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CONFESSES SETTING FIRE TO OWN HOME

DEPUTY FIRE WARDEN AND COUNTY ATTORNEY SECURE EVIDENCE

This morning Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cheney, 712 South Vine, made a complete confession to setting their home on fire last Sunday night and again Monday morning. The story told by the Cheneys is to the effect that they needed money to send Mrs. Cheney to the hospital and that they could not meet the payments on the house. They filled one or more trunks with their most valuable property and quietly took them away from the house on Saturday evening. Late Sunday night they started a fire in the house. The alarm was turned in and the firemen succeeded in putting it out without much damage. Early Monday morning the fire was again started while one of them was away. When the other returned, the inexpediency of the matter caused them to turn in the alarm and a second time the house was saved. The fire department boys found fire in five or more places and reported the matter and Deputy Fire Warden Butcher responded and the arrest followed. Charges of arson will be filed today.

The first part of next month a number of Shriners will leave for Hastings where a Shrine ceremonial will be held. A special train will leave here and Shriners of Grand Island will join them enroute.

Watch the bargains in the Whittaker Millinery and Specialty Shop April 15th, 506 Locust St. Under General Hospital.

Dollar Day Special

Two Tunkston Spark Plugs, value \$2.00. One Spark Plug, porcelain, value 30 cents. All for \$1.00.

Hendy-Ogier Auto Co.

LOCAL BROTHERHOOD ANNOUNCES FORTIETH ANNUAL MAY PARTY

Division 88, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers announces its 40th Annual May Party to be given at the Lloyd Opera House, Monday, May 1st. The engineers and friends look forward to this annual event from year to year and it has come to be one of the out-standing social events of the spring months. Tickets are one dollar, including tax, for those who do dance and 25c for those who wish to watch the others dance.

BODY OF OVERSEA HERO TO BE BURIED AT FORT McPHERSON

The body of Elmer W. Shaner, who was killed in action in the second battle of the Marne, was expected in Maxwell last night or today. The funeral services in charge of Maxwell American Legion post, will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m. at the Baptist church and immediately following that committal services will be held at Fort McPherson National cemetery, where interment will be made. Elmer was the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Shaner of Maxwell. Ex-service men in uniform are requested to meet at Legion hall, Maxwell at 1:30 p. m.

One of the business changes which is significant in automobile circles is the combining of the North Platte Buick Co. and the Logan Buick Auto Co. under one roof. These two firms will maintain their identity one being jobbers and the other retailers. The move of the Logan company was made to cut down expense and to centralize the Buick interests in North Platte. The two firms can use the same show room and in other ways conduct the two businesses in a more efficient and economical way.

E. H. Gange of Denver and formerly freight agent here visited friends for several days while enroute to his home from Omaha.

Miss Gladys Hansen left for Council Bluffs yesterday morning where she will spend a week visiting relatives.

We have a limited number of suit and dress hats formerly priced up to \$10.00 that we will close out at the reasonable price of \$4.50 for Saturday. Mrs. Arellia Whittaker, Millinery Shop, 506 Locust St. Under General Hospital.

CITY COUNCIL RE-ORGANIZED

LABOR CANDIDATES TAKE SEATS OF THOSE NOT EMBORSED

The city council met in special session Tuesday evening and after allowing some bills and attending to some other unfinished business it adjourned sine die. The retiring members, Messrs. Coates, Cantlin and Leininger left their places and the new members, Messrs. Murphy, Owens and Smallwood took their seats. The best of good will was shown as the retiring members shook hands with the new members and wished them well. Councilman Diener was re-elected. Councilman Howard McMichael was unanimously re-elected president of the council after which Mayor Evans announced the following standing committees: Ordinances, McMichael, Diener and Owens. Fire, Murphy, Diener and Smallwood. Water, Simon, Hughes and Murphy. Sewer, Owens, Smallwood and Langford. Streets, Hughes, McMichael and Simon. Gas and Light, Langford, Murphy and Owens. Public Buildings, Smallwood, McMichael and Hughes. Finance and Purchase, Diener, Simon and Langford.

Professor E. C. Chilcott of Washington D. C. and of the chief office of the dry land investigation department was in North Platte this week.

Saturday Special, Cash Market. Bone and roll beef roast for Easter, 20c per lb. I. L. Stebbins, Phone 26.

On account of two members of the Grant debating team having the flu, it has been necessary to postpone the debate until April 22. As the Grant team is composed of three very capable speakers and coached by two able debaters, the local team welcomes the chance of another week of preparation.

The room which is being vacated by the Logan Buick Auto Co. will be occupied by Julius Pizer with a store. No announcement has been made of the extent of the new store but it is reported that Mr. Pizer will make this new store a credit to the North side and to himself. Hemphill's Printery will return to the old location where the Pizer store now holds forth. These business changes will be completed shortly after the first of May.

Do not fall to take advantage of the big sale of infants and childrens dresses. Luncheon sets, aprons, and waists at the Specialty Shop, April 15th, 506 Locust St. Under General Hospital.

