

LOCAL NEWS.

Hon. C. T. McCoy spent last Sunday in the city.

Miss Rena Dawes spent Sunday at the lake.

C. H. Seeley is remodeling his residence and improving the grounds.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Whitaker, a daughter, last Monday night.

Mrs. L. L. Barnhart returned Tuesday from a visit with friends at Bowdle.

Miss Maggie Arntz has returned from a month's visit with friends in St. Paul.

W. F. Mason and family, who have been taking an outing at the lake, returned Tuesday.

Jewett Brothers received two carloads of tea last Saturday, shipped directly to them from Japan.

Miss Campbell of Illinois, is visiting with her cousin, Mrs. Montgomery, of the apartment house.

R. H. Woods has opened up a restaurant in his former place of business near Witte's hardware store.

Miss Bowen, stenographer for Lincoln & Boyd, has gone to visit her old home in Illinois for a month.

Miss Winnie Appleford has gone to Minneapolis where she has secured a position with W. S. Booth & Son.

Miss Josie Wilson of St. Paul spent Monday here with her uncle, Oscar Hall, and is now visiting with friends at Frederick.

Mrs. M. J. Breman of McGregor, Iowa, visited here with Mrs. Sheehan over Sunday, and is now at Webster with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lovejoy have returned from Ogden, Utah, where they went to attend the funeral of the late George E. Burgett.

The work on the Bowdle extension is again under way. Last Tuesday a gang of fifty-six diggers were taken through here to work out there.

W. F. T. Bushnell and family have gone to Colorado Springs, where they will attend the national farmers congress that meets there next week.

Alderman Davis has completed the brick work on the Mason building at Bowdle and is now doing the brick and stone work on the gas plant building.

James H. Welch of Belle Plain, Iowa, who has been looking after his property interests here and visiting with S. H. Cramer, returned home last Tuesday.

They who intend to take the reading course of the Chautauqua circle this year, are requested to notify Miss Carrie Nash, so that an early order for books may be sent in.

The work on the Nicollet sewer is progressing slowly. First occurred the strike on account of reduction in wages, and then the heavy rains have caused cave-ins and trouble with too much water.

Marvin Egstrom of Northville, who has been at the Northwestern depot during the absence of Agent Lovejoy, severely injured his foot Friday. He dropped a heavy casting on his toes, and jammed them so badly, that two of them had to be amputated.

Deputy U. S. Marshall D. D. Collins arrived Saturday evening with an Indian named Yellow Hair, whom he had arrested on the reservation for stealing horses. The prisoner was taken to Huron to await the sitting of the Federal grand jury.

Verdon Times: H. J. Gieson, who is now in the livery business at Aberdeen, was driving about in this section the first of the week with K. K. Kirk, of Indianapolis, Ind., who is buying heavy horses for eastern markets. He expected to get a car load in this neighborhood.

Ellendale Record: The farmers in the neighborhood of M. M. Cook's place in Spring Valley have interested themselves in the reported find of hard coal and have contributed a fund for the purpose of sinking a shaft on the farm. The shaft will be sunk to a depth of 80 feet and work will commence at once.

Ipswich Democrat: Henry Laper drilled about 100 feet deep on his ranch northwest of town and now has a good flowing well. The water rises four or five feet above the ground and flows five gallons per minute. The well can be piped into watering troughs. This is a little the nicest strike made in this vicinity.

Yankton Beacon-Light: When I get to running municipal affairs to suit me, there will be a change in the program of the man that comes to town, ties his team to a post to remain ten or twelve hours without food or water while he goes off on a howling drunk. I will put the team in a comfortable barn and tie the man to the post.

Lebanon Independent: It is reported that the first railroad engine to enter Walworth county was No. 371 with B. F. Slater as engineer and Ed. Stephenson as conductor. This engine is working on the construction train and is on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul R'y. She crossed the line on Thursday, July 23, 1900, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Mrs. A. J. Haas, who has been very sick, is now rapidly improving.

