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Items of Interest from our Exchanges

Allen Items in Poncea Leader: Margaret Nordyke spent Christmas with the home folks.
Silver Creek Items in Poncea Leader: Mr Willie Root of Dakota county is visiting with parents.

Winnepago Chief: Sol Smith and family spent their Christmas with Emerson friends.
Sioux City Journal, 2nd: Probably the happiest man in town yesterday was George Beacom, proprietor of the Beacom pharmacy.

Pender Republic: Mrs J L Phillips and son of South Sioux City are visiting at the L D Ralph home.
Waterbury Items in Poncea Journal: Will Breslin of Vista attended the sale at his brother-in-law's, George Beck, of Leeds, Iowa, a few days ago.

Sioux City Journal, 31: The watch party planned for this evening by the members of the O E S has been given up, owing to the death of Mrs J E De Walt.
Sioux City Journal, 1: The funeral of Mrs J E De Walt will be held from the residence 2108 St Aubin avenue, at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Harrington News: August Krause is at Dakota City today on business.
Sioux City Daily News, 3rd: Dan

How's This?
We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any one who can identify the person who has been identified by the O E S.

On account of the severe weather the Burlington train did not make the run between here and O'Neill Monday, and Eugene T Kennedy, rural mail carrier, was unable to enter his route Tuesday, the roads being so badly drifted.

Cupid has scored again. In spite of opposition of the girl's parents, a romance began when the two were school children at Mapleton, Ia, resulted in the secret marriage December 12, at Sibley, Ia, of Clyde Beasler, a young business man of Mapleton, and Miss Clara Duschel, a popular "coed" of Morningside college.
Lyons Mirror: Mrs Ada Bliven of Pender drew the \$10 mirror at Bill Bros. John Nixon, Jr, a nephew of Mrs M M Warner, came down from Homer yesterday.

Walthill Times: Miss Zoe Lampson is back from Omaha.
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Ben Cullen departed Monday to go on the road as a traveling salesman for the Omaha Packing company.
The Misses Camilla and Mary Waters of Sioux City, spent New Year's in the home of their uncle D F Waters.

Mrs J E McGonigal went to Harrington Tuesday, called there by the illness of her niece, Maurine Garvey, who is reported very low with pneumonia.
Margaret Waters returned to Spring Valley, Wis, Wednesday to resume teaching in the high school.

Mr Huffer arrived from Page, Neb, Tuesday to take charge of the livery barn, which he recently purchased of Holland & Sutherland.
John P Krampner and children, Cecilia and Paul, have returned from Omaha, where they visited James Krampner who has been very sick the past month.

Poland Ohio stock pigs for sale. Good strain. M E O'Connor.
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Ingra Hansen was an over night visitor at the Henriksen home Tuesday.
Lost—between the George Hayes home and Hubbard, a shawl. Finder leave at Carl Anderson's store and get reward.

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Little Kristine Johnson spent the past week at the home of her sister, Mrs John Labahn.
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Rev Trotter delivered a fine sermon last Sunday in the Lutheran church.
It is not only zero weather now, 24 below is what the thermometer registered Tuesday.
Myers Hansen, Geo Johnson, Art Smith and E Maurice left Wednesday for Wayne to attend school.

We want your produce, and we are still paying more than the market affords. Carl Anderson.
Mr and Mrs Richey Long returned Sunday from their honeymoon trip. They are visiting at the Loudagan home at present.
L Knudsen, Newt Crippen and Coon Thorn each had a car of cattle on the market Wednesday.

Dan Hartnett was another who shipped out stock from here Wednesday.
Harry Rockwell visited at Winside Friday, returning Saturday evening. Good for you Harry, or you would have been snowbound.
J P Rockwell and wife of Dakota City ate New Year's dinner at the E Goertz home.

COUNTY SCHOOL NOTES

In order to conform to the annual requirement of the State Library Law, each school board should be looking for a library book for the school year 1910-1911.
Every well regulated school in Dakota county should have monthly tests, and in addition quarterly examinations from questions based on the State Course of Study, furnished by the county superintendent's office.

The purpose is two-fold. That the pupil may know definitely his mastery of the work or his lack of mastery of the work gone over. The teacher may learn where her efforts have fallen short, and, too, as far as quarterly questions are concerned, she may learn to do nearly as well as her school grade.
A failure means either that the studies have not been well taught by the teacher or the pupil has not put forth the efforts, as usually is the case, necessary under any and all conditions to meet the final requirements; or that the pupil's body and mind are weak and poisoned by tobacco, liquor or evil influences of association—other causes being exceptional.

