

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Carter Of This City Have Been Married Sixty-Two Years

Once again Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Carter, parents of Dr. L. A. Carter, have quietly celebrated an anniversary of their wedding day. The event was observed at the home of the couple in southwest O'Neill. On December 12, 1873, the Carters were married at Glenwood, Iowa, and their immigrating into Kansas to homestead and following events encompass enough adventure to cram a large book with much interesting reading.

In the first place the couple located near Beloit, Kans., Mitchell county, in 1873, and the scene that greeted their eyes must have been little different thousands of years ago. There was prairie on every side, raw land everywhere, few people and money about as scarce as hen's teeth. But the young couple searched for work and a chance to fashion a home and they realized their mission in Kansas was not in the nature of a vacation.

After filing on a homestead, Mr. Carter asked his bride if she was willing to live temporarily in a home scooped out of the side of a hill, in a "dugout," and she replied with a clean-cut "no" that left no doubt about the matter. Mr. Carter had a frame residence in mind but he wanted time to do the building. He hurried his work and soon

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had his bride busily engaged in one of the largest and most attractive frame residences in Mitchell county.

When hard times are mentioned within hearing of the Carters they smile. Times like the present must seem to them like prosperity bedecked in a castle of gold. Asked about any depression they may have experienced, Mrs. Carter said: "Hard times are a new story to many and the present experience unique to many others, but to us it seems like normal times when we compare it with what we had to go through down there in Kansas.

"While we were desperately trying to get started there in Kansas along came the great panic of 1873. Practically everyone lived solely on corn meal. People had no money to buy anything else. We had a neighbors who used his head trying to evolve some scheme for producing some other food to vary his monotonous corn meal fare and he finally rigged up a contrivance that caught great numbers of snow birds. These he fried or baked and he told people he swore off eating corn meal and ate straight snow bird because he had no money to buy the meal with and was forced to hold expense down to zero. This fellow emerged in the spring nice and healthy, actually a tribute to his ingenuity.

"When times there were at the worst, I decided, after long considering the matter, to spend a ten cent piece I kept as a memento. To part with that dime was like parting with some favorite dog or horse. But I made up my mind to let it go and while in town I went to get mail and there I received a letter from my father in Iowa and when I opened it there was an unexpected check to me for \$100. Only those who have been in similar circumstances can appreciate the sheer joy I enjoyed as I started on a round of pricing and shopping."

Two things they feared in Kansas were rattlesnakes and savages, and prairie fires too, were formidable but easily could be guarded against—especially by a young husband bent on protecting his bride at any cost of time or labor.

Mrs. Carter also told of thousands of head of cattle being herded to Kansas to feed on rich and rank buffalo grass, from Texas over the famous old Chisholm trail, and of an exceedingly heavy fall of snow which half melted and froze, encasing the cattle by thousands, freezing and smothering them to death. The prairie was transformed from a blank plain to a scene dotted with white mounds, snow-covered beaves lying in death. Hundreds of rich cattlemen were rendered bankrupt, she says, by the storm. Skinners worked hard but always were far behind with removing the hides of the fallen cattle.

The Carters, married 62 years, experienced more in their lives than does the average person and apparently they have enjoyed every moment they have lived.

Mr. Carter broke many acres of Kansas prairie, using the then common "breaking plow" and drawing \$3 an acre for his labor. One day Mr. Carter stopped at a place and asked if there was prairie sod breaking to be done. "I, too, am searching for that kind of work," the farmer said, "and if I do not find it I do not know what I shall do. I am now eating the last morsels of flour and baked prairie chicken there are for miles around here."

Cracks an inch wide in the man's house sort of corroborated what his tongue declared. In traveling one time Mr. Carter had to pull his wife from a wagon, shake her, then hold her on his arm until he got her to running so to start her blood circulating and thus save her from intense cold that had gripped all Kansas.

One time down there while all the whites in a neighborhood were in town, a white girl of tender years was sort of "shooed" out of the grass, perhaps she had been day-herding cattle, and she ran to a homesteader's residence where the family dog promptly bit out half a pound of flesh from one of her nimble legs. But she kept on sailing until she had entered the house and the Indians failed to get past the dog—and the girl could not leave the house until the white family returned from town.

That was early Kansas; always a "picture show" on the plains to entertain hardy souls who "stuck it out" and just took things as they came.

It must have been about the time that corn meal and prairie chickens were running low when William Noah, brother-in-law to Mr. Carter, opened up in favor of the populists, members of a political party that just suited many of those in the mid-west of the time.

Mr. Noah spoke wherever he could gather an audience. Of his efforts, Mr. Carter had this to say:

"My brother-in-law, Noah, actually spoke all over the country and, although we felt certain he eventually would be shot, poisoned, quartered or burned at the stake for what he said about the monied people of the land, he astonished us by returning alive."

After the Carters had battled Kansas with its hot and cold winds, it's give and take, but mostly take at that time, they packed up and moved back to the state of Iowa and lived there 18 years.

Another move was made, this time to Washington county, Kansas. Finally came the day when the Carters sold out there and moved to Pawnee county, Nebraska. The last time, they lived 18 years in Kansas.

