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NOTED SPEAKERS FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK

Strong Program Arranged for the State Sunday School Association at Omaha.

One of the strongest programs that has ever been arranged for the Nebraska State Sunday School association will feature the annual meeting of the association, which will be held in Omaha on June 18, 19 and 20. The committee on program has secured W. C. Pearce, director of the adult department of the International Sunday School association; J. Shreve Durham, head of the home and visitation department of the same organization; Mrs. A. A. Lamoreaux, of Chicago; E. Delzell, state superintendent of the public schools, and E. A. Rouse of Peru, president of the Nebraska State Teachers' association, as speakers. The first two will talk on the departments which they represent. Mrs. Lamoreaux will discuss work for boys and girls in the "teen" age, or what is generally known as secondary work. Mrs. Lamoreaux, one of the ablest lecturers on the platform, is a great drawing card wherever she speaks. In addition, Mrs. Maria Brehm, representing the Presbyterian church of North America, will talk during the temperance sessions.

The general theme of the convention will be "Social Service Through the Sunday School," or "The Sunday School Between Sundays." Social service is a leading topic of interest in all church work today and the Sunday school is recognized as the activity of the church, through which the homes and the individual can be reached.

It is always worth while to hear one of these great conventions sing, and this one will be no exception. Rather, it will be an exception in a way that the song services will be even more perfect than formerly, if possible. The direction of the musical service has been placed in charge of Prof. Lee G. Kratz, who is preparing special music for the occasion.

A Birthday Surprise Party.

Mrs. C. L. Wiles was completely surprised on her birthday by a number of young married people from Mynard and vicinity, on Saturday evening, when they came in upon her at her home about 9 o'clock. Mrs. Earle Cole planned the party, and assisted by Mrs. Sherman Cole, her plans were pleasantly and agreeably carried out.

After the arrival of the guests Mrs. Wiles quickly made them comfortable; then she hurriedly rearranged her toilet and was soon ready to entertain her guests in a most pleasant manner. The joke was on "Ted" as well, and although he knew all about it he dared not dress for company, as all sorts of threats were made him if he should tell his spouse or give a hint in any way. But he took it good-humoredly and enjoyed the excitement, too. The evening was spent in conversation and various games, and about 11 o'clock a delicious luncheon, consisting of ice cream and various kinds of cake, brought by the guests, was served by Mrs. C. L. Wiles, Mrs. Earle Cole and Mrs. J. E. Wiles. At a late hour the guests departed, feeling that their attempt was most successful.

Those present were: Messrs. and Mesdames Carl Cole, J. E. Wiles, Charles Barnard, Sherman Cole, Verner Perry, Earle Cole, C. L. Wiles and Miss Opal Cole.

Mrs. V. Zucker Entertains.

The young ladies of Fanger's department store and their friends were entertained yesterday afternoon at a 6 o'clock luncheon at the Zucker home. The afternoon was spent in social conversation and music and at the appointed hour the young ladies and friends were invited to the dining room to partake of one of Mrs. Zucker's famous luncheons. The tables were prettily decorated with pink and white carnations. The young ladies and their friends are very much indebted to Mrs. Zucker for her kind hospitality and the splendid entertainment afforded them on this occasion.

Has Blood Poison.

John Gorder was in the city today with his right arm in a sling, the result of blood poison in his hand. John had a slight scratch in the palm of his hand, and used his right hand rather roughly handling a spade last week, with the result as above stated. The hand will be out of commission for several days.

THE SHRINERS WERE HANDSOMELY ENTERTAINED AT LOS ANGELES,

The City Done Wonders in the Way of Decorations, and a Large Attendance Was Present to Enjoy the Efforts Put Forth by Citizens of Los Angeles to Entertain Guests.

The Journal acknowledges receipt of the Los Angeles Daily Times of May 4, 6, 7, and 8, containing exhaustive accounts of the conclave of the Shriners, illustrated copiously. Plattsmouth was represented at the conclave by Mr. A. W. White.

The greatest floral and allegorical pageants ever seen in Los Angeles, says the Times, were those put on for the entertainment of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. Twenty thousand persons took part in the floral parade Friday morning. Grandstands were erected along Grand avenue to accommodate 15,000 spectators, and in addition to this great number, thousands of people lined the streets on either side for three or four miles as the parade passed through the principal streets.

The conclave was represented by delegates from almost every part of the world. The order is one of the most ancient, being instituted 656 A. D., by the Mohammedan Khlif Alee, a son-in-law of the Prophet Mohammed, at Mekkah, in Arabia, as an inquisition of vigilance committee to dispense justice to those who escaped the vigilance of the offic-

ers of the law and also to promote religious toleration among cultured men of all nations. The membership in all countries includes Christian, Israelite, Moslem and men in high position and power. Among the members are recorded the names of Frederick the Great, Mirabeau and many members of royal families, literary men and scientists. The order was introduced into America at New York September 26, 1872, and has spread rapidly, there being hundreds of temples scattered through the larger cities of the United States.

