

DANBURY.

Miss Nettie Playford who has been working in Lebanon, returned to her home south of Danbury, Tuesday.

Miss Hallie Green left, Thursday, for an indefinite visit with relatives.

G. B. Morgan and family returned from Jamestown, Va., Monday.

Miss Grace Phillips returned to her home in Indianola, Monday.

Prof. Gibbs and little boy of Memphis, Neb., arrived here, Tuesday, Mrs. Gibbs and other three children coming a few days later.

Miss Alma Noe is visiting in Indianola, this week.

George Osborn is hauling lumber to build a new house 28x28 and 1 1/2 stories high.

Mr. Morse living east of town had the misfortune of having a mower run over him and break his leg, last Monday morning.

Myrtle and Nellie Lord visited in Herndon the first part of the week.

The Danbury items in the Indianola Reporter are getting rather interesting. The correspondent must have something pleasant on her mind for the future.

James Everist is here visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Katie Miles returned from Wilsonville, Saturday.

Victor Gotchell who has been visiting here for the last three months returned to his home in Lincoln, Neb., Wednesday.

S. W. Stilgebauer, Sr., and wife returned from Cambridge, Monday. They report a fine time.

Mrs. Milo Harbaugh and children of McCook are here visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Bertha Glem returned from Cambridge, one day last week.

Madeline and Beth McDonald returned from Bertrand where they had been visiting.

INDIANOLA.

Tom Haley made a business trip to McCook, Tuesday.

Miss Hutchinson of Denver is visiting relatives in Indianola.

Misses Roxy Byfield, Genevieve Fitch and Minnie Middleton of McCook spent last Friday with Mrs. E. S. Byfield.

E. S. Byfield and wife visited over Sunday with homefolks in McCook.

Mrs. George Mick entertained a few friends at her home, Monday afternoon, in honor of her cousin Miss Hutchinson. Ice cream and cake were served.

Mrs. J. Boldman came home, Saturday evening, after a two days' visit with friends in Cambridge.

We were agreeably surprised by a fine rain, Tuesday night.

Conrad Bowers now of Minden was an Indianola visitor, Sunday.

Eugene Wilcox expects to go to Cripple Creek in a week or so. Mrs. Wilcox will go later.

J. L. Gentry is quite poorly again with stomach trouble.

Mrs. William Bobst is suffering from a badly inflamed eye, caused by too close application to the needle.

R. E. Smith drove over to Danbury, Sunday morning, to spend the day.

Prof. Holiday's car of household goods arrived, Friday evening.

Indianola was well represented at the reunion, every day, last week.

Charley King and wife went to Lincoln a few days ago in answer to a summons announcing the serious illness of Charley's mother.

Adam Grass of Hastings is in town, this week.

C. Miller and wife arrived home, Monday evening, from Fort Morgan, Colo., where they had gone to attend the funeral of Mrs. Miller's father, who died very suddenly a few days previous.

Miss Theresa Lehn is on the list of ailing, this week. She is suffering from an abscess on one of her limbs, which necessitated an operation, performed by Doctors Minnick and Campbell.

The infant child of Fred Hughes and wife died, Saturday morning, after a lingering illness. The funeral sermon was preached at the home, Sunday afternoon, by Rev. E. Smith of the M. E. church.

Miss Katie Dietch of Bartley was an Indianola visitor, Tuesday.

A report comes to us of a sad accident that occurred during reunion week at Cambridge, which resulted in the death of a small child. It seems the little one was being wheeled about in a cab by an older sister, and being near the edge of the creek the child fell in. It was promptly rescued and thought not to have been injured, when next morning the child took suddenly worse and died. We did not learn the name of the unfortunate people.

Mrs. Pogue and Marjorie of Chicago, arrived in this city, Saturday morning, for a visit with relatives here and McCook.

BARTLEY.

W. Arbogast and wife who moved to Dundy county about two years ago, have been looking over the country with a view to returning to Red Willow county.

