

**LOCAL LORE.**

**Eat Sowles' candy.**  
 Jim Bascom spent the first of week with his parents at Pawnee City.  
 Thomas Maxwell, of Humboldt, was a pleasant caller at this office Thursday.  
 Fred Shock came down from Nebraska City and spent Sunday with home folks here.  
 County Superintendent Oliver is spending the week visiting in the various school districts.  
 F. M. Harlow left Tuesday for different points in the south, on a combined business and pleasure trip.  
 J. R. Wilhite was in Stella the first of the week, called there by the death of his old friend, J. L. Hays.  
 Frank Neitzel orders his Tribune sent to Columbus, Neb., he having moved from Grand Island to that place.  
 Clyde Harden of Verdon is a new subscriber since our last issue, having added his name during the blizzard this week.  
 Mrs. J. G. Ranger returned to her home in Salem, Sunday, after a week spent with her daughter, Mrs. Everett Scott, in this city.  
 Miss Carrie Hough of 340 Washington boulevard, Chicago, arrived in the city Monday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Hill.  
 Louie Davison is now driving the Pacific express wagon in this city, having accepted the position made vacant by the promotion of Roy Jenkins.  
 James Fidermutz, one of the prosperous farmers near Humboldt, was a business visitor in this city Saturday. He made the Tribune a pleasant call.  
 Milt Bohrer came home from Merna the last of the week. Milt is suffering from a seige of erysipelas and will remain at home a short time to recuperate.  
 Roy Jenkins who has been employed by the Pacific express company at this place, left Monday night for Grand Island, where he will assume a like position.  
 Mrs. Dr. Fast was called to Corning, Mo., by the serious illness of her mother, and on Wednesday the sad news reached this city that the latter had died that morning.  
 Mrs. T. Linehan and son, who have been guests at the home of F. Werner, left yesterday for Omaha, where they will visit for a short time enroute to their home in New York.  
 Arthur Wakely, of Omaha; Matt Gehring, of Plattsmouth and Robt. Cain, Jr., of Stella, three of the speakers at the Elks smoker, were guests of C. L. Reeves while in the city.  
 Mrs. Carrie Neitzel passed through this city a few days ago on her way to her home in Preston, after quite an extended stay with her sister, Mrs. Bert Harpster in Beatrice, where she has just finished a very successful dressmaking course.  
 "Madam Butterfly," the Japanese opera, will be the attraction at the Tootle theatre, St. Joe, Monday, March 2nd. As the train service is so convenient, many of our citizens are arranging to hear this great musical production, which is causing so much favorable comment.  
 The many friends here of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Harpster, will be pleased to learn that their baby, who has been seriously ill at their home in Beatrice, is now some better. Mr. Harpster will be remembered as the former cashier at the Burlington at this place, but was sent to Beatrice, where he is now holding a like position.

**Private Money.**

Private money to loan on Real Estate. Mortgages bought and sold. Call at First National Bank. 3-tf A. J. WEAVER.

