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NEWSY ITEMS FROM OUR EXCHANGES

Sioux City Journal, 6: Jesse Leamer has departed for his home in Clinton, Iowa, after visiting his brother, Jacob Leamer, and family.

Maskell items in Newcastle Times: Mr. and Mrs. Biermann of Dakota City, Neb., visited friends and attended the soldiers banquet here Sunday.

Hoskins items in Wayne Herald: Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Heikes of Dakota City, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Munsinger, of Wayne, called at the R. G. Rohrke home Sunday.

Plainview News: E. Rich, of Arbuckle, Cal., who visited at the F. L. Graves home here, left for Lake Preston, S. D., Friday for a visit with relatives and friends at that place.

Winside items in Wayne Herald: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kahler had as dinner guests Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. William Kahler and family of Emerson, and Mr. and Mrs. Chris Rushman of Nacona.

Emerson Enterprise: Pete Shearer, of Hubbard, has taken a position as operator at the depot here and has moved into the house in West Emerson, recently vacated by Mrs. Kate Kirwin.

Walhill Citizen: Mrs. Chris Wilson went to Homer Saturday evening to visit her sister. Miss Wilhelmina Early went to South Sioux City Saturday evening to visit her uncle John and family.

Newcastle Times: Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Bennett of near Daily, were in town this morning, (Thursday) bringing their daughter Dorothy, to take the train for Jackson, where she will attend the Academy.

Pierce Call: Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Sken visited here a short time last Thursday forenoon with Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Berg. Mr. and Mrs. Sken were residents of Pierce several years ago, Mr. Sken being engaged in the drug business. They are now residents of Cody, Neb., where Homer is engaged in the banking business. They were on their way to Sioux City.

Tekamah Herald: R. J. Taylor was in Homer a couple of days the latter part of the past week. While wheat ran about the same as in this section the prospects for corn are 100 per cent. We visited a friend of ours east of Homer about five miles and corn in that neighborhood looks like forty to seventy bushels per acre to us. Our friend has in 65 acres and corn growers insist will make an average of seventy bushels, and a frost right now would do it good.

Neigh News: William J. Shane vs. Minnie L. Lee et al, is the title of a partition action filed in the district court on September 2nd. W. J. Shane, a former druggist of this city, was here from South Sioux City Tuesday in company with Attorney S. T. Frum, settling up the estate of his mother. Henry Francisco, who brought mandamus proceedings in the district court to compel the village board of Royal to grant him a pool hall license, before Judge Allen at Norfolk, was denied the order.

Wakefield items in Wayne Herald: Mrs. Art Barto, Edward Spencer, Mrs.

Ben Chace and Miss Gladys Barto returned home Tuesday from a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cooley at University Place, Lincoln. Miss Esther Samuelson came home Friday for a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Samuelson. She has been taking nurse's training at a hospital in Colorado Springs, Col. A family dinner was given in her honor Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Samuelson and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Clark, of Wayne; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miller, of Dakota City; Emil Carlson and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Samuelson, Mr. and Mrs. Al Anderson of Wakefield were the guests.

Wayne Herald: Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Heikes of Dakota City, visited Saturday and Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Joe Munsinger. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heikes and children and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Noakes and daughter returned Saturday from a week's trip in the former's car to Mitchell, S. D. Mrs. Frank Davey, of Sioux City, visited her daughter, Mrs. F. S. Berry, returning Monday. Mrs. F. E. Sutton and children, of Akron, Col., visited at the F. S. Berry home from Thursday to Saturday. Wednesday, August 20, at one o'clock, Miss Helen Rockwell of Homer, and Cash Wadsworth of Wayne, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rockwell. A few immediate relatives and friends were present. A wedding dinner was served after the ceremony. The same day Mr. and Mrs. Wadsworth left for Douglas where the bridegroom has a position in a clothing store. He was lately employed in the clothing store of Fred Blair. The bride attended the State Normal and made many friends while in Wayne.

Allen News: Mrs. Charles Lovell spent Sunday and Monday with her mother, Mrs. Cole Koser, at South Sioux City. A car driven by a man from Jackson, Neb., ran into the Davis car driven by Glenn Allen Monday, inflicting slight damage to both cars. Neither car was being driven very fast. The Sedan Ford belonging to Owen Triggs, is laid up for repairs as a result of trying to run at top speed after dark without lights. The car tried to climb a bank west of the W. Clough farm and upset. Fortunately no one was seriously injured. Vern Garchime received some scratches that marred his complexion for a few days, but that was all. While cranking his Ford truck Sunday to haul some feed for his cattle, Will Twamley was seriously injured internally when the engine slipped into high gear and knocked him through the door to a double corn crib. Dr. Graham was called at once and Mr. Twamley was taken to the St. Joseph hospital in Sioux City. He is getting along quite well at present. The Homer Star, in its issue of last week, devoted considerable space to advertising the Allen ball team, although the editor of that paper did not think of it in that light. The Homer people cannot recover from the effects of the game between Allen and Homer three weeks ago. Instead of considering it in the light of a ball game and being good sports about it (as they were after the Fourth of July game) they take personal offense in the matter. They seem to dislike to give any other team credit for playing good ball.

