

CORRESPONDENCE

Interesting Items Gathered by Our County Reporters

BLADEN

Mrs. Strycker is reported on the sick list.

Charles Fitz returned from Colorado Monday.

Mrs. Grace Reed drove to Blue Hill Tuesday.

Mr. Letner is enjoying a visit from her sister.

Miss Bertie Woodside returned to Alma Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Morey visited in Campbell over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James McBride visited in this city Sunday.

Mrs. Christie of Hastings is visiting at the home of Mrs. Al Reed.

Mrs. Ruth Springer is visiting at the home of Mrs. N. S. Springer.

Mrs. Nellie Williams was a passenger for Campbell Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Dr. Wegman of Blue Hill is visiting her daughter, Mrs. McCord.

A. Reed drove to Hastings Tuesday with a load of chickens for J. Kropp.

Mrs. George Soloman visiting with her mother, Mrs. O. Fish, last Wednesday.

James Stewart of Iowa, is visiting his sisters, Mrs. McDonald and Mrs. Feis.

Mrs. R. C. Best is enjoying a visit from her brother and family from Ohio.

Mrs. D. H. Clark of Campbell is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Williams.

Mrs. Demars of Campbell spent Wednesday at the home of Mrs. R. C. Chevalier.

Grandpa and Grandma Feis drove to Red Cloud Wednesday to visit their son, Herman.

Mrs. U. S. Macklin and children returned from a month's visit in Marysville, Kansas, Monday.

Geo. Yarger returned to Illinois Monday, after a two weeks visit at the home of Mrs. Woodside.

John Krall returned from Beatrice Tuesday, after spending two weeks visiting his brother George.

Mrs. Wilson and son Cecil returned from the eastern part of the state, where they have been visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. John Kropp was a passenger for Dewese Wednesday morning, where she goes to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Soucheck.

Earl Norris has accepted a position in J. C. Hartman's store, Ed Lowry having resigned his position and returned to his home in Upland.

Miss Cora Crum returned home Wednesday, after visiting a couple of weeks in the eastern part of the state.

Mrs. N. Bartlett and daughter Myrtle returned from Boulder, Colorado, where they have been the last two months for Mrs. Bartlett's health. The climate there did not agree with her and she returned home Saturday.

WALNUT CREEK

Threshing has commenced.

Mrs. Robinson and son are intending to take a trip to Portland.

Wallace Jones is helping Mr. Stoner, who is building a new house.

Mr. Prout has threshed some wheat that went thirty bushels per acre.

Mrs. Arneson and Mrs. John Sutton were visiting in Red Cloud for a few days last week.

Mrs. Robert Mitchell and Mrs. Guy Tennant spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. T. F. Jones.

Frank Blankenbaker is building a new house. The bad roads have retarded hauling the lumber.

Frank Stokes, Frank Kincaid and Ray Mitchell returned from Colorado last week. They had been camping out in hopes of improving their health.

GARFIELD

Will Rife was out on his farm Monday.

Miss Myrtle Smith is at home again this week.

Frank Ailes took a load of hogs to market Tuesday.

James Beauchamp was stacking his millet last Wednesday.

Charles Ailes hauled his corn to market the first of the week.

Mrs. Ailes sent two loads of hogs to Guide Rock last week.

The Ladies' Aid society met at the home of Mrs. Emma Smith Thursday

of this week.

Ed White is now hauling cream for the Red Cloud creamery, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

William Wolfe, a former resident of Garfield, now greets his friends with a genial smile. We hear that he is a candidate for the office of sheriff, subject to an endorsement by the Republican county convention. Mr. Wolfe is an energetic, hard-working man. The people of Webster county would not make a mistake in electing him to office for he would surely make a faithful, efficient officer.

WEST WEBSTER.

The dance at O. P. Harvey's was a success.

C. Hannum bought a good horse of J. Gharst.

N. E. Harvey's visited at O. R. Pitney's Sunday.

Another heavy rain visited this section Saturday night.

Mrs. Wessie was visiting at the home of her parents Sunday.

W. H. Moore was in Hastings Monday on legal business.

Mr. Burgess and family were visiting at J. U. Meyer's Sunday.

Mrs. Ole Erickson was visiting at Hans Skjelver's Tuesday.

C. L. Herrick attended Sunday school at Lone Tree Sunday.

J. U. Meyers expects to leave the farm and move to town soon.

Henry Setifel and Adam Miller were visiting at J. DeBrunner's Sunday.

