

Newsy Notes From Neighboring Towns

GATHERED FROM OUR EXCHANGES

GUIDE ROCK.

(From the Signal.)
Mrs. P. W. Roland was quite sick the fore part of the week.
Mrs. B. H. Crow left Monday for McConnellsville, Ohio, to visit her brother.
Gerhard Ohmstedt returned from Oklahoma City, Okla., last week, where he attended the Farmers' congress.
W. Monia and S. H. Dorning and families left Sunday night for California. The Monias, we understand, will stop at Pasadena and the others will go to Long Beach.

BLUE HILL.

(From the Leader.)
W. C. Frahm came up from Red Cloud yesterday.
Father Fitzgerald, of Red Cloud, was in Blue Hill Monday.
E. T. Foe, of Cowles, was here last Friday on his way to Campbell.
Mrs. W. Garrison has been troubled with a severe attack of neuralgia.
County Commissioners Sawyer and Chapman were in Blue Hill Monday.
Mrs. S. Bruce left Wednesday for Prescott, Iowa, where she will visit with her niece, Mrs. Gardner.
Mr. and Mrs. Tom McMahon are the happy parents of a little boy that came to their home Tuesday of last week.

BLADEN

(From the Enterprise.)
Mrs. A. R. Rudd has been dangerously ill, but is improving slowly.
Dr. and Mrs. I. R. Brown arrived in Bladen last Saturday evening and are now comfortably located in the Wolf residence south of the track.
Mrs. Springer-Kernes spoke at the Congregational church in Campbell and at the Methodist church in the evening Sunday, to large audiences.
A deal was made this week by which S. F. Green becomes the possessor of the furniture store owned by O. L. Lindgren. Mr. Green takes immediate possession.
Last Friday evening on the arrival of the train at this place it was found that the train was minus a conductor. Later developments showed that Conductor Pierce had been left in Blue Hill, and the train was sidetracked and the engine went back after him. It seems that the brakeman had been in the habit of giving the signal for the train to pull up to the water tank in Blue Hill and the conductor usually

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walked down and caught the train as it was pulling out. But this time the conductor was in the depot getting orders to transfer a car of apples to this place, and the usual orders were given and the train left. The train has been coming in about on time lately, but this caused a delay of nearly an hour from this point on. Who will get the blame for the mishap we do not know.

CAMPBELL

(From the Citizen.)
Adam Barth, Henry Meyer and Henry Kembel returned last evening from Canada. We understand they each took homesteads and Mr. Barth purchased a farm in addition.
Some one got into C. H. Koch's henhouse during Tuesday night and proceeded to cut off the heads from three or four dozen chickens. The chickens were taken, but the thief generously left the heads for Mr. Koch.
H. Gund was in town over night Wednesday. He thinks there is little danger that frost will injure alfalfa if proper care is taken to bring the plants in and place them near the kitchen stove on clear, calm nights. In regard to financial matters, however, he refuses to be quoted.

RIVERTON

(From the Review.)
Billy Hunt and wife drove up from Red Cloud Sunday.
Isaac Shepherson is spending a few days at Hot Springs, Mo.
Rev. A. S. Nelson was in Red Cloud on business the fore part of the week.
Mrs. Dr. Walden, of Beatrice, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Isaac Shepherson, this week.
A. J. Waldeck went to Red Cloud Tuesday to meet Mrs. McLary, his sister, and Mrs. Anna Newman, of Pawnee City, Nebr., who are visiting at his place this week.

BLOOMINGTON

(From the Advocate)
Last night the small boy, and some not so small, got in their work around town by turning everything upside down that was loose. No great damage was done this year.
Married, last Sunday, at the home of the bride's sister in this city, Otto Borland and Miss Sophronia Ayers, Rev. Edson performing the ceremony. The groom has built a home on his father's farm near town.
J. F. Rusher left last Wednesday night for Omaha, where his wife now is, who recently underwent an operation at the hospital. It was decided by the physicians down here that it would be necessary to operate upon her for appendicitis, which, in her enfeebled condition, would be very dangerous.

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Report on Coal Production.

