

# MARRIAGES

## WILDER-DRALLE.

Miss Lulu Dralle of Rose Creek and Herbert E. Wilder of this city were married Tuesday, 9th, at Albert Leo. They visited his brother in Farmont and have returned to Austin for residence. The bride, who graduated in our high school, has been teaching in the county. The groom is employed at Hare's Feed Store. Congratulations.

## HOLTE-SWANSON.

Albert N. Holte and Miss Dena Swanson were married in Hayward Thursday morning at 9 o'clock, Rev. Ellison officiating. A wedding reception was held in the evening at the Ole Halderson home in South Lakeland, about one hundred being present. The groom is the son of Mr. John Holte of South Oakland and the bride the daughter of Swan Swanson of Prairie Farm, Wis. The young couple will probably reside in Austin.

## HIGHET-STORRY.

At 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the home of Rev. G. H. Ten Broeck occurred the marriage of David Edgar Highet and Miss Alice Maude Storry. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. James A. Storry. David made his home in Austin for a number of years with his mother, Mrs. Herbert Highet and attended school here. The family have lived north of Lansing for several years and the bride's home has been in that vicinity. Mr. and Mrs. Highet will live on a farm north of Lansing. Congratulations.

## HEIMER-KREBSBACH.

At the Johnsburg Catholic church in Adams Tuesday morning Rev. Reichl performed the ceremony uniting in marriage Julia Krebsbach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter J. Krebsbach and Joe Heimer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heimer. A large number of friends were present and attended the wedding reception which was held later in the day.

These young people have a host of friends who will wish them all possible happiness at this time. They will make their home on the farm owned by the groom's father, near Johnsburg.

## NUPSON-BASSETT.

At the residence of the officiating clergyman in this city Wednesday noon, Feb. 10, 1915, Oscar A. Nupson of Grand Meadow and Mrs. Jennie Bassett of Austin were united in marriage, Rev. C. D. Belden officiating. They were attended by Miss Anna Peterson and Mr. Arthur Oberg of this city. The bride's gown was of white voile over blue satin and she wore brides roses. They took the 2:30 p. m. train for a visit with her folks at Green Lake, Wis. and with her folks at Canton, Minn. The groom is a successful blacksmith in Grand Meadow village where they will reside. The bride has lived in Austin for over twenty years and is a fine housekeeper. Both have many friends to wish them joy.

## STRUCK-BOELK.

A pretty wedding occurred at the German Lutheran church Wednesday at one o'clock when Miss Minnie Boelk and Mr. Edwin Struck were united in marriage. The attendants were Arthur Elderbrush and Miss Dela Boelk. The bride wore a white silk messaline dress trimmed with beaded netting and carried white roses. The ceremony was very impressive.

A reception followed at the home of the bride's parents at Lansing. About sixty were in attendance. Supper was served at 5 o'clock. The bride has many friends in Austin where she has worked for several years. The groom is an honest industrious worker and is associated with Hans Rasmussen and Co. The young people have our best wishes for happiness and success.

## BARNEY FARRINGTON.

Barney Farrington died Friday at his home in this city after a short illness with pneumonia. Mr. Farrington was fifty-eight years old. He was born in Columbus, Wis., and more than thirty-five years ago came to Austin. For twelve years he worked at the Electric Light plant and later at the Packing House in the electrical department. A few years ago the family removed to Rose Creek where they conducted the hotel and later moved to St. Paul, returning to Austin last fall. Since his return here Mr. Farrington has been employed in the piping department at the Packing house.

February 11, 1878 he married Sarah Gorman. Besides his wife he leaves one daughter, Marvel, aged 17 years and a niece, Margaret Hedman who has made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Farrington for nearly twenty years. Three sisters survive who live in Blue Earth. Deceased was a member of the M. W. A. Funeral was held Monday morning from St. Augustine's church.

## Ranches.

I have three good ranches for sale on easy terms. For information apply to J. R. Phelan, owner, Alliance, Neb.

## Advertised Letters.

List of letters remaining uncalled for in this office for the week ending Feb. 13, 1915.

Duck, G. L.; King, C. F.; Larson, Ben.; Larson, Elmer; Looney, A. J.; Mink, Leonard; Murphy, Mr. & Rutger, Ed.; Priestley, Mrs. Blanche; Turner, Miss Mary.

These letters will be sent to the "Dead Letter Office" Mar. 1, 1915 if not delivered before.

