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Local News

See M T Hill for fire insurance.

Dr. Bourne fits glasses. So. Auburn

Prepare for high water in the spring.

For Sale—A 40-acre fruit farm Apply at this office.

Photo mounting card board for sale at the Advertiser office.

Attorney E. B. Quackenbush of Auburn was a Nemaha visitor Thursday.

Mrs. Rufus Rowen has been sick with the grip for several days but is getting better.

Charley Thompson, son of A. L. P. Thompson, went to Shenandoah, Iowa, last Saturday.

Have your eyes examined by Dr. Hutchison who will be here again on Tuesday, Feb. 21.

Postmaster Sanders has been sick with the grip since Monday night but is some better now.

Ole G. Roberts, who has been visiting at Summerfield, Kas, returned home last Saturday.

Mrs. Sadie Scott of Pawnee county is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Brown. She came last Saturday.

N. B. Catlin will have his sale at the farm next Wednesday—horses, a cow, pigs, farm implements, household goods, etc.

John C. Strain, administrator of the estate of his mother, Mrs. Letitia A. Strain, deceased, will have a public sale Monday, Feb. 27.

Tuesday morning the thermometer was 24 degrees above zero, Wednesday morning it was 18 degrees below—a difference of 42 degrees in 24 hours.

All persons indebted to me are requested to call add settle as I am greatly in need of money.

ANDREW AYNES.

For Sale.—Five hundred good burr oak posts. Also stove wood by the rick.

F. L. WOODWARD.

The Junior League Valentine social was quite successful Monday night, though the cold and snow kept many away. The receipts were about \$10.50.

Geo. N. Sanders of London precinct was a Nemaha visitor Thursday. He has a badly sprained ankle, and came near getting it crushed several days ago.

The government thermometer at the depot was 32 degrees below zero at 8 o'clock Monday morning. This is the oldest weather we have had for many years.

For Sale—A good 40-acre farm, 23 acres in young orchard just beginning to bear; good 5 room house, well, etc. Price \$2500. Good terms. Apply at this office.

The standing walls of the opera house have been condemned and notices placed to that effect. Part of one chimney fell down during the high wind Tuesday morning.

For Sale—Thoroughbred barred Plymouth Rock cockerels, Hawkin's strain. First come, first served, if you want choice of birds come soon.

A. B. PARIS.

The man who likes old-fashioned winter weather is welcome to take it and go off with it to some place where he can enjoy it without interfering with the comfort of other people.—Ex.

Several of our farmers have promised to try the drag method of improving the roads as advocated by D. Ward King of Maitland, Mo. We believe it will work all right, and as the cost is very little it should certainly be given a thorough trial.

Ed Knapp's baby is sick with pneumonia.

Marshall Webb has been quite sick with the grip for several days but is able to be out again.

Mr. Behrends of Johnson came to Nemaha Thursday and is visiting his friend, C. E. Steuteville.

Rev. G. W. Ayers commenced a protracted meeting at the Methodist church Wednesday night.

The snow is said to be almost two feet deep on the level—probably the deepest snow Nebraska has ever seen.

For Sale—Bay horse 8 years old, weight 1150, also goob buggy and single harness.

W. E. WHEELDON.

Next Wednesday being a legal holiday, the bank and postoffice will be closed and the rural carriers will not make their trips. The postoffice will be open at mail time only, forenoon and afternoon.

There have been some quick changes in temperature this week. Monday morning the thermometer was 32 below. Tuesday morning it was 24 above. Wednesday morning it was 18 below and Thursday morning 17 above.

Rev. Geo. I. Wright, presiding elder, was unable to get to Nemaha Sunday evening on account of the roads being blocked with snow. He will be here Friday, holding quarterly conference at the church at 2 o'clock and preaching in the evening.

N. B. Catlin has rented Mrs. Rose Gilbert's house southeast of where the latter is living, and expects to move to Nemaha in a few days. We are pleased to have them become citizens of our town and hope they will decide to become permanent residents.

Victory lodge No. 195, I. O. O. F., gave John R. Russell the third degree in Odd Fellowship Tuesday night, at a special meeting. After lodge adjourned an oyster supper was enjoyed. It was the most pleasant occasion Victory lodge has enjoyed for a long time.

Monday the patrons of rural route No. 1 got out with teams and broke the roads so the carrier could get through the next day, but the wind and snow that night and Tuesday drifted them worse than ever, so they got out again Wednesday and did their work over again.

A house in Brownville occupied by James Peebly was burned Tuesday. The family were sitting down to dinner when the fire was discovered in the adjoining room, and was so far advanced that nothing could be saved. The man is poor and the loss of his household goods, clothing, etc., is a severe one.

After the opera house burned the managers of the entertainment course for Nemaha got the consent of the trustees of the Methodist church to hold the concert there Tuesday night, but as no trains ran Tuesday the Meistersingers Quartette telegraphed that they could not get here, so the concert was abandoned.

Program of Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at the Christian church, Sunday Feb. 19, 1905, at 6:30 p. m.

Song.
Lord's Prayer.
Responsive Reading—Rom. 15: 1-13.
Vocal Solo—Miss Dora Clark.
Scripture Reading—Leader.
Lesson: Glorifying God in the Home. Eph. 7: 19.
Paper—Glorifying God in the Home—Clifford Hendricks.
Song.
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SCHOOL NOTES

"Never be afraid of being laughed at."

