

CAPTAIN DAVID M'CAIG DIES AT HIS HOME AT ELMWOOD TUESDAY

One of the Pioneer Residents of Cass County and a Highly Esteemed Citizen and Neighbor.

Died—McCaig, Capt. David, at his home at Elmwood, Nebraska, on Tuesday, January 25, 1910, aged 73 years, 1 month and 23 days. Funeral on Thursday, January 27, 1910, at 10:30 a. m., at Elmwood, Nebraska.

The many friends of Captain McCaig, one of the early Nebraska pioneers, were shocked this morning to learn of his sudden death last evening at his home at Elmwood. It had not been known to his friends in this vicinity that he was seriously ailing and the news of his sudden taking away came upon them with a suddenness which was appalling. Captain McCaig had a host of good friends in this city who were deeply grieved to learn of his sudden death. He had lived in this vicinity for a great many years and during that time his acquaintances had extended over all this part of the county and he had come to be known as one of the county's best citizens. The most sincere sympathy of the entire community is extended to the brothers of the deceased of whom three are still living.

Captain McCaig was born in Ogle county, Illinois, on December 2, 1836, being a son of John McCaig, a man born in the north of Ireland of Highland Scotch parentage, and many of the sturdy traits of the father descended to the son. The young man continued to live upon the Illinois farm until the outbreak of the civil war when he went to the front in the war for the preservation of the union. He was made a second lieutenant in Company G, of the 74th Illinois infantry in August, 1862, his regiment being assigned to a place in the 4th army corps under General Thomas and seeing some of the most severe service of the war. The young man's record in the army was such

that promotion followed rapidly and on June 27, 1864, he was promoted to be first lieutenant. Just before the close of the war an examination for a captaincy was had and Mr. McCaig passed triumphantly and after the close of the war he received his commission as a captain. His discharge from the army took place on June 27, 1865.

After the close of the war Captain McCaig together with his brothers and his mother left Illinois and came to Nebraska, settling near the town of Wabash in 1866, and ever since he had continued to make that section of the county his residence.

Captain McCaig was honored by his neighbors in this county with an election as a member of the legislature in 1868, and at a special session of that body, he took an active part in the passing of the fifteenth amendment which was the business before that body.

During the earlier years of his life Captain McCaig was a strong and ardent Republican but in 1866 he followed the lead of Senator Teller and the rest of that section of the Republican party which bolted the nomination of McKinley and became a member of the Silver Republican party, afterwards affiliating with the Populists. He received a joint nomination of the Democrats and Populists for the lower house of the legislature in 1898, but was not elected. But a few days since he received the endorsement of his home grand army post for appointment as a member of the soldiers relief commission of this county.

The funeral of this most useful citizen will take place tomorrow (Thursday) morning from his home at Elmwood, the services taking place at 10:30 a. m.

Get Your Button.

In connection with the lecture to be given next Thursday night, Jan. 27, at the Parnelle theater by Geo. Blackstone Irving, the management desires to call especial attention to the hour when the lecturer commences at 8:45 p. m. The admission as heretofore stated in the Journal is by wearing a booster button "See Plattsmouth Succeed." The buttons are now on sale by the school children and others and the sale is proceeding famously. It is a public duty to wear one of these buttons and every live wire in the town should have one. In addition to helping the city by wearing the button it insures you admission to the Parnelle where you will hear a rattling good speech and something which will give you new ideas. Be sure and buy at least one button from some of your little friends and help them land a prize. The first prize is \$5 in money to the one selling the largest number of buttons and there are twenty odd prizes in addition. Get busy and help Plattsmouth succeed.

To Attend The Hearing.

T. H. Pollock, general manager of the Plattsmouth Telephone company, departed this morning for Lincoln, where he is to appear today before the state railroad commission in the matter of that body ordering the Missouri Pacific railroad to install independent telephones in their stations at Murray, Union, Nehawka, Weeping Water, Wabash, Elmwood, Eagle and other points in this county. The people of these several communities have filed petitions with the commission asking that this order be made and that accommodations be afforded the public by the installation of the telephone. The commission made an order requiring the company to appear and show cause why the telephones should not be put in and set today as the time for the hearing. Mr. Pollock will represent the telephone company at the hearing. It is to be hoped the commission makes this order as the people of these towns are entitled to this measure of relief.

