

The Avoca Department

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

Imo Johnson is spending her vacation in Avoca.

F. W. Ruhge and wife were at Omaha last Friday.

Dr. J. W. Brendel and wife were Murray visitors Sunday.

Roy Fahnestock was at Omaha several days last week.

Come in and see the new line of wall paper at Copes' drug store.

Miss Clara Marquardt is spending the week with her parents in Avoca.

Miss Viola Lehn of Berlin is visiting her cousin, Miss Lydia Bencke.

Mrs. William Hollenberger was at Weeping Water Tuesday afternoon.

Charles Jenkins entertained relatives from near Weeping Water Tuesday.

Miss Betts of Valparaiso is visiting her grandparents, Benjamin Betts and wife.

Fred Buckman lost a valuable horse the first of the week via the colic route.

Gip Broezeale entertained relatives from Talmage and Rockport, Missouri, this week.

Several of our baseball fans attended the Lincoln-Detroit game at Lincoln Sunday.

Duncan & DeVere Vaudeville company will appear at the Avoca town hall on April 10.

Miss Lizzie Reed of Weeping Water was the guest of Mrs. Fred McGardy this week.

Prof. John E. Opp of Beaver Crossing arrived Monday on a visit with his parents here.

F. C. Ruhge left Thursday for Denver, where he has secured a position in a clothing store.

Miss Mary Hanson is caring for Mrs. Henry Behrens, who recently underwent an operation.

Louis Carsten, Jr., is reported to be very ill from pneumonia. A nurse from Omaha is caring for him.

Rev. Kokjer and Miss Julia Nutzman visited Omaha a couple of days last week and attended "Ben Hur."

Mrs. John Busch entertained the Congregational Ladies' Aid society at her home last Thursday afternoon.

William Goelner, Miss Witzke, G. W. Braezeale, wife and daughter, autoted to Rockport, Missouri, Sunday.

H. G. Wellensiek was over from Syracuse Tuesday attending a meeting of the directors of the Bank of Avoca.

Frank Greenrod wears a smile that won't come off, all on account of the arrival of a son and heir of the regulation weight.

Mrs. Robert Wilkinson and daughter, Mildred, of Dunbar, visited Mrs. W. A. Hollenberger and Mrs. Graham last Friday between trains.

William Morley, Asa Johnson, Sopha Ruhge and Pearl Harmon took in the sights of Omaha and attended "Ben Hur" Saturday evening.

John Henry Busch, our bustling lumber dealer, has purchased an auto from Henry Ruhge, Jr., northwest of town. John says he will be going some in a few days.

A gentleman from Scotts Bluff has purchased the mill of Henry Hagerman. The new proprietor will make all the necessary improvements soon, and will, in a short time, be able to supply Avoca and vicinity with flour.

The Misses Sophia and Louise Ruhge gave a party at their home Tuesday evening for their brother, Fred, who leaves in a few days for Denver, where he has secured a good position. A large crowd of the young people responded to the invitation and enjoyed a pleasant evening at some-er-set and other games, and last, but not least, enjoyed partaking of the delicious refreshments prepared by the young ladies. We are sorry to lose a young man like Fred from our midst, as he is greatly liked in both business and social circles.

The young friends of Genevieve

Mickle gave her a delightful surprise party at her home west of Avoca Tuesday evening. A large crowd of her schoolmates from town were present to wish her many more happy birthdays and all reported a jolly evening.

A specific for pain—Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil, strongest, cheapest liniment ever devised. A household remedy in American for 25 years.

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Ora E. Cope,

DRUGGIST AND JEWELER

Avoca, - - - Nebraska

ALVO NEWS

Harry Appleman went to Lincoln Saturday evening.

Miss Myrtle Dallery of Lincoln spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Casey.

John Newkirk and brother-in-law, Ed Wait, were in Plattsmouth Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peterson of Havelock are visiting relatives here.

Mr. Holderness was a passenger to Lincoln Sunday evening.

Clifford Appleman and his uncle, Charles Appleman, left Thursday for a visit at Atlantic, Iowa.

The Misses Alma Goodbody and Vera Prouty were in Lincoln Saturday.