One of the most remarkable observations made by this couple on the vagaries of life is that of all the couples that were married in and around Glenwood, Iowa, at about the time they were united, say within a few months or years, only two couples, as far as is known, are alive today, and these are Mr. and Mrs. Nelson DeLashmuth, of Whiting, Iowa, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Haney, of Glenwood, Iowa.

The couple are parents of 10 children, three of them having died. The great 2,000 acre cattle ranch of the Carters, situated 12 miles southwest of Chambers, in Holt county, was built up by this remarkable couple. One day they decided this place should be divided equally among their children, and this was done and the matter of shares and interests settled for all time.

Mr. Carter is about 84 and Mrs. Carter is about 80 years of age. Their health is satisfactory, they take keen interest in everything, and they always are in pleasant disposition.

The Frontier wishes the Carters many more years of happy married life.

THE CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY ALLIANCE

Rev. Albert W. Swanson
Services will be held each Sunday at 3 p. m. at Episcopal church. This Sunday, Jan. 6, is the opening of our Sunday School at 2 p. m. followed by devotional hour at 3.

Bring your children this Sunday that we may begin all at the opening service of the Sunday school.

Prayer meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wilsey, 407 E. John St., Thursday evening at 7:30. Welcome.

METHODIST CHURCH

A. J. May, Pastor
Sunday school at 10 a. m. 11 a. m., Morning worship. Subject, "The Unwelcome Christ." Special music by the choir. 6:30 p. m., Epworth League. "The Epworth League Pledge." 7:30, Evening song service and sermon. Subject, "The Mystery of an Existence."

Senior choir practice this Saturday evening at 7:30.

Junior choir practice each Thursday evening at 7:30.

One week from next Sunday we have a special meeting. Communion service and reception of members. The entire membership should be present at this service.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Sunday School 10:00—Mr. R. M. Sauers, superintendent. Morning worship 11:00—This will be our regular quarterly communion service. Every member and Christian is urged to be present. Evening service 7:30.—A very beautiful Candle Light service is being planned. We invite you to begin the New Year by attending church.

H. D. Johnson, Pastor.

BRIEFLY STATED

Kersensbrock lake is anything but a frozen asset.

Emory Peterson had business at Bartlett Tuesday.

John Steinhauer was down from Stuart Wednesday.

T. M. Thompson, of Omaha, was in O'Neill Thursday.

Frank Fundas, of Ewing, was in O'Neill Wednesday.

There are no vacant serviceable buildings in O'Neill.

Sam Hainen, of Ewing, was here Wednesday on business.

James Morrison went to Norfolk Thursday on business.

Sunday the Burlington railway freight piled out 28 cars.

George Van Every went to Bartlett Tuesday on business.

W. B. Bradstreet, of Spencer, was in O'Neill last Monday.

Helen Givens spent New Year's day with friends at Norfolk.

P. W. Roberts, of Neligh, had business at O'Neill Wednesday.

Leo Lydon, of Ewing, was in O'Neill Wednesday on business.

Adolph Lotsel, of Ewing, was in O'Neill Wednesday on business.

T. J. Lydon, of Ewing, was in O'Neill on business Wednesday.

Lauren Ohland, of Dustin, was in O'Neill Wednesday on business.

Frank Steinbeck, of Stuart, had business at the court house today.

W. B. Tracy, of Sioux City, was here on business last Wednesday.

H. W. Newhard, of Butte, was here transacting business Thursday.

Bert Parshall, Stuart drayman, was in O'Neill on business Thursday.

Dan McCarthy was in town Thursday from his Dry creek ranch home.

George and James Butler, of Ewing, were in O'Neill Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted McElhaney spent Christmas with relatives at Orchard.

John Ratigan, of Stuart, was at O'Neill on business Thursday of this week.

Charles Johnson, of Plainview, visited friends and relatives here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rohlfres were in O'Neill from Paulina, Iowa last Tuesday.

Louie Nielsen, of Chambers, attended a public sale north of this city Thursday.

Forty-four couples attended a watch party at the Golden hotel New Years Eve.

Dr. W. J. Douglas, of Atkinson, was looking after business matters in this city today.

Joseph Boyle, rancher 10 miles south of Chambers, was in O'Neill one day last week.

John Sullivan and John Steinhauer went to Omaha on county business Wednesday.

George Thoendahl of Goose Lake, was in O'Neill Wednesday on business at the court house.

Miss Dorothy Sesler, of Emmet, visited here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Higgins, of Inez, visited here with Mr. and Mrs. Fred McNally last week.

Patrick Boyle was in O'Neill from his ranch 10 miles south of Chambers this Thursday.

Miss Rose Taylor, of Norfolk, arrived last Thursday to spend a few days visiting friends.

H. W. Beal returned Tuesday from Washington, Iowa, where he spent the Christmas vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted McElhaney went to Omaha last Wednesday and returned here Saturday night.

Charley Pettijohn is here from his ranch north of Stuart and plans to remain here most of the winter.

Guy Shaver drove to Sioux City Sunday where he had a business engagement. He returned Monday night.