The United States Geological Survey announces the publication of statistics on the production of coal in 1906, in the form of an advance chapter from "Mineral Resources of the United States Calendar Year 1906."
This report, prepared by E. W. Parker, the statistician in charge, exhibits primarily the details of quantity and value of coal produced in 1906, gives comparisons with previous years, and includes also statements regarding the labor employed, production per man, number of days worked, length of working day, use of mining machines and tonnage produced by them, casualties reported by mine inspectors, and all other mining and marketing of coal. Appended to the report is a list of United States Geological Survey publications relating to coal, comprising about one hundred titles classified by states.
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CORRESPONDENCE

Interesting Items Gathered by Our County Reporters

BLUE HILL

Mrs. Geo. Wilson visited at Rosemont Monday.
R. Simpson was a Rosemont visitor Wednesday.
Art. Marcus was at the county seat Wednesday.
John Rose and Fred Blobaum left Tuesday for Denver.
A number of the boys attended the dance at Ayr last Friday evening.
T. T. Tobin went out to Cambridge Tuesday evening and remained a few days.
Chas. Wellman has purchased the residence of Dr. Franklin and expects to move the first of December.

The election this year was very quiet. Next year is the presidential election, and indications are that political matters will be lively enough then.
Mr. and Mrs. Norris, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. T. Bentz, the past four months, left Wednesday morning. They went to Shelbyville, Ky., for a visit with Mrs. Norris' sister and will then proceed to Indianapolis, where they will visit for a short time before going to their home in Zanesville, Ohio.
We have certainly been having ideal fall weather the past month or more. The weather has mostly been warm and pleasant, and it has given farmers as well as everyone else a chance to get their work well out of the way before cold weather sets in. Carpenters and masons have found the weather to their liking and have been able to accomplish considerable work this fall.

INVALE

Guandpa Pitney came down Monday night from Milford, Nebr.
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Craus were in this vicinity Sunday visiting friends.
Whooping cough is going the rounds among the children now.
Mr. Geo. Matkin has his new barn nearly finished.
John DeBrunner has been sick, with walking typhoid fever, but has nearly recovered.
The Bellharz Entertainment at the Methodist Episcopal church Monday night was well attended and everybody had a good laugh. Mr. and Mrs. Bellharz may be assured of a crowded house, should they come to Inavale again.
Earl Burwell has his new house nearly finished and will move into it soon.
Harry Coulson and family visited at the home of his brother Rand over Sunday.
J. Vance is building an addition to his house F. K. Gavaka is doing the work.
Fred Wilds has been quite seriously ill at the home of his sister Mrs. F. K. Gavaka.
The Willing Workers met with Mrs. Irons, Thursday.

Dr. Mabie and the Liveryman.

A literary pilgrim, says the Saturday Evening Post, once made his way to Summit, N. J., to pay his respects to Hamilton Wright Mabie. At the station he asked the liveryman who had been in service there for thirty years:
"Can you tell me where Dr. Mabie lives?"
"Never heard of him," replied the liveryman.
"Surely you must," continued the pilgrim. "I mean Hamilton Wright Mabie."
"Shucks!" responded the driver. "He isn't a doctor. He's a reporter for a newspaper."
When told of this incident Mr. Mabie put the seal on it by saying:
"And just to think that I subscribed for a wooden leg for that liveryman!"

Lord Young's Wit.

Looking across the table of a public dinner at the overabundant and fishy eyes of his neighbor opposite, Lord Young, who was a famous lawyer, inquired who the owner of the vinous countenance might be and was told he was the president of a water trust.
"Aye," said Lord Young. "Well, he looks like a man that could be trusted with any amount of water."
Some one told Lord Young that the house of lords had on appeal affirmed a decision of his. "It may be right, after all," was his lordship's reply.
The Right Idea.
"How do you define the phrase 'as black as your hat'?" a father asked his son as the latter had just used the expression.
"Well," replied the youth, "I should define it as darkness that might be felt."—Cassell's Journal.

FOOTBALL

Franklin Wiped Off the Earth.

