

# COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE

## QUAKER VALLEY

Harry Fuller returned to his Iowa home one day last week.

Patrick Spain, who bought the Shoffner place, is expected soon.

Lester Beck was able to come home last week.

Isaac Shoffner had his sale Wednesday, March 8th.

Roy Scott and Thomas Howe arrived last Friday at Reno with two immigrant cars.

Albert Robertson and family from Ackworth, Iowa, are visiting relatives and friends in this neighborhood.

Edwin Owen, Gus LeBeck, Cash Farley, Marshal Howser and Allen Jamison have been helping with the hauling of goods from Reno.

Dr. Haworth received a telegram of the serious illness of his father at Ackworth, Iowa. He started at once for that place Thursday morning.

Isaac Shoffner has sold out. He and his wife will visit their son in California, going via Washington, with the thought of locating at the later place if they like it. Robert and family will return to their home at Greensburg, Indiana.

March seems to be the same old fellow he always has been. Age doesn't seem to improve him any. Always blistering, blowing, storming, groaning, moaning and making people very uncomfortable in general. I wonder if there are any people like him.

## HOPE

Earnest Thompson was at Hope Monday evening.

Albert Dally is visiting with home folks.

Bert Horn froze his ears on the way to school Monday morning.

Miss Mollie Cogar is spending a few days with her parents.

Boston Meek spent Saturday on his homestead.

Harl Moury was at Hope post office Thursday.

J. F. McAllister has finished his contract on the high line ditch.

John Duerr is helping Arthur Hubble dig a well for A. Z. Nicola.

George Horn and son Everett were Minature visitors Tuesday.

Jim Pease and Albert Dally were at Hope post office Monday.

Theron Chapman and Roy Meek carried the mail from Malinda to Hope last Saturday.

Arthur Hubble and John Duerr spent a couple of days with home folks.

Mrs. W. R. Hubble and Mrs. John Duerr and baby were at Hope a few minutes Friday forenoon.

Mrs. Lydia Clure, who was taken suddenly ill, is able to be around again.

Mr. and Mrs. Crismond and family expect to leave in the near future for Missouri.

There was a light snow on Monday, but it was all gone by Tuesday.

Misses Nora and Mollie Cogar were Minature visitors last Wednesday.

Misses Blanche McAllister and Anna Cook visited at Hope a few minutes Wednesday evening.

The surprise party on Miss Ermina Knight was well attended and all report a good time.

Frank Johnson, who has been visiting his parents at Kirk, Nebraska, has returned to Hope again.

Miss Flo Wilcox finished her term of school last Monday. She has been teaching near Harrisburg, Nebraska.

The little baby of Mr. and Mrs. Wildman, who has been sick for some time past, is able to be up again.

There was no literary at Hope school last Saturday evening on account of bad weather. Literary will be held next Saturday at the school house.

## HASHMAN

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ross of Sioux county were visiting relatives and old neighbors last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Duskin's little babe has been very sick the past week. Dr. Slagle is attending it. We hope to hear it is better.

Mr. Hashman of Missouri is here visiting his aged mother and Cal Hashman, his brother; also his son, William Hashman.

Mr. Duskin is suffering from a

bruised knee and is confined to his bed. Doctors Slagle and Bellwood were called out to lance it.

Mr. Dunlap and his little daughter passed through here yesterday. He is agent for some very interesting books.

We are having some very pleasant weather. Enjoy it while we can, but what will the last of the month bring us?

## Hemingford Department

G. H. Clayton returned from the funeral of his father Tuesday.

Dr. McEuen was called out to Dan Watson's, their son being sick.

B. E. Johnson shipped a car load of hogs Monday.

Bert Langford came in from the ranch Monday.

O. Kidwell was a passenger to Alliance returning the same day on 44.

Mrs. Muirhead entertained the Ladies' Aid Wednesday afternoon, serving ice cream and cake.

A number of friends and relatives were entertained to a Sunday dinner at the home of Charley Hucke.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon returned home their trip to the coast and other points.

John Grommet and family are visiting out in Sioux county with Byron and Grove Fosket.

Dr. McEuen was called out to Joe Kennedy's Monday night. Mrs. Kennedy was taken very sick.

John Moravek and son Charles went to Alliance Monday, returning Tuesday.

C. J. Wildy shipped a car load of horses Monday, C. J. going with them.

A number of the Hemingford people attended the funeral of Judge Spacht in Alliance Saturday.

Ray Woods and wife returned from the ranch where they had been visiting Ray's parents.

Jason Sheldon went out to his home in Sioux county. He has been helping with the town well the past few weeks.

W. M. Fosket and wife are visiting Mr. Fosket's daughter and son-in-law, Frank Obis and wife in Chadron.

A number of the Hemingford boys went goose hunting Wednesday morning, but guess luck wasn't with them this time.

BORN—Monday night to Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Wildy, a nice baby girl. The smile Ed is wearing now is somewhat broad.

