



# Eastern Nebraska Genealogical Society Newsletter

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**HAPPY NEW YEAR!**

Jolly good wishes for  
a New Year packed  
with fun and lots  
of happiness  
all rolled  
into one!



## TIDBITS FROM FREMONT DAILY HERALD

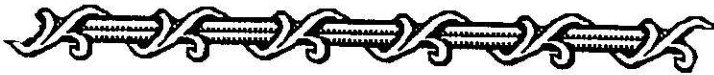
### JANUARY 1878 Issues

14 JANUARY 2008 7:00 P.M.  
Mares Meeting Room  
1722 East 19-Fremont NE

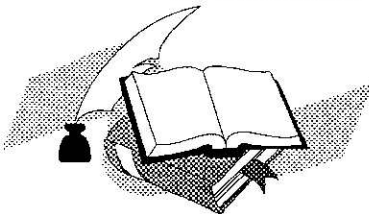
#### Program:

"Frances Slocum becomes Ma-Con-a-quah:  
An Indian Captivity Family Story"  
Presented by Susan H Wood, Ph. D.,  
Assistant Professor of English at  
Midland Lutheran College

Browse Night  
28 January 2008



Please plan to attend, this will be an excellent story, one everyone should listen to. Renee Bunck made the arrangements for this program.



#### New On The Shelves

Preserving Our Past-Family History of Dostal and Ranstem families by Robert Dostal.

Bob did a beautiful story of the two families in his Genealogy, it was enjoyable reading through it. Thanks, Bob.

The Catholic Workman Silver Jubilee 1891-1916 translated by Alfred Novacek Indexed by Margie Sobotka.

The Silver Jubilee book could be an important item in that it states the Group numbers of each city and also lists the names of the charter members and covers many close counties to our Dodge County. If you are seeking a name that falls in those period years, it will give you the name of the church they were affiliated with.. a good clue.

January 4<sup>th</sup> - Mr Charles Dickerson's dwelling house, three miles west of North Bend was totally destroyed by fire on Monday, 31<sup>st</sup> ult. The family were visiting at the house of Mr Wm Dickerson when the fire broke out, and before they could reach home the building was a mass of flames and smoke. The only article saved from the fire was a sewing machine. There was no insurance on either the building or its contents consequently the loss falls heavily upon Mr Dickerson. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Jan 4<sup>th</sup> - Mr Davis and Mr Allen in District 23, are building new barns in which to garner their grain and shelter their stock. Mr Johnson, residing near Jalapa, is also building a new barn for like purposes.

Jan 14<sup>th</sup> - While Herman Godel was sleigh riding with two young ladies Sunday afternoon, his horse took fright and came dashing along by the HERALD office like a streak of chained lightning. At Shed & Henry's corner he collided with the sidewalk, tossing the ladies and the gallant out, and sending the sleigh into more pieces than the veil of the Judean temple. Herman held to the lines like a pilot to his helm, and stopped the horse. The sleighers escaped without any injury, but were frightened worse than a new recruit in the face of the enemy.

Jan 14<sup>th</sup> - Saturday morning while Mrs Fred Meyer was in the kitchen helping prepare the breakfast, her little eight months old child, crawled up to the coffee pot, turned it over and the boiling contents were emptied on its thighs, scalding the poor little innocent so severely, that when its clothing was removed the skin peeled off its limbs with them. Dr Bruner was called in and relieved the poor little sufferer to some extent, but it writhed in agony for several hours. The burn, though serious, is not necessarily fatal, and we hope the little fellow will speedily recover.

Jan 19<sup>th</sup> - There was a lively dance and splendid supper over at Grange Hall, Saunders county, Friday night. A few of Fremont's beaux and belles attended and returned home delighted with their evening's entertainment. The dance lasted most all night, and some of our boys who stayed to see the fun through looked like wilted cabbage plants when they got home this morning. The supper was gotten up by Estes & Rhodes and did honor to the occasion.



DODGE COUNTY, NEBRASKA MARRIAGES  
100 YEARS OLD - January 1908 - Book 12

William Mitteis to Hattie M Stoltenberg on 01 Jan  
James A Giles to Malana Molle on 02 Jan  
Cashes(?) Ellsworth Tidd to Mabel Ashley on 06 Jan  
Genoa Nathaniel Smith to Hannah C Godbersen on 14 Jan  
John H Cusick to Deanie Edna Keneval on 15 Jan  
Willie E Durkee to Eva Marie Brenner on 15 Jan  
Clay C Pratt to Dolly Castle on 16 Jan  
Edward Mattson to Edia Larson on 21 Jan  
Arthur E Bowring to Mabel Holbrook on 22 Jan  
James Martin Row to Sallie V Frock on 22 Jan  
Harry Eldredge to Marion Boileau Wilkie on 22 Jan  
Albert Peltzer to Emma Holl on 23 Jan  
Anton Glodowski to Emma B Hanzl on 28 Jan  
Guy Everett Berry to Josephine N Miller on 29 Jan  
Herman John Knoell to Marie M Sasse on 29 Jan  
Ernest Thomsen to Nellie McNeill on 30 Jan  
John A H Nelson to Lillie E Johnson on 31 Jan

ASHLEY - TIDD

At the house of the bride's parents by the Rev G. K. Dawson of Arlington, Cassius E Tidd and Mable E Ashley were married Tuesday. About twenty-five guests were present. The wedding march was played by the bride's sister, Mrs Cornish. Miss Beulah Cooper acted as brides-maid, and Mr Duke Moore as best man. The house was decorated with carnations and ferns, and after the ceremony refreshments were served. Miss Cooper played several selections on the Melaphone accompanied by the piano. Many beautiful presents were received. Mrs Tidd is well known in Des Moines, Iowa, where she was born and made her home until recently. The young couple will continue their residence in Fremont.

Fremont Tribune 11 Jan 1908 5:3

(note various spelling of Cassius-Cashes)

This was also noted in the same newspaper, but licensed elsewhere.

Dixon - Blair

At high noon Tuesday Miss Mabel C Dixon, daughter of Mr & Mrs A B Dixon of Elmwood, Neb., and Fred C Blair of Fremont, were quietly married at the home of the bride's parents by the Rev Harvey Harmon, pastor of the First Christian church at Lincoln. The affair was a quiet one, attended only by close relatives of the couple. It was exceedingly pretty, however in its appointments. The rooms were decorated with a profusion of flowers. In the evening the couple left for Lincoln and other points on a brief honeymoon trip, then came to Fremont to occupy their new home at Eleventh and C streets where they will be at home to their friends after February 1.

The bride is a sweet and winsome young woman who is refined and highly accomplished. A few years ago she was a student at Fremont college. Subsequently she attended the normal at Peru and business college at Lincoln and graduated from both of these institutions. Mr Blair is highly popular in social and musical affairs for several years. He is a most excellent young man.

Mr & Mrs Blair has been receiving their share of attention from charivari parties. At Elmwood a party of young men decorated the car of the train which they occupied when they left, and plastered their baggage with posters and baby shoes. Circulars bearing the following were distributed among the passengers: "We are Mr and Mrs Blair of Elmwood, Neb., newly married. Jolly us and get acquainted. We don't mind!"

Fremont Tribune 11 Jan 1908 5:2

GENIE SAYINGS

My hobby is genealogy, I raise dust bunnies as pets.

Only a Genealogist regards a step backwards, as progress.

Genealogists are time unravelers.

Oh, How True!

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