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EDITORIAL

Elsewhere we are printing an article entitled "The Value of My Past School Year". We have received a number of such articles on different subjects recently but have not been able to print them because they do not cover the ground which we attempt to cover with the Tribune. This article however is on a popular subject and so we are giving it space. Accompanying it was a very fine report entitled "The Ancient World" written by Louise Spurrier of the Nichols school. It is too long for publication here, but it is a fine piece of work and shows much ability on the part of the student. Mrs. Harvey Toillon is the teacher who is giving these young folks this fine training.

C. D. Robinson has been state examiner of county treasurers during the past four years and during that time he has made a number of trips to North Platte and has made a thorough inspection of the books of the county treasurer of Lincoln county. Last Saturday Mr. Robinson told the editor that it has been a real pleasure to visit North Platte on the different occasions when his duties called him here because he has always found the affairs of the treasurer's office in such good shape. He had just completed the inspection of the books for the past year and found them correct and in good shape. He said that for the year ending May 15, 1922 the treasurer's office had collected \$1,036,621.67 and had spent almost all of it with the balance on hand. The editor considers this a pretty good record for Mr. Souder and his assistants and congratulates them on their efficiency.

It was during the recital which the pupils of Miss Ottenstein's music class were giving Wednesday evening. A number of children had given their



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selections and one after the other were taking their turns doing well. Each was excited as his or her turn came and with fluttering pulse and flushed cheek passed up through the group of friends present and took the place at the piano. It was an important moment to each one of them. They had worked hard in preparation. Each wished to make a creditable showing for himself or herself and for the teacher. One little girl, possibly no more nervous than the rest but just as intent on doing well took her place and started in. She was going along fine when the screeching siren at the water works plant, started up. The air was clear there was no wind and the scream of that whistle seemed louder than ever. The piano was lost to hearing. The little girl kept bravely on but not even those nearest could get a sound of her music. A little longer than usual and a little louder it seemed and it finally ended with a shrill shriek when the listeners at the recital settled back into their seats. A little girl's piece had been spoiled but what did that matter as long as someone in responsibility is having his way and ordering that nightly nightmare to continue to blow at nine o'clock. It certainly seems a shame.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Seeberger entertained the graduating class of the St. Patrick's high school Wednesday evening at a six o'clock dinner. The tables were beautifully decorated in the class colors, rose and gold. A bouquet of bridal wreath tied with rose and gold formed the center piece. Favors in rose and gold adorned the table. The guests were: Zeta Donnegon, Jennie O'Connell, Lillian Kopf, Violet Kopf, Pearl Brodbeck and Parnell Quinn.

After the dinner the guests indulged in music followed by a social hour.

Miss E. Ruth Pyrtle of Lincoln was in the city Tuesday. She spoke before the Woman's Club in the afternoon. Miss Pyrtle is a candidate for State Superintendent of Nebraska. No woman has held this office in Nebraska yet although Colorado and many other states have had women for state superintendents for a long time. Miss Pyrtle is not in politics as school superintendents and judges are on what is called the non-political ballot. Miss Pyrtle is a candidate from the west, having been raised and graduated from the high school at Lexington. She taught one year in the North Platte Junior Normal and one summer in the Lincoln County Teachers' Institute.

The Kihelochee Campfire Girls entertained at a six thirty dinner on Tuesday evening in honor of their mothers. The dinner was prepared and served by the girls of the campfire. Table decorations were purple and gold, the campfire colors. A large basket of lilacs formed the center piece and small individual gold baskets with lilacs were used as favors. After the dinner a ceremonial meeting was held. At this time Emma Buchanan, Mildred Hirsch, Ruth Rector and Ida Payne were awarded the Firemakers degree. The girls presented Mrs. Koch a silver mesh bag to show their appreciation of the interest she took in their campfire work.

A MESSAGE FROM THE CIRCUS MAN TO OUR READERS SAYS:

One of the most annoying things to the animal keepers in charge of a menagerie is the surprising ignorance and indifference of the majority of the people toward the beasts and birds of the forest. There are but few zoological collections in the country, and about the only way that a majority of the people have to study natural history from real life is upon the occasional visit of some big show.

The management of Gollmar Bros. Circus and Trained Wild Animal Show, paid a fabulous sum of money for a baby hippopotamus direct to the U. S. Government who conducts the zoo at Washington, D. C. It was named Little Vic. It is a magnificent specimen of the river horse and a most interesting source of study for the student of nature. Very few people can tell whether a hippopotamus is web footed or whether it has teeth. The average person does not know that it is an animal allied to the elephant, that it has short thick heavy body and short legs, terminated by four toes, has a short tail and that it feeds upon herbage exclusively.

Little Vic already knows his value and he knows that the public is not nearly as well acquainted with him as it pretends to be. When he first joined the circus he seemed annoyed that the pesky, cheap, sick, treacherous monkey attracted more attention than he did. Although he is not shown the attention and homage that are his due, Little Vic has ceased to show disappointment but lies contentedly in the large tank of water in his cage, and in parade he will make "goo-goo" eyes at the crowd or open his mouth because someone told him to do it.

Little Vic is a jealous little newcomer, but he will soon become just like the rest of the animals, contented with his lot.