In calling for the above, please say "Advertised," giving date of list.

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## J. SOLNER WRITES.

### An Interesting Letter From Our Old Friend and Neighbor.

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 30, 1915.

Dear Friend: I see by the Transcript that the cold weather has as usual visited the Northern states and even here I have felt the chilly season more than any time the three winters I have been in San Diego. The reason is perhaps because I have not got over the effects of my sickness last fall. I do not seem to be gaining very fast and I cannot account for it, as I am eating more and what I like.

I expected to see a good many from Austin here this winter but so far have been disappointed. Mrs. Ada Crane wrote sometime ago that she and family were coming here. The papers here are telling how many people from the North and East are coming, the railroads are amking arrangements to accommodate the crowd, but what people so far have visited the Exposition here have been mostly from Los Angeles and the surrounding country.

This city looks dull to me for having a fair. I have been on the grounds several times and what little I have seen of it, it certainly is fine. When two years ago I first went where the exposition now is, it was almost a wilderness and what has been accomplished since then is remarkable. The exhibit of the Panama Canal is very interesting to me and makes me remember what a German with whom I was traveling in Europe said: "There is only one country in the world that could have undertaken such a work but the United States of America."

In a recent letter from Austin I am advised to keep away from the Mexican bullets. A few shots cross the line when we were looking for a battle there but no harm was done. A few fools went down and got filled up with Mexican booze and were then robbed and skinned by crooks who claimed to be Americans and this was the biggest damage done. It does not seem that our administration can be very proud of its Mexican policy. It seems to be more of a muddle in Mexico than ever before.

The times in Minnesota must be good now when the crops were so good last year and the prices of everything so high. Bread and meat have raised in price here, the caterias have advanced ten per cent on meat orders but I don't care as I do not eat any. Eggs have gone down to 30 to 35 cents so I am all right. A letter from Peter Hansen states that Sanders Simpson, daughter and husband are out here. John Cook and family left here the first of the month and he is now manager of the bank in New Castle where Walter Wold has his drug store. Sorry to have that family go.

Well I suppose I ought to go to my supper before the Cafeteria shuts up so as to get my ration of eggs and hot water. I cannot get oatmeal at the evening meals altho I would like it. Hope to see many of you out here next Summer. With kindest regards,

Your old friend,  
J. SOLNER.

# DEATHS

## HALFORD OLSON.

Halford Olson, brother of Mrs. John Ober of this city, died Monday in Mexico City. Halford was an Austin boy, attended school here and for many years was employed in Johnson's Shoe Store. He was an artist and his window cards and designs were very attractive. He went to California some years ago to work and for several years past he has been in Mexico City. Particulars of his death are not known further than that he has been sick for some months from paralysis.

## MRS. ABBIE MILLS.

Mrs. H. D. Mills, an old resident of this city and county passed away Sunday, Feb. 14, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Theodore Bailey in Seattle, Wash. The body is being brought here for burial. Mrs. Mills was born in Vermont seventy-six years ago the 28th of last October. She came to Austin when a young girl in the early days and was one of the early settlers of Mower County. Her husband died June 6, 1884 and since then Mrs. Mills has made her home with her children. She went to Seattle about three years ago to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Bailey. She had been in failing health for the past four years. Mrs. Mills leaves three sons and two daughters, Edwin Mills of Austin, Hugh R. Mills and Charles Mills both living southeast of Austin. Mrs. Lydia Bosserman of Kansas and Mrs. Jeanette Bailey of Seattle.

## AUCTION SALES.

L. P. Jorgensen has sold his farm 1 1/2 miles west of Brownsdale and will move to town. He will auction his farm collateral on Wednesday, Feb. 24 beginning at 10:30 o'clock a. m. George M. Shortt auctioneer and F. M. Conklin, Clerk.

A sale of stock, machinery and household goods will be held on the Jens Holte farm twelve miles southwest of Austin next Tuesday, Feb. 23. Sale begins at 10:30 a. m. J. S. Attlesey is Auctioneer, and George F. Munda, Clerk.

Martin Coyne will hold a public auction sale at his farm, one mile north of Moscow on Thursday, Feb. 25. The sale begins at 1 o'clock and horses, cattle, machinery and smaller articles, used about the farm, will be sold. Lynn & Bradford, auctioneers, A. A. Sorenson, Clerk.

