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The Tribune is Thirty-seven Years Old Today.

ABOUT PEOPLE AND THINGS

CURRENT COMMENT ABOUT PEOPLE AND THE THINGS THEY ARE DOING

The directors of the Lincoln County Farm Bureau will meet on January 27 and elect officers for the coming year. The directors were elected at a mass meeting of the members the last of December.

The United States government is issuing a new coinage of the dollar called the "peace dollar". It will take the place of the dollar we now use. The first one was issued a week ago and was presented to President Harding. Who will get the first one in North Platte?

As an indication of the popularity of the city library, Miss Murphy gave out 325 books on Saturday. Many of these were books other than fiction and the librarian thinks that many who are not employed at present are taking advantage of the library and what it offers.

Several south side farmers have been losing hogs and chickens lately and they are studying means of finding out the cause. Messrs Harvey, Talbot, Woodgate and others have lost from one to four hogs each and quite a list of farms have lost chickens. This kind of thieving must stop according to reports from that section.

Scott McCrone bought one of the pure bred Herefords offered by Mousel Bros., at Cambridge last week. The bull cost about \$500 which is said to be about one-tenth what it would have brought a year or two ago. Fifty-one animals were sold.

U.B. Thrifty says



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the average of the bulls being \$501 and of the cows \$550. This brings another purebred sire into Lincoln county.

Following is the estimated condition of winter wheat on December 1, 1921 as issued by the United States department of agriculture and the Nebraska Department of Agriculture for Lincoln county and the surrounding territory: Lincoln, 87 per cent; Keith, 85 per cent; Hayes, 90 per cent; Buffalo, 63 per cent; Garden, 69 per cent; Logan, 85 per cent; Arthur, 80 per cent; Dawson, 87 per cent.

Willis Knight of Hershey died at an Omaha hospital Sunday following an operation for appendicitis. Mr. Knight is well known in this city and was one of Hershey's leading citizens, having operated a general store there for many years. The remains enroute from Omaha to Hershey, accompanied by his father Rev. Knight of the Presbyterian church and Mrs. Willis Knight.

The Brady Vindicator says that the quota of the \$5,000 to be raised in Lincoln county for surveying the south side irrigation project, which was given to Brady has been more than raised. That speaks well for the enterprise of that city and sets an example for the other places, North Platte included. The survey should be made now, in fact it cannot be made as cheaply at any other time. Considerable progress is being made in various parts of the valley.

More than twenty American Legion men turned out to the initial practice for basket ball. Such athletes as Halligan, Kerr, Jones, Meyers, Rincker, Sandall, Redmond, Cool and others are counted upon for a team that will uphold the honors of the North Platte post against all comers. Dr. McKirahan will give them some time and other good men will assist in the coaching. At the first practice Monday night, no officers were elected but that will come in the near future. The Lloyd Opera house is to be known as Legion hall and will be used for the Legion games.

A list of exhibitors for the National Western Stock show which will be held at Denver, January 14 to 21 shows no names from Lincoln county. O. J. Brownfield of Cozad will show two cars of fat hogs, two fat Hampshires, E. E. and N. T. Young of Lexington one car registered bulls and one car of registered heifers. J. Winkler and Son, Lexington, one grade Galloway. George J. German, Cozad, four cars fat hogs. John Meylich, Lewellen, three cars fat hogs, and H. B. Taylor, Farnam, two cars fat hogs. Altogether there will be about 225 carloads of stock on exhibition in addition to hundreds of individual animals.

Invitations are out for a conference and banquet by the Democratic State Central Committee on January 14 at the Fontenelle hotel in Omaha. Among those who will make addresses are former Governor Keith Neville of this city. The notice says: "Time and events have demonstrated that the administration of the democratic party in Nebraska was sensible, efficient, and economical. The people must have relief from the inefficiency, waste and extravagance of the present state administration. Taxes must be reduced. The voter will in sober afterthought, return the democratic party to power. Relief can come in no other way." The notice is signed by Arthur F. Mullen and H. S. Daniel.

