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CHEYENNE BUYS TWELVE NORTH PLATTE FLOATS

George A. Mooney, secretary of the semi-centennial celebration, yesterday closed a contract with the Frontier Days Committee of Cheyenne for the sale of twelve of the floats that will be used in North Platte's celebration.

"The Poor Little Rich Girl," was shown at the Keith last night to an appreciative audience, in fact many remarked that they were coming back tonight to see it again.

She leaves home, does this unloved orphan, and goes to the big city, lured as so many have been by promises of stage fame.

There will be class initiation at the Odd Fellows' hall Thursday night, commencing at 7:30 sharp. All members are urged to be present.

Anyone making a disturbance in the park grounds after night will be arrested and fined. By order of the park board.

TRAPPER DONNER DIES; DEATH TO BE INVESTIGATED

August J. Donner for many years a resident of Maxwell, who had been guarding the bridge east of town for the county commissioners, died suddenly Saturday afternoon at the age of sixty-five.

The children's day exercises at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning were attended by a large audience.

Mrs. G. M. Alloway, of Aspen, Wyo., formerly of this city, came yesterday afternoon to visit the Bird family while enroute home from Lincoln and Grand Island.

The Odd Fellows held memorial service at the hall Sunday afternoon, a large number attending. The feature of the program was an address by Archdeacon Bowker.

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CYRUS PARSONS FOUND DEAD ON THE ROAD

Cyrus C. Parson, a commercial salesman for a grocery company of Kearney and traveling agent for the Star Bottling Works, of this city, was found dead in the road three miles east of Brady Saturday afternoon.

CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

The Nevada club will meet with Mrs. Fred Duncan Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. J. W. McGraw has returned from a visit with relatives in Elsie.

Miss Lena Baskins returned yesterday from Omaha where she spent a week.

Miss Marie Moran left Saturday evening for Omaha to visit relatives for a week.

Miss Ruby Raleigh left at noon yesterday for Cozad to spend a week with relatives.

Miss Ethel Willis, of Stapleton, formerly of this city, spent the week end here with friends.

Clifford Cole, of Omaha, came the latter part of last week to visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Den.

Archie Hood, of the U. S. navy, left Saturday for the Mare Island navy yard to take up his duties.

A baby girl was born Saturday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jeffers. Mother and babe are doing nicely.

Harold Langford and Fred Peterson left Saturday evening for Denver and other western points to spend ten days.

Miss Mildred Mehlmann, of Denver, came Sunday evening to visit her brother L. E. Mehlmann and Mrs. Mehlmann.

Mrs. James Brady returned yesterday morning from Omaha where she was called by the illness of a relative, last week.

Misses Ella Fleishman and Rose Godnick, of Omaha, came Sunday morning to visit the former's brother Harry Fleishman.

Many auto tourists passed through Sunday, among which was a Ford from Pennsylvania, a Ford from Ohio and a Hudson from California.

Miss Myrtle Beeler, who had been visiting in Lincoln, returned home the latter part of last week. She was accompanied by her grandfather.

Mrs. Earl Davis and children, of Portland, arrived here yesterday afternoon to visit with her mother Mrs. Mary Gutherless and other relatives.

Mrs. I. W. Heckler and daughter, Bernice, of Lincoln, who visited for several days with Mrs. W. T. Wilcox and family, left yesterday morning for Denver.

Mrs. Joseph Seller and daughter Annabelle, of Carroll, Iowa, arrived a few days ago to visit the former's brother F. C. Pielticker and son Elmer Seller for a week or longer.

Farm and Ranch loans at lowest rates and best terms. Money on hand to close loans promptly.

Platte Valley Lodge No. 32, A. F. & A. M. will meet Tuesday, June 19, at 8 p. m. to work in the Fellow Craft degree under a special dispensation.

Miss Catherine Johnson, who had been spending the past week in Omaha and Kearney, before returning from Lincoln, returned Saturday.

Ernest Rincker and "Jim" Clinton, who returned from Omaha Friday enlisted in the hospital corps of the navy, passed the examination and are now awaiting orders to proceed to some named point.

ORGANIZE FOR THE RED CROSS DRIVE

This week the local chapter of the Red Cross assisted by business and professional men and others will make a mighty effort to have subscribed the \$19,000 which has been apportioned to Lincoln county as its share of the one hundred million dollars needed for Red Cross work.

