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SHORT STORIES OF PEOPLE AND THINGS

ITEMS OF INTEREST ABOUT RECENT HAPPENINGS IN THIS COMMUNITY

A. A. Reed, state high school inspector, visited the schools Thursday. He remarked on the phenomenal growth of the High school since he was here four years ago.

Miss Bertha Brown, who has been directing the play, "Miss Bob White" for the E. Y. P. A., will leave this afternoon for Pittsburg, Kans., where she will direct the same play.

Jos. Glasser was taken before the insanity board yesterday and given a hearing. He will be taken to the Hastings asylum for treatment if the right arrangements can be made.

The Gothenburg boys and girls basketball teams will play the North Platte boys and girls basketball teams this evening at the Franklin auditorium. The Brady school is coming in a mass to attend the game.

The Alma High school basketball team will play the North Platte High school team Saturday night at the Franklin auditorium. As a preliminary to this game Brady and Maxwell will play off a disputed game.

Frank Campbell who is accused of being an accomplice of Ellis in a recent hold-up here, was taken into county court and given a preliminary hearing yesterday afternoon. He was bound over to the district court and bail fixed at \$2,000.

H. G. Hewitt, of Omaha, is in the city this week perfecting the new savings plan in which the banks have entered. Mr. Hewitt is field manager for H. O. Wilhelm & Co., state agents for the Northwestern National Life Insurance Co.

The Lincoln County Bankers' Association will meet in North Platte on Wednesday, Feb. 22. This is a legal holiday and the men can leave their business better than on other days. The association includes a number of bankers in other counties adjacent to Lincoln county.

Registration in the night school is progressing nicely. Out of the first hundred that were given the opportunity to register Wednesday, ninety registered for the second term, besides several from outside the night school. This is possible in a great many classes as the work is individual and can be taken up at any time.

Mrs. Hetta Johnson passed away Thursday morning at the home of her son, Herman Johnson, who lives nine miles southeast of the city. Mrs. Johnson was 83 years old. The funeral will be held Sunday at 2:30 from the

PROPOSE TO CHANGE THE NAME OF TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB

At the regular monthly meeting of the Twentieth Century Club last Tuesday afternoon, it was proposed to change the name of the club to the North Platte Woman's Club. This proposal will be voted upon at the next regular meeting. The new name is said to be more in harmony with the work and purposes of the club than the one the club now has. It is said a majority of the members favor the change.

Herman Johnson home. Interment will be made in the cemetery four miles south of the Johnson farm.

William Davidson, John Opela and John Radberg were arrested at Ogallala on a liquor charge and after being released by Judge Tewell were taken in hand by federal agents and brought before Commissioner Woodhurst of this city. He bound them over to the June term of the Federal Court and they gave bail; Opela for \$1,000 and the others for \$500 each.

The Legion Auxiliary is planning a dance for the evening of Feb. 22. It is to be one of the big social dances of the season according to their expectations. Tickets are on sale at Jay's confectionery, the Rexall, Smith-Johnson and Rincker Drug stores and Donaldson's cigar store. The dance will be held in Legion hall and the proceeds will go toward the American Legion building fund.

The regular monthly meeting of the Twentieth Century Club was held at the home of Mrs. W. E. Starr last Tuesday afternoon. A good attendance of members is reported. W. J. Hendy gave the principal talk of the program, speaking on "The Lincoln Highway." Mrs. Edw. Burke read in the singing giving special attention to the song "Everybody Neighbors" which was brought here from the state convention. Mrs. F. Cotterell presided. A nominating committee was appointed consisting of Mesdames Blalock, Rector, Tout, Cumming and McReynolds. It will report at the next meeting.

A number of Lincoln County citizens attended a meeting at Ogallala Wednesday at which irrigation matters were discussed. The farmers in the west part of the county are anxious to get irrigation and are asking to come in on the canal which is to supply the south side or to get in on a canal being built by a private company west of here. This concern is known as the Tri-County ditch since it supplies Duell, Keith and Perkins counties, and it was probable that other meetings will be held to clear up the situation.

