

ATTACKED BY A BULL

William Wetenkamp Has a Close Call for His Life.

Neighbors Succeed in Rescuing Him by Beating the Enraged Animal With a Club—Little Boy Run Over by a Carriage—Damage Caused as a Result of Last Night's Storm.

William Wetenkamp, the well known farmer who resides a mile and a half west of Mynard, was in town today and while here called at this office and related a rather exciting experience which he had with an angry bull Wednesday. Mr. Wetenkamp had occasion to go into the pen, and the animal suddenly proceeded to make a vicious attack upon him—chasing him around the yard. His efforts to protect himself were almost futile, and his strength was nearly exhausted, when a couple of neighbors, hearing the commotion in the yard, rushed to Mr. Wetenkamp's assistance. Armed with clubs, they succeeded in beating the savage beast in submission, and its intended victim was rescued.

Mr. Wetenkamp was fortunate enough to escape without sustaining serious injuries, but he is of the opinion that it was about the closest call he has ever had.

Boy Has a Close Call.

Theodore, the eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Schinapf, met with a rather painful accident about 9 o'clock last night. He was playing near the front of his father's store with several other boys, and, while running out into the street and looking back to see if he was being followed by his companions, he ran into a livery team which was passing up the street at the time. Fortunately, the horses did not run over him, but he was knocked down and the wheels of the vehicle passed over the middle part of his body and also over one of his ankles. He was quickly picked up and carried into Goring's drug store and a physician summoned, but besides being badly scared and having two teeth knocked out, he was not seriously injured.

The vehicle was a heavy one and contained four people, and it was indeed a wonder that he escaped without sustaining a serious fracture.

Last Night's Storm.

Fred Heinrich, who resides out south of town, reports that during the storm last night the wind tore off half of the roof of his big wood shed. The strangest part of the incident, however, is the fact that Mr. Heinrich was unable to find even a shingle of that part of the roof which was torn off, although he searched around the neighborhood for three hours this morning. The well curb and other small buildings standing nearby were not damaged in the least. This is a freak of the wind which cannot be explained.

The storm was unusually severe, and many small buildings and trees were leveled to the ground in different parts of the city. Considerable hail fell, and the damage to fruit will be quite heavy.

The telephone companies suffered in a number of instances by wires being torn down or crossed so as to greatly inconvenience the service.

The roof of a merchandise car attached to the Burlington's fast freight, No. 77, was blown off near Cullom last night. The car was loaded with merchandise and when the train reached this city the damaged car was set out and the goods transferred to another car.

The government gauge at the Burlington depot indicated a rainfall of 1.53 inches.

Assaulted and Robbed.

Edward E. Balch, assistant cashier of the Omaha National bank, was assaulted and robbed in a Pullman sleeper on the Northwestern train while coming from Chicago to Omaha Wednesday morning. The cashier was roughly handled and brutally mauled about the head and he did not regain consciousness for several hours after the assault. The perpetrator of the deed escaped with \$50 in cash and two drafts of \$50 each belonging to Mr. Balch. Several other passengers in the car were also robbed of valuables, but none of them were so roughly handled as the cashier.

As a motive for the assault made upon Mr. Balch, it is generally believed that he was spotted by some Chicago crook as a banker who had considerable money with him. This crook probably boarded the same train as Mr. Balch and bided his chance to rob him. After secretly gaining entrance to the sleeper, he accomplished his purpose and is supposed to have left the train somewhere in the vicinity of Boone, Ia.

Northwestern officials are making every possible effort to apprehend the robber, and police officers in all the towns along the Northwestern route in Iowa have been instructed to keep a sharp lookout for all suspicious characters. Because of Mr. Balch's condition he has not as yet been able to make a statement, and it is not known whether or not he will be able to identify the robber.

Half Rates to Lincoln—State Fair.

September 3 to 7, the Burlington route will sell round trip tickets to Lincoln at half rates, plus 50 cents for admission to the state fair.

Ask agent about special trains to Lincoln, landing passengers at fair grounds. Home same day.

That Throbbing Headache.

Would quickly leave you if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for sick and nervous headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25 cents. Money back if not cured. Sold by F. G. Fricke & Co., druggists.

NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

C. A. Marshall, Dentist.

Pepperberg's Buds—5-cent cigar. That's all.

