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SET DATE FOR APRIL 30TH

From Wednesday's Daily—

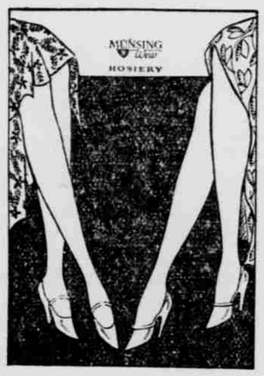
Advice received yesterday from Adjutant Quinn of South Omaha (Melting Pot) post of the American Legion, is to the effect that the return dinner-dance date has been set for next Wednesday night, April 30th, and the affair will be held at the German home on South 13th street.

The canvas of local post members to ascertain how many from here expect to attend will have to be undertaken in the next two or three days and will not be such an easy matter with many of the active Legionnaires of Plattsmouth post working on the Trade Exposition and Style Show project. The committee has a list of those who attended the former inter-city dinner-dance here the latter part of February and asks that all advise them of their intentions without waiting to be called upon. The members of the committee are Leo Boynton, Don Seiver, Roy Holly and Garold Holcomb.

Under ordinary conditions, Plattsmouth post could be expected to send as large a crowd to this affair as the South Siders had here, but tied up as they are with the Trade show and the work of tearing down the booths next week to make ready for the Junior-Senior banquet, it may be hard to enlist the attendance of more than thirty-five or forty couples.

URGES CENSUS REPORT

W. T. Richardson, census enumerator for Plattsmouth precinct is about ready to send in the final returns. Should there be any one in the precinct who has not ben enumerated, if you will get word to Mr. Richardson, he will gladly call on you.



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Clash in Probe of Prison Fire; Death Toll 318

Guard Is Suspended, but Denies Blame for Not Opening Doors; Other Disclosures.

Columbia, O., April 22.—With the death list swelled to 318, investigation of the disastrous Ohio penitentiary fire last night was marked today by a clash between county and state authorities over a proposal to suspend Warden P. E. Thomas until the facts are known.

Demand for the warden's suspension was made by County Prosecutor John J. Chester, jr., but the issue was shelved when Governor Cooper took the case out of the hands by assigning the attorney general to make the official inquiry to place responsibility for the great loss of life.

The investigation opened with the warden on the witness stand. The board of inquiry was composed of Governor Cooper, Assistant Attorneys General Early Shivley, Joseph Godown, and Harry Levy, Welfare Director Hal Griswold and two members of the state clemency board.

The warden's testimony revealed that Thomas Watkinson, guard in the cell blocks housing companies G and H, where all of the victims perished, refused to turn over the key to the cell ranges of other guards. Watkinson was suspended pending investigation. Later in the investigation Watkinson denied he was responsible for not opening the doors.

Other Disclosures.

The inquiry also disclosed:

That Thomas assigned his chief deputy, J. C. Woodward, to take charge within the prison walls when the fire broke out at 5:30 p. m., yesterday.

That the warden stationed himself outside the prison to prevent any escapes.

That Night Guards Thomas Little and W. C. Baldwin, just coming on duty, had to take the range key away from Watkinson to get the cells where some eight hundred prisoners were locked behind bars, suffocating in dense smoke that rose from the fast spreading fire. It was asserted that but for Watkinson's refusal to turn over the keys, no lives need have been lost.

That Little and Baldwin could get no higher than the fifth tier before they became exhausted, leaving most of the convicts in the fifth and sixth tiers to die.

That Ohio penitentiary guards, numbering 337 on both day and night shifts, are required to watch 4,300 prisoners at salaries ranging from $130 to $150 a month.

While the investigation was under way a corps of undertakers spent a busy day embalming the bodies of the fire victims at an improvised morgue into which the horticultural building at the state fairgrounds had been converted.

The bodies are held awaiting orders of relatives. To silence reports that shots were fired during the fire, each body is being examined for bullet wounds.—World-Herald.

PRESENT FINE PAGEANT

From Monday's Daily—

The presentation of "The Resurrection of Peter," held last night as a part of the Easter services at the Methodist church was a very fine representation of the incidents leading to the re-birth of the faith of Peter, who bowed with remorse and grief at his denial of the Master had sorrowed until the Risen Christ sent forth the message to Peter to be of good faith. The role of Peter was taken by William F. Evers,, that of the other members of the pageant group being Vern Price as "James," John Turner as "John," J. H. Jahrig as "Andrew," William Heinrich as "Phillip," Roy Perkins as "Cleopas," and Clement Wooster as "Thomas." The role of "Mary" was taken by Mrs. William Heinrich, "Mary Magdalene" by Mrs. Loretta Wilcox, and "Salome" by Miss Alice Funk.

