

The Avoca Department

News Items Gathered Each Week by a Special Reporter for This Department of the Semi-Weekly Journal

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The Bank of Avoca

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The farmers are very busy harvesting and threshing.

E. C. Marquardt returned from Denver Saturday night.

W. H. Betts, sr., was a Weeping Water visitor Monday.

Miss Edith Nutzman visited at Murdock the first of the week.

Mrs. A. D. George, of Omaha, is visiting her son L. U. Hupp.

Miss Neva O. Zook spent Friday evening at her home in Auburn.

Contractor W. I. Smoots was a north bound passenger Wednesday morning.

Walter Rockwell and lady friend were at Omaha Tuesday attending the circus.

Mrs. P. Nutzman returned Tuesday evening from a weeks visit at Murdock.

Leonard Brinton and family, of Beatrice, are visiting at the home of John Everett.

Miss Ine Johnson left last week for Sumner to spend a few weeks visiting relatives.

H. G. Wellensiek and L. J. Marquardt were Lincoln visitors the first of the week.

Gus Kegley, one of Weeping Water's tonorial artists, was a visitor in our city Wednesday.

Hon. O. Tefft took Louie Marquardt to the circus in Lincoln Monday to see the white elephant.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Murphy, of Omaha, were down to attend the funeral of Mrs. Straub Tuesday.

Arrangements are being made for an L. O. O. F. picnic in August. The date has not been announced.

Miss Julia Nutzman will leave in a few days for Bertrand to spend a few weeks visiting relatives.

Edward Wallace and family, of Omaha, are visiting at the home of A. T. Harmon west of town.

Miss Emma and Clara Marquardt returned from Denver Monday night. They report having a fine time.

J. W. Waldrip, the best blacksmith in this section of Nebraska, took a day off and went to Omaha Tuesday.

Henry Stranz, who has been visiting Avoca friends for some time, left Tuesday for his home at Kansas City.

Eugene Stutt, one of our prosperous farmers west of town, was here Wednesday in his henk honk wagon.

Tuesday seemed to be quite a hog day in Avoca—15 or 20 loads being brought in for shipment from the surrounding country.

Ora E. Cope and wife returned Tuesday evening from a week's visit at Fairbury, Neb., where they went to visit Mrs. Cope's relatives.

Everyone is anxiously waiting for the announcement of the date of the Odd Fellows' picnic. The Odd Fellows expect to make this their banner picnic. Watch for the date.

George Zook was in Union Monday on business and visiting with relatives.

Charley Brandt, of near Nehawka, was visiting friends in Alvo Tuesday.

Amiel Amande and his three children were up from Syracuse Tuesday. Mr. Amande is one of the partners in the saloon here.

Mrs. Fred Rühge is still lingering in about the same condition that she has been for the past month or so—no worse or no better.

Wanted—A Bohemian girl that understands general housework at the Oxford hotel in Avoca. Will pay railroad fare. Wages \$4.00 per week.

Henry F. Wellensiek, of Syracuse, and Mrs. F. Aug. Ruenholl, of Lorton, visited with H. G. Wellensiek Tuesday and attended the funeral of Mrs. Straub.

E. B. Taylor and family came in from Colorado last week, where they have been living for the past year, and think some of coming back here to make their home.

The corn crop has improved wonderfully in the past week, and the most of it has been laid by. The farmers are feeling much better than they did two weeks ago regarding this crop.

Tom Straub has sold more automobiles than any one person in either Otoe or Cass county in the past year. The people down this way do not think they are "in the swim" if they have not got an auto.

Mr. and Mrs. George Olive and little son, of Weeping Water, were guests at the home of Postmaster Buss Monday. Mr. Olive is editor of the Weeping Water Republican and also postmaster of that city.

L. F. Fahnstock, the mail carrier on route 2, has purchased of Tom Straub, a Reliable Dayton motor car to use on his route. F. L. believes this to be cheaper than wearing out horses.

Mr. and Mrs. George Root, of Lincoln, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Buss Monday. Mr. Root is superintendent of the city mail carriers at the Lincoln postoffice.

