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Claus Speck closed a deal yesterday whereby he becomes owner of 400 acres of land on what is known as Goucheour Island, south of Plattsmouth. One-fourth of his land, Claus says, is under cultivation while the balance is well timbered. He will immediately put a force of wood choppers at work and will supply the demand for first-class stove wood. Claus believes he has a good thing on Goucheour, and he is probably right about it.

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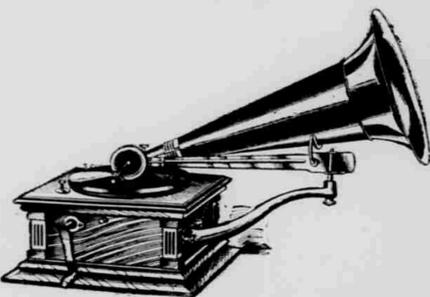
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The Entire Program Rendered in Such a Manner as to Receive the Plaudits of the Entire Audience.

A SUCCESS IN EVERY PARTICULAR

But Not as Largely Attended as the Entertainment Truly Merited.

The concert given at the Parnell Tuesday night proved to be all that had been claimed for it previously. It was of high character throughout, never descending to the so-called popular at any point, but maintaining a classical standard of selection and rendition which merited a far better patronage than was accorded it. About eighty of the best singers in Plattsmouth had been assembled under the leadership of Mrs. Hasse, with Miss Kittie Cummins at the piano. The result speaks in high terms of the faithfulness and efficiency of their work.

From the moment Mr. E. H. Westcott took his place at the piano it was realized that the ladies of the auxiliary had planned something of higher grade than had ever before been offered to a Plattsmouth audience.

Vocally the high standard of excellence set by the Euterpean club was maintained throughout. This musical organization has been singing for two or three years under the leadership of Mrs. E. H. Westcott, and the quality of their work last night is a compliment both to director and singers.

The chorus first appeared in "The Sea Hath Its Pearls," by Pinski. This number was well chosen for an opening, being of a light, airy nature, yet withal, of close harmony and pleasing air.

Mr. Clinton R. Miller, of Omaha, was deserving of the full round of applause which was given his rendition of "For All Eternity," by Mascheroni. We should all have been glad to have had him respond to his encore with an additional number.

The expected happened when the ladies' quartette—Miss Marshall, Mrs. Morgan, Miss Baird and Mrs. Westcott offered "I Softly Dream," by Mohring. It was excellent.

Miss Florence White sang two pieces, "The White Lake Rose," by Eulenburg and "Twas April," by Nevin. Her presentation of these two distinct styles of vocalization proved one of the most pleasing features of the evening.

"The grandeur of style in Haydn's 'The Heavens are Telling,'" was fully appreciated by the chorus and was perhaps the finest number which they presented, though many maintain that "The Bells of St. Michael's Tower," by Sir R. P. Stewart, rang out so clearly that it harmonized better with the popular taste.

Between these two numbers Mrs. E. H. Westcott sang "Sing Me to Sleep," by Greene. Mrs. Westcott's popularity as a singer was evidenced by the hearty applause she received when she appeared. It was a sweet, soulful song, sung in such manner as to touch a responsive chord in every heart present. Mrs. Westcott was at her best.

Plattsmouth people always love to hear Miss Edna Marshall's clear, beautiful tones and always express their satisfaction both when she appears and when she concludes. This was true last night when she offered "Abiding Love," by T. Denza. Her interpretation of its scores was true and pleasing from beginning to ending.

The final chorus, "The Prayer and Finale," from "Gohengrin," by Wagner, was a fitting climax to this series of song. The introductory solo impersonating the king was given by Mr. B. L. McElwain and the entire concert closed with a burst of song that was truly inspiring.

Too much cannot be said of the work of the director, Mrs. Hasse, and Plattsmouth is to be congratulated upon having so efficient a chorus director.

It is earnestly hoped a choral union may result from this effort and that we may have the pleasure again some time of listening to such a concert of song.

Married by County Judge Travis.

