

HIGH SCHOOL WINS GAME

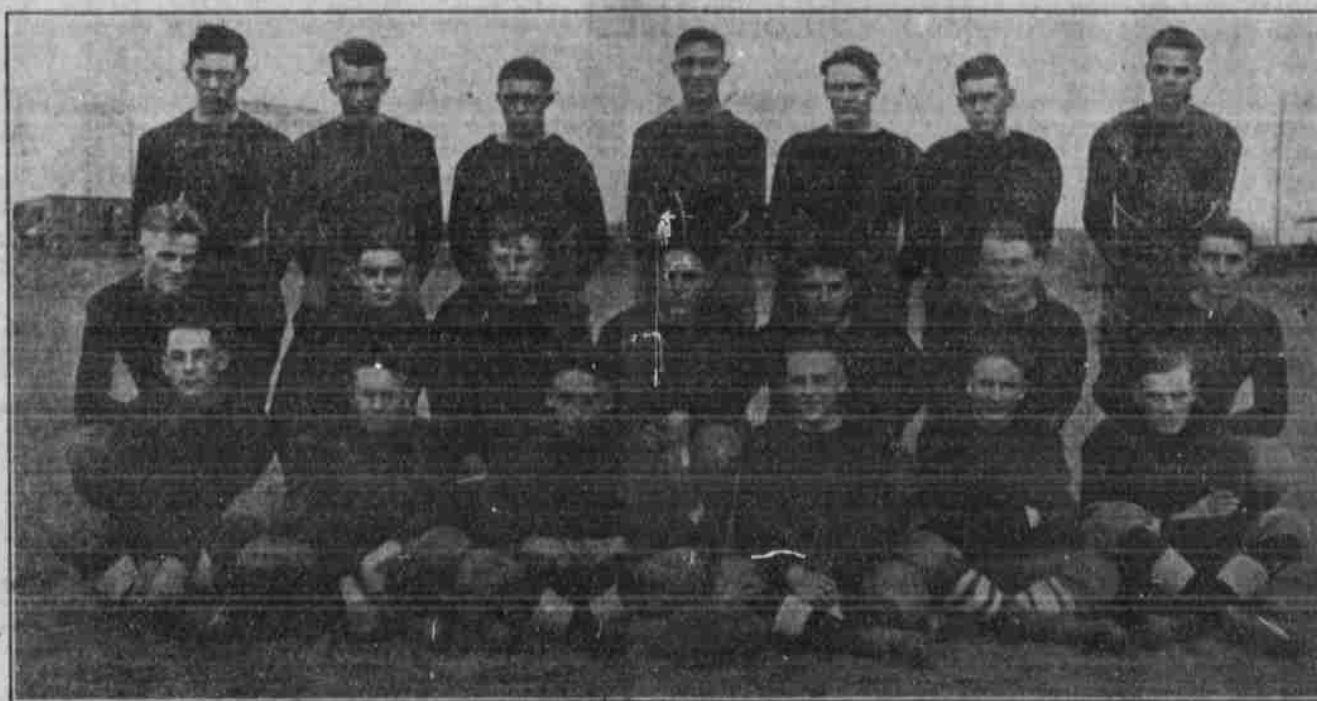
STATE TITLE IS AWARDED TO LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL WITH OUT OPPOSITION

By a score of 27 to 6 the North Platte High School football team won the first place in the race for the championship honors among the major schools of the state. The Thanksgiving game was played with the Lincoln High team and through elimination of the other teams by defeat, these two schools were the only ones of the larger schools, which were undefeated. This was the fifth time in seven years that North Platte faced the Lincoln boys and each of the other times, the result was defeat for us. This time the tables were turned and the Lincoln squad returned to the Capital City minus the banner.

The day was perfect. A warm sun took the chill from the soft south breeze and there was no snow or ice to combat. The arrangements at the field were good and the crowd estimated at above 4,000 people was handled in good shape.

North Platte kicked off and the game was on. One touch-down was made by Locke in the first quarter, and Shaner kicked goal. At the end of the first half the score was 14-0. Locke scored at the opening of the third quarter when he received the ball and raced down the field 60 yards. Shaner kicked goal. In this same period Locke fumbled the ball but it was recovered by Captain Healey and a touchdown was made. Shaner missed goal. Lincoln scored its touch-down in the final quarter when Krieg carried the ball across the North Platte Goal. Captain Thomas of the Lincoln team missed goal making the final count 27 to 6.

Champions of Nebraska



Top row—From left to right—Winget, Shaner, Simon, Stroup, Locke, Dent, Rector. Second row—Overman, Yost, Palmer, Simon, Wilson, Bunnell, Healey (Capt.). Lower row—Mecomber, Hubbard, Yearley, McWilliams, Pitman.

Shaner's plunges through the line stood out as did the end runs of Locke. Overman, Yost and Healey showed up to good advantage.

The Rotary and Kiwanis Clubs attended the game in a body and hundreds of automobiles loaded with enthusiasts came from the surrounding towns.