A double wedding is to occur Saturday evening; listen for the wedding bells.

Several of our people are expecting to take advantage of the low rates to Denver.

The musical at O. B. Harvey's was quite well attended and some excellent music was rendered.

Mr. and Mrs. Lancaster and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Harvey spent Sunday evening at C. Lambert's.

Was there any one who did not see the eclipse of the moon Monday? Watch for the eclipse of the sun the 30th.

BEAVER CREEK

Godfrey Monia shelled corn last week.

James Doyle of Pleasant Hill was here Tuesday.

Mrs. Oscar Monia was at Red Cloud one day last week.

George Albin was seen on the creek Wednesday hauling corn.

Mr. Neal, the Baker medicine man, was on the creek last Friday.

John Konzack is building a culvert a mile and a half north of Guide Rock.

Miss Effie Konzack is home from Hastings, where she has been attending school.

Mrs. Frink gave a dinner party Tuesday in honor of Mr. Frink's birthday. Only relatives and a few friends were present, including the following: Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Saladen and daughter Hazel, Mrs. A. R. Saladen and Mrs. Ida Wilson of Luster, Misses Grace and Lucille Grice of Red Cloud, Mrs. S. Giger and Mrs. L. Berkfield from west of Guide Rock, and Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Durrett of Lebanon, Kan. All had a pleasant time. Mr. Frink received several handsome presents in remembrance of the occasion.

RIVERTON

(From the Review.)

Stewart Albright and wife of Red Cloud were visiting here Friday.

Burn—To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hunt, Wednesday morning, a ten pound boy.

Win Scott came into town the other day with a stalk of corn which was over 12 feet in length.

Perry Bennett had the misfortune to lose a horse Saturday night. It was killed by lightning.

Several young boys have been making money fast this week. They stole bottles from one saloon yard and sold them to the other place.

Frank Booth of Sullivan, Ill., arrived here the middle of the week from Phillipsburg, Kansas, and is going to put down several cement sidewalks in the city.

Geo. Enos and Bert Harwood went west again Wednesday night to buy horses. This time they go to Utah, and expect to visit the Portland exposition before returning.

Tom Leonard left Monday for the west. He will register at Grand Junction, Colorado, and then go to Salt City, where he will remain until the drawing of the Uintah reservation.

Commissioners Proceedings.

RED CLOUD, Aug. 12, 1905.

Board of county commissioners met pursuant to call of Chairman Sawyer. Members present, Gerlach, Richards, Anderson and Sawyer.

The following official bonds were approved:

R R West, O H R D No 43; B F Hudson, O H R D No 13; John Hanson, O H R D No 39; Samuel H Shirley, soldier relief commissioner.

County treasurer was instructed to transfer \$200 from road district 23 to general fund.

Claim of Dr R F Raines in smallpox cases reduced from \$84 to \$49.

Claim of G W Hoover in smallpox cases reduced from \$16 to \$10.

Mrs A G Stonebreaker was allowed \$62.50 for road east of Red Cloud river bridge.

In the matter of the Kennison and other roads, clerk was instructed to have roads surveyed and platted.

Elmer Cox was appointed O H R D No 15.

On motion the following claims were allowed and warrants ordered drawn on the respective funds.