R. W. Swearingen was in town today from Murray.

Drink Mellowrich coffee. J. Hatt, exclusive agent.

Sheriff Wheeler was a passenger for Omaha on the fast mail.

Judge Jensen came up from Nebraska City this morning on legal business.

E. M. Stephens of LaPlatte was doing business in the city this afternoon.

Pure drugs and all the best patent medicines at A. W. Atwood's drug store.

E. I. Kroehler, who has for some time been working at Pittsburg, Kan., returned home yesterday.

The Ebinger Hardware company will sell the balance of their ice cream freezers at cost.

H. P. Goos is getting to be quite an artist as a window decorator. Take a "peek" as you pass.

Miss Margaret Tighe of Weeping Water is spending the week in the city visiting relatives and friends.

A new line of samples of imported and domestic cloth goods. Come in and examine them. Hudecek & McElroy.

The Sattler Furniture company will be pleased to have you examine their stock before purchasing. Unruh's old stand.

Mrs. G. M. Patton and son, Laurie, returned this morning from Louisville, where they attended the A. O. U. W. picnic.

Mrs. B. J. Reynolds and children departed yesterday for Sidney, where they will visit for a short time with relatives and friends.

Mrs. P. Peterson departed this morning for Missouri Valley Ia., where she will visit with her daughter, Mrs. Chris Christensen and family.

Buy your furniture of the Sattler Furniture company. You will find a well selected stock and prices reasonable. Undertaking a specialty. Call at Unruh's old stand.

E. C. Twiss, Jackson Barker and B. W. Teodoraki of Louisville were visitors at the court house today. They were here on business in connection with the Livingston estate.

The soothing and healing properties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, its pleasant taste and prompt and permanent cures, have made it a great favorite with the people everywhere. For sale by all druggists.

Otto Wurl uses only the best brands of tobaccos in the manufacture of his cigars. Lovers of a good smoke will find no better cigars on the market. "Gut Heil," 5 cents; "Silver Wreath," 10 cents.

TRAIN ROBBERS SPOTTED

Adams Express Company's Detectives Will Affect an Important Capture.

The detectives for the Adams Express company are hot upon the trail of the robbers who recently stole \$25,000 in currency, sent from Chicago to Burlington, Ia., and substituted a dummy package. General Manager Damsel of the express company is positive that they have evidence in their possession which will bring about the capture of the guilty parties, but refuses to divulge the nature of the evidence. The best detectives of the Pinkerton agency are working on the case, and, because there were few persons involved in the handling of the package, it is expected that the thieves, clever though they may be, soon will be confronted with evidence of their guilt.

Two employes, Night Clerk Marcea and Driver Yocum, of the Adams Express company at Burlington, were brought to Chicago on Tuesday and closely examined as to their connection with the package. The package was in charge of Mercer for three hours and was delivered by him to Yocum, who conveyed it to the National State bank, to which it had been sent by the Commercial National bank of Chicago. Other employes are being questioned, but the results of the examinations are closely guarded by the officials. The detectives are doing the greater part of their work at Burlington, and this indicates their belief that the substitution of the package took place at that place. The officials of the express company, while refusing to express opinions as to their theory of the robbery, evidently inclined to the belief that the substitution took place before the package was delivered to the company. Cashier Joseph T. Talbert of the Commercial National bank said the bank was not responsible for the loss and that the bank detectives were working for the express company.

The theory is suggested by some of the men engaged on the case that the theft was the work of some one whose business had nothing to do with the handling of the package, but who in some way learned the combination of the safe and shifted the package in an instant when the safe was not closely watched.

Catarah Cannot Be Cured

With LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of disease, Catarah is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarah Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarah Cure is not a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarah. Send for testimonials, free.

CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

The Ebinger Hardware Co. has a full line of pumps and is now prepared to do pump work of all descriptions.

Ice cold soda—Atwood's drug store.

FOR SALE—At a bargain One heavy horse, a single horse, a top buggy and a light wagon. Inquire of W. T. Mevin, over Vienna bakery.

A STORE BURGLARIZED

Thieves Make a Good Haul in the Village of Greenwood.

Twenty-seven Pairs of Shoes Carried Away—Local Officers Think the Culprits are Heading in This Direction—Baby Killed in a Runaway Near Elmwood—Other News.

