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LARGE SIFTER CAN

**SNOW AND COLD PUT
QUIETUS ON FRUIT**

Blossoms and Garden Truck Nipped, but Warmer Weather is Predicted.

The low temperature and snow of yesterday has put a decided damper on the fruit man's hopes for a good crop this year. The cold Friday night probably had but little effect on the blossoms, as part of the night it was cloudy and there was a brisk breeze blowing but the drop of two or three below the freezing point Saturday night was without doubt fatal to any trees that were in bloom at that time. There are some trees mostly peaches, that may be far enough advanced to escape the deadly results of low temperature, but it was said by a number of fruit owners today that they would expect no crop this year.

Last night was cloudy and there was a good breeze astir but the wet snow that fell during the day had the vegetation in such condition that the cold would greatly effect it. It is not thought the wheat will be seriously injured, but its growth will be set back for some time. The sky is now clearing in the western part of the state and on the Pacific coast the weather is much warmer, so it is expected the back bone of the cold snap will soon be broken.

The sudden receding of the mercury has been general throughout the country, the lowest temperatures being reported from North Dakota where the thermometer registered as low as 23 and six inches of snow fell. In the western part of the state it was a number of degrees colder than here and the fruit buds through the whole state have been blasted. The frigid spell was not so severe in Iowa but even there grave fears are being held as to its effect on the fruit.

Mozart and Beethoven.

The stories of how men of genius have had future fame predicted for them in their early youth must generally be taken with a considerable grain of salt. As authentic as most is the account of the first meeting of Mozart with the young Beethoven, which took place on the latter's first visit to Vienna in the year 1787. Mozart, then at the height of his fame, asked him to play, but, thinking his performance a prepared piece, paid little attention to it. Beethoven, seeing this, entreated Mozart to give him a subject, which he did, and the boy, getting excited with the occasion, played so finely that the composer of "Don Giovanni," stepping softly into the next room, said to his friends there: "Pay attention to him. He will make a noise in the world some day or another."—Chambers' Journal.

NEW THEATRE WILL OPEN ON SATURDAY

Proprietor Here and Remodeling of Building Will be Rushed Through.

(From Monday's Daily)
R. M. Shales, the moving picture man from Tekama is in the city today looking after the work of remodeling the Leonard building which he has rented for a moving picture show. The place will probably be known as "The Majestic" and the interior will be fixed up as modern and comfortable as possible. The floor is being raised in the rear and the walls are receiving a new coat of paint and paper. Mr. Shales is negotiating for the Walker fixtures that were used in the building when it was last conducted as a theatre.

The owner is familiar with this line of business and is now operating a theatre at Tekama, but will make his future home in this city. He will give a fine evening's entertainment and Saturday afternoon matinee for the admission fee of ten cents in the evening, and five cents for the day performance.

He will make a change of program every other day, and perhaps four times a week. The work on the building is being rushed as fast as possible and the proprietor hopes to have the new place in running order by Saturday night. He will not install a tin-pan mechanical piano player but he is now in search of a good singer and artist of the ivories.

That Plattsburgh's new citizen will meet with success is no matter of doubt, for he is a hustler and the amusement fine in this city is comparatively dead except for the weekly performance at the Parnele. He will publish an announcement to the people in the columns of the News on some date this week.

In the District Court.

The District court was in session Saturday afternoon and besides the diamond swindler case there were several cases up of minor importance. In the case of the First National Bank vs. Hatt & Son, the trial was extended. It appearing from the testimony in the case that Silas W. Breckenridge without permission unlawfully sold the chattels secured by mortgage covering the subject matter of the suit, the county attorney was ordered to prosecute said Breckenridge for felony for selling mortgaged property. The evidence was offered in the original case, submitted and taken under advisement. It seems that Breckenridge owed Hatt a sum of \$140 for which he gave a mortgage on his corn. He later sold the grain to one Gillispie.

A bill of exceptions was stricken from the files, on the Court's own motion, and the clerk of the court was directed to return same to Justice of peace Patterson for proper certification which would be signed, certified and allowed, in the case of C. W. Baylor vs. Claude Butler.

A motion for new trial was overruled in the case of Lorence Bowers vs. C. B. & Q. Ry. A decision had been entered some time ago in favor of the railway company.

In the case of the State of Nebraska ex rel, Clause Butler vs. Fred Patterson, Patterson was ordered and directed to sign, certify and allow bill of exceptions, in which case a judgment had been entered in justice court, the bill of exceptions to be dated July 25, 1909.