Gollmar Bros. Circus will be in North Platte on Saturday, June 3 and Little Vic will be led around the hippodrome track as a special feature.

Miss Tillie Blankenburg and niece Charlotte Reynolds will leave in a few days for San Diego to visit at the home of Miss Blankenburg's mother, Mrs. Blankenburg was a former resident of this city.

Sidney Cone, of Syracuse, New York, is visiting at the Chas. Cornell home while enroute to Green River, Wyoming where he has accepted a position with Julius Cornell.

Mrs. Hattie Killian returned to her home in Rock Springs, Wyo. after spending several days at the home of her sister Mrs. Joseph Fillion.

James Lidell will leave Sunday morning for Grand Island where he will visit his sister Mrs. Pat Lewellen for several days.

Victor, Victorolas, Holley Music House. George Harlen and mother Mrs. Harlen arrived last evening from Green City, Missouri to visit at the home of Chas. Coghill and family.

Do you want a new \$50 bicycle free? Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Wheeler returned to their home in Cheyenne after visiting at the home of their daughter, Mrs. R. H. Dill. Mrs. Dill accompanied her parents home and will spend several weeks visiting there.

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METHODIST 11:00 "Memorial Tribute." 8:00 Union service at Presbyterian church.

LUTHERAN 11:00 "The Greatness of Faith." Congregational meeting after the service.

BAPTIST 11:00 "The Strength of Weakness." 8:00 Union services at the Presbyterian church.

The club rooms in the K. C. building were crowded, with a number standing, when the pupils studying piano with Miss Ida Ottenstein, gave their recital Wednesday evening. They were assisted by Paul Harrington who sang three numbers and never sang better anywhere. The program went with spirit, none of the selections being too long and all being well rendered. Applause followed each number and congratulations followed the close of the program. The following pupils took part: Freda Johnson, Lena Mary Stone, Alice Ruth Simms, Fern Eshom, Wayne Rosencrantz, Francis Shom, Wayne Rosencrantz, Francis Neville, Harold Roddy, Helene Lambert, Mary Nelson Neville, Ruth Atchey, Hazel Kolbo, Esther Forstedt Catherine Garrison, Lorna Lambert, Elmer Coates, Dorothy Voseipka and Lawrence Block.

Mrs. C. J. Pass and daughter, Mary Elise and sister, Miss Agnes Goodin will leave Wednesday for Lebanon, Ky. Mrs. Pass will spend five or six weeks visiting her parents. Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Newton left last evening for Omaha where they will spend a few days transacting business.

At the annual meeting of the legal voters of school district No. 87 of Lincoln County, Nebraska, which will be held at the school house on Monday, June 12th, 1922 at 2 p. m. the proposition will be submitted to the voters of raising the budget of one thousand (\$1000.00) to conduct the school for the coming year. This will require a levy of not less than seven mills nor more than twenty mills on the total assessed valuation of said district.

Signed: C. R. Smith
Director.

At the annual meeting of the legal voters of school district No. 97 of Lincoln County, Nebraska, which will be held at the school house on Monday, June 12th, 1922 at 2 p. m. the proposition will be submitted to the voters of raising the budget of one thousand (\$1000.00) to conduct the school for the coming year. This will require a levy of not less than seven mills nor more than twenty mills on the total assessed valuation of said district.

Signed: John Simms
Director.

day, June 12th, 1922 at 2 p. m. the proposition will be submitted to the voters of raising the budget of One Thousand (\$1,000) dollars to conduct the school for the coming year. This will require a levy of not less than seven mills nor more than twenty mills on the total assessed valuation of said district.

Signed: Joel Alsson
Director.

At the annual meeting of the legal voters of school district No. 107 of Lincoln County, Nebraska, which will be held at the school house on Monday, June 12, 1922 at 2 p. m. the proposition will be submitted to the voters of raising the budget of one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars to conduct the school for the coming year. This will require a levy of not less than seven mills nor more than twenty mills on the total assessed valuation of said district.

Mrs. Lillie M. Briggs
Director.

At the annual meeting of the legal voters of school district No. 47 of Lincoln County, Nebraska, which will be held at the school house on Monday, June 12th, 1922 at 2 p. m. the proposition will be submitted to the voters of raising the budget of eleven hundred (\$1,100.00) to conduct the school for the coming year. This will require a levy of not less than seven mills nor more than twenty mills on the total assessed valuation of said district.

Signed: C. C. Bowman
Director.

At the annual meeting of the legal voters of school district No. 131 of Lincoln County, Nebraska, which will be held at the school house on Monday, June 12th, 1922, at 2 p. m., the proposition will be submitted to the voters of raising the budget of one thousand (\$1,000) dollars to conduct the school for the coming year. This will require a levy of not less than seven mills nor more than twenty on the total assessed valuation of said district.

Signed: E. J. Damoode
Director.

At the annual meeting of the legal voters of school district No. 71 of Lincoln County, Nebraska, which will be held at the school house on Monday, June 12th, 1922, at 2 p. m., the proposition will be submitted to the voters of raising the budget of Three Hundred (\$300) Dollars to conduct the school for the coming year. This will require a levy of not less than seven mills nor more than twenty mills on the total assessed valuation of said district.

Signed: John Simms
Director.



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