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ITEMS OF INTEREST

ABOUT OUR NEIGHBORS AND FRIENDS CLIPPED FROM OUR EXCHANGES

SILVER CREEK.
From the Standard.
Mrs. Mary Williams of Columbus visited friends here Sunday.
Mrs. Pat Dwyer and son John spent last Saturday afternoon in Columbus.
The Union Pacific laid off all extra gangs here this week as well as two of the regular station men.

LINDSAY.
From the Post.
Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Miller were Columbus visitors Monday.

Mrs. Galligan and daughters, Sarah and Francis, left Wednesday morning for Los Angeles, Cal., for the benefit of Miss Sarah's health.

Miss Mary Faabender and John Mray were united in marriage by the county judge at Columbus Wednesday and returned here the next day. We join their friends and relatives in extending congratulations.

CRESTON.
From the Statesman.
George Hollin claims to have raised the largest winter radish that was raised in this part of the country. It is 19 in. long, 2 1/2 in. in circumference, and it weighs 7 lbs. 6 oz.

A quiet wedding occurred at the Methodist Parsonage on last Sunday afternoon, at 1 o'clock, when Mr. W. J. Bellman, of Creston, and Mrs. Carrie Wilkinson, of Homer, were united in marriage, the Rev. Charles E. Carroll, officiating.

The High Class Entertainment given by Miss Marie Zinnecker, last Saturday night, was largely attended, and the applause of the audience proved that they were highly pleased. Several additional readings and selections were rendered in response to the continued applause. Miss Zinnecker has a natural talent as a reader, this being the first entertainment of the kind she has given, and if she continues to give this class of entertainments, she can be classed with the best.

LEIGH.
From the World.
Jack Price was over from Columbus last Saturday, returning home Sunday.

Thos. Mortimer and his herdman, Sidney Cooper, returned from the Kansas City Royal Stock show feeling that Nebraska was still on the map, inasmuch as they received first and second prizes on Hereford feeders, and sweeps taken on Hereford feeders in competition with over 300 cars of cattle which represented the cream of cattle herds from all over the known world.—Madison Star-Mail.

Albert Buss perpetrated a surprise on his numerous friends last Wednesday by taking into himself a wife. That morning he, in company with Mrs. Henry Buss, took the train for Fremont where they were united in marriage the same day by County Judge Stinson. This couple needs no introduction to our readers as both have lived here for years and are well and favorable known. The groom is a well-to-do retired farmer, and the bride is the widow of the groom's deceased brother. She is a woman of many excellent qualities and numbers her friends by her acquaintances. The world wishes them unlimited joy and happiness.

HOWELS.
From the Journal.
The first of the week John Nagengast got in a car of sheeps from Holt county that he will sell to our farmers. The corn crop is short in that section and many cars of hogs are being shipped to other parts of the state where feed is plentiful.

The funeral of the late Joseph Vavra was held from St. John's church last Saturday morning, services being conducted by Rev. Zak. There were a large number out to pay their last respects to the memory of a most worthy man and one of the pioneers of northern Colfax county. Interment was at St. John's cemetery.

Hog cholera or a disease equally as destructive to swine is making and having in a number of herds in the country southwest of town, and as a result many farmers will be rushing their hogs to market. Neil Davis, A. F. Lane, Frank Tilman and several of their neighbors report the loss of a considerable number. For some years this section of the country has been comparatively free from the ravages of cholera, and its appearance at this time has a depressing effect upon the owners of large herds. The prospect of losing \$5 hogs is not very encouraging. It is to be hoped that every precaution will be taken to prevent the spread of the dread disease. The carcasses of all animals dying with it should be burned and the yards where they were kept plowed and well sprinkled with lime. It is always well to remember that an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure.

Fullerton is up against a gold mine proposition. The promoters have opened up an office in that town and are putting on more air than a country stallion. They claim that way out in Utah somewhere there is a large tract of desert which is just lousy with the precious metal and all that is necessary to do to procure it is to shovel the soil into a wind mill with a blower strong enough to blow the sand out. It's a dead easy proposition. How much stock do you want? Better get in your application at once before the suckers at Fullerton gobble it all up.

PLATTE CENTER

From the Signal.
Miss Vera Freeman came up from Columbus last Friday evening and visited with Miss Edith Wilk until Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Hipp, who has been a patient in St. Mary's hospital in Columbus some time, arrived home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Alice Lamb was a Humphrey visitor Monday. It is reported that Mrs. Lamb is going to move to Humphrey in the near future.

