a weekly newspaper published at Dakota City, Nebraska. Permission has been granted for the transmission of this paper through the year their respective towns were under mails as second class matter. Telephone No. 43.

The report that Senator Wiltse went ed in 1909 over the total for the preto Lincoln to take part in the Oliver vious year. He says that he also intheatre attempted demonstration vestigated the conditions in Alexander against Senator Burkett, or that he and Edwards counties in Illinois, uneven expected to go, is absolutely false, der license and later under prohibition. Senator Wiltse was in Randolph all the time. He had a telephone mes-solely to the fact that the towns were sage from the managers of the affair without saloons.

asking him to preside as chairman. The senator refused, they wanted him to attend and he refused, they then said "think it over and telegraph us ging anybody .- Randolph Times.

called to meet in Omaha March 8, 9 moved into their new residence that and 10 when the organization known they had built on Wedneeday as the Federation of Nebraska Retailers, will hold a three days session. of Miss Aimee Pitts in Homer from The object of the meeting is to interest Saturday evening until Sunday noon. a larger number in the co-operative plan of conducting their stores, which home on Wednesday after a visit with has proved a great saving in many her parents, Mr and Mrs Ashley Lon-towns and cities, notably in Madison. dresh, in Dakota City....Ray Mans-General discussion on store problems field has taken the contract to move will occupy the largest part of the some of the buildings from the old program and some able men from Agency site to the place where the offiother states have been secured to make ces are now located. He will move addresses. The organization is head the old offices, the drug store and the ed by Fred Diers of Madison, and W chief clerk's residence. H Avery of Tilden is secretary. The program is now being published and will be mailed to a large list but the secretary will be glad to forward copies to anyone addressing him.

A HOROWARD A THREE MONOMORE ADARDAD A THREE A THREE AND A THREE AN Items of Interest

from our Exchanges

Friday.

Wakefield Republican : Mrs Aona Wakefield Republican: Mrs Aona M Evans of Dakota City, associate Grand Matron of the Eastern Star, will visit the chapter here February will visit the chapter here February 22nd.

Rosalie Ripsaw: Halley's comet was last visible in 1835, when we were to permit the steam to escape they aidjust a kid steen years old and this was the year M M Warner established the Lyons Mirror.

Pender Times: Mrs Chas Pounds The loss occasioned by the explosion is came down from Hubbard, Monday, slight, and operations were resumed at .... George Lampson of Walthill and A G Weaver formerly of Dawes precinct were in town this week.

The sale held by JU Duncan last week was well attend and everything Mr and Mrs Duncan wil sold well. move to Morningside this week.

Dakota County Herald JOHN H. BEAM, PUBLISHERS. Subscription Price, \$1.00 Per Year. A weekly newspaper published at tained from them figures showing the enjoyed until a late hour, when nice are visiting at the Miller Bros, home total of their depositors and the last refreshments were served.

the license system and the first year the towns were dry. He states that without exception the deposits increas-

Winnebago Chieftain: James Allaway of Homer was a caller here Tuesday .... Frank Church of Homer was His refusal by telegraph followed. a business caller here on Tuesday.... Senator Wiltse is a progressive repub-Julius Pitts of Homer was a business lican, but he don't believe in sand bag- caller in Winnebago two days this week .... Aimee Pitts of Homer was a

visitor between trains in Winnebago Merchants of Nebraska have been on Sunday ..... M S and Mrs Mansfield Mary Herman visited at the home .... Mrs Harry Chamberlain came

> Sioux City Journal 8th : Because of the presence of mind of e.nployes of the plant, a serious accident was avert-

er men when the explosion occurred.

the plant within a short time. A FOROM MORE AN INCIDENT MORE INCIDENT AND A DEPARTMENT IN CARDING INCIDENT INCIDENT

Luton items in Sloan, Iowa Star: # action ac JACKSON.

