

Local News

See M T Hill for fire insurance.

Try Honest Abe flour at Snelling's.

We had another heavy rain Tuesday afternoon.

Highest prices paid for produce at Snelling's.

The rural carriers will not go over their routes Monday, July 4.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rainey returned to Auburn Monday evening.

Peru is making preparations for a big celebration on the Fourth.

A fine line of silverware suitable for wedding presents at Keeling's.

Miss Alta Renfrow went to Brownville Tuesday to visit a few days.

One nearly new Deere riding lister for sale. Enquire of E. L. Paris.

Miss Dora Banks went to Humboldt Monday to visit her sister, Mrs. G. F. Larimore.

The business houses were all closed Monday afternoon, during the funeral of J. B. Hoover.

Mrs. John P. Flack went to Auburn Tuesday, taking her grandson, Clay Flack, back home.

And now Ed E. Moore is rejoicing over the birth of a son Monday afternoon, June 27, 1904.

R. T. Rainey came down from Brownville Monday to attend the funeral of J. B. Hoover.

Great preparations are being made for the German-American picnic to be held at Auburn August 2.

Mrs. A. L. Walsh, who has been at Lincoln for some time, returned to Nemaha Friday afternoon.

Weldon Shiveley, who has been visiting in Nemaha and vicinity, returned to DeWitt, Nebraska, Tuesday.

Quick sales and small profits is my motto.

WM. SNELLING.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lawhon are rejoicing over the arrival of a ten-pound son, born last Friday, June 24, 1904.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Woodward came up from St. Joe last Friday and are visiting F. L. Woodward and family for a few days.

Mrs. J. B. Hoover asks us to extend thanks to the friends who were so kind during the sickness and at the death and burial of J. B. Hoover.

Mrs. Wm. H. Hoover went to Brownville Tuesday afternoon to attend a surprise party given Mrs. Nan. She returned home Thursday.

The cemetery is now in fine shape. W. W. Liebhart, the sexton, has gone over the most of it with a lawn mower. It is in a condition now that we can all be proud of it.

The log cabin erected in the park by the old settlers' association several years ago was sold at public auction last Saturday. Peter Kerker bought it, paying \$10 for it.

John Cranmer is in receipt of a letter from E. E. Good who is with Judge Church in Oklahoma. The Judge has entirely lost his speech and his mind seems almost gone.—Granger.

D. D. Houtz, of Verdon, and Nelson Decker of Indiana, a nephew of Mr. Houtz, visited O. E. Houtz Sunday, returning to Verdon Monday. Mr. Houtz is father of O. E. Houtz.

The members of the Woodmen of the World lodges in this part of the state are talking of holding a picnic this month, and our Woodmen are trying to get it for Nemaha and will probably succeed.

I have 100 acres of good pasture and will take cattle or horses at \$1 per month. F. L. COLLIN. 3 miles south of Nemaha.

The Nemaha kid base ball team went over to Stella Tuesday and played with the team at that village. The game was a good one, the Nemaha boys winning, the score standing 8 to 9 in favor of Nemaha.

Mrs. J. G. Sanders, of Aberdeen, South Dakota, was the guest of Mrs. J. M. Sanders and family from Saturday until Tuesday. She is stopping with her parents in Brownville, but expects to return to Aberdeen next week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hacker came in from Red Cloud, Nebraska, Monday to attend the funeral of J. B. Hoover. Mrs. Hacker is a half sister of Mr. Hoover, and Mr. Hacker is an old and intimate friend. Mr. Hacker returned home Tuesday.

"The Parish Priest will be presented at the Hoover opera house on the night of Friday, July 8, by a strong company under the management of R. F. Brandon, and containing a number of well known people. Reserved seats now on sale at Keeling's drug store.

Saturday night Miss Lizzie Morton, daughter of R. C. Morton, eloped with Jack Gillespie. Gillespie is about 35 years old and is said to have a wife living. Miss Morton is only 15 years old. If it is a fact that Gillespie is a married man he should get the extent of the law if caught.

Mrs. Earle Gilbert, Maye Gaither and Nora Aynes are some of the clever people who will appear here in the admirable American play, "The Parish Priest," which will be presented at the Hoover opera house by an exceptionally strong company of local talent on the night of Friday, July 8.

A. J. Jessup of Beatrice came to Nemaha Tuesday, and the next forenoon took his two nephews, Charlie and Earle Harris, to Beatrice to visit their father for a while. The boys have made their home with their grandfather, V. P. Peabody, since the death of their mother several years ago.

Sheriff Lawrence drove in Wednesday from Auburn, and arrested Jake Shuck and his wife on a warrant sworn out by John Leslie. Jake and John and their wives have had trouble ever since they have been living neighbors, and had a squabble a few days ago in which it is charged the Shucks injured Mrs. Leslie. Both sides are probably to blame. It is hoped there will now be peace in the west part of town.

Last Sunday the Methodist Sunday school elected the following officers: Superintendent—Mrs. Elmer E. Allen. Assistant Superintendent—W. W. Sanders. Secretary—Lulu Cooper. Assistant Secretary—May Kerker. Treasurer—Mrs. F. L. Woodward. Librarian—Mary Buell. Assistant Librarian—Pearl Farson. Organist—Geneva West. Assistant Organist—Lulu Cooper.

Mrs. C. F. Zook had an exciting encounter with a snake Monday. She heard a noise of something moving over the oil cloth in the kitchen, and on going into the room she discovered a large snake about five feet long. She courageously attacked the snake, which had retreated behind a woodbox, but it fought back. Finally she raised the box up and as the snake attempted to crawl out she dropped the box on it. This stunned the snake and Mrs. Zook then sent the little girl for her husband. He came expecting to see a small snake, but was considerably startled when he saw one about five feet long. He succeeded in killing it. It was probably a species of the black snake, but had reddish colored diamond shaped spots on its sides and was light colored on the belly.

