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#### Sherman Township.

A little shower Sunday which helps the wheat some.

Ernest Rosche, who broke his leg two weeks ago, progressing nicely.

Mrs. E. Pohl and son, of Columbus, spent Sunday at the home of Frank Wurdeaman.

Gus Loske was looking at the finny tribe in the Loup Friday and reports a good catch, but did not treat us to some.

Sunday was O. J. Lueschen's birth day and a big crowd turned out to help him celebrate.

H. Cruse and Mr. Harms, of Columbus spent Sunday at D. Dierks' home.

Ed Lueschen and family spent Saturday at Columbus.

R. H. Wurdeaman has the carpenters at work moving and repairing one of his barns.

Last Wednesday William Hellbush and Emelia Muth were married at the home of the bride's parents. Only near relatives were present at the ceremony. They went to housekeeping at once on the grooms place in Grand Prairie township. Our best wishes go with them.

#### Creston.

Mrs. Job Hook returned Thursday from Omaha, where she had gone on a business errand.

Between forty and fifty Creston people attended the fair at Albion Thursday. They report the fair a good one.

Mrs. Elmer Jacobson, of Mason City, Iowa, who visited friends here the first of the week, left Wednesday for Oakdale, enroute to her home.

Miss Eva Burnam left Saturday for her home in Tilden, after short visit with her friend Laurel Decker.

Mrs. C. E. Clark was a passenger for Omaha Wednesday, where she underwent a surgical operation Friday, for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Westcott left the first of the week for Ponca for visit at the home of their daughter Mrs. J. J. Kemper. Mr. Westcott left the next day after their arrival for Omaha in company with Rev. Kemper to attend the annual convention.

Mr. Meyer, of Howells, is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. George Roat, this week.

Grandma Wagner was on the sick list the first of the week, but is again able to be up and around.

The dance given by the Moran orchestra of Leigh on Friday night was attended by a large crowd. Apparently all enjoyed a pleasant evening.

Mrs. Oscar Gains is quite ill this week with an attack of the grippe.

William Wenk returned the first of the week from Wisconsin, where had been gone in company with some others on a fishing and hunting expedition.

Miss Pearl Leach visited with friends at Humphrey the first of the week.

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Moore left on Wednesday for Omaha to attend the conference.

Mrs. Mary Watts of Davenport Iowa is visiting at the Zellers and Flemings homes this week.

Mrs. Anderson of Stanton, is visiting at the home of her friend, Miss Ada Phillips this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Baker of Tilden arrived in Creston Friday for a short visit at the home of Dr. H. G. Morris.

I. W. Martz, of Columbus, visited over Sunday with friends here returning Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Webb and son Kneeth were business visitors at Columbus Saturday.

Miss Ella Snyder spent Saturday with her friend, Gladys Munger, at Leigh.

Mrs. Fred Westcott and children returned to their home in Newman Grove Friday.

Mr. Walter Tousen, of Newman Grove, spent Sunday at the J. L. Brown home

Mr. Clarence Galbraith and sister Miss Lulu spent Sunday at the E. T. Graham ranch, returning to their home in Beemer Monday.

#### Cedar Chips.

James Hoadley had the misfortune, last Tuesday evening, of having a horse fall with him, breaking his leg just above the ankle.

Mr. and Mrs. Cowgill, of Chicago

have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Olcott the past week. The ladies were girl friends in old Virginia.

Mrs. Duncan Hansel went to Sioux City last week to attend the Iowa state fair, returning Saturday.

John Haskins shot a coyote the other day that was carrying off a pig from Mr. Hansel's barn yard. It is rather early in the season for the coyotes to be so bold, but we suppose the high cost of living is effecting the animals also.

Mr. Goldberg, of Blair, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Mortensen last week, and enjoyed roast jack rabbit, for the first time in his life.

Duncan Hansel is receiving a visit from his mother.

Miss Rose Kinsman left last week for her home in Iowa after an extended visit with her brother, J. W. Kinsman and family.