In some of the eastern counties where a wave of economy in expenditures is holding the center of attention, petitions have been circulated asking the county commissioners to dispense with the office of county highway commissioner. The Hebron Register-Champion appeared to be in sympathy with this move in Thayer county but in the last issue the editor says: "The Register-Champion has also determined from the reading of the statutes that the office of highway commissioner is required by law. He must be appointed by the county board, must be a competent engineer, must visit road improvement plans and bills for road work and is entitled to a wage of \$3.00 per day for all or part of the year. From this it would appear that a petition to oust the highway commissioner was rather

IRRIGATION MEETING HELD

MATTERS PERTAINING TO THE SOUTH SIDE DITCH ARE COMING ALONG FINE

Thirty men interested in the government survey of the south side looking toward an extensive irrigation project there met at the court house Saturday and organized by electing T. E. Doolittle, president; I. M. Abernombie, vice president; Fred McClymont, secretary and Butler Buchanan, treasurer. No name was decided upon for the organization. An executive committee composed of one member from each of the eight precincts will be named at a later meeting. Representatives were present from Peckham, Gaslin, Cottonwood, Payne, Osgood and Miller precincts. Meetings have been held in most of the school houses in these precincts and the final meeting of the campaign will be held in the school south of Hershey tonight. To date \$2,890 has been subscribed to the project for which it is estimated \$5,000 must be raised. Messrs Halligan, Thoelecke, and Bare of the Chamber of Commerce and Doolittle, Reynolds and Abernombie attended a meeting at Lexington where progress was to be reported and irrigation matters discussed. A general meeting of all interested in the subject of irrigation on the south side is called for next Saturday at 1 p. m. at the court house. Everyone is invited.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

J. E. Nelson transacted business in Sterling yesterday.

W. J. O'Connor is transacting business in Omaha this week.

Miss Hazel Becker of Hershey visited local friends Saturday.

Mrs. J. N. Kenney of Hershey shopped in the city Saturday.

Miss Neva Trexler spent the week end in Greeley with relatives.

Elmer Taylor has accepted a position at the Newton Book store.

Mrs. Draine of Gothenburg is reported to be very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. C. Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Patterson of Maxwell shopped in the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Chalker of Ogalala transacted business in the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lawrence of Paxton transacted business in the city Saturday.

Burt Moore and Henry Smith were among the Hershey visitors to the city Saturday.

Mrs. P. E. McIntee returned Saturday from Eddyville where she visited her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Pushman of Melrose transacted business in the city yesterday.

Miss Beverley Wurtelle left yesterday for Omaha where she attends Brownell Hall.

L. C. Jones of Yoder, Wyo., arrived yesterday to spend a few days in the city on business.

Kenneth Whelan arrived Saturday from Torrington to spend a few days with his parents.

Mrs. T. O'Keefe and daughter, Margaret, returned Sunday from Kearney where she spent a few days.

Gorden Sent returned to his home in Council Bluffs yesterday after spending a few days with his aunt, Mrs. N. E. Loudon.

Mrs. Frank McGovern left Sunday for Omaha where she was called by the serious illness of her brother, John Weinberger.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Payne left today for Los Angeles, Calif., where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Hansen left Sunday for Omaha where they were called by the death of the former's grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Reynolds returned to their home in Peats, Colo., yesterday after visiting at the Howard Curtis home.

"futile." In that county it was found that the actual savings effected by the highway commissioner were more than double the amount of his salary.

NIGHT SCHOOL STARTS WORK

NATIONAL AND STATE OFFICERS ATTEND THE OPENING EXERCISES HERE

A crowd that packed the Franklin auditorium to capacity attended the opening exercises of the North Platte Night School and applauded while local and visiting speakers told of the wonderful interest shown here. The High School Cadet band opened the program with several selections which were roundly cheered. R. D. Birge as music master led in a number of spirited songs and then Superintendent Littell led in several cheers. The speakers were introduced by Superintendent Littell with appropriate remarks. O. H. Thoelecke as chairman of the business men's committee, Mrs. George Frater, chairman of the woman's committee; Fred Ouimette, chairman of the railroad committee; Mrs. J. L. Roddy, chairman of the general committee of thirty; E. R. Goodman of the board of education; A. J. Hill for the railroad men spoke. C. A. Fulmer, Nebraska director for the National Board of Vocational Education closed the program with a rousing speech, praising the work of the local committee. He stated that according to population, North Platte has the largest enrollment in night school of any city in the United States. Following the last address the classes which are to meet on Monday night were directed to go to their respective rooms for consultation with the teachers. Following is a part of the teachers approved for the classes which will be organized. It is expected that many more teachers will be needed and announced later:

