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Newsy Notes From Neighboring Towns

GATHERED FROM OUR EXCHANGES

BLOOMINGTON

(From the Advocate.)

Dr. Sumner reports the arrival of a baby girl at the home of Fred Martin.

Dr. Ella P. Sumner was down to Riverton last Monday on professional business.

Jos. Glick of Riverton was in town this week on his way to his new home in Colorado.

Mrs. Jessup loaded her household goods Thursday preparatory to leaving for her new home in Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Waldo and Mr. Carpenter and Miss Beulah Harman of Inavale, spent Sunday with friends in this city.

J. H. Chapman and son Joe, of Marion township were in town one day this week. They expect to go to Orleans next year to farm.

RIVERTON

(From the Review.)

Little Helen Morrow has a whole swarm of measles.

Jerry Clow was on the St. Joe market the first of the week with a car load of cattle.

The little three year-old girl of Mr. and Mrs. Will Cline has been quite sick for several days.

Bert Overlease is spending his vacation here. He is new fireman on the Burlington out of Lincoln.

J. V. Hartson, one of our oldest and best known citizens, was suddenly stricken with paralysis Tuesday night.

Brenton Elder, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Elder, is home from the Wentworth Military academy at Lexington, Missouri.

S. M. True and Chas. Hunter, of Inavale, have purchased the stock of the bank of that place from C. A. Harman and T. M. Logan.

U. G. Barnhill, living on the Al Holdrege place west of town, reports the loss of four head of cattle Tuesday night from the ubiquitous corn stalk disease.

Scarlet fever has made its appearance at the home of Jacob Reike, four miles east of town. John, a six year old son, had been ailing for a week but not until Saturday, when he became ill, was the nature of the disease ascertained. The father was also taken sick Sunday.

SMITH CENTER

(From the Messenger.)

Ward Arnold came down from Phillipsburg Thursday to attend his brother, Clyde's wedding.

Will Mathes' son Paul, while out playing during recess Thursday afternoon had the misfortune to break his arm.

Fred Wilson, who is holding down a good job in a cigar factory at Superior, Neb., came in Monday night to attend his sister's wedding.

Mr. Oral Smith and Miss Minnie P. Roach, both of Gaylord, were married

in this city by Probate Judge Black at his office Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. L. C. Arnold and Miss Grace C. Wilson were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wilson, in this city Wednesday evening, December 20, at 6 o'clock, Elder Blanchard officiating.

There was an interesting, pleasant and profitable affair down at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Al Bloomer of Blaine last Monday evening when their second son, Lloyd, was united in marriage to Miss Kate Hoffman.

MANKATO.

(From the Advertiser.)

Fred Evans, who has been attending Business college in Quincy, Ill., is home for Christmas vacation.

Rollo Thompson, who has been taking treatment at the sanitarium for the past five weeks returned to his home in Scandia Tuesday morning.

Walter Stevens had his hands quite severely burned while trying to build a fire in a stove at the school house Thursday. He had just opened the stove door when the fire blew out burning his hands and scorching his whiskers.

J. W. McIntyre and family were going home from town Thursday noon, when near J. P. Fair's residence in the north part of town, the horses became frightened and upset the buggy. Mrs. McIntyre was thrown out and her collar bone broken.

Watson G. Slaughter, an old settler in Jewell county, died at his home in Washington township Monday, after an illness of but a few days. Mr. Slaughter homesteaded in Jewell county in '78 and resided on the same farm until the time of his death. He leaves a wife and seven children.

On Wednesday evening Mankato lodge No. 87 A. F. A. M. met with Evening Star Chapter No. 81 O. E. S. in joint installation. J. H. Woolen and Mrs. J. P. Fair acting as installing officers. After installation the company adjourned to the Commercial hotel where an elaborate supper was served.

LEBANON.

(From the Times.)

Joe Housel is building an addition to his residence.

John Mays, who has been attending Dental college at Kansas City came home last Thursday.

Harry Andrews went to Auburn, Neb., Monday, where he was married Wednesday to Miss Maud Stout of that city.

Rev. Tremain of this city was called to Ionia yesterday to unite in marriage Miss Edith Montgomery to Mr. A. Feddey.

John Frazier and Mrs. Harmon Hartman returned Tuesday from Palco, Kansas, where they were called last week by a telegram announcing the serious illness of the mother.

Miss Mary E. Edwards, daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Edwards, was united in marriage to Mr. Earl Naylor, at her parents home three miles south of Lebanon, at high noon, Tuesday, December 19, Rev. L. B. Tremain officiating.

J. R. Good was a very much surprised man on Tuesday of last week when thirty-three of his and Mrs. Good's friends drove up to the door and commenced unloading grub boxes, to help them celebrate their thirtieth wedding anniversary.

CAMPBELL

(From the Citizen.)

People were greatly surprised this week to learn that Henry Thoen, a prosperous farmer north of town had gone insane and was taken to Minden for examination.

Jas. Gilmore, who came here last spring and purchased the livery business, which he conducted until recently with profit, packed their household goods and removed to Friend this week.

Jos. Cory of Minden, together with his two nephews, Roy and Charley, boarded the train here Wednesday evening for Grafton, Illinois, in response to a telegram that his brother and the boys' father was seriously ill.

About forty of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meyer gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Watson Monday evening to give that estimable couple a surprise and farewell party. The evening was most pleasantly spent in games until 11 o'clock when all repaired to the Meyer home, where they partook of a bounteous supper.

SUPERIOR

(From the Journal.)