The Rotary Club welcomed the Lincoln team to the city and the Elks club entertained them Wednesday evening. The team and coach were guests of the Kiwanis Club at breakfast in the Union Pacific dining room Thanksgiving morning. Both teams were entertained at the firemen's play "You Tell Em" last evening.

ABOUT PEOPLE AND THINGS

CURRENT COMMENT ABOUT PEOPLE AND THE THINGS THEY ARE DOING HERE.

The County Commissioners with Clerk Allen made a trip Wednesday over the two routes proposed for the O-N highway south of here. A decision will probably be announced at the regular meeting of the Commissioners next Monday.

About fifteen high school boys are planning on attending the district Hi-Y conference at Kearney from today to Sunday. Rev. Koch will accompany them and deliver the address at the banquet Friday evening on "The Manly Man." About 200 high school boys of the district are expected to attend this conference.

Weatherman Shilling does not deserve any credit for the beautiful Thanksgiving day. If things had gone his way we would have had unsettled weather which he predicted for Thursday. We are glad he did not have his brand of weather on Thanksgiving this year.

The Ladies of the Episcopal guild will hold their annual supper and bazaar in the church basement on Wednesday, December 7. Menu is as follows: Roast pork, brown gravy, mashed potatoes, baked beans, cabbage salad, hot biscuits and jelly, pickles and apple pie. The supper will be served at 5:30. The price has been set for 50 cents.

A fair sized crowd attended the Union Thanksgiving service at the Christian Church yesterday morning. Several of the local pastors took part in the exercises as did Lew C. Harris the evangelist. The sermon was given by Rev. H. E. Hess of the Methodist Church and was a strong plea for a real Thanksgiving for the many blessings we Nebraska people are enjoying. The choir furnished good music.

The plans for the foundation of the new Court House are here. They are based upon the findings of the engineer who has been here for some time and who has made extensive tests of the soil here. The plans call for 158 piling to be driven "to refusal" as the directions state. By that we understand he means until they will go no further. Each piling is to be sixteen feet long, eight inches at point and 14 inches at the butt. Upon these pilings the concrete foundation is to be placed.

Matches cause a large number of fires. They are a constant source of danger unless great care is taken in their handling. It is always best to keep them in a tin receptacle of some kind. Children should early be taught not to play with them and that they are a cause of burned fingers.

If the box of matches is kept high enough so that the little children cannot reach them it may avoid a fire. A number of small fires are started every year in North Platte which are caused by children playing with matches.

Fresh eggs are almost a curiosity here in North Platte. The reports from those who usually get in on the early markets are that they are getting few eggs. We called at several grocery stores one day this week and in each case were told that there are no fresh eggs coming in now. Occasionally a farmer brings in some of his stored or pickled eggs and most of the supply in the markets here are known as packing house eggs. They are not fresh enough to use on the breakfast table. Anyone who has and can supply fresh eggs in any quantity would do well to let it be known and he could get better than the regular market price.

The District Court spent the week since Monday in getting a jury and presenting the state's evidence in the case of Victor Moss, charged with the death of Mrs. Lenton. The case is being fought by both sides but there is a lack of interest on the part of the people in general because of the fact that neither party were well known. No large crowds are present and the trial proceeds in its own quiet way. The evidence for the prosecution is being given and it is thought that it will be completed by this evening or tomorrow. The jury was kept together over Thanksgiving, attending the football game in a body, but court was adjourned for the holiday. The case was resumed this morning.

In a conversation with one of the higher railroad officials regarding the viaduct, he said that everything is being done now to safeguard the crossings and to facilitate the movement of trains over the road. He said that except on the two main tracks, every engine must stop at the Locust Street crossing and a man must walk over the crossing ahead of the engine. At the same time the gates are lowered and the warning gong sounded. A watchman is always on duty at this crossing, three men being employed, each on an eight hour shift. Freight trains are not allowed to close the crossing for longer than five minutes at a time. If the crossing is closed longer than five minutes it should be reported and the responsible employee will be disciplined. He said that usually people who were waiting for a train to pass were not reliable in their estimates of time and that it always seemed longer than it really was.

Dr. Frank Conlin of Omaha, spoke before the Rotary Club last Monday on the general subject of Cancers. He said that the importance of the subject is shown by the fact that while 90,000 of our boys gave their lives in battle during the World war, during the same months that the war was on, over 150,000 men, women and children

in the United States alone died from cancer. In his talk he stressed five points follows: Cancer is not hereditary. Cancer is not contagious. Cancer is a purely local disease in its early stages. Irritation is one of the commonest causes of cancer. A cancer germ has not been found yet. These five facts include about all that is known about cancer. Eighty-five per cent of the cases are in people over 40 years old. Cancer is increasing at the rate of 2 1/2 per cent a year. While not a surgeon nor an X-ray or radium operator he said that he would advise an operation first and then treatment by either X-ray or radium or both. He did advise everyone to give attention to small causes and consult a physician. It was a good talk and very much appreciated.

