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PLATTSMOUTH IS WINNER OF THE OPENING GAME

First Game of Tourney Goes to the Local High School by a Score of 9 to 7—Packers Next.

From Thursday's Daily. The Plattsmouth high school basketball team and Norfolk high school played the first game of the state tourney at Lincoln this morning at 8 o'clock and which resulted in a 9 to 7 victory for the Plattsmouth boys in a hard fought battle.

The game was played at the state fair grounds and was attended by the rosters from this city who had poured into Lincoln yesterday afternoon to attend the three-day event and especially to watch the work of the locals.

In the first half the two teams played a close game and the guard-line of Mullis and Wasley were features of the contest as they kept the Norfolk basket shooters closely covered and at the close of the half the score stood 3 to 2 in favor of the locals.

Throughout the second half the struggle was continued with closeness and the locals lost several opportunities for baskets but the defensive work kept the opponents from securing any advantage and at the close of the last half the score stood 9 to 7 with Plattsmouth on the long end and admitted them into the second round of the tournament.

The second game will be played on Friday morning at 10:40 and Plattsmouth will have as their opponents in the game the South Omaha high school, members of class A last year, and a real struggle is looked forward to and the winner of the game will bid fair to be one of the contenders in the finals of the tourney.

The tournament is one of the greatest ever held in the state and 237 teams represented by 1,250 players are participating and the number of spectators will run into the thousands as all of the teams from the east part of the state and near Lincoln are sending large delegations to attend the games and Central high of Omaha has reservations for 400 students to attend the games in which the Omaha school participates.

The system of running of the games provides for the playing of fifteen minute halves. A half of one game will be played and then continued after the half of another game has been started. The games in which the games can be scheduled in the least time.

The coliseum at the state fair grounds, the auditorium, Y. M. C. A. chapel and armory and the two Lincoln high courts are being used for playing the games.

CARS GET BUMPED

From Thursday's Daily. Late yesterday afternoon, Sheriff C. D. Quinton who was going south on 7th street had his large touring car rammed by a car driven by a young man named Crum residing in the Mynard neighborhood and as the result of the collision the car of Mr. Crum, a small Oakland, was badly damaged and the speedster of the sheriff bears but little traces of the collision. From the reports of the accident it seems that Mr. Crum was coming east on Pearl street at a very good rate of speed as there is a small incline at the approach to the intersection with Seventh street and as the sheriff approached from the north he noticed the approaching car and realizing that there was danger of a collision, attempted to escape by turning and trips to drive straight across Pearl street and had gotten all but the rear wheels of his car in the clear when the crash came. Coming with considerable speed, the Crum car turned the heavy car of the sheriff's completely around and when the excitement was over the sheriff found his gas tank under the north. The force of the impact stove in the radiator of the car of Mr. Crum, wrenched and bent the springs on the front and made it look like a collection of junk.

VERY QUIET WEDDING

From Thursday's Daily. This morning at the Presbyterian manse occurred the marriage of two of the popular and well known young people of this portion of Cass county, Miss Fae Gregory and Mr. Fred Terryberry.

TRAGIC DEATH OF LITTLE ONE

Students of the high school for the year of 1918, as well as teachers, will regret to hear of the tragic death of the little three-year-old daughter of Mrs. R. C. L. Greer, formerly Miss Bertha Driftmeier, a teacher in the local high school in 1918. Miss Driftmeier was highly esteemed and her former pupils and associate with her in her bereavement. Her little daughter was accidentally burned to death February 23.

SOUTH SIDE HIGH WINS ITS DEBATE HERE YESTERDAY

But Like Railway Labor Board, the Judges Were Divided in Their Opinion, Two to One.

From Thursday's Daily. The debating team of the Plattsmouth high school composed of Roy Olson, Morris Whittaker and Henry Leacock, met defeat yesterday afternoon at the High school auditorium in the debate staged between the South Side high school and that of this city.

The subject was that assigned by the state association, "Should Nebraska adopt the Kansas Industrial Court Law" and the local orators were given the affirmative to handle while their opponents were given the negative of the question.

ADDS HARDWARE STOCK TO HIS LINE OF MERCHANDISE

Within the last few days Jess F. Wurga has added to his electrical supply shop and plumbing establishment, a full line of the best and most up-to-date hardware that can be secured and is now ready to supply the wants of the public in this line.

CHRISTIAN LADIES MEET

From Thursday's Daily. The aid society of the Christian church met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. O. C. Hudson on high school hill and the occasion was very much enjoyed by all who were in attendance. Mrs. Hudson was assisted in entertaining and serving by Mrs. A. L. Connor.

