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Items of Interest from our Exchanges

Wausau Gazette: Miss Hazel Leslie came up from Dakota City last Tuesday for a few days visit with friends at this place.

Ponca Leader: Rev Kolen was a visitor of near Coburn today. W. T. Bartlett, of Jackson, was in Ponca today. Mrs Tom Hodgins went to Jackson yesterday for a visit with friends.

Thurston Gazette: Mrs Albert Nash and daughter Augusta were in Sioux City last Saturday. Mrs Harry Ponds returned to Homer Wednesday morning after a brief visit with relatives here.

Ponca Items in Newcastles Times: Rev Shambaugh, of Sioux City, made his regular trip to Central church Sunday. Mrs S B Hoover, of Dakota City, came to the Fred Harding home last Thursday to remain some time.

Walthill Times: Dr and Mrs Roan's baby was taken to Homer by Mrs Roan last Saturday, suffering with pneumonia. The parents did not like to run the risk of exposing their sick child in the temporary residence they had been occupying.

Hartington News: Z M Baird left Monday for a business visit at Kearney and several other points in the southern part of the state. Lucien M Priest returned to his home in Dakota county, Monday, after a pleasant visit with Henry Spooner and family.

Pender Republic: Mrs A J Roan left Pender Wednesday for Homer where she will make her future home with her daughter, Mrs Nina R Smith. Mrs Roan has been a resident of Pender for a number of years, and has made many friends who regret very much to see her leave.

Sioux City Tribune, 14th: Mrs Herman F Dow and sister, Miss Elizabeth Wall, accompanied by Pierce Wall, the boy soprano, returned this morning from Homer, Neb, where last night they appeared in concert before a large audience. Mrs Dow has a large class of pupils in that town, several of them taking part in the program. Miss Wall, late with the Savage Grand Opera company, gave several selections, which were most enthusiastically received.

Oakland Republican: George Carter, about the most jolly, congenial and best looking passenger conductor on this line of the O, S, P, M & O R R, went up the road Monday afternoon on No 2, his first trip for about six weeks. During his absence he has been traveling over almost the entire Northwestern system under instructions from the general superintendent's office. George has a host of friends along the line who are glad to see him on duty again.

Emerson Enterprise: Two new bridges have been put in at Theo Peter's corner in Dakota county. They were much needed and are good ones. A Comb of Homer was the supervising architect. Will Flynn has received \$250 from Herman Stark on account of damages sustained some time ago. Soon after Herman Stark's recent marriage he sent his son, Theodore and Ernest Luhr to Mr Flynn's house (where Herman had a room) to stay all night. The boys could not get in the front door and supposing no one was at home effected an entrance through the back door. Mr and Mrs Flynn were at home and were greatly frightened and on the claim that his wife's health was greatly injured, Mr Flynn received damages in the above amount.

South Sioux City Record: Mrs Margaret E Veach, the mother of Robert Veach, died last Friday at the home of her only daughter, Mrs Mary E Cale, at East Morningside. Mrs Veach was born in West Virginia, November 18, 1819. She had lived the life of a true christian and died in the triumph of a living faith. She leaves to mourn the loss of a dear mother four children: John H Veach, of Sheridan, Wyoming; Collins Veach, of South Dakota; Robert L Veach, of South Sioux City, and Mrs Mary E Cale, of Morningside. Rev George F Mead, of this city, with the assistance of the Presbyterian pastor at Morningside, conducted the funeral from the home of Mrs Cale. Interment was made in Floyd cemetery.

Sioux City Journal, 19th: The plant of the old Sioux Beet Syrup and Preserving company, of South Sioux City, was sold yesterday by C D Smiley, president of the South Sioux City Commercial club, acting as agent for the owner, Henry Bradshaw, of Worthington, S D. Alfred Hillman, of Sioux City, Joseph Henkin of Elk Point, and a distiller of Cincinnati. The plant will be remodeled and converted into a distillery for the manufacture of denatured alcohol. Possession of the buildings of the plant was given at 5 o'clock last evening, when the keys were turned over to Mr Hillman. The work of dismantling the plant will be started today. The engine and boilers and a dynamo are as good as new and will not be disturbed. Mr Hillman said his company would consume about 1,000 bushels of corn per day. The daily output will be 5,000 gallons of alcohol. The inten-

