

The Avoca Department

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

Poison fly paper at Copes'.
J. C. Zimmerer was at Omaha Tuesday.
Dave Straub was at Omaha Monday.
Buy your fire works at Copes' drug store.
Ellis Lewton is working for Wm. Morley.
Morley & Rubge have dissolved partnership.
T. H. Straub was a visitor at Omaha Tuesday.
Wm. Knabe of Berlin was a visitor here Tuesday.
Charles Everett is working at Rubge's livery barn.
Nicholas Trook was at Lincoln several days this week.
Colonel Bates was over from Plattsmouth last week.
B. C. Marquardt and family were Dunbar visitors Sunday.
Several from here attended the ball game at Talmage Sunday.
E. B. Taylor was here from Springfield the first of the week.
Children's day was observed at the Christian church Sunday evening.
Mrs. Florence Durham has returned from a visit to Colorado relatives.
Harry Wellensiek, father of Banker Wellensiek, was here Wednesday.
Several from Berlin attended the

Children's day exercises here Sunday evening.
Mrs. Edna Young of near Berlin, was visiting Avoca relatives the first of the week.
Miss Marguerite Francis was here from Dunbar Wednesday attending the Rebekah district meeting.
Henry Wulf, wife and son William were Plattsmouth visitors Tuesday.
Nelson Anderson and Henry Heebner were here from Nehawka Monday.
Harry D. Wollers and Miss Anna Stubbendeck were married Thursday at the home of the bride's parents in North Branch precinct. A large number of relatives and friends were present. They will reside on a farm southwest of town.
The Rebekah's held a district meeting here on Wednesday. An afternoon session was held and in the evening the Rebekah degree was conferred on a candidate by the Avoca lodge. A large crowd was present, and an enjoyable time had by all present.
The board of education have elected the following teachers for the coming school year: Principal, O. C. Larson, of Plattsmouth; Intermediate, Miss Maud Hanger, of Doniphan; Primary, Miss Selma Marquardt, of Avoca. The annual school meeting will be held at the school house next Monday evening.

Organizes New Lodge
Councilman Wm. Gravett was a visitor last Saturday at Weeping Water where he organized a tribe of Red Men, acting under a special dispensation from Great Sachem J. H. Grosvenor of Aurora. The new lodge starts under the most favorable auspices having a membership of 50 to come with. The enthusiasm at the meeting was great and Councilman Gravett was highly pleased with the showing which was made. He believes that Weeping Water will have one of the live tribes on the reservation and he is firmly of the opinion that there will be a great future for this tribute. He was assured by a large number of the members of the new lodge that they would have a good delegation present at the Fourth of July celebration in this city. Mr. Gravett has made an excellent record as a Red Man and he put the new lodge through in fine shape last Saturday night. He is experienced in the work and he gave the boys a fine exemplification of the ritual. The local tribe was much pleased to learn that another tribe had been established in the county and hopes to see more Red Men and brothers all over the county in the near future. Mr. Gravett has a dispensation to visit Ashland and organize the Red Men there and he hopes to get there within a few days. The Red Men have made marvelous strides since they were organized in this state and have become one of the most powerful organizations here.

CELEBRATES GOLD-EN WEDDING

Col. Thrasher and Wife Attend Anniversary in Iowa

Colonel J. H. Thrasher returned last evening from a visit of several days with relatives at Persia, Ia. While away the Colonel who was accompanied by his estimable wife attended a golden wedding near Persia, the principals being Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Davis. The wife is a sister of Mrs. Thrasher. The wedding was held at the fine farm of Mr. Davis near Persia in Harrison county, Ia., and was a very largely attended affair, there being some 250 in attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Davis are among the best known citizens of that section. They have lived there for the past forty years and number their friends by the thousands. For the proper observation of the golden anniversary a school building which stands upon the Davis farm was utilized, the seats being removed and tables set for the delectation of the many guests. These tables were arranged for feeding some fifty-two guests at one time and it took some five rounds before all the guests were fed. As would be expected in this rich and fruitful country there was everything possible to eat on the tables and the Colonel avers that he never in his life was so loaded down with hospitality as on this occasion. He ate and ate until he could hold no more. There were a great many very handsome and expensive golden presents given Mr. and Mrs. Davis as a memorial from their many relatives and friends. On the whole the occasion was made one which the good people cannot but remember during all their lives. Mr. and Mrs. Davis are the proud parents of nine boys and one girl. The boys are thrifty like their parents and eight of them are the owners of fine farms adjacent to their folks. One of the boys is a student in the law department of the university of Nebraska. The Colonel is more than delighted with his trip and regretted having to cut it short and return but pressure of business compelled him to. His wife remains for a few days longer visit and is expected home on Saturday.

