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Carl Sedmayer left Wednesday morning for St. Joe.

S. W. Story of Rulo was in town Monday on business.

George S. Cleveland made a business trip to Verdon on Monday.

Josephine Hinton came down from Salem Monday to visit friends.

Ellis Houtz, wife and baby were in town the latter part of the week.

Mrs. J. J. Berger and daughter Blanch of Reserve were shopping here Tuesday.

J. C. Schulenberg was over from Barada on Monday to transact some business.

Lena Shaw a teacher in the St. Joe high school was in town Tuesday the guest of the Misses Gehling.

DeLos Graham, wife and little son came down from Dawson Monday to attend the Glines-Babb wedding.

Prof. Carr and wife were down from Shubert Tuesday. Mr. Carr was looking after some political matters.

Mrs. Ada Paddwalder of Des Moines, Iowa a cousin of Mrs. C. H. Marion is spending the week in this city.

Mrs. John Gilligan received word that the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Himes of Spokane, Kan. died a few days ago.

Mamie Riggen returned to her home in Filmore, Mo., Sunday after spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Frank Knickerbocker.

Mable Moore of Kansas City spent her summer vacation in this city the guest of her uncle, Rev. Griffin. She returned home Friday.

Rube Horrocks had the misfortune to step on a rusty nail Monday morning. It was very painful but is much better at this writing.

W. Hill Griffin returned to Kansas City Wednesday morning after spending a two weeks vacation with his father, Rev. Griffin in this city.

Mayme Eatough came down from Omaha Friday to spend some time visiting Mrs. Charles Bracelen and at the home of Mat McMahon.

George Scholl, Ed. Brecht, Willie Walthausen, Otto Rieger Charles Gaede, left today for Atchison to spend a few days at the Y. P. A. convention.

Ora Marsh of Mount Ayre, Iowa is visiting relatives and friends near Fargo. She was in this city the first of the week looking for a school in this county.

Mrs. W. P. Meyers and son Lawrence and daughter Martha left Tuesday for Zoin City, Ill., and after a short visit there, will proceed to the old family home in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Albert Maust was hostess at a young married ladies kensington yesterday afternoon a large number was present and enjoyed a pleasant time. Light refreshments were served.

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. John Gilligan very pleasantly entertained the young married ladies at a kensington. The hostess assisted by Miss Floy Grinstead served elaborate refreshments.

Col. Marion and little daughter Audra went to Table Rock Monday afternoon. They returned on Tuesday. While there Mr. Marion purchased a fine little Shetland pony for his daughter.

## Court House News

The marriage license department of the county judge's office is suffering from a lack of business. Only one license was issued this week, that one being to Edwin Glines and Clara Babb.

County Clerk Tanner, who has been very ill, is still confined to his home, although his condition is much improved. His father, J. J. Tanner, has been in charge of the office during his illness and the work has progressed very nicely.

Supt. Crocker is a very busy man. He is preparing for the institute which is to be held in this city next week, and now has all the details pretty well arranged. He is very optimistic concerning the outlook for a successful institute.

Chas. Loree, the clerk of the district court, is also an abstractor by trade, and has just received a fine new set of abstract books. He devotes his idle time to filling these books with very fine writing, all of which means something and will prove very valuable to generations yet unborn.

County Recorder Rieger reports the following real estate transfers:

J. F. Walsh and wife to Mary L. Murphy wd to lots 4 and 7 and n4 lots 3 and 8 blk 19 Hagadorn's add to Dawson consideration \$1200.

Mary C. Lee and husband to J. E. Frey wd to part lot 10 blk 8 Humboldt, consideration \$700.

Joseph Church et al to F. M. Williamson wd to et lot 6 blk 8 Humboldt consideration \$1600.

Jeremiah Vance and wife to John Charles Fremont Williamson wd to lots 8-9-10 blk 39 Tinkers add to Humboldt, consideration \$75.

James M. Gilmore and wife to John A. Gerdes wd to lots 2-4 blk 2 Verdon, consideration \$800.