Typewriting—Mrs. Esther Robeson Penmanship—Miss Munsinger, Mrs.

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Millinery—Miss Celeste Crawford.

Bookkeeping—Frank Smith, R. D. Birge.

Auto Mechanics—Ira LeMaster, Roy Calhoun.

Mathematics—George Meyers, E. L. Stephens, Hershey Welch.

Salesmanship—John Edwards.

Air—Asa Snyder.

Valve Setting—E. T. Casey.

Car Repairing—Robert J. Hill.

Electrical Engineering—C. R. Moroy.

Machine Working—Harry McEvoy.

Welding—Maurice Guillaume.

Poultry—Robert Jandebour.

People taking the following subjects will meet tonight in the Franklin auditorium: Car Repairing, Cooking, Advertising, English, Bookkeeping, Home Nursing, Mathematics, Mechanical Drawing, Poultry, Trade Millinery, Welding. The following classes will report directly to their rooms: Auto Mechanics, Room 139 Franklin building; Sewing, Room 110 Franklin building; Shorthand, Room F, Central building; Typewriting, Room F, Central building. People taking the following subjects will report Wednesday night: Electric Engineering, Girls' Gymnasium, Battery Study. Enough people have registered for Manual Training and it is possible a class will be opened in that subject.

The altar guild of the Episcopal church will meet this evening at the home of Mrs. H. C. Brock.

Charles Faubrow and Israel McDougall were arraigned in county court Saturday on the charge of stealing from the bunk house of A. C. Combs. They plead guilty and were bound over to district court. They await their trial in the county jail.

The Holley Music House, located in the Masonic building, has purchased the Victor Victrola dealership from the Roberts Music Co. After February 1 the Holley Music House will be headquarters for the world renowned Victorolas and Victor records.

George North was taken into custody by the city police yesterday for being drunk. Following the purchase of a pint of booze at 211 Dewey street, an argument was started and North was thrown from the house and picked up by the city police. He stated that he would testify against the house in police court today. Mrs. Beal and Alfred Wayman were arrested as inmates of the house and await trial in the county jail. The 8-year-old daughter of Mrs. Beal is in the charge of Police Matron Mrs. Jack McGraw.

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The debating class of the Senior High school is using the magazine room at the city library as its headquarters for study and reference. The library offers its facilities to such organizations and is glad to have them come to it for help.

BASKETBALL SEASON OPENS

SEASON TICKETS ARE BEING SOLD THIS WEEK FOR OPENING GAME FRIDAY

The North Platte High school is to start the 1922 basket ball season with a game on the home floor. Lexington High school will play here next Friday evening. There will be a boys and a girls game. Superintendent Littell has appointed Frank Smith as faculty manager of athletics and Mr. Smith has arranged a schedule that covers some of the best schools of the state. It will be the aim of the North Platte management to get into the Class A teams at the state tournament. The squad is showing up well under Captain Locke with Healey, Shaner and Yost of the last year regulars and Bunnell, Pease and Shilling of the regulars. New men who are showing up well include Rector, Weber, Pitman and Hubbard. It is not unusual to have three full teams out at practice and plenty of older heads to help. There will be at least ten games in the regular schedule of the boys' first team. At each game there will be a preliminary game. A season ticket to the ten regular double headers will cost \$3. The season ticket sale started last night. Purchase of a season ticket entitles the buyer to \$5 worth of games and gives the team the support which it is entitled to. High school pupils get a cheaper rate.

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