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TRAINS ON BURLINGTON

From Tuesday's Dally.

TO BE RESTORED SHORTLY

The Burlington which, during the

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STORK VISITS THE HOME OF

MR. AND MRS. EARL WELD

No. 92.

HOME COMING CELEBRATION AND FESTIVITIES

It Will Be a Sure Go and Guarantees a Jolly Week For the People of Cass County.

From Tuesday's Dally

who will be here to join in the pleasant event.

more closely identified with the early city. history of Nebraska, both as a territory and state, than Cass county and a great many of the pioneers are still BIOGRAPHICAL with us who were numbered among those active in the formation of the life of the new commonwealth which first came into the public eye in 1854 and to the time of admission to statehood in 1867 was one of the battle-grounds of the advanced ideas of that time, and among the names that From Tuesday's Dally. will live in the history of the state are many of those from this county.

The fate of statehood rested on the

vinter months had discontinued the running of trains Nos. 1 and 10 over their lines, has given out that these trains will be restored on May 28 to Is Neat and Tasty. the service. This will be a great accommodation to the traveling public as both trains were among the best From Wednesdays Dally. maintained on the road and handled a

The prospects for the celebration of great deal of business. The placing lington shops yesterday for the first atmosphere around the Crescent drug the semi-centennial of the statehood of these trains back in the service will time since the early summer of last store is filled with much happiness of Nebraska in the different sections necessitate a change in the schedule year, and the changes that have taken and joy. The little one and mother of the state are growing brighter and of the present running time which will place were very pleasing to behold, are both doing nicely. This is the mouth is preparing to do its part in Of these trains, No. 10 was the one try in the different departments of man can have just about whatever he the marking of the notable occasion that served the travelers into this city the shops. All are crowded to their ut- desires.

MANY CHANGES

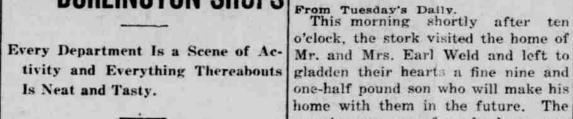
ARE MADE AT THE

BURLINGTON SHOPS

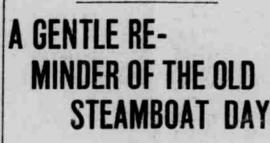
by holding a fall festival and home the best, as it was very handy for most capacity and in the coach shop coming celebration that will afford a anyone returning to this city from department especially is there an inweek of entertainment and pleasure either Lincoln or Omaha. No. 1, the creasing demand for skilled carpento the residents of the city and county fast Chicago-Denver train, passed ters and workers to care for the work as well as for the former residents through here at 6 o'clock in the morn- that has been brought into that ing but was not scheduled to stop un- branch of the shops. This increasing less it carried passengers from points demand for coaches has of course had There is not a county in the state east of the Mississippi river for this its effect on the other departments.

and the painters, upholsterers and truck men and helpers are kept rushed to provide their part in the making From Wednesday's Daily. of coaches that are used on the system.

The following from the Havelock amount of work is handled every day seph, where many pounds of candy Post gives a short biographical sketch by the efficient force of men under the was put on board, and the vessel of the late Clinton Billings, who was charge of Foreman Tippens.



occasion was one of much pleasure to the delighted parents and to Grandpa The writer paid a visit to the Bur- Weld and it is needless to say that the



Yesterday afternoon a vivid reminder of the old steamboat days on

The planing mill is one of the de- the Missouri river was given when the partments of the shop that has been stern wheel steamboat Joseph F. Silbrought up to a much higher standard ber passed up the old Muddy bound CLINTON BILLINGS of equipment and efficiency during the from Kansas City to Omaha and past year and now is one of the neat- loaded with freight from the big Misest and most up-to-date portions of souri city and St. Joseph for Omaha. the shops and where a very large The steamer had stopped at St. Jomade good time from that city to this

one-half pound son who will make his The Largest City in Nebraska Withshort time there locking over the farm of a very pleasant gathering Monday out This Service, Which It Is Entitled To.

