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LOUP CITY NEWS NOTES.

E. P. Daily was a Rockville passenger Tuesday on business.

E. B. Corning was a business passenger to Rockville, Wednesday.

Lloyd Grow was a westbound passenger to Arcadia, Tuesday evening.

Cecil Hancock was a passenger to Rockville, Tuesday, returning Wednesday.

C. H. Ryan went to Marquette, Wednesday morning to attend the funeral of an aunt.

Miss Vernie Stanczyk went to Rockville, Wednesday to visit a few days with her sister, Mrs. John Dietz.

Mrs. W. B. Owen was an eastbound passenger to Lincoln, Wednesday to attend school at the State Farm.

Mrs. Otto Henning, of Austin, was visiting with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Ogle, the first of the week.

Mrs. E. H. Mathew left Wednesday morning for Toledo, Iowa, where she will visit for a while with relatives.

Mrs. John Peterson left Tuesday for Rochester, Minn., where she will take medical treatment from the Mayo Bros.

Rev. and Mrs. Smithberg returned home last Saturday evening from Omaha, where they were married last week.

Mrs. Anna Wilson returned to her home in Aurora, Wednesday morning after a short visit with the Wm. Jung family.

Mrs. J. W. Amick went to Grand Island, Tuesday, to visit over night with her son, Jack, returning home Wednesday.

Ashley Conger, Jr., returned home, Wednesday from Arcadia, where he visited over Sunday with the H. S. Conger family.

Mrs. A. L. Watson returned to her home at Wood River, Wednesday, after visiting here with her mother, Mrs. Mary Gardner.

John Schrove, who has been here visiting the past few days, went to Aurora, Wednesday morning to visit a while with relatives and friends.

Miss Florence Leininger came home Monday from Fremont, where she has been teaching school the past term, to spend her vacation with home folks.

A surprise party was given on Miss Vera Radcliffe, yesterday by her Sunday School class. The afternoon was very pleasantly spent. Lunch was served. All reported a good time.

W. T. Chase, Mrs. Russ H. and daughter, Alice, and A. E. Chase and

son, Hal autoed to Mason City, Sunday to visit with relatives. A. E. Chase went from there to Omaha on business while the others remained for a long or visit. Miss Russeau, Wilma Chase and Hal Chase returned here in the evening.

A party was given Monday evening at the home of Miss Muriel and Lillian Chase in honor of Miss Wilma Chase of Mason City. A large crowd of young folks were present and all thoroughly enjoyed themselves. A dainty lunch was served and at a late hour all departed for their homes reporting a pleasant evening spent.

Joe Chandler has become a telephone magnate in his own right, having purchased the controlling interest in a telephone exchange at Adair, Oklahoma, and is now in charge of the property. Mr. Chandler was for a number of years superintendent of the Ravenna exchange, later going to Loup City, where he had charge of the Sherman County exchange. Mrs. Chandler left the latter part of last week for Adair, after a brief visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barta Kase, in this city.—Ravenna News.

The parents of Mrs. Odendahl, Mrs. Wall and Mrs. Willard, three sisters present at the Wall-Rettenmayer wedding in Arcadia last week, landed in Grand Island just 46 years ago this same lovely month of June, and were Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus E. Rosseter, from near Nauvoo, Illinois, who came to Loup City in 1872. Three years later the Wall brothers, Judge Aaron Wall, John Wall and Ben R. Wall settled here. The Rettenmayer family came not very long after. It will be seen that the union is of the first families in the county so to speak, though the bride was born in Valley County, and Max was born in Weldie County, Colorado.

Many reunions of old friends and far away visitors took place park opening day last week, one result being the meeting of Mrs. O. B. Willard of Chicago, and Rev. Henry French of Denver, who had not seen each other for 30 years. One has traveled far and in many countries, studied, etc., and the other has made of himself a notable citizen from a "bare foot boy with cheeks of tan" and freckles, since those early days of pioneer life, of privations and dearth of most that was to be desired. The reunion was mutually enjoyable.

FOSS-BURR.

Married, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Burr, near Whitewater, Wisconsin, at 1:15 o'clock p. m. on Sunday, June 3, 1917, Mr. Frank Foss and Miss Floella Burr. Only the immediate relatives and friends were present at the ceremony.

The happy couple were married under an arch of flowers and white wedding bells. The bride was beautifully gowned in net and white satin, and carried a bouquet of pink and cream roses and ferns. The groom was neatly attired in a navy blue suit.