**Public Sale.**

Having rented my farm I will sell at public auction on my farm 3 miles north and 1/4 mile east of Dawson and 4 miles south and 2 1/4 miles west of Stella, Tuesday, Feb. 25, 1908, the following described property:  
 8 head of horses and mules, consisting of 1 span of mules coming 3 and 4 years old, No. 1; 1 mare, 11 years old, single or double driver; 1 mare, 9 years old, single or double driver; 1 span of work horses; 1 colt, coming 3 years old, No. 1; 1 colt, coming 2 years old, No. 1  
 24 head of cattle. 4 fresh milch cows with calves by their side; 5 other cows, some will be fresh soon; 4 2-year old steers; 2 yearling steers; 2 2-year old heifers; 5 yearling heifers; 2 steer calves.  
 25 head of shoats.  
 Miscellaneous. Farm implements of all kinds; 2 sets of work harness, nearly new; 17 tons of hay; 300 bushels of seed oats; some household goods and many other things too numerous to mention.  
 Terms of sale:—All sums of \$10 and under, cash; over that amount 3, 6, 9 or 12 months time will be given on a bankable note at 6 per cent interest from date of sale. 2 per cent discount for cash.  
 GEORGE SMITH.  
**Money to Loan.**  
 On chattel or personal security. Long or short time.  
 J. D. SPRAGINS.  
 Alex McGregor who spent his boyhood days in this city, and helped to make life miserable for his school teachers, was visiting his many old friends here a few days the past week. Alex is now making good with a lightning rod firm of Des Moines, Ia. He has become a benedict within the past few years and together with his wife and little daughter live in Belmont, Ia. The old friends here will be glad to know that Mrs. J. McGregor and family, who live at Manengo, Ia., are all doing nicely and enjoying the best of health, also Grandma Russel who lives with them and who has now reached the ripe old age of 99 years.  
 Ernest Bode, who moved from this place to Sterling some months ago, writes this week to have his name added to our family. Ernest likes his new home very well but of course wants to keep posted as to his many old friends here, and realizes how to do so, as he can get all the news all the time in the Tribune.  
 The subject of the sermon by the rector of St. Thomas church next Sunday night will be "A good perscription." The usual splendid music will be sung by the vested choir.  
 Word has been received of the death of Miss Pearl Shafer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Shafer, which occurred at her home in Vermillion, Kas., on February 12.  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McCoy, of Lincoln and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McCoy, of Salt Lake City, visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. H. Pecht, the latter part of the week.  
 G. W. Shafer and P. M. Shafer, of Beaver City; Mrs. A. W. Baner, of Denver, Colo., visited over Sunday with C. A. Hanna and family of this city.  
 Fleming Robb and wife were among the Verdon people who witnessed "Painting the Town" at the Gehling, Wednesday evening.  
 If Falls City had as many "pushers" as she has "knockers" wouldn't this be a Garden of Eden?  
 Did you notice the smile that the coal men all wore Tuesday? Hope their faces don't freeze that way.  
 James Ayer was a visitor in our city from Verdon the first of the week.  
 F. H. Pecht returned Tuesday from New York City.  
 Harry Jenne is confined to his bed this week, being quite sick.

Have we had enough moisture to suit you?  
 Hear Judge Martin at the court house Friday night.  
 Falls City is to have a new electric light plant!  
 Fred Heineman of Verdon, was a business visitor in our city Saturday.  
 Herbert Hedges spent a few days of this week with his family in this place.  
 Special attention given to the treatment of the eye. Glasses correctly fitted by Dr. Reneker.  
 According to reports handed the medical editor, there are 500 cases of grip in Verdon. That must take in the suburbs.  
 Well, are you going to get a pound of German sweet kraut at 15c and a pound of peanut bar at 10c, Saturday, Feb. 22, at the Candy Kitchen.  
 A fine ladies' suit department has been added to Matthews' store, where the ladies can always find an elegant line of ready to wear garments.  
 Miss Gaskill who has been visiting in this city for a time with her uncle, Dr. Fast and family, returned Saturday to her home in Craig, Mo.  
 Mrs. Jane Sinclair, who has been spending the last three months with her daughter, Mrs. John Hossack, left Friday for her home in Kidderville, Kas.  
 V. G. Lyford is in New York City busy buying goods for his immense dry goods establishment in this city. He will tell the patrons all about it through these columns.  
 A pleasant game of "seven or eleven—craps," was interrupted in this city last Tuesday night, resulting in each of the participants donating \$14.50 to the school fund.  
 Sparks from a passing engine set fire to a stack of hay belonging to Irv. Maust Monday night. The stack contained about 21 tons and was located just west of the Missouri Pacific tracks.  
 Geo. Dalbey of Coin, Ia., and Mrs. Chas. Caldwell of Burlington Junction, father and aunt of Mrs. John Crook, have returned to their homes, after a short time spent at the Crook home.  
 M. W. Musselman, our old townsman, writes this week to have his name added to the Tribune list. Milt is now located at Bartlesville, Okl., making good as assistant manager of the Nowata-Bartlesville Abstract Co.  
 Miss Martha Stockman who has been spending the past six weeks at her home in Holdrege, Neb., returned the latter part of the week and has again taken up her duties as stenographer in the real estate office of H. C. Smith.  
**Noney! Land!**  
 For Rent—160 upland, Johnson county, Neb., 4 miles from depot. 80 rods to church and school, 120 cultivated, 5 or 6 room house, good corn crib, granary, barn, wind-mill, cow shed, etc. A good chance.  
 For Sale—240 acres, well improved, 1 1/2 miles to depot; will take 40 or 80 as part pay or a residence. Balance long time, low rate. Possession given this spring.  
 For Sale—160 upland. Handy to church, school and market. Might take 40 acres as part pay or a small residence. Balance long time, good terms.  
 For Sale—640 acres. \$8000 00 worth of improvements. 160 acres alfalfa. 500 acres in cultivation. Will take an 80 or possibly 160 acres as part pay or a residence. A good opportunity. Other lands.  
 For Rent—A number one store room.  
 Money to loan. Mortgages bought. Some good mortgages for sale secured by farm loans. A good place for your money.  
 Write me what you want.  
 HENRY C. SMITH,  
 Falls City, Nebr.

