

ANDREW TAYLOR MEETS WITH FATAL ACCIDENT WHILE FELLING A TREE

The Accident Occurred at His Home a Few Miles Southeast of Union Yesterday About 11 O'clock, and Died Last Evening About 8 O'clock—Skull Fractured.

As a result of a distressing accident which occurred about 11 o'clock yesterday, Andrew E. Taylor, brother of County Attorney C. H. Taylor, died last evening about 8 o'clock. When the accident occurred Mr. Taylor, with his brother, Will Taylor, were chopping down a tree in the timber at his home, a few miles southeast of Union, and in falling the tree struck Mr. Taylor on the head, fracturing his skull and otherwise maiming him. Medical aid was summoned, but to no avail. He never regained consciousness and died about the time stated above.

Mr. Taylor was a native of Cass county, and a son of the late Henry Taylor of near Union. He grew to manhood on his father's farm and was educated in the schools of this county and was a progressive young farmer and business man of that vicinity. He was married about ten years ago to Miss Mary Kendall, a daughter of Frank Kendall of that locality, who survives. Mr. Taylor is also

survived by one daughter, Rachel, about 8 years of age, and also by his mother, Mrs. Barbara Taylor of Union, as well as by two brothers and seven sisters. His brothers are C. H. Taylor of Plattsmouth and W. L. Taylor of Union. His sisters are Mrs. Jesse Pell, Mrs. A. L. Becker, Mrs. C. F. Morton, Mrs. Joe Banning and Misses Elsie and Hattie Taylor, all residing in or near Union. One married sister resides in California.

Mr. Taylor was a son of one of the pioneers of Liberty precinct and was a young man who stood very high in the estimation of his neighbors and acquaintances. He was a kind and devoted husband, a loving parent, an obliging neighbor, an honorable and upright citizen, and he will be greatly missed in the community in which he lived.

No announcement has been made of when the funeral will occur, but it will probably take place tomorrow (Friday).

Journal Gets Contract.

The Journal was awarded the contract for furnishing supplies to the county for the year 1912, the contract covering books, blanks and stationery and everything needed for the use of the county in the stationery line except the record books. In competition with the Journal for the contract were the York Blank Book company of York and the Smith-Premier Typewriter company of Omaha.

FIRE BOYS ELECT OFFICERS FOR 1912

Frank Libershall Serves His Time, Three Years of Which as Secretary of the Department.

At the annual meeting of the members of the fire company the following officers were elected for the year 1912: President, J. C. Brittain; vice president, William Gravett; secretary, R. E. Sawyer; treasurer, H. L. Kruger; chief, C. M. Manners; assistant chief, R. W. Toogood.

Frank Libershall, the retiring secretary, has served in that capacity for three years, and next March will have served the required five years to entitle him to a certificate of retirement. His record for the past three years shows that in 1909 the city had twelve fires; in 1910, eighteen, and in 1911 the same number. January of last year had one fire on the 9th, February had two, one on the 26th and one on the 27th. May had three, one on the 4th, one on the 11th and one on the 14th; April, June and October had no fires; in July there were two, August, three; September, one, and November, three, occurring on the 2d, 23d and 24th; December had one, on the 22d. The fire on November 24 was that of the Manspeaker livery barn, in which the loss was between \$2,000 and \$3,000. The total losses for the year by fires are roughly estimated at \$5,000 in the city.

ELMWOOD.

Leader-Echo.

Elmer Dettman is home from Denver visiting his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Baker and children of Crete spent Christmas with John Gonzales.

Mrs. Bertha and Harold Bryan visited F. L. Woolcott and family the first of the week.

Mrs. Bertha Walsh of Fairbury came Wednesday for a visit with Miss Hannah Dettman.

Stephen Hullah of Wabash is reported somewhat improved in health at this writing.

Bertha Berger returned home from Farnam, Neb., last week, where she was visiting her brother, W. H. Berger.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stander of Louisville spent Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Berger.

Major Hall and family and Ran Minford and family of Murray were Christmas guests at the Wm. Minford home.

