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Start Showing of Local Made Goods at C of C Dinners

Brooms Manufactured Here Displayed and Head of Industry Introduced to Directorate

From Thursday's Daily
Attendance was large again today at the bi-weekly Chamber of Commerce luncheon, which was given to encouraging reports of further industrial expansion in this vicinity due to having natural gas available, and equally encouraging reports of increased activity among the older industries that have long been in our midst, steering their course as "ships that pass in the night" until the spotlight of publicity has been focused on them by the Industries committee of the Chamber of Commerce.

Present at today's luncheon was one of these small manufacturers—a man who has been actively engaged in turning out a much used product for 45 years—Mr. James Rebal, veteran broommaker. Mr. Rebal was introduced by Emil Wurl, who remarked that he started in business handling Rebal brooms and but for a five year period when Mr. Rebal had given up their manufacture to work in the Burlington shops, had sold nothing but the home made product. He paid tribute to the durability of the Rebal broom and called upon Mr. Rebal to say a few words. The latter expressed thanks on behalf of himself and other small industries of the city to this focusing of public opinion on the matter of buying home-made goods and declared that in the past few weeks since the small ads prepared by the Industries committee have been running in the Journal, he has been busy turning out brooms in greater numbers than at any time in the past decade. It was announced that every store in town is now arranging to sell Plattsmouth made brooms.

Mr. Rebal declared he felt confident that what the Industries committee is doing to boost his business is reacting to the same good advantage to all the other smaller industries located here.

Arrangements are being made to have similar displays of local products and their makers present at successive luncheons during the next three or four months.

Treasurer Fred Rea made an encouraging report on the progress of the drive for funds to cover the 1932 budget, and said the committee had found better response this year than at any time in the past when he had been on the soliciting committee.

The budget is below that of any similar active commercial club or Chamber of Commerce in the state, and is made possible by dispensing with paid executives and dividing the duties among a large directorate of some thirty members, all of whom, together with the officers, serve without pay.

Chairman Duxbury of Civic Improvement committee reported they would hold a meeting soon to plan a concerted city wide clean-up as soon as spring arrives, and had been promised the co-operation of Wm. Barclay's army of unemployed. He paid tribute to Mr. Barclay's management of the Associated Charities fund and passed on to the members the new Barclay slogan, "No applicant shall receive pie until all applicants have received beans."

After the clean-up, Mr. Duxbury said, they expected to put on the annual Better Yards and Garden contest and would furnish prizes to the winners similar in cost to those provided last year.

Off-hand reports of two promising activities now in the embryonic stage, and which are expected to provide employment to a goodly number of men, were received with enthusiasm, and Chairman Schneider announced that preliminary work along one of the lines mentioned had already been done by the Chamber of Commerce in lining the matter up for a successful culmination.

At the conclusion of committee reports, open forum discussion took up the remaining twenty minutes of the hour and a half luncheon period and several matters were proposed as being worthy of consideration by the C. of C. in the interest of better conditions in Plattsmouth.

President Schneider reported the

state highway department has agreed to put the road in condition leading to the Platte river bridge as soon as spring opens up; also of discussion he had had in the office of the state railway commission regarding the removal of additional Burlington train service on March 1st.

MRS. VANEK ILL

Mrs. Joseph Vanek, residing in the south part of the city, is confined to her home for the past several days by a severe attack of the flu and which has kept her bedfast a part of the time. Mrs. Vanek has not been in the best of health in the past few years and her present illness has proven very annoying.

Burlington Announces Cut in Trains Here

Service Here Crippled by Elimination of "Schuyler" Train on Afternoon Run.

From Friday's Daily
Time changes and adjustments in train schedules of the Burlington, made Thursday at Omaha by F. G. Gurley, affect very much the residents of this city. The new schedule will be effective March 6th.

Train No. 23, known for many years as the "Schuyler," will be operated on a new schedule and which will eliminate the connection here as a late afternoon train for the west. The train, under the new schedule, will leave Schuyler at 5:20 a. m. instead of at 6:20 a. m. as at present. It will reach Ashland at 8:10 a. m. as at present. This train will leave Omaha at 12:25 p. m. instead of at 3 p. m. as under the present schedule. This train has heretofore made the run from Omaha to Pacific Junction and back to Oreadopolis, serving this city as a train from the north and to the west connections being made at Ashland with the west bound trains.

