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BUYING GOOD DAIRY STOCK
In Gage county, the farmers thru their county agricultural agent have secured 54 pure-bred sires and 108 dairy cows.

NEW DAIRY COURSE
A new course in dairying has been added to the curriculum of the University School of Agriculture at Lincoln, according to the new catalog of the school just issued.

CROP RESIDUES WORTH \$3.50 A TON
'Do not burn cornstalks or straw but plow under all crop residues,' is the advice of the department of agricultural chemistry at the University Farm.

CLUSTER BUD SPRAY
As soon as the buds in the clusters of apple and pear trees begin to separate and turn pink, it is time to spray for scale, black rot, and various leaf-eating insects including the spring cankerworm, according to the College of Agriculture.

Pender Times: Bancroft went wet by four votes, and Emerson went dry last year. However, Emerson maintained a club which guaranteed a saloon for this year.

STATE SERUM USED IN 71 COUNTIES
The state serum plant located at the University Farm sold \$73,450 worth of hog cholera serum last year.

LOOK OUT FOR CANKERWORMS
Spring cankerworms give promise of doing injury to both fruit and shade trees this spring in Southeastern Nebraska by devouring the foliage.

TENTH MORE WATER IN WHEAT FIELDS
Moisture determinations made by the department of instructional agronomy show that there is 10 per cent more moisture in the wheat in the wheat field and one-half per cent more moisture in the alfalfa fields this spring than last at the University Farm.

Phenomenal Bargain.
We have been fortunate in making arrangements which enable us to offer you a year's subscription to Farmer and Breeder and the Herald for only \$1.00.

ABOUT FARMER AND BREEDER.
Farmer and Breeder is pre-eminent a magazine of farm and stock facts. It shows exactly how to do the things the way they are being done by the most successful farmers and breeders.

Items of Interest from our Exchanges

Walthill Times: Miss Horsham, of South Sioux City, was the guest of Miss Bickley over Easter Sunday.

Wakefield Items in Ponca Journal: The reporter has been informed that the Masked hotel has been rented to Jack McQuirk and that he will take possession about May first.

Allen News: Floyd Fegley is enjoying a visit from his father, who lives at Sidney, Neb. Frank Hill came home Friday night for a few days visit with his parents and other folks. He returned Tuesday.

Lyons Mirror: A letter from our cousin, Daniel Webster Warner, at Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, says they are about to give him a seat in the Dominion parliament.

Wayne Democrat: Dakota City and South Sioux City both went dry. Want to be in shape to keep the tough element of Sioux City from coming over for their drink and carousing, when that place goes dry next January.

Wynot Tribune: Henry Johns came in Tuesday from the soldiers home at Grand Island for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

Winnipeg Chief: Tom Ashford motored down from Homer Wednesday. D. G. Evans was up to South Sioux City Tuesday helping to turn the town dry.

Salix Items in Sloan, Ia. Star: Miss Helen Harrington, of Dakota City, is spending Easter vacation here with her parents.

Sioux City Journal, 11: Fred Bartels, a prominent stock raiser and feeder, was on the market Saturday looking after the sale of a string of Montana lambs that sold at \$10.25.

Sioux City Journal, 13: Capt. G. Cownie, commander of the Harrison line steamer Wayfarer, which was torpedoed by a German submarine, is a brother of A. B. Cownie, councilman from the First ward in South Sioux City.

Mr. F. H. Eorrest, manager for the Nebraska Telephone Co. at Dakota City, has presented to the county, an electrical apparatus for illustrating purposes in the physics classes of our schools.

Mr. Forrest states that he got the idea of making up this apparatus from the students of our high school physics class, whom he had taken through the Iowa Telephone Co's plant at Sioux City.

Mr. Forrest has been with the telephone company for seventeen years and we believe that the experience of his association with the telephone company would be highly interesting to our readers.

brother directly since the opening of hostilities. Officers are not allowed to write to people in this country, and the only news that Mr. Cownie has received has been from relatives in England who heard from the captain when he was in port.

Ponca Journal: Monday evening, the westbound train got as far as Vista, and completed its journey to Wynot Tuesday morning.

Emerson Enterprise: Henry Wilke purchased a Buick touring car from Nels Tolstrup last week.

The Larkin club met at Mrs. James Hendricks' last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Francisco enjoyed a visit from relatives from Emerson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jensen were Sunday visitors at the S. Larsen home.

Ed Maurice and Mads Hansen were stock shippers from here Thursday of last week.

Bring your produce, butter and eggs, and get the highest market value.

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Mr. and Mrs. Mike Farrel were in Sioux City Sunday.

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CORRESPONDENCE

HUBBARD
Beatrice Uffing spent a couple of days the past week with her friend, Roy Smith.

We have some splendid samples of Easter hats left that will go at bargain prices.

Quite a number from here attended the hop at Jackson Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Rasmusen and children visited Sunday and Monday in Sioux City.

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Mr. and Mrs. Rasmusen visited Sunday at the H. C. Hansen home near Homer.

Johanna Mundy visited friends in the country Tuesday.

Sine Jensen, Chris M. Rasmussen, Hannah Pedersen and Tom Graham were city passengers from here Thursday.

Our light underwear is now in and you should make your selection while sizes are complete.

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Several from here attended the funeral of Martha Zapp at Emerson last week.

