

JUNE FIRST NUPTIALS

Two Pretty Weddings Take Place in the City Last Evening.

ROMAN-HOLMBERG AND SEIVER-TUEY WEDDINGS

Elaborate Church Ceremony of Mollie Seiver and Ernest Tuey.

(From Thursday's Daily)

The Month of Brides opened strong yesterday with a decided increase in the marriage license business at the court house, and two pretty weddings in town last evening. Dan Cupid has got a number of other victims on the string that he is going to tie up before the month is over but he got a good start on his spring work yesterday when he united two couples from the younger set of the city.

At seven thirty in the evening, Miss Helen Alfrida Roman and Carl M. Holmberg were made happy by the tying of the knot by Rev. Mr. Swanson of Wahoo. The ceremony took place at the Gus Roman residence a couple of miles south of town and the house, prettily decorated with festoons of colored paper and fragrant flowers was filled with a crowd of merry makers numbering nearly one hundred. Shortly after the appointed hour, the bridal couple proceeded into the parlor, to the sweet strains of Lohengrin wedding march very effectively played by Miss Ella Carlson, where the minister performed the simple services. The bride was beautifully gowned in a dress of silk, having as her maids, Miss Delia Roman, Miss Hulda Holmberg and Miss Ruth Roman. The best man was Edwin Roman, brother of the bride.

Following the wedding ceremony, the party sat down to a gorgeous banquet, elegantly served in many courses and it was along towards midnight when the last chair was pushed under the table. About nine o'clock the couple was paid a call by a charrivari party of over fifty members part of whom were organized as Koubek's band. These carried any available instrument from a tin can up to a cornet and the music they rendered could be heard for a mile. As a matter of appreciation, they were rewarded with a green back which sent them hurrying down town to find a place to spend it.

The out of town guests present were Amiel Holmberg and wife of Wausa, Neb., Conrad Holmberg and family of Lincoln, Neb., August Johnson and wife of Royal, Neb., Mr. and Mrs. O. Johnson and son of Omaha, Frank Anderson of Sioux City and Miss Delia Roman of Sioux City.

The more elaborate wedding of the evening was the Seiver-Tuey nuptial at the First Methodist church. The auditorium of the church was elegantly decorated with large bunches of flowers, the principal flower of the evening being the American beauty. The bridal party gathered in the Epworth League room at the rear of the church and at the allotted hour marched forward to the altar where the couple were united by the pretty ring service. Down the center aisle led the two little ribbon bearers, Miss Gladys Wray and Miss Thelma Denson, following whom was little Doris McDaniel, bearing the ring in the blossom of a large American Beauty. The bride, daintily dressed in a beautiful white silk messaline, followed with her father and the pastor of the church, Rev. Mr. W. L. Austin. Down the right aisle, proceeded the groom with his best man and groomsmen, while the maid of honor and bride's maids took the aisle to the left.

In front of the altar the parties met and paused, the groom taking his bride from the arm of her father, stepped to the platform where the ring bearer was waiting with the monstrous bloom which held the ring. The scriptural reading was given by the minister and with the uplifted right hand, the couple was declared man and wife. The music for the occasion, Mendelssohn's Wedding march, was beautifully played by Miss Jennie Tuey.

The maid of honor for the ceremony was Miss Zelma Tuey, sister of the groom; the bride's maids, Misses Alice and Hazel Tuey, Lillian Thompson, Edna Wray and Clara Austin; the best man, Jennings Seiver, groomsmen, Herman Elders, Andrew Moore, Glen Rawls, Don Seiver and George Hall.

After the ceremony, the bridal party and guests were ushered to the home of the bride, the J. W. Seiver residence, where a bountiful spread was served and congratulations were given the

newly wedded couple. The house was decked in an abundance of flowers, sweet peas, carnations and roses and sweet music from the Platts-mouth band helped to make the evening an enjoyable one. During the evening hours the place was the scene of visitation of two different charrivari parties who made the night hideous with their noise and blasts from musical instruments.

The out of town guests at the ceremony were Mrs. Louis McDaniel and daughter of Council Bluffs, Mr. and Mrs. William McDaniel of Thurman, Ia., Mr. H. O. Eblers of Omaha, Mr. Davies of Omaha. Miss Lottie Foote of Omaha. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Seiver of Oklahoma. Mrs. Mrs. Frank Rennie of Madrid, Neb. Mrs. Lee Gunnison of Atchison, Kansas.

