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ARRIVES AT END OF LONG JOURNEY

**MRS. ELVIRA C. TEWKSBURY
PASSES AWAY AT AGE
OF 89 YEARS.**

A DAUGHTER OF REVOLUTION

Father of Mrs. Tewksbury Was Soldier in Ranks of Revolutionary Army in 1770's.

From Monday's Daily.
Nebraska's only real "Daughter of the American Revolution" has completed the journey of life and laid down the burden of years which have almost touched the century mark, as the death messenger came to Mrs. Elvira C. Tewksbury at her home in this city early yesterday morning.

Though nearing her 90th year of life Mrs. Tewksbury to the last maintained her bright and keen intellect and her grasp of the affairs of the great busy world was never dimmed even as the shadows of death closed upon her and to her last moments she was able to recognize and converse with those of her family and the old friends who gathered at her side.

The distinction that has been this estimable lady's pride has been that she was the only person in the state of Nebraska whose parents had had a vital part in the war of the revolution that severed the ties of relationship between this nation and the British government and on numerous occasions she has been honored by the patriotic societies of the state with suitable recognition of the fact. The father of Mrs. Tewksbury was James Walker, who at the age of sixteen enlisted in the revolutionary army and served in the New England campaigns as a member of the New Hampshire militia and was a member of the party re-enforcing Fort Ticonderoga, when it was attacked by the English army in the summer of 1777, and just prior to the collapse of the English campaign under General Burgoyne at the battle of Saratoga. The records of the service of Mr. Walker are found in the parol and other documents of the regiment of militia commanded by Major Francis Smith, showing that Mr. Walker enlisted in June 1777 and was discharged from the service a month later.

Elvira C. Tewksbury was born at Antrim, New Hampshire on May 22, 1830, and her father at the time of her birth was seventy years of age so that his death occurred not long after the birth of the daughter. The family from which this estimable lady sprang was one of the most prominent in that portion of New England and one of the family was called to the highest gift of the people of the United States in the person of Franklin Pierce, president from 1853 to 1856.

The splendid ancestry was well borne out by this wonderful woman who in later years when married to John S. Tewksbury, she came with her husband to the great unknown plains of the west and in 1860 located at Weeping Water in Cass county, Nebraska, where for many years the husband ran a mill and his little industry was one known for many miles and here this worthy couple gathered about them the warm circle of friends that have remained until death came to claim first the husband and later the wife. The death of Mr. Tewksbury occurred fifteen years ago on March 5, 1905, and since that time the faithful and loving wife has been making her home with her relatives, Mrs. Anna May Wooley, a niece having tenderly cared for this splendid American woman in her declining days. Mrs. Wooley coming to this city a number of years ago to make her home and since that time "Auntie" Tewksbury has made her home here amid the familiar scenes of other days and enjoying the sunset of life with the old friends and former associates.

The funeral of this dearly beloved lady will be held on Tuesday afternoon. A prayer and short service will be held at the home at 9th and

Granite street by the Rev. W. S. Leete of St. Luke's church, and the cortege then proceed to South Omaha where the body is to be laid to rest in the cemetery in that city. The Daughters of the American Revolution of this city and Omaha will participate in the funeral services.

A FINE DAUGHTER

From Monday's Daily.
The patrons of the postoffice who had occasion to do business in the money order department today were much impressed by the pleasant smile that had imprinted itself on the countenance of Frank Cloidt, assistant postmaster, and we are at liberty to give the reason—it's a girl. A fine little daughter arrived Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cloidt and will make the home happy by her presence in the future. The mother and little one are doing nicely and the little sister is delighted over the playmate that has come to share the home with her.

WINS IN THE RE- CENT LAND LOTTERY

**H. E. Daley of This City Lands Good
Claim in Land Drawing at Torrington, Wyo., Saturday.**

From Monday's Daily.
In the land lottery that Uncle Sam has been conducting at Torrington, Wyoming, one of the Plattsmouth former services men who registered, H. E. Daley, was successful in landing claim No. 78 and will receive a nice tract of land in the area that has been thrown open for settlement. The registration was quite heavy at Torrington and a larger part of those who entered were former service men who sought to establish homesteads in the new country being opened up. Of the eighty farms drawn thirty-one were drawn by Nebraska and a number of residents of Iowa.

A greater part of those failing to secure a claim at Torrington will also file on the Shoshone Indian reservation lands that are to be opened up this season.