Wants to Know Why.

John Schippacasse is looking after business matters today in Omaha, being a passenger for that city this morning. Mr. Schippacasse is among those who complain at the prevailing high prices for foodstuffs and this morning had quite an animated debate on the subject while at the Burlington station. He insists that prices as a general thing are now higher than he ever remembers seeing in the country and like many another, he wants to know why.

MRS. DORA WOLF DIES IN THIS CITY

Passes Away at the Home of Her Daughter, Mrs. George J. Klinger

Died—Wolf, Mrs. Dora, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George J. Klinger, in Plattsmouth, Neb., on January 25, 1910, of pneumonia, aged 75 years, 10 months and 12 days. Funeral at the home of George J. Klinger in Plattsmouth, Neb., on January 26, 1910, at 2 o'clock p. m. Interment on Friday, January 28, 1910, at Litchfield, Neb.

After a brief illness of pneumonia, Mrs. Dora Wolf, mother of Mrs. G. J. Klinger of this city sank to rest last evening. The aged lady had reached the ripeness of years and her frail body could not withstand the ravages of the dread disease which had seized upon her. She had not but during the time she had spent here she had made many good friends who sincerely mourn her untimely death and whose sympathy is extended to the stricken children.

Mrs. Wolf was born Miss Dora Weidman in Elsass Lothringen, Germany, on March 13, 1834. Here she lived until she met and was married to Christian Wolf in 1853. The couple lived in Germany until the year 1866 when they emigrated to America, settling near Peoria, Ill. After living in Illinois for fifteen years they came to Nebraska, settling at Hazard, Neb., where the lady made her residence until after the death of her husband, coming to Plattsmouth in the year 1907. Since that time her residence has been in this city with her daughter, Mrs. George Klinger.

Of the union with Mr. Wolf there was born ten children, eight of whom are still living, they being Christian Wolf of Illinois, Mrs. Dora Hesse, Mrs. Louisa Klinger and Miss Sophia Wolf of this city; Mrs. Kate Bushausen of Revena, Neb.; Jacob Wolf of Blossom, Tex.; Mrs. Carrie Hallar of Litchfield, Neb.; and Louis Wolf of Litchfield, Neb.

Funeral services are to be held this afternoon from the home of George J. Klinger, the services being conducted by Rev. Steger of St. Paul's church of which deceased was a member during her lifetime. The remains will be taken tomorrow to Litchfield, Neb., where they will be laid to rest beside those of her husband, who preceded her to the better world several years since.

Deceased in her lifetime was a most lovable woman and a devoted wife and mother. To all who had known her she was a true friend and to her children she was always a loving and faithful counselor and guide. When the sorrows and troubles of life beat about them they had but to go to the good mother and listen to the words of consolation which fell from her lips to realize what a true friend they had in her. In their deep grief at her loss they have the sincere sympathy of a large number of friends who feel with them the personal nature of her loss.

Carnival and Mask Ball.

Arrangements have been completed for a fine carnival and mask ball to be given on the evening of Saturday, Jan. 29, at Coates' hall by one or the teams of St. Mary's guild of St. Luke's carnival. As is well known the ladies of the guild not long ago divided into teams to see which one could raise the most funds for the erection of a rectory and for other church purposes. The team which is to give this carnival and mask ball is headed by Mrs. H. S. Austin as captain and the reception committee which will take part in the carnival is composed of Mrs. F. G. Egenberger, Mrs. Rea Patterson, Miss Dora Fricke, Miss Gretchen Donnelly, Miss Ione Dovey, Miss Verna Hatt.

The committee on refreshments will include Mrs. M. A. Dickson, Mrs. Jos. McMaken, and Miss Alice Eaton. The affair promises to be one of the most delightful ever given in the city and everyone who attends will be heartily welcomed and made to greatly enjoy themselves. A mighty good program will be arranged, the ladies on this team being gifted in the way of devising good schemes for the public benefit. The entertainment will take place next Saturday evening, Jan. 29, at Coates' hall.

County Treasurer Frank E. Schlatter departed this morning for Arispe, Mex., where he has property interests to look after. Mr. Schlatter has considerable land in that locality, being interested with other Plattsmouth parties and this trip was absolutely necessary to keep in touch with the property. He expects to be gone for about ten days.