Walter Rockwell and his best girl visited in Lincoln Monday to attend the circus and then on Tuesday, not being satisfied with the one they saw at the state capitol, they picked up and went to Omaha Tuesday.

The following officers were installed by Wilson Gilmore, of Weeping Water, last Thursday evening or the I. O. O. F. lodge: W. H. Wright, N. G.; Frank Greenrod, V. G.; John Bogard, Con.; Fred Carsten, O. G.; Daniel Click, W.; John Neumeister, I. G.; Carl Shrader, R. S. N. G.; Siren Larsen, R. S. V. G.; Peter Jorgensen, L. S. V. G.; G. O. Harmon, Chap. Refreshments were served at the close.

"Dear Sally," wrote Miranda Jane. Between you, the gate-post and me, I owe my good complexion to Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Gering & Co.

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AVOCA, NEBRASKA

A PIONEER LADY PASSES AWAY

Mrs. Elizabeth Straub Died in Lincoln at the Home of Her Son Saturday.

This community was shocked last Saturday afternoon when a telegram reached here announcing the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Straub, which occurred at the home of son, W. E. Straub, in Lincoln, with whom she had been living for several months, at the advanced age of seventy-five years.

Miss Elizabeth Hanlon was born in Ireland on the 11th day of November, 1833, and came to this country when quite young. On arriving in America she made her home at Galena, Ill., for several years, and then removed to the territory of Nebraska. Here in 1862, she was united in marriage to Thomas Straub, when they located upon the farm which was their home up to the date of their demise and where they reared their family, consisting of four boys and one girl—Miss Elizabeth, who passed away in 1901. The boys, who are all grown to sturdy manhood, are among the best men in Otoe and Cass counties, consist of the following named: W. E. Straub, president of the Farmers' Mutual Insurance Company, of Lincoln; Max M., Hon. V. W., David and Thos. H., W. E. being the youngest.

The mother had been ailing for some time, and it was thought her removal to Lincoln would greatly benefit her. But her complicated ailment seemed to be beyond the skill of the very best medical aid that could be secured. Her age also seemed to be against her. The remains were brought from Lincoln Monday evening and taken to the old home-stead in Berlin precinct in Otoe county, where the funeral occurred Tuesday afternoon, in the Catholic church nearby, of which the good old mother was a devout member. Interment was made in the cemetery in the church yard, the funeral and services being conducted by Rev. Father Hahn in charge of the parish.

The last sad tribute to a noble and loving mother was attended by a large concourse of neighbors and friends, who had known this excellent lady for many years. The good woman was laid at rest in the vacant lot left for her between her husband and mother-in-law, where she will sleep the long sleep that

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Those who attended the funeral from a distance were Thomas Hanlon, of Omaha, a brother of the deceased, P. J. Murphy, also of Omaha, Miss Katie Conner of Council Bluffs, Iowa, Miss Mary Smith, of St. Louis, Mo., besides a large number from Nebraska City and other points. Those attending from Avoca were Jacob Opp, Mrs. J. H. Smith and mother, Dr. Brendell, Joe Zimminer, Louie Dunkak, B. C. Marquardt, John Bush, Gus Moore, Gus Buss and F. A. Schaffer.

Card of Thanks

We desire to return our most sincere thanks to those kind neighbors and friends for their valuable assistance during the funeral of our dear mother. Their kindness will certainly not be forgotten by us.

M. M. STRAUB,
V. W. STRAUB,
DAVID STRAUB,
T. H. STRAUB,
W. E. STRAUB.

An Old Man's Word

While youth enjoys energy, strength and vitality, old age must be respected for experience and conservatism. This experience is often more valuable than schooling, it behooves to young men always to consider the advice of old people. Let us consider what Mr. Julian Perznski, 1417 Germantown ave., Philadelphia, Pa. says: "I am past 63 years old and keep myself in good health only by using from six to eight bottles of Triner's American Elixir of Bitter Wine every year. It is a very good tonic which I conscientiously recommend." The old gentleman speaks the truth, because this remedy is the best tonic in all periods of life, where a decline of bodily strength and vitality is noticed. It makes the body able to accept enough nourishment and to build of it enough pure blood to maintain the necessary strength. It cures diseases of the stomach and bowels, strengthens the nerves and muscles and gives new energy and ambition. At drug stores. Jos. Triner, 616-622 So. Ashland Ave., Chicago, Ill.

