

Local News

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Miss Geneva West returned to her home in Brownville Monday afternoon after a few days' visit with Miss May Kerker.

Miss Ethel Morrison came up from Kansas City Wednesday evening and will visit her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Woodward, and her many Nemaha friends for awhile.

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Joe Bunker seems to be getting plenty of work now. He has just finished ready for the plasterers a house on A. R. McCandless' farm south of Nemaha, and last Saturday signed the contract for a house 28x28, two stories for George Pasco at Johnson. He has commenced work on a barn for A. R. McCandless in the south part of town and also has an addition to build for John I. Dressler on his town residence.

W. E. Wheelon is now agent at Winslow, Nebr., a brand new town on the new extension of the C. B. & Q. from Ashland to Sioux City. Winslow is only 4 weeks old, has two stores, two elevators, lumber yard, etc., but no postoffice, as the postal department has not got around to that yet. The mail goes to Hooper, Nebr. Ed gets \$75 dollars per month with promise of a raise soon. He orders the Advertiser sent to him.

At the regular meeting of Nemaha Chapter, No. 76, O. E. S. last Saturday night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Worthy Matron—Mrs. Sarah L. Thompson.
Worthy Patron—W. W. Sanders.
Associate Matron—Mrs. Mary R. Keeling.
Secretary—A. L. P. Thompson.
Treasurer—Mrs. J. M. Sanders.
Conductress—Mrs. Alice Seid.
Associate Conductress—Mrs. Laurietta Seid.

Married—At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Tidrow, Lawrence, Kas., on Easter Sunday, by Judge Mitchell, Mr. Arthur Tidrow of Garnett, Kas., and Miss Sadie Kemp of Kansas City, Mo. Those present were the bride's mother, Mrs. Kemp, her sister, Miss Louie Kemp, and Mrs. Lou Beckwith a sister of the groom. At 7 o'clock a 7-course dinner was served by Mrs. Marion Tidrow. The evening was spent in music and merriment and was enjoyed by all. The serenade by the K. U. glee club was highly appreciated.
REPORTER.

E. E. Taylor, state secretary of the Nebraska prohibition central committee, will deliver an address on "Christian Citizenship" in the Methodist church next Monday night. Admission free. The address is said to be strictly non-partisan. Everybody is invited. Mr. Taylor is said to be an eloquent speaker. It will pay any one to hear him. We understand he will be here two or three days organizing the forces of the prohibition party, collecting funds for the campaign, etc.

Mrs. Jacob Stevens who lives in the edge of Richardson county, brought in 103 dozen eggs Tuesday, getting 14 cents a dozen for them—\$14.42. She has 200 hens. We thought when we heard this it was a record but we were told of C. W. Fick, who usually brings in four cases—120 dozen—every week and others do about as well. Our merchants have been paying 14 cents a dozen for eggs for a month—from one to two cents a dozen more than the merchants of other towns are paying—and they sell goods just as cheap or cheaper than elsewhere. Our farmers are finding this out and are doing their trading here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Allen drove out to Auburn Thursday.

Mrs. Earle Gilbert and Mrs. W. F. Keeling drove out to Auburn Thursday.

Harry Kimmel started for Lincoln Thursday afternoon, where he expects to put on a play with the assistance of local talent.

Lee Smelser's four horse team ran away with the disc cultivator last Saturday. One horse was badly cut and the harness broken. They ran through a barb wire fence for two, and the horse was cut on the fence and the disc.

Mrs. J. M. Fuller informs us that the snake killed by the section hands, an account of which was given in last week's Advertiser, is called a horn snake or hoop snake. It is said they make a hoop of themselves when they are mad. The horn is said to be very poisonous and if driven into a live tree will cause the tree to die. This is the third one Mrs. Fuller has known of being killed here. Her father killed one shortly after they came here, over fifty years ago. It was killed on the bottom between Nemaha and Brownville, Mrs. Fuller killed the second one near where John Hawxby lives about 25 years ago.

Lambert (Dickie) Morton and J. F. Ebnother had a lawsuit at Auburn Monday, before County Judge McCarty over the ownership of a calf valued at \$12. Some time during the winter a calf belonging to Morton was lost. Recently he found a calf in Ebnother's lots that he claimed, and finally took home. Ebnother claims the calf was raised by him and still belongs to him. Morton's neighbors identify the calf as the one he raised and Ebnother's neighbors say the calf is one he raised. A number of witnesses on both sides were examined and their testimony was very positive though contradictory as to the ownership. The judge decided in favor of Morton, and Ebnother has given notice of appeal. The costs already amount to more than the worth of the calf. E. B. Quackenbush is Morton's attorney and Ed Ferneau is attorney for Ebnother.

