

# SOUTHEASTERN NEBRASKA

## HAPPENINGS IN OUR NEIGHBORING TOWNS

### News of Interest From our Many Exchanges in This and Other Counties

Mrs. Ray Gist and son, Preston, went to Falls City the first of the week to visit relatives.—Humboldt Standard.

Guy Crook, Miss Edna Crook, Mrs. Will Crook, Miss Kachelries and Prof. Hurst came up from Falls City and spent Sunday at the home of G. E. Carrington. They made the trip in an automobile.—Auburn Republican

The union delivery system that was established in Auburn some time ago has been abandoned and the grocery men will once more use their own wagons in delivering goods.

Mr. Gus Schlosser and wife and Mrs. Fricke of Falls City, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lietzke, Mr. Schlosser will do the carpenter work on Mr. Lietzke's new residence.—Shubert Citizen.

John Oswald will leave in about two weeks for Lakeview, Oregon. He and his sister own a tract of land near there and he will spend most of the summer at that place. His sister, Miss Lillian Oswald, will have charge of his photograph gallery in Falls City during his absence, but his gallery at this place will be closed.—Stella Press.

A farm horse driven into town by Mrs. Mary Pierce, dropped dead just after being tied to the hitching rack on Friday. The animal belonged to her brother, John Shafer, and the cause of death is not known, as the horse had not been driven hard.—Humboldt Leader.

Prof. Hodapp left Saturday evening for Humboldt, his home, where he will spend the summer vacation. Mr. Hodapp has put in a hard year's work in Verdon and has exerted every effort to raise the standard of our public schools. That he has been successful in this undertaking is common knowledge to us all.—Verdon Vedette.

Ebenezer Lundy, aged seventy-seven years, died at his home on the country line about five miles northeast of Shubert, Wednesday afternoon at 1:30. He had been bedfast for a month, suffering from a cancerous trouble. Mr. Lundy was born in Virginia, and had been a resident of Nebraska for nearly fifty years. Four children survive: Miss Mollie at home, Mrs. A. J. Hanika, Mrs. Dan Lewis and J. W. Lundy. Funeral and burial will be at Prairie Union today, the procession leaving the residence at 10:30.—Stella Press.

A gentleman was before the city council last Wednesday evening with a proposition looking to the establishment of a large cider mill in this city. He desired a location near a railroad spur where he could get apples in car lots. Since Auburn has been so awfully dry for the past many moons a cider manufactory would not be at all bad, and could hardly be frowned upon even by the most rabid prohibitionists.—Auburn Herald.

On account of persistent attacks of hay fever, John Ward, county treasurer at Tecumseh, has appointed a deputy to his own expense and will go to his Wyoming ranch for the summer. The attitude of Mr. Ward is decidedly refreshing, when compared to that of the average official, who, all too frequently, seems to regard a public office as a private snap.—Humboldt Leader.

At a called meeting of the business men on Wednesday evening in the city hall preliminary steps were taken toward properly celebrating the coming Fourth of July and a temporary organization was effected with Roscoe Anderson chairman and H. P. Marble secretary. A committee, consisting of H. E. Boyd, Irvin Shirley and the secretary, was selected to canvass the city with a view to ascertaining what funds could be raised for the purpose. The plan is to celebrate on the Monday following the Fourth, which falls on Sunday, and if nothing interferes the day will be filled with attractive features. Among the attractions now being considered is an automobile parade, with prizes for the best decorated car, also an automobile cross-country race, open to all, for a good purse. A colored glee club, a matched game of base ball on the side, and very many other features will be added as time proves their adaptability.—Humboldt Leader.

#### School for Dogs.

A school for dogs has been established in Paris. The object is to teach them politeness. The animals are trained to welcome visitors by jumping up, wagging the tail and giving a low bark. When the visitor leaves the dog accompanies him to the door, constantly wagging his tail and bows his farewell by bending his head to the floor. He is trained, likewise, to pick up a handkerchief, glove or fan that has been dropped and return it to the owner.

## POLICE HUNT DRUG EVIL

### Join Cocaine Crusaders to Demand Tariff Check

For the first time in its history the police department of this city has today organized and begun special crusade to stamp out the alarming spread of the cocaine habit, which is now recognized to be one of the most serious of vice and crime throughout the country. Every effort is being made to enforce the new state law against the sale of excessive quantities of this drug for the users of the "dope fiend" rather than the doctor. Fully 75 per cent of the cocaine that passes through this city the police admit, finds its way to the victims of the deadly drug through an underground system of traffic which draws it principally from foreign sources.

