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**Local and Personal**

Miss Jessie Workman returned to Hastings the first of this week after spending a few days in town.  
Miss Pearl Howland came down from Paxton Wednesday to visit for several days with her aunt Mrs. Albert Schatz.  
Thomas Gilmartin will leave in a few days for Omaha to take a position in the American express office in that city.  
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Miller and son, of Hershey, came down yesterday morning to visit Mr. and Mrs. O. Sizemore.  
Corbin Jones has severed his connection with the Hub Clothing company and accepted a position in the Ammons clothing store.

Mr. and Mrs. George Morris, late of Greeley, Colo., moved here last week and have rented the former Alexander house on East 4th St.

Harold J. Cathro, of Omaha, who was located here five years in charge of the sewer construction, visited local friends Saturday while enroute home from Sidney.

Miss Lula Brown came down from Northport Saturday and accepted a position in the Leader millinery. She will make her home with aunt Mrs. Will Lanning.

Scott Reynolds, living southeast of town, brought eighty head of hogs to town Tuesday which he shipped to Denver. He accompanied the car and while in Denver will attend the automobile show.

Friends in town will be interested in knowing that Robert White, who was employed here two years ago in the railroad surveyor's office, was married at Hastings to Miss Margaret Corrigan formerly of Lexington, who frequently visited friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mannery and son, formerly of Kearney, who have spent several weeks in western points, arrived here Wednesday morning and will reside with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kunkle, living south of this city.

L. K. Neely, who was employed in the master mechanics office in this city twenty-five years ago, spent a few days visiting local friends this week while enroute home from a four months' visit in California. Mr. Neely is now engaged in hardware business in La Salle, Ill.

**Special on Oranges, 100 boxes. Average 18 doz per box. Good quality. \$2.40 per box, \$1.25 per one-half box. E. T. Tramp & Son.**

The city council met in regular semi-monthly session Tuesday evening, the business transactions being largely of a routine nature. Plans of the Scout's Rest, Cody's, Second and Fairview additions were presented for consideration and they will later be admitted to the city.

To the Sunday schools that closed last fall I hope they may reopen, so to get the Sunday school supplies to commence first of April, the second quarter. If I can be any help to start the Sunday schools up I will be glad to do what I can for any Sunday School. Your friend, W. W. Scott.

The home of Alzono McMichael was the scene of a very happy and enjoyable gathering Tuesday noon when the ladies of the Relief Corps served dinner to the old veterans. A splendid dinner was served to sixty persons and it is needless to say that the old defenders thoroughly enjoyed the spread of good things and the thoughtful courtesy of the members of the corps.

Mrs. J. E. Payne will entertain the ladies of the Presbyterian church on Tuesday afternoon at the I. O. O. F. hall.

Miss Maud Jaques will leave today for Chicago, Kansas City and other eastern points to spend a month visiting friends.

Mrs. Buckley and daughter Miss Beulah expect to leave the latter part of this month for eastern points to make an indefinite stay.

Miss Mabel Carroll has resigned her position in the Dickey confectionery store and will resume her former duties at the Weil cafe.

The funeral of the late Bridget Kain was held Tuesday from the Catholic church. Services were conducted by Rev. McDaid and attended by a large number of friends. Interment was made in the North Platte cemetery.

Ladies, if you expect to have a new coat or suit for Easter please remember that it takes time to make proper alterations and our work room is busy now. Come and select what you want now so we can get it out for you by the time you want to wear it.

**WILCOX DEPARTMENT STORE.**  
In purchasing two lots east of the water plant, the city is providing for future contingencies. This added property may be needed for future wells; should the city decide to put in an electric light plant the property will be valuable for that purpose, and it can also be used for the storage of city property.  
F. J. McGovern and his billiard team who were the losers in the tournament at the Elk rooms last week, banqueted the W. J. Landgraf team Wednesday evening to a cold fish supper. A number of toasts were given and Captain Landgraf crowned with a wreath of holly.

Company Q entertained the Junior class and a few friends in their club rooms on west Eighth street Saturday evening. The rooms were gaily decorated with pennants. Five hundred and a number of other interesting games were played, the guests numbering about thirty-five. Enjoyable refreshments were served. They were chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weir.

W. W. Burr has returned from Washington where for two months he has been engaged in working out in detail the experiments he made at the experimental sub-station last summer. Mr. Burr returns feeling very enthusiastic over his work, and will conduct the government experiments this season with even more zest than has marked his work in the past.

Three boys were caught in the act of stealing chickens on the John Murray premises on west Fourth street Wednesday afternoon. They had three chickens in gunny sacks and were after more when a neighbor dropped in on the scene. It has since developed that the boys have been raiding chicken yards for a couple of weeks past and selling their "catch." Names are withheld pending the future conduct of the boys.

