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To Get Rid of the Poisonous Gases and Fermenting Food.

A good long fast will do this sometimes. A trip to the mountains. Tramping. Roughing it. Yes, very good remedies. But are you going to avail yourself of either one of these remedies. No? Then the next best thing is to try a bottle of Feruna. Take it according to directions. You will have a natural appetite. All gas and fermentation in the stomach will disappear.

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The corn and apple show will be held at the Lincoln auditorium, January 17-22. In addition to the displays of corn and apples, Prof. Geo. Fondra will portray the resources of the state by means of moving pictures.

Confronted by a deficit which he admits to be more than a hundred millions, Mr. McAdoo comes blithely to Congress and asks money to employ 485 additional collectors of income tax at \$1,600 a year each. The boys must have jobs, whether the treasury is full or empty.

The selection of Omaha by the Nebraska State Teachers' Association for the sixth consecutive time is a marked tribute to the metropolis. Omaha feels proud that it has been so honored, and will leave no stone unturned to do its part in making the next meeting the banner one. The association has continually grown in power since politics no longer dominate the organization. Nebraska educators hope to make the 1916 meeting a record breaker in attendance.

And now it is the democrats of Nebraska who are employing the peculiar election laws of this state. A petition has been filed to put Woodrow Wilson's name on the primary ticket as a candidate for the presidency. Despite the one-term plank in the Baltimore platform, we do not think that Mr. Wilson will follow the example of Justice Hughes and order his name taken off the ballot. There was a time when the democratic platform was declared to be no "molasses to catch flies" and when its pledges were said to have been made "to be kept in office." It is now plain that any or all of these pledges will be broken if thereby it will help to keep Wilson in office. Mr. Bryan's brother Charley declined to sign the Wilson petition. There is no necessity for elaborating on this point.

Christmas in Europe

Inasmuch as the people of this community are enjoying the blessedness of peace and plenty from a kind Providence, we believe it would do every one of our readers good to read the special illustrated article, "Christmas in Europe," which appears in this issue of the Herald.

Money-Saving Offer.

The Herald has made special arrangements with Farmer and Breeder which enables us to offer you The Herald and Farmer and Breeder both for one year for only \$1.00. Send us your subscription now and save money. This offer is good for only a limited time. Every subscriber to Farmer and Breeder is entitled to free consultation with its editors on any phase of farming or stock raising.

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Items of Interest from our Exchanges

Bloomfield Monitor: John Killackey went to Sioux City last Saturday and visited over Sunday with friends.

Allen News: Miss Mabel Andrews returned home Friday night from a weeks visit with relatives and friends at Dakota City.

Sioux City Journal, 19: Miss Nellie Miller, who teaches at Homer, Neb., is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller, 4715 Fourth avenue.

Walthill Times: W. S. and W. E. Estill made a business trip to Homer Tuesday. Miss Hazel Powell, of Dakota City, came Saturday to visit in the home of her uncle, Chas. Tompkins.

Emerson Enterprise: Alfred Harris, one of the prosperous farmers of Wierson creek, living ten miles east of Emerson, visiting with his cousin, Joseph Harris, and looking after business matters.

Wynot Tribune: Mrs. E. J. Morin visited in Sioux City Monday. Conductor E. J. Morin was at Ponca Monday in attendance at district court as a witness in a damage suit against the railroad company for horses killed on the track several years ago.

Lyons Mirror: M. M. Warner attended a banquet at the Fontenelle hotel in Omaha last night, given by John L. Webster for the committee appointed to take charge of the proposed celebration of the 50th anniversary of the admission of Nebraska as a state.

Hartington News: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Provancha returned to their home in Fordyce, Monday, after visiting over Sunday with Mr. Provancha's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Provancha. C. A. Conant, of South Sioux City, and Mrs. Clara Stewart, of Sioux City, returned to their homes Monday morning, after being here to visit their brother, L. G. Conant.

