

Remember the Falls City Chautauqua, July 21 to 31 inclusive. Arrange to be with us the entire Session.

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## Fourth Of July.

Remember, Falls City is going to celebrate the Fourth with a royal good time. Tell your friends in the surrounding towns and ask them to come and celebrate with us.

A fine program for the entire day is being prepared and no expense or energy will be spared to make this a grand celebration. It will be a day full of pleasure. Lay your business and cares aside for a day, come and celebrate and enjoy it with us. The best band in southeastern Nebraska, Harnack's Military band, will furnish music. You can chase the greased pig, watch the foot races, ball games, drills, in fact enjoy amusements too numerous to mention. Be sure to come.

## With the City Council.

At the regular meeting of the city council Monday night the sidewalk and the water questions took up the entire time. It was decided that unless the parties whose sidewalks had been condemned, rebuilt them in a given length of time the city would proceed to build them. Notices to that effect to be given such parties forthwith.

The petitions that have been circulated in the different wards praying for the submission of the bonds for the improvement in water and light service were presented to the mayor and council and an ordinance was formed calling for a special election to submit the bond question to the legal voters. The ordinance was read for the first time, Monday night. At the adjourned meeting held Wednesday night the ordinance came up for a second reading after which the council adjourned to meet Thursday morning when the ordinance was read for the third time.

It was voted to publish the ordinance and advertise the election for July 16th, 1907 for the purpose of voting bonds for the enlargement and better equipment of the city water and light plant.

It is to be hoped that every voter with the best interests of his town at heart will be on hand to vote for the bonds. The inadequacy of the present plant has been explained fully during the last year, many times and the trouble for several weeks with the lights last winter ought to have been proof conclusive.

The light plant is too weak to be taxed further and those who want them in their homes will have to be denied, thus depriving the city of one source of revenue.

The machinery is old and worn out and is constantly being repaired with constantly increasing expense. A live up-to-date town like Falls City needs and must have up to date equipments. Vote for the bonds, put the plants on a better basis so that they will bring a better revenue to the city treasury, gain for yourself, better protection against fire, and light your town so that it will be second to none.

By voting for the bonds you show the spirit of pride, progress and development every good citizen should have in this city. Remember the date July 16th work unceasingly and vote for the best interests of the community.

## Change of Firm.

Elmer Heiser has sold his interest in the Falls City Meat Market to his partner, Mr. Mosiman. For the present Mr. Heiser will remain in the shop to manage the business, but aside from this he has not decided just what he will follow.

## Married.

On Wednesday, June 12th at the home of C. O. Avery and wife, of Humboldt, occurred the marriage of Mrs. Avery's sister, Miss Edith Miller, of Kansas City, to Mr. Henry Hudson, of Humboldt, the Rev. John Calvert of the Christian church officiating. Miss Miller formerly lived at Auburn before making her home in Kansas City. She is a graduate of the Peru Normal and is a very bright, estimable young lady. Mr. Hudson is one of the enterprising young farmers in the vicinity of Humboldt and is well thought of by his friends and neighbors. Mr. and Mrs. Hudson will begin married life on a farm east of Humboldt and to them The Tribune carries the good wishes and congratulations of their many friends.

At the M. E. Parsonage on Monday June 10th at 11 a. m. Mr. Geo. W. Yount and Miss Jennie Bean of Bigelow Mo. were united in marriage by Rev. W. T. Cline. These young people will make their future home in Mo.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Yount went to the home of W. H. Finkle where they visited a few days before returning to their home. We extend to them our hearty congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Fowler, formerly of this city, but now of St. Joseph, Mo. announce the marriage of their eldest daughter Helen, to Mr. Harry Arthur Boehle of San Francisco, Cal. on Thursday afternoon at 4:35 May 23rd, 1907 in Lincoln, Nebr. at the parsonage of the St. Luke M. E. Church by the Rev. Mr. P. R. Orr of that city. Mr. and Mrs. Boehle, spent Sunday and Monday in this city. They left Monday afternoon for St. Joseph where they are visiting the brides parents.

On June 5th at 8 p. m. at the home of the groom's parents two miles north of Coweta, I. T., occurred the marriage of Mr. Miles S. Macomber and Miss Cora B. McIlvain. Rev. Elza Martin, grandfather of the groom officiated.