FOR SALE BY OWNER

160 acre farm, well improved, good locality, also one of eighty acres, unimproved. Both of these farms will be priced right, and will be sold on good terms. These farms are in Cass county, between Murdock and Greenwood. Also 320 acre improved farm near Big Springs in Deuel county, Nebraska.

FUNERAL OF MRS. MATILDA BURK IS HELD YESTERDAY

Aged Lady is Laid to Rest in Oak Hill Cemetery with Services at the Methodist Church.

From Thursday's Daily. The funeral services of the late Mrs. Matilda Burk were held yesterday afternoon from the First Methodist church and attended by many of the old friends and neighbors to pay their last tributes to the memory of this splendid woman.

NEHAWKA TO HAVE WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE SOON

Make the home town the best place in which to live and also provide the most safety appliances which will make reasonable sure that your home in this town will be safe from the ravages of the fire fiend. Have this a healthful place in which to live, with proper sewerage and also lower cost of insurance. A few of the progressive citizens of Nehawka will make reasonable sure that your home in this town will be safe from the ravages of the fire fiend.

P. E. O. STATE OFFICERS HERE FOR A CONFERENCE

Will be Guests of Mrs. Wm. Baird, State President, and Honor Guests of Chapter F.

DANCE IS A SUCCESS

From Thursday's Daily. The mask ball given last evening by the "New Way" club at the M. W. A. building was a great success in every way and a large number of attractive and fancy costumes were in evidence on the dance floor during the early part of the evening.

NEW AMUSEMENT PLACE

One of the new enterprises which is contemplated in this city is that of a new pool hall, parties from Humboldt, Nebraska, having planned to locate here in the near future. It is understood that the new pool hall is expecting to open in the building of Mrs. William Wyman on lower Main street and will give it a location in a portion of the city away from the present pool and billiard parlors which are located at the upper portion of the street.

LEAVE FOR ST. LOUIS

From Thursday's Daily. This afternoon a delegation of some fifteen former employees of the Burlington in this city, departed for St. Louis where they will enter the employ of one of the large railway contract shops in that place.

FORMER PLATTS-MOUTH LADY IS IN HIGH STANDING

Mrs. David Allen Campbell, of New York Responsible for the Armistice Day Singing.

STILL CONFINED TO HOME

From Friday's Daily. J. H. Short, department commander of the Patriarchs Militant of the I. O. O. F. of Nebraska, has been having a combat with the grippe for the past week and for several days has been confined to his bed and is still unable to leave the home as the sickness refuses to yield its hold on Mr. Short, but the family and friends are hopeful that the next few days will show a change for the better.

OPENS UP GARAGE

W. E. Propst has taken over the garage located in the Propst building at Seventh and Vine streets and will operate a garage there in the future and be in a position to look after the interests of his patrons. Mr. Propst has had a great deal of experience in the automobile business and should prove very successful in this line of work.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our most sincere thanks to the public and especially the "boys" and express our gratefulness for the applause given to us at the "New Way" masquerade dance, Wednesday night, which resulted in our winning the second and third prize. "Miss Columbia" and "Kewpie Doll."

APPOINTS ASSESSORS

From Friday's Daily. County Assessor William Rummell yesterday made the appointment of two assessors for Plattsmouth city as well as for Weeping Water, Nitz as the assessors for Plattsmouth city and George H. Olive as assessor for Weeping Water.

P. E. O. STATE OFFICERS ARE ENTERTAINED

BANQUET TENDERED VISITORS BY CHAPTER F AT THE HOTEL WAGNER.

From Friday's Daily. Last evening the members of Chapter F, P. E. O. of this city entertained the visiting state officers of the society at a most delightful banquet at the Hotel Wagner and as guests in addition to the distinguished party of officers, the B. I. L. S. the brothers-in-law of the order, were entertained as well.

The handsome dining room was decorated in the color scheme of yellow and white, the colors of the order and on the tables the glow of the yellow candles added a softening glow to the scene that enhanced the charm of the banquet.

The menu of the banquet was prepared under the direction of Mr. Wagner and was very much enjoyed by the banqueters and was as follows: Oyster Cocktail, Cream of Chicken Soup, Radishes, Olives, Celery, Lettuce, Sweet Onions, Fried Chicken a la Maryland, Creamed Mashed Potatoes, Waldorf Salad, Asparagus Tips on Toast, Brick Ice Cream, Tea, Cakes, Coffee.

The toastmistress in her charming manner called on the members of the party of visitors, Miss Lula Woolford of Lincoln, Mrs. Maude Hendee of North Platte, Mrs. Nell Grantham of Kearney, Mrs. Harriet Salter of Pierce, Mrs. J. Cameron of Omaha, Mrs. Mae Bond of Fairbury and Mrs. William Baird of this city, state president, for a few remarks on the good of the order and the ladies responded in a most delightful manner.