The One That Got Away.

"Doc" Young, merchant's police, had a thrilling experience last night in capturing a man at the rear of White's store where the moon was making ghastly shadows and the tom cats were giving their evening serenade. By the dim light of luna, the officer discerned the faint outline of a form near the window of the store. Stealthily approaching, with noiseless tread, the blue coat drew near the object and when the form slipped under a board near the window, the officer had him in his grasp. Hurrying him over to jail, he was found to be a young lad about fifteen years of age, who had been assuming a temporary bunk at the rear of the store. No charge was made against the fellow and he was shortly released, but the main part of the story is much like the fishing narrative, "the biggest one got away." The policeman was sure there was another man on the scene who made his getaway, although some people think it was the cat he saw scrambling over the fence.

SOUTH BEND

Mrs. T. J. Fountain has been very ill the past week but glad to state at this writing that he is much better. Chas. Campbell was a Louisville visitor Friday.

School closed Friday after giving the closing program in the hall Thursday eve. Much credit is due the pupils and their teachers for the program rendered which was enjoyed by a full house.

G. F. Monroe of Omaha was the guest of E. Sturzenegger Saturday and Sunday.

Sam Long was a passenger on the Schuyler Friday morning where he transacted business at the metropolis.

Mrs. Geo. Towle and son Roy spent the latter part of the week at the McHugh home.

Cards were received the first of the week by the many friends of the Denning family announcing the marriage of Miss Jessie to Mr. Stevenson of Seattle, Wash.

Mrs. Byron Dill's father and mother from Springfield spent Sunday at the Dill home.

Erna Kroop of Louisville was the guest of Ester Reinke the last week.

Henry Timm and family from Murdock came in Friday for a day's outing on the river.

H. Tarpenning has had a nice monument placed on his lot in the Hill cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Richardson are rejoicing over the arrival of a ten pound boy at their home May 26.

J. J. Hill and wife of Lincoln visited the home folks Sunday and Monday.

Carl Hameister came in from his Colorado home to remain for a short time with his mother here.

B. F. Dill was a Lincoln visitor Sunday, going up to attend the Decoration Day services.

Dr. I. D. Jones came in Tuesday morning from Murdock to meet his niece and daughter who had been visiting the Mom's in Ashland.

Grandma Sawyer came in from Los Angeles, Cal., Saturday to spend a few weeks with her son Wyman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hill left for Lincoln Tuesday evening where they will visit J. J. and then go to Fairbury to spend a few days with Mrs. J. C. Kline.

Mrs. Vandervert and family left Monday for a visit with her people at York.

Mrs. H. P. Long and Mrs. O'Brien of St. Joe were Decoration Day visitors in Lincoln.

Sarah Campbell returned latter part of week from Louisville where she has been attending High school the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lansing are Ashland visitors Wednesday.

Geo. Vogle took the local freight to Murdock Wednesday morning.

Miss Nora Rosencrans left this afternoon for South Omaha to remain a day or two with Miss Ethel Ballance.

The annual election of Red Men officers will be held this evening at Red Men hall. A large attendance is desired.

(From Thursday's Daily)

Mrs. Emily Morrison is among the callers in the city today.

J. J. Nowacek left this morning for a few days stay in Omaha.

R. M. Shlaes was a business traveler to the Market Town today.

Miss Esther Larson was an Omaha traveler today.

John Ossenkop of Louisville is on the Platts-mouth streets this afternoon.

Nick Halmes, jr, a resident of Weeping Water, is a caller in town this afternoon.

R. C. King of Nebraska City, County Superintendent of Otoe county is in the city today.

J. M. Keeney left for his home in Central City today on the morning train.

Mrs. O. A. Thomas of Kearney departed for her home at Kearney this afternoon.

R. A. Duff and party drove up from Nebraska City this morning in his big Mercer.

W. E. Rosencrans and wife were in Omaha last evening returning on the late train.

Miss Estelle Baird and Miss Pearl Staats are visitors of the day in the Gate City.

