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SOCIAL

From Monday's Daily— Celebrate Anniversary—

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Pickens entertained at a dinner yesterday at the Omaha Athletic club in honor of their first wedding anniversary. The centerpiece was a beautiful bouquet of jonquils, tulips and sweet peas, and also bouillonniers. The table was lovely with beautiful silver, linen and china. The guests were those who attended the wedding dinner last March 6. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Soemichsen, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bernhard, Mary Rosenkrans and Bob Walling.

Given Birthday Surprise—

The members of the R. D. Card club last evening gave William P. Rice a very delightful surprise on the occasion of his birthday anniversary. The event being arranged by Mrs. Rice. The members of the party enjoyed a delicious 5 o'clock dinner and cards that proved a most interesting diversion. In the pinocchle games L. D. McKinney was high and Jack Mehn second for the men while Mrs. L. D. McKinney was high and Mrs. William Rice second for the ladies.

Celebrate Birthdays—

Sunday the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hillard Grassman was the scene of a very pleasant family dinner party, honoring three of the members of the family on their natal anniversary. Those who celebrated birthdays were Mrs. Gertrude Gamblin, Norman Gamblin and Donald Grassman.

Entertain at Dinner—

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Durham of Fort Crook, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schutz of Papillion and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Siborra were dinner guests at the home of Misses Elizabeth and Emma Hinz yesterday.

Observe Birthday Anniversaries—

Sunday a family dinner party was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Graves in honor of the 58th birthday anniversary of Mr. Graves.

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which occurs March 10, and the 5th birthday anniversary of his grandson, Robert Carl Graves which occurred Sunday. Following the dinner the afternoon was spent in visiting.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Graves and Maxine, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Graves, Jimmy Bob and Sally Lou, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Thimman, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Graves, Bobby and Gary, Joe Graves and Mary Jane Mark.

From Tuesday's Daily— Tuesday Evening Club—

The Tuesday Evening club met last night with Mrs. Walter Tritsch. First prize was won by Guy Long and second by Mrs. Ray Herring.

Guests at Nickles Home—

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lippold were Sunday visitors in Plattsmouth visiting Mrs. Lippold's mother, Mrs. Fannie Crosser and also Etta and Lee Nickles.

Enjoy Covered Dish Supper—

The Thursday Afternoon Bridge club entertained the husbands at a covered dish supper Sunday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Meisinger. Pinochle playing was the entertainment for the evening. High for the ladies was won by Mrs. Meisinger, and for the men Fred Sharpnack won high.

From Wednesday's Daily— St. John's Sodality—

The St. John's Sodality held their business meeting Monday night at the school building.

Needlecraft Club—

The Needlecraft club met last night with Miss Marie Vallery and spent the evening sewing. Delicious refreshments carrying out the theme of St. Patrick's day were served.

Observe Anniversary—

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Gansomer, residing west of Murray, observed their eleventh wedding anniversary at their home last Saturday. They received congratulations of the relatives in honor of the passing of the happy occasion.

Visit at Nebraska City—

A number of the members of the Methodist Epworth League of Plattsmouth attended the meeting of church leagues held at Nebraska City last night. A fine program was presented, with a group of songs by the choir from the School for the Blind and a talk by a blind teacher from the school. A skit was presented by members of the Nebraska City League, the "Fibber Biscuit" hour on the radio with the scene laid at the radio station. Delicious refreshments were served.

Extension Club Meets—

The Extension club met last night with Mrs. John Woest. During the business meeting the election of officers was held. Mrs. Karl Grosshans was elected president; Mrs. D. M. Babbitt and Mrs. Dale Dasher, the two project leaders; Mrs. Richard Beverage, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Don Selver, music leader; Mrs. G. A. Paul, news reporter; Mrs. Frank Hornak, literature chairman. The club discussed the group achievement day program to be held in April. There were four tables of pinocchle. There were four tables of pinocchle. There were four tables of pinocchle.

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Iowa-Nebraska Head Says No Rate Reduction

Challenges Statement That Rates Would Be Reduced if Tri-County Buys Southern Neb. Power.

LINCOLN, March 9 (UP)—L. R. King, president of the Iowa-Nebraska Light & Power company, today challenged statements that electric rates would be reduced in event the Tri-County Public Power and Irrigation district purchases the Southern Nebraska Power company.

