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## Trousers

Well I Should say so!

You ought to see the last bunch of new ones that came in. Over 200 pair and every one of them the best that's ever been shown for the money. They're DUTCHESS and that word speaks volumes when it comes to trouser satisfaction. There are more Dutchess trousers worn in this town, two to one, than any other make. Why is it? Simply because people have found them to be the best.

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#### Enjoy d Her Lecture.

The lecture last night at the First Methodist Episcopal church, delivered by Miss Ellen M. Stone, was a red letter event in the history of Plattsmouth. The edifice was filled to its capacity almost and the interest accorded the words of the lecturer was flattering. Miss Strong is a gifted speaker with a most pleasant personality. Her words which carried to all parts of the building were followed closely and all were sorry when she brought her remark to a close. She told in a graphic manner of her capture by Turkish brigands while passing through Macedonia and of the many hardships she met with before a generous country succeeded in having her liberated. She told of her travels by night and her confinement in secluded places in the mountains during the days of her captivity. She touched pathetically upon the birth of a child to a woman who was with her during the entire time of her imprisonment, of the payment of \$65,000 by the United States government for her ransom, but she never knew by whom the money was paid or who received it. She told of being taken with the woman and babe to a point near some city and being left there. In speaking of her captivity Miss Stone said that she never knew just where she had been taken. After being left near the city by her conductors another man soon arrived and accompanied them into town.

Before the speaker was introduced Rev. Austin delivered an eloquent prayer and lead in singing a few familiar hymns, Mrs. George L. Farley presiding at the organ.

While at Omaha today Secretary Wescott met Arthur Smith, president, and W. M. Burgess, Vice president of the M. E. Smith Co., who expressed themselves as greatly pleased with the manner in which our people were handling affairs at this place. They stated that they were ready at any time to have the machinery installed and were only waiting for word from here. The Daily News feels like taking off its hat to the bunch of local hustlers who are working so hard to obtain results. Their motto is "Do something for Plattsmouth, but do it now."

The Plattsmouth contestants for the World-Herald prizes are: Katherine Oliver 4,120, Marguerite Thomas 3,560, Janet Brantner 3,650, Marguerite Thomas 3,560, Frances Morley 2,520, Katy Cummins 1,280, Zelma Tucey, 1,280, Olga Sattler 1,000, Florence Hutchison 1,000.

#### Fagot Party Last Night

A Fagot party was pulled off last night by the P. E. O. at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Parmele and it was a little the best thing in the entertainment line we have heard of for some time. In the fireplace had been kindled a fire while the lights in and about the house were either turned completely out or very low and all kinds of ghosts and hobgoblins were to be seen. Stories were told that were blood curdling in their horrible details and as each story teller was called upon to do his particular stunt the creepiness was increased until it seemed as though there could be nothing more said that had not already been told, so far as the imagination could be stretched. J. M. Parks and W. C. Ramsey were at their very worst and that is saying a great deal, and they will have much to answer for. It was due to their efforts that many of the ladies were unable to sleep last night. There is a day of reckoning coming for those two men. There were lots of good, or ghostly things to eat and many weird stunts pulled off and it was all due to the notice over the fire place which read, "Don't grunt, do your stunt." That notice was followed literally. Mr. and Mrs. Parmele added to their fame as entertainers, last night, and again gave evidence to the well known fact that they are never so happy as when surrounded by their friends.

#### Basket Ball Games.

An enthusiastic crowd of rooters turned out Saturday night to the basket ball games and saw the sophomores slaughter the freshmen to the tune of 25 to 17 and the juniors turn the trick on the seniors by a score of 32 to 18. The game was intensely interesting and was replete with many brilliant plays. Next Thursday night the winners will contest for the championship and upon the same night the senior and junior girls will contest for supremacy.

#### Gas Light on This Evening.

The Nebraska Lighting Co. announce that the street gas lights will be turned on tonight. Only a week has elapsed since the company was notified as to the location of the several lights and they have displayed commendable zeal in pushing the work to prompt completion.

Mr. Bracken's sight seeing engine of the Alliance division was brought to the shops for a new cab and other improvements Friday.

### Newsy Wabash Correspondence

John Hess was an Elmwood traveler Wednesday.

Mrs. Hinds spent several days in Omaha last week.

Mrs. Van Emery and Murfin are listed with the sick.

The Omaha daily News agent was in town Thursday morning.

Wm. Caygill was at Elmwood a couple of days last week.

H. L. Richard returned from Colorado Friday of last week.

Mrs. A. G. Tabor is visiting her niece Mrs. George Hess the past week.

Mrs. Tuck Vandenburg was a passenger for Weeping Water Wednesday.

John Creamer and Miss Mable Van Emery drove to Elmwood Monday evening.

Miss Etta James, our teacher, spent Saturday and Sunday at her home south of Elmwood.