Mrs. A. E. Stevenson was an Omaha passenger on the eight fifteen train this morning.

L. B. Appelman of Alvo was a caller at the county seat yesterday, signing up at one of the leading hotels.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Iske boarded the north bound Burlington this morning bound for Omaha for a short trip.

Mrs. J. W. Peters made the round trip to Omaha today, expecting to return on the late afternoon train.

Martin Houk a former resident who now lives in Omaha was a visitor among his old friends in town last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Johnson of Omaha returned home this morning having been in attendance at the Tuey-Seiver wedding last night.

Mrs. George Horn of Cedar Creek who has been entertained for the past few days at the Charles Herger home, departed this morning for Omaha for a day's stay before leaving for Cedar Creek.

J. G. Russell started this morning for his home at Lincoln having been in town a few days as a guest at the home of his some James L. Russell.

Misses Della and Erna Seyditz and Guido Seyditz were morning travelers to Omaha today, going up for a brief stay with metropolis friends.

Mrs. C. A. Campbell of South Bend has been a guest at the home of Mrs. A. N. Long. She left today for Omaha from where she will return to her home town.

Rev. H. E. Swanson of Wahoo returned to his home this morning after being in the city last evening to officiate at the Holmberg-Roman wedding.

James Hadraba the painter, departed on No. 6 today for Pacific Junction where he has some work to attend to which will take him three or four days to finish.

A. E. Gass bought a Burlington ticket to Ashland this morning where he went to see about the transfer of managers on the Independent phone.

C. C. Reynolds of Council Bluffs who has been in the city a short time visiting his uncle Andrew McKinney left this morning for Lincoln where he will apply for a railroad position.

Anthony Nesladek, the well known young man who has had charge of the line work on the Platts-mouth Phone Company in the city, left today for Ashland where he will shoot trouble to keep lines in repair for the summer. He always liked Platts-mouth pretty well and regrets considerably to make the change but he hopes it will not be for the entire season.

J. M. Keeney of Central City and daughter and grandson Mrs. L. M. Adkinson and Robert, started this morning for Omaha from where they will proceed to York where Mr. Adkinson resides. After a short visit at York, Mr. Keeney will return to his home while Mrs. Keeney will remain in this city until the last of the week. The party was in the city to be present at the Davis funeral yesterday.

CHICAGO AVENUE ABOUT READY FOR THE GRADERS

Old Mill Has Been Razed, Trees Cut Down and Poles are Being Moved.

Preliminary work for the macadam pavement on Chicago avenue is now proceeding at a good rate and the appearance of the highway and its general surroundings are greatly changing. Many of the big trees along the creek had to be cut down in order to make room for the wide paving. The base ball park with its former setting of scrawny trees now looks as barren as Cook's description of the pole and the sign covered fence looms up like the price of living. The bridge over the creek which served as an approach to the park has been removed and the fans are now forced to use the north entrance to the diamond. A force of over a dozen men are busy at work in moving the poles of the Bell company. It is quite an undertaking and will consume the rest of the week. Some of the poles now have to be placed near the bottom of the creek which necessitates cedars sixty feet in length. This takes a good many hours of hard work to raise them into position and substantially brace them for their strain. The changing of the line makes it necessary to put in many new poles and a carload shipment of large ones has been received from Omaha for the work. The Platts-mouth Phone company has long since finished moving its poles. By the middle of next week, at the latest, the road will be ready to be turned over to the grading gang.

There is but very little remaining of the old mill, an ancient landmark of the city which jutted defiantly out into the thoroughfare; workmen have torn the structure down and the material has been carried away until all that now stands is the old boiler and part of the foundation.

Burlington Team Play Again.

There is going to be some more real base ball in Platts-mouth next Sunday when the C. B. & Q. team of Omaha come back for another mixup. Platts-mouth trimmed them up at the last game they played with them by the score of 4 to 3. It will be remembered it was a fast nine inning game with both teams playing classy ball. The bunch went back to Omaha with the defeat on their shoulders but determined to bring down a team next time that would skin the Platts boys. A phone message last night announced they were coming and coming strong. Bardwell and Herold, the two Pekin men, will be used for the battery. Herold caught the Iowa twirler for some time early this spring and the pair work very well together. Mann who has been wearing the mask will play third taking Herold's place on the bag.