Mrs. Wayne Carson and small daughter, and Mrs. Scott, of Chambers, were in O'Neill Wednesday on business.

Donald Dailey was home from the CCC camp at Franklin, Nebr., to spend the vacation with the folks at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Halva and family visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Valla last Sunday afternoon.

Walter Asher, Opportunity-Star mail carrier, bought a new Plymouth car of A. Marcellus New Years day.

Dwayne Abbott and Donald and Merle Mitchell returned Tuesday after visiting Richard Mughower at Brunswick.

Clinton McKim and Mabel McKenna accompanied 10 recruits to Niobrara, Nebr., where they are to enter the CCC.

Robert R. Dickson, district judge, is back from Omaha where he attended the state bar and its district judges meeting.

Wilma Del Smith returned Tuesday from Chadron, Nebr., where she has been spending the holidays visiting at home.

John Abbot, trucker, Sunday took a load of cattle for Arthur Cowperthwaite to the Sioux City market, returning Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Zimmerman, of Norfolk, were guests New Years' day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bergstrom.

A large brilliantly red meteorite falling east of here about 7:30 last Sunday evening caused several persons momentary fright.

W. T. Kennel, of Niobrara, field man for the Sioux City Journal, visited his representative here, Berwin Shaver, last Friday.

Michael Eugene, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tomlinson, was Christened at St. Patrick's church here last Sunday.

Edward and Francis Donohoe, sons of Edward Donohoe, of Bonesteel, S. D., came here last Friday and left Sunday after visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Brennan. The boys are students of Columbia college at Dubuque, Iowa.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate No. 2441

In the County Court of Holt county, Nebraska, December 24, 1934.

In the matter of the Estate of Lisbon C. McKim, Deceased.

CREDITORS of said estate are hereby notified that the time limited for presenting claims against said estate is April 18, 1935 and for the payment of debts is December 24, 1935, and that on January 18, 1935, and on April 19, 1935, at 10 o'clock A. M., each day, I will be at the County Court Room in

said County to receive, examine, hear, allow, or adjust all claims and objections duly filed.

C. J. MALONE,
County Judge.
(County Court Seal)
32-3 J. D. Cronin, Attorney.

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NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Estate No. 2304

In the County Court of Holt county, Nebraska, December 14, 1934.

In the matter of the Estate of Henry Harry Meyer, Deceased. All persons interested in said estate are hereby notified that the Administrator with the will annexed, of said estate has filed in said court his final report and a petition for final settlement and distribution of the residue of said estate; and that said report and petition will be heard January 10, 1935, at 10 o'clock a. m. at the County Court Room in O'Neill, Nebraska, when all persons interested may appear and be heard concerning said final report and the distribution of said estate.

C. J. MALONE,
County Judge.
(County Court Seal)
31-3 J. D. Cronin, Attorney.

(First publication Dec. 20, 1934.)

NOTICE OF SUIT.

To:—Delos D. Miles and Vinetta A. Miles, non-resident defendants.

You and each of you are hereby notified that the AETNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT, A CORPORATION, as plaintiff has filed its petition in the District Court of Holt county, Nebraska, against Delos D. Miles, Vinetta A. Miles, John Doe and Mrs. John Doe, his wife, real and true names unknown, as defendants; the object and prayer of said petition being to establish and foreclose a real estate mortgage, executed and delivered to the plaintiff by the defendants, Delos D. Miles and Vinetta A. Miles, as husband and wife, on or about the 25th day of February, 1920, and duly recorded in Book 126

of the Mortgage Records of Holt county, Nebraska, at page 322 thereof, securing the principal sum of \$10,000.00 with interest thereon at the rate of five and one-half (5½%) per cent per annum, due on the 1st day of March, 1925, which said mortgage was extended in writing by the parties, under date of April 20, 1931, until the 1st day of March, 1935, which extension agreement was recorded in Book 147 of the Mortgage Records of Holt county, Nebraska, at page 377 thereof; that default has been made in the terms and conditions of the note, mortgage and extension agreement, by the failure of said defendants and each of them to pay the interest due on the 1st day of March, 1932, to the 1st day of March, 1934, inclusive, and by their failure to pay the real estate taxes levied and assessed against the West Half and the West Half of the Southeast Quarter of Section 3, Township 31, North, Range 9, West of the 6th P. M., Holt county, Nebraska, being the land so mortgaged and conveyed, for the years 1930 to 1934, inclusive; for the appointment of H. S. Joslin, of Norfolk, Nebraska, as Receiver to take charge and possession of said real estate, and rent and manage the same during the pendency of this action, under orders of said Court, the bondsman for the applicant and said Receiver being proposed as the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, of Baltimore, Maryland; that plaintiff claims a first lien upon said real estate for the sum of \$10,000.00, with accrued interest and taxes paid, in accordance with the allegations of its petition, now on file in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Holt county, Nebraska; and for general equitable relief.

You and each of you are hereby notified to answer or otherwise plead to plaintiff's petition on or before the 28th day of January, 1935.

AETNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT, A CORPORATION, Plaintiff. 31-4

By R. J. Shurtleff, Its Attorney.

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