

### Some Social News.

Leah Poteet was hostess for the H. S. M. club on last Saturday evening. A fine program was rendered after which refreshments were served.

An "old fashioned" social was held at the Christian church last evening. The guests appeared in all kinds of outlandish costumes and everybody had a good time.

A pleasant social dance was held at Ryans hall on Tuesday evening. It was participated in by quite a number of young people and was a very enjoyable affair.

The Presbyterian ladies kensington club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ernest Bode. The meeting was largely attended and was one of the most enjoyable that has thus far been held.

A fair sized audience saw "Weary Willie Walker" at the Gehling Wednesday night and everybody was pleased because the show was better than its name would indicate it to be. The company was a very capable one.

Mrs. Katherine Wylie entertained the members of the L. B. T. at her home on North Harlan street Wednesday afternoon. All the members of the club were present and spent a very pleasant and profitable afternoon. Elaborate refreshments were served.

Nemaha Valley Lodge I. O. O. F. and Elizabeth Bebekah lodge are making elaborate preparations to celebrate the eighty-second anniversary of Odd Fellowship on April 27. Invitations have been extended to lodges from all the surrounding towns and many guests from out of town will doubtless be present.

At a recent meeting of the married ladies kensington club, it was decided that the members of the club should entertain their husbands once a month, and they did so for the first time last evening at the home of Geo. B. Holt, the hostesses being Mrs. George Holt and Mrs. W. R. Holt. The gentlemen never before realized what a good thing a kensington is, and all agreed that they had never been better entertained.

### CHURCH NEWS.

The ladies of the Episcopal church are planning for a tea to be held next Thursday evening.

St Thomas church: Sunday in the Octave of Easter April 10, holy communion. 7:30 a. m.; choral eucharist and sermon 11 a. m.; evensong 7:30 p. m. The easter music will be repeated at

the morning service. Strangers welcome.—Henry B. Smith, Rector.

Service at the Christian church Sunday morning and evening as follows: Communion and sermon 11 a. m.; evening song service and sermon 7:30 p. m.; Bible school 9:45 a. m.; Junior 3 p. m.; Endeavor 6:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all.—J. Elza Holly, pastor.

Brethren Church: 9:45 Sunday school, 11 sermon, 3 Junior C. E., 7:30 sermon. The Sunday sermons will be preached by the pastor, Rev. E. E. Haskins. The Young People's society now meets on Friday evening instead of Sunday evenings. Prayer service each Wednesday evening.

The annual parish meeting of St. Thomas church was held on Easter Monday and the following gentlemen were elected to serve as vestrymen for the coming year: Amos Gantt, sr. warden; John Hutchings, jr. warden; F. W. Cleveland, T. L. Himmelmreich, Jesse Whetstine, R. Horrocks, Allan May, Harry Custer, J. Jellison, vestrymen. It was decided to take steps toward building a rectory and the same will likely be built during the next year.

### Deputy Assessors.

County Assessor Jorn has issued exhaustive instructions to his deputies and demands that they be carried out to the letter. This will insure compliance with the revenue law and uniformity in returns.

In making assessments the following prices will govern on the following articles:

Ice, per ton, \$2; dogs per head, \$1 and up; fat cattle per cwt., \$5.50 to \$4.50; sheep per cwt., \$5; fat hogs per cwt., \$4.50; bees per stand, \$1 and up, wheat per bu. on farm 75c, elevator 78c; corn per

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bu. on farm 35c, elevator 38c; rye per bu 40c; oats per bu. on farm 30c, elevator 32c; Kaffir corn per bu. 50c; barley per bu. 60c; potatoes per bu. 75c; millet per bu. 60c; alfalfa seed per bu. \$9; timothy per bu. \$1.25; clover seed per bu. \$5; hay wild loose per ton \$4, baled per ton \$5; tame hay loose per ton \$5, baled per ton \$6; alfalfa per ton \$5; poultry, chickens per doz. \$3 to \$4; turkeys per doz. \$10 to \$15; geese per doz. \$5 to \$7; ducks per doz. \$3 to \$4.

### Violently Insane.

Mrs. Aralda Hall, a resident of the extreme northeast corner of the county, went violently insane over a week ago. The case was not reported to the authorities until Wednesday of this week, when she was brought to this city. She was so violent that she could be handled only with great difficulty. She was adjudged insane and taken to Lincoln by Sheriff Hossack Wednesday night. Mrs. Hall is about 48 years of age and her present misfortune is the result of a long illness. She has a husband and three children.

### Cemetery Auxiliary.

The meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to Steele cemetery association which was held at the home of Mrs. John Powell on Tuesday afternoon was attended by many members. A great deal of business was transacted and plans made for further beautifying the cemetery grounds. Additional trees, shrubbery and plants will be provided, the tank that furnishes the water will be newly painted and many other improvements made. The present beauty of Steele cemetery is due almost entirely to the efforts of the Ladies' Auxiliary.

### Strayed.

A light bay horse. Had on a halter. Finder notify M. Manshart, pastor Evangelical church.

### LEGAL NOTICE.

First publication April 8, 1904. Notice is hereby given that Frank S. Crabill has filed his petition signed by the requisite number of freeholders of the Second Ward of Fall City asking that a saloon license be granted him to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors on lot 21 in block 91 in the Second Ward of said city for the municipal year commencing May 5th, 1904.

O. W. BROWN,  
City Clerk

### Additional Verdon.

Dr. Bourne received a letter from a brother in Oklahoma stating their mother, Mrs. Brant was quite sick. She has many friends here who hope she may soon recover.

D. M. Griffiths and wife were Falls City visitors Tuesday,

The result of the city election of H. N. Timmerman citizens ticket and equal number of votes to Dave Griffith citizens, and J. W. Stump license, W. A. Moran citizen and Chris Jorn license.

Ad Harris and wife of Mc Candlass spent Sunday with Jess Weaver and family.

Scott Sailors went to Kansas City Tuesday night.

### RED BANANAS AGAIN.

Have Long Been Scarce--Fast Fruit Steamers Help Trade.

"Red bananas once more are plentiful in the New York market, and are likely to be so for some time," said a fruit commission merchant to a New York Press reporter. "I can remember the time when there were more red bananas than yellow ones, 15 or 20 years ago. Then they got scarce. Six years ago only a few bunches came to New York for the Christmas trade, and they went to dealers at \$75 a bunch, the highest price ever paid here for such fruit.

"The red banana was the first to come to this country. Then it was found that the yellow fruit was more easily raised, kept longer and clung better to the stalk. This last factor was an important one, as a great loss comes from bananas dropping from the bunch. More yellows grow on a bunch. For these reasons the red bananas practically disappeared from the markets and only a few bunches were brought here.

"The fast fruit steamers have been responsible for lowering the price of bananas. When we had to get our fruit from the sailing vessels we never knew whether we would have enough to supply the market, for the vessels would be delayed by storms and might come in with spoiled cargoes. Today these fruit steamers are as regular as passenger ships, and we know almost to a bunch how much the cargo will amount to."

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