F. B. Johnson, living 3 miles southeast of Waltham, has sold his farm and on Friday, Feb. 26, offers at public sale, all stock and farm effects. Sale begins at 10:30 a. m. Col. Hoppe & Sons will auction and the Waltham State Bank will clerk the sale.

## VALUE OF FARM RECORDS.

Every farmer should keep a record of his operating costs and the financial results of everything done on the farm. A farmer who does this is not going to lose anything, but is surely on the road to success. At first it will seem impossible to keep a record of labor, financial accounts and crop yields, but it will be surprising how the habit will become established. A very interesting and profitable record to work on at present is a harvest record of the different grain crops. Such a record will show the farmer how much his crops yielded and the cost to thrash the grain. When the value of such records is realized the farm will then be run on a more strictly business basis.—Orange Judd Farmer.

## RADIUM AS FERTILIZER.

### An Experimenter Asserts That It Will Increase Yield of Land.

Radium as a fertilizer is a new idea in farming. It is asserted that it will increase the yield of land from 50 to 100 per cent.

So says Dr. H. H. Rusby of the New York College of Pharmacy. He has been experimenting with radium solutions on a tiny farm at Nutley, N. J., for the last two years. Recently he presented his results to the American Pharmaceutical association.

Dr. Rusby diluted his radium three milligrams to a ton of water. This, he says, will fertilize thoroughly twenty acres of land at an approximate cost of \$30. The farm was only an acre and one-half in extent, but in small patches he raised practically all the vegetables used by northern farmers.

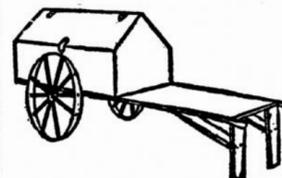
Fifty pounds of his solution to the acre gave the best results in the greatest number of cases. Some vegetables required more.

On the whole, however, Dr. Rusby found his experiments particularly encouraging. Cucumbers, squashes, melons, radishes, carrots, corn, cabbage and a host of others responded most satisfactorily to the treatment and gave results far above their normal output.

The use of radium as a fertilizer, Dr. Rusby avers, did not originate with him. When it was found that weak solutions of radium salts applied to cancer only stimulated its growth scientists began to experiment with it upon plants. In the beginning all of the solutions which they used were far too strong. The New York botanical gardens and the University of Prague were the first to make successful experiments.

## Movable Tool Box.

You might describe this device as a tool box on wheels or the wheel barrow work bench. It is one of the handiest things of its kind that can be made. Suppose a man wants to do a little work in a shed a quarter of a mile from the house? He can make this combination box and bench and take all the tools needed right along with it.



It is really a sort of a portable repair shop. You can keep all manner of tools, nails, clips, bolts and nuts in it. There is room for wire clippers, wire and anything else that may be needed. And it is likely to save you a lot of trouble when the job is done. We all know how easily tools are mislaid and even lost for good.

Materials needed for its construction are: A pair of old cultivator wheels, a few boards, a couple of hinges and enough bolts to fasten things together.—Farm Progress.

## FARM WIT AND WISDOM.

No farmer ever gets too old to learn, but the wise farmer doesn't wait until he is old to learn.

All things come to him who owns a piece of land and pitches in and works to beat the band.

Don't try to lift water by a suction pump more than thirty feet. The utmost height to which it is possible to suction it is 33.95 feet. The weight of the air has to do the lifting.

An Iowa farmer pays his foreman 25 cents for every pig over six to the sow which reaches the age for weaning. He likes to pay out the money, and the foreman looks upon it as clear gain. The bonus system is worth studying. It will work in other fields as well as in the piggery.

Potash is difficult to get now, not because there are no ships to carry it, but because of the difficulty in securing railway and river equipment to move it from the mines and storehouses to the coast.

Corn fed the sows makes their pigs fat before farrowing, but the pigs need fat only after their eyes open on this world. Prior to that time they need only bone, muscle and vigor. Alfalfa hay, bran, roots and other protein bearing feed prepare the sow for successful farrowing. Corn fed sows are the ones which die at this critical time more than any other.—Farm and Fireside.