The musical offerings of the pageant were given by Dr. R. P. Westover with the selections, "God My Father," from "The Seven Last Words of Christ," and "Where He Leads Me, I will Follow," and Edgar Wescott in the numbers, "'Into the Woods My Master Went,," "The Way of the Cross Leads Home" and "There Is a Green Hill Far Away."

SHOWING IMPROVEMENT

From Monday's Daily—

The many friends over the city of George Barr will be pleased to learn that Mr. Barr is doing very nicely at the Methodist hospital at Omaha, where he was operated on some days ago for appendicitis. The patient has rallied very nicely from the effects of the illness and operation and now seems chiefly troubled by the smallpox as he has broken out a great deal and which will keep him in from ten days to two weeks before he is able to return home.

RETURNING FROM CALIFORNIA

From Tuesday's Daily—

The many old time friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Lindeman, will be pleased to learn that this estimable family is now en route from their home at Orange, California, to Plattsmouth, where they are planning on making their home again. Mr. and Mrs. Lindeman are expected here at any time and their coming is awaited with interest by the members of the family circle and the old friends.

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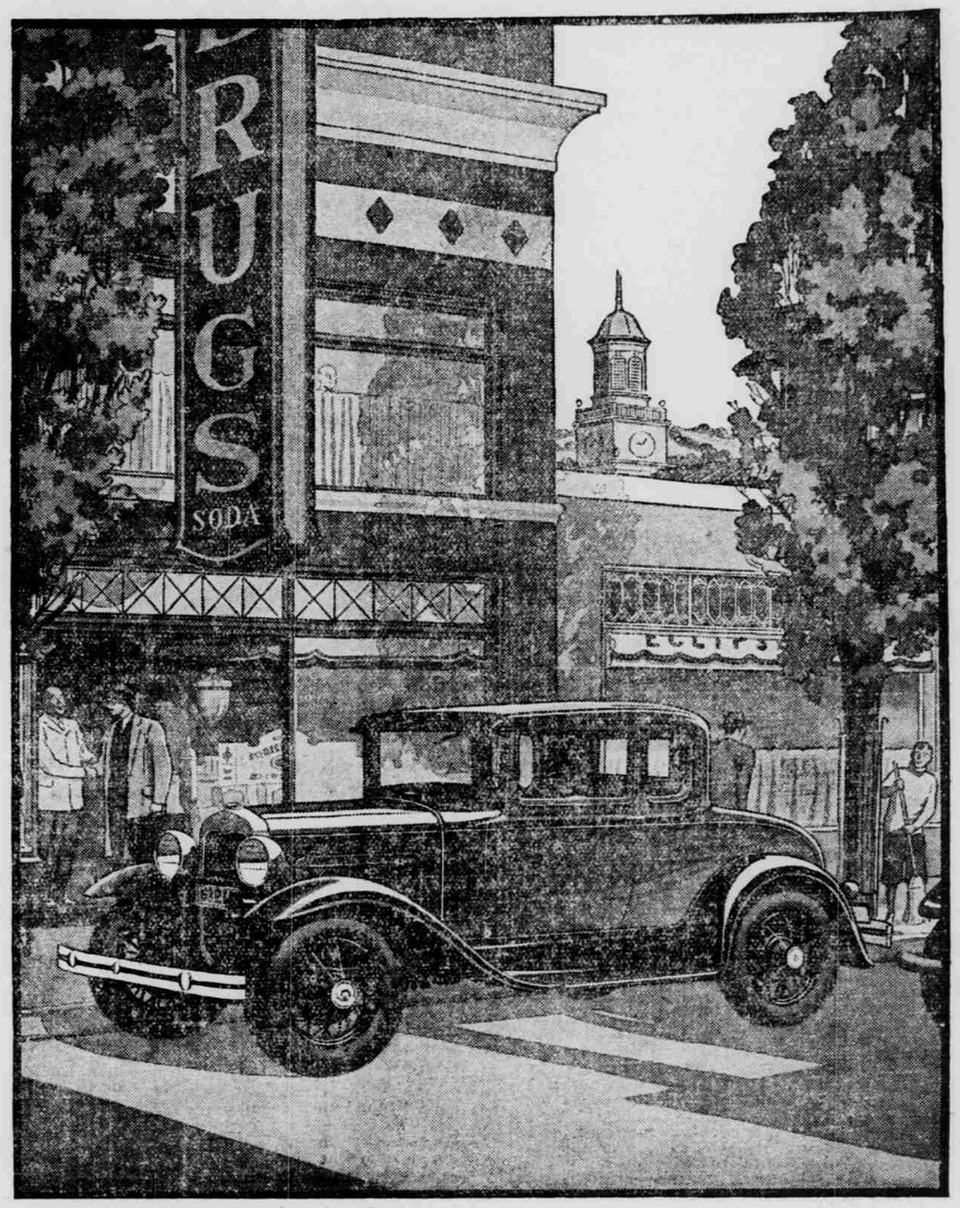

