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ABOUT OUR NEIGHBORS AND FRIENDS CLIPPED FROM OUR EXCHANGES

LEIGH.

From the World.
Miss Alva Nelson returned to her home in Columbus, Monday, after a week's visit at the J. A. Kibler home.

Rev. A. F. Lutz and daughter Lydia returned from Omaha Tuesday evening, where the latter underwent an operation at the Swedish hospital. She has almost fully recovered and is getting along nicely.

On Monday H. C. Nagel sold the Henry Bruening half section just north of town to Henry VanHeusen and Henry Heitman. The former purchased the quarter section containing the buildings at \$102 per acre and the latter purchased the remaining quarter at \$99 per acre.

GENOA.

From the Times.
Axel Anderson, who works for Kent and Burke, and Mrs. Carrie Norling, went to Columbus Wednesday of last week where they were united in marriage and then boarded the train for a brief wedding trip to Red Oak, Iowa.

Great alarm prevails in Stromsburg and Osceola and surrounding country over the spread of spinal meningitis among children which has developed into an epidemic, and State Inspector Wilson has taken steps to establish a quarantine. Physicians say that spinal meningitis is one of the most appalling of diseases in respect to its mortal character. The assertion that it is contagious is open to dispute, but the prevalence of the disease in the territory around Stromsburg and the other towns have induced the inspector to believe that contagion has had something to do with the situation. Because of this Inspector Wilson will order a quarantine, an order which is seldom made in cases of spinal meningitis.

FULLERTON.

From the News-Journal.
Dr. Charles Brown met with a very painful accident last Saturday evening when attempting to wash an abscess on a horse's jaw, the horse reared striking him in the face with his front foot. Charles' upper left hand jaw was broken, several teeth knocked out and his face otherwise disfigured. Now Charles is looking as happy as he can be while he exists on malted milk and beef broth.

What came near to being a fatal accident occurred at the home of Otis Parvin last Monday afternoon, when his little baby fell into the water tank and was unable to get out. She was in there for quite a long time before her aid and plight was discovered and it was with the greatest difficulty that she was finally resuscitated. Dr. J. F. Johnson stood at the phone for twenty minutes and told the parents what to do while Dr. Ward hurried to the scene of the accident in his automobile. It was only after an hour's work that the baby showed returning signs of life.

HUMPHREY.

From the Democrat.
Miss Agnes Zuerline is a patient at St. Mary's hospital in Columbus this week having undergone an operation for appendicitis and other complications there the first of the week. She is reported to be recovering nicely.

John Bunker went to Omaha Monday to visit his wife who is receiving treatment at the Wise Memorial hospital in that city for diabetes. Mrs. Bunker is reported to be improving and expects to return home next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe. Schafer and baby and

Mr. Matt Schafer, Mr. Schafer's mother went down to Columbus where Joe entered St. Mary's hospital and on Wednesday morning submitted to an operation for appendicitis. At last report he was getting along in fine shape and will be able to return home in a couple of weeks.

Henry Luschinger of Lenwick, Iowa, formerly a resident of this community, arrived in town Saturday evening on a few days visit to friends and relatives. Henry says he is engaged in the general merchandise business and is doing well. He goes from here to North Dakota to look after his land that he owns in that state.

PLATTE CENTER.

From the Signal.
Miss Irene Carrig came up from Columbus Wednesday morning and will visit at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Macken, for some time.

Mrs. C. W. Freeman and daughter Ruby, of Columbus, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Braasch the latter part of last week and the fore part of this week.

Ven. Sister Maura arrived here Wednesday evening from Lafayette, Indiana, for a brief visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cronin. Sister Maura is a member of the Franciscan Order of Sisterhood, and for a number of years has been teaching school at various points.

Mrs. J. H. Frevort and daughter Precilla, of Lucas, South Dakota, arrived here last Thursday evening for a visit with her numerous friends and former neighbors. This is her first visit here since they moved to South Dakota four years ago. The little daughter is a native of that state.

BELLEVUE.

From the Gazette.
John Vandermulen's barn, cob house, hog house and we believe about all his out door buildings, were burned to ashes between four and five o'clock Tuesday afternoon. We did not learn what caused the fire. None of his live stock were burned.

In the neighborhood of the Platte river on Sunday we noticed whole families in the wheat fields cutting and shooing. As it has been impossible to get into the wheat fields in that locality owing to heavy rains we don't blame them for embracing the opportunity.

Owing to the rainy weather week before last much wheat still remains uncut in many fields. On the old Callaway farm, which is now held down by Phillip Smith, his crop is in such a condition that it will be hard to get. The wheat on Comisky's land is also in bad condition, so also are the wheat fields on the old Jim and Gus Hill farms held down by John L. Reisdorf and Charley Bailey. There are other fields of wheat in that neighborhood and along the river road that look bad, the half of which will never be gathered. At the price wheat it will be quite a loss to the owners.