The celebration Thursday night of last week by Victory lodge, No. 105, of the 87th anniversary of the organization of Odd Fellowship was one of the best ever held. Only a few guests were invited but the fine hall owned by the lodge was well filled with members and their families. After recitations by a number of the little folks and songs and instrumental music by the older ones, a fine address was given by Rev. J. W. Sapp, who praised the order for the work of benevolence and charity performed, giving statistics showing the amount of money expended in caring for the widows, orphans, and sick and destitute members of the order. After the entertainment a long table was spread, loaded with good things to eat. The Odd Fellows, or rather their wives, are noted for their good cooking, and the supper Thursday night seemed to excel in this respect. The table was filled three times, 103 eating, and several were present who did not eat any supper.

A fishing party left Nemaha for the Nishna Friday afternoon of last week with tents and a full supply of fishing tackle, provisions, etc. They went on a hay rack with a good supply of straw and had a four horse team to furnish motive power. About an hour after they got started it commenced to rain and poured down for awhile. The tent was stretched over the wagon and all kept dry, but all parties had to walk up the Aspinwall hill. They crossed the Missouri river at St. Der in and camped for the night. The next morning they discovered that the double trees for the lead team had been left on the Nebraska side of the river, so two of the young men had to go over in a skiff and get them. They finally got to the Nishna river and stretched their tents and commenced fishing operations. They got a good many fish but all were small, so they only cleaned enough all the time they were over there for one good meal. However, they had a pleasant outing and lots of fun. They returned home Sunday evening. The following were in the party: Messrs. G. N. Titus, Ole Roberts, Curt Brown, Robert Stephenson, Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Frazier, Misses May Kerker, Myrtle Jones, Geneva West, Ruth Baker and Helen McComas.

Whether you believe in prohibition or not, come out to the Methodist church Sunday, morning and night, and Monday night, and listen to the addresses of the advocates of prohibition.

Mrs. Simmons, a national lecturer for the Women's Christian Temperance Union, will give two addresses at the Methodist church next Sunday—at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Mrs. Simmons has a national reputation as an able and eloquent speaker and those who attend will hear something worth listening to.

Two of Brownville's tough citizens have gone to their reward. About two weeks ago Barney Mason and Fred Kauffman stole a skiff and a tent at Brownville and started down the river, having previously laid in a supply of \$2 worth of provisions, a gallon of whiskey and a case of beer. Tuesday night the body of Barney Mason was found in the Missouri river at Rulo. The skiff was found floating in the river at Iowa Point, Kansas, having been upset. While the body of Fred Kauffman has not yet been found there is scarcely any doubt but that he met the same fate of his companion.

Auburn, Nebr., May 1.—At a meeting of the city council last night the matter of levying tax for the maintenance of a Carnegie library was again taken up, and although the council had said previous to the spring election that if the voters who opposed the levy were in the majority they would regard the wishes and do nothing further about it, they passed the two-mill levy with only one opposing vote.

Negotiations will at once be begun with Mr. Carnegie, who promised to give \$10,000 for the erection of a building, and as the \$1,000 per annum required by Mr. Carnegie for the maintenance of the library is now assured, and Dr. McGrew has donated a plot of ground, it is safe to say that at least the foundation will be laid before the ground again freezes.

The ground donated by Dr. McGrew will be as a memorial to his only children, Grace and Burch McGrew, who lost their lives in Philippine waters two years ago.

Assistant State Superintendent Bishop, who has charge of the boys' corn growing contest, Monday sent out about 800 packages of seed corn to boys who have up to the present time registered for the contest. Although entries have been coming in for some time, this is the first corn that has been sent out, the applications having been placed on file and all the corn being sent out at one time. Hereafter, however, packages of corn will be sent to the boys as soon as their applications are received until 1,000 have registered this being the limit.

Last year the contest was limited to 500 boys, but hundreds of applications were received after the maximum number had entered, which caused those having the contest in charge to double the number of those who might enter.

A large number of county contests are in progress this year, being conducted on the same plan as the state contest except that they are under the supervision of the various county superintendents. Last year there were but three contests of this character.—Lincoln News.

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