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**DR. HORTON**

**LOCAL AND PERSONAL.**  
Brief Items of Interest to City and Country Readers.

Everybody goes to the Box Ball Alley.

To-day's markets—Wheat, 87c; Corn, 55c; Oats, 45c; Rye, 65c.

Legal blanks for sale at The Democrat office.

P. D. Wells was in Chicago on business Monday.

George Platt has returned from Payne, Minn., where he has been for some time.

The Democrat and the Chicago Daily Journal, each a full year for only \$3.50.

Mrs. E. L. Hollingsworth and daughter Dorothy were Chicago visitors Saturday.

Don't fail to see "The Trust Busters," Saturday, Nov. 21, at Willis opera house.

J. F. Irwin returned Monday from a business trip to Streator, Ottawa and Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. May Parcells has been suffering the past week from tonsillitis, but is better at this writing.

John Renicker came down from North Manchester on business Friday, returning Tuesday morning.

The Twice-a-Week Democrat and the Twice-a-Week St. Louis Republic, both a full year for only \$2.00.

Mr. John Stewart and Mrs. Frank Prence of Chicago are visiting Mrs. Frank Critzer of Newton, Mo., this week.

Seth Strange of Thornton was in the city yesterday looking after his residence property in the north part of town.

Mrs. James Kennedy and two children of Walkerton are visiting the family of Geo. F. Meyers on Division street.

New subscribers to The Democrat this week by postoffice: Letcher, So. Dak., 1; Remington, R-R-3, 1; Rensselaer, R-R-3, 1.

Walter Harrington of Union tp., left yesterday to visit his sister, Mrs. Jesse Ball, at Mitchell, So. Dak. He will be gone about two weeks.

Anson Cox, who was so badly hurt by being thrown from a horse at the S. P. Thompson ranch near Parr last week, has so far recovered as to be able to come up town Monday.

Frank Kresler has traded his big farm near Mitchell, So. Dak., for Bruce Porter's residence property on North Cullen street. Mr. Porter will move to South Dakota, we understand.

Geo. F. Meyers has been appointed guardian over Rev. Abraham Miller of Barkley tp., whose wife died last week. Mr. Miller is quite old and is incapable of managing his affairs, it is alleged.

Mrs. J. W. Speaks, who has been sick for some time at her home in the northwest part of town, died Monday evening at 8 o'clock. At this writing no arrangements had been made for the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mustard and children who have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Mustard, and sister, Mrs. Sylvester Gray, left yesterday for Hereford, Texas, where he has bought a farm.

Lee Jessup has moved into his new cement block residence on South Division street, and Mr. A. G. W. Farmer, who owns the property vacated by Mr. Jessup, will rent same until spring, when he may decide to occupy it himself.

A little snow fell Saturday morning, enough to make the ground almost white, and it still remains on the ground at this writing in the shade of buildings, the weather having continued quite cool, although very pleasant otherwise.

James Hemphill moved Monday to Goodland, where he has rented the old Gettling blacksmith shop on Main street and will open up a shop therein. Jim is a good workman and will get his share of the trade once the people there test his work.

Mrs. R. W. Crisler, formerly of Mt. Airy but of late a resident of Roselawn, died Sunday morning after an extended illness. She was a sister of A. J. and Bert Brenner of Rensselaer. A husband and five children are left. The funeral was held yesterday at Roselawn and burial made in the North Star cemetery near Mt. Airy.

**FOOTBALL CRIPPLES' ARRAY.**  
Los Angeles Suburb, Horrified at Modern Ideas of Educational Pastime, Calls Halt.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 14.—Gridiron casualties this year have put a ban on football at the Hollywood high school for the future. This season's schedule of games will not be completed. There will be no team next year.

Five players are in the hospital now, the result of a game with the Pasadena high school last Saturday. Three may be crippled for life. Neil Hill was carried off the field with a broken thigh. Arthur Priester had the tendons of his neck injured. Charles Knowles, it is feared, will suffer permanent paralysis of the lower limbs.

