

HOME SWEET HOME
by S. Booth
AUTOCASTER

DONALD, GO TO THE BOARD AND WORK THIS PROBLEM SO THAT THE CLASS MAY SEE.

NOW PUT IT DOWN AS I GIVE IT TO YOU. IF A FARMER HAS FOUR THOUSAND BUSHELS OF WHEAT—

AND SELLS THEM AT SIXTY CENTS A BUSHEL, WHAT WILL HE GET?

4000 BU. x \$.60 = AN AUTOMOBILE

REV. ADAM STUMPF

The following clippings were made from a lengthy article which appeared in the news paper of his home town. Rev. Stumpf was one of North Platte's pioneers.

Dr. Stumpf was born in York township, July 7, 1854. He received his preliminary education in the public schools of the township and at the York county. After teaching for a short time in the schools of the county he entered Gettysburg college and was graduated with the class of 1878. He entered the theological seminary at Gettysburg and was ordained in 1881. In 1903 he was given the degree of doctor of divinity by Susquehanna university.

The young minister was married in October, 1881 and in December of the same year assumed the pastorate of the Rossville charge. He served this charge until 1885 when he was assigned to the North Platte charge, as a missionary. During his five years of service at that charge, he built a church and otherwise advanced the growth of the congregation. It was during this period that he became acquainted with Col. Cody and other noted western pioneers. In 1890 he accepted a "life call" to Quickel's charge which he served until the time of his death.

Dr. Stumpf leaves his wife and the following children: Earl A. Stumpf, prohibition officer of that state; Mrs. H. S. Crouse, Littlestown Adams county; Eugene I. Stumpf, Verona, Pa., and Miss Florence Stumpf, at home.

During his entire career of 41 years as a minister of the Lutheran church, Dr. Stumpf served only three charges.

He was ordained as a minister in 1881 and was called to the Rossville charge. His next charge was at North Platte, Nebraska where he served for a period of five years as a missionary and his third and last charge was the Quickel's charge.

Although complete statistics of his activity as a pastor could not be obtained it is safe to say that Dr. Stumpf, during his 41 years in the ministry, officiated at approximately 1,500 weddings and many more funerals. His record of service in the Quickel's charge, compiled in 1915 upon the celebration of his 25th anniversary as pastor of the charge, shows that he had, at that time, baptized 2,929 infants and 203 adults. In the same period he had married 943 couples and had confirmed 1,413 members. During those 25 years he delivered 1,842 sermons and 1,890 addresses. He made 15,810 visits and travelled more than 80,000 miles. His travels in a buggy totaled 65,356 miles. During that period he also traveled 9,969 miles by train and 3,241 miles by trolley. No records of his work in the North Platte charge or of the past seven years in Quickel's charge are available.

Dr. Stumpf, in addition to his active work as pastor, also took a lively interest in civic and community projects. His friends were numbered by thousands. Among his warm personal friends were included the late Col. William F. Cody (Buffalo Bill) several great Indian chiefs and numerous other noted and picturesque frontiersmen. Dr. Stumpf was the author of a book entitled "The Secret of the Canyon" which depicted in a realistic way the life of the western frontier in the late 80's and early 90's. He was also a regular contributor to a number of church publications. He was historian of the West Pennsylvania Synod of the Lutheran church.

While serving as pastor of the North Platte charge, Dr. Stumpf also served as president of the Nebraska synod of the Lutheran church. For many years he was chaplain of the local branch of the Union Veteran Legion, an organization composed of three year service men of the Civil war. For a period of approximately 15 years he served as chaplain and trustee of the York cadets. He was president of the board of trustees of the York county academy and also a member of the board of examiners at Gettysburg college.

While serving the Nebraska charge Dr. Stumpf delivered a lecture on the "Battle of Gettysburg" which attracted people who lived more than a hundred miles distant from his church. Many other interesting stories of frontier life were told from time to time by the veteran pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Stickler returned this morning to Yoder, Wyo. Mr. and Mrs. Stickler were enroute from Omaha and Grand Island. They spent several days in North Platte visiting friends. Mr. Stickler has charge of the new road work between Lyman, Neb., and Yoder, Wyo.

J. J. WILSON—DENTIST
OPPOSITE McCABE HOTEL, OVER STAMP'S BAKERY. PHONE 71.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Jones came this morning from Hinkley, Ill., where they had been spending the winter to visit at the L. Leyboldt home. They were enroute to their home in Hershey.

Mrs. Chas. Bogue and daughter Emma returned Sunday from Grand Island where they spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bogue.

FARM LOANS

Come in and see me when in need of Farm Loans. At the present time I can make a few Farm Loans.

