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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Edwards spent Sunday in Grand Island attending the Saengerfest.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vosepka left Sunday for a visit in Denver and other Colorado points.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Hansen returned yesterday afternoon from a visit with relatives in Grand Island.

Percy Thornburg has been off duty at the Reese sanatorium for several days on account of illness.

The ladies aid society of the Christian church will meet Thursday afternoon in the church basement.

Mrs. George Gibbs and daughter, who have been visiting relatives in York, are expected home this week.

Mrs. A. M. Selbert was called to Watertown, S. D., yesterday afternoon by the serious illness of her mother.

Miss Ruth Winger resumed her duties at the O'Connor store yesterday morning after her summer vacation.

Mrs. Frank McDonough and son Joseph will arrive from Omaha this week to visit her sister Mrs. Mary Dunn for a week or longer.

Mrs. B. C. Orr, of Norwalk, O., who visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Prosser for several weeks, left yesterday afternoon.

The Audubon club will camp out near the Erission ranch at Maxwell this week. They will be chaperoned by Miss Laura Murray.

The ladies' aid society of the Methodist church meets next Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. D. Cox, 317 west Sixth street.

Lost—On the streets Friday, gold watch chain with letters "C. B. B. 14" engraved thereon. Finder leave at this office and receive reward.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baker, of Los Angeles, came Saturday evening to visit their son Herbert Baker and family, while enroute home from eastern cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stackhouse and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stackhouse, of Huntley, who were guests of B. M. Stackhouse at the state farm, returned home Sunday.

Miss Mabel Martin, of Omaha, returned Friday evening from a visit on the branch road and will visit the Fitzpatrick family for a week or more before returning home.

Frank Jones was arrested Sunday evening for being intoxicated and causing a disturbance on the main streets. Jas. O'Neill was arrested and fined the latter part of last week on a similar charge.

Miss Fosta Grimes, of Omaha, who visited with her mother, Mrs. W. B. Salisbury last week, left yesterday afternoon to take up her theatrical work for the winter months with the McMahon Co.

Miss Minerva Harrington, of Denver, who has been in the training school for nurses at Rochester, Minn., for a year past, visited her aunt, Mrs. John Herrod, last week while enroute home on a vacation.

JOE STECHER TO COME HERE LABOR DAY

Harold Kramer, of Columbus, spent yesterday afternoon in town and made arrangements for the appearance here on Labor Day, September 4th, of Joe Stecher, the world's most famous wrestler. The man who will wrestle Stecher will either be Hjalmar Lundin, of Chicago, the Swedish champion, or Plastini, who put down Strangler Lewis, at Louisville, Ky., two years ago. Both these men are mat men with reputations, and while not the equal of Stecher are strong and fast enough to furnish a good exhibition of the wrestling art.

The contest will be held at the ball park, which will be provided with the necessary stage and greater seating capacity.

Several towns asked for Stecher on her of contests in eastern and central Nebraska, Joe concluded to give western Nebraska people an opportunity to see him, hence his selection of North Platte.

Stecher comes here without any guarantee, believing there are a sufficient number of wrestling fans in this section of the state to insure satisfactory box office receipts. In this he is undoubtedly correct, and we anticipate a big crowd of out-of-town people here to see the contest.

CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

For Rent—Newly furnished modern rooms, 326 south Dewey.

The J. F. F. club will meet today with Mrs. H. P. Henckle.

Mrs. William McManis returned a few days ago from a visit in eastern points.

Miss Irene O'Donnell spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Grand Island.

Miss Jennie O'Connell, who had been visiting in Sterling, came home Saturday evening.

Howard Purdy left last evening for Sutherland to visit for a week or more, with friends.

The top price for No. 2 wheat in Omaha yesterday was \$1.49, the bulk selling at \$1.47.

Miss Bess Nickerson, of Grand Island, came a few days ago to visit Miss Focia Jensen.

Mrs. Earl Wilson and children left last evening for Paxton to spend a week with relatives.

