

MANILLA ITEMS.

Mr. Isaac Hird and Mrs. Allen Barber went to Omaha Wednesday to see the play, "Ben Hur," and returned on Thursday. Deputy Sheriff Savory, of Denison, spent Wednesday in town, transacting business. Mrs. Joe Hoyt and son, Albertice, left Wednesday for their new home in Omaha, where Mr. Hoyt expects to work in a livery barn. Mrs. Al Milligan spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Omaha, visiting friends. Dr. Draper transacted business in Des Moines Thursday. Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church met Wednesday with Mrs. Isaac Hird. Mrs. A. S. Avery and daughter, Helen, of Omaha, are here visiting with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Neely. J. J. McMahon spent Tuesday in Vaill with friends. Miss Cora Woodyard and friend, Mrs. Reynolds, of Audubon, spent Sunday here at the former's parental home. The W. F. M. S. of the Methodist church met Thursday with Mrs. Alvin Willis. Miss Dora Schroeder, of Hornick, spent Friday and Saturday here with her sister, Miss Lillie Schroeder. John Smith spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Preda Smith, at Marion. A. R. Potter and Nat Dillingham who are working at Hornick, spent Sunday at their homes. Tony McDermott, who spent the week in Charter Oak, returned to his home here Saturday. The Philathea society met Tuesday with Mrs. Al Ivey. Guy Stoker went to Omaha Friday to visit his brother, Pete. Sheriff Cummings transacted business here Saturday. Miss Leita Ivey, of Mapleton, spent Sunday here at the Jim Ivey home. She left Monday for Des Moines, at which place she works in an office. Messrs. John Leuth, John Roehr and Jacob Gessman attended court in Denison Monday on the trial of Fred Bills. The Guild will meet Friday, April 7th, with Mrs. W. S. Moore. Misses Higgins and Gardner attended the play, "Ben Hur," in Omaha Saturday. Howard Pierce and lady friend, of Neola, spent Sunday here at the Mrs. Barrett home. Mrs. Carrie Miller returned to her home in Mechanicsville after a pleasant visit here with her mother, Mrs. Ben Winey. At this writing Al Milligan is reported to be quite sick. His many friends hope he will soon recover. The Westminster circle met on Wednesday with Misses Gardner and Higgins at the R. C. Saunders home. Mr. and Mrs. Coopley moved Monday into the Jim Hook property, recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Barrett and family. William James, the negro, who was bound over to the district court from this place, has been indicted by the grand jury and his trial will probably come on at the end of this term of court. From some cause, we know not what, the sheriff and constable have been quite busy here the past week. Ed Smith went to Blue Lake Tuesday to hunt. Harry Hoffens, who attends college at Ames, spent the latter part of the week here at his parental home. Mrs. Pet Hegarty returned Tuesday from Underwood, where she had been taking care of her niece, Miss Florence Graybill, who had the measles. Miss Esther Edmundson spent the latter part of the week at her parental home in Walnut. Ed Bender was found dead in his bunk at the coal chutes Thursday evening. He was taken to Alfred & McLaren's undertaking parlors and then steps were taken to locate his parents, who were found to live in Kansas City, Mo. His brother came Monday morning and made arrangements for the burial, which took place Monday afternoon in the Protestant cemetery. Will Bliven, Dr. McLaren and Clarence Krogh transacted business at Denison Thursday. D. P. Robertson and Mr. Burke went to Defiance Wednesday to get the negro, William James, who had escaped from Manilla after hitting Mr. Everett over the head with a coal pick. He was taken to Denison at once. Mr. Everett is now rapidly recovering. Pete Johnson and family moved on Saturday into the Segebart house,

where Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hansen recently lived. Isaac Hird visited friends in Denison Wednesday afternoon. Walter Ivey, Am. Fish and Carl Ibsen attended court in Denison on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hansen moved Saturday into the house recently vacated by Pete Johnson and family. Mary Elizabeth Hird died Tuesday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hird, at the age of five months. Little Mary has gone to her heavenly home and we desire to so live that when our time comes to die and leave this world we may meet her with the millions of infant souls and all the redeemed of the Lord in the glory world beyond. All was done for her that loving hearts and willing hands could do. A brief funeral service was held Wednesday morning at the home conducted by Rev. A. M. McIntosh. Those out of town who attended the funeral services were: Mrs. Will Veremouth, Sarah Hird, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harvey, of Denison, and John Hird, of Eagle Grove. Rev. Cameron and Rev. McIntosh transacted business in Denison Thursday. Lynn Sood went to Dow City Tuesday to attend a Woodman rally.