Ponca Advocate: Miss Belle Klarman spent Sunday in South Sioux City. Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Harris have adopted a little boy about eight years old, from the Omaha home. Mrs. Miller, of Sioux City, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lenox, visited here last week, returning home Saturday noon. Our congenial and obliging station agent, C. E. Hedges, with Mrs. Hedges and two daughters, will take a well earned vacation, leaving tomorrow for Kansas City and Oklahoma for a two weeks' visit.

Ponca Journal: Wm. Petit was over from the burg Monday on business. Mrs. T. T. Harris has been visiting at South Sioux City the past week. Her mother, Mrs. Gallager is quite sick. A. B. Francis attended the combination sale at Hubbard last Saturday, at which E. F. Rasmussen auctioneered. Mr. Francis reports a very satisfactory sale and that Rasmussen "sure gets the bids." This was one of the largest sales ever held in Dakota county, and the way stock sold would never indicate that money was hard to get.

Lutheran Church Notes

DAKOTA CITY-SALEM

Christmas Day is a home day, the family gather and celebrate a homecoming. That is a gracious privilege.

Let us make New Years Day a community day, one in which we come together as a community and celebrate by neighborly friendship.

COMMUNITY DAY AT SALEM LUTHERAN CHURCH NEW YEARS DAY

Be neighborly, to have friends you must be friendly. Get together, it will help you. Our life in any neighborhood is largely what we make it. We will be sociable. Then there will be something going on.

Bring your dinner, come to Salem Lutheran church January 1, and spend your New Years day with your friends and neighbors. A day's visit it will be profitable and pleasant.

Some subjects of interest to the community will be presented.

REV. C. R. LOWE.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

I, N. Provancha, Waterbury, Neb., will not be responsible for any bills contracted by my wife.

Signed, N. Provancha.

CORRESPONDENCE

HUBBARD

The schools close Friday for a two weeks' vacation.

A big assortment of lamps for the holiday season, at C. Anderson Co's. John Hartnett and family were Sunday visitors at Jackson.

A new line of dress caps and dress shirts for men, at C. Anderson Co's. W. J. Rooney has moved into his new house.

We want your butter and eggs and will pay the highest price the market will afford. C. Anderson Co.

Louis Pedersen and family were shopping in the city Monday.

China ware of all kinds, plain and fancy, for the Christmas season, at C. Anderson Co's.

John Campbell and wife were in the city Tuesday to see Mrs. Bouck, who is in a hospital.

See our assortment of fancy handkerchiefs for Christmas giving. C. Anderson Co.

Anna Beck, of Homer, was a visitor here with her sister, Lena, the first of the week.

We have a beautiful stock of rugs, any one of which would make a fine Christmas present. C. Anderson Co.

Will Meyers was down from Sioux City Sunday, visiting at the John Hartnett home.

Mark Gribble, of Chambers, Neb., visited friends here the first of the week.

We have a big stock of useful articles of all kinds suitable for Christmas giving, such as ties, brushes, combs, toilet articles of all kinds, gloves, mittens, socks, jewelry, and a thousand other things. C. Anderson Co.

Mrs. Frank Mahon and little daughter were in the city Thursday to see Santa.

Our line of groceries include the best to be found in any store in the county, and at prices that will surely please. C. Anderson Co.

Joe Maurice found the lifeless body of a man hanging from the rafters of his barn Saturday morning—evidently a suicide. The man had been hanging around Emerson for several months.

Christmas goods of all kinds at C. Anderson Co's, including a fine new display of toys and useful articles for both old and young. There are also articles for the home that will make just as acceptable gifts as those found in the big city stores.

John Marxon, who has been working at the Anderson place the past year, departed Monday for Hicksville, Long Island, N. Y., where he will visit during the winter months with an uncle, whom he has never seen.

HOMER

Mrs. Ed Norris and son Fred were Homer visitors from Winnebago Tuesday.