Thomas Curran has disposed of business in Waterbury and with his Off Harris, Marenus Pederson and family has moved to the old homestead Beck Nelson shipped a car of cattle near Vista. Tuesday. Miss Mullen of Allen was a guest Jay McEntaffer shipped a car of in the F J Morgan home Monday, en- corn this week. route to Newcastle, where she has a Tom Clapp sr of Sioux City was class in painting. Homer visitor Saturday. Mike Boler sr, sold his farm pear Mrs Geo McBeath visited relatives Hubbard consisting of 200 acres to his in Dakota City Tuesday night. nephew, M R Boler, receiving \$50 ap tere for it John Waters, of Early, Iowa, is vis-

Harry Miller who has been visiting

HUBBARD.

Tom Heffernan is wearing a broad

Ed Maurice shipped a car of cattle Tuesday morning and H G Ogburn

Geo Hayes was a county seat visitor

Free Pounds is slightly on the

Carl Anderson was in the City one

down Wednesday to hold services in

Mike Green was a Sioux City pas-

Mrs Carl Frederickson has been on

Herman Renze, John Cullen, Ed

and Joe Hartnett and John Green

went to Sioux City Sunday to attend

Sheriff Rockwell was in our burg

Jim Barry was a business visitor

E Christensen was a city passenger

Miss Delia Timlin visited over Sun-

You are all invited to the chicken

enger Thursday of last week.

the Knights of Columbus lodge.

the sick list the past week.

the Lutheran church,

last week.

here last Saturday.

Sunday morning.

day at her home.

day at their homes.

last Saturday.

last Friday.

men hall Friday evening.

enger one day last week.

shipped a car Wednesday morning.

er in-law. Notice to Rural Route Patrons.

Postmaster M. L. Flynn is in receipt of a letter from Fourth As- his brother, J N Miller and family for

sistant Postmaster General De Graw some time, left for his home in Lake in reference to patrons of rural routes View, Iowa, last Sunday. placing loose coin in their mail boxes. The order reads: "In view of the extent to which the practice of placing went to Sioux City Thursday morning. loose coins in boxes by rural patrons

has grown, and the delay in the delivery and collection of mail and the her visit at Florence, Nebr, Wedneshardship imposed on rural carriers in- day evening.

cident thereto, you are informed that, commencing February 15, proximo, rural letter carriers will not be required to collect loose coins from rural mail him. boxes. Patrons should enclose coins in an envelope, wrap them securely in and Joe Heffernan were among the a piece of paper, or deposit them in a Sioux Cityans Friday. coin holding receptacle, so they can be easily and quickly taken from the boxsmile these days all on account of a baby boy which came Wednesday to es, and carriers will be required to lift

such coins, and, where accompanied by mail for dispatab, attach the requisite take up its abode in their home. stampy.

HOMER. Died, Feb 5th 1910, Mrs Kittie Bur-

anm Lane, wife of Dave Lane. She Wednesday. leaves, beside the husband, five small children, the youngest an infant two mend.

day last week. daughter. Mrs Rue Altemus, Sunday. Peter Sorensen and son were in the Will Broyhill and family spent Sunity Tuesday. day at the Will Leamer home.

Dr Stinsen of Dakota City was in is store fitted out with gas lights. this burg Monday.

Miss Bula L Branaman of South an up to date harness shop. Sioux visited a few days at the Fred John Johnson visited at the home of Wilkins home. his sister, Mrs H Hanson, one day last T D Curtis and family were guests week. at the August Wilkins home Saturday

and Sunday. Geo Midkiff and wife attended the Solo party at the Aug Wilkins home Saturday evening.

Who says there is no money in chick-Will Rockwell has shid \$100 ens? worth of pure bred white Leghorn costers this spring thus far.

Frank Hirsch of Sioux City visited his mother, Mrs Almeda Ream, between trains Sunday . Mrs Ida Coleman went to Sionx

Tusday returning Wednesday. Lula Barnes went to Sioux City on

Wednesday returning Friday. Will Spear is enjoying a visit from his brother, Frank Spear, of Ogden, Utah. This is the first time the boys have met for twelve years.

