

DR. EDWIN A. DONELAN, PROMINENT NEBRASKA PIONEER PASSES AWAY

Dr. Donelan Came to Nebraska in Territorial Days and Became Prominent in Nebraska Politics, Being Elected the Second Mayor of the City of Plattsmouth—Later Removed to St. Joseph, Missouri, Where He Died.

From Saturday's Daily.
Ex-County Treasurer Frank E. Schlater this morning received a telegram from his cousin, Mrs. Ida Wagner, of St. Joseph, Missouri, informing him of the death of his uncle, Dr. Edwin A. Donelan, which occurred at the home of the doctor's niece, Mrs. Wagner, yesterday.

Dr. Donelan was 88 years of age at the time of his death. He was a brother of Mrs. Conrad Schlater and the late Mrs. Schulhof, as well as Dr. James Donlan, sr., deceased, of Glenwood, and Dr. William Donelan, deceased, of Plattsmouth. Dr. Edwin A. Donelan came to Plattsmouth when the city was in its infancy, and resided here for a few years, being the second mayor of this city. He was the chief magistrate of this city during the California gold excitement. He was also a member of the territorial legislature of this state and assisted

in framing some of the first beneficial laws of Nebraska Territory. The press dispatches from St. Joseph today are to the effect that Dr. Donelan was a pioneer physician of northwest Missouri and for fifty years prominent in politics as a democrat. He was president of the school board of St. Joseph for many years, and as a member of the state legislature was responsible for many laws in the interest of public health and charity. He was a public-spirited man and was the oldest member of the St. Joseph Commercial club.

Dr. Donelan's wife died several years ago and his sister, Mrs. Conrad Schlater, of this city, is the only member of the Donelan family now living. There are many nephews and nieces surviving, among them being F. E. Schlater, Ed and Jack Schulhof and Miss Carrie Schulhof, of this city, and Dr. James Donelan, jr., of Glenwood.

JESSE BLUNT AWARDED VERDICT FOR \$4,500

Damages to This Amount Awarded Plaintiff in the United State District Court.

From Saturday's Daily.
Jesse F. Blunt was awarded damages in the sum of \$4,500 against the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad company, the verdict being returned by the jury in the federal court shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, after the jury had been out since 12 o'clock. Blunt was injured by falling from his engine and striking his left knee. He was then at McCook, employed as a fireman, and was filling the sand box when the accident occurred. He was first injured March 21, 1908, and on March 20, 1909, he again fell from the engine and again injured the knee.

The court held that there was no evidence to show negligence on the part of the defendant railroad company relative to the last accident and so gave an instructed verdict on that point. It was claimed by Blunt that while he was on the engine filling the sand box on March 21, 1908, the engine was started by the company's servant, the engineer, without a warning signal being given. The defendant claimed that the bell was rung before the engine was started, and that directly after the accident Blunt told some of his fellow workmen that he lost his balance because of the strong wind blowing.—Lincoln Journal.

Entertains House Party.

Miss Marie Robertson, who is attending the state university, arrived last night on No. 14 and today is entertaining at a house party the following named young ladies: Misses Elsie Brown, Cora Urish, Hazel Snell, Esther Warner, Edie Miller, Helen Rouse, Florence Frost, Verna Anderson, Louise Mote and Gertrude Sturm.

Resolutions of Condolence.

Whereas, It has pleased Divine Providence to remove from our midst Brother William Volk, a member of Plattsmouth Lodge No. 365, Fraternal Order of Eagles, and

Whereas, In his death this lodge loses one of its most useful and best of members, and this community one of its noblest, most upright and sincere citizens, and his family a faithful, kind and loving brother; therefore be it

Resolved, By Plattsmouth Lodge No. 365, Fraternal Order of Eagles, that this lodge loses one of its most respected and upright members and this community one of its best citizens and his family a kind and loving brother; and be it further

Resolved, That this lodge tenders relatives of our deceased brother our deepest and most sincere sympathy; and be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread at large upon the minutes of this lodge, and that a copy thereof be printed in the newspapers of the city of Plattsmouth and that the charter of this lodge be draped in mourning for the period of thirty days.

James Rebal,
Val. Burkel,
Wm. Weber,
Committee.

The Peach Crop.

Frank Cox says: "I am going to have quite a lot of peaches on the seeding trees, but there will be none to speak of on the budded trees." Zach Shrader: "Seeding peaches in my neighborhood will make at least a third of a crop, if nothing happens to them from this on." Robert Young: "I am figuring on at least a third of a crop of peaches from the seeding trees, but will have only a few of the budded fruit." Doesn't sound so bad for a country where the peaches are all killed.—Nehawka News.

The Journal office carries all kinds of typewriter supplies.

First Assessor to Report.

