

Relief Procured for Reclamation Project Victims

Delegation From Scottsbluff and Morrill Counties Stop Here on Way Home From Capital.

A. N. Mathers of Gering, Neb., visited here on Friday, en route home from Washington, D. C., where he assisted in obtaining relief for settlers in Scotts Bluff and Morrill counties, who have found it difficult to meet the terms of payments for the North Platte and Gering reclamation projects.

HOTEL FURNITURE WILL BE CHECKED

Owners of 45 hotels in Omaha will be cited to appear before the board of equalization in the near future, it was announced Friday, to answer as to the schedules of their furniture and furnishings which they have returned, many of these being alleged to be grossly below the real value.

HUSBAND BOASTED OF HIS CONQUESTS

William Morrison, a plumber, used to boast to his wife, Bertha, that he went with other women, she testified in domestic relations court where a divorce was granted her Friday. The Morrises were married 16 years ago and lived at 2403 North Nineteenth street.

Dawes Once Planned Law Practice Here, but Fate Made It Lincoln

Gen. Charles G. Dawes, vice presidential nominee, was a resident of Omaha for one week during March, 1887. He was 21 at the time and had been graduated during the previous year from a Cincinnati law school.

He came to Omaha with intentions of beginning his law practice in the city, of which he had received favorable impressions from his classmate, Charles W. DeLamatre, present member of the local bar.

During his week in Omaha nearly 40 years ago General Dawes lived with DeLamatre, then a bachelor. Dawes, from Marietta, O., and DeLamatre, from Sandusky, finished law school together, the former standing third in the class, DeLamatre second.

In Quiz Section With Omaha. While at law school we had quiz clubs of about seven members each," DeLamatre said, "Dawes and I were in the same quiz club. Others in our club were Joel C. Pomerene, senator from Ohio; Joel C. Clore, who became postmaster of Cincinnati; Will R. Pomerene, cousin of the senator; W. W. Dyer, now with the Department of Justice at Washington; Daniel R. Crissinger, who was comptroller of the currency and later with the federal reserve bank system. We met once a week and quizzed each other on the law and other subjects.

Forms Friendship With Pershing. DeLamatre and General Dawes have met about once a year for 35 years. A year ago last November they went hunting together at Wood Lake, Neb. The Omaha friend has visited the Dawes home at Evanston and there met John T. McCutcheon, the cartoonist, and others.

During his early days as a lawyer in Lincoln, Dawes had a claim against a showman who went broke in the Nebraska capital city. Common interest in music softened the heart of Dawes who, instead of enforcing the collection through attachment, helped the showman to go on his way by loaning him money.

While in Lincoln from 1887 to 1894, Dawes formed a lasting friendship with General Pershing. During the war, Dawes was close to Pershing overseas, as head of the United States purchasing board. Four years ago he was one of the foremost promoters of the Pershing presidential boom.

In his recent book, Dawes refers to his Lincoln days when he and Pershing were wont to go to Don Cameron's eating house and frequently "grabe a bite" while seated on lunch counter stools.

General Dawes has visited Omaha on various occasions during recent years. He was here last October, on his way with a hunting party to western Nebraska.

Walter L. Pierpont, 353 Brandeis theater building, attended the Cincinnati law school and formed an acquaintance with Henry M. Dawes, brother of General Dawes.

Attorneys in Omaha highly praised the Coolidge-Dawes republican combination Friday morning. A few of their expressions follow:

Ticket Praised Here. Halleck Rose, Omaha: "Dawes is a wonderful man and has clean morals. The United States may be proud of him. Coolidge and Dawes will sweep Nebraska."

Dennis Cronin, United States marshal for Nebraska: "Coolidge with Dawes as a teammate will easily defeat the democrats. Nebraska will support Coolidge and Dawes."

Arthur Mullen, democratic national committee man from Nebraska: "Dawes will strengthen Coolidge. He is a good man; the republicans could not have picked a better. Dawes and Coolidge look good, but I don't believe they will win."

William M. Seabury, New York City: "Dawes is a great supplement to the president. He is sure of the New York vote. Dawes and Coolidge should sweep the country."

Willard S. McKay, New York City: "Dawes is good, strong, clean and big hearted. He will carry the east."

Austin Keough, New York City, democrat: "The republicans have made a fine pick; there is no better in the party. Coolidge and Dawes will give the democrats a hard fight."

Frank L. McCoy, Omaha attorney, attended Cincinnati law school during the period, when General Dawes was a student. Mr. McCoy has visited the next vice president of the United States several times at the Dawes home.

Thirteen, Held 10 Weeks in Affray at Lilly, Freed

Charges Against 11 Klansmen and Two of Townspeople Not Proved—31 to Be Tried.

Ebensburg, Pa., June 13.—Eleven alleged members of the Ku Klux Klan and two residents of Lilly, who have been held in the county jail here 10 weeks under indictments of murder and manslaughter, in connection with the affray at Lilly on April 5, which resulted in the death of three persons and the injury of others, were freed tonight.

They were given their liberty after Judge Thomas P. Finletter granted a motion of District Attorney D. P. Weimer to nolle prosequere the charges against them. Eighteen other alleged klansmen and 13 residents of Lilly will stand trial on murder and manslaughter indictments.

Burgess Bedtime Stories

By THORNTON W. BURGESS. A friend doth prove a friend indeed who lends his aid in time of need. —Welcome Robin.

Just in Time Help Arrives. Matters certainly did look bad for Mrs. Robin. Yes, sir, she certainly did look bad. There she was caught with a piece of string around one leg, hanging from a twig around which the other end of the piece of string was wound. And there, starting to climb up the tree, was Black Pussy cat.

