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NEWSY ITEMS FROM OUR EXCHANGES

Concord items in Allen News: Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Marshall motored to Hubbard, Neb., Wednesday evening.

Randolph Times: Miss Esther Learner, who was domestic science teacher here a few years ago, is now teaching this branch in the Iowa college at Ames.

Wisner Chronicle: Leo Wagner, his mother, Mrs. J. E. Wagner, and his aunt, Mrs. Etta Wagner of Hastings, motored to Homer on Tuesday to visit at the H. N. Wagner home.

Sioux City Journal, 23: Mrs. Arlington Lantz, who has been visiting for a week with her mother, Mrs. Viola Ostmeyer, departed Wednesday for her home in Armour, S. D.

Lyons Mirror-Sun: Our old pioneer friend, Mike Mitchell, of near Jackson, Dakota county, called in to see us this week. He settled up there in 1872. One of his neighbors, Frank Prichard, accompanied him.

Winnepago Chieftain: Leonard Crellina, nephew of ours, was a caller Wednesday. He was on his way to Homer from West Point.

Moses Armell and family went to Sioux City Tuesday. They stepped in South Sioux City long enough to make a substantial donation to help pay for the new pavement upon the polite request of an eagle-eyed motor cop.

Sioux City Journal, 24: Little George Heikes, of Dakota City, lost his "daddy" at the Interstate Fair grounds Friday and he wanted the world to know it.

And to this end, in his diminutive way, he was howling lustily. He was taken in tow by one of the fair officials. About half way to the administration building the tears stopped suddenly and an ear to ear smile appeared.

"There he is," he howled gleefully, darting through the crowd.

Wakefield Republican: Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Samuelson and son Merwin, and Mrs. Fred Hughart motored to Dakota City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dixon, Mrs. Wilbur, Mr. and Mrs. Savidge of South Sioux City, motored up last Sunday and spent the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Larson.

Fred Hughart opened the cafe at the Logan hotel the first time Tuesday evening, since the recent fire. The place presents a very neat and clean appearance after the thorough overhauling, and Mr. Hughart is entitled to a good patronage, which he undoubtedly will have.

Allen News: C. D. Hall and family of Hinton, Iowa, visited Sunday in the Ernest Triggs home.

W. A. Morgan spent Saturday night at the P. F. Ellis home. P. F. Ellis took him to Wakefield to meet the train Sunday morning.

About fifty relatives of Mrs. Rudolph Schroeder gathered at her

home near Goodwin Sunday in honor of her birthday. There were also several friends of the family from Stanton, Neb.

Mrs. J. E. Miles and two children, who have been visiting at the home of her brother, J. E. Triggs, left on Monday for Sioux City to visit other relatives a short time before going to Seattle, Wash., where they will make their home.

Emerson Enterprise: Frank Heenev has been out in the Hay Springs neighborhood and bought up several hundred head of cattle and hogs and will distribute them among the feeders of this section.

John Feller put into his feed lots the latter part of last week, 370 head of cattle purchased through Frank Heenev. A neighbor of Mr. Feller purchased one hundred head at the same time.

Leo Wagner, who was employed as pharmacist at the Ryan drug store about a year ago, stopped in town Tuesday evening on his way home at Wisner, from Homer. He owns and operates a drug store at Wisner.

Walter E. Smith, brother of Sol Smith, visited here the latter part of last week. Mr. Smith was born at Homer and lived there all his life, with the exception of the past two years at Los Angeles. He will return to California soon. The editor enjoyed a pleasant visit with W. E.

Lincoln Daily Star, 20: Miss Edna Hansen, 18 years old, who came to Lincoln from Homer, Neb., a week ago to enter the state university, died Monday night at the Lincoln hospital, after an illness of three days. This illness began Thursday, after a strenuous day of waiting in the long line of students to complete her registration.

Some time ago Miss Hansen had been ill with influenza, according to physicians. She had stood in line all Wednesday forenoon and Thursday afternoon out-of-doors, which exhausted her, it was claimed. Her room-mates said that she said she did not feel well Thursday evening, and went to bed Friday. She was later taken to the Lincoln hospital, where she was attended by Drs. Frank A. Snyder and B. F. Williams.

Dr. Snyder said Tuesday morning that death was caused by heat exhaustion.

Miss Hansen had been staying at one of the university dormitories, 1220 R street, with her sister, Carrie, who is a senior this year, but will not attend the university, due to the sudden death of her younger sister, Miss Edna Hansen was to begin her freshman year.