Parents of F. G. Stilgebauer, from Danbury, visited here last week and went to Cambridge one day to the G. A. R. reunion.

The Methodist parsonage was sold, last week, and they will build another one just north of the church.

U. G. Etherton is having his residence painted. J. Fletcher is doing the painting.

The candidates for nomination are good and plenty these days; you see it is the office seeking the man.

Miss Nellie Farrer of Lebanon is visiting friends in Bartley.

Otis Farrer and Dr. Brown have each put in fine lighting plants in their business places.

The gasoline "red can" law is being violated frequently by the seller and the purchaser.

Several men are here from McCook putting down concrete walks.

Dr. Mackechnie of Indianola was called in consultation with Dr. Arbogast, Monday to Guy Richards.

George Lang's baby is dangerously sick.

Dr. Armstrong of Cambridge was called, Wednesday evening, in consultation with Dr. Arbogast to George Lang.

A Handy Receipt Book.

Bound duplicate receipt books, three receipts to the page, for sale at THE TRIBUNE office.

R. F. D. No. 1.

J. S. Brittain came down from Haiger, first of the week, and assisted W. N. Rogers in loading his cattle for Lincoln, to which place he accompanied the Rogers and their exhibit.

W. N. Rogers of Shadeland shipped 23 head of his finest White-faces to Lincoln, this week, and he will be disappointed if he doesn't walk away with a large bunch of state fair prizes. It is said to be the largest and finest bunch of fine cattle he has ever exhibited anywhere, and doubtless the best lot of show cattle of all ages that has ever been exhibited from Southwestern Nebraska.

Herman and Edward Ramelow will leave, next Monday, for Springfield, Mo., to resume schooling at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Rogers are in Colorado on a visit.

Amos Rogers drove over to Traer, Kansas, Friday of last week, leaving his rig there and going on to Atwood by rail. Returning to Traer, he found his horse had preceded him on the homeward trip about 24 hours. A second trip brought home the buggy.

BANKSVILLE.

Weather hot and dry.

Charles Towle is with the E. A. Ellis threshing crew.

E. A. Towle is preparing ground for wheat.

Wesch and Towle are putting up hay on the Gold claim.

Fred Wesch was in McCook, Saturday, on a horse trade.

John H. Wesch and A. A. Towle seem to be irresistibly drawn over east, weekly.

A. E. Ellis is threshing for J. H. Relp, this week.

Charles Elliott is here visiting his son Ira from Missouri, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rheinheimer are here from Oxford, this week, visiting his sister Mrs. I. L. Elliott.

RED WILLOW.

We hear of the death of Mrs. Dora Quigley, but no particulars as to where or when.

Owens Longnecker is having a well bored on the place where he will build.

The old settlers' reunion and picnic will take place a week earlier than the regular date on account of the fair being held that week. On Thursday, September 5th, they hope to see a large crowd in the grove on Brookside farm.

On September 5, 1880, a heavy snow was on the ground. It was so dry that year, that seed which was put in the gardens in the spring did not germinate, so there were but few vegetables. A rain fell in July and some put in sod corn, which furnished toothsome roasting ears in October, which were of course highly appreciated.

Noah Sawyer has a new buggy.

The voice of the candidate is heard in the land; likewise the agent.

Mrs. Sawyer's mother from Missouri is visiting here.

Mr. Helm is still digging potatoes, having sold his crop to a Denver buyer.

Mrs. Waddell's father and mother from Iowa, are here on a visit.

Mr. Evers from Valparaiso, was a mid-week visitor at Mr. Smith's, having driven over from Danbury where he came to look after his flax interests.

Mr. Hagerty came in on Wednesday evening from Indiana, to join his wife, who has been with her sister, Mrs. Belair, for five weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Hagerty expect to go on to Denver and Colorado Springs before returning to Indiana.

LIBRARY NOTES.

