

## Kensal News.

From the Journal.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sloan are rejoicing over the arrival of a bouncing baby boy which came to gladden their home last Friday. All are doing well.

Mrs. M. Peterson, mother of Anton, while visiting at Valley City suffered a stroke of paralysis. She was brought home Monday and is now somewhat improved.

The Carrington law firm of Craven & Maxfield have dissolved, Mr. Maxfield retiring. Mr. Maxfield looked Kensal over with a view of locating here. We hope he may yet decide to do so.

Frank Stecher was called to Fargo on Tuesday on account of the serious illness of a nephew who was operated on at a hospital there Monday. We did not learn the nature of the trouble.

Carl Paulsen's new automobile came Monday. It is a 22 horse power Buick, five passenger. Carl claims it is capable of throwing dust in the eyes of any auto in town. Of course he isn't saying this to Pete Christianson or Anton Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Moody Watson entertained during the races and carnival, Misses Agnes Breen and Mayme Dooley, Valley City; Mrs. H. B. Postlewaite, Carrington; Miss Belle Horn and Roland Beach, Courtenay; Howard Johnson, Portal.

Last Wednesday evening Dr. Longstreth was called to the home of John Brady. It appears that one of the daughters had accidentally taken a dose of strychnine and was dangerously ill. After a hard struggle the young lady's life was saved.

Fred Conklin, of Chester, Iowa, is the new assistant cashier at The First National Bank. Geo. Martin, who has been filling that position since Charley Morton went to Max, left for Courtenay this week where he will work in The First National Bank.

There is a growing interest in favor of a commercial club. There is no possible objection to an organization of this kind, and a great deal of good can be accomplished by such a body. There are many things in the way of improvements that Kensal needs that can be secured by an organized effort such as a commercial club would be in a position to make.