FREE MAIL DELIV-

ERY FOR CITY OF

PLATTSMOUTH

The question of the securing of free new residence which has been built at mouth Monday morning. city delivery of mail has been discuss- the farm by the county was shown to The evening was spent in dancing. ed some of late and in view of the increasing receipts at the local postoffice it is a pleasure to see that Platts- be given out later from headquarters. and all pointed to the greatest indus- first child in the family and the young the prospects for the success of the fort and convenience; which the home was served to which all did full jusproject are much brighter than for a has been provided with, making it tice. After the luncheon hour the long time, if the proper endeavor was sanitary and comfortable in every dancing, music and games were re-

put forth to get the matter before the way and a credit to any county in the sumed and continued until a late hour

in the past when the matter has been brought up there was offered the arin the city were not sufficient, but this certainly could not stand now as there STEAMBOAT DAYS is not a town in the state with more or better permanent walks than this city, and over these it would be an easy matter for a mail carrier to get

graph company began to expand, and

to his route. Yesterday afternoon the Helpers of The postoffice has shown a marked the Christian church were entertained improvement in the receipts and the in a very pleasant manner at the amount of business handled, which is home of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Eastwood a good sign of the growth of the city. by Mrs. Eastwood and Mrs. P. F. It has been our misfortune here that Rhin and the occasion was one filled the largest industries in the past have been of a nature that did not demand to the ladies attending. The business the patronage of the postoffice to any session was devoted to the work of great extent until the Olson Photo-

under the guidance of Superintendent evening when they entertained a num-G. H. Tams. The visitors were very ber of friends and relatives in honor much impressed with the general con- of Mr. and Mrs Edward Kohrell, who dition of the farm and the splendid were united in marriage in Plattsthe party and the fine manner in music and games. As the midnight which the home is kept and the com- hour drew near a delicious luncheon

farm west of the city and spent a and Mrs. Frank Grauf was the scene

LIKED MANAGEMENT OF

From Wednesday's Dally.

Yesterday afternoon County Attor-

ney A. G. Cole, C. G. Fricke and J. H.

Thrasher motored out to the county

THE COUNTY FARM

when the guests took their departure, all joining in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Kohrell many years of happy wedded life. Those in attendance were Messrs. Frank Stander, Charles Lovell, Will Rauth, Will Glaubitz, Ozro Miller, George Stoll, Frank Grauf, August EASTWOOD HOME Grauf, Gus Splitt, Will Splitt, Edward Kohrell, Harry McCarroll, Peter Grauf, Gus Splitt, Will Splitt, Edward Campbell, Glenn Campbell, Patrick Campbell, Walter Byers, Ed Ranard, Mrs. George Kelley, Mrs. Bertha Kolley, Mrs. George Wagner, Mrs. John Hanson, Misses Lena, Frances and Lily Stander, Toresa and Anna Rauth, Anna Glaubitz, Alpha Lovell, Goldie with gerat pleasure as well as profit Teresa, Anna, Grace, Marie and So-Dunn, Emma Grauf, Virgie Campbell, phia Wagner, Grace Slagle, Florence and Viola Miller, Arcella Kelley, Evthe society in assisting in the church elyn Fern and Irene Hansen. Helen work while some time was spent in and Ellen Byers, Freda McCarroll,

Ada Bernice Campbell, Inez Splitt,

Messrs August, Frank and Albert

Glaubitz, Anthony, Alfred and

Charles Lovell, John and Edward

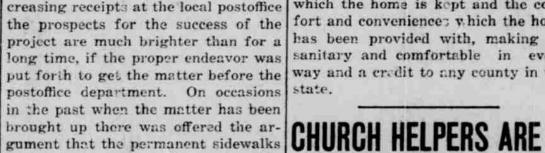
Stander, Walter O'Brien, Lucian Con-

PLEASANT EVENT

AT HOME OF MR.

The beautiful country home of Mr.

AND MRS. GRAUF



ENTERTAINED AT THE

vote cast in Rock Bluff's precinct at the time of the adoption of the articles of admission and since that time the county has been one of the most important in eastern Nebraska in determining many measures of great importance and its most distinguished sons have sat in the legislature forming the laws of the state.

To young and old alike the home coming celebration will be notable and it will bring to this city a great their homes. It has often been said, and very truthfully, that the feeling of affection for the old town is strong with those who have made their home here, and they will gladly avail themselves of the opportunity of being present and taking part in the home coming week. To those who have not visited the city in the last ten or fifteen years the change in the general appearance and condition of the city will be a revelation of the untiring energy of the people of Plattsmouth, a great reader.

who have thrown off the prejudices and ideas of the past and are forging ahead toward making the town what land of Cheyenne, Wyoming; Mrs. A. ton in this city will come in for its it should be-one of the best in the C. Spencer of Seattle, Washington; share, without a doubt. state, and possessing every natural Mrs. Elizabeth I. Murphy of Billings, advantage that it is possible to wish Montana, and Mrs. James R. Hunter tion of which the general public can for.