**A Few Facts**

In years gone by many a play has come and gone; but among the few that came and remained as a fixture dear to the hearts of the amusement loving public "A Texas Ranger" stands out prominently as one of the few and great successes. For the past 4 years it has been offered to the theater goers of the larger cities, where it has been received with more than a kindly reception because it is a simple and probable story told in a manner that is true to every day life, without the customary exaggerations that are generally adopted by authors to excite the minds of the people momentarily. "A Texas Ranger" has been constructed on the lines that leaves a lasting impression with its auditors that they have in reality gone through an experience themselves instead of witnessing a play. One is not to overlook the fact that there are many exciting and thrilling situations, still they are all beautified by scenes and realistic climaxes which add very materially to the interest to which one is wound up while witnessing the play. On next Monday night, Feb. 24, "A Texas Ranger" will be seen at the Gehling.  
**Better Than the Best.**  
 German sweet kraut at 15c per pound. Also a peanut bar at 10c per pound at the Candy Kitchen, Saturday, Feb. 22. You know our candy by the taste.  
 W. W. Winterbottom of Falls City, Neb., transacted business in Shickley the last of the week. Mr. Winterbottom installed the heating plant in the new school building in December and the plant fully demonstrates that Mr. Winterbottom understands the heating business.—Shickley Herald.  
 At St. Thomas church next Sunday evening, Miss Jessie Paxton will sing for the offertory solo, "Hushed was the Evening Hymn," by Sullivan. This will be a great treat and a cordial invitation is extended to all.  
 Mrs. W. J. Davis came down from Humboldt Monday, called here by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Fred Unland, who is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. E. Gantt.  
 Mrs. Ryan Shelly and sister, Miss Pyle, of Preston, came up Wednesday to attend the attraction at the Gehling. They were guests of Mrs. Orville Schoenheit.  
 Postoffice Inspector Grogan of Lincoln was in the city this week feeling the public pulse in regard to the management of the post-office.  
 F. W. Samuelson, who has been in San Antonio, Texas, for some time, is spending a few days in this city.  
 Mrs. V. G. Lyford returned the first of the week from a few days spent in Lincoln.  
 Jim Powell returned the first of the week from his western trip.