U. S. A. to Joseph Pickett patent to n4 sec and s4 sec 17-1-13.

Lizzie A. Gonsler (single) to the trustees of the Emanuel Society of the Evangelical church of Falls City, Neb., qd to lots 3-4 blk 38 Falls City, consideration \$1.

Lincoln Land Company to M. J. LeBlanc qd to lot 1 blk 24 Rulo, consideration \$15.

Total amount of transfers, \$4,291.

## Record of County Jail.

At this writing there are in the county jail the following men:

Elmer Tuttle of Salem was arrested and brought to this city July 25 for disturbing the peace. He will lay out a fine and cost to the amount of \$20.

Thomas Foy was taken there July 27th for selling whiskey to an Indian. He is bound over to the district court.

Joe Hinchman on July 28 unlawfully became intoxicated and disturbed the peace. He received a three days jail sentence and a cost of \$4.80.

Wm. Sutliff of Omaha became intoxicated and disturbed the peace and will lay out 20 days in jail and a cost of \$4.80.

Oliver Wells a young man of this city was arrested Monday for striking and wounding a little colored boy by the name of Samuel Anderson. He was taken before Judge Moran and given one day in the county jail and a cost of \$6.25.

## Samuelson a Bankrupt.

The Samuelson bankruptcy matter which has been at issue for some time past, has been settled and Mr. Samuelson discharged in bankruptcy by Judge Eaton, of Nebraska City. This decision relieves Mr. Samuelson of any obligations occasioned by personal debts, but does not affect the status of the suits against the First National bank, of Humboldt, arising out of the Samuelson failure.

## ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT

The following tabulated report of the receipts and expenditures of the Falls City school district will be of general interest to school patrons.

RECEIPTS	State & Local Taxes	Fines and Licenses	Tuition	Other Sources	Total
Year ending July 1891	7380.32	3588.70	64.10		11033.12
Year ending July 1895	6872.85	5573.09	384.61		12830.55
Year ending July 1899	7332.25	4177.54	141.25	1363.15	13014.19
Year ending July 1900	7867.67	4000.03	51.37	394.10	12313.14
Year ending July 1901	7901.92	3500.00	158.25	624.33	12184.42
Year ending July 1902	6542.83	3101.35	280.00	1328.84	11253.02
Year ending July 1903	7866.08	3052.01	178.73	934.63	12031.45
Year ending July 1904	10150.45	3500.00	379.53	63.07	14093.10
Year ending July 1905	11314.00	4111.00	445.51		15870.51

EXPENDITURES	Teachers and Janitors	Fuel	Repairs	Supplies	Other Expenses	Total	Average Cost per Pupil	Enrollment	Av. Att'd
Year ending July 1891	6567.53	331.00		185.23	184.00	7267.76	11.77	1556	15.56
Year ending July 1895	7729.34	1349.01		92.47	2027.50	11398.31	14.14	1820	18.20
Year ending July 1899	8130.00	1048.00		1413.00	4370.83	14061.83	18.24	2067	20.67
Year ending July 1900	8940.00	750.00		1355.04	2123.46	13168.50	16.50	2270	22.70
Year ending July 1901	8009.97	1385.88		1543.25	1029.17	12368.27	15.25	3142	31.42
Year ending July 1902	8410.00	1103.00		870.00	2054.55	12437.55	16.20	3194	31.94
Year ending July 1903	8400.00	831.03		400.00	1558.92	11290.95	15.80	3170	31.70
Year ending July 1904	8355.00	880.00		509.00	1130.00	11674.00	15.53	3240	32.40
Year ending July 1905	9107.53	834.81		415.20	1118.23	12305.00	16.43	3244	32.44

## Arrested on Larceny Charges.

Frank Vanek, who was arrested at his home in Humboldt Saturday, charged with being an accessory to the burglary of the clothing store of that city, was held by Justice Smith to answer in district court. His bond was placed at \$150 and the young man put up the amount in cash and he was allowed to depart.

