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**INDIANOLA.**

Mrs. Clark Hedges and baby visited on the farm north of town, the first of the week.  
Joseph Sullivan of McCook visited his daughter Mrs. Roy Kennedy, Thursday.  
J. P. McFann of McCook was in Indianola, the first of the week, on business.

W. Carmichael and F. Lakin were at McCook, Thursday.  
C. G. Horton has had the inside of his restaurant painted and papered.

W. S. Coleman is having a feed store built south of the band hall.  
Mr. Hyatt of Holdrege was in Indianola, Friday, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. James Barber are the proud parents of a baby boy, born Saturday morning.

Misses Jo and May Murray went to McCook, Saturday evening.  
Mrs. Boldman and Mrs. M. Powell went to McCook, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Hethcote visited friends at McCook, Saturday.  
Alfred and Walter Randall and Emma Howard and Myrtle Suiter were at McCook, Tuesday.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith died, Sunday morning, of croup.  
F. N. Bentley arrived home, Tuesday morning, from California, where he has been for his health.

Hazel Phillips visited in Holdrege, Sunday.  
Lucy Thomas and Rozella Wolfe attended the church convention at Bertrand, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee and little boy of McCook were in town on business, Tuesday.

Miss Edith Allen entertained the Epworth League at her home, Tuesday evening.  
Marion Powell of Lincoln was in town on business, Tuesday.

Frank Marsh returned home, Wednesday morning, from Omaha, where he acted as a member of the Federal grand jury.

Mrs. Whittaker of McCook visited in Indianola, Wednesday.  
C. S. Quick went to Denver, Wednesday morning, with two car loads of cattle.

The Misses Flora and Angie Quick visited in McCook, Wednesday.  
Charley Lamborn of Wilcox, Neb., formerly of this place, passed through here, Monday, in his auto, en route to Denver, where he goes for his health.

Mrs. John Haley and children of Holbrook visited with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Haley, the first of the week.

**BOX ELDER.**

A good rain would be very acceptable just now.  
Miss Edith Morey spent Sunday with the Misses Lucy and Emma Wolfe.

G. A. Shields had a phone put in last Friday.  
Willie Ward of Spring Creek was in this vicinity one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Johnson and Mrs. A. T. Wilson and daughter Minnie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilson.  
Miss Orpha Satchell returned to her post office duties, Thursday of last week, and her mother Mrs. M. S. Satchell returned to her home at Oxford on Saturday.

A number of the neighbors spent a very enjoyable time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dedman last Saturday evening. During the evening the guests were served to ice cream and cake.

**R. F. D. NO. 1.**

The John Calkins home is fresh and bright in a coat of new paint.  
Five were confirmed at the German Lutheran church, last Sunday,—four girls and one boy.

Mrs. Eliza Matthews was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Broomfield, part of last week.  
The Methodist pastor at Indianola preached at North Star school house, last Sunday.

Miss Pearl Rogers is back home from her sojourn over on the Beaver.

**BARTLEY.**

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cammack of Huntington, West Virginia, who have been spending the winter in California, stopped off on their way home to visit Mr. Cammack's sister Mrs. Flint and family.  
Perry Ginther and family have moved to Idaho. They were excellent citizens and we regret to have them go away.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Christian church held a bazaar, Saturday and Saturday evening, which netted them over \$50.00.  
Mr. and Mrs. Hodgkin visited Indianola, Sunday.

Three hundred trees have recently been planted in the Bartley park.  
Mrs. Beaman was buried in Bartley cemetery, Monday afternoon.

Dr. Brown was a business visitor at Holbrook, Tuesday.  
Guy Curlee of Holbrook visited in Bartley, Tuesday.

Dr. Arbogast went to Omaha Monday night with Mrs. Leonard Harsch and daughter Mary, where Mrs. Harsch will have an operation performed for an ailment of several years standing.  
Fred Huntwork is erecting a fine two-story residence in north part of town.

Mrs. Beason is having a nice residence put up in central part of Bartley.  
Mrs. G. W. Jones went to Iowa, Wednesday evening, for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Dr. Arbogast and Mrs. R. R. Hodgkins visited in Cambridge, Tuesday, with Mr. and Mrs. Enlow.  
The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McKnight died, Monday night.

