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ALL OVER NEBRASKA

SHORT NEWS ITEMS.

The city of Plainview is soon to erect a \$10,000 hospital.

Oakland is planning to replace their burned school house with a fire proof structure.

Bowlers of Nebraska will hold their annual tournament the week of April 3rd at Lincoln.

Owing to the unfavorable weather work on the Gering sugar factory has been nearly suspended.

H. E. Burkett of Hartington has announced his candidacy for the office of district judge on the nonpartisan ticket.

Omaha was selected as the 1917 meeting place of the Nebraska Farmers' Union by the convention which met at Grand Island recently.

Four hundred delegates attended the State Firemen's convention at Crawford last week. Auburn was selected as 1917 convention city.

Owing to the shortage of cars a number of elevators have closed down and others are running only one and two days a week in Adams county.

The contract for the construction of the new postoffice building at Aurora, has been let to Herman Construction Co. of St. Louis, at \$43,327.

Several fires in Fremont in the last few weeks, the origin of which has been puzzling firemen and authorities, has resulted in an investigation being made.

Information from a source indicating reliability, is that Ross L. Hammond of Fremont will be a candidate for the republican nomination for United States senator.

Saturday, January 15 was an unusually large hog day on the South Omaha market, 247 cars were received or about 18,000 head, the largest Saturday run for a long time.

Crowds are increasing and the pastoral committee of the Rayburn revival meeting at Fremont is of the opinion that the tabernacle, seating 2,000 people, will have to be enlarged.

The Gray evangelistic campaign being conducted at Beemer for the past six weeks, has closed. About 100 conversions and many reconsecrations resulted from the evangelist's labor.

E. D. Wimmer has bought the Comstock News from Edward Reider. Mr. Wimmer was formerly publisher of the News, and is well known in the community.

Fairbury is expecting the telephone and telegraph company to install lines to that town and rebuild a switchboard costing \$10,000, the entire expense of the rebuilding to be \$75,000.

I. A. Rneau of Broken Bow, secretary of the progressive republican state committee in 1912, has announced his candidacy as delegate-at-large to the republican national convention.

The Paddock hotel at Beatrice, which has been closed for nearly three years, has reopened. Not less than \$5,000 has been spent in remodeling the building and almost a like amount in refurbishing the hotel.

Charles Tully of Alliance has been appointed to fill the vacancy in the legislature caused by the resignation of Representative F. M. Broome of Alliance, appointed receiver of the federal land office at Valentine.

That grocers and butchers of Omaha lose \$292,800 annually through bad credit business is the contention of an editorial in the Grocery Reporter, the official publication of the Omaha Retail Grocers' association.

Francis L. Hayes of Chicago was in Crete recently, in the interests of his plan to raise \$10,000 as Nebraska's share of a fund of \$2,000,000 which is to be established in the United States for the aid of retired Congregational ministers.

The new milk ordinance, providing for the testing of dairy cattle and the inspection of all dairies in Beatrice, is proving popular among dairymen as well as citizens generally. Over thirty-nine permits have been taken out by dairymen up to the present time, the ordinance going into effect January 1.

From the ruins of the Sunnyside home recently destroyed by fire at Hastings will soon arise an attractive, modern brick building far surpassing the old one and much better equipped and arranged for the comforts of both old people and children. This was the promise made by members of the executive board to fretting old people who mourn the loss of the home.

The program for the seventh annual convention of the League of Nebraska Municipalities, which is to be held in Kearney on February 9 and 10, has just been compiled. Extensive arrangements are being made by the commercial club and city administration to greet the visiting city officials from other towns who are expected to attend to the number of no less than one hundred.

Several Women's clubs from over The Post is the name of a new paper launched this month at Benkleman by C. L. Kettler.

Robert B. Windham of Plattsmouth was elected president of the Nebraska Territorial Pioneers' organization at the annual meeting at Lincoln. He succeeds Louis A. Bates of Springfield.

Omaha people paid \$1,145,928.46 for street car rides, telephone service and gas during the three months ending December 31, according to reports of public service corporations filed with the city clerk.

Lamb brought \$10.75 on the South Omaha market one day last week.

Columbus has a municipal skating rink. Hundreds of people, old and young, are enjoying the sport.

Bond issues of \$200,000 for sewers, \$100,000 for paving interseptions and \$50,000 for parks were formally approved by the Omaha council.