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LEARN TO LAUGH

(Written for The Herald by Rev. C. R. Lowe.)

Here is to be a story that ought to be published in these columns till its appearance came to be ridiculous and till everybody would laugh a real hearty laugh at it, then it would accomplish its mission. It is an old saying that a laugh is the best sauce at the table. It shakes up the system till it works well, the moods of the mind react on the organs of the body. That is a true dictum. That is the basis of the saying, "Laugh and grow fat." If you laugh it is more likely that the bodily organs function properly, the digestive and assimilative organs doing a manifest work.

It is said, and I think it is true, that every mood of the mind has such an effect on the system that there is a peculiar chemical reaction by the moisture of the breath. Every one knows that a joyous mood induces a smile and an outburst of the body till a man feels like action. We know, also, that a sorrowful heart is depressive of the whole system. There is no action, the face is drawn, the tears flow, and everything seems out of joint. You have often noticed the similarity in noises, may be, in a laugh and a cry, and yet they are never mistaken for each other. At while there is an outward and manifest action of the moods there is also an inward action. The same may be said of anger, that is a poison. It is a common incident that nursing mothers cause the death of their babies because in a fit of anger or shortly thereafter they nurse the child. The cholera of their mood starts the poison through the veins and in an instant their whole system is aroused to an outburst of madness and the person flies into a fit of rage, and their actions are furious. The presence of whisky in the system causes well known actions of the body, and the presence of anger poison causes the well known actions and mind of rage. It is not the rage that causes the poison to flow. Indigestion turns loose a virus, if one can call it such, that brings on a grouch. And so examples might be multiplied. A happy, hopeful disposition is a better field for the response to the physician's remedies. I knew of a man who went to town feeling good, but a half dozen men had schemed together to tell him he looked pale and sickly, and when he had met the half dozen and their story he went home and called the physician to his bedside. His mind had poisoned his body.

But there are a lot of people who do not meet such conspiring friends, they simply complain and find fault with themselves and this is the matter and that sile them until they "autointoxicate" themselves with a poison that really induces the disease they think they have or at least prepare their systems for the coming of the malady. No one nor anything is to blame for it all but themselves; they are really sick; they need attention. Sugar pills and bitter water may be all the drugs they need, but that is enough to relieve their mind and they improve with time, and then comes the bill to make it a reality. This is telling no secret, for everyone knows it.

A large percentage of ills could be prevented and a lot of them could be cured if people would laugh. A certain evangelist, after a hard night's work, went to his place of entertainment and ate a hearty meal before he retired. A bad case of acute indigestion came on which kept him in bed for some days. The ministerial association sent condolences to him and prayers by a good old sanctimonious brother who was very serious, as serious as the acute indigestion. The good brother folded his hands and with a drawl began to give his message and console the sick man. The whole manner of the visitor appealed to the sick man as ridiculous and positively funny. He stood the

affair as long as possible and then began to laugh, and the longer he laughed, until he shook up his system so much and started a flow of joy essence that the disease was counteracted and he began to mend speedily.

Don't forever complain and foster your aches and pains, that sends them deeper, and makes them more permanent. Why take an ugly, sickening drug when a good one tastes better and makes you feel better? Learn to laugh, and then laugh. Don't be stingy about it, 'twont cost you anything; spread laughs around thick. Go to the mirror and see how different you will look as you put on a scowl and then a smile. Learn it. Wait till all the folks are away from home and then go up stairs or out behind the barn and put on a "horse laugh"; do that till it appeals to you as funny to yourself and then your "horse laugh" will turn to the real thing—you will laugh a real laugh. Suppose you went to a movie or a vaudeville that was advertised to be a roar from the start to the finish, and there you would find the actors as glum and morose as you are, you would find the players playing to an empty house before the show was over. You expect to laugh when you go to see Charlie Chaplin, and that is half the reason you laugh like you do. Learn to laugh while you visit, laugh while you work, laugh all the time. No, don't be silly or giggly, that isn't laughing. It will make a new person of you. You will actually feel better, your friends will like you better, your work will be easier, business will go easier and more successful. One man came on the Homer chautauqua where people were rather disgusted with the program, he knew the situation, but he had a broad smile, and he got away with his stunt happily and people liked him. I heard him say afterwards that smiles were catching, and the way to get the audience in a good humor was to be full of smiles yourself. That is true. You can laugh a man out of more bad notions than you can ever pound out of him, and a good laugh is worth as much in a debate or case at law as a good argument.