James Allaway sr drove to Dakota City Wednesday.

Leo McPherson of Dakota City was in Homer Wednesday. Miss Lena Wilkins went to Sioux

A sister of Mrs Dave Lane, from

Sheriff Rockwell was in Homer his Tuesday on official business.

vere Sioux City shoppers Friday.

passenger Thursday of last week.

GOVERNOR NOT this week. Mr Carlson is their broth-

Omaha Daily News, November 14.) County option will not be written into the platform of the Nebraska democracy next year, regardless of the position of W. J. Bryan, if Governor Shallenberger can prevent it.

"County option means prohibition," Mr and Mrs Stading and children declared the governor on his arrival in Omaha this morning, "and Mr. Bryan is illogical in his statements Mrs Fred Schumacher returned from that he is a county optionist, but not a prohibitionist.

"Mr. Bryan has intimated in numer-Frank Uffing returned Friday evenous conferences that he is an optioning from his Germany trip. He looks ist, but not a prohibitionist, but the as though the country had agreed with very principle of county option is prohibition. Dick Rockwell and daughter, Lora,

"The liquor problem will be one of the main issues of the campaign," said the governor, "and I do not deem it advisable for the democratic party

to adopt a county option' plank. "The liquor laws, with the daylight saloon act passed by a democratic . egislature, are being more rigidly enforced than ever before and I believe that a rigid enforcement of liquor statutes is to be preferred to county option.

"It is too early to draft a platform and I believe that we should wait un. til the situation develops."

#### Attitude of Democratic Press.

(Columbus Telegram.) The Telegram prefers the method of law rather than the method of Barney Gribble is intending to have the bootleg. And when we say we prefer the method of the law it is Carl Frederickson is now operating with the understanding that all laws governing the sale of liquor shall be enforced to the letter. We favor obedience to the law

two reasons: Because it is right. Rev Larson of Sioux City, came

2. Because only by strict enforces ment of the present Nebraska liquor laws can Nebraska escape prohibition We are glad to be able now to state that this is the view of the great majority of the country demo cratic press in Nebraska and The Telegram always feels safe wher traveling the path which the major ity of the democratic editors are pointing out as the right path.

Bishop Scannell's Admonition. Rt. Rev. Richard Scannell, bishot of the Catholic diocese of Omaha, de livered a notable sermon at St Cecelia church in Omaha Sunday, November 14. The bishop admonished the women to eschew politics. He criticised the activities of the woman temperance crusaders. On this point he said:

pie supper to be given in the Wood "Instead of these women striving for total abstinence they should be Julia and Hertha Smith spent Sunworking in the cause of temperance,' said Bishop Scannell. "Men have a Chas Jessen was a city passenger practical judgment in this matter and do not look for the ideally perfect L E Priest was a southbound pas Therefore, I see no advantage to be derived from the women being ad mitted into the political arena." Miss Clara Reiss was in the city

The

Figures That Burn.

Effects of No-License Booze.

(Worcester Post.)

the effects of no-license," said a drug

ery morning there is a line of men

at my soda fountain waiting for their

bromo, a drink that is supposed to

take down the head of the morning

after, and they come in here in an

times shake so that they can't lift the

awful condition. Their hands some

gist to Saunterer this morning. "Ev

"It is easy enough for me to see



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ed yesterday afternoon at the Crystal Lake distillery, South Sioux City, when a lead gasket in the dome of the mash cooker blew out and filled the room with steam. The cooker has a apacity of about 6,000 gallons. The trouble occurred after it had been

soon acate and heated until the pressure filed and heated until the pressure South Creek items in Ponca Journal : was 298 pounds to the square inch J M Barry of Jackson, Nebraska was Wayne Parish who has charge of the transacting business in South Creek cooker, was in the room with two oth-

> All three climbed to the second floor and closed the steam valves, and then superintendent, at the time. They

heard the explosion, and, understanding what caused it, rushed toward the cooking room. By breaking windows ed the men in the building. They realized the danger to the men in the room and did not cease efforts until everyone had been accounted for.