R. M. Slocum of Mound City was in Aberdeen Tuesday on his way to Sioux Falls.

Miss Jennie Angst of Minneapolis is in the city visiting with Miss Clara Smith.

Miss Josea Perkins and Miss Ina Detling of Groton are visiting with Miss Myrtle Barnhart.

Professor Fish has returned from Wisconsin, where he and his family have been visiting.

E. F. McCoy has sold his handsome "drivers" to an eastern buyer, who will ship them to Boston.

Bennie Down, who has been operator at Brookings for sometime, is in the city visiting with relatives.

Officer Grogn has been dropped from the police force. James Jenkins has been appointed to take his place.

The new dwelling on the farm of C. N. Harris is about completed and is a marked improvement to the neighborhood.

Mrs. McHugh has gone on an eastern purchasing tour. On her return, she will be accompanied by her sons Frank and Phil.

Hon. Chaley Burke of Pierre and who will soon be known as Ex-Congressman Burke, was in the city Tuesday night.

Mrs. Rober McGlynn and son Bjorn of Ellendale visited here Tuesday and Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Clark Shepley.

T. P. Gorn will speak at Groton Sept. 4. He is said to be an able speaker and a good orator. He will consider the issues of this campaign.

Mrs. F. J. Brooks and daughter have gone to Fergus Falls, Minn., to meet Mr. and Mrs. Tennant and from there intend to go to Everett, Wash.

Orville Gerd who has been suffering all summer from rheumatism, and later with hemorrhage of the kidneys, is very low, and not expected to recover.

It is again Mayor Witte. Mayor Adams has been out of town during the week so the alderman as president of the city council is the chief officer.

Miss Ruth Barnes has returned from her eastern visit. Her aunt, Mrs. Percy Van Waters of Stillwater, Minn., accompanied her, and will visit here a short time.

F. M. Berlin, the man known as the sheep king of Brown county, considers that a wool washing plant would pay in this section, and may conclude to build on himself.

William Haselhorst of New Hope was in town Wednesday. He says that there has not been much rain in that corner of the county and that it is necessary to put six horses on a gang plow in order to turn the soil over.

William Flick came in from the new town of Selby last Wednesday. He reports quite a few people coming there and a number of buildings being erected. The discouraging feature, however, is the very short supply of water. So far only one of the wells that have been sunk contains water.

Among the newspaper folks who were in the city Tuesday on their return home from the editors meeting at Big Stone were L. E. Bras of Mitchell, and C. A. Blake and two sons of Wessington, C. F. Brown of Woonsocket, J. F. Halliday and wife of Iroquois, W. J. Healy and wife of Mitchell.

At the election of officers by the press association at Big Stone, C. C. Fletcher of this city was elected treasurer. The other officers chosen were as follows: President, Dick Halliday of Iroquois; vice presidents, C. W. Ainsworth of Plankinton and N. C. Nash of Canton; secretary, Gienn Farley of Madison.

Some one stole a horse last Saturday evening from the premises of Wm. Biegler. Mr. Biegler heard some noise out in the yard, and got out there in time to see the man and horse disappear. They were trailed to Warner, and then lost track of. The animal was found on the farm of John Peterson last Tuesday. The man had evidently left it there on account of too close pursuit.

Thos. D. Schall who was manager of the Aberdeen base ball team will speak at the Christian church next Sunday night. Mr. Schall is not a preacher, but is reported to be an orator of some ability, having won the Minnesota State Oratorical Contest and third place in the interstate contest during his freshman year at Hamilton University. All are cordially invited to come and hear him.

Everett Foster, an old time print of Aberdeen, arrived Tuesday from San Francisco and has been spending the week here with his brother Will Foster. He was in California when the call for volunteers was made, and joined the First California regiment. This regiment was sent to the Philippines, where he served with them one year, and afterwards worked about one year in the government printing office at Manila. From here he will go to Washington, D. C. where he is booked for a government position.

F. J. McArthur and S. W. Narregang will go to Everett, Wash., the first of next week.

The city band gave an entertaining concert on the street last evening. They are improving very rapidly.

