

# DAILY PERSONAL NEWS

Short Items of Interest, From Wednesday Evening's Daily Journal

Wm. Heiner was business visitor in Omaha today.

W. H. Clark visited in the city this morning from Pacific Junction.

Alva C. Godwin was a passenger to Omaha this afternoon on business.

Casper A. Hopenhall was a visitor in Omaha on business this afternoon.

John Gauer of near Louisville was a business visitor in the city this morning.

James Anderson was a visitor in Omaha this afternoon, going on the fast mail.

T. E. Parmele was a visitor in Louisville last evening, going on the Schuyler train.

John Wilkens of Plainview, was a visitor in the city this morning visiting with old friends.

Attorney Byron Clark was a visitor in Omaha this morning, looking after some legal matters.

Fred Obernalte, of near Manley, was a visitor in the city last evening, returning home this evening.

J. W. Grassman is reported as suffering with rheumatism and Mrs. Grassman with an attack of the grippe.

A. G. Earle was a visitor in Omaha this afternoon, where he is looking after some business and visiting with friends.

F. M. Kenaston of Springfield, Keya-Paha county, is in the city visiting with the families of Isaac and Stephen Cecil.

Miss Teresa Hempel was a visitor in Omaha this afternoon on business for the Degree of Honor of the A. O. U. W.

Miss Mable Burch has been secured as trimmer in the Fanger department store millinery department for the coming year.

Henry Kauble and wife were visitors in Omaha this morning, where they will visit for some time and look after some business matters.

Cure baby's croup, Willie's daily cuts and bruises, mama's sore throat, grandma's lameness—Dr. Thomas' Eucalypt Oil—the great household remedy.

F. A. Reynolds of Kansas City, was a business visitor in the city looking after some real estate transactions, and departed this morning for his home.

W. W. Coates departed for Kewanee, Ill., this morning, where he has a department store, and will look after his business interests there for some time.

Mrs. Robert Ward and daughter, Miss Agnes, are both reported as being somewhat improved from a recent and severe attack of the grippe, and are up and around again.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hiatt, after visiting in the city for some time, the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. S. White, departed this afternoon for their home at Sidney, Ia.

Mrs. Arthur Crissman came in Monday evening and is visiting in the city with relatives and friends, the guest of her mother, and will remain for some two weeks.

Eugene Brady is greatly improved and is so that visitors will now be admitted to see him. His condition has been very bad and we are glad to know of his improvement.

Will N. Baird came in this morning from Salida, Colo., where he is employed in a banking institution at that place, and will visit with his parents in the city for some time.

George M. Porter returned from Lincoln last evening, where he has been working for the Omaha Bee. As he went Monday morning, Mrs. Porter accompanied him as far as Weeping Water, where she is visiting at the present.

Will Davis and sister, Mrs. O. J. Gilson, returned Monday from Defiance, Iowa, where they have been visiting for some time with a brother and sister whom they have not seen for years. Mr. Davis departed this morning for his home at Anoba, Colorado.

Uncle Lemon Bates returned this afternoon from a visit of sometime at Tabor, Malvern and Glenwood, and was accompanied on his return by his nephew, Ralph Grendel of Glenwood, who will visit in the city for a short time and then go to Avoca where he will visit for a few days with his uncle, Fred Westlake, before returning home.

B. K. Windham departed for his home at Glenwood, Ia., this morning, after visiting in the city for some time, the guest at the home of his brother, R. B. Windham and family. Mr. B. K. Windham had the misfortune to be thrown off an ice wagon some time since and has his shoulder injured, and is visiting with friends and relatives during the time he cannot work.

Mrs. C. C. Parmele was a visitor with friends in Omaha this morning.

C. F. Rheihart, of Cullom, was a business visitor in the city this morning.

Oscar Nord was a brief business visitor in the city this morning from Oreadpolis.

Miss Freda Herold departed for Omaha on the fast mail, where she will visit with friends for the day.

Matt Gering returned home this morning from a trip to Lincoln, where he has been attending to some legal matters.

Miss Anna Johnson departed for Nebraska City this morning, where she will visit with friends for a short time.

Floyd Kuhney was confined to his home a few days with the grippe, but is again at his duties at the barber shop.

Mrs. A. B. Hass, of Oreadpolis, was a visitor in the city this morning with her mother and looking after some business matters.

