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PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA

### SAD NEWS FROM MANILA

Lieut. Richard Waugh Takes His Own Life.

General Otis Reports to the War Department That He Shot Himself Through the Heart While Temporarily Deranged From Extreme Nervousness—A Great Shock to His Parents.

From Thursday's Daily.

The announcement of the death of Lieutenant Richard Waugh, which appeared in the morning papers, was a great shock to his parents and friends in this city. The dispatch was sent out from Washington, and stated that General Otis had reported to the war department to the effect that "Lieutenant John R. Waugh of the Thirty-ninth infantry had shot himself through the heart while temporarily deranged from extreme nervousness on the 27th inst., at Manila." There was some doubt at first as to the correctness of the report, and at 8 o'clock this morning H. N. Dovey forwarded a message to Assistant Secretary of War Meiklejohn at Washington, and a confirmation of the report was received from that official this afternoon. The bereaved family has the sincere sympathy of the entire community.

The unfortunate young man was the son of Sam Waugh, for many years cashier of the First National bank in this city. He attended Duke college at Crete for a number of years, thus preparing himself for a course at the national academy at West Point. He remained there until January, 1894, when he was compelled to leave on account of trouble with his eyes. At the outbreak of the Spanish-American war, in 1898, Richard applied for and succeeded in securing a place as non-commissioned officer in the signal corps, and was sent to Porto Rico. He remained there until the United States troops were withdrawn. When the Thirty-ninth regiment was organized at Fort Crook last summer he was appointed second lieutenant, and when the regiment left the fort for the Philippines he was acting adjutant.

It is thought arrangements will be made to bring the body to Plattsmouth for burial, but no definite particulars in regard to this matter could be learned today.

Much pain and uneasiness is caused by piles, sparing neither age nor sex. Tabler's Buckeye Pile Ointment cures the most obstinate cases. Price, 50 cents in bottle, tubes 75 cents. F. G. Fricke & Co.

### IS MAKING A HARD FIGHT

Sharp's Attorneys Contest Every Inch of Ground With the State.

The following from the Lincoln News in regard to the trial of Charles Sharp will be of local interest, as he is well known to the police authorities of Cass county: "Charles Sharp and his duo of attorneys, Yeiser and Hoover, are putting up a hard fight in district court against the attempt of the state to convict Sharp of larceny and send him to the penitentiary. Every inch of the way is being contested, and every device known to the criminal practice has been brought into play. Each time, however, the court has ruled against them, and the state slowly moves toward its close.

"This morning was devoted to testimony identifying the goods and proving their shipment over the Rock Island. These witnesses were all from Chicago, and the defense insisted upon asking them if they came on passes from the Rock Island. They admitted that they had, and when the county attorney asked if they expected to go back on them, they smilingly admitted they did. The clothing, all of a cheap pattern and heavy texture, occupied a prominent place on a big table.

"The state's star witness, Jack Young, is down for examination this afternoon. Young claims to have been one of the gang of four that did the trick and the state expects that he will tell the story of how it was done and who did it. Vincent, informed against with Sharp, is said to have confessed, but when County Attorney Munger was asked about the matter, he said that while it was true, he did not intend to call Vincent, as he had plenty of other evidence.

"The defense have raised some technical points upon which they seem to base their hopes of finally clearing Sharp. A new one raised this morning was that the Rock Island was not the owner of the goods stolen. It was admitted that the fact that they were given them to transport vested them with a special ownership therein, but that to constitute a valid information this special ownership must be averred."

**Banker Rout a Robber.**  
J. R. Garrison, cashier of the bank of Thornville, O., had been robbed of \$250 by a serious lung trouble until he tried Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption. Then he wrote: "It is the best medicine I ever used for a severe cold or a bad case of lung trouble. I always keep a bottle on hand." Don't suffer with coughs, colds, or any throat, chest or lung trouble when you can be cured so easily. Only 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free at F. G. Fricke & Co's drug store.

To allay pains, subdue inflammation, heal foul sores and ulcers, the most satisfactory results are obtained by using Ballard's Snow Liniment. Price, 25 cents and 50 cents. F. G. Fricke & Co.

### A MUSICAL ROMANCE.

Mrs. V. V. Leonard Entertains Her Lady Friends.

They Spend a Very Pleasant Afternoon—Alva Monroe Stratton and Dora May Worden Married at the Christian Church—Mrs. Ami Todd Surprised By Her Friends.

From Wednesday's Daily.

Mrs. V. V. Leonard was "at home" to forty of her lady friends yesterday afternoon from four to six. It was a typical winter's day—out of doors the snow was falling so quietly, making every bush and tree a thing of beauty in its snowy draperies. This may have been the reason why the parlors of Mrs. Leonard's home seemed so cheery and inviting to the guests as they passed into their warmth and brightness and received the cordial greeting of the hostess.

