

Correspondence

EFFINGTON.

Miss Nellie Oliver visited at W. C. Oliver's, Monday and Tuesday.

Ezra Lewis came out from Sisseton, Monday, to spend the summer vacation with his uncle Ezra Pugh.

Iver Kringen's house is resplendent in a new coat of paint.

Large crowds are attending the meetings held in the schoolhouse this week. Rev. Christianson will conduct the meetings every night this week except Saturday night.

The youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. John Loken is quite sick, this week.

James Kimble and wife from Arkansas, are here visiting his father, Chas. Kimball.

Mrs. Cummings has a brother visiting her from Adrian, Minn.

Mr. Raphael was kicked by a horse, last Wednesday and hurt quite badly, but at present writing he is getting along nicely.

Prof. Oksnee left Saturday for his home in Wisconsin.

Mamie and Irene Chass did shopping in Sisseton, Saturday.

Esther Lundgren and Bertha Nissen were Sisseton visitors, Saturday.

Mrs. Engle is still quite ill, and Mamie Harn is helping her, this week.

Miss Lizzie Harn is staying at Lavatek's for a few weeks.

Glady's Lewis is visiting Beatrice Monson, this week.

Archie Ellstad left Saturday for Aberdeen, to spend the summer with his uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McGee Sundayed at the Barnett home.

Wm. Barnett has a brother visiting him whom he had not seen for thirty years.

The Young Peoples' Society of the Synod church met at Andrew Fladland's, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Opheim and baby and Mrs. Stadstad, from Sisseton, visited at the Monson home Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. Price came up from Summit, Saturday, to visit her brothers, Charles and Tom McGee.

Mr. and Mrs. Folgson entertained Mr. and Mrs. B. Wicks over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thorsen were entertained Sunday at Raphael's.

EDDY

A considerable change in the weather this week. Everyone complains of the heat.

Mrs. Crocker is visiting at the J. F. Gleason home.

The delegates from Eddy, who represented the Bethel Y. P. S. at the Summit convention were Gerhard, Olaf and Andrea Gunnarson and Arney Rohn.

The footrace between the two athletes, H. L. Twite and H. A. Earnest at the Sunday school picnic, was called off for lack of a suitable purse, but will be put on the 4th of July at S. M. Satre's where the money will be raised for these world beaters.

Mr. and Mrs. Ullstad, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Satre, went to Sioux Falls last Saturday, where they will make a week's visit with relatives and friends.

Alfred Aldrich has purchased a second-hand top buggy. Here is where Alfred gets a girl. From the latest neighborhood gossip we understand that it was two instead of one, Sunday evening.

Mrs. B. Stave did shopping at Vig, Thursday afternoon.

Quite a number of Eddy young people attended the dance at Ole Ullstad's last Saturday evening.

Mrs. B. Vollmar was an Eddy buyer, Monday.

Syver Strand has been on the sick list the past week.

Mrs. I. F. Hill made a trip to Effington, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Gleason and Mrs. Crocker went to Sisseton, on Monday.

Little Bernice and Ellsworth Sandmark spent Monday afternoon at J. F. Gleason's.

(Last Week's Items)

The picnic given by the Cadwell Sunday School on June 11 was well attended. Everyone present reports a good time.

Murl Scott and wife left for their home in Montevideo, last Wednesday.

Everybody celebrate the 4th of July at S. M. Satre's. A good program and all kinds of sport is

being prepared for the occasion.

B. T. Sandmark and Jay Thompson were transacting business at Sisseton, Wednesday.

Ed Gleason was on the sick list last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Monnie, of Sisseton, visited at the J. F. Gleason home Sunday.

A baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gust Kroyen last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burch and daughter arrived home from Browns Valley, Monday. We understand that they will make their future home at the Mrs. M. Houde farm.

Susie Hill and mother spent Sunday at the I. F. Hill farm.

Little Tim Cook, from Sisseton is staying at J. F. Gleason's at present.

