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The news dispatches from Washington today carry the news that William Howard Taft, former president, is the new chief justice of the United States supreme court. President Harding thus confirms the "prognostications" of the political dopesters since the death of Judge White several weeks ago. The appointment will undoubtedly meet with general popular approval, for Mr. Taft has a judicial mind, coupled with plenty of common sense and his appointment should bring the supreme court closer to the public. Perhaps it will be a long time before we are again handed another decision like the one of last year, allowing corporations to issue stock dividends, following which the capital stock of most of the large corporations has been doubled and in some cases perhaps trebled, giving the common people the "privilege" of helping pay dividends on that much more watered stock. The office of chief justice is undoubtedly second only in importance to that of the office of president and Mr. Taft undoubtedly will fill it in a capable manner.

On page one of this issue of The Herald will be found a timely warning by State Fire Marshall C. E. Hartford to the people of Nebraska, for the purpose of helping protect life and limb on July Fourth, and to preserve property from destruction by fire. Mr. Hartford says, "Fireworks indicate a desire for excitement rather than patriotism; but if they must be used in the celebration of that great day, the Fourth of July, which we all revere, I want to impress on the minds of the public that small children should not be allowed to handle fire works as they are too young to realize the danger." Marshal Hartford's appeal to the public should be carefully read and heeded.

The Lions club of Alliance has taken a good step in preparing and forwarding a set of resolutions to the Nebraska congressional delegation at Washington, urging that steps be taken towards serious and immediate consideration of and action on the proposals for naval disarmament by the nations of the world. A copy of these resolutions is published on the first page of this issue. The thoughts contained therein are worthy of serious study. The resolution follows the excellent talk made by Earl Jones at the local Den on Thursday.

PERSONALS

Coursey & Miller, proprietors of the Ford garage, report the sale of five new Ford cars, as follows: K. Hamano, roadster; Frank Abegg, sedan; Grace Kennedy, coupe; S. G. Platte, touring car; Charles Taylor, touring car.

Harve Kiester and family, who are on their way to Scottsbluff, are visiting friends here.

K. L. Pierce and George Jenkins of Hemingford were business visitors in Alliance Wednesday.

F. H. Smith of Antioch was a business visitor Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday.

H. T. Gant and family left Thursday for Broken City, Mo., where they will make their home.

Mrs. Hashman of Iowa is visiting at the home of her son, Cal Hashman.

Mrs. F. E. Reed and Mrs. Harry Lomis of Berea were shoppers in town Thursday.

Cecil Beal left Thursday for Denver, where he went to find relief from the hay fever.

Mrs. Charles and Anna Hering of Antioch were shoppers in the city Thursday.

Calvin D. Walker left Wednesday morning for Rushville to attend to business affairs there.

Forest Laps of Edgemoor, S. Dak., came down Wednesday to visit the J. S. Robbins family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Beck moved up from Lakeside Thursday morning to make their home here.

M. O. Oldt of North Platte is visiting at the Katen home.

Rev. and Mrs. A. J. May of Hemingford were visitors in Alliance Thursday.

Miss Helen Murphy of Grand Island returned to her home Thursday after a visit at the home of M. P. Ryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reddish are expecting to go to Los Angeles soon. They will leave the children at Hastings with her parents.

W. R. Harper and family, with J. C. McCorkle and family left this morning at three o'clock to motor to Denver, where they will spend the Fourth.

The Alliance Sunday school baseball league will play its first game on Monday, July Fourth, at five o'clock in the afternoon at the fair grounds. There are four teams in the league and the first game will be played between the Christian and Presbyterian teams. On Thursday at five o'clock a game will be played between the Baptist and Methodist teams. There will be practice Saturday afternoon on the high school diamond at two o'clock.

Big Tire Concern Gives Advice to Stop Tire Thief

"With tire prices at the lowest level in history, and with the season at hand for vacation trips, spare rims are being rapidly equipped with tires, in many cases several spares being carried, says a general letter sent to its branches by the tire and rubber company, "and it is at this time that tire thieves are most active.

"You can deal a death-blow at this evil," the letter continues, "by communicating to tire dealers, who, in turn, will suggest it to car owners, a plan whereby tire thievery can be practically, if not wholly, eliminated. There is no expense involved, but on the contrary money and trouble saved.

