

Dropped Dead.

F. H. D. Hunt, an old resident of near St. Deroim, in the north part of this county dropped dead of heart disease on Wednesday afternoon. He had been in apparent good health until the time of his death and his many friends in this county will be greatly shocked to learn of his sudden demise.

Socially.

The Misses Hossack entertained about 14 of their friends on Thursday evening in honor of Miss Belle's 16th birthday. The evening was most pleasantly spent in various games of cards and a three course luncheon added to the pleasures of the evening. The guests departed at a late hour voting their hostesses most royal entertainers.

A Fire.

About 11 o'clock Tuesday evening the residents of this city were startled by the fire bell ringing. The fire was found to be at Chas. Loree's home but was under control before much damage was done. A small hole in the roof was the extent of the damage.

Kerkhoff Dramatic Co.

Manager Gehling has booked the Kerkhoff Dramatic Co. for February 6, 7 and 8. This company is known as one of the best popular price companies making this territory. They carry twelve people, all their own special scenery, etc. High class specialties every night. Prices 15, 25 and 35 cents. Remember the dates, February 6, 7 and 8.

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Married.

Thursday at 3 p. m. Jan. 26, 1905 at the M. E. Parsonage in Falls City Mr. Oscar E. Nussbaum and Miss Elva E. Cline were united in marriage by Rev. W. T. Cline. Mr. and Mrs. Nussbaum reside near Verdon where their new home will be established.

Marriage Record.

Glenn Hapgood, Stella.....28
Bessie Thomas, Stella.....33
Married by Wm. Moran Jan. 19, 1905
Andrew Clark, Seneca, Kas.....27
Nora May Dunn, Seneca, Kas.....19
Married by Judge Willite Jan. 24, 1905.
John A. Richie, Turney, Mo.....56
Laura Grimm, Turney, Mo.....40

Rulo.

The B. & M. road is putting in a net work of willows below the west pier of the bridge. The mat around the bridge on the Nebraska side looks like some of the creations of Capt. Eades.

A number of Rulo people went to Falls City Saturday to hear the reading of the Bowker will. The division of property seemed satisfactory. Thos. Bowker has the ranch south of town and stock in the Bank of Rulo. The other members of the family were amply provided for.

Arthur Darveau has been wrestling with a cold and has not been able to attend to his duties at the butcher shop.

The chicken pox continues to hold sway among the school children.

Mrs. Thos. Hays was operated upon for stomach trouble at St. Joseph last week. Mr. Hays and children went down returning Sunday. The operation was successful.

Mrs. Kate Lease was over from Bigelow to visit her sister, Mrs. Hays.

August Dorste, living 6 miles north of town went over to Missouri last week for an extended visit with his daughter.

Geo. Taylor of Ft. Hazel had two cows buried under a straw stack for almost two days but they were alive when dug out.

Henry Caverzagie is visiting relatives in Rulo this week.

May Hull has been suffering from neuralgia this week.

M. Ball of White Cloud was in Rulo this week, called here by the illness of his mother.

A card party was organized by the young people of this vicinity last week and met with the Misses Winterbottom Wednesday evening.

Verdon.

W. W. Kelly and Oscar Nussbaum visited F. W. Stock and family in Falls City the forepart of the week.

Arthur Conkel of Peru visited the Nussbaum family Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Whitman was able to attend to business at his furniture store on Monday after being confined to his home two weeks. Abe Stuart and D. Huffnell looked after the interests during his sickness. Mr. Huffnell returned to Rulo last week.

Geo. Hall visited in Verdon Sunday.

J. W. Taylor was down from Auburn last week.

Geo. Lum went to Kansas City on Monday to attend a meeting of the Lumbermen.

L. A. Kinsey and C. M. Heinzelman visited the high school on Wednesday.

On account of the cold weather the officers of Dell Lodge D. of H. A. O. U. W. were not installed on Tuesday night.

Miss Acott the Intermediate Teacher is staying with Mrs. Cullen this week while Mrs. Geo. Lum and daughter Gertrude are in Kansas City.

Mrs. Ode Sailor while cooking dinner last Friday thought she would hurry the fire by pouring on coal oil the blaze caught the oil in the can and in a very few seconds it exploded, the flame set her clothes on fire, she ran to her husband screaming she was burning to death. Mr. Sailor with great difficulty extinguished the fire and summoned medical aid Drs. Keeney and Taylor on examination it was found that she was badly burned but through their skillful application the patient was soon relieved of pain and is getting along nicely. This is another example of the power of coal oil improperly used in its place. It is to be hoped that we may profit by Mrs. Sailor's sad experience and hereafter be careful. Mr. Sailor was burned on face and hand so that he has been unable to work any since the fire.

F. W. Stock of Falls City was in town last Thursday.

Miss Amelia Schrader entertained at her home last Wednesday evening. A pleasant time was spent. Refreshments consisted of cakes, fruit and other delicacies.

Evan Owen went to Falls City last Sunday.

Frank Paul was in Falls City the first of the week.

Sheriff Hossack was in town several days last week.

Nellie Weaver returned to her school work in St. Joe the first of the week after a short visit at home.

On Josh Bloom visited in St. Joe the first of the week.

Market Report.

Corn	36
Wheat	95
Oats	23
Hogs	4.50
Cattle	4.20
Butter	18
Eggs	25

J. C. Tanner county clerk is having a somewhat serious time with a poisoned hand. He has been troubled with it for two weeks, but it has grown so much worse that he was compelled to be out of his office for a portion of this week.

Revival meetings each evening at 7:30 at the Brethren church. Unusual interest has been manifested and the meetings will be continued all of next week. Sunday will be especially observed as a day of prayer opening with a moving prayer meeting from 7 to 8. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited.—E. E. Haskins

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The subject of sermon at the Presbyterian church. Next Sabbath at 11 o'clock will be "Optimism." I have a special message for men and women who have passed the mid century mark. Some of whom are quite old. All such are most cordially invited. The evening subject will be "Some thoughts for intelligent persons, who think." Service at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., Endeavor 6:30 p. m. Everybody invited.

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