Mrs. Peeney went to Sisseton, Wednesday and returned Saturday.

LIEN

Mrs. Andrew Norlund visited with relatives and friends at Wheaton, Minn., last week.

Miss Hilma Anderson left for Wahpeton, N. D., last Monday where she will attend summer school.

The Willing Workers' Society held their sale at the L. J. Wallstrom home last Wednesday. A large crowd was present. The receipts were \$130.

Kilmar Brovald made a business trip to Hankinson last Saturday. S. P. Hultberg and Ole Bergquist were pleasant visitors at S. Hensrud's last Wednesday evening.

The dance at Wene's neck's last Saturday night well attended.

Bernt Kuniak and family, son and family, left for Hankinson to attend school.

Wallstro's family is having a come home party.

The steps to the garage of P. A. Anderson's new barn are nearing completion.

Miss Mollie Okerlund has returned from St. Paul, and will spend her vacation at home, this summer.

Miss Rosie Klar has returned from Valley City, N. D., and will visit at the parental home for a few days before she leaves for Wahpeton, N. D., to attend summer school.

Frank Oliver visited with his mother at Sisseton, last week.

N. Jacob, the famous Norwegian baseball pitcher, expects to leave soon for Norway. He also intends to take part in the Olympic games at Stockholm, Sweden, this summer.

George Winkler visited with the family of Peter Edgren last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. O. E. Lien, of Sisseton, visited with friends in this vicinity last week.

Frank Kaun spent Sunday with the family of P. A. Anderson.

The Ladies' Aid social at Ole Toberg's, last Sunday was well attended.

Chas. Trom is treating his buggy to a new coat of paint.

Misses Anna and Mable Holm called on Anna Bvaaten last Sunday evening.

The Willing Workers' Society met last Sunday evening to make plans for the fourth of July picnic.

Mrs. M. Sheperdson, of McCluskey, N. D., is visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

GRANT.

Magnus Hanson was seeding millet for J. R. Needham, Friday.

Miss Celia Valentine drove to Browns Valley, Tuesday, and brought back Mrs. John Valentine and family, who were visiting at the hospital.

Henry Nelson left for Starbuck, Minn., last Thursday, and will remain there until harvest.

Cole Yonstad and family enjoyed an outing at Lake Traverse Sunday.

The Ladies Aid gave a coffee social at Olaf Negaard's, Sunday.

John Valentine has returned home after spending six weeks in the Browns Valley hospital.

W. S. Boyd treated his house and barn to a fine coat of paint last week.

Mrs. Lown and family were shopping in the Valley, Saturday.

Jack Stadler delivered a load of hogs at Sisseton, Monday.

An autoist of Browns Valley rounded the curve near Oletze's

mail box at high speed and landed in a ditch full of water the other day. Chris. Nollund took a team and pulled the auto to dry land.

Olaf and Ludvig Negaard were visiting the old home near Benson, Minn., last week.

School election was held in Grant Dist. No. 4, Tuesday. Albert Helgeson was elected treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Shaf, from Britton, enjoyed fishing on Big Stone lake over Sunday.

Aug. Schumann underwent an operation at Browns Valley, Tuesday.

William and Louis Krone left for Appleton, Minn., Thursday morning to be present at a wedding.

J. R. Needham let or the Teacher's Institute at Simpson Park, Tuesday.

The Grant baseball nine played the Nigr team at Olaf Negaard's place, Sunday. It was a game of hit and run, as the score will show, — 23 to 26. Owing to a dispute about some scoring, a little rowdiness was indulged in and nearly ended in a free-for-all. Next Sunday the Grant bunch will play the Stewart team north of Sisseton.

VERNON.

Olaf Oiseth and family are visiting relatives at Kasson, Minn.

Ed Loken and family and Elliot and Ida Lund were Sunday visitors near Crawford.

Rev. A. J. Haugen and family are at Kidder, this week.

