truesdale on Friday attending to business matters.

The Willing Workers class of the local Sunday school will have a sale of new book books on Saturday afternoon at Smith's hardware store.

Mr. and Mrs. DeBarre left on Sunday for their home in Chicago. Mr. George Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Alexander and the Misses Fritz and Mitchell of Laurens spent Sunday evening at the Thompson home.

Mrs. Mary Wilson, Clifford Myers and family visited on Sunday at the home of Mrs. Larson.

The Avery children arrived the latter part of the week from Aurelia.



Know! About the Oven!
Judge for yourself—see the large oven, made in one piece of heavy boiler iron and notice the very close riveting—nothing is left to the imagination in the oven construction of

Cole's Hot Blast Range

Range Secrets Disclosed!

The entire oven edge, top-bottom and sides is exposed to view in this remarkable range. In no other range is the edge of the material used exposed to the eye, and thus the weight and quality can only be guessed at. When you purchase Cole's Hot Blast Range you see the heaviest material ever used in the construction of a domestic range. Oven will not warp or buckle. Heaviest body material made of Copper-Alloy Iron. Come in today—stop past range troubles now and purchase Cole's Durable Hot Blast Range. It will mean economy in fuel and repair bills.

"The Double Capacity Range"

Look for the Name "Cole's" None Other Genuine.

Edwall & Rystad
Rembrandt, Iowa



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We are at WAR, and it is a very serious thing

The disasters of war are not incurred on the battle field alone. War and Disaster go hand in hand—you can not have one without the other.

Some of the disasters can be prevented. We, the bankers of this city, want your help in preventing one very serious disaster which threatens you—which threatens every family in this city, every family in the nation.

The banks must not be obliged to buy and hold these bonds. The people must buy them unless the people's interest is to suffer.

The banks have subscribed liberally, but the funds of the banks are, for the most part, needed to support industry and agriculture. Our factories, our merchants, our farmers borrow largely from the banks and these loans must go on if business is to go on, if food is to be produced.

A war is not being waged successfully if armies in the field are winning great victories while the people at home, for whom they are fighting, are suffering dire financial depression, with business at a standstill, factories closed, men everywhere out of work, the rich finding food hard to get, even at the highest prices, and the poor actually starving. And America can and must wage a successful war.

Success is generally built on accurate information, and we feel that if you are informed of the need you will meet the need, surely, quickly and eagerly.

What You Must Do

The need is for you, yes, you, to buy these bonds. The nation needs the money to equip its men; for food; for ships. You must not fail to protect your country from disaster at arms through faulty or slow equipment of its men who go to fight your battles. You must protect yourself, your family, your friends, your neighbors, your community from the disaster of business depression and hard times.

Remember, our panics of past years started quickly, but we recovered very, very slowly from them. And this loan must be subscribed by June 15th.

If the average subscription should be \$400, then five million people MUST subscribe. You MUST be one of the subscribers. Every family in this community MUST subscribe to protect their own interests, their own income, their own livelihood, their jobs, their future.

Subscribe all you can. Make a real sacrifice. And remember, that if you want your prosperity right here to be all that it can be, you MUST make a real sacrifice.

The man who does not subscribe to these bonds will be looked upon as a citizen unwilling to help his country and his community, his neighbors, his business associates and his own family in their hour of need.

But it is not enough to subscribe, just for the form of it. You must subscribe all you can—make a REAL sacrifice.

How it Pays

Now let's look on the other side of the picture. When this issue is all subscribed by the people you will find that business is increasing markedly. And business is exceptionally good now. But on top of present good business there will be two billion dollars (\$2,000,000,000) a staggering sum, spent in a few months for every conceivable kind of product. Metal of all kinds, fabrics of all kinds, workman's clothes of all kinds, workman's shoes of all kinds, will be called on to fill the needs of our government and foreign governments' buying in this market. The entire nation will be called on to produce as never before. The workers of the nation will be buying freely of all necessary articles of merit. Right here in our city the demand will be felt and those things we produce be consumed as never before. The money we have put into Liberty Bonds will be coming back to us in a great volume ON TOP of the present prosperity, the present high tide of good business—we en-

You will find that the sacrifice you made to buy Liberty Bonds is not a sacrifice but the best stroke of business you ever did for yourself, your family, your friends, your community since you earned your first dollar.

