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### CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

Mrs. Edward Seyferth left Saturday to visit friends at Schuyler.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bird are visiting relatives at Oelwine, Iowa.

Mrs. Sarah Bangs returned Saturday from a visit at Mt. Pleasant, Ia.

Mrs. Albert L. Lane returned Saturday from a visit in the east.

Niagara Maid Silk Gloves, all styles at WILCOX DEPARTMENT STORE.

J. N. Bradshaw, of St. Cloud, Fla., is in town visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Elliott.

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Mrs. J. J. De Wolf and children spent the week end with friends in Grand Island.

T. V. Austin and family left yesterday for a visit in Seattle and other northwest points.

For Sale—Remington typewriter in good condition, Phone 274.

George Knapp, of Maxwell, enlisted in the army last week and left for a western training camp Friday evening.

HARRY DIXON & SON, Optometrists, grind their own lenses.

Will Balcock arrived from California yesterday. Mrs. Balcock and children stopped off at Sidney to visit for a day or two.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lierk and Miss Edith Wendeborn left Sunday morning on an auto trip to Estes Park and other Colorado points.

Dr. Brock, Dentist, over Stone Drug Store.

John De Wolf went to Grand Island yesterday to accompany home his wife and children who had been visiting there for a few days.

Miss Alice Langford left Thursday night for Kansas City to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. O. W. Brandt, who was a personal friend.

F. L. Mooney and son Frank left Sunday night for Estes Park and other Colorado points, expecting to be absent a week or ten days.

For sale—Yearling bull, good grade Hereford. R. E. Marshall, Phone 790F11.

E. F. Seeburger returned Sunday from Rochester, Minn., leaving Mrs. Seeburger in a very satisfactory condition following her operation for gall stones.

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### WILLIAM REYNOLDS DROWNS IN THE SOUTH RIVER FRIDAY.

A distressing accident occurred at two o'clock Friday afternoon when William Edward Reynolds, thirteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Reynolds was drowned in the South Platte river. William in company with Romeyn Thockmorton had gone to the river to swim, and selected as the place a ten foot hole from which had been pumped out sand for the new bridge fill. This hole is V shaped and the incline is sharp. William, whose experience in swimming had been limited, waded a short distance and reaching the sharp descent, went down overhead. He rose and called for help, but before he could be reached by another boy who was in the water he sank a second time as he again came to the surface the boy caught him, but finding that he could not hold on without endangering his own life, let go and William sank again not to reappear. Several sand haulers were nearby and to them the alarm was given, but unfortunately these men could not swim. Word was phoned to town summoning the relatives and Dr. Kerr and several auto loads hurried to the scene. Merle Maupin, Jim Keefe and two or three others quickly disrobed and began searching for the body, which was finally located by Maupin and after several attempts he finally brought the body to the surface, but in doing so was greatly exhausted himself. Dr. Kerr worked for a considerable length of time in an attempt at resuscitation, but the body had been in the water for thirty or more minutes and the efforts were futile.

The funeral was held from the family residence Sunday afternoon at 4:30, Rev. B. A. Cram conducting the service and delivering an address in which much feeling for William and the bereaved family was expressed. Present were the Boy Scouts of which he was a member, his school classmates and many friends of the family.

William Edward Reynolds was born at North Platte, Nebraska, on June 26, 1905, being thirteen years and ten days of age on the day of his demise.

He entered the public school of North Platte at the age of six years, attending the Washington School, where he advanced steadily through the grades and would have this fall entered the Junior High School.

At the age of twelve years he became a member of Troop One, North Platte, Boy Scouts of America, in which organization he took a very great interest. He had taken nearly all of the required examinations to qualify as a Second Class Scout.

William was intensely patriotic, endeavoring to "do his bit" in all of the boys' War Work activities. Last summer he devoted most of his time to his "War Garden" and his skill was evidenced at the Lincoln County Fair where he was awarded three first prizes on the vegetables that he exhibited.

During the Second Liberty Loan campaign he sold Liberty Bonds for which work he was presented the United States Treasury Department Medal for Boy Scouts. In the Third Liberty Loan campaign he again qualified and was entitled to receive a bar for the medal.

William was essentially a 100% boy, studious, industrious, a lover of all clean sports and the pride of parents and relatives. His loyalty to the Boy Scouts and his intense Americanism was commented upon by all of his associates and he endeavored to exemplify the teachings of the Boy Scout code of ethics in his everyday life.

