

GRAPHOPHONES

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CORRESPONDENCE

Interesting Items Gathered
by Our County Reporters

INAVALE

Dr. Phillips is moving into his new house.
Ethel Harvey was a Franklin visitor Tuesday.
Ed Harman went to Holdrege Thursday evening.
Mrs Matthews was in Lincoln a few days last week.
Mrs George Matkins left for Lincoln Wednesday on No. 16.
Skating seems to be the chief sport with the young people these days.
Ray Wilson went to Franklin Monday evening to attend the academy.
Miss Louise Reiter has accepted a position as clerk in Waldo & Co's store.
There is talk of starting an orchestra in Inavale. It's a good thing—push it along boys.
Mr. and Mrs. Knight's little baby, who has been quite sick, is much better at this time.
Mrs. Hummell, Mrs. H. Holdrege's mother, is spending a few days with her daughter.
Miss Inez Holdrege expects to go to her uncle's in Kansas, for an extended visit in a few days.
Mrs. Hale of Paola, Kansas, is in town this week representing the Viavi Remedy Co. of San Francisco.
Dr. H. B. McCall of Kansas City was in town a few days this week visiting his brother Vance and family.
Geo. Hummell of Sylvan Grove, Kansas, a brother of Mrs. H. Holdrege,

is here visiting for a few days among old friends.

Sunday was a very disagreeable day and everybody looked for winter to begin, but the nice weather is very acceptable to all.

Art Carpenter started for Chicago Saturday night, where he expects to begin as a traveling salesman for the Selz Shoe company.

Mr. Stickney is erecting a new hotel building, which will be quite an improvement to Inavale. Holdrege & Son are doing the carpenter work.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Waldo have moved into the house formerly occupied by Dr. Phillips, having repapered, painted and otherwise improved it.

James Knight has purchased the hardware store from Waldo & Co., and will run it as a separate business. He expects to build a new store in the spring.

Isaac Myers, A. Arnold, M. H. Farnham, S. Warner, R. W. Kooniz, Chas. Hunter, Theo. Hawkins, Alf. McCall, E. J. Peterson, E. E. Harvey and D. G. Norris all shipped live stock from Inavale this week.

Mrs. Gray, an aunt of Mrs. Arneson, whose home is in Chicago, came in on No. 15 Tuesday evening. She expects to spend a few days visiting her niece and then proceed to California to visit her daughter, Luella.

BLADEN

George and Frank Krall returned to Beatrice Monday.
Miss Rosa Thorne returned to her school at Blair, Neb., last Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rust of Cowley are visiting at the home of Mrs. Cowley.
Born, on Tuesday, January 9, to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Woodside, a daughter.
Mr. and Mrs. Boyd and daughter

Mabel returned from Oklahoma Saturday.

Quite a number from here attended Sayre sale a mile south of town Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles McNair returned Monday from a three weeks visit in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lockhart, living south of town, spent Wednesday at the home of Jas. Lockhart of this city.

Misses Etta and Mabel Boom visited their sister, Mrs. Charles Hogate last Sunday.

Just Travelpiece left Friday for a visit with friends and relatives in Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Elliott of Campbell were visiting at the home of James McCoy last Saturday.

Miss Susie Best returned from Ohio Saturday, where she has been visiting friends and relatives since last summer.

Mr. Boom left Tuesday to visit relatives and friends in Iowa. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hogate of Blue Hill accompanied them.

GARFIELD

Merle Fisher is quite seriously ill at present.

John Motter is getting along nicely with his new house.

Will Edson began to wield the birch and rod in district No. 86 the 8th.

A. J. White's sale was well attended last Wednesday and property brought good prices.

Frank Amack returned last Friday from Kansas City, where he went with a load of fat cattle.

L. L. DeHart returned from Humboldt last week, accompanied by Will Bryant and wife, who came for a short visit with relatives and friends.

It is our sad duty to note the death

of H. C. And us, which occurred at his home Thursday night. He was born in 1830 being at the time of his death 76 years old. A large number of his neighbors assembled at his home Saturday to pay their last tribute of respect to his memory. Mr. Andrus came to this state in 1872 and settled in the home in which he died last week. He has been afflicted with a cancer for some time, which sadly caused his death. He leaves a daughter, granddaughter and a large circle of friends to mourn his loss.

WALNUT CREEK

Grandma Blackenbaker, who has been quite sick, is better.

Mrs. John Sutton lost her driving mare, Kit, last week.

Alfred Coulson is working in the machine shop at McCook.

School at No. 8 commenced on Monday, after a short vacation.

H. S. Holcomb's horse, Red Jacket, died a few days ago at the age of 29 years.

Quite a number of friends and relatives met at Mr. Stoner's to spend New Year's day.

No. 70 has a belfry built for its new bell. Mac Fulton and Elmer Noble did the work.

Mr. Farnham and Bert Farnham went to Kansas City the first of the week with a carload of cattle and one of hogs.

Mrs. Gray, who is visiting with Mrs. Arneson, is on her way to Los Angeles, California, where she and her daughter Lulu expect to make their home.

LINE.

Uncle George Saunders is sick.

Mrs. Zalman is on the sick list this week.

Mr. Houghtaling is some better at this writing.

Wm. VanDyke is home from a visit near Guide Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Beauchamp were guests of Will Dollins Sunday.