Frank Bryhill motored down from Dakota City Tuesday in his big car.

Turner Ross is home for the Christmas holidays.

Agnes Holofeldt, of Coleridge, Neb., is a guest at the Harry Rasdal home.

Donald Rasdal is home from Coleridge.

Alfred Harris and family were guests at the James Harris home Sunday.

The Misses Bernice and Beatrice Monroe visited their grandparents, B. McKinley and wife, Sunday.

Judge S. W. McKinley and family spent Sunday in Homer.

Harold McKinley is spending this week at the H. A. Monroe home in South Sioux.

Jeff Taylor, editor of the Emerson Enterprise, was a Monday visitor in Homer.

Alfred Harris and wife were Emerson visitors last week.

Majory McKinley went to Rosalie Wednesday of this week and her little niece, Beth McKinley, accompanied her home to spend Christmas.

Martin Filman moved Thursday into the Chas. Jordan house.

Fred Wagner arrived from Le Mars, Ia., Sunday to spend his two weeks' vacation with his brothers, Henry and Leo.

Lute and Eimer Smith were Homer visitors Sunday from South Sioux.

Mr. and Mrs. James Allaway, sr., dined with their son, Audry Allaway and wife Sunday.

Willie Nixon had a birthday party Sunday and a few boys were invited to spend the day with him and report a good time.

Raymond Smith spent several days at the Alfred Harris home this week.

Miss Grace Crippen while at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Leslie Churchill, was coming down stairs and to avoid stepping on the baby who was on a step, moved quickly one side and fell, spraining her ankle and otherwise injuring it. She is suffering much pain from the injury.

Smith Frum departed Saturday for California to visit relatives and will visit other relatives in Council Bluffs, Ia., on the way.

Dr. Nina Smith motored to Dakota City Saturday.

Sherman McKinley, jr., came down from South Sioux Saturday.

Henry Loomis is home to spend the holidays with relatives and friends.

Garrett Mason had the misfortune to have his hand quite badly cut by a horse he was helping to shoe kicking him and the shoe cutting a long gash in the palm of his hand.

Glen Ogden was an incoming passenger from the north Wednesday.

Phil Renz bought a Jersey cow from Jas. Allaway, sr., Saturday.

The tenth grade club enjoyed a sleigh ride Friday night, and Miss Grace Nixon entertained them. Dainty refreshments were served.

Every one voted Miss Grace a pleasant entertainer and the sleighing fine.

Dan Campbell drove a big bunch of feeders out to his place Thursday.

Mrs. Audry Allaway went to Dakota City Friday to visit her mother who is on the sick list.

Wellington Smith and Jack Pillgrim have formed a housekeeping partnership and have moved into the Dana Prndy house.

Wilber Allen has purchased the Homer hardware store and will move his family here soon.

H. Pomerene and Henry Filmore were Friday visitors in Homer.

Miss Mary Renz was a Dakota City and Sioux City visitor last week.

Mrs. Alice Bolster went to Des Moines, Ia., Saturday, to spend the holidays with her daughter, Miss Helen, and purchase her spring millinery.

Miss Margaret Smith departed Saturday for California to see the Golden Sunny West, to take in (or be taken in by the beauties we read about) and visit her aunt, Mrs. Sadie Abbott.

Malcolm Smith, Norval Church, Leone Lange, Helen and Forest Rockwell and Ada Stidworthy are all home from their respective schools for the holiday vacation.

Evangeline Davis visited relatives in Homer for a few days on her way to Minneapolis.

Albert Johnson, of Montana, was seen on our streets Tuesday.

Mrs. Phoebe Wilson is settled in the rooms she has rented from Mrs. Welker.

Geo. McEntaffer is loading a car of household goods, etc., to take to Colorado, where he will go on a farm with his father, Jay McEntaffer.

