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SHORT STORIES OF PEOPLE AND THINGS

ITEMS OF INTEREST ABOUT RE- CENT HAPPENINGS IN THIS COMMUNITY

The Kiwanis Club will welcome the services of any man in the erection of the Campfire lodge next Thursday.

The first bomb is exploded at 11 tomorrow, the next at 12:30, the next at 1 p. m. and at 1:30 two bombs will announce the opening of the race.

The total number of marriage licenses issued by County Judge Woodhurs during the month of June was 20. During June last year he issued 27.

The race track is said to be in the best of condition. It has been floated and rolled and floated and rolled until it is as hard as a dirt track can be, and level as a floor.

County Treasurer Souder reports the total number of 1922 auto licenses issued to July 1 as 2,750. On July 1 the fee for auto licenses is cut in two and over forty licenses were issued on Saturday.

At a meeting of the DeMolay held Wednesday evening the following officers were elected. Theodore Payne, master councillor, Robert Hoagland, senior councillor, Dale Godwin, junior councillor, Fay Pearsley, scribe, and Shirley Hogg, treasurer.

The pulpit at the Lutheran church was supplied yesterday morning by Rev. J. N. Ervin, pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Dayton, Ky. Dr. Ervin is an uncle of Mrs. W. J. Hendy and is making a visit at the Hendy home.

All of the drivers are here except Tom Moon, who had an unfortunate



L. & S. Groceteria.

STORE ENTERED AND MONEY TAK- EN FROM CASH REGISTER SUNDAY

The store belonging to S. F. Clayton on south Maple Street was entered Sunday afternoon and all the money removed from the cash register. Small boys were said to have climbed in a window in a back room and entered the store. No trace has been found yet as to the identity of the boys.

accident and damaged his car so he cannot race. He has been excused by the local racing board, otherwise he would have to make a showing before the national board of the A. A. A. before he could race again.

Clare McNeal, the three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McNeal had two fingers on her right hand severed last Thursday. She was playing with some neighbor children and one of them pushed her into the lawn mower. She put her hand out to protect herself and caught it in the mower.

The striking blossoms about the city this week are the hollyhocks. Many fine varieties in all the bright colors have been planted within the last few years and their large size and brilliant coloring is adding much to the decoration of many otherwise dull places.

Owing to the Legion pavement dance getting started before dark tomorrow evening the concert by the Chamber of Commerce Band has been advanced one-half hour and will begin at 7 o'clock. The band has prepared a good concert, the program for which is printed elsewhere and everyone is invited to be on hand and enjoy it.

Considerable interest has been aroused among the men along the Union Pacific by the announcement that a trainload of thirty-five cars of electric washing machines will go through North Platte next Thursday bound from Peoria, Ill. to Los Angeles. The train carries over 2,000 wash machines. It is called the A. B. C. washer and it is not known that it is sold in North Platte.

A proposition is on foot to combine the Platte Valley and the Hershey ditches by using the same dam and headgate and diverting the water into the other ditch after it has been taken out of the river. A number of Directors of the two companies visited the headgates recently and inspected the plant as proposed and it looked good to them. They say it will save expense and lower the cost of upkeep.

Piano tuning, Holley Music House.

BAND CONCERT

at Court House Park
Fourth of July
7:00 p. m.

Chamber of Commerce Band

Earl Stamp, Director.

Opening—"Star Spangled Banner" Key
March—"Rotary" Hahn
Patriotic Medley—"American Patrol" Meacham
Popular Melody—"The Sheik" Snyder
Overture—"Revelry" Jewell
Fox Trot—"Gin. 'Gin 'Ginny Shore" Donaldson
Valse Oriental—"Moonlight on the Nile" King
Popular Air—"Angel Child" Silver
"Mazaniella" from Jacinthe Robyn
Popular Air—"Leave Me with a Smile" Burtnett
March—"Royal Australian Navy" Lithgow
Serenade—"Autumn Romance" King

LINCOLN COUNTY TAX PROBLEMS EXPLAINED

A SERIES OF TIMELY ARTICLES DEALING WITH COUNTY AND CITY

In our last issue we compared the school tax paid in North Platte per \$1,000 assessed valuation with that paid in other places of this size upon the same valuation. It showed that North Platte paid more than any of the cities of a larger population and more than any of the next cities just below it in population. Some have complained that this is not a fair comparison and so we are taking another comparison for study in this issue. We are going to take the per capita paid in school taxes. In North Platte the total amount of school tax paid divided by the population gives \$18.50 which is called the per capita school tax. In the four cities in Nebraska having a larger population than North Platte the per capita school tax was as follows:

Omaha	\$12.00
Lincoln	\$12.42
Grand Island	\$13.30
Hastings	\$12.80
North Platte	\$18.50

In the four cities just smaller than North Platte in population the same figures are:

North Platte	\$18.50
Beatrice	\$14.20
Fremont	\$10.00
Norfolk	\$15.20
Kearney	\$13.50

It is thus seen that North Platte per capita tax is considerably above that of the cities both larger and smaller. These figures are for the school general fund only and are sent out by the Department of Finance of the State of Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Tilley leave Wednesday for the mountains. They will make the trip by auto.

FOR SALE

Choice lot of young Red Poll bulls at farmers prices at

PAYNE'S DAIRY FARM

South Dewey Street

ONLY ONE JUNE HOTTER THAN THIS IN THE PAST TEN YEARS

The monthly summary of weather conditions for the month of June shows that the average temperature for the past month was 73 degrees which has only been exceeded once in the past ten years. That was in 1918 when the average was one degree higher. The highest during the month was 99 while the highest on record is 105. The total rainfall for the month was .87 which is less than any year since 1912. The normal for June as taken from the records of the local station for the past 48 years was 3.25. The number of clear days was 23, partly cloudy 1, cloudy 6.

NOTED STATESMAN TO APPEAR ON LOCAL CHAUTAUQUA PLATFORM

Congressman Richard Yates of Illinois will be one of the leading attractions on the North Platte Chautauqua. He was recently nominated for the third term as United States congressman from Illinois. He was at one time governor of Illinois and has been prominent in civic and church affairs for many years. At North Platte he will probably deliver his lecture entitled, "The Five Smooth Stones from the Brook" because in this he can easily keep away from actual political questions and can yet place before his hearers, some of the outstanding ideas on present day problems.

E. O. Garrison of this city was appointed assistant Trainmaster of the Fourth district and took up the work last Saturday. This is a new position created because of the need for additional supervision of the district. On account of the track extensions on the north branch, the mileage has increased to such an extent that an assistant was deemed necessary and Mr. Garrison was appointed. He has been a passenger conductor out of this terminal for a number of years.

Miss Mary Ellsworth spent the week end with her parents in Hershey.

Mr. and Mrs. Lin. Huddard of Northport are visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Duke for several days.

Mrs. J. V. Romigh and children left last evening for points in Massachusetts where they will visit for several weeks. They will be accompanied by Victor who has been in a hospital in Omaha for several months.

NEW TRAINMASTER TO SUCCEED W. C. SHELVER HAS BEEN APPOINTED

C. D. Gudgel of Laramie has been appointed to the vacancy made by the promotion of trainmaster Shelver to be the assistant superintendent of the Wyoming division. Mr. Gudgel has been trainmaster at Laramie and considers this a promotion. He took up his duties here the last of the week.

BOY SCOUTS COMPLETE THREE DAY HIKE TO HERSHEY AND RETURN

Twenty-five scouts with Executive Stephens and Assistant Scoutmaster Linton Mills returned Friday afternoon from a hike to Hershey and return. They left here Wednesday morning and reached the grove near Hershey in the afternoon. The next day they played a base ball game with the Hershey boys and won by a score of 22 to 2. The next morning they started home and arrived here in the afternoon. They took twelve pup tents along for the boys and two for the leaders. The only forage they secured was mulberries of which there were an abundance in the grove where they camped.

THE TREND IS TOWARD SATUR- DAY AFTERNOON SUMMER CLOSING

Most if not all of the lawyer's offices in the city of North Platte were closed last Saturday afternoon. This was not because of a strike or lockout but because the lawyers decided to quit work at noon on Saturdays during the months of July and August. In many cities this has been the case for some time and North Platte attorneys are simply getting in line with those of the larger centers. The county judge's office is closed at noon on Saturday and it is probable that Clerk Prosser will do likewise.

The scouts are asked to be on hand Thursday to assist the men in building the lodge at the campfire girls' camp grounds. They can do many a turn that day which will help the men and assist in getting the building in shape for early use.

Julius Hoga returned the last of the week from attending the Colorado school of Mines at Golden. He went out with a party of students to do some required work in surveying right after the regular term closed and when the was completed he came on to North Platte where he will assist his father during the rest of the vacation.

Mrs. Warren Vickery returned home yesterday from Omaha where she visited when that was completed he came on home by her niece Peggy Swartzlander who will spend the summer with her.