NISHNABOTNY NEWS.

Mrs. Louie Ford enjoyed a visit from her brother, who came down from Wisconsin the fore part of the week. James McMahon and family moved out to the farm they have rented for the year Friday. Misses Dora and Esther Miller, of Hampton, Ill., are here visiting with relatives. Mrs. Francis McSority is in Denison this week, visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hasset. Miss Ruby Mullenger was the guest of Mrs. John McGinn Monday afternoon last. Mrs. August Loewe and Mrs. Lena Miller visited with Mrs. Annie Steinkuehler and family Friday. Mrs. Kate Bill has returned home after spending several weeks in Manilla with her sister, Mrs. Jas. McMahon. Miss Ida Hollander was the over-Sunday visitor at the Willie Steinkuehler home. Miss Minnie Petersen, of Manilla, was the guest of Minnie Loewe a few days last week. Miss Bertha Jetter spent several days the fore part of the week with Mrs. Herman Kuhl. Mrs. Pat Hanrahan has been visiting a few days with her sister, Mrs. Con Houllhan, near Denison. Miss Alma Steinkuehler was a visitor at the parental home one day last week. Erney Lewis and family spent Sunday at the John Comstock home. Miss Bertha Gessman is spending the week in Manilla with her sister, Mrs. Jas. McMahon. Jas. McGinn called on his brother, Thomas, near Defiance, Thursday. Miss Minnie Saltwell came out from Manilla Friday evening for a few days' visit at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Herman Lochmiller. Herman Sievers and wife were at Denison Thursday. Tom Hayes is spending the week at Denison, being called there to serve as a member of the grand jury. John Comstock marketed hogs in Manilla last Thursday. August Loewe marketed hogs in Denison Monday. Meta Meyer spent Sunday with her cousin, Lulu Mundt. Henry Petersen and daughter, Minnie, and Miss Minnie Loewe left on Tuesday morning for Minnesota, where the former expect to make their future home. John Murchland and Albert Murdock are thrashing clover for James Tate this week. Mrs. James Laughran and daughter, Miss Annie, were shopping at the county seat last Thursday. August Loewe and family and Mrs. Lena Miller were visiting near Buck Grove at the Fred Loewe home Sunday.

Wash bread boards and mixing bowls or anything in which flour is used in clear, cold water, using a small scrubbing brush. Save your metal roofing by giving it a good coat of paint, and do it before it is too late.

\*\*\*\*\* EAST BOYER ITEMS. \*\*\*\*\* Mrs. Segebart and son, accompanied by Chas. Bandon and wife, were county seat visitors Tuesday. Mr. Wm. Schneider, Sr. was a business visitor at the home of his son Wednesday. Mrs. Wm. Halloran and children spent several days the past week visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hearn Heins. Mrs. Willie Schneider and daughter, Miss Hilda, were entertained at the home of Mrs. Frank Comstock on Thursday afternoon. Alex Heiden was entertained at the Martin Nehls home Sunday. John Amarsen, wife and children were entertained at the Hans Henrichsen home Sunday. L. H. Mundt and family were guests of Willie Schneider and wife Sunday. Mrs. Wm. Halloran and daughter, Miss Madlyn, spent Friday with Mrs. Theo. Kuhl. J. E. Lewis, wife and children were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John Comstock. Herman Boeck and wife were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Heiden Saturday afternoon. Willie Schneider left Monday evening for Chicago, where he went with a car load of stock. Miss Clara Hill is assisting Mrs. Will Bartlett with housework. A party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Heiden Saturday evening, the occasion being Mr. Heiden's birthday. The evening was spent in dancing, playing cards, etc., and later in the evening supper was served, of which everyone participated. The guests departed for their homes having enjoyed themselves and wishing Mr. Heiden many returns of the day. August Laurinat went to Denison Sunday and will spend several weeks with friends.

