

**Southeastern Nebraska News.**

Prof. E. K. Hearst of this city and Prof. Alex Stoddard and Roy Coeur of Auburn departed Saturday for an extended vacation and tour of the Western states. While gone they will visit the California summer resorts and will go on northward by steamer into Washington and Oregon. The trip will be made partially as an outing and for the health of some of the members of the party. They expect to be gone about two months.

J. W. Jarrett of Stella and Miss Mamie Morton of Salem were married in this city last Wednesday. They immediately went to Auburn and will go to housekeeping on a farm north of Auburn.

A meeting of the various committees looking to the Fourth of July celebration in Auburn was held Tuesday evening at which plans were discussed and methods talked over. The committee on speakers met later on the same evening and decided to secure Congressman E. M. Pollard as orator of the day. It has been decided that instead of importing a band for the occasion that Auburn will make use of its good home talent and employ both the Auburn Cornet and German-American bands.—Auburn Herald.

On Saturday Earl Bowlsby sold his dray line to E. A. Kroh who took possession Monday morning. Yoch Michael of Falls City will move here and run one of the wagons. Mr. Bowlsby has gone to North Dakota, where he expects to take a homestead. By this deal Mr. Kroh becomes possessor of the team of young draft colts, which are coveted by all admirers of fine horses.—Stella Press.

The annual saloon fight is now on with all the bitterness and enmity that such a fight causes in a small town. The town board met in regular session last Friday evening, but as Saturday was a legal holiday nothing was done and the board adjourned to meet last Monday evening, when last night was set for the time to hear the remonstrances. Attorney McIninch of Auburn will represent the temperance people and Frank Reavis of Falls City the license people. The saloons have been closed the past four days and the meeting last night will determine whether or not they will be allowed to open.—Stella Press.

Miss Myrtle Rooker of Falls City and Mrs. Rosa Parries of Tecumseh came home to spend Decoration day and visit their mother, Mrs. James Thompson.—Humboldt Leader.

Mrs. J. S. Babb returned Sunday from a pleasant visit in Falls City, and was accompanied home by Mrs. A. R. Bently and little daughter, residents of the above city.—Humboldt Standard.

While in the field inspecting the condition of his conn, last Friday morning, Emile Stoehr, who lives two miles southeast of Johnson, was taken with an epileptic attack, superinduced it is thought by the bad outlook for his crop. He fell to the ground and died in great agony, his body being found not long afterward. The deceased was an aged man and leaves his wife and several children, most of whom are grown. He was a man of modest demeanor and fine character and owned eighty acres of land on which he lived.

Last Thursday night some of those who were out at a late hour, when the storm was in progress heard a roaring sound in the air as though a cyclone was in progress. Guy Souders was one of those who heard the noise. Between the lightning flashes as he looked in the skies he could see a cyclone pass over the city. It was quite high but its shape could be determined

and there was no mistake as to what it was. A number of persons remarked at the roaring sound next morning and at Talmage the paper made mention of it.—Nemaha County Republican.

Dick Horn and family had quite a serious runaway while returning to Auburn from Brock Saturday night. The tongue of the spring wagon came down and the ponies which are rather wild became badly frightened and ran away upsetting the rig and throwing everyone out. Mrs. Horn was quite seriously hurt and one child, a little girl about two years old, received a bad cut in the face requiring eleven stitches to close the wound. The other children, Mr. Horn and Virgil Green who was with them, escaped with bad bruises and the baby, but a few months old was not hurt at all.

Kathryne Meliza, who graduated at the Falls City high school, will spend the major portion of her vacation in Verdon. This fall Miss Meliza will either go to Cotner or the State university to complete her musical education. She has faithfully devoted herself to the piano and has progressed rapidly with her musical studies.—Verdon Vedette.

Mr. Ratekin went to Falls City with his team two weeks ago and on account of high water could not get back with the team. In a few days he started for his team but more rain had again spread the Nemaha and he had to come back. Tuesday he went again expecting to be able to cross at Preston.—Hiawatha World.

**The Little Things.**

People who mean well, and wouldn't give pain to any living thing, intentionally, are often giving pain because they are heedless of the little things.

Yesterday, for instance, a man went to the athletic festivities and left his horse tied outside the grounds for three hours or so. It was a fine horse, that deserved good treatment; yet its head was strapped up by a tight checkrein so that its nose pointed skyward, and only a horse can know how much it suffered. A little twist of the wrist would have unhooked the checkrein, and the horse would have been comfortable, but the man didn't think of it.

A man was walking down town. He pulled a handkerchief from his pocket to mop his fevered brow, and his bankbook came out with it and fell to the ground. A boy who was toddling along behind picked up the book, and gave it to the man, who put it back in his pocket with the remark that he didn't know he had dropped it. Not a word of thanks or appreciation. Perhaps when that boy finds something else he will keep it, having been convinced that there is no object in going out of one's way to be honest. Boys and girls are usually sensitive to a high degree, and appreciate a word of thanks as much as they feel the absence of it.