From Saturday's Daily.
James H. Foreman, precinct assessor of Greenwood precinct, has been diligent in his business, and came in this morning first man under the wire, with his schedules all in good shape. There was no particular reward offered by County Assessor Soennichsen for the first man in, but Mr. Foreman has the satisfaction of knowing that his troubles are over for this year, and over sooner than any other assessor in the county.

JUDGE TRAVIS LECTURES SARPY OFFICIALS

The Judge "Talks Out in Meeting" and Says Officers Are Lax Over Case.

Judge Travis gave the county attorney and sheriff of Sarpy county a severe lecturing yesterday, of which the Omaha Bee of this morning speaks as follows: "Charging that neither County Attorney William Jamison or Sheriff Grant Chase of Sarpy were upholding him in the matter of prosecuting the two officers now charged with the killing of Roy Blunt, District Judge H. D. Travis, at Papillion yesterday, indicated that such conduct on the part of the officers was the greatest reason for considering a change of venue which is being sought by the accused.

"The attorneys were gathered in the court room on another case when the judge delivered his lecture. He insisted that he would discuss the appointment of additional counsel this morning. The motion for a change of venue is set for May 15. The court in stern words told the two officials that he wanted advice founded on the law and would not tolerate the introduction of political enmity into his court room.

"At Papillion this morning it is understood the defense will file over 150 affidavits attesting the feeling that prevails against Hyers and Briggs in Sarpy county. It is said that neither the present county attorney nor the sheriff of Sarpy are very sanguine of a conviction against the two accused men."

Will Do His Duty.

Plattsmouth, May 10, 1912.
In reply to the Better Glass Dancing club, as they call themselves, I would suggest that they had better post themselves on what the city-elect official as they call him, has to do as to keeping peace and order. If there is any more such conduct carried on as has been done heretofore they will find out what authority I have. If some of the mothers knew the conduct of their boys and girls they would hide their faces for shame.

If boys and girls who go around in the dead hours of night going into private halls and dancing the "bearcat" out on the streets and in restaurants and private offices. If that is what they call the better class may God in His infinite mercy have pity on the rest of the people of Plattsmouth. I shall use my authority to the letter of the law if there is any more such conduct as has been carried on heretofore.

Henry Trout, Policeman.

Band Concert and Dance.

The Burlington band of this city has arranged for a concert at Jenkins' hall, in Murray, on Saturday evening, May 18. The boys will give the citizens of Murray the finest entertainment that was ever given in that village, and as it is given for the purpose of securing funds for the purchase of new uniforms for the members of the band the people should turn out and give them a good audience. After the concert a dance will be given for the benefit of those who love "to trip the light fantastic toe," the music to be furnished by the M. W. A. orchestra. Don't forget the date—Saturday, May 18.

Woman's Auxiliary.

The twenty-sixth annual meeting of the Nebraska branch of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held Tuesday, May 14, 1912, at Omaha. Opening service and holy communion at 9:30 a. m., at which time each parish branch is asked to present its united offering, the offering to be placed in an envelope, sealed and the name of the parish and the amount within placed on the envelope. Luncheon will be served at 1 o'clock at Jacob's hall.

Adam Kaffenberger of near Cedar Creek was a Plattsmouth visitor today, having come in to look after matters of business.

WEEPING WATER MAN GETS INTO TROUBLE

Well Known Grocer of Weeping Water Charged With Violating Oleomargarine Law.

Hans Johnson, who, for fifteen years has been in the grocery business in Weeping Water, has, according to the Washington, D. C., correspondent of the World-Herald, violated the United States statute relative to the sale of oleomargarine. Though Johnson claims to have been innocent of any wrong doing, and anyone acquainted with Hans knows him to be on the square. Here is what the correspondent says, under date of May 9:

"Pending explanation from Hans Johnson, a grocer of Weeping Water, the treasury department will hold up its action against him for the collection of a fine of \$225 for the sale of a butter substitute without a license, according to information received by Senator Hitchcock today.

"Ankerson, a Weeping Water baker, bought a butter substitute from the Cudahy Packing company, having the shipment included with other goods sent to Johnson. When the shipment arrived the article was sent to Ankerson, who paid Johnson, who, in turn, settled the whole bill, making no profit, however, on the accommodation to Ankerson. This was repeated several times until federal revenue collectors called on the astonished Johnson to show his license to sell oleomargarine or stand prosecution. The grocer insisted that he is not a dealer in oleomargarine, that he has not sold it and that what he did for the baker was only a neighborly accommodation."

Cattle Go to Alaska.

Vincent Straub, the stock man from south of Avoca was in town Saturday afternoon with a government inspector who had been down to examine the cattle Straub Brothers sold to Uncle Sam for shipment to Kodiak, Alaska. Some six years ago the government established an experiment station at Kodiak to determine among all the different herds of cattle which were best adapted to that northern climate, and the Galaways were chosen. The Straub Brothers have one of the finest herds of these cattle in the United States and perhaps in the world. They have carried off first honors for three years in succession at the state fairs in Iowa, Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska and the stock shows at Kansas City, Chicago and Denver. At the American Royal at Kansas City last year they won over all for the best ten head exhibited by one owner. Last year they had a 2-year-old heifer that won the silver medal given by the Union Stock Yards company of South Omaha for the best female of any age or breed.—Nehawka News.