C. F. Weber was a visitor in Omaha this morning.

A. W. White was a business visitor in Omaha this afternoon.

Mrs. G. F. S. Burton was a visitor in Omaha this afternoon.

Dr. E. D. Cummins was a passenger to Omaha this afternoon on professional business.

Eugene Brady is reported as getting along nicely, and it is hoped he will soon be up again.

Miss Irene Jess departed for Columbus this afternoon where she will visit with friends for a few days.

Ed. Kelley accompanied the Maurer boys as far as Omaha this afternoon, where they started to New Mexico.

John Mayfield was a visitor in Lincoln this afternoon on business connected with the Burlington company.

W. D. Jones departed this morning for Union, where he will cry a sale for A. C. Carey, who lives a few miles north of that place.

Jesse McVey is much improved from his attack of the grippe at the Perkin's house and was able to be up and eat his dinner today and write a letter or two.

Henry Meisinger, of near Cedar Creek was a visitor in the county seat this morning transacting some business with our merchants.

Jesse L. Root, supreme court commissioner, returned home last evening from Lincoln, where he has been looking after some legal matters.

R. M. Hogabone, of LaPlatte, was transacting business in the city this morning, coming on the morning Burlington train and returning on the fast mail.

Miss Teresa Hempel returned home this morning from Omaha, where she was looking after some business matters for the Degree of Honor since yesterday.

John Gorder is credited with saying that twenty teams worked yesterday all day on a strip of road forty rods long to effect an opening, but were not able to pass by night.

R. M. Collins, a lineman of the Western Union Telegraph company, came in this morning from Omaha, and is making some alterations of the wires at the Burlington station.

John Lahey of Richmond, Indiana, representing the Consolidated Crucible Steel Company of America, was a visitor in the city this morning, having business with the Burlington railway.

W. R. Brown, who is trying to get moved to Greenwood, is having a serious time, as he is unable, although having his goods loaded in wagons, to get them to the station on account of the depth of the snow.

Mrs. John A. Murray returned last evening from Omaha where she has been visiting a few days with her daughter, Miss Blanche, who is employed as trimmer for Mrs. Ecke, a milliner in the metropolis.

Willie and Amelia, two children of M. L. Friedrich, are much better at present, having materially recovered from their attack of the grippe to such an extent that they will soon be able to resume their work in school.

Miss Lalla Morris, of Portland, Oregon, after visiting in the city for a week with her friend, Miss Pearl Robinson, departed for Henderson, Ia., where she will visit for some time with relatives and friends before returning home.

Wm. Sage was a passenger to Omaha this morning, where he is looking after some business matters.

C. W. Hampton was a visitor at Omaha and other points this morning, looking after some business.

G. M. Porter departed this morning for Creston, Iowa, where he will collect for the Omaha Bee today.

Miss Hannah Bergren departed for Omaha this morning where she will visit for some time with friends.

Glen Highfield was a visitor in Ashland today with friends and relatives, going on the early Burlington train.

Photographer V. V. Leonard was a passenger to Omaha this afternoon where he is looking after some business.

Julius Pepperberg departed this morning for Ashland, where he will look after the sale of some cigars, the output of his factory at this place.

You will miss something good if you fail to see the basket ball game and turning exhibition at Coates hall February 22nd—next Saturday. Only 25.

J. F. Wolfe, from near Cedar Creek, was a passenger to Omaha this morning, where he will visit with friends for the day and look after business as well.

George H. Griffin, Superintendent of the Masonic Home, was a visitor in Omaha this morning, looking after some business matters relative to the home.

Mrs. L. M. Kuhney is reported as making very satisfactory progress at the hospital at Omaha, and will be permitted to return home the coming Sunday.

Charles Hazen, aged 18, and Miss Lillie Hulet aged 18, were licensed to marry in Council Bluffs yesterday. This young couple from Louisville, Cass county.

Electrician E. H. Elton of the Plattsmouth Telephone company, departed for South Omaha this morning, where he is looking after some business for the company.

Mrs. F. D. Palmer of Lincoln, departed for her home this afternoon on the fast mail after visiting in the city for a short time with her friend, Mrs. George Dovey.

Roy Fleck departed for his home at Leighton, Iowa, this morning after having visited in the city with the family of Q. K. Parmele, and at Union with Otto Marks, for the past week.

A. M. Holmes since his return from the east is reported as getting along nicely, and walks from the residence of his son to the store in Murray, a distance of five blocks without any trouble.