Every day in the year people are doing little things that wound, or offend, or cause pain, and many of them never know it, and some of them often wonder why they can't retain friends.—Walt Mason.

Piles are easily and quickly checked with Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. To prove it I will mail a small trial box as a convincing test. Simply address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. I surely would not send it free unless I was certain that Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment would stand the test. Remember it is made expressly and alone for swollen, painful, bleeding or itching piles, either external or internal. Large jar, 50c. Sold by all dealers.

**Two Masters.**

Rev. R. R. Teeter will speak upon the subject, "Two Masters" at the Brethren church next Sunday evening. The public is invited to these services.

**Appreciation.**

The Pawnee City papers have the following to say of our C. F. Reavis, who delivered the Decoration day address in that city:

In the afternoon the public had the privilege of hearing the most eloquent and patriotic address ever given in the opera house, by Hon. C. F. Reavis of Falls City.—Pawnee Republican.

The Decoration Day program was faultlessly carried out as advertised, and was one of the most impressive ever held in Pawnee City. The address by C. F. Reavis of Falls City was one of the best which has been delivered here in years, and was listened to with rapt attention by a large audience.—Pawnee Chief.

**Extravagance.**

What a wonderfully extravagant people we are! At the recent congress of governors in Washington, Dr. I. C. White, state geologist of West Virginia, made the statement that natural gas is escaping into the air from uncontrolled wells, from oil wells, from leaking pipe lines, and many other methods at the rate of not less than one billion cubic feet daily, or enough to supply Atchison natural gas consumers for 500 days. For every barrel of oil taken from the ground, gas equal to ten times its heating power, is wasted. Five million tons of coal have been taken from the ground since coal mining began, and at least an equal amount has been left in abandoned mines. The loss, on account of the extravagant destruction of forests in order to secure more tillable land, reaches into the billions, not taking into account the washing away of surface soil, the greater loss by floods, etc. Look in any family's back yard and you will see evidences of extravagance. Nine out of every ten farms visited show waste in caring for crops, feeding stock, caring for machinery, etc. And it can also be said that in a majority of business offices you will find employees who are wasting time, as well as the materials they handle. Careless train men cause wrecks, and there is a waste of property. Owners and lessees of buildings do not watch for defective flues, defective electric light wiring, and the accumulation of combustible rubbish and there is a wasting fire.—Atchison Globe.

Weak women should try Dr. Shoop's Night Cure. These soothing, healing, antiseptic suppositories go direct to the seat of those weaknesses. My "Book No. 4 for Women" contains many valuable hints to women, and it is free. Ask Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis., to mail it. Ask the Doctor in strict confidence, any questions you wish answered. Dr. Shoop's Night Cure is sold by all dealers.

**Post Cards.**

For the benefit of those who are spending their good money for beautifully decorated post cards, which for one reason or another are not permitted to go through the mails, thereby never reaching their destination, Postmaster Crook has supplied the following useful information:

- RATES OF POSTAGE ON POST CARDS.
- Post Cards of same size and material as Postal Card..... 1c
  - Post Cards of different size or material with writing..... 2c
  - Same without writing..... 1c
  - Leather Post Cards with writing..... 2c
  - Leather Post Cards without writing..... 1c
  - Post Cards enclosed in thin envelopes, with writing..... 2c
  - Same unsealed and without writing..... 1c
  - Post Cards, with small envelopes attached, unsealed, without writing same with writing..... 2c
  - Same sealed..... 2c
  - Post Cards with tinsel on are unmailable unless enclosed in envelopes and are sent direct to the Dead Letter Office.
  - Post Cards in envelopes must have the stamp attached to the envelope instead of the card; no matter if the envelope is of this paper or has a hole in it. Put your stamps on the envelope if you want it to go through.

Mrs. S. Joyce, Claremont, N. H., writes, "About a year ago I bought two bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy. It cured me of a severe case of kidney trouble of several years standing. It certainly is a grand, good medicine, and I heartily recommend it." Kerr's pharmacy.

**Estimate of Expenses.**

Estimate of expenses for the fiscal year, beginning First Tuesday, May 5th, 1908, and the probable amount of money necessary for all purposes to be raised in said city of Falls City for said fiscal year, for which the appropriation is made, including interest and principal due on the bonded debt and sinking fund, itemizing and classifying the different objects and branches of expenditures, as near as can be, with a statement of the entire revenue of the city of Falls City for the previous year and the same to be entered at large upon the minutes of said city.