Now do you see why you MUST subscribe all you can NOW? Disaster if you don't—prosperity if you do.

And let's see what you get for your money when you subscribe. A United States Government Bond—a first mortgage on the whole United States, paying you steady interest at 3½ per cent—a piece of the wealth of the wealthiest nation in the world. No investment you have today, can compare in safety with these Liberty Loan Bonds.

But we do not advise you throwing over other investments to buy these bonds, attractive though they are. A great many people getting out of investments at the same time unsettle business conditions. We want you to subscribe to these bonds

out of CURRENT INCOME as much as possible.

If you have investments and no cash it is best for you to go to your bank—any bank—and borrow on your investment and put the proceeds in Liberty Bonds.

How Easy it is

See how easy it is to subscribe and to meet the payments. A payment of only 2 per cent is made with your subscription. The balance is payable in four installments, up to August 30th. Thus if you subscribe to a \$500 bond, you pay with your subscription, ten dollars (\$10). On June 28th you pay ninety dollars (\$90) more. On July 30th you pay one hundred dollars (\$100) more. On August 15th one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150) and on August 30th the final payment of one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150). Thus you can pay for a considerable part of your subscription from your income meanwhile.

If you have no bank account—if you have a job you MUST subscribe just the same for we need your help—your country and your fellow citizens here.

You can buy a \$50 bond and you can go to your employer and subscribe through him on the partial payment plan. The banks of this city have already asked him to help you and have offered to help him help you. But you must help, too, and exert every effort to have every friend you have subscribe. You must do your part to aid your country, to protect your job and make it better, to protect your family and help us all protect the families and the workers of the nation.

You can buy a \$50 Liberty Loan Bond—you can do your bit. You can pay \$2.50 a week for twenty weeks. Then you have saved against a rainy day, a fifty dollar bill which pays you interest. You can be a real American and fight shoulder to shoulder with all the rest of us to keep our flag flying high and our families safe and prosperous and content.

If you have a bank account go to your bank and subscribe. If you have no bank account go to your boss and subscribe, AND DO IT NOW.

NEWS NOTES OF NORTHWEST IOWA

Important Events of the Week Told in a Few Lines for the Benefit of Our Busy Readers.

R. L. Harris and Nellie Clark of Pringarth are married.

An engineering army corps is to be formed at LeMars at once.

J. C. Ashby has purchased the Fox-Dick livery and feed barn in Sac City. Fox-Dick county Bobakals held their annual convention in Belle on Tuesday.

Mrs. George Cunningham, a well known Falls woman, is dead after a long illness.

There were 253 births reported in Sac county last year, and of that number, 191 were boys.

Pringarth authorities have been making a house cleaning of those who sell liquor and those who drink it.

The annual convention of the Pythian Sisters of northwest Iowa was held at Hawarden last week.

Martin M. Hoover and Julia Grace Patten, prominent and popular Rockwell City young people, are married.

Dr. Everett H. Field of Aberdeen, S. D., and Mabel Lightner, a well known Belle young woman, were married last week.

Steps have been taken to organize a school team in Belle for this season.

Katy Verbeek, a life long resident of LeMars, is dead at the age of forty-eight years.

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Rembrandt, Iowa

First National Bank

"Safety and Service"
Rembrandt, Iowa

This advertisement is paid for jointly by the above banks

LINN GROVE

Linn Grove, May 30. Mrs. Joseph Sawyer and Ruby of Peterson visited relatives here Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. John T. Davis of East Chicago, Ind., is visiting at the home of her daughter Mrs. James Morris. Rev. W. R. Harris of Des Moines, formerly a pastor of the Presbyterian church at Linn Grove, arrived here

Monday and gave the address at the commencement exercises held Tuesday evening at the high school. Henry Reed arrived home the latter part of last week from Rochester,

Minn., where he had an operation for tumor. Mr. Reed is feeling as well as can be expected.