GENERAL FUND

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| W F Renkel, dept assessor | \$ 93 90 |
| W A Kent, dept assessor | 45 00 |
| Geo P Cather, dept assessor | 129 50 |
| John McCallum, dept assessor | 145 80 |
| R Adamson, dept assessor | 144 00 |
| Louis Banert, dept assessors | 142 20 |
| H C Scott, dept assessor | 252 20 |
| W A Shottenkirk, dept assessor | 172 40 |
| Joe Saladen, dept assessor | 36 00 |
| I B Colvin, dept assessor | 150 00 |
| Dr Raines, in smallpox cases | 49 00 |
| W A Patterson, smallpox case | 15 00 |
| Geo W Hoover, smallpox case | 10 00 |
| Dr Raines, visits to poor farm | 32 50 |
| H C Lindsey, clerk supreme court, Barker case | 25 75 |
| J S Beauchamp, | 2 75 |
| Joe Fogel, com service | 25 90 |
| A M Walters, expense | 10 00 |
| Albright Bros, office fixtures | 3 50 |
| John Foster, | 23 50 |
| H G Sawyer, com service | 30 90 |
| W Richard, com service | 12 00 |
| John Grifflith, mdse | 3 65 |
| W R Anderson, com service | 27 70 |
| James Witt, | 5 15 |
| State Journal Co, | 2 50 |
| W Richard, com service | 99 60 |
| M Durdin, bailiff fees | 20 20 |
| S W Foe, bailiff fees | 45 60 |
| S W Foe, bailiff fees | 12 00 |
| J A McArthur, sheriff | 410 53 |
| Robert Fortune, oil | 90 |
| S W Foe, attending court | 13 00 |
| Edith McKeighan, | 10 70 |
| H W Vincent, | 8 00 |
| T H Quiggle, | 11 30 |
| Chief Pub Co | 10 00 |
| Turnure Bros | 21 07 |
| W R Anderson, com service | 24 40 |
| F H Gerlach, com service | 107 70 |
| G R McCrary, office expense | 55 11 |
| Alfred Hadell & Co | 3 32 |
| H E Grice, sundries | 148 58 |
| Traders Lumber Co | 16 00 |
| John Foster, janitor | 20 00 |
| J B Carr, | 1 50 |
| State Journal Co | 95 |
| School district No 23 election '04 | 5 00 |
| F C Buschow, justice fees | 16 10 |
| Chief Pub Co | 12 50 |
| W S Ashby, printing | 7 25 |
| J B Carr, | 2 50 |
| W S Ashby, printing | 7 50 |
| J J Butler, | 3 50 |
| Dr Raines, insane case | 8 00 |
| E U Overman, insane case | 3 00 |
| Henry Cook | 2 10 |
| W Richard, com service | 40 90 |
| Joe Fogel, com service | 29 15 |
| W S Ashby | 18 25 |
| Omaha Printing Co | 142 25 |
| Omaha Printing Co | 32 00 |
| Chicago Lumber Co, coal | 9 95 |
| W R Anderson, com service | 77 20 |
| F H Gerlach, com service | 37 10 |
| G M Bibby | 3 00 |
| Edith McKeighan | 12 54 |
| Boren Bros | 1 50 |
| Robert Damerell, office rent | 80 00 |
| G R McCray | 34 00 |
| Chief Pub Co | 3 75 |
| W R Anderson, com service | 8 80 |
| E J Emerton | 4 00 |
| Joe Fogel, com service | 34 20 |
| H G Sawyer, com service | 26 00 |
| Asa Gurney | 7 00 |
| Joe Fogel, com service | 64 10 |
| H G Sawyer, com service | 32 85 |
| J A McArthur, sheriff fees | 106 40 |
| T H Quiggle | 6 93 |
| E U Overman, expense in Bark or case | 23 60 |
| F H Gerlach, com service | 27 20 |
| Albright Bros | 3 50 |
| W S Ashby | 7 50 |
| Hammond & Stephens Co | 1 25 |
| Hammond & Stephens Co | 38 00 |
| S M True, justice fees | 2 50 |
| John Foster, janitor | 20 50 |
| County Judge | 56 65 |
| Richard Turner | 138 04 |
| G W Hutchison, office expense | 6 20 |
| " | 11 30 |
| " | 9 85 |
| " | 32 40 |
| Peter Merten | 45 50 |
| County Judge | 6 35 |
| R F Raines, insane case | 8 00 |
| L H Blackledge, insane case | 3 00 |
| E W Coplen, insane case | 4 00 |
| J P Hale, bar docket | 25 00 |
| County Judge, office expense | 14 80 |
| J P Hale, printing | 27 00 |
| G W Hutchison, Clerk District court | 15 50 |
| G W Hutchison, Clerk District court | 54 80 |
| O C Teel, insurance | 210 63 |
| Mrs A G Stonebreaker, for road | 62 50 |
| John Kennison, for road | 150 00 |
| F H Gerlach, com service | 17 40 |
| E S Garber | 10 54 |
| A K Haas, road allowed in Oak Creek | 275 00 |
| I Schermerhorn, road allowed in Oak Creek | 125 00 |
| D Hoppin, road allowed in Oak | |

Truths that Strike Home

Your grocer is honest and—if he cares to do so—can tell you that he knows very little about the bulk coffee he sells you. How can he know, where it originally came from, how it was blended—or with what—or when roasted? If you buy your coffee loose by the pound, how can you expect purity and uniform quality?



LION COFFEE, the LEADER OF ALL PACKAGE COFFEES, is of necessity uniform in quality, strength and flavor. For OVER A QUARTER OF A CENTURY, LION COFFEE has been the standard coffee in millions of homes.

