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BELLEVILLE.
From the Gazette.
Mr. and Mrs. Jesse D. Bell, who went to Coronado Grove, Florida, several weeks ago, returned to Belleville Wednesday evening. Jesse says Florida is a nice warm place to live in, especially at this time of the year, but that the soil is not to be compared with old Nebraska.

Miss F. Glenn Houser died Feb. 20, 1910 at the home of her parents near David City. Deceased was born June 2, 1887. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Houser, who several years ago resided in Belleville, Mr. Houser having taught school here for a term or more.

According to L. M. Russell, one of the leading peach growers who has large orchards near Lincoln, the prospects for next year's crop are practically gone. "The long period of wet weather in November followed by the heavy freeze in December killed most of the fruit buds."

HUMPHREY.
From the Democrat.
Olas T. Bacon of Platte Center and Miss Emma Cummings of this place were united in marriage at Columbus Wednesday by County Judge Ratterman.

Joe. Tieskoetter went down to Columbus Sunday night to meet his mother, Mrs. W. H. Tieskoetter, who returned home that evening from Omaha, where she had been taking medical treatment. We are glad to report that Mrs. Tieskoetter is much improved in health.

A serious accident happened to John Rohatch, who lives west of town, last Thursday evening which lay him up for some time. Mr. Rohatch was hauling his corn shelling outfit home and was driving the teams hitched to the gasoline engine trucks, when about a quarter of a mile from home one of the lines slipped out of his hand which he tried to recover, when the front wheels of the truck struck some ice and he was thrown from his seat and pitched in front of his body breaking some ribs and his jaw and otherwise injuring him up. He was picked up and carried to the house and a doctor was called to dress his wounds. Friday afternoon he was brought to Humphrey and taken to Columbus on the evening freight and placed in St. Mary's hospital at that place. Latest reports from his bedside are that he is improving nicely.

CENTRAL CITY.
From the Nonpareil.
"We have found Texas, outside of her climate, one big fraud and want your paper changed from Victoria, Texas, to Wooddale, Kansas." Thus writes C. E. Campbell, formerly pastor of the Methodist church at Archer.

On a postal instructing us to change the address of his Nonpareil from Minneola to Saint Augustine, Florida, J. W. Sparks writes: "Still searching for perpetual sunshine and the fountain of youth; instead have found damp and cloudy weather ever since the year commenced. Even the natives are howling the unusual weather."

Mrs. Jos. W. Gaw, who has been visiting at Atkinson, Illinois, writes her husband that they are having a siege of winter weather there that makes our cold climate seem like balmy Florida. The day she wrote it was thirty degrees below zero and Sunday a four-inch snow fell. Already there was several inches of snow on the ground. The mercury has not been above the twenty below mark since she went there. She expects to start home this week but will visit at Menlo, Iowa, on her way back.

PLATTE CENTER.
From the Signal.
Miss Agnes Pallen, of St. Anthony, entered St. Mary's hospital at Columbus Monday, where she will submit to an operation for appendicitis within a few days.

John T. Evans delivered two hogs to Denny Roberts, last Thursday, the combined weight of which was 1,250 pounds. These two pig represented quite a haul of money at the present price—a hundred dollars, at least.

Michael Siebler was taken sick at his home three miles south of town last week Thursday, with kidney trouble, and but little hope in entertained for his recovery. Mr. Siebler is well advanced in years, and his trouble is of long standing.

Some party or parties cut a hole in the wire cage in which Dr. Pugh had his coyote confined, last Friday night, and the animal escaped. The doctor says the ones who did the deed were seen in the act and he thinks he knows the guilty ones.

South Omaha friends of Father Dan Hurley will be grieved to learn of his serious illness at St. Louis. Father Hurley is suffering from a nervous breakdown and serious trouble with his eyes.—True Voice. Father Hurley was raised in this vicinity and has many friends here who deeply sympathize with him in his affliction. He was ordained to the order of Priesthood early last spring.

