

Henry C. Smith LANDS & LOANS

240 acres well improved, 1 1/2 miles from Depot in Kas. Good spring Best of terms Will take 40 acres as part payment, balance long time at low interest.

200 acres 1 1/2 miles from depot, Richardson county, Nebraska Good buildings and land Will take 40 or 80 acres as part payment

160 acres upland, 1 mile from depot, Richardson county, Nebraska. \$12,000.

160 acres Johnson county, Nebraska. 80 rods to church and school. Best of terms. Night rent.

107 acres near Brownville, Nebraska

80 acres 3/4-mile from Falls City high school.

640 acres, \$8,000 improvements Also 640 acres adjoining. Will take 160 acres as part payment.

Fine running water. A No. 1 opportunity.

Money to loan.

THE COMERS AND GOERS

HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST TO YOU AND ME.

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

Mrs. Will Deuchler returned from her visit to Des Moines.

Mrs. James Powell returned last Friday from a visit with her brother in Seneca, Kas.

Mr. Fairchild of Oskaloosa, Kas., is employed by M. Northford the new merchant tailor.

Mrs. Fred Nettlebeck returned on Saturday from a week's visit with her sister in Lincoln.

Mrs. William Faller and sister, Mrs. Nothacker of St. Louis, returned Saturday evening from Lincoln.

Mrs. Jake Daeschner and children of McPherson, Kas., are visiting her father, Mr. Hilgenfeld and sister, Miss Ida.

Mrs. Peter Hoffman and little son, Baxter, went to Omaha last Thursday to visit Mrs. Barbara Hoffman and Mrs. Henry Wolff.

Mrs. Grant Windle returned Saturday from Elkhart, Ind., where she went to attend the reunion of the Culp family and to visit relatives.

Horseflesh is certainly advancing in these parts. Horses that sold at the Fast sale two weeks ago sold at the Schulenberg sale for more than twice the price secured for them at the Fast sale.

Tom Coleman, wife and two children of Omaha visited his mother, Mrs. Coleman, and his sister, Mrs. W. T. Fenton, over Sunday. Tom has the management of a large paint and glass business in Omaha and his old friends here are glad to know of his success.

The Bowman & Barger horse sale conducted by J. G. Whitaker, at Matt Schulenberg's place oven near Barada last Saturday was a success. The owners of the stock were so well pleased with the results that they have arranged to have another one at Reserve, Kas., next Saturday.

Mrs. Kenneth McLean and sons of Denver came down from Salem on Saturday to visit over Sunday with her sister, Mrs. George Jennings.

Mrs. John Mosiman, Jr., Mrs. Mary Mosiman and Mrs. Otto Reiger were among the Falls City people who went to Hiawatha Thursday.

Roy Morrison of Essex joined the force of clerks at the Matthews-Little store last week, having accepted a position with them.

Mrs. Conrad Brecht and Mrs. C. C. Davis returned Friday night from Colorado Springs, where they spent the past six weeks.

Mrs. Geo. W. Holland returned Saturday from a visit to Bellville, Ohio, where she has spent the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schauble were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Deuchler in Hiawatha Thursday.

Miss Anna Mason and brother, Bert, attended the Hiawatha fair Thursday and Friday.

Miss Lottie Culp came up from St. Joe Thursday to visit friends and relatives.

Col. C. H. Marion and wife spent last Thursday in Hiawatha attending the fair.

Richard Dittmar had a serious attack of throat trouble the last of the week.

Guy Crook came home from a business trip to Kansas City Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schuler took in the Hiawatha fair Thursday.

W. S. Korner attended the Hiawatha fair last Thursday.

John Oswald took in the ball game at Hiawatha Thursday.

Mrs. John Oswald was in Stella a few days last week with her parents.

Miss Anna Crotty of St. Joe came up the latter part of the week for a visit over Sunday with her sister, Miss Marie.

Mrs. Mary French of Seattle is the guest of her niece, Mrs. H. R. Miner, having arrived last Thursday.

V. G. Lyford went to Lincoln to see the Mercantile display of Chicago and Eastern firms at the state fair. He returned Friday evening.

Dr. Bert Windle attended the Hiawatha fair Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Maust left Thursday for a short trip to Denver.

Sixty-five tickets were sold from this city to Hiawatha last Thursday.

John W. Powell returned Friday from a business trip to southern Kansas.

Sterling Falloon arrived Friday from Madison, Neb., where he has worked most of the summer for a book company of Minneapolis. During the state field meet at Lincoln last week, in which he entered, he won second place in the mile run.

Frank Rantsma was in town Friday between trains, the guest of Dr. Windle. Mr. Rantsma formerly lived at Salem but has been for several years a civil engineer in South America. He is on his way to visit his parents in California.

Mrs. Edith Resterer and son, August, returned to their home in St. Joe Sunday.

Russell Hielt and Stanley Crook of Salem spent Sunday here.

