

The County Exchanges

Items of General Interest Selected from the Columns of Contemporaries

Union

From the Ledger.

Miss Daisy Buck went to Avoca Saturday for a few days' visit with some of her friends.

Willie Frans, jr., has been the victim of a severe cold and was quite sick a few days, threatened with pneumonia, but is getting along nicely.

Miss May Larson returned Sunday from Plattsmouth to resume her duties as teacher in District 12, after taking two weeks' vacation on account of illness.

M. H. Shoemaker and D. W. Foster went to Lincoln Tuesday evening to spend a few days at the annual meetings of the various agricultural societies.

Uncle John Hewitt, southeast of town, has been under a physician's care for several days, being treated for an abscess, and is reported to be getting along nicely.

J. W. Pittman's condition has remained about the same the past week, there being perhaps a slight improvement, but his condition is yet quite serious and the result is still a matter of doubt.

Mrs. Agnes Petersen of Glencove, Wash., departed for home Sunday evening. Mrs. Petersen was here several months assisting in caring for her aged parents, the late Peter Gruber and wife, until their death a few weeks ago.

Charles Benedict came in from Avoca Wednesday morning to visit his Union relatives and friends. When he left here several weeks ago he was carried to the depot on a stretcher, the result of having his leg broken by a wagon box falling upon it, but he is now able to walk with the assistance of a cane and thinks his leg will eventually be about as good as ever.

A Jamaican Lady Speaks Highly of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Mrs. Michael Hart, wife of the superintendent of cart service at Kingston, Jamaica, West Indies Islands, says that she has for some years used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, croup and whooping cough and has found it very beneficial. She has implicit confidence in it and would not be without a bottle of it in her home. Sold by F. G. Fricke & Co. and A. T. Fried.

Louisville

From the Courier.

Harry Boedeker arrived Thursday evening from Huron, S. D.

John McNurlin was up from Plattsmouth Thursday and paid the Courier office a short call.

Mrs. Howard Evans and little daughter returned to their home at La Platte Thursday after a few days visit here with relatives.

Jesse Twiss has been confined to his bed at the home of his brother E. C. Twiss, for the past week with the grippe.

The wolf hunters on the north side of the river Wednesday were unsuccessful, the wolves escaping through the lines unobserved.

C. G. Mayfield and family were released from quarantine last Saturday, after being out of the world, so to speak, for the past three weeks.

Julius Ragoss' farm sale Wednesday drew a very large crowd of buyers and everything brought fair prices. Mr. Ragoss will occupy his residence in Louisville as soon as it is vacated.

The Grip.

"Before we can sympathize with others, we must have suffered ourselves." No one can realize the suffering attendant upon an attack of the grip unless he has had the actual experience. There is probably no disease that causes so much physical and mental agony, or which so successfully defies medical aid. All danger from the grip, however, may be avoided by the prompt use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy, not one case has ever been reported that has resulted in pneumonia or that has not recovered. For sale by F. G. Fricke & Co. and A. T. Fried.

Elmwood

From the Leader-Echo.

Dr. Munger reports the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Frisbee, Tuesday, January 15.

Miss Bertha Hay is suffering from a very sore finger, which has become infected with blood poisoning.

The 12-year-old son of Will Seiger slipped on the icy ground while at school Monday of last week, sustaining a fracture of the right arm between the shoulder and elbow.

W. E. Rosencrans and family came out from Plattsmouth, Thursday, to

attend the Bailey-Cox wedding reception, remaining over until Monday to visit their many friends here.

The many friends of Miss Nellie Cunningham will be pleased to learn that she has been left quite a sum of money from the estate of her grandmother at Toledo, Iowa.

Elder Cyrus Alton and wife have returned from their visit with their son and family at Bayamon, Porto Rico. They returned sooner than they expected, the Elder's health not agreeing with the climate. We are glad to have them with us again.

Mrs. Henry Roelofs was taken very sick forepart of the week with uraemic poisoning. She suffered terribly with convulsions and has been unconscious since Tuesday night, and we are sorry to learn that no hopes are entertained for her recovery.

LATER—Mrs. Roelofs died at an early hour this morning. Funeral services will be held from the Dunker church at Alvo, at 2 p. m. Sunday.

Cured of Lung Trouble.