Fred Mueller came up from Baileyville, Kas., Saturday to spend Christmas and the holidays with his parents and Elmwood friends. Fred is looking considerably different than when he last left Elmwood after a siege of typhoid.

Little William Mueller had the misfortune to break the radius or outer bone of the right forearm while coasting with some playmates on Christmas day. His sled skidded to one side of the walk which was being used by the boys and precipitated William against the trunk of a tree.

J. D. Fentiman came to town Friday morning with a load of rabbits, 155 in number, and made the editor a present of a fine young cottontail. The game was barged by Ray Fentiman, Chas. Will and Albert Fleischmann and Lass Shepherd, the three shooting the least number furnishing an oyster supper for the crowd. The oysters were on Charles and Will Fleischmann and Lass Shepherd. Mr. Fentiman barreled the rabbits for shipment to a commission firm.

Mortgage Record in Cass County.

The following is the report from the office of the register of deeds showing farm and city mortgages filed and those released during the year of 1911: Farm mortgages filed, 220, securing a value of \$785,375; farm mortgages released, 209, securing a value of \$586,593; city mortgages filed, 115, amounting to \$92,377; city mortgages released, 110, amounting to \$82,970.

-Our Semi-Annual Clearance Sale-

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You should attend our Clearance Sale for the savings it affords. Never before have we placed on sale so large a quantity of desirable clothing at such a ridiculously low figures. We are clearing our stocks of Fall and Winter goods:

\$10 buys Suits or Overcoats which sold at \$15 and \$16.50

\$14 buys Suits or Overcoats, which sold for \$18, \$20 and \$22.50

\$18 buys Suits and Overcoats which sold for \$25, \$27.50 and \$30

Falter & Thieroff

THE GIVING CLOTHIERS

Stetson Hats

Manhattan Shirts

ALVO DEPARTMENT

Items of Interest to Journal Readers Will Be Received at the Drug Store

Miss Vera Prouty was in Lincoln Friday.

Mrs. Frank Davis went to Lincoln Monday.

C. R. Jordan went to Plattsmouth Saturday.

Harvey Rasp was a passenger on Lincoln Sunday to visit friends.

Born—To August Clemme and wife, January 2, 1912, a son.

Henry Miller was in Lincoln to visit a sick daughter Saturday.

Will Foreman of Havlock was visiting home folks New Year's.

Charley Snively has purchased the pool hall from Wm. Newkirk.

John Newkirk returned Saturday from Ausley, where he has a claim.

Farley Young of Lincoln visited at the home of L. B. Appleman last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Farley Vanleave visited Sunday with Chas. Goodley and family.

Mr. Emerson went to Lincoln Saturday on business. He returned home Sunday.

William Newkirk went to Greenwood Monday morning, returning Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Shaffer went to South Bend on No. 18 Sunday, returning on No. 17 Monday.

J. A. Shaffer attended the chicken show of the Lincoln Poultry association at Lincoln Friday.

Miss Estella Griffin of Nelson, Neb., visited Mrs. E. M. Stone from Thursday till Saturday last week.

Miss Alice Kellogg left last week for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Dora Shaffer, at Minneapolis, Minn.

Mrs. F. H. Caudy and children returned home Friday from Illinois, where they had been visiting for some time.

Miss Ida Penn of Waverly came in Thursday on No. 14 to visit her sister, Mrs. Arthur Bird. She returned home Friday.

Miss Flo Bayles and brother, Dale, returned to the state university on No. 17 Monday, after spending the holidays at home.

The Murdock basketball team played the Alvo team Monday evening in the Alvo hall, winning the game by a score of 24 to 12.

Miss Hazel Foreman returned Tuesday from her visit to Havlock and Davey. Steve Foreman accompanied her and will remain some time.

W. S. Jordan and Wm. Kitzel shipped a mixed car of stock to South Omaha Tuesday. They and Chas. Ayers accompanied the shipment.

Aunt Bing Kitzel entertained at supper Tuesday evening Mrs. Waugh, C. E. Roper and Rev. Embrey of Lincoln and E. M. Stone and family.

Mrs. E. M. Stone and Miss Pearl Keifer returned from Plattsmouth Thursday evening, where they were in attendance at the Johnson-Cole wedding.