Let everyone who has friends residing in other places that formerly made their home in Plattsmouth get busy and have them here for the week of

festivity and pleasure in renewing the old home ties. The committees in FOUND GOOD RECORD charge of the event will get busy at once and start the ball to rolling and should have the hearty co-operation of the general public.

DRAMATIC PERFORMANCE

From Tuesday's Daily. The dramatic performance given on Sunday evening at the T. J. Sokol hall by the members of the South Omaha Dramatic club was one of the most pleasing offerings of its kind that has been shown here and the company was composed of the leading Bohemian actors of the metropolis. The play given was one of love and roautomobiles as well as a large auto truck conveyed the visitors to this city and a most enjoyable time was

buried here on Thursday, and who for city:

SKETCH OF LATE

"Clinton Billings, aged 67, long a shops as the men are busy getting the made in twenty-six hours and after resident of Havelock, died at St. Eliz- coaches ready for service when turned leaving there the boat had good luck abeth's hospital, Lincoln, on Tuesday over to them by the carpenters and in navigating the river. It was exmorning, following a short illness plumbers who, after finishing their pected to arrive in Omaha last night from a paralytic stroke, which came work, leave the last touches to the up- or early this morning if found necesupon him gradually last Thursday. It holsterers and painters before the car sary to tie up for the night before was the second attack. is ready for service.

Mr. Billings was born in Keokuk, There is not a department of the Iowa, and resided there until his par- shops from one end to the other that had a great many enthusiastic boostmany who in the years gone by have ents removed to Plattsmouth in the is not kept in the best of condition ers in the Omaha Commercial club, removed to other places to make carly 50s. In 1894 he came to Have- and the employes are the most effi- and among these are J. W. Gamble, lock and entered the employ of the cient that can be found in any of the our former townsman, who is on the Burlington in the storehouse depart- shops of the Burlington, and certainly committee of the club and has been ment, where he had been continuously can deliver a splendid showing for interested in the project of establishemployed to the time of his death. He their labors,

was unmarried. About ten years ago The genuine interest taken by the up and down the river. Transporta-Mr. Billings suffered his first stroke men in their work and the high stand- tion by water probably would be of paralysis, from which he partially and secured, has brought the Platts- great deal cheaper than by rail, but in recovered. He was known by nearly mouth shops to the front in a manner this day of rush and hurry it is doubtevery employe of the shops as a man that has won them a very enviable ful if the public would care to have who attended to his work faithfully, reputation over all lines of the com- their goods delayed as long as the trip kept his own counsel and paid his ob- pany. ligations to the last farthing. He was

The prospects seem bright for a further increase in the business in all "Deceased leaves four sisters to further increase in the business in all OLD OFFICERS RE-

mourn his demise, Mrs. George Cope- the great institution of the Burling-The Burlington shops is an instituof Plattsmouth. Mrs. Copeland and feel proud, and its success and im-Mrs. Hunter, the latter accompanied provement is a matter in which th

by Mr. Hunter, were present for the city is vitally interested and wherever funeral. J. E. Hunter of Norwood possible the Burlington should receive Park is a nephew of the departed. the support and aid of the public spir ited citizens of Plattsmouth.

FOR POSTOFFICE CLERKS FUNERAL OF MRS. M'DANIEL YESTERDAY AFTERNOOI From Tuesday's Daily.

The government examiner, Mr. J. B. Good of Omaha, was here yester- From Wednesday's Daily. AT T. J. SOKOL HALL day conducting the examinations of The funeral services of Mrs. J. D. the dispatching clerks in the local McDaniel were held yesterday afterpostoffice, and the showing made was noon from the home of her daughter, one that is very pleasing both to the Mrs. William Tuey, in the south part inspector and the clerks, George K. of the city and attended by quite a nelly. Staats and Miss Gerda Peterson. The large number of the friends and nating of Mr. Staats was placed at neighbors to pay their last tribute of nelly. 99 4-5, while Miss Peterson secured respect to the splendid lady who had 98, both of which are excellent and been taken from them. Rev. F. M. show the class of work of these two Druliner, pastor of the Methodist ing the Lenten season, resolved each government employes. The two church, had charge of the services and to earn a dollar to be applied on the appears to be deafness, which has clerks have charge of the dispatching several of the well loved hymns were work of the organization, and last bothered him a great deal in the last of the mail from the local postoffice, given by a quartet composed of Mesmance and each one of the company which has grown into a considerable dames E. H. Wescott, C. S. Johnson, present gave the offering which they

The painting department in charge point and was pushing right along many years made his home in this of Foreman Luschinsky is also one of when it passed this city. The trip

the real industrious places in the from Kansas City to St. Joseph was reaching the metropolis.

