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UNUSUALLY PRETTY WEDDING SERVICE

MISS FLORENCE VALLERY AND DR. LILBURN B. LAKE BECAME MAN AND WIFE

WILL MAKE HOME IN OMAHA

Wedding Solemnized Saturday Afternoon at Home of Bride's Parents Southwest of Town.

From Monday's Daily.
One of the prettiest of the fall weddings was that occurring on Saturday afternoon at the beautiful country home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Vallery, southwest of Plattsmouth, when their daughter Miss Florence Vallery, was united in marriage to Dr. Lilburn B. Lake of Omaha. White and yellow chrysanthemums amid a bower of ferns formed a most attractive setting for the quiet and impressive ceremony that was to unite the lives of these two estimable young people.

Rev. H. G. McCluskey, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Plattsmouth, read the marriage lines using the beautiful ring service of the church.

The bride wore white satin combined with point lace and made a very charming picture. The bridal couple was unattended.

The wedding ceremony was witnessed by the immediate relatives and a few intimate friends of the family.

A most delightful buffet luncheon was served following the wedding service. The dining room was lighted by the soft glow of the candles and arranged with the beautiful floral decorations of chrysanthemums which made the room a veritable bower of beauty.

The bride is a member of one of Cass county's most prominent and wealthy families and has spent her life time in this community, where she is loved and highly esteemed among a large circle of warm friends.

Dr. Lilburn B. Lake is a southerner by birth, spending his boyhood days on a plantation near Richmond, Kentucky, where his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lake still reside.

He is a graduate of the Nebraska state university, the Omaha medical college, and has taken post graduate work in the Poly Clinic hospital of Chicago and Mayo Brothers hospital of Rochester, Minnesota.

Dr. and Mrs. Lake departed on the evening train Saturday for their future home in Omaha.

HERE ON PLEASANT MISSION

From Monday's Daily.
Yesterday Ray Travis of Denver, Colorado, arrived in the city for a short visit with his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Travis and other relatives and friends for a few days.

Mr. Travis has been in Omaha for a few days being called from the Colorado city by the pleasant news that a new son and heir of the house of Travis had arrived at the home in Omaha.

Mrs. Travis has been at the home of her parents in Omaha for the past two months and the little son has the honor of becoming a native born citizen of Nebraska. Mr. Travis has for the past two years been located at Denver, where he is the manager of the western office of the Eaton Metal Products company, and has been very successful in the developing of his line in the western trade circles.

NOW DOING NICELY.

From Monday's Daily.
Reports received from the Methodist hospital in Omaha state that Prof. Frank Jean, of the Peru normal, who has been at that institution recovering from an operation, is now so much improved that it is thought he may be brought to his home in this city late today, where he will continue recuperating before resuming his school work at Peru.

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VISITS IN CITY

From Monday's Daily.
Saturday afternoon M. Fanger, formerly one of the active business men of this city motored down from his home in Omaha and spend a few hours here looking after some business and calling on his old friends. Mr. Fanger has retired from an active business career and has turned his business interests over to his son-in-law who is conducting a very lucrative business in the metropolis. The visit of Mr. Fanger to this city was greatly enjoyed by both he and the old friends in talking over the old times in Cass county.

WERE MARRIED IN OMAHA SATURDAY

Miss Bentle Stone of This City and Frank R. Dahlstrom of Grand Island, Joined in Wedlock

From Monday's Daily.
A very pleasant wedding occurred in Omaha Saturday when Miss Bentle Stone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Stone, residing west of the city, was united in wedlock to Mr. Frank R. Dahlstrom.

The young people returned to this city and are enjoying a brief honeymoon at the Stone home in the vicinity of Cullom and will spend a few days here prior to returning to their home in the west.

Miss Stone is one of the popular young ladies of the community, having been born and reared in this community and has in the last few years been attending college at Grand Island, and it was while a student there that she met the young man who was later to wed her. The friendship of the young people soon ripened into a deeper affection which was consummated Saturday in the wedding.

The groom, Mr. Dahlstrom, is a wealthy young ranchman of the Grand Island neighborhood and a gentleman possessing the respect and esteem of all who have the pleasure of knowing him and has been very successful in his ranching interests in the west.

To the young people the best wishes of the host of friends will be extended for their future happiness.

MARRIED AT COURT HOUSE

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Saturday afternoon at the county court house occurred the wedding of Mr. Herman J. Hauptman of Nebraska City and Miss Marie O'Neil, of Dunbar. The young people arrived in the city on the afternoon Missouri Pacific from the Otoe county city and at once hastened to the office of County Judge Allen J. Beeson, where they were united in marriage. The happy couple returned home on the late train over the Missouri Pacific.