COUNTY PIONEERS DROP INELIGIBLES

Ninety-eight of 125 new members recently signed up in the Douglas County Association of Nebraska Pioneers passed the test of 25 years' residence in Nebraska, but the other 27 could not qualify and were dropped from the rolls at a meeting of the association called Thursday by George R. Armstrong and a committee appointed to investigate the new applications.

Miss Mary Coleman, who was hired by P. M. Russell and a committee appointed to boost membership, was dropped from the payroll.

RAIDERS CAPTURE SMALL ARSENAL

A small arsenal was seized by agents of Robert P. Samardick when they raided the soft drink parlor of Nick Dasaivich and arrested his bartender, Mike Vekovitch, South Side.

Elected to Board.

Rev. Ralph E. Bailey, pastor of the Unitarian church, has been elected new member of the advisory board of the School of Individual Instruction.

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Laf Winners Are Enjoying Sport

Jokesters Fashion Fun of Daily Life Into Snappy Puns.

Where to see Local Lafs today: Rev. theater, Albin, Neb. Empress theater, Central City, Neb. Auditorium, Hastings, Neb. Victoria theater, Omaha. Lothrop theater, Omaha.

Some are born famous, some achieve fame and others have fame thrust upon them. In whichever class you may be, it will be worth your while to keep in mind the Local Laf contest which is bringing out many jokesters who are winning the weekly cash prizes and having the thrill of seeing their prize jokes and the names on the movie screens.

This Laf contest is creating lots of fun. You can be a unit in the fun by sending in your jokes to the Local Laf editor of The Omaha Bee. You may surprise yourself. It may be a start for you to a career as a writer of humor.

Everyday, all around you, is material for jokes. It requires the development of a certain ability to take that material and fashion it into a snappy joke of 30 words or less. The jokes that win the weekly cash prizes are the ones that are bright and to the point. Brevity is still the soul of wit, just as it was in the days of Shakespeare.

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The picnic is given to the poor mothers and children absolutely free of charge and lunches, ice cream, candy, cakes, lemonade and milk are furnished, besides an entertainment of games.

The cars and automobiles will leave 114 North Fifteenth street at 9:30 Thursday morning, June 25.

New Postmaster.

Mitchell, S. D., June 13.—The confirmation of the application of T. C. Burns for the postmastership of Mitchell, S. D., was received in Mitchell, last week. Burns took charge of the postoffice last Sunday.

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"The Simple Life"

This Subject Will Be Discussed by Rev. Ralph E. Bailey at The First Unitarian Church (The Church of Liberal Christianity) 3114 Harney Street SUNDAY AT 11 A. M.

Soloists—Mrs. O. W. Eldridge, Mr. Hall Clavin, Organist—Mrs. Eloise W. McNichols.

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Mrs. Robin's feathered neighbors were doing their best to help her, and were proving that they were indeed good neighbors. But their best didn't amount to much this time. Black Pussy had no intention of being frightened away by mere noise. Those who were bold enough to dart down and peck at her didn't really hurt her.

With the certainty of a Robin dinner she had no intention of giving up. How those feathered folk did scream! They were led by Sammy Jav. But even little Jenny Wren did her part. Every one of the feathered folk of the Old Orchard was there, and every one was screaming. They made such a racket that Blackey the Crow, way over in the Green Forest, heard the noise and started to see what it all meant.

Some one else heard it. It was Farmer Brown's boy. He was at work out back of the barn. He stopped working and listened a moment. "Now, what can have happened in the Old Orchard?" he exclaimed. "Something is wrong over there. Somebody is in trouble, and I have an idea I may be needed over there."

He ran around the corner of the barn and at a glance saw that the trouble was in a certain tree. He made straight for that tree. Sammy

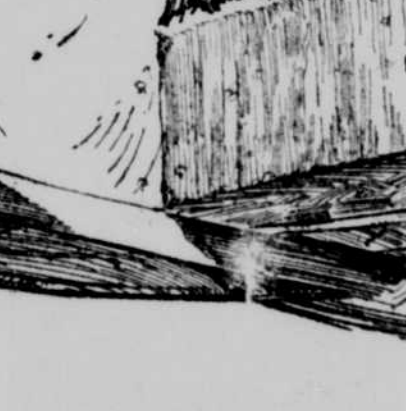
Jay saw him coming and screamed faster and louder than ever. As Farmer Brown's boy reached the tree the birds stopped screaming and flew to other trees, all but Welcome Robin. He remained right in the top of that apple tree and continued to call anxiously.

The instant Farmer Brown's boy saw Black Pussy he knew that she was the cause of all the trouble. "It must be that she has found a nest up there," thought Farmer Brown's boy. Then he saw poor Mrs. Robin hanging head down and feebly fluttering at the end of that piece of string. He shouted at Black Pussy, and Black Pussy didn't wait a second. She scrambled out of that tree and ran as fast as she could run. Farmer Brown's boy climbed the tree and very gently

drew Mrs. Robin up until he could take her in his hand. Then carefully he unfastened the string from the twigs around which it was caught, and after that, with even greater care, he unwound the string from around Mrs. Robin's leg.

He examined that leg very carefully to make sure it wasn't broken, and all the time he talked softly and in the most soothing way to Mrs. Robin. When he was quite sure that she was all right he opened his hand that she might be free. For almost half a minute she lay there without moving. Then with a glad cry she flew to the top of the tree. You should have heard the change in Welcome Robin's voice then. Its mournfulness gave way to joyousness. He flew to the next tree and there he sang, and every note was a note of joy. He was doing his best to tell Farmer Brown's boy how thankful he was. Farmer Brown's boy understood it, and his freckled face was brightened by a broad smile as he climbed down from that tree.

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