

DAILY PERSONAL NEWS

Short Items of Interest From Friday's Daily Journal

Miss Hannah Black was a passenger on the mail train at noon for Lincoln.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the Methodist Church Friday afternoon, April 23.

A. W. White is looking after business in Omaha this morning going up on the fast mail.

Mrs. Chas. Chene was a passenger this noon on the mail train for Omaha where she will visit for several days with relatives.

Mrs. Fannie Garrison and daughter Miss Lena, were passengers on the fast mail for Omaha where they will spend the afternoon.

Mrs. A. J. Kauka and baby and Miss Maggie Jess were passengers this noon on the mail train for Omaha where they will spend the afternoon.

A. Waecher, the shoemaker, was a passenger this noon on the fast mail train for Omaha where he had important business matters to look after.

Mrs. Harry S. James of Lincoln, who has been visiting with her parents in this city for several days, departed on the mail train at noon for her home.

Mrs. Fred W. Hawksworth who has been spending several days in the city, the guest of Mrs. D. Hawksworth, departed this noon on the mail train for her home at Norfolk.

Monte Straight spent several hours in the city this morning between trains making a visit with his parents and little son, returning to Omaha to take up his run on the mail train at noon.

M. Walker of the Majestic theater and his brother A. Walker were passengers on the fast mail at noon for Omaha from which point Mr. A. Walker expects to return to his home at Atlantic, Ia.

Mrs. J. B. Higley and her daughter Mrs. George Barr, were passengers on the mail train at noon for Council Bluffs, Ia., where they will visit with Mrs. Higley's son Haywood Eledge who lives at that point.

W. S. Soper made a short visit in the city last night, running down from Omaha, and returning this morning on the noon train. Mr. Soper states that he is getting along famously in his new location in the metropolis.

Oliver C. Dovey accompanied by Miss Florence Dovey were passengers this morning on the early train for Omaha and later they will go to Lincoln. Miss Claire Dovey is expected to accompany them on their return to this city, coming down from the university.

A. H. Jackson of Louisville accompanied by his aged father came down yesterday morning for the purpose of consulting a physician in regard to the old gentleman's health. They spent the day in the city returning to their home on the Schuyler train in the afternoon.

Quartus Parmele departed this morning for the west in search of horses, going to select some fancy stock which he hopes to dispose of in this section. He will make stops at several of the large horse markets in this section and look the stock over.

Asa McCullough, who has been making his home in Kansas City, Kansas, for the past few months, returned to Plattsmouth last evening where he will remain for the summer.

J. G. Richey is now well enough to be able to sit up and to walk about the house a little, and is rapidly regaining his strength. He has made marvelous strides toward recovery in the last ten days and will be able to be out and about within a short time. It is thought.

Messrs. Barrett and Rathenburgh of Omaha who have been spending a little vacation of several days with Fred Patterson near Rock Bluffs, returned to the metropolis this noon on the mail train. They came down to woo the finny tribe and succeeded in catching some nice strings of fish but the weather proved to be against them and they finally abandoned the trip as a failure. Mr. Patterson brought them to this city from his home this morning.

A. H. Pratt, the aged comrade of Judge Jos. W. Johnson departed this morning for Tecumseh, Neb., where he will make a visit with his brother for several days before departing for Malve where he will spend the summer. Mr. Pratt was a sergeant in the same company with Judge Johnson and passed through all the thrilling encounters and adventures which the latter went through. The comrades had a very pleasant visit together.

Mrs. Gayman and son of Omaha who have been visiting in the city with J. B. Pitzer and family departed this morning for their home.

B. Burris is spending the day in Lincoln having come up from Union last evening in company with John Vanhorn.

Mrs. Geo. Perry was a passenger this morning on the early train for Lincoln where she will visit with friends for several days.

Mrs. Charles Troop and Mrs. Ben Neel were passengers this morning for Omaha where they will spend the day with friends.

Frank Kiolek departed this morning on the early train for Lincoln intending to return to work for the Burlington at Havelock.

C. F. Moran and wife were passengers this morning on the early train for Ashland where they will spend the day visiting with friends.

Mrs. A. L. Anderson is spending the day in Omaha being a passenger for that city on the early train this morning.

H. C. Long, the prominent citizen of Murray and good democrat, is in the city today attending to business matters.

Mrs. Wm. Baird and little son were passengers on the mail train for Lincoln where they will visit for several days.

T. M. Paterson is looking after business this afternoon in the metropolis, being a passenger for that city this noon on the mail train.

Miss Mary Baker departed this morning on the early train for Mascot, Neb., where she will spend the summer, expecting to return in the fall.

Philip H. Meisinger, the well known Eight Mile Grove precinct farmer, is attending to business in the city this afternoon, driving in from his farm.

