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THE COMERS AND GOERS

HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST TO YOU AND ME.

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

—Get your wood and coal of C. A. Heck. 43-1f
Jos. Portrey returned from his Okla. home trip Tuesday.

J. R. Cain of Stella spent Sunday with his family here.

Graham Jones of Verdon was a visitor here Wednesday.

B. K. Baker and wife returned from their honeymoon Wednesday.

Earl Rick, of the ten-cent store, spent Sunday in Atchison, Kas.

Wm. Sears spent the past week in Montana trying to secure a farm.

Ne'er take a wife till thou hast a house (and a fire) to put her in.

Dr. Boose reports a baby boy born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Yoessel Monday morning.

Lend money to an enemy, and thou'll gain him; to a friend, and thou'll lose him.

C. F. Reavis has been confined to his home several days this week on account of sickness.

John R. Smith, who has been in very poor health for some time, is reported much better.

Mrs. Bert Reavis left Wednesday for an extended visit with relatives and friends in Missouri and Illinois.

Dr. Ed Hays spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Falls City, returned to his home in Dawson Monday.

For all kinds of sewing and dress-making see or call on Sarah E. Herbaugh, on Fulton Street, between 13th and 14th. 42-3t.

The laundry team of Grant Windle's ran away Saturday, breaking up the wagon by coming in contact with a telephone pole.

Mrs. Neal of California and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Campbell of Des Moines, will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Jennings during the week.

Mrs. Joseph Varner and children after starting for their home at Beloit, Kas., Monday were forced to return, after reaching Atchison, on account of the high water.

There will be a meeting of the Women's chorus on Friday evening, November 19th, at the home of Mrs. Charles Banks. It is very important that every member be present at this time.

Rev. M. W. Chase of Chicago was a guest Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Greenwald. He was on his way to St. Louis to deliver a lecture. Rev. Chase is connected with the Lyceum Bureau of Chicago and a lecturer of great prominence.

Bert Whitaker and E. S. Towle purchased the R. C. Glenn property, just south of the Lindell hotel, and will remodel the house at once if the early winter is mild enough. There are eight lots with this place and in the spring they expect to build several houses upon them.

The old, old story, told times without number, and repeated over and over again for the last 36 years, but it is always a welcome story to those in search of health—There is nothing in the world that cures coughs and colds as quickly as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Sold by all druggists.

YOU ARE READING THIS AD.—OTHERS WILL READ YOURS

MOST everybody reads the ads. in this paper. They furnish as much news to the man in town and on the farm as the personals, and often more. Peter Smith's wife wants a new hat. Smith sees by the paper that Jones is selling hats at so much. Johnson's store ad. is missing from the paper—Johnson's trying a non-advertising policy.

**RESULT—Jones gets Smith's money
Smith's wife gets her hat.**

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THE BIG PUBLIC QUESTION.

Road Improvements Will Be Debated Pro and Con Ere Long.

The big public question, this year will be road improvement. It seems strange that there would be any "opposition party" to those who want better roads, but if you think there is no opposition, start a road campaign in your locality and find out. As a matter of fact, the road problem is of far more importance to the farmer than either the traffic or silver question. A good road costs money. It is a business investment requiring a large outlay of cash at first, and the interest on this investment comes back not only directly in the form of cash, but indirectly, as the farmer along the road is able to save horse power in hauling his crops to market. The chief question is, how is the money to be raised? Who is to handle and pay it out? It is a financial matter rather than a question of engineering skill. It ought to be debated and re-debated in every schoolhouse in the county.

"Here Goes Nothing."

Boys with hats on the back of their heads and long hair hanging down over their foreheads and cigarettes and very smutty stories in their foul mouths are cheaper than old worn out work horses. Nobody wants them at any price. Men don't employ them and sensible girls won't marry them. They are not worth their keeping to anybody and it is not likely that they will be able to keep themselves. If anybody should happen to read this who answers to above description, let him take a look at himself and jump in a well and say: "Here goes nothing."

From Birth to Manhood.

From birth a boy can own property; at seven he is if intelligible, answerable for crime; at fourteen he is punishable for a misdemeanor; at eighteen he is qualified for military service; at twenty-one he may declare himself independent of his father and is old enough to vote, work the roads and be sued for breach of promise; at twenty-five he is eligible to congress; at thirty to the United States senate; at forty to the presidency; at forty-five he is exempt from military service, jury duty and paying toll tax.

Give Schools More Attention.

The public school deserves more attention than is usually given them. Parents as a rule, regard their entire duty in this connection discharged in paying their tax and properly clothing and sending their children to school. There is reason to fear that many look upon the school room as a nursery to relieve them of their troublesome children. The public schools cannot accomplish the full measure of their possibilities unless the parents join with teachers and directors in attention to pupils.