Mrs. Hulfish is visiting her daughter Mrs. Harry Parmenter in Saunders county this week.

We hope honest men will be elected to office next Tuesday, the mistake comes in putting up any other kind.

It was not Grace as reported last week but her sister Estel that is getting along fine at Peru, Estel is well now and returned to Lincoln.

#### Ladies Attention!

The ladies of Plattsmouth and vicinity will take notice that the millinery season is rapidly drawing to a close and our trimmer will not remain with us much longer; hence it will be to your advantage to get in for your needs in this line at the earliest possible moment in order that we may give you our best attention. We find ourselves heavily over stocked on swell trimmed hats and propose to cut prices to clean up before Thanksgiving. Of course our trimmer will remain with us as long as the necessity requires, and the matter is now wholly in your hands. Get in your order now and you will get the benefit of the services of our expert trimmer who is direct from the eastern markets. The Department Store, 21-2t M. Fanger, Prop.

#### James Skoumal Dead.

James Skoumal, aged 74 years, passed away in his home on West Main street Monday forenoon at 11 o'clock. He received a stroke of paralysis some seventeen years ago and had been in feeble health much of the time since, but one week ago was taken worse and gradually failed until relieved from his suffering. The funeral services will be held in the Bohemian church at 10:30 Tuesday forenoon, Father M. A. Shine officiating. His oldest son, James, died December 26, 1908. The deceased is survived by his wife and their following named children all residing in Omaha: John Skoumal, Mrs. Anna Baderer, Antone Skoumal, Mrs. D. E. Murray, Mrs. J. J. Yelinek. Mr. and Mrs. Skoumal have resided in Plattsmouth for thirty eight years and are well known and highly respected.

#### Still Coming.

Frank Sivey and family have arrived in this city to reside from Deadwood, S. D., he having been transferred to this city and will be employed in the brass foundry of the Burlington shops. Mr. Sivey and family and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Sivey, now residing in Englewood, S. D. Mrs. Frank Sivey and her three children departed Monday for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Grindle, in Tabor, Ia.

The Misses Bertha and Louise Streiwieser, who have been visiting friends in this city, departed Saturday morning for their home in Arnold, Neb.

### Mrs. Curtis Moore Dead

Mrs. Curtis Moore, aged 77 years, passed peacefully and quietly away in her home in this city Friday morning at 4:30 o'clock after a short illness.

Miss Emily G. Garwood was born in Logan county, Ohio, June 17, 1832, and was united in marriage to Mr. Curtis Moore in Milford Center, Champlain county, Ohio, February 22, 1854, and they came to Plattsmouth, Nebraska, in October, 1856, where they have since resided. Mrs. Moore became a member of the First Presbyterian church in this city, when the services were held in the old church where the Hotel Riley is now situated, and has lived a faithful and Christian life and was loved and highly esteemed by all who knew her.

The deceased is survived by her husband and one son, Llewellyn, who have the sympathy of the entire community in the loss of a kind and loving wife and mother.

The funeral services will be held at her late home Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and Dr. John T. Baird will conduct the same.

#### She's 104—Baby 71.

Mrs. Indiana Hogan, 104 years old, and her son, Lezi, 71 years old, whom she calls her baby, passed through this city enroute from Omaha to the Ozark regions, where they are going for her son's health.

Mrs. Hogan is able to recall the battle of Tippecanoe. Her father fought under General William Henry Harrison.

She said that she united with the Methodist Episcopal church when 10 years of age and had never had cause to regret it, as "Tis the old time religion and 'tis good enough for me." Mrs. Hogan early in life, contracted the tobacco habit and says that she now regrets it, for she is afraid that it will shorten her life.

#### One Son Killed, One Injured.

K. D. Clark of Weeping Water received a telegram informing him that his son Charles, an electrician, caught hold of a live wire while working on a telephone, repairing the wire, and received such a heavy shock as to cause him to fall to the ground dead. It was not learned just where in this state the sad accident occurred. As the father was about to take the train at Union Sunday to go for his dead son, who leaves a wife and two children, he met another son, William, who was just returning to the home of his parents from his home on Oklahoma, having been badly injured in a runaway accident.

#### And Now They Are Married.

It may surprise many of their friends at Plattsmouth to learn that Mr. Wm. Sharp and Miss Cora Walker were married today at Kansas City and are probably on their way to Florida and other southern points to enjoy their honeymoon. The happy pair departed at midnight Sunday, via the Missouri Pacific route for their Gretna Green having taken but a limited number into their confidence. Both contracting parties are well known here, where Miss Walker has lived the greater part of her life and Mr. Sharp also for many years.