Meagre details of a burglary which occurred at Greenwood Tuesday night reached Plattsmouth this morning. The Raplogle shoe store at that place was broken into, and, so far as known at the present time, twenty-seven pairs of shoes were carried away. It is thought likely that the thief, or thieves, are heading in this direction, and the local officers are keeping a close lookout for the culprits. The burglary was undoubtedly the work of tramps.

For several months past robberies of this sort have been of frequent occurrence in various parts of the county, and the officers find it a difficult matter to apprehend the thieves as the rob-

beries are generally committed early in the evening, and they manage to get far away from the scene before it is discovered. It will be remembered that a burglary, almost similar to the one reported at Greenwood, occurred at Mynard about a month ago, and the thief, who was captured at Nebraska City, is now in jail awaiting trial.

Baby Killed in a Runaway.

From Thursday's Daily.

A dispatch from Elmwood in today's State Journal says: "Mr. and Mrs. Will Bauer, residing two and one-half miles southeast of this place, lost their nine-months-old baby last night, death resulting from a runaway accident. Mr. and Mrs. Bauer were returning home from Elmwood Monday afternoon, Mrs. Bauer holding the child in her lap. In going down a hill the buggy ran into a chug-hole, throwing both the mother and child out of the buggy. The baby's head struck on the wheel of the vehicle, fell to the ground and was run over by one wheel. A physician was summoned who did all in his power to save the little one, but it died at 11 o'clock last night. Mrs. Bauer was not injured beyond a few bruises."

NEWS OF THE COUNTY

MURRAY HAPPENINGS.

B. A. Root, Jr., came over from Elmwood for a short visit with relatives this week.

Misses Mabel and Anna Reed of Laredo, Kan., are visiting Miss Boss Walker this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wood departed Monday for Colorado, where they will visit with relatives for a month.

The high wind Tuesday wrecked several buildings in town. It also wrecked the plans of a picnic party.

Mr. Mast, one of the prosperous farmers residing near Murray, purchased a fine Story & Clark organ last week.

Miss Letha E. Watson of Cotner university is in Murray instructing a class in elocution. She will remain about three weeks.

A new bank and a creamery are the business ventures to be launched here soon. In everything except base ball Murray is strictly to the fore.

B. A. Root accompanied his nephew, Lawrence Root, to Omaha last week, where the latter had a very delicate operation performed on his eyes.

The Plattsmouth Stars came down Monday and defeated the Murray aggregation in a hotly contested game. The writer would rather not give the score.

Dr. George H. Gilmore's new office is complete, and the doctor will move in a few days. The building is a very neat and well arranged structure, and is quite an addition to the street.

MUSINGS OF A MURRAYITE.

Last Tuesday was the ill wind that blew nobody good.

Some of the buildings in Murray are homelier than Weeping Water girls.

The ratio of girls to young men at the recent Woodmen picnic is said to have been 16 to 1.

A Murray young man drove nine miles to see his girl, and found her out driving with another fellow.

Some people imagine they are witty, when they are only advertising their vulgarity and lack of breeding.

A Murray girl suggested to a young man who doesn't know when to leave that he buy a bicycle—so he could go quicker.

Dr. Gilmore has been wearing twelve yards of bandages and a pained expression this week, the result of a boil on his neck.

The shirt waisted dude and the hickory shirted and bowshiskered bore are on a parity. Neither can be endured by people of refinement.

It is reported that a certain village in the sunflower state contains one hundred handsome young ladies and only ten young men who could support a wife.

Murray is to be represented in the gold medal contest at Palmyra next week. There are only three people in Murray who don't hold some kind of an old medal.

A Murray girl has seated herself at the parlor organ and played "I Would Leave My Happy Home for You" four times in one week, and still the young man does not catch on.

CEDAR CREEK HAPPENINGS.

Mrs. Sayles and daughter, Eva, drove to Lincoln Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wallinger and children are on the sick list.

Miss Anna Wolff of Gretna is visiting with relatives here this week.

A Grist of Interesting News from Staff Correspondents.

Wednesday morning for greener pastures.

The Cedar Creek Gun club had a very successful shoot at their grounds last Sunday. Out of twenty-five blue rock shot at, the following numbers were broken: Inhelder, 15; Wolff, 15; Frey, 19; Gauer, 23; Brodbeck, 10; Sprick, 16.