Albert Dahl visited here over Sunday with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Stadstad, of Sisseton, is the guest of friends in Vernon, this week.

Miss Julia Odell, of Diamond, at the Olaf Oiseth

show and Ernest Crawford callers last

Thursday.

Ed Loken and family did some shopping for S. R.

A. H. Dahl and

the Ferguson Falls, Sunday.

Justine Murborg is visiting in Mrs. Inga Baek. Ben Baek from Minot, N. D., is here also.

Expensive Soda Water.

The highest price ever paid for a bottle of soda water was given in London recently when one that was a relic from the wreck of the Royal George was auctioned off and brought \$134. The Royal George went down in 1782, which made the soda water somewhat old. Two-thirds of the liquid remained in the bottle, the inside of which was discolored and thickly incrustated with sea salt. The bottle was of the same shape as those used for aerated waters at the present time, but the glass was of a deeper green and slightly heavier. Soda water was invented in 1767, and the relic was bought by a soda water manufacturer for advertising purposes.—New York Press.

The Old, Old Scorpion.

Scorpions are relics of prehistoric times. They have been in existence since the middle Silurian era, and through all the changes in environment in the millions of years which have elapsed they have remained practically the same in structural character. In habit. There is little if any evidence that these animals in the past days of their history have ever gained a livelihood by means other than those employed at the present day. — London Standard.

Confusing.

Smitty is a character in Park row, New York. He was born on Manhattan Island and until the last holidays he had never been outside the confines of Greater New York. Then he went to spend Christmas with a cousin over in New Jersey. When he returned one of his friends asked him what he thought of the country at large. "I don't care for it," said Smitty. "Dat Joisey is sure a funny place. Why, all de towns over there is got different names!" — Saturday Evening Post.

Time Limit on Virtue.

"What kind of a fellow is that Mr. Holloway?" asked the traveling salesman of the corner groceryman. "Honest as the day is long," answered the village merchant. "How do you know that he is?" "He says so himself. But, speakin' personal, I advise interested parties to keep an eye on him after sundown." — Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Australia's Navy.

Divided into two classes, the Australian navy is manned by, first, the permanent naval forces and, second, the citizen naval forces. The latter are volunteers, not entitled to pay in time of peace.

Bonheads.

There are thirty bones in the ordinary head. In others there are only one.—Chicago Post.

Council Proceedings.

Council Chambers, Sisseton, S. D., Oct. 2nd, 1911. Council met in regular session; present, Mayor O. T. Axness, Aldermen Julius Axness, Andrew Marvick, John Doyle, J. H. Mead, A. A. Peterson and S. R. Swenson. The following bills were duly audited and allowed: Martin Heim, labor on streets, \$3.38; Christ Cliffgaard, labor on streets, 20.25; W. B. Roberson, labor on streets, 19.70; Sullivan Lumber Co., lumber and supplies, 9.80; Leo Houde, work on streets, 9.00; Sisseton Mill & Light Co., lights, 113.30; H. P. Knappen, publishing and printing asked \$22.25 allowed, 5.06; Edgar Bennett, work on streets, asked \$5.60, allowed, 5.06; Justave Schnell, work on water mains, 4.50; Justave Schnell, work on streets, 31.50; A. Prestwick, printing, 2.00; Dave Lekness, salary for police service, 65.00; Dave Lekness, team work on streets, 24.75; Jake Polukie, work on water mains, 15.00; Jake Polukie, work on streets, 18.90; F. V. Shaw, to police service, 60.01; Ray Otto, work on streets, 1.15; Arthur Tew, work on streets, 20.31; Weis & Theis, repairing grader and scrapers, 54.05; J. H. Mead & Son, man and team on streets, 65.25; Sisseton Stone Co., constructing sidewalks, 883.78; C. L. Preston, plumbing, 25.40.

On motion duly made and seconded, the committee on water works was authorized to purchase a watering trough and place the same in an accessible place for public use. On motion duly made and seconded, the meeting was adjourned until the 17th day of October, 1911.