The Burlington in supplying a western connection and also to serve passengers coming here on No. 3 from the east, will operate a bus service. The bus will leave this city at 4 p. m. and arrive at Pacific Junction at 4:40 and thence returning here at 5:10 p. m.

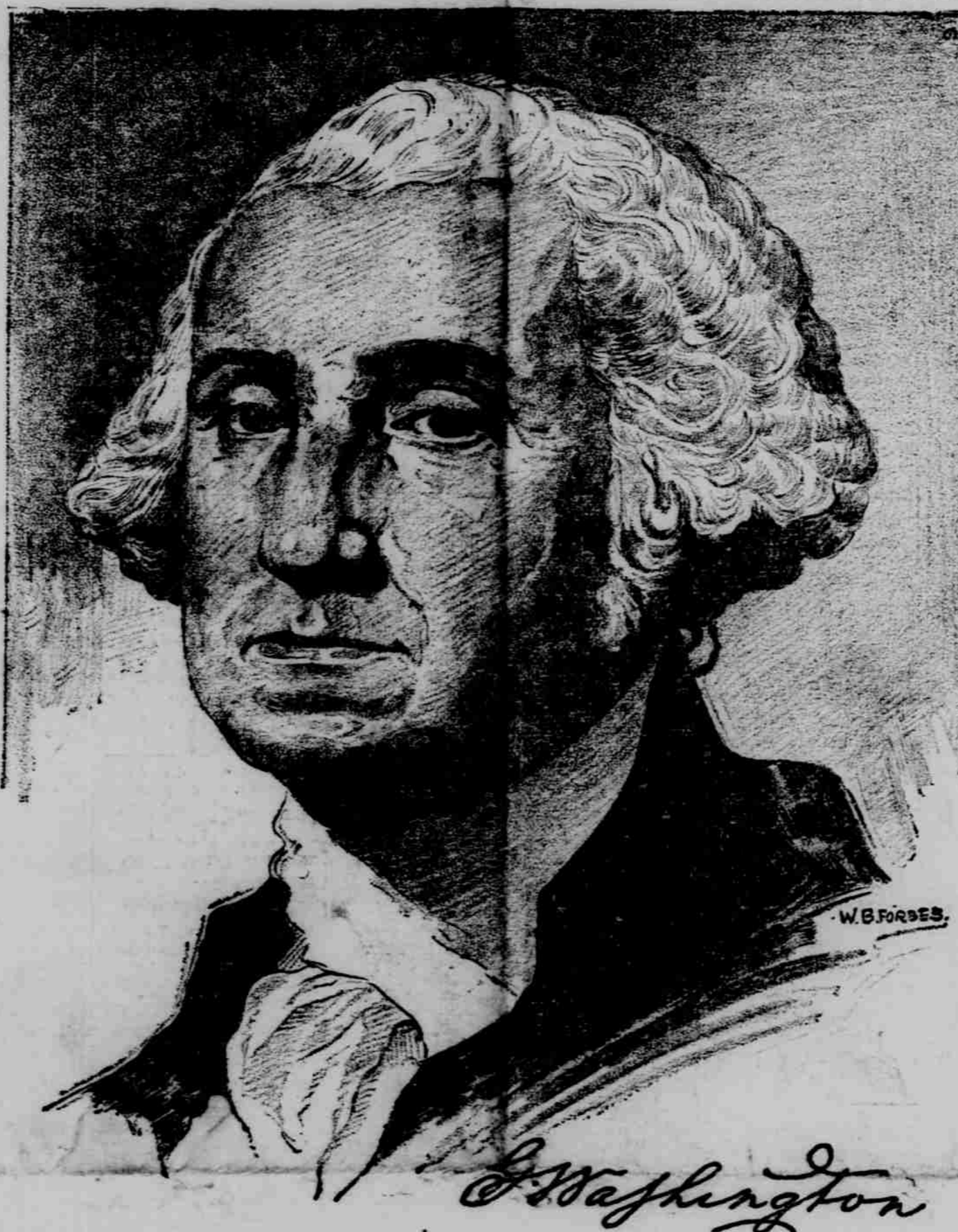
The changes have been protested by the Chamber of Commerce here as interfering with the mail service to and from this city and especially to the Cass county towns along the "short line."