WHO ARE THE UNITED DOCTORS?

Some Information About the Specialists who Will be in Columbus on Wednesday, March 16th, and Thursday, March 17th.

Since the announcement has been made in these columns, that the Chief Consulting Physician of the United Doctors, who have their permanent Nebraska institute located on the second floor of the Neville Block, corner 16th and Harney Streets, Omaha, Nebraska, would pay a short visit to the Thurston Hotel, at Columbus, the question has been asked many times: Who are the United Doctors and what do they do? The answer is this:

The United Doctors, as the name implies, is an association of expert medical specialists who have united to organize a new school of medicine; a new and more scientific and positive system of curing human ailments. For centuries the world has been full of different "cults" and "isms" of medicine. We had the old root and herb doctor with his bitter potions; the Allopathic with calomel and quinine in heroic doses; the Electric without his calomel; the Osteopath and the Christian Scientist. We were doctored by heat, by electricity, by baths at the Hot Springs and by a multitude of men and methods. Some of the patients were cured, some died who should have been cured. It was impossible for the ordinary person to say which method of treating diseases was the best, and the physicians of the various schools were so biased that they could see good only in their own method; all others were, necessarily, bad.

Evidently there is good in all of them for they all cured some cases. Also there is bad in all for they all failed at times and allowed misery to remain or death to come when a cure should have been effected.

A tremendous stride forward was made, when the association of the United Doctors was formed. The founders of this association consisted of eminent specialists from the various schools of practice. Eclectics, Homoeopaths, Allopaths, Regulars and Irregulars, met and agreed to drop their prejudices and form a new system of treatment, which would embrace all the good points of the old methods and leave out the bad. The results of the efforts of these world-famous specialists, of the various schools, was the wonderful treatment now being used by the United Doctors. All of this was not accomplished in a day or two, but has taken years of patient work by those specialists in their great institutions in the east: Homoeopathy, Eclectics, Allopaths, all working side by side, each throwing away his old idea when he was convinced there was something better. Until at last, out of the old chaos and confusion, came the new and perfect system, as it is now used by the United Doctors.

The cost of these specialists was great not only in the labor of forming the new system of treatment, but also in the effort it cost them to ignore their prejudices in favor of various schools in which they were originally educated. But their record has been great in health and happiness restored to hundred and thousands who were going to their graves in misery, pronounced incurable by old methods.

This wonderful new system of medicine has cured thousands of cases of chronic diseases of the liver, kidneys, skin, heart, lungs, bowels and stomach, including rheumatism, paralysis, neuritis, appendicitis, gall stones, piles, gonorrhea, rupture, diseases of women and diseases of men, which had been pronounced incurable by other doctors.

Mrs. Tilitha Carr of Papillion, Nebr., says four years ago she had a nervous

break-down, including rheumatism, stomach and bowel trouble. She got so bad members of her family had to sit up with her night after night, each time expecting her to die before morning. She grew worse under treatment from her home doctor and finally a surgeon from another city told her that if she would be operated on, she would be able to do her house-work the next day. She was operated on and the result of that operation confined her to her bed for eight months. When she left her bed, her neighbor took her to the United Doctors' office at Omaha. In six weeks from that time she says: "I feel better than I have for the past three years. I eat well, do my work, sleep well and have not a particle of pain. I feel like a new woman."

Louis Schultz, a prosperous farmer living on R. R. No. 3, Plattsmouth, Nebr., says for twelve years he had been treating with his home doctors, those in Council Bluffs, Iowa, and the best ones in St. Paul, Minn. He even went clear to Hot Springs, Arkansas, and took the hot baths at Lincoln all of which gave him no relief. In speaking of his case he says: "I went to the United Doctors. They told me more about myself and disease in ten minutes, than all the other doctors put together in all the years before."