The guests were unusually prompt, and early in the afternoon it was whispered about that each lady would be expected to wear a "guessing cap." Later cards were passed, on which were written twenty-one questions, under the attractive title, "A Musical Romance." The names of many old songs were recalled and written as possible answers to the questions. "In the Gloaming," "Ben Bolt" and "Sweet Marie," with "Annie Laurie" and "A Warrior Bold," talked of their adventures in "Old Madrid," and even referred to "The Man Who Broke the Bank at Monte Carlo" just "After the Ball." Of course, Ben and Marie were married in "The Church Across the Way," and for aught we know, lived happy ever after.

Mrs. Byron Clark and Mrs. A. E. Gass answered every question correctly and in cutting for the prize (a beautiful paper knife) Mrs. Clark proved the best "musician" of the two.

A three-course luncheon was served at small tables by Mrs. Leonard's daughters and when six o'clock came there were not a few guests who lingered to thank the hostess and her daughters for an enjoyable afternoon.

**Married at High Noon.**

Alva Monroe Stratton and Dora May Worden were united in marriage today at high noon at the home of the bride's uncle, Frank J. Johnson. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. M. Dungan and was witnessed by relatives and immediate friends.

The groom is a prosperous farmer living near Weeping Water. The bride is well known in this city and has a host of friends whose best wishes go with her to her new home.

The happy couple left at 3:30 this afternoon for Weeping Water. THE NEWS joins with friends in extending congratulations.

**Agreeably Surprised.**  
A number of friends of Mrs. Ami

Todd, in view of her near departure from the city, planned and executed a very clever surprise upon her yesterday afternoon. About a dozen lady friends assembled, and with well-filled baskets took possession of the Todd mansion, making Mrs. Todd a guest, arranging for entertainment and preparing an elegant luncheon. Mrs. Todd was completely surprised, but did the honors as far as she was allowed to, and the afternoon was most pleasantly spent.

Mrs. Todd left this afternoon for Denver, where she will visit for a time before joining Mr. Todd in Missouri.

**After a Horse Thief.**

Sheriff Wheeler and his assistant have sent out a large number of postal cards to neighboring towns, giving a description of the horse stolen from the farm of J. S. Strickland at Eagle on Sunday night. The owner offers \$50 and Cass county an additional \$50 for the arrest and conviction of the thief.

Following is a description of the stolen animal: She had a wire cut on one of the front feet, and a wire cut on the outside of the opposite hind foot. She had a callous mark on the point of the left shoulder. A saddle and bridle were stolen with her—saddle leather covered, "Iron Fork" stamped on top of the horn. Weight, 1,300 pounds; color, black.

**What's Your Face Worth?**

Sometimes a fortune, but never, if you have a sallow complexion, a jaundiced look, moth patches and blotches on the skin, all signs of liver trouble. But Dr. King's New Life Pills give clear skin, rosy cheeks, rich complexion. Only 25 cents at F. G. Fricke & Co's drug store.

**Receives the Appointment.**

The many friends in this city of Captain Ed. Straight will be pleased to learn that he has been elected to the position of junior major of the Second regiment, Nebraska national guard. The vote was canvassed yesterday afternoon by Adjutant General Barry, Colonel Charles Bryan, A. D. C., and Lieut. Bolshaw, of Company F.

It will be remembered that the election was called by General Barry to fill a vacancy caused by the promotion of Major Will H. Hayward to the office of colonel.

Captain Straight received sixteen votes, Captain Phelps of Schuyler received fifteen and Captain McCarty of Aurora received four.

**He Fooled the Surgeons.**

All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 months from Rectal Fisula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with five bottles of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the surest Pile cure on earth, and the best Salve in the world. 25 cents a box. Sold by F. G. Fricke & Co., druggists.

Have you a cough? A dose of Ballard's Horehound syrup will relieve it. Price, 25 cents and 50 cents. F. G. Fricke & Co.

### CITY AND COUNTY.

WEDNESDAY.

Wendel Herring is reported as being quite ill.

W. H. Hill was in town today from near Cedar Creek.

William Foxwell is confined to his home with an attack of the grip.

W. H. Newell departed today on a business trip to Woodruff, Kan.

Sheriff Wheeler was out at Elmwood and Weeping Water today serving papers.

County Clerk J. M. Robertson departed this afternoon on a business trip to Franklin, Neb.

Andy Hedlund departed this morning for York, Neb., where he will look after his farming interests.

Rev. Fred Warren left this afternoon for Osceola, Neb., where he expects to visit for a few days.

Mrs. George Billings, mention of whose serious illness was made yesterday, was reported as somewhat improved today.

Miss Mayme Waterman, who has been visiting relatives in the city since last Friday, returned to her home in Omaha this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Buttery are the happy parents of a bouncing boy baby, which arrived at their home at an early hour this morning.

Twenty-six head of fat cattle belonging to Kurzman & Range, which have been kept down at J. M. Craig's farm, were transferred to that firm's stock yards today.

C. E. Westcott is having the paper torn from the walls of the basement of his building, preparatory to putting on new paper and having some necessary painting done.

C. W. Sherman received a dispatch from Knoxville, Ia., last night conveying the intelligence that his wife, who is staying with the family of her daughter at that place, is dangerously ill and slight hopes are entertained for her recovery.