C. M. Jordan shipped a car of cattle to South Omaha Monday.

A. N. Myers and wife have a son, born Saturday, April 1, 1911. All are doing well.

Charles Strong went to Omaha Monday.

R. F. Johnson shipped a car of cattle and a car of hogs to South Omaha Monday, going with them.

Miss Orpha Mullin and Mr. Cooley of Lincoln spent Sunday with Miss Mullin's father.

C. R. Jordan was in Lincoln Saturday evening.

Mrs. George Sutton went to Lincoln Saturday evening.

C. R. Jordan went to Plattsmouth the first of the week.

Miss Alta Linch returned Sunday to York, Neb., where she is teaching. Her mother and brother took her to Greenwood in the auto to take the B. & M. route.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cole and Miss Edith Cole of Havelock visited Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Cole's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Foreman.

R. W. Stewart and Thomas Staat were in Omaha Monday and Tuesday.

Lewis Manners of Lincoln spent Sunday with his parents.

Mr. J. L. Snavely was in Elmwood Monday.

Clyde Newkirk was in Murdock Sunday visiting friends.

J. A. Shaffer was a Lincoln visitor between trains No. 13 and 18 Thursday.

Stella Swacker was a Murdock visitor last week.

Misses Elsie Stout and Joe Hite spent Saturday and Sunday with the latter's sister, Mrs. John Ausgwert.

Dr. Muir was in Lincoln on business last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sheeless spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Compton of Union.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cashner visited Mrs. Cashner's brother, Elton Snokes, Sunday.

Fay Parsell of Lincoln visited in Alvo Sunday.

Miss Etta Miller of Lincoln spent Sunday with her folks.

T. W. Barry was in Lincoln Friday.

Rev. Kiggins of University Place changed pulpits Sunday with Rev. Bliss.

Byron Foreman came in Saturday on No. 17 from Omaha.

Carlton Gullion returned Tuesday from Ord, Nebraska.

Fred Leidig went to Lincoln Tuesday evening.

Ed Wait of Custer county is visiting relatives here this week.

Charles Rosenow and wife were shopping in Lincoln Friday.

Mrs. J. W. Rasp and daughter, Esther, were in Lincoln Wednesday.

Charles Trumble of Eagle was in town Tuesday and Wednesday on business.

James Jordan spent Saturday and Sunday in Omaha.

Mrs. Sam Cashner and Mrs. Prouty were visiting in Greenwood Wednesday.

Miss Floe Boyles spent Sunday with her folks.

Mrs. Bud Groves went to Prairie Home Saturday to visit.

The town election Tuesday, April 4, resulted as follows: S. C. Boyls, R. A. Stone, Dr. L. Muir and Clarence Curgle being elected, and Fred Dreamer and Charles Strong tied.

H. S. Ough sold his meat market to Charles Trumble of Eagle. Mr. Trumble takes possession next Monday.

Have you tried a sack of that Wahoo Mills flour Ask the man about it the next time you need flour. You will find it to be the best on the market.

Lame Shoulder is nearly always due to rheumatism of the muscles, and quickly yields to the free application of Chamberlain's Liniment. For sale by F. G. Fricke & Co.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Drugg*

Constipation brings many ailments in its train and is the primary cause of much sickness. Keep your bowels regular, madam, and you will escape many of the ailments to which women are subject. Constipation is a very simple thing, but like many simple things, it may lead to serious consequences. Nature often needs a little assistance and when Chamberlain's Tablets are given at the first indication, much distress and suffering may be avoided. Sold by F. G. Fricke & Co.

Spring Millinery



You will find an elegant line of medium priced hats.

Large Medium Small **HATS**

Please call and see this line.

Miss Myers

MRS. GEYGER CELEBRATES HER EIGHTIETH BIRTHDAY

The Omaha World-Herald today had a cut of Mrs. Sophie Geyger, a former Plattsmouth resident, who now resides in Omaha, and who, on last Sunday, celebrated the 80th anniversary of her birth. The children were at home on that day, which added much to Mrs. Geyger's pleasure. Some of them came from great distances to celebrate the occasion. Two of her sons, William and Edward Geyger, came from the Atlantic coast. William resides in New York and is connected with one of the large furniture manufacturing plants there. He began the furniture business in this city as an employee of Uncle Henry Boeck, who taught him to put the cane bottoms in chairs left at his shop to be rebottomed. Mr. Geyger now commands a salary of between \$12,000 and \$15,000 per annum. For some time he was associated with John Wannamaker in the furniture business at Philadelphia at a very large salary. Mr. Geyger is another example of the Plattsmouth boy who has succeeded, and Mrs. Geyger is justly proud of her children.

