

Local and Personal.

Rev. H. Bex is very sick at his home in this city.

Ab Goolsby was down from Verdon Tuesday on business.

W. J. McCray came down from Stella on Monday of this week.

B. A. Davis of Hiawatha registered at the City Hotel Saturday.

Geo. Kidwell of Auburn was on the streets of this city Saturday.

Thomas James of Humboldt transacted business in this city Monday.

Carry Boles of Dawson was visiting in this city the fore part of the week.

S. B. and Julia Lee of Dawson were in this city the first of the week.

Mrs. Schrader and daughter Amelia of Verdon were in this city Tuesday.

C. A. Smiley and H. E. Williams of Shubert were in this large city Monday.

Fred Richards of Hiawatha witnessed the foot-ball game in this city Saturday.

Joseph Glasser of Humboldt visited at the home of the County Sheriff last Monday.

J. H. Hall of Verdon visited in this city Monday, the guest of his brother, G. E. Hall.

Mrs. Letha Scott visited with her parents, Joe Ranger and wife in Salem Tuesday.

James Powell is confined to his home this week nursing a very sore face. It is hoped his recovery will be rapid.

Born to John Gehling and wife on Wednesday, Nov. 16, 1904 an 8 pound girl. To the proud parents we extend congratulations.

Howard H. Long in 10 hours shucked 154 bushels and 40 lbs of corn. This was done on the James Hill farm northeast of this city on Wednesday, Nov. 23rd but did not unload the corn himself.

Ruth, the four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Loper, living several miles east of Humboldt suffered from severe burns by falling into a tub of hot water a few days ago. Prompt medical attention was given and the little one will likely feel no permanent bad effects.

"Her Only Sin" has the true ring of human emotions. Sentiment that is pure and natural comedy that is healthy and amuses—pathos that is real, not strained for effect—all characteristic of the location where the scenes are laid. To be presented at The Gehling on Monday Dec. 5. Julia Gray heads the cast of a well qualified company.

THAT BABY.
POUGEON.

Mad? Well you jist bet I am.
Es mad es I can be!
Things have changed an offul lot
'Round here, sence yest'day.
Only couple days ago,
I romped, an' screamed, an' played
At almost every kind o' games,
An' not a word was sed.
But yest'day 'n' all day t'day
Things aint a goin' right;
An' I guess I know th' cause of it;
I think I do all right.
Th' Doctor brought a baby here,
A little bit o' thing;
'Taint no use 't me atall,
Wont laff, er play, er sing.
An' ever'budy ses—"keep still!"
An'—"Don't you make a noise."
An'—"You can't play games in th' house."
An'—"Don't call in the boys."
An'—"You keep still, you'll wake her up."
An'—"Johnny, stop that noise!"
I wish that I could play sum games,
Er else call in th' boys.
Last night I got ascoldin',
'Cause I made the baby cry.
Didn't mean 't do it;
Cross my heart, 'n' hope 't die!
An' I jist stand an' look et it
A layin' thare by maw;
It's the awfulest, homliest, redfaced thing,
That I have ever saw.
Dont see what good babies are.
They stop a fellers fun.
'Cause I haint romped er played atall,
Since this here baby cum.
And if they're goin' to keep it long,
I'll never git to play;
I wish th' Doctor'd cum ag'in,
An' take this one away.

Market Letter.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Monday, Nov. 28, 1904.—The good total of 60,600 cattle was received here last week, just about the same as the week before. This was more than was expected, and with the interference of the Thanksgiving holiday, prices softened a little on nearly everything, 10 to 20 cents would cover the loss on any particular kind, but markets were slow nearly every day. Of course the difference between an active and snappy market, and a slow dull one, although not called any lower, really amounts to 5 or 10 cents per cwt., account of lack of enthusiasm in buyers, and the actual shrink that a late sale means. The supply today is 16,000 head, which is again more than we expected and market is called steady. There isn't any good corn cattle coming now, one drove last week sold at \$5.85, and top today is \$5.80, but most of the corn cattle sell at \$4.50 to \$5.25. Choice cattle would sell at \$6.25 or more. Good grass steers continue at a range of \$3.50 to \$4.75, cows and heifers \$2.25 to \$3.75, a few droves of corn fed heifers at \$4.25 to \$5.00, veals \$5.00 to \$6.00. Country demand for stockers and feeders has been better last two weeks than for several weeks, and still holds up. Speculators were timid last week but are bidding steady to strong



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F. W. Cleveland
Falls City, Nebraska

today. Prices for feeders range from \$3.00 to \$3.75. Stockers \$2.75 to \$3.75.

Hog market make a small net loss last week, but it is a hard struggle for the packers to lower prices any. Every time there is a small decline they cannot conceal their anxiety for hogs, and salemen put the price right back up. \$4.80 was top price four days of the week. Market is 5 to 10 lower today, with a top of \$4.72½ bulk of sales \$4.40 to \$4.65. Prices here continue to range 5 to 15 cents above the other markets, account of more competition among packers.

Mutton market has been strong and some higher from day today. Supply today is heavy at 11,000 head, and the market is steady to a shade lower. Best lambs bring \$6.00, fed yearlings \$5.25, and fed ewes \$4.50. Thin sheep are also some higher, at \$3.75 to \$4.25 for wethers and yearlings, and up to \$4.75 for lambs.

J. A. Rickart,
L. S. Correspondent.

REFRACTIONIST
R. L. Beaumont, M.D.
Sixth & Felix, St. Joseph
Formerly eye and ear specialist now limited practice to
Eye Glasses

Our Closing
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of Overcoats

Is still going on and will continue until the present stock is exhausted. They are going fast and you had better come in right away if you want to take advantage of the extremely low prices we are making as they won't last long. Come in now while there is a good assortment to select from.

Missouri Pacific Railway

Time Table, Falls City, Neb.

NORTH

No. 1 Omaha and Lincoln Express A 2:2 a m
No. 9 Omaha and Lincoln 8:35 a m
No. 8 Omaha and Lincoln passenger A 2:48 p m
No. 233 Local Freight, Auburn A 1:10 p m

SOUTH

No. 2 Kansas City and St. Louis and Denver A 3:47 a m
No. 58 Kansas City and St. Louis and Denve A 2:48 p m
No. 50 Worlds Fair special 8:45 p m
No. 232 Local, Atchison 10:30 a m
No. 220 Local Freight, Hiawatha A 9:52 p m
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