The bride is a sweet, cultured lady and to know her is to love her. The groom many of the readers of The Northwestern know, and is the same jolly boy as of old.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Foss were treated to a rice shower and the wedding party repaired to the home of the groom's parents where an elaborate three course dinner was served. The couple were the recipients of many useful presents. In the evening a reception was tendered them by Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Barr of Beloit, Wis., at which time another couple were married. Mr. and Mrs. Foss made a short trip in their car and are now at home to their friends.

The out of town guests at the wedding and reception were Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett and daughters of Cloma, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson of Madison, Mrs. Dickerson of Janesville and Mr. and Mrs. Goff of Beloit.

IMPORTANT TO THE PUBLIC.

By orders from the Provost Marshal General and the Governor of the state I am required to use all means to hunt out those that did not register on Registration day from any causes and giving me authority to call on any body for assistance or information. And a refusal to do so subjects you to a penalty. Now in accordance with the orders as herein contained I will call on all good citizens in Sherman County, to assist in this work. By so doing you will be doing a patriotic act and make it less burdensome on those that have already registered and thus make all do their part. So get busy and let no one escape. All information given me by letter or otherwise will be held strictly confidential.

L. A. WILLIAMS, Sheriff.

LOUP CITY TO HAVE CARNIVAL.

The Landes Carnival Company will show in Loup City one week starting Monday, June 18. This is an up-to-date company with good shows and the largest ferris wheel and carry-all on the road. The feature show is a one ring dog, poney and monkey circus. There are many other attractions. Everybody is invited to attend the big carnival.

HOUSE FOR RENT.

I have a small house with five lots for rent at \$6.00 per month.—R. H. Mathew. 25 ft

PARK OPENING A SUCCESS

Park opening this year was a hummer. To begin with Mr. Jenner was fortunate enough to pick out an ideal day, perhaps the best day as far as weather is concerned that we have had for a month. The attendance was 1800. The ball game between Ravenna and Arcadia drew a big crowd. Ravenna won the game by the score of 1 to 0. It was anybody's game up to the last inning. Ravenna made their lone score in the seventh inning and Arcadia could not tie the score. Frankie pitched for Ravenna and Duryea for Arcadia.

The Loup City band furnished excellent music all day and the dance in the evening broke all records. The mummy house proved a great attraction. Mr. Jenner has added an Egyptian mummy to his collection and has the house fixed up to resemble a cave. It is very tastily arranged and greatly pleased everybody.

Several birds of rare plumage have been added to the park collection besides other animals and curios.

In the Boy Scout gold medal contest, (high jump) Raymond Outhouse won the first prize and Frank Sherman second. The display of fireworks in the evening was pronounced the best ever shown here. The merry-go-round did a rushing business all day and far into the night.

Many people attended from surrounding towns and from all over the county. Three automobile loads of York people were present and two from Kearney, so it can be seen that Jenner's Park draws people from long distances.

It was an enjoyable day. Everybody expressed themselves well pleased with the day's entertainment and many remained until late at night enjoying the beauties of the park and the pleasure of the dance. Mr. Jenner is pleased with the day and thanks all for the big attendance. Another big day is soon coming at the park—July 4th—let's all be there and enjoy another day of pleasure.

TO BUY LIBERTY BONDS.

Arrangements have been made whereby employees of the Nebraska Telephone Company may subscribe for government bonds of the "Liberty Loan" and pay for them on monthly installments, according to an announcement received by Manager Guy Rash.

In addition to the \$5,000,000 of the bonds which the Bell Telephone System has taken, it is expected that the employees of the various Companies of the System will subscribe for an equally large amount under the plan of paying for the bonds on monthly installments.

The installment plan provides for the payment of \$4 each month for ten months and \$5 per month for two months on each \$50 bond for which the employee subscribes. This will enable telephone employees to pay for their bonds in one year and collect six months interest in June, 1918. This will give them a return of approximately 3 1/2 per cent interest on each installment paid.

In case an employee desires at any time during the year to make all remaining payments at once and take up his bond, he will be permitted to do so.

I. O. O. F. MEMORIAL PROGRAM

at I. O. O. F. Hall Sunday afternoon, at 2:00 o'clock. The general public is invited.

Marshal of the Day.....R. D. Hendrickson

Opening song "America".....By All Prayer

.....C. J. Tracy

Talk.....J. S. Pedler

Duet.....Grace Conger and Helma Jung

Reading.....Ruth Miner

Solo.....Girls' Chorus

Reading.....Minnie Woods

Solo.....Robert Prichard

Reading.....Mrs. Jas. W. Conger

Address "Aspects of Oddfellowship".....Rev. Beebe

Song....."God, Be With You"

Benediction.....Rev. Beebe

Conveyances will be furnished for all who wish to go to the cemetery, where short services will be held at the I. O. O. F. lot.

