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A follower of the Meek and Lowly! Whoop, Geewillikins. Shake Pard.

The Emperor of Germany paid a visit, last Friday to the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough and was received with great pomp by our own Consuela, who is now the Duchess.

The Young Men's Christian Association has a large contingent scattered through the Philippines at present, in the work of relieving sick and wounded soldiers. Miss Helen Gould has paid the greater part of all their expense from her private funds.

Aguinaldo is at last stripped of a semblance of a capital, his secretary of the interior, and secretary of the treasury have been captured and the president of his congress has surrendered, and Aguinaldo himself is "like unto the son of man, he hath not where to lay his head." His army is disorganized and no more heavy fighting is expected.

The Congress of the United States will convene next Monday. The Philippine question will be in their hands to settle and the half breeds who have been abusing McKinley for doing the only thing possible for a president to do, that of defending our country's honor, can turn their disgraced mud batteries against the only power there is in this land that has the authority to make a disposition of the matter.

The scurrilous attacks made upon Admiral Dewey and his bride for the disposition which they made of the residence presented to Mr. Dewey is about as small an affair as ever was allowed to disgrace the American people. The editor who would contribute to it through his columns would lend a hand to rob his grand mothers grave. It seems that our war in the past eighteen months has developed more dampbooms in the United States, than should be charged up against the entire world.

That thing across the way went off half cocked again last week and made a piteous endeavor to prejudice some one who had grain to sell against a man for a witty jest. Yet it only proved that the truth is mighty and though told in jest provokes the fellow who depends on calamity for his groceries to hysterics. Cervantes destroyed Knight-Errantry by laughing it to scorn by his Don Quixote, and one of those days Bryanism will perish from force of facts whither told in jest or earnest. The masses who are great admirers of Mr. Bryan to day are so from the loud mouthed deception that is practiced through the land for no other purpose than personal gain. His lieutenants hesitate not to tell or publish the most ridiculous and unwarranted cant and heresy and if confronted with it will smile and say that all is fair in politics.

DIVIDE DITTIES.

Henry Bell and family and Mr. and Mrs. Powell Sundayed at the Divide house. Mrs. Tea Shoening entertained an old quilting party last Tuesday. Thanksgiving will be observed at Divide by an appropriate program at the school house, after which a literary society will be organized. The young people of adjoining districts are especially invited to come and help make it interesting and profitable. The gramophone and lecture which were booked for Divide school house Thursday evening failed to materialize, but a disappointed audience did. However, not to be defeated by this slight hitch in the program, the people assembled concluded to furnish their own entertainment, which they did very successfully and thereby saved the price of admission. Mr. John Stark and family of Litchfield started some six weeks ago to spend the winter in Missouri. On reaching Prosser, Neb. they were obliged to stop on account of sickness of the family. The baby died last week, and Mrs. Stark's remains were brought back to Litchfield, Neb. Wednesday for interment.

DEDICATION OF THE ASHTON CATHOLIC CHURCH.

The following is a little girl's account of how the services were conducted. She is one of the pupils of Mrs. Hattie Jones of School district No. 61. She is evidently a bright scholar. The manuscript was written in a very nice hand. It was on the 14th day of November that I went to the dedication of the Ashton Catholic church. On coming near it I saw crowds of people gathering. The church is a very large one. There are ten windows on each side. The color of the panes is a light red and there were small yellow and red panes on each side of the large ones. The church was painted white and the belfry was covered with something that looked like tin; on top of this was a very high steeple and on the very top was a cross.

Just as I entered the door I was in a hall, and on each side was a door which led to another hall, and in the hall on the right hand side was a staircase that led to some kind of an up stairs with railing around it so that people could stand and look all around inside of the church. The back part of the church was decorated very nicely. There were twenty long candles burning all the time and on each side were paper flowers; some of them were roses and some lilies; they were just like natural flowers. On top of these was a waxed figure representing Christ. He was dressed in brown and held a bible in his left hand and a cross in his right. Then there was a very large and high platform on which lay pretty flowers and a very large bible.

