

If you want a fine rocking chair see Reavis & Abbey.

L. Yantis of Grand Island was in this city on business Wednesday.

D. P. Smith was in this city Tuesday on his way to Pawnee City.

Charles Morse of Mound City spent a part of the week in this city.

T. W. Morehead of Barada was a business visitor here on Wednesday.

Mrs. Cyrus Voils of Verdon was in this city Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Wash Minnick of Council Bluffs, Iowa is in this city visiting relatives.

Jennie Lawrence came up from Hamlin, Wednesday to attend the Stump-Wills wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dietsch and daughter, Margaret visited relatives in Rulo Sunday.

Misses Mary and Lucy Vauter of Oberland, Kansas is visiting at the home of Mrs. Taylor.

Did you see those rockers at Reavis & Abbeys furniture store? They are the finest, best and cheapest in Falls City.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Slama and Miss Karas of Humboldt visited at the home of Joseph Lepic Sunday. They made the trip in their automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Metzger are the proud parents of a baby boy born Wednesday, June 28. They have five girls and this is the first boy.

W. L. Bousfield came down from Auburn Wednesday with a car load of water melons and on learning the town was supplied took them to Humboldt that afternoon.

Jas. K. Liggett cashier of the First National bank of Humboldt writes to order The Tribune sent to his address and to inform us that all is peace and progress in the metropolis of the west end.

Sheriff Hossack was in Sioux City, Iowa the first of the week and reports his son, Will to be in much better condition than he had expected to find him. He thinks they can remove him from the car in two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave DeHaven left this week for Geneva left Nebraska, where they will spend the summer and Mr. DeHaven is employed. Mrs. DeHaven spent several days in Lincoln visiting at the home of George Marsh before going to Geneva.

Since Sterling does not celebrate the 4th of July the ball team has decided to go to Falls City on that day and as that town has arranged a splendid celebration, it is probable that a large number of Sterlingites will go down there to spend the day.—Sterling Record.

Paul Weaver and family are here from Cordell O. T. for a visit with their relatives and friends. It was reported that this entire family had been killed in the cyclone that recently devastated Snyder, O. T. but the report was all a mistake and our people are glad that it was and glad to see and tell them so.

Next Sabbath will complete the first year of Rev. S. W. Griffins service as pastor of the Presbyterian church and will be observed as the first anniversary with sermon and service appropriate to the occasion. All members and supporters, of the church are urged to be present. Every body cordially invited.

The show bills announce that some of the animals were brought from impenetrable jungles. When the show comes we are going to ask the manager how they got the animals out of those impenetrable jungles, and if he can tell us, we are going to ask him what would happen if an irresistible body came in contact with an immovable wall.

A. E. Jaquet, the jeweler, has arranged with the Jeweler's Security Alliance of New York to protect his safe against burglary. The association offers a reward of one hundred dollars for the arrest and conviction of any person who robs the safe of a member. Under this arrangement the patrons of Mr. Jaquet can feel that any valuable article left in his charge will be adequately protected.

John A. Bradley, a lawyer of Arcion, Ohio, was instantly killed in a railroad wreck one day last week. He was on the fast train that jumped the switch in which so many were killed. He was married here a number of years ago to Emma Jones, a sister of John and Dick Jones of this city.

Mrs. Milt Sipe and little son, John, who have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Jane Bohrer, and other relatives in this city for the past two weeks, returned to their home in Lanark, Ill., last Friday.

A crowd from here visited the Missouri lakes last Sunday. George Culp had the misfortune to receive an injured limb, which has caused him much pain and suffering. At this writing, however, he is recovering nicely.

A mule team took a spin twice around the court house square on Monday afternoon. As spectacular exhibition, the run suggested the ancient Roman hippodrome. No damage was done to man or beast.

Nellie and James Coupe started Wednesday for New York City, where they will spend the summer with relatives. They will visit many places in the east before they return.

The news columns of The Tribune will be edited absolutely without prejudice. If you know an item, tell a reporter, use the telephone or send it by mail. We thank you in advance.

