

Farmers' Institute.

The following program has been prepared for the session of Farmers' Institute to be held in Dakota City, Friday and Saturday, January 29 and 30.

PREMIUM LIST

- Class A—Professional. Lot 1, Best ten ears of yellow corn, premium...

WHEN IN OMAHA VISIT THE Gayety "Omaha's Fun Centre"

Start the New Year Right by Buying Your Meats and Groceries

CITY MEAT MARKET

- FRESH MEAT SPECIALS. Best beef boiling meat... 11c lb. Best beef rib roast... 17c lb.

Wm. Lorenz, Jr.

Local Items

All our stoves will be sold at wholesale prices. Schriever Bros. M M Ream and Carl Strauss of Sioux City were in this city Saturday.

Miss Mary Hurd, of Lawton, Iowa was a week end visitor at the home of Mrs J B Leech. J W Black, who has been visiting here for several weeks, has returned to his home at Lake Andes, S D.

Herman Bierman was in Hubbard precinct Monday appraising some land belonging to the Geo T Woods estate. Miss Helen Neibuhr of Winnebago visited from Friday night until Sunday with her cousin Miss Margaret Neibuhr in this place.

There has been rumors afloat lately that fish were being taken from Crystal lake through the numerous openings in the ice, and to satisfy our curiosity we drove to the lake Sunday to investigate.

An administrator's sale of the personal property belonging to the estate of R D Rockwell, will be held February 24, 1915. Remember the date, Feb 24.

Attempted Murder of Guy Hileman

From Westhope, N. D., Standard. While sitting quietly reading by the table at his home southwest of this city last Friday evening, someone with murder in his heart, crept stealthily up to the window of the house and fired a load from a shot gun at the head of Guy Hileman.

The three Halsey boys were placed under arrest and taken to Bottineau, but later the two younger were let go. James, the oldest, was kept in care of the sheriff's office to await his preliminary hearing which was held last night.

PRELIMINARY HEARING. The hearing started last evening before Judge Mead, adjourned till this morning and lasted till this afternoon, with the result that the defendant, Jas. Halsey, was bound over to await trial at the next term of district court.

Real estate loans. Geo Wilkens. Mound City Paints and Varnishes preserve and beautify—Dakota City Pharmacy. Chas Sund has been laid up at his home the past week with an attack on rheumatism.

Farm For Rent. Two farms of 160 acres each. Call at Bank of Dakota County, Jackson, Neb, and Mr Lee O Kearney will arrange for lease.

CORRESPONDENCE

HUBBARD. E. Christensen and wife were Sioux City passengers Sunday. Leslie Lohning visited in the Hayes home this week.

Joe Hartnett was in Sioux City Monday. Lee Francisco was in Sioux City a couple of days the first of the week. We have an assortment of winter caps to close out at bargain prices.

Peter Jensen was an over night visitor at the Henry Johnson home Tuesday. Mr. Spear was a city passenger Tuesday. Mrs. W. Geertz, Mrs. W. Nelsen, John Nelsen and Rasmus Gains were city passengers Monday.

Jennie Johnson visited relatives in Plum Grove Sunday. Grandma Mitchell is considered somewhat better. A fine line of enamelware and tinware at exceptional prices at C. Anderson Co's.

The Danish Sisterhood will have their kaffeeskald at the Louis Pedersen home. Bring us your produce, eggs and butter, and get the highest price the market will afford. C. Anderson Co.

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DEATHS

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SALEM. Bernard Boals was unfortunate enough Sunday to be thrown from a horse, breaking his collar bone. He is getting along nicely.

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Farm Notes.

NEW HORTICULTURE BULLETIN. Home Mulched vs Northern Seed Potatoes for Eastern Nebraska. This bulletin has been issued by the Nebraska Experiment Station. It shows that with proper care if a litter mulch is applied over the potato plot in eastern Nebraska the tubers so produced are the equal for seed purposes of northern seed potatoes.

SPECIAL POTATO SESSION

A special session on potato culture will be given at the meetings of the Nebraska State Horticulture Society at Lincoln, Thursday afternoon, January 21. Addresses will be made by Fritz Koop, superintendent of the Stockshuff Experimental Substation; O L Fitch, associate professor of truck gardening of the Iowa State College; E Mead Wilcox, professor of agricultural botany at the University Farm; OS Hawk, county agricultural agent of Dawson county; Arnold Martin of Dubois; and B H Nelson, manager of the Omaha Fruit Growers' Association, Omaha.

WHY FARM LABOR IS SCARCE

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