**As To Carrington.**

Some years ago, near the little village of Lorton, Nebr., in Otoe county, stood a large country school building. It has since been converted into a barn and its place taken by a fine two story building in the town. But at the time of which I speak the school building stood about a mile in the country, "out across the bottom."  
 In the late summer, there dropped into this town, one day, a man in his early twenties. He inquired for Henry Landwehr and was directed to him. Mr. Landwehr was director of the district and the young man's purpose was to apply for the school.  
 The school had the name of being the hardest in the country and it was the largest of the country schools. The matter of hiring a teacher who could handle it was of no little moment, as there had been so many failures in the past.  
 However after a serious consideration the stranger was hired on three months trial.  
 Lorton furnished an unusual list of well meaning but reckless boys in their early "teens." The year before, I had graduated from the eighth grade and was considering my common school education complete, having decided to either be a druggist or an engineer and not knowing that a well rounded education was not only desirable but very necessary for success in either of these vocations of life.  
 In early September the new teacher came. I saw him get off the train, I thought the longest, lankiest, hungriest looking fellow I had ever seen. The other boys saw him too. We held a conference and decided by a unanimous vote that a specimen like that of the genus homo was a rare thing and further investigation advisable.  
 Our next opportunity to carry on our investigation was a few nights later when we were playing a game of "run-sheep-run." The teacher joined the "gang" and soon proved himself one of the boys, all investigation ceased and everyone went into the game for all he was worth for the teacher was leading one crowd and they were winning.  
 Nearly every evening after that, when the weather would permit, a game of "run-sheep-run" was in order, but never until first a call had been made at the hotel and the question put "Is the teacher here?" which was usually answered by a big voice upstairs saying "Come on upboys: Will be ready in a minute."  
 With out knowing why we did it, we all entered school again. The enrollment went to eighty-one, and only one teacher to do all the work. Under his direction two football teams, "Harvard" and "Yale" were organized and how we did play! The teacher played in the "Yale" team. With these sides we played other games in season. The time of play was thirty minutes and after the game was over we'd go into the school room, wash and comb and when the bell rang were ready to study as hard as we had played.  
 New ideals were breathed into our ears, new ambitions were aroused, and in the heart of every boy there burned a desire to be somebody.  
 When the three months were up the directors had forgotten the agreement and when it was mentioned they laughed to think that "trial" had ever been mentioned. The teacher was retained the next year at his own price and terms.  
 Go back to that village today, or where ever ten years may have carried them, and find those boys and they will tell you without exception, that the two years they spent under Mr. Carrington were the most valuable to them of any two years of their life.  
 Mr. Carrington is now County

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Superintendent of Nemaha Co., Nebraska, and a candidate for the nomination for State Superintendent subject to the republican primaries.  
 I was one of those boys at Lorton and I've known Mr. Carrington since as a bosom friend and I know he was then, has been and now is the most energetic, tireless worker I have ever met. He is a man whose ability along educational lines is equalled by few and surpassed by none.  
 In the interest of education I sincerely hope that Richardson County will rally to his support and cast the entire republican vote for his nomination.  
 E. K. HURST.  
 Prin. Falls City H. S.

**Food Exchange**  
 The members of St. Agnes Guild of the Episcopal church will hold an exchange at the Morsman drug store Saturday afternoon, where you can supply yourself with everything needed for your Sunday dinner.  
 Come to the court house Friday evening and hear Judge Frances Martin speak on the question "Does it Pay?" The needs of Falls City will be logically discussed. Admission free. No collection.  
 Hear Judge Martin at the court house Friday night.

**MONEY TO LOAN**  
 We have money in any quantity to loan on farm security at low rate of interest. Come and see us. Clever & Sebald.

**Poultry Wanted**  
 I will pay the highest market price for Poultry of all kinds

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 Phone 200

**Notice For Bids For Moving House and Barn**  
 Notice is hereby given that bids will be received up to March 2, 1908, at 7:30 p.m. by the city clerk of the city of Falls City, Nebraska, for the moving, according to the plans and specifications now on file with the city clerk of said city, the house, known as the Roy home, now located in the City Park of said city, to a new location on Lots No. 5 and 6, in Block No. 4, in Roy's addition to said city; also for the moving of the barn now located on Lot No. 24, in Block No. 4, in Roy's addition to said city, to a new location on said lots No. 5 and 6 in said Block No. 4.  
 All work is to be done in a good, careful, and workman like manner, and is to be according to the plans and specifications above referred to, a copy of which will be furnished all out of town bidders upon request.  
 Dated February 12, 1908.  
 B. K. BAKER, City Clerk.

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