

CORRESPONDENCE

Interesting Items Gathered
by Our County Reporters

HIGHLAND, KAN.

Mrs. N. Collins is quite sick.
Miss Blanche Herrick returned home from Hastings Tuesday.
The Highland Sunday school has an average attendance of 113.
Minnie, the invalid daughter of Mrs. Allby, is much improved.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kralick of Dutch Flat were in Highland Sunday.
Miss Dora Butler will yield the rod in the Baker school the coming winter.
A number of our people were in Guide Rock Monday to see the red skins play ball.
Mr. and Mrs. L. Richardson of Plattsmouth, Neb., are visiting with her sister, Mrs. W. Throckmorton.
Miss Mary Shippen, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. Guy Merrill, returned to her home the last of the week in Jewell City.

BLADEN

Rev. Farley of Ohio was in town Sunday.
Mrs. Kile is visiting Mrs. J. Cron this week.
Miss Demars returned to Campbell Wednesday.
Miss Anna Carr is spending the week at Mrs. O. Iverson.
Herbert McCoy moved in the house vacated by Mr. Crawford.
Mr. and Mrs. Johnson visited at the home of their son Edward, Sunday.
Ernest Reed and family visited over Sunday at the home of H. B. Boyd.
Mrs. Tod Brewer and children visited at the home of J. W. McCoy Sunday.
Miss Grace Reed is spending the week with Mrs. Fred Reed near Blue Hill.
R. C. Chevalier and Chas. Davis returned from their western trip Wednesday.
Miss Fitz returned to Colorado Saturday, after visiting here with her brother, Charles.
Miss Della McCallum returned from Lincoln Saturday, where she has been attending school.
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Feis drove to Campbell Sunday and visited at the home of Mr. Collins, returning Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Wash Reed returned from Colorado Tuesday, where they had spent the last two weeks visiting friends and relatives.

GARFIELD

Miss Cora Clauson was visiting in Garfield last week.
Mrs. Teachworth is visiting this week with J. S. Beauchamp.
B. F. Reed and family were visiting with N. L. D. Smith last Sunday.
Mr. Motter and Mr. Ailes were repairing the phone line last Tuesday.
Ira Wagoner was prostrated by the heat last week. A physician was called and he is happily on the road to health again.
Mrs. Emma Smith was taken violently ill last Saturday morning. Dr. Mitchell was called and she is now on the way to health again.
One of east Garfield's telephone

lines was damaged by the storm last week. It was broken and put out of connection at the central office.

The three daughters of Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Pearl Ailes, Mrs. Cora Reed and Mrs. Myrtle Rathjen have been taking turns in caring for their mother this week.

Real Estate Transfers.

Transfers for week ending Wednesday, July 25, furnished by Walker & Bailey of Webster County Abstract company.
Hugh B Hunter to Emanuel Peters part lot 12 block 4 Guide Rock wd.....\$ 700
Chas R McConkey to Marcus McConkey e2 sw4 6-2-10 wd.... 1900
W A Barcus to Arthur Burge 1-2 lots 6 and 7 block 16 Blue Hill wd.....
M A Durdin and wife to Magdeline Crouch lot 1 block 6 Sweezy add to Blue Hill wd... 30
Lincoln Land Co to Charles E Hicks lot 6 block 7 Bladen wd 800
Total.....\$3530
Mortgages filed.....\$3405
Mortgages released.....\$5700

Deaths and Funerals.

Harris Noble.

Harris Noble was born in New Jersey in 1827. When quite young he moved to Peoria county, Illinois, with his parents. Was married to Miss Jane Elliott in New Jersey and from there moved to Minnesota. In 1872 he moved to Walnut creek and settled on a timber claim. He was the father of nine children, four having died in infancy. Mr. Harris united with the Baptist church when a young man and has always been a faithful member. He died at his home in Walnut creek Wednesday, July 25, about one o'clock p. m. Funeral was held at his home Thursday and interment in the Walnut creek cemetery. Deceased is survived by his aged wife, two sons and three daughters.

Mrs. John Blaine.

Mrs. Anna M. Blaine, wife of Captain John Blaine, of Cowles, died early Sunday morning and was buried Monday afternoon.
Anna Malvina Barry was born in North Brookfield, New York, October 18, 1827, and was married to John Blaine July 3, 1848. Five children were born to this union, three of whom are living—William B. of Temple, Tex., John Blaine, Jr., of Cowles, and Mrs. T. E. Penman of Boulder, Col. Mrs. Blaine came to Webster county with her husband in 1884, from Bureau county, Illinois.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS AT KANSAS CITY.

THE WEEK'S TRADE REPORTED BY
CLAY, ROBINSON & COMPANY,
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OFFICES AT CHICAGO, KANSAS CITY,
QUAMA, SIOUX CITY, ST. JOSEPH
AND DENVER.

