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Neusy Notes From Neighboring Towns

GATHERED FROM OUR EXCHANGES

GUIDE ROCK

(From the News Letter.)

Young John Martin, who had his arm broken recently, is getting well fast.

Carl Cone has been re-elected principal of the schools at Liberty, but expects to spend the summer in Guide Rock.

Miss Ethel Albin has returned from Omaha, where she went to consult a specialist in regard to the condition of her eyes.

J. M. Roland has sold Chas. Pugsley a 50-foot lot north of his residence property and we understand Mr. Pugsley will build at once.

A letter from Floyd Bayles to the folks at home informs them that he has struck a job at Los Angeles and expects to remain there.

Mrs. J. M. Richardson of Minneapolis, Minn., visited friends in Guide Rock this week. Mr. Richardson was principal of the schools at this place a number of years ago.

FRANKLIN

(From the Sentinel.)

Chitwood Bros. have bought the live stock shipping business of W. T. Davis.

R. L. Knee, wife and infant son, Mrs. Knee's brother, W. T. Rogers, and family arrived from West Virginia Saturday night.

About fifty or sixty of the relatives and friends of Mrs. J. G. Smith and Miss Holly Clow gave them a surprise Sunday in honor of their birthday.

A. A. Hadden returned Wednesday morning from an inspection of Lincoln and Perkins counties. He was not very favorably impressed with the outlook.

C. W. Way and Ernest Arnold, Jr., drove to Alma last Saturday, where the former secured the contract for furnishing the plan for Alma's new opera house.

MANKATO.

(From the Advertiser.)

The Van Dusen boy, who was kicked by a horse last week, died Thursday night.

The farmers over the country are complaining that they will have to plow up their wheat and plant corn.

A meeting of the business men was held Monday evening for the purpose of discussing the advisability of organizing a commercial club.

Gladys, the 12 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Squires, got his left hand caught in the cogs of a lister Monday, crushing two fingers so badly that amputation was necessary.

Chas. Crew, who has been in San Francisco for the past four years, returned to Mankato Monday. Charley was in the big shake up, and says if there was any fun attached to it he failed to get his share. He lost everything he owned except the clothes he wore.

SMITH CENTER

(From the Messenger.)

The high school ball team went over to Lebanon last Saturday and met defeat, 10 to 9.

W. H. Sweetwood died at his home in the north part of town last Friday morning, May 6.

C. W. Luther of Reamsville was down with a little bunch of fat hogs

Monday that brought him \$5.75 per hundred.

O. A. Tilton left this morning for Davis county, Iowa, in answer to a message that his mother was very ill. His sister, Mrs. McClure, accompanied him.

Ed Smith, Dr. Funk, Tom Cameron, Clyde Arnold, Dan McCarty and Frank Williams hauled out about 90 pounds of fish from the pond east of town Sunday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Glendenning died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John McIlfresh, in Banner township, Tuesday, May 8. She was 79 years of age and had been confined to her bed for about five years.

BLUE HILL

(From the Leader.)

The Athletic club has erected a fine amphitheater at the ball park.

Ora White has accepted a position with T. Bentz in the implement business.

A number of the young friends of Eva Higgids gave her a surprise party Tuesday evening.

Edwin Martin of this city was married May 10, at Holton, Kan., to Miss Bertha Reiderer.

Mrs. D. W. Fay was appointed Grand Electa of the Grand Chapter O. E. S. at the annual session at Omaha.

The deal was closed Monday whereby Messrs. Barcus and Burge bought the livery stock of D. D. Thompson and have taken charge of the same.

CAMPBELL

(From the Citizen.)

Joseph Archambeau and Miss Fanny Champeau were married Monday, May 7, by Rev. Father Testaivn.

Walter Anderson and Miss Leone Genevieve were married May 9, Rev. Father Testaivn officiating.

Dr. Callard and Dr. Slater have purchased the automobile formerly the property of H. Ouder Kirk, the Hildreth liveryman.

Dolor Roulier, who is at St. Joseph's hospital in Omaha recovering from one operation in order to undergo another, is standing the ordeal with unusual pluck.

A letter was received this week by C. L. Reynolds from John Foelix, who left here March 9 for a visit to his old home in Germany. Mr. Foelix is now at Mainz, the town where his youth was passed, which has grown from a straggling village to a thrifty town of 2,000 since he left it forty-four years ago to seek his fortune in the new world.

BLOOMINGTON

(From the Advocate.)

L. W. Monk, formerly of Sumner, Kan., who moved to Orleans, is now running an automobile livery at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hildreth and Mr. Eckleberger of Franklin were in Austings this week taking in the bankers' convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Cole were in Lincoln this week. Mr. Cole represented the local lodge at the meeting of the grand lodge of the Knights of Pythias.

Charles S. Moore has purchased a half interest in the implement business of Marsh Bros., assuming the share of Louis Marsh, and has already taken possession.

While out driving last Sunday fore-

noon with the family horse C. H. Waldo had a narrow escape from serious injury. There were in the buggy with him his wife, little son and sister. When the horse shied and jumped so quickly that he was thrown out of the buggy, and the horse started to run with the lines dragging on the ground. Mrs. Waldo threw Haskell out on the soft ground and he was not hurt. Fortunately the lines caught around a wheel and stopped the horse before anyone else was thrown out. Mr. Waldo and Mrs. Deary were bruised somewhat, but luckily no great damage was done.

LEBANON.

(From the Times.)

Will Rice, Jr., had a finger cut off last week by getting it caught in a lister.

Simon McCord, oldest son of Miles McCord, got his left arm broken Sunday just below the elbow.

On Saturday, May 5, occurred the marriage of Will Fowler and Miss Maude McCord, at Mankato.

