

THE COMERS AND GOERS

HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST TO YOU AND ME.

What Your Friends and Their Friends Have Been Doing the Past Week.

—Eat Sowler's Candy.
—Dr. Wilson, Wahl's building, Mamie Kanaly came up from Rulo Friday.
G. E. Hall of Verdon was in the city Sunday.
R. C. James transacted business at Lincoln Tuesday.
J. L. Beachy and wife drove over from Sabetha Saturday.
Frank Vanvalin came up from Hiawatha on business Wednesday.
R. O. Buehler of Hiawatha was a visitor in town Wednesday.
Joseph Glasser was looking after legal business in this city Tuesday.
—FOR SALE—My farm home adjoining Falls City. George A. Abbott J. P. Mooney of Rulo was looking after legal business in this city Friday.
E. Williamson and wife of Sabetha were in this city Saturday on business.
Donald McCoy returned this week from an extended business trip in Texas.
Alex Leo was a guest at the Burchard-Hart wedding at Reserve last Monday.
Lawrence W. Meyers returned to this city after an absence of several months.
Miss Stella Knickerbocker spent a short time with friends at Mound City this week.
Miss Edith Gatfield of Clay Center, Kansas, was the guest of Miss Millie Bowers this week.
Ralph Jenne and Glenn McMillan attended the Burchard-Hart wedding at Reserve Monday.
G. Fred Cummings of Omaha spent a few days here this week the guest of Miss Laura Naylor.
Tuesday night the Highlanders will have a fine time at the close of their regular lodge meeting.
James K. Liggett of Pawnee City was in the city Wednesday, settling up the Lackard estate.
Miss Grace Maddox arrived from Montpelier, Indiana, to visit her sister, Mrs. Guy Greenwald.
Will Johnson and Mason Shurtliff came down from Humboldt Wednesday morning on business.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parriott of Shubert visited with their parents, P. W. Peterson, at this place Sunday.
Mrs. Bower Henry of Kentucky arrived this week for a visit with her parents, Louis Knickerbocker and wife.
E. Fay Smith and Will Schenkelberger of Hiawatha were in the city Sunday evening. They came by the auto route.
Amos Cottrell and son of Margrave's ranch spent Sunday in this city with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Marion.
—FOR SALE—Sixty tons of good ice and a butcher's outfit. This is a bargain. Inquire of Charles Pribbeno, Preston, Nebraska. 21-1f
Mrs. G. E. Hall and little daughter returned to their home in Verdon Saturday after spending a few days with Dr. and Mrs. Boose.
A large crowd gathered at J. C. Tanner's hardware store Wednesday afternoon to see the expert demonstrate the Blue Flame Oil Stove.
Louie Wirth and wife and Roy Hancock and George Lyons were among those who started to Reserve Monday night to attend the wedding and were forced to come home on account of the storm.

Hear W. H. Rockerfeller, the best Sunday School superintendent in Kansas, tell of "The Rule of Three" in Sunday school management, and Charles Fordyce, Dean of Teachers' college, State University, on "How to manage the boys" at the state Sunday school convention at Kearney, June 10.
John B. Stitzer has disposed of his interest in the meat market at Salem. Mr. Stitzer will move his family to Lincoln in a few days and he will travel for the Lincoln Hide and Fur Co. Mrs. Stitzer and children have spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. Crawford, at this place.
Robert McCoy of Hiawatha run a pitchfork in his foot Saturday. His little playmates are entertaining him by handling him about in a little wagon with his foot on a pillow. The little fellow is a grandson of Robt. Cain of this city.
Mrs. Katherine Wylie and daughter, Miss Florence, returned Monday from a visit to relatives at Forest City. Miss Florence has been absent about three weeks, having been visiting at several points in Kansas before making her visit to Forest City.
W. C. McDermind and wife returned the latter part of the week from an extended visit through the south. They spent most of the winter at San Antonio, and they report an exceptionally good time and are both in the best of health.
Rev. Mr. Marks, pastor of the Lutheran church at Falls City, came to Hiawatha Monday to take the Grand Island train for Grand Island where he is attending the Nebraska conference.—Hiawatha Daily World.
Dr. L. A. DeLannay of Salem was in the city Monday, a guest at the home of Dr. Burchard. He accompanied them in the evening to Reserve, and attended the Burchard-Hart wedding.
Miss Lulu Bertram of Rockport, Mo., spent a few days with Miss Elizabeth Sanford in this city. Miss Bertram just closed a term of school at Hardy, Neb., and is on her way to her home.
Miss Neta Vaughn of Mexico, Mo., was in the city this week, a guest at the home of Dr. C. T. Burchard. She came to attend the Burchard-Hart wedding at Reserve Monday evening.
Miss Josephine Roy of Lincoln arrived in the city Sunday and will visit at the home of Ben Morgan and her many old friends in the city.
Miss Anna Marmet of Humboldt spent Sunday in this city the guest of her cousin, Jake Marmet and family. On Monday morning she went to Peru where she will attend summer school.
Ralph Norris returned the latter part of the week from Sheridan, Wyoming, where he has spent the past few months. He will visit a short time with his parents at this place.
Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Leyda and two daughters, Lucile and Camille, returned Monday night from a visit at the home of Mr. Gheen in Kansas City.
Miss Theresa Rawley who spent several days with her uncle, William Higgins and family, returned to her home in Barnston, Neb., Friday.
Mrs. E. E. Scott returned the latter part of the week from a visit to her parents, J. G. Ranger and wife, at Salem.
Misses Grace Hoppe and Verna Story were among our people who visited Sun Springs Sunday.
Postmaster G. J. Crook and wife are in Lincoln this week, attending the postmasters' convention.
P. Lugenbill and his son-in-law of Humboldt were business visitors at Falls City Tuesday.
Guy Huston spent Sunday in Nebraska City, the guest of friends.