## Personal Property Tax

Allen, L. F.	10.05
Ames, W. D.	19.47
Attlesey, J. S.	11.87
Austenson, Theo.	1.88
Aultfather, Wm. J.	7.19
Aultfather, Elizabeth B.	4.27
Aultfather, A. J.	15.02
Aultfather, Araminta J.	1.81
Aultfather, Geo.	45.80
Aultfather, D. C.	21.09
Barclay, Wm.	6.51
Bartel, O. V.	1.54
Starnar, Robert	7.89
Bell, C. C.	.20
Benson, G. B.	5.97
Beach, Frank	5.75
Bonnellie, Wm.	6.25
Beadle, Rose	.77
Bell, A. F.	5.44
Baumgartel, Frank	11.94
Bedford, R. T.	14.27
Beadle, R. H.	8.11
Beadle, Loyd, J.	9.94
Cafourek, Jerome	7.88
Cafourek, Ben and Will	6.81
Cafourek, Frank	21.48
Cafourek, Joe	9.76
Campbell, Albert W.	3.53
Colbertson, C.	7.51
Champlin, L. B.	3.44
Clark, M. L.	6.68
Collins, L. W.	1.38
Crumrine, E.	10.78
Clark, Amos	10.37
Duffy, Jay	21.57
Dennison, P. H.	11.30
Davis, R. G.	10.15
Dennison, Geo.	10.93
Duerst, Adam	8.97
Dennison, Alfred & Axel	5.32
Elyerum, Mrs. Ella	2.80
Eukel, Fred	17.13
Fischer, Henry	15.71
Folsom, D. C.	1.85
Fritz, C. R.	6.19
Frazier, Robert	4.68
Gifford, L. C.	2.99
Farrell, Mrs. F.	2.15
Gekler, L.	7.66
Hotsen, Fred	9.70
Hotsen, Tr. A.	.30
Heifner, H. G.	2.12
Haatveit, Ole	7.78
Hotsen, Fay	10.26
Hotsen, V. E.	12.55
Hanson, Nels M.	10.18
Hughson John	9.90
Haskins, Geo.	8.53
Haas, Ole	9.18
Hobkirk, R. A.	5.96
Haskins, F. F.	12.07
Hobkirk, J. L.	4.36
Hobkirk, H. W.	9.36
Helgeson, Hans	15.50
Hotsen, Wm.	5.23
Howard, Geo.	7.14
Jacobson, Jacob.	3.93
James, E. W.	9.70
Johnson, Peter	11.27
Kas, James	9.60
Knutson, Ole Est.	3.50
Kvale, Andrew J.	5.98
Knutson, Knut	6.38
Klitzke, Geo.	5.87
Lausen, Peter	11.11
Lukes, Joe	7.08
Larson, Louis A.	5.09
Lukes, Albert	7.86
Larson, A. H.	5.65
Murphy, T. H.	21.93
Myres, John	11.34
Monahan, Mrs. Mary	21.38
Murphy Geo.	16.33
Morris, Henry	6.10
McMann, Ed	6.88
Mahacek, Louis	13.05
Miner, Burk	3.00
Martin, Tom	8.39
Murphy, John	13.14
Murphy, Wilfred	1.70
Magee, John	10.89
McConnell, Mary C.	6.82
Morris, Robert	4.33
Mahacek, Ida	.59
Newling, Jas	9.72
Magee, Isaac	14.63
Nelson, N. O.	9.03
Orcutt, Wm.	2.57
Olsword, H. O.	4.55
Olsword, Henry	6.79
Olson, Ole	2.33
Padelford A & W	3.38
Padelford, Warren	4.50
Pamperine, Lena	.24
Peterman, Frank	5.00
Pederson, Salvé	8.09
Peachy, Chas	9.24
Peterson, Mrs. T. A.	.31
Penning, Peter	10.15
Patterson, John	2.42
Parmenter, A. M.	10.69
Palmer, F. E.	2.63
Rawn, L. M.	.31
Smalley, H. E.	12.88
Russell, Chas	8.48
Rogers, R. L.	3.06
Reding, John W.	6.13
Rawn, Walter	6.21
Richards, R. O.	6.03
Roberts, Henry	1.57
Roberts, Dell	12.04
Scheffel, Matt	16.13
Slanudt, W. J.	4.42
Skov, Martin	11.58
Schumacher, Geo.	11.35
Schumacher, John Est.	7.11
Spooner, F. E.	20.46
Stackhouse, F. B.	4.62
Swenson, Halvor	2.74
Swenson, Wm.	5.73
Schumacher, John	10.71
Schumacher, Peter	2.98
Trowbridge, F. A.	5.13
Thrasher Geo.	3.11
Thrasher, Elester	3.17
Taylor, J. A.	8.30
Trowbridge, Nellie	1.84
Trowbridge, H. C.	1.38
Trowbridge, R. E.	1.28
Trowbridge, Ethel	1.01
Thompson, Theo.	7.10
Torgeson, Ole	4.22
Van, Ira	8.36
Vest, V. L.	9.81
Warrington, S. H.	14.77
Walsh, T. L.	8.16
Walsh, C. W.	.99
Williams, J. B.	4.16
Weber, August	42.30
Weber, Wm	7.67
Weber, John	25.07
Wilson, O.	20.63
Wright, Henry S.	3.92
Wynn, Sarah	1.75
Yaroshek, Joe	9.37