Miss Frances Myers entertained about thirty young folks at a New Year's party Monday evening at her home. Refreshments were served and a genuine good time was had.

Mrs. W. W. Lytle and children and her niece, Miss Fitzgerald, of Tecamah, who have been visiting Miss Lytle's sister, Mrs. Charles Kirkpatrick, for several days, left for their home Saturday.

John Murty of Verona, Neb.,

has purchased the interests of the Stroemer Lumber and Grain company here. Mr. Murty formerly owned the business. When his family arrives they will reside in the late Henry Hardknock's house.

Miss Nellie Dreamer of Lincoln came in on No. 18 Sunday to spend New Year's with her brother, Fred and family. She returned to Lincoln Monday on No. 17.

Walter Holderness sold his barber shop to Mr. Hall of Beaver Crossing, who took possession Monday. Mr. Holderness will visit his folks in Ohio in the near future.

Grandma Weichel died Tuesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harnsberger, at Elmwood. The funeral will be held at Elmwood Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. She leaves two sons, John of Alvo and Albert of Elmwood, and two daughters, Mrs. Walker of Lincoln and Mrs. Harnsberger of Elmwood, who have the sympathy of all.

DIED.

Mrs. Amelia Bobbitt, wife of Theodore N. Bobbitt, at 11:30 a. m. Sunday, December 31, 1911, at the home of their son, Charles E. Bobbitt, at Lincoln, Neb. Mrs. Bobbitt was born in Iowa and lived there until a year after her marriage in 188 to Theodore N. Bobbitt, when they came to Nebraska and settled on their homestead south of town, where the youngest son, George D., now resides. They lived there until the spring of 1905, when they moved into their new home in East Alvo. About seven weeks ago Mr. and Mrs. Bobbitt went to Lincoln to visit their sons, L. E. and C. E., and families, when Mrs. Bobbitt took seriously ill at the home of C. E. Bobbitt and was unable to rally sufficiently to return to Alvo. She suffered with cancer of the liver and was tenderly cared for by her loved ones until the end came. She had almost reached the age of 66 years. She is survived by her husband and four sons, L. E. of University Place, C. E. of Lincoln, W. N. of Tekamah, and George D. of Alvo, who have the sympathy of many friends.

The remains were brought to Alvo Monday afternoon and the funeral was held at the M. E. church Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and burial was in Alvo cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. Embrey of University Place, presiding elder of the Lincoln district, who was pastor of the M. E. church at this place fifteen years ago. The pallbearers were: Ed Casey, R. W. Stewart, George Hardknock, Geo. Sutton, S. C. Boyles and C. C. Bucknell.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR COMPOUND

is a reliable family medicine. Give it to your children, and take it yourself when you feel a cold coming on. It checks and cures coughs and colds and croup and prevents bronchitis and pneumonia. For sale by Fricke & Co.

J. B. Nichols of Omaha arrived on No. 24 and departed for Union via team and sleigh this afternoon.

LAND! LAND! LAND!

Take Your Time and Read This—Do You Want to Buy?—Do You Still Want to Pay Rent?

Do you want to buy a farm, or do you still want to pay rent for a farm and give everything you raise to the other fellow? If you want to buy call on me, and if there is anything that can be done for you it shall come your way. Land this side of North Platte at \$5.00 per acre, in 640 acre lots, where you can go into cattle raising and keep all the chickens you want. Wake up! go to figuring, and find out how much you was worth 10 years ago, and then look at yourself at the present time. You will find that a change becomes necessary for your betterment. I have land from the grazing land to the best alfalfa land in the state. I will be in Plattsmouth for a week, and if you are interested 'phone 13 E., or write to

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always give satisfaction because they always do the work. J. T. Shelnut, Bremen, Ga., says: "I have used Foley Kidney Pills with great satisfaction and found more relief from their use than from any other kidney medicine, and I've tried almost all kinds. I can cheerfully recommend them to all sufferers for kidney and bladder trouble." For sale by Fricke & Co.

In County Court.