Six thousand Shriners, delegates from the various temples throughout the country and their ladies, spent nearly the whole of last week in the city of Los Angeles and were royally entertained. The business of the conclave was completed during the latter part being given over to parades and excursions planned by the committee on entertainment. Los Angeles never showed to better advantage than during the past week. The electrical display and illumination and floats were gorgeous and not excelled anywhere.

Mrs. Conrad Schlater Stricken.

Mrs. Conrad Schlater was stricken with paralysis at 2 o'clock this morning, her left side being affected. Although conscious, Mrs. Schlater is unable to speak or move. At 9 o'clock this morning the aged patient appeared slightly improved. Mrs. Schlater had been in her usual health during the winter and spring until yesterday afternoon, when she complained of feeling badly. She has made her home with her son, ex-County Treasurer Frank R. Schlater, for a number of years. After his mother complained of not feeling well yesterday evening Mr. Schlater and the members of his family kept a close watch and medical aid was summoned at once. Mrs. Schlater is past 80 years of age and her friends are solicitous concerning her very serious condition.

Notice to Telephone Subscribers!

The Plattsmouth Telephone Company has sold out to the Lincoln Telephone & Telegraph Company and all accounts now due must be settled at once or telephone will be removed.

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Married Last Thursday.

Miss Mary Bird, a former Plattsmouth young lady, was married at the home of Byron Clark, in Omaha, last Thursday afternoon, George McKay of Denver being the fortunate young man who secured Miss Bird for his bride. Miss Bird is a graduate of Peru normal, has taught a year, making her home at Peru for the past three or four years. She is a young lady with strong intellectual attainments, having made her way through school depending wholly on her own exertions. She has a large circle of friends in this city who will wish her well.

Sam B. Ims, the Lincoln lawyer, transacted business in this city today, returning via Omaha.

C. E. Wescott Here.

C. E. Wescott, founder of the C. E. Wescott's Sons clothing store, arrived last evening on No. 14 for a week's visit with his sons. Mr. Wescott was expected on No. 6 yesterday morning, but on account of a severe storm which struck his train in New Mexico, he was delayed fifteen hours. Mr. Wescott was most agreeably surprised by the change made in the front at his old stand, and he would not have recognized the place had he not kept track of the streets crossed in coming down town this morning. He knew that some change was being made in the front, but was not prepared for the costly and beautiful improvement which was presented to his admiring gaze. Mr. Wescott left Mrs. Wescott in good health and happy. The Plattsmouth people at Long Beach, as well as in Los Angeles, are prosperous and happy.

In County Court.

Petition was filed recently by Otto Brooks asking the probate of the last will and testament of Frances W. Brooks, who died in December, possessed of residence properties in Weeping Water. The deceased was the stepmother of the petitioner.

A petition was filed by the heirs of William Volk, who was drowned a week ago, asking administration of his estate and the appointment of his uncle, James Terryberry, as administrator of his estate.

Marriage license was issued Saturday by Judge Beeson to Carl Kray and Mrs. Marie Williams, and later the Judge performed the ceremony which united the young people for life. The contracting parties gave their home as Chicago, but will reside in Omaha, where they went Sunday afternoon.

In Honor of Friend.

Miss Fern Noble entertained Saturday afternoon in honor of Katie Whitaker, who soon leaves with her parents to make their home in Lincoln. Many games were participated in, but hunting the animal cookies they enjoyed the most. Miss Jessie Shaffer capturing the prize. Refreshments were served at 5:30. Those present were: Katie Whitaker, Helen, Roberts, Jessie Shaffer, Grace Beeson, Elene McCarty, Helen Donat, Pauline Long, Elsie Tiekotter, Eleanor Burnie and the hostess.

EMPLOYEES WHO ARE ENTITLED TO PASSES

Missouri Pacific Railroad Company to Reward Long Service With Passes.

As a reward for faithful service, the management of the Missouri Pacific-Iron Mountain railroad has decided to issue annual passes to employees who have worked for that company fifteen years or longer. About 1,500 employees will receive these passes, including agents, conductors, engineers, brakemen, train baggagemen, switchmen, firemen, hostlers, telegraphers, bridge and building foremen and section foremen.

The rules covering the extension of this courtesy to employees are: Fifteen years continuous service an employe receives annual transportation for himself over the division on which he is employed; for twenty years continuous service an annual pass for himself and wife over the division, and after twenty-five years continuous service annual transportation for himself and wife over the entire Missouri Pacific-Iron Mountain system of nearly 7,300 miles.

R. W. Waters, a conductor on a suburban train running out of St. Louis, is now in his fifty-second year of continuous employment. Beginning work for the Missouri Pacific before the civil war, he has not changed employers, and is the oldest man in point of service on the entire system. He will receive a system pass for himself and wife.

John Cook and his son, C. W. Cook, both employed on the Central Kansas division as passenger engineers, under the twenty-five years of service ruling, are entitled to annual passes for themselves and wives.

