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Buick Car Climbs Sioux Lookout Mountain.

Peak made famous by the Sioux Indians of early days now conquered by automobile. A long, hard task to climb to the peak on foot yet the powerful Buick car reached the summit entirely under its own power.

Last Saturday, January 16, a \$1050 Buick car from the Davis garage made the long and dangerous ascent to the top of Sioux Lookout Mountain. The car carried four passengers until within 100 feet of the summit when it was deemed advisable to unload on account of the dangerous angle at which the car had to travel along the narrow ledge, where on one side was a sheer descent of 100 feet. Half way up the grade it was found necessary to turn the car completely around and travel in almost the opposite direction in order to proceed.

The place where the turn was made was approximately 16 feet square and was surrounded on three sides by a chasm 100 feet deep. The only direction in which the car could proceed after turning in this remarkably small space, was up a long, narrow grade which was marked about every 20 feet by "cat steps" from 8 to 18 inches high. This grade was never over 8 feet wide and in places the car had to proceed within a foot of the edge. The conditions of the climb were such that it required enormous reserve power instantly applicable and the dependability of the brakes was a matter serious moment. The car at all times handled itself perfectly and had reserve power. The brakes held the car positively whenever necessary and the car at all times was under complete control of the driver.

nd Personal.

Joseph Hayes spent the greater part of last week in Omaha on business.

Mrs. David Pattee has returned from a short visit in Kansas City with relatives.

Lorenzo Martin, of Denver, who has been visiting his parents left Sunday evening.

Alex Brooks the photographer spent the past three days in Lexington on business.

Mrs. Harry Kelly has returned from Lincoln where she visited relatives for a couple of weeks.

Charles Johnson left Saturday morning for Kearney to transact business for several days.

Attorney James G. Mothershead left Sunday evening for Scotts Bluffs to spend a couple of days on business.

Dr. Kennon and Robert Holcombe, of Maxwell, were transacting business in this city the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William George, of Brady, who visited in town last week, left Saturday for Denver to attend the horse show.

Doc Bird and Edward Marcott, of Gothenburg, visited in town yesterday while enroute to Denver to attend the horse show.

Miss Hazel Dye, of Salina, Kans., who had been the guest of her sister Mrs. Wm. Maloney since Xmas, left for home last evening.

Miss Helen Hoxie leaves in a few days for New York, where she will meet an uncle and accompany him on a trip to South America.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Eli Kunkle who reside south of town the first of last week. Mrs. Kunkle was formerly Miss Edith Hull of this city.

W. R. Maloney, Jr., left last evening for Chicago, Omaha and Boone, Ia., to spend ten days visiting relatives and purchasing stock for his furniture store.

Harry Cramer, who was injured in a fall during the holidays while visiting the home folks at St. Paul, Neb., is reported to be improving and will return here next week.

Freda Crowder was granted a divorce in the district court last week from Jake Crowder on the grounds of two years abandonment. They were married three years ago in Lexington.

Mrs. Wood White left at noon Saturday for Grand Island to spend a week with her parents.

Mrs. N. F. Clough has returned from Ogalalla where she visited her daughter Mrs. Arrowsmith for two weeks.

Howard McMichael has purchased a lot in the Miller addition thru Bratt & Goodman and expects to build a modern bungalow in the spring.

Wanted—Girl for general housework in family of two. 306 East 10th St.

D. E. Thomas, of this city, is working on a new invention in air ships in Hot Springs, S. D., for which he has secured a patent in Washington.

N. E. Workman and son, of Bayard, came down Saturday afternoon to attend the funeral of the Workman boy which was held Sunday.

Nichols W. Grandley, of Wellfleet, purchased the Loudon property in the fourth ward and will become a resident of this city in the near future.

Wilcoxson's Employment Agency furnishes all kinds of help free, 'phone 96. Office hours 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. 100-

The J. S. club tendered a surprise party to Miss Elsie Waltemath Saturday afternoon. The young guests were entertained with games and contests. Lunch was served at five thirty.

