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Considerable Acid Soil in Nebraska

Tests made by the College of Agriculture show considerable acid soil in the eastern third of Nebraska. Acid areas have been found as far west as Dawson county and may extend even farther. In the past soil acidity has not been recognized as a very important problem in Nebraska. It seems, however, to need more attention. One instance was recently found in Richardson county where alfalfa seeded a year ago last fall had failed to grow, although a good stand was secured and the soil apparently was fertile. Tests run on this field showed it to be so acid that liming would be necessary in order to grow alfalfa successfully. In another instance sweet clover had been seeded three times without securing a stand. This field was found to be strongly acid. Of ten samples tested in one county in southeastern Nebraska, every one was acid. The college of agriculture has under way a thorough investigation of acid soils and will test free of charge any sample of soils that may be sent to it. Each sample should amount to at least a pint, and should be made up by mixing together portions taken from the cultivated layer from at least five places in the field.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

THURSDAY, MAY 6, 1923

Ray Sanderson and family have moved here from South Sioux City.

Sam Keir is expected home today, Thursday, from his trip to Kansas City.

Geo. M. Barnett moved Monday to the residence recently vacated by the Neptune family.

Arthur H. Anderson and Mrs. Mary Peterson, both of Sioux City, Ia., were married by Rev. C. R. Lowe last Saturday morning.

Charles R. McCudden of Leeds, Ia., and Dora Barrett of Sioux City, Ia., were married at the M. E. parsonage Saturday, May 1st, by Rev. S. A. Driese.

Mrs. Mary R. McDeath finished moving to her new home Monday, and Mr. Bardwell, who purchased her residence, moved here from Morning-side with his family Monday.

Jos. Hagan, of Sioux City, transacted business here Saturday. Mr. Hagan is building a large barn on his farm in Hubbard precinct this spring, where he still spends a portion of his time.

Richard Quintal and wife of Holyoke, Colo., spent last Wednesday night here in the home of Mr. Quintal's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Quintal. They had come to attend the funeral of Mrs. Will Blacketer, a sister-in-law. They returned to their home at Holyoke Thursday.

S. A. Heizes went to Champaign, Ill., last Thursday to spend a few days with his son, Sammie, who is attending the university there. They celebrated "Dad's Day" there Saturday, and the students entertained their fathers, putting on a program of sports and other entertaining features.

Bert E. Parker writes from Canistota, S. D., under date of May 3, that they are having very cold and wet weather there, with some seeding to be done yet. He sold his farm there last fall for \$250.00 an acre, and is now manager of the Farmers Co-operative Shipping association at Canistota.

The United States department of agriculture is issuing a weekly market report for producers, dealers and consumers who are interested in marketing information and statistics. Those who desire to be placed on the mailing list for this publication should notify the Bureau of Markets, U. S. Department of Agriculture, at Washington, D. C.

Prof. J. Irwin Long, of Wynot, Neb., has been elected superintendent of the Dakota City schools for the coming year. Besides Mr. Long the school board has contracted with Miss Helen Biermann for the primary grades; Miss Emma Kroger, of Lyons, Neb., for the 3rd and 4th grades, and Miss Hazel B. Elliott, of Tekamah, Neb., for the 7th and 8th grades.

Various suggestions for reducing the expense for meat in the home are made in United States Department of Agriculture farmers' bulletin 291, "Economic Use of Meat in the Home." Methods of utilizing the cheaper cuts in palatable dishes and many recipes are contained in this bulletin, which may be obtained free from the College of Agriculture at Lincoln.

The following couples were united in marriage by County Judge S. W. McKinley during the past week: Ben Haacker of South Sioux City, and Sarah M. Hife of Alhambra, Calif., on the 30th; Frank J. Vilim and Adda L. Tally, both of Sioux City, on the 1st; Gerald A. Dickens and Marie O'Mara, both of Sioux City, on the 1st; Dennis H. Rogers of Elk Point, S. D., and Minnie Backer of Sioux City, on the 3rd.

A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Willie Berger Sunday.

Kirk Ream, of Axtel, Kan., spent part of the past week here with relatives.

J. B. Walden visited in the home of his sister, Mrs. Mell A. Schmied, this week.

Jay Robinson of Sioux City, was looking after his property interests here Saturday.

Edward F. Wilson and Golda Dungan, both of South Sioux City, were married in Sioux City Monday.

S. A. Stinson leaves this Thursday evening for St. Paul, Minn., on goods buying trip for his store.

Miss Lois Deuel of Sioux City, a former teacher in our schools, visited friends here last Wednesday night.