Potatoes a dollar and a half a bushel and scarce at that, sugar eight big silver dollars a sack, but apples are plentiful and the pumpkin crop is fine.

#### Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McWilliams are the proud parents of a fine baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Hollingshead went to Silver Creek Wednesday to attend the wedding of Mrs. Hollingshead's sister, Miss Hazel Baker.

Miss Lola Raffinsparger, of Shickley, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles Christensen.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Ladd and daughter Elane are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Dack.

Misses Grace and Mabel McWilliams and Ida Hill went to Genoa Tuesday. Miss Mabel remained until Saturday visiting at the home of her brother, Everett McWilliams.

C. W. Holingshead attended the Boone county fair at Albion, last week.

Thomas Hill sr., was in Columbus Monday.

A. M. Work was a Columbus visitor or last Friday.

Merle Clayburn was in Columbus Monday.

Martin Smith was in Columbus between trains Wednesday.

Rev. Mr. Daugherty preached a splendid sermon at the M. E. church Sunday, to a crowded house.

Miss Grace Richards, of Genoa, was visiting her sister, Miss Hazel over Sunday.

No ball game Saturday. The Y. M. C. A. failed to appear.

Ralph Symington, of Spencer, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Rodney Hill.

Rev. G. H. Phillips is attending the annual conference at Albion.

The Presbyterian Christian Endeavor gave a wedding breakfast and a splendid program at Sigea's hall Saturday night. The bridal scene was represented by an old bride lying over the back of a chair.

Mrs. C. W. Holingshead was a Columbus visitor Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor have a new baby girl, born Monday night.

#### Richland:

Mrs. Gus Kluck entertained the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church Thursday evening.

Miss Mazie Engel was guest of honor on Shell creek Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tropholz were Sabbath visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Bell.

Miss Julia Johnson visited with her friend Miss Gallagher, near Schuyler, Sunday.

Bruno Luschei is a guest of an uncle at Friend for a few weeks.

Ed Yonkie delivered 1,500 bushels of corn here one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Engel, of Shell creek, partook of the noonday meal with relatives here Sunday.

Miss Freda Luschei and mother were shopping in Columbus Friday.

Miss Ethel Stevenson returned from the hospital Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Engel were with their son John at the hospital Sunday and report him as doing nicely.

There are two fellows, one from our village and one from Schuyler, who can tell you what a good time they had at the Richland dance Saturday night. With a little training Richland may turn out a world's champion pugilist yet.

Mrs. L. Luschi and family were guests at the Bert Stevenson home Sunday.

Christ Mueller, of Edholm, is here assisting his brother Fred with his work.

Mr. Channer returned home a short visit at Cozad, Nebraska, Tuesday.

While keeping house for mother last Thursday Mable Stevenson, accidentally ran a sewing needle full length into her right hand and was taken to Columbus Friday where an operation was performed which removed the needle, and the little lady was at her school studies the following Monday none the worse for her accident.

Second annual ball of Spanish War Veterans. Orpheus Hall, Monday Oct. 2.

#### LEGAL NOTICE:

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the County Judge of Platte County, Nebraska, on October 10, 1911, for the grading and improvement of the following described roads of Platte County, to wit:

The Diamond Road, beginning at south end of Loup River bridge, running thence in a southwesterly direction to a point on Barnum's Creek, and thence in a southerly direction to its termination at the north end of Platte River bridge, according to the plans, profiles, sketches and specifications on file in the office of the County Judge.

The Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board of Supervisors.

JOHN GRAF, County Clerk.  
Dated, Columbus, Nebraska, the 27th day of September, 1911.

## AT THE CHURCHES

The ladies' guild of the Episcopal church met at the home of Mrs. Homer Robinson this afternoon.

#### German Lutheran Church.

The Sunday School hour has been changed from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m. Morning service at 10 a. m. at which time the pastor will speak from the subject of "Christ the True Comfort at the Coffin of our Beloved Ones, who have died in the Lord." Based on Luke 7:11-17.