In the McDonald vs. McDonald case the plaintiff was given leave to file a supplementary petition instanter.

Dishes Go to George Hall.

George Hall, a blacksmith at the Burlington shops, showed up at the Riley Sunday with the lucky ticket, No. 150, that drew the dinner set at the Parnele Friday night. He happily claimed the prize that was put up by the Grew company and it is the general supposition of his friends that now he has the dishes, he will have to get someone to help him use them, and he is waiting until school lets out in the spring. He is a little afraid the dishes will be broken before that time and he doesn't care now whether school keeps or not.

W. M. Wiley Seriously Ill.

Mrs. George Park of this city returned yesterday from a two days' stay at the sick bed of her father, Wm. M. Wiley of Murray. Mr. Wiley has been suffering since last July with dropsy and heart trouble and his condition is now getting very serious. His children have been called to the bedside and the attending physicians hold little hopes of his living throughout the day. He is quite aged, having passed the eightieth milestone of life's way, and his vitality consequently is not great.

THAT OLD CANNON IS SURELY LOADED

Indications That Speaker Joe and Insurgents Will Have Another Round of Trouble.

BOTH SIDES PREPARED FOR IT

May Result in the Old Man Being Deposed as Speaker of the House.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—(Special)—It is now regarded as so absolutely certain that warfare will break out between the insurgents and the Cannon organization that the two factions within the republican party in the houses and the democrats are maneuvering with a view of obtaining the best possible strategic position when the fight begins. The latest move suggested is that the regulars are planning to offer a resolution calling for the appointment of a committee on committees on the same day that the insurgents introduce their resolution declaring the speaker's chair vacant. Even Speaker Cannon's most intimate friends now admit that it is impossible to head off another conflict with the insurgents and declare that their only hope is to put their enemies in a hole. The plan for a committee on committees is along this line.

It was agreed among the regulars that the democrats believing that they will control the next house, would not be willing to vote for the committee on committees because such a reform would strip the next speaker of practically all of his power. The regulars

are hopeful, therefore, that when the minority is once convinced that Speaker Cannon's friends will follow the insurgent move with a resolution for a committee on committees the democrats will dissuade the insurgents from the deposition plan.

Democratic leaders who had been informed of the counter move suggested by the republican regulars, asserted that they would gladly support any reform in the way the house does business if that reform is in accord with their views on parliamentary procedure.

"The regulars have no reason to suppose," said a democratic leader, "that we are afraid to support a committee on committees resolution. We know and the country knows that the republicans do not favor such a proposition if they are to remain in control. Therefore, the moment they offer this resolution it will be a flat announcement that the party in power does not expect to remain in power, and that the republicans themselves concede the next house to the democrats. If they offer such a resolution we will be more than willing I think, to vote for it."

MURDOCK

Lacey McDonald spent last Sunday in Lincoln visiting friends.

Misses Edith and Georgia Moon spent last Sunday with their sister, Mrs. L. D. Jones.

Mrs. A. Branchell went to Plymouth Monday for a visit with her daughter Mrs. Edgar Konig.

Miss Minnie Guthman of Plattsburgh spent the latter part of the week with her sister Mrs. H. K. Neitzel.

Miss Mets Neitzel visited in Lincoln several days of last week.

Mrs. August Kuhn, who has been confined in a hospital at Rochester, Minn., for the past four weeks, was brought home Tuesday. Her condition is somewhat improved.

Mrs. W. O. Gillispie and Mr. Harry Gillispie returned Thursday from a ten days' visit at Fairmont.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Tool spent Friday and Saturday in Omaha.

Wm. Gehrt sold three fine autos within the past ten days to the following prosperous and up-to-date farmers: Hy Schroeder, Chas. Kupke, and J. J. Gustin.

Miss Cora Smith, principal of the schools, has finished her high school work here and has resigned her position at take six weeks' work at Peru. Miss Orpha Mullen will take the responsibilities of principal.

Mrs. Henry Tool visited in Omaha several days last week.

Mr. R. L. Mechem of Bennett has been granted a license by the city board to put in an up-to-date pool room. He will occupy and equip the building recently used by Albert Hunt.

W. L. Palmeter has purchased the old saloon building which he will utilize as a blacksmith shop, in its present location.

