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Petersen Family Holds a Reunion Here Yesterday

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Petersen Enjoy Having All of Children Here for First Time in 25 Years.

From Monday's Daily
Sunday, August 6th will be an occasion that will be a happy memory to Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Petersen of this city, who were honored at a family reunion which was held at the grove on the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Sullivan, south of this city. Mrs. Sullivan being a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Petersen.

This was the first time that all of the family circle were able to be together over a period of some twenty-five years and needless to say was one of the greatest pleasure and enjoyment to all of the party.

The members of the family motored to the farm and in the cool and inviting shade of the grove staged a most delightful gathering of the various members of the family circle.

The day was featured by the public dinner served in the grove and the many baskets of the good things to eat that had been prepared, made a feast that appealed to all of the jolly party of relatives.

The remainder of the day was spent in visiting and in the playing of baseball and other games that served to pass the time pleasantly until the hour for departing, when all wended their way homeward feeling that it was an event that will long be a delight to recall.

Mr. and Mrs. Petersen have made their home in Plattsmouth for the past fifty years and are numbered among the highly esteemed residents of the community where the family has been reared to manhood and womanhood and the friends will join in the wish that they may have many more such pleasant gatherings in the future.

Those who participated in the happy event were: Mrs. Minnie McBride and Mrs. Frank E. Cook, Tacoma, Washington, A. L. Petersen and son, Harold, Dakota City, Nebraska; Edgar L. Petersen and family, Lincoln; Mrs. Sophia Mayfield, Mr. and Mrs. A. Newton Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Petersen, Miss Mary Petersen, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Petersen and family, Louis Wondra, Mr. and Mrs. Roy F. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Schutz and family, Mrs. Martha Petersen, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Petersen, Jr., and family.

FRANK REBAL HOME
From Monday's Daily
Frank Rebal, a member of the city council from the third ward, returned home this afternoon after a thirteen week stay in a hospital at Omaha. Mr. Rebal was injured on May 9th at his work at the refrigerator car shops, falling from a car and sustaining the fracture of the right foot and heel and injury to the left that made necessary his being taken to the St. Joseph hospital for treatment. He has been undergoing treatment since that time and will have to use crutches for some time yet in getting around. The many friends are pleased to see him back home again and trust that he may soon be so well recovered that he can resume his usual activities.

BRINGS HAPPINESS HERE
At the home of Mr. and Mrs. France Anderson near Sandstone, Minn., on July 3 was born to this estimable couple a son, who with the mother, is doing nicely. Mrs. Anderson was formerly Miss Edith Todd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Todd, to whose home joy has also come. This is the second child, as their eldest, a daughter, Ida, is three years of age.

DEPART FOR CHICAGO
Miss Helen Warner, deputy in the office of the clerk of the district court, together with Miss Marie Nolting, departed Saturday evening on the Burlington for Chicago. The ladies are to enjoy a visit at the Century of Progress exposition in the windy city and the many points of interest in the nation's second largest city.

WILL ENJOY EXPOSITION

A party of teachers departed Saturday for Chicago, where they will enjoy a few days' stay at the Century of Progress exposition at Chicago. Those who made the trip were Miss Helen Vallery, of this city, Miss Dorothy Downey and Miss Helen Keller, all of whom are teachers in the Louisville schools, as well as Miss Eleanor Frye, of Lincoln. The ladies are anticipating a most pleasant outing in the sights of the great exposition.

Red Sox Take Ten Inning Game by 9 to 8 Score

Struggle Between Peter Pan Team and Local Team Proves a Thriller to Fans.

The Red Sox Sunday had a ten inning battle with the Peter Pan team of Omaha in which there was some good baseball played by both teams and the fans had the pleasure of seeing Harry Newman and Fay Spidell secure circuit drives off the delivery of "Stubby" Mack, old time baseball star.

The opening innings were not productive of much pleasure to the visitors as in the first nine men up, seven were struck out by Hopkins, who was in the best of form, until the latter part of the game when he was taken ill.

The Sox scored in the opening inning and in the leadoff in the second Newman smashed a home run to score again. Spidell in the third, leading off in the batting also took to Mr. Mack's slants for a home run.