She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hansen, of Homer, Neb.

Sioux City Journal, 27: T. W. Gribble, of Dakota City, Neb., miraculously escaped fatal injury Monday afternoon when a street car collided with a wagon he was driving at the intersection of Grand avenue and South Wall street, the base of the viaduct approach to the Wall street viaduct. Gribble was knocked from

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the seat and rolled beneath the car. He was dragged several feet, but was not run over by the wheels. He was removed to St. Joseph's hospital, where it was said Monday night that his condition was not serious.

According to passengers on the street car, Gribble was driving the wagon west in Grand avenue when the street car, coasting off the viaduct, struck the vehicle broadside. One of the horses disentangled himself from the wreck and ran away, while the other was knocked down and injured slightly.

Gribble fell from his seat and landed in front of the car. The fender passed over him, but he was caught by the front of the car and dragged along the pavement. When the car had been brought to a stop, Gribble was found to be only a few inches in front of the wheels.

Gribble suffered a gash in his head, cuts about the face and painful bruises about the body.

Sioux City Journal, 21: This winter may be one of the hardest since the country in the Missouri valley region was settled. Old timers say that every indication in animal and plant life presages a winter whose chilly blasts will eat coal in a bustling manner.

Gas Friedman, who has been fishing, trapping and doing truck farming up and down the Missouri river between Council Bluffs and Yankton since 1875, is one to voice the general prediction, which has come from the United States weather bureau.

Squirrel nests have been built in many instances to the thickness of eighteen to twenty inches, where a thickness of three or four inches usually prevails, according to Friedman.

The trapper says that seven inches, the greatest thickness in these nests noted in past years, was seen during the winter of 1888, when blizzards swept Nebraska and the Dakotas, claiming so many rural school teachers, pupils and lone prairie dwellers. Forty degrees below zero was no uncommon thing then.

Squirrels usually use sticks, straw and feathers. This year, Mr. Friedman says, in some instances the little animals have used mud to plaster the dwellings together. In the same tree where the nest is built is usually a hollow, which the squirrel uses for nuts and also for hibernation when the weather gets so cold that it cannot live in its nest. This year the hollows are filled to overflowing with nuts. None are being planted in the ground at the foot of the trees and the nests are being partially filled.

This, according to Friedman, indicates that the squirrel is afraid to trust to a too heavy frozen earth surface and instinctively anticipates weather that will compel him to remain in the nest.

One squirrel's nest in a tree on the west bank of the river about three miles upstream from Sioux City contained feathers enough, if shaken loose, to have filled a bushel basket, the trapper said. This constituted the first lining. Back of that, oak leaves, bits of papers, small sticks and pieces of bark were not only woven, but also plastered together, forming a wall thick enough to keep out almost any amount of cold.

Friedman stated that pairs usually lived together in a nest, and the animal heat contributed much to warming the snug chambers of the little shelters.

Friedman, who makes his home in Omaha during the winter, spending the summer in a motor boat on the Missouri river, lived for many years in Dakota county, Neb., and first settled on the spot where South Sioux City now is located. He came from Milwaukee to Nebraska in 1875 when he was 20 years old.

University Attendance

Attendance at the University has exceeded that of last year by more than four hundred during the first week of registration. Students are still coming in large numbers.

In the Agricultural College registration was somewhat larger than for the same period last year, which would indicate that attendance will exceed last year in all departments of the college. The increased attendance of women was especially noticeable, although the men in agriculture still outnumber the women in Home Economics.

VILLAGE BOARD PROCEEDINGS

Dakota City, Neb., June 7, 1921. Board met in regular session. Present—Biermann, Adair and Warner.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Upon motion made and unanimously carried, the following bills were allowed upon the various funds as hereinafter mentioned:

ROAD FUND
Emmett Hileman\$18.50
Wm. Lahrs 14.80

LIGHT FUND
Wm. Lahrs, labor and reading meters\$27.60
H. H. Foltz, labor 8.50
City of South Sioux City, April 23rd bill 68.50

WATER FUND
Wm. Lahrs, pumping and labor.....\$23.20

GENERAL FUND
Wm. Lahrs, marshal\$15.00
Wm. Biermann, double-tree 1.00
J. J. Elmers 1.50

Upon motion the following resolution was read and passed:
Estimated expenses of the Village of Dakota City, Nebraska, for the fiscal year beginning on April 26th, 1921, and ending on the last Tuesday in April, 1922:

Be it resolved, by the Chairman and Board of Trustees of the Village of Dakota City, Nebraska, that the Expenses of said Village for the fiscal year ending on the last Tuesday in April, 1922, be, and is estimated as follows:

Interest on Water Bonds and Sinking Fund\$1250 00
General Village Purposes, including Salaries 1000 00

TOTAL\$2250 00

The total amount of revenue of said Village for the preceding year, amounted to the total sum of \$5762.49. Be it further resolved that the foregoing estimate of expenses for the said current fiscal year, be published in The Dakota County Herald for four successive weeks, as required by law.