Mrs. Wilson Alexander left for Torrington Wyo. Thursday morning to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. James Shaw.

ITEMS ABOUT THOSE WHO COME AND GO

LOCALS AND PERSONALS OF OUR HOME FOLKS AND OUR VISITORS

Mrs. W. A. Brooks of Hershey shopped in the city Wednesday.

J. E. Sebastian left for Sidney yesterday to transact business.

Mrs. A. D. Riddle of Oshkosh was a Monday shopper in the city.

Lee Carroll left for Kansas City yesterday to transact business.

O. L. Hill of Big Springs transacted business in the city Thursday.

Attorney Tibbets was a business caller in the city Wednesday.

Joe Rauch Sr. left Thursday for Lewell to transact business.

Minnie Wise of Cozad transacted business in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. George Wooden returned to her home in Scottsbluff Thursday.

Mrs. Stephen Baldwin spent Monday in Sutherland visiting friends.

Adella Elge of Gothenburg spent Wednesday shopping in the city.

Charles West of Belgrade is transacting business in the city today.

L. C. Baskins spent Thursday in Arthur transacting legal business.

Percy Musham, Gothenburg transacted business in the city Saturday.

C. R. Stryker of Sutherland transacted business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. C. Sawyer left for Choyent Friday to visit friends for a few days.

M. L. Peterson of Gothenburg transacted business in the city Wednesday.

Miss Edith Stenner is off duty at the J. C. Penny Co. because of illness.

Clarence Bruce will arrive this afternoon to visit friends in the city.

Mrs. Will Scovell of Maxwell transacted business in the city Wednesday.

J. E. Sterns of Morrill, Neb., transacted business in the city Thursday.

A. W. Kruger of Gering spent yesterday transacting business in the city.

H. A. Cain of Lisco is spending the day in the city transacting business.

Morris Gregory of Hastings was in the city Thursday transacting business.

J. W. Manle of Holdrege spent Thursday in the city transacting business.

Dr. Newman of Wallace was in the city Tuesday on professional business.

J. F. Beck of Wallace was in the city Tuesday to receive medical treatment.

Mrs. C. R. Morey left for Hastings Wednesday where she will visit relatives.

Frank Carey of Grand Island transacted business in the city Wednesday.

James Wood of Scotts Bluff was a business caller in the city yesterday.

E. F. Sullivan of Wallace spent Wednesday transacting business in the city.

Will Horner of Wallace was in the city Wednesday to visit his daughter, Gertrude.

W. E. Lyon of Grant was in the city Wednesday to receive medical treatment.

Mrs. A. H. Terrill returned to her home in Maxwell after visiting Mrs. Ed. Clarke.

Amelia Bateman of Sutherland is spending this week in the city visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lucas of Larime, Wyoming visited in the city Saturday and Sunday.

Hugh Schoonover of Kearney spent yesterday in the city transacting business.

Albert Riciger of Maxwell was in the city Wednesday to receive medical treatment.

Mrs. H. H. Rimes of Ogallala was in the city Tuesday to receive medical treatment.

Mrs. George Soltey of Maxwell was in the city Wednesday to receive medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Thompson of Hershey transacted business in the city Wednesday.

Rev. C. F. Koch spent several days this week in Omaha looking after synod business.

S. E. Simms of Torrington, Wyo., spent several days attending to business in the city.

Clarke LeDoyt arrived from Grant today, called by the death of his sister, Adele LeDoyt.

MASTER BUILDERS CUT WAGE SCALE FOR WORKMEN

The following resolution was passed at a recent meeting of the Master Builders of North Platte: Resolved—That in as much as there have been sharp reductions in many lines of merchandise and also a general decline in the prices of different classes of labor, it is only right and just that the wage scale for the different trades in North Platte be reduced accordingly, in order to induce the prospective home owner or investor to build or make that improvement. Be it further resolved: That we, the Master Builders of North Platte, reduce the wage scale of all crafts twenty percent for the coming year, same to become effective immediately.

