

The Avoca Department

News Items Gathered Each Week by a Special Reporter for This Department of the Semi-Weekly Journal

Owen Wright has left for Colorado.
 Henry Straub was at Omaha Monday.
 Mrs. F. W. Rubge was at Omaha Wednesday.
 Mrs. Lewton was at Weeping Water Wednesday.
 Frank Harmer was at Omaha this week with stock.
 John Busch transacted business at Nebraska City Tuesday.
 Mrs. Henry Franzen was an Omaha passenger Wednesday.
 Harry Marquardt and Ellis Lewton spent Sunday at Lincoln.
 Miss Birdie Fabnestock is visiting relatives at Kansas City.
 Post cards for water color work 2 for 5 cents at Copes' drug store.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jake Frey are visiting at the Benjamin Betts home.
 Mrs. Edna Young was up from Berlin visiting her parents last week.

Show bills are out announcing a tent show in Avoca Friday, May 12.
 Louis Marquardt was at Omaha Thursday looking after business matters.
 The Misses Hensley were Weeping Water visitors Saturday afternoon.
 Elmer Corbin had some fine cabbage and tomato plants on the market Wednesday.
 The two and a half-year-old child of Henry Hunterman was very sick last week.
 Miss Louise Rubge spent part of last week at the Henry Hillman home in Berlin.
 Mrs. Wright, mother of Will Wright, is home again after being in the west all winter.
 During the storm Friday evening the northeast corner of the lumber yard was struck by lightning.
 Rubge & Gillen have added a refrigerator to their fixtures and

are prepared to take care of their butter trade.
 Miss Sharp of Papillion, accompanied by a friend, visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Betts, a few days last week.
 Several handsome Avoca ladies are wearing new collar pins of the latest patterns, purchased at Copes' drug store. Come in and see them.
 Hartman, the accident insurance man, was holder of the lucky number which drew the Ford automobile which was raffled off at Weeping Water last week.
 Mrs. O. E. Copes entertained the R. N. A. at a Kensington last Friday afternoon. Refreshments, consisting of sandwiches, pickles, coffee, ice cream and cake, were served.
 Mrs. Dunbar returned Thursday evening from Nehawka, where she has been assisting in caring for her sister, Mrs. James Palmer. Baby Ruth Palmer accompanied her home.

REPORT OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Plattsmouth, Neb., May 2, 1911.
 Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present, L. D. Switzer, M. C. Morgan and C. R. Jordan, County Commissioners; D. C. Morgan, County Clerk.
 Minutes of previous meeting read and approved, when the following business was transacted in regular form:
 Bond of Geo. P. Barton, Constable, Albert precinct, approved.
 Sheriff filed his report of fees earned for first quarter, 1911.
 County Judge filed his report of fees earned for first quarter, 1911.
 Sheriff filed report of foreign fees earned in his office for year 1910.
 County Attorney instructed to accept service on behalf of all the respondents of the notice in the case of the State of Nebraska, ex rel. Thomas H. Pollock, et al., vs. the Board of County Commissioners, now pending in the District Court. The following notice was served on the Board:
 To the Board of County Commissioners of Cass County, State of Nebraska: You are hereby notified that the lease executed by the undersigned to the said Cass County for a public roadway projecting into and on the southeast quarter of Section 17, Township 12, Range 19, of said County, and near the east line of said quarter section, expires on May 4th, 1911. That said roadway, where it projects into and on the lands of undersigned should within a reasonable time be removed to the section line on the east side of said quarter section, where said road was located a number of years ago and now exists as such location.
 Dated at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this 2nd day of May, 1911.
 (Signed) C. S. Wortman, Owner of the said S. E. Quarter of Section 17.
 The above notice was received and placed on file.
 Moved and seconded the Board now on the road proposition carried over from the previous session for a roadway connecting the W. corner of S. E. quarter of Section 1, Township 11, Range 12, east of the 6th P. M. running thence north one mile, to be 40 feet wide. Motion carried.
 The vote stood: Against the road three (3) votes.
 And the Chairman thereupon declared the road DISAPPOINTED.
 The Nebraska construction Co. this day ordered to proceed with the erection and repairs of bridges in Cass County in accordance with contract and specifications now on file with the County Clerk.
 The following claims were allowed on the General fund:

D. Switzer, salary	\$ 51.50
C. R. Jordan, salary	57.90
Plattsmouth Telephone Co., rent and tolls	37.70
H. A. Schneider, postal supplies	4.29
M. L. Friedrich, salary	25.59
Kroehler Bros., merchandise to county	5.50
Lorenz Leiner, house rent to pauper	2.50
Ed. Egenberger, Admr., coal to court house	120.92
The Plattsmouth Journal, supplies and printing	51.24
Nebraska Lighting Co., gas to court house and jail	18.52
Weyrich & Hadraba, merchandise to county	3.65
W. S. McGowan, typewriter ribbons	3.00
W. M. Thomas, advance fees Peelle Minded Institute, service	40.00
A. W. White, merchandise to poor	60.00
E. E. Schiater, postage	5.89
E. Manspeaker, salary and trip to county farm	38.50
Warga & Ceell, supplies to county jail	3.50
Frederick Patterson, office work	28.00
April	142.74
Mary E. Foster, salary and expenses	75.00
Jesse Smith, work in county assessor's office	95.74
John Bauer, merchandise to jail and court house	41.15
L. B. Eckenberger, merchandise to jail and court house	44.58
D. C. Morgan, salary and expenses	306.13
C. W. Baylor & Co., coal to farm and launders	35.05
N. Cummings, hauling rubbish	1.50
The News-Herald, printing	71.00
The University Publishing Co., examination questions to County Superintendent	12.50
James Robertson, Hall vs. Friedrich, et al.	8.50
M. M. Soennichsen, report of births and deaths	5.70
Geo. D. Massman, report of births and deaths	4.45
W. H. Lyman, report of births and deaths	2.75
B. L. Clemens, report of births and deaths	2.75
W. E. Hand, report of births and deaths	2.75
L. Muir, reports of births and deaths	1.25
Geo. Keltner, reports of births and deaths	.75
Mike Fritsch, reports of births and deaths	2.75
A. Kurtz, report of births and deaths	1.80
A. E. Stites, report of births and deaths	.30
H. P. Kropp, report of births and deaths	.30
Klopp & Bartlett Co., supplies and records to county	46.00
R. B. Jameson, assessing Weeping Water precinct	96.30
H. R. Gerink, State vs. Ed. Rynott	2.00
Wait Trumphour, State vs. Ed. Rynott	1.50
Ed. Midkiff, wood to Mat Sigman	3.00
W. C. Grebe, assisted to D. C. Morgan, State vs. Taylor	5.00
Holmes & Smith, merchandise to poor	10.00
R. H. Franks, merchandise to poor	3.00
B. L. Clements, suicide August Westin	6.20
Dr. O. E. Liston, suicide August Westin	4.20
J. H. Tams, salary for April	75.00
George Towls, tax refunded account double assessed refund	7.50
Rasmus Peterson, labor at farm	4.00
E. G. Dovey & Son, merchandise to farm	42.70
W. B. Banning, coal to Mrs. Harris	3.55
Nebraska Telephone Co., rent and tolls	6.05
Wm. Holly, merchandise to county	2.50
C. T. Richards, assessing South Bend precinct	68.60
C. D. Quinton, boarding city prisoners and commitments	14.90
C. D. Quinton, boarding county prisoners and salary	167.10
M. Hill, merchandise to county	4.95
L. D. Switzer, ticket to pauper	10.90
H. M. Soennichsen, potatoes to farm and merchandise to poor	32.75
L. J. Mayfield, State vs. Fred Wren	15.90
C. H. Taylor, expenses	4.15
H. A. Schneider, postal supplies	5.42
Weeping Water Republican, printing to commissioners	1.50
Hans Selvers, salary and laundry	68.90
P. P. Gow, meals to pauper	.75
C. D. Quinton, State vs. John Clarence	20.52
Thomas McQuinn, State vs. John Clarence	17.40

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ALVO NEWS

Joe Wolf was down from Lincoln Wednesday.
 Mrs. Charles Strong and daughter, Emily, were in Lincoln Friday.
 S. C. Boyles was in Omaha Monday.
 Mrs. M. C. Stone was a passenger Wednesday of last week for Cortland, Nebraska, to visit her sister.
 Curtis Ogle and mother Mrs. Ogle, visited with relatives in Lincoln Saturday.
 Mrs. Gleason of Lincoln visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Higgins, last week.
 Mrs. Bead Grove visited Friday and Saturday with her folks at Palmyra.