One of the worst wind storms that ever visited this section was that of last Tuesday. For a while it seemed as though every building in the village would surely be blown over. The large implement shed belonging to Baker & Schneider was moved about a foot and a great many trees were broken off. The stacked grain suffered great damage as many stacks were blown clear over and the rain that followed wet them to the ground.

AVOCA ITEMS.

Miss Etta Gordon made a flying trip to Weeping Water Tuesday.

Robert Wilkinson was a passenger for Omaha Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tuff of Weeping Water spent Sunday with Grandpa Teft.

William Bartels is putting up a neat little residence on the east side of his meat market.

J. L. McKenna is assisting L. E. Holmes in closing out his general stock of merchandise.

Louis and Eda Marquardt returned from their western trip last Saturday. They seem to have enjoyed themselves while gone, from all reports.

B. C. Marquardt and wife left for Chicago last Sunday by the way of Union where the former will buy his fall and winter stock of goods.

F. D. Bueckman and B. C. Marquardt took an overland train for Burr one day last week to inspect the elevator, as they calculate to build one just like it.

Mrs. Durham and children arrived home Tuesday night from Bertrand, Neb., where they had been visiting with the former's daughter, Mrs. Nutzman.

Mr. and Mrs. George Betz and son arrived here this week from Wilcox, Neb. Mr. Betz will be the new proprietor of the drug store here. They will go to housekeeping as soon as they can get a vacant house.

The heaviest rain and wind storm of the season occurred here Tuesday noon, but no damage was reported around here. The worst part of it was south of here, where it did considerable damage to the corn crop.

Clarence Conrad and Tiny Wollen took a notion Sunday afternoon to see more of this country and departed unknown to anyone. No cause of leaving home was suspicioned. Mr. Conrad is on their trail now and left for Omaha to head them off.

MURDOCK ITEMS.

Mrs. Henry Gakemeier is reported quite sick.

Dr. J. J. Conzett made a business trip to Lincoln Friday.

August Dehning visited his mother in Omaha over Sunday.

Emil Lau is building a fine barn on his place just north of town.

Mat Thingan is the proud father of a bouncing boy, who arrived last Friday.

Miss Anna Towle began teaching school in the Mainland district Monday.

John School is spending the week in Thayer county, taking a look at the country.

A valuable horse belonging to Ralph Morris sprained his left shoulder last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Neitzel spent Sunday in Plattsmouth as guests of the Perkins house.

he took an active part in dedicating a very fine \$3,500 church.

The storm which passed over Tuesday did no damage in this immediate vicinity, but Elmwood and Weeping Water did not fare so well.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Otto Ranzvaz, last Monday, a fine boy. This makes Henry Schroeder a grandfather, and he takes his honors easily.

The lodge of Modern Woodmen in this town have purchased the lot just south of the bank building, with a view of putting up a combination store and hall for their meetings.

Rev. Hans Baumgartner and wife of Chicago are spending their honeymoon at the home of Rev. J. E. Baumgartner, whose pulpit the young preacher will occupy next Sunday.

Blotches and excrescences, which so often annoy people, are simply efforts of nature to throw off impediments to the proper performance of her duties. Herbine will aid and assist nature in her work, and assure a skin clear and beautiful, entirely free from all imperfections. Price 50 cts. F. G. Fricke & Co.

Choice perfumes and toilet articles at Atwood's drug store.

Announcement.

John P. Sattler wishes to announce to his old friends and customers, as well as to the public in general, that he has charge of the business of the new firm known as the Sattler Furniture company, and will be pleased to see them and show them their goods. He may be found at Unruh's old stand, and assures you most courteous treatment.

Their stock of furniture will be most complete and their facilities for undertaking the best.

Crushed fruit—all flavors—Atwood's drug store.

Director Merriam



of the census will have to inform some of the cities of the United States that their populations are not up to their expectations. Different at Wescott's. You will find that our fall line of everything in Men's and Boys' Wear will come up to all your expectations. No disappointment, gentlemen, about the quantity, quality, style, price or good service at Wescott's.

The BIG STORE is filling up with all the new things for fall.

WESCOTT & SON

There Is Something In It.

The war in China is going to raise the price of Teas. War or no war, the price of our teas will be no higher, because we bought before the Chinese squabble was ever dreamed of. We pride ourselves on selling a little the best tea for the money ever sold in Plattsmouth, anyhow.