"Now my stomach gives me no trouble. I eat anything and digest it perfectly; my kidneys are better and my rheumatism improving so rapidly in this short time, that I am sure my recovery will be complete."

N. C. Carlson of Wausa, Nebr., says: "I am now as well as I ever was in my life. When I commenced treatment with you, I was barely able to walk, such was the pain I had. Now, after taking your treatment for five months, I enjoy perfect health."

Mrs. Alice Griswold of 1619 Frederick Street, Omaha, Nebr., says she had appendicitis in a very severe form. She did not believe she could be cured without an surgical operation but took the United Doctors treatment with little hope.

After the first two or three doses, she began to feel better and in less than a month was entirely cured and has had no return of the trouble since.

These people were cured in their own homes without surgical operation and they are only a few out of the thousands who have been cured by the United Doctors at their various institutes throughout the United States. These specialists have hundreds and thousands of testimonials from cured patients on file at their offices. Any one interested in any particular disease can secure the names of patients who were cured of that disease by writing to the United Doctors at their Omaha Institute. These testimonials are from responsible people of Nebraska and were given voluntarily out of the gratitude of their hearts, so you can believe implicitly what they tell you.

It is this wonderful all home treatment the United Doctors are bringing to Columbus on Wednesday, March 16th and Thursday, March 17th.

If you are skeptical, write to the United Doctors for the names and addresses of patients whom they have cured and you will be furnished with as many as you may desire to investigate. Remember the United Doctors will be here but two days and while here will receive patients at the Thurston Hotel. If you are sick and suffering and want to be made well and happy, call on the doctor when he comes to Columbus.

GENOA.

From the Times.
G. W. Price, aged 58, died at his home near Woodville, Monday evening, after a short illness with pneumonia. Funeral services were held at the home Wednesday.

State Senator Randall, formerly in the banking business at Newman Grove, has invested \$50,000 in a tract of land near Basin, Wyoming, and will move to that place to reside.

Several drinks of bootleg booze made trouble for Henry Nelson, a resident of Prairie Creek. Some men, when under the influence of John Barleycorn, perform foolish stunts. Henry has such a reputation. The other day, when he was feeling extremely cute, he bet Rosco Brown, a neighbor, that he dare go to the home of Ora Hill and ask Mrs. Hill to take a buggy ride with him. Brown accompanied Nelson to the Hill home to see that he complied with the requirements of the bet. The invitation was extended to the lady all right and indignantly declined, but Henry won his friend's money by the exhibition of his gall and imagined that the incident was closed; but it wasn't. Last Sunday morning, shortly after midnight, Nelson himself received an invitation to take a buggy ride, and although a blizzard was raging at the time, he thought it best, under the circumstances, to comply with the request. The invitation came from Sheriff Oas E. Peterson. Nelson was taken to Fullerton and placed in jail. Monday morning, in Judge Kliese's court, he pleaded guilty to the charge of disorderly conduct and was fined \$10 and costs. His brother was on hand with the necessary coin to satisfy the dignity of the law.

What He Saved.
"Good!" shouted the friend of the bibliophile as the latter emerged from the burning house carrying a bundle of books. "Did you save your Shakespeares?"

"No," replied the bibliophile, combing a spark out of his whiskers; "I saved my Bacon."—Houston Post.

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MONROE.

From the Republican.
Mrs. Wm. Hollingshead returned from Denver last Saturday, where she has been visiting her son for some time.

John and Jacob Smyer returned from western Kansas the first of the week, where they had been to settle up an estate belonging to their father.

Mrs. Wm. Webster went to Omaha last Saturday to visit Mr. Webster, who is in the hospital, and while there was called to Normal, Neb., by the death of her mother, Mrs. Coale, which occurred on February 22.