FALLS AND FRACTURES LEG

From Friday's Daily
Mrs. Douglas Green, who resides at the Krivanek farm northwest of this city, fell yesterday afternoon and suffered the double fracture of the left leg. Mrs. Green, who is an invalid and finds it necessary to use crutches to get around the home, had started to cross the room to seat herself in a chair when the crutches slipped and she fell to the floor, causing the fracture. Mr. Green was not at home at the time of the accident, having been called down to the business section of the city, the young girls who were at the home being unable to raise Mrs. Green from the floor. The assistance of A. F. Knoflicek and Frank Koubek, residing some distance from the Green home, was secured and they were able to get Mrs. Green onto her bed and summon medical aid. The fracture was temporarily treated and the patient then taken on into Omaha where she was placed in a hospital to have the injured leg set and the patient cared for.

SHOWING IMPROVEMENT

From Friday's Daily
Mrs. J. F. Clugy, who has been quite poorly since Saturday with an attack of heart trouble and flu, was reported as somewhat improved today. Mrs. Clugy has been in very critical condition and for several days her recovery was a matter of great doubt. The improvement in the last few hours has greatly encouraged the members of the family and friends that she may be able to rally from the illness. The daughter, who arrived a few days ago from Denver, is still here with the mother and assisting with her care.



T. W. Vallery

Sues for Large Sum as Result of Auto Accident

Mrs. Fern Farris of Lincoln Sues Everett Ayres of Alvo for Accident December 28th.

From Friday's Daily
An accident has been filed in the district court of Cass county in which Mrs. Fern Farris of Lincoln is the plaintiff and Everett Ayres of Alvo, the defendant, in a damage suit for \$25,000.

The suit arises from an auto collision which occurred on the "O" street road on the afternoon of December 28th, 1931 and in which the plaintiff claims to have suffered injuries, the basis of the suit.

It is alleged in the petition that the plaintiff, with her husband, Eldon R. Farris, were driving east on the "O" street road, being en route to Dawson, Nebraska. When one and a half miles east of Eagle, it is alleged that the defendant, Mr. Ayres, driving a Ford roadster, was coming west on the highway, was petition claiming that he was driving on the wrong side of the road and at an unreasonable rate of speed. It is further claimed that Mr. Farris slowed his car and sounded the horn of the car in an effort to stop the oncoming car. The two cars collided and as the result of which the plaintiff was injured. It is alleged that the injuries are of a permanent nature, that the plaintiff is unable to perform her usual duties and will be permanently affected by the accident. It is asked that she be granted a judgment for the sum of \$25,000.

AN APPRECIATION

We wish to express to the good people of this community, our most heartfelt appreciation of the services that they gave at the time of the destruction of our home by fire. We specially wish to thank the Plattsmouth fire department which responded to the call and did all possible. Also we wish to thank everyone for the many acts of kindness that has been shown us.—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Will.

SUFFERS FROM FALL

From Friday's Daily
Miss Alice Smith, who is engaged at the Brown cafe, has been taking an enforced vacation the past two days as the result of a fall sustained while she was crossing the intersection of Fourth and Main streets. The fall was so severe that it injured the shoulder and collar bone of Miss Smith. As the result of the accident she has been unable to use one arm to any extent since the accident, but is able to be up and around.

T. W. Vallery Enters the Race for Commission'r

Well Known Farmer and Lifelong Resident of County Files in First District.

From Thursday's Daily
This afternoon T. W. Vallery, one of the well known residents of the vicinity of Murray, filed at the office of the county treasurer as a candidate for the democratic nomination for the office of county commissioner in the first district.

Mr. Vallery is the first candidate on either ticket for the commissionership, having been urged by his friends to take this action for the past several weeks.

