

NEWS OF THE COUNTY

Elmwood.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Newlin, Thursday, November 12th.

Delmar Saxton shipped 450 pounds of honey to Kansas last week and still has plenty of sweetness left.

Mrs. Lizzie Langhorst returned from the sanitarium at Lincoln Wednesday, considerably improved in health.

General Manager Pollock, of the Plattsmouth Telephone company was in town Tuesday to see how work was progressing on the new telephone building.

Howard Saxton, son of Delmar Saxton of this city, was elected county attorney of Thurston county on the democratic ticket at the election last week. Another Elmwood boy making good.

Mrs. Willis Bartlett, who has suffered several attacks of appendicitis the past year, underwent an operation at the local hospital Sunday. Dr. Harry Everett, assisted by our local doctors, performed the operation. The patient stood the severe operation nicely and is now getting along fine.

Last Friday Mueller Bros. disposed of their stock of agriculture implements, wagons and buggies, together with their two story implement building to Messrs. White & Levi of Lincoln, taking a half section of land near Pense, Saskatchewan, Canada, in the deal. The Mueller Bros. retain possession of their blacksmith business, and will run the implement business for the new firm until the first of next March, when a son of Mr. Levi is expected to take charge of the same.

Last Friday was Miss Ethel Langhorst's eleventh birthday and in the afternoon her mother gave her a surprise by inviting forty of her little friends in to visit her from two till five. A very happy afternoon was spent by the little folks in playing all the various games known to childhood, and it was a very hungry and appreciative crowd that partook of the splendid lunch prepared by Mrs. Langhorst. Miss Ethel was presented with many tokens of friendship by her guests, together with her wishes for many more happy birthdays.

Nehawka.

Mrs. P. A. O'Day, of Shenandoah, arrived Monday to spend the winter with the editor's family.

Mrs. Oney Carper went to York on Wednesday on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Anna Pittman. She will be absent for some time.

D. C. West and V. P. Sheldon left on Monday for a trip to Colorado for the purpose of inspecting the ranch owned by the Cass Land Company.

Frank P. Sheldon and Joseph Malcolm went to Omaha Tuesday in the interest of the Nehawka Milling Co. The demand for the product of the mill is constantly growing.

Mrs. T. A. Reynolds left on the early train Wednesday for York on an extended visit. She will visit at Arapahoe before she returns. She is taking a well earned vacation—and she needs it if anyone ever did.

Some months ago Walter Thacker had the misfortune to mash his first finger on his left hand; for some reason it refused to heal properly, and the sore finger was always in the way. The other day he mashed it again and in such a manner as to make amputation necessary.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Kelsner of Eight Mile Grove took the train here for Lincoln Wednesday and from there will go to Waukegan, Kansas, where they will look over the country with a view to purchasing a farm. Mrs. Rhoden accompanied them to spend the winter with T. J. Rhoden at that place.

A. F. Sturm had a valuable Jersey cow killed by a stray bullet on Monday morning about half past seven, presumably by a target rifle in the hands of some boy. It is to be wondered that there is not some individual killed the way small boys are allowed to carry fire arms. There was one suspected that we know of, but it will be well for all to be particularly careful in the use of target rifles in the future.

Union.

Mrs. P. A. O'Day, of Shenandoah, made a visit with Claudius Everett and wife northeast of town, returning home yesterday.

Mrs. Joseph Wood arrived home Tuesday evening from Elk Creek, Neb., where she has been visiting relatives two weeks.

James Darrough arrived home Tuesday evening from his trip to Texas, where he went last week to examine the Panhandle country.

Mrs. T. G. Barnum departed last Saturday for Edison, Neb., to visit

her daughter, Mrs. G. W. Cheney, and to see the new granddaughter that registered that morning at the Cheney residence.

Will Woolf arrived home Tuesday morning from Kansas City, where he spent several weeks for medical treatment. His physical condition is much improved and he says he is now able to be on "full feed once more."

Lewis Curtis has been gaining strength the past few weeks, and he is now able to do some work in his barber shop. He thinks that by being careful he can attend to the wants of his patrons and thus cut off the expense of hiring a barber.