The democratic candidates for county officers were in the city yesterday to meet with the county committee.

Gen. S. H. Jumper's nephews, Paul Jumper and George Heinrichs, arrived yesterday and will remain the rest of the month.

The fire department was called out yesterday on account of fire in one of the Northwestern box cars in the yards. No damage was done.

On account of renting his building to the county fusion committee, Mr. Kuehnle will move his cigar factory to one block west of the Golden Rule store.

Dr. Cronyn of Houghton has resigned as candidate for coroner, and the county committee has substituted the name of Dr. V. P. Kennedy of Aberdeen.

Fred L. Burdick of Watertown appeared as a voluntary bankrupt before Referee C. N. Harris last Tuesday. He had failed as a merchant, and the liabilities amounted to \$5,500.

Roscoe Herald: The Milwaukee Road Co. seems to be having considerable trouble with their track-laying crew; another strike in on this week and lots of the men have gone to work on farms.

The Brown county fusion committee have rented Martin Kuehnle's building for its headquarters during the campaign. A. Holien has been selected as secretary and will begin his work today.

Charles M. Hermance of the Coe & Howard Abstract Company reports for the month of July that the total number of acres of Brown county farm lands transferred was 8,650, the total consideration being \$41,040.

H. W. Davies and family have moved from Warner to Aberdeen. He was agent there for the Bagley elevator company, and takes the same position for the same company here. The Bagley elevator at Warner will remain closed for this season.

Fire Chief Champlin's report for the past three months shows that the fire department answered seven calls, and the valuation of the property destroyed amounted to \$5,010. Nearly the entire loss was incurred by the gas works fire, only \$10 all told being charged up to the six other fires.

Chief of Police Kruger arrested one John O'Connor last Tuesday. The prisoner is said to have robbed Mansell Jones at Mellette of a gold watch and \$17 in cash. The watch was found in O'Connor's possession. He was taken before Justice Shepard, and the hearing postponed to August 23th.

Watertown Public Opinion: H. W. Foster and wife are in the city visiting the family of Orrin Whistler. Mr. Foster is a wholesale harness man of Aberdeen. Mrs. Foster is a cousin of Mrs. Whistler. Mr. and Mrs. Whistler and Mr. and Mrs. Foster were all school mates together in Wisconsin.

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR.

Without exception the Minnesota State Fair, held midway between the Twin Cities, September 3 to 8, will eclipse all previous exhibitions, both as to diversity in the agricultural and live stock departments, not to mention the excellent amusement program.

Trotting, pacing and running races afternoon and evening will include all the speediest horses in the country. Purses aggregating \$22,500 have been hung up for the five days' racing.

The feature of this year's fair will be the national exhibit and sale of Hereford cattle under the auspices of the American Hereford Breeders' Association. The exhibit will beyond a doubt be the greatest stock show ever held in the world. Displays in other classes will be larger than usual. Reduced rates have been announced by the railroads for Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, and part of Iowa and Wisconsin.

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MELLETT WELL OPENED.

A. Holien of the Aberdeen Implement Company was down to Mellette Wednesday. While there he witnessed the re-opening of the great artesian well. The parties who had the contract were successful in loosening the perforated pipe at the bottom and taking up a length of about 60 feet. The pressure was so great that it fairly shot the pipe out of the well, and the stream of water shot up into the air about fifty feet. When the pipe was examined, the reason for the decrease of the flow and power became apparent. Nearly all the holes for inlet of water had become clogged with iron ore and blue clay. Chunks of pure iron were so solidly imbedded in the pipe that hammer and chisel were necessary to dislodge them. Iron ore, sand and mud were thrown and scattered all over. Some mineral resembling silver also came up.

The greatest joy, however, of the citizens was over the fact that Mellette still would have water and its water power. The people are very exuberant over the successful opening of the well. They voted the town dry last spring, but do not believe in dry wells. The opening of the well has demonstrated that the supply of water and power has in no wise diminished, and that where such conditions seem apparent, it is only because the pipes are being clogged up.

MICHIGAN FOR BRYAN.