Mrs. Ellen Dick and daughter Anna leave tomorrow for a month's visit with friends in Boulder, Col.

Donald Newton and Merle Maupin left yesterday on a pleasure trip to Omaha and points in Missouri.

"Undine," from the famous story, will be the spectacular photoplay shown at the Keith Thursday night.

Felix Simon and son James, of Hastings, formerly of this city, are visiting the Simon families here this week.

Mrs. Edward Putoff and daughter Janet, of Sidney, came a few days ago to visit her sister Mrs. Elmer Coates for a few days.

Wanted, beginning September 3d, board and room in a private family by a husband, wife and baby. Address XX, Tribune office.

George Stathis, a Greek laborer, was injured the latter part of last week in a fall from a car, striking on his face and left side of his body.

A letter from one of the North Platte boys at Llano Grande, Texas, states that it is probable that they will be ordered home some day this week.

The dancing parties given by the Yeoman drill team last season, and which proved so very popular, will be resumed at the Lloyd opera house next Friday evening.

C. C. Tappan and Robert Tappan, two well known trap shooters of Logan county, left Saturday for St. Louis to attend the Grand American Handicap shoot which opened there yesterday.

Rev. J. L. Barton and family, formerly of this city, who are now residing in Stromsburg, arrived here last evening to visit Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Toole and pack their household goods for shipment.

For Sale—Red cedar posts ranging from 8 to 16 feet in length. Also good kindling at \$2.50 per load delivered. Call at 702 west Tenth, or phone Black 822. The posts will make good corner posts.

Miss Helene Shoup, of Sutherland, has accepted the position of teacher at Belmar. Before assuming her duties she will go to Lincoln to visit the family of A. L. Bixby of the State Journal, and attend the state fair.

All members of the Rebekah and Odd Fellow lodges and members of their families are invited to attend the celebration of the sixty-fifth anniversary of the Rebekah Degree, which will be held at the Odd Fellows' hall September 30th.

Undertaker Maloney received word yesterday afternoon that R. T. Tarkin, who had been traveling in a covered wagon had died thirty-two miles east of this city. The remains were brought here last evening and funeral arrangements will be made today.

T. C. Patterson returned Friday from Estes Park where he accompanied Mrs. Patterson and Misses Ruth and Edith. The latter will remain at the Park until Tuesday of next week, when Mr. Patterson will go to Denver and meet them and drive home.

Max Figman and Lois Meredith in "My Best Girl," a rollicking comedy-drama, will be shown at the Keith tomorrow night. This was taken from the Theatre success by the same name and offers very good entertainment. But with it will be the Chaplin comedy "One A. M."

If your idle money is not earning good rate of interest, in safe investments, better let us place it in some of our gilt edge first mortgage loans, netting 7 to 8 per cent interest, not taxable. We attend to all details without charge. See BRATT, GOODMAN & BUCKLEY.

In the county court yesterday George Young, of Wellfleet, was given a judgment of \$199 against the Burlington railroad company for the death of seven hogs. J. L. Rice, of McCook, attorney for the railroad, considers the judgment excessive and will probably take an appeal to the district court.

George Livinas, eighteen years old, of the Greek colony in this city, died Saturday of gangrenous appendicitis and peritonitis. The deceased had resided here for a number of years and was employed at the Union Pacific hotel and Palace cafe. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon from the Christian church, in charge of a Greek priest who came here from Omaha, and was attended by a large number of his fellow countrymen. Interment was made in the North Platte cemetery.

Hospital Moves Tomorrow

The City Hospital will move tomorrow evening from the Bratt building on Locust street to the former Walker residence on west Fourth, recently purchased by Dr. F. J. Wurtele and Dr. T. J. Kerr. The house has been considerably enlarged and remodeled, and has accommodations for nearly double the number of patients the past location afforded.

Boosting the County Fair

The first of a series of meetings to boost the Lincoln County Fair was held at the Bignell school house Friday evening and was attended by fifty farmers and their wives. Talks were made by Messrs. McCormick, Stackhouse, Abernethy and Piel, and music was furnished by the state farm quartette. This meeting was most successful and a similar one was held last evening at the Platte Valley school house.