Completely Surprised.
Col. W. D. Jones last evening was very pleasantly surprised by a visit from his sister-in-law, Mrs. Emma McCrea of Smith Center, Kas. Mrs. McCrea who is a lady seventy-nine years of age, came in rather unexpected and descended upon Mr. and Mrs. Jones during the evening, taking them completely by surprise, and most pleasantly at that. Mrs. McCrea will also visit with relatives at Fairfield, Neb., and after a return for a brief time to her home in Smith Center, she intends to make a trip to California. This is quite an undertaking for a lady of her advanced years.

FORMER LADY OF THIS CITY DEAD

Mrs. Christian Peterson Passes Away at Her Home at Tilden, Neb.

A message received in this city yesterday by J. C. Petersen announced the sudden death at Tilden, Neb., of Mrs. Christian Petersen, formerly a resident of this city. No particulars were conveyed in the message as to the cause of her death and Mr. Petersen surmises that it must have been very sudden. He had letters from Mrs. Petersen but a few days since in which she had stated that she was well and that she was then moving into a new house which had just been finished.

Deceased was 53 years of age and is survived by three sons and two daughters. A full account of the life of the deceased together with the cause of her sudden taking away will appear in the Journal later. Mrs. Petersen was quite well known in this city where she had lived for so long a time and had many very warm personal friends who will hear with the deepest regret of her sudden and untimely demise.

Immediately upon receipt of news of her death Mrs. J. C. Petersen and P. C. Petersen departed for Tilden, Neb., where they will be in attendance upon her funeral obsequies.

KEEP THE KIDNEYS WELL

Health is Worth Saving, and Some Plattsmouth People Know How to Save it.

Many Plattsmouth people take their lives in their hands by neglecting the kidneys when they know these organs need help. Sick kidneys are responsible for a vast amount of suffering and ill health, but there is no need to suffer nor to remain in danger when all diseases and aches and pains due to weak kidneys can quickly and permanently cured by the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. Here is a Plattsmouth citizen's recommendation:

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Visits South Omaha Lodge.

Mrs. J. C. Petersen, Mrs. J. W. Gamble, Miss Helen Chapman and Miss Gertrude Beeson formed a party who visited the chapter of the Eastern Star at South Omaha last Saturday night. They had a very delightful time, the chapter concluding their business with a fine banquet which their guests highly enjoyed. In addition to the local visitors, the grand officers of the lodge were present. Miss Chapman responded to one of the toasts at the banquet as did Miss Beeson, both of the young ladies making excellent addresses. Mrs. J. W. Gamble also favored the chapter with several vocal selections of much merit. The party did not get home until three o'clock in the morning owing to the M. P. train being held in Omaha for the scenery of a show company. They were not in a good humor over this feature but otherwise they enjoyed their trip immensely.

Paul Hopkins and wife of Wellington, Col., who have been visiting in this city with A. Dill and family, departed this morning for their home after several days in the city.

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CHAS. B. LEIDIGH DIES IN THE WEST

Prominent Young Man of Nebraska City Dies in California

The sad intelligence reached this city yesterday of the death in California of Charles B. Leidigh, a son of Hon. George W. Leidigh of Nebraska City. The young man died suddenly yesterday morning after apparently having rallied and when he was on the way toward recovery. He had been ill for several years past and at the time of his death, he was staying in California for the benefit of his health. Letters received from him since his visit to that section had raised high hopes for his ultimate recovery as he had written most encouragingly and had conveyed the assurance that he was recovering. The deceased was quite well known in this city and had a number of warm friends to whom the news of his death comes as a great shock. He was a young man of more than usual ability and had many qualities which had warmed all who knew him into personal friends. It is due to his memory to say that few men stood better in his home community than he and few had so large a circle of loving friends. It is not known yet as to when his funeral will take place, his father having departed for California to accompany the remains home at Nebraska City for interment. His mother was with him at the time of his death.

Death in Kansas.

