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**NOTICE**

All property owners in Dakota City are requested to mow the weeds on their premises and clean out all alleys and vacant lots, or the same will be done and the cost taxed to the property. By order of the Village Board, WM. LAHRS, Street Commissioner.

**LOCAL NEWS ITEMS**

THURSDAY, JULY 14, 1921

District court was in session here Wednesday.

Harry H. Adair spent the week-end at Omaha and Lincoln.

A fine baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Powell last Thursday.

Miss Dorothy McBeath of South Sioux City, visited relatives here on Sunday.

There will be a regular meeting of the Masonic lodge Saturday evening of this week.

J. A. Schalinus left on an auto trip last week for Colorado, to look after his land interests.

A baby son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ira Howard Monday. The little one lived only a short time.

S. W. Foltz and family drove to Omaha Tuesday and will spend the week with relatives near there.

Billy Anderson has been laid up at his home at Crystal lake for the past two weeks with sciatic rheumatism.

Rev. S. A. Draize took his boy scouts to Stone Park, just north of Sioux City Monday, for a week's outing.

Mrs. Belle Barnett returned Saturday from Des Moines, Iowa, where she had been to attend the wedding of her niece.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Johnson of St. Paul, Minn., and Mrs. Ella Stewart, of Walthill, Neb., were week-end visitors at the Fred Phillips home.

Alfred Seynour got home Thursday of last week from a couple of months stay at Meckling, S. D., where he raised a crop of corn on his farm at that place.

Miss Geneva Rankin was called to South Dakota last week by the serious illness of her sister. She writes that her sister is recovering, and that she will return Sunday.

The ball team went to Ponca Sunday and lost to the team there by a score of 15 to 2. The boys say that Ponca has a real ball team, carrying seven players on the salary list.

C. P. Mathewson and Paul Langdenburg, of Walthill, Neb., came up last Thursday and won a tennis match from H. H. Adair and Elmer H. Biermann, by a narrow margin.

Arthur Harris, of Homer, drove to Crystal lake Sunday to spend the evening, and now he is minus his car—a Ford, which was stolen from the park, on the north side of the lake.

A three days' session of chautauqua will open in Dakota City Saturday, with the Radcliffe chautauqua people in charge of the program. It promises to be the best line of entertainment ever given in the county.

A. D. Joyce and family, of New Underwood, S. D., are visiting Mr. Joyce's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Joyce in the Salem neighborhood. The elder Mr. Joyce is confined to his home—suffering from the excessive heat.

County Judge S. W. McKinley officiated at the following weddings the past week: Fred A. King and Opal Myers, both of Onawa, Iowa, and Sidney W. Evans and Grace N. Powell, both of Emerson, Neb., on the 8th, and James T. McInerney and Sophia Lindenann, both of Sioux City, on the 11th.

Robert Hansen, the efficient and accommodating clerk at the S. A. Stinson store, has accepted a position as manager of the Farmers Union store at Homer, at a substantial increase in salary, and will take up his new duties about July 23rd. We regret to lose Robert and his estimable family from Dakota City.

A camping party of Dakota county people departed Saturday morning for McGregor, Minn., to spend a few months at the lakes in that locality. In the party were: Wm. P. Warner and family and W. S. Baughman and wife of Dakota City, and J. J. Eimers and family of South Sioux City. We can look for some "big fish stories" when Eimers returns. Maybe before.

The Ford coupe, which was condemned as a "hoor car" in the county court, on conviction of the driver, Glen Davis, a few weeks ago, and ordered sold by the sheriff, was bid in at the sale Monday by D. Van de Zedde for \$351. There were a number of spirited bidders on the scene, and the fellows who thought they were going to get the car for a song got left.

The executive committee of the Pioneers and Old Settlers' association has been called to meet at the court house this Thursday afternoon, July 14th, at 2 o'clock, for the purpose of appointing the necessary committees to arrange for this year's annual reunion, which will be held in Clinton Park, Dakota City, Neb., on Thursday, August 25th. Daniel Hartnett, of Hubbard, is the president, and Walter E. Miller, of Dakota City, secretary of the association.

John Hileman, Raymond Ream, J. P. Rockwell and Del Sanford drove to Decatur Sunday to see the country and to investigate the river protection work at that place. A portion of the work had been washed out by the June flood, but the cutting had been stopped by falling trees and anchoring them at the point where the river was cutting. The tourists crossed the river on the ferryboat at Decatur and returned by way of Onawa and Sioux City. They found the roads much better on the Iowa side.

Sidney T. Frum was in Omaha on legal business this week.

Harold Gribble returned the first of the week from an auto trip to Colorado.

Attorney Al Pizey of Sioux City, was looking after business matters here Monday.

