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HARTMAN PEPPERS PETERS WITH MANY BIRD SHOTS.

Earl Peters, living twelve miles north, was brought to a local hospital Wednesday to have extracted from an arm twenty little leaden pellets placed there by a gun in the hands of his father-in-law Chas. Hartman.

The shooting followed a quarrel between the two men which arose over the Peters children, accentuated by business differences. Peters lives on the Hartman farm, where Hartman has also been staying, though against the wishes of Peters.

C. R. Wrightfield, who had been employed as baker in Chappell and came here last week to have an operation performed in a local hospital died yesterday morning. Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

COUPLE ARRESTED FOR INHUMAN CHILD TREATMENT.

Suffering with a broken arm, her legs a mass of raw flesh due to blows of a whip, and her body beaten black and blue, little Dorothy Brott, four years old, lies in a local hospital in a precarious condition as a result of inhuman treatment given her by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bradley, residents of Deer Creek precinct, with whom the child had been making its home.

Dorothy is the daughter of a German woman who has been employed as a cook on the Hill ranch north of Brady, whose husband recently became mentally unbalanced and was sent to the state asylum. Unable to care for little Dorothy, the mother placed her in the care of the Bradleys, and the treatment given the child by these people is best attested by her present condition.

Notice: Owing to the excessive cost of all materials entering into the manufacture of ice cream, including syrups, fruits, and nuts, we are compelled to advance the prices on Fruit and Nut Sundae and fancy drinks, which will take effect Saturday, June 2d.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hupfer and Mrs. Louise Peters leave Sunday for Atchison, Kan., to attend the commencement exercises at Midland college, from which Chas. Hupfer and Claude Peters graduate. The trip will be made in the Hupfer car.

Katherine Kaelred in the Pathe feature "The Girl with the Green Eyes" and the Fox two part comedy, "His Love Fight" at the Keith tonight.

JURORS DRAWN FOR JUNE TERM OF FEDERAL COURT.

The following jurors have been drawn for term of the United States district court which convenes Monday, June 11th, in the federal building in this city.

- John Wertz, Chappell. Egbert E. Flemming, Cozad. P. J. Hewitt, Lexington. Delmar Anderson, Lexington. Charles Boyle, Bushnell. E. F. Buss, Farnam. A. P. VanWinkle, Kimball. Earl A. Callahan, Harrisburg. Neal Turpie, North Platte. Edward E. Coates, Keystone. Joseph Nisley, Lexington. J. W. Farmer, Kimball. John A. Hilliard, Roscoe. Ed VanDerhoof, North Platte. Ira H. Fowler, Paxton. Fred R. Morgan, Kimball. Nels Nelson, Chappell. J. L. Willis, Dakton. George M. Crabbill, Minatare. W. J. Brown, Mitchell. H. C. Hayes, Oshkosh. A. M. Lock, North Platte. Harvey I. Babcock, Chappell. Warren B. Coulter, Bridgeport. F. L. Mooney, North Platte. Swan Dredrich, Sidney. James C. Foster, Oshkosh. J. S. Swift, Gothenburg. Fred Lehmkuhl, Lodge Pole. W. G. Jones, Bushnell. Henry Coker, Sutherland. Leonard Dick, North Platte. J. L. Jones, Kimball. Gus Kratzenstein, Brady. H. C. Leutenheiser, Gothenburg. Charles Davidson, Ogalala. Fred Peckham, Brady. George Hewitt, Chappell. John C. Oger, Lexington. J. H. Thompson, Gandy.

North Platte Electric Mills: In speaking of the sale of the North Platte flour mill the purchaser was named as T. L. Carroll, when it should have read L. C. Carroll. Mr. Carroll is manager of the Gothenburg electric mill, and in a letter to The Tribune says: "The mill at present belongs to me, but will be owned by myself and G. H. Wilkins (present superintendent of the Gothenburg mill) and will probably be incorporated as the North Platte Electric Mills. We expect to go at the work of rebuilding at once. Will have the mill ready for the new wheat. We expect to give North Platte a mill of which it will feel proud."