Mr. N. S. Basom of Groton returned this week from a short visit to his old home in Michigan. Speaking of political prospects he said he was surprised at the Democratic enthusiasm shown in that state. Lifelong republicans are coming out by the thousands and announcing their conversion to Bryanism.

In addition to the national campaign the local issues in the state campaign are exciting much interest. The Democrats are confident of carrying the state both for Bryan and the state ticket.

Mr. Basom related an incident which goes to show the way the political wind blows. He had left his Bryan button on his coat at home and desiring to purchase another one he stepped into a store to look at some. Nothing but McKinley buttons were in the dealers stock and Mr. Basom asked him if there was only one kind of politics in the state. The dealer expressed surprise that the Bryan buttons were gone and said the reason was that they sold so much faster. He had purchased four dozen of each kind and had about two-thirds of the McKinley buttons in stock, while the others were all sold. He said that many persons whom he had known previously as republicans had bought the Bryan buttons and were wearing them.

BRYAN CLUB AT HECLA.

Information from the northeastern part of the county comes to the effect that the political situation in that locality is in first-class shape. The sentiment is pretty nearly unanimous for Bryan and many who have never cast any vote except for the Republican party will this fall join the party of progress and cast their ballot for Bryan. A Bryan club of fifty-two members has been organized. E. D. Arnold was elected president, A. E. Clark, Secretary, and Joseph Wagner, Treasurer. The campaign is to be pushed from this time on. Other localities should follow the example of Hecla and live up to the campaign.

DEATH OF MRS. C. R. KIMBALL.

After a long illness of several weeks, Mrs. C. R. Kimball died last Saturday afternoon. The funeral was held from the Congregational church Sunday afternoon.

The deceased was 32 years of age, and besides her husband she leaves three children. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Riblet, and three brothers, R. N. Riblet of Aberdeen, B. C. Riblet of British Columbia and W. S. Riblet of Seattle, Wash., also survive her. Mrs. Kimball was born in Iowa and came with her parents to Brown county in the early 80's, and lived for a number of years at Ordway, where she was married to Chas. R. Kimball. Mr. and Mrs. Kimball removed to Aberdeen a few years ago.

SCHOOL TAX LEVY.

At the special meeting of the school board last Friday evening the tax levy for the school fund was made:

For the support of the schools for the fiscal year next ensuing, twelve thousand and five hundred (12,500) dollars, for interest on outstanding bonds, for the fiscal year next ensuing, two thousand six hundred and ten (2,610) dollars; for sinking fund, for the redemption of outstanding bonds, for the fiscal year next ensuing, one thousand (1,000) dollars, amounting in all to the sum of sixteen thousand one hundred and ten dollars.

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REPUBLICANS OPEN CAMPAIGN.

There was a "new moon in town" last night who made a McKinley speech on the street. After the band had gathered a number of people together, and quit playing, the "yaller" bayby started in and soon succeeded in dispersing the crowd. His talk was of the ordinary republican kind, interspersed with negro variations.

The intelligent manner in which he spoke of the important political issues and the agility with which he handled the momentous international problems highly elated his listeners. His "craps" vocabulary seemed to elucidate every question and unravel all the intricacies of our diplomatic tangles. He had no hesitancy in tackling any proposition, and no diffidence in making any statement, still the good natured crowd allowed him to go on.

This was the first gun fired here by the republicans in this campaign. For a better expression of party enthusiasm and a more elaborate report of this speech, our readers are referred to the columns of the Daily News.

The name of this gentleman is J. C. Fremont. He likes the town and may locate here. It is rumored that if he locates here, and McKinley is elected to the presidency, then in recognition of Mr. Fremont's services, he may be appointed postmaster at Aberdeen.

LECTURE ON WOODCRAFT.

Next Friday evening, August 24th, there will be given a free lecture on Woodcraft at the A. O. U. W. hall in the Jewett block. There will be present J. H. Gallagher, state deputy head consul, Hon. S. A. Ramsey, state lecturer, and Hon. Jerry S. Green, special lecturer from Rock Island, Ill.

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