Itemizing and classifying the different objects and branches of said expenditures, and the entire revenue of said city for the previous year as follows:

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| <b>WATER &amp; ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT.</b>   |            |
| Coal & Fueling for same.....   | \$4500.00  |
| <b>SALARIES.</b>   |            |
| Salaries of City Officials.....  | 1100.00    |
| Salaries, Water and Electric Light Engineers.....                                      | 850.00     |
| Salaries, Police Officers.....   | 1350.00    |
| Salaries, Janitor.....   | 350.00     |
| <b>CONDENSING OF STREETS AND WALKS.</b>  |            |
| Condensing and building walks.....   | 1000.00    |
| Building of crossings and improving streets.....                                       | 1500.00    |
| SEWERAGE FOR WATER AND ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT.   |            |
| Supplies for plant.....  | 3000.00    |
| Improving plant.....   | 1000.00    |
| Printing and stationery.....   | 500.00     |
| Rent for Council Room.....   | 200.00     |
| Drayage.....   | 300.00     |
| Sanitary and Poor.....   | 600.00     |
| Extension of Electric Light Plant & improving same.....                                | 1600.00    |
| Purchasing and condemning of land.....   | 1500.00    |
| <b>WATER BONDS &amp; INTEREST.</b>   |            |
| Interest.....  | 1200.00    |
| Sinking Fund.....  | 1800.00    |
| <b>ELECTRIC LIGHT.</b>   |            |
| Interest.....  | 600.00     |
| <b>CITY PARK.</b>  |            |
| Interest.....  | 500.00     |
| Improving Bond.....  | 2000.00    |
| <b>LIBRARY.</b>  |            |
| Literature, Coal, Books and Periodicals.....   | 1500.00    |
| Incidental expenses.....   | 1000.00    |
| Total Amount.....  | \$39000.00 |
| Expended in the previous year by Council.....  | \$2754.45  |
| Expended in the previous year by City Treasurer for interest and payment of Bonds..... | 2848.73    |
| Paid Library Fund.....   | 150.80     |
| Total.....   | \$27978.94 |

Attest: W. W. ABBEY, Mayor.  
W. A. SCHMEZEL, City Clerk.

**WAS THROUGH WITH RUM.**

When Stuff Steals Away Man's Senses It Was Time to Quit.

"I'm through with the drink thing forever," remarked the smooth-faced man with the little nub of a cigar in that same tone that the hero uses down at the Cleveland theater when he says: "Yes, I'm goin' away from hyah foreverah!" The smooth-faced man was just that positive about it. "Nope," he said, as he brushed the ashes off his coat lapel, "the rum proposition leads only to mortification, and ruin. When a man gets so he pushes the botton and don't know it—when it comes to a situation like that, it's time—"

"Wait!" broke in the little chap with the flat-top soft hat. "Just pause and slip back up the track about a car length! When you tell anything kindly begin at the table of contents; then go to chapter one, and so on, will yuh? You talk like a busted down phonograph."

"As I was about to say," went on the man with the nub of a cigar, just as if no one had stopped him, "when we got through settling the street railway question and a few other matters of moment that had to be disposed of before the bunch broke away last night, it was lacking just a few minutes of being 2:30 o'clock. When I got home I say to myself: 'Why wake up little wifey when she needs the sleep?'"

"Acting on that suggestion, I took off my shoes just before I started to climb up the steps to our front porch, wondering to myself all the time how much of a discount I'd be able to deduct from the time I came home when I spoke of it at the breakfast table next morning."

"I walked up to the door just as quietly as a cat—and then rang the doorbell. Yep, I just pressed the dinky little electric button, and then I came to. I had my key in my pocket all the time! It wasn't more'n a minute till my wife opened the door and saw me standing there, shoes in hand. "Without going into nay more details, is it any wonder I'm sore on the stuff that steals away men's senses?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

**She Saw Her.**

"The late Clara Bloodgood," said a theatrical manager of Chicago, "was witty as she was talented and beautiful. Sometimes, indeed, her keen wit carried her rather far."

"I remember once, at a tea at the Auditorium, a remark that the brilliant actress made to a society woman."

"You were at Bar Harbor, I believe, in the summer?" said the society woman.

"Yes," said the actress.

"And did you see much of my daughter there?"

"Rather," was the answer. "She wore a bathing suit in the morning, riding bloomers in the afternoon and low neck at night."

**Don't Be Left Handed.**

It has been estimated that about one boy out of 15 is left-handed when he reaches the age of ten. This is his mother's fault in not making him use his right hand more during his babyhood. In Germany there are schools where the boy is taught to be right-handed. Nearly all tools are made for right-handed men, and the boy who grows up left-handed will be awkward.

If one can use both hands alike he has an advantage in some things; but it seems as if nature intended the right arm to do most of the work.

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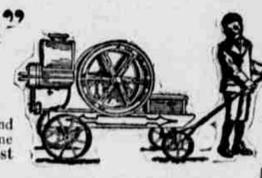
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