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ITEMS OF INTEREST

ABOUT OUR NEIGHBORS AND FRIENDS
CLIPPED FROM OUR EXCHANGES

BELLWOOD.
There is quite a demand now in Bellwood for houses, as several new families have recently moved in. More tenant houses will have to be built, or else Bellwood will have to lock her gates against new comers.

DAVID CITY.
Free city delivery is now within reach of David City. Up to last Saturday night the receipts of the David City post-office were sufficient to meet the requirements of the department, with the remaining days of the month for good measure. There will surely not be many to oppose free delivery for the city.

FULLERTON.
Sheriff Peterson got track of a horse thief who had stolen a team of horses near Council Bluffs, and Tuesday, went over to Silver Creek and succeeded in running him down, and brought him over to Fullerton where he was confined in the strong box of the county. Verily, the way of the house thief is hard.

GENOA.
Unless they can prevail upon the judge to excuse them, which they have not been able to do up to the present writing, O. E. Green, John Hodge and A. E. Anderson will go to Omaha the first of the week to serve on the federal jury.

It seems to be a settled fact that the winter wheat crop in this section is injured at least fifty per cent. What caused the injury is a mooted question however, as there are all kind of theories. Some of the wheat fields are showing up in fine shape while an adjoining field is injured badly and possibly entirely dead.

SILVER CREEK.
Al Owens and family left on Monday for their new home near Great Falls, Montana. Al and his good wife and children are good home folks and we hope that they will prosper in the future as they have in the past.

During the high wind of Monday Silver Creek had several narrow escapes from fires that would have nearly wiped her buildings out of existence had they not been promptly discovered. During an interim in the lodge meeting at the K. P. had a member lit his cigar at a gas jet in the cloak room. He had apparently disturbed the acetylene droppings and falling among inflammable material it started things. Flames and smoke were in evidence but the boys soon quenched it, saving a good part of the town. In the afternoon some festive kids started two fires near the R. Murray residence and but for the presence of Bob Murray and others, the Lindquist implement house, Sand and a number of residences

nearly would have been wiped out in fire and smoke. In the evening another fire was started near Mrs. Adam Roth's residence, but it was taken care of by interested parties.

PLATTE CENTER.
Mr. A. W. Lamb came from his home at Albion the early part of the week for a short visit at the home of his father, Geo. N. Lamb, and family.

Edmund Miles, who lives 12 miles west of Platte Center, marketed four hogs here last Friday which brought him, at ten dollars a hundred, two hundred and thirty dollars, or an average of sixty-three dollars.

Miss Agnes Pilen came home last Friday from the Columbus hospital where she recently underwent an operation for appendicitis. She is still very weak and it will be some time before she has fully recovered her usual good health.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Hipp, of Stuart, arrived here Wednesday for a visit at the homes of their daughter, Mrs. Hilger Greisen and Mrs. Lizzie Frey. They came from Cedar Rapids where they had been visiting some of their children. Mr. and Mrs. Hipp are a hale and hearty couple for people of their advanced age.

In our neighboring township, Shell Creek, lives a farmer whose enterprise ought some day to land him among the plutes of the land. His farm lays along a public highway which is considered one of the best roads, especially for autos, leading from this direction to Columbus. But nearly in front of his residence is a mud hole, not long, but deep enough to stall all autos that run into it. It is a long way to another house, consequently he exacts five dollars from the unfortunate autoists who get stuck, for hitching on his team and pulling the machine out of the mud. No use to kick. Its five dollars, or stick until the mud dries.

Breaking Up "Chatter."
The famous painter Fusell had a great contempt for chatter. One afternoon a party of friends paid a visit to his studio, and after a few moments spent in looking at the pictures they seated themselves and proceeded to indulge in a long and purposeless talk. At last, in one of the slight pauses, Fusell said earnestly, "I had pork for dinner today."
"Why, my dear Mr. Fusell," exclaimed one of the startled group, "what an extremely odd remark!"
"Is it?" said the painter ingeniously. "Why, isn't it as interesting and important as anything that has been said for the last hour?"

Buying a Horse.
"You say he's a young horse. Then why do his knees bend so?"
"To tell you the truth, sir, the poor animal's been living in a stable too low for him, and he had to stoop!"—Lippincott's.

MONROE.
From the Republic.
S. O. Terry and C. W. Hollingshead and Geo. Hland were in Columbus on business Wednesday.

Robert Strother who has been visiting at the A. E. Matson home for the past two weeks returned to his home at Columbus Saturday.

Mrs. Pearl and Grace McWilliams who have been visiting at Dunbar, Nebraska City and Omaha for the past three weeks returned home Saturday.

Word has been received here from O. S. Jencks of South Dakota, telling of his misfortune of having his large barn and several tons of hay destroyed by fire last week.

Frank Croshaw, who moved to Oregon some time ago moved his family back here last week. He is again working at the lumber yard where he worked before he left here.

Wm. Potter who moved to Hershey a short time ago was badly burned in the face while fighting fire at his place. His barn and other outbuildings were destroyed by fire last week.