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RETURNS TO HOME HERE

From Monday's Daily.
Yesterday afternoon Miss Mary Otterstein returned home from Omaha, where for the past five weeks she has been a patient in the Methodist hospital. Miss Otterstein has been in very poor health for the past few years and this is the third surgical operation she has been compelled to undergo in that length of time. Her father, William Otterstein, departed for Omaha yesterday morning and accompanied the daughter home from the hospital. The friends are hopeful that this operation may result in her permanent recovery.

NOW ABLE TO RETURN HOME.

From Monday's Daily.
Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Frank J. Libershal returned home from a stay of several weeks at the Immanuel hospital in Omaha, where she was operated on for appendicitis. Mrs. Libershal returns home greatly improved in health and standing in fine shape the trip from the hospital.

FOR SALE.

Chester White bears for sale. Prices reasonable and full pedigree furnished free. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Call or write your wants. C. Bengel, Myard, Neb.

DAMAGE CASE TO JURY THIS AFTERNOON

YESTERDAY AND GREATER PART OF TODAY OCCUPIED WITH HEARING EVIDENCE

FIRST CASE UP FOR TRIAL

Irene Berry, Plaintiff, Sues Wilhelm Knaup et al, Defendants, for \$5,000 for Injuries.

From Tuesday's Daily.
The damage suit of Irene Berry vs. Wilhelm Knaup et al, which was up for trial yesterday morning at the opening of the district court, occupied all the time of the court yesterday afternoon in hearing the witnesses for the plaintiff, including Peter England, Charles Marshall and the plaintiff as well as a number of medical attendants who testified as to the condition of the plaintiff and the effects of the injuries received as causing permanent disability to the plaintiff.

This morning the defendants, Mr. Knaup and wife, were on the stand giving their version of the accident that it is claimed resulted in the injury to Mrs. Berry.

The plaintiff asks judgment in the sum of \$5,000 for the damages sustained as the result of the car of defendant crashing into the horse and buggy driven by the plaintiff. Just before the noon hour the case was closed and the arguments of the attorneys given to the jury. Attorney W. A. Robertson opened the argument for the plaintiff and was followed by Matthew Gering for the defense and the case of the plaintiff will be closed by Hon. Clark Jeary, of Lincoln, this afternoon and the case given over to the jury for deliberation.

An impromptu program was rendered, consisting of piano selections by Edith Gagen and Mrs. C. C. Barnard and vocal solos by Miss Mary Wetenkamp, with Helen Pontius as accompanist. There was also a solo and reading by Mr. Pontius, and last but not least a few remarks in his usual happy vein by Mayor H. A. Schneider. Whether as toast maker or as Chautauqua booster the mayor is all right.

CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARIES

Number of Plattsmouth Men Have Birthdays Within Few Days of Each Other This Week.

From Tuesday's Daily.
The natal anniversaries of George Perry, Claud Mayabb and Charles Bestor all falling within a few days of each other, the gentlemen decided that it would be a pleasant occasion to celebrate together and accordingly on Sunday, November 16th, they gathered at the hospitable home of Mr. Perry in the south portion of the city to enjoy the day.

Mrs. Perry and Mrs. Mayabb, with their accustomed skill, had prepared the appetizing and enjoyable dinner that was served at the noon hour and proved a very delightful feature of the occasion, and they were assisted in serving by Misses Katherine and Nellie Gorder, granddaughters of Mr. Perry.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. George Perry and brother, Henry; Mrs. Brittain; Mrs. Bestor and son, Charles; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Mayabb and two children, Norine and George; Katherine, Nellie and Edna Gorder, and Helen and William Gorder, of Weeping Water. All members of the party enjoyed themselves to the utmost and on departing wished the guests of honor many more such happy events.

JUDGE E. S. RAMSEY DOWN TOWN

From Tuesday's Daily.
Yesterday for the first time in several weeks, Judge E. S. Ramsey was able to be down in the business portion of the city, having been confined to his home by an attack of weakness that made it difficult for him to get around and as a result he was compelled to take an enforced rest.

During his sickness the judge has grown quite a luxuriant beard and it was with difficulty that his friends were able to recognize this genial gentleman. While still feeling the effects of the illness, Mr. Ramsey is much improved and hopes in a short time to regain his former strength.

DAUGHTERS OF AMERICAN REVOLUTION ENTERTAINED

From Tuesday's Daily.
Last evening the St. Luke's rectory was the scene of a very pleasant gathering, when the members of the Daughters of the American Revolution met for their regular business session as the guests of Mrs. Wilbur S. Leete. The evening was largely devoted to the discussion of the business of the organization and plans for the winter season were thoroughly entered into by the ladies.