A Special Effort.

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Wabash Department

A. J. BRANN, Manager

H. P. Dehning's team took a little sj around town Monday evening.

W. H. Pocl was up from Weeping Water Tuesday.

Grant Lang visited here last week. Grant is one of our old time citizens and now living at Seattle, Washington.

Miss Rhene Towle returned home Wednesday.

Postmaster Brann and wife drove over to Manley Wednesday to visit relatives.

The Missouri Pacific has put in a telephone in the depot.

Henry Murfin and Grant Lang drove over to Murdock Wednesday.

Mrs. M. V. Wood returned last week from Kansas where he has been visiting relatives the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Edgerton returned

from Lincoln Wednesday.

Rev. Langare of New York, visited here Thursday, he being a former pastor of the M. E. church here.

O. O. Thomas was down from Lincoln Friday.

John Creamer was at Lincoln Friday.

Mrs. S. E. Cain was down from Omaha last week, getting members for the Royal Neighbors lodge.

Dr. and Mrs. Munger was down from Elmwood Thursday.

Boom Wadlet and Dr. Munger was down from Elmwood Friday afternoon.

Some of our people while picking raspberries last week, saw some hogs and got frightened quite badly.

Several from here took in the circus Monday at Lincoln.

J. J. Hill and wife were here from Belverder visiting relatives.

Manley Department

W. J. RAU, Manager

John Ruby of Murdock was in town Tuesday.

Paul Rauth of Julesburg, Colo., returned home Tuesday after a two weeks visit with his brothers, Will and John.

Wheat crop is about all cut and the quality and acreage good.

A. Mitchell and J. B. Hopkins, of Elmwood, were visiting Grandpa Hayes over Sunday, Grandpa Hayes was unable to make the trip to Culbertson, Montana, to the funeral of his son, on account of ill health, he went as far as Omaha and had to return.

Mrs. Patrick Murphy of Stuart, Neb., is here visiting Mrs. John C. Murphy.

Miss Ella Lord of Percival, Iowa, was here last week visiting with Mrs. Geo. Lord, she returned to her home Tuesday.

Miss Ida Sherman of Springfield spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Fred Krecklow.

The Keckler elevator is undergoing some light repairs.

The Bank of Manley, the safe place to deposit.

Fifty-five passengers from Manley to Kingling Bros. show at Omaha Tuesday. Several of the passengers were so taken up with the elephants they missed their train and stayed over night, returning

home via Plattsmouth and Weeping Water the next day.

Manley vs. Cedar Creek, Manley, 6; Cedar Creek, 7. A lively game, good playing on both sides. Stove Creek and Manley teams cross bats on the latter's grounds Sunday, July 19th.

Mrs. Nutzman of Avoca, visited Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Harms Tuesday.

On account of a derailment of a freight train on the Missouri Pacific near Springfield Wednesday morning, no morning mail was received.

The Ladies Kensington club met at the home of Mrs. R. D. O'Brien last Thursday. Mrs. Bish of Weeping Water was in attendance.

The teachers for the Manley school have not yet been elected, two are needed, teachers, be lively, and hand in your applications.

A party of Louisville Merry Widows were out last Thursday raiding the country for cherries. They were dressed in pretty blue gowns and merry widow straw hats that would cover an acre. On their way home they passed through Manley and dropped in the bank with such commotion as to startle the cashier. The party consisted of Mrs. Geo. Woods, Misses Barnhart, Wood and Isenberg, accompanied by chaperon Judge P. Wood.

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It is better to buy from a reputable dealer whom you know, and pay him a fair profit than to buy from a pedler or by mail goods at attractive prices, and which may prove to be worthless. Our line of jewelry contains no trashy or cheap pieces. We guarantee every article we sell and our reputation for fair and honest dealing back it up. A piece of good jewelry is a token of esteem which is seldom underestimated. A gold watch or ring is a gift that will serve as a constant reminder for years.

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