HAS BATTERED APPEARANCE

From Monday's Daily.
R. W. Clement, agent of the Burlington, presents a very much disfigured appearance today as the result of a rather serious accident which befell him yesterday afternoon. Mr. Clement was engaged in adjusting a storm window when the ladder on which he was standing gave way and in a few seconds he had struck the cold unfeeling earth with great force and the result was that he was severely bruised and the right wrist sprained. Mr. Clement had several bad lacerations and bruises of the right cheek as well as the nose and that while not serious, are very painful.

SUFFERS SEVERE INJURIES

From Monday's Daily.
The many old friends in this city of Willard B. Wise, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Wise, now of Omaha, and who was formerly one of the members of the newspaper craft in this city, will regret greatly to learn of his injury at Price, Utah. In speaking of the accident the News-Advocate of that city says:
W. B. Wise, outside foreman at Peerless, was in Price Tuesday in answer to a jury summons. He was excused until next week. Mr. Wise is still carrying his arm in a sling and nursing several sore spots as a result of stepping around a box car in front of an engine. He jumped and was caught in the air and hurled several feet.

SECURES PENSION

From Monday's Daily.
Charles C. Lahoda of this city has been awarded a pension by the United States government as the result of his partial disability caused by his service during the world war. Mr. Lahoda was in service during the American offensives in France and his health has been undermined as the result of his experience and he has been unable to perform manual labor since his return home. Mr. Lahoda has received notice of the allowance of his pension which is to date from April 12, 1919.

MRS. MARY BLOUNT DIES AT LINCOLN

DEATH CAME YESTERDAY MORNING AT 6:30 AS A RESULT OF INFLUENZA.

FUNERAL IS TO BE HELD HERE

Mrs. Blount at Lincoln for Some Time Caring for Daughter—Was Stricken There.

From Monday's Daily.
Yesterday morning the message was received here by the relatives announcing the death at 6:30 a. m., of Mrs. Mary Blount of this city, who has for the past few days been at the Everett sanitarium in Lincoln. Mrs. Blount was called to the capital city by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Robert McClanahan, and while there was taken down with the flu. The patient has been a great sufferer from the effects of a serious injury received on August 24th when she was thrown from the buggy in which she was riding, and as a result of the serious condition of Mrs. Blount she was taken last Friday to the Everett sanitarium for treatment but failed to show improvement and gradually grew worse until death came to her relief. The body will be brought to this city and the funeral services held on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 from the Christian church with Rev. D. A. Youtzy of Elmwood, officiating.

The deceased was born December 23, 1860, at Winterset, Iowa, and spent her youth in that city and where she was married to Charles E. Warren, and from this union two sons, Frank E. and Fred J., and three daughters, Sybil, Edna and Margaret were born. Fred J. Warren died several years ago at Denver, and the remaining children are left to mourn the death of the mother. The departed lady has for years been a faithful member of the Christian church and was also a leading figure in the W. R. C. Daughters of Rebekah, and Knights & Ladies of Security. In later years she was united in marriage a second time, to Ralph Blount, and from this union there was born one son, Earl E. Blount, who resides at Denver. For a number of years Mrs. Blount resided at Denver and since returning to Nebraska has been making her home in this city with her daughter, Mrs. Elmer A. Taylor.

The children who mourn the death of this good woman are: Frank E. Warren, Mrs. Elmer A. Taylor of Plattsmouth, Mrs. Sybil Head of Omaha, Mrs. R. E. McClanahan of Lincoln and Earl E. Blount of Denver.

MARRIED AT THE COURT HOUSE

From Monday's Daily.
Saturday afternoon at the court house occurred the marriage of two of the young people of this city, Mr. Edward F. Maybee and Miss Vera Morrow. The wedding ceremony was performed by County Judge A. J. Beeson in his accustomed pleasing manner and the young people departed full of happiness to take up their journey in life as one hereafter. They will make their home for the present near Murray where Mr. Maybee is employed on a farm. Mr. Maybee is one of the former service men of this city, having been a member of the 127th field artillery and spent several months in France. The bride is quite well known to a large circle of friends who will join in wishing the young people much happiness in their future years.

A NEW ARRIVAL

From Monday's Daily.
The stork on Saturday evening made a flying visit to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Cole near Mynard and left in their care a fine little son and heir and it is needless to say that the occasion has been one of the great pleasures to the parents as well as other relatives of the little man. Mother and little one are doing nicely and the father is becomingly proud over the addition that has come to his family.

NOW LOCATED IN CITY

From Monday's Daily.
Ray Duboise of Omaha, has accepted a position in this city at the barber shop of C. A. Rosencrans and is now engaged in looking after the needs of the patrons of this popular shop. Mr. Duboise is an expert in his line and has been with the best shops in the metropolis before coming to this city. He is a brother of Ernest A. Deboise, who for several years conducted the barber shop now operated by Clark & Pickett.