Frank R. McKenna, City Auditor.

City Council Chambers, Sisseton, S. D., Oct. 17th, 1911. Council met in regular session as per adjournment of Oct. 2, 1911. Present, Mayor O. T. Axness, Aldermen Andrew Marvick, S. R. Swenson, John Mead and A. A. Peterson.

Street Commissioner Dave Lekness submitted to the City Council the following reports as to the cost and construction of the sidewalks built by the City of Sisseton in said city, which reports were by resolution duly accepted by said City Council, to-wit: Lot 12 of Block 43, \$112.00; Lot 24 of Block 43, 112.50; Lot 24 of Block 54, 105.00; East 68 feet of Lot 12, Block 38, 96.50; Lot 24 of Block 42, 150.00; East 68 feet of Lot 12 of Block 39, 60.00; Lot A of Block 56, 125.62; Lot B of Block 56, 19.50.

Crosswalks were, on motion made and seconded, ordered placed in at the following places: At the street crossing from the southeast corner of block 75 to the northeast corner of block 91, and from the southeast corner of block 54 to the northeast corner of block 70.

The City Auditor was instructed by the City Council to draw a warrant in favor of H. S. Morris in the sum of \$57.28 to pay taxes on lots acquired by the city. Meeting adjourned.

FRANK R. MCKENNA, City Auditor.

Branding Criminals.

Until the end of the eighteenth century the prisoners' dock in most important English law courts was furnished with an iron upright and collar fixed in front of the person who was being tried. If a conviction followed and the judge elected to include a decree of branding in the sentence that portion of it was carried out upon the spot. The criminal's hand was put through the collar, which was effectually screwed around the wrist and the necessary branding iron having been previously heated in the courthouse fire, was forthwith marked upon the thumb with the letters which the judge directed to be burned upon it.

A Unique Coal Mine.

What is perhaps the most extraordinary coal mine in the world may be found on a tiny island in the Japan sea, near Nagasaki. This island has just sufficient room upon its surface for the shafts and the hoisting machinery. The workings, which are very extensive, reach out in all directions under the sea.

Report of the Condition of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK at Sisseton in the State of South Dakota at the close of business June 14, 1912.

Resources.	
Loans and discounts	\$27,246.97
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	4,291.74
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	30,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	212.30
Bonds, securities, etc.	8,372.25
Other real estate owned	12,500.00
Due from state and private banks and Savings Banks	17,900.00
Due from approved reserve agents	434.72
Checks and Other Cash Items	366.91
Exchange for clearing house	538.27
Notes of other National Banks	1,981.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	129.81
Legal-tender notes	\$18,296.30
Legal-tender notes	3,220.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	2,148.30
Due from U. S. Treasurer	1,500.00
	5.00
Total	\$49,933.13

Liabilities.	
Capital stock paid in	40,000.00
Surplus fund	19,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	181.44
National bank notes outstanding	30,000.00
Due to State and Private Banks and Branches	5,203.61
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	11,075.23
Individual deposits subject to check	38,082.58
Time certificates of deposit	196,038.27
Cashier's checks outstanding	9,551.90
Total	\$49,933.13

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA, County of Roberts—ss. I, S. K. Olberg, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. S. K. OLBERG, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of June, 1912. ALICE KENNEDY, Notary Public.

Bank No. 24537. Statement of the Condition of THE FIRST SAVINGS & TRUST CO. of Sisseton, South Dakota, at the close of business on June 14, 1912.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$88,117.12
Tax Sale Certificates	965.22
Other Real Estate	3,950.00
Other Property	113.31
Expense	242.30
Due from Banks	10,075.23
Sheriff's Certificate of Sale	6,232.63
TOTAL	\$99,793.10

LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock	\$25,000.00
Surplus Fund	37.15
Undivided Profits	1,900.00
Reserve Fund	791.67
Deposits subject to check	4,999.90
Time Certificates	58,659.70
TOTAL	\$99,793.10

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Advertised Letters. The following letters remain unclaimed in this office for the week ending June 22, 1912. Michaelson, Mr. J. R. Moliery, Mr. Per. Moran, Susan Nikstad, Mr. H. Ostreness & Co., Messrs. Pederson, Mrs. Emma Schneider, Andrew. If not called for within two weeks they will be sent to the dead letter office. M. A. Knappen, P. M.