The Masonic lodge had work in the Master's degree, Wednesday, after which they held a banquet at Henry Brown's place.  
B. B. Duckworth and Mrs. R. L. Duckworth visited in Bartley, Wednesday.

Dr. Mackechnie and H. W. Keyes were Bartley callers, Wednesday.

**DANBURY.**

Mrs. G. B. Morgan and daughter Miss Alta were McCook visitors, last Saturday.  
Mesdames R. O. and W. A. DeMay were McCook visitors, Friday.

The Royal Neighbors initiated six new members, Tuesday night.  
Sam Graham is having his house replastered.

Mrs. Olmsted went to Omaha, this week. She accompanied a daughter-in-law who went for medical treatment.  
Dr. DeMay departed, Saturday evening, for a few days' visit with his son Grif who is attending a pharmacy college.

Prof. Gibbs and Miss Hundley were reemployed for the ensuing term of school.  
Henry Hellison had the muscles of his right arm and shoulder badly sprained while lifting a quarter of beef and it will be sometime before he will be able to use his arm.

A. Gartin, an old settler in this vicinity and also an old soldier, was found, last Saturday evening, in his room, over the News office in an unconscious condition. It is supposed he was taken ill Thursday evening, as that was the last time he was seen by anyone. He was taken to the home of his daughter Mrs. Brouse and died at four a. m. the following Wednesday. His death was caused by pneumonia. He leaves one daughter who lives near Danbury and a son whose home is in Chicago. His wife died about eight years ago. His son arrived about an hour after his death. Funeral services held in the Congregational church, Thursday, were conducted by Rev. Shepherd of the M. E. church. The sympathy of the Danbury people is extended to his sorrowing children.

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**Easter In Captivity**

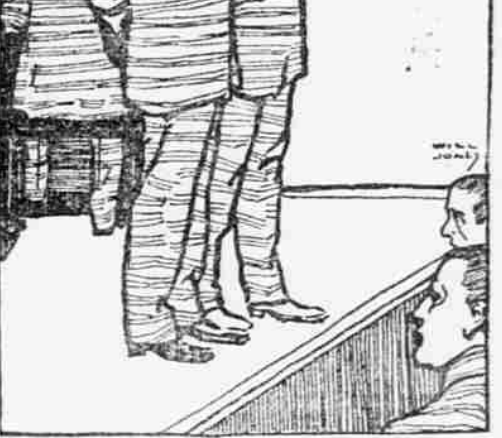
**E**ASTER Sunday in a prison is welcomed as one of the great days of the year, when there is a little extra indulgence in the way of eating and amusement and some relaxation in the usual discipline. The prison officials endeavor as far as possible to make the day a little different from the usual Sunday, though, with the best intentions, they cannot do much.  
Easter Sunday begins for the prisoners at about half past 7, when the great prison bell rings and the guards unlock the cell doors. Away down the corridor you hear a stamp, stamp, as of an advancing giant. Line after line of black and gray striped figures march out on their way to breakfast.  
The mess room, with its rows of desk-like tables, capable of seating more than a thousand men, looks like an immense schoolroom. At the end of each table is a great pile of bread cut in thick slices, beside which stands a keeper. Each man on taking his seat finds before him a tin plate containing his breakfast, a pint of coffee, a slice of bread and a knife and fork. If he wants any more bread he holds up his right hand and the guard at the end of the table passes it to him. By holding

up his plate or cup he can get more coffee or whatever there may be for breakfast. Waste is avoided, but no man need go away from the table unsatisfied. After a busy quarter of an hour the keeper in charge of the first company knocks on the table, and the men in his charge, some fifty or sixty, rise at once and form into line, each carrying his knife and fork in his hand. The keeper takes his station at the door, and as each man passes out he must deposit his knife and fork in the box provided for that purpose.  
If the day is fine, the men are marched around the yard for half an hour, still keeping their formation, and a strange sight it is to see the long lines of men marching in and out around the buildings in endless procession.

