

Sketch of Life of Young Man Killed in Wreck

Tragic Death of Weeping Water Young Man Keenly Felt in His Home Community.

Charles Calkins Joyce was born west of Weeping Water, Nebr., August 15, 1904. He was the eldest son of Mrs. Viola Joyce. He grew to manhood in our community and has resided here his entire life.

His unfortunate automobile accident last Saturday night north of town came as a great shock to all. He leaves to mourn his loss, his mother, one brother, William; half-brother, James; two sisters, Mrs. Carl Olson and Mrs. Melvin Johnson.

Funeral services were held from the First Congregational Church in Weeping Water, Nebraska, Tuesday afternoon, December 7, 1931, at 2:30 p. m.

The I. O. O. F. and Rebekah Lodge and the band boys all attended in a body and gave a big demonstration of their respect for the deceased.

W. F. M. S. GIVES CHILDRENS PARTY

To educate the children and young people to realization of spreading the Gospel Story is one of the main purposes of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society.

The children are organized into small bands and taught to help in their little way, the children of other lands. In these days of materialism, a wonderful blessing comes to the little ones who are so fortunate as to be thus led to unselfishly think of others.

WHEAT ACREAGE LESSENED

New York—A decrease of 18.7 percent in Argentina's wheat area between that of last year is anticipated by the agricultural authorities of the South American republic according to figures made public by the Argentine information bureau here.

Program to be given Thursday night, December 10, at Stull school, District 28. Everyone welcome.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FARMERS STATE BANK of Plattsmouth, Nebr.

Charter No. 1436 in the State of Nebraska at the close of business November 28, 1931.

RESOURCES table with columns for Resources and Amounts. Includes Loans and Discounts, Bonds and Securities, etc.

LIABILITIES table with columns for Liabilities and Amounts. Includes Capital Stock, Surplus Fund, Undivided Profits, etc.

STATE OF NEBRASKA ss. I, R. F. PATTERSON, Cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is a true and correct copy of the report made to the Department of Trade and Commerce.

Telephone Men Discuss the New Teletypewriter

Managers in Nebraska City District Discuss Plans of Teletypewriter Service

The managers of the various exchanges of the Lincoln Telephone & Telegraph Co. embraced in the Nebraska City district, met Wednesday at Nebraska City in a general business conference.

The main topic of discussion was the new teletypewriter service which is now available to subscribers. The teletypewriter is a machine much like the ordinary typewriter and transmits messages in distant offices on a similar machine.

Those who attended were: Carl Jensen, Plattsmouth; Alex Geist, Louisville; Joe Abrams, Weeping Water; Jess May, Humboldt; George Damon, Dawson; L. N. Corrington, Auburn; George Arnold, R. H. Ojers and Claude Helm of Nebraska City.

REFORMER FACES CHARGES

Chicago—For the shooting of seventeen year old Herman Knol, Daniel Gilday, executive of several reform organizations, was formally charged with assault to murder, carrying a concealed weapon and possession and transportation of liquor.

The youth Gilday is alleged to have shot while intoxicated Sunday night, is considered to be well on the way to recovery from a bullet wound in the abdomen. The defense said Gilday would plead not guilty.

Do not forget that Christmas is but a few weeks away and accordingly call at the Bates Book & Gift Shop to make your selections of the handsome Christmas cards for printing or engraving. A wide range of prices.

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Telephone Suffers Loss from Sleet

Recent Storm in Nebraska Results in \$80,000 Loss to Lincoln Telephone Co.

Mr. Jensen, manager of the Lincoln Telephone Co. informs us, that although the storm did not reach Plattsmouth, the sleet and wind storm which tore across the southwest corner of the Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph Company's territory from early morning until late at night of November 22, leaving behind it a path of destruction, was one of the worst storms in the company's history.

Temporary reconstruction has restored all of the long distance lines and practically all of the local and farm telephones put out of service by the storm.

Crews Rushed to Storm Area

Immediately following the storm, repair and construction crews were rushed to the scenes of the damage. Holes were dug and poles were temporarily strung in order that wires could be strung under the strain.

Rush Emergency Supplies

While construction crews all over the company's territory were mobilized in record time and rushed to the storm area, the rest of the company's employees were mobilized to the regular forces were hired for extra duties to help restore local and long distance service.

The Spirit of Service in Action

Once the size and importance of the disaster became apparent, the work of restoring service became everybody's job. Everything was done for the men. Everything was done pressing his praise for the splendid work done by every man on the job during this emergency.

G. O. P. WOMEN'S HEAD RESIGNS

Lincoln, Dec. 3.—After seven years of continuous service as president of the Lincoln Republican Women's club, Mrs. H. C. M. Burgess Thursday resigned, effective Jan. 1.

Rolland Max Anderson, Lincoln attorney, addressed a meeting of the organization Thursday, and defended the Republican national administration as being "in no way responsible for present conditions."

MAN HAS TO MILK COW 4 TIMES DAILY

Chadron, Dec. 3.—It's no pleasure to hire to milk a cow four times a day, especially when it must be done twice at night. Lester Heiser, Chadron dairyman, has a cow that produced an average of sixty-eight pounds of milk daily in November.