#### German Meissler, Pastor.

#### Methodist Church Notes.

Regular services will be held on Sunday. Morning sermon at eleven o'clock. Sunday school at noon. The Epworth League will meet at 6:30 p. m. Evening service for public worship at 7:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all to worship with us.

#### Chas. W. Ray, pastor.

#### German Reform Church.

The annual Mission and Harvest home festival of the German Evangelical Protestant church, Rev. R. Neumarker D. D. pastor, will be celebrated next Sunday October 1st.

There will be services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The out of town ministers taking part in these services are, Rev. F. Rabe of Bloomfield, Rev. G. Nichelman of Grand Island, and Rev. E. Kloster of Leigh.

Everybody is invited to attend these services.

#### Rev. R. Neumarker, Pastor.

#### Presbyterian Church.

Sabbath services at the following hours: Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. A Rally Day program will be given by the school. Morning sermon will be at 11:00 a. m. The sermon will be the last of a series upon "The Inner Life," and its subject will be: "Saved to Serve." The sacrament of the Lord's supper will be administered. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. The topic will be "Peter, A Red Blooded Saint." Evening service 7:30 p. m. The sermon will be entitled, "The Master Touch." You will be welcomed at "The Stranger's Sunday Home."

#### Samuel D. Harkness, Pastor.

#### St. Francis Academy Notes.

Mr., and Mrs. M. Compton, of St. Edward, called at the Academy the first of the week to visit their daughter Marlene, who is attending the Academy.

Thursday September 28th, the Reverend Clergy of the Columbus Deanery will meet for Conference at St. Francis Monastery, Rev. Father Marcellinus will preside as Dean.

Miss Anna Hagel, of Attica, Indiana, arrived at the Academy this morning with the intention of making the piano and violin her special study.

The male choir of St. Bonaventure's church is working up a new Liturgical Mass. The members have made great progress of late. Rehearsals are held every Monday and Thursday evening.

Rev. Father Sigismund has arranged and harmonized a sacred quartette for the Polish mixed choir, which they will render in the near future.

Next Sunday the feast of the Holy Rosary will be celebrated with great solemnity at the church.

Mrs. B. Preston and children left this afternoon for Earling, Iowa, for a two weeks' visit with her father.

Miss Freda Luschei and mother were shopping in Columbus Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Engel were with their son John at the hospital Sunday and report him as doing nicely.

Lost—a gold gold hat-pin, Persian setting, between Lutheran church and Ninth street on September 17. Finder please leave at this office and receive reward.

Mothers wishing to take advantage of the Crechergarten for one day or more may see Miss Wilber at 512 14th St. or telephone 1741, (new No. Ind.), or Black 95 on Bell.

Wanted—an elderly lady or widow to keep house on a farm. A good home for the right party. Call or address this office.

Wanted—two young men, canvassers for the city. Call at room 8, over Commercial National Bank, on Saturday the 23rd.

Mrs. William O'Brien is visiting with relatives and friends in Chicago and Peoria, Illinois. She will be gone about three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Janing and Miss Vivian Jenkins left Tuesday for a visit several days at Osceola, and also to attend the fair at that place.

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Word has been received by the relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Boyd, of Norfolk, of the arrival of a baby boy at their home on Monday of this week.

The Maennerchor society has organized a singing class, which met for the first time Tuesday evening. They expect to spend a great deal of time on chorus work.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wernert, of Kearney, who have been guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Herrod and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sawyer, returned to their home Tuesday.

Do your policies give you proper protection? We issue farm policies in the strongest company in the world for the same charge the weaker companies make. Becher, Hockenberger and Chambers.

Ten camps of Woodmen of the World will meet with the Columbus camp next Sunday and assist in the ceremonies of unveiling monuments in the Columbus cemetery. Monuments will be unveiled over the graves of six departed members, John G. Becher, Adolph Jaeggi, Joseph Roesch, O. L. Baker, Sitham Hilliard and W. A. Way.

The members will meet at their hall at two o'clock, and march in a body to the