"It is now eleven years since I had a narrow escape from consumption," writes C. O. Floyd, a leading business man of Kershaw, S. C. "I had run down in weight to 135 pounds, and coughing was constant, both by day and by night. Finally I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and continued this for about six months, when my cough and lung trouble were entirely gone and I was restored to my normal weight, 170 pounds." Thousands of persons are healed every year. Guaranteed at F. G. Fricke & Co.'s drug store. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Eagle

(From the Beacon.)

Grandma Adams suffered from an attack of heart failure Tuesday evening.

Dr. Moyer was called down from Lincoln Wednesday, in the sickness of Mike Spahnle.

C. W. Jester was very sick the fore part of the week, but is able again to attend to his practice.

Mrs. J. T. Liston has been suffering for about a week with neuralgia and a gathering in her head. She is much better at the present writing.

"Uncle Jimmie" Smith who formerly resided about seven miles southeast of Eagle, died Wednesday evening at his home in Palmyra of diseases incident to old age.

The 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Althouse was very ill the first of the week with pneumonia, but reports yesterday showed him to be considerably better.

Mrs. Lou Sacks narrowly escaped being severely burned by an explosion of hot grease last Monday. Some water was spilt into a pan of hot grease which blazed up and set fire to her hair. Lou smothered the flames with a towel and has made his application for a Carnegie hero medal.

Dangers of a Cold and How to Avoid Them.

More fatalities have their origin in or result from a cold than from any other cause. This fact alone should make people more careful as there is no danger whatever from a cold when it is properly treated in the beginning. For many years Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been recognized as the most prompt and effectual medicine in use for this disease. It acts on nature's plan, loosens the cough, relieves the lungs, opens the secretion and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Sold by F. G. Fricke & Co. and A. T. Fried.

Mrs. Pearce Slightly Improved.

Through Mrs. Geo. Dovey, who has been in Lincoln with Mrs. Jack Pearce, but who returned home last evening, it is learned that the condition of the patient is slightly improved. The many friends of the family will be pleased to hear this news.

THE ORIGINAL LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP

For all Coughs and assists in expelling Colds from the system by gently moving the bowels. A certain relief for croup and whooping-cough. Nearly all other cough cures are constipating, especially those containing Opium. Kennedy's Laxative Honey & Tar moves the bowels, contains no Opium.

KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE HONEY AND TAR

PREPARED AT THE LABORATORY OF E. G. DEWITT & CO., CHICAGO, U. S. A.

DR. PRICE'S Cream Baking Powder

Made from pure, grape cream of tartar

Makes home baking easy. Nothing can be substituted for it in making, quickly and perfectly, delicate hot biscuits, hot-breads, muffins, cake and pastry. Insures the food against alum.

Pure, Healthful, Reliable

NOTE.—If mixtures called baking powder are offered you at lower price, remember they are mostly made from alum, a metallic acid deleterious to health.

HIDDEN DANGERS

Nature Gives Timely Warnings That No Plattsmouth Citizen Can Afford to Ignore.

Danger Signal No. 1 comes from the kidney secretions. They will warn you when the kidneys are sick. Well kidneys excrete a clear, amber fluid. Sick kidneys send out a thin, pale and foamy, or a thick, red, ill-smelling urine, full of sediment and irregular of passage.

Danger Signal No. 2 comes from the back. Back pains, dull and heavy, or sharp and acute, tell you of sick kidneys and warn you of the coming of dropsy, diabetes and Bright's disease. Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys and cure them permanently. Here's Plattsmouth proof.

W. T. Cole, of 608 Locust street, Plattsmouth, Neb., says: "I contracted kidney complaint in the army and have felt the effect of the trouble off and on ever since. My back never caused me any acute suffering but there was at times a dull heavy aching and lameness across the loins that annoyed me considerably. Retention and scantiness were evident with the kidney secretions and they were occasionally accompanied with pain. An advertisement about Doan's Kidney Pills came to my notice and being favorably impressed with the claims made for the medicine, I procured a box at Gering & Co's drug store. I did not take them regularly and used only about one-half of a box, but I can say they made a marked improvement in my condition, every difficulty being relieved. I can vouch for Doan's Kidney Pills being a valuable remedy."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c. Foster-McBum Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Syllabus of the Murphy Case.

Murphy vs. City of Plattsmouth. Appeal. Cass. Reversed and remanded with directions to dismiss. Albert, C., department No. 2. Duffie, C., not sitting.

1. The statute which requires an estimate of the cost of a public improvement to be made and submitted to the city council by the city engineer before a contract for such improvement is let, is mandatory, and a contract made without complying with such requirements is void.