He greatly appreciated every favor shown him, was possessed of a high sense of honor and was ever ready to do a kind act to his elders. He was very fond of music and in piano playing he had progressed well for a boy of his age. He had a constructive and ingenious mind and he was ever in search of books and manuals that might improve his knowledge and assist him in dealing with mechanical problems. William was a born salesman, his sparkling eyes and sunny smile, his enthusiasm and winning manners captivated everyone with whom he came in contact.

From his early childhood he was a member of the Methodist Sunday School and Junior Epworth League where he was in regular attendance and vitally interested in the teachings of God and the church.

His character was built on a firm foundation and assisted in his every thought, word and deed by a devoted father and mother. William gave every promise of a high and noble manhood.

The immediate relatives left to mourn the untimely passing of this beloved boy are his parents, brother Charles M. Reynolds, of Omaha, and Charles McDonald, of North Platte, his aged grandfather.

**Boys Leave for Camps.**  
Three Lincoln county boys left Saturday morning to enter the service. Charles Rincker and Frances O'Connell of this city went to Fort Logan where they will be assigned to the quartermasters' department, and Henry O. Wayman, of Bignell, having enlisted in the light artillery, was ordered to report at the same place. A number of friends of the boys were at the depot to wish them good luck, and they were supplied with sweaters and comfort kits by the Sammy Girls.

**For Sale Cheap.**  
A lot of first-class second-hand lumber, mostly dimension stuff taken from the old Lutheran church. Inquire of C. O. Weingand.

**Fined \$10 and Costs.**  
On complaint of J. C. Peterson, U. P. special agent, Lew Fender was arrested Saturday on the charge of intoxication and illegal possession of liquor. He was arraigned before Judge Woodhurst and pleading guilty was fined \$10 on the charge of intoxication and \$100 on the count of illegal possession of liquor, together with the costs. Peterson, whose home is in Keith county and is a carpenter by trade, was remanded to jail pending his effort to secure money to pay the fine.

**A drowsy, half-sick, discouraged feeling is caused by a torpid liver and impurities in the stomach and bowels. Prickly Ash Bitters is a prompt and efficient remedy. Try it.—Gummere-Dent Special Agents. Price \$1.25 per bottle.**

### HOSPITAL UNIT "40" LEAVES FOR OVERSEAS.

Nebraska can well be proud of Base Hospital Unit No. 49, the Red Cross Hospital Unit composed of 35 Nebraska physicians and surgeons, 100 nurses and 200 enlisted men. The officers and enlisted men of this Unit, everyone picked men of our state, have been in training for the past four months at Fort Des Moines, Iowa, at the same time getting ready the overseas equipment for the base hospital they will equip and operate somewhere in France. On the morning of July 4th, a glorious morning for such an event, the order came for all members of the Unit to report at the barracks to entrain to start the journey overseas. A shout of patriotic joy sprang from the throats of nearly three hundred men. They wanted to go, they were filled with righteous pride to get the call so soon, they certainly were ready to serve Uncle Sam, and if the command for double quick time had been given these patriotic medical men would never have had a laggard. And at the guarded gates of the Fort as the men of the Unit passed between the military escort, I heard Mrs. Cooper, wife of the Colonel of the Ft. say: (and she is the daughter of a Colonel and raised in military life) "I have never seen a finer, cleaner, manlier bunch of men leave an army post." And I certainly felt proud of North Platte to know that she was represented by our own Dr. J. S. Simms in that splendid bunch. And as the officers came to Mrs. Simms and me to bid farewell Captain Patton of Omaha, picked little John Jr., up and said: "How we would love to have you for a mascot, but should you go, we would spoil you so, even your own mother wouldn't claim you, when we came home." And when the train left the station those brave wives with a feigned gayety which would have been heartless if it were real, waved and smiled goodbye for at least three years to their departing husbands who were starting on their mission of mercy overseas.

Among the doctors of the Unit which will be of interest to North Platte people are Maj. Stokes, Maj. Bridges, Maj. Hull, Capt. Potts, Capt. Patton, Capt. Moore, Lieut. Moore, Lieut. Gifford of Omaha, Capt. Rome, Lieut. Flansburg, Lieut. Thompson, Lieut. Davis of Lincoln and Lieut. Simms of North Platte.

**ALICE SIEMAN, R. N.**  
**Will Entertain the S. G's.**  
Appreciating the splendid work the Sammy Girls have accomplished through their tireless energy in providing sweaters and comfort kits for the boys who have gone into the service, the mothers of the Girls will tender them a party at the Lloyd opera house tomorrow evening. In order that others may enjoy this event, each Sammy Girl will be privileged to invite a friend—either girl or boy. Just what the mothers have planned for the entertainment of the Girls and their guests, we have not been advised, but certain it is that the evening will prove delightfully pleasant to all.