Mrs. J. M. Culp left Saturday for a three months visit with her sister, Mrs. S. Bouron, and her daughter, Mrs. Harry Lewis, in California.

Do not fail to read the notice of the "House-to-house" canvass in this issue. Let every visitor be on hand promptly at the time and place given.

Al Hales of Humboldt, was transacting business in this city Wednesday. Mr. Hales is water commissioner at that place.

The Falls City Tribune has absorbed the Humboldt Enterprise and it will be a hummer on and after this date.—Fremont Tribune.

W. C. McDermid is laying a fine stretch of cement walk along the south side of his residence property on West Steele street.

Mrs. May Bayette, of Nebraska City, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Beasley, and other relatives in this city.

Miss Sallie Schoenheit returned from Stella Wednesday. She spent a few days there the guest of Miss Harris.

Rev. J. Cronenberger will be the speaker of the day for the Sunday school picnic held in Rulo the Fourth.

Miss Nora Potect went to Padonia, Wednesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Maud Hearst, and family a few days.

Mrs. Linley, who is visiting at the home of Mrs. J. L. Cleaver, went to Hiawatha Wednesday to visit a few days.

Mayor Leyda and brother John returned last Monday from a visit at the old family home in Ohio.

Mrs. Harry Morrow and the baby returned Tuesday from a visit with Mr. Morrow at Kansas City.

Will Crook was up from Kansas City, Sunday and spent the day with friends in this city.

R. S. Coupe went to Auburn Wednesday.

Otho Wachtel was a Kansas City visitor Monday.

Mrs. Kohn of Shubert was in this city Wednesday.

Mrs. Meyers was down from Shubert on business Wednesday.

Will Winterbottom was a B. & M. passenger to St. Joe Wednesday.

Remember the carnival dates. Read the ad elsewhere in this paper.

Mrs. J. L. Cleaver left Wednesday for Hiawatha to visit friends.

Robert Johnston and wife returned from a ten days stay in Chicago.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Barton on Wednesday, June 28 a baby girl.

The wheat crop is immense and the farmers are busy with the harvest.

Misses Watteyne, Loranda and McCullan of Preston were Falls City visitors Saturday.

Eva and Glen McNall leave tomorrow for a weeks visit with relatives in Tarkio, Mo.

Ruth Wheatley, of Verdon, is visiting her friend, Nellie Hossack in this city.

Miss May Maddox will leave Saturday for Paris, Missouri to visit Mrs. Perry Westphaling.

Mary Sullivan leaves to-night for Buffalo, Wyoming to spend the summer with her parents.

M. J. Hartman, wife and little daughter returned from Portland Oregon Wednesday where they were attending the fair.

Wesley Daeschmer returned to his home in Hiawatha, Tuesday after spending a week at the home of W. H. Maddox.

Mrs. Bruno Hanson and Mrs. C. H. Kerr started overland Monday for Norfolk, Nebraska. Mrs. Kerr will visit there several days.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCreary died on Tuesday. We extend to these young parents our sincere sympathy.

G. J. Crook is attending the republican state committee meeting in Lincoln today as a proxy for C. F. Reavis who was unable to get away.

Mrs. Frank Mason and little son spent Sunday with her husband in Stella. Mr. Mason is working with the telephone company at that place.

Some men who would not like to be caught throwing bouquets at themselves, would accept a quit claim deed to a whole greenhouse if it were tendered them.

There seems to be no limit to human ingenuity when it comes to inventing new forms of graft. The Alexander the Great of frenzied finance is seldom called upon to weep because there are no more worlds to conquer.

Bluebirds as Pets.

The bluebird makes a very playful and affectionate little pet. Mr. A. Raddyclyffe Dugmore tells of a very interesting one he possessed. "While I am writing," he says, "a pet one, but three months old, is sitting on my paper, seeming to wonder what I am doing and why I do not play with him. He nips my pencil, but I pay no attention to him; then he tries to creep up my sleeve, and still I pay no attention; so, disgusted, he flies off in search of ants and other small insects. After a time I raise my hand and call; back he comes like a flash, and hovering, more like a moth than a bird, he perches on my finger, singing at the time a soft little song that is his method of speech."—St. Nicholas.