Dan Skinner was in Lincoln Thursday.
 Mrs. George Vannoy of Prairie Home visited the first of the week with her sister, Mrs. Bud Grove.
 Fay Parsell of Lincoln spent Sunday here with friends.
 Miss Jones, who is attending the state university, visited Saturday and Sunday with Miss Marie Stroemer.
 A number of the K. P. lodge members banqueted in Elmwood Tuesday night.
 Mrs. Gertrude Boyles came down from Lincoln Tuesday to visit relatives.
 W. O. Boyles came down from Lincoln Tuesday.
 Charles Snarely and Carlton Gullion returned Sunday from their trip to Colorado.
 Miss Ethel Pask has resigned her position as clerk in the Dreamer & Cashner store.
 Albert Foreman is a passenger for Lincoln Friday.

NEW SPECIES OF ANIMALS DISCOVERED AT SOUTH BEND

The Oldest Inhabitants Pronounce Them Panthers, While Others Say Not.

The Wabash correspondent of the Elmwood Leader-Echo tells the following story, which is presumed to be the truth, as the aforesaid correspondent was never known to "fib" about such things, and he has lived in Cass county almost a hundred years:

Tay Richards, Grover Otto and Homer Lawton were building fence on the Richard ranch near South Bend Tuesday, when a hole in a side hill and among the roots of an oak tree was discovered. The tunnel was some ten feet long and perhaps two and one-half feet in circumference. Upon examination it was believed to be the hiding place of some wild beast. Curiosity prompted Otto to see what it contained and he slid head first into the hole, with the other two men holding by the feet. At a given signal Grover was drawn to the surface, holding two little wriggling animals of a species yet unknown by any present. Again Otto slid into the hole and brought forth two more of the same kind of animals, and he continued until he had ten of the aforesaid animals. They were brought to the Richard's home, one mile north of town, and this morning were brought to town, where they are now on exhibition. They are brown in color, straight pointed ears. An expert, who saw them Wednesday morning, says they are young panthers or other similar animals. An animal of this description has been seen in this neighborhood several times and its childlike cry was heard many times last winter.

WARNING TO RAILROAD MEN

E. S. Bacon, 11 East St., Bath, Me., sends out this warning to railroaders: "A conductor on the railroad, my work caused a chronic inflammation of the kidneys, and I was miserable and all played out. A friend advised Foley Kidney Pills and from the day I commenced taking them, I began to regain my strength. The inflammation cleared and I am far better than I have been for twenty years. The weakness and dizzy spells are a thing of the past and I highly recommend Foley Kidney Pills." For sale by F. G. Fricke & Co.

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when the astounding claims were first made for Buecken's Arnica Salve, but forty years of wonderful cures have proved them true, and everywhere it is now known as the best salve on earth for Burns, Boils, Scalds, Sores, Cuts, Bruises, Sprains, Swellings, Eczema, Chapped Hands, Fever Sores and Piles. Only 25c at Rynott & Co.

Foley's Kidney Remedy Acted Quickly.

M. N. George, Irondale, Ala., was bothered with kidney trouble for many years. "I was persuaded to try Foley Kidney Remedy, and before taking it three days I could feel its beneficial effects. The pain left my back, my kidney action cleared up, and I am so much better I do not hesitate to recommend Foley Kidney Remedy." Sold by F. G. Fricke & Co.

Eggs for Sale.
 B. P. R. eggs for sale, 75c per 15, \$4.00 per 100. Toulouse eggs, \$1.50 per dozen. Mrs. Wm. Troop, Nehawka, Neb. 3-16-tfwkly.