Monica Hartnett and Margaret Ryan were home from Omaha for the holidays.
HUBBARD.
The rural mail carriers were somewhat snow bound Tuesday.
Roy Wilsey returned Wednesday from his visit with relatives in Dakota.

Heavy flannel shirts, for winter wear, at Carl Anderson's.
Myers Jensen of Omaha, who has been visiting at the home of his uncle, G Johnson, for some time past, was taken very sick last Saturday and at this writing is under the doctor's care.
Mrs Kasamussen and children went to Sioux City Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs Christensen of Salix, Iowa, were New Year's visitors at the P Larsen home and O Kasamussen home.
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CALIFORNIA

Far Ahead of Louisiana From a Financial Standpoint.

COMPARISON OF TWO STATES

Bank Statistics Show That the Pacific Coast Commonwealth Outclasses Her Southern Rival—Some Items That Ought to Tell Heavily as Arguments For the City of San Francisco.

"With no design to lay here a rival's hard circumstances, out to ascertain definitely the relative and comparative ability of California and Louisiana, and of San Francisco and New Orleans, to finance and handle a world's fair, the California Exposition Committee has been looking into the banking figures of the two states and two cities," says the San Francisco Call.

"The results of the comparison are striking. For example, with comparatively equal populations, California has four dollars of banking resources to Louisiana's one. The savings deposits of the two states are 12 to 1 in California's favor, ranking California fourth in the Union in this respect and Louisiana twenty-fourth.

"San Francisco's 200,000 savings depositors have \$154,000,000 tucked away; New Orleans shows 55,000 such depositors with only \$17,000,000 laid up against that rainy day. San Francisco's savings banks paid their passbook holders in interest in the year covered by the report upward of \$5,000,000; New Orleans savings depositors in the same period were credited with a little more than a quarter of a million.

"According to the report of the comptroller of the currency, the national banks of San Francisco increased their total resources \$103,000,000 in the year 1909-1910; New Orleans national banks increased a little more than \$2,000,000.

"Below are the precise figures: Comparative Banking Statistics Relative to California and Louisiana. California.
Population June 1, 1909... 1,782,000
Capital of all banks... \$9,967,867.22
Average per capita... 57.22
Individual deposits... 567,158,709.00
Average per capita... 327.47
Total resources of banks... \$42,969,839.00
Average per capita... 24.12
Total savings deposits... 281,228,437.26
Number of savings depositors... 535,448
Average amount of savings deposit... 525.69
Amount paid in interest 1908-9... 8,122,966.73
Banks fourth among states of the Union in amount of savings deposits.

Banks seventh among states in number of savings depositors. Louisiana.
Population June 1, 1909... 1,612,000
Capital of all banks... 21,952,809.50
Average per capita... 13.57
Individual deposits... 96,544,520.00
Average per capita... 59.89
Total resources of banks... 108,642,502.00
Average per capita... 67.41
Total savings deposits... 21,265,263.99
Number of savings depositors... 89,723
Average amount of savings deposit... 236.84
Amount paid in interest 1908-9... 291,571.73
Banks twenty-fourth among states of the Union in amount of savings deposits. Banks twenty-seventh among states in number of savings depositors.

San Francisco.
Total savings deposits... \$106,732,186.05
Total individual deposits... 342,927,677.47
Number of savings depositors... 208,256
Average savings deposit... 1,623.59
Amount paid savings depositors in interest... 740,490
Increase in total resources of national banks 1909-1910... 103,000,000.00
New Orleans.
Total savings deposits... \$16,856,782.49
Total individual deposits... 42,879,977.18
Number of savings depositors... 65,376
Total number of depositors... 78,019
Average savings deposit... 399.00
Amount paid savings depositors in interest... 286,157.10
Increase in total resources of national banks 1909-1910... 2,370,226.74
Note—The figures above given are taken from the report of the national monetary commission, and except as noted relate to April 28, 1909.

The last comparison is taken from the reports of the comptroller of the currency.
Hint to Louisiana.
Louisiana will have to be up and doing if it is to capture the Panama International Exposition of 1915. A special session of the California legislature has proposed two amendments to the state constitution which will allow an additional \$10,000,000 for the financing of the exposition, and over \$7,000,000 has already been provided by private subscription.—Cincinnati Southwest.

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