These and other football injuries of Hollywood's youth stirred this fashionable suburb of Los Angeles to revulsion against the pigskin. Parents protested, the school board acted against football, and the teachers of the high school enforced a new order.

**EVEN SUICIDES UNCERTAIN.**

You can't always tell what will happen. For instance here is a story of a man who determined to commit suicide. He went up town and purchased a rope, can of oil, box of matches, dose of arsenic and a revolver. He went down to the river, pushed his boat from the shore and paddled down to where a tree hung out over the water. He got up in the bow of the boat and tied one end of the rope to a limb and the other around his neck, saturated his clothing with coal oil and set fire to them, took a dose of arsenic, put the muzzle of the revolver to his temple and pulled the trigger. But the bullet glanced and cut the rope above him and he fell kerplunk into the water and put the fire out; he got strangled and coughed the arsenic up and rose up and waded out and declared himself a candidate for office on the Anti-Saloon League ticket.—Ex.

**WANTS FOOTBALL STOPPED.**

Evansville, Ind., Nov. 13.—Chas. Daugherty, druggist and ex-prize fighter, of Arlington Heights, Ill., came here today to attend the funeral of his brother Albert Daugherty, who was killed in a football game at Henderson, Ky., last Saturday, and announced that he would demand the arrest of the players on both teams in the hope that the game might be stopped. Charles Daugherty was formerly a member of the local Y. M. C. A., and several years ago, when it was announced that he was to meet Peter Maher in the prize ring, he was warned by the association to keep out of their quarters. His brother was playing with the local Y. M. C. A. when he sustained fatal injuries. William Daugherty, a theatrical man of New York, and a brother of the dead football player, and a sister, Miss Jeanette, are both in a serious condition as the result of the shock of Daugherty's death, and it is feared the brother will not recover.

**OH ME, OH MY!**

When Graves has a Dollar in Hand He Sees Two, and Even "Schooners" Double Up.

New York, Nov. 13.—When John Edward Graves, of Arlington avenue, Jersey City, sits down to breakfast in the morning he sees two wives instead of one before him.

When he has only \$1 in his hand he sees \$2.

All that is delightful. But it isn't so pleasant when he sees two grocers and each with two bills, where only one grocer should be.

The fact is, says Graves, he sees everything double, and that is due to the fact that on June 18 last, he was knocked down in Exchange place, Jersey City, by a truck belonging to the Dynacko-Marrow Trucking Company. He has begun suit against that company for \$5,000 damages in the Hudson County Circuit Court.

After Graves was injured he was treated by specialists. They did everything they could to his injured eyes. At first he did not see double. That condition first became manifest October 15 last. He looked up to say something to Mrs. Graves, and was astounded to see two of her sitting before him. Alarmed, he tested his eyes on other objects, with the result that he discovered that he saw two of every object at which he looked, even to a "schooner" of hops.

A friend of the trucking company members hinted to-day that if they lost it would be a good scheme to hand over only \$2,500 to Graves.

"If he really sees double," said the wise man, "that'll stand for the full \$5,000."

The Democrat has a few more of those handsome and useful Wall Charts left. We want to close them out, and if you have not already secured one you should do so before they are all gone. Remember they are but 35 cents additional with a year's subscription to The Democrat.

**Wanted:—Young married man to work on farm.**

Address Box 99, Laurens, Iowa.

Three games of Box Ball for 35 cents will save a doctor bill of \$5.

**CAPE COD TO KEY WEST**

Deep Waterway Scheme for an Inland Passage Along the Atlantic Coast.

**BOOSTERS MEET AT BALTIMORE**

Head of the Movement Is Representative Moore, of Pennsylvania.

Among Its Advantages Are Great Saving of Human Life; Also Property, and Vast Commercial Benefits.

Baltimore, Nov. 17.—Five hundred accredited delegates gathered here today to attend the first annual convention of the Deeper Waterways convention. The convention will last three days and is expected to be productive of good results in the promotion of American maritime interests.

**J. HAMPTON MOORE.**

Its primary object is the advocacy of the movement to build an inland waterway connecting Boston with Key West, practically the entire length of the Atlantic seaboard of the United States. More than 200 associations are banded together to promote the movement.