Organize Corporation.
Articles of incorporation of the Philpot Ranch company of Weeping Water were filed with County Clerk D. C. Morgan today. The corporation has a capital of \$100,000, and will hold its franchise for fifty years, and will maintain offices at Weeping Water. The corporation will engage in raising, buying, feeding and selling all kinds of live stock.

"Our baby cries for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes Mrs. T. B. Kendrick, Rasaca, Ga. "It is the best cough remedy on the market for coughs, colds and croup." For sale by F. G. Fricke & Co.

Elected Officers Last Night.
The directors of the Plattsmouth Loan and Building Association met at the office of Mr. R. B. Windham last evening and elected the following officers for the coming year: William Ballance, president; John Hallstrom, vice president; T. M. Patterson, secretary; J. E. Barwick, treasurer, and R. B. Windham, solicitor.

No. 29 Annulled Today.
Messrs. H. C. Larson, W. H. Parsons, E. E. Stagner, Huddleson and Louis McElhainy, the crew of No. 29, left for Lincoln on the morning train today, their train being annulled. The introduction of the big "O-1" engine, with its daily hundred or more cars, makes it practicable for the company to annul one freight train each week, curtailing the running expense of the train.

DRUGGIST PERMIT.
Notice is hereby given that F. G. Fricke & Co. have filed their petition as required by the statutes of the state of Nebraska, with the city clerk of the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, requesting a permit to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors for medical, mechanical and chemical purposes for the coming municipal year in the building situated on lots one (1) and two (2), in block thirty-six (36), in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

DRUGGIST PERMIT.
Notice is hereby given that Edw. Rynott & Co. have filed their petition as required by the statutes of the state of Nebraska, with the city clerk of the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, requesting a permit to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors for medical, mechanical and chemical purposes for the coming municipal year in the building situated on the west half (w/2) of lot twelve (12), in block twenty-eight (28), in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

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Notice is hereby given that Weyrich & Hadraha have filed their petition as required by the statutes of the state of Nebraska, with the city clerk of the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, requesting a permit to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors for medical, mechanical and chemical purposes for the coming municipal year in the building situated on the west half (w/2) of lot three (3), in block thirty-five (35), in the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

LUMBER DEALERS NOT DISPOSED TO COMPLAIN

Lincoln wholesale lumber dealers say they have not suffered from the effect of the cancellation of the diversion privileges on lumber shipped on the lines west of the Missouri. Diversion privileges were cancelled by an order of the railroad companies that went into effect December 24 last. The only effect the order is having is that it compels buyers to put in their orders about two weeks earlier than they formerly had to. Formerly retail dealers throughout the state could order a car of lumber from the wholesale dealer who might have a trainload of lumber in transit on the way from the mills to some point in the state. When the order from the retailer was received the wholesale dealer could wire the agent at the point which the trainload of lumber was billed and could there have one of the cars diverted to the point from which the order came and rebilled on a through rate. Under the new order the retailer must get his order in in sufficient time that the car can be billed to him direct when it leaves the mills. The new order saves the agents at the former division points a lot of work and confusion. If for any reason it is necessary to change the billing on the car the rate is increased. Billing will still be changed on the cars, but the change of billing does not give the shipper the benefit of the through rate all the way.

Saved His Mother's Life.
"Four doctors had given me up," writes Mrs. Laura Gaines, of Avoca, La., "and my children and all my friends were looking for me to die, when my son insisted that I use Electric Bitters. I did so, and they have done me a world of good. I will always praise them." Electric Bitters is a priceless blessing to women troubled with fainting and dizzy spells, backache, headache, weakness, debility, constipation or kidney disorders. Use them and gain new health, strength and vigor. They're guaranteed to satisfy or money returned. Only 25c at F. F. Fricke's.