Word was received in this city this morning of the death at Belpre, Kas., of Mrs. T. M. Campbell. Mrs. Campbell was the mother of C. D. Campbell who died here several years ago and was the mother-in-law of Mrs. Ida Campbell living on Elm street between Eleventh and Twelfth streets. She will be buried at Oak Hill cemetery in this city tomorrow (Tuesday) afternoon, services taking place at the home of Mrs. Ida Campbell in this city at 2 o'clock p. m. Deceased was a lady of about fifty-five years of age and had been a resident of Hiawatha and Belpre, Kas., for many years. She is survived by her husband T. M. Campbell and one son Ralph, who will accompany the remains to this city.

For a mild, easy action of the bowels, a single dose of Doan's Regulents is enough. Treatment cures habitual constipation. 25 cents a box. Ask your druggist for them.

DOG ATTACKS LITTLE CHILD

Bull Dog Knocks Little Girl Down But Is Driven Off Before He Injures Her

An attack by a dog on a little 5-year-old girl on North Sixth street this morning serves to accentuate the danger which the pack of dogs now running at large in the city constitutes, just as foreshadowed in the Journal of last evening. The little child was going along the street in the vicinity of the postoffice when she was attacked by a large dog said to be of the bull dog species. The dog in its vicious assault knocked the little one down and was about to tear her to pieces when some man in a wagon which was passing at the time discovered the attack, seizing his whip, he leaped from the wagon and drove the animal off. It is said that the child was not injured as the dog did not have time to bite or tear her before her danger was discovered. The name of the man who rescued the little child was not known to the spectators neither was the name of the little girl known for certain, although it is said to have been a daughter of Max Herman, the man whose cow was so badly torn by dogs several evenings ago. Immediately after the dog had been driven off, Chief of Police Amick and Officer Trout were told of the affair and made a search of the neighborhood for the animal but without finding it.

Mayor Sattler informed a Journal representative this morning within a few moments of the time of this assault, that he had ordered the police to arm themselves and start out on a crusade against the dogs but they seemed averse to doing so. However, he stated that he was determined to see that the animals were cleaned out and that he would not stop until this had been done. It is to be hoped that his determination is carried out as there are too many small children and women on the streets to permit the animals to overrun the town as they have been doing.

In addition to the cows of Messrs. Herman and Clifford being attacked by the animals as told in last evening's Journal, a cow belonging to Jos. L. Thompson was made the subject of a vicious attack and was driven out of the cow lot by a pack of the animals. They ran the cow over to the home of Joe Fitzgerald who

was awakened by the noise and who hurried over to Mr. Thompson's and awoke him. Together they got the cow back in the lot where an examination disclosed that she had not been injured, although she was badly frightened. This makes three cows known to have been attacked while yet another cow was a victim of the brutes.

Several persons who are well posted on dogs state their opinion that the attacks of these animals is a revision back to the wolf nature and they strongly advise the immediate extermination of the beasts. Others do not believe the attacks were caused by hunger but regard it as the outgrowth of playfulness on the part of the animals. No matter which it is, the situation calls for some strong action on the part of the authorities for the protection of domestic animals and people from such attacks. Mayor Sattler's orders to kill the animals off meets with the approval of everyone with whom the reporter came in contact and those who are opposed to it are conspicuous by their absence.

An investigation reveals that the little girl spoken of above as having been attacked by the dog on North Sixth street, was not the daughter of Max Herman as reported. Her identity has not been ascertained as yet but she was evidently not badly hurt. However, this does not alter the case so far as killing the dogs is concerned. They should be slaughtered without mercy.

U. S. Recruiting Officer Here.

Edward L. Benson, recruiting officer for the U. S. navy, arrived in the city last evening and will remain for a few days for the purpose of enlisting young men for the U. S. navy, for immediate transportation to Goat Island, California, where all new members are given the proper training and schooling before entering upon the battleship. The ages required range from 17 to 35 for the school and 18 to 35 mechanics, and at a salary ranging from \$17.60 to \$77.00 per month. The term of enlistment is for four years. School students will remain in school from four to six months, and their pay starts from the time they leave home, and they get free transportation, including dining car and Pullman hotel, and will remain here until the 1st of the present month, and will be pleased to examine all young men who wish to enter Uncle Sam's navy. He tells that they are very short of young men, and that out of 99,000 examined last year, only 17,000 passed.

Smoke the "Gut Heil." It is always good.