## Big Land Deal.

John R. Smith has sold his fine farm adjoining the city on the northeast, to Henry Whitrock. This farm includes 160 acres of the finest land in the county and is, in all respects, a model farm. The price paid was \$17,500, which is a fair index of the prevailing prices of Richardson county realty. The deal was made through Henry C. Smith.

## Announcement.

I have rented a suite of rooms over the Richardson county bank and will open an office at once for the practice of medicine and surgery.

My education was received at the university of Nebraska conferring the degree of B. Sc. 1899; University of Chicago and Rush Medical college, conferring degree of M. D. 1904; Englewood Hospital, Chicago, conferring hospital diploma 1905.

I will conduct a general practice in Medicine and Surgery, and give attention to diseases of the Eyes, Nose and Throat as well. Your patronage is solicited.

WILL R. BOOSE, M. D.

## Married.

Clara Babb and Edwin Glines were married at St. Francis Catholic church in this city at 8 o'clock Monday morning, the ceremony being performed by Father Bex in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives.

The groom was raised in this city and has a great many warm personal friends, by whom he is highly regarded. The bride is also a Falls City product, a daughter of the late Dan Babb, and a young lady who commands the respect and the highest regards of all.

Mr. Glines is at present employed in a large cigar factory at Painville, Mo., and left on Wednesday for that place. Mrs. Glines expects to join him in a few weeks and they will make their future home at that place. Both bride and groom share in the congratulations and best wishes of all their many Falls City friends.

Mrs. Hal Harris is in Reserve this week visiting her parents.

## School Board Meeting.

At the regular meeting of the board of education held on Monday evening W. H. DeWalt was elected janitor of the high school building for the next school year. September 11th was fixed as the date for the opening of the city schools. A. B. Everett was awarded the contract for laying cement walks on the south side of the Central school and on the west side of the Harlan street school.

## Investigated Assessments.

County Assessor Jern and Supervisor McCray have returned from a trip made for the purpose of investigating the assessment of real estate in Cass and Otoe counties for this fiscal year. They found that the assessments in these counties is considerable higher than that of Richardson county realty. The investigation was made to determine the advisability of a proposed increase in the valuation of farm lands in the county.

## Tore up the Walk.

The residents along West Steele street have been trying to outdo each other in the matter of laying brick and cement walks. Such walks had been laid along the entire north side of the street with the exception of a stretch along a vacant lot owned by a non-resident. The owner postponed the laying of a permanent walk longer than some people thought he should, and some time Monday night the old board walk was torn up and thrown into the street. Whether or not this action will result in securing a permanent walk along the south side of said lot, remains to be seen.

## Gov. Joseph W. Folk.

Gov. Joseph W. Folk will be at the Salem chautauqua, August 17, 1905, at 2:30 p. m. Subject: "The Reign of Law"

Everyone who believes that corruption in politics and government should be wiped out should come and hear this lecture.

Gov. Folk believes that "Honesty is the First and Only Consideration in Politics." He not only believes this but has made it practicable in the face of the strongest opposition.

Come and hear him tell how he does it. On Thursday, August 17, at 2:30 p. m.

For tents, programs, etc., address W. P. Shildneck, Secy., Salem, Neb.

## Broke His Arm.

While playing in the yard Wednesday, Willie, the little son of Henry Hofer, fell from an apple tree and broke his arm. Dr. Kerr was called and set the injured member. The little fellow is getting along very nicely at this writing.

## Tales of the Town.

The tent in which gospel meetings have been held for some weeks past, has been removed from its location just north of the court house. Meetings were held all last week notwithstanding the fact that a street fair was in progress, and every night the little band of worshippers met and held divine services, heedless of the throng of revellers that passed up and down the sidewalk in front of the tent. Sometimes when the sound of the merry-go-round organ had ceased for the moment, or a lull came in the clamor and turmoil of the carnival, the strains of the little cabinet organ could be heard bravely playing its accompaniment to some good old gospel hymn. Then a great billow of noise and confusion would break over the little tent and when it in turn had spent its force and rolled away, the sound of a voice lifted in prayer would reach the ears of such of the street fair revellers who chanced to be passing the tent at that moment. It seemed as though the worshippers were laboring against tremendous odds, but doubtless the God who hears the prayer of the little child above the thunder storm, heard all that was sung and said within the walls of the little tent that stood in the midst of the street fair.