Peru Graduates.

Graduation exercises were held this week at the state normal school at Peru, Platts-mouth having three members in the graduating class, Miss Della Tartach, Christina Hanson and Emma Falter. The course at the state pedagogic school requires two years of work which is rewarded by a state certificate which will obtain a position for the holder in nearly any school in the state. Miss Elizabeth Falter was at Peru to witness the commencement exercises of her sister, the Platts-mouth party returning home last evening. The local girls who attended the school include Misses Vesta Douglas, Mary Kaffenberger, Stanfield Jones, Della Tartach, Christina Hanson and Emma Falter.

Wedding Announcements.

Wedding announcements were received in the city this morning of Miss Alice Smith of Lincoln and Morris Walker of Denver who are to be married Wednesday the fifteenth at the home of the bride in Lincoln. The bride to be is the daughter of Glen E. Smith, a well known bridge contractor who has done a large share of the county work for years. The groom is an enterprising automobile man of Denver who has a substantial line of taxi-cabs in operation at that city. The couple will be at home in Denver after July 1.

Will Serve Out Fine.

Judge Archer made a commitment yesterday afternoon for Alex Hunter who was given a fine in the morning for being drunk and disorderly which was suspended till Saturday night, but he immediately fell off the water wagon again as soon as released and he will now have to serve out his time which will be a week in the city bastille. It is stated today for that it was not the Baker house where he tried to sleep off his jag, but it was the residence next door, the keys of which were in Mrs. Baker's possession.

George Dovey has taken the position in the First National Bank formerly held by his sister Florence.

River Road Work.

The big elevator was set in motion this morning and the dirt commenced to fly for the new river road across the bar from the subway to the ferry. In taking it through the subway there was not three inches of room left on either side, it taking quite a while to get the machine through the narrow passage and ready for action on the other side. Ten horses were hitched onto it shortly after nine this morning and the plow dug itself into the soft sandy loam of the bar. The pieces of old tin which are scattered through the ground offer the greatest obstruction to the operation of the machine while bricks and small stones are readily thrown on the traveling belt and dumped on the new road bed. On account of the unevenness of the ground, it is rather hard to get the machine to show up at its best, but the worst part of the work is now over and as a better path is beaten the grading will progress faster. All the stumps and rubbish were hauled from the right of way yesterday afternoon and the work is being pushed rapidly.

Ex-Governor Dead.

Ex-Governor J. H. Mickey died at Osceola, Neb., this morning at 1:10 o'clock following a long battle with disease that had affected him at intervals for five years. The governor's entire family was at the bedside, his daughter, Mrs. Bertha Smith of Denver, arriving yesterday.

When he took the office of governor five years ago Governor Mickey was warned by his family physician that he was physically unable to bear the strain of the task. He suffered at intervals from hardening of the arteries and in the last year had several severe attacks, the last one enduring ten days. One son, James, graduated at the Osceola High School this year and the other, Benjamin, at the Nebraska Wesleyan university. He had been unconscious since Sunday. The funeral will probably be held Sunday.

Sort of an Apology.

Mr. Shlaes, manager of the Majestic theater, desires to announce that he was unaware of the character of the vaudeville acts which were produced at the little play house Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights and he wishes to state that from now on he will permit only such acts as he knows to be of the best appear before his foot lights, so all who attended the performance of the first of the week may feel confident that they will never witness such inferior acting again.

After Post Office Job.

L. G. Larson started for the metropolis this morning with the plans of the new post office building under his arm. He went to the city to get bids on the cast iron work and one or two other kinds of material for the construction of the building. Mr. Larson is going after the job in earnest and has his bid all made out with the exception of one or two details which have been delayed until he was able to make the Omaha trip. It is hoped the big contract for the structure will go to a Platts-mouth bidder.

Benfer's Office Wrecked.

An attempt was made last night to demolish the Register, a socialist daily, run by A. C. Benfer at Lead, S. D. when unknown parties broke into the office and proceeded to smash the machinery including a press and linotype machine with an eight pound sledge hammer. They were frightened off by men who slept next door and her heard the racket. The damage is about \$1,000. Benfer is quite well known in this city, having been a resident here some time ago.

