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LILLIAN K. HASSE PASSES AWAY

Funeral in Omaha at 2:30 To- morrow Afternoon.

From Tuesday's Daily.
Word was received in the city this morning that Mrs. Lillian K. Hasse, formerly of this city, died at the hospital in Omaha this morning at 5 o'clock after a lingering illness which has extended over several months. While the facts are not before the writer it is believed that her trouble was cancer. The deceased had many warm friends in this city and at Weeping Water, where she formerly lived, who will be very sorry to learn of her untimely death. Mrs. Hasse was a resident of Plattsmouth for more than ten years, most of that time being employed as clerk in the office of the county judge, and afterward in the Bank of Cass county, where she remained about a year,

going later to Lincoln. Last February she went to a hospital in Omaha for an operation, from which she and her friends supposed she had fully recovered. But later, while at O'Neal, she was taken very sick and returned to the hospital at Omaha, where she has since been. The Journal regrets that it is unable to give an extended obituary statement of the deceased in this issue, but will do so tomorrow. The funeral will occur tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 from the Jackson undertaking rooms, No. 1705 Leavenworth street, and the services will be held until the Plattsmouth friends can arrive on the fast mail.

Stranger Buys Boat.

U. G. Unger, an expert lather from Columbus, Neb., arrived in the city yesterday on No. 92, and for some reason was not allowed by the train crew to proceed further. The man was intoxicated to some extent, and concluded that if he could not be transported by rail he would buy a boat and float down the river. Accordingly he went to the landing near the big bridge and soon affected a purchase of a fine boat from Jake Miller and his partner, Kinnemon, for the princely sum of \$7. The traveler also purchased some lumber at the local yards here, and no doubt would soon have had his vehicle ready for the journey, but the brand of liquor he had taken was too much for his weary frame to carry without rest, so he soon fell into a refreshing slumber, and when the officers came upon him he was reclining in his boat fast asleep. His position was somewhat perilous, his head was in the bottom of the boat, while his body rested on the lumber, and his feet were still higher up on a mattress. All of the time his boat was tipping to the south and every gust of wind from the north almost capsized the craft. Mr. Unger was arrested for a plain drunk, and as soon as he squares up with the court for this infraction of the law he will be allowed to proceed on his way to the southland.

Rev. A. A. Randall.

The Journal regrets to note that Rev. A. A. Randall, who has been pastor of the Methodist church here for the past two years, has been transferred to the York district, and stationed at Osceola, Neb. Brother Randall has won many friends here, even outside the church, by his gentlemanly deportment and affable manner, and we all learned to love him for his many excellent qualities. The new minister, Mr. Austin, may contain all the qualities that Brother Randall does, but the people of Plattsmouth in general will miss him more than any other pastor that has been here for years. But what is Plattsmouth's loss is Osceola's gain, and the best wishes of the Journal will attend him for health, happiness and prosperity.

Accident at the Shops.

Yesterday afternoon, while operating a machine at the planing mill at the shops, J. H. Gravitt met with an accident which will prevent him from working for a few days. Mr. Gravitt does not know just how it happened, but a stick of timber got loose at both ends, came flying through the air and landed on his left collar bone, knocking him down and bruising him badly. He was taken to Dr. Livingston's office, where the doctor dressed his wounds. There was found no broken bones, but the patient will be laid up for a time with his bruises.

Mrs. Frank Buttery went to Omaha on the early train today, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. John Kalina of Abie, Neb. Mrs. Kalina has been visiting her daughter for a week, but returned home today.

Paying the Piper.

Senator John Tanner of the South Omaha Democrat, is a regular brick when it comes summing up things in general. Here is what he has to say on the automobile question: "Ain't it hell to own an automobile and be forced to let the fellow you bought it from keep it constantly in his charge for repairs? After two weeks of constant study and deep thought I have utterly failed to frame up language half strong enough to express my real convictions. And yet I could be arrested for the mildest portion of some of the things that have been scorching through my brain every time I think of the fellow who has me by the short hair. I still believe, however, there is balm in Gilead, but if I ever get hold of the balm and the garage shortstop at the same time it is safe to bet that I will run out of balm before I get everything off my chest that has been accumulating there for a couple of weeks."

Died Suddenly at Omaha.

