

HEMINGFORD

Mrs. C. M. Erskine, who has been sick for some time, was taken to Alliance to the hospital on Tuesday of this week for a thorough examination and for treatment in the hospital there. She stood the trip well and felt a little better on arriving than when she left. George Jenkins took her down in his sedan. She is reported as going as well as could be expected.

The ladies of the Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. William Cory, and all enjoyed a good afternoon and each one brought an article of food for the lunch and it is reported they had plenty of good things to eat.

Harry Wildy, who bought the property joining the S. A. Grimes property, is having the old house moved to another location and expects to begin the building of a new dwelling for himself and family at once.

The Congregational people have the church located finally on the new foundation and the work of finishing it up is progressing nicely.

The Rev. J. R. Staton of the Seventh Day Adventist church of Crawford was in Hemingford on Wednesday to have charge of the funeral of Mrs. Mary Ellen Smith, who died Monday and was buried here on Wednesday.

Mrs. E. C. Kendrick left last Friday for Grading, Mich., where she was called to care for some of her relatives. She did not know how long she would be gone.

Miss Star, one of the high school teachers, was on the porch of the school building Wednesday some time after school and became dizzy and fell on the railing and injured her head quite badly. She was not able to be in school on Thursday.

Mrs. Earl Rockey, who has been em-

ployed in the Lockwood store for several months, resigned her position on Wednesday of this week.

Messrs. Alex Olds and Russel Miller have installed a radiophone over the boiler garage. It is about ready to get the news and hear the music.

The temporary organization of the Hemingford Booster club met again on Tuesday of this week and proceeded to reorganize. There were about fifty present and all voted to continue the organization, and steps will be taken to adopt a constitution and by-laws for the permanent club. The name selected for the permanent organization was the "Hemingford chamber of commerce" and something like twenty-five men joined and paid up the yearly dues of \$2.00 each. Another meeting was called for Tuesday evening at the Legion room, at which time it is expected the organization will be completed.

Mrs. Frank Black has been assisting in the Lockwood store a part of the time this week since Mrs. Rockey resigned.

Walter Jones, who is employed by the Burlington at Alliance, was visiting at his parents' home in Hemingford on Wednesday evening of this week.

The junior class of Hemingford high school is practicing every evening this week under the direction of W. J. Clark and they expect to have the play in fine shape by Friday night when they will present "Deacon Dubbs" at the opera house. Messrs. Walker, May, Olds and Mattison will furnish some special quartet music for the occasion.

Word from the general secretary, Dr. Brooks, of the Scottsbluff Methodist hospital, states that they have purchased the unfinished North hotel building which brings into their pos-

session a property representing an investment of over \$100,000. This will make it possible to complete the hospital at least eighteen months sooner with double the bed capacity of the original plan.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Marvel, on April 18, a fine boy, weighing eight pounds. The mother and baby are doing nicely.

Mrs. Erskine, who was taken to Alliance hospital the first of the week did not seem to improve and it was necessary to take her to the sanitarium at Lincoln. She left Alliance Thursday night.

Mary Ellen Smith

The funeral services of Mrs. Mary Ellen Smith were held from the Methodist church on Wednesday afternoon, April 19, with Rev. J. R. Staton of Crawford in charge, assisted by Rev. A. J. May.

Mrs. Smith had been sick for about a year, but was not considered as serious until she was taken very bad a few days ago, and died on Monday, April 17, 1922, at the age of seventy-one years.

At the age of ten years she united with the Seventh Day Adventist church and has been a faithful member since that time, and died triumphant in the faith of Christ and the church.

In 1881 she was married to J. A. Smith and to the union were born two children both of whom died in the early years of life.

The deceased leaves a husband, a grandson, Allen Johnson, and five brothers: Prof. A. L. Caviness of Peru, Neb.; George W., a missionary in Mexico; William, near Boulder, Colo., R. M.; and Richard. Only one of the brothers was present at the funeral services.

Mrs. Smith with her husband has lived in this community for thirty-six years and is well known, loved and respected by everybody.

During her last illness she spent much time in prayer and devotion, all of which is indicative of the fact that she was living in readiness for the crossing and at the close her last words were: "Father help me." With this she quietly and peacefully slipped out of this life into the more glorious beyond.

OMAHA GRAIN MARKET

OMAHA, Neb., April 20.—WHEAT—No. 3 dark hard winter, \$1.41; No. 2 hard winter, \$1.31@1.32; No. 3 hard winter, \$1.30@1.31; No. 2 yellow hard, \$1.32; No. 3 yellow hard, \$1.30@1.31; No. 3 mixed, \$1.20.

CORN—No. 2 white, 53@53½c; No. 3 white, 52½c; No. 1 yellow, 55c; No. 2 yellow, 53@53½c; No. 3 yellow, 53@52½c; No. 2 mixed, 51c; No. 3 mixed, 50c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 34½c; No. 4 white, 34@34½c; Sample white, 33½@34c.

LET IN THE LIGHT!

(Omaha World-Herald.)

At last Nebraska has found use for a state sheriff.

It is to save a small portion of the records of the state engineering department from the scrutiny of so competent an authority as O. V. P. Stout, former dean of the engineering college of the University of Nebraska.

Apparently the department is within its rights. The records, it is said, were abstracted from the files by a discharged employe and turned over to State Auditor Marsh and State Senator Epperson, who in turn entrusted them to the keeping of the expert.

If this is what happened the proceedings were irregular.

But what has transpired since will not dull the appetite of the public for a searching investigation of the whole record, made in due and proper form and under the authority and protection of the courts.

If there is anything in the public records of the state of Nebraska that any official is concerned in covering up, then there is something that the taxpayers public is equally concerned in having uncovered.

Let the investigation proceed, honestly and fearlessly.

Fish are coming out of a California oil well, according to dispatches. Lots of poor fish wish they could get cut of wild-cat oil wells as well off as they went in.—Houston Chronicle.

The war was the biggest crime wave in the world's history, and the crime waves which are troubling the world to-day are merely the following ripples.—Houston Chronicle.

THE LIVESTOCK MARKET

OMAHA, Neb., April 20.—CATTLE—Receipts, 5,200 head. Good to choice beefs, \$7.85@8.40; fair to good beefs, \$7.15@7.75; common to fair beefs, \$6.60@7.15; good to choice yearlings, \$7.75@8.60; fair to good yearlings, \$6.50@7.25; good to choice heifers, \$7.25@7.75; fair to good heifers, \$6.00@7.25; choice to prime cows, \$6.10@6.75; good to choice cows, \$5.50@6.00.

THE POTATO MARKET

OMAHA, Neb., April 20.—POTATOES—No. 1 Nebraska Early Ohio, per cwt., \$1.50@1.75.

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