SHORT STORIES OF PEOPLE AND THINGS

ITEMS OF INTEREST ABOUT RECENT HAPPENINGS IN THIS COMMUNITY

Arthur Manke, a 16-year-old boy from the Cozad vicinity was picked up here last Monday by local officials and is being held in the county jail, charged with horse stealing.

Anyone who does art work aside from needle work is asked to notify either Miss Whittaker or Mrs. McReynolds so they can make arrangements for the Art Exhibit.

The actual work of mixing concrete started yesterday and the curbing for the paving is being put in place. The system used is interesting and efficient.

The Chamber of Commerce band had its first rehearsal Wednesday evening. There were twenty-one present with several who had not made plans to be on had then.

Special music at the Lutheran Church at 11:00 Sunday will include Organ prelude; Anthem, "Who Shall Roll Away the Stone;" Chant, "Gloria in Excelsis;" Anthem, "Christ Our Passover;" Chant, "Agnus Dei;" Chant, "Sanctus;" Organ postlude.

Mrs. Peter Burke of Maxwell died at her home early this morning. She leaves three daughters, Mrs. Oliver Carroll, Mrs. Marston Van Doran and Mrs. Francis Barnell all of this city; and three sons. No funeral arrangements have been made.

Louis Rayone an early settler of Lincoln county died at his home south of Maxwell Wednesday. The funeral services were held from the Maxwell Catholic church. He leaves three sons and one daughter, one of the sons, Fred Oumette, lives in this city.

C. S. Huffman, signing himself, "Grandpa," writes of the birth of a nine-pound boy to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. May of Anaheim, Calif., on April 5. Mrs. May was formerly Miss Irma Huffman, North Platte friends extend congratulations to mother and father, not forgetting to felicitate the grandfather and grandmother at the same time.

John Hinman, who is 82 years old, died at his home yesterday morning. He leaves a daughter who lives in California and three nephews, all living in this city. The funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at the

MEMBER OF LOCAL CATERING FIRM TO BE WED IN OMAHA

Invitations are out announcing the marriage of Miss Tassia Constantine to Sam R. Poulos of this city at Omaha. The ceremony will take place at 6:00 p. m. on Sunday, April 23 at the Henshaw hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Poulos will be at home at 820 E. Fourth Street in this city after May 1. Mr. Poulos is a member of the firm of Poulos Bros, proprietors of the Oasis.

Episcopal church. The Masonic Lodge will have charge of the services at the grave.

The joint scoutmasters meeting recently held provided for the organization of all boy scouts who have received one or more merit badges into Honorary Troop One. This troop will meet only a few times each year in a social event but these meetings will be well worth while.

The body of Fred Gill, who died in France, arrived here last night and was met at the depot by an escort of American Legion men. It was taken to the Derryberry & Forbes undertaking parlors where it will remain until Sunday when it will be taken to Arnold, where the funeral services will be held and interment made. Fred was a brother of Mrs. S. R. Derryberry of this city.

The bad break in the water mains under the pavement near the corner of Sixth and Dewey came from a service pipe which was not used and of which no one knew. When the city bought the water system the company from which the purchase was made took all the charts and surveys so that the city started out with no records as to service lines laid. This is one which was only discovered when it had rusted through. The repairs were made by the water department at its own expense.

The directory of Lincoln county pure bred live stock owners was crowded out of this issue for lack of time to get it ready. The list is being published from time to time and it will then be put out in the form of a little booklet. There are still a number of breeders of horses, cattle, sheep, hogs and poultry in this county from which we have not heard. The directory will not be complete until every such breeder and owner has sent in his list. We just want the owner's name, his address and the kinds of pure bred live stock which he owns. There is no charge.

FIFTY-BARREL MILL HAS BEEN ORDERED

LOCAL GRAIN CONCERN SHOWS CONFIDENCE IN LINCOLN COUNTY

The Nebraska Mill & Elevator Co. has placed an order for a fifty-barrel flour mill. The machinery is expected to reach here before the first of May. Preparatory work was begun yesterday at the plant on East Front street and work will be rushed so that the mill can be in working order as soon as possible. Officers of the company expressed themselves as very well satisfied with the prospects and they are confident that the mill will be a paying proposition from the start.

C. H. White, general agent for the Leish & Poley railroad between Buffalo and New York was in North Platte Wednesday transacting business. This railroad has four main line tracks and railroads were recently installed in all their Pullman cars.

The North Platte Woman's club met Tuesday afternoon, April 11, at the home of Mrs. Lane, 303 South Sycamore. A letter was read asking for a gift toward the purchase of headquarters at Washington, D. C., for the General Federation of Women's clubs. The club voted to give \$100.00 for this object. Mrs. Roy Mehlman had charge of the afternoon's program, the subject being "Our Flag." Mrs. W. J. Tiley read an address by Franklin K. Lane, entitled, "The Makers of the Flag." Mrs. Roy Mehlman read a paper on "The History of Our Flag," and Mrs. R. F. Cotterell one on "How We Secured Recognition of the Flag." A eulogy to the flag by Mrs. W. E. Starr completed the program.

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