BACK ON THE JOB

From Saturday's Daily. Attorney John M. Leyda, who was taken with a stroke of apoplexy on Wednesday noon, has so far recovered from the effects of the attack that he was able to be down at his office for a few hours yesterday afternoon. Mr. Leyda is still feeling the effects of the attack but refuses to give up the fight and is back on the job. The many friends of John are very much pleased to see that he has come through his ordeal so well and trust that he may entirely recover from the effects of the attack.

JUDGE BEGLEY RETURNS

From Friday's Daily. District Judge James T. Begley, who has been at Lincoln the past week sitting with the supreme court in that city, returned to Plattsmouth here with his family.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express in this public manner our deep appreciation of the many acts of kindness to our loved one in her last hours and also for the sympathy shown to us in our bereavement, and also to the neighbors and friends in South Park, the M. D. & A. the Social Workers and others for the beautiful flowers and the pall bearers and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Kruger and Miss Olive Gass for their expressions of sympathy.—George Lamphere and family; William Lamphere and family; William Burke and family; Fred Spangler and family; Mrs. Lilly Bryant; Mrs. Hazel Miller; Mrs. Ella Scott.

METHODIST LADIES HOLD A VERY FINE SOCIAL MEETING

Aid Society Holds Session Yesterday Afternoon at Church Parlors With Large Attendance.

From Friday's Daily. Yesterday afternoon the ladies aid society of the Methodist church was very pleasantly entertained at the church parlors by Mesdames Isaac Cecil, M. E. Bushnell, Adam Kafenberg, James Rishel, Frank Barkus and J. M. Hall.

BASKETBALL STILL ON

From Friday's Daily. While the state tourney has drawn the attention of the basketball fans of the state there is still a great interest shown among the younger members of the city schools and yesterday afternoon two games were staged at the high school gym between two sixth grade teams and two fifth grade teams. The team of the sixth grade from the room of Mrs. Gerner, composed of Hadraba, Burton, Hartford, Graham, Davis, Denison and Baldwin took on a team of fifth graders from the room of Mrs. Strobova composed of Dew, Denson, Hunacek, Lister and Wurga and the result was 19 to 2 in favor of the sixth graders.

SHOWING IMPROVEMENT

The latest reports from the bedside of Miss Mable Bennett at Omaha are to the effect that the patient, who has been suffering from an attack of pneumonia, is now showing signs of improvement and the attending physicians are hopeful that she may soon be on the highway toward recovery.

EMERGENCY FARM LOANS

Plenty of money. I can close your loan in three days or less.—Searl S. Davis, Plattsmouth State Bank Bldg., Plattsmouth, Nebr. m1-45w.

SOUTH SIDERS PUT PLATTSMOUTH OUT OF THE RACE

Packers Win Second Round of Tourney by 15 to 8 Score—Locals Ahead End of First Half.

From Friday's Daily. The hopes of the basketball fans of this city of the Plattsmouth high school being a factor in the finals of the state tourney were dashed today when the local team went down to defeat at the hands of the South Omaha high school in the second round of the state basketball tournament.

WILL GIVE PLAY

The members of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church are making plans and arrangements for giving a home talent play, which will be entitled "All Aboard," at the Farmele theatre in the very near future. It will be under the supervision of the John B. Rogers producing company and that is enough said. The members of the cast are being selected at this time and efforts are being made to secure the best local talent. The young people of this organization are very desirous of giving this classy little play during the early part of April but final arrangements have not been completed so it is impossible to give the exact date at this time but watch these columns for further announcements and the dates, and in the meantime make your plans now for attending "All Aboard." You will remember the plays called "Katcha Koo" and "Wishing Ring," which were given under the supervision of the John B. Rogers producing company in this city a few years ago and you may be sure "All Aboard" will be just as good, if not better.

ENTERTAINS FOR VISITORS

From Friday's Daily. This afternoon, Mesdames J. E. Wiles, L. L. Wiles and E. H. Wescott entertained at a 1 o'clock luncheon at Sunnyside, the charming luncheon in honor of the visiting state officers of the P. E. O. chapter. The color scheme of the luncheon was in yellow and white, the colors of the society. The only guests were the officers of the state chapter including Mrs. William Baird, state president.



You can build a fire without matches—the Indians did—but it was a laborious process and is no longer necessary. You can handle your financial transactions without a checking account, but you would neglect your opportunities as badly as if you built fires by rubbing two sticks together.

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