This river navigation project has ing a line of freight steamers to ply

by steamboat would make necessary

ELECTED AT MEET-

TING OF GUILD

their part has been one of the big facthe making of aprons for the little tors in the increasing business of the folks at the orphans' home in Omaha postoffice.

and many dainty little remembrances If the system of city delivery could for the children were prepared. Anbe secured it would be a great step other of the interesting features of forward and one that would be very the afternoon were two very pleasing much appreciated by the residents of piano numbers given by Mrs. Eugene the city, and especially those residing Setz in her usual delightful manner in the outlying district, and the fact which won much approval from the of having carriers to collect and deaudience. An auction sale of aprons

iver the mail would tend to greatly ncrease the business of the postoffice. Other cities of no more population or much greater amount of business have been able to secure this accommodation, and there is no reason why, if it is possible to have it in Plattsmouth there should not be a determined effort made to land the free de pleasant hospitality afforded them. livery system for our city.

Several times when the proposition was broached it has been argued that MRS. HATHAWAY, it might injure business by keeping the people at home and not giving them the chance to come down town so often, but in this present day the greater amount of the ordinary buying for the household is done over the telephone and this has not served in

From Wednesday's Daily. the least to check business but rather has stimulated it, as any up-to-date appeared the announcement of the movement will, and the city delivery death of Mrs. H. D. Hathaway, a lady of mail would not in the least injure who in early days resided in this city something like thirty-five years reany one in their business interests. and whose husband was one of the pi-

This would be well worth looking oneer newspaper men of Plattsmouth into and investigating so that if there and of Nebraska. Mr. Hathaway was Mrs. Worl has for the past sixteen from Wednesday's Daffy. Last evening the Junior Guild of is the least possibility of success our in touch with a great many of the years resided in South Omaha with St. Luke's church met at the beautiful representatives at Washington could older residents here after leaving and one of her sons, and it was at his home of Doctor and Mrs. T. P. Liv- be put on the job to try to secure it they will regret greatly to learn of ingston to spend a few hours in the for our city. her death:

discussion of the plans of the guild for the coming year, as well as hear the yearly reports of the officers. The re-

showed a pleasing condition of affairs of the oldest residents of Liberty prein the year's work. The annual elec- cinct, was in the city for a few hours tion of officers was held and the old looking after some litigation in which came manager of the business of the officers who had given such splendid his son, Carry Stottler, was interestservice were re-elected as follows: President-Mrs. R. F. Patterson. Vice President-Miss Marie Don-

Secretary - Miss Gretchen Don-

Treasurer-Miss Verna Hatt. The members of the guild had, dur-

evening each one of the large number few years.

had by every one of the party. Fol-From Tuesday's Daily. lowing the play a social dance was Today a draft was received by W. taken this morning to Sidney, Iowa, spring water all the time. Inquire of is to be made an object of especial counsel and much serenity and dig- and most of them were quite a disenjoyed for several hours, partici- B. Rishel, clerk of the local Woodman where it was laid to rest in the family John N. Beck, 61/2 miles northwest of beauty and the supporting columns of nity. She was highly regarded in the tance from the church building. With pated in by both young and old. of the World camp, in the sum of lot in the cemetery there. Plattsmouth. \$1,000 in payment of the policy car-4-24-4twkly. general features of the building and but had fought against adversity with not be at such an expense in securing For the Simon Pure Benjamin ried by the late Mike McCool in the Henry Horn of near Cedar Creek Franklin Lightning Rod, call on T. W. order and the sum will be turned over was in the city for a few hours today Stewart's Phonographs, only \$5.00, to the classic design of the new home great courage. She will be buried their home. Vallery, or write him at Murray, Neb. at once to the widow, the beneficiary looking after some business matters at Dawson's, Plattsmouth, Neb. that is to house the library of the from the Church of the Holy Trinity 4-24-1mowkly of the policy. while enroute home from Omaha. at 2 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon." Letter files at the Journal office." 5-4-tfwkly city.

