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TEN YEARS IN GRAND ISLAND

Sequel to the Norm Parks Fire

Ugly Charges and Counter
Charges Made as to the Origin
of the Fire Which
Sound Bad

Our readers will recall the fact that these columns reported the fire in the printing office of the Custer County Republican some weeks ago. It was known at the time that the fire was started by a printer in the shop Curwin Honeywell, presumably by accident while he was burning up the waste paper about the shop following the output of the paper.

But there was a whisper going around that the fire was not on the square, that the young man set the fire for a purpose. This whisper has now broken out in a very loud tone of voice.

The matter came to a focus last Thursday afternoon when Norm Parks and his mother went before a local justice of the peace and swore out a complaint against Honeywell for some crime not stated in the report as printed in the Chief of that city. But probably for blackmail or for robbery.

As related the story is about this way. Norm and his mother were in their rooms last Wednesday packing and Honeywell was with them. Suddenly the latter drew a gun on them and demanded that Mrs. Parks draw a check for \$50, which she did. Then he made her draw another for twice that sum. The minutia of the robbery, if so it may be termed, are not given, so we are left to guess and picture to our own satisfaction the thrilling details.

But the evidence goes on to show that the alleged blackmailer had some difficulty in cashing the checks. A merchant to whom he presented one of them called Mrs. Parks up and she assured him that the checks were good. However, the bank officials were called up and asked as to the check and they said that the funds held by Mrs. Parks were not subject to check, being in the form of certificates of deposit. By mutual arrangement Mrs. Parks and Honeywell went to the bank and the matter was fixed up satisfactorily for all concerned.

After all this was done and twenty four hours had elapsed Parks swore out a complaint for the arrest of Honeywell, who was then in Grand Island and that personage was brought back to Broken bow.

Just why the arrest was not made sooner and why the maker of the checks had gone on without apparent protest and made the checks good are things not explained. One would think that a person forced to draw a check under a vicious looking gun would, when the gun was tucked away, set out to stop payment and give the alarm and seek the arrest instanter of the villain. But these points are wholly overlooked in the account as printed and so we are left to suppose that good and sufficient reasons will be brought out at the trial for such omissions in the tragedy.

A letter from Mr. Parks tells the writer that the account as printed in the Chief is substantially correct, but that, if Honeywell set the office on fire, it was done without Norm's knowledge and consent. Norm further says that the whole affair is the work of the gang.

The gun said to have been used by Honeywell is the same one Parks used on the court house contractor a few months ago.—Ord Quiz.

Fell From Tree Broke His Wrist

Tuesday afternoon of this week, while Harold, the 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Rowe, was playing in the court house park with the bunch of children in attendance on the Chautauqua under the supervision of Miss Lawson of the Chautauqua management, he climbed to the top of one of the large trees in front of the court house on the south, and when at a height exceeding the building, lost his balance in some way and fell to the ground beneath, breaking his right arm just above the wrist, hurting his back and otherwise bruising him. In falling he struck various limbs of the tree, retaining the descent, and thereby undoubtedly saving his life, which must otherwise have resulted in his death. Dr. Main was called from the tent and rendered the necessary medical assistance, and the little fellow is getting along as nicely as could be expected from such a perilous accident.

An effort is being made to charter the Union Pacific motor car to take a party of Ravenna people to Loup City during their Harvest Festival to be held in that city August 21-22-23. About sixty-five people will be required to fill the car, and efforts are to be made to make up a party of the required number.—News.

KEYSTONE LUMBER CO.

Fairly at Home in New Office.

The Keystone Co. can be said to be now fairly and comfortably at home in their palatial new office building, and although moving a fortnight or more since from the old into the new building, yet more or less turmoil and change has been undergone till the present time. Their new office is one of the most modern and up-to-date buildings in the state, and we doubt if any other town of this size in the state can boast of as fine a one. The building is of brick, with pressed brick front, plate glass windows, 20x60, with basement under full length. It is equipped with double vault, furnace heat, elevator, city water, electric lights, two phones, toilet rooms, etc. The front of the office building is a large sales and counting room, back of which is an intermediate office and still to the north the private business office of Mr. A. B. Outhouse, entirely removed from the noise and bustle of the rest of the building. He has therein an elegant fireplace, easy chairs, and with door leading out on street, so visitors or patrons may enter and depart without disturbance to the rest of the business departments. The various rooms have steel ceilings and the wood work and finishings of each are of the best. Quite a little more work of shelving etc., is yet to be made and the furnace yet to be installed, which will be in place soon. The old office building has been moved to the west end of the yards and will be used for warehouse purposes. All the old sheds have been torn away and in place are the mammoth new sheds and a large warehouse erected to the north of the new office. Cement walks surround the office and will later be supplemented with cement walks, hither and thither about the yards, sheds and warehouses. All in all, the Keystone Lumber Co. has made wonderful improvements and now have office and lumber yard accommodations second to no other city of this size in this state or any other in the central west.

Ashton 7, Boelus 4.