The visitors in the seventh and eighth innings staged a batting rally with the aid of a few errors that brought the score to a seven all tie at the ninth and made necessary the playing of the extra inning. In the visitors' half of the ninth they scored one run and then the Sox proceeded to take the necessary runs that was to bring them victory.

Stone was safe on the error of Bond and Smith was walked, Schlicke hit a sacrifice on which Stone tallied and Wells in an attempt to catch Krejci, running for Smith, overthrew second and Krejci scored to ice up the game.

The tabulated score:
Peter Pan—
Bond, ss ----- 2 1 0 6 4 2
Swinnerton, 3b ----- 4 2 1 0 3 1
Rich, 1b ----- 4 0 1 8 0 0
Mack, p ----- 3 0 1 0 2 0
Bryant, cf-p ----- 5 1 2 1 2 0
Miller, 2b-cf ----- 4 1 1 3 0 0
Janning, lf ----- 4 2 2 2 0 0
Wells, c ----- 4 1 0 5 0 1
Neilson, rf ----- 4 0 1 2 0 0
Jordan, 2b ----- 2 0 1 0 0 1
36 8 10 27 11 5

Red Sox—
Schlicke, 3b ----- 5 0 4 1 0 1
Spidell, c ----- 4 1 1 14 5 0
Svoboda, 1b ----- 5 1 2 7 0 0
Krejci, lf ----- 5 0 1 2 1 0
Newman, ss ----- 5 1 1 1 1 1
Sylvester, 2b ----- 6 1 2 5 2 0
Stone, cf ----- 4 1 0 0 0 1
Smith, rf ----- 4 1 0 0 0 0
Hopkins, p ----- 5 3 2 0 3 0
49 9 13 30 11 3

SHOWING IMPROVEMENT
Mrs. Earl Redd, who is at the Methodist hospital at Omaha, is doing very nicely with her course of treatment for an injury suffered to her hip. Her progress has been very pleasing, which will be good news to the many friends.

DEPART FOR CHICAGO
Saturday evening Miss Pauline Nowacek and brother, James, departed for Chicago where they are planning on spending several days at the Century of Progress exposition and enjoying the many places of interest in the great city. They will be the guests of friends there as well as their uncle, John Wurga, Jr., who has made his home at Chicago in recent years.

County Board Makes Levy for Coming Year

Levy for Year 3.81 Mills for All County Purposes—No Provision for Old Age Pensions.

The county board has completed their levies for the raising of funds for all county purposes for the ensuing year, the levy being 3.81 mills, a slight increase in the levy due to the lower valuation of property, though the actual amount raised will be less than in 1932.

The various amounts that will be raised will comprise the following:
General fund ----- 1.54 Mills
Road fund ----- 1.00 Mill
Bridge fund ----- .76 Mill
Poor Relief ----- .34 Mill
Mother's Pensions ----- .15 Mill
Soldier's Relief ----- .02 Mill
TOTAL ----- 3.81 MILLS

The valuation of the county this year was \$35,222,394, a considerable decrease over the year previous and which has made necessary the levy being somewhat higher in order to raise the smaller budget.

The total appropriations for this year is \$134,197.35, which on the same funds for the year 1932 shows a decrease of \$13,690.17, for this year but owing to making the poor relief levy as provided in the new state law, the actual reduction will be \$1,714 in round numbers.

The board made no provision for the old age pension as passed by the last legislature and which made optional with the county the levy of this fund. The law was not operative until after the assessment was made and which prevented it being levied as it will be necessary to levy fifty cents on each man and woman in the county for the purposes of the law and which was impossible under the circumstances in the case.

APPLY FOR LICENSES
There has been filed in the office of the county clerk up to this date, six applications for beverage licenses in the unincorporated places of Cass county. All of the applications so far have been for "on sale" permits. In Manley there have been three applications made, W. E. Carey, Lawrence Boardman and Rudoiph Bergman, being the applicants. In Murray there is one applicant, L. A. Weber.