—See C. A. Heck for seed corn.
—Dr. W. E. Lyons, Osteopath. Office in Wahl building, 'Phone 446.
Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kaiser were Omaha visitors this week.
Ferd Harlow and wife were Kansas City visitors the first of the week.
Mrs. Willard Sears returned Tuesday from a three weeks visit to her home at Beaver City.
Claud Linn of Humboldt was in town Wednesday, looking after business in the county court.
D. D. Reavis was down near the Margrave ranch Tuesday where he had charge of the funeral of a Mrs. Turner.
V. G. Lyford spent a part of the week in Lincoln attending a meeting of the regents of the university.
Mrs. Charles Sheeley and little son Harry went to Salem Tuesday to visit a few days with relatives.
Rev. R. Cooper Bailey will deliver the memorial address to the I. O. O. F. lodge at Humboldt next Sunday.
Miss Ruth McMillan will leave Sunday for Fullerton, Nebraska, where she will spend a few weeks visiting relatives.
Ed Wheeler of Wymore was in the city Wednesday, the guest of his uncle, E. F. Sharts, and wife. He had business at the court house also.
Mrs. A. E. Hill is in Brownville this week visiting her sister, Mrs. Mann. She will visit relatives at other points before returning home.
Mrs. Mason and daughter, Miss Anna, attended the Burchard-Hart wedding at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hart near Reserve Monday night.
Mrs. Oscar Maddox and two children arrived Tuesday from Missoula, Montana, to spend some time with her mother, Mrs. W. S. Leyda, and other relatives.
W. H. Strunk and wife of New Mexico were among the visitors to this city Wednesday. They were enroute to Dawson to visit their numerous friends.
The Hiawatha World knocks on the Princess gowns which are now so much the rage. They say they make women look like a bone, a rag and a hunk of hair.
A live electric light wire was broken down in front of Mrs. Lydia Hintons house during the storm Monday night and caused much excitement in that neighborhood.
Dr. Emma Lawrence went to Omaha Wednesday to look after some business matters. She also spent a short time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carney.
Rev. Eliza Martin and daughter, Miss Anna, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Ben Foster in this city returned to their home in Peru Monday morning.
Clarence Heck went to Auburn Tuesday and played ball with the team at that place. They played with Syracuse and the score was 9 to 4 in favor of Auburn.
H. L. Klopffel and wife of Rulo spent the day Tuesday in this city, the guests of relatives, and attending to business. They were both pleasant callers at this office.
Mrs. May Beyette and two little daughters who have spent the past month in this city at the homes of L. B. Beasley and Fred Nettlebeck returned to their home Tuesday.
Prof. George Martin, wife and children, returned to their home at Nebraska City Monday morning. They spent a few days with Mr. Martin's sister, Mrs. Ben Foster, and husband.
Mrs. S. E. Hellyer who has been in Lincoln the past nine months, acting as matron of the fraternity house returned to this city Tuesday. She will spend a few days with friends here before going to Des Moines to spend the summer.