Last Thursday the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Monroe Independent Telephone company was held in Monroe. A good attendance of delegates were present and more votes were represented, including proxies, than at any former meeting. All the old directors, except one, were re-elected for the coming year. The members of the board are as follows: E. B. Dannels, A. Bratt, Peter Schmitt, Wm. Webster, O. E. Green, Oscar Olson and Julius Hansen. There was some talk about separating the different exchanges but when the meeting convened the sentiment was overwhelmingly against such a change and it was not mentioned. The report of the auditing committee was very gratifying, showing that the indebtedness has been reduced to a little over \$4,000, and the financial condition of the company better than at any time since its organization. Manager Dannels, and the board of directors are to be congratulated on the showing. The directors will meet later and select the officers of the company from among their number.

D. H. Gipe and J. H. Burzun were the delegates sent by the Monroe Commercial club to attend the meeting called at Columbus by that Commercial club to discuss the change in the time of the trains on this branch. It developed that the only grievance or change asked for by the Spalding branch was that the freight be run on schedule time, the present passenger service being satisfactory. On the other hand Albion is asking for motor car, to leave there in time to connect with the morning local from Omaha, which leaves Columbus shortly after 7 o'clock in the morning, and back the same evening so they could have the best part of the day in Omaha. The assembled clubs unanimously passed resolutions endorsing the motor car service between Albion and Columbus, asked for by Albion, and also regarding the running of the freight on time. Railroad officials were present, and talked with the delegates, and as there was no conflicting requests it is probable that they will establish motor car service between Albion and Columbus and also endeavor to have the freight train run according to the time card.

Farmers' Institute.

This year the date of the Farmers' Institute will be held Friday and Saturday, March 4 and 5. The place of meeting will be the same as last year, at the Y. M. C. A. building, the same having been tendered the institute people for the occasion. Carl Rohde is president and Albert Stenger secretary of the local organization, and together with the committee will have charge of the meeting. Following is the program for the institute.

FRIDAY.
Selected Piano Solo..... Miss Slater
1:30. Conserving and Increasing the Fertility of the Soil.....
Vocal Solo..... Prof. E. W. Hunt
2:30. The Draft Horse for the Farm and Market..... B. F. Kingsley
EVENING SESSION.
7:30. A Royal American..... Mr. Kingsley
Vocal Solo..... Miss Hazel From
8:30. Economy in the Care of Farm Animals..... Mr. Hunt

SATURDAY.
11:00. How to Select a Good Dairy Cow..... Prof. John Bower
Basket Dinner
AFTERNOON SESSION.
1:30. Suggestions to Cooks About Cooking, with Cooking Demonstrations. Gertrude Rowan
Selected Vocal Solo..... Miss Studley
2:00. "Azoturia," a disease quite prevalent among horses at this season. Dr. I. P. Carstensen
Election of Officers
2:30. The Silo, How to Build It, Fill It, Use It..... Mr. Bower
EVENING SESSION.
"Traum der Sennerie"..... Violin Solo
..... Miss H. Jaeggi
7:30. The Vocation for Women.....
..... Miss Rowan
Song..... The Misses Jaeggi
8:30. Sanitation in the Care of Milk and Its Products..... Mr. Bower

His Tokens of Farewell.

Among the legends that have gathered around Sir Alfred Jones' name is one to the effect that he was in the habit of signifying to an office visitor, by offering him a banana, that he desired to end the interview. If the banana was accepted and the call prolonged Sir Alfred arose and presented his visitor with a fine flower from one of the glass stands in his office. But, supposing his visitor stayed after the flower—well, the legend continues, Sir Alfred then offered a pass to the West Indies on one of his small steamers, with a free holiday for six weeks at his hotel.

It is told, however, that on one occasion Sir Alfred got the worst of the banana trick. A young reporter called on him to learn on behalf of his newspaper something about the shipping conflict. When, after a ten seconds' conversation regarding the weather, Sir Alfred's hand was straying toward the banana plate, the reporter looked a couple of bananas out of his own pocket. In the sweetest tone of innocence he said, "Will you have a banana, Sir Alfred?"—Westminster Gazette.

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