LION COFFEE is carefully packed at our factories, and until opened in your home, has no chance of being adulterated, or of coming in contact with dust, dirt, germs, or unclean hands.

In each package of LION COFFEE you get one full pound of Pure Coffee. Insist upon getting the genuine. (Lion head on every package.) (Save the Lion-heads for valuable premiums.)

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WOOLSON SPICE CO., Toledo, Ohio.

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April term:

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| J C Brooks, juror fees | 7 50 |
| T J Bomford, juror fees | 6 10 |
| C R Swartz, juror fees | 6 40 |
| Alva Cox, juror fees | 8 50 |
| Jeff Ward, juror fees | 6 20 |
| C H Nelson, juror fees | 7 40 |
| Frank Amack, juror fees | 6 70 |
| Fred Goll, juror fees | 8 20 |
| Alf McCall, juror fees | 6 80 |
| Clark Phelps, juror fees | 8 30 |
| Fred Fern, juror fees | 6 10 |
| Julius Nelson, juror fees | 7 00 |
| Chris Derra, juror fees | 8 20 |
| Wm Vanderfecht, juror fees | 8 20 |
| J W Cooper, juror fees | 7 50 |
| F H McIntyre, juror fees | 6 40 |
| Art Berge, juror fees | 8 20 |
| Jim Carey, juror fees | 6 10 |
| D Townsend, juror fees | 6 20 |
| Timothy Lawler, juror fees | 7 20 |
| J F Buckles, juror fees | 7 00 |
| Lewis Reisel, juror fees | 5 20 |
| Sam Smith, juror fees | 4 10 |
| Wm Crabbill, juror fees | 4 10 |

Haas et al vs. Peter Nelson:

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| Dick Hoppen, witness fees | 4 50 |
| E Schermerhorn, witness fees | 4 50 |
| F C Buschow, witness fees | 6 20 |
| August Muschow, witness fees | 6 20 |
| Arthur Potts, witness fees | 6 20 |
| J H McNew, witness fees | 4 50 |
| J B Wisecarver, witness fees | 5 10 |
| A A Boren, witness fees | 4 10 |
| S VonBoening, witness fees | 6 40 |
| Peter Nelson, witness fees | 4 50 |
| Claas Rose, witness fees | 4 50 |
| Fred Gerlach, witness fees | 3 90 |
| C H Wilson, witness fees | 3 60 |
| Wm Bosking, witness fees | 4 40 |
| August Lampman, witness fees | 4 30 |
| A D Baum, witness fees | 4 40 |
| Roy Nelson, witness fees | 4 50 |
| E S Garber, for transcript of case | 6 00 |

State vs Erfman:

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| Chas Arnold, witness fees | 2 80 |
| Mr Hogg, witness fees | 5 10 |
| Ernest Nelson, witness fees | 5 70 |
| Henry Erfman, witness fees | 2 70 |
| Frank Hanbury, Jr | 2 80 |
| Mrs Erfman, witness fees | 2 70 |
| Clara Erfman, witness fees | 2 70 |
| Mary Erfman, witness fees | 2 70 |
| Elmer Erfman, witness fees | 2 80 |
| Charles Howe, witness fees | 2 60 |
| William Seaman, witness fees | 2 70 |
| Reub Hilton, witness fees | 3 00 |
| S N Livingston, witness fees | 2 60 |
| Mrs Livingston, witness fees | 2 60 |
| Ed Nelson, witness fees | 2 60 |
| Wm Spilker, witness fees | 2 70 |
| Mrs Spilker, witness fees | 2 70 |
| Lewis Hartman, witness fees | 2 70 |
| Wm Gerlach, witness fees | 2 70 |
| Herman Gerlach, witness fees | 2 70 |
| Ed Howe, witness fees | 2 80 |

State vs. Campbell:

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| N S Shannon, witness fees | 13 80 |
| Mrs W A Maynard, witness fees | 1 50 |
| G W Lindsey, witness fees | 1 20 |
| C H Taylor, witness fees | 13 80 |
| O E Raley, witness fees | 1 90 |
| H J Clark, witness fees | 1 10 |
| Geo Hutchison, witness fees | 1 10 |
| J A McArthur, witness fees | 1 10 |
| C D Robinson, witness fees | 1 10 |
| Charles Bushee, witness fees | 1 10 |
| John Craus, witness fees | 1 10 |
| R B Kummer, witness fees | 1 10 |
| John Wilson, witness fees | 1 70 |
| Hudson, witness fees | 1 70 |

State vs. Lacey et al:

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| Elmer Ross, witness fees | 1 10 |
| Pierce, witness fees | 1 10 |
| Sutton, witness fees | 1 10 |
| Kinsel, witness fees | 1 10 |

State vs. John Doe, real name unknown.