Just added a good supply of the celebrated

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N. B.—Don't forget we write Insurance

Flour, meal and corn chop always on hand at Snelling's.

The fourth quarterly meeting of the Methodist church will be held at Nemaha Saturday and Sunday, July 16 and 17. Quarterly conference at 2 p. m. Communion and preaching by the presiding elder at 11 a. m. Sunday.

P. G. Swan hauled the first load of merchandise that was ever taken to Peru. He was then a boy of sixteen and was living with his father in Missouri. This was in 1856. The merchant, Mr. Frame, is still running a grocery in Peru. Mr. Swan's father had the contract for two years (from 1855 to 1857) of carrying the mail across the river to Brownville, and the job frequently devolved on Mr. Swan. He moved to Nemaha county in 1857 and has been a resident ever since, with the exception of two years when he lived in Johnson county.

Ray G. Taylor, who was formerly a clerk in the drug store of J. J. Bender and G. T. Noe, years ago, visited his friend, Earle Gilbert, from train time Tuesday afternoon to train time Wednesday forenoon. Ray is now in the timber business at Edison, Nebraska, and had been to Coldwater, Michigan, on a visit.

The Junior League last Sunday elected the following officers: Pearl Farson, president. Edith Hill, secretary. Lena Maxwell, assistant secretary. Myrtle Farson, treasurer. Mary Buell, organist. Gertrude McCandless, librarian. The League meets every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Every theatrical work ought to try to combine with amusement something of usefulness and instruction. After an evening with "The Parish Priest," which will be presented here by an exceptionally strong company of local talent on the evening of Friday July 8, the spectator can go home feeling that he has not only been amused, but has learned a lesson. The company comprises some of our best talent, whose names in connection with any amusement enterprise is a direct guarantee thereof.

The sale of seats is now on.

In coming down the line from Omaha on the evening train, any day of the week, one is naturally impressed with the large number of kegs of beer which are unloaded at Louisville and with the empty milk cans which are unloaded at Weeping Water. In the morning the cans and kegs are returned to Omaha. The cans are then full and the kegs are empty. A check to pay for the milk comes to Weeping Water, while a check to pay for the beer goes out of Louisville, and the money never returns to that town. Now from a business standpoint alone, which does the reader think is the most profitable for the town and community?—Weeping Water Republican.

FOR SALE: My residence property in Nemaha. Will sell at a bargain if sold at once.
MRS. THEO. HILL

Death of Birl Hoover.

J. B. Hoover died at his home in Nemaha Saturday, June 25, 1904, at 7:30 a. m. Mr. Hoover had been confined to his room for two or three weeks. Charley Clark and Mrs. J. D. Rainey were lifting him in his chair, as he was almost helpless, when he complained that he could not get his breath, and it was seen that he was dying. He lived but a few minutes longer and did not speak again.

Mr. Hoover was one of our oldest citizens and had lived continuously in Nemaha longer than any other man. He came here with his father in 1854, when only 19 years old, and has lived here ever since. He assisted in laying out the town site, and in 1856, in company with his brother, Wm. H. Hoover, opened a stock of goods, and has been in business almost continuously since. About a year ago he sold out his stock of groceries on account of poor health, but was not satisfied to be out of business, so he put in a stock again a few weeks ago.

John Birl Hoover was born in 1835 in Miami county, Ohio. His first wife Elizabeth Tann Hoover, died October 16, 1859. His second wife, Fannie Simpson Hoover, died October 22, 1879. His present wife was Mrs. Mary J. Clark. Mr. Hoover leaves one daughter, Frances, the wife of Charles L. Erving, now living at El Paso, Texas.

Mr. Hoover took great interest in flowers and forestry. He had the best and largest collection of native woods, probably, in the state. His collection of canes, made from native timber, of which he had about seventy different varieties, attracted great attention.

Mr. Hoover's memory of past events was remarkable. He was asked at different times to write a history of the early settlement of this part of the state, and thought seriously of so doing, but could never find time for that purpose.

The funeral services, conducted by Rev. M. S. Fontch, were held at the Methodist church at 2 p. m. Monday. The church was crowded with sorrowing friends. The casket was covered with beautiful flowers. The body was followed to its last resting place in the Nemaha cemetery by a large procession.

The sorrowing wife and daughter have our sympathy in their bereavement.

The annual school election was held Monday night. The annual reports of the treasurer and director showed that the district had received a little over \$2,200 from all sources the past year. The expenses of running the school were something over \$1,300. It is estimated by the director that the district is in debt about \$1,800. The school house bonds have all been paid off. John M. Clark received thirty-six votes and A. L. Russell twenty-seven out of a total of forty-five votes cast for members of the school board to succeed John R. Russell and August Quiller.

The question of a levy brought out considerable discussion, but the motion to levy a twenty-five mill tax was carried by a large majority. It is thought with the increased assessment this will raise a sufficient amount to put us out of debt next year.

W. W. Sanders is agent for several good reliable insurance companies mutual and old line. Call on him for fire insurance.

A Thoughtful Man

M M Austin of Winchester, Ind knew what to do in the hour of need His wife had such an unusual case of stomach and liver trouble, physicians could not help her. He thought of and tried Dr King's New Life pills and she got relief at once and was finally cured. Only 25c at Keeling's

Gained Forty Pounds in Thirty Days
For several months our younger brother had been troubled with indigestion. He tried several remedies but got no benefit from them. We purchased some of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and he commenced taking them. Inside of thirty days he had gained forty pounds in flesh. He is now fully recovered. We have a good trade on the Tablets.—Holley Bros. Merchants, Long Branch, Mo. For sale by W W Keeling.

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