WM. BIERMANN,
Chairman Board of Trustees.
WM. P. WARNER, Village Clerk.

Upon motion unanimously passed, it is ordered that Wm. Lahrs hire the necessary men for the removal of the poles of the Electric Light line between Dakota City and the limits of South Sioux City, and that he supervise and oversee the work of removing said poles, and resetting the same in the new location.

Upon motion Board adjourned.
WM. P. WARNER, Village Clerk.

Dakota City, Neb., June 28, 1921.

Board met in special session at the call of the Chairman. Present—Biermann, Adair, Orr and Warner.

Upon motion the bills for men employed in the removal of the poles of the electric transmission line between Dakota City and South Sioux City, were considered and allowed for the amounts, and to the men as follows: Same to be paid from light fund:

Wm. Biermann, hauling tools, \$ 3 00
H. H. Foltz, electrician, to bal. labor 47 70
Anton Schank, labor 8 00
Henry Krumwiede, livery and labor 26 55
Chas. Niebuhr, labor 12 15
George Bates, labor 24 30
James Graham, labor 9 90
Wm. Lahrs, reading meters \$20, labor \$26.80, Lug \$2.75..... 49 05

GENERAL FUND
Wm. Lahrs, marshal June\$15 00
G. F. Hughes & Co. to bal 7 35

WATER FUND
Wm. Lahrs, pumping, June\$25 20

ROAD FUND
Wm. Lahrs, labor, June 9 60
On motion Board adjourned.
WM. P. WARNER, Village Clerk.

Dakota City, Neb., July 5, 1921.

Board met in regular session with the following present: Biermann, Orr, Buchanan and Warner.

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.
The following bills were allowed on funds as follows:

LIGHT FUND
F. H. Forrest, express paid\$ 91

Byron Buchanan, express paid... 91
Byron Buchanan, express paid on meters63
Byron Buchanan, 4 pkgs. ties .. 2.83

It appearing the annual estimate for village expenses for 1921, ending the last Tuesday of April, 1922, has been published for four weeks as required by law, and ordered on June 7th, 1921. Ordinance No. 248 was introduced and placed on first reading.

After being read the first time, upon motion unanimously carried, the rules were suspended and said ordinance No. 248 was placed upon and read the second time, when after such reading, the rules were suspended and said ordinance No. 248, providing for the annual appropriation for Village expenses for 1921, to the end of the fiscal year, last Tuesday of April, 1922, was ordered read the third time, and passed and approved.

Voting Aye—Buchanan, Orr, Biermann and Warner; No—None.

Said ordinance was thereupon declared duly passed and adopted and was ordered published in the Dakota County Herald, as provided by law. Said ordinance is found recorded in Ordinance Record, 170.

Upon motion Adair, Buchanan and Orr were appointed a committee to investigate and if found necessary have water tank cleaned, and said tower and tank painted.

Board adjourned to next regular meeting.
WM. P. WARNER, Village Clerk.

Dakota City, Neb., Aug. 2, 1921.

Board met in regular session. Present—Biermann, Orr, Buchanan, and Adair.

Upon motion made and unanimously carried, the following bills were allowed upon the various funds as hereinafter mentioned:

LIGHT FUND
Miu West Electric Co.\$ 8 00
Wm. Lahrs 26 40
Chas. Niebuhr 4 05
H. H. Foltz 5 95

ROAD FUND
Wm. Lahrs\$12 80

WATER FUND
Wm. Lahrs\$19 20

GENERAL FUND
Wm. Lahrs\$15 00
Elmer H. Biermann, insurance, 24 43
Elmer H. Biermann, money advanced to Geo. Bates for mowing cemetery 40 00
Board adjourned.
H. H. ADAIR, Clerk Pro Tem.

Dakota City, Neb., Sept. 7, 1921.