A telegram received last Saturday by T. G. Barnum notified him that he was grandpa, a fine little daughter having arrived that morning at the home of G. W. Cheney of Edison, Neb. Mr. Barnum was quite proud of the new honor, but says it impresses upon his mind the fact that he is getting older every day and that a sprinkling of grey is spoiling the appearance of the bright red locks that were once his pride.

Louisville.

Rev. Salisbury, wife and son, of Plattsmouth, visited here Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Diers.

Chas. Hoover, who has been confined to his bed for the past two weeks with pneumonia is now much better and able to sit up.

Little Herold Williams, who has been down with lung fever, is reported no better at time of going to press.

Tuesday evening a small party of young people gathered at the home of Bert Stevenson and gave him a very pleasant anniversary surprise.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Evans moved to South Bend Thursday, where Mr. Evans has a position as operator at the Rock Island semaphores.

Station Agent W. T. Starkey, of the Burlington, is taking a ten days' vacation and in company with his family is visiting in the western part of the state.

Mrs. Pate Spangler, of Weeping Water, was taken to the M. E. hospital at Omaha Monday for an operation. Mrs. Cleghorn and P. C. Standler accompanied her and report her doing nicely.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stulken on Tuesday, November 10, and left them a ten pound boy. Henry says that means another vote for republican prosperity and high prices for farm products twenty-one years hence.

Again at Central.

The Journal is pleased to note that Miss Ida Weidman has again accepted a position at the central office of the Plattsmouth Telephone company. It gives us pleasure in more ways than one to make this announcement. First, she is most clever and accommodating, and a genuine good girl. Second, she is one of the best operators that either the Plattsmouth or Nebraska Telephone companies ever had at the key board. She is always quick to answer a call and ever ready to give any information desired. All these go to make up a proficient operator, and Miss Weidman's many friends rejoice also with the Journal to know that she is again at the helm.

Don't Like Governor's Action.

From Saturday's Daily—
Col. Charles A. Grotte, of Omaha, representing the L. W. Harper distillery, is in the city today on business matters. Col. Grotte is a member of Gov. Sheldon's staff and labored hard and earnestly to secure the re-election of the governor. He is much chagrined at the outcome of his efforts but not more so than at the governor's attitude since his election. Charley Grotte, as he is popularly known, is one of the best fellows in Omaha and he used all the powers of his genial personality to win votes for the governor only to find now, that that gentleman is busily engaged in trying to put him out of business. The Colonel returned to Omaha this noon on the fast mail.

Return This at Once.

The party who last Saturday stole the lady's hat from the buggy hitched near the Bank of Cass County is known, and if the hat is not returned at once prosecution will be commenced. If the hat is returned to this office, no more will be said of the affair. The hat is the property of Mrs. R. W. Porter, who reported the matter to this office today. Mrs. Porter was accompanied by Miss Lela Vallery, her sister, both ladies being daughters of T. W. Vallery from near Murray.

MUCH INTEREST MANIFESTED

In the Lighting Proposition Submitted by the Company.

Considerable interest in the lighting proposition has been aroused by the publication in the Journal of the latest proposition of the local lighting company, and from various conversations with the citizens at large respecting it the idea seems to prevail that it is the best proposition so far before the public.

Especially does the proposition to put in a twenty-four service and establish a power service also appeal to the people. At the coming factory meeting the other night the burden of most of the speeches was the necessity of power in the city and the proposition of the company to put in power as soon as twenty-five horse power could be granted them is regarded as equitable and right.

Sept. Claybaugh states that the matter of securing twenty-five horse power is merely the matter of looking it up as he has practically had that much already pledged him by individuals and industries in the city. Of course, the proposition to install a power plant depends upon the company securing the street lighting contract. It is stated that some of the members of the council have declared that under no circumstances will they vote for the letting of a contract to the local company. Such members are surely adopting a shortsighted and erroneous policy. This is a matter in which the entire Plattsmouth public is concerned and it is not such a one as will allow the exercise of personal prejudice and spite to interfere. If the contract presented by the local company is fair and equitable it should be entertained without regard to personal feelings.

It is stated that the announcement has gone out that the Bortolanger contract would be enacted whether it is liked or not. After the experience of our people with the ice proposition, the making of this contract would be a very serious mistake. The Bortolanger proposition does not meet with public approval and after the fiasco which the late Westcott contract amounted to, the public does not care to have their wants ignored and the personal feelings of the council allowed to obscure good business judgment.

