

dayed with relatives in Leal.

N. B. Sorenson and grand-child Axel left last Sunday morning for Concord, N. D. where they will make their home.

J. M. Robertson of Keister, Minn. spent several days last week at the Christopherson home, leaving here Friday evening for Billings, Montana.

Mrs. C. E. Thayer and son Lester spent Thursday with Mrs. John Kline at Wimbledon.

Miss Louise Hjorth Sundayed at the F. L. Thompson home in Carrington.

Miss Irene Meyers who has just closed a successful term of school in the Ferguson district south of town, left on Sunday morning for New Home where she will spend her summer vacation with her brother on the farm.

Martin Larson spent Sunday with his wife at Valley City, Mrs. Larson is now up and around, but is still a patient at the Platon Hospital, but will soon be able to return home.

F. L. Thompson of Carrington spent Sunday evening here with friends.

S. C. Shockley drove over from his farm near Woodworth on Saturday, and on Monday he left with his family and household goods for that place where they will make their home on their farm near that town. Mr. Shockley having just completed his residence on the farm.

Dr. Cusick of Carrington spent several days here last week on professional business.

Roseoe Brown left last week for Ray, N. D. where he expects to remain during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Fenton who have spent the winter here with their daughter Mrs. Wm. Wolsky, left on Sunday evening for their home in Waterbury, Conn.

J. M. Asal of Arlington, Minn. arrived the latter part of last week and is employed by O. E. Holmes as druggist. Mr. Asal is a ball player of some repute, and will assist the boys materially in their nine during the coming season.

Earnest Christopherson arrived Sunday morning from Swift Current, Sask., and spent the day here with his brother O. B. and family. Mr. Christopherson left the same evening for points in Minn. where he will visit for a short time with relatives before returning to Canada where he is engaged in the real estate business.

Mr. E. W. Stroh and family left on Thursday bound for their claim in S. D. Mr. Stroh left on the freight accompanying his car of household goods and stock. Mrs. Stroh and the children left on the evening train for Sanborn where they visited several days with relatives before going on to their S. D. home. We are sorry to lose this estimable family from the community, as Mr. Stroh has been one of Kensal's prosperous business men for the past three years and took an active part in all commercial departments of our village. Mrs. Stroh will be missed by society where she was a leader and by the church where she was an active worker. We wish for Mr. Stroh and family abundant success and prosperity for the future in their new home.

J. E. Son and Hans Hjorth went up to Carrington on Monday to attend the play "Tennessee's Partner"; a dance was given at the close of the play and they assisted with the music.

A much needed fire escape has been built on the rear of the I. O. O. F. Hall.

Geo. E. Berg went to Minneapolis last Thursday evening and while away purchased a new five passenger Overland auto, which he expects in a few days.

News from Jim Lake

A quiet wedding was celebrated at the home of Henry Thorman last Sunday, the contract-

ing parties being Chas. Burch of Stillwater, Minn., and Mrs. S. Slough, a sister of J. Hicks of Kensal, with whom the lady has made her home for the past six years. Mr. Birch is a brother of Mrs. Henry Thorman and has visited his sister here several times during the past few years. The marriage ceremony was solemnized by the pastor of the German Lutheran church here. Only relatives and near friends were in attendance. But as evening drew near the young people of the neighborhood gathered outside and with various "musical instruments," such as tin horns, tin pans, etc., made merry until host and hostess were glad to invite the merry crowd within where refreshments were served and a most pleasant evening enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Birch are still in our midst visiting the different relatives of both parties, but they will depart the latter part of the week for Stillwater, the groom's home. Best wishes of friends for a long and happy wedded life will follow them to their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaffney were callers at the C. D. Wood home Friday evening enroute to Kensal to visit at the John Cysewski home.

Hugo Reibe was a caller at C. D. Wood's Monday.

The genial countenance of Herman Hammersteadt appears at our doors these days as he performs the assessors duties.

Lars Homes is threshing his leftover grain this week. W. H. Bingham's machine is doing the work.

THE LATEST MAIL ORDER GAME.

We have just learned of a new scheme which catalog houses have inaugurated and put into effect in this country with some little success.

It seems that their game is to organize clubs among the farmers in all parts of the country with the understanding that the members of the club will get their groceries at wholesale prices. But in order to become a member of this club you must plunk down \$21.00 cash and four notes for \$21.00 each, one of which is due each year. We have not been able to learn whether or not the notes draw interest, but feel safe in assuming that they do, as they are immediately sold by the catalog houses and unless they drew interest it would be a hard matter to dispose of them. We are told that several people in this vicinity have been taken in on the scheme and they admit that the quality of the goods they are receiving is inferior to those sold by the local merchants, but what can they do? The catalog house has \$105.00 of their hard-earned money, so the only thing left for them to do is accept such goods as is sent them from time to time.—McVilleville Journal.

W A N T S

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. H. N. Tucker.

WANTED—A bright boy to learn the printers' trade. Call at this office.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Enquire of Mrs. Loran Nichols.

FOR SALE—Second-hand steam engines, 14 to 25 h. p., in first-class condition. Sam Turner.

FOR SALE—Two 5-horse power gas engines; 2 feed mills. Second hand, in good condition. See Samuel J. Turner.

WANTED—Solicitors for the Courtenay Gazette. Liberal commission for paid-in-advance subscriptions. Call on or write us.