CORRESPONDENCE neral.

City Wednesday. Grand Island came to attend her fu-

weeks of age. Jas Allaway and wife visited their

Hornick items in Sloau, Iowa, Star: Mr and Mrs E C Sherrard went over to South Sioux City, Neb, last Saturday for a visit in the home of the latter's parents, Mr and Mrs H O Dorn. Mr Sherrard returned home Monday morning, while his wife remained for a few days longer stay.

Ponca Journal: Judge Evans of Dakota City was in town Monday attending the settlement of the Herman Hanson estate .... W F Mikesell went to Sious City Saturday to spead Sunday with his wife and her folks. He was taken sick Sunday with a case of the mumps, but he is reported to be doing nicely.

Osmond Republican: J F Myers of Siour City, a practitioner of some note, -was called to see A F Meltcher, of this place, who is down with rheumatism, and after one treatment, Mr Meltcher, was able to sit up and walk about the house, and he considers Mr Myres as somewhat of a miraculous healer. Glad to know that Aug is so well pleas-Sunday. ed with his treatment .

Pender Republic: Mr and Mrs J F Meyers are down from Sioux City calling on Pender friends....Harry Pounds and family from Homer visited over Sunday at the W W Pounds home north of town .... The local Eastern Star lodge enjoyed a visit from the Grand Associate Matron, Mrs R E Evans of Dakota City, last Friday Hubbard . evening. She gave the lodge instruc- John M tions as to the proper way to put on over Monday nig the work after which refreshments er, Peter Myers. were served and a pleasant social hour was enjoyed.

was in town on business Tuesday .... Hans Lamp bought the place east of town of William Wilke which is now initiation. occupied by William Schoremann .... The Emerson pump house is again the scene of a very distressing accident. Harold Davis while at work in the plant, Wednesday afternoon in some manner got caught in the machinery and had one of his legs badly broken. He was taken to Sioux City in the evening on a special train where it was found necessary to amputate the injured member just below his knee. At present he is resting easy.

Lyons Mirror: Mr and Mrs M M Warner Sundayed at the King plantation on the old Coil place west of town. Frank King took a pitchfork and dug John Flannery, J M Barry and down to the earth under the snow and Chris Smith attended the horse sale in tound that there was not a particle of Sioux City Tuesday. frost in the ground .... The Oakland Mail wanted us to tell a pioneer bob-aled story. Well, here it is. Some forty years ago Capt Leaming who lived in Decator made a pair of bobsleds. About 10 years ago the late A C Bogers bought them for \$5. Afterwards Charles Dye bought the 'sleds for \$5 and the other day after having elements for 40 years they were sold at the Dye auction sale for \$20.

Hartington News: Mrs G E Von Hagen will occupy the pulpit at the M E church Sunday morning and even-

iting his parents, D F Waters and wife Mrs C A Barrett returned to her mother some better but very weak.

home in Sioux City Tuesday, after an over Sunday visit with her parents, Mr and Mrs John Brady.

Henry Morris is putting in a well this week for Chris R Smith on his newly purchased farm, the Ki'son

place, near Vista, Nebr. Gertrude Collins, of Omahs, arrived home Sunday. here Monday for a visit with Minnie and Margaret Keefe and Margaret Sul-Ashford home and will occupy it this livan.

spring. Consideration \$3,500. Quite a number of the local Knights Ashford Brothers have dissolved of Columbus from here attended the initiation of a large class in Sioux City

the store in Homer and John will have Mrs Amick, of Newcastle visited

over Sunday with her daughter, Mrs where he will move with his family City. A Breisch T J Hartnett and wife saw the "Old

M A Bancroft sold the Free Press Homestead" at the Grand in Sioux Monday to B J Taylor, of Siour City, City Saturday afternoon. Iowa, who has taken possession. Mr W J Kreutzfeldt, who worked in the Barcroft will remove to Winnebago lumber yard here during the illness of and devote all his time to the Chief-

