

Union Department

Prepared Exclusively for The Journal.

Albert Willis was a visitor for the day on last Monday at both Murray and Louisville, driving over to the two towns in his car.

A series of resolutions of sympathy with Dr. W. W. Claybaugh, who recently suffered the loss of his wife, a life time companion, were ordered sent to him.

R. D. Stine was looking after some business matters in Nebraska City on last Tuesday driving over to the big town in his car for some goods for the store here.

Mrs. Harry McCarrall, has been quite ill at her home in Union and while not entirely well, is much better than she formerly was.

A. L. Becker last week sold a car load of hay to go to Kansas City and which was being baled and delivered to the Missouri Pacific station at Union.

J. H. Frans has been feeling quite poorly for some time past and has been kept to his home west of town. He, however, is feeling some better at this time.

Earl Merritt and Lloyd Lewis were over to Nebraska City on last Monday where they disposed of their furs. They together had ten mink pelts and over fifty muskrats.

David Murray was having his clover hulled on Tuesday, having had the clover stacked and was ready for the work whether it snowed or not. Henry Becker did the work.

Harry O'Brien and family of near Cedar Creek were visiting at the home of Charles Green and wife on last Saturday as well as doing their weekend shopping while in town.

W. B. Banning said that there was some prospect of getting some six miles of pavement from the intersection of Highway 75, west of No. 11 and urged all to work to that effect.

A letter last week from Charles Swan at Tucson, Arizona, is to the effect that he is getting along nicely at this time and is feeling much better. This will be good news for the many friends of this excellent young man here.

Uncle John Tigner who a portion of the time makes his home with his son, Fred Tigner of Union, and at other times with his son, James Tigner of near Louisville, is reported as being very poorly at this time at the home of his son near Louisville.

Dr. G. H. Gilmore was a visitor in Union on last Monday on professional business as well as visiting with his brother-in-law, Mr. David R. Frans, he being a guest at the dinner party of the Union Business Men's Club.

By motion, at the dinner of the Union Business Men's Club, on last Monday, it was ordered that letters be sent to Joe Banning and Ira Clark and also that flowers be sent denoting the high esteem in which the gentlemen who are sick are held by the membership of the club.

George A. Stites was a visitor for the day in Omaha on last Saturday where he was looking after some business matters and also was visiting with friends, he driving over to the big city in the new unit which he purchased at Nebraska City last week. He secured one of the latest Chrysler cars and is well pleased with the new acquisition.

Mrs. Earnest Rathke who has been in the Methodist hospital at Omaha for some time when she underwent amputation and following which she was very sick, is reported as being much better at this time and is showing good improvement and it is hoped that she will soon be able to leave the hospital and return to her home here entirely well again.

Mrs. Walter L. Havenridge of Omaha was spending last Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Becker at Union, where all enjoyed a very fine visit. Mrs. Havenridge was formerly Miss Mary Becker and when she returned home on last Sunday evening was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Becker, who visited for the day Monday in Omaha, returning home on Monday.

The Union water which was frozen last week has been thawed out and as well one of the pipes was broken, just who was the delinquent or whether it was just the very cold weather is not known but anyway a man was in town from Omaha making the necessary repairs which insures the service being renewed and everything now going all right.

Mrs. Joseph Banning was a visitor in Omaha on last Sunday being guest of Mr. Banning who is at the Methodist hospital convalescing following the fracture of the leg and injury to his shoulder, when the cow which he was desiring to milk, turned around, knocking him to the ground and injuring him severely. Mr. Banning is showing good improvement and it is hoped he will soon be able to be back home and well again from his injuries.

Dr. W. H. Achenbaugh appointed a committee on flowers for the Union business men's club which was composed of Clifton B. Smith and George A. Stine and also a committee on resolutions were appointed consisting of Rev. W. A. Taylor and M. S. Briggs.

Gave Timely Advice.

Dr. G. H. Gilmore of Murray who was present was called upon to make an address and said during his talk that Kate Jones said the best after dinner speech she ever heard was: "Come on and I will help wash the dishes." He also said that he would say to the members of the club, just as he had told his friends of Murray, it was best to be absolutely honest. He commended the flowers and resolutions and promised to make a longer talk the next time.

Visited Here.

Rev. W. A. Bowden, former pastor of the Methodist church at Union, but now located at Ulysses, accompanied by the good wife, were visiting in Union and vicinity for Monday and Tuesday, they coming specially to visit Wm. James who is quite poorly, and also visited other friends and members of the church.

Undergoes Operation.