GOES TO DE- FEAT IN FINAL BATTLE, 22-14

**PLATTSMOUTH H. S. TEAM AFTER
SPLendid SUCCESS IN
TOURNAMENT, BEATEN**

HAVELOCK TEAM THE WINNER

Our Boys Made Brilliant Effort but Overwhelmed by Team from the Lincoln Suburb.

From Monday's Daily.
After making the best showing of any local basket ball team in the state tournament, the team of 1920 of the Plattsmouth high school met defeat in the final game of the class C series Saturday night at the Lincoln armory, where they "got out from under" with a score of 14 to 22, in favor of their opponents, the Havelock boys.

While the pleasure of final success was denied the team from this city they can find a great deal of consolation in the great record they have made for the season and their showing at the state meet, when they remained as the runners-up of the championship.

H. Hecht, forward of the Havelock team was the bright and glittering star of the final game as he scored more than half of the points made by his team and was the largest contributing factor in the undoing of the Plattsmouth team. In the opening half of the game the contest was very close, Redd of Havelock scoring the only field goal made and the score at the end of the first half was 5 to 3 in favor of the Lincoln suburb. In the second half, both teams weakened in their defense and a score was rolled-up that left the final result 22 and 14.

The large number of enthusiasts who had journeyed to Lincoln to witness the battle were rather disappointed in the result, but were very proud of the excellent record made by the local team throughout the tournament.

YOUNGS QUILTS RACE FOR GOVERNORSHIP

**Non-Partisan Candidate Withdraws
—Mass Meeting of Delegates
Called for May 4th.**

From Monday's Daily.
Elmer E. Youngs, of Lexington, Nebr., who was nominated as a candidate for governor on the republican ticket at the state convention of the national non-partisan league of Nebraska at Lincoln, February 26th, has withdrawn his name from the list of candidates.

The state executive committee announced yesterday that it had accepted Youngs' withdrawal. In submitting his letter begging to withdraw from the race, Youngs states that ill-health is the cause of his action. He says that a recent attack of influenza has left him too weak to take part actively in the state campaign.

The state executive committee, in announcing Youngs' withdrawal, states that because of the short period intervening before the primaries it would not be advisable to attempt a second convention. For this reason it has been decided to hold a mass meeting in Lincoln May 4 for the purpose of nominating in whole or in part a state ticket.

GIVEN VER- DICT FOR SUM OF \$12,000

**JOHN F. MORRIS, OF WABASH,
SECURES VERDICT IN DAM-
AGE SUIT AGAINST MOP**

SUED FOR TWENTY THOUSAND

Jury Reached Agreement Last Night and Verdict is Given to Court This Morning.

The damage suit of John F. Morris vs. the Missouri Pacific Railway company and Walker D. Hines, director general of railroads, which occupied the time of the district court Monday and Tuesday was brought to a close yesterday afternoon and this morning the verdict of the jury opened in court, awarding to the plaintiff judgment in the sum of \$12,000.

This case has had quite a career in the court having been remanded from the federal court at Lincoln to the district court of Cass county for trial and was first tried at the November term of the district court at which time the jury in the case was unable to agree as to the amount of damages and resulted in the case being laid over until the present term of court.

Mr. Morris was a section man in the employ of the defendant railroad company at the time of the accident, January 10, 1919, and it was claimed by the plaintiff that the accident was caused by defective tools supplied to the plaintiff, an inexperienced workman, he having been given a mail to drive spikes which was in such condition that when he was assisting a fellow workman in driving a spike, a portion of the steel from the head of the mail flew off and struck the plaintiff in the right eye causing that member to lose its sight.

No announcement as to the intentions of the defendants to appeal the case has been made.

CALLED WEST BY DEATH MESSAGE

**Clerk of the District Court James M.
Robertson Called to Franklin,
Nebr., by Death of Brother**

This morning Clerk of the District Court James M. Robertson, departed for Franklin, Nebraska, in response to a message announcing the death at that place yesterday of his brother, David Robertson. The death came as the result of a severe accident sustained a week ago when Mr. Robertson fell at his home and suffered severe injuries to his head as well as sustaining a bad fracture of the hip and which with his advanced age of 78 years made his recovery impossible. David Robertson was one of the pioneer residents of Franklin county, and has been very prominent in the public life of that community during his long residence there. The funeral will be held tomorrow from the late home.