M. Giannini was a Nebraska City visitor.
G. F. Aller of Stella spent Saturday in this city.
John Higgins spent Sunday in Humboldt, the guest of friends.
—Dr. Amy Lyons, osteopath. Office in Wahl building, phone 446.
Mrs. Grant Sperry left Monday for a visit to her parents at Mound City.
Floyd Thompson of Fargo was transacting business at this place on Friday.
Mrs. McBride of Stella spent Friday at this place, the guest of Mrs. A. G. Wanner.
F. E. Martin of Council Bluffs, Ia., spent Sunday with his parents, Francis Martin and wife.
Scott Saylor left the first of the week for Excelsior Springs, where he will spend some time.
Mrs. Glen Curtis of St. Joe was in the city Friday and visited her sister, Mrs. R. R. Rule.
Mrs. W. H. Kerr returned Saturday from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Bruno Hanson at Omaha.
Miss Gertrude Norris of Table Rock was the guest of her cousin, Mrs. I. C. Maust, between trains Friday.
Rev. R. Cooper Bailey returned the first of the week from a visit with his parents at Broken Bow, Neb.
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Meyers are the parents of a baby boy, which arrived at their home Friday morning.
Claud Phillippi is assisting at the postoffice this week during the absence of the postmaster, G. J. Crook.
Miss Ruth Everts of Omaha spent most of the week in this city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Himmelfreich.
Mr. and Mrs. Van Saylor and little son came down from Verdon Monday morning and were looking after business at this place.
Frances Withee of Stella was a business visitor to this city Friday. He was a very pleasant caller at the Tribune office.
Prof. Harnack was over from Hiawatha the latter part of the week, on business. He also visited at the home of Peter Kaiser.
Miss Alice Jaquet returned from her school duties at Galesburg, Ill., this week and will spend the summer vacation with her parents.
Misses Elizabeth and Agnes Winkler came up from Atchison Sunday to attend the wedding of their cousin Harry Burchard to Miss Nelle Hart.
Dr. George Bailey, D. D. Ph. D., of Washington, D. C. arrived in the city the first of the week on a visit to his brother, R. Cooper Bailey, and family.
Misses Stella and May Johnson came down from Verdon Saturday and did some shopping, and visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Houtz.
Miss Mildred Holland returned to her home in this city the first of the week. She has spent the past nine months in Lincoln at the University.
Mrs. John Crook and daughter, Constance returned Saturday from Coon, Iowa, where they spent a few days with relatives and attended commencement.
Walter Ray, formerly of this place but who has been employed in a furniture store at Table Rock for the past few years, has purchased the Burchard Times.
Herald Metzgar of Quincy, Ill., spent this week in the city at the home of Dr. C. T. Burchard. He arrived to attend the Burchard-Hart wedding at Reserve, Monday.
Frank A. Boose returned last week from San Marcial, N. M., where he closed a very successful term of school. He will spend a few weeks in this city with his parents.
Miss Elizabeth Sanford returned Saturday from Superior, Nebraska, where she has spent the past few months as leading trimmer in one of the millinery stores at that place.
Misses Minnie Hill and Crete Stewart of Hiawatha spent a short time at this place Sunday evening. They came up in an automobile and stopped for a short time with Hazel White.
Miss Nellie King returned the latter part of the week from a few days spent with her sister, Mrs. Lary Dore, at Omaha. Both Mr. and Mrs. Dore are in poor health at their home in that city.
Misses Florence and Elta Boose left the first of the week for San Marcial, N. M., where they will spend the summer with their sister, Miss Clara. On their trip they will visit Denver, Colorado Springs and other points of interest.
Vincent Arnold of Verdon was in the city Saturday and was a pleasant caller at this office. He had with him a bunch of blue grass five foot long, which he cut from a farm belonging to J. H. Acloum, between here and Strausville. This specimen of grass will be placed with the collection at the coming state fair.

MIGRATORY RAIN BELT.

How It Has Changed Western Deserts Into Profitable Farming Land.

"The rain belt? Why it moves offener than a deadbeat renter." It was a Texan who was thus describing the customs of the moist area, D. E. Bryant, a lawyer of Sherman, Tex. He has lived in Grayson county, near Sherman, 55 years.

"When I first went to Texas from Kentucky in January, 1853, the country and climate were dry," he said. "Kansas was habitually dry. In Texas the black loam of Grayson county and the adjacent counties had barely enough moisture to raise a poor crop. Now there has been too much rain for the amount of tilling and the depth of drainage.

"The change has been gradual, just as it has been in Kansas. Western Kansas, which was once a desert, is now just about right for agriculture. The eastern end, which was once just right, has been deluged in late years. The rain belt has moved 500 miles west in the last 55 years, and most of the moving has been in the last 20 years."

TEST, TASTE AND TESTINESS IN COURT.

The meaning of words and disputes as to the exact words used by witnesses caused some amusing arguments at a recent sitting of the supreme court. Sir Henry Berkeley was telling the jury that a witness said he went to a certain shop frequently.

Mr. Slade objected that that statement was not correct. The word used was "occasionally."

Sir Henry turned up his notes and found the words were "a good many times." "A good many times" means "frequently," argued Sir Henry. "I venture to say Webster will prove that."

A little later Sir Henry said the witness was seen tasting the sugar at the Cheung Loong shop.

"He said testing," interrupted the chief justice.

Sir Henry—You test by tasting, my lord. I know a lot about sugar to my cost (smiles).