Judge Travis pronounced the solemn words that united Mr. William G. Chappell and Miss Christina Schwartz in the holy bonds of matrimony, at his office this afternoon. The groom is 32 years of age, and the bride is 17, and they both come from Nehawka. Mrs. Mary Tucker, of Plattsmouth, and Geo. E. Chappell, of Nehawka, appeared as witnesses.

Kills a Big Wolf.

Asa Davis reports the killing of a big wolf last week, several miles northeast of town. He was out in his buggy and the wolf trotted right up to the vehicle, then came across a chicken and pounced on it. It was while eating the chicken that he notified David Patterson, and with another man armed with guns, they put three loads of shot into the animal. It was one of the largest they had ever seen and courageous enough to attack a child. —Weeping Water Herald.

Happy Wedding.

According to announcement in Tuesday's issue of the Journal, the words were pronounced last evening that made Mr. Cash L. Wiles and Miss Olive M. Cole one and inseparable. The wedding occurred at the home of the bride's parents, south of this city in the presence of a large circle of relatives and friends. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. Lorin Wiles, a brother of the groom. The bride and groom are both excellent young people and popular with all who know them, all of whom join the Journal in wishing them a prosperous and happy career through life.

A VERY SMOOTH INDIVIDUAL

Steals a Ring From B. A. McElwain, But Same is Returned By Another Party.

AND THE SMOOTH CHAP GETS AWAY

Monday, while the jewelry store of B. A. McElwain was in charge of Miss Violet Dodge, (Mr. McElwain was in Omaha) a light fingered individual stepped into the store and asked to see some rings as he wished to purchase one for his wife, and selecting on two very nice specimens he asked the lady to place them to one side and he would call later and get them. His request was complied with and the fellow left. Tuesday he returned and informed Miss Dodge that he had decided not to purchase either of the rings, and they were returned to the sale tray. Now comes the sequel: in the afternoon a stranger called at Mr. Jackson's second hand store and wanted to pawn a ring for \$4.00. The ring looked good to Mr. Jackson, but not being in the jewelry business he asked the fellow's permission to take it to a jeweler to ascertain its value. The fellow's consent was given and he said he would return. Mr. Jackson took the ring to Mr. McElwain for inspection, who recognized it to be one of his \$8.00 rings, but how the stranger came with it, was where the mystery lay. Mr. McElwain suggested that the fellow be sent to him for the \$4.00, so when the man returned Mr. Jackson approached him accordingly, but this he did not like to do and had business in other parts of the town, and has not been seen since.

Mr. McElwain had his property returned with safety, but the police have been unable to locate the smooth gentleman. The ring was evidently taken upon his second trip, while Miss Dodge's attention was called elsewhere, and the opportunity was not presented on the first return. This is a case where luck returned the purloined property to its rightful owner, but all parties would have been much better pleased if the officers could have located the thief.

If the fellow had not attempted to sell the ring in Plattsmouth it might have been many days before Mr. McElwain would have missed it from his store.

HIS NAME IS KETCHAM

He Gives Many Names But the True One is Roy Ketcham, of Crawford, Nebraska.

The young man who is now in the hands of the authorities for stealing the ring of B. A. McElwain, goes under a great many assumed names. Up to the present time he has given his name as Williams and Curtis, the arrest being made and papers sworn out under the first name, given above as J. C. Williams, and he will no doubt have his hearing today, but his true name is Roy Ketcham, and his father is editor of the Crawford, Nebraska, Tribune.

The young man is a printer by trade and he called at the Journal office upon several occasions in search of employment, and he told us his name was Ketcham, and his father was an old newspaper man of the state, and was now located at Crawford, Neb., and his name was Col. Ketcham. In the newspaper directory we find the name of Col. Ketcham, so the fellow's first story must be the true one.

Since the above was put in type the defendant was arraigned in Justice Archer's court and he refused to plead guilty, but asked for a continuance of twenty-four hours, at which time he expects some friends here to assist him. His hearing will be had tomorrow at 2 o'clock.

Dies in Texas.