Brethren Church.

There will be public worship at the Brethren church in this city next Sunday morning and evening, conducted by Rev. Samuel C. Henderson of Hamlin, Kansas. He will also preach at Silver Creek, four miles north of Falls City at 2:30 p. m., the same day. All are cordially invited to these services.

"Shiny on Your Own Side."

Every boy large enough to handle a pocket knife has used the same to provide himself with a "shiny" stick. Have you noticed that every boy that passes is the owner of one? Wouldn't you like to be a boy once more and join the crowd in a good old game of "shiny?"

Paving Work Retarded.

Contractor Heinen has been compelled to stop work on the paving on account of the heavy rains and cold sleety weather. It is hoped that the early winter will be mild enough to permit of the completion of that part of Stone street which has already been excavated.

Base Ball.

The Electric theater the first of the week showed a great game of base ball between Pittsburg and Detroit. Several of the world's greatest players were there and perhaps the largest crowd that ever attended a ball game was shown.

POLITICAL "BUTTINSKIES"

USING STATE NORMAL AS A POLITICAL "EVENER."

A Move to Oust President Crabtree, the Nestor of Normal Work in the State.

If there is any one thing into which prejudices and politics should not enter it is the school business. The teachers and school men should be chosen and retain their jobs purely upon their merit and ability.

Just now, that the Supreme court has declared the law creating a new board of education for state normal schools unconstitutional, it seems that prejudice and politics are about to chop off the official head of President J. W. Crabtree, of the Peru Normal.

Mr. Crabtree, it is safe to say, is the greatest school man the Peru Normal has ever had at its head. In the short term of his service he has done more to organize, strengthen and bring into prominence that institution than all the other principals combined since its organization as a state school in 1867, and yet this old board of education, just returned to their seats, seemed determined to cut off the good work which has been carried on, just to satisfy some petty prejudice.

Professor Crabtree is the man for the job, and that man once found should be retained. His removal would be a mistake, which it is our opinion, the public will not tolerate.

Mr. Crabtree is a brother-in-law to Dr. Wilson of this city, and has earned for himself national recognition as a school man. Let's have him left where he is. He's on the right job.

MRS. ASA ROGERS.

After Submitting to an Operation, She Died at Her Home.

Mrs. Asa Rogers died at her home in this city Tuesday evening, after a long and serious illness. Last Thursday she submitted to an operation, but this was too late to be of the desired benefit and her suffering ended after a long and patient struggle to regain her health. She had borne it all and met each trial with Christian fortitude and the end found her prepared for the future that lies beyond the Valley of the Shadow—a Christian faith being her stay in all her trials.

Susan Willeford was born in Boone county, Iowa, seventy-two years ago. She married Asa Rogers September 12, 1855 at Mt. Pleasant, Iowa. To them four children were born, three sons of whom are still living, namely William J. Rogers, residing south of this city; Charles H. Rogers, Washington; and Joseph H. Rogers of Colorado.

In 1870 Mr. Rogers and his family moved to Sarpy county, Nebr., and some twenty-five years ago they came to this county and located on a farm south of town. About nine years ago they gave up farming and moved to this city. During her residence in this city Mrs. Rogers made many close friends.

The funeral services will be held from the residence Friday morning at ten o'clock, conducted by Rev. F. Ellsworth Day of the Christian church.

Orange and Black.

This year's Orange and Black will be issued from The Tribune's press. The first issue will make its appearance the first week in December.

Her Choice.

They were sisters-in-law and reasonably well disposed toward each other. One was the mother of George, aged six months, and the other the mother of Marian, aged six months and four days. It was impossible that a slight parental rivalry should be altogether concealed.

"Marian does not seem to grow very fast," said the mother of George, with a suggestion of commiseration in her tones. "George is much taller." (height being measured in inches).

"Perhaps he is," replied the mother of Marian, coldly. "but Marian weighs more."

"Oh, well," responded the sister-in-law, with a smile of high-bred superiority. "of course I should not wish George to be gross."

WHO WILL WIN?

The Cross-County Run Promises to Be a Big Event.

On next Thursday, Thanksgiving day, will be pulled off that cross-country run. In conversation, the other day, Manager Arnold told a reporter for The Tribune that he had big hopes of a large entry and that the race would be fast and exciting. While the entries are not complete, the following are a list of the "fellows" that are expected to take part. Blaine Yoder, Frank Neitzel, Sterling Falloon, Ralph Arnold, Charles Mosena, Jeffrey Harrocks, Prof. Hays, Amos Yoder, Louis Foltz, D. Chase, Robert Steele, C. M. McDowell, Ballou Wanner, Quinton Lively and a few others. Any one expecting to take part, should send their name and twenty-five cents entry fee, to Ralph Arnold by November 22d. The race will cover a course of five miles and will start and end on Stone street. Quite a few of the above mentioned entries are runners of experience.