Damage Claims.

Three damage suits on the new Rock Bluff road were presented at the court house today, totaling \$750, which will be pushed by the owners of the land if proposed road cuts through their land on the west side of the slough instead of hugging more closely the bank of the river. The claims were presented by James A. Decker, \$450, Benjamin G. Decker \$150 and H. P. Sheldon \$150.

Rates.

National Electric Association, Boston, Mass., July 2 to 8, 1910.
Tickets on sale via Mo. Pac. June 28 to July 2 inclusive. Return limit July 17th.
See Mo. Pac. agent relative to side trips, extension of limit etc.
Round trip \$34.00.
H. Norton, Agent.

C. D. Grebe set out this morning on his return trip to Lander, Wyoming. He has been in town a couple of days and while on his visit he has had his eyes examined by a specialist of Omaha who informed him there was nothing to be done which would benefit him to any great extent. It is thought a blood vessel in the back part of the eye has been broken which makes it impossible for him to have full use of the member.

REPUBLICANS HOLD CAUCUS

Politicians at Washington Take up Postal Savings Bank Bill.

IN FAVOR OF TAFT'S LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

Desire to Establish Savings Depositories Backed by Uncle Sam.

WASHINGTON, June 1.—The republicans of the house tonight went squarely on record for prompt passage of the postal savings bank bill, which is part of Taft's program. The bill has finally agreed on at a four-hours' caucus, lasting until midnight, at which the following resolutions submitted by Representative Tawney of Minnesota was adopted:

"Resolved. That the postal savings bank bill, agreed on by this caucus be and the same is hereby adopted that the same be reported by the committee on post offices and post roads and that it is the sense of this caucus that a rule be reported from the committee on rules for its consideration in the house."

The caucus was largely attended and the only bolt was by Representative Southwick of New York, who vehemently denounced the bill as radically socialist and withdrew, declaring his intention to fight it on the floor of the house. Mr. Southwick signed the call for the caucus and has attended the three previous three caucuses on the bill.

Tonight's caucus had left only section nine relating to the disposition of the postal savings funds to be dealt with. The bill establishes postal savings depositories for depositing savings at interest, with the security of the government for repayment.

The caucus fixed at 65 per cent the amount of the funds placed in the postal savings banks that must remain on deposit in banks in each state and territory and 50 per cent as the proportion of such funds that the trustees may withdraw for investment in United States securities. The other 5 per cent must be held as a permanent reserve in the United States treasury. This disposition of the funds which was contemplated in connection with the proposed postal savings banks legislation was provided for in the Davidson amendment which was adopted by the caucus.

The original bill provided that 47 1-2 per cent of the funds that might be put in the postal savings banks should be deposited in local bank and the same percentage was authorized to be withdrawn for investment in United States securities with 5 per cent reserve fund in the treasury.

The caucus voted down the Vreeland amendment which extended the percentage of deposits allowed in the local banks to 72 1-2 per cent, the investment in federal securities to 22 1-2 per cent, with the 5 per cent permanent reserve. The Vreeland amendment was first defeated on a rising vote by 59 to 53 and again voted down when tellers were ordered by 59 to 57. The Davidson amendment was then adopted.

The adoption of the Davidson amendment was by a ye and no vote and there were only a few scattered votes against it. Speaker Cannon was among those who voted first for the Vreeland amendment and later voted for the Davidson amendment. The speaker, Mr. Mann, of Illinois; Mr. Tawney of Minnesota; Mr. Madison of Kansas and Mr. Kiefer of Ohio, were among the numerous members who addressed the caucus. The caucus continued until almost midnight.

Representative Southwick of New York, created a sensation by launching a bitter attack on the ground that it was socialist. He withdrew from the caucus announcing his intention to vote against the measure on the floor of the house.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks for the many thoughtful kindnesses shown by our friends during the sickness and death of our sainted mother Mrs. Ann M. Davis. We fully appreciate the sweet music, the beautiful floral offerings and the kind words of encouragement and sympathy all of which we accept as offered, in the "Spirit of the Master."

Mrs. E. C. Colvin.
Mrs. R. P. Kennedy.
Mrs. R. Z. Keeney.
Mrs. Laura Peterson.
Mrs. Lora Davis.