MURRAY CHRISTIAN AID

The Aid Society of the Christian church will meet on Wednesday, December 9th. The hostesses will be Mesdames Wilson, Gruber and Long, leader Mrs. Hatchett.

SUFFERS AUTO ACCIDENT

Thursday afternoon Fred Clark, one of the well known residents of Union, was injured to a greater or less extent when the car that he was driving was overturned in a ditch along the detour a mile west of Fort Crook. The car was badly damaged in the wreck and Mr. Clark suffered several severe lacerations on the face from the broken glass of the windshield.

Hold Double Celebration at Stander Home

40th Anniversary Is Occasion for a Large Dinner Gathering—Surprise Party in Evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stander, prominent pioneer family living west of Louisville, celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary on Thanksgiving day by inviting their children and families and other friends and relatives to partake of a sumptuous turkey dinner. The table was loaded with the many delightful delicacies for which Mr. Stander is famous and a happy day was spent together.

Their daughter, Mrs. Mooney, had arranged a surprise party for her parents in the evening to further celebrate their anniversary and had invited the Klondike Woman's club of South Bend and a number of other friends. These ladies brought along a fine lunch and a delightful evening was enjoyed.

The girl who marries a farmer has a much greater opportunity for a happy home and a fuller home-life than the girl who goes down the middle aisle with a city dweller, she said.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

In the lesson-sermon for December 6, subject "God the Only Cause and Creator," a central teaching of Christian Science is presented. A passage from the Bible (John 1:3), reads in the lesson-sermon, declaring that: "All things were made by Him (God); and without Him was not anything made that was made."

HOLD CLUB MEETING

Riverview Club held the regular meeting Nov. 29. At the home of Mrs. F. W. Bell, after several postponements due to weather and road conditions, which at this time were far from being at their best.

FOR SALE

A Note of \$6,000.00 secured by First Mortgage on 160 acre farm 10 miles S. W. of Plattsmouth. Will sell on 6% basis. Write or call on JOHN M. LEYDA, Plattsmouth, Neb.

SELECT CHRISTMAS CARDS WITH INDIVIDUALISTIC CHARM

Select Christmas cards with individualistic charm that you can have printed as remembrances to the friends. Bates Book & Gift Shop has them in a large assortment.

Here It Is! Something New. A Basket of Sox 50c, A Basket of Ties 60c, A Basket of Kerchiefs 50c, A Basket of Suspenders 65c, A Basket of Mufflers 95c, A Basket of Garters and Sox 50c, A Basket of Gloves 60c.

Tells Girls to Wed Farmer for Happiness. Death of Aged Resident of Eagle Friday

Says Girl Who Marries Farmer Sure of "Fuller Home-life" and the "Beauty of Health."

Chicago, Dec. 4.—Girls eager for the best chance for domestic happiness were advised today to marry farmers.

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HIGH WATER PROVES HELP

Kansas City—Capt. Theodore Wyman, army district engineer, said recent high water had scoured the channel of the Missouri river between Kansas City and St. Louis, but would not say when the stream would be certified for navigation.

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To Freeze or Not to Freeze—gentlemen, that is the question—whether it is better to be snug and warm now, or wait for clearance sales for two months—that won't be.

OBEY THAT IMPULSE—Come in and treat yourself to your own best Xmas gift—a new Overcoat! \$15 \$16.50 \$19.50

Philip Thierolf VALUE GIVING CENTER. The Aid Society of the Christian church will meet on Wednesday, December 9th.

CAN YOU READ THE STARS? THE future holds much of uncertainty for each of us. That's why you need insurance protection. Whatever kind of insurance you want, we have. Call us today. DUXBURY & DAVIS Dependable Insurance

Auburn High Defeats the Falls City Gridsters

Southeastern Champs Stop Old Rivals in a Charity Mix—Thompson and Harper Score

Falls City—The championship Auburn Gridsters conquered Falls City 12 to 0 in the charity game played on a muddy gridiron here Wednesday afternoon.

Approximately 800 persons paid \$275 to see the game, staged under the auspices of the American Legion.

- Castle..... Irvin Graham..... Thompson Lang..... Rogge Greenwald..... Clark Maus..... Wheeler Mossman..... Blount Clark..... Jurgensmeyer War..... Andrews Heiser..... Abington Wertz..... Bradner Bullock..... Harper Substitutions: Falls City—Margrave for Wiar, Bryson for Lang, Griggs for Greenwald, Crook for Waele, Bryson for Graham, Seggar for Mossman, Godfron for Bullock, Auburn—Harpham for Rogge, Brooks for Clark, McCormell for Brooks, Coulter for Irvin, Ely for Bradner.

MCCARTY CASE STILL ON TRIAL

From Friday's Daily The case of Tillie McCarty vs. the Bank of Commerce of Louisville was in its fourth day of trial today, the morning session of the court continuing the testimony of the defendant corporation. The use of handwriting experts in the case has made the trial unusually long, both the plaintiff and the defendant having some of the leading handwriting men of the west to testify as to the various documents that were a part of the evidence in the case.

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The little things that cause big fires.

A lighted cigar laid down carelessly and forgotten—a gentle breeze blowing the curtain over it—then flames. A home may be destroyed before the fire is checked.

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