C. V. Barrows has made application for a license for his lunch room, just south of this city on highway No. 75, while Atterbery & Carr have applied for a license at a lunchroom located on the highway near Union, being outside of the corporate limits of that village.

The county commissioners will meet here Thursday morning to take action on the various applications, as well as approving bonds that may be filed by the applicants. This is the day that the beer law is effective and if approved the applicants can at once start in on their sales of 3.2.

RETURNS FROM VISIT
Miss Jane Dunbar of Los Angeles, who is here as a guest of her uncle, William Highfield and family, has just returned from Omaha where she has been visiting with Mrs. W. D. Smith and daughter Ruth, the young ladies having been close friends here when they were students in the local high school, altho both graduated from different schools, removing from this city a number of years ago. The visit of the old school friends was one that all enjoyed to the utmost. This is the first visit that the friends have enjoyed in recent years.

VISITING OLD HOME
John Lutz departed Saturday afternoon on a visit back to the old home in Illinois. Mr. Lutz will first stop at St. Louis where he will be a guest of his daughter, Mrs. Harry King and family. He will then go on to Illinois and will spend some time at St. Jacobs, where he formerly resided and where he has a number of relatives, and as well will visit at Pekin and Peoria with friends and to meet the acquaintances of the years gone by.

DEPART ON VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Crabill and Mr. and Mrs. Clement Woster and daughter, Clementine, departed Sunday by auto for their vacation trip to the Minnesota lakes. The family have for several years past enjoyed a stay during a part of the summer at one of the Minnesota lakes, being joined there by the W. G. Brooks family. They are planning on a very pleasant few weeks in the north woods and in the fishing which is reported as excellent at this season of the year.

Newspaper Codes Soon to be Announced

Newspapers Not Bound by General Code as Craft Organizations Prepare Code for Submission.

The adapting of the printing and newspaper plants of the country to the code system is now under way. General Johnson having lifted the requirements of the general code from application in the newspaper field until it is possible to secure some adequate agreements among the various classifications of the printing trade.

The Nebraska state press association as well as the larger daily papers of the state are preparing codes that will be discussed and considered in the meeting of the National Editorial association at Chicago August 17 and 18, and when the final results of the conferences of the newspaper interests of the country will be submitted to the national administration for consideration.

The Journal in conformity with the newspapers of the state will be placed on the operating plan of the code as soon as it is announced, being affected both as a daily and weekly publication as to hours, employees, wages, etc. With the uncertainty of proceeding with no definite plan outlined for this line of business the head of the recovery program is awaiting the final action of the newspaper interests themselves in fixing their code for operation.

ELECT NEW TEACHER

The board of education at their meeting on Monday evening elected Miss Helene Perry as a teacher in the junior high school to succeed Miss Alice Bly, just recently married. Miss Perry will have charge of English in the junior high and the board feels fortunate in securing her as a teacher. Miss Perry is well qualified for this work, having majored in English in her college work and she also will assist in the dramatic department of the high school. The new teacher is a Cass county girl, a daughter of Mrs. Glenn Perry. Miss Perry is a very talented lady and will make a strong addition to the teaching force of the local school.

The board of education also decided to have the fall term open on Tuesday, September 5th for the regular start of the year's work. The teachers of the city system will hold a meeting on Monday, September 4th, while the registration in the high school will be August 30th and 31st.

HAS HOME BURGLARIZED

Some person Saturday broke into the residence occupied by William P. Cook, located east of the city and near the Missouri river. Mr. Cook was absent from home and while he was gone, someone broke the lock of the door and entering made away with a shotgun, ax and several other smaller articles. The loss is one that greatly inconveniences Mr. Cook and he is very desirous of regaining the property that he needs so badly.

STORES OPEN WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Inasmuch as some of the towns in the county would not agree to uniform store hours, Plattsmouth feels justified in altering their schedule to be open Wednesday evening. So until further notice Plattsmouth stores will be open Wednesday evenings until 10 o'clock, and the usual gift night program will be put on.

Secretary Dern is Committed to Mo. River Work

Meets Committees from Nebraska Cities at Omaha Monday, Promises to Seek Funds.