Wedded at Omaha.

Miss Ophelia Reading of Omaha and Mr. Harry Vanderpool of Pacific Junction, Iowa, were united in the bonds of matrimony in the city of Omaha Monday, May 6. The bride looked very charming in her robe of changeable silk, while the groom was tastefully dressed in blue serge. The bride is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Reading and has lived in Council Bluffs the past year, where she won many friends by her charming manners and sweet disposition and stands high in Council Bluffs society. The groom is an entergetic young man and a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Vanderpool, quite well known by all Plattsmouth people. The bridal pair left over the west-bound Burlington for a honeymoon trip through the west, and will be at home to their many friends after June 1st, at Gretna, Neb. May their sailing down the matrimonial sea of life be one of pleasure and their sorrows be as light as the ocean's foam, is the wish of their many friends.

Spirella Corsets.

Miss Etta Nickels has changed her date to meet the ladies in Plattsmouth to the 16th of May. She will be at Miss Myers' millinery store on that date, where she will be pleased to meet all ladies desiring perfect-fitting corsets.

Locket Lost.

Mrs. Ben Dill and daughter, Addie, lost a gold neck chain and locket this week, either in Murray or between their home and town. Finder will please leave same with Mrs. Dill.

See J. H. McMaken for moving, storage and furniture packing.

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JUNIOR CLASS RECEPTION TO THE SENIORS

Notwithstanding the Inclement Weather a Very Enjoyable Occasion Was Had.

From Saturday's Daily.
The annual Junior-Senior class reception of High school students was given by the Juniors at Coates' hall last evening, and notwithstanding the inclement weather a very enjoyable evening was the result of the efforts of the committees on arrangements, working in conjunction with Miss Cora Anderson, class sponsor.

A formal program was given, which was commenced rather late, owing to the weather preventing the assembling of the guests until rather late. The hall was never more beautifully decorated, with crepe paper in the class colors, the reception room being hung with cherry and black intermingled with red tulips; the dining room in the senior class colors, royal purple and gold, with lilacs interspersed. Pennants of '12 and '13 were much in evidence and were suspended at numerous points in the reception and dining rooms.

The address of welcome was delivered by Glen Edwards, president of the junior class, and the response by Miss Goldie Noble, president of the senior class. Following the address Mrs. Everett Eaton sang a beautiful solo, which was followed by a charming reading by Mrs. A. J. Beeson. Superintendent N. C. Abbott made a few remarks, which were very appropriate, in which he referred to the admirable class spirit and friendly regard more than ordinarily manifested between the junior and senior classes of the High school. He was pleased to note this high regard each class as a whole seemed to have for the other class as a whole, and this same emotion he was glad to notice existed between individuals of the two classes; for instance, a senior boy cherished the highest admiration for the junior boy. Mr. Abbott also expressed the hope that the graduates, in their future careers, would not forget the Plattsmouth High school, and

when convenient pay those left behind a visit, as well as give them an encouraging word as they passed by.

Mr. Abbott's address was followed by a reading by Miss Manola Perry, followed by a vocal solo by Don York. E. H. Westcott rendered a beautiful piano solo which brought the program to a close. The tri-color scheme of the hall decoration was carried out in the refreshments, the ice cream was purple and gold, with the icy lady fingers and cake were served. Various games, including progressive authors, furnished the amusement for the juniors and their guests.

At Range Home.

From Saturday's Daily.
A number of the girls attending the Central school have organized into a club. These girls met at the home of Miss Edith Range yesterday afternoon and a very delightful time was had in spite of the bad weather. A number of indoor games were indulged in, and some excellent music was furnished by Misses Blanche Sayles, Zella Elliott, Genevieve McElroy, Edith Range and Margaret Thomas. At 5:30 a splendid luncheon was served by Mrs. Range. At a late hour all departed for their homes, pronouncing Mrs. Range a royal entertainer. The members of the club in attendance were: Margaret Thomas, Genevieve McElroy, Eleanor Schulhof, Blanche and Adelia Sayles, Edith Range, Barbara Ptak, Pauline Olson, Alice Weyrick, Sophie Wesch, Pauline Svoboda, Zella Elliott and Mrs. Range.

In County Court.

From Saturday's Daily.
The case of Mack & Co. against William and Paul F. Budig for the sum of \$202.50 was tried in the court this morning. The claim is for stock sold to the firm at a time when Paul F. Budig had full control and ownership. The evidence tended to show that William was not an owner at the time the bill was purchased, consequently, on a motion for this purpose, the case was dismissed as to him. The court then rendered judgment against Paul F. for the amount.

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