The Douglas County Dry Campaign committee which will conduct the campaign in Douglas county for a prohibition amendment for Nebraska, has issued an appeal for a fund of \$22,000 for the county.

A number of new paving districts will be created in Beatrice this year, boosters for the propositions now being out with petitions which will be submitted to the city commissioners within the next few weeks.

A train of eighteen cars of horses left Grand Island recently for through shipment to the Atlantic. The horses were purchased there by contractors for the French government and are being rushed to the seaboard.

A company of twenty-six men at Beemer has organized to continue the good work started for good citizenship by the recent revival meetings that have stirred the people of the town. The purpose is to organize a Citizens' league.

The largest run of sheep for any one day on the Omaha market in weeks was on hand January 10, estimates calling for seventy-nine cars or 19,000 head. This was 1,000 greater than for the corresponding day of last year.

The little 8-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Shaw, riding near Callaway, while going to school one morning during the recent cold spell, had her hands so badly frozen that amputation of the fingers was necessary.

The Cortland board of education has disposed of \$13,200 bonds to the state, and will begin the erection of a new school building in the near future. The bonds were voted over two years ago, but their legality was questioned.

Eighty-nine persons "hit the trail" at the first call in the revival being conducted in St. Paul by Irwin brothers. The meetings, which started two weeks ago, are largely attended.

An institution for the study and practice of Christianity has been organized at Hastings. Nearly all the Protestant churches are represented in the movement. It is argued that by united action church activity can be greatly increased.

The Omaha Automobile show, which will be held under the auspices of the Omaha Auto Dealers' association, February 21 to 26, will have novel exhibits which have never been seen. One is a chassis, plated with gold, which has attracted unusual attention in eastern markets.

The engine, drill and complete outfit for prospecting for oil on the John Larsh place, seven miles southeast of Murry, is on hand and drilling is to begin soon. Twelve thousand acres of land have been leased contiguous to the Larsh farm and many farmers are assisting in financing the scheme.

Showing extreme leniency to the man who had endangered his life by running him down with an auto on New Year's Day, Edgar Howard, editor of the Columbus Telegram, secured the release of the man upon the payment of the small fine. The man is Henry Frerichs, residing near Osceola.

March 4 to 11 is to be Baby Week in Nebraska and all over the United States. Sponsored by the children's bureau of the United States Department of Labor and assisted by thousands of members of women's clubs all over the country, an effort will be made to bring about a better understanding concerning children's problems.

Mrs. W. H. Streeter of Aurora has given to that city a tract of land consisting of twenty-eight acres. The land has been accepted by the city and will be converted into a park and recreation place. She asks that it be named Streeter park in honor of her husband who was one of the leading business men of Hamilton county for many years.

The Elkin Community club held a meeting recently at which time the proposition of putting up a building was enthusiastically endorsed. The society contemplates the expenditure of \$12,500 for a building, which will afford club facilities, auditorium, reading rooms, committee, dining and women's rest rooms, etc. The club has a membership of 200.

William Stratman, a farmer near Grand Island, is determined to be certain hereafter that a dead hog is really dead before becoming too familiar with it. He was assisting a neighbor in slaughtering. A porker was not bleeding freely enough, in his opinion, and after the usual trust had been made and it had become quite still and he was about to move its head for an additional thrust with his knife when the hog made a lunge at him and bit off a finger.

Records kept by the Associated Retailers during December, and just made public by Secretary J. W. Metcalfe, indicate that Omaha's population growth by persons moving in from other localities is 8,100 a year.

Nebraska's great high school basketball tournament gives promise this year of attracting 100 teams. The sixth annual tourney will be held in Lincoln March 8-11. Within four days from the time the first announcements were mailed out, there had come twenty-six requests for information and entry blanks.

INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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LESSON FOR JANUARY 30

THE LAME MAN LEAPING.

LESSON TEXT.—Acts 3.
GOLDEN TEXT.—Peter said, "Silver and gold have I none, but what I have that give I thee. In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, walk."—Acts 3:6 R. V.

The coming of power (chapter 2) is soon tested outside of the circle of believers. It is put to a public test, is tried as to its efficacy physically, i. e., has the Holy Spirit power physically as well as over the spirits of men?

1. The Appeal to Peter and John, vv. 1-10. Following Pentecost the disciples seem to have continued their accustomed mode of life. (1) The apostles and worship (v. 1). As yet, and indeed for many years to come, there was no particular separation of Jews and Christians.

