

## DAILY PERSONAL NEWS

Short Items of Interest From Friday Evening's Daily Journal

Geo. Kaffenberger, jr., is spending the day in Omaha going to that city on the early train this morning.

P. J. Vallery is in Omaha today taking medical treatment being a passenger on the morning train for that city.

John Kaffenberger was a visitor today in South Omaha going up to attend the stock sale and also see the sights of the corn show.

Walter L. Propst came in this morning from his home in the precinct and was a passenger for Omaha where he will take in the cattle sale.

Grant Hackenberg came in this morning from the country and took the Burlington train for South Omaha where he will attend the stock sale.

Ben Horning is among those coming in from the country this morning and taking the train for South Omaha where he will attend the cattle sale.

S. W. Beckenridge and wife came in this morning and were passengers on the early train for Omaha where they will spend the day and take in the corn show.

Mrs. B. W. Livingston is taking in the sights of the corn show today, being a passenger on the morning train for that city.

Jos. Wiles and wife are spending the day in Omaha going up on the early train. They expect to take in the corn show and it is Mr. Wiles' intention to attend the stock sale at South Omaha and look after any bargains in the line of live stock which may show up.

Mrs. J. A. Swartz and daughter Helen, are spending the day in Omaha where the young lady is seeing Santa Claus and where Mrs. Swartz is attending the corn show.

Jos. Tubbs was one of the prominent farmers of the precinct who came in this morning and were passengers on the early train for Omaha where he attended the corn show.

C. S. Byers from the vicinity of Rock Bluffs came in this morning and was a passenger on the mail for Omaha where he will see the corn show and other sights.

A. L. McDonald, of Eagle, came in last evening on business, and let the light of his genial countenance beam in upon the Journal force this morning ere taking the train for home. Mac reports everything lovely at Eagle.

W. L. Street is reported as much better at the hospital at Omaha. Mr. Street has been an exemplary patient and has stood the ordeal of the treatment manfully and it is a matter of congratulation that he has gone through it so well. He will probably be confined to the hospital for a number of days yet.

Chris Parkennings and wife were passengers this morning for Bennington where they expect to visit their daughter for several days. Mr. and Mrs. Parkennings are two of the best citizens of the county and they are taking a well deserved rest from their labors on the farm and intend to spend several days visiting their children.

## DEATH OF LITTLE DAUGHTER

The Grim Reaper Visits the Home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McMaken.

Died—McMaken, Margaret Dorothy, aged 18 months, at the home of her parents Jos. McMaken and wife, Plattsmouth, Neb., Dec. 18, 1908, of diphtheria. Interment at Oak Hill cemetery Saturday, Dec. 19, 1908.

The death of Margaret Dorrington the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McMaken was the cause of much sorrow to their many friends in this city and vicinity. The dread scourge which has been desolating the community took grim toll in this little one.

Passing from earth after so brief a stay, she leaves a void which the hand of time can never fill in the hearts of those remaining behind.

As the tenderest flower is upon the earth but a brief time so was this little life. It was born but to pass away and leave behind only profound grief and regret. The parents who have surrendered this great loss deserve and receive the entire and undivided sympathy of the entire community. The funeral will take place this afternoon at four o'clock and will be private owing to the nature of the disease.

## Local News.

From Wednesday's Daily. Wm. Puls, jr., came in this morning from his home at Maple Grove and was a passenger for Omaha where he will attend the corn show.

Geo. Hild, jr., and Charles Miller of Thurman, Ia., were passengers on the mail train for Omaha this noon where they will take in the corn show and look after some business matters.

Charles Herren and Herman Beck from near Murray drove in this morning and were passengers on the mail train for Omaha where they will take in the corn show during the afternoon.

Jas Stander came in this morning from Louisville and after transacting some business in the city was a passenger on the mail train for Omaha where he will spend the remainder of the day.

A. E. Taylor of Union was in the city this morning en route to Omaha to attend the Corn Show. Mr. Taylor is one of the best known citizens of Union and vicinity and had business matters here to attend to as well as taking the train.

John Rutherford has been having a time of it for several days with neuralgia being confined to the house yesterday and getting out today for the first time. While he is feeling much better he is still not so well as he would like to be and it will probably be several days before he is himself again.

Senator-elect W. B. Banning of Union, came in yesterday afternoon from his home and after spending the night in the city with friends, departed this noon on the mail train for Lincoln where he goes to consult the big wigs and prepare for the legislative grind.

Luke Wiles and wife were among the large crowd going to Omaha today. Mr. Wiles is a delegate to the Stock Growers' Association which meets at the city hall there today. They will also take in the corn show and Mr. Wiles hopes to be able to get some pointers on how to raise prize corn.

C. A. Phillips accompanied by J. D. Henthorn and wife of Aurora, Neb., who have been visiting him and his family, were passengers this morning for Omaha where they will attend the corn show. Mr. and Mrs. Henthorn are enroute to Aurora, Ill., and stopped off here to make a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, being old friends of that gentleman.

John Peters who is farming John McNurlin's place in Mt. Pleasant precinct, and Frank McNurlin were callers at the Journal office this morning having come in to attend to business in the city. The gentlemen were quite welcome and gave the office a more than pleasant call. They will always find the latch string on the outside and are cordially invited to call again.