L. W. Lorenz is looking after business in connection with their up-to-date grocery store, in Omaha today being a passenger for that city on the morning train.

Mrs. O'Dell of Kansas City, Mo., came in this morning on the early train for a visit with Mrs. F. Latham for several days. Miss O'Dell is a niece of the late Fred Latham.

John Albert, the prominent citizen and farmer from near Cedar Creek came down this morning on the Schuyler returning in the evening on the same train.

A. L. Anderson departed this morning for Pacific Junction for a business trip and this afternoon departs on a ten days trip through Iowa points in the interest of his house.

John Bajock of Ptak & Bajock, manufacturers of the celebrated "Acorn" and other fine brands of cigars, is spending the day in Pacific Junction and Glenwood talking the superior quality of his goods.

Wm. F. Gillespie of Myard, mayor and general good fellow, spent the holiday in the city coming in this day in this city coming in this morning and remaining for several hours looking after business matters.

County Judge Beeson, who has been suffering for several days with an attack of the lagrippe, was so far recovered as to be down to his office this morning, although he still looks bad. He was quite ill Tuesday night, suffering much pain in his head.

H. E. Weldman and wife who have been visiting in the city for several days with Mr. Waldman's parents and brothers and sisters, departed this morning for Chicago where they go on a business and pleasure trip, expecting to be gone several days.

Night Policeman Anton Nitka who has been laid up for several days with an attack of appendicitis, was so far recovered yesterday as to be able to be down town and about, and he hopes to be able to resume his duties tonight. During his illness James Bird has been acting as night policeman.

Considerable complaint is being made by citizens of North Fifth street of the depredations committed by dogs on their gardens and flower beds, as well as the infernal racket which is always prevailing over their fightings and snarlings, and the wish is fervently expressed that the chief of police or the pound master or some equally efficient member of the city administration take his cannon and cannonize a few of the animals. The entire city seems to be overruled with these animals and they should be either kept up or their number thinned out.

F. G. Fricke, mention of whose severe injury was made in the journal several days ago, has so far recovered as to be able to be down to his store once more and look after business. He is still painfully sore from the effects of his fall but doubtless will be himself again within a few days.

F. A. Murphy is looking after a shipment of good he made from Cuba this afternoon in Omaha. He had forgotten that these goods would have to pass through the custom house at Omaha and several days ago when in that city he had been unable to locate them. He now thinks that an inquiry at the custom house will likely result in locating the missing articles. These things he seems to believe are necessary before he can properly go to housekeeping.

W. C. Irwin who has disposed of his store in this city to J. W. Larkin and who intends to settle later in Montana, left this noon on the mail train for Omaha from which point he will go to Chicago whither Mrs. Irwin has preceded him, for a visit of several days before leaving for his new location. While Mr. and Mrs. Irwin were not long in the city they had made a great many friends who were sincerely sorry to have them leave, and whose best wishes follow them wherever they may go.

A Pleasant Social Affair.

One of the most pleasant social affairs given in this city for a long time past was that of the Loyal Mystic Legion which gave a very fine mask ball last evening at Coates Hall. The masquerade was attended by some twenty-five couples, all members of the order who turned out to have a thoroughly enjoyable evening and all those who were fortunate enough to have the privilege of taking in the affair join in saying it was one of the most pleasant they had ever had the honor to participate in. The costumes of the members covered every phase of character and ranged from the highly humorous to the elegant costume of wealth and refinement.

Prizes were awarded the two best prizes were awarded for the two best costumes in the house, the one costume representing the finest and nicest while the others representing the best character. The former prize was taken by Mrs. Marousek and the latter prize went to Mrs. Martha Petersen. Both awards met with popular approval.

At ten o'clock refreshments consisting of coffee, cake and the like were served and this aided to make the evening one of unalloyed pleasure.

Will Ramsey's Fine Record.

On April 18 Andrew Bloom was arrested on a charge of forgery and grand larceny committed at Greenwood, and complaint therefor filed before Judge Archer by County Attorney Ramsey. On April 20th, the accused waived preliminary hearing before Judge Archer, who immediately held him to the district court with bond of \$1,000.

On April 23rd County Attorney Ramsey filed an information in district court charging Bloom substantially as charged in the lower court. Bloom entered a plea of guilty, as charged, whereupon Judge Travis pronounced sentence of four years in the penitentiary.

This is certainly swift and effective criminal prosecution, and our boy county attorney is fast redeeming the predictions made for him last fall when a candidate for the office.

This one case has saved the taxpayers of Cass county the biggest end of \$300—almost one third of the yearly salary of the county attorney. Billy's four months of office work shows that no mistake was made when he was elected county attorney.

Hold Banquet.