#### Pleasantly Surprised.

Sunday afternoon Mr. Mark Steppat was pleasantly remembered by his numerous friends who gathered at his home loaded down with good things to eat, to help him celebrate in a fitting manner his 60th birthday. Those present were F. W. Nolting and wife, John Kauffenberger, F. H. Steppat, P. A. Meisinger, F. E. Lorenz, F. Siemoneit, Eddie Steppat, Willie Nolting, Misses Anna B. Deutch, Anna Steppat, Grace Nolting, Grace Matoush and Ella Nolting. The event was most pleasantly enjoyed by Mr. Steppat and his guests.

The case of the State vs. Barber was called in Judge Travis' court this morning. Barber is charged with having a wife in Ohio and another at Plattsmouth, contrary to the laws of the land. He plead not guilty to the charge and his case was continued to the next term of court, bonds in the sum of \$400 being furnished.

#### Overcoat Lost.

Last Friday a poor peddler lost his overcoat on the road somewhere between John Kauffenberger's farm and Plattsmouth. Will the finder please leave the coat at M. Fanger's Department store. 1 sw-D

#### Ends Busy Session.

Standing with hands clasped in an endless chain as they sang, "God be With You 'Till We Meet Again," and as the benediction was pronounced, the delegates to the thirty-sixth annual convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance union saw the close of the session Wednesday night.

Baltimore, Md., Atlantic City, N. J., and Indianapolis, Ind., have asked for the honor of the next convention, Milwaukee, Wis., has asked for the annual convention in 1911.

#### For Sale.

I have a first class 80 of Cass county land for sale at \$100 per acre, for cash or half cash and balance to suit. 60 acres under cultivation; 20 acres pasture with some natural timber, and good spring. Good house and large barn and other buildings, well and cistern, 8 miles from Plattsmouth and 4 1-2 miles from Murray. The way land is advancing this 80 will be worth \$110 before spring. John M. Leyda, 6t D & SW. Plattsmouth, Neb.

#### Tallman-Ripple.

F. H. Tallman and Miss Hazel Ripple were united in marriage in South Omaha Wednesday, October 27, 1909.

Mrs. Tallman formerly reside in this city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ripple, and is well know here, where they were visiting friends Friday, she being a cousin of Mrs. Burt Tulene in this city, and Mrs. Claus Boetel, is her aunt. They will reside at 240 I street South Omaha.

#### Badly Disfigured

While playing basket ball on the high school grounds Thursday evening Wayne Propst and Rue Frans came together with such force as to give the former a very sore nose and the latter a very badly discolored optic, putting both out of the game. It happened that they were both playing on the same side of the game.

#### Burlington New Road.

The Burlington has officially announced a new line of 100 miles in extent. The road will be built south through Thermopolis and the big horn gorge, over the Boysen dam, to Shoshoni and used as a spur, and the new line will be built from the dam in a southeastern direction for nearly 100 miles through a sheep country.

Mrs. H. Doak of Glenwood, Ia., who was visiting her mother, Mrs. Jackson, and her sister, Mrs. Dr. A. P. Barnes, Friday, departed for her home Saturday.

#### Delightful Reception.

The delightful reception given by the ladies of the First Methodist Episcopal church Friday evening in Coates' hall in honor of Rev. W. L. Austin, the new pastor, and his estimable family was very largely attended and highly enjoyed. Cordial and earnest words of welcome were spoken by Rev. J. H. Steger, pastor of the German Evangelical church, and by Rev. Luther Moore, pastor of the Christian church. Mrs. May Morgan, Mrs. J. W. Gamble and Mrs. E. H. Wescott each sang very sweetly a solo. Miss Bernice Newell and Miss Ellen Windham each gave a recitation. A quartet composed of the Mesdames Todd and Shanlis and Todd and the Misses Brady and Peterson, sang very sweetly. Rev. W. L. Austin closed the interesting program by thanking the ministers for their kind words of welcome and said that he and his family would try and assist the good people of Plattsmouth in making the city better, both morally and religiously. Elegant refreshments were served. The instrumental music was appreciated. Nearly all religious denominations were represented. Such social functions are very beneficial.

#### Farm House Burned.

This morning, some time between 5:30 and 6 o'clock the farm house, owned by Jacob Heinrich, six miles south of Plattsmouth, burned with its contents. The building was valued at \$1,500 and was insured in the sum of \$400. The furniture was valued at \$500 upon which the insurance was nominal. The house was occupied by Chas. Peterson. He states that he built a fire in the kitchen stove this morning about 5:30 and then went to the barn to do some chores. He returned a short time later and found the house in flames. There being no means to extinguish the flames all he could do was to stand and watch the flames consume his goods and the building.

#### Well Deserved Promotion.

It affords the Daily News more than ordinary pleasure to mention the well deserved and well earned promotion of Ed Johnson, so well known and highly esteemed at Plattsmouth. Mr. Johnson has been an engineer on the Lincoln and other branches of the Burlington road upwards of fifteen years and has attended so well to his duties that the company has recognized his good work. Last Sunday that recognition was shown by promoting Mr. Johnson to the position of traveling engineer.

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