Postmaster Mell A. Schmied and wife went to Council Bluffs by auto Wednesday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lahrs and son, George Lahrs, autoed to Emerson on Sunday and visited friends. They report the crops all in pretty fair shape and a good harvest seems certain.

Mrs. Sarah Hager, who had spent several months in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ed Rockwell, in Hubbard precinct, is making her home here now with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. A. Niemeier.

At a meeting of the chautauqua committee Tuesday evening it was decided to change the price of the season tickets from \$2.00 for adults and \$1.00 for children, to \$1.50 for adults and 75 cents for children. Single admission tickets will be 50c for adults and 25c for children.

D. M. Neiswanger leaves today, Thursday, in company with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. O'Connor of Homer, for their summer cottage at Frisco, Col. Mr. Neiswanger will spend a few weeks there enjoying the mountain air. E. J. Snyder of Sioux City, will assist Stott in the Pharmacy during Mr. Neiswanger's absence.

T. M. Layman, representing Woods Bros. Co., of Lincoln, has been here the past week assisting local parties in organizing for river protection work. The plan under way is to form a protection district under the provisions of the state drainage district law. Petitions have been circulated and freely signed, and these have been filed with the county clerk, asking the board of county commissioners, to grant the proposed district. The district as outlined, contains about 8,000 acres, and extends from the north line of the Wm. Sivill farm in Covington precinct to the south line of the Knudsen farm in Omadi precinct, and extends west as far as the Meridian line road.

**Chickens Need Balanced Rations**

Improper feeding of young chickens is injuring the reputation of Nebraska as a poultry state, according to poultry specialists of the State College of Agriculture. Young chickens marketed from farms are so unfinished that hotels must buy from packers, who finish out the chickens after buying them from the farmers. These unfinished young chickens are known as the airplane type—all wings and machinery. Buyers say the unwillingness of many people to feed grain and finish out their young chickens holds the price down. The theory that young chickens obtain enough grain foraging about the place is wrong, specialists declare. As a rule they do not get enough to keep them growing and properly finish them for the market. As a result they are marketed when little more than skin and bones.

**A Refrigerator Without Ice**

Homes without ice may obtain a high degree of satisfaction from an iceless refrigerator, according to a circular sent out by the Nebraska College of Agriculture. An iceless affair that will do surprisingly well in keeping food cool can be made by almost any boy in a half a day. It consists of a wooden frame covered with cotton flannel, burlap or heavy duck. Wicks made of the same material as the cover, and sewed on top of each side of the cover, extend into a bucket or pan of water on top of the refrigerator. The water seeps over the sides of the pan and down the sides of the cooler, and the evaporation from this moisture draws the heat from the inside and causes a lower temperature for the food. The circular gives full directions for making the iceless refrigerator, including a list of materials needed. The refrigerator is especially well adapted to western Nebraska conditions. Those interested should ask their county agricultural agent or home agent to write the College of Agriculture for house equipment circular No. 3, "Iceless Refrigerator." A number of iceless refrigerators sold by commercial concerns are said to be giving satisfaction.

**Thrashing Machines Need Watching**

An enormous waste of grain and great loss of time result every year through the inefficient work of thrashing machines that are not properly repaired and put in thorough working order before the beginning of the season, according to the United States Department of Agriculture which is distributing free through the State College of Agriculture two bulletins on the repair and operation of grain separators. Bulletin 1036, "Care and Repair of Farm Implements—Grain Separators," discusses in general the overhauling of separators and then takes up each part in detail. Bulletin 991, "The Efficient Operation of Thrashing Machines," deals in detail with the proper thrashing of grain. According to this publication, improper speed is often the cause of heavy grain losses. Care should be taken to see that the separator is operated at the proper speed and that the engine has enough reserve power to handle extra loads. When the speed varies too much, more or less loss of grain is unavoidable. Both bulletins may be obtained through county agricultural agents or from the College of Agriculture, Lincoln.

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**Official Proceedings of the Board of Commissioners**

Dakota City, Neb., June 27, 1921. The Board of Equalization of Dakota County, Nebraska, met pursuant to adjournment with the following present: George Barnett, County Assessor; Will H. Rockwell, J. J. Lapsley and Nels Andersen, commissioners; Geo. W. Leamer, county attorney; and Geo. J. Boucher, county clerk. The Missouri River Bridge Company having been notified that the Board contemplated raising the assessment of the Combination bridge, appeared by E. A. Burgess and F. L. Eaton, who asked that the Board further consider the matter and July 1st was fixed as day for further hearing and the said Company was so notified. This being date set for hearing in the matter of the Sioux City Bridge Co. assessment, the matter was postponed to June 29, 1921. Board adjourned to meet June 28, 1921. Geo. J. Boucher, County Clerk.