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Aurantz J.	8 4.44
Avery, Wilbour L.	3.87
Anderson, Chas.	9.05
Brunce, Wm.	17.04
Bantes, Stephen	8.04
Brown, Jas.	9.35
Brownlow, Wm.	14.21
Brown, Wm. A.	6.61
Bartels, H.	3.81
Bell, Robert T.	4.73
Boe, Carl O.	11.52
Burton, Leslie	6.89
Bell, A.	.31
Cooper, F. G.	3.21
Carlson, John	6.38
Daily, O. H.	3.81
Doyle, Frank	5.65
Dotzenrod, R. A.	20.41
Davis, W. F.	7.71
Emigh, Elgin	9.30
Eiler, Fred	11.93
Eastvold, Mrs. C.	13.00
Erie, H. O.	11.70
Fasbender, John	18.48
Fuhr, A. L. & G. L.	4.79
Frank & Roe	5.41
Flikki, C. J.	16.66
Fagen, B. L.	21.44
Flatties, Arthur	7.08
Ford, Martha J.	11.45
Fasbender, J. P.	4.74
Gerber, Michael	17.95
Gilgenbach, Joe	9.77
Graves, H. C.	17.88
Gilgenbach, J. & S.	22.76
Gilgenbach, John	3.00
Gilgenbach, S.	4.05
Gilgenbach, Mrs. Peter	3.00
Hanson, Jas.	11.77
Hanson, L. P.	12.56
Hegge, O. K.	14.04
Holler, Irvin	18.68
Hendrickson, Ole	5.29
Hendrickson, H.	1.37
Huntley, O. A.	19.60
Hovey, Ole P.	4.49
Hull, C. A.	4.20
Human, Matt	7.51
Hanson, John	4.86
Hancock, T. T.	2.15
Hanson, K. J.	8.74
Iverson, Knut	4.52
Johnson, Iver	6.18
Johnson, Simon	.35
Knutson, Bene S.	12.02
Kough, J. H.	9.05
Kough, Thos.	37.54
Knutson, Jacob	15.91
Knutson, S. S.	6.97
Knutson, S. J.	2.76
King, Jos.	8.06
Kramer, Julius	20.72
Karlen, J. C.	13.45
Earlen, E. D.	25.67
Larsen, Louie	6.60
Larson, Algat	9.52
Lewis, Wm.	2.97
Lewis, Arthur	6.25
Lukens, Geo.	20.07
Larson Bros.	4.00
Lewis, John	8.39
Larson, Emil	11.79
McDowell, H. C.	7.98
Morgan, J. A.	3.71
Mitchell, Chas. W.	10.90
Murray & Crein	17.25
Nagle, Jacob	13.83
Nelson, Bros.	14.65
Perin, H. B.	6.57
Peterson, P. J.	20.79
Peterson, Peter	.59
Prestegard, F. H.	43.02
Reierson, R.	34.10
Robinson, C. F.	3.95
Ro, Otis	5.79
Ro Axel	21.18
Rudlang, E. A.	40.76
Rosenthal, Peter	3.87
Stephani, Arnold	8.29
Smith, J. C.	6.42
Stevens, C. W.	12.35
Stephani, Nick	22.09
Schafer, Matt A.	3.25
Sullivan, P. H.	10.08
Schafer, Mrs. Peter	16.69
Sparks, Clene	2.88
Schuller, Math	7.71
Sweeney & Johnson	6.34
Thompson, Henry	1.93
Winkels Bros.	5.07
Winkels, Jacob	6.35
Weigen, Lena	7.92
Weigen, Martin	5.91
Wick, Mans	8.16
Weigen, Anton	8.50
Webber, N. L.	.78
Webber, J. H. & Son	14.07