

PERU NORMAL NOTES

Miss Iva M. Dunn, head of the department of expression, spent Thanksgiving day at her home in Syracuse.

During the chapel period Wednesday morning, Harold Chaffaine of the Junior class, gave a very pleasing solo.

Coach Kline of Wesleyan has picked two all-state football teams, on which two Peru men have won places—Jones, of Peru, on the first team; and Houston, of Geneva, on the second.

School was continued Friday the same as usual, and thus it was not possible for many students to leave town Thanksgiving day. The principal entertainment of the day was a football game between the Juniors and the Seniors. The teams proved to be very well matched and enthusiasm ran high. The resulting score was 10 to 2 in favor of the Seniors. An admission fee was charged, and the proceeds will be used in purchasing letter sweaters for the men of the first team.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Laffer and Miss Winifred Perkins, who are attending the state university, spent Thanksgiving recess with friends in Peru.

Miss Margaret Dick, of Kearney, spent the week end with her sister, Miss Mary Dick, who is head of the department of domestic science.

The various science departments of the school have organized themselves into a general science association. This association will look after matters of common interest to the science department, urge and support improvements along scientific lines, and bring speakers of note from over the state to Peru to speak before the association and all those interested in such fields.

Several girls' meetings have been held this fall, under the leadership of Miss Ellis, dean of women. At these meetings have been discussed plans for the highest possible individual development of a student girl's life—intellectual, social and moral. One feature of the plan is for a series of practical talks to be given once a month. The themes and speakers are to be chosen by the girls.

Miss Dick and Miss Knight, of the department of Home Economics, were in Kansas City for the first of the week where they attended a meeting of all the Home Economics teachers in a group of states in the Mississippi valley. This meeting was called by Miss Lyford, national specialist in rural education, of the Department of Home Economics of Washington, D. C. The purpose of the meeting is for extending and standardizing the work in Home Economics as taught in the rural schools.

The boys of the tenth grade manual training class have just completed a garage which they have been building for Mr. Overholt. On Thursday afternoon they were given a lunch prepared by the domestic science girls of the same class. The critic teachers of the high school and of the domestic science and manual training departments were guests of honor.

A beautiful collection of books suitable for Christmas gifts for children was on exhibition in the children's room at the library all last week. Many were glad of this opportunity to examine the books and ascertain prices and publishers.

Nine boys from the high school and three from the normal attended the

older boys' conference at Lincoln last week. They were accompanied by Rev. Laurence Dry. Mr. Dry returned Saturday at which time Prof. Hendricks went to Lincoln and accompanied the boys home Monday.

The annual Y. M. C. A. banquet, which was held Monday evening, November 29, has been pronounced one of the most pleasant events of the year. More than a hundred tickets were sold, and the men had the pleasure of enjoying not only a splendid supper but a group of fine speeches. A. Ray Scott presided as toastmaster and the toasts, which were suggested by the new training school building which is being erected, were as follows: Plans, John Sahlstrom; The Architect, L. F. Chard; The Foundation, Roy Hagerty; The Superstructure, Dean E. L. Rouse; The Workmen, E. J. Simonds, field secretary; The Final Product, S. E. Cresap.

Wednesday morning during the chapel period Dr. N. B. Alexander, professor of philosophy at the University of Nebraska, spoke on "Pageants and Pageantry". He pointed to the natural facilities for this line of work to be found in this community, and said that by putting forth an effort Peru could become famous for its pageants.

The annual art exhibit under the auspices of the Fortnightly Art Club was held last week. The exhibit comprised about 150 fine color reproductions of masterpieces, a large number of etchings, and some specimens of the famous Rookwood pottery. Dr. N. B. Alexander gave a lecture on "Aesthetic Meanings". Members of the faculty gave interesting lectures and informal talks which added to the interest of the exhibit.

On December 3, 4, and 5, the annual state conference of Student Volunteers was held in Fremont. About 100 delegates from over the state met together and had a very profitable and interesting session. The delegates from Peru were Evalyn Gardner, Anie de Groat, Henrietta Myers, Marguarite Moulton, and Nora King.

HEMINGFORD

Mrs. Spracklen was an Alliance visitor Monday.

Ivan Curry made a trip to Alliance the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenner have moved into the Green cottage.

One of the Whitaker boys of Canton was a town caller Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. U. Shepherd spent Sunday afternoon at the farm.

Clarence Rosenberger and bride were arrivals the last part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mundt are the proud parents of a son born last week.

Our county superintendent, Miss Russell, was visiting the local schools Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Shane have moved into the rooms over the Frohnapp store.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sampsy of Curly spent Wednesday and Thursday in Hemingford.

Miss Ella Brown came in Monday from Chadron for a visit with relatives and friends.

Alex Olds is wiring the second floor of the State Bank building this week and expects to turn on the lights by the last of the week.

Mrs. Lorenson returned Monday from her trip to Ainsworth and Johnston. She also spent a few days with relatives at Chadron.

ASHBY NEWS

Herb O'Neal of Hyannis was a visitor in town today.

Dr. V. A. Thomas was a passenger to Omaha Saturday.

Miss Atilla A. Lisz was a passenger to Hyannis Monday.

Mrs. J. E. Renfro went to Hyannis Tuesday on 44 for a few days.

Lee Clinch of Rapid City made a short business trip here Saturday.

Miss Lola Keller of Hyannis spent a few hours in town visiting with her friends.

Miss Anna Albright left Saturday for Whitman, where she will stay the rest of the winter.