For Sale—White Rock Roosters. Address Mrs. A. W. Arnett, North Platte, Neb. Route 1. 102-4

The Nevita Club and their husbands tendered a surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Yost at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Austin Friday evening. The party came laden with baskets of good things to eat. The evening was pleasantly spent in playing Somerset.

The Degree of Honor and A. O. U. W. held a joint installation of officers last evening at the K. P. hall. Judge A. M. Walling, Grand Master Workman, of David City and Mayme H. Cleaver, Grand Chief of Honor, of Lincoln, conducted the installation ceremony. After an interesting and entertaining program a very enjoyable lunch was served. Following is the program which was rendered: Quartett by Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Kerr and Mr. and Mrs. Linenger, reading by Mrs. W. J. Tiley, solo by Miss Larson, piano solo by Miss G. Rebhausen, reading by Miss Gussie Spickerman, duet by Mrs. Huffman and Irma, reading by Roy Ames and solo by Mrs. Jackson.

Ralph Barney, of Kearney, who visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reynolds last week, returned home last evening.

Miss Bessie Salisbury and Miss Flo Stamp will entertain the Young Ladies' Bridge club Thursday evening at the home of the former.

The Y. M. C. A. meeting at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon was largely attended. Rev. Knowles delivered an impressive and instructive address.

Miss Helen Hoxie entertained two dozen young friends at a dancing Saturday evening in her new home on west 5th which is admirably adapted for social functions. Miss Hoxie proved herself to be an ideal entertainer. Her guests included the T. M. E. club and their gentlemen friends.

L. J. West, who had been in this city for a couple of days selling lead pencils on the streets, died Friday afternoon near the Timmerman hotel. He was taken to the Maloney undertaking parlors and relatives in Grand Island notified. The remains were shipped to Grand Island for burial Saturday. The deceased was a man about sixty years of age.

The masque party given Friday evening at the Gantt home by Bert Barber was one of the most enjoyable affairs of the winter social gayeties. The costumes worn by the twenty five guests, were cleverly designed and it was not until the unmasking that the identity became known. Dancing was the principal feature of amusement. At midnight nicely prepared refreshments were served.

We have had so many urgent requests for a chance at our mill end bargains from our out of town friends that we have decided to continue our sale for another week. A few of our special items are already sold out but, in order to take care of the later comers, we have added many new features all to go at Low End prices. Come in any time during this week and we will guarantee to serve you fully as well as we have during the past few days. We want permanent, steady trade and there is only one way to get it—earn it—we have earned your confidence and trade. The profit is in the merchandise. This opportunity may not come again this season. Drop in and see us, you won't be sorry. E. T. TRAMP & SON.

Baptist Banquet.

The men of the Baptist church will hold a banquet Thursday evening in connection with the dedication of the new church. This is to mark the erection of a new church that has been finished practically free of debt, a condition that is somewhat unusual in church erection history in North Platte as well as elsewhere. This new church home supplants the frame building that was erected in 1870.

A number of citizens outside the church have been invited to the banquet.

Colonel Cody in Town.

Colonel Cody, who had been spending several weeks at his mining property in Arizona and looking after business interests at Cody, Wyo., arrived Saturday morning and will remain here for a short time visiting his family. The Colonel says his mines in Arizona are showing up fine, and when further developed will be heavy producers. The quartz contains gold, silver and copper, and some of the assays of the ore show a fabulous sum per ton.

Fire Day at the Schools.

January 30th has been designated as fire day in all the public schools of the state, this day having been designated by the deputy fire commissioner of the state. Each room of the city schools will have suitable programs, and an organization known as the Nebraska Fire Scouts formed, and membership cards issued. The object of the scouts is to use all possible means to prevent fires and to protect life and property. There is no cost. Each member will receive a printed certificate of membership, containing his or her own name written in the blank space. The members from each room are to elect a secretary who is to keep the records. During the rest of the year members are expected to find out the cause of all fires in the city, and the secretary will keep a record of these causes and a statement of the probable damage.

