

Now and Then.

While making a short stay at Sycamore Springs last week the writer was thrown in with Col. George Marvin, the Beatrice newspaper man and one of the old timers of Falls City.

I sometimes wish that we might have the history of Falls City written before the years take from us all of those who lived here in the town's infancy.

George Marvin did not come early enough to experience some of this life, but he came early enough to store a fund of incidents in his memory that make him a very interesting companion for a Falls City man.

"Where do you live?" asked the squire of the first negro. "White Cloud, sah," answered the would be voter.

So George took the hungry negro off and gave him the necessary instructions, and the fellow fell in line again, and answered the questions properly, and was solemnly entered as a voter and as solemnly led off to the "white saloon" for his drink and to the Minnick hotel for his dinner.

Time was, so Mr. Marvin says, when Falls City had three newspapers all edited in the same room and all published on the same press. Times have changed—remarkably changed. But the

editors and the compositors and the devils would all sit down to a game of cards and play for a keg of beer as soon as the last paper was off the press. They always kept a faucet in the office for just such occasions.

It would be nice if a day could be set apart for a sort of reunion day when all who have lived in Falls City could come back and renew the acquaintances of other years. Call it a home coming day if you like, and invite Major Burbank and George Marvin and John Dorrington and Erskin Cunningham and the others of old timers wherever wandering and put them on the platform with those of our local old timers and have them tell us of the days when the world was young.

The Progress of the Crops. Rapid growth of corn throughout the country was stimulated by last week's weather—hot with frequent showers. In Iowa and the Central states rains were heavy. There were general showers in Missouri, Nebraska and Kansas, though in some parts of Central and southeast Kansas rain is needed to prevent impairment of the crop.

Practically everywhere corn cultivation is completed and the crop "laid by" in clean condition. It has yet to go through the most trying time of the year, but July thus far has given promise that the summer is not to be a dry one.

A large portion of the winter wheat crop has been cut and threshing has developed of better yields than were expected. Wheat has filled out well nearly every-

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where. The quality is above the average and though the total crop will be short of last year it will be far above the hastily formulated estimates of most of the crop experts.

The spring wheat crop appears not to be making satisfactory progress. In some sections there has not been enough rain and in others too much. But the chief trouble seems to be a lack of strong, healthy growth, probably attributable to the drawbacks of the planting season and the lack of sufficient warmth immediately following.

After all the reports of deficient stand, poor growth, green bug damage and other troubles that beset the oats crop it is coming to maturity with a promise of almost as large a yield as last year.

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M. E. Church.

The following services next Sabbath: 9:45 Sunday school. 10:45 preaching. 2:00 p. m. Junior league. 7:00 p. m. Epworth league. 8:00 p. m., Preaching. Prayer meeting 8:00 p. m. on Wednesday evening. All cordially invited.



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