Judge Beeson today was engaged in final settlement of the estate of Klaus Fanders, a well-to-do farmer, who recently died near Elmwood. Mr. Fander's only heirs were his two daughters, Misses Kate and Gertrude Fanders, who enjoyed their first ride on the cars in coming to the county seat today to attend the hearing at Judge Beeson's court. Their neighbor, William Bornemier, accompanied the young ladies to Plattsmouth. Also C. D. Clapp of Elmwood and Attorney William Belles Denier of the same city were in attendance assisting the young ladies in getting the estate finally settled.

THE DANGER OF LA GRIPPE

Is its fatal tendency to pneumonia. To cure your la grippe coughs take Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. R. E. Fisher, Washington, Kas., says: "I was troubled with a severe attack of la grippe that threatened pneumonia. A friend advised Foley's Honey and Tar Compound and I got relief after taking the first few doses. I took three bottles and my la grippe was cured." Get the genuine, in the yellow package. For sale by Fricke & Co.

Referee's Sale Postponed.

On account of an error in the referee's sale notice in the matter of Thomas E. Parmele vs. Charles V. Boedeker, et al., the sale has been postponed from the 10th day of January to the 9th day of February, 1912. All parties interested will please take notice.

Do not allow your kidney and bladder trouble to develop beyond the reach of medicine. Take Foley Kidney Pills. They give quick results and stop irregularities with surprising promptness. For sale by Fricke & Co.

THE ICE HARVEST IN PLATTSMOUTH

Many of our Ice Men Are in a Quandy as to How to Secure a Good, Clean Quality.

Good, clean, pure ice is a necessity in summer, and without an artificial plant the supply must come from nature and the Missouri river. The unusually low water last fall, or some other cause, has intervened to make the ice to be had from the west bank of the river and anywhere convenient to the city, very poor, and too full of sand and dirt to be fit for use for any purpose.

Yesterday afternoon Carl Kunsman, John Schippicasse, F. G. Egenberger and George Poissall made a search for ice on the river and located a fine field of about twenty acres of clear ice in a pocket on the Iowa side. If arrangements can be made to cut the ferry loose and get the ice over to this side of the river a nice lot of it can be put up.

The city is up against the proposition of badly needing an artificial ice plant. It is said \$12,000 would finance the enterprise, and the plant would employ at least half a dozen men all the year round, and the community would secure good, wholesome ice for use at all seasons of the year. There is no doubt but the plant would find a market for its product, as the city itself would use a large quantity and the rate undoubtedly would be much lower than the consumers have been required to pay under existing conditions.

H. F. Gansemer of the vicinity of Mynard was attending to business matters in this city Tuesday and took time to call at this office and start the new year right by renewing his allegiance to the Old Reliable.

Mr. Green's Loss Settled.

Heston Green, whose property was damaged by fire on New Year's day, had his loss satisfactorily adjusted, Wednesday, January 3, by the Phoenix of Hartford Fire Insurance company. The adjuster, John F. Dale of Omaha, arrived yesterday on No. 4, and at once set about ascertaining what it would require to place Mr. Green's property in as good condition as before the fire. In company with George Sayles, the company's local agent, Mr. Dale found a contractor, who made an estimate of what he would do the work for and furnish everything necessary, and on this basis a settlement was soon agreed upon. The dwelling was insured in the company for \$700, and the loss was estimated at \$161.70, the amount the carpenter said he would do the work for. Mr. Green received a check for this amount and was satisfied with the settlement. The company and its agents, Messrs. Dale and Sayles, certainly deserve credit for the rapid rate at which the claim was adjusted, as scarcely forty-eight hours elapsed between the time the fire occurred and the time Mr. Green received his check. If there is a company in town that can beat this record it should report at once, as Mr. Sayles claims the distinction of making the quickest adjustment on record in Plattsmouth.

George Young Visits Plattsmouth.

George Young of Alva, Okla., a former Cass county citizen and ex-county commissioner of this county, was in the city today shaking hands with his friends. Mr. Young and his wife and his sister, Mrs. Carroll, arrived from Oklahoma, a couple of days before Christmas and have visited relatives near Murray for a week. Mr. Young is looking rugged and not a day older than when he left Cass county eight years ago.

Good barn for rent. Call on the Journal for particulars.

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