Will Schutz and Russ Todd, from northwest of the city, rigged up a bob sled this morning and came to town, but say that the snow is deep and some places almost impossible to get along.

O. B. Hodson, of Bonesteel, S. D., came in last evening, and is visiting in the city with friends and relatives, a guest at the home of R. Hale and family. Mr. Hodson being a cousin of Mrs. J. Hale.

Mr. Georgia Gore, representing the Sprague Manufacturing Company of Grand Rapids, Mich., was a visitor in the city this morning, looking after some business matters and departed for Omaha on the Burlington train.

Troy and Arthur Holmes departed this morning for Topeka, Kan., where they will visit for a short time and look after some business matters, before returning to Chicago, where they are engaged in the automobile business.

"Aldie," at Dovey's, says that since the snow storm there has been a wild-cat sleeping in the warehouse, and at an unguarded moment it got away and is recreating itself somewhere, and will not be induced to come out again until the snow is gone.

Mrs. Laura Garges and son, Everett, departed for their home at McPaul, Iowa, this morning, after visiting in the city for some time, with relatives and friends, the guests at the home of T. J. Hickson and wife, the latter being a daughter of Mrs. Garges.

At the time of the death of Mrs. O. G. Horne, nee Miss Grace Montgomery, the class of 1904 sent flowers as a token of the love the class bore for their teacher. In recognition, and bearing the thanks of the bereaved husband for the feeling the class cherished for their former teacher, yesterday Roy McKinney received a letter from Mr. Horne bearing his thanks for the kindly feeling expressed.

AMAZING BLOODLESS CURDS. As great as were the recent cures in Europe they are greater in America today. The cure of Rupture and other diseases without the knife is now an accomplished fact as can be proven by The German Specialists, of Council Bluffs, Ia.

With special instructions used by no other doctor they can diagnose diseases so accurately that patients are astonished, especially because they do not ask a single question in finding the cause of diseases.

The validity of their claims can be tested by all who write for appointment card. Their ad stating time to cure various diseases appears elsewhere in this paper.

## FINE FARMS FOR SALE

### An Extra Fine 800 Acre Farm Seven Miles East of Chaple, Nebraska

All good farm land, with 150 acres under cultivation, a large two-story frame house containing nine rooms, large barn and cattle sheds, two wind mills, two wells and two cisterns, all fenced and cross-fenced. Best improved farm in Deuel county. Price \$16.50 per acre.

Also 24 quarter sections in the same county for sale at from \$10 to \$15 per acre. All good land, for sale or trade for city property. For particulars call on or write Frank Stanley, Plattsmouth, Neb.

## EASILY DECIDED

### This Question Should Be Answered Easily by Plattsmouth People.

Which is wiser—to have confidence in the opinions of your fellow-citizens, of people you know, or depend on statements made by utter strangers residing in far-away places? Read the following:

Mrs. Claude Butler, of 613 South 10th street, Plattsmouth, says: "My two little boys were troubled with a weakness of the kidneys and auxiliary organs. The older child complained much of backache and headache. We were kept busy in trying remedies, hoping to find something that would overcome the difficulties but with little success until I got Doan's Kidney Pills at Gering & Co.'s drug store. The use of this preparation soon made a marked improvement in both cases. It is needless to say that our appreciation of Doan's Kidney Pills which brought about such positive results, is exceedingly great."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

## Married in Plattsmouth.

Arthur I. Cleghorn of the Nebraska metropolis, and Miss Nina J. Blue hailing from Council Bluffs, stepped off the train at this place this morning, and notwithstanding the deep snow, and the absence of the county judge from the city, secured a license from the clerk, Miss Gertrude Beeson, who can issue as good a license as the judge, and were soon made one.

With the necessary papers in their hands they immediately found the office of Judge Archer, who tied the knot that made them happy. The groom was 23 years old and the bride 19. The young man was formerly a resident of this county, having lived for a number of years near Weeping Water, and went to Omaha a few years ago, where he has a good position.

The young couple were accompanied by W. L. Phillips, who with John R. Denson witnessed the ceremony. They will make their home in Omaha. The Journal extends best wishes for their future welfare and prosperity.