—By Order of Committee

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to all our neighbors and friends who helped and sympathized with us in the sickness, death and burial of our beloved wife, mother and daughter.

E. A. SHIPLEY, and Children.
MR. and MRS. D. H. RICHARDSON and Family.

TWO TYPES OF MEN.

Two men stand out today as extraordinary expressions of separate ideas in their personalities. Roosevelt, always the warrior in every department of activity, who now wants to go to war as the commander of a volunteer legion which he himself offers to recruit, and Bryan, who has always been a pacifist, asking the privilege to go to war as a private soldier.

Let us consider them a moment.

Roosevelt is asking to be given the privilege of doing the thing he does superbly well. He knows that he is the one man in the nation who, out of a personal following, might pick a legion officered by important men. He knows that he could give it able leadership and whip it into great efficiency. He is asking for the privilege

MAKES U. S. EFFICIENT

Washington, June 13. (Special Correspondence).—Within three months a company at Brandenburg, Ky., expects to be able to supply the American demand for lithographic stone. Heretofore we had been receiving our supply from Bavaria, Germany, importing from \$75,000 to \$85,000 worth annually. But the war has thrown us on our own resources. Chemicals, minerals, fertilizers, etc., for which we formerly depended upon Germany were now producing ourselves. We used to say, "Oh, they will be so much cheaper if we buy them from Germany instead of paying the extra expense of producing them at home" and so, like England in a great many instances, we began to rely on the power with which we are now at war.

But before we accepted Germany's challenge the war had become for us more than a protective tariff, it was a prohibitive tariff. Already we have taken up the manufacture of dyestuffs from coal-tar products. For years one interest fought another on the question of protection to dyestuffs made here, and in the compromise the home industry had to walk the plank. Two years after the German supply was shut off, Hill of Connecticut estimated that "if every penny of the specific duty which it is now proposed to add to the revenue rates of the present (1916) law should be added to the price to the consumer, it would take one hundred years of that burden to equal the losses which the existing famine has brought upon the country in the last twelve months."

We had depended upon Germany for our potash supply and when that was cut off America went to work on the problem. An American expert estimates that with a proper coordination of certain industries we can produce 2,000,000 tons annually of potash which can be sold to the American farmer for \$15 per ton.

It has done us a lot of good to find out what we can accomplish when forced to do so. But what shall we do with these new industries after the war? Leave them to the tender mercies of a power as ruthless in trade as in warfare? Scrap them? Assuming, for the sake of argument, that the duty was added to the price, would it not be better to be independent and pay the advance? And is this not especially true in view of the post-war international combinations which are planned to control sources of supply, and to which the United States is not a party?

A GOOD SHOW.

It has been quite a time since a good tent show played in Loup City so the news that West Bros. "A Texas Ranger" show is to exhibit here on Friday night, June 15, will be welcomed by our citizens. West Bros. show has been on the road for ten years and they have a reputation for square dealing and honesty as well as for always giving a pleasing performance. During the show, besides the Texas rangers, the cowboys, cowgirls, Mexicans, United States soldiers and Indians will be seen. One performance only will be given, starting at 8:15 o'clock p. m., and lasting two and one-half hours. The big waterproof tent has seats for more than 2,000 people. The cowboy band will play a concert on the streets during the day and in front of the big tent at night.

ASSESSOR'S REPORTS.

Nebraska is one of the great states from which are gathered the important crops which mean so much to the success of the country at large. The assessors throughout the state are now engaged in gathering the crop statistics, to be sent to the office of the secretary of the State Board of Agriculture, whose duty it is to compile same. We hope the assessors realize the importance of the work for which they are responsible, and that all citizens of Nebraska will furnish these men with the most accurate report possible. Our aim is to at all times give out only truthful information and we can best serve this purpose by having at hand carefully compiled information from the different sources furnishing the same.

Special Teachers' Examinations.

Special Teachers' examinations Friday and Saturday, June 15-16. In country subjects only. 25-2

L. H. CURRIER, Co. Supt.

Unmatchable Cabinet Work

Brunswick master craftsmen have been long skilled in the wood-working art—in making fine phonograph cabinets.

But they have outdone themselves in the conception and execution of their own-named phonograph—The Brunswick.

