

# Union Department

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Frank Bauer and Elmer Withrow were enjoying the air races at Omaha on last Sunday, they driving over in the car of the former.

Charles L. Greene and wife were over to Omaha on last Sunday where they were attending the air races and where they were enjoying the fine flying, but was greatly horrified at the death of the star flier.

Ralph Pearsley was called to Plattsmouth on last Monday afternoon to look after some business matters and accompanied by the family who were looking after some shopping as well as visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Rihm were guests for the day in Omaha Sunday at the home of Mrs. Maude Bunch who resides in close proximity to the airport and were able to watch from there the fancy flying which was a feature of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Grassmuck of Lincoln were guests for the day on last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Todd, where all enjoyed a very fine visit. Messrs. Grassmuck and Todd were school mates in the state university.

Mrs. Elmer Withrow has been quite ill for the past week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Chilcott, when taken ill and remained in her illness. She is however, reported as being some better and it is expected that she will be able to return home in a short time.

Mrs. A. L. Becker and daughter, Mrs. Otto Ehlers, the latter making her home in Otoe county, were riding for the morning in Nebraska City where the ladies were looking after some shopping and during the afternoon they spent the time at the Ehlers home visiting.

Miss Agusta Robb was a delegate to Omaha on last Monday where she was attending the convention of the Episcopal church who were meeting in the capacity of the Woman's Auxiliary of that church. While Miss Robb was away Miss Olive Lewis was assisting at the post office.

Mrs. Fannie Elkenberry, who is located at Burr where she is manager of the telephone exchange and where she has made her home for some time was a visitor in Union on last Monday and was looking after some business matters for the day, and having some work done on her residence property here. Mrs. Elkenberry, while she has been away from Union for some time, still has a warm spot in her heart for the hustling little city.

### For Sale.

Reeds Yellow Dent seed corn, field picked—H. E. Warden, Union, Neb. 430-14w.

### Have Water Tank Painted.

The city of Union, looking after the best interests of the city and its property, had the water tank drained and painted both on the inside and out, thus giving it an insurance for longer and better service.

### Visited at Crete.

Ted Connelly, who is working in Union and whose parents reside at Crete, Nebraska, was a visitor with the parents for the week end and was accompanied by his friend, Lester Shumacher, they driving over to Crete and enjoying the day visiting with the parents and returning in the evening.

### Making Improvements.

Charles Atteberry, who is ever looking to the interest of the city of Union and at the same time his own, has been having an addition constructed to the west of his garage building, north of the work room of Land and Creamer, where he will store his cars and trucks which he uses. Mr. Atteberry has now with the using of this himself, three business enterprises in his building and all bustling for a bigger and better town.

### Wins the Ball Game.

The Union ball team and which by the way is a hustling lot of very much interested baseball fans came in contact with the team from Nebraska City who were here for a game and some sport both of which they received for when the end of the tightly contested game came the score books showed that Union had

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### Will Address Boy Scouts.

The coming Sunday the Rev. W. A. Taylor will address the boy scout troop of Union at the morning service of the church, and will give a specially prepared discourse for the young lads who are to make the men of tomorrow.

### Mrs. B. F. Hoback Passes Away.

Mrs. B. F. Hoback passed away at her rural home southwest of Union, May 16, 1931, following a short illness.

Miss Martha Ann Adams was born at Huntington, West Virginia, April 2, 1860. In March, 1880, she came to Nebraska City and was united in marriage to Benjamin F. Hoback, April 8, 1880.

To this union were born six children, all of whom are left to mourn her departure, except Robert Bruce, who died when only about one year of age. She is also survived by one sister, Mrs. John Reynolds of Council Bluffs, Iowa, and two grandchildren who reside with their parents in Union, Nebraska and Nebraska City, with the exception of Glen Hoback, who is employed in Omaha.

The five sons and daughters are Mrs. Elsie Hemphill, Oscar and Gertrude Hoback of Union, and Deway Hoback of Nebraska City.

Mr. B. F. Hoback, the husband, preceded her in death, having passed away November 2, 1928.

Funeral services were conducted at the home, at 2 p. m. May 18, 1931, by Rev. H. F. Beebe, of the Union Methodist church, a male trio composed of C. B. Smith, D. Ray Franks and C. H. Whitworth sang two numbers, "Lead, Kindly Light," and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," and Mrs. C. B. Smith sang a solo, "The City Four Square." Mrs. Smith and Miss Augusta Robb were the accompanists.

Interment was made in the Mount Pleasant cemetery near Nehawka.

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## Grand Island Fire Damage is \$225,000.00

Shifting Winds Help Firemen Save Three Gasoline Tanks From Threatening Blaze.

Grand Island—The Cousins Wholesale Lumber company's yard and offices were destroyed by fire here Tuesday night, with a loss estimated by O. G. Cousins, the manager, at approximately \$225,000. The cause of the blaze was not determined last night.

The lumber yard building was approximately 477 feet by 180 feet and contained a stock equal to that of many of the larger yards in the middle west. The fire was discovered early in the evening by Mr. Cousins, who was working in the office.

Cousins said he turned in the alarm, and the fire had spread so swiftly that he was unable to save anything after he had called for help. A change in the wind averted a more serious fire, and aided firemen in fighting the flames from three large gasoline tanks after catwalks on the tanks were in flames.

Roofs of the Christian church and several houses, some of them blocks from the lumber yard, caught fire but the blazes were extinguished without material damage. The flames lighted up a large area, and firemen believed the ruins would smolder for a day or more, although a number of lines of hose kept water streaming on the embers.

Trains were delayed for some time as the flames continued to leap over the adjoining right of way of the Union Pacific system. Ties in the roadbed caught fire and three sets of tracks were warped into fantastic curves and bulged by the intense heat.