CAR GOES INTO DITCH

Visitors in the city from the vicinity of Orapolis report that a large touring car is reposing in the ditch near the bridge at the first turn on the Platte bottom road having run into the ditch evidently some time during the night. The car was headed south and in making the turn from the east and west road onto the south-bound road evidently ran over the side of the culvert bridge. This has long been a very dangerous place as the bridge has no protecting railings or other means of preventing an accident and the usual result of such a condition has been followed—that of a car running off and lodging head on in the mud of the small slough.

Itching, bleeding, protruding or blind piles have yielded to Doan's Ointment. 60c at all drug stores.

MRS. A. G. COLE IMPROVING

Mrs. A. G. Cole, who has been quite sick for the past week at her home on high school hill, is reported as showing some improvement, and was able yesterday to sit up for a short time, the first that she has been able to leave her bed for several days. The friends and the members of the family are hopeful that she may soon be able to be up and around as usual.

FUNERAL OF MRS. ELVIRA TEWKSBURY

Services are Held at Home in This City and Body is Laid to Rest at Cemetery at South Omaha

The funeral services of the late Mrs. Elvira C. Tewksbury were held yesterday afternoon at 1:30 from the home at Granite and Ninth streets, and quite largely attended by the old friends and neighbors to pay their tribute of honor to the venerable and lovable lady who had been taken from them at the close of a long and useful life in the community. The services were in charge of the Rev. W. S. Leete, rector of St. Luke's church who read the ritualistic service of the Episcopal church. A quartet composed of Mrs. J. H. Donnelly, Mrs. E. H. Westcott, Rev. A. V. Hunter and Rev. H. G. McCluskey gave several of the old songs that had been loved by Mrs. Tewksbury during her lifetime, while Mrs. Westcott gave as a solo, "Abide With Me". The body was conveyed to South Omaha by auto where it was consigned to rest in the family lot in that city. Rev. Wheeler of the Presbyterian church of the South Side officiating at the services at the grave. The Daughters of the American Revolution of Omaha assisted in the services at Omaha.

ACCEPTS A CALL TO GERING

Rev. D. A. Youtzy, who formerly preached at the Christian church at this place, has accepted a call as minister to the church at Gering, where he served in that capacity several years ago. He had a number of calls at other places, after having decided to leave the charge at Elmwood. Elder Youtzy is one of the ablest ministers in the state, and with his wife has many close friends in Plattsmouth as well as in Elmwood. He was in the city today, delivering the sermon at the funeral of the late Mrs. J. D. Blount, who a few days ago passed away at her late home in Lincoln. Rev. Youtzy will close his work at Elmwood in the next few weeks and will open the work at Gering on Easter morning. It is with a full assurance of his success that the church at that place has recalled him to the ministry there.

Robert Patterson and wife came up this morning from their home south of the city and departed on the afternoon Burlington train for Omaha, to spend a few hours.

WEEPING WATER ER VOTES 'NO' ON FRANCHISE

**SPECIAL ELECTION HELD FRIDAY
TO DETERMINE WHETHER CITY
SHOULD GRANT FRANCHISE**

STAYS WITH CITY OWNERSHIP

Total Vote of 320 is Cast and in This Majority Against the New Franchise is 47.

The city of Weeping Water last week wrestled with the question of whether the city should continue to operate the lighting plant there or a franchise be granted to private individuals of that city or vicinity and the result was a majority of 47 at the special election against the granting of the franchise.

The discussion of the question was entered into thoroughly by the residents of that city and an especially strong campaign made by the friends of the proposed franchise to the private parties and both with personal effort and newspaper advertising and argument, the proposal was laid before the people and the believers in the city ownership were not idle however, and had their well based arguments which were evidently more convincing from the indications of the result.

Weeping Water has had municipal ownership of the lighting plant for a number of years and it has proven very successful under the able management of a very capable administration headed by Mayor Fred H. Gorder, and it was one of the chief arguments against the continuance of the city plant that Mr. Gorder might not continue as the head of the city government. The cost to the consumer has been very reasonable under the city control and this was one of the big factors in determining the decision of the voters to say "no" when the proposed change was suggested.

The McKinley power lines are expected to build to the Weeping Water quarries and the advent of this corporation will give a source of power to the quarries and in addition to the service in the city gives Weeping Water excellent service.

SERVICES LAST EVENING

The mid-week service at the St. Luke's church was well attended last evening and the Rev. James Noble of Falls City gave a very pleasing sermon, taking the forgiveness and fatherly love of the maker as the comforting balm to the tired and weary of the world and the comfort of the Christian life in the hour of trial and stress.

Ben Dill of near Murray was in the city for a short time today looking after some matters of business.

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