We have Sun-Dried Japans, whose drinking qualities cannot be excelled, at...
Basket-Fired Japans, one quality (the best), at...
An English Breakfast, possessing the bouquet that appeals to the lovers of that tea, at...
A Fine Shot Moyane Gunpowder, at...
60c
50c
60c
50c

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By Methodist Church

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Nebraska, No. 4
Plattsmouth, No. 198

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The undersigned is in possession of the entire stock of...

Clothing, Furnishing Goods Hats, Caps, Trunks, Satchels and Fixtures

Belonging to the firm of JOE & FRANK, and must realize his money within Thirty days. Everything must be sold,

Regardless of Cost!

The Stock is Complete, and you will never again have such an opportunity.

I must have my money.

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Titles Examined, Corrected and Abstracts Furnished—Farm and City Property Bought, Sold and Exchanged—If you want to sell, LIST WITH THIS AGENCY

Following are a few of the bargains we are offering:

One 4-room Cottage, two lots.....	\$150
One 5-room Cottage, one lot.....	300
One 5-room Cottage, one lot.....	550
One 4-room Brick Cottage, one lot.....	350
Two 3-room Cottages, three lots.....	700
One 6-room Cottage, 1/2 lots.....	700
One 8-room Cottage, two lots.....	800
One 4-room Cottage, two lots.....	450

LANDS:

20 acres, improved, close in.....	\$1,500
10 acres, improved, close in.....	750
7 1/2 acres, improved, at \$65 per acre—close in.	495
44 acres, improved, at \$75 per acre—close in.	3,300
SE 1/4 Sec. 18, town 12, range 13.....	\$2,250
1 1/2 acres, with cottage and fruit.....	500
6 acres, \$450; 4 acres.....	300

Also other Cass county lands.
150 acres, improved, in Harlan county..... 1,600
600 acres, improved, in Logan county, cheap for cash.
500 acres, improved, in Wheeler county, cheap for cash.
9000 acres of Tennessee lands to exchange for city or town property.

We can show you many other opportunities for investment.

Bookmeyer's Cigars

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HAVANA TAG, 50
PURO..... 100

Anti-Kawf

Best thing to take on your vacation is a bottle of Anti-Kawf. You are sure to catch cold. It will cure you.

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The Old Settlers' Reunion.

will doubtless be a good place to spend a pleasant day, but if you have a little money to spend for fresh and reliable GROCERIES or DRY GOODS, it will pay you to call at our store. Everybody in Plattsmouth knows what kind of goods we handle—THE BEST.

F. S. WHITE,
518 Main St. Plattsmouth, Neb.

Down They Come.

During August, the hottest month of the year—we will sell hammocks at these prices:

25 00 and \$1.25 Hammocks, now.....	\$1.35
3 50 Hammocks, now.....	2.25
2 00 Hammocks, now.....	1.95
2 50 Hammocks, now.....	1.95
2 25 Hammocks, now.....	1.25
2 00 Hammocks, now.....	1.35
1 25 Hammocks, now.....	.90

Get one while you can.

Lehnhoff's Book Store.

Plattsmouth Property FOR SALE CHEAP.

I have for sale the city property belonging to the estate of John G. Hayes, deceased, and I can offer such inducements to purchasers in price and terms of payment as will make it a desirable investment. The description is as follows:

IN HAYES' ADDITION:
All of Block 1, 14 lots
All of Block 2 (except lot 7) 7 lots
All of Block 3, 8 lots
All of Block 4, 14 lots
All of Block 5, 14 lots
All of Block 6, 8 lots

IN YOUNG & HAYES' ADDITION:
Lots 1 and 2, block 25, lots 7 and 8, block 20, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, in block 42 (8 1/2 blk) and all of block 34.
I have also for sale lot 4, block 10, Plattsmouth; Lots 19 and 20, sec. 19-12-14, .33 acres, just south of city.
Also the NW 1/4 Sec. 19, town 12, range 13, six miles west—a very desirable farm.
THOS. POLLOCK.

PARKER'S HAIR BALM

Prevents dandruff, restores the hair, makes it grow, and keeps it from falling out. It is the most reliable remedy in their positive reaction which increases confidence. Instead of curing it, PARKER'S GINGER POWDER, in the proper remedy, it acts on the liver, and when used as directed, permanently cures the constipation. 50 cts. or \$1.00 and 50c.

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