Robert R. Riese, a well known traveling salesman of Omaha, who frequently visits this city, was married recently at Niagara Falls, Ontario, to Miss Maude B. Carr. The honeymoon was spent in eastern cities. Mr. and Mrs. Riese arrived here Thursday evening to visit for a few days before taking up their residence in Grand Island.

Pump Test is Satisfactory.

The official test of the new pump started at 1 o'clock p. m. Thursday, Jan. 16th, and ended at 1 o'clock p. m. Friday, January 17th, the pump running continually for 24 hours. During that period 2,420,000 gallons pumped. The pump is capable of pumping 3,000,000 gallons in 24 hours but the city was not able to get rid any more water. Six hose streams were turned into the sewers besides supplying the city and railroad with water and the fire hydrants were also flushed to get rid of the water. Only the new wells were used to supply the water and they are capable of supplying almost as much again if necessary. Pump met the duty test for economy in use of steam prescribed by the contract and did so easily. Altogether it was a very satisfactory test.

Dedication This Week.

The new Baptist church building will be dedicated this week. The service will begin tonight, and continue over Sunday. Rev. C. J. Pope of Lincoln will speak on tonight in the old building. Rev. Fred Berry of Lincoln will speak Wednesday and Thursday nights. Other speakers, local and invited talent will also speak at the men's banquet on Thursday night. Rev. Wilson Mills, D. D., of Omaha, and Rev. D. D. Proper, D. D., of Omaha, will speak Friday and Saturday nights, and these same men will preach the dedicatory sermons on Sunday.

Mr. Berry will speak in the Bible school assembly Sunday morning at 9:00 o'clock. He will also be the principal speaker at the Men's Y. M. C. A. meeting Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

It is expected that no subscriptions will be asked on Sunday in the dedicatory services as practically all of the required funds will be provided.

The public is welcome to any of these service and especially invited to all meetings after Thursday night.

R. F. Stuart has purchased his stock of Plumbing and Heating fixtures and material. With it I give him my good will and would recommend my friends and former patrons to him when in need of anything in his line.

A. A. SCHATZ CO.

Miss Lillian Ritner, of the Sutherland schools, came down Saturday to visit her parents.

Do You Want a Home in North Platte?

The interest manifested at this time on the part of purchasers and those wanting property in North Platte, warrants the Nebraska Real Estate Co. in placing before those interested a partial list of the many choice bargains that we have that are worthy of careful investigation by all who are considering buying or renting.

No. 515 A Beautiful Five Room Home. Almost new, bath, toilet, closets, hall, pantry, electric lights, nice lawn, side walks. Well located.

No. 727 Nice Six Room House on SE Corner.

Is attractive, close in and a bargain.

No. 771 A Modern Home.

Six room house, barn, nice shade and lawn at a bargain.

No. 773 For Rent or Sale.

A seven room house, modern, electric lights, city water. Is a snap.

No. 611 A Nice Four Room Bungalow. Well located. To exchange for vacant lots.

No. 610 Best block in Cody Addition for sale at a bargain.

No. 652 Nice Residence and One Acre. This is a snap. Come and see us.

No. 1000 Nine Room House and Two Lots.

The house is modern, small barn, walks. Can exchange this property for good land worth money.

No. 985 Is one of the Choicest Homes in North Platte.

If you want something good, worth the money, this is it.

No. 472 A Business Property and Residence. At a Bargain.

This will appeal to you if you are wanting something of this kind.

No. 608 A Bungalow.

Nine rooms, modern. This is one of the best properties in the city, excellent terms can be given.

Do not fail to see Nebraska Real Estate Company.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Thomas, of Sutherland, are visiting with town friends.

Julius Hahler has returned from a week's visit in Wichita, Kan.

J. W. and F. A. Cox, of Sutherland, came down Saturday morning to visit town friends.

Mrs. Earl Carpenter left the latter part of last week for Brady to visit her sister Mrs. Royal Erickson.