The Bishop was there and he was dressed in a white silk robe lined with red; he wore a high cap on his head. It was white also, lined with red. He had a ribbon around his waist with a cross tied to it. There were six priests; they were dressed in lace, and wore nothing on their heads. Then there were four sisters, one of them played the organ, the others did the singing. They were dressed in black, even their heads were covered with large black bonnets. The first thing they did was to sing; it was very nice; they sang for quite a while, and then had prayer. After the singing one of the priests stood up and preached in Latin for about half an hour. After that they had the burning of the incense; the priest held the urn so that the smoke could come on all those pretty flowers; then the priests and the bishop arose and the smoke came on them. Then they prayed again and sang. All at once the bishop, priests, and the whole audience passed out and blessed the bells. They poured holy water on them; after blessing them they all went into the church a few minutes and then everybody went home.

ASHTON LOCALS.

The creamery meetings held Thursday evening was quite well attended considering the weather, and a full set of officers and committees were elected. It seems now that it is almost a certain fact that a creamery will be erected in the near future. John Chipps left Saturday morning for Palmer. Mr. and Mrs. Chris Bado left Saturday morning for Grand Island. They intend to make that their home in the future. Mr. Barstow of Ord, was seen in our city Thursday. Mrs. Earl H. E. Kendall of St. Paul arrived Saturday evening for a visit with relatives in our berg. S. M. Hendrickson drove up from Farwell Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Howard drove to St. Michael and back last Sunday. W. W. Marple of Lincoln was seen on our streets Thursday evening. Miss Myrtle Wilson arrived home Saturday morning. H. Smelser "called" it to St. Paul Monday afternoon returning Tuesday. C. A. Clark of Ravenna was in town Monday afternoon in interest of a creamery for our town. It appears that Mr. Clark has been considering Ashton as a good location for a creamery and now it appears as if the worthy gentleman "considered" too long, as others have already been here ahead of him. R. Mortensen of Elba, was a pleasant caller Monday. MARRIED—Mr. Isaac Malafski and Miss Martha Siatka were united in the Holy Bonds of matrimony Monday November 27, 1899 at St. Posa Catholic church by the Rev. Father Breitkopf in the presence of many friends and relatives gathered together in honor of the occasion. The bride's costume was a handsome gown of light gray color. The groom wore the customary conventional black. After the ceremony all repaired to the home of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Swiatkowski, where the occasion was duly celebrated in Royal fashion. The young folks were well known to all, having resided among us for many years and congratulations are extended, and a long and happy wedded life is hoped for by their many friends. A. J. Fair of Beckville was seen shaking hands with friends on our streets Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sneider are visiting at Beckville this week. FURNACE CHEAP! A set of ovens, top and bottom, and many other pieces of apparatus, all in good condition and will be sold cheap for CASH or taken good. Call on or write to W. M. Sneider, Ashton, Neb. Henry Gilmann was "sitting" at Ravenna Tuesday.

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LOT THREE—Court Dockets, one case to page, indexed with full court list of jurors, court officers and resident attorneys, on flat cap paper in lots of forty; 6000 election ballots. Sealed bids for each or any of the above three lots of supplies must be filed with the county clerk at his office in Loup City, Nebraska on or before the first day of January, 1900. Sealed bids will also be received and must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before January 31, 1900 for the following: publishing delinquent tax list; publishing County treasurer's financial statement; publishing road and bridge notices and other notices required by the county. The county board reserve the right to reject any or all bids. Dated at Loup City, this 29th day of November, 1899. JOHN MINSHULL, County Clerk.

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LEGAL NOTICE.

State of Nebraska vs. The State of Nebr. County of Sherman. To the unknown non-resident owner of the following described real estate situated in Road District No. 2 Sherman county, Nebraska, to-wit: North east quarter of Section 10, Township 15, Range 15 West: You are hereby notified that complaint has been made to me as Road Overseer of said road district that there are two open wells upon the above described real estate and if the same is not filled up immediately, I shall proceed to fill the same in the manner provided by law, as the same is considered dangerous for stock. Given under my hand this 29th day of October, 1899. S. N. POULSEN, Overseer Road Dist. No. 2, Sherman county, Nebr.

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