Miss M. Slemen, steam baths and Swedish Massage. Phone 897, Brodbeck building.

Albert Westendorf, Harry Lanah and John Winn, who went to Chicago to enter the hospital corps service, will return home next Tuesday. When the boys made application to a recruiting officer in this city they were told that the term of enlistment would be "during the war," but when they reached Chicago they found it was for a period of four years. The boys will therefore return home to register and await the draft.

For the man who wants Bigger Clothing Value—attend The Leader's Special Sale on Men's Suits. Smart, distinctively different are the styles. For all ages and sizes.

COMMITTEES OF THE COUNCIL OF DEFENSE MEET.

About fifty members of the Lincoln County Council of Defense committees, nearly one-half of whom were ladies, met at the federal court room last evening to consider the various phases of the work which the council has to perform. Chairman Patterson presided and stated the objects of the Council and suggested that each member of the committee to which he or she belongs assist in securing as members every man and woman in the county. The membership fee is one dollar, the money thus received to be expended in defraying the necessary expenses incurred by the Council.

The phases of the work were discussed, and it was suggested that the committee on registration see that the city is properly decorated next Tuesday, that whistles be blown at the opening of the registration and during each hour of the day, and that delegations be present at each place of registration to encourage and have a good word to say to those who register. At the suggestion of the National Council each man registering will have pinned upon him a sleeve badge made of khaki cloth, the ladies of the local council and others to furnish the badges.

PATRIOTIC MEETING WILL BE HELD MONDAY EVENING.

A patriotic meeting will be held in the Franklin auditorium next Monday evening, the purpose of which is mainly to acquaint the public at large that the following day, Tuesday, June 5th, is federal registration. Fear has been expressed that not all men in North Platte, between the required ages, know that they are required to register, and by this meeting it is hoped to get a big gathering together and suggest that each and all do their part toward advertising registration day, and to give out such information as may be desired.

Must Increase Salaries.

North Platte schools will lose a number of efficient teachers this year, loses them because the salaries paid by other towns in North Platte's class are higher. One of the teachers of the past year who received \$70, goes to Alliance in a similar position at a salary of \$92.50; another who received \$75 goes to another town to take the same work at \$90; a former North Platte teacher now at Great Falls, Mont., is paid more than double the salary received by her sister who teaches in the local schools. If we are to have efficient teachers; if we expect good work from our teachers; we must pay larger salaries, and to do this we must increase the school levy. Last year our levy was thirty-five mills and the proceeds of that levy barely paid the operating expenses of the schools. While believing that taxes should be kept as low as possible, yet we consider it absolutely necessary that an increased levy be made this year in order that the efficiency of our teaching corps be maintained and that the standard of the schools be not lowered.

The case of Jesse Highberger against J. H. Edminsten, which was heard in district court this week was decided yesterday in favor of the latter. Highberger brought suit to recover his seven year old daughter Corinne who has resided with her grand parents Mr. and Mrs. Edminsten since the death of her mother and had become attached to them. Highberger has since remarried and tried to gain possession of the child. The child refused to go with him and he kidnapped her while playing in the yard.

Rivers Rising: The water in the North Platte river rose four inches yesterday and in the South Platte six inches. Under date of May 30th the U. S. reclamation service at Mitchell says "flood conditions of 12,000 to 15,000 second-feet may possibly reach Nebraska state line June 5th. Rumors of injury or trouble at Pathfinder reservoir are absolutely without foundation."

This coming flood down the North Platte river will probably reach here the latter part of next week.

Employees Subscribe for Bonds: North Platte employees of the Union Pacific will subscribe liberally for the Liberty bonds. Many have notified the local officers that they will make applications as soon as the blanks are received, which will be within a few days. Some will buy the bonds outright, others will take them on the installment plan; that is permit the company to deduct a certain amount from their pay-check each month until the amount is paid. One engineer gave notice that he would apply and pay cash for twenty-one hundred dollars' worth of the bonds.