LOCAL BANKS JOIN NEW MOVEMENT PROMOTING THRIFT

All of the North Platte banks have united in a movement to promote thrift and saving, which movement has been worked out by the Northwestern Life Insurance Co. The complete announcement is being published in the advertising columns of this issue. As we understand the plan it asks the depositor to make a small monthly deposit in the bank of his choice. These deposits with the interest which is paid thereon will get the depositor to the goal of a definite amount saved in a definite length of time. If a person wants to save a thousand dollars during the next ten years, he puts a certain amount in the bank each month and at the end of ten years he draws out a thousand dollars. And during this time he has had life insurance protection to the amount of a thousand dollars. The plan seems to be a good one, the banks are ready and the need for systematic saving is pressing almost everyone.

Mrs. Montgomery, who is vice president of the Rebekah lodge arrived today to attend a party given by the lodge members.

A boy was born Thursday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clark of this city. He is reported to be doing nicely and so is the mother.

The Christian Endeavor of the Christian church held a business meeting in the church parlors Tuesday and decided to support a home Evangelist in Africa.

RECENT BUSINESS CHANGES IN CITY

SEVERAL NEW MEN ON OLD PLACES AND SOME OLD MEN IN NEW PLACES

Among the business changes of the week, none equal in general importance the passing of the Coates Lumber & Coal Co. and its absorption by the Walrath & Sherwood Co. of Omaha. The change is being made today and will mean much to the future of this vicinity if things go as planned.

Another change is made in the closing out of the stock of the North Platte Equity Association. During the past two weeks this has been accomplished at private sale and yesterday the doors did not open to the public, there being not enough stock left to pay clerks. No financial settlement has been effected yet but it is said there will be some loss to the stockholders. The Equity did not fail nor go into the hands of a receiver but simply quit business.

Len Bailly has bought the interest of Harry Hamm in the Metropolitan pool hall. Mr. Bailly is an old timer here and well known having been engaged in various business enterprises from time to time. Mr. Hamm has not yet announced his future plans.

Another change which has taken place this week is the purchase of the bowling alley at 221 E sixth by Leo L. Anderson. This hall has been under several managements during the past year and was last owned by Amos L. Ross. Mr. Anderson came here with the Midway Motor Co. and was connected with that concern until it was purchased by the Midwest people several weeks ago. He has many friends in the city who will look for his success.

NEW SCHOOL BUILDING IS TO BE DEDICATED THIS MONTH

The new Platte Valley school building will be formally dedicated on Friday, Feb. 24. Appropriate exercises will be held during the day and the ladies will serve a supper in the evening. Everyone is invited.

DEATH ENDS A LONG AND HEROIC FIGHT FOR LIFE

Miss Adele LeDoyt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. LeDoyt, of this city died early this morning from effects of pneumonia. She has been ill for about six weeks and frequent announcements from the sick room have been alternately favorable and discouraging. Miss LeDoyt was the youngest child in the family and the only one at home. She was born here and has spent her whole life in North Platte. After graduating from the High school she associated herself with The Tribune and was city reporter up to the time she became ill. She had a wide acquaintance and was universally liked. During her last illness she showed great bravery and made a wonderful fight. No word has been received as to the funeral arrangements.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION BY MASONS

The fourteenth anniversary of the dedication of the Masonic Temple masons on Febr. 22 at the temple. All masons and their families are invited to be on hand at 8 o'clock when the program begins. There will be dancing for those who dance and special entertainment for those who do not dance. At 11 o'clock there will be refreshments.

The North Platte Legion won its fourth consecutive game Wednesday night when it defeated Shelton Legion by a score of 34 to 30. A tie at the close of the regular playing time, did not break until the end of the second extra period when Haligan by a brilliant dribble the length of the floor shot the basket from a difficult angle with an easy side flip. The Shelton team showed good form and fans say it was the best game of the season. The locals play at Sutherland tonight.

Do not lose your family picture record, by letting the picture you have made. We have some new equipment for the making of copies and can give you better prices than in our more busy seasons. Brooks Studio.

J. W. Rozenantz, who has been very sick for some time is reported a little improved and prospects good for his being around again before long.

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