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GARFIELD
Guy Barnes butchered Monday.
Dan Garber was on wind mill row Monday.
Jack Barnes' little girl is pretty sick with pneumonia.
John Campbell and wife are on the sick list this week.
Eli Houchin and Will Fisher were bailing hay last Friday and Saturday.
George Jennings and family were pleasant callers at Guy Barnes Sunday.
Guy Barnes purchased two fine hogs at the sale in Guide Rock last Saturday.
Manleys are rejoicing over the return of the lost goat for it was found Monday at J. Wilmots.
Edgar Wiggins took in a car of hogs and a car of cattle Saturday and shipped them to market on Sunday.

The new road overseer Will Fisher floundered one of the bridges on the bottom road and it needed it bad too.

Pete Manley went down in Kansas Sunday to see a lady friend of his but he has not got back yet. We look for him the first of March.

Garfield was well represented at the farmers institute for it took a good many ribbons. Amongst them is Sherman Shipman, first on the best mule, Chas. Wolfe on horse and colts and T. W. White on chickens.

LESTER

Joe Britten was seen on the streets of Lester Sunday.

Mrs. John Saladen called on Grandma Jackson Monday.

Miss Clara Rasser spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. George Blair called at John Saladen's one day this week.

The Girl That's Next was well attended from Lester Thursday evening.

Quite a number of the young folks took in the skating rink Wednesday night.

Tom Swartz is building a new house. O! we are joking it is only a hog house.

Tom Simpson and Miss Dollie Rasser spent Sunday evening at Andrew King's.

Mrs. Lawrence Lewis is just able to be out after a week's sickness with the lagrippe.

Mrs. Porter Hale and daughter and Mr. Vern Emick spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. John Emick.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holcomb, Miss Mary Holcomb and Ed King spent Sunday evening at John Rasser's.

Miss May Frisbie returned home Friday morning from Beaver City after a few weeks visit with her uncle and aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Connie Rasser of Sunny Side are moving on his father-in-law's place this week near Lester.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Baker will move on El Rasser's place soon. Mr. Rasser will make his home among his children.

Mr. Hulsebush had a mishap with his auto last Sunday. The axle sprung so he had to leave it at Al Deckers till he got it fixed.

COWLES

Just White has the grip this week.
Dr. Damerell of Red Cloud was up on our streets Wednesday.

Mrs. Swigart has her brother-in-law and his wife visiting them.

The youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. McBride is very sick at this writing.

The Cowles Senate held it last session Friday evening with a good program.

Morris Mills shipped a car of hogs to St. Joe, Mo., Monday. He accompanied the same.

Ed Koon our worthy landlord has commenced a dwelling house on his lots in the north part of town.

We understand that Mr. McBride sold his farm south east of town. This farm is known as the the Hurd farm.

Nickolis Thomas had a sale Wednesday which was well attended. He is going to quit farming and move to parts unknown.

Jack Weller came in Tuesday from St. Louis where he went to buy a car load of dogs. He says they are too high priced at present.

The Hardware firm of Hoyt & Boren got a carload of implements in last week. They can sell you anything from an automobile down to a tack.

Letch Adamson formerly of this place but now living in western Kansas came in on the train Tuesday for a short visit with his father and friends.

Mr. Bragg of Guide Rock was on our streets Tuesday morning on his way to Blue Hill where he was to represent the vicinity of Guide Rock in the Glenwood Telephone Co.

Wells and McTaggart our new hardware firm are invoicing this week. Mr. McTaggart formerly of Wilmotville, Kas., moved into the France property last week and will make his home here in the future. We welcome him in our midst.

Last Day of Farmers' Institute

Last week we gave the proceedings at the Farmer's Institute up to Thursday morning. Thursday being press day we were unable to give the remainder of the program. Thursday was the big day. Fully five thousand people were in the city and a better natured crowd was never seen. Everything was orderly and quiet which showed that the people were here for business and what they could learn.