The Rev. Edgar Fletcher who has been in not the best of health and who has been the caretaker of the Union school building and grounds, went to Omaha on last Friday and on Saturday underwent an operation for relief from an aggravated case of appendicitis. He was accompanied by Mrs. Fletcher, who remained until Sunday evening when he was resting some easier when she departed. It is hoped he will soon be able to return to his home in Union and to his duties at the school again.

Clifford Garrison Out Again.

Clifford Garrison who was very seriously ill, and who was at the hospital in Omaha for treatment, was able to return home over a week ago, and was so far improved that he was able to be down town on last Saturday. He was down again on Monday of this week and reports as being feeling fine.

Come to Church and Bible School.

A most cordial welcome is extended to the public not worshipping elsewhere, to come to the Bible school of the Baptist church and also remain for the preaching services. There will be good instructors at the Bible school and also the discourse which will be brought to you during the sermon hour will be very fine. Come and bring your friends to these services.

Two Cases of Small Pox.

Dr. Gilmore who is looking after the business of Dr. W. W. Claybaugh during his absence when he went to Dexter, Iowa, to bury his wife, who passed away last week, found two cases of small pox, where he was called, they being the homes of Horace Griffin and John Kirvin. The cases are mild but while the age varies along nicely every precaution will be taken to prevent the spread of the disease.

Had Excellent Meeting.

At the Baptist church last Sunday an excellent service was had, both at the Bible school and the church services. Some excellent music and singing was had, in which as pianist, Mrs. Ray Frans was very fine, while Messrs Frans and Wells did the singing. Everybody enjoyed the excellence of the special number.

Fire Causes Much Alarm.

Last Thursday when both Mr. and Mrs. D. C. LaRue were away, the stove puffed causing much excitement when the house caught fire. The explosion threw the stove pipe out of the chimney and the flames poured out, catching a partition above and before the blaze was noticed through the roof the fire had gotten good headway. Immediately the neighbors and friends hastened to the scene, and did everything they could to extinguish the flames which were rapidly making havoc with the home. The first thing to happen when the crowd got there to fight the fire was the breaking of the pump at the well and then the water had to be carried from the home of D. B. Porter, and with the water which they were able to get there and the air of a fire extinguisher, the fire was put out after a hole had been burned in the roof. Mr. and Mrs. LaRue are very thankful to say the many friends for the excellent work which was done in putting the fire out and saving the home and contents.

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I did, on the tenth day, take up on my property west of Union, one spotted Poland China hog, weighing approximately 240 pounds. The owner of same can have the property by proving ownership and paying the charges incident to the advertising and care.
JOSEPH LINDSAY,
Union, Neb.
j16-2tw.

Grandmother Clarence Quite Ill.

Mrs. Nancy Clarence, better known as Grandma Clarence, has been quite ill at her home in Union at this time and has been for some time. She is being cared for by her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Fletcher, and is hoping soon to be able to be up and out again.

LOST

Female bound dog, white with brown and black spots, scar on right hind leg also on front leg. Call phone 4821, Union or notify
CHARLES HATHAWAY,
Union, Nebraska.
j30-2tw

DEATH OF UNION LADY

The death of Mrs. William Craig, 69, occurred Tuesday at her home in Union, following an illness of four weeks during which time she has been suffering from an attack of heart trouble. Mrs. Craig has been a resident of the Union community for some sixty years.

Mrs. Craig was born in Taylor County, Ia., and came to Cass county with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Baker, in 1870. She was educated in the schools of this county and was married to William Craig in Atchison county, Missouri, December 26, 1877. Mrs. Craig was an active member of the Baptist church and was well known and popular in this community where she had made her home for more than 60 years.

She is survived by her husband and the following children: Mrs. Rosa Beaudett, Resalia, Neb.; Mrs. Mary Watkins, Sioux City, Ia.; Mrs. Lena Hill, Percival, Ia.; Mrs. Verna Austin, Union; and Mrs. Alta Blevins, Baltimore, Md.

Funeral services will be held at the Baptist church in Union Thursday morning at 10:30 o'clock with Rev. Mr. Beebe in charge, assisted by Rev. William A. Taylor. Interment will be at the Scota cemetery, four miles southeast of Union.

\$33,000 TO MRS. TEACHOUT

Omaha—Mrs. Harold Teachout, wife of the former Des Moines bank clerk, who came into a fortune, was granted \$150 a month annuity and a lump sum settlement of \$33,000 to be paid Jan. 1, 1934 by District Judge Rhoades Saturday afternoon.

