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NEBRASKA NEWS.

Seven boys, six years old, died at Hebron last week. Eleven girls graduated at the Ashland high school.

The people of Beatrice are clamoring for a better water supply.

June 6, 7 and 8 there will be a Sunday school convention at Fairbury.

Work has commenced on the foundation of Fullerton's new opera house.

A newspaper called the Hundredth Meridian was printed at Cozad eight years ago.

Prof. Reece of Emporia, Kas., has been employed as principal of the Falls City schools.

Bids have been asked for the erection of a new First Presbyterian church at Broken Bow.

A stock company is to be formed at Plattsmouth to investigate thoroughly the coal field.

June 13 and 14 Thayer county's Christian Endeavor society will hold a convention at Belvidere.

It is said to be a rare thing when two or more new buildings are not started in Dodge Park every week.

H. H. Fish has taken charge of the Lincoln Newspaper Union, succeeding Frank Rohm, who goes to Chicago.

The Interstate district Grand Army encampment will again be held at Superior this year from July 31 to Aug. 7.

A Heringford druggist has invented a flying machine which he claims will carry a man in midair at the rate of 200 miles an hour.

Fallerton is improving wonderfully this spring, many fine residences being erected and works of internal improvement going on.

The Ancient Order of United Workmen and Woodmen of Verdon have combined for a grand celebration on the Fourth of July.

The Beatrice Starch works have within the past month shipped over ten carloads of goods to San Francisco, San Antonio and Waco, Tex.

Mr. Wilson of Alexandria shipped a car of cattle averaging in weight 1,400 pounds. The carload brought this year the highest price ever, \$1,500.

F. W. Taylor, a traveling man taken sick at the Exchange hotel in Pawnee City died last week. His mother, living in Michigan, arrived the day before his death.

The people of Allen, Dixon county, are trying to have the county seat removed from Pomea, and a petition for an election to decide the matter is being circulated.

Gottlieb Hickman, a prosperous and industrious farmer living near Norfolk is the father of a second pair of twins.

The first two boys and the late arrivals are girls.

A heavy windstorm "uprooted" two dwellings ten miles north of Albion, leaving the people destitute of lodgings and dependent on their neighbors for temporary provisions.

The Verdon school closed last week. The commencement exercises took place Thursday evening, and the essays of the scholars were six in number, showed careful thought.

Hon. Lee Martin died in Benedict last week. He had resided in York county being married two hours before the legislature and is well and favorably known over the state.

Mr. Albert Thompson, the law partner of Congressman Melickjohn of Burlington, Vermont, to Miss Kate Taggart, the belle of Burlington.

John Hall, on trial at Beatrice for highway robbery, was found guilty and bound over to the district court, to a term of \$500. Being unable to furnish bail he was lodged in the county jail.

The Nebraska Post is the name of a new German paper which is to be started in Omaha by the late publisher of the material arrives, by Emil Barth and Fred Becker, two young German printers.

Frank Atair of Papillon has sued the State of Nebraska for the value of a mule that was killed on the track and the price of a horse that was tumbled into a cut and broke its neck, \$200 worth.

Mrs. Fred Slough of DeWitt was made seriously ill by eating greens. The doctor attributed the trouble to a poisonous bug that must have been on the greens in preparing the weeds for the kettle.

Rev. Mr. Crane landed at Ansley from Glenn Falls, N. Y., two weeks ago, and in that short space of time he had all the west he wanted to see. His family "could not accustom themselves to the western style."

The Ponca people complain that the school house leaks like a sieve, and that the teachers have to remain in the building rainy nights to prevent all movable articles from floating away to join the turbulent Missouri.

The case of Ann E. Kask against the city of Ord, action for damages in the sum of \$5,000, occupied the time of the district court last week. The jury after being over eleven hours came to an agreement and brought in a verdict for the plaintiff of \$750.

Jonathan Trumbull, one of the oldest citizens of Kearney, died suddenly of heart failure while sitting in a chair. He came to Buffalo county twenty years ago and took up a homestead on Wood River, four miles north of Kearney. He was sixty-nine years old.

Edward Koster, who stabbed William Malchow, a bartender at Wisner quite severely, was taken to West Point and had his trial in district court. The jury found him guilty of stabbing with intent to wound, but recommended leniency on the part of the judge.

A pocketbook containing an old draft and a note which belonged to Geo. W. Bruner was found in the close of the Union Pacific depot at Grand Island, Bruner, who is in Boise City, Idaho, lost it on the way between Hastings and Grand Island May 25, but at that time the pocketbook contained besides the papers \$400 in cash.

All Nebraskans will be glad to know that their state building is now fully furnished and decorated and is in every way a credit to the state and a pleasant meeting place for all its citizens. Thursday, June 8th, has been fixed for Nebraska day when the building will be formally dedicated with an interesting program of exercises. On that day every Nebraskan should be on hand to witness the strangers who will attend in thousands.

F. E. Short, manager of the South Omaha horse market, reports heavy demand for heavy draft horses, 1,500 to 1,800 lbs., \$140.00 to \$195.00; steers \$60.00 to \$90.00; calves, \$90.00; southern horses and mares, \$140.00 to \$70.00; western horses and mares, \$200.00 to \$250.00. Receipts for the week 293; sales 110.

Harry Freeman, one of the carpenters at work inside the new opera building at Table Rock fell about twenty feet from the top of the building, striking the ground below, a distance of fifty feet. His skull was fractured and he died within an hour. Thomas' wife and four children witnessed the fatal leap.

FIGHT FOR THE FAIR.

