

Excursion to Lincoln

Local Shop Men Take Day Off and Visit Capital City.

The local shop men's excursion train to Lincoln Tuesday was crowded and those in attendance at the meeting report a very enjoyable time. The men congregated at Coates Hall and headed by the M. W. A. band fell in line and marched to the B. & M. station where the train was waiting. Large banners were fastened on the engine, reading "Burlington Shop Employes, Plattsmouth, Neb."

The seven coaches were already partly filled and with the addition of the 164 men who marched down there, was a total of perhaps three hundred aboard the train, which departed at 11:30 amid the cheers from the passengers and music by the band. Denning Hiatt of the Olsen photograph Co., was on hand and took several pictures of the train.

The special returned to Plattsmouth at eight p. m. and the men marched up Main to Sixth street and broke ranks. At the auditorium in Lincoln addresses were delivered by Vice Pres. Willard, W. B. Stone and others interested in railroad matters, the speeches being well received.

Local shop men whose activity contributed to the success of the excursion were Frank Buttery, Victor Anderson, J. W. Bookmeyer, Frank Newman, Jos. Peters, Matt Joy, Harry Bartfield, Val Burkel, Master Mechanic Wm. Baird and General Foreman Hayes.

Mrs. Mary A. Rude of Mendota, Ill., arrived in the city last evening for a few weeks' visit at the home of W. L. Street. Mrs. Rude is an aunt of Mrs. Street.

Struck by Lightning

The farm house of Mrs. Thomas Sullivan south of Plattsmouth was struck by lightning Monday morning during the severe electric storm and though little damage resulted from the blaze and no one was injured the affair could easily have been very serious.

The bolt struck at the northwest corner of the house and though four children were asleep in the room directly below none were injured and but three were awakened.

Bert Satchel who lives in the house was at the barn milking the cows and said she heard the bricks fall. A little later upon returning from the house, where she had been sent for a saw, she told Bert the house was on fire. He immediately went to the house and was fortunately able to locate the blaze which he put out by the use of a half dozen buckets of water. The bolt seemed to travel to all parts of the house and anything made of metal with which it came in contact was partly melted while the woodwork was badly singed.

All of the wire screen around the large porch was ruined, while a spade leaning against the screen had one corner melted off. Also a ring varying in size from a pea to a five cent piece, was burned around each nail used in fastening the tin to the roof.

The members of Mr. Satchel's family and the owner of the house are lucky indeed to have suffered no serious loss. The building is insured in the Farmers Mutual of Cass county and Jacob Falter the secretary was notified at once and a meeting of the adjusters will be called to fix the amount of damages.

Miss Isabel Wiles was in the city Wednesday evening, having returned from Omaha where she had been on business.

Leaguers In Annual Session

District Convention of Epworth League was Most Profitable Meeting.

Rev. A. A. Randall and E. H. Wescott returned this morning from Tecumseh where they had been in attendance at the seventeenth annual convention of the Nebraska City district of the Epworth League. They report a most excellent and profitable meeting. Dr. Randall's two numbers on the program, "The Lamp and the Guide," were listened to with close attention, and the consensus of opinion was that they accomplished much good. The principal speaker of the occasion was E. A. Schell, president of the Iowa Wesleyan University and past general secretary of the Epworth League. He had many good things to say and he said them in a manner that was inspiring to all who heard him.

At the election of officers, Mr. E. H. Wescott of this city, was re-elected as president, and Auburn was chosen as the place for the convention to be held next year.

Stepped on a Rusty Nail

Miss Verla Schneider, eldest daughter of Wm. Schneider, manager of the Farmer's Elevator at Cedar Creek was in the city for a visit at the home of H. A. Schneider Wednesday.

Miss Verla says her sister Helen has a very sore foot as a result of stepping on a rusty nail. Dr. Worthman, of Louisville, who was called, thought blood poison might develop but applied the proper medicines, and the wound is doing very well at present.

See us for sale bills.

Maple Grove Happenings

Daily Comings and Goings of People you Know.

Special Correspondence.

Julius Engelke spent Monday in Murray.

Adam Schafer made a trip to Manley Thursday.

Joe Wagner made a business trip to Plattsmouth Tuesday.

Hammond Beck delivered hogs to Nehawka market Tuesday.

R. A. Young shipped cattle to the South Omaha market Tuesday.

Last Wednesday the wind blew down the large corn crib of W. H. Puls.

W. H. Puls and wife, and Mrs. Alf Gansemer made a trip to Weeping Water Saturday.

Don't forget to celebrate the 3rd at Murray and have a good old fashioned time.

Quite a number of this locality attended the platform dance at J. B. Dawson's Saturday night.