Committees from a group of Nebraska cities who were at Omaha Monday to interview Secretary of War George H. Dern, felt much impressed by the cordial manner in which the secretary responded to their pleas for the continuance of the final conclusion of the upper Missouri river projects.

The delegations were from Plattsmouth, Nebraska City, Blair, Omaha and Lincoln, all presenting their cases before the secretary as to the needs of the middle west for water transportation. Former Governor Arthur J. Weaver, who for years has been a leader in the fight for river navigation, headed the group.

Secretary Dern stated that he was committed to the Missouri river improvement project and that President Roosevelt had taken a similar view of this important work.

One of the matters that has been in doubt is that of a sufficient volume of water to make possible the navigation of the river at all seasons of the year. The Fort Peck, Montana, project is expected to solve this by the impounding of the waters of the upper river.

Three important points stood out: 1. Upper river development needed in order that this part of the country may have the benefit of work already completed on the lower river.

2. The project is in line with President Roosevelt's hope to "decentralize" industry from the east. River development would give middle west industry the benefit of the lower freight rates other sections are enjoying which we have helped to pay for.

3. River improvement work would give needed employment to men now out of work in this section.

W. C. T. U. MEETS

The W. C. T. U. met on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred G. Morgan at Seventh and Pearl streets, a large number of the members being in attendance at the meetings.

Following the devotions which were led by Mrs. W. L. Propst, the ladies devoted the remainder of the afternoon to a splendidly presented account of the national convention just held at Milwaukee, Wisconsin. This report was given by Mrs. R. B. Hayes, who was one of the Nebraska delegates to the convention. Mrs. Hayes took up many of the important addresses, resolutions and recommended actions of the convention, giving the ladies a clear insight into the convention proceedings.

At the close of the afternoon refreshments were served, Misses Louisa and Margaret Albert assisting the hostess in the serving.

REVOKES AUTO LICENSE

From Tuesday's Daily
This morning in the county court, Warren Harmer, of Weeping Water, was arraigned on a charge preferred by the local authorities at Weeping Water, of driving a car while intoxicated.

The defendant was arraigned and to the charge entered a plea of guilty, which was preferred by the officers at Weeping Water. The court after hearing the statements in the case assessed a sentence of thirty days in the county jail for the offense and also revoked the driver's license of Mr. Harmer for a year.

ATTEND CLUB MEETING

The Social Circle club of south of this city, one of the active organizations in club work in this part of the county, sent a large delegation to the meeting held at Weeping Water the past week. The gathering was from all clubs of the county and the Social Circle members present were Mrs. Tony Klimm, Miss Margaret Moore, Mrs. George Burris, Mrs. S. Y. Smith, Mrs. Willa Hanson. The ladies had a most interesting time and one that will prove very valuable to them in the club work in the future.

Dope Crazed Stranger in City Creates a Stir

John E. Miller of Gainsville, Georgia, Leaps from Bus and Arouses Sleepers with Cries.

John E. Miller, claiming his home as Gainsville, Georgia, was the center of an hour of excitement in the main part of the city this morning at 1:30 when he leaped from an interstate bus as it was coming down Vine street, the man rushing down the street screaming and shouting.

The driver of the bus was unaware of anything being wrong with the man until when the bus was near the Bauer garage the man suddenly made his way from the conveyance and started the cries that aroused everyone within several blocks of the scene. The man was shouting "fire" and "murder" as he ran down the street and with supplications not to kill him, these startling the residents in that locality into the thought that murder was being committed at their doors.

Officers Dave Pickrel and Roy Stewart were on Main street at the time and soon ran down the man who was captured near the postoffice building on Vine street. The man was laid down and taken charge of by the officers pending the arrival of a physician, continuing his supplications and statements that someone was going to kill him. The officers secured the name of the man and it was found that he had a ticket for Atlanta, Georgia, on his person.

The demands of the man "to be shot at once," disclosed that he was much in need of a "shot" and on the arrival of medical aid he was given a shot of dope that for the time being quieted him down and enabled the police to take him on over to the city jail to be kept in safety. Later in the morning the effects of the dope wore off and another attack followed that necessitated medical aid before the man could be quieted.