Mrs. J. O. Parker spent the latter part of last week with her son, Agent Parker, and family, returning to her home at Columbus Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nay, Mrs. Jacob Labens and Mrs. John Frey spent last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hempf, near Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. William O'Callaghan received a telegram from their son James living in Cleveland Ohio, informing them that a ten pound daughter arrived at his home last Sunday.

Harry Gentlesman and Fred Zingg will leave next Monday for Quincy, Ill., where they will enter a Catholic college and take at least a six months course of training in the business department.

The evening passenger trains have arrived here on time but a few nights in the past eight months, but of late they have been getting worse and worse, until for the past ten days they arrive anywhere from ten to eleven o'clock.

Lon Moore arrived home last Saturday morning from a trip to Ogallala to inspect a quarter section of land which he purchased two or three years ago. This was the first time he has seen it and he is highly pleased with the investment, the value of the land having more than doubled since he bought it.

This has been another busy week for the farmers in their cornfields. Nearly all of them discover as they proceed with the hoeing that their fields are not yielding as much corn as appearances indicate. In the first place the ears do not average as large as they should, and they find quite a percent of stalks with no ears on them.

Last Sunday Opal Dixon ran her right hand through the glass in a door, at the home of her parents and out a nasty gash on the front side of the wrist which required several stitches in dressing. It makes a pretty sore wrist but no serious result is looked for. This is the same hand from which Miss Opal tore the thumb nail a few weeks ago in a collision with a barb wire fence.

GENOA.

From the Times.
The question of securing an electric light plant for Genoa is being discussed again. The representative of an electric supply company was in Genoa last week and said he knew of a party that was ready to install a plant here if contracts could be made for a certain number of lights and a franchise granted. Some of our citizens are opposed to granting a franchise to private party, claiming that if an electric plant would be a paying investment, the village itself should own and operate the business.

Deputy Sheriff Davis, accompanied by Jake Umstead, drove in from Fullerton Saturday evening and went to the county south of the Loop in search of two horses stolen from the home of Mr. Lamb, near Fullerton, two or three weeks ago. One of the parties implicated in the theft is a man named Wilson, alias Henry, who is still at large, but for whose arrest a reward has been offered. A young man living in Merrick county was placed under arrest last Friday and is now in the county jail, who is under suspicion as an accomplice.

From the Leader.
Frank Danford expects to depart this week for Washington where he will join his brother and engage in wheat growing. Frank has many friends in this city who regret to see him leave Nebraska, but he has the best wishes of all for success in his new home.

What has become of the curfew bell which used to ring regularly to call the kids in off the streets at night? There is just as much call for it now as there was when the custom was adopted two or three years ago. The street is no place for children and if the parents will not keep them at home the authorities should drive them home. Let the curfew ring tonight and all other nights.

The new school law is materially different from the old law. Now all children between the ages of seven and sixteen years are required to be in school during the entire time school is in session. The old law required attendance for at least two-thirds of the time. The penalty for violation of the new law is a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than twenty-five dollars for each offense.

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EUREKA.

From the Democrat.
F. T. Walker, of Columbus, was an overnight guest of relatives in town last Thursday.

Leo Boshelder and Miss Lena Weber went down to Columbus Sunday and spent the day with friends.

B. R. Cowdery returned home Saturday evening from Laramie, Wyoming, where he had been on a few days business trip.

Nick Fehring and Henry Feltz were

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down to Columbus Sunday to call on their wives, who are receiving medical treatment in St. Mary's hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schiltz, of Columbus, were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Smith and family. Mrs. Schiltz was formerly Miss Louise Gregor.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank German went down to Columbus last Friday to call on Mesdames Henry Folts and Nick Fehring, who are receiving medical treatment at the St. Mary's hospital.

Jake Roth, of Clearwater, this state, was in town last Saturday, having brought down the remains of two children of the family which they desired buried in the family lot in St. Francis cemetery. One was that of the oldest daughter, Viola, who died some time ago, and the other was the body of the little boy who was accidentally drowned last spring.

A couple of weeks ago a colt kicked Thad Maguire on his right knee and injured it so badly that last Friday Mr. Maguire went to Columbus for treatment and returned Saturday evening with his entire limb encased in a plaster cast. It will be several weeks before he will be able to use the limb, but this he does not mind so long as a complete cure is the result.

Amos Davidson, the operator at the Union Pacific depot at this place, was discharged last Tuesday evening and left Wednesday noon for his home at David City. There were over 8000 operators discharged on the U. P. that day. There were also about 25 Japanese laborers discharged at this place. Amos has many friends here who regret to see him leave, but who wish him success in whatever he may undertake.

MONROE.

From the Republican.
Chas. McWilliams came over from Central City Thursday to attend a hallowe'en party and visit home folks.