With no duty upon coca leaves, from which illicit purveyors extract a rough form of cocaine for their drug-crazed customers, and only a low tariff imposed upon the quantities of the drug that are shipped here for secret distribution throughout the country, it is recognized that the chances for controlling the spreading cocaine curses are today very slim, even under the most strict state laws and police surveillance. Urging the recent recommendation of the American Health League for a prohibition tariff, internal revenue tax and other means which will restrict the use of cocaine, its substitutes and derivatives, to medical purposes, members of the medical profession, welfare workers, clergymen and the leading drug houses here are now looking to congress to safeguard every community in the country by thus shutting off this chief source of the illegal supply of the noxious drug. Through restrictive laws can be and are being successfully enforced by compelling the local manufacturers and wholesalers to keep records of their cocaine sales it has been proven, unscrupulous retailers to whom the American houses are perfectly free to obtain a limitless and untraceable supply from abroad.

More cocaine is sold to drug victims from one of their supply stations in a single night than an ordinary purposes in a year, the police declare. Medical men who are interesting themselves in urging congress to give the homes of this country this high tariff protection from the ravages of the drug assert that the comparatively small supply of cocaine necessary for professional purposes will still be readily available for their uses. With a high tariff of \$1.50 an ounce put upon the foreign cocaine leaves it is proposed to decisively check the cocaine plague and place it firmly under government control by an internal revenue tax.

No power but that of the people can now induce the law makers at Washington to include in the Aldrich-Payne bill this necessary clause for the protection of every American family, the leader in this movement declared today. If every philanthropic, medical and charitable organization throughout the land will recommend to its members an immediate appeal to Senator Lodge, who is presenting this matter or to their representatives in congress, it is believed these efforts to combat the curse of cocaine may succeed.

#### The Telephone Girl

The following reference to the telephone girl though hardly up to the standard of Emerson hits off the situation about as it is: "The telephone girl sits still in her chair and listens to voices from everywhere. She hears all the gossip, she hears all the news, she knows who is harkens all our joys, she knows every girl who is chasing the boys; she knows of our troubles, she knows of our strife, she knows every man who who is mean to his wife; she knows knows every time we are out with the boys, she hears the excuses each fellow employs; she know every woman who has a dark past, sheknow man who is inclined to be fast;" in fact, there's a secret 'neath each saucy curl of that quiet demure looking telephone girl. If the telephone girl would tell all that she knows, it would turn half our friends into bitterest foes; she would sow a small wind that would soon be a gale, engulf us in trouble and land us in jail; she could let go a story,—(which gaining in force) would cause half our wives to sue for divorce; she could get all the churches mixed up in a fight and turn all our days into sorrowing night; in fact she could keep the whole town in a stew, if she'd tell a tenth part of the things that she knew. Now doesn't it make your head whirl when you think what you owe to the telephone girl?—(Downs News, Kansas.)

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## MARKET LETTER

### From Our Regular Kansas City Stock Yard Correspondent

Kansas City Stock Yards, June 7, 1909.—Cattle receipts last week aggregated 43,000 head here, heaviest week in several months. The proportion of grass cattle was fairly heavy for so early in the summer, and the run of grassers is again heavy today, indicating that there will be practically no period this summer of very scant cattle receipts. The market declined 10 to 20 cents last week, least loss on the best cattle, and the top sales of yearlings at \$7.00, and heavy steers at the same price, were as good as any previous time this season. The run today is 14,000 head, containing a larger percentage of grass cattle than any previous day this summer. The fed grades and those fattened mostly on or entirely on grass have come to the parting of the ways today, fed cattle strong to 10 higher, medium and low grade cattle weak to 10 lower. Condition of the meat trade is fairly healthy, and conservative marketing of corn fed cattle during June will no doubt result in the realization of some high price levels later this month for good cattle. The extremely low price of hogs is an element of profit that will encourage feeders to hold on. Top steers sold today at \$6.90, and bulk of the decent fed steers bring \$5.90 to \$6.75. Cows and heifers contain fewer choice fed grades than a short time ago, cows ranging from \$3.25 to \$5.50, heifers \$3.75 to \$6.60, bulls \$3.40 to \$5.00, calves \$4.00 to \$7.00. Stockers and feeder trade was heavier than usual last week, without much net change in prices, market steady today, stockers at \$3.75 to \$5.50, feeders \$4.75 to \$5.60.

Although the week closed Saturday with a lower hog market, the tendency during the week was upward, and prices averaged highest of the year. Run was only 60,000 for the week, much below the normal for June, and the moderate supply of 10,000 head today indicates that the expected heavy June receipts will fail to materialize, and that owners have not much to fear as to prices balance of this month. The market is strong to 5 higher today, top \$7.55, weights above 200 pounds at \$7.20 to \$7.55, light hogs up to \$7.35, pigs \$5.75 to \$6.75, when not sold right in without sorting.

Sheep and lambs had a backset last week, declining 25 to 50 cents for the week, but this is not surprising, as the top heavy conditions of the market naturally subjects it to some erratic moves. Run is 7,000 today, market firm, spring lambs today at \$8.40, and clipped grass-wethers from Texas at \$6.00, probably not quite the limit of prices in either class. Clipped lambs are worth up to \$7.75, fat goats \$4.25, thin goats for the country \$3.25 to \$3.75. J. A. RICKART, L. S. Correspondent.

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