**Predicts Success for the Cause.**

The president of the Deeper Waterways association is Representative J. Hampton Moore, of Philadelphia, who delivered the address welcoming the delegates and outlining the objects of the association. He predicted a successful outcome of the association's work, declaring it to be one in which the entire American people are vitally interested.

**WHAT THE ENTERPRISE MEANS**

Saving of Hundreds of Lives One Thing—Commercial Aspects.

In speaking of the association's work Moore said: "If the opening of a waterway from the north side of Cape Cod to Long Island sound means the saving of a single life employed in the shipping trade, why should we not strive for the completion of it? When we know as a matter of record that hundreds of human lives are lost upon the shoals of Cape Cod and that millions of dollars' worth of valuable property is wrecked because there is no inside passage, why should we hesitate to put our engineers at work and make a short cut inland that will provide a safe harbor for shipping and a haven for the men who are engaged in that important occupation?"

"If the deepening of an inland channel between the Delaware river and the Chesapeake bay will give to American ships of war a safe inside passage and a harbor for repairs or for stores in times of peace or in times of war and will save an outside sailing distance of hundreds of miles, with all its perils, why should a great nation like this hesitate to provide such deeper channel?"

"If again—and I regard this as of greater concern to the common people—the deepening of such a waterway between any such ports along the Atlantic coast or from any point of production to any point of shipment will enable the farmers or the manufacturers to do more business than they hitherto have done or will provide facilities that will attract trade and encourage the development of American shipping, why should we not provide such waterways and thus strengthen the hands of the breadwinners of our country?"

**Ruef's Counsel Threatened.**

San Francisco, Nov. 17.—In the course of an application for change of venue for Abraham Ruef, owing to the alleged impossibility of securing a fair trial for him in this city, his counsel read affidavits setting forth that the counsel for the defense was receiving communications by telephone and mail threatening their lives if they continued in the defense of Ruef.

**Hiegen Is Out for Good.**

Springfield, Mass., Nov. 17.—Thomas L. Hiegen, of West Springfield, the Independence party candidate for president this year, has announced that he is out of politics for good.

**Tarbiz Is Being Fortified.**

Tarbiz, Nov. 17.—Turkish officers are assisting Satar Khan in fortifying the town against the forces of the shah.

**WE OFFER THE WORLD**

**THIS WEEK**

**The Following List of Palate Pleasers**

Big new Pineapples, each 17c.  
Fresh Leaf Lettuce, pound 20c.  
Finest Virginia Sweet Potatoes, pounds 4c.  
Nice tender Asparagus Tips, can 25c.  
Fancy Spanish Olives, quart 25c.  
Genuine N. Y. Baldwin Apples, peck 40c.  
Clear Light Strained Honey, half pound glass, each 10c.  
Butterscotch Drip Syrup, 5-pound can 25c.  
Fancy Fayette Mince-meat, package 10c.  
Dandy Home-Made Dill Pickles, dozen 8c.  
Old Mammy's Lye Hominy, can 16c.  
Heavy Smoked Halibut, pound 25c.  
Best Holland Herring, keg \$1.00.  
Finest Family White Fish, 8-pound pail 60c.  
Salt Mackerel, about 4-pound, each 10c.

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**OBITUARY.**

Oakel W. Gant, the youngest daughter of Mrs. Linnie Gant, was born in this county Feb. 26, 1899. She died in Rensselaer Nov. 9, 1908, aged 9 years, 8 months and 13 days. Her last illness was of about three weeks duration, though not considered serious until a few hours before her death. However, she suffered intensely at times, though always patient and without a murmur.

Another little one is taken from our midst, from all suffering and pain to that bright and eternal home above, where she awaits the reunion of loved ones here. She leaves to mourn her loss a mother, sister Mary, brothers, Orpha and Willie, besides relatives and a host of friends.

While in the city Oakel was a faithful attendant at the Baptist Sunday School, having attended there the Sabbath before her sickness. The funeral was preached from the church by the pastor, and burial made in Weston cemetery. **xx**

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