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MONROE.

From the Republican.
Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Gipe were in Columbus Thursday, making the trip in an automobile.

Charlie Galley and sister Nellie of Columbus were guests at the home of Mrs. Sohran over Sunday.

Anna D. Dierke and daughter, Ruth and Esther of Columbus were guests at the J. H. Magill home Sunday.

Mrs. F. Seefeld of Columbus arrived here Tuesday to visit with her daughter, Mrs. C. B. Preston until Saturday.

The friend boys had fifteen acres of wheat on H. L. Smith's land that it took six pounds of time to the acre to bind.

We were told that J. T. Evans and P. H. Albers had filed a complaint against the road boss in their district, for not keeping the roads in proper condition.

Mrs. Sheridan is visiting friends and relatives at Okay. She says she likes her home in Columbus and is taking life easy—and she deserves it, for she has been a hard worker all her life.

For supervisor in the Fourth district, composed of Joliet, Monroe, Woodville and Osceola townships, William Webster of Monroe has filed for the republican nomination. He will have no opposition in his own party, but Daniel Wilson will be his democratic opponent.

Mr. Webster should be the representative of this district on the county board for the next two years, as he is one of the best men that could have been named for the position, and will give the office all the time it requires.

Wednesday of this week the formal transfer of the Omaha Elevator company elevator to the Farmers' company was made and the latter concern commenced buying grain at once with Carl Hart as agent. Wheat was the first grain taken in, several loads being on the market the first day. The new company expect to make some improvements soon, one of the contemplated ones being an automatic scale. Now that the new company has charge Monroe will again get grain that belongs here, as the price will be in keeping, if not better, than that paid in adjoining towns.

SILVER CREEK.

From the Standard.
The writer had sweet corn for dinner last Wednesday and he raised it, planting it in April.

Low Fickrel met with a very bad accident Wednesday of last week while cutting some trees for Alex MacQueen. The axe slipped and the blade went into his leg just below the knee.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brunk is down with an attack of spinal meningitis and the home is quarantined. Wednesday F. K. Sprague brought down from Central City who gave the child an injection of serum just coming into use for the disease and today Dr. Robinson reports an improvement in the little patient. The disease is said to be epidemic in the southern part of Polk county.

Much interest has been shown in this community during the week in news which came from Kenosha, Wisconsin, concerning Joseph R. Clarkson, for about two years in charge of the Episcopal church in this village. Following is the news item as it appeared in press dispatches: "Judge Joseph R. Clarkson, one of the best known attorneys of this city, and formerly district judge at Omaha, has for the second time in his career disappeared suddenly from his home, and absolutely no trace of him can be found. His disappearance has caused a big sensation in this city as he is a member of the prominent firm of Baker & Clarkson."

BOWELLS.

From the Journal.
The county commissioners have decided to do away entirely with wood culverts and small bridges and instead will use thirty-inch galvanized steel tiling. It will cost more to start with, but when once laid will be practically indestructible. The first lot for use in Lincoln precinct will be received by road overseer Parr within the next week or two.

There is great rejoicing at the Joe Vonnahme home over the recovery of the family horse. The animal strayed away the fore part of last February and although it had been advertised by the owner and every effort was made to find it all proved in vain. A few days ago Joe received a letter from Julius Sutter, who lives near the Wisard ranch, telling him that one of the tenants there had a strange horse that answered the description of his. Joe went up, and sure enough it was his long-lost horse. The man who had taken up the animal had been using the same and so charged nothing for it keep.

Wants Him Nearer.
It is all right in books for a girl to have a lover who worships her from afar, but outside of books she wants him to come a little nearer.—Aitchison Globe.

Valuable Walnut Tree.
Felled at Amersham, near Harrow, England, a walnut tree measured 24 feet round, weighed ten tons and the trunk realized \$245.

Best Bait for Certain Fish.
Worms known as "night walkers" are not merely a substitute bait for facts' catfish and bullheads, but are, in fact, the best bait that can be used.

At a Standstill.
Hewitt—"How is your wife getting along?" Jewett—"She isn't getting along; she is the same age she was when I married her."

Reality.
Nothing is high because it is in a high place; and nothing is low because it is in a low one.—Dickens.

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There lies in the morgue this morning the body of an unidentified man who died in this city of starvation. A man who starved to death in Pittsburg amid wealth unrivaled by that of Ormus and of Ind.

Tree Planting in Pennsylvania.