F J Morgan departed Monday for Bro Bancroft and family, we welcome John Myers, of eastern Iowa, spent Bro Taylor and his family to their new over Monday night here with his fathhome, wishing both families success and happiness in their new fields of

Chas McCarthy, of Ponca, spent a labor. few hours in town Sunday. He drove Dore

Doreas met with Mrs Seth Barnes Rev Father Moore, P McCabe, and J Thursday as a farewell before they go Emerson Enterprise: HO Armour J McCarthy, to the Junction, where to Omaha, and the husbands of the they took the train in the afternoon members were invited in to eat supper for Sioux City to attend the K of C with them. Mrs Barnes was presented with a Dorcas souvenir spoon. Seth

Leo Hall and wife spent over Sun- thought he ought to have one too, but lay with their relatives at Dixon, as he was only a Dorcus and not a Doreas he did not get a spoon. Nebr.

The Dillon Bros sold about 6000 FIDDLER CREEK bushels of corn to the elevator here Mary Johnson is visiting at the this week. They expect to move the

last of the month to South Creek Nebr. Chas L Dodge home this week. E J Mullally and wife visited over Joe Maurice came home from Car-Sunday in Sioux City with their daugh-ter, Mrs Jenkinson, E J also taking in

this country again. Edna Chase, who has been visiting the Initiation exercises. Gertrude Hall spent Saturday and

relatives here for some time, left for Sunday with friends in Sioux City, reher home in Cherokee, Iowa, last Thursday. N L Crippen and wife acturning to her school near Hubbard Sunday evening. companied her as far as Sioux City.

Beaula Breneman of Sioux City is visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity this week.

The new phones have been installed On account of Sister Bennetta being ill with lagrippe, no school was had in the high school this week. and now every lady is busy talking. Ed Maurice shipped a car load of

C K Heffernan is loading two cars cattle last Tuesday. of corn which he is shipping to the J N Miller marketed hogs in Homer Farmers Elevator Co, at Homer, Nebr. last week.

J S Nye is the relief agent here Misses Jepson and Erickson came while the family of Joseph Marsh are home from Sioux City to spend Sunwithstood the wear and tear and the quarantined for diptheria. Mr Marsh's day, little son has almost recovered.

Peter Sorensen and little son, Al-Mrs J P McEwen and little son, bert, were passenger to Sioux City Milton returned to their home in Siour Tuesday. City Monday after a weeks visit with

her brother, Thomas here. A large party of young people peo-

The dance given Friday night at the M W A hall was a great success, several from out of town were in attendance

> Mr Heeney from near Nacora visited one day last week at the home of his brother, Frank.

John O'Connor was somewhat under the weather last week.

Our central came very near having S A Brown was a Sioux City visitor blaze Tuesday morning, but being Monday night returning Tuesday noon. noticed right in the beginning the Benone McKinley and Mcs H A flames were soon under control. Monroe returned from Humboldt, Iowa, George Haves received a certificate Friday. They left Mr McKinley's

this week from the department of agriculture at Lincoln, where he sent a Mesd. Nelson Smith and T D Curtis sample of seed corn to be tested, which was 100 per cent on a 4 days Mrs Dorna Purdy was a north bound duration test, which is remerkably good and reliable.

Mrs Nannie Altemus, son Vern and A number from here attended the laughters May and Mrs Guy Sides sessions of the farmers institute at Dawere guests at the Audry Allaway kota City last week. in secret and irresponsible dives.

Will Duggan was a business visitor Wm Clapp has bought the John at the county seat Saturday.

### SALEM

Frank Mehan and wife, of Ponca, parternership so far as the store busi- spent a few days 'visiting friends ess is concerned. Tom will retain around Salem the past week.