William Fullridge, the man who was arrested at Nohawka recently for selling liquor without a license, appeared before Judge Archer yesterday. He waived examination and was bound over to the district court in the sum of \$500, Philip Thieroff going on his bond.

Judge J. E. Douglass performed the ceremony this morning which united in marriage John H. McClain and Miss Lona Rose, two well known and highly respected young people of Union. Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Surface of Union were present and witnessed the happy event. THE NEWS extends congratulations.

Mrs. Louise Cooper received a letter from her son, Lem, now in the Philippines, in which he stated that he had just had a good visit with Tom Chapman. He says Tom is looking well and getting along first rate. Lem is on

the battleship Oregon, which at that time was lying off Caveta. He stated further that he thought the fighting in the islands was about over.

Dick Waugh, who is with the Thirty-ninth regiment in the Philippines, has written his parents in this city a very interesting letter giving his views of the situation in those islands. He says, among other things, that he does not think the Filipinos can get together a sufficient number of men to concentrate an organized attack. He also sent a number of curiosities which he secured on the island of Luzon.

THURSDAY.

James Stander, the Louisville merchant, was in on business today.

Constable J. L. Hartshorn of Louisville was a county seat visitor today.

Mrs. Lucinda Britton, who has been suffering from a severe attack of the grip, is reported as being greatly improved.

Judge J. E. Douglass performed the marriage yesterday afternoon of Grant Worl and Miss Hettie May Allen, both of this city.

Bert Cooper, who has been somewhat under the weather for several days, is rapidly recovering, and will be able to return to work in a day or two.

Solomon & Nathan expect to put in a complete line of millinery goods and to employ a first-class milliner from the east to take charge of that department.

Mrs. B. Siebold, from near Murray, was in the city today. She expects to leave next week for Wood River, Hall county, Neb., where she will make her home for several months, at least.

Sam Carrigan, who has been suffering from a serious case of blood poisoning for the past two weeks, is getting along nicely and Dr. Schildknecht now has hopes of his early recovery.

Mrs. Ila Richardson and daughter who have been visiting in the city for the past few days, departed this afternoon for Ashland, where they will visit a short time before returning to their home in Ohio.

Mrs. Anna Krowlek, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Martin Clark and Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Pitts, departed this morning for Langdon, Mo., to attend the funeral of the little son of Mr. and Mrs. James Harrington.

**A Fiendish Attack.**

An attack was lately made on C. F. Collier of Cherokee, Iowa, that nearly proved fatal. It came through his kidneys. His back got so lame he could not stoop without great pain, nor sit in a chair unless propped by cushions. No remedy helped him until he tried Eucetric Bitters which effected such a wonderful change that he writes he feels like a new man.

This marvelous medicine cures backache and kidney trouble, purifies the blood and builds up your health. Only 50c at F. G. Fricke & Co's drug store.

### Jury Failed to Agree.

The case of the United Mutual Hall Insurance company vs. Edward Tighe was tried to a jury in Justice J. P. Wood's court at Louisville yesterday. Attorney Rose of Lincoln conducted the prosecution and Matthew Goring appeared for the defense. After being out nine hours the jury, consisting of John Ossenkop, E. C. Twiss, J. L. Burns, Frank Nichols, James Alloway and James Broops, reported that they could not agree and they were accordingly discharged. It is not known what further action will be taken.

**Entertained the Teachers.**

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Clark entertained the High school teachers last evening to a six o'clock tea, in honor of their son, Earle's, eighteenth birthday. For entertainment Mrs. Clark had planned a game which, in a measure, tested one's knowledge of the philosophers, statesmen and authors. Misses Gase and Lansing tried for the prize, and in drawing out the latter was the more fortunate. A book of choice selections of poetry was the reward of her efforts.

The guests departed about 9:30, wishing Earle many more happy birthdays.

**February Mortgage Record.**

Following is the mortgage record for the month of February:

**Farm mortgages:**  
Filed..... \$25,945  
Released..... 49,478

**City property:**  
Filed..... 4,690  
Released..... 4,980

You can be cheerful and happy only when you are well. If you feel "out of sorts" take Herbine; it will brace you up. Price 50 cents. F. G. Fricke & Co.

**Republican Primaries.**

The republican electors of Plattsmouth city are hereby notified to attend primary elections, to be held in said city March 17, 1900, to elect forty-six (46) delegates to a city convention, which will convene in said city at 8 o'clock p. m., March 17, 1900. Primaries will open at 12 o'clock m., and close at 7 o'clock p. m. Said convention will select candidates to be voted for at the election to be held in this city April 24, 1900, as follows:

One Mayor,  
One City Clerk,  
One City Treasurer,  
One Police Judge,  
Two members of the Board of Education.

One Councilman from each ward of said city, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said convention.

Said primaries will be held at the following places:  
First ward—Perkins house; 8 delegates.  
Second ward—Turner hall; 11 delegates.  
Third ward—Richey's lumber office; 13 delegates.  
Fourth ward—Council chamber; 8 delegates.  
Fifth ward—Bach's store; 6 delegates.

ROBERT HAVES, Chairman.  
W. H. RHOADES, Secretary.

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