SUNDAY OPENING AT STAKE IN THE FEDERAL COURT.

Subscribers moved from East in the week-end. Attorney Mitchell has been notified that the Fair cannot start without the agreement.

CHICAGO, June 2.—Many well-known professional men were in this Federal court-room in the Government Building Saturday afternoon, June 2, to witness the opening of the World's Fair to effect the closing of the gates on Sunday. Interest in the proceedings was heightened when the District Attorney Mitchell had caused to be issued subpoenas for Messrs. Burnham, Culp and Dickinson, the Fair management, to appear in the State district to answer a writ.

At 10 o'clock Judge Woods, Jenia's and Grosscup, of the court of appeals, presiding, the case was called on. The District Attorney Mitchell had been expected, but could not be present owing to a daughter's illness; that the Chief Justice might also be present, but he appears a few days later. The court then set the appeal cases on the call for Tuesday of next week, and the Court of Appeals was formally dissolved.

Circuit Court was then declared open, and Judge Woods stated that the case of the Fair against the Federal Government, had declined to sit on the case.

Meanwhile attorneys for the Government had come into court, accompanied by Messrs. Hand, Aldrich, High and Fales. On the opposite side were Messrs. Walker and St. Clair. Messrs. Hand and Aldrich, also in court, representing C. W. Clingman, who had secured the injunction in the State court restraining the Federal Government from closing the Exposition gates on Sundays. He had not felt called upon, he said, to file an intervening petition, but he would like to call the attention of the court to the suit pending in the State court.

This injunction, Attorney Mitchell, addressing Judges Wood and Jenkins, who remained on the bench said that he and the counsel on the opposite side had been in the office of the State court in the hearing. He had no idea that Judge Grosscup would be influenced in the slightest degree by the fact that he had been in the office of the State court, and he would not be influenced by the fact that he had been in the office of the State court, and he would not be influenced by the fact that he had been in the office of the State court.

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The executive board of the State Teachers' Reading circle at a meeting in Lincoln at the office of the state superintendent, on Monday, June 6, selected books for the course, declined to accept as one of them the "Annals of Literature," recently published by Prof. L. A. Sherman of the state university, which is receiving flattering commendation from prominent educators far and wide. It is said that it was not adopted owing to the fact that State Superintendent Gouley favored another book on literature which is published by the American Book company.

Cathie Hanway died at his home in Wilbur last week aged twenty-three. He was a distinguished valley, being a member of Pittsburg Valley (Pa.) contingent, thirty-second reg., and an honorary member of the Pennsylvania lodge in Pennsylvania. He also had the distinction of being the last man living who had been tried for treason against the United States. His charge he was tried in the United States circuit court at Philadelphia in November, 1851, for his connection with what was known as the "Christy" plot in Lancaster county, Pa., September 1851. After a trial lasting seventeen days he was acquitted.

As the patients at the Norfolk insane asylum were being taken back to the main building from the amusement hall, where they had been dancing, two of the patients, Mrs. Peterson from Pomea and Jacob Steinhilber from Omaha, broke away from the crowd and disappeared in opposite directions around the corners of the building. The attendants started in pursuit and captured Mrs. Peterson before she reached the outside gates, but were not so fortunate in finding Mr. Steinhilber, who is yet at large. The mild patients and will, therefore, be much more liable to succeed in getting away, since his sanity is not likely to be questioned by farmers or persons who may meet him.

Despite warnings of the local press to the farmers in Hall and adjoining counties the lightning rod agent is putting in his work. Felix Geisinger is the first agent came around and wrote out a contract for him that he would rod his house for \$13. How the rod agent followed with the rod and presented a note for \$150 which the astonished agriculturist was asked to sign and, when the latter hesitated, how with a careless smile, he informed Mr. Geisinger he would be sued, Geisinger, after avoiding litigation, signed the note. Cole Brock is the name of the agent who is putting in his work. He is a man of order slips and can be changed as the agent sees fit. A number of others have been worked in the same way.

As the papers to the case were laid out, says the Papillon Times, its protractors confidently anticipated that within two years that suburb to a cornfield would become a great manufacturing center. With visions of a mighty rush of investors the townspeople planned about a thousand lots, decorated them with trees and sidewalks and waited the show of success. They waited in vain. The suckers refused to suck, and now the townspeople want to vacate the plat and plant a timber tract on the land, and plant had pictured giant industries. Adolph Peterson, H. Sprague, C. W. Shober, Dr. Curti, Fred Hagaman and others have formed a syndicate to buy the land to protect their interests, and they are confident that they can succeed in keeping the plat of record.

Governor Crouse has appointed the following delegates to a conference of charities and corrections, which will convene in Chicago June 8, to continue three days: J. A. Gillespie, A. P. Hopkins, John Laughlin, Mrs. John M. Thurston, W. J. Broatch, Thomas M. Kimball, Colonel, Charles Hill, Henry Esterbrook, Thomas L. Kimball, Thomas E. Kline, Charles Williams, all of Omaha; J. P. Hay, Mrs. A. C. Latta, Mrs. J. B. Noel, Mrs. H. A. Babcock, Mrs. A. Newman, Elder Howe and A. Beames, all of Lincoln; G. W. Johnson of Hastings; J. T. Armstrong of Beatrice; J. E. Simpson and C. B. Little of Norfolk; D. A. Scoville of Grand Island; Mrs. C. S. Canfield of Milford; J. D. McKelvey of Geneva; J. T. Mallieus, Mrs. Mary A. Ripley and Mrs. Nancy Hall of Kearney; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hamblin of Tokamah.

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