A Very Sad Case.

From Wednesday's Daily.
A case which is unusually pathetic has been on hearing today before the insanity commission consisting of Clerk of the Court Robertson, Attorney D. O. Dwyer and Dr. E. F. Brendel of Murray. The complaint is against Mrs. Gus Mohr of Avoca, a prominent lady of that town. Mrs. Mohr has been taking treatment in Omaha at St. Joseph's hospital for several weeks past for nervous trouble, her complaint being really nervous prostration. She has recently developed suicidal tendencies and it was thought best to have her committed to the insane ward where she can have the best of treatment. Accordingly, Louis Dunkak of Avoca went to Omaha and brought her down to this city where she received examination at the hands of the board. They decided that her condition was such that she should be committed to the asylum at Lincoln and so ordered the sheriff to take her there. The unfortunate lady was in bad condition being carried from the depot to the country court room where the hearing was had. She is accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Schmidt of Avoca, two well known residents of that city.

Mrs. Mohr was taken to Lincoln this afternoon on the Schuyler train. Sheriff Quinton and Mrs. Schmidt were to accompany her to the sanitarium.

No Tired Feeling.

Prof. Loewy of Berlin found a new remedy called spermin, which should put an end to all tire-feeling and exhaustion. The cause of this effect on the human body the inventor is unable to explain. This remedy will hardly be assessable to the people as long as it is used as an injection under the skin. We called several times, the attention of our readers to a remedy which quickly cures physical and mental exhaustion. It is Triner's American Elixir of Bitter Wine, which will stimulate the digestive organs to work, strengthening them at the same time. This will enable them to accept enough food to build new, rich blood, and to make the circulation normal. Use it in all diseases where the symptoms are:— loss of appetite, quick exhaustion, nervousness, constipation, lack of energy. At drug store. Jos. Triner, 1333-1339 So. Ashland ave., Chicago, Ill.

GOES TO WEST-ERN PACIFIC

Clyde Opelt Formerly of This City Takes New Position.

The following item in the Denver Post relates to a former Lincoln boy: "The Western Pacific announced another appointment yesterday, which will take a Denver man to San Francisco to aid in the operation of the new road. "Clyde Opelt, dining car superintendent of the Colorado Midland road has been placed in charge of the dining car service and eating house system of the Western Pacific, the appointment to become effective July 1. Mr. Opelt left Denver for the coast last night and will make an inspection of the system and the new diners the road will use preparatory to taking charge. "George W. Vallery, general manager of the Midland, recommended Mr. Opelt to the Western Pacific as the best man he knew of available for the place."—State Journal.
Mr. Opelt is quite well known in this city, having been clerk at the Hotel Riley for several years when his father, the late Jos. Opelt, was proprietor of that institution. He is a popular man and an excellent hotel man. That he will make the Western Pacific a good man is an assured fact and his many friends are glad to note his advancement. Mr. Vallery who recommended him is also an old Plattsmouth man, and a very popular and efficient railroad official.

Entertains Jolly Eight Card Club.


Mrs. C. R. Burdick entertained the Jolly Eight Card club in a most charming manner yesterday afternoon at her pleasant home on north Fourth street.
The principal amusement was derived from cards, there being seven or eight games played. In the contest Miss Frances Kanka won the first prize and Miss Paula Goos captured the booby prize, which consisted of an imitation peanut holding two little Eskimo dolls in it. A pleasant feature was the presence of Mrs. Mary Reznor of Edgemont, S. D., a former member of the club.
Following the card games a delicious and dainty luncheon was served at the card tables. This luncheon consisted of something cool, such as ices, cakes and the like and the guests found it delightfully appetizing and pleasant.
Those who enjoyed Mrs. Burdick's hospitality on this occasion were Mesdames Wm. Hinrichsen, John Lutz, Ofe, Val Burkel, A. Crossary, Kanka; Misses Frances Kanka, Pearl and Rose Mumm and Paula Goos. Mrs. J. M. Johns assisted the hostess in entertaining and serving.
John Schmidt and wife of Avoca are spending the day in the city, coming in to attend the Mohr hearing while Mrs. Schmidt is taking an active part in caring for the unfortunate lady.
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ALVO NEWS