The issue of The Tribune containing the picture of Stone street in 1866, attracted much attention and many varied were the comments made by the older citizens who examined it. To each one the picture called up some different memory, and one story recalled another until wherever two or three gray haired men were seen gathered together, and one of them holding a copy of The Tribune, it was certain that the past was being lived over again and strange tales being related and long forgotten incidents recalled. It is remarkable how clear is the memory of most of these old men. All that is necessary is an incident like the appearance of the picture to arouse sluggish recollections and then to these men things that happened forty years ago are as the things that happened yesterday, and tongues are loosened and the conversation on such occasions is very interesting to the younger generations. Forty years from now we will all be old, gray haired men and when we look at a picture of Stone street as it is today we, too, will have strange tales to tell, but they will not be so exciting, neither will they be such vivid reflections of a real strenuous life as are the stories that the old men of today tell us.

The teachers' institute will be in session next week. The teachers are coming from all over the county to spend a week in study and review and to better prepare themselves for the duties that they are to resume when the summer vacation is ended. There will be bright faced and enthusiastic young men and women, each with a definite object in view, and their presence will be an inspiration, as it has always been, to those who are interested in the public school and all that the institution stands for. Falls City has had some notable gatherings in the way of conventions, assemblies, conferences, etc., but no meeting has ever been held in the city that is of more real importance

than the Richardson county teacher's institute. A large and successful institute means better school work next year and if there is anything more important than that, we would like to know what it is.

Very few people outside of those directly interested in educational work, realize the nature of the talent engaged for the special features of the institute. Lecturers of wide reputation and great ability come here every year and add their contribution to the intellectual betterment of the town. Taking it all together, the institute is a fine thing for the town and the teachers will find themselves very welcome.

## Died.

Rosa Till, residing with her sister, Mrs. M. H. Richards, in Humboldt on Grand Avenue, and who has been a sufferer with tuberculosis for a number of years, died on Friday evening.

Funeral services were held from the home Sunday, conducted by Rev. Bert Wilson of the Christian church, assisted by Rev. L. R. Smith of the Presbyterian church.

The deceased was a native of the state and was born on a farm near Brownville, in Nemaha county, December 1874. She had made her home in Humboldt for fifteen years past and was a graduate of the Humboldt schools. Interment was made in the cemetery west of that city.

Mrs. Sam Freiburghouse died at her home near Fargo, on Tuesday morning after an illness of about a year. The cause of her death was paralysis. She has made this county her home for a number of years. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, two daughters, Mesdames Maggie Snyder and Ella Hill, both of Holdrege, Nebraska, and two sons, Julo, of Holdrege, and George, of this city, besides numerous other relatives and friends.

The deceased was a good Christian woman and one who was loved by all who knew her. Through all her long suffering she was very patient and kind. She was a devoted wife and loving mother.

The funeral services were held from the Gospel Union church in Salem, conducted by Rev. Haskins of this city, on Wednesday at 2 p. m., and the remains were laid to rest in the Salem cemetery. Her father, Mr. Kenner, and brother, John Kenner, of Missouri, attended the funeral.

The Tribune extends sympathy to the family.

Everett Higgins of Strausville was in town Friday.

Anna Ruegge of Barada was in this city Saturday on business.

C. R. Larimer of Peru was in the city Wednesday. He is in search for a school.

Mrs. Wren Barnes and little son of Salem is the guests of her mother Mrs. Taylor this week.

Mrs. David McCoy came up from Hiawatha Wednesday to spend a few days at the home of J. R. Cain.

Alma Kirk who resides near Salem was the guest at the home of J. A. Hill in this city the last of the week.

Joe Vaughn and a Mr. Haskell of Illinois arrived here Wednesday for a short visit with his cousin Anthony Vaughn. They are on their way to Oklahoma.