The Allegro club will give another of its much appreciated entertainments December 28. Miss Florence Lewis' pupils will assist in the program. Miss Phyllis Ross, Miss Merle Star, Miss Edna Hanson, Miss Marjorie McKinley, Miss Ruth Small, Miss Carrie Mac King, and Miss Marion Curtis are those who take part.

Bearshear & Davis are giving a very useful Christmas present with their loads of coal—a strong, well made fire shovel.

Mrs. Chas. Holsworth was a weekend visitor in Sioux City with relatives and friends and did Christmas shopping.

We hear the South Sioux City Record was very much stirred up over what we said in regard to the moving of the county seat (we did not see the paper) and that T. G. Curtis was blamed for it. T. G. nor T. D. Curtis is "not guilty." We are the guilty one. Correspondents are not in the habit of signing their names. Now as to the county seat.

We have an idea that there will not be much danger of its removal unless the river steps in and removes the court house. Then the county seat might follow the court house down the river. We have no objection to Dakota City as a county seat, but if there is any moving to be done Homer will bid for the honor.

If it is necessary for "Mell" to follow the county seat our arms are open for him or any one else who may wish to follow. We have the best town in the county. If the Record editor should drop down here some Saturday he would think he was on Fourth street, Sioux City. Our schools are second to none, our printing office is the best equipped in the county, our banks are up to date in equipment and business is good, our general stores are busy as bees all the time, farmers in the vicinity have all city improvements, water, electric lights, baths, and comforts of all kinds. Lastly, my brethren, we furnish most of the county officers. Say, why not boost for Homer for the county seat if it is to be moved?

JACKSON.

William Kinnely departed Monday for Dallas, Tex., to spend the winter.

M. Beacom, of Vista, who was seriously ill with pneumonia, is much improved. A trained nurse was called in attendance.

The Misses Blanche and Annie Waters, who are students at Ames college, Ia., arrived home Tuesday for the holidays.

John F. Autzen departed Wednesday for Galveston, Tex., to visit his daughter.

Richard Ryan is receiving treatment at a hospital in Sioux City for his knee, which has been giving him much pain lately. His wife is with him.

Catherine Bellenger, of Sioux City, was an over Sunday visitor in the E. T. Kennely home.

The Scott Frelen family, of Orchard, Neb., are expected here for Christmas, and will be guests in the Mrs. Catherine Jones home.

George Bryson is baling hay around Newcastle. He expects a winter's work there.

Dr. Magirl and wife saw the "Trail of the Lonesome Pine" at the opera house in Sioux City Sunday evening.

The schools closed here last Thursday with nice programs, for the Christmas vacation.

The Misses Marie Goodfellow and Margaret and Annie Hartnett, who are teaching at Newcastle, Wyo., are expected home Thursday evening.

M. Quinn, who is a student at Renwick Seminary, St. Louis, arrived home for the holidays.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Johnson is ill with pneumonia.

I wish to announce to my many customers that after January 1st I will do a strictly cash business. By eliminating the wastefulness connected with a credit system I shall be able to sell at a closer margin of profit. Hans Knudsen, the Jackson Harness Man.

PIGON CREEK

E. J. Way autoted to Sioux City Tuesday.

Mrs. Sorenson and daughter, Alice, were Sioux City visitors Saturday.

A number of young folks gathered at John Gotch's home Sunday evening.



Dakota City Grocery

Specials for Saturday Only

- 7 pkgs Hippo Wash Powder.....25c
- 3 Cans of Corn.....25c
- Ross's Shredded Wheat Biscuit.....10c
- 25c Can of Cocoa.....20c
- 2 Boxes Seedless Raisins.....25c
- 3 pkgs Ralston's Wheat Food.....25c

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We also have a full line of Christmas Candies and Nuts

Highest Price Paid for COUNTRY PRODUCE

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Dakota City, Nebraska

ing. The time was spent in games and card playing.

