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MANLEY NEWS ITEMS

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A son came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morgan McCurdy, who reside near Havelock, last Sunday. All are doing nicely.

Mrs. Floyd Rockwell and son, Jean Warren, of Wayne, were visiting for a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh O'Brien

Business called August Pautsch, of Louisville to Manley the first of last week to look after some matters of importance for a short time.

W. F. Schliefert and son, of Louisville, were visiting and looking after some business matters in Manley during the latter portion of last week.

A. H. Humble and wife were visiting with friends in Lincoln on last Tuesday evening, and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Frost while there.

Walter Jenkins and the family, who make their home at Havelock, were spending the day last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Alice Jenkins and Elmer Pearson.

Grover C. Rhoden and the family were over to Plattsmouth and Mynard on last Wednesday, driving in their auto and visiting with their many friends there.

Everett Coon and wife and Frank McCoy and wife, of Lincoln, were spending last Wednesday at the home of Fred Lorensen, where all enjoyed the visit very much.

Mrs. Charles Gerlach and daughter, Miss Vera, of Omaha, were visiting with friends and also looking after some business matters in Manley on Wednesday of last week.

Fred Falischman was a visitor at the Bible school and Callihan church a few miles southwest of Murdock on last Sunday, and found a wonderful Bible school with many in attendance.

Ralph Velte, who has been residing in the Fred Krecklow property formerly used for a hotel, moved last Wednesday afternoon to the Rudy Bergman property near the Manley public schools.

Mrs. Hostetter and Mrs. Brown, the former a sister of Mrs. J. L. Breckenridge, and making their homes at Omaha, were visiting with Mrs. Breckenridge for a number of days during the past week.

Gust Stander, who believes in caring for the property and knowing that good painting is a good insurance, is painting his home in Manley and when he has concluded it will be in the very best condition.

Dr. M. R. Paro and wife, of Fairbault, Minn., were spending a few days at the home of Harry Hawes and wife, driving in from their home in the north. Mrs. Paro and Mrs. Hawes are sisters. All enjoyed a most pleasant visit.

Miss Leda Falischman closed a very successful school year over near Mynard, where she has been teaching, with a picnic at the grove of George Kreager, which was attended by the entire country side and a most delightful time was had.

Herman Dall was a visitor in Omaha on last Tuesday, where he went for a load of machinery for the farmers in this locality. He is kept pretty much on the jump to supply the farmers with the machinery they are in need of at this season of the year.

Hugh O'Brien has been sinking the well deeper at the farm, as it has been showing some indications of not having sufficient water. He was assisted with the digging by Walter O'Brien and Walter Johnson on last Wednesday, when very good progress was made.

Miss Alice Harmes, who has been teaching in the schools of Tamora, closed her school last week after having been very successful in her teaching. They desire her to return for the coming year and it is quite probable she may decide to do so. For the present, she will take a good rest from school room duties, until the bell calls the kiddies back in September.

Miss Anna Rauth Home

Last week J. C. Rauth went to York, where he attended the closing exercises of the school at that place, when his daughter, Miss Anna D. Rauth was completing her school year, and where she graduated in the music department, receiving the highest honors and credits. Miss Anna has been working very hard with her studies and the closing of the school year, which gives her an opportunity for some needed rest, comes at a most opportune time.

Are Rescuing the Church

A number of the people of Manley are at this time pushing a move to raise enough funds for the repairing and repainting of the church, in which the Union Bible school is beheld and also are expecting to keep it in condition for preaching whenever anyone can be secured to conduct the services. The workers have concluded to call the church the Memorial church and keep it open to all denominations or no denomination as the case may be. It will afford a place for regular worship and doubtless be attended by many of the residents of this vicinity who have felt the urge for more regular worship of God than has been enjoyed in the past. We hope to report early progress with the work.

Visited at Hawes Home

Mrs. A. B. Hill, of Seattle, Wash., arrived in Manley last week and was for a number of days a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hawes, Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Hawes being sisters.

Shipping Much Corn

During the past sixty days, there has been shipped about one hundred car loads of corn from Manley, and with the cars averaging from twelve to sixteen hundred bushels per car, the total amount runs up to around 150,000 bushels for the two months. This surely has been a record to be proud of and with the high prices paid for the grain, has brought much money into this locality.

We have a letter from a personal friend in the west part of the state, who says that Charley Bryan is more popular than he ever was, and Governor McMullen is cut down as lose fabrecater.

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St. John's School Holds Its Closing Exercises of Year

Fine Program Presented at the K. of C. Hall Last Evening by the Young People.

From Saturday's Daily—

The school year in St. John's parochial school, Plattsmouth ended last night, with the 8th grade commencement, school program and scholarship awards, held at the Knights of Columbus hall, and attended by a capacity crowd.

