

Lincoln County Schools

AILEEN GANTT COCHRAN  
SUPERINTENDENT  
NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA

HEALTH WORK IN THE SCHOOLS.

If the fathers and mothers of Lincoln County could only realize the importance of helping the Red Cross maintain a Public Health Nurse in this county there would be no trouble in collecting the annual dues of one dollar in the Red Cross Drive on Armistice Day from every adult in this county.

The work of the County Nurse has been entirely supported by the Red Cross. The largest task which she has is making the physical examination of every child in Lincoln County. Where children are found defective notices are sent home advising the parents to give the child proper medical attention. If they are not financially able to have this done the Red Cross provides the necessary assistance.

In many of the schools, which the nurse has examined, ninety per cent of the children have been found defective. It makes one's heart ache to realize the number of little boys and girls who are sent to school and expected to make progress when they can scarcely see for the need of glasses. Others are in danger of losing their permanent teeth for lack of dental care. There are any number of children in this county whose bodies are being daily poisoned by diseased tonsils and whose progress in school is handicapped because of adenoids.

One of the duties of the Public Health Nurse in this prosperous county, but there are many of them. In most of these cases the children have enough food, but not the right kind for proper development. The majority of children living on farms in Lincoln County drink tea and coffee instead of milk.

One of the duties of the Public Health Nurse is to teach the children the proper things to eat as well as all the other laws of health.

Lincoln County is fortunate in having secured the services of such a competent and conscientious nurse as Miss Florence Chaffin.

For the sake of the children of Lincoln County let each and every one help make the Red Cross Drive on Armistice Day a success, so that this wonderful health work, which has just been started in Lincoln County, may continue.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Chas. Liston transacted business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. John Griffith of Maxwell was a city visitor yesterday.

F. L. Stebbins accompanied R. P. Stebbins to Omaha Sunday.

Picnic hams at 17c a pound at McMichael's Grocery.

Mrs. Frank Anthony of Hershey shopped in the city Saturday.

Dr. T. J. Kerr returned Saturday from Omaha and Akron, Iowa.

Ray Johnson went to Sutherland yesterday to transact business.

Mrs. Fred Fry returned yesterday from Chappell where she visited.

C. F. Temple and A. B. Hoagland are spending the week in Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Russell of Tryon were city visitors yesterday.

The Nicafegee Campfire will meet at the home of Alice Smith this evening.

Theo Muraier will undergo an operation at the General Hospital today.

Special prices on all our beautiful suits. Don't delay if you need a garment at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Crosby of Sutherland were city visitors yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gentzler of Gothenburg were city visitors Saturday.

Mrs. M. E. Holloway of Tryon transacted business in the city yesterday.

Pat Lewellen of Grand Island spent the week end with friends in the city.

Miss Gertrude Enright is taking medical treatment at the General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woodrow of Sutherland were city visitors yesterday.

Carl Backers was able to leave the hospital Sunday and is now able to be around.

F. L. Tierney returned Saturday from Omaha where he attended the football game.

Mrs. Frank McGovern returned Saturday from a visit in Omaha and Grand Island.

Send the little children for meat where they won't get beat. Roy Humphrey don't weigh his fingers and don't weigh his feet. George McKain's Meat Market.

That intangible and mysterious thing called OPPORTUNITY, about which so many essays have been written, so many sermons preached and so many poems inspired, is not a stranger that comes and knocks at our door in disguise, not a winged meteor that spreads its flaming stream of light across the heavens when least expected, not an archangel that suddenly awakens us from our sleep to bring good tidings.

OPPORTUNITY is just plain home folks. It's as constant as the shadow that walks with us and is always present in our affairs, regardless of vocation, position or circumstances.

Opportunity is not what may come TOMORROW, but what we make out of TODAY.

You may be insurable today, but unable to pass the necessary medical examination tomorrow, do not delay until your opportunity has passed, but secure a Perfect Protection policy with the FIDELITY RESERVE COMPANY today. A HOME Company, writing Life, Health and Accident Insurance of all kinds. Home office, Fourth and Locust Streets, North Platte, Nebraska.

Irving Wright, 203 S. Walnut. We still have a large assortment of blankets—cotton and wool finish. Regular Bargains \$2.98, \$3.89, \$4.25, \$6.98. E. T. Tramp & Sons

Wm. Whitlock of Ft. Collins, Colo. arrived yesterday to visit old friends in the city. Mr. Whitlock was at one time an engineer running on the second division.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ribley returned to their home in Silver Creek yesterday after visiting at the home of the latter's son, Albert Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. David Griffith returned to their home in Loomis, Nebr. yesterday after visiting at the home of the former's brother Thos. Griffith.