This seems to be the general opinion of the public judging from conversations with business men and taxpayers. What the city wants is light and any action of the council which tends to saddle a long term franchise for a light company upon the city coupled with a contract for a long term of years will be in open opposition to the will of the people.

For Texas Bound.

From Tuesday's Daily—
Fred G. Ezenberger and D. C. Morgan departed yesterday afternoon for Carrizo Springs, Tex., where they will inspect some land which they, in company with a number of other Plattsmouth people, invested in. The lands which they purchased lie about one hundred miles southwest of San Antonio and are under irrigation. They are reputed to be very productive and raise all kinds of sub-tropical and tropical fruits, such as lemons, pears, oranges, figs, dates and the like, while the pecan flourishes in profusion. If the lands can do what they are said to do, there is no doubt the people here who have invested, have picked up a good thing. The report of these gentlemen will be awaited with great interest by those who have invested in the property.

John A. Hennings and C. C. Hennings, two of the most prominent and prosperous farmers from Eight Mile Grove precinct, were in the city yesterday afternoon looking after business matters.

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Local News

From Tuesday's Daily—
W. D. Wheeler came in from his home in Rock Bluffs precinct today to attend to business matters.

John Miller of Omaha, a brother of Charles Miller living south of the city, is making him a short visit.

Harry Hoid is spending the afternoon in Omaha being a passenger for 1:25 p. m. on the fast mail at noon.

L. A. Moore was a passenger this noon on the fast mail for Omaha, where he had business matters to attend to.

J. E. McDaniel was a passenger this morning on No. 19 for Omaha, where he had business matters to attend to.

Miss Katie Hesse was a passenger this noon on the mail train for Omaha where she will spend the afternoon.

D. P. Jackson was a business visitor this afternoon in Omaha, being a passenger on the mail train for that city.

Mrs. Geo. Klinger was a passenger on the mail train at noon for Omaha where she is taking medical treatment.

L. F. Salice was a passenger this noon on the mail train for Omaha where he had business matters to look after.

Miss Lily Schulz departed this noon on the fast mail for Omaha, where she will visit her sister for several days.

Richard Worl was a passenger this noon for Stanton, Neb., after spending several days in this city on business matters.

C. R. Moran and wife, who have been absent from the city for some time on a visit, returned this morning on No. 4.

W. F. Warga and wife were passengers this noon on the fast mail for Omaha where they will spend the afternoon.

Robt. Kendall, one of Liberty precinct's prominent farmers, was in the city this afternoon looking after business matters.

Mrs. G. M. Goodman was a passenger on the noon train for Columbus, Neb., where she will visit for several days with friends.

Mrs. J. H. Nelson of LaPlatte was a visitor in the city this morning for a few hours, returning to her home on the mail train.

Miss Anna Haessler, the efficient clerk for Miss Teresa Hempel, grand recorder of the Degree of Honor, is confined to her home by illness.

Ed. F. Grimes, deputy state oil inspector, was in the city this morning on his regular monthly trip, returning to Omaha on the noon train.

Mrs. William Wetenkamp and her son A. A. Wetenkamp were passengers on the mail train at noon for Omaha where they had business matters to attend to.

Henry Schlutz, the popular first ward councilman, returned last night from about ten days' work for the Burlington at Seneca, Neb., and today is back at his duties in the local shops.

Dr. Geo. H. Gilmore and D. J. Pittman, two of Murray's prominent citizens, were business visitors in the city today coming up this morning in a buggy and returning in the afternoon.

Mrs. Asche of Murray, accompanied by her guest, Miss Hizeboran, of Gadsden, Ala., were in the city for a few hours, taking the mail train at noon for Omaha where they will spend the afternoon.

T. M. Carter was a business visitor this afternoon at Blair where he has property interests to look after. Mr. Carter was formerly a resident of Blair and still has a warm spot in his heart for that city. He expects to be there for several days.

B. B. Danher, one of the enterprising farmers from near Murray was in the city today looking after business affairs. Mr. Danher with his customary hustling abilities has gotten all his corn gathered and is in fine shape for the approaching winter.