The speakers sent out by the state agricultural school were excellent. They gave detailed information and in such a manner that all could hear and understand. Intensive methods was the key note of all their lectures. For instance, in speaking upon the dairy cow they showed that it would pay any farmer to build a silo and thus secure nearly all the nutriment of the corn. Under present methods of feeding dry corn only about one half of the real good of the grain was utilized. If cut green and put into a silo the cattle would have green feed all the year around and would be getting the benefit of the stalks which now go to waste.

The lecture upon horses was perhaps the best ever given on that subject in the city. Many learned a great deal about the horse and what was good in him and what bad. We expect to see an improvement in horse flesh after this.

Miss Maxwell delivered several lectures to the ladies on cooking and canning which was most favorably commented on by all who succeeded in hearing them. Of course many of the older housewives have had experience in cooking nutritious things to eat but there were many in the audience

who are just starting to learn this difficult art and to them these lectures were most instructive.

The judging of the horses, hogs and poultry was satisfactory to all. Anyone could see that these men knew their business and they had no difficulty in making their awards.

Perhaps the biggest feature of the whole institute was the large industrial parade held in the afternoon. This procession was headed by the Red Cloud cornet band which played some very difficult music much to the delight of musicians and others. Our band is rapidly forging to the front and is making splendid progress.

Next came pioneer preacher G. W. Hummel without whom no parade in this part of the country would be entirely a success.

Then came the men who arrived in this country in 1879 and '71 as bachelors. They had a miniature sod house thru the chimney of which slowly curled the smoke as it did years ago. The boys are grey haired and older looking now but they entered into the fun of this parade with their oldtime vim and vigor. Even the short close-line gave evidence of the smallness of the washings in the early days.

The boys of '71 bearing a huge grasshopper on their shoulders were next in line.

Unquestionably their feelings Thursday were far different from what they were when that black host settled upon all the growing crops and carried away the every sign of vegetation. We cannot refrain from quoting a little history here. "The dry spell continued, and in the latter part of the month (July) came the grasshoppers, and they stripped the field of every growing thing. Some fields of early small grain was saved, but that was all. The late wheat, oats and all the corn was completely destroyed. Then came a trying time for the settlers. Many of them, discouraged, and seeing no way to live during the coming winter and until another crop could be raised, left the country, some of them never to return. A large number of the settlers remained, however, determined to try to live in some way, and wait for another year's crop.

Some of them were able to wait with no danger of suffering if unaided, but the most of them were in desperate circumstances. The brave and uncomplaining many of the settlers must have starved were it not for help, consisting of provisions, clothing and seed sent them so liberally by the sympathizing citizens of other more fortunate states."

More than a hundred beautiful horses and mules graced this parade. The common remark along the street was "I did not know that this county had so many beautiful animals." The long line of automobiles bringing up the rear of the procession vividly emphasized the great change that has taken place since the settlement of the county. This parade represented forty years of history and in it one could read the story of a great development, a great people.

Withal the institute was an unlimited success. It was interesting, instructive, and entertaining. The officers in charge and the committees who attended to the work deserve unstinted praise for their painstaking efficient labor.



COMING TO Red Cloud, Nebraska

The eminent physician on chronic diseases will visit our city
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Positively married ladies must be accompanied by their husbands. Remember the date, Tuesday, Feb. 7, at the Royal Hotel, Red Cloud, Nebr.

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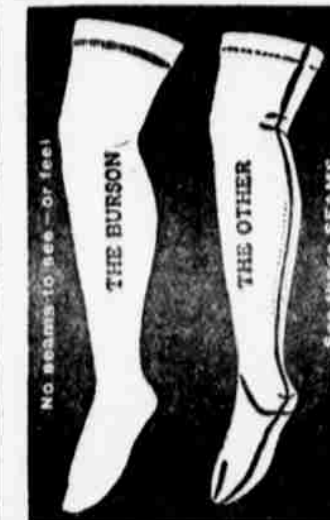
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