The Hand in the Air.

On December 21st, last, a young man came into the little local bank of a small town in Silesia, near the Russian border, and asked the cashier to change a large bill. The cashier opened the safe to get the money and was shot down. The murderer, with two accomplices, fled into Russia with \$1,900 taken from the safe. Six weeks later a policeman in the Silesian town heard that the murderer had returned and went to arrest him. There was a running fight with pistols, in which the policeman was killed and the murderer again escaped into Russia. This time the pursuit was immediate but the fugitive dodged it, reached Bremen and embarked on the steamer Zieten for New York. When the officer on his trail reached Bremen he was already four days at sea. Probably the murderer thought he was safe, at least for the time. Doubtless he knew of the Atlantic cable, and that it might have warned the New York police to watch for him. But he might escape identification on landing. Then he had before him a whole vast continent, where men may travel as they will without passports and without question from the police so long as they behave themselves and are not known as criminals. But this murderer failed to realize the resources of modern science. One day a strange machine in one of the cabins of the Zieten began to snap and crackle, and the man who sat before it wrote down a message that the machine had caught out of viewless air. The message was handed to the captain, the ship was searched and Julian Sucholewski was found and put in irons. And as the Zieten drew into dock at New York there came on board a policeman in uniform and with him another, not in uniform, from Berlin—a noted man-hunter named Busdorf, of whom Julian Sucholewski had probably heard, but whom he thought he had dodged and left behind in Bremen. And they took Julian Sucholewski to prison for the murder of the bank cashier and the Silesian policeman. Busdorf had hurried from Bremen to Southampton, where he caught the steamer St. Louis just as she was leaving port. He had a fast vessel, while the Zieten is a slow one. He figured that he might beat the fugitive into New York, and he did so by twelve hours. But Busdorf did more than that. From the St. Louis he set the viewless hand of the wireless telegraph to groping over the Atlantic for Julian Sucholewski and it found him on the Zieten and put him in irons, ready for the officers of the law when he landed. By embarking on a ship with modern equipment and a resolute pursuer on his track, the murderer had really entered upon the last act of his career whose closing scene will be a galloping in the Silesian town. For he had thus put himself precisely where there could be no escape from the viewless hand reaching after him through the air.—Exchange.

Yellow turnips are greatly improved when served mashed, by mixing with them a small quantity of Irish potato. A very little sugar, unless the turnips are unusually sweet, is a pleasing addition.

The King's Horses. The following true story about the horses of the late King Edward of England is related in Scattered Seeds: Kentucky girl was being taken through the royal stables at St. James palace, London, when some of the king's horses were being prepared for a railroad journey by having their legs bandaged. The groom who was taking her through the stables told her that King Edward dearly loved his horses and whenever he took them with him on a railroad journey he always had their legs bandaged to prevent them from being hurt by jolting of the cars. The Kentucky girl, who was much interested in what they were doing, told the groom she knew a much better way to bandage the horses' legs, and if they would allow her she would show them how to do it. The groom pointed to a gentleman who was standing near by, directing the operation, and said he would have to ask his permission for her to do so. The permission was soon given and the girl kneeled down and showed them how she bandaged hoarses' legs. The gentleman came over to her and asked her where she was from, and she told him that she was born on the Belle Meade farm in Kentucky, where some of the finest Kentucky horses were raised, and he told her he had heard of them. He also told her of his father's and his own love for horses and she showed her through the royal stables and told the groom to take her to the royal riding-school near by. As he was leaving, the groom touched his hat very respectfully, and the American girl asked who the gentleman was, who had been so kind to her, and the groom replied, "Why don't you know that was His Royal Highness, the Prince of Wales?"—Our Dumb Animals.