John C. Fremont, often called "The Pathfinder" visited Lincoln County in July 1842 almost eighty years ago. He headed a party which left the Missouri River and followed the Platte to the forks of the river which is just east of the city. Here the party divided some going by way of the north branch and others by the south branch, both meeting at Fort Laramie. After discovering and climbing Fremont's Peak the party was wrecked near Casper as it was coming down the Platte in boats. Following the river on land they reached the Missouri River on October 1st. The city of Fremont is named after this man and the great Pathfinder Dam is located at about the place where Fremont's party was wrecked back there in 1842. North Platte and Lincoln county is favorably located in that the forks of the Platte have always been marked in history as an important geographical location which all travelers mentioned and which cannot be easily confused.

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ANOTHER STATE CONVENTION

THE NEBRASKA FEDERATION OF WOMENS' CLUBS TO MEET HERE NEXT FALL

Word was received here yesterday that the executive committee of the Nebraska Federation of Womens' Clubs would hold its next state convention in North Platte. This is the result of the invitation extended to the federation by Mrs. George Frater of this city when the matter was up at the recent convention at Seward. The state convention is usually held in October and it is expected that the dates will be set for some time during that month. This convention will bring to the city the leaders of thought in the woman's work in this state and delegates from every city of any size in the state will be present. The local clubs will begin preparations at once so that the convention will be a big success.

VOLUNTEER FIREMEN STAGE SUCCESSFUL SHOW FOR TWO NIGHTS

The Keith theater was filled to capacity both nights of the play "You Tell Em" given for the benefit of the North Platte Fire department. The show, written and directed by Howard Harding was a clever and original musical. The hit of the evening was a fire fly dance by Winifred Miller, assisted by a clever chorus of ponies. Misses Josephine Robb and Katherine Fitzpatrick received hearty applause following their solos. Paul Harrington as "Pa Ready money" portrayed his part well and as always, made a hit with his solos. The Lincoln and North Platte football teams were guests of the firemen and occupied the boxes.

The proceeds of the show will go toward paying the expenses of bringing the State Convention of Firemen to North Platte.

FUNERAL OF MRS. CLARENCE TRENT HELD IN HERSHEY WEDNESDAY

The funeral of the late Mrs. Clarence R. Trent was held at the Methodist church in Hershey on Wednesday afternoon with Rev. H. E. Hess officiating. Mrs. Trent passed away at her home on West Sixth street early Tuesday morning. She had been seriously ill with cancer of the stomach for several months before death came. She leaves to mourn her death besides her husband, a son, Cecil, of this city and a daughter, Mrs. Julian Walker of Kansas City, besides many relatives. Mrs. Trent was 42 years old and had lived in the city for a number of years. Prior to moving to North Platte she was a resident of Hershey.

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Albert C. Cooper, a U. P. brakeman of this city and Miss LaVancha Gordon, a nurse of Maywood, were granted a license to wed on November 23.

Word has just been received as we go to press of the death of Lawrence E. Deidel this morning. Mr. Deidel has been ill for the last five months with dropsy.

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BROTHERHOOD OF BOILERMAKERS ENTERTAIN AT THANKSGIVING BALL.

Camp Cody Lodge No. 118 International Brotherhood of Boilermakers and Ironship Builders and Helpers of America entertained at the annual Thanksgiving eve ball at the K. C. Hall. A large crowd attended this annual affair. Music was furnished by Beck's orchestra.

TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB TO HEAR LECTURE BY NOTED AUTHORITY

Mrs. Grace Wilmot of New York will lecture to the members of the Twentieth century Club and their friends at the Methodist church on Tuesday, November 29 at 3 o'clock. Her subject will be "Home and Its Furnishings." The lecture is free and the club is extending an invitation to all ladies in the community to attend and enjoy the afternoon with Mrs. Wilmot.

EUPHRATES CHAPTER OF MASONIC ORDER ELECTS OFFICERS FOR ENSUING YEAR

At a meeting of the Euphrates Chapter No. 15 Royal Arch Masons held in the Masonic Temple Monday evening the following officers were elected: R. E. Hansen, high priest; Carl S. Bonner, king; David J. Fredricks, scribe; W. H. McDonald, treasurer; Donald O'Brien, secretary; Elmer Coates, trustee for three years and Dr. J. B. Redfield, trustee for two years.

SOCIETY FOR CARE OF CHILDREN IS TO MAKE CAMPAIGN FOR FUNDS

The Nebraska Children's Home Society is to have a tag day on Thursday, November 29. It is to be called Heart Day and the red tags are shaped like a heart. The entire proceeds of the tag sale will go to the society headquarters in Omaha. Mrs. John McGraw is chairman of the local committee, with L. E. Mehman as treasurer. One member of the committee has been appointed from each of the churches represented here in North Platte. The Nebraska Children's Home Society is an organization without a building. It gives care and aid to homeless children by placing them in carefully selected homes. Last year it handled 704 children without homes in this state alone.

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