It is for the equalization of opportunities that the free public school and the free public library stand. All that either can do is to give the opportunity—whether it is grasped rests with the individual. The public school extends its work over only a small portion of the life of the individual, but the public library's work is never done. Though the function of the library is not measured by the definite metres and bounds of the more formal institutions of learning, it touches elbows with every organized effort for betterment and culture. It is the most democratic of universities and demands no entrance examination or educational standard save the ability and willingness to read.

The library is well stocked with daily and local papers and the best magazines as well as a splendid line of historical and reference work. Most boys will be interested in "The Last of the Mohicans" by Cooper, an Indian story; "The Little Shepherd of Kingdom Come," by Fox, a Kentucky boy's life in the mountains. "Harold" by Bulwer Lytton; and "Gallagher" by Richard Harding Davis.

Library hours: Morning, 10:30 to 12 o'clock; afternoon, from 1:30 to 6 o'clock; evenings, from 7 to 9 o'clock; Sunday afternoon, from 2 to 5 o'clock.

ACTING LIBRARIAN.

The aligret is the crowning beauty of an aligret mother. The collector seizes the bird while she is on her nest, with the young just hatched, and tears off her plumes and wings, leaving her to die beside her little ones, who, deprived of her fostering care, also die.—Exchange.

The County Treasurership.

Mr. Editor—I wish to say a word regarding the county treasurership in the coming primary election.

Our four candidates for the nomination are Mr. Cochran of Bartley, Mr. Naden of Danbury, J. A. Wilcox and I. M. Beardslee of McCook, all of whom bear good reputations. Our decision must be right and we must choose the man most fitted for this important office.

Naturally the citizens of any town or city would support their own candidate more strongly than one from another town. This being undoubtedly true, how can we in the east end of the county (under the new primary law) expect to nominate Mr. Cochran or Mr. Naden when at least 75 per cent of the total vote comes from the western end. A vote cast for either Mr. Cochran or Mr. Naden would be a vote lost as the fight is surely between Mr. Wilcox and Mr. Beardslee, one of whom will certainly get the Republican nomination, and it is conceded by the business men of McCook that the chances are largely in favor of Mr. Beardslee.

It is generally believed that if Mr. Wilcox were elected, the office would be run by his son, Mr. E. J. Wilcox, who is now county clerk and has been for three terms, and it is thought by a great many citizens of the county that the Wilcox family has received their full share of honor from the voters of Red Willow County, and should step down and out of the OFFICE SEEKING ARENA for a few years.

The citizens, doubtless, remember that Mr. Beardslee made a first-class deputy under Treasurer Gossard's first term, and for faithful services he received less than fifty dollars per month, and now I think the voters would only be doing their duty to give him the nomination for the treasurership.

Fellow-voters, let me ask you to give this matter your most careful thought, and if you do, I believe you will go to the primary Tuesday, Sept. 3rd, and cast your vote for I. M. Beardslee.

AN EAST-END VOTER.

Mr. Matthews Wants to Know.

Bartley, Neb., Aug. 29, 1907. TO CLARENCE B. GRAY,

County Commissioner.

Does the statute mean one thing for one man and another thing for another party? You decided in my case, where I had erroneously paid into the county treasury four dollars too much money, that the statute made no provision whereby you could pay it back. You kept it; you've got it today.

Now the paltry sum of four dollars is nothing to me, but I most emphatically enter my protest when the board of county commissioners do not follow the same process of administration to all parties. If the law was silent in my claim so is it silent in Clarence Gray's claim. Precedent cuts no ice. Clarence Gray has no more business with his hands unlawfully in the county treasury cupboard than any other man. What is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander.

CECIL E. MATTHEWS.

A Greedy Little Fish.

The little fish known as miller's thumb—the fresh water sculpin—is one of the natural checks on the overproduction of trout and salmon. It eats the eggs and the young fish. It is found in nearly all trout waters. It is very destructive. At an experiment once made in the aquarium of the United States fish commission in Washington, a miller's thumb about four and one-half inches long ate at a single meal, and all within a minute or two, twenty-one little trout, each from three-quarters of an inch to an inch in length.

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