The Chamber of Commerce directors met Wednesday evening and discussed a number of questions pertaining to the welfare of the town and county. Lincoln county's share of an appropriation for advertising the trans-continental automobile route was guaranteed; the organization pledged its moral support to the 1913 Chautauqua which will be conducted by the Ridpath bureau; passed a resolution asking congress to remedy existing defects in the banking and currency laws; and made certain arrangements for assisting in entertaining the teachers who will attend the district convention the early part of next week.

**For Sale.**  
The southeast quarter of section 5-1-31 and the E 1/2 SW 1/4 of SW 1/4, 60 acres, in Section 2-13-31; \$30 per acre, one-third cash, terms to suit on balance, six per cent interest.  
Also Block 3, South Park addition to North Platte. Price \$1600; one-half cash. Address, H. E. NICHOLS, Sterling, Colo.

**RAILROAD NOTES.**

Chairman Bogue, of the B. of R. T. protective board, returned yesterday from Omaha and Lincoln, where he had been transacting official business for a couple of weeks.

The "classy" brakeman no longer refers to himself as a "brakeman"; he says "I am in the service of the transportation department of the Union Pacific;" which is true but not clear.

The O. R. C. and the B. of L. E. have been represented at Lincoln during the session of the legislature by a half dozen members of each order, though not that number have been in constant attendance.

The annual convention of the B. of R. T. will be held in San Francisco beginning May 19th. Herman LeDoyt will represent the local lodge as a delegate. Chas. Bogue, chairman of the protective board of the Union Pacific system will also attend.

Former Police Judge Fred Warren has accepted a position with the claim department of the Burlington railroad in the capacity of adjuster, and will soon remove his family to Omaha, which city will be his headquarters. He has been filling the position for about two weeks and is well pleased with the work.

**Luxurious Train to Start April 1.**

The Union Pacific-Northwestern California train that has been promised several times during the last year, is carded to start April 1. It will displace the present No. 1, arriving in Omaha from Chicago daily at about 9 o'clock a. m. An excess fare of \$10 and \$8 from Omaha will be charged on California tickets. The equipment will consist entirely of sleepers, observation and dining cars. It will carry valets, maids, barber shops, baths and everything the most fastidious would expect to find on the best trains.

April 1 the Milwaukee will have an exclusive train through to the coast over the Union Pacific. This train will pass through Omaha at midnight. No excess fare will be charged, but in connection with it, everything is expected to be first-class. It will carry standard and tourist sleepers only. It will be known as the Pacific limited.—Omaha Bee.

Miss Nell Workman entertained a few friends informally Tuesday evening.

Henry Hasen, of Rosedale precinct, who was injured in a haybale recently, is in the city this week to take medical treatment.

The Yeoman dramatic company went to Gothenburg this morning to present one their plays tonight at the Gothenburg theatre.

Mrs. Ida M. Ferguson and son, of Lipton, Iowa, are guests of the Rev. J. C. Christie at the manse. Mrs. Ferguson is said to be one of the best musicians in the middle west.

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**Wilcox Department Store.**

Clyde Allison, of Stapleton, came yesterday to spend a week or longer in town taking medical treatment and visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Jensen.

Leon Davis who had been employed at the new round house grounds for several months left last evening for Salt Lake to accept a position.

Bert Manning, of Omaha, is spending a few days in town making arrangements for the gun shoot to be held by the Buffalo Bill gun club in the near future.

Miss Mollie Peniston, of Rawlins, who is visiting her sister Mrs. James Jensen, went to Stapleton today to be the guest of the Allison family for a few days.

**Notice of Incorporation.**

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have organized a corporation under and pursuant to the statutes of the state of Nebraska. The name of this corporation is W. W. Birge Company, and its principal place of business is North Platte, Lincoln County, Nebraska.

The general nature of the business to be transacted by this corporation is the buying, selling and shipping of lumber, building material, coal, grain and hay; the buying, leasing, selling and conveying of real estate; the buying erecting and maintaining, leasing, selling and conveying of buildings, and to engage in such other business as may be deemed necessary for the protection and successful conduct of the corporation.

The authorized capital stock of the corporation is twenty-five thousand dollars, (\$25,000.00) in shares of one hundred dollars (\$100.00). The corporation shall commence business March 3rd, 1913, and terminate business March 3rd, 1945. The highest amount of indebtedness to which the corporation shall subject itself shall not exceed two-thirds of the capital stock. The business of the corporation is to be vested in three directors who shall be elected by the stockholders.

The officers shall be a President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer, any two of which offices may be held by one person, and the duties of such officers shall be such as are more fully set out in the articles of incorporation, or by-laws as may be adopted.

W. W. BIRGE,  
R. D. BIRGE,  
Incorporators.

March 3, 1913.



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