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hastings of Olive Hill, are the parents of a son.

Jesse Norton and sister were here Friday from Red Cloud, visiting friends.

A little boy arrived on Saturday to make his home with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Duke Tompkins are the parents of a baby boy, born Thursday morning.

D. Daniel received a telegram Wednesday morning stating that his son, who lives in southern Kansas, was very ill.

Grandfather Eyre died Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Susan Eyre, in west Superior.

The body of Mrs. Laura Adams, who died at her home in west Superior on Saturday, will be taken to Republic City for burial.

Harry S. Koken and Miss Addie Day, two highly esteemed young people of Nora precinct, were united in marriage in this city Wednesday morning by Rev. Stiits.

BLUE HILL

(From the Leader.)

The first club dance was held at Schuman's hall Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Toepfer are the proud parents of a fine boy born Friday.

Emil Sommerfeld had the misfortune to get his eye cut badly with a barb wire one day this week.

Mr. Hornberger living northwest of

town was badly injured in a runaway at H. Springs one day last week.

Charles Henry Peterson aged twenty years, of Adams county, and Miss Martha Krueger of Blue Hill, secured a license and were married at Grand Island.

Mrs. Wm. Loetsch died at her home east of town last Saturday at the age of 76 years, 11 months and 2 days. The funeral services were held at her home, Sunday, Rev. B. B. Thonwer conducting the services.

Mrs. Wm. Heilt, Sr., died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Muchow, in this city Sunday night, after an illness of only one day. The funeral services was held in the St. Paul's church Wednesday forenoon, Rev. Buechner conducting the services.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Features of the Day's Trading and Closing Quotations.

Chicago, Dec. 26.—Covering by shorts caused an upturn today in the price of wheat here. At the close wheat for May delivery was up 1/8¢. Corn and oats were practically unchanged. A decided flurry took place in the price of December corn, which declined almost 3¢, and later regained nearly all of the loss. It did not affect the market, however, as trading in December is very light. Provisions were a shade to the lower. Closing prices: Wheat—Dec., 83½¢; May, 87½¢; July, 87½¢; Corn—Dec., 47¢; May, 44½¢; July, 44½¢. Oats—Dec., 30¼¢; May, 31¼¢; July, 30½¢. Pork—Jan., \$13.65; May, \$13.82½. Lard—Jan., \$7.40; May, \$7.47½. Ribs—Jan., \$7.17½; May, \$7.37½. Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, \$1.50; No. 3 hard wheat, 79¢; No. 2 corn, 45¢; No. 2 oats, 30¢.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Dec. 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 9,500; steady; native steers, \$3.75@4.25; western fed steers, \$3.25@3.80; stockers and feeders, \$2.75@4.00; cows, \$2.00@4.00; heifers, \$3.00@4.25; calves, \$3.00@7.00. Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; opened 5¢, 10¢ higher, advance lost; bulk of sales, \$4.95@5.10; heavy, \$5.05@5.15; pigs and light, \$4.35@5.00. Sheep—Receipts, 1,000; 10¢ higher; lambs, \$5.75@7.00; ewes and yearlings, \$4.50@5.00.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Dec. 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 18,000; steady; common to fancy steers, \$3.70@5.75; heifers, \$2.50@5.00; bulls, \$2.30@4.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.15@4.25; calves, \$3.50@6.50. Hogs—Receipts, 21,000; 10¢ higher; choice heavy, \$5.30@5.40; good butchers, \$5.30@5.35; packing, \$5.10@5.30; light, \$5.20@5.32½; bulk of sales, \$5.30@5.35. Sheep—Receipts, 18,000; steady; sheep, \$5.50@5.85; lambs, \$7.50@8.00.

DIAMOND SMUGGLERS.

Few Caught Owing to Their Ingenuity in Hiding Gems.

"Diamond smugglers are a constant source of worry to us," said the customs house inspector. "Despite every precaution taken here and abroad to spot them, not more than 10 per cent are caught with the goods. There seems to be no limit to the devilish ingenuity employed by these—I was going to say gentry—but there are quite as many women in the business as men.

"It is really wonderful, when you come to think of it, that we are ever able to make a good haul when you consider how easily diamonds can be concealed. Hollow heels are a favorite receptacle for the precious stones, and I understand that there are places in Europe where you can buy shoes specially constructed with spaces in the heels.

"I remember one woman—she is still in the business—who displayed great ingenuity in smuggling diamonds. It was only by chance that we caught her at one of her tricks. She arrived with a very striking Paris bonnet, which was ornamented with bunches of grapes. While we were examining her baggage this dream of a hat blew off and was smashed by a passing truck. I rushed gallantly to recover the hat and then saw that each of the grapes contained a diamond or precious stone. She got what was left of the hat, but nothing more.

"What can a man of ordinary perception do with such people? They will best him every time unless he's gifted with second sight. I never see a chap with long hair, but I think of the day we picked \$10,000 worth of stones from a fellow's head who wore a pompadour like a brush heap.

"No, we can't keep up with all their tricks and don't expect to. It's the behavior of the smuggler that generally gives him away. When we see a man or woman acting uneasy, nervous, betraying his or her guilt by gestures, we have him or her searched. One gets to know the smuggler face after a time and so captures are made."—New York Herald.

A Long Evening.

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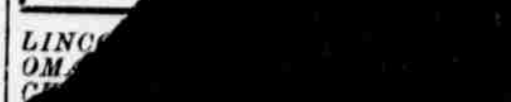
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