tion of the company also is to erect a grain elevator which will have a capacity of from 25,000 to 30,000 bushels of grain. The distillery will give employment to twenty-five men, six of whom will be appointees of the government. After a long illness Mrs Mae Buckwalter, wife of Henry Buckwalter, of Chicago, and daughter of Mr and Mrs H A Jandt, died yesterday noon at the Jandt residence, 303 Sixth street, of abdominal complications. For the past six months Mrs Buckwalter had been in Sioux City, a part of the time at the hospital and a part of the time at her father's home. Hope had been entertained for her recovery until recently, but two weeks ago Mr Buckwalter and Clarence Buckwalter, of Chicago, were sent for. Frank Buckwalter, of Homer, Neb, had been a frequent visitor at the bedside of his mother. All the members of the Buckwalter and the Jandt family were with Mrs Buckwalter in her last hours. Mrs Buckwalter was born at Marine, Ill, June 14, 1858. In 1874 the family moved to Sioux City, and it was here on November 28, 1875, she was married to Mr Buckwalter. They lived in Sioux City during the early years of their married life, and after a short residence in Colorado returned here. From Sioux City they went to Emporia, Kan, and thence to Chicago, where they lived for the past ten or twelve years. Mrs Buckwalter had frequently returned to the old home for visits, and was still regarded by her many friends here as a Sioux City-an. Her sisters, Mrs J D Kneidler, Mrs Wilbur Owen, Mrs W G Haley and Mrs C A Davis, and her brothers, George Jandt, Will Jandt and C E Jandt, reside in the city. The funeral will be held at the Jandt residence tomorrow. Interment will be in Logan Park cemetery. Tim Carrabine, formerly of Sioux City, who now is in the farm and ranch land business in the southwest, with headquarters in Kansas City, has filed notice in the circuit court in Kansas City of a damage suit for \$102,400 against P H Landergin and John Landergin, of Oldham county, Texas. The suit is one of the largest as to damages that has been filed in Jackson county for a long time. The litigation has grown out of a 40,000-acre land transaction in Oldham county, Tex. Carrabine alleges in his petition that on October 31, 1903, he entered into a contract with the Landergin brothers for the purchase of 40,000 acres of land selected out of the "L S" ranch of 100,000 acres in Oldham county, Tex. The contract provided that the price of the land should be \$150,000; upon the signing of the agreement, \$25,000 should be put up by the purchaser, as earnest money to be forfeited, if Carrabine failed to comply with his part of the contract. It further provided that upon the passing of the deed to the land, the purchaser was to pay in cash \$53,333 and the balance was to be paid in two, three, four and five years. Carrabine alleges that the contract was duly signed by both parties; that the land was selected; part of it adjoining the grade of the Choctaw, Oklahoma and Gulf railway, now called the Rock Island railroad. The plaintiff declares that after the location of the land had been agreed upon, he deposited \$25,000 with the First National Bank of Kansas City, but that the defendants have failed to comply with their part of the contract, by refusing to furnish the abstract or to deliver a warranty deed to the land. Carrabine avers that the land in question is now worth \$262,400 and that he has been damaged by reason of the breach of contract on the part of the defendants in the sum of \$102,400. Mr Carrabine came here in 1868 when a boy, and for many years was one of the largest dealers in live stock in northern Nebraska. He owned two ranches north of Emerson, Neb. He also was one of the pioneers in the live stock commission business in Sioux City. The first car of hogs shipped to the Sioux City stock yards was shipped in 1887 to Ingerson, Carrabine & Lye. Mr Carrabine went from Sioux City to Chicago, where he organized the Standard Live Stock Commission company, which is still doing business. From Chicago Mr Carrabine went to Mexico, where he still has some interests in the Isthmus of Tehuantepec. His land there is said to be entirely surrounded by American plantations.

CORRESPONDENCE

HOMER.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE. Mrs Pitts, Mrs Wm Ryan and Mrs Ashford, ar, were Sioux City visitors last week.

Mrs Caleb Antrim was a Homer visitor between trains Thursday of last week.

Mrs Sherman Ennis, of South Sioux City, was a Homer visitor last week.

Lena Wilkins was a shopper in the city Saturday.