Ed Frederick has resigned as signalman at the Burlington tower, and will go to work at the roundhouse.

D. C. Heffernan was down from Hubbard Sunday fixing up his political fences for the coming campaign.

The Homer and Dakota City high school ball teams played here Tuesday afternoon, the former winning by a 7 to 4 score.

A break in the pump at the city waterworks necessitated shutting off the water supply for a few days the first of the week.

The Dakota City and Emerson high school ball teams crossed bats here Wednesday afternoon. The score was 10 to 8 in favor of Dakota City.

Frank M. Sides left the hospital in Sioux City Saturday, where he had been for treatment for a couple of weeks, and spent Sunday with the home folks in this place.

Jacob Neiswanger, who recently went to Oskaloosa, Iowa, to visit his brother who was sick, is now on a visit with his sister, Mrs. Barbara Kurtz, at Greenfield, Adair county, Iowa. He reports his brother as being better.

Mr. A. T. Haase celebrated his 33th birthday on Wednesday, May 5th, with a family dinner party. Those present included Frank F. Haase and George H. Haase, wife and two daughters, Evelyn and Carol, from Emerson, and D. M. Neiswanger, wife and son Stott.

John Connors, a druggist of Emerson for the past thirty years, died at his home there Saturday after an illness of several months. He was 64 years of age. He was married in July, 1895 to Mary A. Ryan of Jackson, Neb., who with three children survive him. Funeral services were held Monday.

Word was received here by relatives last week of the sudden death of Mrs. Elizabeth Aughey, widow of the late Samuel Aughey, at her home in Palmer, Wash. Prof. and Mrs. Aughey were among the early settlers in Dakota county, and were the founders of the Lutheran church in this place. The body of Mrs. Aughey was taken to Mifflin, Pa., their former home, for burial.

Sudden Death of Mrs. J. W. Hazlegrove

Mrs. John W. Hazlegrove, a pioneer Dakota county resident, died at her home in South Sioux City Monday afternoon, of heart trouble.

Deceased was born in Holmes county, Ohio, in 1844, and came to Dakota county in 1860. On November 30, 1862, she was married to John W. Hazlegrove, and their residence was on a farm west of Dakota City for over thirty years.

About ten years ago they retired from farm life and located in South Sioux City.

Mrs. Hazlegrove is survived by her husband, one son, John L. Hazlegrove, of South Sioux City, and two daughters, Mrs. Chas. Westcott, of South Sioux City, and Mrs. Fred Cornell, of Newcastle, Neb.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon from the Presbyterian church in South Sioux City, conducted by Rev. J. L. Phillips. Burial was in Graceland Park cemetery, Sioux City.

The many friends of the family deeply sympathize with the bereaved ones in the loss of a loving wife and mother.

MATRIMONIAL VENTURES.

The following marriage licenses were issued by County Judge McKinley during the past week:

Name and Address.	Age.
Frank J. Vilim, Sioux City	21
Adda L. Tally, Sioux City	18
Dennie H. Rogers, Elk Point, S. D.	23
Minnie Backer, Sioux City	19
Gerald A. Dickens, Sioux City	21
Marie O'Mara, Sioux City	18
Arthur H. Anderson, Sioux City	21
Mary Peterson, Sioux City	18
Charles R. McCudden, Leeds, Ia.	21
Dora Barrett, Leeds, Ia.	19
Benjamin Haacker, South Sioux City, Neb.	25
Sarah M. Hife, Alhambra, Calif.	23

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the county convention of the democratic party will be held in the Court Room of the Court House at Dakota City, Nebraska, on May 11, 1923, at 1 o'clock p. m., and all delegates elected at the primary held on April 29, 1920, should attend. This convention will select delegates to the state convention and transact such other business as shall properly come before it. Also at this time it is requested that the members of the democratic county central committee meet at the court house at Dakota City, Neb.

Dated this 4th day of May, 1923.
Thomas Ashford,
Chairman Co. Central Committee.

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DAKOTA CITY SCHOOL NOTES

A. H. BRUNELLE, Principal

The "Tom Thumb Wedding" and "Fairies of Today" were very pleasingly presented last Wednesday by the pupils of the first and second grades. The first production was a clever parody on the "real thing." The high contracting parties, to be "joined in the bonds of matrimony" were Tom Thumb and Jennie Jones, played by Fred Foley and Frances Mahon. The ushers, attired in evening dress, gravely ushered in the guests. The ushers were Eldon Morris and Charles Mahon; other parts included three bridesmaids (Margaret Bargman, Ruth Graham and Louise Lowe), flower girls (Louise Peir and Grace Hannah), the maid of honor (Melina Circo), the father and mother (Paul Clinkenbeard and Dorothy Leamer) and the minister. The last part was played by Frank Forrest, who was drafted from another room to add dignity to the performance.