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Mrs. J. A. Shaffer visited in Lincoln Monday.
L. D. Mullen went to Lincoln Wednesday evening.
A band of Gypsies stormed the town Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. James Rouse spent Sunday in Palmyra.
Fred Dreamer and family spent Sunday in Plattsmouth.
Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stone and son autoed to Ashland Sunday.
Mayme De Vore spent Monday night with Mrs. S. Cashner.
Miss Lizzie Taylor is assisting Mrs. A. J. Bird with her housework.
S. C. Boyles and E. M. Stone were in Plattsmouth on business last Tuesday.
Miss Orpha Mullen left Monday for Saranac, Mich, to visit her aunts and uncles.
George Baker, the painter, dropped dead Monday morning northeast of town.
Miss Stella Shaw of Lincoln visited Miss Grace Foreman between trains Saturday.
The Ladies of the Methodist Episcopal church gave an ice cream social last week.
Colonel Bates of the Journal, was circulating among his friends Friday and Saturday.
Mrs. Nervia Knott and son Irvin went to Waverly Monday, returning home Tuesday.
Dale Boyles went to Plattsmouth on business last Saturday, returning home Sunday evening.
Harry Vickers of Omaha Sundayed with the home folks, returning to his work Monday noon.
J. H. Stromer took in the Retail Coal Dealers convention at Omaha on Tuesday and Wednesday.
Sam Jordan who has been home for a couple of weeks returned to his work Monday at Omaha.
Mr. E. Vincent of Denver, stopped between trains Tuesday to visit his aunt, Mrs. D. A. Vincent.
The Stroemer Lumber & Grain company shipped a car of hogs to

South Omaha Tuesday night.

Friends surprised Verl Linch Tuesday evening in honor of his birthday. Ice cream and cake was served.
Friends gathered at the home of Dan Williams Tuesday evening and helped him celebrate his birthday.
Miss Grace Bailey went to Lincoln Sunday on No. 17 to attend the summer school at the state university.
A party of friends gathered at the home of Edith and Glenn Foreman Monday and spent a very enjoyable time.
A four act drama entitled, "The Iron Hand," was given by Murdock talent in the Alvo hall on the evening of June 16.
Mrs. A. J. Foreman and daughter Hazel returned from Rarey Monday noon, where they visited Ed. Foreman and wife.
Miss Flossie Strain and Elmer Strain of Bethany, came in Tuesday to visit a few days with their aunt, Mrs. D. A. Vincent.
C. R. Jordan went to Plattsmouth Sunday to meet with the county commissioners Monday. He returned home Tuesday evening.
Porter Appleman and family visited with his brothers, L. B. and Harry Appleman Friday night. They were en route to Holt county in an auto.
Wm. Worrel aged 63 years, died Sunday morning after an illness lasting several weeks. He was buried in Belmont cemetery Monday afternoon.
Miss Alta Linch returned home from York, Neb., where she taught school the past year, last Friday by way of Greenwood. E. M. Stone and son and Verl Linch meeting her there.
Miss Pearl Keefer returned home from Iowa City last Thursday on No. 5, where she has attended school the past year. She was accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. Joseph Prouty and children.
Mrs. J. C. Petersen departed this morning for Omaha. Her trunk which was lost and mention of which was made in yesterday's Journal, has been located at Omaha and it is to look after getting it back home that she makes the trip today.

Storekeeper at Gibson.

J. R. Hunter departed this morning for Gibson where he takes charge of the local store of the Burlington. R. H. Shriner who was storekeeper at that point has resigned and Mr. Hunter has been appointed as his successor. The young man is a thoroughly capable and able young man and will make good in his new position without doubt. He has been connected with the Burlington road for some years past and has won the new place by virtue of hard work and close attention to details. The Gibson store is one of the most important of the subsidiary stores of the Burlington west of the river and a great deal of responsibility rests upon the storekeeper at that point. Mr. Hunter is personally a very popular young man and one who has a great many personal friends in this city and vicinity who will be glad to hear he is doing so well in his work.
Adam Hild and wife, Louis Puls and wife and Michael Hild of Hedrick, Ia., came in this afternoon from the country for a visit of several hours with friends and relatives in the city. Mr. Puls took advantage of his trip to the city to call at the Journal office and renew his subscription to the paper for another year. The party will have a very enjoyable trip to this city as they are all popular and well known citizens and well liked.
Louis Dunkak, one of Avoca's best citizens, came in this morning from Omaha in his machine, having driven from his home to Omaha where he took Mrs. Gus Mohr into his machine and brought her to this city. Mr. Dunkak is one of the vnest men in southern Cass or for that matter in any part of the country and he is always a welcome caller in this city. He paid the Journal one of his pleasant calls and is invited to come again and often.
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