Mr Loomis lost thirty-six of his young chickens Sunday night that were almost large enough to fry. They smothered with the extreme heat we had that night—and Tuesday it snowed.

Mrs Dow, Miss Elizabeth Wall and Master Pierce Wall delighted a large Homer audience Monday evening with their songs and music.

Ed Wilkins was a north bound passenger Saturday.

Valda Queen returned to her home in Emerson Saturday.

Mrs A J Ream has rented Sherman McKinley's house and will again be a resident of Homer.

Mrs Phil Renz was a Sioux City shopper Monday.

Mrs Sarah Smith returned to her home Tuesday from three weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs Renz.

HUBBARD.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE. John Beacom, Joe Hartnett and Tom Heffernan took in the ball game in Sioux City Friday.

Mrs John Hartly was a passenger to Sioux City Friday.

Everything goes at cut prices at Carl Anderson's clean up sale.

Venson Howard, who is suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism, is improving somewhat.

Lucia Jones closed an eight months term of school in the Plum Grove district.

Mrs James Hogan and Miss Bartels were shopping in the city Saturday.

Dan Hartnett and Prof Donohoe were over to Jackson Saturday to attend the O'Donnel funeral.

See Carl Anderson's advertisement in this paper, and be sure to attend the big sale.

Thursday while playing Teddie Francis fell and in some way dislocated his shoulder. Dr Witte reset the dislocation.

Mrs Dan Hartnett, Mary Killackey, Mary O'Connor, Fr English and John Green were passengers to Sioux City Thursday.

Miss Kellahan, of Sioux City, has a large class taking music lessons here on Fridays and Saturdays.

Team for sale. Machinery to swap for horses, cows or calves. Aspinwall potato planter (new) for sale or trade. D C Heffernan.

Renze & Green are adding considerable heavy hardware to their stock. Call on them when you want anything in that line.

Susie Knox was a city visitor Saturday.

Roy Armour and Dave Hileman marketed hogs here Saturday.

E J Mullally and wife, of Jackson, were in town Monday.

Mrs Louis Deroin was a city passenger Monday.

Mack Leedom, of Hurley, S D, is here on a visit. Mack feels at home here.

Bring us your produce, butter, eggs, cream, etc, we pay the highest market price. Carl Anderson.

Art Nordyke was a passenger to the city Saturday.

Henry Rooney is expected home from Colorado this week.

The ball game between Hubbard and Goodwin did not come off on account of the cold weather. The game will be played here Sunday.

The sidewalk contractors have commenced putting in cement walks around the church, and expect to have it completed in a few days.

Rev Bishop Scannell, of Omaha, is to be here next Saturday to hold confirmation services.

The E & B Lumber company is having the hardware store here repaired.

Don't fail to attend Carl Anderson's big Thirty Days Sale. He will save you dollars on everything you buy.

A ditch has been constructed by Emil Young, section foreman, on the north side of the railroad track to drain off the surplus water that comes down the main street.

Mrs Mollie Brovhill and Mrs Jas Ferrier came up from Dakota City Sunday and visited at the Art Nordyke home.

WONDERFUL ECZEMA CURE. "Our little boy had eczema for five years," writes N A Adams, Henrietta, Pa. "Two of our home doctors said the case was hopeless, his lungs being affected. We then employed other doctors but no benefit resulted. By chance we read about Electric Bitters; bought a bottle and soon noticed improvement. We continued the medicine until several bottles were used, when our boy was completely cured."

Best of all blood medicines and body building health tonics. Guaranteed at Leslie's drug store, 50c.

First Publication May 17-3w. Tax Notice. Joseph C. Tilton, record owner of lot 2; James W. Haskell, record owner of lot 1; John W. Pettit, record owner of lot 4; H. H. Brown and Georgia Jay, record owners of lot 7; the heirs of G. C. Orr and the heirs of Robert Buchanan, sr., record owners of lot 9; and Thomas T. Collier, William F. Lockwood and Mary A. Lockwood, record owners of lot 10, all in block 71, in the village of Dakota City, Dakota county, Nebraska, lots 2, 3, 4, 7, 9 and 10, block 71, that said property was assessed in the name of the property itself, that said sale and purchase was for the taxes for the years 1911 to 1913, both inclusive; that the subsequent taxes on said property for the years 1914, 1915 and 1916, have been paid by the undersigned; that on the 4th day of September, 1917, or as thereafter as possible the undersigned will apply to the County Treasurer of Dakota county, Nebraska, for a tax deed to said property based on said sale according to law; that above named persons after diligent search cannot be found in said county. Dated May 7, 1917. W. M. HILMAN.