Praying men like these two leaders, Peter and John, continued to fulfill their temple duties. The ninth hour was the prayer hour, the hour of sacrifice (Ex. 29:39, 1 Kings 18:36).

All true approach to God must be on the grounds of sacrifice (John 14:6, Heb. 9:22) and we must remember that this hour was the one at which Jesus died for us, our sacrifice (Heb. 10:19, 29).

Emphasize the need and importance of worship and prayer.

(2) The afflicted one (v. 2). This man had been there often and made his usual appeal; his expectation was limited to material aid (v. 5); he may or he may not have been familiar with Christ and his teachings, but something unusual was about to happen because the two to whom he appealed really knew God and on them now rested this new power in the world.

(3) The apostle's response (vv. 4-7). Peter took a good look at the man (v. 4). Peter was changed by a look (Matt. 16:7). What he saw was the man's fundamental spiritual need. (a) Demanding the man's undivided attention, Peter gave the man what he had not—not what the man wanted or expected.

Peter's words, "Look on us," and Paul's "be ye followers of me" (1 Cor. 4:16) are in no wise egotistical, but in each case the fearless appeal of a man wholly God's, men conscious of the endowment of power, trying to seize the wavering wills of men that they might point them to Christ.

(b) Peter aroused the man's expectation.

It is usually men lacking in silver and gold who give to the world its greatest blessings and highest good (1 Cor. 4:11).

Every effective Christian worker must base his appeal upon the facts of a personal experience (1 Pet. 4:10, 11). (d) Peter bade the man to do the very thing he (humanly) could not do, but the thing which, "in the name of Jesus Christ" he would be able to do.

(4) The result. (1) Upon the man. There is no doubt as to the completeness of the cure (v. 8). He had "strength," was "lifted up" from his former position of weakness; he "leaped" (literally, ecstatic joy); he "walked," continuous activity; and he "worshiped," thanksgiving and renewing of strength. (2) Upon the people (a) "All the people saw." They may not have heard or comprehended the words of Peter, but they did witness the transformation. (b) "They took knowledge" (v. 10), they began to observe, even as the world always does, the one who professes his faith in Christ? (c) They were filled with "wonder and amazement" (v. 10), they could not understand. No more can the world of today (see 1 Cor. 1:18, 23) really comprehend the Christian. There was no guesswork, however, about this miracle, and, of the people who witnessed it and were so filled with wonder and amazement, many were converted (ch. 4:4).

The miracle served to get for the gospel a good hearing and it accomplished its purpose (Rom. 1:16).

II. Peter's Appeal to the People, vv. 11-25. Notice it was the man who attracted the crowd, not Peter or John, for he eagerly held the disciples while the crowd gathered (John 5:10, 11). This may suggest the weakness of the man's faith in that he depended upon Peter and John rather than upon Jesus. (1) Peter seized this opportunity (v. 12) and began his salutation by taking advantage of their curiosity.

Peter eagerly turned their thoughts from himself unto Jesus. He wished to divert attention from himself and used the miracle for the double purpose of glorifying Jesus Christ and to convict these men of their sin.

Verses 13, 14, 15 contain the charges whereof Peter and John were "witnesses." They were not to look upon "us" as though they had done anything, nor was it some new God of whom they witnessed (v. 13). The act of the crucifixion, he grants, may have been consummated in ignorance (v. 17), but since God had raised Jesus from the dead, and this doctrine of the resurrection was new, therefore they ought to repent even though their acts were in accord with prophecy.

Peter appeals to Jewish pride. Is such an appeal legitimate?

Get the Habit of Drinking Hot Water Before Breakfast

Says we can't look or feel right with the system full of poisons.

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—Adv.

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The fire of genius is lucky when it can keep the pot boiling.

Remembered Christmas Lesson. While stoking the furnace father demolished the electric lamp, leaving the basement in darkness. Turning to his small son, who stood watching, he asked: "Where was Moses when the light went out?"

And his small son, who was a Sunday school pupil, promptly replied: "In the manger."

Finace. "I hope you're saving some of the money you made in war stocks." "You bet I am. As fast as I get it I invest it in more stocks."

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Big Difference. "I thought the old man left all of his money to charity." "Oh, no—to charitable institutions." —Life

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