2. Where such statute further provides that such estimate shall be published with the advertisement for bids for making such improvement and that no contract shall be let for a price exceeding such estimate, the inhibition against letting a contract at a price in excess of the estimate can not be evaded by raising the estimate after the bids have been made and opened.

3. Any material departure in a contract of that contractor, from the terms and conditions upon which the bidding was had, is an evasion of a statute requiring a contract to be let to the lowest responsible bidder.

4. Where a contract with a city for a public improvement expressly provides that it shall not be assigned, such provision is enforceable, and an assignee thereunder can not recover the money due thereon, or any part thereof.

Bee's Laxative Cough Syrup containing Honey and Tar is especially appropriate for children, no opiates or poisons of any character, conforms to the conditions of the National Pure Food and Drug Law, June 30, 1906.

For Croup, Whooping Cough, etc. It expels Coughs and Colds by gently moving the bowels. Guaranteed. Sold by Gering & Co's drug store.

New Counterfeit Out.

Captain Webb of the federal secret service has received a circular describing a new counterfeit \$10 Buffalo bank note of the series of 1903. These counterfeits have been freely circulated in New York. The back is a darker green than genuine bills. The imitation, however, is a good one. None of these new counterfeits have as yet been circulated in Omaha—Omaha World-Herald.



MRS. ADDIE HARDING, 810 Court street, Syracuse, N. Y., writes:

"I have been a user of Peruna for the last twelve years and can truthfully say that there is no better medicine on earth. With me it is a sure preventive for colds and many other ills. In my home can always be found a bottle of Peruna. Two or three times a year I am troubled with my throat."

"I always had to have the services of my physician two or three times in each case."

"Although a user of Peruna, I never thought of taking it for my throat until about two years ago."

"I tried Peruna to check it, and to my great delight I was not troubled with the smothered and choked feeling and never have since."

"I can check it every time with Peruna."

"I certainly would not be without Peruna one minute."

The fight against consumption is becoming a national problem.

Everywhere we hear of sanitariums established at the expense of the state for the treatment of the vast army of consumptives.

The open air treatment, fresh air and sunlight, are recognized by the medical profession generally as being the greatest necessities in the treatment of consumption in all of its stages.

Dr. Hartman has for many years advocated the fresh air treatment for consumption. At the same time he has recognized Peruna as a useful palliative for the many distressing symptoms which accompany the white plague.

MRS. MARY MEYER, Thomson avenue, near Shell Road, Winfield, La. Y., N. Y., writes:

"I have been annoyed with a cough for years."

"Often it was so bad that I could not sleep half the night. Many people thought I had consumption."

"A woman recommended Peruna to me two years ago. I began to take Peruna and now I am perfectly free from a cough."

"I am glad to say that Peruna cured me entirely. I take Peruna occasionally when I do not feel well and I also give it to my children."

"Peruna is the best medicine for coughs and colds. I have told many people how much Peruna has helped me."

Peruna tends to lessen the cough, decreases the expectoration, strengthens the patient, increases the appetite and in many cases procures sound, refreshing sleep.

But the value of Peruna in the treatment of a case of consumption is not so great as it is in the prevention of consumption.

Since it is well known that consumption begins with a common cold or catarrh, any medicine that can be relied upon to relieve these must be regarded as a preventive of consumption.

Thousands of cases of incipient consumption, or chronic coughs, or settled coughs, have reported Peruna as being a safe and reliable remedy for these ailments.

MRS. FRANCES WILSON, 32 Nelson street, Clinton, Mass., writes:

"Had you seen me at the time of my illness and now, you would not wonder that I take delight in sounding the praises of Peruna."

"My ailment was a severe cold which attacked the bronchial tubes and lungs. I followed your special directions and after using six bottles of Peruna I was on my feet again."

"I think Peruna a wonderful medicine."

The promptness with which Peruna relieves a fresh cold, and even removes chronic colds, that have become thoroughly established, is well known throughout the entire country. This ranks Peruna as a reliable prophylactic against consumption.

Mr. Wm. Swain, 4245 Stiles street, W. Philadelphia, Pa., writes:

"Before I commenced taking Peruna I had used almost everything I could think of for catarrh."

"I felt so tired when getting up in the morning and my lungs felt dry and sore. No one who has not experienced it can imagine how I suffered."

"I tried nearly everything recommended, but nothing did me any permanent good."