Card of Thanks

We desire to extend our thanks to H. G. Knowles, members of the Christian church choir and friends for the kindly services rendered us at the funeral of our brother, the late Henry E. Chamberlain.

R. O. CHAMBERLAIN,
G. D. CHAMBERLAIN.

Nurse Brown Homeopathic Hospital

Mrs. H. E. Wilson, of Summit, Neb., who was operated on, was able to leave for her home yesterday.

Unearth Boozie and Beer

Believing that Thos. Ragan, more familiarly known as "Fingerless Tom," was quietly indulging in boot-legging, a search warrant was issued Saturday evening and a barrel of bottled beer and a bottle of whiskey unearthed in Tom's cache. Tom was sent to a hospital Sunday morning suffering from his old trouble, and when he is released he will be given a preliminary hearing. It is said sufficient evidence to convict can be secured. In fact Tom admitted to an officer that he had been selling a little beer and whiskey, and that he did it in order to get money to pay bills contracted during illness.

Perilous Adventures in Frigid North

The Rev. J. G. Carter, the Greenland adventurer and missionary, was greeted by a very satisfactory audience at the court house on Sunday night. He described his experiences as a fisherman around the coast of Labrador and Greenland, holding the attention of his audience very closely. The vivid illustrations thrilled young and old, all being pleased and edified. The lecture was announced for the Keith theatre but was changed to the court house owing to the heavy rain storm.

FOR SALE

Some choice residence lots in different parts of the city, also some good residences, cheap and part time. BRATT, GOODMAN & BUCKLEY.

"NOW READY TO GET DOWN TO BRASS TACKS"

Washington, Aug. 21.—When the railroad executives left the White House this afternoon after their conference with President Wilson, Mr. Holden, their spokesman, said there was no change in the situation, but that the executives would go into session in an effort to reach a decision. "We are now ready to get down to brass tacks," said one of the railroad presidents. "Up to the present time our discussions have been informal entirely, but from now on, we will make determined efforts to reach a decision."

President Wilson in his address

reiterated his previous argument by pointing out that the railroads play an important part in the military preparedness of the country, and that as they are a vital part of the industrial framework of the nation, it was absolutely necessary to keep them running at the present time. Mr. Wilson told the railroad executives he did not blame them for fighting the principle of arbitration, but he believed under present circumstances they should accept the eight-hour day and leave the working out of the principle of arbitration until later. The railroad executives did not enter into an argument with the president, but afterward said they were deeply impressed and would give full weight to his argument at their conferences.

Tonight's offering at the Keith will be

"Pennington's Choice," with Francis X. Bushman and Beverly Bayne. This production may be placed among the very few photoplays that spring a surprise near the close, and a real surprise it is too, for all along the spectator has been quite in the position of Pennington, himself, who has been fooled right and left.

Miss Ethel Armstrong will resign

her position at the Gem candy kitchen this week and will attend the local high school this winter.

Miss Lena Baskins has been visiting

friends in Grand Island the past few days. Arthur Donegan has gone to Denver to spend two weeks with friends. Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Snyder are visiting in cities of Colorado this week.

RAILROAD NOTES

William Noble is expected here next week to accept a position with the American Express Co.

George Weir was transferred last week from the local machine shops to Foreman Norton's office.

Thos. Gilmartin will leave this week for Sterling, Col., to accept a position with the American Express Co.

Ralph Adams, who had been employed as U. P. clerk in Forman Norton's office, left a few days ago for Indiana to make his home in the future.

Miss Amy Hodges left Saturday evening

for Paxton to visit friends.

James Flynn left yesterday morning

for his homestead near Koyatone.

Charlie Chaplin
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"And I wanted a quick shave."

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North Platte Light & Power Co.
C. R. MOREY, Manager.



Interior of one of the ten exhibit cars of the Federal Safety First Special which will be in North Platte from one o'clock p. m. to 9 o'clock p. m. tomorrow. Admission Free.