There are some twelve or more pupils in the primary class but the cold weather has cut the number down to an average of about five. They are doing good work though, those that attend.

The attendance in the first grade is not a great deal better than that of the primary but they are doing some excellent work in reading and numbers.

The second grade numbers are now doing some special drill work in addition. They also do analysis work with simple problems and make number stories.

It is an inspiration to a teacher to see a pupil thoroughly interested in its work. The third grade pupils are interesting for that reason. In their language work at present they each keep a weather record and are making a study of frost and snow. Here in this grade we find nature study and language work combine. This is a happy combination showing foresight and system on the part of the teacher.

The primary department teacher and pupils are workers. They do it quietly and orderly each doing his share and using the words of our county superintendent "Their work is first class." In that department they do not try to make a great showing as to the number of subjects but what are listed are taught thoroughly.

The fourth grade base their reputation upon their spelling ability. They can also do some very neat work in diagramming. In so doing they are cultivating two essentials, neatness and correct spelling. It is said anyone can spell but to spell correctly is quite another thing.

The fifth grade have just finished Baldwin's Fifth Reader and are now taking up history stories both for the reading and the history drill.

The sixth grade have shown quite an interest in picture study, having just completed quite an extended study of Millet. Another commendable feature of their work is that of interrelating their composition and geography work in the form of illustrated geographical descriptions of some of the staple products.

If you should enter the intermediate room you would find each pupil busily engaged at some task pertaining to school work. There is very little if any whispering for they have something else to do. They are proud of their department and have a right to be.

The seventh and eighth grades are doing some very good work in spelling. They usually spell twice a week orally and three times a week by writing it. They spell the word by syllables.

The ninth grade as a class may be

characterized by saying that they are persistent. They know how to work and to work continuously till the task is accomplished. There are seven in this grade, six boys and one girl. The girls of the ninth grade show the best attendance of any grade in the school.

The tenth grade are just completing involution in algebra. Take the class as a whole, they have a very good understanding of the subject.

In the preceding lines we have tried to give you something about each grade. Much more could be told and very much more could be seen during even a short visit.

On Monday and Tuesday, of last week North Glenrock precinct was the scene of one of the most exciting wolf hunts that has taken place in this county this year.

Friday Frank Heywood was in the city with the trophies of the chase, two immense gray wolves, measuring five and one-half from tip to tip.

The hunt began Monday morning when Frank Heywood, George Nincehulser, John Nincehulser and W. R. Dickason went to the Reisenberg timber along the bluffs in the north part of the county and chased an immense she wolf out of her den.

They followed her for miles across the country, tracking her through the Bells farm onto the land of Ves Reed's place where the trail was lost.

The crowd of hunters scattered in an effort to pick up the trail and Frank Heywood finally encountered it in the cornfield near the Highland church. The wolf, having tired of her strenuous race for life, went to sleep in the field and was unconscious of danger when Mr. Heywood shot her. He took the carcass home with him.

At ten o'clock Tuesday morning, a crowd of about twenty farmers went after the dog wolf. They chased him from the den in the same place where his mate had been roused. The animal proved crafty, and being of powerful build kept far ahead of the hunters. It exercised all of the craft and cunning of its species in its effort to evade its pursuers. It circled, doubled on its trail and resorted to every scheme its sagacity would recommend. The heavy snow, however, was too much for it and after hours of nerve straining, muscle wearying effort, it came to bay in one of the roads in the north part of the county.

Heywood and John Berger both shot at it and the animal was killed by one of the hunters.

The wolves were fierce and were the largest specimens of their kind that have been seen here in a long time.

Mr. Heywood received \$3 bounty on each, as provided by law.

W. A. Dewees will have a public sale at his farm, 2 miles and a quarter northeast of Nemaha, on Saturday, Feb. 25, selling horses, cattle, chickens, farm implements, hay, fodder, corn, etc.

A Washington telegram says: Before Representative Burkett leaves the house of representatives to assume his new title of senator from Nebraska, the establishment of rural free delivery mail routes in the First Nebraska district will have been completed. The inspection of all the routes petitioned for in Lancaster, Pawnee, Cass and Richardson counties, has just been completed and inspections are now being made of the proposed additional routes in Nemaha and Otoe counties. The other day Mr. Burkett succeeded in securing an order for inspection of proposed routes in Johnson county, and within a month, it is stated, all the inspections in the latter county will be furnished, and the formal establishment of the routes will be immediately undertaken.

Johnson county is the last county in the First district to be taken up by the inspectors and when the establishment of routes there has been completed, the rural mail service in Burkett's district will be complete.

During the last few years Mr. Burkett has worked energetically to secure rural routes throughout his district and this subject has consumed a great deal of the representative's time. He has gotten his share of the rural delivery lines and he has cause to feel gratified at the result of his efforts. During the last few weeks Mr. Burkett has made a special effort to complete the establishment of rural routes in his district so that this feature of his work in Washington has been satisfactorily terminated before he leaves the house of representatives to assume his new duties as senator at the other end of the capitol.

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