The program, participated in by students from the Primary room to and including the 8th grade graduates, included a 3-act playlet, "Patsy from Dakota," and two shorter skits, "Precious Pickle" and "Grain of Salt," together with drills by Primary and Intermediate students, interspersed between the acts. From the opening chorus by the entire school to the finale "Good Night Ladies" by a group of little girls in bedtime attire and carrying lighted candles, the attention of the audience was riveted on the splendid program arranged by the Ursuline sisters in charge of the school.

Miss Anna May Sandin was the star actress in the playlet, "Patsy from Dakota" and was ably supported by a cast of some ten other characters. The entire cast of seven characters in "Precious Pickles" shared equal acting honors, while Robert Rea, as Dr. Curem, James Nowacek, as Jeremiah, his servant; Ernest Zitka, as Major Skinflint, an English officer, donchaknow, and William Woolcott, as Fritz Dinkelspiel, a man of family, supplied the principal comedy roles in "Grain of Salt."

The drills included Hoop drill, Chef drill, Jolly Jumpers and Dance of the Fireflies.

At the close of the program, Father George Agius addressed the audience, laying stress on the value of a Christian education and admonishing the 8th grade graduates who are to go to higher schools next year to take with them the splendid principles they have been taught in the Catholic schools.

He then presented the graduates with their diplomas, the members of the class being Anna Knieke, Esther Phillips, Agnes Brink, Bertha Hausladen and James Nowacek.

Next came the award of a long list of prizes, for proficiency in studies, catechism, perfect attendance, music memory, penmanship and exhibit.

The American Legion Auxiliary awards for highest average, from the 8th grade to C class, inclusive, went to Agnes Brink, Ruth Shiffer, Lois Bestor, Richard Rea, Rosemary Cloidt, Barbara Zitka, Joseph Kvapil, James Sandin and Theodore Libershal.

The prizes for Catechism proficiency, given by Father Wagner, of Shelby, Nebr., from 8th grade down, went to Anna Knieke, Leo Sikora, Lucille Vetersnik, Ruth Slavicek, Rita Libershal, Mildred Knoflicek, Ambrose Claus, John K. Bestor and Jacquelyn Distell.

The Catholic Daughter awards for perfect attendance, regardless of grade, went to Esther Phillips, James Nowacek, Francis Libershal, Frederick Knieke, Lawrence Heigl, Rita Libershal, Frank Heigl and Charles Gradoville.

The Music Memory awards given by Ed Schulhof went to Robert Rea, Lucille Vetersnik and Rita Libershal.

The A. N. Palmer Co. penmanship awards included American Penman certificates to Anna Knieke, Agnes Brink and Ruth Shiffer; Students certificates to Agnes Brink, Ruth Schiffer, Esther Phillips, James Nowacek and Bertha Hausladen; Progress pins to eight others, and Palmer buttons to twelve additional students.

Awards for exhibit work in the respective grades, given by Miss E. Bergmann went to Anna Knieke, Irene Converse, Frederick Knieke, Ruth Slavicek, Faustine Nowacek, Teresa Altschaffl, Margaret Phillips, James Webb and Anna Altschaffl.

In addition to this the Catholic Daughters gave student prizes to all the five members of the graduating class, and there were numerous music proficiency awards.

Father George Agius, who is held in high esteem by the students, praised the quality of the exhibits and bade the audience to see the display of the same on the second floor of the building, before leaving for their homes, and many took advantage of the opportunity of viewing the work done by the students during the past year.

Father Agius sponsored two school picnics during the year, the last one a week ago, at both of which he stood treat to ice cream for the entire school. In his address he spoke in highest esteem of the work of the Ursuline sisters in making the school year the grand success it has been and thanked the parents for the interest they had also shown.

ENTERTAINED AT PICNIC

From Saturday's Daily—

Last evening a number of Omaha young people, employes of the auditing department of the Woodmen of the World headquarters at Omaha, motored down in company with Roland Thomas to enjoy a very fine time in the attractive surroundings of the Ivan Taylor place west of the city where a picnic supper was enjoyed to the utmost and later the members of the party journeyed back to their homes in Omaha. Those who were here for the event were: Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Krutsinger, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Kane, Harry and Agnes Matthews and Florence Jepson of Council Bluffs and Roland Thomas.

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PASSES ANOTHER MILESTONE

On Saturday, June 2nd, Col. M. A. Bates, veteran editor of the Plattsmouth Journal observed his eighty-sixth birthday anniversary at his home in this city and which also represents over seventy years in the newspaper business with lapses of the time of his service in the Union army in the civil war.