Ralph Garris of Omaha visited with friends here last week.

Miss Tillie Barnemeier and brother Arthur, returned Saturday from Des Moines, where they have been attending school the past year.

Miss Minerva Tool spent her spring vacation here, and in Alvo, returning to her school work in Omaha Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Shelton of Lincoln, spent last week at the home of her father G. V. Pickwell.

Miss Rena Towle has been appointed to take the census in this district and began her duties Friday.

Henry Guthman spent Sunday in Cedar Creek.

Misses Kate Amquert and Verna

Rush entertained the Girls' club at the hotel Friday evening.

A nine-pound daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kuskie Monday evening.

Mr. Gelrge Mills went to Hastings last week to visit his brother who is very ill.

Miss Laura Stearns of Pontiac, Mich., visited her sister, Mrs. Warren Richards the past ten days. She spent the last eight months at Neodesha, Kas. with her sister Mrs. Beech, and will take a position as stenographer upon her return to Pontiac.

Mrs. Henry Westlake spent last week in Avoca with friends and relatives.

Mrs. H. E. Davis attended the funeral of her grand-mother in Eagle last week.

Large Crowd at Dance.

The social dance given Saturday evening by the M. W. A. band proved to be the one big success of the dancing season. Probably the largest crowd that has ever been on the floor of the Coates' hall turned out for the boys and it was in the "grim grey dawn of the mornin' after" that the strains ceased to break forth from the orchestra's balcony.

The dance was given to fatten the pocket book of the worthy band and very good results along that line were obtained. The boys gave one or two selections at the corner of Sixth and Main before the evening's dance began and the result was the flocking of the dancers to the hall like flies around a chocolate cream.

The organization under the leadership of Frank Janda meet in their band room on Monday and Thursday evenings and are now reaching a high state of proficiency, having accepted a number of out-of-town dates in the last few weeks.

Advertised Letter List.

Following is the list of letters remaining uncalled for at the Plattsburgh postoffice April 18, 1910:

LADIES—Miss Ruth Linnard, Mrs. Mayne Philipson, Mrs. E. Selk, Mrs. Ella Smith, Mrs. Fred Westlake. GENTLEMEN—Chas. D. Aaman, Joseph Cream, Ira Davis, J. R. Emerson, Chas. Horjes, C. W. Johnson, W. H. Meadows, N. C. Rhodes, Frienk P. Yong.

Above letters unclaimed will be sent to dead letter office May 2, 1910.

H. A. SCHNEIDER, P. M.

Charles Parks a commercial traveler was in the city Saturday interviewing the clothing men of the town.

RAILROAD MEN'S PAY RAISED \$35,000,000

Substantial Increase in the Salaries of Railroad Employees

It is estimated that the general advance now in progress in the wages of railroad employees will amount to \$35,000,000. On account of the various forms in which the announcements of increases have been made, it is impossible to arrive at any definite figure, but the above may be taken as a moderate estimate.

The new schedules offered by the New York Central, the New York New Haven & Hartford, the Boston & Albany and the Pennsylvania involve an aggregate increase of nearly \$20,000,000 annually, and these are only four of the railroads upon which advances have been announced.

Most of the advances granted since the first of the year have been percentage increases. Some, however, are in the form of so many cents an hour, and still others in the form of so many dollars a month. Two of the roads have simply announced the annual total which the advances granted would cost their treasuries, without giving details.

The number of men benefited by these advances has ranged from a few hundred, in the case of some companies, to as much as 200,000 in the case of the company with the largest pay-roll. The number of employees who have received wage increases since the first of the year will not fall far short of half a million.

The principal advances so far announced have been made by the following roads:

Delaware, Lackawanna & Western. Baltimore & Ohio. Western Maryland. Lehigh Valley. Chicago, Indiana & Louisville. Chicago & Northwestern. Pennsylvania. New York, New Haven & Hartford. Philadelphia & Reading. Norfolk & Western. New York Central and Allied Lines. Boston & Albany. Erie. Atlantic Coast Line. Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn.

This general advance in the wages of railroad men is the second in a period of four years. The last previous raise came in 1906-1907. Soon after, in the fall of 1907, came the panic, but the railroads, despite the falling off in business, did not reduce the wages then. Thus the present increase comes on top of the one four years ago.