George Anderson is the owner of a new Ford.

Who's Who in Rembrandt

Who is the man who is never sad
And is never known to sigh?
Who always looks on the sunny side?
Who says "Let's live until we die?"
Who sell us beef and bacon
And sausage made from dog?
That's what they all claim, anyway
But he swears it is made of hog.
Who has learned to drive a "divver?"
Never breaks the traffic laws?
He is a boarder at the hotel.
It is that Charles T. Haas.

DECLARE WAR

Upon the weeds in your corn field for unless you clean the rows of your corn field, the weeds will take possession and choke off the growth of the corn. It is more necessary to raise a large crop this year than it has ever been before, not only for your own benefit on account of the soaring prices but also for the good of the entire nation. We are at war and we must have food for our army and navy. Boost your corn crop by giving it a thorough cultivation with a Tower cultivator or another of the leading makes of both surface and shovel cultivators for which we are agents. Think this over and come in now and see us.

A. C. SCHLUNTZ

REMBRANDT, IOWA

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Sell the Champion Cream Saver

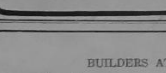
THE NEW DE LAVAL

BUTTER made from De Laval-separated cream has been first prize at every convention of the National Creamery Butter-makers' Association for the last twenty-five years, as well as in every other important contest, and you must admit that this fact can mean but one thing—superiority.

The De Laval cream gets not only more cream, but better cream.

De Laval-separated cream is better simply because the construction of the De Laval bowl makes the creaming possible at a speed so low that the cream is not injured.

It is not only better, but it is also better for you. It is the cream that is the highest quality for your butter. It is the cream that is the highest quality for your butter. It is the cream that is the highest quality for your butter.



BUILDERS ATTENTION

When the government starts using large quantities of lumber for the construction of sea going ships, naturally the price of lumber is bound to rise. Our government has been using nothing but steel in the construction of ships for a number of years until the opening of the present war with Germany. The price of lumber is the lowest now that it will be for a considerable length of time so if you are figuring on any repairs or the erection of any new buildings, buy at once. We have a full supply of building material and can supply you at once.

LANE-MOORE LUMBER CO.

REMBRANDT, IOWA

J. B. VICKERMAN, Manager

Hotel Rembrandt

REMBRANDT, IOWA

Strictly new and modern in every effect. Transient trade respectfully solicited.

MRS. E. L. BOYLAN

Orellia McBride of Des Moines, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McBride of this city, enlisted Friday in the United States army. Orellia has served six years in the army, three in the Philippine Islands, and will probably be given his former rank as first sergeant.

Considerable damage has been reported from the electrical storm on last Tuesday evening. Adolph Kappreth had a fine steer killed during the storm and the barn on Mrs.

Clumt, Peterson's farm, northeast of this city, was also struck, damaging some of the barns in the farm near corner of the structure badly injured.

Demonstration at Lincoln-Lee. Miss Campbell of the extension department of the Iowa state college will give a demonstration of the cold pack method of preserving fruits and vegetables at the Lincoln-Lee school on Thursday morning, June 7, from nine to eleven o'clock. Everybody is invited in this are urged to attend.

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LOCAL NEWS

Miss Ethel Thomas visited in Spencer Thursday.

Mrs. W. McGraw visited in Sioux Rapids Thursday.

O. J. Hegna left Monday evening on a brief business trip to Sioux City.

E. Delpain shipped four cars of cattle to the Chicago market Saturday.

C. O. Walstrom shipped a car of sheep to Chicago the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Covey visited relatives in Storm Lake on Memorial day.

Ralph A. Wheaton of Storm Lake attended to business matters in this city Monday.

J. B. Vickerman went to Fort Dodge Thursday and visited until Monday with relatives.

Miss Doris Doyle went to Fort Dodge Thursday and visited until Monday with relatives.

Miss Clara Burnichon is visiting in the country at the home of her sister, Mrs. Aaron Nelson.