Ashton won from Boelus Sunday by a score of 7 to 4. Five hits a couple bases on balls and an error gave Ashton five runs in the 3rd inning, a lead which Boelus did not have the chance to tie. Ashton getting two more runs, one each in the 6th and 9th innings. Boelus got 2 runs in the 2nd inning and one each in the 5th and 6th inning, three of these runs being made on Craigs heavy hits, who got 2 three baggers and a single. After the third inning both teams played a tight game the players giving good support to their pitcher.

score by innings	R	H	E
Ashton	0	5	0
Boelus	0	2	0

Battery for Ashton, Jezewski and Polski, for Boelus, Bozell, Iwanski and Irvine. 2 base hits, S. Polski, 3 base hits Craig 2, struck out by Jezewski 6, Bozell 8, Iwanski 0, base on balls off Jezewski 2, Bozell 2, hit by pitched ball Bozell 1, stolen bases Ashton 5, Boelus 2. Umpires Lorenz and Quest. Left on bases Ashton 7, Boelus 5. Time of game 1:55.

In enclosing subscription for visits of the Northwestern for the coming twelve months, our good friend, John J. Zink at Durango, Colo., writes thus glowingly of his new home in the Montezuma country of the great mountain state: "This leaves myself and family in the best of health. Durango is located at an elevation of 6500 feet and the summers are cool and pleasant and we are not bothered with flies here as you are in Nebraska. The ranchmen use no nets on their horses and we are not bothered with flies in the house nor have any use for tanglefoot nor fly poison. The fruit crop this year is the largest ever raised in the San Juan basin. Grain and hay also good and the potato crop excellent. I believe this country will become densely populated in the course of a few years, as the climate is ideal and fruit, grain and hay grow to perfection—everything except corn, and that requires more heat units than we get here to mature well."

Mrs. R. Sutton came back from Loup City Saturday. Her husband and children had arrived Thursday evening. The family had been over there to attend the funeral of Mrs. Currier, a sister of Mrs. Sutton, who had died in a sanatorium at Lincoln. It was but a short time ago that the deceased visited in Ord. She leaves five children.—Ord Quiz.

The new band stand in the southwest corner of the square is a substantial monument to the musical enterprise of our business men who dug up the price, and is a mighty good thing.

Single Presidential Term

Senate Begins Work Today on
Plan of Constitutional
Amendment

Washington, Aug. 15.—The senate today agreed to take up at 4 o'clock work on a resolution for a constitutional amendment providing for a single term of six years for the president and vice president of the United States.

UNDER \$500 BONDS EACH

The preliminary hearing of the Ashton Arab storekeepers, whose store in our sister village was found to be on fire and put out before destroyed on the 15th of last month, occurred before County Judge Smith Monday afternoon and they were bound over to the coming district court, which convenes Sept. 3rd, in the sum of \$500 each. There are three of the suspected men, and two of them were placed in care of the sheriff, while the third was allowed liberty to hunt for sureties on the bail bonds of the three.

OBITUARIES

ANDREW JORDAN GRAY

Andrew Jordan Gray was born in Nodaway county, Missouri, on June 18, 1850, and died at his home in Clay township, Sherman county, Nebraska, 8 miles south of Loup City, from cancer of the face, on Wednesday, August 14, 1912, aged 62 years, 1 month and 27 days. He was married in 1875 to Mrs. Mary Peterson and to this union were born four children, three of whom survive him. His wife dying in May, 1889, he was in June, 1890, joined in marriage to Miss Rosa Sickness, to which union there were born nine children, all living, together with five grand children. Deceased moved to Sherman county in 1890 and has been a citizen of the county since that period. He united with the Seventh Day Adventists some three years since, of which faith he has been a faithful and consistent adherent. The funeral services were held from the home the following day, Thursday, Aug. 15, 1912. Rev. Jones of Hastings, of the Adventist faith, conducting the services and the body laid to rest in the Verdurette cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our thanks to the many kind friends and neighbors who assisted us during the sickness and subsequent death of our dear husband and father.

Mrs. Rosa Gray and children,
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sickness,
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Schultz,
Mr. and Mrs. Will Rowe, Jr.,
Mr. and Mrs. Aldred Gray.

Eva Ghilewski-Lorchick.

Eva Ghilewski was born in Poland on March 7, 1876, and died at Loup City, Neb., Tuesday evening August 13, 1912, being aged 36 years 5 months and 6 days. She came to the United States with her parents at the tender age of two or three years, the family first settling in Illinois, but some five years later removing to Sherman county, Nebraska, where she had lived ever since. She was married to Mr. Frank Lorchick at Loup City on November 27, 1904, to whom came no issue, and she leaves to mourn her loss her devoted husband and few other relatives. Her funeral occurred from St. Joseph Catholic church in Loup City on Thursday, August 15th, 1912. Father Palubicki of Papin officiating and the body taken to the Papin cemetery for interment.