Land owners in Centre county are taking up the question of reforestation in a practical way. This spring a number have planted treeings of various kinds on the denuded hills or their farms, and just now a force of men is engaged planting 250,000 white pine treeings on the old Whipple place near Pine Grove Mills. The tree lings are from the state nursery at Greenwood Furnace, and the planting is being done under the direction of Mr. Morton of the state forestry department.—Philadelphia Record.

Berlin's Women Detectives.

Berlin is to have a corps of women detectives. Ten women have been chosen for the purpose, and will be put to work on cases requiring feminine intuition as fast as they arrive. The police department believes that there are numerous crimes that women can deal with better than men.

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Three Meals for Six Cents.

The grand jury at Greensburg, Pa., the other day recommended that the amount paid to the sheriff for the daily food supply of prisoners in the jail be cut from 12½ cents to 6 cents for each prisoner. The daily portion for each prisoner is one loaf of bread, two cups of coffee and one bowl of soup, with meat once a week. The grand jury says: "We believe the same can be served at a cost not to exceed six cents."

Degrees of Pain.

Pain is a general term. A pain which is local and of short duration is a twinge. If local and continuous, it is an ache. Agony, torment and the like, when not the mere hysteria of overstatement, are employed to designate the higher degrees of pain.

Money and Its Uses.

Money is the clothing of a gentleman; he may wear it well or ill. Some carry great quantities of it gracefully; some, with a stinted supply, present a decent appearance; very few will bear inspection who are absolutely stripped of it.—George Meredith.

Value of Ideals.

Ideals are like stars; you will not succeed in touching them with your hands. But, like the seafaring man on the deserts of water, you choose them as your guides, and following them you reach your destiny.—Carl Schurz.

Beware of Chattering.

Conversation, like bonbons, should be taken in moderation. About the only one that can thoroughly enjoy unlimited chatter is a member of the monkey tribe. To talk the clock around generally means words—not ideas.

Must Have Something to Attain.

Alas for the self-satisfied. He who is without aspiration is poor indeed. For all life consists in realizing un-realized ideals, and he who has no un-realized ideals is already dead, and knows it not.—Lyman Abbott.

A Dutch Auction.

A Dutch auction is the name given to a public sale in which the auctioneer fixes a price upon the article to be sold, above its value, and then gradually reduces it until some one closes with an offer.

Everything Originates in the Mind.

Genius believes its faintest presentiment against the testimony of all history, for it knows that facts are not ultimate, but that a state of mind is the ancestor of everything.—Emerson.

Really a Waste of Time.

"One of the reasons why it's silly to cry over spilt milk," says the Philosopher of Folly, "is that it has probably been watered sufficiently by the milkman already."

Promising Youth.

"You don't know how proud I am of my younger brother Jerry," said Mrs. Lapsing. "Before he had been in college three years he got his bachchanalian degree."

Fame.

Proud Author—"Have you seen my new book? I hope you will lose no time in reading it." "You can bet on that. I lost time enough reading your last one."

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JULY

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His Suggestion.

Tommie was about to have a children's party. "Mother," he said thoughtfully, "it won't look well for me to be stuffing myself when those other kids are here. How will it be if I eat my share before they come?"—Harper's Bazar.

Result of Mince Pie Nightmare.

After eating three pieces of mince pie, Albert Allen of Chicago went to sleep, and, dreaming that a man he was gambling with was cheating, he got his revolver, intending to shoot the gambler, but instead fired a bullet into his wife's head.

Something Missed.

"A rich man misses much." "You're right," declared Paw Hoptoad. "I missed a good dog fight in the hotel lobby yesterday. Thought it was the orchestra playing something from a grand opary."—Kansas City Journal

Are Seen Best from Afar.

Many a prominent man whom we have known only by reputation stands forth in our mind's eye as a Colossus; close contact is apt to shatter our idol and metamorphose our giant into a pigmy.

But Not the End.

"Folled again," said the chocolate drop, as he was enveloped in his silver wrapping.—Harvard Lampoon.

And in Moderation.

Language is a wonderful and often a dangerous thing, and should be handled with discretion.—Exchange

Always Plain to Others.

It never takes other people long to find out when a man is fooling himself.

Chinese First Breadmakers.

It is stated that the first bread was made by a Chinese.

Germany's Great Advantage.

German soil feeds nine-tenths of her people.

Irish Proverb.

Success often leads to insolence.

Calls a Halt.

A well-known feminine publication bursts forth with this self-evident fact: "We are suffering from acute verbosity. Everybody talks too much." Hush!

In the Lion's Den.

First Martyr (to second ditto)—Well, old chap, there's one consolation—there won't be any after-dinner speeches.—The Sketch.

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