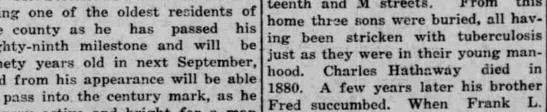
rad, John Hopkins, George and Albert Wagner, Ralph Ranard, Fern Bates, Connie Ashlock, Leo and Raymond Grauf, Joseph Rauth, Raymond Glaubitz, Georgie Stoll, Roy Splitt, John was also conducted by the pastor, the Rev. C. E. PerLee, which brought a Hansen. Splitt, Raymond Ranard and Delbert neat sum. During the afternoon dainty and delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses which added greatly to the delights of the FUNERAL OF MRS. afternoon, and in departing the guests expressed their appreciation of the

JOSEPH WORL HELD **ON WEDNESDAY**

The funeral services of Mrs. Joseph Worl were held yesterday morning at the Young cometery, northeast of Murray, when all that was mortal of this pioneer lady was consigned to its last long rest in the community where In the State Journal of yesterday for so many years she has made her home. Mrs. Worl and husband came to Cass county at an early day and for sided on their farm east of Murray until after the death of her husband. home that she passed away after a long and lingering illness from cancer of the stomach. The body was brought to Murray on the 8:45 Missouri Pacific and was met there by the minister, Rev. F. M. Druliner of this city, who accompanied the funeral cortege to the grave where a short service was held as the body was con-State Journal company. The family signed to rest in the silent tomb. A number of relatives accompanied the body from Omaha and with friends and neighbors attended the services ing been stricken with tuberculosis at the grave. Thus another of the old residents of the county has passed on and her death will be sincerely mourned by those who knew her best in the years gone by when she with her husband made their home in this county. in February, 1894, Mr. Hathaway At the time of her death Mrs. Worl was eighty-six years of age.

To Erect New Parsonage.

taking part did splendidly in their re- job, as last month was the heaviest in Charles Jelinek and Miss Florence carned. At a suitable hour very D. Muir. Mr. Hathaway passed on The members of the congregation ten years ago. Mrs. Hathaway now of the Christian church have let the spective roles. A very large audi- the history of the postoffice, both in Balser with Mrs. A. O. Egenberger as dainty and delicious refreshments From Wednesday's Daily. The new Carnegie library being is survived by these two children. contract for the erection of a new parence was present and the work of the the mail sent out and received, and the accompanist. The songs given, were served by the hostess, which erected at the corner of Fourth and Among her other relatives are three sonage just north of the church to G. dramatic club was received with being handled with speed and ac- "Asleep in Jesus," "Lead, Kindly proved a most pleasing feature of the Vine streets is getting to assume the nephews, Dan, Paul and Clark Lauer P. Eastwood, who will look after the marks of the greatest approval. Nine curacy. Light" and "Sun of My Soul" were evening's entertainment. proportions of a real building and is and a niece, Mrs. Chester K. Ward, construction of the building. This will full of comfort and consolation to the fill a long felt want as the pastors of grief stricken family and aided in **Pasture For Cattle.** one of striking beauty and a splendid all of Lincoln. **Receives Money for Life Insurance.** addition to the city. The main en- Mrs. Hathaway was a home maker, the church have been compelled to them in bearing their sorrow. The body of Mrs. McDaniel was And horses, room for 20 head, good trance to the building on Vine street a woman of quiet tastes, excellent rent houses while residing in the city white stone have been placed in posi- circles in which she moved. For sever- the present plans of the congregation tion, adding a pleasing touch to the al years she had been broken in health they will be handy to their work and



New Library Looming Up.

port of the treasurer was very pleas-ing to the members of the society and This morning William Stottler, one this city. Mrs. Hathaway came to

Aged Resident of Cass County.

lived at the southeast corner of Sixed. Mr. Stottler has the distinction of teenth and M streets. From this being one of the oldest residents of the county as he has passed his eighty-ninth milestone and will

just as they were in their young manninety years old in next September, hood. Charles Hathaway died in and from his appearance will be able 1880. A few years later his brother to pass into the century mark, as he Fred succumbed. When Frank L. is very active and bright for a man Hathaway died of the same disease of his age, and his greatest infirmity

gave up his connection with the Journal company and removed to Denver

to save the lives of his remaining son Ralph, and of his daughter, Mrs. R.

ONCE RESIDENT

OF CITY, IS DEAD

"News was received in Lincoln yes-

terday of the death in Denver of Mrs.

H. D. Hathaway, long a resident of

Lincoln from Plattsmouth more than

forty years ago when her husband be-