"Fairies of Today" represented the fairies first at school, then at their graduation when the commencement address and diplomas were given by Dr. Knowlton (Dorothy Leamer), and finally a scene showing the fairies at work. Here, in the depths of the forest, the fairies by their kind offices re-united a princess (Frances Mahon) and her lover prince (Fred Foley). The Teacher of the fairies was played by Florence Frederick; the parts of the fairies were taken by Louise Lowe, Margaret Giese, Ruth Graham, Helen Maney, Gretchen Forrest, Vivian Hannah, Margaret Bargman, Dorothy Ruston, Louise Peir and Helen Osteyer. These little girls made a winsome appearance in their dainty white costumes and with their graceful pantomime. Only one who has experienced it, can appreciate the effort necessary to put on this sort of a performance with such young pupils to work with. Miss Bierman here, as in her regular school work, showed herself a master hand in dealing with children of the primary grades.

Playing South Sioux City in an extra-schedule game last Wednesday, the Dakota City baseball team again triumphed over their rivals. While the first game played was a slugfest, this one was in marked contrast, being a tight pitchers' battle between Frederick of Dakota City and Thacker of South Sioux City. Dakota City's runs were well-scattered, coming in the first, seventh and ninth innings. South Sioux City was held scoreless until the ninth, when things started to happen. Metz, first up for South Sioux City, got a hit; Thacker then got his second hit for the game, advancing Metz; Miller sacrificed, scoring Thacker; Metz had already crossed the home plate, and things began to look bad when Clair and Krogh, next up, drew passes. Brown came up, managed to get to first, and thus filled the bases with only one out. Yoder knocked an easy fly to Frederick, who doubled to first and caught Brown napping, and saved the game. Frederick showed great form in all but the final inning, striking out twelve men to Thacker's eleven. Both pitchers fielded their positions well.

Score by innings: r. h. e.
So. Sioux City 0 0 0 0 0 2-2 5 2
Dakota City 1 1 0 0 0 1 1-3 3 1

Lutheran Church Notes

By Rev. C. R. Lowe.

There was a change in the regular program last Sunday which was very welcome. There was no rain and there was preaching service. We were sure if we kept up the watching there would be a day when we could get out. That is the way it is with the Christian life all the time. "Some days must be dark and dreary," but there will be sunshine. If there is a failure the first attempt or the hundredth, do not give up. The farmers are not completely despairing yet as to the crop, they are waiting as patiently as they can for their getting into the field, and when they can, believe me there will be no getting them out. What a wonderful thing it would be if a man run his religion that way. Trials and tribulations, yes, worry through them with faith in God, relying on his grace and strength, and when the storms are past, get down to the business of righteousness as though your life depended on it, and it does. Then there would be less stumbling in the way. It would make you strong and there would be more peace to you in the effort. All that would make you successful in the religious life.

It will be Children's Day the second Sunday in June, and that will be here before you know it. It will be well for us to look ahead for that time and get the program under headway, if we are to have any.

We have some new music for the choir, and when the roads get so we can spend the night out at that sort of work we will get at it.

It will not be but a short time till we will be after the catechism class, and it will be a good thing if the parents will look to this for their children, for if the parents are interested, it is very likely the young folks will be too.

The pastor spends Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at Tekamah at conference and a special meeting of Synod.

Foulbrood Fatal to Bees

American foulbrood is causing great loss to beekeepers. It is important that the beekeeper should know whether American foulbrood or European foulbrood is in his apiary, for the two do not respond to the same treatment, says the United States Department of Agriculture farmers' bulletin 1084, "Control of American Foulbrood." The bulletin goes into considerable detail regarding the disease and its treatment. A copy may be obtained free from the College of Agriculture at Lincoln.

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Specials for Saturday, May 8

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3 Pkgs. 3-Star Macaroni	25c
1 Pkg. Blue Bell Pancake Flour	25c
Overalls—a few pair	\$2.50
1 lb. 3-Star Coffee	45c
1 qt. Haner's Vinegar	29c
Men's ribbed Lisle Socks—a few pair at	25c
1 Pkg. Jiffy Jell	11c
2 Cans 3-Star Beans, with Tomato Sauce	32c
Rice—Fancy Blue Rose, 2 lbs for	35c
1 lb. English Walnuts	45c
6 Bars Swift's White Soap	32c
Canned Fish—all kinds	15c

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