Dakota City, Neb., June 28, 1921. The Board of Equalization of Dakota County, Nebraska, met pursuant to adjournment with the following present: George Barnett, county assessor; Geo. W. Leamer, county attorney; Will H. Rockwell, J. J. Lapsley and Nels Andersen, commissioners, and Geo. J. Boucher, county clerk. The Board fixed the assessment of the personal property of the Consumers Ice Company at \$10,000.00. The Board continued the examination of the assessment of the various properties and made adjustment of the assessment of the Winterbotham, et al, land in Township 29, Range 8. Board adjourned to meet June 29, 1921. Geo. J. Boucher, County Clerk.

Dakota City, Neb., June 29, 1921. The Board of Equalization of Dakota County, Nebraska, met pursuant to adjournment with the following present: George Barnett, county assessor; Geo. W. Leamer, county attorney; Will H. Rockwell, J. J. Lapsley and Nels Andersen, commissioners, and Geo. J. Boucher, county clerk. This being the day set for the final hearing in the matter of the assessment of the Sioux City Bridge Company bridge, and the said company again failing to appear, though due notice was given, the following order was made and unanimously carried: "And now at this time, to-wit the 29th day of June, 1921, the matter of the assessment of the Sioux City Bridge Company bridge came on for final hearing on the protest of the Sioux City Bridge Company, the said matter having been postponed from June 27, 1921, the day set for hearing upon the said matter, the Board being fully advised in the matter and considering the valuation placed on this property in connection with that placed on all other property in Covington precinct, Finds, that the assessment returned by the precinct assessor for the Sioux City Bridge Company bridge and approach in Dakota County, Nebraska, to-wit, \$700,000.00, represents the true value of said bridge and approach in Dakota County, Nebraska, and the same is hereby declared to be the correct amount the said property be assessed in said county." Board adjourned to meet July 1, 1921. Geo. J. Boucher, County Clerk.

Dakota City, Neb., July 1, 1921. The Board of Equalization of Dakota County, Nebraska, met pursuant to adjournment with the following present: George Barnett, county assessor; Geo. W. Leamer, county attorney; Will H. Rockwell, J. J. Lapsley and Nels Andersen, commissioners, and Geo. J. Boucher, county clerk. This being the day set for the hearing in the matter of the assessment of the Missouri River Bridge Company bridge, the said Company asked for more time and July 5, 1921, was fixed as the date of said hearing, of which the said company had due notice. The Board adjourned to meet July 5, 1921. Geo. J. Boucher, County Clerk.

Dakota City, Neb., July 5, 1921. The Board of Equalization of Dakota County, Nebraska, met pursuant to adjournment with the following present: George Barnett, county assessor; Geo. W. Leamer, county attorney; Will H. Rockwell, J. J. Lapsley and Nels Andersen, commissioners, and Geo. J. Boucher, county clerk. The matter of the assessment of the Missouri River Bridge Company bridge, known as the Combination Bridge, came on for final disposition, the said Company being represented by E. A. Burgess and Wm. P. Warner. It was considered by the Board that in view of the greatly increased revenue of the said property, the assessment should be placed at \$300,000, whereupon the following order was made: "Moved by Andersen, seconded by Lapsley, that the valuation of the Missouri River Bridge Company bridge lying in Dakota County, Nebraska, for assessment purposes be raised from \$200,000 to \$300,000. Voting Aye—Andersen, Lapsley, Rockwell, Barnett, Boucher. Carried. 2/3 all of which the said Missouri River Bridge Company accepts and gives notice of appeal. The Board adjourned to meet July 25, 1921. G. O. J. BOUCHER, County Clerk.

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6 Cans Botted Tuna Fish	25c
1-lb. Can Roast Beef	20c
3 pounds of Lard	45c
15c Bottle of Blueing	10c
15c Bottle of Amonia	10c
3 packages of Toothpicks	10c
Maches, per Box	5c
5 yards 36-inch Percale, light and dark	\$1.00
3 yds 45c white Lingerie crepe	\$1.00
2 yards 27-inch high luster Poplin, white only	\$1.00
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Willie—Dat's like buying a cat in a bag. Wat's de present?  
Disliked Being in Society.  
"I've got to attend a dinner tonight," the oyster said.  
"It's the sweetest kind of a dinner but I'd sooner be in my bed."

The Worst Yet.  
"There! There! What has Ferdnand been doing now?"  
"Oh! mother, I'll never forgive him. Last night he put a mouse in his change pocket and I nearly died of fright when I touched it, and he never woke up to comfort me."

Easier.  
The Doctor—You sleep too much. You must get up three hours earlier in the morning.  
The Patient—Well, if it's all the same to you, Doc, I think I prefer to go to bed three hours later.

EN ROUTE.  
Puffed Passenger (waving wildly to conductor) — Say, usher, won't you 'plittely reque' that lady in front to take her hat off? Can't see a thing.

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