The parlor was beautifully decorated with potted plants and the dainty wild flowers for which the territory is noted. To the strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March played by Miss Minnie Macomber, the bridal party took their places.

The bride was charming in a gown of white while the groom wore the conventional black.

Miss McIlvain formerly of Falls City, Nebr., is well known in its circles, having been employed for the past two years in the Western Union Telegraph office. She is a charming young lady who has won a host of friends that regret her departure from their city although knowing that Falls City's loss is Coweta's gain. The groom has grown to manhood in Falls City, Nebr., and only a few months ago became a resident of Coweta. He is a gentleman of sterling worth and by his many noble qualities wins friends wherever he goes.

Only relatives and a few friends were present. Many beautiful gifts were received showing that their many friends wished them a long, happy and prosperous life journey.

Joe Forney was married at Mensey, Nebr., June 12th at the home of his uncle Peter Forney but we have been unable to learn the name of his wife. They will return to Falls City June 23rd and for a time live with Mr. Forney's grandfather.

Many friends wish Joe and his wife success and happiness.

## Old Settlers Picnic.

At a meeting of the Old Settlers Association held in Dawson on Tuesday June 4th it was decided to hold the Annual Picnic in Ridley's beautiful park on Wednesday and Thursday August 21 and 22, 1907. The committees have all been selected and they have been instructed to push the work along and make the picnic a success. All committees are requested to meet at the grounds on Thursday, August 15th at 2 o'clock p. m., and report. For Stand rights apply to N. B. Judd, Dawson, Nebr.

Before adjournment the following preamble and resolution, prepared by S. C. Barlow, was read and unanimously adopted as a slight token of respect to the memory of the honored president of the Old Settlers Association:

Whereas, It has pleased the Almighty God to remove from our midst our honored president, John M. Brockman, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that we deeply deplore this sad loss, realizing that it is well nigh irreparable, Mr. Brockman having aided in the organization of this society twenty-two years ago, was elected its first chief officer, and from that day to the day of his death he was never known to miss an opportunity to advance the interests of the society and by his untiring efforts to advance the interests of the Old Settlers Association he so endeared himself to its members that he was ever their unanimous choice for leader, and while we remember with pleasure our long association with a life so noble, yet it makes us only the more concerned about the future of our association realizing that his place will be hard to fill.

As a friend to churches, to schools and to all the movements for the betterment of our people, our president was ever working in the lead, and we feel that Richardson County is a better place to live because of the forty years residence in it of one whose loss we so deeply mourn. To his family we extend our warmest sympathy, realizing that our loss though ever so great, is only second to offer our opinion that one living a life so noble and grand on this sphere will be permitted to be with his loved ones in the eternal realms of glory.

GEORGE SMITH, Sec.

## Overcome By Hemorrhage.

While attending Hahn's cattle sale last Saturday, Noah Peck was overcome by a severe hemorrhage of the stomach and was unconscious for considerable time, during which it was thought at one time life was extinct and only artificial respiration revived him. He has suffered for years from ulcers of the stomach and at this time one of the ulcers had penetrated one of the blood vessels which broke and had likely been bleeding into the stomach for half an hour before he fell exhausted.

The hemorrhage was profuse, the loss of blood amounting to about half of the supply of the body. Dr. Fast was called immediately and by prompt action his life was saved. Though extremely weak and very ill Mr. Peck will likely recover in a short time unless another hemorrhage occurs.

## Library Hours.

Beginning with Monday June 17th the Library will close at 8 o'clock each evening of the week except Saturday, during the Revival meetings.

## Ursuline Convent Exercises.

The closing exercises at the Ursuline Convent hall, Falls City, will be held on Friday evening, June 14, 1907.