### Want to Buy a Building.

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Charles Cook.

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John W. Polin was in the city yesterday looking after business matters.

Mark White and wife came up this morning to look after some business matters in the city.

Miss Minnie B. Buell of Murdock is spending the day in the city having come down on the Schuyler train this morning.

Miss Evelyn Taylor is spending the afternoon in Omaha being a passenger for that city on the mail train.

Jacob Meisinger came in this morning from his fine farm in Eight Mile Grove precinct to transact business with his friends in this city.

John Murray and family were passengers for Omaha where they go to attend the corn show and where the little ones hope to see Santa Claus.

Chris Muckenaupt and wife were passengers on the early train this morning for Omaha, where they will spend the day and look after some business matters.

William F. Gillespie, the Mynard grain merchant and general works of the village, came in this morning to look after some business matters with our people.

R. A. Young, wife and daughter Janet are taking in the sights of the metropolis this afternoon, being passengers for Omaha on the fast mail at noon.

R. F. Propst and wife were among those traveling to Omaha this noon on the mail train being passengers for that city to take in the corn show.

Miss Laura Seabl of Omaha, who has been visiting in the city with Mrs. Zucker her sister, returned to her home in Omaha this noon on the mail. The children of Mrs. Zucker accompanied her for a several days' visit.

John Meisinger, jr., one of the most popular young farmers west of the city, came in this morning to look after some business matters and paid the Journal one of his much appreciated visits. Mr. Meisinger is one of the class of men whom it is a pleasure to meet and his arrival is something which everyone appreciates.

### Fair Warning.

Again I give accident hunters warning to stay off my place, for they might meet with an accident as inexperienced hunters generally do.

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### Bull for Service.

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Charles Cook.



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## DEATH OF A VERY UNIQUE CHARACTER

Russel Smith Dies at the Home of His Brother Near Union.

From Saturday's Daily. Miles R. Smith, one of the most unique characters in Cass County, passed away at the home of his brother last Friday, December 11th, and was buried at Union cemetery on Friday.

Russel, as he was familiarly called, was born on the old Smith farm south of Union nearly forty-eight years ago. His father, one of the first settlers in Cass county, came here over fifty years ago and settled on the banks of the Weeping Water one mile south of Union, and lived there until his death. The old log house in which Russel was born, remains until today, and in a fair state of preservation.

He was a resident of Cass county all this time with the exception of a few years he was in Idaho, visiting a sister. He made the trip on foot, walking as he said every step of the way, and making his way by playing the violin which was his constant companion. On his return trip someone stole his violin, and to quote his own words, "he had a very hard time after that," and when he arrived home again he had undergone many privations. He was possessed of a small farm near Union and yielded a meager income. Here he constructed a dug out and lived with a dog and his new violin, a gift from his many friends, as his companions. Here he was taken ill about two years ago and was removed to the home of his brother, where he died, a victim of paralysis.

Russel had friends—lots of them. He was inoffensive and honest, and was tenderly laid to rest by the hands of his old neighbors, who were his friends from his youth.

He leaves three brothers and one sister, who are with the exception of E. M., residents of other states.—Nebraska Register.

### Benefit Ball.

A benefit ball will be given by the eagles and T. J. Sokol's at the latter's hall on New Year's eve, Thursday, Dec. 31. The object in giving this dance is a most worthy one and should be attended by all who love to trip the light fantastic, and extend charity to those who need help. The very best of music will be present and everything will be done to make this occasion long to be remembered as one of the very grandest events of the old year. Make your arrangements to attend.

NOTICE. The State of Nebraska, in Justice Court before M. Archer, Justice of the Peace for the City of Plattsmouth, County of Cass, Ed Egenberger, Plaintiff,

vs. Frank C. Benfer, Defendant.

Frank C. Benfer will take notice that on the 21st day of November, 1908, M. Archer, a Justice of the Peace for the City of Plattsmouth, County of Cass, Nebraska, issued an order of attachment for the sum of One Hundred Seventy-eight and 40/100 (\$178.40) Dollars in an action pending before him, where Ed Egenberger is plaintiff and Frank C. Benfer is defendant; that personal property of said defendant has been attached under said order. Said cause was continued to the 6th day of January 1909, at 9 o'clock a. m. Ed Egenberger, Plaintiff.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, November 30, 1908.

NOTICE. The State of Nebraska, in Justice Court before M. Archer, Justice of the Peace for the City of Plattsmouth, County of Cass, Charles H. Wilkins, Plaintiff,

vs. Frank C. Benfer, Defendant.

Frank C. Benfer will take notice that on the 20th day of November, 1908, M. Archer, a Justice of the Peace for the City of Plattsmouth, County of Cass, Nebraska, issued an order of attachment for the sum of Sixty-eight and 70/100 (\$68.70) Dollars in an action pending before him, where Charles H. Wilkins is plaintiff and Frank C. Benfer is defendant; that personal property of said defendant has been attached under said order. Said cause was continued to the 6th day of January 1909, at 9 o'clock a. m. Charles H. Wilkins, Plaintiff.

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Benfer is defendant; That personal property of said defendant, has been attached under said order. Said cause was continued to the 6th day of January, 1909, at 9 o'clock a. m. Charles H. Wilkins, Plaintiff.

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