



Eastern Nebraska Genealogical Society Newsletter

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January 9, 2012 - 7 p.m.
Mares Meeting Room
1722 East 19th-Fremont NE

PROGRAM

It will be a Show & Tell Month

Since we did not have it at the opening of our fall season.

OR

Memories of a Christmas that remains in your
Mind as a child.

BROWSE NITE

January 23, 2012 at 7 p.m.

receive the .172 mailing, and a number of State societies in the U.S. to a

Claire was snooping thru the old newspaper. She first printed and found some news items, it was mostly advertising from retailers, grocers etc. In a two month check of papers(weekly) I noted only one death notice, and no marriages.

This was in the first issue of the 1868 January term of the Fremont Tribune, dated 1 Jan 1868.

Christmas eve was the occasion of a happy time among the Sabbath School children of Fremont, and at an early hour many smiling anxious children had gathered at the Court House and in St James Church to receive presents from the Christmas tree. At the Court House three schools had united, two beautiful trees loaded with fine and tasty presents were handsomely illuminated. At the Episcopal Church one large handsome tree, bearing rich gifts, ornamented the west end of the room, while the walls and windows were beautifully hung with evergreens. Services appropriate for the occasion were held at both places, and all there gathered will long remember the pleasure of the evening.

With the other children, our chief was favored by the present of a handsome map, and a mitten, for the first he desires us to thus publicly return thanks to the kind donors, the latter affects him sorely, though the candy it contained greatly relieves his suffering.

And this, though a bit late! To Parents, Guardians, Lovers, Friends and Children. Please remember that I have taken up quarters during the Holidays with my old friends May Bros., at Variety Hall. Call and see me.

SANTA CLAUS

SNOW TIME

This is from the North Bend Argus. While it is a small town newspaper, it really has some very interesting articles within their pages.

A moderate snowfall occurred last Thursday night and Friday. An old fashioned bobsled ride was indulged in by about fifteen or twenty of our young people and it goes without saying that they had a good time. Several of the party were asked if the sleighing was good, but they er--- didn't know, but they had a long string of belles.

The North Bend Argus 15 January 1891 5:2

Am preparing this newsletter, so it can be mailed at the end of December. Our price for mailing will increase, once again.

You will be receiving letters regarding the renewal of dues. I have it about ready to go into the mail. Several have already paid their 2012 dues.

We had our microfilm reader/printer checked. It needed some work done and several rollers had to be replaced but it works great now. It was costly, so if you desire to add a donation with your renewals, it will be greatly appreciated.

Gloria Jacoby is making good progress and is now in water therapy. BUT Richard passed out in their kitchen. The daughter found him after hours of his being missing. He is still in the hospital with other issues healthwise. We wish them both good recoveries. Their address, for mail(no e-mail) is Dick & Gloria Jacoby 17116 Lafayette Circle, Omaha, NE 68118-6007. She was very active in past years.

I did find a column in the 1917 newspaper(Tribune) listing the voter registration for 1868. There were 147 listed. What a lovely find. It could be useful for persons seeking an early settler in this area. It is not just Fremont, but parts of Hooper, Nickerson and North Bend area. It just might be in our Roots & Leaves in the future. I want to change the style of both the newsletter and Roots & Leaves, but haven't figured out how I'll do it. Need to check with helper aide, Renee Bunck. We are now having difficulty finding the early marriage write-ups for our list of marriages in the mid 1910's.

Many of our societies that mail their quarterlies are going to the computer. I dislike reading the e-mails, but can understand. We mail our newsletters to 205, and the Roots & Leaves to 255. We must maintain 200 mailings in order to



The following newspaper articles were most interesting and I am sharing them with you. They are in regard to the "Old" Fremont Cemetery Ass'n and the cemetery that used to be in the Barnard Park. There are no headings for these articles.

Fremont Weekly Tribune 1 Jan 1869 3:3

Fremont, Dec 21st, 1868

Minutes of a meeting of the Fremont Cemetery Association held at the public school house.

Met pursuant to a call for election of officers, and other purposes; Rev Isaac E Heaton presiding.

Minutes of meeting Dec 2d, 1867, and March 20th, 1868, read and approved.

Report of committee on building fence by John Ray, report accepted.

On motion, proceeded to the election of officers by acclamation. The following officers were elected:

Rev. O C Dake – President.

Sam'l O'Brien – Vice President

H R Harmon – Secretary

John Ray – Treasurer

The Secretary reported as in his possession \$32. Known to be in the Treasury \$84.35.

Rev I E Heaton said there was more funds in the Treasury than the Secretary reports, of which Secretary has no account.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

R KITTLE, Secretary

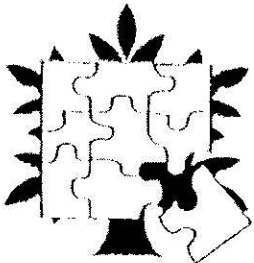
On 29 January 1869 3:3 Fremont Weekly Tribune

Winter is slipping quietly by and yet no action has been taken by our citizens to secure a removal of the cemetery located in the eastern part of town. That new grounds will soon be needed, and a removal of the present interments become a sanitary necessity before a great while, no one who has seen our repaid growth can doubt—and it does seem to us that whatever is likely to prove a necessity should be done now while all the boxes are in good state of preservation and can be moved without serious disturbance of the contents. We hope that some one will make it a point to attend to this matter, call a meeting of the cemetery Association and see what can and should be done.

"And it took until 1878 before the new Ridge cemetery was declared and the interment of bodies were removed."

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**FORTY-SEVEN PUPILS STEP UP
FROM CENTRAL TO HIGH**

Central High School made a fine record this semester in the number of pupils graduated to the High school grades, there being forty-seven of them accredited with certificates of promotion. Forty-four of the pupils took advantage of the opportunity to advance and continue their studies in the higher grades which is an excellent proportion, according to the school authorities.

The following are the names of those who finished at Central school, and most of them enrolled at High school on Monday morning: Esther Bandlow, Freda Brown, Mildred Cattern, Rosanel Catron, Nathalie Chestnut, Olga Christensen, Mildred Daly, Jennie Dunn, Vera Dunn, Margaret Godel, Margaret Gandy, Gladys Goodspeed, Lolita Hanson, Opal Head, Thelma Howe, Gertrude Janowski, Marie Jensen, Johanna Jensen, Ruby Kavich, Johanna Keilstrup, Verda Lindberg, Gertrude Lipschitz, Florence Madsen, Bertha Marquardt, lone Metzinger, Florence Nagel, Norma Sander, Lovenda Struve, Edna Taylor, Viola Whitaker, Marcus Allen, Elbert Anderson, Glen Anderson, Wm Assmussen, Ira Ball, Warren Buchanan, Frank Custer, Roy Dunn, Earl Gauger, John Jackman, Ervin Klug, Robert Nelson, Leonard Peterson, Donald Pritchett, Edie Schipmann, Arnold Shriver, Warren Stewart.

Fremont Weekly Tribune 26 January 1917 page 1.

NEW BOOKS ON THE SHELF

St John's Evangelical Luth. Church-Hooper NE and index
All Name Index to Scribner NE History 1871-1971
All Name Index to American Patriotism or Memoirs of Common Men (1869) by Leonard Brown. This book is in the possession of Margie Sobotka. The index is 25 pages in length. Margie loves to index and since she has her computer in Washington, she has become very active. She will do Hooper NE book next (but we need a copy for her to work from).



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