First publication April 12-4w. Order of Hearing and Notice on Petition for Settlement of Account. In the county court of Dakota county, Nebraska. Estate of Nebraska, Dakota county—vs. To Joseph Leach, Mary E. Cave, Susan B. Leach, Stella C. Leach, Foutis, and all persons interested in the estate of Susan McKenna, deceased. Or reading the petition of Joseph Leach and Mary E. Cave praying a final settlement and allowance of their account filed in this court on the 8th day of April, 1917, and for their discharge as executors of the will and estate of said deceased. It is hereby ordered that you and all persons interested in said matter may, and do, appear at the county court to be held in and for said county, on the 17th day of May, A. D. 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioners should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Dakota County Herald, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for four successive weeks prior to said day of hearing. J. J. EMMETT, County Judge.

First Publication May 4-4w. Notice. Amodeo Lamoreaux, Theodore Lamoreaux and Louis M. Egan, defendants, vs. Henry W. Mason and Jacob Stallums, plaintiffs. In the district court of Dakota county, Nebraska, against the defendants, the object and prayer of which are to remove the cloud cast and occasioned by a certain deed from George C. Smith and Sarah Smith, his wife, to Louis C. Lamoreaux, said deed being recorded on page 502 in deed book 7 of the records of said county upon their title to that portion of the Southwest quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section twenty (20) Township twenty-seven (27) North of range nine (9) east of the 5th P. M., in Dakota county, Nebraska, lying north of the old bed of Omadi creek, and containing about ten (10) acres. You are required to answer said petition on or before the 8th day of June, A. D. 1917. Dated this 4th day of May, A. D. 1917. HELEN W. MASON, Plaintiff. JACOB STALLUMS.

CLOSING OUT CARNIVAL Saturday, May 18th Will Commence one of the biggest Closing Out Carnivals of High Grade Merchandise ever held for miles around. Every Article in Stock will be Cut in Price, and Cut Deep. Many Articles will go far Below Actual Wholesale Price, for with Us it is Unload NOW—Not Later. It Will Be a Thirty Days' Wonder! Every Article will have a Large Price Tag on it, and you will find the stock all re-arranged and placed on display. A child can make selections and purchases as well as yourself. We Want to Close Out This Entire Stock in Thirty Days and it will pay you to come for thirty miles to buy merchandise at a saving such as was never offered in this locality before. Our stock consists of a complete line of Dry Goods, Notions, Ladies' and Gents' Furnishings, Groceries, Shoes, in fact, anything you want you will find here at the Smallest Price You Ever Heard of. During This Closing Out Carnival You will buy-- 2 papers of Pins for 1c. Hooks and Eyes, 2 papers for 1c. Needles, 1c per paper. Good Work Shirts worth 50c now go at 39c. Nothing is held out—Everything Goes. Besides giving you such Low Prices, we will also give you with each purchase of \$5.00 or Over, throughout the entire store, your choice of three special bargains: Ten Spools of Best Machine Thread for 10 cts; or Ten Yards of Calico for 10 cts; Or, to make matters worse, if you prefer we will give 25 lbs. of best Granulated Sugar for \$1.00, with each purchase of \$5.00 or over throughout the entire store. You cannot afford to miss this Closing Out Sale. Come and buy enough to last you for a year, and make the biggest saving you ever did in your life. We bid You welcome, Carl Anderson, HUBBARD, NEBRASKA. Pat C. No 42399 Sired by Chilton, by Dunton Wilkes, by George Wilkes. Dam Minnie V, by Byerly Abdallah, by Mambrino Patchen. This colt is bred right, good size and a good individual, and will serve a few mares at \$15.00 to insure mare in foal. Service fee becomes due when mare is known to be in foal. EMMETT H. GRIBBLE, Dakota City, Nebraska. THORPE & HOBERG Sioux City's Leading Jewellers 511 Fourth Street Both Telephones