The richness of 75 years of experience gives these artisans fresh inspirations—new attainments.

New standards are now set in the wood-working art. Others must follow.

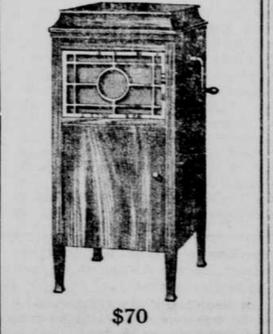
Rare Workmanship

In choosing choice woods, in building cabinets, in carving, in finishing—Brunswick men have never been equaled.

You, with others, will not be slow to applaud their handiwork.

The House of Brunswick invites you to examine carefully the workmanship of its cabinets. You be the judge. The let the price surprise.

You will be convinced that The Brunswick is in a class of its own.



\$70
O. L. Swanson
DRUGGIST

DEER CREEK NUGGETS.

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We should bear in mind that, provided our great waste and extravagance is eliminated, there will be plenty of food in the country to supply the necessities of every person.

There is now no call, and probably will not be, for any person to deny himself or herself sufficient good nourishing food. On the contrary, all should strive to keep themselves up to their best. Eat plenty, and the best you can afford, then you will be able to do your full share of the work that is before us.

Napoleon wisely said that "an army travels on its stomach." And it is equally true that we work on our stomachs. A hungry man or woman is incompetent for any task.

And it will be all too easy for us to develop a false economy in other lines. Miserliness and hoarding of means would be most dangerous to business conditions. Anything that checks the normal volume of exchange unsettles the markets and tends to promote panics. In fact, this is a large factor in all financial panics. Money becomes a little scarce, and we at once imagine that if we turn loose the dollar we have we will never see another. Millions of other people imbibe the same idea. You know the result.

The sensible economy and the true patriotism is for each to exert himself to keep the business of the country normal. Buy and sell, eat and spend as only by such a course can business be kept healthy and on the up grade. Be economical and prudent, but don't be a miser.

BASEBALL AND THE WAR.

The Nebraska State Journal has again arranged to publish full box scores on all National American and Western league games throughout the season. Yet for those readers who maintain that baseball will wane in interest because of the war, the Journal will provide all of the war news it is compatible with public policy to print. Journal readers will receive the latest possible news as furnished by the Associated Press, supplemented by special correspondence from Washington and wherever Nebraska troops may be sent. This price of a three months' subscription to The Journal is \$1 daily or \$1.25 with the big Sunday Journal.

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The relatives marched out in advance led by Hon. John Wall, uncle of the groom, the two mothers standing to the right, the uncle to the left, by whose side stood the bride's father after he had given his daughter to the man of her choice. The relatives in equal number stood on either side of the walk near the altar and their presence added to the social atmosphere, when the tiny bearers, beautiful as children can be, came slowly and with much dignity down the white way, a dark little boy in white satin, a dark little girl in white lace and curls, each bearing a cushion on which rested a golden circlet for the double ring service of the Episcopal marriage law was observed; they were Thelma Scott and Charles Downey, Jr., followed by Ina Scott and Irene Downey, larger children but not less beautiful, carrying flower bouquets. Following came Miss Alberta Geisler a bridesmaid of much charm of face and presence, who performed her part faultlessly. Then came the young bride in beautiful white with trailing veil and bouquet proudly leaning on her father's arm.

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The Falls City News has decided to discontinue the publication of its semi-weekly paper and make it weekly. Both daily papers at Superior announce their suspension and the publication of weeklies in their place. This is assumed to be brought about by war times. Many more will follow them, and some will fail to appear weekly. The extreme advance in the price of paper before the war started, coupled with the failure of the government to do anything with the paper trust, means death to many of the country weeklies.

The army of the tillers will rank among the immortal patriots of history. Get a hoe.

"Tailoring First" in Palm Beach Suits

The genuine Palm Beach Cloth has merit—that is an established fact—but the first essential to satisfaction in clothes made of this feather weight mid-summer cloth, is tailoring.

There is hardly anything cooler than a Palm Beach suit, one who would enjoy mid-summer comfort, should buy a

"High Art Palm Beach"

We have all sizes and models including sport backs. Cast off that woolen suit and know what real hot-weather comfort is.

Gus Lorentz

OPERA HOUSE

Friday Night, June 15

Six Reels of War Pictures

Taken in France by Special Permission of the French Authorities

OVER 100 BIG SCENES

And a Special Patriotic Film Showing Our Own Favour War Presidents and Our Flag

See These Splendid Pictures

10 AND 20 CENTS