Report of The Condition of the Farmers State Bank of Preston, Nebraska

Charter Number 708, incorporated in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business August 31, 1909.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$ 37,386.05
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,177.83
Banking houses' furniture and fixtures	150.00
Current expenses and taxes paid	1,035.50
Due from nat'l, state and private banks and bankers	7,832.10
Currency	10,000.00
Silver, nickels and cents	\$42.60
Total	\$50,504.14
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$13,000.00
Surplus fund	2,000.00
Undivided profits	2,578.27
Individual deposits subject to check	\$18,611.87
Time certificates of deposit	14,314.00
Total	\$50,504.14

STATE OF NEBRASKA.

County of Richardson.

I, Clyde Thacker, cashier of the above named bank, do hereby swear that the above statement is a correct and true copy of the report made to the State Banking Board.

CLYDE THACKER, Cashier

ATTEST:

W. C. MARGRAVE, Director

H. C. ZOELLER, Director

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of September, 1909.

GUY P. GREENWALD, Notary Public.

My commission expires Dec. 22, 1911.

A GOOD FOUNTAIN PEN

Is a source of great pleasure to those who write much. It is a very great time-saver, too. The constant dipping in the ink well is avoided, and although you likely fail to realize how much time this dipping takes, if you would compute the time saved by using a fountain pen in your bookkeeping, you will find that it won't take long to cover the price of a good pen. When it comes to selecting a pen you may find one that suits at the corner grocery; you may find one in any small stock of pens, but the chances are if you have a pen which is unsatisfactory, you bought it at just such a place. We believe in carrying a sufficient variety in stock, so that you can try numerous pens and be able to select just the one that suits your hand. No bookkeeper, business man or student should be without one. A call at our store and you will be convinced, as we will let you take one on trial.

Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pens

Headquarters at

Davies & Owen's JEWELRY STORE

Will Kentner came down from Beatrice Friday on business and to see his mother and little daughter, Helen.

Miss L. May Maddox left Saturday for Lincoln, where she is a senior student at Wesleyan this year.

Lawrence M. Scott of Morgantown, Pa., was a guest of Prof. T. J. Oliver a few days last week. These gentlemen were college friends in Lexington, Ky., where both attended the Pennsylvania college.

Ladies, the New Fall Styles Are Here



And they certainly are beautiful. Won't you come in and let us show you what will be worn this Autumn? We are making an elaborate display of Women's and Misses' Suits, Skirts, Waists and Petticoats. Everything is of the Highest Quality and Latest Style, and at the Lowest Possible Price.

Ladies Hand-Tailored Suits \$11 to \$35 | **Ladies Ready-to-Wear Skirts \$2.98 to \$18**

Special Notice You ladies who are hard to fit and who have trouble in getting stock garments to fit properly—we make a specialty of Made-to-Measure Suits and Skirts, at popular prices. We have secured the services of a high class seamstress, who thoroughly understands the art of dressmaking and alterations, and we have placed her in charge of our Suit department. You may be assured of a perfect fit in any garment you purchase at our store.

We Make No Charge for Alterations--All Alterations Made in Our Own Shop

New Dress Fabrics We are receiving daily shipments of new weaves, fabrics and shades in piece goods—bought from the leaders of designs and creations of the Fashion world. It makes no difference what you want in this department, from a piece of calico to the finest fabric, they are here for you, and your early selection will get the choice of patterns. And when it comes to PRICE—you know our reputation. We are the original "Price Killers," and our aim is to draw your Dry Goods thoughts in our direction.



Our Grocery Man Wants to See You

to quote you a few prices on the most complete line of Groceries in Falls City. We are sole agents for Conrad's Coffee, 20c to 40c per pound. It is put up in air-tight packages and cans and shipped direct from the roaster to us every week. Fresh roasted Coffee is next quality in the cuppings of any coffee. When in need of Coffee, call

TELEPHONE NO. 1

and try a pound of our Coffee. If it don't please you, send it back and it won't cost you a cent.

"Pony Express" canned vegetables and fruits are good. Try them!

Try a Sack of Matthews' Bon Bon Flour--It Makes LIGHT Bread.

Shoes! Shoes! Shoes!

We are sole agents for the Sunflower Shoes, and have not finished unpacking our complete shipment of New Fall Styles—Shoes for women, Shoes for girls, Shoes for men, Shoes for boys, and it's a certainty that we haven't forgotten the babies. It is going to be Shoe Day down here every day. If there is any part of one's wearing apparel that should be built for comfort and service it is certainly their SHOES, for more than half of your life is spent in them.

SUNFLOWER SHOES



"YOU CAN'T BETTER THE BEST"

and if you don't believe it come in and we will prove it to you.

Our School Shoes

are built for service—just the kind that will stand the hard knocks of the play grounds, and will reduce your Shoe expense. They are all that brains and superior workmanship can produce. And the prices are no higher than you would have to pay for the less perfect ones. Our Shoe department invites competition. Watch our ads with absorbing interest.

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"YOU CAN'T BETTER THE BEST"

The Matthews-Little Company

The "Price Killers" Department Store.

A Good Place to Trade