## Getting Into Clear With Lines

The Burlington electrician, J. A. Collins of Ashland, was in the city this morning placing a telephone on the coach shops, which is attached to the system which has been installed in the shops. Mr. Collins says that he will go to work immediately in the installing of 'phones at Gilmore, Ft. Crook and Pappio, which will be connected with Oreadpolis, from which place there is a line connecting Oreadpolis and Plattsmouth. The Missouri river bridge and Pacific Junction.

In this line will also be placed Cedar Creek. The new arrangements will solve the problem for the company of operators at Cedar Creek, Pappio Ft. Crook and Gilmore Junction. Mr. Collins says that it is the intention to make the lines metallic circuit, and that the company will have them in operation before the law becomes effective March 4th, next.

## Snow Stops Work in Plaining Mills.

The plaining mills at the Burlington shops are taking a rest on account of the lack of lumber to do the work which is crowding very much. The recent heavy snow is so great and the facilities for getting away with it is so limited that the lumber, while in the yards, cannot be gotten to the mills until the snow is disposed of.

## Lands for Sale.

In Lincoln, Logan, Keith, Deuel, Cheyenne and Kimball counties, Neb., eastern Colorado and Wyoming. Special rates to land buyers.

FRANK STANLEY, Special Sales Agent Union Pacific Lands, Plattsmouth, Neb.

## Masons Will Confer Third Degree.

The Masonic order will confer the Third degree to a number of candidates tomorrow (Friday) evening, at their lodge rooms.

## ALLEYS MAR CITY

PLAQUE SPOTS STILL EXIST IN THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Situation Not as Bad as It Used to Be, but There is Yet Necessity for Removal of Slums.

The national capital, with all its pride of marble and bronze, its broad avenues and green circles, is nevertheless declared to be "rotten at the core." The phrase is Jacob Rills'. He "turned Washington inside out" a few years ago and went back to New York's east side for a breath of fresh air, says the New York Sun.

Things have taken a turn for the better since then, but the whitened sepulcher is still a likely metaphor to be used in connection with the nation's City Beautiful. Last spring President Roosevelt got so stirred up over some reports of the Washington alleys that he appointed a commission to devise a way of removing the literal and moral stench from the people's nostrils.

These alleys are without a parallel in any other city. There are 286 of them, and they harbor a population of 20,000 persons. When Jacob Rills declared that Washington had a rotten spot at the core he added:

"I mean that, for I have in mind the hidden back alleys, so well hidden that I passed them day after day, pleased with the fine front the block was making and without the least suspicion of what it harbored within."

Perhaps if he had known the names of some of those pestilent byways he might have suspected their nature. Ambush court is one, Blood alley is another, Jonah row is another, and there are Pig alley, Splash alley, Cat alley and other names full of significance.

But the name is not an unfailing guide. Otherwise Snow alley would not be the tortuous, filthy lane which it really is. And as for Queen's court—not two blocks from the British embassy—it would scarcely have shown itself to the shocked investigators, as it did for years, a labyrinth of dirt, disease and immorality.

"The alleys," says Charles F. Weller of the Associated Charities of Washington, "are hidden inner worlds, standing often in close proximity to the chief centers of the city's wealth and culture. Chinch row, not seven blocks from the White House and only three blocks from Dupont Circle, was indescribably bad."

Chinch row was an arm of Queen's court, and it was only recently that, after years of war upon it, its hovels were torn down. Some of the deplorable houses remain, however, so near the fashionable center of the city that the contrast is startling.

The ordinary newspaper does not print the sort of reading which the descriptions of many of these alleys make. It is hardly fit for anything but the reports of charity committees, and even they furnish an apology with each report. Very few of the alley houses have either water or sewerage connection, and it is hardly to be wondered at that the health authorities of the city are always fighting typhoid.

Prior to 1903 the government bureau of labor collected for several years official statistics of cities. In its bulletin for 1902 Washington was shown as having the highest death rate among the 39 largest cities in the country.

It was particularly strong in typhoid fever, tuberculosis, grip and malaria. Some of the causes certainly are not far to seek, no further in fact than the inside of many fair appearing city blocks.

## He Cleaned the Oysters.

Three well known young men from Washington went out on a hunting trip recently, and, as they intended to make a day of it, a quart of nice, large oysters was taken along for the noonday meal. When noon came the party made their way to camp with no game, and the one that had been elected cook set about preparing the oysters for frying.

He had just started to roll them in the cracker crumbs when one of the others butted in with the question: "Well, aren't you going to clean those oysters? Or do you expect us to eat them without being cleaned?"