Mrs Ceo Miller was elected a menipossession of the Winnebago store ber of the Social Dozen club fo Sioux

> Pa and Ma Andersen, of Sioux City, visited at the home of M G Leamer and wife on Sunday.

bromo to their mouth without using Jacob Leamer has added three fancy both hands. This no-license booze if draft horses to his stable of speeders, tain. While we regret the removal of and now his neighbors will have to certainly the stuff that kills. And the most pitiful thing about it is the look up to him and take a few pointers number of young fellows that have as they are far superior to any others gone to the bad this year. I don't around Salem. believe there were ever so many be

Salem was well represented at the fore. They come in here every morn Farmers Institute last week. Mrs Hering with their faces pale and their man Ebel repeated her work of a year hands shaking, after some drug that ago by carrying off the first prize on will straightened them out. It cerbutter. Elmer Blessing was first with tainly is a shame." With that he Reids yellow corn.

B O Buchanan left Thursday for Omaha on a three days vacation trip. Charley Barber and wife, of Ponca, visited at the Cornell home this week.

E H Gribble, Lewis Armbright and Geo Bates had the misfortune of getting valuable horses kicked, all of which were sharp shod.

Lewis Armbright says his neighbors have little respect for him as they pass roll, Nebr, last Thursday to stay in all hours of the morning to the swamp for hay and he does not find time to complete his dreams.

Ida Bodenbender says Kansas is far ahead of Nebraska in that the young men are much handsomer.

Albert Heikes and wife gave a re ception at their beautiful home. Mr and Mrs Chas Heikes, to which about forty friends were invited. An elaborate four course supper was served by the Misses Mary and Madge Heikes, assisted by the Messrs Bougous and

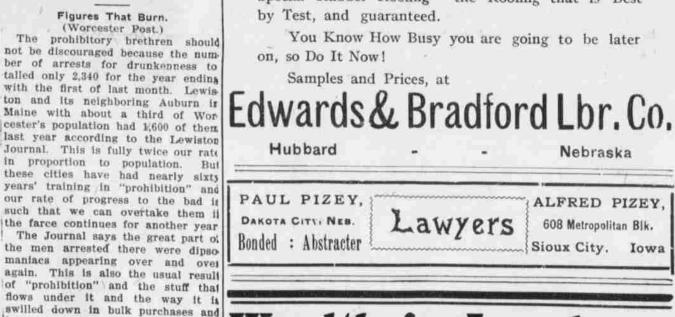
Dr Hoch. Mr J F Leamer and wife entertained

Mrs Mikesell and daughter, and O W Fisher and family at a one o'clock dinner Sunday at their "Prairie Lawn Home." The guests were seated at a large table which had for a center

piece a rose made of corn husks. The hostess was ably assisted in serving

About thirty Fiddler Creek young Esther, who recently graduated from cob Leamer. The former purchased people gave a surprise party at the aschool of Domestic Science in Oma-Miller Bros home last Saturday even- ha. The after dinner hours were spent corn sold at 500 per bu.

(Worcester Post.)



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turned to the soda fountain to mix a bromo for a man waiting there. Burlington

Route

#### Thirty-Four Murders.

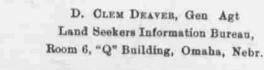
Discussing the subject of crime in prohibition states, the Chicago Record-Herald, in an editorial, makes this statement: "In Jefferson county, Alabama, the county that includes Birm ingham, there were thirty-four murders in the first twenty days of April."

> Cannot Understand. (Alma Record.)

Considerable agitation is heard regarding one of the two big political parties adopting the county option plank, but the writer fails to understand just why either the republican or democrat party should wish to steal the prohibition party's thunder.

Louis Roost farm of 120 acres adjoining Coburn Junction, now occupied by Fred Schmidt. We beard the pur-

Everything sold well at the Duensing sale. The principal buyers from the six course dinner by her daughter this locality were Geo Miller and Ja-





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recalling old times.

Those who heard the Moderne Muicians at Dagota City Saturday even-

ng say were the best ever. Fred Bierman ar has purchased the

chase price was \$100 per acre.