**PROGRAM**  
Fest March  
1st Piano, Grace DeMers, Nellie Coupe  
2d Piano, May Gagnon, Helen Kanaly  
Sunbonnet Babies and Overalls Boys  
Minims  
Woman in History, Helen A. Murphy  
The Japanese Fan, Action song,  
Little Girls  
Le Derosier Sourire—Instrumental  
Leah Poteet  
Rest is not quitting the busy career.  
Rest is the fitting of self to one's sphere,  
Nellie Coupe  
Invitation to the Dance  
1st Piano, Leah Poteet  
2d Piano, May Gagnon  
Vocal solo, Selected, Arthur V. Coupe  
Our Nation, May J. Gagnon  
Presentation of Diplomas, Rev. H. Bex  
Qui Vive—Instrumental  
Grace DeMers and Nellie Coupe  
The Maid of Desenzano  
Music between acts  
Don Pasquale, Nellie Hart  
Am Genfersee, Grace DeMers  
Doors open at 7:30 p. m. Admission 25 cents.

## 300th Anniversary.

Next Sunday evening a special service of thanksgiving will be held at St. Thomas Episcopal church to commemorate the 300th anniversary of the introduction on this continent of English civilization and English Christianity. On Sunday, June 16, 1907, the Rev. Robert Hunt, priest of the Episcopal church, who was sent out with the English expedition by the Archbishop of Canterbury, called together the members of the infant colony, at what is now Jamestown, Va., and celebrated the Holy Communion and used the Bible and Prayer Book for the first time in America, in a rude church made of sails and evergreen. The entire Episcopal church of the United States will observe the day. The rector of St. Thomas church will deliver a specially prepared address on the subject "What Hath God Wrought."

## Assessor Jörn Finished His Work.

County assessor Jörn has finished his work and the figures he gives out in his report are a decided credit to old Richardson County. The actual increase in value of personal property is \$607,580 and in real estate \$80,000. In personal property the largest item is in notes and cash on hand, \$160,495. He also states that Falls City has made the greatest increase. Well that doesn't look as though Richardson county and Falls City are so slow. The knockers can't have much to say in the face of those figures and statements made by the assessor.

In as prosperous a county as Richardson to be the town to make the greatest increase according to size doesn't look as if the town is dead as the knockers say. If so its a pretty lively corpse to make good in this manner and there is every indication that the next year means even greater increase. As a county and city we feel proud of the amount turned into the state Treasury by treasure Lord and of the fine increase in both the county and the city.

## Died.

August Neitzel, sr., died Wednesday, June 12th, at 6 o'clock at the home of his son, August Neitzel, jr., aged 72 years. The funeral will be held this (Friday) afternoon from his son's residence. Mr. Neitzel has been an honored resident of this county for many years; he is well known and highly esteemed by those who know him. He leaves a large family and many relatives to mourn his death and to these many friends extend their sympathy.

## Society News.

Miss Heacock gave a tin shower for Miss Jussen last Thursday evening. About twenty friends assembled and the collection of kitchen utensils was both unique and useful. Each article was accompanied by a receipt and a verse which afforded much merriment. Whist was played during the evening with the usual pleasure and animation. Assisted by her sister, Miss Ruth, Miss Heacock served excellent refreshments. The evening proved a most enjoyable one to each guest.

Mrs. W. W. Abbey entertained about sixty guests at a Kensington last Friday afternoon. She was assisted in entertaining by Mesdames J. W. Holt, George Holt, I. Lyons, George Barrett and Martha Veach. A splendid collection of needle work was in evidence, although the social side of the afternoon was not neglected. Tempting refreshments were served during the afternoon. Mrs. Abbey is an estimable hostess and made the afternoon most agreeable and entertaining for her friends.

Mrs. Stephen B. Miles was hostess to the married ladies Kensington on Friday afternoon of last week. Owing to the continued rain conveyances were sent for the guests. The weather in no way affected the spirits of the ladies and the afternoon proved one of unusual pleasure. Mrs. Miles served delicious refreshments at 5 o'clock. Later the guests were conveyed to their homes.

Mrs. Katherine Wylie entertained the L. B. T. Club on Monday of this week. The afternoon being beautiful a large number were in attendance and the attention of the guests was divided between socialities and needle work until 5:30 when Mrs. Wylie, assisted by Miss Florence served a beautiful supper. This session proved one of the most enjoyable of the clubs meetings.

Mrs. Allen D. May of Salem, Mrs. Leslie Schreck of Oklahoma and Mrs. Will Uhlig were guests of the club.