The forty-first annual banquet of Burlington operating officials was held in Chicago last night, following the election of officers by the association in the afternoon. At this meeting E. Bignell, superintendent of the Lincoln division, retired as chairman of the association, having served during the past year. The year before H. E. Byram, general superintendent was chairman. The banquet held annually is one of the swell affairs in the life of the operating man, and is enjoyed greatly.

It is said that the attendance of operating officials from the lines west was general and that this is the one event the officials do not miss where it is possible for them to attend. This year the tariff men were called in to discuss matters of interest to operating officials which also bore on traffic department problems. J. J. Cox, division freight agent of Lincoln, was on the program for a paper.

The meetings are said to be profitable affairs for the employes of the road who direct its operations, as ideas gathered from every division are offered at these sessions.—State Journal.

Returns to Colorado.

What threatened to be protracted legal proceedings over the custody of Otto Seydlitz came to an unexpected termination this noon when Seydlitz decided to return to Canyon City, Col., and face the music, accompanying Sheriff Joseph Esser to that point on the mail train. This determination on Seydlitz part was brought about by his considering the effect this fight would have upon his chances for leniency in case he was convicted and on the advice of his father. His father considering it the best thing for him to do to stop the litigation and return and face trial.

The court proceedings this morning to which time the court adjourned from yesterday consisted of the production of the prisoner in court by Sheriff Quinton and argument upon the motion of County Attorney Ramsey to quash the writ of habeas corpus and permit Sheriff Esser to take his prisoner. Argument was heard by County Judge Beeson on the motion, A. N. Sullivan opposing it and County Attorney Ramsey appearing for the motion. At the close of the argument which was chiefly distinguished by Mr. Sullivan's argument that the sheriff was bound to produce the prisoner no matter by whom he was served, Judge Beeson took the matter under advisement for several hours. At 11 o'clock he reconvened court and announced his decision which was to sustain the motion and quash the alleged service of the writ upon the sheriff. Attorney Sullivan wanted permission to take the case to the district court on error or appeal and Judge Beeson fixed a supersedeas bond at the sum of \$5,000 which he ordered the relator Seydlitz to produce by Saturday evening or he would be turned over to the Colorado authorities. The amount of the supersedeas fixed by the court was practically prohibitory and simply meant to delay the return of the prisoner only until the time for filing the bond had expired. Under these conditions both Seydlitz and his father and mother considered it best for him to abandon the fight at this point and return with Sheriff Esser.

In yesterday's paper the name of the party assaulted by Seydlitz was given as Burkin when it should have been Dr. Augusto Borkquin. He is the French consul at Denver, Col., and is a man of much wealth and high standing in that section. He is a large cattle raiser and ranch owner and is the employer of a number of men. His condition was reported to be very critical when Sheriff Esser left owing to the injuries which Seydlitz had inflicted upon him.

This probably ends the matter until Seydlitz is brought to trial at Canyon City when the full details of the affair will be brought out and aired. According to Sheriff Esser there is very small probability that Seydlitz can escape a heavy punishment as he seems to think the offense was entirely without warrant and deserving of severe punishment. Seydlitz will arrive in Canyon City tomorrow night, the sheriff and his prisoner leaving Omaha this afternoon and getting into Denver in the morning.

In Love With Canada.

Geo. H. Wood and wife departed several weeks ago for their home at Louisville for a trip to the north. Mr. Woods going to Alberta, Canada on land business and Mrs. Woods going to Minneapolis, Minn. to visit relatives. Mr. Woods came back this morning more in love with Canada than ever reporting spring work much further advanced in that country than here. Farmers have their fields plowed and most cases planted. The winter has been mild, farmers being able to work in their fields up to Christmas almost, while February and March were ideal months. Trees are in bud and spring is well advanced. Mr. Wood accounts for this by the prevalence of the chinook wind which blows in that country throughout the winter months. He says it is an ideal spot to live in. Mrs. Woods had the misfortune to run into a bad case of diphtheria while in Minneapolis and is quarantined as a result which detained them for a short time.

Peter Halmes came in this morning from his home in the country and was a passenger for Lincoln on the early train going up to get his son, Peter, who has been in the sanitarium there for an operation. The young man has been suffering for several years from osteomyelitis of the bone and this is the second operation he has undergone. It is to be hoped that the operation proves a success and that he will soon entirely recover the use of his legs which have been so badly affected. Mr. Halmes says that he has been assured that by careful attention and treatment the disease will soon be conquered and he is very hopeful that this last operation may be the starting point toward complete recovery.

A Splendid Success.