Word was received here this week by friends of Rev. Wedge stating that he was at San Francisco. Rev. Primrose is expected here to fill the pulpit at the Presbyterian church Sunday.

Union Pacific carpenters have been busy all week repairing the burned roof of the depot. At first it was thought the damage was small, but a closer investigation showed that the fire burned much hotter than was thought at first. Considerably over one-half of the roof had to be replaced.

Wm. J. Campbell was born in Washington, Iowa, in 1841. Enlisted as a private in Co. H 13th Kas. Inf. on June 20th 1862 and was mustered out as private in June 1865 by reason of close of war, time of service three years. He died in Monroe March 26, 1910. Interment was at the Friends cemetery near Genoa. Funeral services were conducted by Atlanta Post 274 G. A. R. and members of A. O. U. W., on Sunday March 27. Mr. Campbell being a member in good standing of both orders at the time of his death. He leaves a son and daughter who survive him.

Read Bros. have disposed of their hardware and implement stock, and residence property in Monroe, the purchaser being William Sigca of Omas, Keya Paha county, Neb. The consideration is not given, but includes a fine tract of land owned by Mr. Sigca. The new proprietor will move his family to Monroe as soon as he can dispose of his farm machinery and stock, and make this place his home. Messrs. Read Bros. expect to remain here during the summer and assist the new proprietor until he can handle the business. For this year they will rent their farm but may move onto it later.

HUMPHREY.
From the Democrat.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hunker and Jos. Hunker of West Point were over Sunday guests of the J. E. Hugg home. About the middle of May or the first of June Mr. and Mrs. Hunker expect to leave for an extended tour in Europe. Miss Camilla Hugg will accompany them. Mr. and Mrs. Hunker made a similar trip through Europe a number of years ago.

Beginning April 1st the price of a shave in Humphrey and surrounding towns will be 15 cents. The barbers of Humphrey, Lindsay, Platte Center, Cornlea and Oreston met last week and all agreed that 15 cents would be a fair price for a shave. Hair cuts, massages, shampoo, etc., will all remain at the same old price. The barbers say that the high cost of living made it necessary to raise the price, and besides barbers in other towns charge 15 cents.

Last Thursday evening the musicians of Humphrey met in the city hall and completed the organization of the Humphrey Concert Band. The organization consists of fifteen musicians. F. A. Fisse was elected president of the band, Jos. Betscheider, secretary-treasurer, and Wm. Schmidt, leader. A musical organization of this kind is a good thing for a town and we hope the citizens of our town will help to make the Humphrey band the best musical organization in the state. After warmer weather sets in the boys expect to give some street concerts during the week and we are sure they will be enjoyed by all.

Last Sunday, Hugh Carroll, of Brimfield, who is visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. J. Hiernier, was most agreeably surprised by a number of his friends and relatives at the home of his daughter southeast of Humphrey. The event was given to help him celebrate his 63rd birthday. About fifty guests were present and the day was spent in playing games, of different kinds, music, etc. Mr. Carroll was also given a postal shower on the same day, about ninety postal cards having been received by him from friends and relatives in Nebraska, Iowa, Kansas and Illinois. Mr. Carroll wished to thank the many friends who helped make his 63rd birthday one of the happiest events of his life and hopes that they too may live to celebrate as happy a 63rd birthday as he did.

Rather Outspoken.
Young Sportsman—Is it worth my time to fish in this neighborhood? Native—Well, the fishin' ain't worth nuthin' to speak of; but, then, I don't know what your time might be worth.—Comic Cuts.

Pessimistic.
"What a pessimist Brown is!"
"He even bewails the fact that he can't live to collect his life insurance."—Detroit Free Press.

Some men can't even find fault with-out acting as though they had discovered something to be proud of.

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Reason and Instinct.
A certain north country miner was particularly proud of a clever little dog he possessed. At times he was apt to claim a little too much for his pet, and one morning a neighbor was endeavoring to point out the difference between instinct and reason when an amusing interruption occurred. A seedy looking tramp turned the corner, and the dog, without so much as a word from his master, sprang into the road and offered battle.

"There you are," laughed the miner as the dog snarped and snarled around the heels of the tramp. "E don't like the looks of the chap. That's instinct." Suddenly the tramp turned and kicked the dog into an adjacent field.

"There you are," ejaculated the miner's friend grimly. "The chap don't like the looks of the dog. An' that's reason."—London Tit-Bits.

A Solar Plexus.
On one occasion Sam Berger, the brawny fight manager, was in a small California town sounding some of the residents as to the possibility of holding a prizefight. The local police force, a clownish looking individual, with a huge badge, heard of Sam's investigations.

"You can't hold no prizefight in this here town," said the police force threateningly in his best "I be the marshal" tones. "It is agin the law, and I won't stand for it."

"Well, Eve had one blessing," sighs the woman. "She didn't have to clean house."
"No," agrees the man, "but I'll bet a dollar she did, just the same."—Judge.