Miss Hutchins was hostess to a whist party on Monday afternoon given for Miss Jussen whose marriage to Mr. Kenedy Wednesday takes her away from a circle of friends who hold her in high esteem. On this occasion guests for four tables assembled and a number of interesting and closely contested games were played. Four guests having the same number of games cut for the prize, a beautiful deck of cards, which was awarded to Miss Morris.

Miss Hutchins served delicious refreshments in two courses at 5:30 o'clock. She made the afternoon so pleasant by her hospitable, genial manner that it was long after the customary hour when her friends took their reluctant departure.

Master John W. Holt entertained about forty of his little friends on Wednesday afternoon June 12th, from 2:30 to 6 p. m. in honor of his eighth anniversary. The little folks were in the best of spirits and with light heart and good will they entered into the amusements with jolly good cheer.

During the afternoon Mrs. Holt, assisted by her sister Miss Gossett and Mrs. W. R. Holt, served refreshments consisting of such delicacies as are most tempting to the children. Master John W. was the recipient of many gifts, the tokens of esteem of his little friends who, at their departure after a splendid good time, wished him many happy returns of the day.

## Kennedy-Jussen.

At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Jussen on Wednesday evening, June 12th, at 9 o'clock occurred the marriage of their daughter, Minnie Barbara, to Mr. Horace Elwood Kennedy of Okmulgee, I. T., in the presence of a large assembly of relatives and friends.

While Mrs. Frank Schaible played Mendelssohn's wedding march, the groom entered, preceded by his best man, Mr. Roy Henley and the Rev. George Neide, rector of St. Thomas church. Miss Carrie Slocum, as maid of honor, entered in advance of the bride who was led to the beautiful altar, erected in the bay window, by her father where the impressive Episcopal ceremony was used in uniting the hearts and lives of these two estimable young people.

Miss Jussen wore an exquisite princess gown of white satin mesaline with trimming of Duchess lace. Her full veil of tulle was held by a wreath of lilies-of-the-valley. She carried a large bouquet of white roses, tied with tulle.

Miss Slocum wore the charming gown of white tissue over light green and carried a beautiful bouquet of La France roses.

The groom and his attendant were in the customary evening dress.

After the ceremony and congratulations the guests were led into the dining room where refreshments were served consisting of ice cream, moulded in the form of cupids, strawberries and cake. Punch was served during the evening in the den by Mrs. Clark Jennings of Supulpa, I. T.

The decorations throughout were in white and green, white roses, smilax and asparagus fern being used in profusion. The bay window, where the altar was erected, was a perfect bower of palms, ferns and smilax.

In the dining room an immense basketful of bride's roses was placed in the center of the table and from the chandelier smilax was draped. Green candles with green silk shades were placed on the table in old silver candlesticks.

In the den the punch table was decorated with green and white, and large white roses were much in evidence as they were also, in the parlors where they were placed in tall vases and baskets.

In referring to the bride, it would be hard to enumerate the many estimable qualities and accomplishments that have endeared her to her friends. She was born in Falls City and has grown to womanhood here. After graduating from the high school she attended the university where she gave considerable attention to art, water colors and china painting receiving special attention. She is possessed of many graces, intelligent, amiable and by her marriage we lose one of our most charming young ladies.

Mr. Kennedy is in the banking business in Okmulgee, I. T. He is a graduate of the university of Lawrence Kansas, and stands high in the estimate of all who know him for his geniality, intelligence and business integrity.

The gifts presented the bride were numerous and elegant, including much solid silver, hand painted china, cut glass, beautiful linens and lace, choice pieces of bric-a-brac and a check from the groom's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy left Wednesday night for the Jamestown Exposition and after an extended trip through the East will make their home in Okmulgee, I. T. The best wishes and congratulations of hosts of friends as extended to them for long lives of happiness and prosperity.

The out of town guests who attended the wedding and enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Jussen were:

Mrs. W. J. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Kennedy, Mr. Roy Henley, Lawrence, Kans.  
Mrs. S. M. Cowgill, Terre Haute, Ind.  
Mrs. S. H. Kennedy, Witnake, I. T.  
Mr. and Mrs. Sayer, Miss Hill, Hiawatha, Kans.

We are glad to name B. W. Battreall among our subscribers this week.