Thomas Pollock received the sad intelligence last evening of the sudden death of his sister-in-law, Mrs. J. D. Kerr, at her home in Omaha, Monday morning. Mrs. Kerr was the widow of Rev. J. D. Kerr, former pastor of the Bellevue Presbyterian church, who died some four years ago. Mrs. Kerr was 66 years of age and her death occurred some time Sunday night or Monday morning, as she was dead when the friends went to her room early Monday morning. The details were not known here at the time. The relatives departed for Omaha this morning. Mr. Pollock and his wife and Mrs. C. C. Parmele and T. H. Pollock departed for Omaha on the early train this morning. The death of this estimable lady is regretted by all who knew her.

Getting Careless.

Some of the merchants are getting rather careless about sweeping the street in front of their places of business. There is but little use for one merchant to sweep and his next door neighbor leave his to let the dirt and trash scatter over that portion that has already been swept. Let there be a uniform system of doing this work, set apart Tuesday and Friday mornings, and let every one do his work properly, and the streets can be kept fairly clean. Next year, perhaps, the city council can be prevailed upon to purchase a street sweeper, that will do the work while we all sleep.

Attends Wedding

Miss Clare Dovey departed for Crete, Neb., last evening, where she will act as bridesmaid in a pretty wedding which will occur there next Wednesday. Miss Clare's friend, Miss Mabel Dutch, is to wed Allen Murphy of Omaha. The ceremony will occur in the chapel of Doan college at 8 o'clock in the evening. Miss Dovey and Miss Dutch were members of the same society at the university, being the Capa Alpha Phieta. After the wedding Miss Dovey will spend a few days in Lincoln.

Alfalfa Mills.

We note that alfalfa mills are being located at various points in central and western Nebraska. Plattsmouth could have just as well been enjoying a boom in building one of these enterprises as not, had it not been for the action of two of the county commissioners in spoiling the location the parties had selected, and had purchased for this purpose. An alfalfa mill would be a great enterprise for Plattsmouth, and would bring lots of new business to the city. We have not learned as to whether the enterprise has fallen through with or not, but we hope not. In the past there has been too much "kicking" by a certain element here in Plattsmouth against manufacturing enterprises that have favored this city for location, and it seems that a certain element who are unable to do these things themselves are determined that those who have the money and willing to invest in such enterprises shall not do so if they can't. It is a first-class "kicking club" which any good citizen ought to be ashamed of, and could well be spared from this or any other community.

Buy Cass County Apples.

C. C. Rundle & Co. are located in a vacant store room between Third and Fourth streets, where they are buying the farmer's apples in large quantities. This firm has already expended something over \$1,000 in this vicinity and expect to invest about \$6,000 more in Cass county fruit. The farmers are receiving 70 cents per hundred for their apples as they come from the orchards.

Rundle & Co. sort and barrel the fruit in this city and load on the car. They barrel the firsts and seconds and ship the balance in bulk. A Journal reporter talked with Mr. Rundle last evening, and was informed that Cass county grew as fine fruit as any state in the west. This firm sent a car of apples from this city to Oklahoma today, and it keeps two men on the road selling all the time, so that as fast as the fruit is loaded it is disposed of. At the price paid the farmers of this vicinity will realize a neat sum for apples.

Young Man Very Ill.

Peter Huer of Pekin, Ill., arrived here a few days ago to visit relatives in this vicinity, among them being Mr. Hirz. Yesterday, while assisting his cousins in the field, he was attacked by pain in his side, and had to quit and came to town and consulted Dr. Cummins, who gave him some medicine to relieve the pain. He went back home with his cousin, but so great was his suffering last night that he could not sleep. This morning he returned to this city, and in company with Dr. Cummins and his cousin, Mr. Hirz, the young man went to the hospital at Omaha, where it is thought that he will have to be operated on for appendicitis.

Mr. Huer is a sterling young man and his many friends express sympathy at his misfortune.

Goes to Kansas City.

In answer to a telegraph message from Kansas City last evening, Mrs. M. A. Bates departed this morning for that city to be present Thursday when Mrs. R. A. Bates is operated upon at the Thornton & Minor hospital. Her presence will encourage the patient, and she will remain until all danger has passed. While Dr. Minor anticipates no fatal results, Mrs. Bates' friends and relatives will await the result with considerable suspense.

Meeting at Big Tent.

The services at the tent last night were of much interest, and a fair sized audience was present and listened to the evangelist make a strong appeal for right living. The introductory service was musical in its nature, several minutes being spent in song and cornet music. Rev. J. H. Salsbury, former pastor of the Presbyterian church of this city, was present and offered a strong prayer after the song service and at the opening of the evangelist's sermon. There were a few unruly subjects on the outskirts of the crowd which threatened to cause some disturbance, and the chief of police has his eye on the culprits, and unless they quiet down and conduct themselves properly, they may hear something "drap." There is no excuse for any one attending any sort of a meeting unless the best of attention is given to the speaker.