Marvin Fleming and wife left Monday for their home at Coleridge, Neb., after spending about a month at the home of Mrs. Levi Rusterholtz.

Our annual school meeting was held Monday night at 8 o'clock P. M. J. L. Young was re-elected, treasurer and W. K. Shepherdson was elected director to fill vacancy.

State Temperance Meeting.

The Nebraska Temperance Union hereby calls a meeting of representatives of the Temperance and Civic organizations of the state of Nebraska, to be held at York on July 8 and 9, 1909.

The first session will be held at 1:30 p. m., July 8, in the Methodist church. In the evening of that day a great public meeting will be held in the York Chautauqua Pavilion, and at 8:00 a. m., July 9, the final session will be held for summing up results and organization for vigorous work. Good speakers and music will be provided for all of these meetings.

The purpose of this meeting is to get all Nebraska Temperance agencies and forces more closely and effectively united for an immediate and aggressive campaign for County Option and ultimate statewide Prohibition.

Every man, woman and child in the state, who desire a part in the triumphant overthrow of the open saloon, is cordially and earnestly invited to attend and take part in this meeting. The only credentials required will be a willingness to help stamp out the infamous liquor traffic from our beautiful and beloved Nebraska.

York, famed for having never harbored an open saloon within her borders, has flung wide open her gates and awaits our coming with cordiality and a hearty welcome. Entertainment will be provided for all who attend, at very nominal cost, in the homes and hotels of that clean little city, known and respected for its hospitality and comfortable environments.

All roads will lead to York on July 8, and you are invited to be there and join in the mighty battle against our common foe, the shame of our nation and the enemy of our homes—the open saloon.

Dated at Lincoln, Nebr., this 23 day of June, 1909.

The Nebraska Temperance Union,
ATTEST: T. M. WIMBERLEY, Pres.
Frank A. Harrison, Sec.

Dry Weather Needed.

John McNurlin drove in from Culom this morning where he had been on a visit to his brother-in-law, W. H. Seybert. John was surprised to see so much mud here and states that but enough rain fell to lay the dust nicely in that vicinity. He says dry weather would suit the farmers best right now as small grain will be ready for harvesting as soon as corn can be laid by.

Clymer-Carr.

Mr. Pearly Clymer aged 22 and Miss Lulu Carr, aged 19, both of Greenwood, Nebr., were married at the court house by County Judge Beeson Wednesday.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Clymer and the bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carr, all prominent residents of Greenwood. The NEWS-HERALD joins their many friends in extending best wishes to the happy couple.

Acorn cigars 5 cents each. Smoke an "Acorn" and be happy.

Enjoy Fishing Trip.

Ed Lutz, and son Eddie and Dick Osborne, head clerk in the grocery department, made a hurry up trip out to Cedar Creek last Tuesday evening where they expected to slip up unawares on the black bass and croppie in the fish pond there and capture wagon loads of the poor unsuspecting things. Each gentleman had a large basket of lunch with him and upon being informed that there was a splendid hotel at Cedar Creek, acknowledged the fact but declared they would be too busy throwing out their tackle to go up town for supper. Ed had made arrangements with Conductor Johnson to stop the special train there and returned home that evening.

We have sought to have an interview with the boys since their return but for some unaccountable reason they are keeping close under cover. However, we learned from other sources that they developed a huge appetite, and were able to devour every crumb of their lunch; also that Ed, Sr., and Jr., each had several fine plump mosquito bites while the little bass gnawed all bait off of Dick's hook. Of course this is only hearsay and when the boys return from "Tall Timber" we will gladly correct any misstatements.

Incorporate New Company

The NEWS-HERALD Publishing Company has been incorporated with a capital stock of \$7000, with Ernest M. Pollard, Wm. L. Pickett and A. L. Tidd, as incorporators. The plant is to be put in first class condition. The business will be increased, and all kinds of printing will be handled. Considerable new machinery will be added. It is the purpose of the new company to publish one of the best newspapers in the state, and make the job department complete in every detail. This will be a paper of which the city of Plattsmouth may feel proud of. It will enlarge the field of printing business and give the city wider publicity. The policy will be to give Plattsmouth and Cass county the very best newspaper to be found in its field.

Married at St. Johns.

Wm. Swatek and Miss Josephine Yelinek were united in marriage in this city Tuesday morning by Father Shine of St. John's Catholic church. The church had been beautifully decorated for the occasion with roses and foliage. Promptly at 9 o'clock the bridal party entered and marched up to the altar in step with the strains of the wedding march where they were met by the priest who performed the ceremony in the presence of a large number of relatives and invited guests.