WHO'S WHO OF THE CANDIDATES

A SHORT SERIES OF ARTICLES ABOUT THE PRIMARY CANDIDATES

In this the first of our series of four articles on the candidates for the various local offices we tell of the candidates who are seeking nomination for the state legislature. For the senate the democrats and progressives did not make a filing but there are two candidates for the republican nomination. The district consists of Lincoln and Dawson counties. Chas. E. Allen of Cozad and S. J. Koch of Hershey are the men in the running. Mr. Allen is a merchant and Mr. Koch is a farmer. Both are old timers in their respective communities.

For state representative one is to be elected from the city of North Platte and one from the whole of Lincoln county outside of the city. Thos. Healey is the democratic candidate in the city while E. S. Davis is the present incumbent and he is again a candidate. V. Von Goetz is also running on the republican ticket while Thos. Axtell is the progressive candidate. Mr. Healey is in the insurance business. Mr. Davis is manager of the North Platte Feed Store. Mr. Von Goetz is a retired photographer and Mr. Axtell is a railroad employee. In the county outside of North Platte Scott Reynolds and A. J. Tracy are opponents for the republican nomination while John Burke of Maxwell is the progressive candidate.



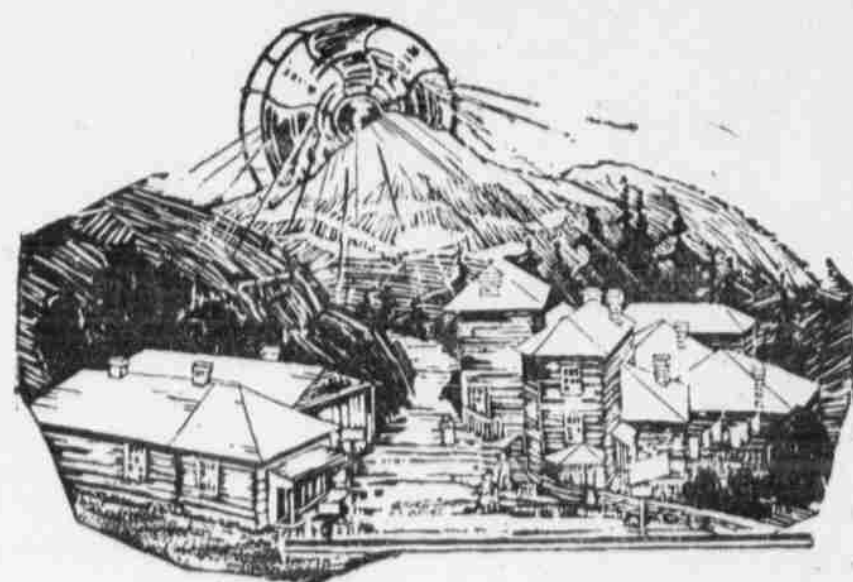
Milliard F. Hosler

candidate for

SHERIFF

at Republican Primaries.

Has been a resident of Lincoln county for 42 years.



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Cool waves from an electric fan do much to relieve the oppressive heat waves of these stuffy July days. Why sit and suffer from the sun's rays when for a few dollars you can own a handy little motor driven fan. The cost to operate it is very low—a fraction of a cent per hour. We have all sizes and models. Come in and make a selection now before the hot weather "gets" you.

North Platte Light & Power Co.

VAUDEVILLE AT THE KEITH THEATRE Two Days, July 4 and 5.

THE TWO ARTIST

A variety of Acrobatic feats, doing head balancing and hand balancing and ground tumbling and juggling.

JIMMY MIMIC DUNN

Comedy imitations and whistling. From his early youth Mr. Dunn has been gifted with remarkable talent of mimicry. He often received reprimand from his parents for what they called unnecessary noises. Mr. Dunn is internationally known and his novel ideas of presenting his talent almost leads you to believe that you are taking a trip to the farm. At the conclusion of his offering you are almost sorry that Mr. Dunn is done (Dunn).

PASCAL PERRY AND CO.

Presenting one of the fastest roping and shooting acts presented to the public from any stage. Mr. Perry is a native of Arizona and has won several championships for roping and shooting and is ably assisted by Miss Lillian Perry.

ALL STAR TRIO.

Harmony singing consisting of three good looking young men who are always sure to get a hand and can deliver the goods. They could be a head liner on any bill.

Also a good picture show will be shown.

First show starts on July Fourth at 5:00 p. m. and will run continuously. The blizzard fan will be running thru all the picture.

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