Trains were delayed for more than an hour. After the fire was checked so that the trains might pass, it was necessary to replace rails in order that No. 15 could continue westward.—State Journal.

### SUPERBANK IS PROPOSED

Ottawa—Establishment of a superbank which would buy and control all the gold and silver resources of the British empire, possibly also those of the United States, was advocated by J. F. Darling, director of the British Midland bank and noted British authority on currency.

Under his plan, to which he believes the United States would find it unprofitable not to subscribe, Mr. Darling said there should be no difficulty in restoring silver and keeping it in its true comparative parity with gold. He asserted the rehabilitation of silver was of immediate importance, "because as I see it we are drifting rapidly toward economic chaos."

The superbank, binding together the financial structures of the entire British commonwealth of nations, would establish the ratio of silver to gold at 20 to 1, which he said "approximates to the exchange value of the Indian rupee."

### BEATRICE LINEMAN IS KILLED ON POLE TOP

Beatrice, Neb.—Chester Brinton, twenty-five, for the Iowa Nebraska Light and Power company, was killed here Sunday while doing repair work at the top of a twenty foot pole. The body lodged on a crossarm. After it was brought down, physicians worked for an hour in an attempt to resuscitate him. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Brinton of Beatrice.

## LOCAL NEWS

From Monday's Daily—Mrs. F. B. Shopf is spending a few days at St. Joseph, Missouri, with her sister, Mrs. William Stewart and family.

John Gauer and Robert Stivers of Cedar Creek were among the business visitors in the city today for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Schuldice and Albert Schuldice, Sr., of Omaha, were in the city for a short time Sunday visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Royal and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Derieg of Lincoln were here over Sunday to visit at the home of Judge C. L. Graves, the father of the ladies.

J. E. Jones and wife of Exter, Nebraska, were in the city Sunday to enjoy a visit with the old time friends and viewing the many points of interest in the city.

Raymond Lohnes, the Cedar Creek lumber dealer was among the visitors in the city today where he was called on some matters of business and calling on his friends.

Mrs. D. C. Morgan, who has been visiting at Lincoln for several days, has returned to this city and is now at the Hotel Wiley where she is making her home while in the city.

Mrs. Kate Davis, former Plattsmouth resident, with her daughters, Mrs. Frank T. Darrow and Miss Margaret Davis, were here Sunday for a visit with the relatives and friends.

Warren Trumble, well known Eagle truck operator was in the city for a short time today visiting with friends and old comrades in the army, being en route from his home to Omaha.

Mrs. Carl Hammerstein and little son, Jack, of Portsmouth, Ohio, who have been here visiting at the home of Mrs. Hammerstein's uncle, Val Burke and family, returned Saturday to their home after a three months visit here.

Mrs. William P. Sitzman and daughter, Mrs. Floyd Gerbeling, with Frank Koubek, motored to Douglas, Nebraska this morning where they were called by the illness of Mrs. Herbert Stoll, formerly Miss Ruth Sitzman of this city.

From Tuesday's Daily—F. H. McCarthy, of Union, was a visitor in the city today where he was called on some matters at the county court.

Mrs. L. R. Sprecher departed last evening for Tucson, Arizona, where she will spend a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Herbster, the latter being a sister of Mrs. Sprecher.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lohnes, well known residents of Cedar Creek were in the city today for a short time looking after some matters of business and visiting with the many friends.

Miss Helen Westcott arrived home this afternoon from Des Moines, where she is engaged as secretary for one of the large churches of that city. Miss Westcott will spend some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Westcott.

Mrs. George B. Mann, who has been teaching for the past term at Clearwater, Nebraska, returned home yesterday afternoon, her school having closed on last Friday. Mrs. Mann has been the guest for a few days of friends at Battle Creek, Nebraska.

From Wednesday's Daily—Judge and Mrs. A. H. Duxbury, were at Lincoln today where they were in attendance at an insurance meeting that will be in session for the next few days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hickman, who has been visiting here for the past few days, returned yesterday to their home at Moline, Illinois, and were accompanied by Mrs. W. G. Soennichsen and little daughter, Mary Phyllis, who will visit over the week end at Moline.

### ATTENDS STATE CONVENTION

Mrs. F. C. Egenberger of this city, is at Fremont this week to attend the state convention of the Women's Relief Corps, being the delegate from the local post of the society. Mrs. Egenberger is also the patriotic instructor of the department of Nebraska and will present the Fremont high school with a fine silk flag as a part of the program of the convention.

### RESIGNATION IS EXPECTED

London—Saturday—The Daily Express says Philip Snowden is contemplating an early resignation as chancellor of the exchequer, owing to illness, and may be created a peer. The paper says Snowden's illness is so serious he is unlikely to be able to continue his duties as chancellor and he himself has been the first to realize it.

The government, however, is loath to lose his services and it is understood Prime Minister MacDonald, with a view of easing Snowden's political burdens, will recommend that the king confer the peerage. Snowden's political views, the paper adds, are such that under ordinary circumstances he would not be likely to consent to enter the upper house, but the laborites are desirous of increasing their representation in the house of lords, and his presence there would add immensely to their prestige and debating power.

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### DICTION GIVEN ATTENTION

Washington—Reactions to the American Federation of Labor dictum that business and industry must preserve existing wage levels or face strikes are being watched closely by the administration. Official silence prevailed on the subject, however, as well as upon the proposal of the American Legion that President Hoover call a new economic conference to foster employment.

Secretary Doak was out of the city. President Green of the federation, also had departed for Texas after asserting that with a number of industries reducing or planning to reduce wages, labor would strike