Exercises over, away they march to the chapel, which, owing to the efforts of the chaplain and his friends, is decorated with flowers and plants, disposed so as to hide as much as possible the telltale bars and other suggestive items. Each man as he enters receives a printed programme of the services, containing also the hymns to be sung by the congregation. For weeks previously the prison choir has been practicing Easter music, and, as a rule, the prison choir is quite competent to give as good a choral service as those of a great many city churches, there being no lack of well trained voices, even a male soprano voice being far from unusual. The programme is a great deal more varied and extensive than you would hear in a church and partakes more of the character of a sacred concert. Solos, duets, trios, quartets and even quintets are heard, varied by selections by a capital orchestra and in some prisons a full brass band. Often some of the pieces are by some talented prisoner.

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**Proclamation to Aid Cattlemen.**

Governor Sheldon Tuesday issued a cattle quarantine proclamation which will become effective through an agreement reached with the federal bureau of animal industry. The proclamation was prepared by State Veterinarian McKim. The proclamation divides the state into two large districts, the "clean" and "infected." From the former district cattle may move to state or interstate markets without inspection except in those isolated instances where the cattle are reported as "infected." This refers to the presence of scabies, although the proclamation is intended to cover not only scabies but other cattle diseases as well. Cattle in the "infected" division of the state will move under the same inspection rules as heretofore.  
When cattlemen first seriously protested against the regulations in the state a curious situation arose. The state was perfectly willing to inspect cattle for home markets but had no money with which to do it. The federal bureau on the other hand would inspect cattle but would take nothing less than the entire state as a unit. Either the entire state was "clean" or "infected" according to the broad methods of the federal bureau. This caused much inconvenience, loss and was an apparent injustice. Governor Sheldon protested and the following proclamation is the result:  
Whereas, The state of Nebraska has been under quarantine for cattle scabies by the federal government, and whereas upon request of the governor, and of the deputy state veterinarian of the state of Nebraska, the honorable secretary of agriculture and the chief of the bureau of animal industry, have decided to remove on May 1, 1908, said federal quarantine from the counties of Red Willow, Frontier, Gosper, Phelps, Buffalo, Sherman, Valley, Greeley, Boone, Antelope, Knox, and all counties lying east and south of these, and have consented to co-operate with the officials of the state of Nebraska in the control and eradication of scabies within the state.

Now, therefore, pursuant to authority granted by chapter 4, article 2, compiled statutes of Nebraska, it is hereby ordered:  
First—That all of the area of the state lying west and north of the above named counties shall be under quarantine for scabies in cattle and that the regulations of the honorable secretary of agriculture known as B. A. I. order No. 113, now effective in the interstate movement of cattle are hereby adopted to control the inspection and the movement of cattle from and within the quarantine area of the state of Nebraska.

**Does Grain Trust Exist.**  
The Beaver Valley Grain Company of Danbury complains that the grain trust is camping in its trail and trying to put it out of business. Frequent announcements have been made that the grain trust in Nebraska was "busted," that it ceased to exist when Senator Norris Brown obtained an injunction from the state court dissolving the Nebraska Grain dealers' association. Public complaint of a "grain trust" had not been heard until Secretary G. F. Godown of the Beaver Valley company aired his grievance. He wrote to J. S. Canaday of Minden, secretary of the state co-operative grain dealers' association charging that an effort was being made to run his company out of business. The letter was sent by Mr. Canaday to the secretary of state. Yesterday Deputy Secretary Wait turned it over to Attorney General Thompson.

Secretary Godown writes that his company is operating an elevator at Danbury and that during the past winter the Central Granaries company and the Duff Grain company, which own elevators both at Danbury and McCook, paid nine cents more for grain at Danbury than they paid at McCook there being no farmers' elevator at McCook. He asks whether there is a state law to prevent this sort of competition.

Attorney General Thompson believes the King discrimination law does not reach the case but that the general anti-trust statutes may apply. He said if the complainant would give him the particulars of the case he might be able to give an opinion.  
The King bill passed by the last legislature prevents corporations from selling any commodity at a lower rate in one section of the state than in another, after making due allowance for transportation, but it is silent on the question of buying any product and paying therefor a higher price in one section than is paid in another. The Junkin act passed in 1905 contains a similar provision, but the Junkin act also contains provisions against combinations or conspiracies to monopolize trade or to restrict trade. The Nebraska Grain Dealers' association was enjoined from continuing in operation by an order of injunction obtained by Senator Norris Brown when he was attorney general. He instituted his suit against the association not under any one section of the statutes but under the various anti-trust laws of the state.—Lincoln Journal.

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