KANSAS CITY, July 24.—Receipts of cattle Monday were 13,000. Best corn fed steers were steady others slow to 10 cents lower. Other classes held unchanged. Receipts today were 12,300. A few prime steers sold steady tops reaching \$6.20 the highest of the year. Others, including cows, heifers, stockers, stocker and feeders, ranged from steady to 10 cents off.

The following table gives price

Extra prime corn-fed steers	55 65-6 00
Good corn fed steers	5 15-5 60
Ordinary corn fed steers	4 40-4 85
Choice corn fed heifers	4 85-5 25
Good corn fed heifers	4 40-4 75
Medium corn fed heifers	3 65-4 25
Choice corn fed cows	4 85-5 25
Good	3 60-4 25
Medium	4 25-4 50
Canners	3 85-4 10
Choice stags	3 25-3 60
Choice fed bulls	2 25-2 75
Good	3 25-3 40
Bologna bulls	2 75-3 10
Veal calves	2 40-2 65
Good to choice native or western stockers	1 75-2 20
Fair	3 85-4 15
Common	3 25-3 75
Good to choice heavy native feeders	2 25-4 65
Fair	4 00-4 25
Good to choice heavy branded horned feeders	2 50-3 00
Fair	5 00-5 50
Common	3 75-4 25
Good to choice stock heifers	3 25-3 50
Fair	2 50-3 00
Good to choice stock calves, steers	3 75-4 25
Fair	3 25-3 50
Good to choice stock calves, heifers	3 25-3 50
Fair	2 75-3 25

Receipts of hogs Monday were 6000; market steady to 5 cents higher. Receipts today were 13,000 and the market generally 5 cents; bulk of sales \$6.00 to 6.65; top 6.70. Light and butcher weights are in best demands. Receipts of sheep Monday were 4000. Sheep scarce and steady; lambs 25 to 50 cents lower. Receipts today were 6000; market strong.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Features of the Day's Trading and Closing Quotations.

Chicago, July 24.—The situation in Russia, less favorable reports from the northwest and slightly decreased local receipts caused a fairly strong wheat market today. At the close Sept. wheat was up $\frac{3}{8}$ ¢. Corn was $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢ higher. Oats were up $\frac{1}{8}$ ¢ and provisions were unchanged to $\frac{1}{8}$ ¢ higher.
Wheat—July, 75¢; Sept., 76¢@77¢; Dec., 79¢; May, 82¢@82½¢.
Corn—July, 51½¢; Sept., 51½¢; Dec., 48¢; May, 48¢.
Oats—July, 4½¢; Sept., 33¢@33½¢; Dec., 34½¢; May, 36½¢.
Pork—July, \$19.00; Sept., \$17.32.
Lard—Sept., \$9.97; Oct., \$9.05.
Ribs—Sept., \$9.27@9.30; Oct., \$9.05.
Chicago Cash Prices—Wheat, No. 2 hard, 76½¢@77¢. Corn, No. 2 cash, 51½¢@52¢. Oats, No. 2 white, 37½¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, July 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,500; slow; prices steady; common to prime steers, \$4.25@6.50; cows, \$2.75@4.50; heifers, \$2.75@5.25; bulls, \$2.00@4.25; calves, \$5.75@7.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.00@4.25. Hogs—Receipts, 13,000; 56¢@10¢ higher; choice to prime heavy, \$6.50@6.70; medium to good heavy, \$6.00@6.75; butcher weights, \$5.50@6.25; good to choice heavy mixed, \$6.00@6.75; packing, \$6.00@6.50. Sheep—Receipts, 18,000; steady but slow; sheep, \$4.15@5.00; yearlings, \$4.25@6.25; lambs, \$5.75@8.00.

CURIOUS LAND LAW.

Owners in Belgium Do Not Control Beyond a Certain Depth.

One of the curious phases of the land law in Belgium is that the earth of a landowner beyond a certain depth does not belong to him. Should the owner of the surface discover a coal or gold deposit underlying his property he must first obtain a government concession before he can begin mining operations. The land beyond the prescribed depth in which wealth in the raw has been discovered may be conceded to a person other than the surface owner, who may operate under certain government regulations, one of which is that the owner of the surface is entitled to 3 per cent of the value extracted.

The mine pays to the government an amount determined by the value and importance of the concession, after which it must pay to the government a sum proportioned to the value of the total extraction. The government names the conditions under which the mines as well as other industrial establishments shall be operated and protects and safeguards the health and lives of the workmen as well as provides for the public safety.

The minister of industry and labor appoints a state board of mining engineers, authorized to regulate the working of all mines and all establishments considered dangerous or insanitary, whether shaft or open mines, quarries, factories, coke oven plants or briquette works.—Boston Globe.

A ZULU LEGEND.