Mrs. E. B. Thrall yesterday entertained in honor of her guest, Miss Loretta Clark of Los Angeles, Cal. The Thrall home was the scene of a brilliant assemblage gathered to pay their respects to Miss Clark, one of the most popular young women who claimed this city as her home. A five course dinner was served by the charming hostess.

William A. Rouse departed this noon on the mail train for Omaha where he goes to make arrangements to dispose of his season's crop of pop corn. Mr. Rouse this season raised some 2,500 pounds of this corn of an unusually high grade of excellence which should bring the top price in the market. Owing to its superior quality, this corn should be snapped up by the Omaha wholesalers who know a good thing when they see it.



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COMMITTEEMEN FILE STATEMENTS

What It Cost Each Party to Run the Campaign in Cass County.

County Clerk Rosenkrans has received reports from A. F. Sturm, chairman of the republican county central committee and Dr. J. S. Livingston, chairman of the democratic county central committee showing the amounts the two committees spent during the late campaign. According to the figures submitted, the democratic committee made an excellent showing. The republican committee received \$444.87 and expended \$382.53. Their statement is so incomplete that it is difficult to tell just how the money was spent. The two large items on the statement are those of H. A. Schneider who expended \$231.25 of the committee money for various objects which are not enumerated and A. F. Sturm, who expended \$81.03 of the funds for the same miscellaneous purposes. The rest was for various other incidental items.

The report of Dr. Livingston is much more complete. It shows the committee received altogether \$337.50, of which the democratic state committee contributed \$250.00 and the balance was paid in by the candidates on the ticket. The expenditures were the same amount, \$337.50, divided as follows: Printing \$37.50; telephone \$12.35; postage \$16.00; paid committee outside of Plattsmouth, \$140.00; carriages, \$15.00; workers and expense in Plattsmouth, \$80.00; for personal expenses, \$26.65. This is a clear and lucid statement of the expenses and bears out the spirit of the law. It is a strikingly good showing for Dr. Livingston and his committee, who made a magnificent fight.

Clerk Rosenkrans also has a statement from Congressman Pollard stating that he expended in his fight for re-election \$480.00. The statement of C. D. Clapp, for the republican congressional committee shows receipts of \$1,838.50, of which the national committee contributed \$1,000.00. The statement of expenses is not footed up, but there are several striking items in the total, one of which is the expenses and "salary" of J. M. Teegarden, the total of which amounts to the neighborhood of \$250. W. Clapp also had charges of \$60.00 for his activities in the fight. The various county chairmen received \$50.00 for each county, save Lancaster, which got \$75.

In view of the heavy expenses of the republicans compared with those of the democrats it can be seen the latter made a great showing and should be justly proud of their victory.

Here, Too, Pete.
Governor elect A. C. Shallenberger may have several plums on his tree or distribution, but if there are many people in other parts of the state that want some of these plums as here, he will have to grow several more plums to supply the want. It is astonishing how many people who have never done anything for the party and not always supported the candidates and the cause conceive the idea they want a public office. Some of them may experience some trouble in getting a pole long enough to knock and fruit even from the lower limbs.—Nebraska City News.

Death of Mrs. Hennings.

From Tuesday's Daily—
Grandma Hennings, the venerable mother of John A., Ferdinand and Charles C. Hennings, died yesterday at the home of her son, John A. Hennings in Eight Mile Grove precinct. This venerable woman had lived to the ripe age of ninety years and had survived her husband for the past ten years. Owing to inability to get particulars of her life, a sketch of her is necessarily postponed until later. Her funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon from her home to Walradt cemetery, Rev. Fr. Spriegel officiating.

Call up Plattsmouth phone No. 11 for livery. Smith & Smith.

LEGAL NOTICE.

STATE OF NEBRASKA, ss. IN COUNTY COURT, COUNTY OF CASS.
In the matter of the estate of John D. Thierolf, deceased.
To all persons interested:
You are hereby notified that the executrix of the above estate has filed in this court her account and petition for final settlement of said estate, and praying that said account be allowed and that the property of said estate be assigned according to the last will and testament of said deceased.
You are further notified that a hearing will be had upon said petition on the 17th day of November, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m. before this court at Plattsmouth, Nebraska. That all objections must be filed on or before said day of hearing.
Witness my hand and seal of the County Court, this 23rd day of October, 1908.
[SEAL] By the court, ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge.