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Want Column

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FOR SALE—Two or three loads of seasoned hedge post—10 and 15 cents each.—Wm. Gilmour, route 1, Plattsmouth, Neb. 70-2

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LAND AGENTS JOIN US—The Kansas City, Mexico & Orient Railway now has a completed line through Kansas, Oklahoma and a portion of Texas, opening up a new and rich territory, comparatively undeveloped.

An Immigration Department is now being organized and active, reputable land agents are wanted. Act quick; write F. A. Hornbeck, Land Commissioner, Kansas City, Missouri. 70-3

WANTED.

WANTED—To trade, a fine piano for a good single driving horse—Plattsmouth Music Company. 63-1f

SALESMAN WANTED—To look after our interest in Cass and adjacent counties. Salary or Commission. Address Lincoln Oil Co., Cleveland, O., 69-3

MEN WANTED QUICKLY—By big Chicago Mail Order House to distribute catalogues, advertise, etc., \$25.00 a week. \$60.00 expense allowance first month. No experience required. Manager Dept. 500, 385 Wabash Ave., Chicago, Illinois. 69-3

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A Good Sale.

Chancellor Phillips' sale amounted to about \$3000. One young brood mare brought \$250.00. Who said the automobile would ruin the sale of horses?

League Social Postponed.

The Epworth League social which was to have occurred Friday evening at the home of Roy and Lillian Thompson has on account of the inclemency of the weather been postponed until next Friday.

Commercial Club To Meet.

The NEWS-HERALD is in receipt of the report of the proceedings of the Fourth annual convention of Commercial clubs of the state which met at Grand Island last year. It comes in a neatly printed pamphlet of 50 pages. The secretary Mr. A. F. Buehler expresses the hope that the Plattsmouth Commercial club will be represented at the next annual meeting which occurs at Norfolk on the 17th of March.

Union Waking Up.

The following from the Union Ledger would seem to indicate that our southern neighbors are arousing to the necessity of concerted action in things municipal.

"This town needs a lighting plant, waterworks and a town hall, and it is time now to begin the work of securing one or all of those things as a part of our spring improvements. The only way to get them is to get together and pull together. Why not get busy now?"

PURELY PERSONAL

Items of Interest Concerning the Going and Coming of People You Know

Hon. H. A. Schneider made a business trip to Lincoln Wednesday.

Mike McCool, was down from Omaha and spent Sunday with his family.

Mrs. B. Seidlitz has gone to Woodbine, Iowa, for a visit with relatives.

A. A. Wetenkamp made a business trip to Fairmont the first of the week.

Col. Robert Wilkinson departed for his home at Berlin Thursday morning.

Miss Carrie Allison of Murray left for Norfolk to visit relatives Wednesday.

Mrs. Henry Laboda went to Lincoln Saturday to spend Sunday with relatives.

Mrs. J. W. Crabill is spending several days visiting with relatives in Omaha.

Mrs. J. W. Johnson went to Lincoln last week and will visit her sons for a few days.

J. F. Bock, of New Castle, Wyo., is the guest of his father John Bock of this city.

Miss Mary Sharp has gone to Omaha, where she will take a course in a business college.

William Volk left Tuesday for Pekin, Illinois, on business connected with the estate of his father.

Mrs. Fred Range and daughter, Edith, are visiting with friends and relatives in Havelock.

Mrs. W. S. Chalfant has returned to her home in Omaha, after a visit with friends and relatives in this city.

Mrs. C. Gravitt and J. H. Gravitt and wife and child, of St. Joe arrived

Wednesday to visit relatives for a time.

O. F. Sattler, of Bartlett, Ia., who has been the guest of L. N. Cummins and family returned to his home Saturday.

W. H. Taylor and family, returned to their home at Plainview after a pleasant visit with relatives in this vicinity.

T. Frank Wiles and family spent last Sunday with Mr. Wiles' parents, Capt. Wiles and wife, returning to Omaha Wednesday.

H. B. Waldron, of Waterloo, Neb., was a Plattsmouth visitor Saturday. Mr. Waldron is in the banking business in his home town.

H. W. Hunter, formerly of Pacific Junction has moved his family to South Bend where he will engage in farming the coming year.

Rev. Lampe, of the Omaha Theological seminary at Omaha preached two able sermons at the Presbyterian church in this city yesterday.

Miss Mary Bird who has been recuperating her health while visiting her parents in this city, left for Park College Wednesday to renew her studies.

John Karvanek living north of the city was a pleasant caller on the NEWS-HERALD Thursday. Mr. Karvanek is a thrifty Bohemian gentleman and enjoys farm life.

George Everett and Mr. Irwin of Liberty were Plattsmouth visitors Wednesday, and called on the treasurer at the court house. George says it costs a good deal to live on a farm these days.

Home From Iowa.

D. A. Young of near Murray, was in the city today, having driven in to meet his wife who has been making a visit with her parents at Moorehead, Iowa.

To Buy New Machinery.

A. L. Becker, of Union, stopped over awhile in the city Tuesday and made the NEWS-HERALD a pleasant call. He was enroute to Omaha to purchase some additional machinery for his elevator.

Will Inspect Bridges.

County Commissioner Friedrich went to Louisville and met the other members of the board Wednesday. A general inspection of the bridges of the west end will take place as fast as it can be done.

Sustains Severe Accident.

Mrs. August Hesse, mother of Henry Hesse, slipped and fell on an icy sidewalk Friday morning and sustained a fracture of the right ankle. While the injury is exceedingly painful it is hoped that no complications may arise and that the lady may soon be about again.

List of Letters.

Remaining uncalled for in the post office at Plattsmouth, Neb., Jan. 25, 1909.

Mrs. Henry Brockman (pkg), Mrs. H. G. Ginny (pkg), Mrs. Minnie Heitzhausen, Mrs. Bertha Maier, C. L. Brom, Oscar Eledge, Andrew Hicks, Chas. Hanbeck, Master Thomas Heinrich, Kaiserl Deutsche Konsulat, Henry Lautenschlager and F. C. Robinson.

These letters will be sent to the dead letter office February 8, 1909, if not delivered before. In calling for the above, please say "advertised" giving date of list. C. H. SMITH, P. M.

Better Buy Spanker.

We understand that a petition is being circulated which will be presented to the town council asking the passage of curfew ordinance. In towns where the curfew law has been tried it is looked upon more as a joke than anything else. The parents who cannot control their own offspring ought not expect the town officials to herd them up at a certain hour each night and send them home. The council had better buy a few patent "spankers" and present them to the parents who cannot keep their children off the streets after 9 p. m. A curfew bell or whistle has no terror for the average young American of today.—Tabor (Ia.) Beacon.

An Enterprising Firm.

In another column will be found the advertisement of the Plattsmouth Stock and Grain company, of which Frank R. Gobelman is the manager. They keep posted at all times the latest markets, and facts pertaining to the same, which they are pleased to furnish any one wishing to know regarding the daily movements of the prices of grain stocks or provisions, also the receipts of live stock, and the movements of all kinds of commercial commodities, as well as the conditions of the growing crops. The wire service of the company is unsurpassed, and their facilities for the execution of orders excellent. Mr. Gobelman is a very agreeable gentleman and will look after the interests of the customer which shall be entrusted to his care.

NOT OF MUCH USE FOR EITHER.

Stove Too Large for Chapel and Too Small for Cemetery.

The heating of churches in winter was by no means general in the early days of New England, the warmth and fervor of the worshippers' piety supplying to some degree the lack of bodily heat.

For some years after its erection there was no means of heating the little St. Augustine's chapel in South Boston, and Father Lynch, one of the early pastors, often had a very cold ride to the chapel in winter. He accordingly suggested to the parishioners that a stove would be a nice thing to have. The parishioners raised the money and bought the stove, which was of generous size and quite large enough to heat the whole chapel. In fact, it was too large, for the men who brought it were unable to get it in through the door, and so they left it just outside in the cemetery, where it was standing when Father Lynch arrived the following Sunday morning. He took in the situation at a glance and said to the little group of parishioners who were shivering in the cold: "Friends, I think you must have misunderstood what I said last Sunday about the stove. We want to heat the chapel, and not the cemetery."

Rats' Cold Weather Retreat.

Many animals snuggle together for warmth in bitter weather—as the squirrels and the rats. Those who go rattling in hedges and dells in the winter know they may try a dozen freshly-used burrows without finding a rat—when suddenly from a single hole the rats will come pouring out in a stream of frenzied fur. Twenty or more rats will be together in one hole.

They are clever enough to block up a hole on the windward side—to keep out the draught—so that when a rat hole is noted, newly stopped with soil, turnip leaves or grass, here is almost certain indication that rats are within. Like the squirrels they store food for winter—and the keeper may find it more difficult to secure his potatoes from frost than from the attack of the most numerous of his furred foes.

A Leading Question.

Superintendent McLaren of San Francisco's system of public parks was inspecting the work of restoring Union square to its former beauty, now that the little St. Francis has been removed.

"I'm for heaven' this un out; it's a bum little bush," remarked a gardener with a brogue.

"Which one?" inquired McLaren.

"You don't mean this beautiful little Scotch heather? All it needs is more water and it will grow as tall as you are."

"You're not so tall yourself, Mr. McLaren."

"Not extraordinarily so."

"I say, Mr. McLaren," reflected the gardener, thoughtfully, "did you ever try water yourself?"—San Francisco Chronicle.

Fire Alarm Sunday Morning.

Pete Carlson's chimney burned out yesterday morning, and for a time it looked as if the blaze was strong enough to endanger the whole building. Accordingly the fire alarm was turned in. But no particular damage was done.

TO SEND BACK SHIP'S SOUNDS.

Experiments with New Safety Device for Foggy Weather.

The United States government is experimenting in San Francisco bay with a safety device for foggy weather which is remarkable in the uniqueness of its idea. It is nothing less than a fog buoy which will make no noise of its own, but which will be expected to catch the sound waves of a vessel's whistle and echo them back across the water.

The buoy, or structure, is constructed of corrugated iron sheeting, placed on piles, and built in three wings placed at different angles. Each wing is 32 feet square.

The idea was given birth accidentally. There has always been much trouble in the upper part of San Francisco bay because the shore lights cannot be seen when the weather is bad. Pilots and skippers began to notice, however, how clearly the corrugated steel warehouses around Benicia returned the sound of their whistles, and for some time have been guiding their way along by the echoes. The government is confident that the new buoys will act in the same manner.

ILL OMEN OF SPILLING SALT.

Superstition Has Come Down to Us from the Ancient Romans.

Girls and boys have all heard, perhaps, that it is "unlucky" to spill salt, but that the evil effects may probably be averted by throwing some of it over your right shoulder. It is wonderful how old some of these superstitions are! This one about the salt, for example, came to us from the ancient Romans. Salt was regarded by them as an emblem of purification, and they always placed some on the head of a victim in sacrifice. If the salt were spilled in doing this, it was looked upon as a bad omen.

It is said that the Romans got the custom from the Jews, and after a while the spilling of salt on any occasion was regarded as unlucky. The custom of throwing a part of it over the right shoulder arose from their belief that anything pertaining to the right side was lucky, but to the left side, unlucky.

All Germicides Not Good.

Of late many countries have been making official tests as to the value of germicides. As a result it is declared that the public should be careful in the selection of a disinfectant, for there are in the market many which have no germicidal action whatever. Prof. Hewlett, as a result of his tests, says that not only is the public defrauded, but there is also a grave danger introduced when a person believed he was using something which would totally destroy germs and was thereby lulled into a sense of security when in reality no sense of security was justified. He claims that for many years past sanitary authorities have been living in a fool's paradise vainly imagining that the fluids they have been sprinkling around have been dealing death and destruction to all germs and bacterial intruders. His advice is that before buying a germicide the public should insist on receiving with it a copy of a report on its value by a bacteriologist or properly qualified medical man of standing.

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