ONE TOO MANY.

Bernard Robbins, head of the legal department of New York's court of appeals—this charity helps the poor to adjust their marital troubles without going to the expense of lawsuits—said the other day:

"Such work as mine makes you, if you are not careful, pessimistic about marriage, so that you find yourself telling grimly over and over again the story about St. Peter and the widower.

"What? You don't know the story? Well, it seems that two souls approached St. Peter side by side, and the younger was repulsed sternly by the saint on the ground that, since he had never been married, he had never known suffering.

"The older man advanced with glad confidence. He stated that he had been married twice.

"But him, too, the saint repulsed, saying: 'This is no place for fools.'"

—Kansas City Journal.

A CHINESE OBJECTION TO RAILROADS.

An Americanized Chinaman, Chin Gee Hee, is the projector, president and engineer-in-chief of a railroad which has recently been opened in the Hongkong hinterland. Of the six locomotives used four were purchased in the United States, the others coming from Germany. The president says his chief difficulty in building the road was in overcoming the obstinacy of the natives, who opposed the work on the ground that the smoke from the locomotives would ruin their crops.

WITHOUT WONDER NONE CAN SEE

The man who cannot wonder, who does not habitually wonder (and worship), were he president of innumerable royal societies, and carried the whole mechanic celeste and Hegel's philosophy, and the epitome of all laboratories and observatories with their results, in his single head—is but a pair of spectacles behind which there is no eye.—Thomas Carlyle.

HOW SHE FOUND OUT.

Mother—"Did you know that was fresh paint on the front stoop, dear?" Mamie—"Yes, mamma." "I was afraid you might have sat down on it." "No, mamma, I didn't; Clarence sat down on it, and I sat on his lap!"—Yonkers Statesman.

BARGAINING WITH A BURGLAR.

How an Old Banker Used Diplomacy to Get Rid of an Unwelcome Visitor.

A group of his friends were discussing William Winslow Sherman, the old banker, who died not long ago.

"He had the coolest nerve of any man I know," said one. "Three or four years ago, when Sherman was an old man and partially crippled by reason of a fall from a horse, he entered his bedroom late at night to find a masked burglar ransacking it.

"The thief had a big gun raised on Sherman in a minute. The banker just waved it aside with a tired hand. 'Put that away,' he said irritably. 'Let us discuss this matter like gentlemen.' The burglar was so surprised he laughed. 'Now, you could hurt me if you wanted to, and might get away with some little knick-knacks,' said Sherman. 'But you might be caught, and there's a slight probability that you could dispose of my toilet articles profitably. What would you consider a fair cash proposition to go away?' They talked it over in all peace.

"The burglar thought he ought to have ten dollars, but Sherman, after inquiring into the man's habits, said eight dollars was enough. 'You see,' he said, 'you're a known thief. If this were your first offense I'd pay you your price, but now the police have your picture you ought to be glad to accept any fair compromise and run no risk.'

"The burglar finally agreed to take eight dollars. Sherman pulled out a ten-dollar bill. 'Give me two dollars change,' said he. And he got it before he paid."

SOCIAL FEUD IN DOLLDOM.



Mamma—Aren't you going to stoke you doll to the Schneiders this afternoon?
Marlechen—No; she can't bear Elsa's doll.

TALE OF TWO CITIES.

New York fleeces her dwellers by ordinance, her visitors by agreement, her transients by sandbags; Boston sells them copper stocks and revolutionary souvenirs. The New Yorker who has escaped the alderman, the lobster palace and the sandbagger gives his money to a bank receiver, and that prudent person brings it to Boston to escape the burglar. New York is a financial center, Boston is a financial refuge. People camp on the cliffs of New York; they have homes in Boston. Gotham is clubbed by policemen; the Hub is policed by clubmen. New York is a way station on the road to Hades; Boston is the gateway to Paradise.

A FIGHTING SNAKE.

There is only one snake in the far east—that is, Burma, India, Siam and the Malay peninsula—that will always and at all times attack a man on sight. That is the hamadryad, justly more feared than any other animal that crawls.

Fortunately for mankind, they are not common except in limited districts. They are so feared by all that the native skirris or hunters will go miles out of their way to avoid the locality in which they are known to exist. The hamadryad will stalk a man as a tiger stalks his prey.

USE OF OLD GOLF BALLS.

A new use has been found for old golf balls. The keeper of an upland link is a poultry breeder as well, and he utilizes the worst of the balls he finds as "pot eggs" to test the "broody" propensities of his hens.—Manchester (Eng.) Guardian.

IMPROPER.

Mildred—Do you know, Ned Alston told me that that horrid Mr. Parker dreamed about me last night.
Marion—Well, what of it?
Mildred—Why, he has never been introduced.—Somerville Journal.

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