In the territory from St. Louis south to the Arkansas state line and from St. Louis west to Kansas City, considerably more than 500 men are affected. From Kansas City west, taking in the state of Kansas, something over 500 passes will be distributed, while in Arkansas and Louisiana about 300 employes will benefit by this courtesy.

Made Chattel Mortgage Sale.

Constable J. R. Denson drove out to the M. L. Friedrich farm, west of Murray Saturday, to conduct a chattel mortgage sale of a threshing machine outfit. Ben Dill was the mortgagee, and as the party making the mortgage had abandoned the property, Mr. Dill was forced to foreclose his mortgage. The threshing was sold to Homer Young of Weeping Water, although there were several bidders present. Constable Denson got a thorough wetting on the trip, from the effects of which he is about all in today.

Hogs Wanted.

Wanted to buy, some shoats, weighting from 50 to 100 pounds. See J. P. Falter, Coates' Block.

The Ladies Are Hustlers.

Sunday was Mothers' Day, and the ladies of St. Mary's Guild conceived the idea of supplying the community with white and pink carnations, to be worn in memory of the mothers, both living and dead. On Saturday afternoon the ladies were stationed at various places on the street for the sale of these emblems of the love borne for the dear mother dead and for the mother living. The ladies were supplied with flowers through L. A. Moore, the florist, and it is estimated they disposed of nearly 1,000 at 10 cents each, which netted quite a neat little sum. The ladies of the Guild and assistants deserve great credit for their energy in disposing of so many of the beautiful flowers.

The ladies of the Guild have decided to make this sale of these beautiful flowers an annual affair in the future. The proceeds go into the treasury of the Guild for the benefit of St. Luke's church; so when you buy one of these Mothers' Day emblems you are at the same time assisting the ladies of the St. Mary's Guild in a mighty good work.

W. C. T. U. County Institute.

The W. C. T. U. County Institute will be held at Nehawka on Wednesday, May 15. All members and friends welcomed. Following is the program:

FORENOON.
Prayer and Praise Service....
.....County President
Paper.....Elmwood
Reading—The Menace of Coco Cola.....Plattsmouth
Paper.....Louisville
Nontide Prayer.....Avoca
Luncheon.
AFTERNOON.
Prayer and Praise Service....
.....Mrs. Kirkpatrick
Testimony Service...Mrs. Marshall
Open Parliament.....
.....State Superintendent
Paper.....Nehawka
Discussion.....Mrs. Clark
EVENING.
Prayer and Praise Service....
Paper—The Verdict of Science as to the Effect of Alcohol on the Human Body...Plattsmouth
Address—Institute Work....
.....State Superintendent
Benediction.

Enterprising Firm Succeeds.

The Journal is running this week a full page ad for Sherwood & Son, the popular Main street shoe dealers, for a money-raising sale, and the attention of our readers is called to it. As their show window indicates, Sherwood & Son have one of the largest and most complete lines of shoes kept in eastern Nebraska, and their long years of satisfactory dealing with the trade in this city commends the firm to the public. It is seldom that the Journal has the pleasure of devoting an entire page to advertising an exclusive shoe sale, but we have noted that the enterprising merchant who freely uses printers' ink is the merchant who succeeds in his business and we believe that he deserves to succeed. Drop in at Sherwood & Son's and see their line of goods at reduced prices. It will pay you.

THE CELEBRATION A SPLENDID SUCCESS

Large Audience Present to Witness Operatte, "Bohemian Amazons."

The T. J. Sokol society of Plattsmouth celebrated their twentieth anniversary Saturday evening by presenting the operatte entitled "Bohemian Amazons," and it was one of the best home talent plays ever given in this city and drew out a very large crowd, who were all highly delighted with the production.

The characters in the play were most ably presented, and to mention each one would be almost impossible, as they were all artistically handled. The play deals with the revolt of the women and the subsequent efforts of the male inhabitants of the village to get them to return to their homes. Mr. V. J. Vejroda, as the alderman, was a great hit, bringing forth a great deal of comedy into the play. Mrs. Belholavy, as the commander of the militant suffragettes, struck terror into the hearts of the tyrannical men. Mr. Josef Altman and Mrs. Marie Trilely both proved to be strong characters in the cast. A very handsome chorus of young ladies added greatly to the success of the evening. A great deal of credit is due Louie Jiran, who directed the production.

After the operatte a most delightful social dance was given and the merry dancers waltzed the time away until a late hour. The music for the play and dance was furnished by the M. W. A. orchestra.

Will Visit Europe in June.

Mrs. C. H. Parmele of Plattsmouth and Miss Marjorie Agnew of Los Angeles will arrive this week to visit Mrs. S. H. Atwood. Miss Agnew will sail for Europe in June to join her cousins, the Misses Juliette and Catherine Atwood, who are at present at school in Biarritz, France. The three young ladies will tour with a party for a few weeks, and will then spend a month in Switzerland and a month in France. They will sail for home in November.—Lincoln Journal.

White Plymouth Rock Eggs.

White Plymouth Rock eggs for sale at \$3.00 per hundred. Mrs. Geo. A. Kaffenberger, R. F. D. No. 2, Plattsmouth.

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