Mr. Vallery was born near this city in 1860, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theobald Vallery, having been pioneer residents of this locality. "Wait" as he is more familiarly known to the large circle of friends over Cass county, has since made his home here. Mr. Vallery has been engaged in farming and has been located in the vicinity of Murray for a great many years. He is a gentleman of pleasing personality and one who if selected for the office of commissioner would give it his utmost attention.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Smith of Omaha, accompanied by Carl Brodensen, of Florence, motored down this morning to spend a few hours attending to some business matters and visiting with friends.

Co-Operative Sales are to be Featured Here

Merchants of Plattsmouth Join in Four-Day Offering of Exceptional Sale Opportunities

In this issue of the Journal will be found advertisements of the business houses of this city who are joining in a great co-operative sale that commences Wednesday and carries over Saturday.

This sale is one of the greatest buying opportunities that has been offered to the residents of this section of Nebraska. It is participating all classes and lines of business.

It is planned to hold these co-operative sales at several times in the year and when there will be presented for the benefit of the shopping public some real opportunities for money saving purchases.

The sales will give added purchasing power to the dollar of the buying public, giving them the opportunity of securing real values in all of the necessities of life in groceries, meats, clothing of all kinds, shoes and footwear as well as hardware and other lines of goods.

It is one of the very greatest price slashing opportunities that has been given to the people of eastern Nebraska or western Iowa in the way of securing high class seasonable merchandise at prices that are within the reach of every purse.

Read over carefully the advertising of the sales, select what you may need and come prepared to take advantage of the great price reduction offers that are being made by the merchants of Plattsmouth. It is an opportunity that should not be passed up by the careful shopper, as it means a great deal more for your dollar than ever before offered in any community.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tefft and son and daughter, of Weeping Water, were in the city today to spend a few hours attending to some matters of business.

Journal Want-Ads cost only a few cents and get real results!

GOING TO CALIFORNIA

Dr. and Mrs. F. D. Burgess, one time residents of this city, are en route from their home at Omaha to California where they expect to spend some months with the friends and relatives in that part of the west. Mr. and Mrs. Burgess are taking the journey by easy stages, stopping Thursday at Papillion where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brown, the latter a niece of Mrs. Burgess. They will visit here with Mrs. Burgess' sister, Mrs. J. A. Donegan, for a short time as well as the many old time friends, going then to Nebraska City for a visit with the J. C. Thygeson family, Mrs. Thygeson being a sister of Mrs. Burgess.

Will Arrange to Serve City with Mail Service

Burlington Establish Bus Connection with "Schuyler" Train at Oreadopolis.

From Saturday's Daily
The city was visited yesterday afternoon by a number of the Burlington officials who came here for the purpose of looking into the service to this city for mail and passenger business when the change is made in cooperation of the "Schuyler" train.

Under the plan first offered this city was eliminated from service by the "Schuyler" in the afternoon, cutting off the mail service to the west along the "short line" from this city to Ashland.

After a conference with President H. A. Schneider of the Chamber of Commerce and other members of the Chamber, the Burlington offered a solution that will care for the mail and also the passengers who may wish to travel on the west bound train in the afternoon.

Henry Sanders, who has carried the mail from the local postoffice to the railroad stations, will be placed in charge of the bus service that will be operated between this city and Oreadopolis and this city and Pacific Junction. Mr. Sanders will take the mail and passengers in the afternoon to Oreadopolis where the mail will be placed on the train and sent west.

Mr. Sanders will also drive later in the afternoon to Pacific Junction where connection will be made with No. 2 and No. 3.

This change will really give a better service than heretofore and will serve the city both with east and west connections.

START PIPELINE WORK

From Thursday's Daily
At noon today the work of ditching for the new natural gas pipeline from Mynard to Omaha, was started. The ditching machines were started at Mynard and will be continued on north along the line of the right of way to the Platte river. The work on the north side of the Platte will be followed as soon as this first section is completed. The start of the work will mean the employment of a number of men as laborers and assistants on the job. The technical work on the pipeline will be looked after by the skilled workmen who have been brought here by the company. The Chamber of Commerce has been making all possible effort as well as the American Legion to secure as many as possible of the local men in the pipeline work, to aid the local employment.