Levi Steiner, who was burned in the acetylene explosion in this city Tuesday evening, May 1, is dead. Levi was a young man well liked and respected by all the people of Lebanon.

Ike Wysel met with an accident Friday which might have resulted seriously. He was driving his delivery wagon quite fast when the front wheels parted from the wagon and he was thrown out on his head, injuring his neck quite badly.

RIVERTON

(From the Review.)

Albert McGuire of Red Cloud spent Friday evening here with his uncle John.

Mrs. Lindley of Red Cloud is visiting her son, B. G. Lindley, for a few weeks.

The week old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Pomroy died last Sunday morning.

George Enos and Bert Harwood left Monday evening in quest of western horses. Both secured round trip tickets to San Francisco.

The Midway restaurant has a new firm name, Wilcox & Banks, Harry Banks having bought Orris Edmiston's interest in the business.

While returning from the country Tuesday evening Wm. Clopper's driving horse became frightened. After lugging about for some time a wheel broke down, causing the entire family to walk about a mile.

SUPERIOR

(From the Journal.)

William R. Way, aged 63, died May 7th.

Al Shaffer died May 5 at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. M. Alford. He was 52 years of age.

Little Miss Beatrice Mills entertained a company of little friends Thursday afternoon in honor of her sixth birthday.

August Schmeling's barn was burned to the ground Thursday evening about 9 o'clock, and three horses and two mules perished.

Abe Rowley had another runaway Saturday. When on the road on the south side of the river the king-bolt came out of his milk wagon and it was badly wrecked.

Mrs. Ernest Springer, who was brutally whipped by her husband about a week previously, died Thursday morning at the home of her parents near Smyrna. Springer will now have to face the charge of murder, no doubt. At his preliminary trial Tuesday he was bound over to the district court in the sum of \$500.

THE CHAMELEON.

It Has Two Complete and Independent Nervous Systems.

There are few instances of double birth in which two individuals are inseparably joined together, but among animals it is a common occurrence. A case in point is the chameleon, long famous for its power of changing color.

The nervous centers in one lateral half of the chameleon go on independently of those in the other. Notwithstanding the strictly symmetrical construction of the animal as to its two halves, they move quite independently of one another and convey separate impressions to their respective centers of perception. The consequence is that when the animal is agitated its movements resemble those of two animals, or, rather, perhaps, two halves of animals glued together. Each half wishes to go its own way, and there is no concordance of action. The chameleon, therefore, is the only four legged vertebrate that is unable to swim. It becomes so frightened when dropped into water that all faculty of concentration is lost, and the creature tumbles about as if in a state of intoxication.

The chameleon, moreover, may be fast asleep on one side and wide awake on the other. Cautiously approached at night with a candle so as not to awaken the whole animal at once, the eye turned toward the light will open and begin to move and the corresponding side to change color, whereas the other side will remain for a longer or shorter time in a torpid, motionless and unchanged state with its eye fast shut.—Exchange.

DIET DELUSIONS.

They Come Down to Us From the Old Barbarous Tribes.

Some diet delusions are of most modern date, while others are of most respectable antiquity. Among the latter is that very ancient survival, the notion that particular foods are "good" for particular things or effects.

This is an almost direct descendant of the notion, held with greater or less unanimity by nearly all savage and barbarous tribes, that the flesh or viscera of birds and animals possessing particular qualities will be likely to produce the same qualities in those who eat them.

Thus Nero used to banquet on nightingales' tongues in the hope of improving his voice, and the savage cut out and devoured the heart of the bear, the liver of the buffalo, etc., believing that the strength and courage of these animals would thereby be transferred to himself.

It is probable that the most gruesome of ancestral rites—cannibalism—was largely due to the same belief, although, of course, in Neanderthal days primitive man would have no more hesitancy about eating his enemy after he had killed him than he would in devouring a bear or a deer.

In fact, the early converts of the missionaries in the South Sea Islands referred to their favorite dish as "long pig." Every known race has at some time been cannibal.—McClure's Magazine.

Magyar Music.

Of Magyar art music seems to have gained the widest admiration, and it is certain that musical executants of the first order, and in the case of Liszt of unique grandeur, have justified part of the expectations with which musical Europe has long looked upon Hungary. Magyar music can be likened to nothing more aptly than to the exclusively Hungarian river Theiss. Capricious and majestic, teeming with life and sitting up for miles, surrounded by charming floriture of water lilies and alder trees and suddenly again by poisonous marshes and swamps, such is the Theiss, such is Hungarian music—stirring, bewildering, unspeakably sad, stirring, inexplicably exhilarating. It is the music of rhapsodic souls, of intoxication, of the battlefield, of wild war dances after the victory. But, like the great river, it cannot be regulated.—Nineteenth Century.

Governor Loginski Wounded.

St. Petersburg, May 15.—Telegrams from many towns in the provinces state that the workmen mostly ceased work, but that there were few disturbances except at Vologda, where serious rioting occurred. Peasants stoned workmen, who forced shops and factories to close and shots were fired. An excited crowd rushed to the town hall, which was set on fire. M. Loginski, the governor, was wounded, together with many other persons.

Wickliffe Outlaws Located.

Vinita, I. T., May 15.—An Indian runner arrived here with news from a fullblood posse that the Wickliffes, Indian outlaws, have been located in the brush five miles from Spavinaw. Marshal Darrough is sending bloodhounds and will go himself with a posse. A fight is expected.

Three Strikers Killed.

Sarayevo, Russia, May 15.—A strike has broken out at the Zenica coal and iron works. Strikers attacked the gendarmes with stones and revolvers and the gendarmes returned the fire, killing three and wounding five strikers. Troops have been sent to quell the disturbance.

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