"It is, simply, that when 'spares' are purchased they should be put in use at once—if only for a short time—and only tires that have been in use carried as 'spares.'

According to officials of the company a survey of the situation brought to light the remarkable fact that nearly 99 per cent of all tires stolen were brand new. The approximate 1 per cent, remaining, being used tires in cases where, evidently, the thief didn't stop to see what kind of tire the case contained. Otherwise, not a single used tire was stolen.

Barber Decamps With Tools of Trade.

Ernest Onstott is not more confiding than the average person, perhaps, but in one case he has suffered a larger penalty for his trust in human nature. When he went away for a little outing trip last week he requisitioned a young barber from some of the shops at Scottsbluff to take care of his work during his absence. The barber, whose name is Miller, stayed a couple of days and then disappeared, leaving the front and back doors of the shop unlocked. Jack Williamson, baker next door, noted that fact, and it developed on investigation that the young man had got away with about fifty dollars worth of tools. He had been also given the key to the Onstott house in order that he might sleep there, and upon the return of the Onstott family they found something like \$150 worth of silverware and other valuables also missing. The officers are making a hunt for him, one possibility being that he has gone to his former home, said to be at Nelson in this state. But wherever he has gone, the goods are gone there or elsewhere.—Gering Courier.

Saved His Life and Ford.

When A. W. Brown, an insurance man of St. Paul, Minn., piloted by "Butch" Eitemiller in a Ford, tipped off the White river bridge near the Ormesher ranch, he lost his purse, his eye glasses and saved the Ford and his life. It seems that the car got stuck in the mud near the bridge. They secured Bill Ormesher and a team to pull them out. In taking them across the bridge the insurance man calmly guided the Henry over the side into 20 feet of White river water, which at this time of year isn't white, at all—quite the opposite. Grasping some over-hanging willows and assisted by "Butch" and Bill, he was dragged to safety minus his specs and a purse containing over \$70.00. Another team was brought up and the Lizzie hauled out, and wrung out, "Butch" taking his passenger on for the remainder of the trip as per schedule. It is said that everyone concerned had a hearty laugh—except the insurance man.—Chadron Journal.

A passenger car load of Ogallala Sioux Indians, dressed out in their full regalia, stopped over in Alliance this noon while on their way to Fort Morgan, Colo., where they will be on Merriwall of Pine Ridge, S. D., was in the program of the American Legion Roundup on July 4, 5, 6 and 7. Alex charge of the party, which will return through Alliance the latter part of next week. There were thirty-five in the party, including children. The chief of the party is Iron Bow, aged 88 years. Another chief is Standing Bear. A survivor of the battle of Wounded Knee is along in the person of Little Finger, who was wounded at that famous battle.

The chautauqua ticket committee will start out Saturday morning and will canvas the downtown district. Tickets will be placed on sale at several different places in the business district. Each place at which tickets will be on sale will be designated by a card in the window, so that no one who desires to attend the high-class entertainment to be provided next week will have to go without tickets. You will save time and money by buying your tickets early.

BIRTHS

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. LeSage, a baby boy, weighing nine pounds, on Thursday, June 29th.

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Dr. Frank Elwood Gordon, who lectures evening of the second day of our Chautauqua, is a veritable Abraham Lincoln in stature, force and logic. He is one of those men who will be talked of most and long after the chautauqua is over, because he has a real message, a word painter, and his lecture is packed with wit, sound sense and human sympathy. His lecture "Shooting the Goal," is especially interesting to young people; brings back to the old the enthusiasm of youth. Evening second day of Chautauqua.

"JOY NIGHT"
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Burgderfer, "The Prince of Entertainers" has been recognized for years as one of the most popular entertainers and character impersonators on the lyceum and chautauqua platform. He has the natural gift of humor and good cheer, together with an unusual personality. His original wit, inimitable style and wonderful power of mimicry easily place him in a class by himself.

He does his make-up before the audience, entertaining them the while with his witticisms. His work is mostly of a humorous character, yet at times his pathos touches the chord of human sympathy, and while the audience is convulsed with laughter, they go away with a warm spot in their hearts. Let's make "Joy Night", the first night of chautauqua, a big night.

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