Episcopal Church: Next Sunday, June 3rd, Trinity Sunday. Archdeacon Bowker has arranged his schedule of work so that he can officiate at 8 o'clock and 11 o'clock, morning service and sermon.

Miss Mazie Dean, of Kearney, came the first of this week to visit the Misses Irene and Dorothy Hubbard.

Paul Harrington will leave today for Denver to visit the home folks for two weeks.

The class of 1916 will hold a reunion at the home of Miss Helen Cross this evening.

DR. FENNER WEDS MISS GARRETSON, OF LOS ANGELES.

Miss Janet Garretson, of Los Angeles, who arrived here yesterday morning, and Dr. Harold Fenner of this city were married last evening at eight o'clock at the home of the groom's mother at 408 east Fifth street where they will reside.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Robert White in the presence of a few friends and Mr. and Mrs. Frank White were attendants.

The bride is the daughter of Dr. T. C. Garretson of Los Angeles and had been superintendent of the Clara Bar-to Hospital there for some time.

Dr. Fenner came here a year ago and has gained many friends and enjoys a splendid practice. He has been prominent in lodge work and social affairs. Congratulations are being extended.

PATRIOTIC SERVICE SUNDAY AT METHODIST CHURCH.

Sunday evening at 8 o'clock at the Methodist church a patriotic rally will be held.

The Red Cross ladies will be there. The Veterans of the Spanish and the Civil war are invited.

Company E and Company L will be present.

J. G. Beeler and Captain Halligan will speak. There will be special music for the occasion.

A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The first and only Athletic Union Suit for Women, now on sale at The Leader Mercantile Co.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Maloney will leave Sunday for Omaha where the former will attend the undertakers' convention.



For BREAKFAST, DINNER, SUPPER PLAIN, TOASTED, SANDWICHES, PUDDINGS, ANY TIME! ANY WAY! DICKEY'S BREAD! It has a genial "homey" look and a fine, natural flavor. Try it. You will eat slice after slice of it because it is really good bread and really pure, wholesome food that makes its own appeal to your appetite when you put it into your mouth. The Bread that Builds. Dickey's Bakery

ANNOUNCEMENT

We hereby extend a personal invitation to all the people of North Platte and Lincoln County to pay us a call and inspect the equipment and arrangement of our new offices which are located Third Door East of Postoffice upstairs in building of Brodbeck & Son.

This Agency Writes Fire, Tornado, Automobile and Hail Insurance; Sells Lots, City Property and Loans Money.

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THE H. & S. AGENCY,

BRODBECK BUILDING, Office Phones Red or Black 612. Residence Phones Red 348 and Red 384

IMPORTANT! We guarantee to our patrons a sure cure MONDAY for grouch, blues or just that "mean" feeling. Thelma Salter and Frank Keenan are here in a new Triangle-Ince-Kay Bee play of a bitter old man and a sunny little waif. He was in all reality "THE CRAB" Just you come and see what "The Crab" did to land him in court. In the end you'll love everybody. CRYSTAL THEATRE



We have done our "bit" in helping the Government meet its necessary expenses at this time by subscribing for \$10,000.00 of the present issue of the Liberty Bonds.

A number of our patriotic citizens have already subscribed through us for some of these bonds. We are very glad to offer our services free to any one who wishes to obtain any of them. The denominations run from \$50 up.

First National Bank of North Platte NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA.

Ford THE UNIVERSAL CAR Ford cars are an important factor in every rural community. They help the family enjoy life, bring the pleasures and advantages of the city within reach, and give practical service every day. Ford cars require a minimum of attention; any one can run and care for them. Two million owners the world over prove these qualities every day. We pledge Ford owners the reliable Ford service with genuine Ford parts and standard Ford prices. Touring Car \$360, Runabout \$345, Sedan \$645 Town Car \$595, Coupelet \$505—all f. o. b. De troit On display and for sale by HENDY-OGIER AUTO CO. Illustration of a Ford car.