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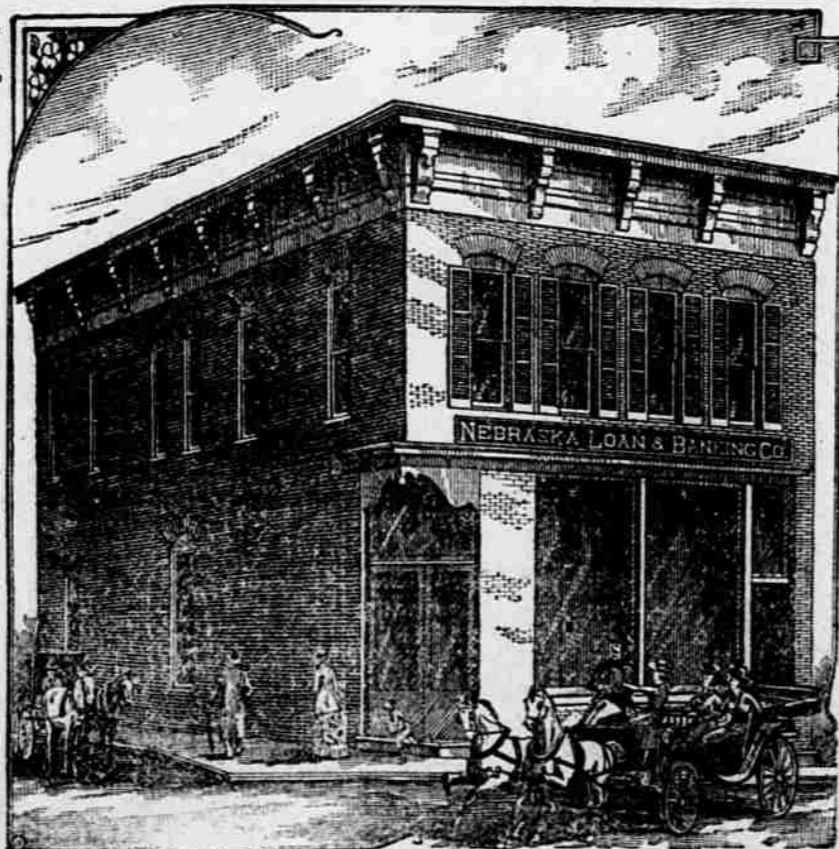
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GENERAL GRIST.

Numbers of moving wagons are passing through our city, indicating that the exodus is still in progress. Some of our neighbors are leaving us and seeking more promising fields of activity. Among them are the Reed and Richardson families whom we are sorry to lose. There are some thieving parties whom we should like to see leave.

On next Sabbath the congregation of the Lutheran church will be re-organized on a new basis; and for the satisfaction of those busy-bodies who want the church closed, and circulated the false report that a new minister was coming, we will say that the President of the Board of Home Missions has given positive orders to the present pastor of the church to go on with the regular services and re-organize the whole work. We, the members of the Lutheran church, insist on keeping our present pastor and assisting him in his present work. To those who disapprove of our way of doing and try to injure us with their tongues we say stop or legal procedure will be instituted against them. Our church has a law and that law can be enforced when needed. This thing of trying to stop church work by slander and falsehood is as low a work as any one with some degree of self-respect, or sane mind, can engage in. E. J. HALL, Reporter.

BANKSVILLE BUDGET.

It is too dry to plow.
Ed. Ackerman has made final proof on his homestead.

W. A. Gold is putting up a soddy on his wife's homestead.

Mrs. N. J. Johnson has returned from her eastern visit.

Frank Albrecht is buying cattle about here for the Stewart ranch.

Mrs. Wm. Relph has arrived from her extended visit to Indiana.

Frank Everist was at Banksville, Monday, and is buying cattle in these parts.

A. D. Lincoln is soon to be back to Grant precinct and will be a factor in helping the west end locally.

A. Peters assisted in driving about 300 head of cattle that passed through here to Culbertson. They were going northwest.

W. H. Benjamin gathered one ear of corn on his forty-acre cornfield and called on his wife, who assisted him in cribbing the one ear in a 1000 bushel crib. They got it cribbed all right. OBSERVER.

SOUTH SIDE SAUCE.

Oscar Russell is building more fence.
Steve Hopkins talks of emigrating soon.

Tim Hannan's people have moved to town.

Otto Schwerdt of North Platte is here on a visit.

George Schwerdt returned from North Platte on last Wednesday.

Jim Hess has sold his frame house to Frank Everist, we understand.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stone of Maywood were down last Wednesday, on a visit to his parents.

Will Cratty was very seriously hurt, last Tuesday, down by Oxford, by being thrown from the cars. His shoulder was broken, and he was generally shaken up. He is now at his friend, W. A. Brown's. All his neighbors hope for his speedy recovery.

The contest in Dist. No. 8, last Wednesday night, was attended by a large crowd, in fact it was one of the largest of the season. The singing was splendid and the little folks need especial notice. Mrs. M. C. Maxwell may well feel proud as their mentor. The speaking was very good; but there was considerable surprise among the audience at the decision of the judges. UNO.

Demorest Silver Medal Contest.

There will be a contest in Menard's opera house on Friday evening, Oct. 10th, at 8 P. M. The contestants will be: Thomas Harris, Ruth Grundy, George Harris, Anna Grundy, Willie McCorkle, May Frederick, Frank Fitch, Henry Adams and Carl Read. At last contest Miss Roxie Eikenberry won the silver medal and Miss Florence Johnson won the silver dollar. Admission free. W. O. NORVAL, Superintendent.

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