The block in which the Elks' building is located will be taken care of by Elmer Coates, Will Landgraf and Ed Dickey.

The block on which the First National bank stands and all east Front street will be canvassed by E. J. VanDerhoof, J. Q. Wilcox and Henry Waltemath.

The block on which the Hotel McCabe block workers are Harry Dixon, Will Woodhurst and Perry Carson.

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MISS McDONALD SELECTED AS CELEBRATION QUEEN

The voting contest for queen of the semi-centennial celebration closed Saturday evening and Miss Janet McDonald won out with 15,980 votes.

For Rent—House keeping rooms, 320 east Fifth street. 45-2*

Mrs. Keegan left Sunday for Omaha and other eastern points.

Mrs. C. H. Adams has returned from a visit with relatives in eastern points.

Miss Jennie Beans, of Cozad, who visited with Miss Ruby Raleigh, left yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. W. Harding, of Omaha, wife of Conductor Harding, came Sunday to spend a few days here.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Barraclough announce the birth of a daughter at their home last week.

Mrs. Frank Hatch has gone to Mont Ida, Kansas, to spend several weeks with her mother.

Archdeacon and Mrs. J. J. Bowker left this morning for Alliance to attend the Episcopal annual convention.

Mrs. R. G. Smith and daughter Hazel, of Grand Island, formerly of this city, are visiting this week at the Mettlin home.

Miss Theresa Fekin, who has been teaching in Wellfleet, returned here this week and began work in the Dickey Confectionery.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blenkinsderfer, of Bloomington, Ill., former residents here, are visiting local friends while enroute to western points.

In order to reduce our stock before moving we will offer a large assortment of trimmed and untrimmed hats at cost.

When you need insurance of any kind get the best. Bratt, Goodman & Buckley will do it.

Mrs. Charles Davis and children, of Portland, formerly of this city, arrived here today to visit her father A. R. Adamson and sister Mrs. Ben McMichael.

In a recent issue it was stated that Dr. and Mrs. Crassler were called to California by the death of Mrs. Van Brocklin. It should read by the death of the former's father.

H. N. Morrissey, S. H. Sedgwick, W. B. Rose, Charles B. Letton and J. R. Dean, supreme judges, of Lincoln, were here yesterday while enroute to Gering to attend the Western Nebraska Bar Association meeting.

In the divorce proceedings of Ernest R. Savin against Florence Savin, the defendant filed a cross-petition. Judge Grimes granted Mrs. Savin a separate maintenance of \$25 per month and the custody of the three children.

The Kearney Hub says the people of that city are talking up the plan of securing a special train to bring them to the semi-centennial for some day during the celebration.

Walter Dillon, of Sutherland age 23, was drowned in a lake thirty-five miles north of Sutherland Sunday.

The doings of the colonel, the editor, the shoemaker and the other lesser lights of the community are humorously true to life.

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RAILROAD NOTES

J. A. Minshall, of Bridgeport, formerly of the local shops, is visiting friends in town.

A special train of a dozen cars transporting a hospital corps from California to Pennsylvania, passed through Saturday forenoon.

Engineer Joe Schwaiger leaves Wednesday for Broadwater to be present when the lake on the Smith Bros. ranch is sealed for carp in order that they may be destroyed.

Baptist Association Meeting The North Platte Baptist Association, including churches as far east as Gothenburg and as far west as Pleasant Valley, near Paxton, will hold their annual associational meeting Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week.

Among the distinguished speakers will be Rev. Ray E. York of Lincoln, state secretary of the Nebraska Baptist convention, who will speak on "The Jubilee Year of Nebraska Baptists;" Rev. Clark H. Bancroft of Omaha, and Rev. J. D. Collins, Sunday school expert for Nebraska, will also have part in the program.

One of the distinctive features of the program will be the devotional Bible study hour at the beginning of each session.

The evening sessions will be of a particularly interesting nature to the general public. Not only Baptists, but all citizens of North Platte are invited to attend these and all the meetings of the association.

Inspectors who visited the school children's gardens last week found that a number of those who had promised to enter the contest either did not do so or else started and later gave up the work.

In some instances the plots instead of being 10x20 feet, covered the entire rear part of the lot.

It will pay you to visit McVicker's Millinery Department during their removal sale.

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