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| E E Burr, witness fees | 2 20 |
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Minutes read and approved,
Board adjourned to meet August 31.

Local Grain Market.
(Furnished by J. P. Delaney)
Friday, August 18.

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| Wheat | 63c |
| White shelled corn | 39c |
| Mixed shelled Corn | 39c |
| Yellow Corn | 39c |
| Ear Corn | 39c |
| Oats | 20c |
| Rye | 40c |
| Barley | 28c |

LIVE STOCK MARKETS AT KANSAS CITY.

THE WEEK'S TRADE REPORTED BY CLAY, ROBINSON & COMPANY, LIVE STOCK COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

OFFICES AT CHICAGO, KANSAS CITY, OMAHA, SIOUX CITY, ST. JOSEPH AND DENVER.

KANSAS CITY, August 15.—Receipts of cattle thus far this week are 31,200; last week, 32,400; last year, 20,500. The supply of choice corned steers was small Monday, wintered and grass westerns predominated. The market was steady to strong for cornfed offerings but slow for other kinds at steady to 10 cents lower rates. Cornfed cows and heifers were scarce and steady. Good grass cows ranged from steady to 10 cents lower; medium grades steady and canners 10 cents higher. Bulls were slow but steady; veals 10 to 25 cents lower. Stockers and feeders were dull at steady to 10 cents off. Cornfed beef steers were again scarce today. Competition was good for them at steady to 10 cents higher figures. For grassers the demand was dull and trade slow at steady to irregularly lower rates. Fed cows and heifers sold quickly and steady but grassers closed 10 cents off. Bulls and veals were unchanged. Stockers and feeders were steady to weak, best demand being for heavy feeders; common stockers dead dull.

The following table gives quotations now ruling:

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| Extra prime corn-fed steers | \$5 20-5 55 |
| Good corn fed steers | 4 85-5 20 |
| Ordinary corn fed steers | 4 25-4 75 |
| Choice corn fed heifers | 4 60-5 00 |
| Good corn fed heifers | 4 10-4 60 |
| Medium corn fed heifers | 3 50-4 10 |
| Choice corn fed cows | 4 00-4 25 |
| Good | 3 25-3 85 |
| Medium | 2 75-3 25 |
| Canners | 1 50-2 50 |
| Choice stags | 4 25-4 75 |
| Choice fed bulls | 3 50-4 00 |
| Good | 3 25-3 50 |
| Bologna bulls | 2 00-2 50 |
| Veal calves | 5 25-5 75 |
| Good to choice native or western stockers | 3 60-4 00 |
| Fair | 3 25-3 25 |
| Common | 2 75-3 60 |
| Good to choice heavy native feeders | 4 00-4 25 |
| Fair | 3 50-4 00 |
| Good to choice heavy branded horned feeders | 3 50-3 65 |
| Fair | 3 25-3 40 |
| Common | 3 00-3 25 |
| Good to choice stock heifers | 2 75-3 00 |
| Fair | 2 25-2 75 |
| Good to choice stock calves | 4 00-4 50 |
| Fair | 3 50-4 00 |
| Good to choice stock calves, heifers | 3 00-3 50 |
| Fair | 2 50-3 00 |
| Choice wintered grass steers | 4 25-4 55 |
| Good | 3 75-4 25 |
| Fair | 3 40-3 75 |
| Choice grass cows | 2 75-3 15 |
| Good | 2 50-2 75 |
| Common | 2 00-2 50 |

Receipts of hogs thus far this week are 10,400; last week, 9900, last year, 10,200. Monday's market was 5 to 7 1/2c higher, tops reaching \$6.22 1/2. Today's trade opened steady but soon weakened and closed fully 10 cents lower. Bulk of sales were from \$6 to 6.15; top \$6.20.

Receipts of sheep thus far this week are 5300; last week, 2800; last year, 9000. Monday's trade was strong to 10 cents higher and today strong and active. We quote—choice lambs, \$6 50 to \$6 75; choice yearlings, \$5 25 to 5 50; choice wethers, \$4.75 to 5; choice ewes, \$4 50 to 4 75.