H. C. Berger of the First National bank attended to business matters in Storm Lake Saturday.

C. O. Walstrom moved Saturday from rooms over the Rembrandt Mercantile store to his own home.

J. W. Duerr, Grit Siskien, Olan Conway and Joe Roberts returned to Storm Lake Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Ralph Evans and family left Friday evening for a visit in Fort Dodge at the home of her parents.

H. F. Wellmering has loaded his household goods preparatory to moving to his new home at Spencer.

Fred Nelson went to Britt, Iowa, Friday evening and visited over Sunday at the home of his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Oler moved into their new home which they recently purchased of Elmer Garlock on Thursday.

G. A. Rystad will leave the latter part of the week to attend to business matters in Minneapolis and St. Paul.

Miss Edna Sutherland left Monday afternoon for Sioux Rapids where she is engaged to her home at St. Joseph, Mo.

Key Conroy has rented a suite of rooms in the O. J. Hegna store building and moved into them this first of the week.

Mrs. Rose Hyllested moved her household goods to Storm Lake Friday and will make her home there in the future.

Cecil Walden has accepted a position in the Rembrandt Drug company store for the summer and started his work Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Berk and family moved to Storm Lake Sunday for a short visit at the home of Mrs. Rose Hyllested.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Fiedley went to Sioux City Monday evening where Mrs. Fiedley consulted physicians about her health.

Mrs. E. L. Boylan is able to be around again after her recent serious illness and is attending to her duties about the hotel.

The Camp Fire girls returned Friday from their camp on the Little Sioux river where they spent several days last week.

J. W. Duerr has rented the house at the corner of the extension department of the Iowa state college and will move his family from Osceola in the near future.

Mrs. Ole Warren and daughter went to Nebraska Tuesday morning for a visit with Mrs. Warren's parents and with other relatives.

The school board is preparing to erect a coal storage house this coming winter and are filling the basement of the Rembrandt school house.

Charles Brown and L. Smith went to Minnesota Tuesday where they intend to do contract drayage work during the balance of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Hand returned to Sioux Rapids Tuesday evening. On their return, the car skidded off the grade into the ditch but no damage resulted.

D. W. Thomas, manager of the Rembrandt Elevator company is preparing to stock up heavily with coal for the coming season and work has been commenced for the erection of about forty-eight feet of new coal chutes.

Popular Couple Married

One of the most interesting weddings of the week was the marriage of Harold Ryland and Miss Amanda Hecks at the home of the bride's parents at four o'clock Sunday afternoon. The bride and groom were met at the altar of the wedding church by Rev. J. W. Peterson of the Little Sioux Valley church. Officiated, brother of the groom, acted as groomsmen and Miss Sylvia Ryland, sister of the bride, as bridesmaid.

At six o'clock the guests were seated at tables which were decorated in green and yellow and were served an elaborate four course dinner. The newly married couple received many beautiful wedding gifts of furniture, silverware and cut glass. They will make their home in the H. F. Wall building residence property.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hecks and has been employed for some time as saleslady in the Rembrandt Mercantile store where her willingness to accommodate and her ability as a saleswoman made her a valuable asset. She is a housekeeper by nature which combined with her sweet disposition will make life pleasant indeed for the young man who has chosen her.

The groom's junior partner in the Rembrandt Mercantile company store and is a young man of highest morals and sterling worth whose ambition and desire to forge ahead will make his life a success in every sense of the word. This newspaper joins with the many friends of the young couple in wishing them all the joy and happiness of life.

Johnson-Michelson

The marriage of Arthur Johnson and Miss Jonnie Michelson was solemnized at the Little Sioux Valley church, Friday afternoon at four o'clock, the ceremony being performed by Rev. J. W. Peterson.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Michelson of this city whose loving disposition has made and retained for her a large circle of friends. She is skilled in the art of bookkeeping and will be an able helpmate for the young man who has chosen her for a life companion.

The groom is an industrious young carpenter who is at present employed by George Brandt.

This newspaper joins their friends in wishing them a long and happily married life.