M. and Mrs. Julius Pepperberg received a message this morning announcing the death of Mr. Ed. Olive, who died at his home in Dallas, Texas, yesterday of typhoid fever. Mr. Olive will be remembered by many of the older Plattsmouth people as he lived here years ago, and was engaged in the photographing business. He was a sister of Lou Meyers, of Cedar Creek. The Olive family and Mr. Pepperberg's family were very close friends, and they have known of Mr. Olive's illness for some time, and his death was really no great surprise to them.

Missouri Pacific Depot Robbed.

During Tuesday night thieves gained entrance to the ticket department of the Missouri Pacific depot and secured several way-station tickets and a few coupon tickets. No money was taken.

It is presumed the thief slipped into the office while Operator Kennedy was putting the mail and baggage on the morning train, the door probably failing to catch securely. All night there had been a stranger hanging around the M. P. premises, and as he came up missing coincidentally with the tickets, it was assumed that he was the stickyfingered individual who purloined the pasteboards.

The police were immediately notified and a description of the suspect furnished and about noon Chief Fitzgerald rounded the stranger up and placed him in durance vile, pending examination, which will be tomorrow.

A VERY BAD ACCIDENT

C. L. Tate the Real Estate Man and Emmons Richey Thrown From Buggy.

THEIR VEHICLE BADLY DEMOLISHED.

But Fortunately Neither Occupant Was Seriously Injured.

Yesterday evening, just as the day was growing dark, C. L. Tate and Emmons Richey were returning from Murray where they had been attending to some real estate matters for Mr. Tate, and when near the forks of the two avenues they met with an accident, and although quite serious, it might have been a great deal worse.

They had passed down one of the avenues and decided that the other might be nearer to Mr. Tate's residence, and started to turn around, when the wheels on one side of the buggy passed upon a small graded place, and at the same time the team became frightened at one of the large signs near and started to run. The buggy was turned over and Mr. Tate fell underneath and of course was the injured member of the affair, who received various scratches and bruises but none will prove serious. Mr. Richey was more fortunate, not receiving as much as a good hard fall. When the buggy turned over the top and seat left the box, leaving the boys along the roadside, while the balance of the vehicle and the team went sailing down the road to August Gorder's residence, where they were stopped, but not until after the buggy was pretty badly damaged.

SOUTH BEND'S LITTLE BOOM

A New Era of Industrial Activity for the Once Flourishing Village.

In conversation with Frank Baum and other South Benders Wednesday a Journal reporter learns that the little village up the river is about to take on new life. The initial step in this direction is the opening of a new stone quarry on the old Quin. Lansing place one mile west of town. Great deposits of first-grade limestone have long been known to lie in wait for the enterprising man to come along and take it out of its rocky bed in the bluffs, and at last J. A. Murphy of Omaha, a contractor well known for his enterprise, has taken hold of the proposition and will open up the hills, build a spur from the Burlington track, put in several crushers, derricks and other necessary machinery for the thorough equipment of an up-to-date and active quarry.

It is said that as soon as things are in shape a force of about one hundred men will be employed, including many expert and high-salaried mechanics, who will of course find it necessary to reside at the Bend.

Also, it is said, the Rock Island railway company contemplates building a track from the north end of its bridge to the old Stout quarry across the river from South Bend, and will make the old, white limestone bluff again resound with the noise of blasts and hammers and drills and assume the old activity which nearly a quarter of a century ago helped to make South Bend one of the liveliest towns in the country. With two big active quarries in operation, mercantile institutions will be attracted, and one thing will serve to bring another, until, even the least sanguine of the villagers feel some slight throbbing of hope for the future of South Bend.

In this connection it may even now be said that a new general merchandise store is booked for the Bend. Mr. Huffman, an Ashland merchant has expressed his intention of establishing a store, and is uncertain, as yet, whether he will occupy one of the already vacant buildings or erect another.

The Journal hopes these good things may all prove true.

Danger is near at hand when the kidneys are sick. Kidney-Ettes will purify and strengthen the kidneys and restore them to their normal and healthy condition. 25 cents at Gering & Co's.