During the evening the members were invited to participate in a most delicious luncheon that was very much enjoyed and at the homegoing hour all expressed the sentiment that it had been a very pleasant occasion and the hope that they might have more opportunities of enjoying the gracious hospitality of the Leete home in the future.

VERY SUCCESSFUL CHICKEN PIE SUPPER

Otterbein Guild Nets Handsome Sum for Use in Preparing Missionary Christmas Box.

From Monday's Daily.
The chicken pie supper given by the girls of the Otterbein Guild of the Liberty U. B. church last Friday evening at the home of A. A. Wetenkamp, was a success in every way. The attendance might have been larger but was quite good considering the very busy season.

Among those present were a number of Plattsmouth people. Everyone present regard Mr. and Mrs. Wetenkamp as most delightful host and hostess and will not forget the evening spent in their beautiful home.

The proceeds of the supper totalled almost \$35. The Otterbein Guild, of which Miss Mary Wetenkamp is president, is preparing a Christmas box to the value of \$50 or more for the church's girls mission school in Santa Cruz, New Mexico.

ENJOYED A VERY PLEASANT TIME

Ladies of W. C. T. U. Entertained at the Charming Home of Mrs. W. H. Newell Monday

From Tuesday's Daily.
Yesterday afternoon the ladies of the W. C. T. U. enjoyed one of the most delightful meetings for several months at the cozy home of Mrs. W. H. Newell on North Fifth street, and the event was one that will long be very pleasantly remembered.

The attendance was quite large at the meeting and the greatest of interest was demonstrated by the ladies in attendance at the gathering in the work and progress of the organization.

One of the pleasant features of the afternoon was a few musical numbers given on a very antique melodeon, an heirloom of the Newell family and dating back some 500 years, and which Mrs. G. L. Farley played very delightfully. Mrs. R. B. Hayes gave a number of vocal numbers accompanied by the unique instrument. Mrs. O. Sandin also assisted in the entertaining of the afternoon by a number of her always delightful recitations which were much enjoyed.

At a suitable hour the hostess, assisted by her daughter, Miss Bernese Newell, served a very dainty and enjoyable luncheon.

RED STEER LOST

Red muley steer strayed from my farm about the 18th of October, the long hair having been clipped from his tail. Any information as to his whereabouts will be liberally rewarded by notifying me.
PHILIP HEIL, Cedar Creek, Neb.

M. E. SMITH CO. EMPLOYEES BANQUETTED

HEAD OFFICERS TENDER A DELIGHTFUL SPREAD TO THE LOCAL WORKERS.

HELD AT THE M. E. CHURCH

Followed by Dancing Party at the Modern Woodmen Hall—A Very Pleasant Event.

From Monday's Daily.
Saturday evening is an occasion that will long be very pleasantly remembered by the employees of the M. E. Smith factory in this city, as well as by the officers of the company and the members of the Omaha office force who came down to assist in the delightful social evening that had been planned in honor of the ladies employed in the local factory.

The opening feature of the evening was a very delightful banquet served in the parlors of the Methodist church and which event was one of the most pleasant of its nature that has been held in the city. The ladies of the church had the details of the banquet in hand and in their usual pleasing manner served the delicious repast that served to entertain the members of the party for some two hours.

The long tables were very beautifully arranged with the snowy linen and sparkling silver while decorations of ferns and the bright red of autumn leaves and bitter sweet added a touch of color to the scene and over this the soft light of shaded candles fell, making the scene one of great beauty, intensified by the smiling faces of the members of the happy party.

The occasion was carefully planned by the head office of the company so that no detail that would add to the enjoyment of the guests was omitted. President Arthur C. Smith of the company was present as was also Charles W. Russell, vice-president; Guy Kidoo, secretary and attorney; Charles Burgess, assistant manager; C. E. Buffington, superintendent of the out state factories; John W. Welch, treasurer of the company; Edward Cornell; Joseph Kelly, Frank H. Kimmerer and others of the office force of the company who assisted in the entertainment of the evening.

Mr. Edward Cornell presided over the banquet as toastmaster and in his remarks made very pleasing reference to the Plattsmouth plant of the M. E. Smith company, which he stated was for its size the most efficient one operated by the company, and paid a well deserved tribute to Miss Mary L. McGuire, the efficient forelady of the local plant as well as to the employees of the company who have been so faithful in serving the best interests of the company.

Mr. A. C. Smith also spoke briefly along the lines of the operation of the business and the hearty co-operation between the officers of the company and their employees throughout the state. Short addresses were given by Mr. Russell, Mr. Kelly and Mr. Buffington during the course of the evening while Mr. Clough had charge of the humorous portion of the toast list and aided by others of the Omaha party afforded a very pleasant evening. The glee club of the Omaha office was present and during the evening gave several very delightful musical numbers.