The Ladies' Aid society held a business meeting at the home of Mrs. Arthur Bird Wednesday afternoon.
 The Stroemer Lumber and Grain company shipped a car of hogs to South Omaha Monday.
 Mrs. H. O. Bailey and daughter, Ruth, were in Eagle Tuesday afternoon.
 Mrs. Clara Dobson of University Place gave an address Saturday evening on "Home Missions," and spoke at the Sunday morning services and Sunday afternoon organized a "Home Missionary society" of the M. E. church.
 J. H. Stroemer returned from Omaha Tuesday on No. 13.
 H. S. Ough and son, Chester, returned from Lincoln Monday.
 S. C. Boyles shipped a car each of hogs and cattle to South Omaha Monday.
 Mr. Carr of Eagle shipped a car each of cattle and hogs Tuesday to South Omaha.
 Mrs. Emma Cashner visited Tuesday morning at the home of George Foreman, sr.
 Little Clayton Ingwerson has been quite sick.
 Mrs. Leo Barry of Lincoln spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Carl Johnson.
 Bob Swacker came down from Lincoln Thursday on No. 14.
 Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kear of Lincoln are visiting relatives here this week.
 Thomas Stout was an Omaha visitor Thursday of last week.
 S. M. Prouty was a passenger on No. 17 Thursday evening for Lincoln.

Money to Loan.
 \$2,000 of sinking funds of the City of Plattsmouth for term of years at low rate of interest on farm lands.
 Executive Committee.

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District No. 14	1.40
Robert Johnson, road work, road district No. 6	16.00
E. N. Boyles, road work, road district No. 15	6.00
Bert Kitzel, road work, road district No. 6	18.00
A. E. Opp, road work, road district No. 12	2.20
W. B. Banning, material, road district No. 7	125.00
Wm. H. Rush, road work, road district No. 7	43.00
C. H. Spohn, road work, road district No. 12	177.00
Mike Lutz, road work, road district No. 3	230.00
C. T. Richards, road work, road district No. 3	124.75
Edward Kelsner, road work, road district No. 4	115.25
John H. Busche, road work, road district No. 2	23.75
Frank Platzer, road work, road district No. 2	66.05
Ben Beckman, road work, road district No. 10	154.00
Lee Arnett, material, road district No. 14	82.07
Lee Arnett, material, road district No. 9	6.75
Lee Arnett, material, road district No. 7	122.00
Lee Arnett, material, road district No. 15	221.32
John Root, road work, road district No. 14	32.92
G. W. Voss Co., lumber, road district No. 14	42.25
G. W. Voss Co., lumber, road district No. 13	1.05
H. A. Fricke Lumber Co., lumber, road district No. 13	9.00
W. C. Norval, road work, road district No. 14	148.75
J. C. Cline, road work, road district No. 5	30.00
Chas. Schwab, road work, road district No. 10	6.75
H. A. Fricke Lumber Co., lumber, road district No. 2	50.45
George Palsan, part payment on road grading, Inheritance Tax fund	308.00
H. P. Hayes, road work, road district No. 15	21.50

May Not Be Injured.

The News man has talked to a goodly number of fruit raisers and they all seem to be in doubt as to whether or not the recent cold spell injured the fruit crop. Some of them think that considerable injury was done, while others are of a different opinion. We had a cold spell last year and the fruit raisers were of different opinions regarding the matter of injury done. However, in a short time the story was told and our fruit crop was short. The same thing occurred six and also eight years ago. The injury did not show up at the time or just following the cold spell, but some five or six weeks thereafter, when the stems which attached the apples to the trees began to wither and the fruit dropped to the ground, seemingly in a fair condition, the only thing showing injury was the stem. This may be the same this spring, but we hope not and trust we may be given a full crop of fruit.—Nebraska City News.

Do You Have the Right Kind of Help?

Foley Kidney Pills furnish you the right kind of help to neutralize and remove the poisons that cause backache, headache, nervousness and other kidney and bladder ailments. For sale by F. G. Fricke & Co.



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In the Wake of Measles.

The little son of Mrs. O. B. Palmer, Little Rock, Ark., had the measles. The result was a severe cough which grew worse and he could not sleep. She says: "One bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound completely cured him and he has never been bothered since." Croup, whooping cough, measles cough all yield to Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. The genuine is in the yellow package always. Refuse substitutes. For sale by F. G. Fricke & Co.



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