Robert and Thomas Pinson of Platte Center, accompanied by their families, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Sutton.

Peter Munter and family will move into the rooms in the rear portion of the Fellers restaurant building and occupy it as a dwelling for the present.

Rob Clayburn came up from Omaha Saturday to spend Sunday with home folks. This week he began work in South Omaha, where he has a good position.

Richard and James Jenkinson of Columbus, accompanied by their families, were guests at the home of D. W. Jenkinson last Sunday, the occasion being a family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hill of Springfield S. D., were last week visiting their son, E. J. Hill. They returned home Monday evening. Mrs. E. J. Hill accompanied them for a week's visit.

As a result of the recent order sent out by the Union Pacific, discharging all workmen employed on new work, the Japanese gang under the charge of Foreman Albert Fleming was among those included and Mr. Fleming expects to return to Monroe and again take charge of the section here.

From the Looking Glass.

It has come. Don't be scared, but remember that government banks of deposit makes safe finances. Put this in your hat to dream over at night.

The corn pickers are in the fields. Ed Fox says his will go from forty bushels up. But there are few such fields. We think about fifteen to twenty bushels will catch the most of them.

BELLWOOD.

From the Gazette.
Mrs. Lena Margaret Lillie was visiting at Bellwood the latter part of last week and fore part of this week.

Corn fields are yielding from 35 to 45 bushels per acre in this neck of woods. Shuckers are getting 3 1/2 cents.

Archie Tyrrell came over from Columbus Wednesday and visited with his parents, also attended the E. L. Carnival.

If you see a fellow carrying a stove pipe don't ask him if it fits; in fact it is best not to speak to him at all. It is true that you feel that you ought to say something to him, but that is only the missionary spirit at work within you; pray for him; he has trouble, sin and the devil right under his arm and he needs your prayers.

Do you like onions? This is what a writer has to say about them: "Whenever you see an onion enter you see a whole-cooled, open-hearted, jolly good fellow, who knows what he ought to eat to keep him good humored. Talk about the staff of life, why bread is only a crutch. There is more nourishment in an onion than there is in a roll. The onion loves to keep the world moving, to say nothing of providing it with much of its fun."—Ex.

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ALBION.

From the Argus.
Mrs. Wm. Graggart and Mrs. Fred Neave went to Columbus Saturday to spend a few days with relatives.

Talking with E. W. Atwater about the trip he and his son Ed. made to Deuel county and the county looked fine and good between the rivers, but north of them he did not like. Taxes and prices didn't seem harmonious to him so he didn't see fit to invest.

Chris Nelson was over from Lindsay this week looking after his case in court. A few months ago he and wife separated. She married Jay Hemingway and he married a Columbus woman. In this court he sued for the children and got all but the least one. The court thought it had better stay with the mother.

Will Daniels was in town Saturday nursing a sore finger. Some time ago he got his middle finger caught in a corn sheller at Petersburg. He had it dressed but later had to have a joint amputated. It is not doing well and he fears he will have to have another section amputated. This is hard luck on Will and he is little able to stand the loss.

CENTRAL CITY.

From the Hooprel.
Chester Huff, who is now an instructor in a business college in Topeka, writes that J. W. Patterson, the singer who assisted Evangelist Lyon in his meetings here, is now in that city engaged in the same kind of work, though with an evangelist by the name of Smith.

Mrs. George W. Payne is again in the St. Joseph hospital in Kansas City having submitted to another operation, the third in the last year. Very encouraging reports come from her now, however and the chances for her complete recovery are very good. She has had a most trying experience but it seems likely that it is about ended and that she will soon be restored to her former vigorous health.

The old water tank that has done duty at the Union Pacific for many, many years was torn down last week. The new pumping station is now in operation and there was no further need for the old structure. Bob Armstrong was installed in his new quarters the latter part of last week and it goes without saying that he is glad of the change. No coal to shovel, no steam gauge to watch nothing much to do but to start and stop the new gasoline engine. No wonder Bob is satisfied.

Walker.

The banker got hold of the farmers money and it looks like he is going to hang to it.

Prof. J. R. Alcock stayed over night Friday night, with John Swanson, while he was out canvassing in Walker township.

The politicians put in their best ticks in Walker township last week and it seems that the democrats outnumber the republicans.

The outlook is good for a big vote in Walker this year as farmers are not quite so busy husking corn this year on account of the hail storm.

O. G. Jackson our candidate on the republican ticket for road overseer, is putting in his time fixing up the roads in his district in good shape.

None Such Now.