Drugs of Antiquity. It is admitted that the oldest medical work known is the Ebers papyrus, discovered by George Ebers in his journey to Egypt in 1872-3. It is a scroll twenty yards long and a foot wide and has been studied and translated by Von Oefele and reviewed by Von Lippmann. It was written about 1550 B. C., though some of the material of which it is a compilation dates back to about 3700 B. C. The medical substances mentioned include copper—once more costly than gold and silver—lead, iron, antimony, carbon, sulphur, salt, soda, gypsum and other minerals; milk, fats from many animals, wax and the horn, blood and other portions of domestic and wild animals; castor and other oils, honey, raisens, grapes, figs dates, wine, beer, linen, flax, lanolin, papyrus, numerous resins, caraway, fennel, dill meloit, watercress, peppermint, coriander, lettuce, endive, absinth, pomegranate, calamus, aloes, sa ower, crocus, indigo, henbane, mandrake, opium and other plants and vegetable products. In preparing drugs solids were grated or powdered in a stone mortar. There were many processes of treating them, as roasting, baking, pressing, steeping, warming, boiling in various substances, macerating with lye, evaporating and fermenting with yeast. Liquids were filtered and two or three ingredients, but others have as many as thirty-seven materials.

Vain Search For Treasure. According to Jose Raymon Palfox a Mexican journalist, there are no hidden Montezuma treasures. No doubt the stories circulated about the hidden treasures of the Aztec emperors have their origin in the sadly exaggerated accounts of old Spanish historians—men who swallowed the yarns of the conquerors of Mexico, and whose judgment had been upset by the few shipments of gold and silver made to Spain shortly after the taking of the Aztec capital. The accounts of the Montezuma treasures is nearly a counterpart of similar extravagances found on many pages of history. We read of the fabulous wealth of the Euphrates valley, of ancient Egypt, of India and other parts, and so far have never found a trace of it. In their day no doubt these people had a certain amount of gold and silver, but they never had enough to cause us moderns to call them rich. Dispersed among them in the form of currency, as is the case of today, their wealth in precious metals would have made them a very poor showing. Gold and silver, then as in the case of the Aztecs, were not used at all as mediums of exchange or were used only in a very limited way, rulers paid and received tributes in the form of gold, and converted it into articles of practical value or objects of art. The only successful way to fight fungous troubles in the orchard is to begin early, before the disease appears. Remember that fungicidal sprays are preventives, not cures. To fit a large cork to a small bottle, cut two wedge-shaped bits from the narrow end of the cork.

The Boys' Store. Finely Tailored Skirts are Featured at \$5. YOU will be agreeably surprised to find what extraordinary values these skirts are at \$5. They are made of the best panamas and a variety of handsome novelty mixtures in a wide range of diversified styles. There are full plaited models, gored styles, and many with both gores and plaits. Tailored effects or tastefully trimmed with self material and novelty buttons. Style, quality, fit and finish considered these are remarkable skirt values at \$5. For immediate clearance 50 skirts suitable for present and spring wear go on sale Thursday at \$3.98. They are the accumulation of broken lines, mostly one of a kind, but splendid values. Excellent range of materials, colors and sizes. Values up to \$10, at \$3.98. Specials From the Drapery Stock. Lace Curtains. Regular \$8 values, pr pr. 6.95 Regular \$7.50 values, pr. 4.95 Regular \$4.50 values, pr. 2.95 Regular \$4.00 values, pr. 2.75 Regular \$3.75 values, pr. 2.50 Regular \$2.25 values, pr. 1.48 Madras. Good quality curtain madras in floral patterns, and dots, 12 1/2c quality, 9c Portiers. In this lot are included some of the newest styles for spring in shades of brown, green, red blue, with combination colored borders. \$8.75 value, 50x3 yards, 5.75 \$7 values, 50x3 yards, 3.50 \$5 values, 50x3 yards, 2.75 \$3.50 values, 50x3 yards, 2.50 Couch Covers. Heavy mercerized Armure couch covers, 3 yards long, 60 in. long, worth \$5, at \$3.50. The Boys' Store.