Her son, Herbert, four, was granted an allowance of \$100 a month until he is twenty-one years old. Mrs. Teachout marries again the \$150 a month stops but she will still receive, in 1934, the \$33,000. The decision was given after consultation and agreement of opposing counsel.

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DEATH OF UNION LADY

Mrs. W. W. Claybaugh, formerly Miss Carrie Cunningham, was born in Illinois, February 25th, 1851, where she lived with her parents and when in later years they came to Iowa to reside at the home of the family, later, met Dr. W. W. Claybaugh at the home of her parents in Birmingham, Iowa, where they were married in 1885. They resided many places and for a long time at Dexter, Iowa, where two of their children were buried. They lived in Nehawka during the world war, where Mr. Claybaugh cared for the practice of Dr. J. W. Thomas while he was in the service.

This union was blessed with four children, two of whom died while those remaining to mourn the departure of this good woman Mrs. Frank Mesner of Chicago Heights, Ill., but who has been here with the mother for some time on account of her ill health; a son Bruce of Grand Junction, Colorado. Mrs. Claybaugh has been in delicate health for a number of years and while not being strong was not taken seriously until about two weeks since, when she was not able to leave her bed. She passed away at the home in Union on last Thursday, despite the best of medical attendance and the very best of nursing.

The body was taken to Dexter, Iowa, where interment was made on last Sunday. Mrs. Claybaugh leaves to mourn her departure two sisters, Mesdames Mary Cook and Rev. Ross Bowie, both of Birmingham, Iowa, J. E. and B. F. Cunningham of Moulton, Iowa, and John H. Cunningham of Shavano City, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Claybaugh were both members of the United Presbyterian church but since coming to Union both presented their letters and were received into membership with the Methodist church here.

DISPERSION SALE

The undersigned will hold a Dispersion Sale of Cattle, Hogs, Implements, Household Goods, etc., at the Joe Lidgett home on the William Clarence farm, 3 1/2 miles east of Union, 1 mile north of the O street road, on

Thursday, Feb. 6

beginning at 1:00 o'clock p. m., the following described property, to-wit:

Milk Cows

Nine good milk cows, 3 to freshen during February and early March; One Red Poll and Jersey to freshen March 6th; one Red Poll to freshen on April 20th; one Red Poll to freshen May 10th; one good Holstein, to freshen February 28th; one pure bred Jersey, 2 years old, to freshen about February 19th; one Jersey to freshen May 23rd; one one-half Jersey, to freshen June 17th; also two good Red Poll cows that will freshen in early summer, they are now giving milk. These are all young and tried cows—can guarantee every one of them.

28 Head Chester White Hogs

Five tried sows, to farrow about March 1st; 22 head of good Fall hogs; one pure bred Chester White boar, pedigreed out of grand champ boar, Nebraska state fair.

Ten English White Leghorn roosters.

Farm Machinery, etc.

One Newton wagon, nearly new; one Osborne hay rake, nearly new; one Osborne mower, nearly new; one set of harrows, with double trees; one 14-inch plow, in good condition; one Badger riding cultivator; one walking cultivator; one sleigh; one pony cart; one portable stock loader, on wheels; one DeLaval cream separator, nearly new; one 8-gallon cream can, new; one 5-gallon cream can, in good condition; one 15-gallon hard rendering kettle; one new grindstone and frame; one lot seed corn, also corn in crib; a quantity of good alfalfa hay in stack; garden tools of all kinds and other articles too numerous to mention.

Household Goods

One 3-piece sitting room suite, heavy oak veneer, leather upholstered; one 6-hole Quick Meal range, in good condition; one oak wash tub; one Smokeless oil heater; one cast iron flat top heating stove; five stone jars and various other articles.

Terms of Sale

All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash. On sums over that amount, six months time will be given on bankable notes bearing 8 per cent interest. No property to be removed until settled for. Bidders will please make credit arrangements with their home banks.