Blaine Yoder holds the record for Southeastern Nebraska for the mile run (5.05).

Amos Yoder is present champion at the high school.

D. Chase is the champion runner of McKinley High of St. Louis, for the half-mile in (2.07).

Louis Foltz was at one time the champion of Horton, Kansas.

"Bob" Steele is the scientific runner and a devoted advocate of cross-country running.

Manager Arnold and Coach Hays will inform any one who wishes to know any more about the race.

HE LAUGHS.

A Falls City Man Thinks Too Much Attention Is Given Abroad.

To The Tribune: It is my time to laugh. I'm one who has to "stand" for a good deal of talk about the heathen in foreign lands, and the sticking of brands from the burning everywhere but at home. My wife, earnest in her work, wants to save the world, but persists, like many preachers, in going away off yonder to succor the fallen, when in fact she and her co-laborers have a burlesque task right here at home—right under her nose, so to speak.

Seven gambling houses in Falls City didn't worry her—it didn't worry the preachers. They didn't for a moment stop to consider who peopled these illicit dens—who was loser, who was the sufferer; possibly they didn't know there were gambling houses in Falls City—the other end of the world held their attention so steadfastly.

I laugh. Why put the lid on now? Was the law in force last month, last year?

No wonder it becomes necessary to hire an evangelist occasionally to wake up a community, for they need waking up, and most of all who need waking up is my wife and the preachers.

Lord, hasten the day when these new churches will be completed and our ministers will get down to business.

BASKET BALL.

Our Boys Won The Game, Falls City 32 and Auburn 13.

We are proud of our basket ball boys. As we predicted, they won the game with Auburn last Saturday by a score of 32 to 13. They were not playing for money, but the honor of their school. As might be expected when a bribe is offered, the Auburn boys came prepared to win at any cost. The first half of the game was rough, but our boys held the visitors to close play. In the last half the feeling showed itself, and there was much that had better been left out. It was very rough. Falls City would not be imposed upon and fit for tat probably marked the game—also a few noses. The game was played indoors on account of the rain.

It is to be hoped that in the future mercenary element will be omitted from all games. Let high school athletics stay where they belong and let the teams play for the original good—the honor of their school.

Another Operation.

Mrs. Albert Bertram was operated upon Wednesday at her home for cancer. Her condition is very serious with small hopes of recovery.

THE WEEK'S SOCIAL EVENTS

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Mrs. I. C. Maust gave a most enjoyable whist party Thursday evening for a small party of ladies. Three tables were played and at ten o'clock refreshments were served. The play was resumed and continued until a late hour. Mrs. Spence and Miss May Maddox carrying off the honors of the evening.

Sorosis met with Mrs. Jennie S. Ewalt Wednesday afternoon. There was a full and interesting program given. Mrs. Banks as leader of the George Elliot round table, gave a very interesting paper on the writer's life and writings. Mrs. Morsman led the discussion on "Public Health," and many vital points were brought out. Mrs. Frank Schaible favored the club with several selections on the piano. "A day in Venice" by Frinn, was greatly enjoyed. During the social hour refreshments were served. Club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Holland, December 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Davis gave a very enjoyable somerset party Monday evening of this week for a party of twelve ladies and gentlemen. Three tables were played and the game, which is very popular here, was enjoyed until a late hour. Miss Catherine Maddox of Maysville, Ky., holding the honors. Mrs. Davis, assisted by Mrs. Will Schmelzel served nice refreshments at eleven o'clock. During the hours of play punch and bonbons were served. The evening was a very pleasant one.

One of the nicest parties of the week was given Wednesday of this week by Mrs. James Powell, and was attended by forty ladies. Nine tables were placed for whist, which was enjoyed during the afternoon. Seven games were played, Mrs. Sidney Spence carrying off the honors. Interest in the game ran high and many games were closely contested. At five o'clock a splendid supper was served in two courses, which would tempt the faintest appetite. Mrs. Powell was assisted in serving by Mrs. John Powell, and Misses Edna DeWald, Louise Rule, Helen Kanaly, Lela Powell. There were a number out of town ladies present including Mrs. Beach, Athol, Wyoming; Mrs. Schoenheit, Kansas City; Mrs. Varner, Beloit; Mrs. Radinsky, Omaha; Mrs. Gilligan, Nebraska City; Miss Maddox, Maysville, Ky.

Married in St. Joseph.

Miss Sadie Meyers and Henry Banks, both of Preston, were married in St. Joseph Saturday. They returned to Preston the first of the week and will make that place their future home. They have a number of friends in this city who join us in extending congratulations.