MORE ORANGE BLOSSOMS

Mr. William E. Renner, of Omaha, and Miss Emma Robbins, of Plattsmouth, United.

A very interesting event occurred at the home of W. T. Richardson Wednesday evening, and was attended by a large number of the relatives and intimate friends of the contracting parties.

The principal participants in the affair were Mr. William E. Renner of Omaha and Miss Emma Robbins, a sister of Mrs. Richardson. Promptly at the hour of eight o'clock the bride and groom entered the parlor, preceded by the bride's two little nieces, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Richardson, who were very appropriately and tastefully arrayed for the occasion. On entering the room they were met by Rev. D. A. Youtzy, pastor of the Christian church, who in a very few words pronounced Mr. Renner and Miss Robbins husband and wife. The ceremony was very impressive, and was said in such a manner as to impress upon the minds of the happy couple the importance of the marriage vows which they were about to take. The bride was handsomely arrayed in pure white, which is always appropriate for such occasions, while the groom wore the conventional black.

After congratulations the guests were invited to partake of a most sumptuous repast, soon after which the bride and groom took their departure on the 10:18 train for Omaha, their home for the present.

The bride was reared in Plattsmouth, and is a very accomplished young lady. Very genial and social, naturally, she has a host of friends in Plattsmouth. The groom is a Plattsmouth boy, and has been in the employ of the Burlington for several years in the capacity of locomotive engineer, and is at present in the passenger train yards at Omaha. The Journal takes pleasure in extending congratulations, with the hope that joy and happiness will attend them through life.

That Government Building.

A special from Washington, under date of Wednesday, says: "Senator Burkett will introduce a bill tomorrow asking for an appropriation of \$75,000 for the purchase of a site and erection of a federal building at Plattsmouth."

BARGAINS IN REAL ESTATE

New Real Estate Firm of Sires & Martin Offer Some Good Bargains

Having concluded to go into the real estate work, I have now associated myself with Mr. Bruce Sires of Plainview, Neb.,—a man who has had fifteen years of honest experience in the business and who has sold thousands of dollars' worth of real estate to Cass county people.

I take this opportunity of introducing myself to my friends and neighbors who wish to buy a home or make a good investment in a good general community. I ask you to call and see me at my home in Plattsmouth, Neb. We have a large list of lands in Pierce, Antelope and Knox counties, Neb., which we will be glad to show to any prospective buyers. Fair treatment to all and any information as to the country or quality of the lands may be had by calling on me at Plattsmouth, or writing Bruce Sires, Gen'l Agt., Plainview, Neb.

Below will be found a few bargains taken from the long list now under our management and control, and in case of sale of any or all of them, other and equally good bargains will be furnished: C. L. MARTIN, Local Agent.

No. 1. 160 acre improved farm, 6 miles of Plainview, good land—lies fine; good house, barn, sheds for cattle, graneries, good well of water with mill attached, 40 acres fenced to pasture balance all under cultivation. Price \$420 per acre; mortgage \$1,600, balance cash.

No. 2. A splendid half section laying 3 miles out from Plainview, all under cultivation except about 20 acres, this has 10 acres of nice grove, all fenced; no buildings, lies close to school. This is cheap at \$35 per acre, terms \$6,000 cash balance to remain on the land at purchaser's own time at 4 per cent. A splendid opportunity for some one to complete a good home cheap.

No. 3. A small farm of 80 acres, located 8 miles from Plainview in Pierce county, improved, with small house and barn. No. 1 good soil. Price \$75.50 per acre, mortgage \$800 at 5 per cent balance cash.

No. 4. 160 acres 9 miles from Plainview, 6 miles from Brunswick, all under cultivation except pasture, good grove, good house, fair stabling. This can be had at a bargain for \$22.50 per acre. All fenced; in eastern Antelope county.

No. 5. A good 320 acre farm lying 6 miles from Brunswick, (Antelope county) Nebraska. All good new buildings, is as good soil as can be found in the country. Price \$35 per acre mortgage \$5500 optional time, will trade balance of equity (\$5,700) for a good stock general merchandise and hardware.