CARD OF THANKS
I take this occasion to thank all the friends who gave of their kindly offices and sympathy in the sickness and subsequent death of my dear wife.
Frank Lorchick

Mr. Fackler Wins

Troy Hale and Attorney Pedler were over from Loup City Monday to try the case wherein a delivery horse was lately taken from S. Fackler on a writ of attachment because the horse had been mortgaged to Mr. Hale before Mr. Fackler purchased him from J. J. Cox, who got him from Val Rachynalski. Mr. Fackler won the case in county court but it is understood that the matter will go up to district court. The question of the possession of the horse is of chief moment to Mr. Fackler but it is reasonable to suppose that Mr. Hale is contesting the case chiefly because of the relation that the horse question bears to that of another action now pending wherein Rachynalski issuing the Loup City parties for \$10,000 damages for false imprisonment.—Ord Journal.

UN SOUND TEETH, BAD HEALTH

Lack of Care Will Lead to Nation of Broken Down Men and Women.

There are in this country eight factories devoted to the manufacture of artificial teeth. Last year the manufacturers sold over 60,000,000 of these teeth and this year they expect to sell many more. Each one of these teeth goes to replace a natural tooth, which, if given proper care and attention, should last out one's lifetime. Unclean mouths and teeth are responsible for these conditions, for it is a fact fully established that less than 8 per cent. of the American people use a tooth brush or make any effort to keep their teeth and mouths clean. In order to have good health we must have sound teeth, yet we are permitting our teeth to decay at a pace that is alarming, which, if unchecked, will lead to a nation of broken down, dyspeptic men and women.

The first permanent molar is the most important of all teeth. It is often lost because parents frequently think it is one of the temporary set. This error is due to the fact that it is cut while most of the first teeth are in the mouth. When this tooth is lost, nature makes an attempt to close the space, with the result that the entire articulation is destroyed. The space thus created between the teeth is difficult to clean, due to the food particles being forced into these spaces. Its loss is also one of the chief causes of irregularities of other erupting teeth. It is the belief of the entire dental profession that the early loss of this tooth is responsible for more misplaced teeth and ill-shaped jaws than any other condition of the mouth. A noted neurologist of Boston has called these molar teeth the "working tools of mastication." He says: "Their work begins at once and continues throughout life. Upon them rest the full growth and development. Upon them depends good health during life." This tooth appears about the sixth year, and it is frequently found decayed within the year following. It is at this time the children acquire a fondness for sweets of every description, and not having learned the habit of brushing their teeth and properly cleaning them, this tooth in particular becomes affected and rapidly decays. With the defect in articulation caused by the loss of this tooth, the proper chewing of food is not possible, with the result that children and adults as well become habitual "food bolters." It should be the particular duty of every mother to become familiar with the location of this important tooth. She should carefully watch for any defects in this tooth, and if cavities are found they should be repaired at once, in order that the usefulness of the tooth can be saved.

The great American habit, "the bolting of food" is one of the most serious conditions of our modern life. Dr. Osler has said that the American nation could be divided into two classes, bolters and chewers, with the bolters leading by a large majority. If we overcome this habit we must see that our mouths and teeth are in proper condition.—J. J. McCarthy, M. D. (Copyright, Western Newspaper Union.)

CROOKED TEETH MAR BEAUTY

Irregularity Usually Can Be Prevented if Parents Take Proper Care and Precaution.

How often we meet with people, otherwise beautiful, whose mouths are disfigured with irregular teeth. It would seem that nature in bestowing the gifts of form, complexion and the other elements of beauty, had at last balked at the one thing needful to complete the charm. Persons thus afflicted suffer from decay of their teeth, from inability to chew their food properly, and their faces appear misshapen, due to the improper development of the jaws.

The sad part about this condition is that in nearly every case it might have been prevented easily by proper precaution of the parents, but being neglected it continues to grow worse, and when the child arrives at the age of discretion and demands that the condition be corrected the work becomes more difficult. Goethe says, "Impression is one of the three powers that move the world," no wonder then that the child resents the early negligence of its parents.

The chief causes of irregular teeth are thumb sucking, mouth breathing and the early loss of teeth from decay. Parents should remember that the bones of the child are not yet hardened, and that the slight pressure of the thumb in the mouth of the child is enough not only to cause irregular teeth, but also to change the shape of the jaw itself. In former times little attention was paid to the nose and throat of the child; we have dearly paid for that mistake. Mouth breathing not only causes irregularity; it also invites easy introduction into the system of various diseases. The child's nose should be examined early for adenoids or other abnormal conditions. At this time, if there are any cavities formed, the teeth can be easily filled with little or no pain, saving the child and the parents much discomfort later. Most important of all, however, the temporary teeth should be retained until the permanent teeth are ready to erupt, and that time ranges from the age of six to that of fourteen. A practice to be condemned is the extraction of loose teeth prematurely. There is a certain time when each tooth should be lost, and quite often a tooth will become loose and be extracted by the parent, when it should and could be retained for a longer period and an irregularity be prevented.

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