"Pierpont Morgan's superb collections in his London town house," said a New York decorator, "were opened to a few of us during our summer convention at the South Kensington Museum.

"Among Mr. Morgan's treasures there was an old book that I liked for its quaintness. This book, which was splendidly bound, was Hopton's 'Compendium of Years.' It was a chronology of remarkable events and I copied a few of these events down. We have none such now. Listen."

The decorator then read:
1116. The moon seemed turned into blood.

1128. Men wore hair like women.

1233. Four suns appeared, beside a true sunne, of a red colour.

1631. Fiends were seen speaks unto men as they traveled.

1401. A red bird with a girl's head seen thrice in London.

1477. A blazing star on Palm Sunday near the sun.

Justifiable Inferences.

Farmer Pasterlot (discussing literature with the new boarder)—"There was one book that my son Bill thought of when he was wus t' hum—all about swatting an' biffin an' blood."

"One of those swash-buckler romances, I presume. Do you recall where the scene was laid?"

"Well, it took it 'be a Jersey story, from the name of it. 'Twas called 'The Three Musketeers.'—Puck.

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Also a Mean Trick Played on a Friend.

A hurried glance under the closely drawn shade convinced Mrs. Owen that this time, at least, it was a neighbor who stood on her doorstep, and not that silky person with something to sell.

"Come right in, Mrs. Smythe," said Mrs. Owen, hospitably.

"The shades were drawn and I was afraid you were away from home," said her visitor, making herself comfortable.

"No, I put them down so I can peek out when the bell rings. If it's a promoter or canvasser, I don't open the door. They always persuade me to buy against my own judgment. I can't trust myself, so don't take any chances."

"But if you don't need the article—"

"But I can't get rid of them. They either make me think that I can't do without what they are selling, or they work on my sympathies. The house is full of hair restorer and breakfast foods, to say nothing of court plaster, shoe strings and brooms."

"But a woman of your intelligence would only buy what was worth the money."

Mrs. Owen looked pleased.

"I wish I was as good a bargain hunter as you, Mrs. Smythe."

"When you are my age, my dear, you will be a wonder. I just ran in to tell you of the bargain I got yesterday. It's a real snap. I subscribed for some beautiful books—12 volumes at three dollars a month, printed on hand-made paper and the loveliest bindings—"

"We don't need any books. I don't get time to read. With housework and the children's clothes—"

"That's just it, Mrs. Owen; you are a slave to duty. I believe in keeping pace with my husband's brains. I don't intend to forfeit his love by letting my intellect get rusty. Some women don't care. They think their husbands can't escape, and so they neglect this great duty."

Mrs. Owen smiled pleasantly. She felt no anxiety on that score.

"I read in one of my new books about the belfry in Bruges, and last night when Mr. Smythe looked bored and restless I just opened a conversation and steered it to the subject on which I had been studying. He had lots of interesting things to say, and seemed so pleased to find me so well informed. Now, if I hadn't those books I might have been stupid, and he'd have gone to the club instead of having such a nice evening at home. A woman should not be a slave to household duties. No wonder men tire of their wives—"

"But Mr. Owen never tires of me."

"That's just it. He will. You won't know it at first. It creeps like a little serpent—"

"My goodness! you don't mean to say—"

"Yes, I do. Unless you keep posted on what's doing in the world, as a man does, it is bound to come. I read about a man who loved his wife for ten years and as she became occupied with her household affairs he began going to the theaters—and he met another woman."

"Oh, Mrs. Smythe, you frighten me! What if my husband should be led astray that way?"

"I don't want to make you uneasy—but if you won't do anything to prevent—well, there's no telling."

"What can I do? Please advise me. It would kill me to lose him! We are all the world to each other."

"Yes, now, while you are young, and pretty. But some time he will tire of you and your petty troubles, rising to go."

"O, Mrs. Smythe, don't go yet. You have not told me what to do. Don't leave me with this awful tragedy staring me in the face."

"People seldom take advice—that's for their good."

"I'll take anything that you say."

"If you would read—"

"I'll study night and day."

"It's only necessary to keep a little ahead of your husband—and turn the conversation into the proper channel. Those books of mine have a little of everything select—but, perhaps, you'd rather select your own reading?"

"No, no, I want the kind you have."

"Ahem! I suppose I could—"

"O, will you lend—"

"I was going to say I could sell you mine or—"

"I can't take yours. You might not be able to get more at that price. Do you know the agent's name? I'll go right out and look for him."

"I am glad you realize what a family blessing those books are. I have just taken the agency for them."

"How smart of you! Isn't it nice to help your husband? I'll pay you the cash and not bother with the monthly installments."

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