T. O. SWENSON
UNION STATE BANK

POEM BY UNCLE JOHN

MY NEIGHBORS

We run across folks everywhere that's full of superheated air and who, by various hooks or crooks, would fain impress us by their looks.

But I confide in mighty few—only folks that I live neighbors to. I allers pride the bosom friend, who has a willin' ear to lend. Who digs around me when I'm stuck, an' helps me steer for better luck; who comforts me when I am blue,—the man that I live neighbors to.

To tell the truth, I ain't afraid to lend my hoe, or rake, or spade, or kitchen-tool, to drive a tack,—because I know they'll fetch 'em back an' thank me for 'em when they're through,—the folks that I live neighbors to.

Sometimes I think about the place where sinners go that's saved by grace. An' wonder what the Jedge will say, when souls that's perfect come his way. I'll bet he lets 'em go right through,—these folks that I live neighbors to.

OLD TIMERS' CLUB

18. GEORGE A. AUSTIN, North Platte. Came to Lincoln county in 1874. He is a retired locomotive engineer and is pensioned by the Union Pacific for long and faithful service.

19. MRS. GEORGE A. AUSTIN, North Platte. She came to this county with her husband in 1874.

20. ARTHUR C. HOWARD, 809 East Fourth street, North Platte. Was born in North Platte, July 27, 1869. Is a Union Pacific conductor out of here.

21. MRS. E. W. WRIGHT, North Platte. Came to Lincoln county in 1886 from Wisconsin.

22. JOS. T. MURPHY, North Platte. B. & B. foreman for the Union Pacific. Came to Lincoln county in 1888.

23. MRS. J. T. MURPHY, North Platte. Came to North Platte with Mr. Murphy in 1888.

24. GEORGE HATFIELD, North Platte. Came to Lincoln county in 1879.

25. MRS. GEORGE HATFIELD, North Platte. She came to this county in 1868, being then Jessie Emmons.

26. J. C. HAMILTON, Wellfleet. He came to Lincoln county in 1886 and worked for Max Beer on the Medicine creek. He has been a resident ever since.

27. JOE MILLER, Maywood, Neb. Came to Wellfleet in 1891 and had an interest in the Wellfleet Argus, which was published there in the early 90's.

28. FRANK HIBNER, North Platte. Came to Lincoln county in 1873. He is still active.

29. MRS. FRANK HIBNER, North Platte. Came to Lincoln county in 1892 and has lived here continuously since that date.

30. MRS. ADDA KOCKEN TURPIE, North Platte. Moved to North Platte with her father, A. O. Kocken in 1875. Is now teaching in the North Platte city schools.

NOTICE OF TAKING UP ESTRAY

Taken up by the undersigned, 4 horses, near the stock yards, County of Lincoln, State of Nebraska; on the 26th day of March 1922: two bay geldings, weight about 1300 pounds; one black gelding, weight about 1300 pounds; one bay mare, weight about 1200 pounds.

Dated this 28th day of March 1922. (Signed) J. E. STEVENS.

We are selling our entire line of fine cotton Japanese kimonos at \$4.75 each for a short time. Hotel Palace Bazaar.

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Glen Moore
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Charles Roberts
Arthur Soltow
Floyd Vermillion
Clarene Whitehead
Simon Thayer
Ike Lamplough
Everette Wells
Roy Thompson
Fred Bosh
James Anderson
Homer Fisher
Oren Groves
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Charles Leininger

FOURTH WARD ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas, 405 West Ninth street, entertained at their home Saturday night at a dance which was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Eberly Thomas of Cheyenne. Fifty-five were present. The hostess served the refreshments.

Water Cornwell entertained a few friends Saturday evening at a card party. Gladys Cornwell, June Perkins and Violet Lawson assisted in serving the refreshments.

Leslie Rork, one of the Union Pacific passenger brakemen out of North Platte is spending a month's vacation in Los Angeles and Long Beach.

Twenty-five friends and neighbors were entertained at the Roy Lannin home last Saturday night, the occasion being in honor of Mrs. Lannin's birthday. The guests presented her with a towel shower. Progressive High-Five was the entertainment, and Mrs. Asa Cornwell was given a perculator for first place among the women. Mr. Lawson won first place among the men. Splendid refreshments were served.

Lester McConnell returned to his home Saturday after spending the past week in North Platte receiving medical treatment. Several weeks ago a car ran into a truck that Lester and several other people were riding in and Lester was thrown from the car, breaking his arm near the elbow.

FOR SALE

Choice lot of young Red Poll bulls at farmers prices at

PAYNE'S DAIRY FARM

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NOTICE
I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Mrs. Robert L. Lewis, after the date of this notice, as she has left my board and bed.
March 24, 1922
Robert L. Lewis,
Maxwell, Nebr.



Graduation!

The end of the school season is only a few weeks away. That means graduation and commencement for some.

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