Church Notes

The baptismal service which was to have been held last Friday night was postponed until next Sunday afternoon. The candidates are to meet at the Tremaine church at 7:30 and get from there to the place of immersion in an automobile. This service is for all three of the churches on the circuit.

There is again but little response to the needs of the churches are urgent.

There will be a meeting of the Epworth league, called of the Lincoln chapter on Friday night. This meeting is to plan for the summer's work of the league.

A children's day program will be given by the Rembrandt Sunday school on Sunday evening, June 17. There will be one at Lincoln later. Everyone is welcome.

SIoux RAPIDS

Some four or five years ago a young attorney by the name of P. H. Keenan opened a law office in Sioux Rapids. He did not stay here long as business did not seem to be very brisk with him, so he left for Sioux City where he opened a law office. While in Sioux City Keenan brought

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We have some snappy numbers to show you. Just the kind you want to celebrate with. We are also showing a few genuine Panama hats. If we haven't your size, we can get it on short notice.

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anti against the Great Northern railroad for \$2,200, alleging that he had sustained permanent injury when alighting from one of their trains. The case was settled out of court and Kousen received \$750 as damages. This seemed to give him an idea and he figured in two or three other suits against various railroads for personal damages. In all these cases he came out all right financially but he carried the same pitcher to the well once too often and is now under arrest at Mason City charged with swindling railroad by presenting a false personal injury claim and receiving payment thereon.

Elmer Cook has sold his barber shop to Elmer Davis who took possession last Thursday. Elmer has not decided yet about his future plans. George Schaller has purchased the brick house on the corner west of Farmer residence. George does not expect to move into the property but bought it for an investment.

Of twelve young men of Battle Lake, Minn., who volunteered for service in the army and navy only two were accepted, the rest being rejected for physical disabilities.

Sioux Rapids record of thirty volunteering for service and everyone accepted is indeed quite remarkable.

Ward Truett, son of Mrs. L. Truett, left for Des Moines Monday where he made application to join the navy.

Ward returned home yesterday and stated that he was to go to sea as an army tender and expects to be called into the service within a few days.

Richard M. Armstead was born in Columbus, Ohio, March 17, 1834, and died at his home near Sioux Rapids, Iowa, on Saturday, May 26, 1917, at the ripe old age of eighty-three years, two months and nine days.

Sixteen years of age he lived in Columbus when he moved to Illinois. On February 11, 1858, he was united in marriage with Miss Eliza J. Russell and six years later he moved with his family to Cedar county, Iowa. After a residence of four years at this place he returned to Illinois and again in 1875 he moved to Iowa, locating in Boone county and later in Calhoun county.

He came to Sioux Rapids and purchased the farm where he resided until the time of his death. Mr. Armstead was the father of nine children, seven boys and two girls. His good wife and two sons, Floyd and Harry, preceded the deceased to the world beyond. Those still living are George, Mattie, John, Sidney and Samuel, all of Sioux Rapids; Ned who lives in Washington and Mary Leister of Laurens. There are fourteen grand children and four great-grandchildren. Short funeral services were held at home on Tuesday at 2:30 and from the Methodist church at 3:00, Rev. Filderson and Whitlock officiating. Interment was made in the family burying ground in Struble cemetery.

Real Estate Transfers

E. J. Nicks and wife to Terence Thomas, lots 17 and 18, block 5, "Pioneer" Lake View addition, Storm Lake \$1200.

George J. McCullough to Esther C. McCullough, lot 18, block 1, Bradford's addition, Storm Lake \$1500.

E. C. St. Stephen and wife to E. L. Smith, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, block 2, Tremaine, \$1000.

Samuel Mills and wife to Wesley G. Brown, E 46 1/2 of the 120 1/2, south of the N 1/4 of 1/4 of 1/4, Thompson's Lake View addition, Storm Lake, \$1000.

Wesley G. Brown and wife to Samuel Mills, lot 1, block 1, Dahlberg's, Storm Lake \$1000.

W. F. French and wife to Oscar Bertling, lot 14 and 1/4 of lot 15, Albert City, \$600.



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