Journal Subscription Price Raised.

Editor Keim of the Journal has been running his paper on a department store plan this week—a sort of bargain week on subscription. Mr. Keim has been in the newspaper business long enough now to find that to publish a daily at \$1.50 per year at a profit is absolutely impossible, and decided to wind up by allowing old price of \$1.50 per year for one week—this week. Hereafter the price of the paper will be \$2.50—and no one can publish a good paper for one cent less.

Our native spiders are notable for their extreme unsociability. Of those which are spinners each one constructs its web apart from those of its kind. And those which hunt pursue their prey alone, says the London Globe.

In other countries, however, there are spiders which live in communities, and one such, a native of Mexico, is described by M. L. Diguett. It is known as the mosquero and makes a large nest in oaks and other trees. Here the spiders live gregariously and along with them in the nest is found a minute beetle and another species of spider. The beetle is said to act as scavenger. Parts of the nest of the mosquero are hung up in the houses during the wet season to get rid of the flies.

A Little vindictive.

"So you want the privilege of voting for people of whom you approve?" "No," answered the suffragette. "I desire the satisfaction of publicly refusing to vote for people whom I don't like."

COMPOSED OF MANY ISLANDS.

Monroe County in Florida is Probably the Most Unique in the Whole Country.

Monroe county is the most unique county in the state, if not in the United States. The larger portion of the county is made up of a group of islands or, as they are called, keys, both on the east and west coasts. The only part of Monroe county on the mainland is the Cape Sable country, the extreme south end of the United States on the mainland.

The larger portion of this land is what is known as the Everglades, and but a limited number of acres are now under cultivation. What effect the proposed drainage of the Everglades will have in Monroe county is not known, but it is doubtful if any large areas will be drained because of the flatness of the country and being so near sea level. In the vicinity of Cape Sable there are large bodies of rich alluvial land and a considerable quantity has been under cultivation for several years past.

All kinds of tropical and semi-tropical fruit trees grow luxuriantly on the keys and bear full crops of fruit each year. Every key is surrounded with water and the great portion of them have clean white sand beaches with bluffs varying in height above high water mark. All of these building sites are in full view of either the ocean, gulf or bays.—Jacksonville Times-Union.

STRANGE ACTION OF MEMORY.

Scenes of Other Days, Thought Forgotten, Are Suddenly Flashed Into the Mind.

Often suggestions out of all keeping with the surroundings come, and it may be asked, "What made you think of that?" Frequently we are positive that no conscious train of thought has brought up the idea. These memories, out of all rhyme and reason with our atmosphere and conscious occupation, pop into the mind and surprise us with their incongruity. Are these spontaneously originated as they seem to be, or have we merely forgotten the connecting train of ideas, as is often contended? The author but recently, while looking at some dill pickles, had flash upon his mind, the image of a Southern California beach and an incident associated with the scene. The memory came so suddenly and the connecting link was sought for so immediately that a dropping out of a segment of consciousness is altogether improbable, yet he felt that there was a connection somewhere, if it could but be found. And it was found after a little thought. Where the brine on the pickles had dried, there were left fine, white salt crystals just as he had seen on kelp and sea mosses that he had gathered on that beach. The memory in the stream of consciousness was spontaneous, and yet we see how it may come under our law, at least in its physiological version.—From the Mental Man.

Great Soldier's Quick Thought.

Once during the Iron Duke's campaign in the Pyrenees, it happened that Gen. Picton's dispositions for receiving the assault of Marshal Soult displeased him. The danger threatened from in front, and the difficulty lay in delaying the attack until Wellington could effect the change he wished. He was, as usual, equal to the occasion. Waving his hat in the air, he galloped to the front of a regiment as if he meant to order a charge. The whole of Picton's line cheered tremendously, and a roar died away, Wellington was heard to remark, half to himself: "Soult is a cautious commander, and will not attack in force without ascertaining the meaning of these cheers. That will leave time for the Sixth division to come up, and we shall beat him." Soult was exactly what happened, and Soult sustained a bloody repulse where he might have won an easy victory.

No Good for Charity.

A clergyman strolled into a grocery store kept by an enterprising German.

"My good man," said the pastor, "can you give me anything in the line of groceries as a contribution to the Woman's Missionary society? You see, we have done good work among the poor people of this section, and, as there are still many hungry mouths to feed, I wish you would try and help us out."

The big Teuton studied a moment and replied: "Well, I tell you, dot I know iss somthing gut; but, you see, de only things rot I sell here iss guaranteed goods, so dey wut be no gut vor charity."

The minister went out the door after recovering from the shock, and perhaps is still wondering why guaranteed goods are not to be dispensed to charity workers.—Philadelphia Times.