NEW M. E. MINISTER

Rev. A. A. Randall Goes to Osceola and Rev. W. L. Austin Here.

The Nebraska conference of the Methodist church closed its labors in Lincoln last evening. Bishop Nelson, in making assignments, gave to the Nebraska City district the following ministers. It will be seen that W. L. Austin comes to Plattsmouth in place of Rev. A. A. Randall, who goes to Osceola, in the York district:

G. I. Wright, superintendent, Nebraska City, Neb.
Adams—T. A. Hull.
Auburn—H. G. Wilcox.
Auburn Avenue—Peter Van Fleet.
Bennett—G. R. Newkirk.
Brook and Talmage—H. M. Bassett.
Brownville and Bethel—A. E. Chadwick.
Cook and Mt. Hope—A. G. Forman.

Douglas and Burr—G. W. Ayers.
Eagle—J. W. Davis.
Elk Creek and Mt. Zion—D. F. Rodabaugh.

Elmwood—J. R. Woodcock.
Epworth—(To be appointed.)
Falls City—M. C. Brooks.
Humboldt—A. S. Buell.
Johnson and Graff—E. H. Gould.
Louisville—G. M. Jones.
Murdock and South Bend—Samuel Keiser.

Mynard and Eight Mile Grove—W. O. Harrell.
Nebraska City—F. M. Sisson.
Nehawka—J. W. Farr.
Nemaha and Shubert—Leander Morrison.

Palmyra—E. B. Maxey.
Peru—W. A. Tyler.
Plattsmouth—W. L. Austin.
Rulo—E. A. Wachtel.
Salem—C. W. Severance.
Stella and Howe—E. H. Hinkle.
Sterling—L. L. Lowe.
Syracuse—A. O. Hinson.
Table Rock—C. E. Ruch.
Tecumseh—R. Pearson.
Unadilla—A. A. Kerber.
Union—D. N. Poston.
Wabash—W. B. Cornish.
Weeping Water—J. C. Street.
Wyoming and Lewiston—(To be appointed.)

P. C. Johnson, conference Sunday school agent, member of Tecumseh quarterly conference. L. F. Townsend left without appointment to attend one of our schools, member of Eagle quarterly conference.
Superintendents: Francis Deal, H. B. Seamour, G. W. Hawley.

A Pleasant Affair.

On Sunday last, at the Barry farm, south of Plattsmouth, a very nicely arranged picnic was held, which was very much enjoyed by all who participated. Some interesting vocal music was enjoyed, but the dinner spread in the shady grove capped everything else. Some of those present were: John Lougher and family, James Lee and family, John Goehouner and family, Martin Iles and family, Henry Goehouner and family, Ellis Goolsberry and family, Richard Edwards and family, John Capp and family, Joseph Smith, E. Propt, Mart McDaniels, Walter Goolsberry and Charles Hixon.

Takes First Premium.

Mrs. P. E. Ruffner of this city returned last evening from the Nehawka fair. Mrs. Ruffner was an exhibitor at the fair and succeeded in capturing the first prize on a very handsome quilt which her friends persuaded her to enter for a prize. The competition was sharp, and Mrs. Ruffner came away with the coveted medal, although she had to compete with and won over a quilt which had taken first prize at the Lincoln state fair and second at a county fair. Mrs. Ruffner's quilt is a beautiful piece of work and made of silk. She is receiving the congratulations of her many friends.

Visits Daughter-in-Law.

From Monday's Daily.
Jacob Tritsch went to Omaha this morning, where he will visit for the day with his daughter-in-law at Wise Memorial hospital. Mrs. Tritsch has been in the hospital for almost two weeks, having undergone an operation for appendicitis several days ago. The patient is on the road to recovery, but finds life a little irksome at the hospital.

THIS CITY CAN REST IN PEACE

Over the Matter of the Removal of the Burlington Shops.