Miss Edna McGurk of Grand Island returned to her home the latter part of the week after visiting at the home of Miss Alice Hoagland.

Mrs. Libby Murrin and son Lawrence returned Saturday from Omaha where the latter underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Reeves and son returned from a two weeks visit at the old home in Blair, Nebr.

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SUTHERLAND BOY WRITES STORY ON PIG CLUB WORK AND IS COMMENDED.

The following story was written by Owen Powell of Sutherland as a part of his final report on the Pig Club work of the past summer. It was written for the Extension Service at Lincoln and was turned in to Mr. Kellogg. The Tribune man saw it there and asked for permission to print it. Here it is:

WHAT I GOT OUT OF CLUB WORK

Generally when you read a story on the above subject you will read of the wonderful prizes and money some one has captured. My story will be a little different. I did not capture any first place or capture any money, rather I learned some things which are priceless.

One day last spring Mr. Kellogg, our good agent, asked me if I would join the club work, as he was going to take a judging team to the State Fair and he wanted me to get in the work. I picked my pig, gave him some attention, but in the busy harvest I did not pay as much attention to the work as I should.

Mr. Kellogg sent me word that some one from the Agricultural Department would be in our County to pick a judging team to represent Lincoln County at the State Fair. I met with the rest, spent a day working on different stock and was picked for the team. Three days were spent in judging work and we left for the State Fair to compete with various teams from all over the state. I had not studied enough and consequently turned in a bad set of cards, that put me down, and far worse "my team."

At our home Fair one club member cleaned the show with her pig, while some of the rest were a little envious, but we had not worked as hard as she had.

Now what I got out of pig work and what I hope to make others especially those beginning see, is that nothing but hard work in this work, you must have and show the goods to win. The one that works and works hard wins and I think that you will agree that he should win. There is no chance for the lazy one in this work as you will find the keenest competition among the quickest, most alert, squarest bunch ever. It is a pleasure to work with them and I intend to be back again using different methods and playing the game hard from start to finish.

BIGNELL ITEMS

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NOEL C. DONEGAN.

The subject of this sketch was born Jan. 14, 1894 at North Platte, Nebr. and died Oct. 17, 1918 in France at the age of 24 years, 9 months and 3 days. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Donegan of this city and grew to manhood in North Platte. He attended the North Platte schools and later took employment in business where his energy and honesty were commended. He was on the road to rapid promotion when the war broke out. He waited until he saw that we were going into it in earnest and on Nov. 5, 1917 he started from North Platte. He went to Fort Logan, Colorado, where he enlisted and was transferred to Fort Leavenworth where he was assigned to Company B, Seventh Engineers. From Leavenworth he was transferred to Camp Merritt and on April 18, 1918 they embarked for England, arriving there on Easter Sunday. The company reached France early in May and after some intensive training it was sent to the front. Noel took part in the fighting in the St. Die Sector fight in August 1918 and in the St. Mihiel offensive which began Sept. 12. On Oct. 13, during the fight at Mont Fancon in the Argonne, Noel was wounded by high explosive shell fire, shotgun wound in the left leg and gas infection. He was taken to the headquarters evacuation hospital No. 114 A. E. F. and there he died five days later. News of his death was not received by his parents until Dec. 18. No word has ever been received as to what he did and said during those five days he was in the hospital. After lying in an overseas cemetery for more than two years he was returned to his native land and arrived at the wharf at Hoboken just three years after his death. The body was brought to North Platte and funeral services were held from the Catholic Church on Sunday Oct. 23 at 1:30 o'clock. He was buried at Fort McPherson National Cemetery with military honors, the North Platte American Legion Post conducting the services.

NOTICE

The Nebraska State Teachers' Association will be held in Omaha Nov. 9th to 11th. A reduced fare of one and one-half of the current fare will be given to all teachers who have North and South rivers have decided tickets can be secured upon making application to the county superintendent's office.

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DISSOLVED

The co-partnership between L. R. Duke and R. A. Ovren, in the wall paper, paint and glass business has been dissolved. Mr. Duke retains ownership of the stock and book accounts and assumes all obligations of the firm. Persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the firm will please call at the store and settle the account.

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