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WEST BOUND.	EAST BOUND.
No. 11..... 8:00 a.m.	No. 4..... 12:15 a.m.
No. 13..... 1:30 a.m.	No. 12..... 10:25 p.m.
No. 1..... 10:45 a.m.	No. 14..... 5:30 a.m.
No. 9..... 11:20 a.m.	No. 6..... 3:30 p.m.
No. 11..... 3:05 p.m.	No. 16..... 2:15 p.m.
No. 15..... 6:25 p.m.	No. 10..... 2:45 p.m.
No. 3..... 6:50 p.m.	No. 18..... 4:50 p.m.
No. 5..... 6:25 p.m.	No. 2..... 5:50 p.m.
No. 21..... 8:45 p.m.	No. 22..... 7:15 a.m.
No. 19..... 11:25 a.m.	No. 20..... 1:00 p.m.
No. 59..... 7:50 a.m.	No. 58..... 5:55 p.m.

BRANCHES.
NORFOLK. No. 77 mxd. d 7:20 a.m.
No. 29 pas. d 7:00 p.m.
No. 30 pas. d 1:30 p.m.
No. 78 mxd. a 6:30 p.m.
SPALDING & ALBION. No. 79 mxd. d 6:50 a.m.
No. 21 pas. d 1:30 p.m.
No. 22 pas. d 11:30 p.m.
No. 80 mxd. a 7:00 p.m.
Daily except Sunday.

NOTE:
Nos. 1, 2, 7 and 8 are extra fare trains.
Nos. 4, 5, 13 and 14 are local passenger.
Nos. 25 and 59 are local freight.
Nos. 9 and 16 are mail trains only.
No. 14 due in Omaha 4:45 p. m.
No. 6 due in Omaha 5:50 p. m.

C. B. & Q. Time Table

No. 22, Pass. (daily ex. Sunday) leave... 7:25 a.m.
No. 32, Frt. & Ac. (d'y ex. Saturday) lv. 5:00 p.m.
No. 21, Pass. (daily ex. Sunday) arrive... 9:20 p.m.
No. 31, Frt. & Ac. (d'y ex. Sunday) ar... 6:15 a.m.

LEIGH.
From the World.
Fruit trees in blossom and farmers husking corn at the same time is a combination of circumstances which one rarely sees and very likely never will be seen again.

On Tuesday Wneppel Bros. purchased a six-year-old mare from A. H. Paulson paying for same \$350. The mare was one of the finest ever seen in these parts and weighed an even ton.

After what seemed to be an ideal winter for fall wheat there seems to be a great difference in the ideas of the farmers as to the cause of so much of it being winter killed. Some think it was an account of late sowing and others think that the young plant was so tender when the snow melted that the cold wind killed it. One farmer says that it is the cause almost every one grows or sows, he says he sows just as usual as he can and still do a good job, and his wheat seems to bear out his ideas as to the best of any sowing the road.

Another info. trustee has a tale of an untimely death. It is said that in the hours of a very dark night, just one o'clock, Mrs. Albert Peckham, a woman about fifty years of age committed suicide by hanging. Earlier in the day the deceased had intended visiting a niece at Howells, but was prevented by the arrival of the morning passenger, and after she had purchased a ticket to that place, she changed her mind and she and her husband returned home. According to the story told by her husband, she sent him down town on an errand and upon his return, something like an hour and a half later, he found the house locked, and, gaining an entrance through a window, discovered his wife hanging from a rafter in the upper story of the residence. Neighbors were called and the remains cut down. The couple had not lived happily for some years and quarrels were frequent and violent. They had separated for some time prior to a few weeks ago, but had patched up their differences and were living together again. There are no children in the family.—Clarkson Herald.

CENTRAL CITY.
From the Nonpariel.
Judge J. J. Sullivan was up from Omaha Tuesday, called here by the hearing in the Payne will case. City life has not spoiled the Judge and he is the same affable gentleman as of yore. He was much taken with the new Union Pacific depot and thinks it one of the prettiest buildings of the sort he has ever seen.

It may be of interest to some of our readers to learn that one man has tested his seed corn and that he found it in good condition. Chas. Willoughby made a thorough test of the corn he had picked for seed and every kernel that he planted sprouted. If others have as good results there will be no danger of Merrick county losing that \$250,000. It is feared, however, that all the tests will not prove as satisfactory. The Nonpariel would like to hear from others who have been making tests.

A man by the name of Dunlap, who is working on the Hord ranch just east of town, had an experience Friday with a disc and a team of mules that has convinced him that some fatty goodness is looking after his affairs. He was working in the field when in some manner he fell in front of the disc, probably drawn forward by the lines which had become entangled in the wheels. The mules started to run and the disc was pulled over him. How he escaped being ground to pieces is a matter he is still pondering, but he wasn't. He was caught in such a way, however, that he was dragged for about forty rods. The mules finally stopped and Dunlap, with the assistance of John Page was able to extricate himself from the disc. He was pretty badly bruised, but his injuries were not serious. Ordinarily when a disc runs over a man it makes a good imitation of sausage out of him and Dunlap has reason to be pretty thankful over his escape.

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