Miss Frances Hiber was bridesmaid and Chas. Yelinek was groomsmen.

The bride was exquisitely attired in dainty white, while the bridesmaid wore green. The groom and his best man were dressed in conventional black.

After the ceremony the bridal party enjoyed a splendid wedding breakfast at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Yelinek. The bride was reared in Plattsmouth and is one of Cass county's efficient school teachers. The groom is an energetic young man employed as a foreman in one of the departments of the stock yards at South Omaha.

The young people start their new life under very favorable circumstances and their many friends join NEWS-HERALD in extending best wishes for a happy and useful journey through life.

Another Auto.

Emmons Richey returned from a business trip to Omaha and other points Tuesday.

Emmons had recently sent in an order through the firm of Parmele & Barker for a fine Overland runabout and the machine was here when he returned home.

Chaffeur Barker took him for a spin or two down main street after which Emmons assumed control and handled the car like an old timer. The auto will save him many dollars in his business as well as afford him much pleasure.

Will Make Extended Visit.

Mrs. Amanda Brown and son Roy of Taylorville, Ill., arrived in Plattsmouth this week for a visit of several months with relatives here.

Mrs. Brown is a sister of L. B. Brown, of Rock Bluffs, and an aunt of Mrs. John Cory. As it has been thirty-two years since these relatives had met there was an affecting reunion.

Newsy Nuggets From Nehawka.

Cronology of Events at the Oyster Bay of Nebraska.

Special Correspondence.

Miss Carrie Allison, of Murray, is visiting with Mrs. D. C. West.

Miss Florence Todd was a passenger to Weeping Water Wednesday.

The Royal Neighbors held an ice cream social last Saturday evening with fair success.

The Entre Nous club were entertained at the home of Mrs. B. O. Tucker Thursday.

Wayne O'Day of Denton, Nebr., called on his father, T. J. O'Day, Monday morning.

At the school meeting Monday evening H. F. Kropp was reelected moderator on the school board.

Mrs. Maggi of Lincoln, who has been visiting with Miss Florence Todd returned home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Kate Nelson's new house is gradually nearing completion and will be the next addition to Nehawka's residences.

L. E. Stone and family of Cherokee, Okla., are paying a vacation visit to relatives in this vicinity. Mr. Stone, who is a banker was formerly the druggist at this place.

T. J. O'Day went to Plattsmouth Monday evening and from there went to Atkinson, Neb., on a visit to his uncle, J. H. Overton, who has a ranch near that place. Mrs. O'Day and Masters Ingle and Lester preceded him there about two weeks ago.

Messrs. F. B. Sheldon, F. L. Nutzman, and A. F. Sturm went to the county seat Tuesday evening to attend the stockholders' meeting of the Cass Land Co., who have 2865 acres of land near Lamar, Colo. This company has about 400 acres in wheat which looks as though it would make about twenty-five bushels per acre.

Ninth Birthday.

Tuesday, June 29th, was Miss Nora Livingston's ninth birthday anniversary and to assist her in celebrating the event, Miss Nora had six of her little friends spend the afternoon with her.

The principal amusement was derived from various games and childish pranks, which were entered into with much interest and enthusiasm by the little guests and which occasioned much merriment.

At an appropriate hour the little girls sat down to the birthday supper spread in the dining room and not the least of the many tempting dainties was the birthday cake, which stood in center of the table, lighted with nine candles.

Miss Nora was the recipient of some very pretty gifts, which will assist her in remembering the happy event. In the evening they attended the moving picture show at the Majestic theater.

A Big Corporation.

Attorney C. A. Rawls who has been visiting in the city with his family and friends for a few days departed Wednesday for Granada, Col., where he is now located as manager of the large ranch owned by the Cass Land Company. Mrs. Rawls accompanied him as far as Omaha.

Mr. Rawls has been actively engaged in farming on the ranch, and has one hundred acres of wheat all up fine and headed out, and three hundred acres of alfalfa which grows well there. Besides the splendid prospect for crops there are hopes of building of a line of electric road through the territory in which event the country would be quickly settled, and the large ranches divided into tracts suitable for men of ordinary means and sold.

Will Celebrate.

The Methodist Sunday school is making preparations to celebrate the great, grand and glorious Fourth on Monday, July 5, in an appropriate manner in the grove south of the ball park on Chicago Ave. Father Winn has been unanimously elected marshal of the day. There will be amusements of various kinds, but no fireworks of any kind will be allowed on the grounds. With their lunch in their baskets the members of the school and their friends will assemble in the park about 10 o'clock in the forenoon and will probably remain until about 5 in the evening, providing the weather is pleasant.

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