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FARM BUREAU NOTES

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D. H. I. A. Report for March.

Earl Mansfield of Ashland had the highest producing hard in the Cass County D. H. I. A. in the group of 5 to 15 cows. This was a mixed herd of 12 cows that averaged 960 lbs milk and 33.6 lbs per cow for the month.

In the group of 16 or more cows Ervin Markland of Weeping Water had the high herd that produced 709 lbs milk and 24.9 lbs butterfat.

E. A. Schuelke again had the highest producing cow in the county, association. This cow produced 1919 lbs milk and 57.6 lbs fat.

C. H. Becker and son of Lancaster county had the highest producing cow of all the association in the state. This cow's record for the month is 2256 lbs of milk and 103.7 lbs fat.

At the present time, the state of Nebraska could produce just as many pounds of milk with 376,999 cows as they do with 638,000 if all the 376,000 cows were as good as the average cow does in a dairy herd improvement association. Not only would it take fewer cows but the 376,000 cows would return over $10,200,000 more over feed cost than the 638,000 cows. The average cow in the state returns $40 over feed cost, where as the average cow in dairy herd improvement associations returns $95 over feed cost. Why the difference? Because profits practically treble as production doubles.

At the present time, Nebraska has only 1.5 per cent of her dairy cow population on test, whereas the United States as a whole has 2.3 per cent of the entire dairy cattle population on test.

Nebraska, as a state, ranks twenty-sixth when one considered the per cent of cattle on test. It ranks twelfth in reference to the total number of associations. It would require forty dairy herd improvement associations, the size of the present ones in the state of Nebraska, to take care of the number of cows to make 2.3 per cent of the dairy cows population on test.

If one only stops to realize the importance of this work in helping to stablize the dairy interest, there would never be one bit of doubt enter anyone's mind as to whether or not they should be a member of a D. H. I. A.

4-H Clubs.

The Pleasant View Hot Lunch club has completed the year's work and fitted their final reports. This club organized in November and adopted the pint jar system of hot lunch. They had hot lunches 70 days and served 700 individual lunches.

Hot lunch work teaches the members the importance of proper food in the diet. This club reports that 6 homes have used more fruit, more milk and dairy products, more green vegetables and more whole grain cereals, thru the influence of the club.

4-H Clothing Leader's Conference.

Six clothing club leaders met at the farm bureau office Saturday, April 19, to discuss problems relative to 4-H activities. An exhibit of under-garments, children's clothing and girl's dresses, from the Wright's Bias Tape Company, was inspected and many interesting suggestions for the use of bias tape as trimming were noted.

May 11 Closing Date for Club Week.

Is your club sending a representative to 4-H club week at Lincoln June 2-7?

May 11th is the closing date at the State Office, for applications so the sooner plans are made and applications sent the better.

Floors and Floor Coverings.

At house cleaning time a common questions is "What can we do about our floors?" Farmers Bulletin 1219 offers many helpful suggestions on Floors & Floor coverings such as: cleaning, removing varnish, waxing, painting, removing spots and stains from rugs, resizing rugs and laying linoleum, etc. If interested write or acll the farm bureau office for a copy of this bulletin.—D. D. Wainscott, Co. Ext. Agent; Jessie H. Baldwin, Asst. Co. Ext. Agent.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

Miss Thelma Rhoden, one of the members of the class of 1929 of the Plattsmouth high school was taken to the hospital at Omaha Sunday where she was operated on at once as the patient was suffering from appendicitis and peritonitis has set in on the case and made the condition of the patient one of the gravest. The patient was doing just as well as possible at the last reports but in very severe condition.