Both during the banquet and the dance that followed, the orchestra of Dan DesDunes, of Omaha, furnished a delightful musical program and their efforts made a pleasing feature of the evening.

The Modern Woodmen hall was selected as the scene of the ball that followed the close of the banquet and here the merry party of young people repaired at the close of the feast and for several hours enjoyed themselves to the utmost in tripping off the measures of the dance to the tune of the crack orchestra of Omaha until the midnight hour.

tory in this city and they feel that the recognition of their services by the head officers of the company tendered in the form of the pleasant entertainment is something they will long remember and are deeply grateful to the officers who arranged the clever event.

To the community at large the excellent standing of the factory in this city is the source of much pleasure and under the able management of Miss Mary L. McGuire is has become one of the most important branches of the M. E. Smith company and is a credit to the city with the large number of skilled workers employed and the high standard of work turned out by the ladies employed there.

DISTRICT COURT OPENS SESSION

First Case Called is That of Irene Berry vs. Wilhelm Knaup et al—Jury is Selected.

From Monday's Daily.
This morning the November term of the district court was opened by Judge James T. Begley, presiding, and the first case called following the reporting of the jury was that of Irene Berry vs. Wilhelm Knaup et al. The morning was largely spent in the selecting of the jury in the case and the following were chosen to hear the evidence in the case: Mike Mauzy, W. A. Taylor, John C. Spangler, T. W. Swan, J. D. Fitch, George Born, J. R. Noyes, H. R. Schmidt, Emmett Friend, W. G. Boedeker, Wallace Philpot, Fred Muenchau. The opening statements of the attorneys occupied the remainder of the morning session of the court.

G. H. Manners was appointed by Judge Begley to act as bailiff of the court at this term and at once assumed the duties of his office.

RESULT OF THE SAFETY FIRST DRIVE

Union Pacific Carries Off First Honors with Burlington a Close Second—Great Success

In the "no accident" drive of October 18th to 31st, which was participated in by the western lines of railroad, the Union Pacific was given the first honors by a percentage of reduction of injuries of 90 per cent while the Burlington was second in the drive with a percentage of 82.

The Union Pacific has 33,200 employees on its lines while the Burlington has 56,334. The campaign on the Burlington lines was carried on with vigor and secured splendid results and considering the number of employees and the excellent record in the way of safety first measures, many contend that this road should have been given the first honors, but the decision of the regional officers was that the record of the Union Pacific was clear and entitled them to the first honors.

NEW DEPARTMENT ADDED TO BIG STORE

H. M. SOENNICHSEN TO HANDLE LADIES SUITS, CLOAKS AND DRESSES

TO FILL A LONG FELT WANT

Among the Patrons of This Popular Merchandise Emporium—Display Ready Saturday

From Monday's Daily.
The H. M. Soennichsen store has decided to add another very desirable line of merchandise to the large stock of ladies goods it now carries—one that is growing very rapidly in demand in Plattsmouth and all over Cass county—that of ladies ready-to-wear garments, such as cloaks, suits and dresses. This is a line in which Plattsmouth is desiring of the very best—and this is just what Mr. Soennichsen intends to give the people.

Miss Mathilde Soennichsen will have charge of this department, and with the aid and experience of Mr. M. Fanger, whose services have been secured for a limited time, and who now represents several of the largest ladies outfitting houses in the country, will no doubt make the new venture for this popular store a big success.

The first shipment of the new line of goods will arrive in Plattsmouth in time for display and sale on next Saturday, and if you are contemplating the purchase of a garment in this line, it will no doubt pay to await the arrival of this line of goods, fresh from the markets and perfectly new in style and design.

This will be the beginning for a stock of goods in Plattsmouth that has long been needed here, one that many have gone elsewhere to purchase, and we hope that the new venture of Mr. Soennichsen will have the desired effect of keeping the sales in this line right here in Plattsmouth.

The ladies of Plattsmouth and community are given a special invitation to call and examine this line next Saturday, whether they wish to buy or not. They want you to see the line and become acquainted with the quality of goods that they will handle in the future.

SECURES MARRIAGE LICENSE.

From Monday's Daily.
This morning a marriage license was issued by County Judge Allen J. Beeson to Peter Antos and Miss Julia Sedlak, both of this city. The young people will be married tomorrow at the Holy Rosary church in this city.

Turkey, turkey, at Lewiston on Thanksgiving day.

A SERVICE MESSAGE

A Few Points About Checks!

—Settling your bills by check is the most convenient means of payment yet devised.

—A mere stroke of the pen transfers your money with complete security against loss.

—When you write a check, you have fixed a record of the way in which you applied this money.

—Let us have a deposit from you next pay day and we will start you with a bank book and checks.

First National Bank

"The Bank Where You Feel at Home"