Mel Sherman did some carpenter work for W. J. Haskins this week.

Milton Guthrie of Fountain, Okla., visited old friends here last week.

The Davis brothers are helping Will Dollins gather corn on the Sherwood ranch.

Revival meetings are in progress at Maple Grove church, conducted by Rev. Andrew Polson of Esbon.

John Aubushon has leased the Oatman ranch on West Penny creek. Charley Aubushon will farm the home place.

S. C. Shuck has ordered a car load of corn from the west, not being able to get enough corn here to feed his cattle.

Rev. J. J. Campbell and wife visited friends on Walnut creek. They are conducting revival meetings on Buffalo creek, at No. 70.

The Tramp.

The curse of the man who will not work has always been with us. In Henry VIII's reign he was not allowed to beg the bread that belonged to honest folk, for a statute was made by which the old and impotent were granted licenses to beg, and any one found begging without one was soundly flogged and sent home to his own parish. In this way as many as a hundred in one day in Elizabeth's time were sent "back to the land." The begging license seems to work well enough abroad, where the row of authorized beggars is a familiar sight outside every church and where the halt and maimed are seldom seen anywhere else. The rise of the vagrant in England no doubt took place after the destruction of the monasteries and before any other relief giving body took their place.—London Chronicle.

No Harm Done.

The customer at the five cent lunch counter, with some exertion, had dug a spoonful from the contents of the side dish.

"Waiter," he said, "this tastes different somehow from the mashed potatoes I usually get here."

"It is different," said the waiter, inspecting it. "It's the chunk of putty for a broken window pane that the old man has been making a fuss about for the last ten minutes. He'll be glad to get it back. Thanks."—Chicago Tribune.

The Origin of a Familiar Saying.

When Aurelius Paulus, the Roman consul, desired a divorce from his wife some friends reasoning with him asked: Is she not beautiful and virtuous and of noble family and great wealth? What fault, then, can you find with her?"

And the consul stooped down, unfastened his shoe and, showing it to them, answered: "Is it not of fine material? Is it not well made? Does it not appear to fit excellently? Yet none of you knows where it pinches me."

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LIVE STOCK MARKETS AT KANSAS CITY.

THE WEEK'S TRADE REPORTED BY
CLAY, ROBINSON & COMPANY,
LIVE STOCK COMMISSION
MERCHANTS.

OFFICES AT CHICAGO, KANSAS CITY,
OMAHA, SIOUX CITY, ST. JOSEPH
AND DENVER.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 9.—Receipts of cattle Monday were 9800 and for beef steers prices were fully steady. Prime grades were scarce. Cows and heifers were active and steady; stockers and feeders firm. Receipts today were 15,000, bulk of which were plain fed beef steers. Prices were uneven ranging from steady for a few of the best to 10 cents lower for most offerings. Cows and heifers were steady to 10 cents lower; stockers and feeders firm and active.

The following table gives prices now ruling.

Extra prime corn-fed steers	4 00-5 50
Good corn fed steers	4 65-5 00
Ordinary corn fed steers	4 00-4 65
Choice corn fed heifers	4 00-4 75
Good corn fed heifers	4 25-4 75
Medium corn fed heifers	2 50-3 50
Choice corn fed cows	3 50-4 00
Good	2 75-3 25
Medium	2 25-2 75
Canners	1 50-2 35
Choice stags	4 00-4 25
Choice fed bulls	3 25-3 75
Good	2 50-3 00
Bologna bulls	1 75-2 25
Veal calves	5 00-6 00
Good to choice native or western stockers	3 25-3 75
Fair	2 85-3 25
Common	2 25-2 85
Good to choice heavy native feeders	3 60-4 00
Fair	3 00-3 60
Good to choice heavy branded horned feeders	3 25-3 50
Fair	3 00-3 25
Common	2 50-3 00
Good to choice stock heifers	2 50-3 00
Fair	2 25-2 50
Good to choice stock calves, steers	3 50-4 00
Fair	3 50-4 00
Good to choice stock calves, heifers	3 00-3 50
Fair	2 50-3 00
Choice wintered grass steers	3 50-4 00
Good	3 25-3 50
Fair	3 00-3 25
Choice grass cows	2 75-3 25
Good	2 50-2 75
Common	2 00-2 50

Receipts of hogs Monday were 7000 and the market 5 to 10 cents higher. Receipts today were 16,000 and the market mostly 5 cents lower. Bulk of sales were from \$5.15 to 5.27½; top \$5.32½.

Receipts of sheep Monday were 10,200 and values for sheep were 5 to 10 cents higher; lambs firm. Receipts today were 8000 and the market steady and active. We quote—choice lambs, \$7.55 to 7.50; choice yearlings, \$6.25 to 6.50; choice wethers, \$5.85 to 6.10; choice ewes, \$5.25 to 5.50.

INFLAMMATORY RHEUMATISM CURED IN 7 DAYS

Morton L. Hill, of Lebanon, Ind., says: "My wife had Inflammatory Rheumatism in every muscle and joint; her suffering was terrible and her body and face were swollen almost beyond recognition; had been in bed six weeks and had eight physicians, but received no benefit until she tried the Mystic Cure for Rheumatism. It gave immediate relief and she was able to walk about in three days. I am sure it saved her life." Sold by H. E. Gries, Druggist, Red Cloud.