Lillian Nelson returned home from her school work in Sioux City for a two weeks' vacation for Christmas.

Maud Sorenson comes home Thursday for her Christmas vacation.

A Christmas tree and program will be held in the Friends church at Elk Valley Christmas eve. Every one is invited to attend.

Etta and Edwin Jacobson were in Sioux City a few days of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sierk were over Sunday visitors in the Martha Nelson home.

Chris Sorenson transacted business in Waterbury Monday.

Chas. Londergan and family were Sunday evening callers in the Len O'Connell home.

Robert Way, an Elk Valley pupil, received a gold medal for writing the best composition on "A Clean Tooth Never Decays."

SALEM

Mrs. Fred Rogosh was down from Ponca the first of the week, visiting her daughter, Mrs. Clay Armbright.

Ralph Twamley, of South Sioux City, visited over Sunday at the S. A. Bridenbaugh home.

Harry Brown was a visitor at Homer Sunday.

Word comes from Lincoln that Harold Gribble, who is suffering from an attack of pneumonia, is slowly recovering. His mother is still with him.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

of local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition hearing will be destroyed forever; nice cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surface.

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- Books
- Records, 8 1/2 x 11, ruled, printed heads, loose leaf, McMillen patent back.
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- Records, 8 1/2 x 11, ruled, loose leaf, McMillen patent back.
- Records, 8 1/2 x 11, plain, each.
- Records, 8 1/2 x 11, ruled, each.
- All books must be made of the best linen ledger paper, full Russia binding, to open flat, and to correspond with books now in use.

LETTER HEADS AND ENVELOPES

Letter heads, full sheet, printed, best quality paper, per D and per M.

Envelopes, printed, No. 10, Manilla, per M. Envelopes, printed, No. 11, Manilla, per M.

STATIONERY

Sanford's Carter's or Arnold's ink, per qt. Sanford's Carter's or Arnold's ink, per doz. Faber or Dixon's pencils, hexagon, per gross. A. H. Hardtmuth, Mephisto-copying pencils, No. 730 hard, per gross.

Blues or red checking pencils, per gross. Remond scratch pads, per doz. Typewriter paper, size 8 1/2 x 11, best quality, per ream.

BLANKS

Legal blanks, half sheet, per C, D and M. Legal blanks, quarter sheet, per C, D and M. Legal blanks, eighth sheet, per C, D and M.

Separate bids will also be received for publishing delinquent tax list, per description for land and for lots, and for commissioner's proceedings and such other notices as will be required by the board of commissioners.

For printing tax dockets, each opening. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Accepted bidder to give bond for faithful performance of contract. Dated at Dakota City, Neb., Nov. 30, 1915. George Wilkins, clerk

A Word About Telephone Manners

MOST people these days pay more attention to telephone manners than they used to, but—well, we won't say it.

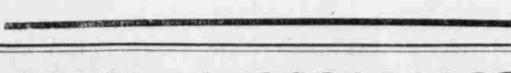
The telephone "Hello" is no longer in use among particular people. It is becoming obsolete because it is both meaningless and time-wasting. It's an ungraceful and rude little word and—there's a better way.

In the modern, up-to-date business establishment, the telephone is answered thus: "Jones & Company, Mr. Smith speaking."

This same man in his home will answer his telephone thus: "Mr. Smith speaking."

When his home telephone is answered by a servant, he has instructed her to say, "Mr. Smith's residence."

When one is through talking a cheery "Good-bye" ends the conversation pleasantly. It's one of those little things in life that are worth while.



Sturges Bros. Will Move

About January 1st we will move to larger quarters at 315 Pearl Street

where we will be glad to see all our old patrons, and we hope, many new ones. This move is necessary, as the building we now have is too small for our growing business.

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The next term of the Nebraska Military Academy begins January 4th, 1916. If you want your boy to get a start in education, phone or write for reservation at once. Only a limited number can be accommodated. For information address:

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