THRESHING OUTFIT

BARGAIN

I have a Buffalo Pitts Outfit For Sale. 25-horse engine with heavy gear, 38 x 58 steel frame separator, 2 tanks and one main belt—in fact, complete in every respect. The rig is as good as new, having been run only about 50 days all told. It will be sold at a bargain on three years' time.

W. F. Carlberg

SISSETON, S. D.

PETITION FOR DISCHARGE IN BANKRUPTCY

In the District Court of the United States, District of South Dakota, Northern Division. In the matter of Andrew Hendrickson, Bankrupt. To the Honorable James D. Elliott, Judge of the District Court of the United States, for the District of South Dakota, Northern Division. Andrew Hendrickson, of Orley, in the county of Roberts, and State of South Dakota, in said district, respectfully represents and states that on the 15th day of March, 1912, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all acts and with all the requirements of said acts and with the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy. Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts against his estate, under the bankruptcy act, except such debts as are excepted by said law. Dated this 18th day of May, A. D. 1912. ANDREW HENDRICKSON, Bankrupt. Anderson & Waddell, Attorneys for Bankrupt. Webster, S. D.

Order of Notice Thereon.

District of South Dakota—ss. On this 23rd day of May, A. D. 1912, on reading the foregoing petition, it is ordered by the court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 31st day of August, A. D. 1912, before said court, at Sioux Falls, in said district, at ten o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published twice in the Sisseton Standard, a newspaper printed at Sisseton, in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered by the court, that the clerk shall, upon payment of the bankruptcy fee, or his attorney, of the actual expense thereof, send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated. Witness the Honorable James D. Elliott, Judge of the said court, and the seal thereof, at Sioux Falls, in said district, on the 27th day of May, A. D. 1912. Oliver S. Pendar, Clerk (62-1). By Odlin R. Davis, Deputy.

Notice of Foreclosure Sale.

State of South Dakota, ss. County of Roberts. In Circuit Court, 5th Judicial Circuit. The Union Central Life Insurance Company, a corporation, Plaintiff. A. W. Lindquist, M. Edna Lindquist, D. E. Eyre, G. H. Knappen, and Fred G. Huntington, Trustees in Bankruptcy of the Estate of Andy Lindquist, Charles G. Lindquist and Fred Lindquist as co-partners and individuals, Defendants. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of a judgment of foreclosure and sale in the above entitled action rendered on the 11th day of May, A. D. 1912, and an execution issued upon said judgment, the sheriff, John S. Swanson, sheriff within and for Roberts county, South Dakota, for that purpose appointed, will sell at public auction at the front door of the Court House in the city of Sisseton, County of Roberts and State of South Dakota, on the 13th day of July, A. D. 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, the real estate and mortgaged premises situated in the County of Roberts and State of South Dakota and directed in said judgment and execution to be sold, and therein described as follows: The Southeast quarter of section seventy (70) in township one hundred twenty (120), north of range forty nine (49), west of the 5th P. M., containing 160 acres more or less according to the government survey thereof, or so much thereof as may be sufficient to satisfy said judgment and costs, amounting in all to the sum of Two Thousand One Hundred Forty-one dollars and thirty cents, with interest thereon from the date of said judgment, and all accruing costs of sale. Dated June 5th, 1912. JOHN S. SWANSON, Sheriff of Roberts County, S. D. (50-3).

The Sisseton Mill & Light Co., to consumers at the regular wholesale price \$1.40 a sack. Now is the time to lay in a supply. Have the Standard print it. Have the Standard print it.