Mr. Boots came up from Broken Bow Tuesday to make his son Thomas and family a few days visit.

C. B. Ward left Tuesday for Palisade, Nebr., where he will spend his five months visiting with his home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Cooley came in Tuesday and went out north to Thomas Stanable's ranch, where Mr. Cooley will work.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Crumroy came in Tuesday after spending a few weeks in Hastings with Mrs. Crumroy, who is quite sick.

Dr. F. A. Adam came in Tuesday from Adam, Nebr., and went out south to visit with his wife, who has a homestead on the reserve.

A. D. Thayer who has been on a homestead near Martindale for the past few years left Saturday for Missouri where he will make his future home.



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Cattle Selling Lower on Heavy Receipts.

HOG TRADE 20 TO 25C LOWER

Fat Lambs Steady to a Dime Higher. Choice Fed Westerns \$8.75—Fat Ewes Fully Steady—Feeders Very Scarce.

Union Stock Yards, South Omaha, Neb., Dec. 7.—A good liberal run of cattle arrived yesterday, about 9,800 head. On account of the heavy receipts here and at other points the fat cattle market was very slow and prices were mostly 10¢ to 15¢ lower than the close of last week. Desirable western beef were in fair request and not so much lower than last week but the lack of feeder competition made it a slow market for the "near beef" and bids and sales were considerably lower than last week. Cows and heifers were in liberal supply and 10¢ to 15¢ lower than the close of last week. Stockers and feeders were very slow at the lowest prices of the season.

Cattle quotations: Good to choice heaves, \$7.75@8.50; fair to good, \$7.00@7.50; common to fair heaves, \$6.00@6.75; good to choice yearlings, \$8.00@8.50; fair to good yearlings, \$7.00@7.75; common to fair yearlings, \$6.00@7.00; good to choice grass heifers, \$5.50@6.50; good to choice grass cows, \$5.25@6.25; fair to good cows, \$4.65@5.15; canners and cutters, \$3.50@4.50; veal calves, \$6.50@9.50; bulls, stags, etc., \$4.00@6.50; good to choice feeders, \$6.75@7.25; fair to good feeders, \$6.15@6.65; common to fair feeders, \$5.25@6.10; good to choice stockers, \$6.75@7.25; fair to good stockers, \$6.00@6.50; common to fair stockers, \$5.00@6.00; stock heifers, \$5.25@6.00; stock cows, \$4.50@5.25; stock calves, \$6.00@7.25; prime grass heaves, \$7.50@8.00; good to choice grass steers, \$6.80@7.40; fair to good grass steers, \$6.25@6.75; common to fair steers, \$5.25@6.25.

Hog receipts were very liberal yesterday, about 10,000 head showing up. Estimate receipts of 8,000 at Chicago and pretty decent runs everywhere else precipitated a sharp decline all around the loop. Prices here were mostly 20¢ to 25¢ lower. Bulk sold at \$6.15@6.30, and tops reached \$6.40.

Sheep and lamb receipts totaled 13,000 head. Demand for fat lambs was good and prices were steady to a dime higher than the close of last week. Bulk of the offerings brought \$8.50@8.65, and tops reached \$9.75. Muttons were in good demand at steady to strong figures. Bulk of the good choice ewes is selling at \$7.75@6.00. Feeding lambs were scarce and there were not enough here to make a market.

Quotations on sheep and lambs: Lambs, good to choice \$8.00@8.75; lambs, fair to good \$8.35@8.60; lambs, feeders \$7.00@8.40; yearlings, fair to choice \$6.90@7.00; yearlings, feeders, \$5.75@6.57; wethers, fair to choice \$5.50@6.25; ewes, good to choice \$5.75@6.00; ewes, fair to good, \$5.00@5.75; ewes, feeders \$4.00@5.25.

SANDHILL BREEZES

Ben Hinman is on the sick list at present.

Wallace Patton is on the sick list at present.

Ralph Wade called at the W. H. Patton home Sunday.

Oran McNurlin spent Sunday evening at the Moffitt home.

Wm. Hill left Sunday for an extended trip in the South.

Oran McNurlin called at W. H. Patton's Sunday, December 6.

Ralph Wade spent Saturday evening at the Frank Moffitt home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Stille returned from a business trip to Alliance.

Clark Caid is spending a few weeks with friends and relatives in Iowa.

Sam Hickman and hired man called at the W. H. Patton home Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Patton called at the Edith Moffitt home last Tuesday evening.

Oran McNurlin called at the J. B. Wade home Friday evening.

Miss LaVerta Patton called at the Edith Moffitt home Saturday evening.

There will be an entertainment at Christmas tree at the Hickory school house.

W. H. Patton and family called at the J. B. Wade home Friday evening, December 6.

Mr. and Mrs. McNurlin are going to move back onto their Kinkaid in the near future.

Robert Graham's hired man, Wm. Archer, motored down to his Kinkaid to look after his cows.

Messrs. Ivor Meeker, Tom Moffitt, C. McGinley and H. Stille motored to Alliance Friday afternoon.

Frank Carson returned Saturday from San Francisco where he has been attending the exposition.

Clarence McGinley foreman of the Wm. Hill ranch spent Friday and Saturday in Alliance. Alone D. Hill acted as foreman during Mr. McGinley's absence.



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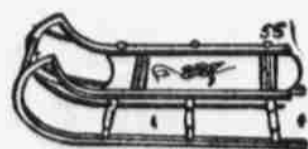


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