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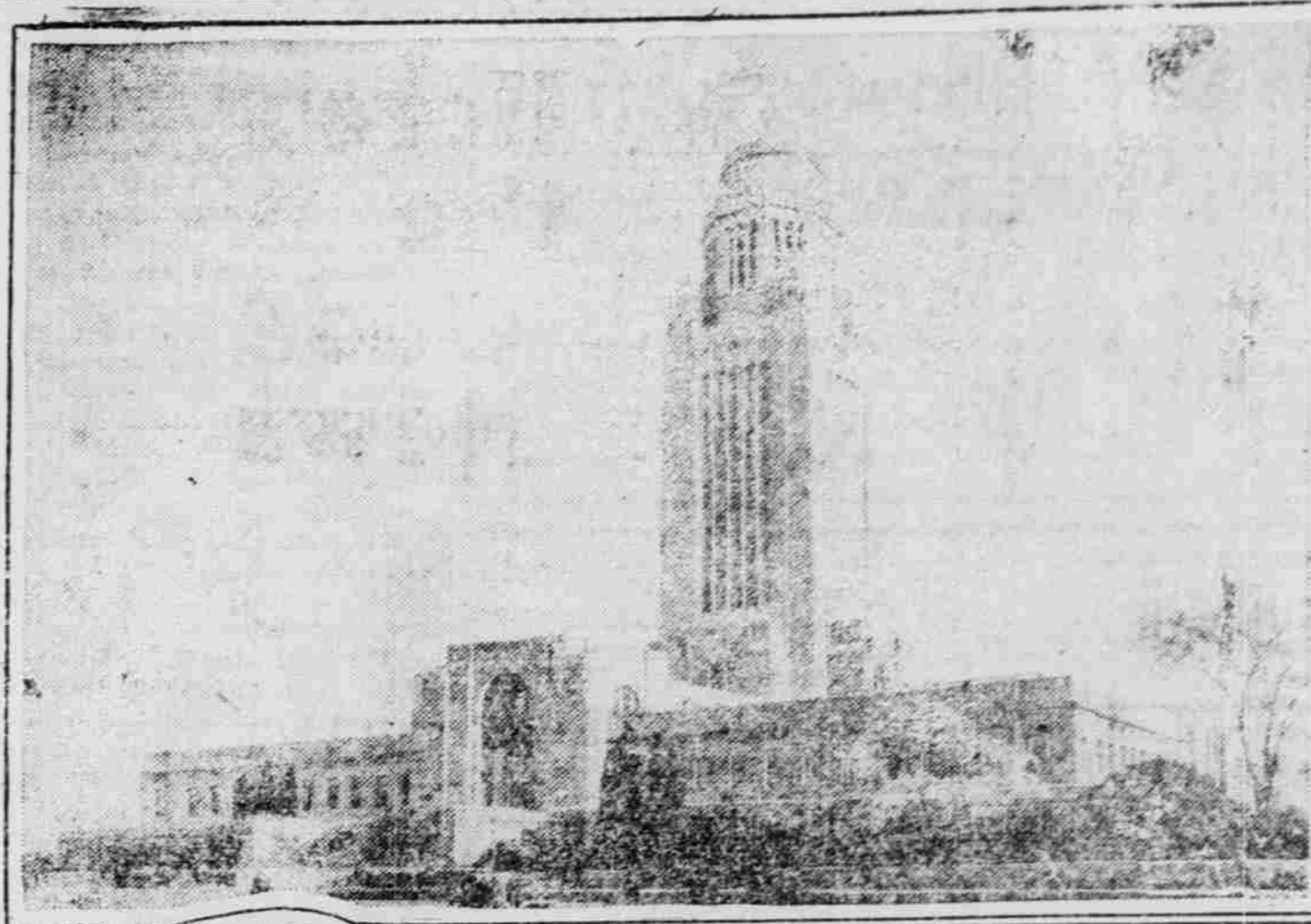
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Nebraska's Great Capitol is Now Nearing Completion

A call for bids on the fourth section of Nebraska's unique and beautiful capitol on May first indicates the completion of the building in 1931. It is estimated that the last section, which includes the west wing, will be complete within a year and a half. The cost is estimated at \$800,000.

Work on the third section is now nearing completion. Present activities are confined to the interior. Workmen are applying their finishing touches of a decorative nature to the tower rooms. Marble setters are lining the walls of the octagon memorial room with marble which extends to the base of the interior dome which is about 47 feet from the memorial room floor and 300 feet from the ground. The dome for the memorial room has been completed. It is constructed of structural and ornamental tile which borders the acoustic panel. Sixteen gold glazed ribs converge to the central pattern at the top of the dome and through this will be suspended a huge chandelier somewhat similar to the one seen from the second floor. Doors are hung in the office suites which will soon be ready for occupancy. The four tower elevators are now structurally complete and will shortly be ready for general use.