Board met in regular session. Present—Biermann, Orr, Buchanan and Warner.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Upon motion bills were allowed in the sums, and on funds, as follows:

ROAD FUND
G. F. Hughes & Co.\$ 13 15
D. H. Hager 3 00
George Bates 3 00

Emmett Hileman 30 60
Wm. Lahrs 22 80

LIGHT FUND
Wm. Lahrs\$ 24 00
South Sioux City, light juice 114 00

WATER FUND
Wm. Biermann\$ 9 00
E. H. Biermann 42 65
George Bates 2 00
Wm. Lahrs 39 60

GENERAL FUND
Wm. Lahrs, painting city hall, etc.\$ 12 80
G. F. Broyhill 39 97
Fred Schriever & Co. 2 80
H. H. Foltz 8 00
John H. Ream, printing to date 27 88
Wm. Lahrs, marshal, August, 15 00
Items of \$15.25 for electric meter, and \$1.50 for switch, disallowed, as not proper charges against the city.

Upon motion unanimously carried, Secular square, directly south of block 178, is rented to Dell Sanford for year 1922 for the sum of \$20.00, payable in advance.

Board adjourned.
WM. P. WARNER, Village Clerk.

BOXING AND WRESTLING
LAW TO BE ENFORCED

In view of the fact that numerous wrestling and boxing matches have been staged in this part of the state since the new law went into effect, and most of them in violation of the law governing such exhibitions, the department of public welfare sent the following letter to Sheriff Geo. Cain instructing him to see that the law is strictly complied with hereafter:

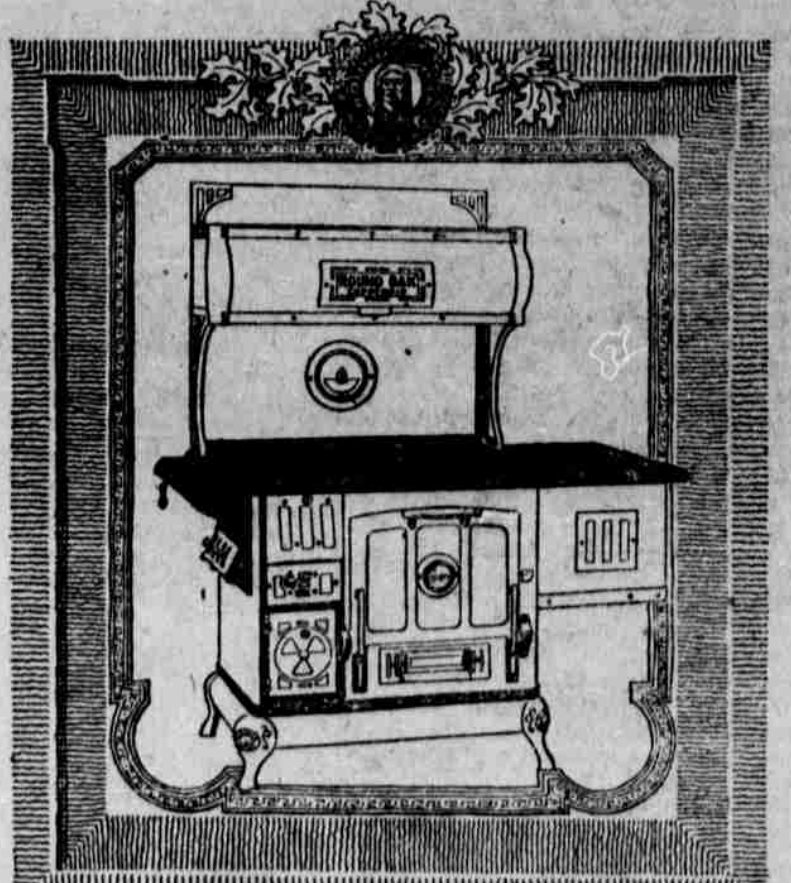
Lincoln, Neb., September 21, 1921.
George Cain,
County Sheriff, Dakota County,
My Dear Sheriff:

Your attention, as your county law enforcement official, is called to the new Boxing and Wrestling law, a copy of which is enclosed. This law went into effect July 28, 1921. Under this law each and every boxing and wrestling event must have a separate permit from this department and can be put on only by a licensed club and only corporations or clubs organized under act of congress are eligible to a license. No individual person except contestants are allowed to profit by these bouts.

We respectfully request that you see that every corporation putting on boxing and wrestling bouts in your county fully complies with this law. No boxing or wrestling bout can be held where there is a city ordinance against the same, nor where the county commissioners have passed resolutions against allowing them.

Trusting we will have full cooperation in this matter, I remain
Very truly yours,
Department of Public Welfare,
H. H. Antles, Secretary.

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