For Sale.
R. C. and S. C. R. I. Red Cockerels, \$1.00 each. Eggs, per setting, 75 cents; \$4.00 per 100. Inquire of Mrs. C. E. Schwab, Murray, Neb. Phone 3H Murray. 2-16-2mos-w.

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The only surgical house in the West where all fitting is done by an expert. Largest stock of trusses in the West.
THE W. G. CLEVELAND DRUG CO.
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TRIBUTE TO THE LATE CAPTAIN H. E. PALMER

There was not room in All Saints' church for all who attended the funeral of Captain Henry E. Palmer yesterday. Aside from the large delegations representing the Grand Army, Loyal Legion and Masons and Elks fraternities, there were hundreds of acquaintances and friends, including many from outside the city, who were there to pay tribute to his memory.

The body was taken to the church at an early hour, and lay in state until the hour of the funeral, the casket being in charge of a guard of honor from Mount Cavalry commandery No. 1, Knights Templar. Friends were permitted to view the remains from 11:30 to 1:30 o'clock, at which latter hour the casket was closed.

The Masonic fraternity held a part of its blue lodge service at the Masonic temple at 1:30 o'clock, the remainder of the service being conducted at the church by consent of Rev. T. J. Mackay.

Sections were reserved in the church for the various delegations from the civil war veterans' organizations and the Masonic orders and the Elks.

The following were the active and honorary pallbearers:

Honorary pallbearers—General G. M. Dodge, Lucius D. Richards, J. H. Millard, R. S. Wilcox, General Manderson, C. F. McGrew, Jay D. Foster, E. M. Andreeson, G. W. Holdrege, A. G. Beeson, T. W. Evans, Judge Munger, Walter Scott.

Active pallbearers—Thomas R. Kimball, Charles T. Kountze, J. I. Woodard, Frank E. White, F. Richardson, Charles Martin, John Robbins, W. H. Koenig.—World-Herald.

Kicked by a Mad Horse.

Samuel Birch, of Beetown, Wis., had a most narrow escape from losing his leg, as no doctor could heal the frightful sore that developed, but at last Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it completely. It's the greatest healer of ulcers, burns, boils, eczema, scalds, cuts, corns, cold-sores, bruises and at F. G. Fricke's.

Mortgages Filed and Released.

During the month of March in this county there were filed for record in the office of Register of Deeds Snyder fifty farm mortgages, the amount of mortgage indebtedness aggregating \$243,494.

There were thirty-eight releases filed, the amount being \$136,769.

There were thirteen city mortgages filed and fourteen released. The amount of indebtedness filed was \$8,500, while there was released \$12,140.

Midnight in the Ozarks

and yet sleepless Hiram Scranton, of Clay City, Ill., coughed and coughed. He was in the mountains on the advice of five doctors, who said he had consumption, but found no help in the climate, and started home. Hearing of Dr. King's New Discovery, he began to use it. "I believe it saved my life," he writes, "for it made a new man of me, so that I can now do good work again." For all lung diseases, coughs, colds, la grippe, asthma, croup, whooping cough, hay fever, hemorrhages, hoarseness or quincy, it's the best known remedy. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by F. G. Fricke.

A PLATTSMOUTH BOY ELECTED MAYOR OF ARAPAHOE

Charles Patterson was elected mayor of the city of Arapahoe, Neb., at the election Tuesday. There seemed to be quite a bitter fight over a bond issue, and while Mr. Patterson was in favor of the same it was defeated by one vote and Mr. Patterson was chosen mayor by a majority of 145. He was placed in nomination on the citizens' ticket. This vote certainly shows that Mr. Patterson is very popular in his home town, as he was not at home on election day and is still visiting in California, consequently no work was done in the interests of his election except by his friends. We venture the assertion that there is but one solution for his success, and that is that he is one of the best fellows that ever lived in Arapahoe, and the best qualified for the position.

Citizens Cleaning Up.

Mr. Frank Gobelman and force of artists today are painting the residence of Mr. Charles Heger, which will be a beautiful blue slate color trimmed in white. As soon as Mr. Heger's job is completed the painters will at once begin work on Mr. William Barclay's residence. This will be painted pure white. The example of Messrs. Heger and Barclay should be followed by every owner of a home in the city. If this were done Plattsmouth would be the best-looking town in Nebraska.

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