To illustrate: an employee earning \$150 a month in 1906, on a road where a 10 percent advance was granted, received \$15 more under the higher scale. A 7 per cent advance this year carried his pay to \$176.55 a month. This represents a net increase of 17.7 per cent, over what he received in 1906.

Today at the Court House.

(From Monday's Daily)
The widow of the late Samuel S. Johnson has presented a petition at the county judge's office, in which she wishes to decline the office of executrix of the deceased's estate and recommends Wm. A. Alton for the office.

A petition for the administration of the John G. Hanson estate was filed in the office of the county judge this morning. John G. Wonderlich was named as administrator of the estate which is valued at \$80,000 and the hearing was set for May 9.

The final settlement petition in the Harvey D. Rousavell estate was made out today. The estate consists of a number of acres of land near Union.

A wedding license was issued today for Osman M. Card, aged 26, and Miss Mabel Day, aged 23, both residents of Weeping Water. Both are very well known people of that city, the groom being the son of Sylvester K. Card, and the bride a daughter of Everett E. Day. The wedding will take place at the home of the bride Wednesday evening.

Didn't Play Ball.

On account of the cold weather and snow flurries the ball game that had been scheduled between the Plattsburgh High school team and Weeping Water for Saturday was called off. The local lads had arrangements made with the Nebraska City team for the day, but for some reason the engagement could not be filled so the challenge was accepted to meet the Weeping Water team at that city. The game will be played off later in the season and the return game will probably be held here. The city team also cancelled a date they had with the Union aggregation for yesterday on account of the cold.

Dr. E. D. Cummins is a business caller in Omaha today.

SITUATION IMPROVING

Strike Conditions Appear to be Getting Better With the Burlington.

WORK IS NOW ON AT HAVELOCK SHOPS

Sixty New Men Put to Work at the Shop Town This Morning.

(From Monday's Daily)
Reports received today show that all points east and west of the river are working.

The national officers of the Boilermakers' Union have held several meetings at all important points on the lines east in an endeavor to get the men out but they stood loyal to the company and refuse to leave the services.

Word received this morning from McCook shows that a majority of the men who quit at that point are desirous of returning to work and are applying individually for their old positions. Four of them are already at work and four more will go to work tonight. All of them will be given work where their places have not already been filled with new men. As far as McCook is concerned the strike is over.

Sixty new men were put to work at Havelock this morning. Everything is running smoothly on the other divisions and the company is not having any delays from boiler failures. The new men at the Havelock shops are living in Pullman cars and have their meals served in the company's diners.

Christian Minister Resigns.

Coming without any previous intimation the announcement made yesterday that the Christian minister Rev. Luther Moore would resign his charge at this place was quite a shock to the congregation of the Christian church. The announcement was made at the morning service by the minister himself and the resignation is to take effect with the completion of the first Sunday's work of the coming month.

Rev. Moore, with his family, came to this place nearly a year and a half ago and during their residence in Plattsburgh have made a host of friends both in the church and out of it who are saddened by the man's decision to take up work in his chosen vocation elsewhere.

During the time that Rev. Moore has had charge of the church at this place, there has been some fine work done and a large number have been added to his congregation. Rev. Moore is a man of more than ordinary attainments and he has been in the ministry for a number of years.

The qualifications which he possesses are emphasized by the good work he has done in this city.

The young men's bible class of the Sunday school known as the loyal sons which he has charge of, has an organization of between thirty and forty members, most of whom have become members of the church since their joining the class, which speaks well for the work of the teacher. Rev. Moore and wife and daughter, Miss Laura, will be missed in the circle of friends which they have made, as well as by all the citizens of Plattsburgh. In their departure from this place the good wishes of their many friends accompany them to whatever portion of the Lord's vineyard they may go.

Rev. John E. Swanson, resident of Wahoo, was in the city yesterday on his regular visit, preaching at the Swedish Mission church. Mr. Swanson left for Omaha this morning where he has a number of business matters to attend to in connection with the Bethany Hospital at that place. He holds the position as president of the hospital association which has recently taken possession of the old Presbyterian hospital. The building has been entirely refitted and overhauled until it is one of the best in Omaha. The building, now called the "Bethany" was just opened last week.

The revival meetings at the Methodist church last evening was pronounced by many to be the best one of the series. A delightful solo was sang by Alva Campbell and a very impressive sermon was delivered by his father, Rev. Campbell was assisted in the altar services services by Rev. Moore and the largest of any meeting came forward to the altar. The meetings will continue throughout this week.