Mr. Chamberlain, the druggist, left on 43 Tuesday for Newcastle, Wyoming, where he expects to take a position there in the drug store.

## SOUTH OMAHA STOCK MARKETS

Special Report  
So. Omaha, Nebr., Mar. 7, 1911.

CATTLE—Receipts 10,500 for two days, market steady at last week's advance of 15 to 20 cents which found best beef selling at \$6.00 to \$6.40, as high as any time this year, yesterday's top being \$6.25. Pretty good grades \$5.60 to \$5.90 with medium still \$5.00 to \$5.50. Good demand for feeders with \$6.00 top price paid, bulk being 700 to 900 lb. steers costing \$5.40 to \$5.90. Cows and heifers advanced with steers, best \$4.85 to \$5.25 and up to \$5.60 if choice. Good butcher grades \$4.00 to \$4.85; common and medium \$3.00 to \$4.00. Veal calves strong, top unchanged at \$8.00, bulk \$6.00 to \$7.50. Bulls steady \$4.00 to \$5.25; good stock bulls up to \$5.50. Believe there is a liberal supply of heavy cattle yet to come and care must be exercised and not too many rushed in at the same time.

HOGS—14,600 for 2 days, market about 5 cents lower and closing weak, bulk today being \$6.80 to \$6.85, top \$7.00. The outlook is not good although present prices may hold with a light run but must necessarily work lower with heavy supplies which seem about due.

SHEEP—Receipts today 12,100, sheep steady but lambs are 10 to 15 cents off with top \$6.10 and bulk around \$5.75. Good demand for feeders with lambs bringing \$5.50 to \$5.75. Fat yearlings \$5.15; wethers \$4.60 and ewes \$4.35. The future will depend upon supplies which promise heavy and a "boorish" feeling prevails.

Yours truly,  
NATIONAL LIVE STOCK COM. CO.

## BRANDENBURG FOUND GUILTY

Magazine Writer Given Two Years in Sing Sing Prison.

New York, March 4.—After a jury in general sessions court had considered the evidence for fifteen minutes it brought in a verdict of guilty of forgery against Broughton Brandenburg, the magazine writer, and Judge Swann sentenced him to Sing Sing prison for a term of from two to four years and



BROUGHTON BRANDENBURG six months. The defendant almost collapsed when sentence was pronounced.

Brandenburg, who was charged with forging and cashing a check for \$5,000 last summer, has figured in court proceedings for the last two years, notably in connection with the sale under false pretense of an article purporting to have been written by the late Grover Cleveland.

## REV. AKED IS DISAPPOINTED

Leaves Fifth Avenue Church for San Francisco Pastorate.

New York, March 6.—Frankly stating the disappointment he had experienced in his ministry to the wealthy congregation of the Fifth Avenue Baptist church, Rev. Charles F. Aked formally announced from his pulpit that he had received an unanimous and enthusiastic call to the First Congregational church of San Francisco and said he had been unable to find any good reason why he should not accept.

He regretfully acknowledged his fears that the great enterprises which he had hoped to lead as pastor of one of the wealthiest churches in America, popularly known as the John D. Rockefeller church, were only "such stuff as dreams are made of."

Notwithstanding the \$10,000 salary offered him when he came here from Pembroke chapel, in Liverpool, England, four years ago, and the recent increase to \$12,000, or his ties of friendship in the metropolis, he did not see how he could contemplate a permanent ministry here under present conditions. He chafed under the failure of the church to provide a larger edifice and to undertake larger enterprises.

## RECORD OVERSEA FLIGHT

Lieutenant Bague Flies Over Mediterranean for 124 Miles.

Nice, France, March 7.—Lieutenant Bague accomplished a sensational and daring feat by flying over the Mediterranean from Antibes to the island of Gorgona, off the Italian coast. He covered more than 124 miles, establishing a new record for over sea flight. This he did without the assistance of tugs, torpedo boats or any other craft to guide him or add to his confidence.

## Bigelow is Out on Parole.

Leavenworth, March 6.—Frank G. Bigelow, formerly a Milwaukee banker, left the federal prison here for his home, having been paroled.

## THE MARKETS

Chicago, March 6.—Closing prices:

Wheat—May, 91¢@91½¢; July, 89½¢.

Corn—May, 48½¢; July, 47½¢@50¢.

Oats—May, 30½¢; July, 30½¢@30¾¢.

Pork—May, 17.52½¢; July, 17.67½¢.

Lard—May, 9.22½¢; July, 9.15¢.

Ribs—May, 9.50¢; July, 9.12½¢.

Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, 90½¢@92¢; No. 2 corn, 46½¢@47¢; No. 2 oats, 29½¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, March 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 22,000; steady to strong; beefs, \$5.35@7.00; western steers, \$4.75@5.85; stockers and feeders, \$4.00@5.90; cows and heifers, \$2.70@6.00; calves, \$7.00@9.00. Hogs—Receipts, 36,000; 5c higher; light, \$6.75@7.30; mixed, \$6.90@7.25; heavy, \$6.75@7.20; rough, \$6.75@6.90; pigs, \$6.00@7.15; bulk, \$7.00@7.20. Sheep—Receipts, 16,000; 10c higher; natives, \$3.10@4.85; west-erns, \$3.25@4.85; yearlings, \$4.75@5.75; lambs, \$5.00@6.30.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, March 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,200; steady; beef steers, \$4.90@6.25; cows and heifers, \$3.90@5.40; stockers and feeders, \$4.50@5.90; bulls, \$4.00@5.25; calves, \$4.40@8.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,500; 5c higher; long strings range from \$5.80 to \$6.90; choice lights reached \$7.00. Sheep—Receipts, 6,000; 15¢@20¢ higher; wethers, \$3.65@4.40; lambs, \$5.25@6.20.

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## W. C. T. U. Department

Mrs. J. J. Vance, Press Supt.

We often hear the cry, "Hard times," but times are never so hard but what the saloon can make them worse.

Chief Justice Clark, of the Supreme bench of North Carolina, gives it as his opinion that the prohibitory law in that state has reduced general crime fifty per cent. The returns for the last two years prove his statement. Murder in the first degree showed a decline of thirty-two per cent, larceny forty per cent, manslaughter thirty-five per cent, murder in the second degree twenty-one per cent, minor crimes from twenty-five to fifty per cent.

There has also been a falling off of fifteen per cent of violations of the anti-liquor laws. Judge Clark has prepared a five years' comparison which shows that some crimes have decreased more than sixty per cent since the saloons of the state were closed.

## Has It Ever Occured to You

That no man ever lived who could truthfully say the saloon helped him to be a better citizen?

That the saloon is the one great school for lawlessness and vice?

That the saloon is where crime is planned and criminals are harbored?

That the saloon is a place where no self-respecting man would want his wife or mother to find him?

That the saloon is the one institution for which no person has a kind word?

That the saloon takes a man's money and gives him worse than nothing in return?

That the saloon unfits men to be good citizens, and kind husbands and fathers?

That the saloon causes more misery, despair and humiliation than any other institution?

That the saloon is the only business taxed to provide against the evils arising therefrom?

That the saloon is an enemy to the government, and plots for the overthrow of law and order?

—American Issue.

## Thoughtful Sayings

"He who drinks is deliberately disqualifying himself for advancement. Personally, I refuse to take such a risk. I do not drink."—William H. Taft.

"In seventy-five per cent of all the cases of child desertion passing through the executive office of the state of Indiana in the four years ending January 11, 1909, parental affection was alienated and the desertion caused through the evil influence and effects of the American saloon."—J. Frank Hanly.

"It is not true that a saloon helps a town. A few business men may think that the saloons will bring them business enough to justify them in being indifferent to the injury done to the town. If they thought the saloon a real benefit they would be in favor of giving the saloon a subsidy instead of putting a tax on it."—William Jennings Bryan.

"Of thirty-seven societies of au-

archists in Chicago, every one of them has its headquarters in a saloon."—G. H. Worthen.

"Tell the young men that General Grant does not drink a drop of liquor—has not for eighteen years—because he is afraid to drink it."—Gen. Frederick D. Grant.

"Does it pay to build a palace for the brewer, hire servants and buy silks for his wife, and dress your own wife in rags, make her take in washing to support the family, and finally send her to the poor-house and bury her in the potters field?"—C. L. Scanlon.

We glean the following from the Nebraska News:

"You have not decided that the saloon is really a bad institution in the community. You are not interested in having it abolished. You hold aloof from the men and women who are working to eradicate it. You say it is a fairly respectable place and you see no reason why you should use your influence against it. You think those who oppose the saloon are extremists and that it is better to let alone rather than stir up a commotion in the neighborhood. You are indifferent as to whether it remains or goes, but you do not want to meddle in the affair. What do you really think of the saloon? When the question is pressed home to you can you be indifferent? As a good citizen can you remain inactive? How do you actually consider the saloon, even if it be what you term a 'respectable' place? Answer these questions honestly and see if your conscience will permit you to remain inactive."

Would you want to die in the saloon?

Would you want to see your mother in the saloon?

Would you want to meet your wife in the saloon?

Would you admit the saloon-keeper into your home as your social equal?

Would you advise your son to spend his leisure time in the saloon?

Would you want a saloon operated next door to your home?

Would you point to the saloon as one of the good institutions of your town?

Would you be shocked to see your minister enter the saloon?

Would you make comparisons of those who hang out at the saloon?

Would you place the saloon on the same equality with the grocery, the dry goods store and the meat market?

Would you consider it an honor to be known as a saloon patron?

Would it add to your standing in your town to be known as a saloon sympathizer?

If you answer these questions in the affirmative, there is no good reason why you do not oppose the saloon. If you answer them in the negative, then as a good citizen you should join the forces moving forward to the abolition of the saloon."

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