The biggest and best dance given yet by the Improved Order of Redmen was held last evening at Coates Hall. The preliminary announcements of the dance which were to the effect that the Redmen intended to make this the best affair of the kind ever given in the city, were more than fulfilled. To start with there was a big attendance, the hall being crowded and the floor filled with dancers all evening. One of the pleasing features of the event was the music which was Itner's Redmen Orchestra, a fine collection of musicians. The lodge has been very fortunate in their dances and this one realized good net results, the lodge clearing a neat sum. The refreshments served were very excellent and of a high standard and everyone participating in them were enthusiastic over the fine spread furnished.

On behalf of the lodge thanks were extended to the committee on arrangements which consisted of Messrs. Bach, Nemetz, Newton, Richards and Koubek, all bustling members of the order. The ladies on the refreshment committee were also thanked for their services these being Mesdames A. C. Godwin and M. E. Brantner.

A Rich Find.

Talk about people having luck! Several days ago since Herman Hohlschuh was engaged in the pleasant pastime of removing some fertilizer from the vicinity of his barn to a field which he intended to revive, and in the process of loading a wagon he heaved a large forkful of the mixture into the wagon, and doing so revealed what looked to him like a glittering diamond. He paused and proceeded to explore and see what he could uncover, bringing to light a ring. The ring was a gold one with a diamond set. At first Herman was disposed to believe he was dreaming and actually pinched himself several times to make sure that he was working all right. Becoming convinced that he had all his senses about him and that the find was real, he made a more careful examination of it. After the examination he decided he would take it to a jeweler and ascertain whether or not the gem was real or merely a stage diamond. He took it to B. A. McElwain, the jeweler, who gave it an examination and finally pronounced it a genuine diamond weighing about one carat. This would make its value in the neighborhood of one hundred and fifty dollars. Submitted to people who wore diamonds like the editor, it was pronounced of fabulous worth. As a matter of fact the stone is worth about \$150 and it was a most fortunate find. There is considerable speculation as to how the stone came where it was. Years ago there used to be picnics held about the place where the stone was found and one theory that it was lost by some of the numerous sports from Omaha who attended them and who frequently indulged in fistcuffs and the like at

the expense of their countenances and everything moveable on their persons. It is surmised that the ring was extracted from one of these men during what is commonly known as a riot. Another theory is that the ring was swallowed by some patient bovine who grazed upon the herbage of the pasture and in the course of time it returned again to earth. Anyway Herman doesn't care where it came from. Neither will the lucky young woman who will wear it sooner or later for everyone agrees that is where it will go eventually.

G. Knapp is looking after business matters today in Omaha going to that city on the early morning train.

Herman Spies spent several hours yesterday morning in Pacific Junction going over to sell the merchants of that city several thousand of his "Exquisite" and other brands of cigars.

Mrs. Henry Steinhauser and daughter Gladys, departed this morning on the early train for Lincoln where they will visit for several days with Mrs. Wesley Campbell. Mrs. Campbell had the misfortune some time ago to badly sprain her ankle and does not recover very readily.

Frank Janda while working at the shops yesterday had the misfortune to strain the muscles of his back so badly that he is compelled to take an enforced layoff of a few days, and is getting about town today with the aid of a cane.

Claud Everett and wife from near Union were in the city today making a call upon J. G. Richey whose condition is so rapidly improving. Mr. Everett drove back to their home this afternoon, Mrs. Everett remaining for a visit.

M. Q. McQuinn and wife drove up this morning from their farm near Union, to look after some business in the city, returning to their home this evening. Mr. McQuinn made the Journal one of his pleasant and much appreciated calls during his stay in the city.

Harry Smith and family who recently moved upon the Stohman place, west of the city, from Glenwood, Ia., departed this morning on No. 4, being called there by the sad intelligence of the death of Mr. Smith's mother. The funeral of this estimable lady will take place, it is understood today. Further particulars of her death will appear later in this paper.

Frank Rauhen has received several letters from Sergeant John Doyle of the 91st Coast Artillery, Battery D, informing him that Sergeant Doyle expects soon to be transferred to Ft. Crook, and he is looking forward every day to the time when the transfer takes place. Sergeant Doyle will be quite well remembered by many Plattsmouth people, having lived here a number of years ago. He has been in the army for the past twenty years and has served in both army and navy. John is a fine fellow and his many friends here will be glad to see him on his return.

HERE'S SQUARE DEAL FOR YOU!

We have just taken up a new line of men's hose which are becoming famous throughout the whole country because of their marvelous wearing qualities. We have investigated this hosiery and know it has unusual merit, and so we are asking each person who has trouble with holes coming in the toes of his socks, to come and buy just one pair of half-hose made with the

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WHY DO WE MAKE THIS OFFER? Because we know this is the greatest wearing hosiery ever made. We have tried them, and all to whom we have sold them say they are the best thing they ever saw. We know a single trial pair will convince the most particular person. Let us show YOU.

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