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Second District Bar Has Meeting and Banquet

George H. Heinke of Nebraska City, President; Howard Davis, Vice-Pres.; Marshall Pitzer, Sec.

The members of the bar association of the second judicial district held their annual meeting and banquet Thursday evening at Nebraska City at the Grand hotel, where there were some sixty-three of the members of the bar and their ladies in attendance.

The banquet committee, J. A. Capwell of this city and Marshall Pitzer of Nebraska City, had arranged a very fine feed for the occasion and some excellent speeches were offered by the guests of the evening.

Ralph Nickerson, of Papillion, president of the association, presided over the meeting.

The members selected their officers for the year, they being:

President—George H. Heinke, Nebraska City.
Vice-President—J. Howard Davis, Plattsmouth.
Secretary-Treasurer—Marshall Pitzer, Nebraska City.

James E. Lawrence, editor of the Lincoln Star, well known newspaper and political leader of the state, was the main speaker of the evening and gave a very fine talk on "Courts and Lawyers as an Editor Sees Them." This was very much enjoyed and given by Mr. Lawrence in a clever manner.

James G. Motherhead of Scottsbluff, president of the state bar association, and Raymond Crossman, president of the Omaha Bar association, also spoke briefly.

Those attending from this city were: Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Dwyer, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Kieck, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Capwell, C. E. Ledgway, J. H. Davis, and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tefft of Weeping Water.

WARNS OF BAD CHECKS

The Beatrice Creamery Co. have sent warning to Chief of Police Libersal of the fact that someone is passing spurious checks drawn on this company over the eastern portion of Nebraska.

The checks, printed on yellow paper, aren't considered very good imitations. The name of the bank ordinarily is stamped on the checks.

So far the checks have been cashed by a man of medium height, 40 or 45 years old, who dresses in a gray woolen zipper jacket, gray hat, and who is neat appearing.

His procedure is to make a small purchase and tender a check for \$6.98 or \$8.98.

The Beatrice Creamery company has suggested that merchants, for their own protection, do not cash checks for anyone except persons they are well acquainted with.

CARD OF THANKS

To the many kind neighbors and friends we wish to acknowledge the many acts of kindness and sympathy shown us at the time of our bereavement—Mrs. Perry Coffman.

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Non-Political Ballot

Age 44. Graduate of the Springfield High school, University of Nebraska and Creighton University. World war veteran with overseas service. Member Nehr. Constitutional Convention from Sarpy county. Elected County Attorney of Cass county 1924, 1926, 1930 and 1934.

Primary Election Tuesday, April 14, 1936
Polls Open 8:00 A. M. to 8:00 P. M.

Alvo News

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook were Lincoln visitors Friday.

Mrs. Harold Nickel spent Tuesday at the George Nickel home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Mickle were shopping in Lincoln Monday.

Miss Lucia Ober spent the week end at the John Skinner home.

Miss Gladys Keller of Lincoln spent the week end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Klyver spent Sunday at the Thomas Stout home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher spent Monday at the George Frisbee home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nickel and children called at the William Nickel home Sunday.

Mrs. Mabel Winn, Mrs. Earl Dreamer and Mrs. Frisbee were shopping in Lincoln Friday.

Miss Betha Kosin visited her sister, Mrs. George Kyles of near Lincoln over the week end.

Mrs. Arthur Klyver of Lincoln visited from Wednesday until Friday at the Thomas Stout home.

Mrs. Florence Sutton of Omaha, visited from Saturday until Sunday afternoon at the Thomas Stout home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bird and Roscoe Bird were in Lincoln Thursday where they called on Mrs. Walter Hardnock.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Linder of Elmwood and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Coatman and son spent Sunday at the George Frisbee home.

Mrs. Frank Hempke's group of the Ladies' Aid society of the local church plan to serve lunch at the J. B. Elliott sale, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Swanson trucked three loads of furniture, etc., from her folk's home in Omaha Thursday to their home at Alvo.

Mrs. Mabel Winn entertained a jolly group of neighbors at a pinochle party in honor of her sister of Lincoln, Mrs. Arthur Klyver.

W. C. Timblin and family were Sunday afternoon callers at the R. R. Fast home at Palmyra. They also called on Mr. Timblin's sister.

The local section men of the Rock Island road, went to Louisville Sunday to give aid on track work in the flood district of that community.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Copple attended the funeral services on Wednesday of last week of Tom Copple's grandmother, Mrs. Crawford of Murdock.

Mrs. Minnie Peterson and Dorothy drove to Utica Monday and returned home Tuesday evening. While visiting at Utica they attended the golden wedding anniversary of a friend.

Carl Sutton took Mrs. Vera Lancaster and little Betty Swanson to Omaha Sunday. Mrs. Lancaster assisted Mrs. Swanson in making preparations for her mother's funeral.

The Alvo Ladies' Aid society plan a "homecoming" for their next regular meeting April 1. If you are a member or have been a former member, plan to attend this meeting.

Herbert Strang was in Alvo one day last week shaking hands with old friends. Mrs. Strang is convalescing at a Lincoln hospital but expects to be able to return home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Muenchau drove to Omaha Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Wahlstrom, later in the day driving over to Council Bluffs for a visit until the next day with Mrs. Muenchau's aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Hardnock drove to Lincoln Sunday afternoon to visit Mrs. Walter Hardnock. They also called on friends at Lincoln hospitals.

They called on Mrs. Emmett Friends, Mrs. Lenhard and baby, and Mrs. Herbert Strang.

Mr. and Mrs. Swanson returned to their home in Alvo Thursday evening. Mrs. Swanson was in Omaha during the four weeks of her mother's illness. Mr. Swanson stayed part of his time there, driving home occasionally to look after things at the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. John Skinner and son drove to York Friday afternoon to take Mrs. Ober to that city where she met her daughter, Miss Lucia, who took her mother on to her home at Fullerton. Mrs. Ober spent the winter with her daughter and family of Alvo.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Copple and son spent Sunday at Mr. Copple's mother's home at University Place where the family enjoyed a basket dinner in honor of some of the members of the family who were celebrating their birthdays. Grandma Copple returned home with her son and family to visit until Monday when she returned home again.

Celebrate 25th Anniversary.

Sunday, relatives of the Earl Elliott family of Elmwood went to the Elliott home with well filled baskets to enjoy a delightful dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Elliott who were celebrating their silver wedding anniversary that day.

Those attending from this community were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Elliott and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. El-

George Ballance, an Old Resident Here, Passes On

Veteran Engineer of Burlington Dies at Kansas City—Came Here in Early Seventies.

George Ballance, 55, veteran of the Burlington for many years, died Wednesday afternoon at the home of his son, Edward Ballance, in Kansas City. Mr. Ballance was for a long period of years a familiar figure on the Burlington in Nebraska and made his home in Plattsmouth until the late nineties.

Mr. Ballance came to the Burlington with one year's experience with the Michigan Central. He was made an engineer in the winter of 1871 at the age of twenty years, one of the youngest engineers in the country.

In those days the Burlington had but sixty-five or seventy miles of track in Nebraska and the locomotives weighed but twenty-five or thirty tons.

Mr. Ballance when first starting with the Burlington pulled a mixed train over the Omaha Southwestern, controlled by the B. & M. It was twenty-one miles long and extended from Omaha to Cedar Island.

In the year 1872 he was transferred to the main line and made his runs on No. 1 and No. 2, the run being gradually lengthened from Plattsmouth and Omaha to Kearney as the line was extended.

Mrs. Ballance passed away some two years ago and since that time he had largely made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Ray O. Wagner, 1608 M street, Lincoln.

Mr. Ballance was born in Burlington, Vt., and came to Plattsmouth in 1871. He was married in 1872 and had five children. He was a member of the Methodist church and was a very successful engineer.

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FUNERAL OF MRS. BELOHLAVY

From Saturday's Daily:

The funeral services of the late Mrs. Marie I. Belohlavy were held this afternoon at the Horton funeral home at Seventh and Vine streets, attended by a large number of the old friends and neighbors.

The services were in charge of the pastor of the Bohemian Presbyterian church of Omaha, who brought a message of hope and comfort to the members of the bereaved family.

During the services Mrs. J. R. Reeder and Frank A. Clويد gave two numbers, "Jesus Lover of My Soul" and "Saved by Grace," the accompaniment being played by Miss Estelle Baird.

The body will be taken Monday to an Omaha crematory.

Mrs. Marie I. Belohlavy passed away at 7:41 a. m. March 19, 1936, at her home in the west part of the city. Born in Czechoslovakia in 1871, she came here in 1883 with her parents to Kansas to live. In 1890 she moved to Oklahoma where she lived until 1908.

In 1908 she married Mr. Vaclav Belohlavy, a widower who had six daughters, three of whom she raised with a real mother's care and by whom she will be greatly missed.

She leaves to mourn her loss her husband and five daughters: Mrs. Mary Zatopek, Plattsmouth; Mrs. Sadie Davey, Plattsmouth; Mrs. Rose Hranac, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Tillie Bowers, Spencer, Neb.; Mrs. Anna Bowers, Spencer, Neb.; Mrs. Emma Sokol, deceased. Also 17 grandchildren and two brothers, Mr. Theo. Folk, Mullen, Nebraska, Mr. Joseph Folk, Lawton, Okla. and one sister Mrs. Josephine Palecek.

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Legion Auxiliary to Hold County Convent'n Here

Will Be Held on Tuesday, March 31st at Legion Building—Interesting Program Prepared.

The Cass county American Legion Auxiliary units will meet in this city on Tuesday, March 31st at the American Legion building.

The meeting will bring here representatives from units at Elmwood, Weeping Water, Greenwood, Louisville, Nehawka, to join the Plattsmouth unit in the day of entertainment and important business.

The meeting will be presided over by Mrs. Ray J. Larson, president of the county organization.

The program of the day will be opened with a covered dish luncheon at 12:30 and will at once be followed by the business session and participated in by all of the units.

OPEN CAMP BREWSTER

Beautiful Camp Brewster near Omaha, will be open to girls and young women throughout the mid-west from July 6 to July 27 and during the month of August, according to an announcement by members of the camp committee of the Y. W. C. A. Board and room for one week has been set at \$9.50.

Camp Brewster is a 75-acre tract overlooking the Missouri river on the hills south of Omaha. It has twenty-three permanent sleeping cabins, with all modern conveniences. Recreational facilities include swimming, tennis, hiking, dramatics, dancing, music and many other activities.

Reservations may be made through the Omaha office of the Y. W. C. A.

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Red Cross is Appealing for Aid to Flood Zones

County Chairman Augusta Robb of Union, Urges Each Chapter Join in Securing of Funds.

With the mounting death list and property damage occasioned in the eleven eastern states, the American Red Cross, in national as well as local organizations, are joining in an appeal for funds to carry on the relief work.

The emergency has brought a great demand for shelter and food for the refugees from the flooded areas who are being cared for as best possible in concentration points. The greatest need at this time is for money to carry on the emergency work until the worst of the crisis is over.

County Red Cross Chairman Miss Augusta Robb, of Union, has issued an appeal to all local chapters of the county to raise what funds possible and have them sent to Mrs. Henry A. Tool, Murdock, to be sent to the national organization for use in the flood district.

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