Odd Story of the Origin of This Savage People.

The Zulus account for their origin, says a correspondent of the Country Gentleman (English), by a story of a talking elephant who fed upon children. He met a woman laden with an ax and bundle of fagots, accompanied by her child. Seeing the elephant, she guessed his intention and pleaded, "Spare my child, oh, elephant!" The elephant refused. "Then," said the mother, "if this evil must happen swallow me, too, oh, elephant!" So the elephant swallowed mother and child, and they found themselves with all the other children who were eaten previously. By and by the child grew hungry, and the mother lit a fire with her fagots. She then with her ax cut away the elephant's flesh, cooked it, and they all ate. As the fire burned, its great heat filled the elephant with pain, and he ran and ran and ran till they felt

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the thunder of his hoofs racing over hill and valley. At length, exhausted, he dropped down dead. Using her ax, the mother chopped and chopped until she made an opening in the elephant's side. After this they crept out and became a new nation in a new country.

Bees as Ventilators.

It is not generally known, but most beekeepers will inform you that such is the case, that each beehive has a corps of what could properly be termed "ventilating bees." During the hot seasons these ventilators station themselves at the entrance of the hive and fan the interior with the incessant motion of their wings. These ventilating corps are usually in relays of from four to a half dozen, and they are relieved at short intervals by fresh workers who keep up the fanning process. They are kept at work by a sort of patrol of bees, which insures incessant activity on the part of the fanners during the time they are at work. This story may sound strange to those who know but little concerning the wonderful intelligence of bees, but it is a scientific fact that has often been authenticated.

Diet and Sickness.

It is a broad rule that boiled milk and puddings made with milk agree more frequently than anything to restore a sick person. When beginning to restore a sick person to more ordinary diet begin with white fish, boiled. Place or sole boiled in milk is excellent. Never give potatoes when the digestion is bad. In place of bread give toast. Often there is a craving for acids. In such cases give lemon juice diluted with water and sweetened with sugar when allowable or with saccharin in diabetes. A craving for green stuffs should always be satisfied. Nature herself is crying out. Give water cress, but withhold radishes, as they are difficult to digest.

The Fishing Fleets.

In many localities off the Scotch coasts and the coasts of Norway the fishing grounds lie at some distance from the shore and the start must be made with the ebb tide, sometimes in the middle of the night. All the boats of a single locality generally start together, and to one unaccustomed to the sight the spectacle of 200 to 300 fishing boats putting off from a harbor like Yarmouth is a sight never to be forgotten.—London Graphic.

Bonus.

"Bonus" ought to be "bonum," since it is evidently intended to mean "a good thing" and therefore should be neuter, not masculine. The word is found as early as 1773, but no one knows who was the ignorant or willful sinner against Latin that introduced it, though conjecture assigns it to the London Stock Exchange.

Notice.

In the District Court of Webster county, Nebraska.
May M. Perry, Plaintiff,
vs.
Lloyd J. Perry, Defendant.
To Lloyd J. Perry, Non-Resident Defendant: You are hereby notified that on the 13th day of June 1906, May M. Perry filed a petition against you in the District Court of Webster County, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which are to obtain a divorce from you on the grounds of extreme cruelty, failure to provide, and habitual drunkenness. You are required to answer said petition on or before the 24th day of August, 1906.
MAY M. PERRY,
By Keecey & Saylor, Her Attorneys. aug 3

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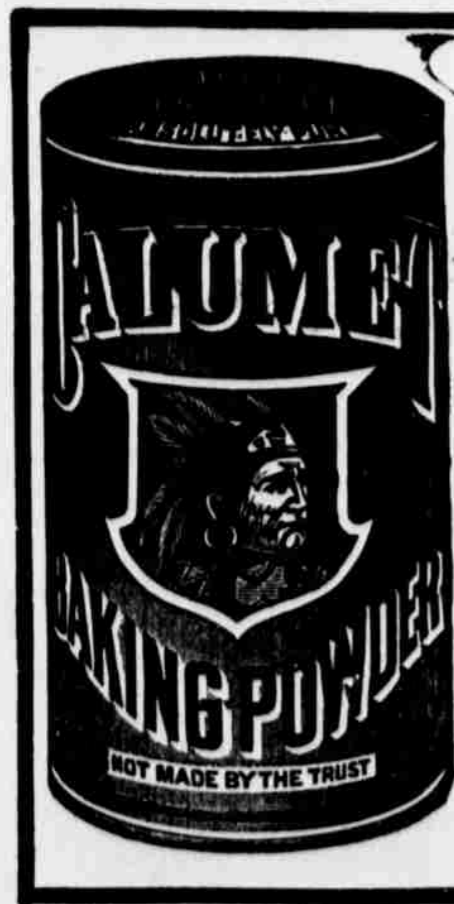
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