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SAXON SIX \$785
The answer to a National question the whole nation has been asking: "Why doesn't someone build a good, low priced Six?"
We are glad to be the first to answer this question. Long stroke, high speed, 30-35 H. P. Motor; electric starter and lights; 112 inch wheel base; 5 passenger streamline body; 32x34 tires, demountable rim; standard or 60 in. tread. Moreover, the features of equipments that come with the SAXON are of uniformly high quality.

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daughter came over from Morningside Wednesday and are visiting in the Henry Ostmeier home.

Web Hoch was a Homer visitor Wednesday from Dakota City.

Mrs. Fred Edwards and son Laurence returned from Morningside Thursday.

Dr. Stidworthy and Jud O'Dell went to Blyburg Friday.

Glen Smith, of Emerson, was a visitor in Homer Friday.

H. A. Monroe, of South Sioux City, E. & B. auditor, was in Homer Saturday.

Henry Loomis spent several days last week with his daughter, Mrs. L. E. Priest.

John H. Ream and little daughter Mildred, of Dakota City, were Homer visitors between trains Sunday.

Chas. Ford, of Sioux City, an erstwhile Homer boy, was a Sunday visitor between trains.

Miss Jennie Combs, of South Sioux City, and friend, were visitors between trains with Miss Jennie's grandparents, S. A. Combs and wife.

Charles Ostmeier came down from Morningside Sunday to visit his parents, Henry Ostmeier and wife.

Mrs. Mary Harris and family and Delong and family moved to Dakota City Sunday.

Dr. Nina Smith went to Walthill a few days ago and is quite ill at the home of her brother, Dr. Will Ream.

Mrs. Ella Bruce and children departed Sunday for Lusk, Wyo., to hold down a homestead.

Amberly Bates returned from Dakota City Sunday.

Mrs. B. McKinley went to Rosalie Saturday to visit her son John and family, returning Sunday.

Harold went down Sunday, returning with his grandmother.

'Buster' Mansfield is very ill at his home in Winnebago. The many friends of the family are sorry to hear of his illness.

Mrs. Chas. Holsworth went to Sioux City Saturday evening to visit her father, R. L. Smith. She returned Monday.

Mrs. Leon Ream is enjoying a visit from a sister from Pender.

Joe Johns went up to South Sioux City Saturday to visit his sister, Mrs. Wesley McPherson.

John Mast was on the Homer market Monday with dogs.

John Bubb was down from South Sioux City Monday.

Mrs. Fred Edwards went to Sioux City Saturday to visit a brother who is ill.

W. ATLEE BURPEE & CO., Philadelphia, Pa.

have moved to South Sioux City where Mr. Reed was recently appointed rural mail carrier.

Joe Bolton last week was granted a patent on a fruit picker. He expects to have them manufactured soon.

Geo. Ausbury, who was on the sick list the past week, threatened with pneumonia, is much improved.

Rev. Father Moriarity, of Norfolk, Neb., was a guest of Rev. W. J. O'Sullivan last Thursday.

Mrs. John Brady, who spent the winter in Sioux City, arrived here the first of the week.

Matt Zulauf departed last Thursday for Omaha and Lincoln.

The following clerical appointments were made last week by Rt. Rev. Bishop Scannell, of Omaha: Rev. Felix McCarthy, of Vista, has been appointed permanent rector here and Rev. W. J. O'Sullivan, of this place, has been appointed pastor of the new parish at Tilden, Neb.

The new parish of Tilden is composed of Tilden, heretofore a mission attended from Battle Creek, and South Tilden, which was attended from Norfolk. Rev. Fr. O'Sullivan while here made many friends. He was considered a tireless worker.

The parishioners presented him with a neat purse before leaving for his new home. Rev. E. Gleason, assistant at O'Neill, succeeds Rev. McCarthy at Vista, who comes highly recommended.

Mrs. Michael Boler departed the last of the week for Smithwick, S. D., to visit her daughter, Mrs. M. G. O'Gara.

James Sutherland had a car of hay and one of potatoes on the track here Monday, which he disposed of to the farmers.

Grant Payette, who went to Hinkley, Minn., in January intending to remain there, returned here last week to spend the summer.

Maggie Hennesey has gone to Laurel, Neb., to work in the H. Kent home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Cannon visited over Sunday with relatives at Norfolk, Neb.

'Our (Homer) Town'

I wonder if it ever occurred to the tax payers of Homer how much could be done to help and beautify our little village with the money that is sent out of here for lecture courses and Chautauquas to say nothing of the small fortune the saloon makes, and when the town goes dry that also vanishes. Would one thousand a year cover the loss to Homer from the above mentioned? If next winter's lecture course has to have a \$400 guarantee, that is a clear cash loss to the town--with what benefit?

The intellectual food derived does not amount to much. We could no doubt get just as good entertainments from Sioux City for half the outlay. Did you ever notice that the promoters are not permanent residents of Homer or tax payers either. We believe charity begins at home. Let us take some of the hundreds that have been going out and build that much talked of foot bridge, fix up the city park, build a new M. E. church--the old one could be improved inside by a few dollars going to the tinting of the walls.

I am not a kicker on higher education. Very little that has come this way and cost so much was much better than vaudeville. There were a few exceptions, we will admit. Therefore let us boost Homer first, then when we get it on the top shelf is time enough to boost the outside concerns. Let the Commercial club think this over and boost our town, our citizens, our schools, our churches, our musicians, our entertainments. In fact take 'Our Town' for your motto. Three cheers for Our Town, Our County, Our State, the best trio in the world.

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