Col. Milford A. Bates is a son of the Buckeye state, having been born near the town of London, Ohio, on June 2, 1842, where his family had been early settlers. He took his first dip into the waters of the newspaper game there as "devil" in the office of one of the pioneer papers and the printer's ink has clung to him since that time, in varying capacities of printer, publisher and editor. His war service found him restless and he came west to Illinois to engage in the choice of his life's work and in that state and Missouri he spent his younger years. While living in Missouri he was one of the leading county editors and a prominent figure in the democratic circles when the figures of General George G. Vest, Senator Francis Marion Cockrell, Governor David R. Francis, Hon. Champ Clark, Richard P. Bland, Governor Marmaduke, Senator William J. Stone and others were the chief figures of the state political stage. Col. Bates came to Plattsmouth in 1902 when his sons purchased the Plattsmouth Journal, and he has since resided here and acting as editor of the Journal of which his son, Robert A. Bates, is the owner and publisher. In 1909-1911 Col. Bates was the representative in the state legislature from the district composed of Otoe and Cass counties. He is at this time commander of the McConahie post of the Grand Army of the Republic of this city. The advance in years has checked a great deal of his usual activity but he is still able to take a keen interest in the affairs of the world and by his pen to keep the editorial department moving on, and preparing for the election in November of a democratic president—Gov. Alfred E. Smith of New York.

ENJOYED PLEASANT TRIP TO THE RADIO STATIONS

Mrs. Mary Schleifert and daughter, Miss Leona and her two sons, Oris and Arnold Schliefert and families and Otto Harms, took a day off on Wednesday of last week and drove to Shenandoah to visit the radio stations and seed houses of Earl May and Henry Field. They had a splendid trip, going via Nebraska City, where they also stopped to visit Arbor Lodge.

At Shenandoah they partook of Henry Field's cafeteria dinner and Minerva Schliefert, the little four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Schliefert sang over the radio, this being her first attempt. She had no fear and her sweet voice carried distinctly and was heard by a number of friends and neighbors in this vicinity.

This was Miss Leona's Schliefert's first trip out of town since her recent protracted lliness and she appreciated it more than usual, because of having been shut in for so many months. She is now gaining in health and strength rapidly.—Louisville Courier.

PLATTSMOUTH LEAGUE WINS THE PRIZE CUP

The Plattsmouth Epworth League were awarded the cup for being the most efficient chapter in the Omaha district of the League at the meeting held at Fremont on Wednesday afternoon and evening.

There were eleven of the local chapter present at the district meeting, as well as Rev. H. E. Sortor, pastor of the local church and whose work with the society has greatly aided the advancement of the local chapter in their work.

The Plattsmouth chapter received 884 points, while the nearest competitor of the local chapter was Walnut Hill church of Omaha, with 600.

The victory of the local Epworth League is especially pleasing to Rev. Sortor, as he was head of the church where the winning chapter was located two years ago at Craig, and the work that he has had with the young people has led the church as well as the societies to a higher standard.

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the team had gained the second place in the league, the committee had donated the sum of $50 to the club for equipment and Mr. Holmes urged that everyone attend the games here which will be held on the next two Sundays, as the team under the management of W. T. Distell was going strong and needed support. The committee also is taking up the matter of the band concerts and hoped to have the summer program in a short time.

Chairman T. H. Pollock of the agricultural committee reported that the calf and pig clubs that were formed here had been functioning very nicely and the young people taking the greatest of interest and that John Kaffenberger and Myron Wiles, prominent farmers, had been aiding the young people in their work and with some splendid results. The creamery outlook was the best and the company that was arranging to supply the material for the plant had come here very highly recommended, that the chamber of commerce had investigated them and found the very best of results in all communities where they had established creameries and which had been a great asset to the farmer and the dairy people as it stimulated the industry. Mr. Pollock stated that on his visit to Wisconsin he found the greater part of the creameries to be co-operative and making a great asset to every community and the farmer as it had given the state an industry that had tided them through the agricultural crisis. The representative of the company, Mr. Clay was securing signers to the creamery with the assistantance of A. R. Johnson and that his proposition was the very best and investigation showed it a practical plan and a success where it was tried. Mr. Pollock urged all to join in its support.

H. C. Clay, representative of the creamery company also gave a few standing of the company and in which he invited the investigation to the fullest of anyone interested to learn of the creameries elsewhere and stated that the company that installed the creameries had the interests at heart and would see that all possible was done to make it a success when it was started.

Chairman R. A. Bates of the railroad committee reported that there had been no developments to report in the local situation and that the general adjustments that had been made in all lines of railroading had found this city is as favorable a position as other points of the Burlington.

Chairman W. G. Kieck of the city welfare committee reported that he was proceeding on the work of the cleaning up of the outstanding dead property on which taxes had accumulated and that he hoped to have the commissioners approve the resolution that would permit him to go ahead with the work and get the $48,000 worth of property back on the tax lists in the hands of persons who would keep it alive.