The bills that were distributed last week to advertise the football game Friday afternoon between the Franklin and Red Cloud high schools stated Franklin had a heavy team, and that the game would not be a walkaway for either side. It appears that a mistake was made somewhere. Franklin had a heavy team, all right, outweighing the Red Cloud eleven about ten pounds to the man, and yet the game was about the easiest walkaway we have ever had the pleasure of witnessing.
From the kick-off the Red Cloud squad had everything coming their way. It was impossible to hold them and touchdown followed touchdown with wonderful frequency. At one point of the game three touchdowns were made in not much more than five minutes. At the end of the first half the opposing team looked a little discouraged, but before the second half was over they resigned themselves to their unhappy fate and accepted with what equanimity they could the most decided defeat ever administered on the Red Cloud grounds. The game was a shutout, as far as Franklin was concerned. Red Cloud kept chalking up scores until they lost count, but the most reliable reports placed the final score at 51 to 0.
The Red Cloud high school has a crack football team. What they each lack in weight they make up several times over in science, speed and accuracy. It would be hard to find a team of their weight their equal in this part of the state.

The Red Cloud high school will play a return game with the Lebanon high school on the grounds of the latter today.

Hastings and the Red Cloud high schools clash on the local grounds Saturday, November 23. This will doubtless be a close game.

The College Crescents have arranged for a football game with Bloomington, to be played next Friday, the fifteenth of this month. The Bloomington team is not a collegiate or school team, but a town eleven.

From some cause the game which was to be played here Thanksgiving day, November 28, between The Red Cloud and Burr Oak football teams, was called off, and Smith Center has been secured to fill the date.

The public should turn out freely to the football games played on the home grounds; not only will their little 25c go to help a good cause, but they will find it intensely interesting, even if they understand only the first principles of the game.

This afternoon the football teams of the Grand Island Business College and the Red Cloud Business College met on the Red Cloud grounds in a contest for the championship of the commercial colleges of the state, that high honor now being held by the first mentioned team. The Grand Island Business College is one of the largest and best known schools of its kind in the state, and the reputation of its football team is in proportion to that of the school. The College Crescents are prepared for the game, and it is expected will give the visitors a run for their money. The game has been widely advertised, and a large attendance is expected. Watch the Chief's football column next week for the result of this game.

Revival Meetings at Christian Church.

Revival meetings at the Christian church, beginning November 10, and continuing until the 18th or longer. Everyone invited to attend. Preaching by the pastor, F. M. Branke. The following subjects will be handled during the week: Sunday, November 10, at 11 o'clock, a. m. 1 cor. 6, 5, 20; "Now then, We are Ambassadors for Christ." Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock, "A Doomed World." Monday evening, "Shall We Know Each Other There?" 1 Ther. 4, 13, 14. Tuesday evening, "Conversion, 1 What is It. 2, What are the Factors? 3, The Results." Wednesday evening, "Religion: What is It?" Thursday evening, "Why was Jesus Baptized?" Matt. 3, 15. Friday evening, "The Greatest Message Ever Given." Saturday evening, "How God Makes Believers." Sunday morning, November 17, at 11 o'clock, a. m., "Duty." Sunday evening, "Coming to the Father's House." Eld. F. M. Branke, pastor.

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Her Ready Wit.

Though he had long adored her a secret-worshiped, in fact, the ground she pressed beneath the soles of her dainty little No. 3s—he had never yet been able to screw up sufficient courage to put his fate to the test. Poor fellow! He was one of those shy, modest, self-deprecating sort of chaps that are growing rapidly scarcer or he would have tumbled months ago to the fact that he had only to go in and win. Gertrude Abbea knew the state of her feelings right enough, but it had pleased her hitherto to keep him dangling in attendance. At last, however, she made up her mind to land her fish as soon as a favorable chance presented itself.

"And the opportunity came at the Smythingtons' little soiree, when the bashful swain, entering the conservatory, discovered his innamorata looking her loveliest amid the palms and flowers."
"Are you alone?" he questioned timidly.

In a moment the fair and ready witted girl saw her chance and went to then and there, "A loan, Hon—or—Mr. Finnikin," she said, with lowered eyelids. "A loan? Certainly not—I'm a gift."

And fifteen minutes later, when they emerged from their retreat, Henry was asking himself how he could have been such a Juggins as to postpone his happiness so long.

The Clock and the Watch.

"What pleased me most," said the man who had been abroad, "was the wonderful clock at Strassburg."
"Oh, how I should like to see it," replied the ignorant youth. "And did you see the watch on the Rhine too?"

At the Foot End.

"Alas, I am at my wit's end," exclaimed the monarch as he was unexpectedly kicked by the court jester.—Bohemian.