The figure of "The Sower," which is to surmount the tower, is now completed at Long Island City, N. Y., and will be shipped to Lincoln as soon as it is practical to start erection operations. Its combined weight of base and figure is about 20 tons. The figure was cast in six pieces but will be assembled and shipped in one piece. This was done to eliminate as much field work as possible on top of the tower where efficiency and

safety are not the best. The figure is 32 feet high above all. The General Bronze Corporation which cast this figure has at present two other bronze figures of the same size for two of our sister states. One, "The Pioneer Lady," goes to Oklahoma; the other to Texas. "The Sower" is the conception of Lee Lawrie, sculptor, who planned all the sculptural work of the building. It typifies a pioneer husbandman casting from his outflung hand the seed that has transformed the prairie sod into fertile fields and made from a virgin plain a prosperous homeland of a million and a half people.

With the erection of the statue it will be possible to dismantle and remove the derrick now on top of the structure which will complete the most hazardous operation experienced or expected on the building.

A sample panel of the dull gold tile which will be used for the top exterior of the tower is now helping to shape New York's skyline. It is up there for observation by the architect and manufacturer. This work, which will give the top of the tower a striking appearance and far visibility, will be applied to the tower in the spring.

The new section of the building for which bids will be asked May first will contain the hall of representatives and will complete the west side of the building. In this contract will be included demolition of the old power houses, which are no longer needed since the capitol was connected a few weeks ago with the heating plant of the state university. Removal of the railroad, grading of the grounds and landscaping will also be included in the final contract.



Negro Dropped at West Point to Try Again

Cases of Others of His Race Brought to Light; No Prejudice Shown, Parham Says.

Washington, Jan. 26.—The recent dropping from West Point of Alonzo Sourleigh Parham, Negro plebe, for failure in the last December examinations, brought to light that out of 15 Negroes appointed to the military academy since its founding, 11 were dropped as was Parham.

Three graduated and were commissioned, one to be dismissed after five years' service as a second lieutenant, one to die after only a few years' service, and another to rise to the rank of colonel of cavalry. The latter died after retirement in his grade.

Parham stopped in Washington en route to his Chicago home and conferred with Representative Oscar De Priest, Negro republican congressman from Illinois, relative to making another attempt to enter the academy.

Denies Race Prejudice.

It is understood De Priest promised him another appointment and that Parham will "brush up" on mathematics, the cause of his failure. He denied race prejudice had anything to do with his failure.

"It's only my lack of knowledge of algebra," he said. "I believe I can correct that weakness."

Another graduate, Henry O. Flipper, appointed from the Fifth Georgia district in 1873 by Representative J. C. Freeman, was commissioned a second lieutenant of cavalry in 1877, but was dismissed for "conduct unbecoming a gentleman" in 1882. What his offense was time had obliterated. Once again in civil life he became a successful engineer with a wide reputation.

Died an Officer.

The third and last to date, served in the cavalry also and died an officer. He was John H. Alexander, appointed from the Fourteenth Ohio district by Representative George W. Geddes in 1883, commissioned a second lieutenant in 1887, and died in

1894, probably a first lieutenant by that time.

The first Negro to be appointed to the academy was James W. Smith, who received his coveted opportunity in 1870 from a Third South Carolina district at the hands of Representative S. L. Hoge. This district later had another cadet at the Point.

It is of note that the majority of the Negro appointments were from southern states during the carpet-bagging days, and with two or three exceptions the race has represented every year from 1870 until 1918, when there was a lapse until 1918.—Omaha Bee-News.

ROSEWALD GRANT FOR SOCIAL SCIENCE

New York.—The Social Science Research Council, of which Prof. Edwin B. Wilson of Harvard university is president, Sunday announced a grant of \$50,000 from the Julius Rosenwald fund for a new series of southern fellowships in the social sciences. It also announced that it had submitted to Ray Lyman Wilbur, secretary of the interior, a plan it had worked out for a nationwide governmental survey of the health and welfare of the American people in relation to the way in which they spend their incomes. It urged that the proposed survey be made as soon as possible.

YOUTHS SHIVER IN 'PALMY' KANSAS

Wichita, Kan., Jan. 24.—Russell Erickson and Neal Patterson, Sioux Falls (S. D.) schoolboys who ran away a week ago because the thermometer registered 35 degrees below zero and they had heard Kansas was a land of palm trees, were on their way back Friday.

HOLDREGE COUPLE OVERCOME BY GAS

Holdrege, Jan. 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Olson, farmers, living near here are recovering from the effects of carbon monoxide gas which almost caused their asphyxiation last Monday night. Carroll Olson, 19, son of the couple, saved his parents' lives by summoning aid after the gas had almost rendered him unconscious.

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