

Enough has been done in the valley of the Platte to show that fruit of the best quality can be raised in paying quantities. With the large amount of irrigated land near here it is surprising to horticulturists why more orchard and small fruit is not raised.

One of the policies of The Tribune in the past, which we shall certainly maintain, is that of refusing to publish anonymous contributions. Anyone having a grudge against the editor or anyone else may derive considerable satisfaction in putting it on paper and mailing it but it will not appear in our columns unless the name of the sender is attached.

The new Court House for Lincoln County should be built next year. The present building has served its time and the people have voted a tax for erecting a new building. In order that it may be completed during the building season of 1921, it will be necessary to start operations early in the spring.

A bathing pool is needed here and will be built before another year but that will not guarantee us against future deaths from drowning. The pool will not be centrally located and those nearer some other water will be lead in that direction.

We are a city surrounded on three sides by water during part of the year and sometimes on all sides during the spring and we cannot hope to control the use of these waters for swimming and wading. But the pool will be the great center of attraction as most people like to take their sports in groups as they are naturally social beings. We are for the pool.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

The County Commissioners are in session auditing the County Treasurer's books.

Mrs. M. J. Forbes and daughter went to Mason City this morning to visit for two weeks.

Mrs. M. Henry Gilfoyl, Accredited teacher of voice culture in Junior and Senior High Schools.

Lee Newton is back from his trip to Salt Lake City. He likes it there but likes North Platte better.

Lester Allen, of Farnam, brother of County Clerk Allen entered the Platte Valley Hospital this morning for a major operation today.

Mr. Snow, a relative of F. R. Rincker left yesterday for his home in Cheyenne after stopping over to visit in North Platte for a day.

Ben B. Neal, 22, secured a license to wed Ollie Oge, 17, on Wednesday and Judge Woodhurst performed the ceremony. Both were from Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. James Diener and baby and the Misses Marie and Evelyn Diener leave tomorrow morning in their car for a week visit with relatives in Central City.

Mrs. Adda Turpie and family have returned from a four weeks visit with friends near Lake Okobojie. Mrs. Turpie reports a wonderful time on the lake which is thirty miles in circumference.

The local recruiting station received orders yesterday to accept a limited number of men for service with the American forces in Germany. Men for this service will be sent via Fort Slocum, N. Y.

M. E. Crosby and family returned the first of the week from Estes Park by way of Denver. Mr Crosby is enthusiastic about the mountain driving and warms up a little when trout fishing is mentioned.

A card received in the city from Mrs. Halligan says the Seeburger-Bar-Halligan auto party has left the Yellowstone Park and is headed for Salt Lake City. At Pocatello, Idaho, Mrs. Halligan says, they saw Miss Edith Gantt, who is in the City Library there.

Butler Buchanan returned this week from a month's traveling on the Pacific coast. He was in San Francisco when the National Democratic Convention was in session and in Los Angeles when the worst earthquake took place. He does not make any direct comparisons but he does say that he did not like the earthquake.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Huffman will entertain at a six o'clock dinner this evening in honor of Dr. and Mrs. V. Lucas.

A good sized crowd attended the reception given last night by the members of the Methodist Church to those who have lately joined the church. A good program had been prepared and it was enjoyed by all.

Be on the look out for the girls of Sioux Campfire this evening at the band concert for they will be on the lookout for you to sell you nice cold lemonade. Proceeds to go toward the camp expenses of the Girls.

B. C. Boggs has been elected the new manager of the Base Ball team succeeding R. C. Langford, who will leave shortly for western points. Mr. Boggs has been the umpire this season and needs no introduction to the base ball fans.

A progressive dinner will be given tomorrow evening in honor of Miss Mabel Morant, of Lamona, Iowa, who is a summer guest here. The first course will be served at the home of Miss Betty Turpie, the second at the home of Miss Elsie Waltemath, the third at Miss Mabelle McFarlands, the fourth at Miss Adele LeDoyts, and the fifth at the home of Miss Esther Kelly. About fourteen will be present.

Daniel Phelp, alias Allen Randall, was arrested for wife desertion Wednesday evening. He had been working for the P. F. E. in North Platte for the past two months under the name of Randall and had been employed at Bridgeport before coming to this city. He said he understood that his wife at Seward had obtained a divorce after he had left that city. He was taken to the county jail and will be held until the arrival of a Seward county officer.

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Among the entertainment features of the program are the following: Louis Kraider, noted baritone and singer for Columbia records. Lindsay-Frost Co. music and readings. Cheney Concert Co. violin, viola, cello, cornet, voice, organ chimes, etc. Spanish Girls' Orchestra, a great orchestra. Cimera's Czech-Slovak Band. Everyone likes a good band and this one is not excelled anywhere. The leader, Cimera, was trombone soloist in Sousa's, Innes' and Kryl's bands. With the Band comes Madame Cafarelli, dramatic soprano. Chicago Lyric Male Quartet of great singers with perfect voice blend. Wales Players presenting "Rejuvenation," a play that will entertain and please. Williams World Famed Jubilee Singers who have just returned from a tour of the world. Prof. and Mrs. Carl Steckelberg, the well known artists on violin and piano. Myrna Sharlow, lyric soprano, a second Galli Curci, will close the program.