NOTICE IN PROBATE. State of Iowa, Crawford County, ss— In Probate. In the matter of the estate of Alfred M. Conyne, late of Crawford County, deceased. Notice of Appointment of Administrator To Whom It May Concern: You are hereby notified that on the 1st day of April, 1911, the undersigned was duly appointed administrator of the above entitled estate, and all creditors of said estate are notified to file their claims in the office of the clerk of the district court, in and for Crawford county, Iowa, within one year from the date of this notice, according to law, and have the same allowed and ordered paid by the said court, or stand forever barred therefrom. Dated April 1, 1911. SILAS J. CONYNE, Harding & Kahler, Administrators. Attorneys for Administrator. 14-3t

The hen may not be well educated, but it doesn't take her long to scratch off a few lines—in the garden. Mamma: "Willie, what do you mean by breaking all those eggs?" Willie: "I heard papa say that there's money in eggs, and I'm trying to find it." Rubbish and brush in the orchard yet? Gather and burn at once, and thus destroy harboring places of insects, fungi and other pests. Too many trees of one variety alongside one another is not the best way to plant them. Mix them up, then they will pollinize one another better and give you choicer fruit and more of it. Pick off and burn all "mummied" fruits on peach, plum or other trees, thus destroying the spores of brown rot and other fungous diseases which winter over on these dried up specimens. The toad is the gardener's friend.

NOTICE OF REFEREE'S SALE. In the District Court of Iowa, in and for Crawford County, March Term, 1911, Rosa Brodersen, Plaintiff, vs. Rudolph Lehfeldt, Henry Lehfeldt, Catherine Lehfeldt, Julius Lehfeldt, Adele Lehfeldt, Mathilda Schwartz, H. F. Schwartz, Emma Jessen, Momme J. Jessen, Johannes Lehfeldt, Emily Lehfeldt, Emilie Lange, Alex Aebischer, Minnie Lehfeldt and B. Brodersen, Defendants. Notice of Referee's Sale. By virtue of an order of sale directed to the undersigned referees, from the clerk of the district court of Crawford county, Iowa, on a decree obtained in said court on the 25th day of March, 1911, in favor of Rosa Brodersen, as plaintiff, and against Rudolph Lehfeldt, Henry Lehfeldt, Catherine Lehfeldt, Julius Lehfeldt, Adele Lehfeldt, Mathilda Schwartz, H. F. Schwartz, Emma Jessen, Momme J. Jessen, Johannes Lehfeldt, Emily Lehfeldt, Emilie Lange, Alex Aebischer, Minnie Lehfeldt and B. Brodersen, as defendants for the partition of the real estate named and described in said plaintiff's petition, we will, on the 24 day of May, 1911, offer for sale to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, to-wit: The West half of the Northeast quarter (NW 1/2) of NE 1/4, the Northwest quarter of the Southeast quarter (NW 1/4 of SE 1/4), the North half of the Southwest quarter (N 1/2 of SW 1/4), and the Northwest quarter of Section twenty-three (23), Township eighty-five (85), North Range thirty-nine (39), West of the 3th P. M., in Crawford county, Iowa, containing three hundred and sixty (360) acres, more or less. The terms of the sale are to be for cash to the highest bidder at the sale, said sale to take place in the corridor of the court house in the city of Denison, at the hour of one-thirty P. M. of said day, when and where attendance plaintiff's petition, we will, on the 24 day of May, 1911, offer for sale to the highest bidder at the sale, said sale to take place in the corridor of the court house in the city of Denison, at the hour of one-thirty P. M. of said day, when and where attendance will be given by the undersigned. Dated, Denison, Iowa, April 3, 1911. J. E. BALLE, GEORGE NAEVE, B. J. Sibbert.

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Announcement. We wish to announce to the public that we have purchased the Ice Cream business from Mr. A. F. Bond, and will hereafter be known as the Bond Ice Cream Co. It will be our endeavor to put out the same high quality of ice cream and sherbets that Mr. Bond has done heretofore. Nothing whatever but the best materials that money can buy will be used. We also retain the services of Mr. Bond. We deliver to any part of the city. We Solicit Your Patronage. Motto: Cleanliness, Purity. MILL BROS.