It is easy enough to be pleasant. When life flows on like a song, But the man worth while Is the man with a smile. When everything goes dead wrong, Just learn to laugh. "Laugh and the world laughs with you, weep and you weep alone."

Select Seed Potatoes in the Field This Fall.

The Department of Horticulture, Nebraska Agricultural College, recommends hill selection of seed potatoes in the early fall as the best method for growers in western Nebraska. Extensive experimental studies and practical applications show that this is the best means of controlling some diseases, of increasing the yield and improving the quality of the potatoes. The experiments carried on have shown that in some fields of potatoes there are hills producing less than at the rate of 40 bushels to the acre under dry land conditions while other hills produce at the rate of 300 bushels or more per acre. The following years the low yielding hills continued to be low yielding and the high yielding ones remained high yielding. Potatoes yield in proportion to the yield of the hill in which they were produced. All potatoes from the same hill are of equal value for seed purposes regardless of their size. High yielding hills of desirable qualities in other respects should be dug by hand before the main field digging. These potatoes should be saved for planting a seed plot the following year. It is not unreasonable to expect an increase in yield and quality of 25 per cent the first year if the selection is done carefully. More details of this method are given in Horticulture Circular 2, Nebraska Agricultural College, Lincoln.

—FOR SALE—
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FAIR TO BE PEACE JUBILEE

- Home Demonstration Notes
- Miss Florence Atwood
- Home Demonstration Agent

Certain species of ants are often found a nuisance to fall flowers. At present the most complaints seem to be with the asters.

A simple means of destroying such ants is to spray the plants with kerosene emulsion or with a very strong soap wash, prepared by dissolving any common laundry soap in water at the rate of from half a pound to a pound of soap to the gallon of water.

When the ants appear in colonies, an effective control method is to inject into the nest a quantity of disulphid of carbon. This can be conveniently applied with an oil can or small syringe. The amount of the chemical to be used will vary from half an ounce for a very tiny nest to 2 or 3 ounces, depending on the size of the nest. After injection of the disulphid of carbon the entrance opening should be closed by pressure of the foot to retain the disulphid which will then penetrate slowly throughout the underground channels of the nest and kill the insects. The efficiency of this remedy is increased by covering the nest immediately after the injection with a wet blanket to better retain fumes. Disulphid of carbon should be kept away from grape as the fumes are inflammable.

GRAPE CONSERVE.

Squeeze the pulp from the grapes and cook until the seeds loosen, then strain. Chop the skins and put into the juice. Measure this and add an equal amount of sugar. Cook until thick. Lastly add chopped walnuts.

The Herald—1 year, \$1.25.

Big Interstate Fair Will Observe Homecoming Week—Four States to Take Part.

With the world at last free from the throes of threatened chaos and turmoil; with the famous battles of Chateau Thierry, St. Mihiel and the Argonne now history; with the peace treaty signed and peace once more restored to a troubled world, nothing is more fitting than an observance of these memorable events.

Were it not for the Interstate Fair, which annually brings together the people of the four great states, such a celebration on such a wide scope would not be possible.

And in view of the fact that thus far only small celebrations of peace have been held, the Interstate Live Stock Fair at Sioux City on September 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20, will be converted into a Homecoming and Peace Jubilee this year.

Folks of the four great states—Iowa, Minnesota, South Dakota and Nebraska—are invited to attend this Homecoming and Peace Jubilee.

The boys of Iowa will again see their former comrades from the German state; the Cornhuskers their friends from South Dakota, and—well, it will be a real home-to-good; peace jubilee for all.

FOR SALE

My house—recently remodeled—and two lots. Fine shade and fruit trees.

CYRIL E. SIMPSON, Dakota City, Nebraska.

Experts or Theorists—Which?

The packing industry is intricate, complex—far more so than the railroads or the telegraph. Every day multiplying needs of society increase its problems and multiplying responsibilities demand more of it.

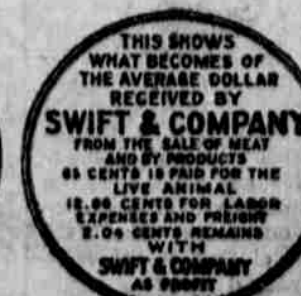
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