Sobriety in Russia.

A sudden increase in sobriety among Russian workmen is embarrassing the Russian government because it is materially reducing the income derived from the tax on alcohol. That is all why the workmen are so sober.—Minneapolis.

BISHOP HAS RELIGIOUS DOG

Philadelphia Students Have Educated Ryan's Collie and He's Very Wise —Valued at a Big Sum.

The famous St. Bernard dog trained to a show of religious practices by a Benedictine monk has a rival in a collie owned by Archbishop Ryan, of Philadelphia. The collie struck up an acquaintance with the archbishop one day while he was taking his customary walk in Fairmount park, and thereafter stuck close to the heels of the prelate, even to the doors of the episcopal residence.

"Begone!" commanded the archbishop, who was afraid that someone might think he was trying to smuggle the handsome animal into the house. The dog went sheepishly down the steps, but, catching sight of the archbishop's kindly look, bounded up again, wagging his tail.

"Well, come in, then," said the prelate, and the collie obeyed with a bound.

Since that day, a year ago, he has been an attache of the archbishop's household. He knows how to put his paws together in an attitude of prayer, he "sings," thumps the piano with his big paws and exhibits penitence for misbehavior. The students around the archiepiscopal residence have taken the greatest pains with his religious education, and the collie would no more think of barking during religious service than he would of trying to pick a quarrel with the sculptured bound on the lawn. During religious processions he assumes of his own accord an attitude of respect, sitting on his hind legs and remaining motionless until the procession passes.

The dog had not been long in the possession of the archbishop before Mgr. Ryan discovered that he belonged to another man who was much chagrined at his loss. This real owner approached the archbishop as he and his collie were strolling in the park one day.

"I beg your pardon, sir," said the man, "but that's my dog."

"Maybe it is," said his excellency, laughing. "I never was sure he was mine; he followed me home."

The stranger called to the animal, which seemed delighted to see him. Then he showed the archbishop that the collie had a pedigree which would arouse the envy of half the blueblooded dogs in the city.

"I've spent weeks hunting for him," resumed the stranger, "and now that I've found him you can have him."

The archbishop offered to buy the dog, but the man insisted that he accept the collie as a gift, and he did. Every morning now the collie accompanies Mgr. Ryan on his walk through the park. He knows the hours of the services in the cathedral and can be usually seen at the side door waiting for the archbishop to come out. Whether there is service or not he never tries to enter the church.

The dog's value is rated at about \$500, but five times that amount could not buy him from the archbishop.

Prizes for Servants.

In celebration of the emperor of Austria's birthday a short time ago 20 purses, each containing the equivalent of \$75, were offered for competition among domestic servants who could prove long and satisfactory service in respectable situations. The qualifications of the winners showed some truly remarkable periods of service. One of the winners—a valet—had been in the service of one man for 46 years. A maid servant of nearly 80 years of age had served about 39 years in an orphanage, where she was still in active employment when she received the award. Another woman, aged 74 years, had entered the service of a family as scullery maid and was still with the same family, after 43 years' service. All of the winners had been in their situations more than 30 years.

A Voice in the Night.

"Yes," said the young man who roomed farther down the hall, "my heart cried out for you during the hours of slumber and I must have heard it." —Papa that we eat the things we eat.

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Railroad Valuation.

The state board has completed its valuation of railroads. The increase in the valuation this year over last amounts to \$6,060,616.25. Inasmuch as the valuation was largely increased last year, the present figures are probably very near the true value of railroad property in Nebraska. The total is \$236,474,880.

Fourth Of July.

The Missouri Pacific is offering a special fourth of July rate. The fare will be one fare plus 50 cents for the round trip. Tickets will be on sale from the first to the fourth with a return limit on the sixth.

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Full many a snow storm gaily howls tonight
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