Chairman H. A. Schneider of the Missouri River bridge committee gave the club a great deal of encouragement as to the outlook for a speedy start on the structure, but the committee was not in a position to give the full details of the plans that had been carried along so far, except that the company was organized and the preliminary work had been pushed as rapidly as possible and the outlook was very encouraging to the bridge committee in every way.

Mrs. E. H. Wescott, the president of the Plattsmouth Woman's club was present and being called upon for a few remarks urged that the ladies of the city join in the activities of the Women's club, the chief civic organizations of the ladies. Mrs. Wescott was in favor of the carrying on of public works and urged that every effort be made in the community to provide places where possible for the young men that have graduated from the high school here, in the life of the community, that they might have their part in the community life instead of being compelled to leave here to seek their future elsewhere. The question of employment was one of the greatest needs of the hour, Mrs. Wescott stated. Another of the propositions that the ladies were interested in was a "Dutch Treat" banquet in which they could meet with the chamber of commerce and in which she urged Bess Gearhart Morrison as the speaker. The holding of a party for all the young men and women who were casting first votes this fall was also urged by the speaker. Mrs Wescott stated that the members of the Women's club had investigated the practicability of having a better water system in the Oak Hill cemetery and urged that a gas pumping station and tank be used in handling the water supply of the cemetery.

Mayor Sattler was called upon and stated that the city administration was striving to overcome the financial situation that had grown in the past few years in the city affairs and that all expenses would be cut to the limit to try and create balances in the various funds that had been badly overdrawn and that this would require the exercise of the utmost economy. In this line the speaker stated the city would not be able to finance the series of band concerts altho they were splendid attractions. Mr. Sattler stated that he had been a visitor at Nebraska City and was much impressed with the manner in which the affairs there were conducted and that he was a firm believer in the commission form of government as the most effective in the handling of the community affairs as it permitted a more business like handling of city affairs and the fact that the budget was never allowed to be overdrawn. In the matter of bonded indebtedness Mr. Sattler found that this city was in much better condition than Nebraska City.

The meeting was then adjourned after W. A. Robertson's motion to hold another public meeting in June was adopted.

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FARM BUREAU NOTES

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Dairy Day.

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Dairy Day.

The following dairy men and their families attended an interesting and useful day at the agricultural college: Martin Johnson, Weeping Water; W. T. Fager, Avoca; Paul Murdock, Nehawka; Harold Oehlerking, Elmwood; Wm. Hoffman, Alvo; others probably were there but we did not meet them in the crowd. Mr. Kline of the Crop Department and Mr. Davis at the head of the Dairy department gave interesting and useful talks on dairy feeding. There are 4 herds from Cass county in the Cornhusker association: Lester Scattergood, Eagle; Wm. Hoffman, Alvo; Bailey & Johnson, Weeping Water, and I. L. Markland, Weeping Water. In the last month's report where they were milking 16 cows or more the Markland Dairy was the high herd. The 17 cows made an average of 24.3 pounds of butterfat.

Clothing Clubs.

If there are any morec lothing clubs that want to organize, ahey must do so immediately, as it would be impossible to wait much longer and be able to finish the work.

Dam the Ditches.

When you begin to realize that the ditch across the southwest forty is getting too deep to cross, you may use a little bad language but that will never help the situation any. A few well-built baffles will be a lot more effective. A baffle is any kind of an obstruction which will cause the flood water to slow up enough to drop the soil which it is trying to steal from your fertaile fields The brush dam is a good example of baffle but if you have no brush it is possible to build them anyway by using rock, concrete or posts.

There are several points of construction which if carefully observed will bring success. In the first place, use plenty of dams or baffles. Place them not more than 100 feet apart in ditches of small slope and so close as 35 feet to 50 feet apart in steeper ones. All kinds of dams or baffles should be lower in the center than at the edges to prevent the water from running around them. If the water pours over them some provision must be made to break its fall on the down-stream side. In the brush dam this is taken care of by the brush itself. In the concrete dam, for instance, it is necessary to provide an apron on which the water may fall.

In some sections of Nebraska where plenty of rock is available it is advisable to put them to some useful purposes. Rocks piled loosely in the ditch will never be of any benefit. It is better to dig a trench across the bottom of the ditch and up the sides at leastone foo t deepand two feet or more wide. This gives a good foundation for a rock dam and pins it to the sides and the bottom in such a way that water cannot run under or around it. The rocks are fitted tightly together and wedged in place, the center of the dam being the lowest.

Some dams are built by setting two rows of posts across the ditch leaving a space of 18 inches or 2 feet between' them. This space is filled with rocks, posts, or brush or any material which will form an obstruction. The principle idea to keep in mind in stopping ditches with baffles is to fill the entire ditch at one time and not to depend on one or two dams to do the work.—L. R. Snipes, Co. Extension Agent.

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