"The first bottle of Peruna did me so much good that I continued taking it until completely cured."

"I cannot praise Peruna high enough. I wish every one could know of it."

Those suffering from colds can do nothing better than to procure a bottle of Peruna and give it a fair trial.

ROCK ISLAND SECURES MAIL

Gets Service Away From the Burlington From Chicago to Omaha.

From and after January 24, the Chicago Rock Island & Pacific Railway company will carry the fast mail between Chicago and Omaha, which for twenty years has been the exclusive prerogative of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, says the Bee.

This announcement came to the Omaha postoffice department Monday morning and indicates the transfer of Clerks Stribling and Hurst, now appointed to distribute the mail on train No. 15, Chicago and Council Bluffs railway postal service (Chicago, Burlington & Quincy), to train 35 (Chicago, West Liberty & Council Bluffs), Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific, on and after January 24.

This is the first break the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy has had in its exclusive fast mail service between Chicago and Omaha for twenty years. The result will be that the Chicago mail will now reach Omaha at 7:20 a. m. over the Rock Island instead of at 8:40 over the Burlington, and will be in Omaha in time for the second morning delivery by carriers.

To which the Lincoln Journal adds the following: "No word of change of routing has reached Lincoln, and it is assumed here that this may relate only to Omaha mail, and may not affect trans-continental mails."

Pine Salve Carbolyzed, acts like a poultice; highly antiseptic, extensively used for eczema, for chapped hands and lips, cuts, burns. Sold by Gering & Co's drug store.

Upholstering.

I am prepared to do all kinds of upholstering work: mattresses renovated and high-grade mattresses made to order. Leather Turkish couches, rockers, chairs and parlor suits made to order or repaired. Leather work a specialty. All work will be called for. Address Will Carstens, R. F. D. No. 1 care M. Lutz.

Ninety New Locomotives.

The Burlington road has ordered ninety new locomotives for delivery during 1908. Fifteen of the engines are for passenger service and seventy-five are for freight traffic. The passenger engines, which are of the largest type, are to be 376,000 pounds in weight and more than seventy-five feet in length.

Supply Yourselves With Stamps.

Patrons of the rural mail delivery route seldom buy postage stamps. Instead they include two coppers with each letter they put in the mail box. A country paper publishes this admonition: "Before you put your letter with two pennies into the box just think what it means to a man whose fingers are already chilled by several hours' exposure to pull off his gloves and fish out those pennies, repeating this process perhaps forty or fifty times in one day's delivery. It is apparently a small matter, yet it means a great deal to the carrier. Keep a supply of stamps on hand and thus save the already overworked and underpaid carrier much additional hardship."

The Right Name.

Mr. August Sherpe, the popular overseer of the poor, at Ft. Madison, Ia., says: "Dr. King's New Life Pills are rightly named; they act more agreeably, do more good and make one feel better than any other laxative. Guaranteed to cure biliousness and constipation. 25c at F. G. Fricke & Co's drug store."

Some Meteorological Records.

(Continued.)

The year 1816 was known as "the year without summer." From Philadelphia northward frost occurred every month in the year. Snow fell to the depth of three inches in New York and Massachusetts in June, and on July 5th ice formed to the thickness of common window glass in many parts of New York. All crops were a failure on account of cold weather.

In 1883 Krakatoa, an island in the Strait of Sunda, was shattered by a volcanic eruption and disappeared beneath the sea. In 1899, 562 people were killed and 880 injured by lightning in the United States, and \$2,000,000 worth of property destroyed.

Kodol For Indigestion.

Relieves sour stomach, palpitation of the heart. Digests what you eat.

WASTING STRENGTH

Women who suffer from unnecessary, disagreeable, painful, weakening, female complaints, will find that Wine of Cardui is a safe and pleasant remedy for all their ills. It acts directly upon all the delicate, inflamed tissues, purifying the blood, throwing off the clogging matter and relieving female disorders such as irregular, scanty, profuse, painful catamenia, prolapse, etc.

Also relieves headache, backache, dizziness, cramps, dragging pains, nervousness, irritability, etc.

If you need advice, write us a letter, telling us all your symptoms. We will send free advice (in plain sealed envelope). Address: Ladies' Advisory Dept., The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

ALL DRUGGISTS SELL IT IN \$1.00 BOTTLES

"I WROTE YOU for advice, and by following it and taking Cardui, my Female Troubles were cured."—Mrs. R. S. Wallace, Lavaca, Ala.

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