Clean Up Prices ON Ladies' and Children's Shoes. You will find on our bargain square all of our odd pairs and broken lots of Low Shoes for Women and Children. This includes the new styles from this season and odd lots carried over from former seasons. We will not attempt to describe each separate lot but will say that you will save yourself from one to three dollars a pair on what you purchase. Get the habit of dropping in and looking over the items on this square. WILCOX DEPARTMENT STORE

- COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS. July 26, 1920. Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, present Herminghausen, Koch, Springer and County Clerk. The following bills were allowed. Sundry persons, hauling dirt, \$391.75 W. T. Elliott, road boss, \$30.00. C. J. Cochran, dragging, \$90.00. H. Perkins, road work Dist. 33 \$37.50 Harry Laurie, dragging, \$30.00. John Anthony, grading \$30.00. Albert Steinhausen, road Dist. No. 49, \$72.00. John Ketchum, road Dist. 49, \$48. Royce Welliver, road Dist. 49 \$48. Chas. Johnson, road Dist. 49, \$48. O. Shelby, engineman Com. 2, \$153.95 L. H. Kinger, Road Dist. 43 \$25.90. E. B. Camp, Road Dist. 55, \$7.00. Dierk's Lumber Co., culvert \$37.60. C. E. Marovich, Road Dist. 41, \$46. Wm. Johnson, building \$406.50. N. Kelly, Road Dist. 50, \$22.40. R. C. Selby, Road Dist. 57 \$14.00. Henry McClune, Road Dist. 57, \$14. J. M. Barton, Road Dist. 57 \$7.00. Tobe Bunting, Com. 3, \$115.00. Clarence Reller, Com. 3, \$82.50. W. R. Maloney, mdse for County, \$233.85. Field-Birge Co., coal for jail, \$18.40. C. E. Peveral, engineman Com. 2, \$34.62. Herman Johnson, Road Dist. 11, \$17. Herman Johnson, Rd. Dist. 11, \$22. A. C. Combs, Rd. Dist. 7, \$25.00. J. B. Tollison, Rd. Dist. 4, \$116.25. Henry Tollison, Rd. Dist. 4, \$50.50. F. D. Westenfeld, mdse county poor, \$44.41. Peterson Bros., Rd. Dist. 51, \$15.00. Jesse Stann, Rd. Dist. 49, \$44.00. H. W. Haight, Rd. Dist., 49, \$9.00. John Tilford, Rd. Dist. 49, \$48.00. H. S. askins, Rd. Dist. 49, \$108.00. Adjourned to July 28, 1920.

Presbyterian Church. During the absence of the pastor on his annual vacation there will be no evening services but the Sunday School hour will be followed by a short prayer service every Sunday. Christian Endeavor and Prayer meeting will be held as usual. CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOR—Episcopal Divine Services for next Sunday. Holy Communion at 8 a. m. Children's Services 10 a. m. Morning prayer service 11 a. m. No evening service will be held during the summer. Dr. C. E. McReynolds, Specialist. Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Office over Rexall Drug Store. Phone 113. Mead's Barber Shop 718 No. Locust We run a three-chair shop and give expert service. Satisfaction above all else is our aim. Give us a trial and be convinced. G. W. MEAD, Prop.

For August Investment A number of conservative local investors are taking advantage of the unusual investment opportunity offered in the 7 per cent Preferred Shares of the Union Power & Light Co. Shares \$100.00 Each. Fully Paid and Non-Assessable Dividends Payable Quarterly Exempt From Tax This Preferred Stock is recognized by bankers and conservative investors as one of the best investments available. 7 per cent from August 1st. Arrange your investment before Aug. 10th in order to have certificate dated to earn 7 per cent from August 1st. Ask for full particulars at the Light Office, 519 Dewey St. FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT Ray F. McGuire & Co., Mgrs. NORTH PLATTE LIGHT & POWER CO.

The Telephone You Want Is Only One of Millions Perhaps you are anxiously waiting to have your telephone moved or to have a telephone installed. You have been told that the delay is because we can't get enough telephone supplies. A world-wide shortage of metals and other raw materials, as well as transportation facilities, is making it impossible for the factories to produce enough supplies for the telephone companies. As a result there is delay in furnishing many people telephon service. It requires very little equipment to furnish you service; that is true. But you are one of the millions of people throughout the country who use Bell service. Here are a few figures which show the annual requirements of the Bell System for metals used in the building and upkeep of the plant: 100,000,000 pounds of lead used principally for the covers of telephone cables. 75,000,000 pounds of copper used mostly for wire. 24,000,000 pounds of iron for cross-arm bolts, cross-arm braces, guy clamps, etc. 20,000,000 pounds of galvanized iron and steel wire. 15,000,000 pounds of steel. 10,000,000 pounds of brass. 700,000 pounds of tin. 100,000 pounds of antimony. NEBRASKA TELEPHONE COMPANY.

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