His companion immediately got wise and backed up the first speaker, declaring that no oyster would pass his lips without first being cleaned. The cook looked up with mild surprise, and declared that he had never heard of oysters being cleaned, but if it was customary he was willing to do so. And he carefully cleaned the oysters.

## The White House Plate.

The fact that the White House is equipped with a service of solid gold plate for use on state occasions is not talked about too loudly, as it seems, somehow, to jar on democratic simplicity. But the fact that the service is there is recalled by the fact that it needs refurbishing, and jewelers from New York, Baltimore and Philadelphia are bidding for the work. The plate was bought during the Van Buren administration. It is made up of four large candelabra, five fruit dishes, and eight table mirrors, which are so fashioned that they can be formed into one large centerpiece. It is claimed that this service of plate is one of the handsomest in the world, and impresses even those diplomats who have seen the plate of the wealthiest European courts. The value of the White House plate is not generally known.

## Habitual Constipation

May be permanently overcome by proper personal efforts with the assistance of the one truly beneficial laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna, which enables one to form regular habits daily so that assistance to nature may be gradually dispensed with when no longer needed as the best of remedies, when required, are to assist nature and not to supplant the natural functions, which must depend ultimately upon proper nourishment, proper efforts, and right living generally. To get its beneficial effects, always buy the genuine

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One of the Most Powerful Attractions in a Woman.

Very few women realize what an effect a sweet voice has on a man. A woman may be very pretty to look upon, may be faultlessly and bewitchingly attired and attractive in every way, and yet directly she opens her mouth and speaks the spell is broken, the charm is gone. And this need never be.

Very few voices are so naturally bad that they will not succumb to training, and the voice can be trained to be just as sweet and gentle as one pleases to make it.

A woman should speak in a low voice. She should not allow her voice to raise itself to a high pitch.

A shrill-voiced woman is terrible. She should not shout her orders to the servants down the stairs, nor call to any one who may be in another part of the house. This shouting and raising of the voice spoils the tone and quality of the voice and tends to make it harsh. A pretty voice is a powerful attraction in a woman and she who would add to her charms a wondrous fascination should cultivate a voice "ever soft, gentle and low."

## MOTHER INSTINCT WAS STRONG.

Old Lady Ready to Aid Any One She Thought Needed It.

A woman who looked as if she had a commuter's ticket in her handbag kept a long line of customers waiting in a New York bank one morning recently. She was writing something and was in no hurry. She was not one of the fashionable "no hips" creatures, but was of such generous proportions that she could not be circumnavigated. There was nothing to do but wait and wonder what her business was. The cashier himself was in doubt, but waited politely to see.

"There, young man," she announced triumphantly to the cashier after putting her pencil in her mouth for the fiftieth time, "there is a prescription that has been in our family for 50 years. It will knock that cold of yours endwise. Hustle right out and get it filled and be sure and soak your feet in hot mustard water to-night. Don't let your cold run on."

The smiles that went round were kindly ones, it seemed so good to meet a universal "mother" ready to coddle any human being that she thought needed her ministrations.

## Ignorance of South America.

One of our contemporaries referred yesterday to "Little Paraguay." That republic is four-fifths as large as Germany.

Many persons have erroneous notions as to geographical sizes and lengths in South America. They have not the slightest idea that Brazil is nearly as large as the whole of Europe, that the distance between the north and south ends of Chile is as great as that between the North Cape of Europe and Gibraltar, and that steamers ply almost straight north and south on the Parana and its Paraguay affluent for a distance about equal to that between New York and Omaha.—New York Sun.

## Model of Economy.

A certain farmer, who is noted for his closeness in money matters, has a 12-year-old son, who is as industrious as his father is penurious.

Recently the father and son made a compact whereby the latter would receive ten cents for every cord of wood he saved and piled in the woodshed. Immediately the boy became very busy at the woodpile and his earnings have been piling up at a rapid rate, his mother keeping her son's hard-earned savings for him.

"What are you going to do with all your money?" the thrifty youth was recently asked.

"Goin' to buy a new saw with it," was the reply.

## When Using Strong Acid.

When using strong acids to take out stains—oxalic acid, for instance—dissolve the acid and then apply with a medicine dropper. This will cover just the surface desired.

## Brightening Mahogany.

An easy way to keep mahogany bright, and one that is seldom thought of, is washing the wood at frequent intervals with cold tea.

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