**Home Canned Fruit.**  
I have secured the agency for the celebrated home canned fruit, picked, peeled and canned by hand where it is grown in California by the Taylors. Phone Red 491. Mrs. O. A. PLUMMER, 114 South Sycamore.

**ORDINANCE No. 96.**  
An ordinance establishing water rates in the City of North Platte, Nebraska, and amending Section 1 of Ordinance No. 90 of North Platte, Nebraska.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and City Council of North Platte, Nebraska, Section 1. Rates. A service charge of \$7.20 per annum shall be paid by each water consumer using city water, said service charge to become due and payable quarterly at the end of the quarter in which the water is used. By a consumer is meant each business house or office, residence or residences served by one meter.

Upon the payment of said service charge such consumer shall be entitled to the use of the amount of water equivalent to \$7.20 worth; said water to be measured at the regular rates, without additional cost and for water used in excess of said amount each consumer shall pay for the same at the following rates: Water rates shall be 18 cents per 1000 gallons furnished up to 30,000 per quarter; for every additional 1000 gallons consumed and used up to 60,000 gallons within the period of three months the rate shall be 15 cents per 1000 gallons of water; for every additional 1000 gallons of water in excess of 60,000 gallons consumed and used up to 100,000 gallons within the period of three months the rate shall be 13 cents per 1000 gallons of water; for every additional 1000 gallons of water in excess of 100,000 gallons consumed and used up to 150,000 gallons within the period of three months the rate shall be 12 cents per 1000 gallons of water; for every additional 1000 gallons of water in excess of 150,000 gallons consumed and used up to 200,000 gallons within the period of three months the rate shall be 11 cents per 1000 gallons of water; for every additional 1000 gallons of water in excess of 200,000 gallons consumed and used up to 300,000 within the period of three months the rate shall be 9 cents per 1000 gallons of water; for every 1000 gallons of water consumed and used in excess of 300,000 gallons within the period of three months special rate to be made by council. Provided that for all bills paid within twenty days after the same becomes due, a reduction and refund of one cent per 1000 gallons shall be made.

Section 2. That Section 1 of said Ordinance 90 of said city and all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict therewith are hereby repealed.

This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval and publication according to law. Passed and approved this 2nd day of July, 1918.  
HENRY WALTEMATH, Mayor  
Attest: O. E. ELDER, City Clerk.  
SEAL

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL

L. S. Smith is enjoying a visit from his parents, who arrived from Du Quoin, Ill., Sunday.

Lucien Stebbins left last night for Lincoln to attend a state convention of the non-partisan league.

Mrs. H. S. White left this morning for Garden City, Kan., via Denver to visit her son Dr. James W. Butt.

"Dot" Besack is now the owner of a Briscoe car, having been awarded the same by the Home Guards at the sale July 4th.

Greeley Jacobs, colored, who was among the first of the drafted men to leave for Camp Funston, has been invalided home.

Local officers are on the lookout for a half dozen boys of the Kearney Industrial school who mutilated Sunday, confiscated an auto and made their getaway.

Ray Burgner, who will probably be called for service July 22d, has sold his grocery store on North Locust street to Joseph E. Hood, who is employed by the Union Pacific as a machinist.

The Christian aid society will meet Thursday afternoon in the church basement. The entertaining committee is Mrs. Lindenmeyer, Mrs. Ray Lincoln and Mrs. Leavitt. A large attendance is desired.

Don't neglect seeing Billie Burke in "Eve's Daughter" at the Keith tonight. This will be the last showing and it is a picture that you will not want to hear people talking about afterward and know that you have missed it.

The supreme court recently affirmed the decision of District Judge Grimes in the matter of the re-formation of Drainage district No. 1 in Lincoln county. The objectors have forty days in which to file an appeal for a re-hearing in the supreme court, but it is not thought likely that this will be done.—Hershey Times.

J. V. Romigh reports the sale of a Cadillac four passenger touring car to N. E. Buckley, a Chandler seven passenger touring to Jos. Murphy, Dodge touring cars to C. J. Bryant of Sutherland and M. L. Smith of Gandy, and a Dodge business car to P. F. Reichenberg of the Flats store.

There is no really wicked woman in "The Heart of Era Greer," the Pathe feature at the Crystal tonight, but an unusual character is introduced in the "Baby Vamp." She is a girl who likes her Broadway, creates trouble by causing a young college student to fall in love with her, and has a great time generally. But unlike a real vampire this baby has a heart and straightens things out for a happy ending. With this feature will be shown "The Chief Cook" a two part Billy West comedy.

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**Julius Mogensen.**