SPOKE AT AUBURN

From Friday's Daily
Mrs. E. H. Wescott, state regent of the Daughters of the American Revolution, departed this morning for Auburn where she has two speaking engagements. Mrs. Wescott speaks at the Auburn high school this afternoon at the Washington day program of the school and this evening at the dinner of the Kiwanis club on the subject of "Washington the Builder of the Nation." Mrs. Wescott is in charge of the D. A. R. program of the bi-centennial in the state of Nebraska and has appeared at a great many meetings over the state.

Plattsmouth Takes a Hard Fought Battle

Lagging at the Half the Platters Turn Back the Nebraska City Woodmen 17 to 14.

From Thursday's Daily
The Platters last evening turned back the Woodmen of the Nebraska City high school in one of the closest and most exciting games seen on the local floor this season. The final score was 17 to 14, but what a battle these scores represented. Lagging 10 to 3 at the half, the locals played one of the fastest games that has been seen here to overcome the lead.

Both teams opened slowly, feeling out their opponents style of play, but the Woodmen soon swept into an attack that held the locals handicuffed. Maynard and Damast each scored a basket in the opening quarter while the Platters were unable to tally, missing many shots, the ball refusing to stick in the old basket. The score at the quarter was 4 to 0 for Nebraska City.

The second quarter was one to cast large chunks of gloom over the Platter fans, as Kastner, Maynard and Schnot each registered for the Nebraska City quintet. For Plattsmouth Forbes was the only scorer in the first half, making good a field goal and a free toss. The score at the half was 10 to 3 for Nebraska City.

In the third quarter was when the Plattsmouth team hit its real stride and appeared in the form that won them a 19 to 7 victory from Nebraska City last week. The sweeping attack of the blue and white kept the ball in the visitors territory and in the third period Rummel, Donat, Forbes and Knoflicek each registered a basket to tie up the score and then Arn with free toss gave the locals a 12 to 11 lead, the first time in the game that the locals had led. Damast, with a free shot was the only Woodman to score.

In the last period with a frenzied and cheering crowd to drive them on the Platters added five more points to their lead as Rummel placed in two good shots and Donat helped out with a free toss, Schnot scored a field goal and Maynard a free toss for Nebraska City.

In the very last moments of the game as the score stood 15 to 14 for Plattsmouth, Rummel registered his final basket that assured the victory. Plattsmouth plays at Glenwood on Friday evening, returning the visit of the Iowa high school team. In the game here Plattsmouth won 29 to 15.

As the curtain raiser of the main event Plattsmouth seconds defeated Murdock in a close and exciting contest 19 to 14. Schewe and Hendrix were outstanding for Murdock while Rhodes and Armstrong were the chief factors for Plattsmouth.

The tabulated score of the game was as shown below:

Plattsmouth—		FG	FT	PF	TP
Arn, f	-----	0	1	1	1
Rummel, f	-----	3	0	1	6
McCleary, f	-----	0	0	0	0
Donat, c	-----	1	1	2	3
Forbes, g	-----	2	1	0	5
Knoflicek, g	-----	1	0	0	2
		7	3	4	17

Nebraska City—		FG	FT	PF	TP
Kastner, f	-----	1	0	1	2
Maynard, f	-----	2	1	2	5
Damast, c	-----	1	1	0	3
Schnot, g	-----	2	0	1	4
Fleming, g	-----	0	0	0	0
		6	2	4	14

Referee—Parish, Omaha.

HOLD FINE MEETING

The St. Mary's Guild and the Woman's Auxillary of the St. Luke's Episcopal church met Thursday afternoon at the home of Misses Mia and Barbara Gering on North Sixth street. The members had a very interesting talk by Mrs. Petter on the "united thank offering" and the response to the roll call was on this subject.

Canon Petter took up the study period of the afternoon and discussed the topics of the Lenten season covered by the books chosen by the society for this year's study, "Building a Christian Nation." Light refreshments were served at an appropriate hour.