This paper knows just exactly what it is talking about when we say the shops will not be taken away from Plattsmouth, and the argument that we shall use will serve to convince the most skeptical. The Journal has received a communication from an official to whom it wrote in regard to this question, and he assures us that the thought of a removal of the present shops from Plattsmouth has never entered the minds of those who are in authority. He asks, "Why should such removal take place?" And he goes on to say that the shops are centrally located for repairing and building new cars, and that it appears more likely that they will be extended in the course of time than removed. The workmen all seem to be contented, and most of them own their own homes here. Plattsmouth has many advantages that many other towns do not contain. We have a healthy location and the finest drinking water that comes up from Mother Earth. No surface water like other shop towns, and good water is very essential where railroad men are numerous. For several years rumors have been set afloat regarding the removal of the shops, and to some

extent has been the means of stagnating business, and keeping away many who would come here to locate. Our informant says such reports never emanated from those who are in authority to speak, and all future reports, unless coming from the highest authority, can be treated with silent contempt. There has been another report afloat which we have been more interested in than the false ones that have been traced to Havelock, and that is, that instead of the removal of the present car shops from here, the shops at Aurora, Ill., are more likely to be removed to Plattsmouth on account of its central location on the Burlington system, and being on the Missouri river. On this matter our informant fails to speak, but silence sometimes gives consent. However, we want to advise every one who hears rumors that the Burlington shops are to be removed from Plattsmouth to Havelock, and you trace such rumors to Havelock, put it down as an untruth and go along about your business. The writer is ready to buy property in Plattsmouth, when he finds something to suit him, on the strength that many of us will die of old age before Havelock gets the Burlington shops from this city.

LESSON LEARNED

By Farmers Can Be Made of Great Value by Them.

The crop report of the Burlington operating department issued yesterday, shows the following estimates on corn yield, by divisions of the road: Lincoln division, 80 per cent, 3 per cent less than last week's report; McCook division, 41 per cent, 9 per cent less than last week's report; Wymore division, 63 per cent, 4 per cent less than last week's report. There was no change from the week before in the estimate of the Lincoln division. The report shows that rain has fallen over almost all of the territory covered by the Nebraska district of the road and that the hot weather has been good for maturing the crop.

The report contains the following: "More than ever before this season has shown the importance of reasonable planting and proper cultivation. If the farmers get the full benefit of the lesson it may be more valuable than the corn they lost this year."

Visits the Home Folks.

Harry Dalton of Elwood, Ind., was in the city today with his father, George Dalton, from over the river. Harry is an employee of the American Steel and Tin Plate company, which employs 2500 men. The payroll twice a month amounts to \$60,000 and the help receives all the way from \$1.50 to \$25 per day, owing to their skill and the work done.

Were Present at Funeral.

Those going to Omaha this afternoon to attend the funeral of Mrs. Hasse were C. C. Parmele, Mrs. Jas. Donnelly, Mr. and Mrs. William Street, Judge and Mrs. B. S. Ramsey, Mrs. E. H. Wescott, Mrs. Everett Eaton, B. A. McElwain and G. L. Farley. The four last named were a quartet requested by the friends to sing at the service.

Louis Borne, of near Cullom, was in the city this morning and called and renewed his subscription to the Journal. Mr. Borne reports that fall pasture and fall wheat are both looking fine.

New Issue of Stamps.

Postmasters have been notified that the department is now preparing a new postage stamp of special design, which will be ready for issue to postmasters about September 20, to commemorate the discovery of the Hudson river by Henry Hudson in 1609, and of the introduction of steam navigation on its waters by Robert Fulton in 1807. This stamp is oblong in shape, about seven-eighths by one and three-eighths in size and comprises a border containing at the top the inscription "Hudson-Fulton Celebration," with the dates "1609" and "1909" immediately thereunder on either side, and below this inscription is a curved line are the words "U. S. Postage." At the bottom on each side is a prominent Arabic numeral "2" with the words "Two Cents" in a panel between the figures. In the center is engraved a picture showing the palisades of the Hudson river in the background, with the "Half Moon" sailing up the river and the "Clermont" steaming in the opposite direction. In the foreground is an Indian in a canoe, and in the distance, just discernible, a canoe containing four other Indians, the canoes representing the first means of navigating the river. The stamp will be printed in the same color as the regular two-cent stamp. The new stamp will not be issued in book form.

There will be no issue of stamped envelopes, newspaper wrappers or postal commemorative these events. The commemorative issue will be placed on sale September 25.

Guilty of Bigamy.

A special from Logan, Ia., under date of September 21, says: "The case of the State of Iowa vs. S. E. Tidd for the alleged offense of bigamy, came up for hearing yesterday afternoon and resulted in the conviction of the defendant. It was alleged that, in 1903, Mr. Tidd married Ida Kurz of Lincoln, Neb., and that he and his wife became estranged and finally separated and October 22, 1908, Mr. Tidd and Rosa Garrison came to Logan, secured a marriage license and were married by J. P. Croager. Sentence has not been pronounced." Tidd lived in Plattsmouth several years ago, and is known to many of our people.

D. W. Foster of Union, accompanied by Al Hathaway, were transacting business with the county board today.