"The statement made in Washington (before the federal power commission) with reference to a 20 per cent reduction in rates in event the sale is made was done to create favor in the minds of the public for such a deal," King asserted.

"Actually, if any serious attempt is made to make the Nebraska hydro-electric districts repay the loans to the federal government, amounting to about \$52,000,000, electric rates in some towns supplied by these districts undoubtedly will be higher than they are at present.

"It is possible that they intend to reduce rates but if they do, the taxpayers who will furnish the \$52,000,000 included in the loans and grants, will make up the difference in rates."

King declared that "if the power districts buy some of the utilities in Nebraska, including the Southern Nebraska Power company. . . it is very evident that if the districts are to operate on a sound business basis no rate reductions will be possible for many years, if ever."

He asserted that the principal justification for lower rates is increased consumption and that "if this occurs there is every likelihood that rates during the next few years will be reduced by the private utilities more than 20 per cent."

Railroads Authorized to Increase Rates 10%

BULLETIN

WASHINGTON, March 8 (UP)—The interstate commerce commission today authorized the nation's railroads to increase freight rates 10 per cent, adding an estimated \$270,000,000 to their annual revenues.

The 10 per cent boost, designed to bolster the carriers' sagging revenues, represented two-thirds of the 15 per cent increase demanded by the roads.

Exempted from the increases were products of agriculture other than tropical fruits, bituminous coal, lignite coke and iron ore.

The ICC granted an increase of 10c per ton on anthracite coal and 5c on lumber, shingles, cottonseed oil and vegetable oils.

The commission ruled the increased rates may become effective not less than ten days notice to the commission and to the general public.

RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL

Miss Anna Leach, who has been ill for several months and has been at an Omaha hospital, returned home Monday. Miss Leach is feeling much improved and is able to be around although still quite weak.

HERE ON BUSINESS

From Wednesday's Daily—
Miss Grace Nickles, of Lincoln, of the Child Welfare Bureau, was here today to look after some matters at the office of County Assistance Director Paul Vandervoort, II.

CUTS HAND BADLY

From Tuesday's Daily—
Gene Goehenour, two-year-old son of John Goehenour Jr., fell on an axe yesterday and cut his hand very severely, forcing the removal of part of the knuckle in his third finger.

ORGANIZE A 4-H CLUB

Now is the time to start the 4-H ball rolling for the summer of 1938. Keep-well and hot lunch clubs, active during the winter, are nearing the finish of their club work and the 4-H sheep club members who were feeding western lambs completed their project and sold their lambs at the 4-H western lamb show held at Omaha in January.

Baby beef club members have been feeding and caring for about seventy-five head of beef calves during the winter and plan to elect officers and complete their organizations for 1938 soon.

Major projects in home economics clubs this year will be "Hows and Whys for Young Cooks," "Winter Clothes for the 4-H Girl," and "Learning to be a Homemaker." This means that the clubs which carried "Summer Clothes" for their project last year will be ready to go ahead with the "Winter-Clothes" project this summer and those carrying "Learning to Cook" last year will be ready to go ahead with "Hows and Whys for Young Cooks."

For the younger group of girls, ten to twelve years of age, who are not quite old enough to carry the two other major projects, special emphasis will be placed on enrolling them in "Learning to be a Homemaker" clubs. Other projects are available where a group desires them but inasmuch as home economics clubs are organized on a cycle basis, more emphasis is placed on the major project clubs.

Clubs expecting to reorganize from last year should do so as soon as possible and the earlier new groups get started the easier it will be for them to complete before the weather causes a lagging in activities. It takes only five members (ages ten to twenty years) with a local leader in charge to organize a standard club and there are so many projects available it should not be difficult to select one for any community.

For more detailed information regarding the organization of clubs contact the Farm Bureau office at Weeping Water.

DISAPPOINTMENT IN RATES

OMAHA, March 9 (UP)—General disappointment was expressed by railroad officials here at the 10 per cent rate increases granted by the ICC last evening.

The general feeling of the railroad was expressed by F. W. Robinson, vice-president of Union Pacific, who said the amount to be derived from the increases was "so much less than the carriers require that it still presents a serious problem."

Partial exemption of agricultural products, which received but a 5 per cent increase will hurt all western railroads, it was pointed out.

PRESIDENT SIGNS BILL

WASHINGTON, March 9 (UP)—President Roosevelt late Tuesday signed a bill to maintain the Commodity Credit Corporation's capital at \$100,000,000.

The measure provides that funds necessary to replace lost capital shall be supplied by the treasury after annual accountings. It also continued a revolving fund from which to make loans on surplus crops.

DENY NAVAL REPORTS

TOKYO, Japan, March 9 (UP)—The foreign office today denied reports in London that the naval situation was being discussed informally by British and Japanese officials in London and Tokyo.

RETURNS TO KEARNEY

Mrs. Pearl Mann, who has been at the home here for several days, departed Tuesday for Kearney, driving there with her son, Robert Mann, of Chicago, who has been visiting with the mother.

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since last fall taking special work at the State Teacher's college and will now resume her studies at the school.

Young People Married Sunday Afternoon

Miss Vida Lee Shiffer and Mr. Homer A. Lutes Are Wedded at the Presbyterian Manse.

On Sunday afternoon at the Presbyterian manse at 3:30 the marriage ceremony of Miss Vida Lee Shiffer and Mr. Homer A. Lutes was celebrated.

The beautiful and impressive service was celebrated by Dr. H. G. McClusky, pastor of the First Presbyterian church.

The bride and groom were attended by Mr. and Mrs. James Bridgewater, Jr., old friends of the young people.

Mr. and Mrs. Lutes are among the most popular of the young people of the city and will make their home here in the future, starting house-keeping in the Hough apartments.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shiffer and has grown to womanhood in this city while the groom has made his home here in the past few years. He is connected with the C. A. Ruse Motor company.

The many friends will join in their best wishes for the future happiness of Mr. and Mrs. Lutes.

ROTARIANS MEET

The meeting of the Rotary club Tuesday was under the leadership of George K. Hetrick, the manager of the Plattsmouth Creamery, who had as the topic of the meeting, Rural and Town Relations.

The speaker of the meeting was Raymond C. Cook, who discussed the relationship of the rural community and the towns, the necessity for the mutual helpfulness being stressed.

Mr. Cook also discussed many of the problems of the farms in a frank and unbiased manner that was very much appreciated by his hearers.

Dr. E. G. McClusky, past president of the club, gave the charge to D. R. Thornton, the new member of Rotary, in a very impressive manner.

Superintendent L. S. Devoe of the city schools, invited the members of the club and their families to attend the debate which is to be held at the high school on Friday night.

Nebraska City guests in attendance at the meeting were Albert Cassell, N. C. Abbott, N. A. C. McLean, and R. J. Ojers.

HOLD BAPTISMAL SERVICE

Baptismal services were held last Sunday evening at the First Christian church. Four adults were taken into the church by baptism. This was an unusual service inasmuch as one of the candidates was 79 years of age. Very seldom does a person of this age ever join church. This service was a part of pre-Easter emphasis on evangelism which all churches of the city are promoting at this season of the year.

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LOCALS

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Mayor George Lushinsky was visiting in Omaha today.

Mrs. E. P. Stewart and Don were in Omaha attending to business matters Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stanger and sons spent the week-end with Mrs. Stanger's sister at Falls City.

Miss Lois Campbell and her mother of Nehawka were business visitors in Plattsmouth Saturday.

Dr. G. H. Gilmore, of Murray, was here today to look after some matters for the Cass County Historical society of which he is the president.

E. H. Bernhardt, general manager of the Norfolk Packing company, departed Sunday for Denver where he will look after some business matters for a few days.

From Tuesday's Daily—

Mrs. Bertha Shopp spent Sunday with Mrs. Scott Norris of Nehawka.

John H. Fowler of Lincoln was in Plattsmouth transacting business yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Worley and son Robert spent Sunday with Miss Verna Leonard.

Mr. and Mrs. George Olson of Lincoln, were visiting with Dr. and Mrs. O. C. Hudson Sunday.

Mrs. Glen Todd and Mrs. Perry Nickles were in Plattsmouth yesterday attending to matters of business.

Charles E. Liebner, of Nehawka, was in the city Monday afternoon to spend a short time visiting with old time friends and attending to some business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Paulson and daughter of Omaha visited with Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Kelley last night.

Mr. Paulson returned to Omaha this morning, but Mrs. Paulson and daughter will remain for a few days.

From Wednesday's Daily—

Mrs. Melva Troyer of Trans-Caucasus, Russia is visiting here with her niece, Mrs. P. T. Heineman.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Neumann of near Manly, were here Tuesday to look after some trading and visiting with friends.

RIVER WORKER NOT SEAMAN

Since the opening of the Missouri river improvement program in 1933 there has been a number of injury suits filed in the state and federal courts under the provisions of the LaFollette seaman's act.

Several of these have been from Cass and Otoe counties and the United States supreme court has upheld the ruling of the Nebraska supreme court that the seaman law does not apply to the status of a worker on river projects and that they were not entitled to recover under the federal act.

The cases were where the plaintiffs sought to recover under the federal act rather than the state compensation law.

NEW BOOKS AT LIBRARY

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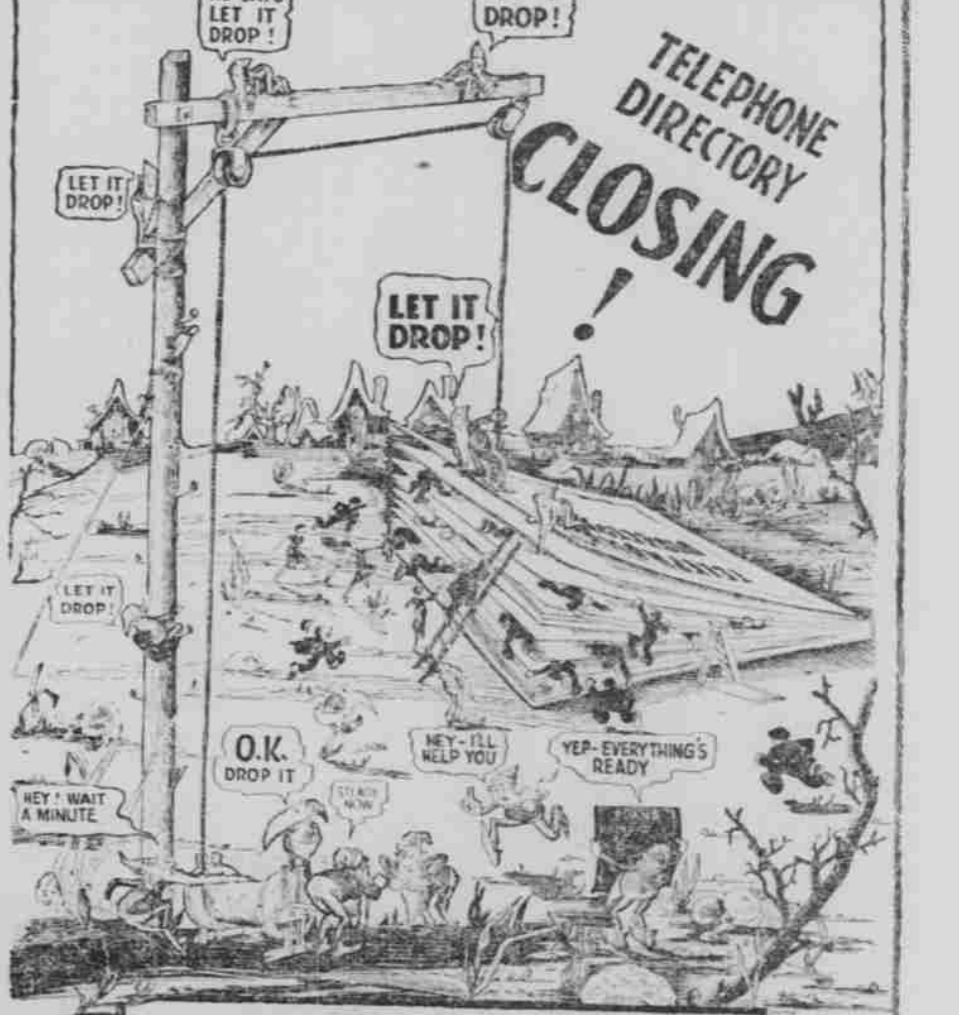
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