The bus which had left Omaha shortly after midnight, was delayed here for some time until the exact condition of the man could be determined. Large groups of the passengers swelled the number of local people that were aroused and called to the scene by the cries of the man.

OLD CITIZEN ANSWERS CALL

Dr. F. W. Kruse of Weeping Water, who has been practicing medicine at that place for many years, and who enjoyed a very fine practice, passed away Sunday at the home of his daughter. Mr. Kruse had a large host of friends among his clientele and as well all who had been privileged to know this excellent man.

Dr. Kruse was born in Germany on May 29, 1863 and died on August 6th, 1933, at the home of his daughter. The remains were taken to the Hobson funeral home where they remained until the funeral Tuesday afternoon, the services being conducted by the Rev. Ralph Pinkham at the Congregational church.

After Dr. Kruse had come to America when a young man he returned to his native land where he was united in marriage and the couple coming to America to make their home.

Federal Relief is Petitioned by 51 Counties

Dakota County Given \$600 in Addition to \$2,000 Already Given; Subject of Special Report.

State Tax Commissioner Smith, chairman of the state relief committee, reported to a meeting of that body Tuesday afternoon that \$600 federal emergency relief had been given Dakota county, in addition to the \$2,000 allotted to that county prior to the last meeting of the committee for the benefit of unemployment at South Sioux City.

Dr. F. W. Geagey of Omaha, a new member of the committee, was present but Frank Throop of Lincoln, new member, was called out of the state on business.

Randall Biart and J. H. Rowland, reported to the committee, Biart on financial condition of Douglas, Dakota and Otoe counties, Rowland upon thirteen counties which he had checked in one week. Biart and Rowland will go to Kansas City Friday to attend a group meeting to discuss federal relief problems.

The committee expects to allot additional funds to thirty-three counties which had completed requests and also eighteen additional counties which now have requests for aid before the committee.

Floyd Atkins, statistician, reported the requests of counties and submitted the first grocery and clothing orders sent in by county emergency committees. County committees in eighteen additional counties are to be appointed. Atkins reported that he had notified counties that pay day for orders had been fixed, three days each month, 1st, 10th and 20th. Those counties whose names commence with A, B and C will be paid the first of the month, those from D to K, including Lancaster, to be paid on the 10th and those from L to Y inclusive on the 20th.

Mrs. Jessie Grigsley of Benket-man has informed the committee chairman of the need of Dundu county, caused by drouth. Corn is two feet high and will not tassel, she said. Work relief in the form of cutting weeds on school grounds is provided young boys from farm, at 15 cents an hour, enough to buy groceries, and this is thankfully received.

FUNERAL OF MR. THEROLF

The funeral services of the late Philip Therolf was held Tuesday afternoon at the home on North Sixth street where the family have resided over a long period of years. Following the wishes that Mr. Therolf had often expressed, the services were strictly private and only the immediate family and close relatives were in attendance.

The services were conducted by Rev. O. G. Wichmann, pastor of the St. Paul's Evangelical church, who brought to the bereaved family the comfort of the scriptures to soften the sorrow that the separation had brought to them.

The interment was at the Oak Hill cemetery, the body being borne to the last resting place by the pall bearers, selected from old friends and associates, they being E. H. Wescott, H. A. Schneider, John Kaffenberger, J. G. Meisinger, H. M. Soennichsen and W. E. Rosencrans.

VISIT AT LINCOLN

Harold Croskary, who is now located in Lincoln, was in the city Tuesday to enjoy a visit with his mother, Mrs. Gilbert Storm and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Goos, as well as the old time friends. He returned home in the afternoon and was accompanied by Mrs. Anna Sklak and daughter, Mrs. Theodore Eaton, who will visit at the Croskary home for a short time.

DIES AT NEHAWKA

From Monday's Daily
Early this morning at the family home near Nehawka occurred the death of Gene, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Meisinger. The Sattler Funeral Home of this city will have charge of the funeral services, which are expected to take place Wednesday.