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THE AUTOMOBILE AND RAILROAD CROSSING

Record of Four Roads Show Total of Fifty-six Accidents Since June, 1910.

Automobile grade crossing accidents on three railroads in Nebraska have been compiled for use in urging that automobiles be forced by law to stop before crossing railway tracks. There have been fifty-six accidents of this character in the state since June 1, 1910, says the Lincoln Journal.

Since June 1, 1910, five persons have been killed in auto accidents on the Union Pacific in this state, and sixteen have been injured, making a total of twenty-one persons killed or injured. Twenty cases have been settled or disposed of, for which the railroad has paid \$5,943.31 in damages. The total number of grade crossing accidents is reported by this road at twenty-eight. In seven of accidents there were no personal injuries.

In 1911, the St. Joe & Western had an accident. A car was struck by a train at Island, and

Christian Helpers Meet.

From Thursday's Daily. The Helpers of the Christian Church held a most pleasant meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jennie Schildknecht, on Main street, which was quite largely attended by the members of the society. The ladies spent the afternoon in social conversation and the making of articles for the market, which will be held Saturday at Eastwood's store, and which the ladies are preparing to make one of the best that has been held here.

Miss Jennings Returns.

From Thursday's Daily. Miss Metta Jennings, who has been in Omaha for the past few weeks recovering from an operation for appendicitis, returned home Tuesday, feeling much improved in health. The many friends of Miss Jennings in this city were delighted to note her improvement in health, and although she is still quite weak from the effects of the operation, they trust she will speedily regain her strength and be able to be around.

FIRE VERY NEARLY DESTROYS HOUSE NEAR BURLINGTON BRIDGE

the house
Joe

THEY'VE BURIED THE HATCHET IN ENGLAND—BUT THE HANDLE IS STICKING OUT.



—Wilder in Chicago Record-Herald.

LOUISVILLE COUPLE MARRIED IN COUNTY JUDGE'S OFFICE

CELEBRATED THEIR CHINA WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

judge

From Thursday's Daily. The home of Mr. and Mrs. George Lohnes was the scene of a most delightful gathering Sunday evening, as a large crowd of their relatives and friends gathered at their home, to celebrate the golden wedding anniversary of the couple.

V. E. Perry's New Farm.

V. E. Perry, from west of Mynard, Cass county's most successful raiser of the popular Duroc-Jersey swine, was in the city Wednesday looking after some business matters. In conversation with him in regard to his new farm, the one he recently purchased from O. H. Allen, near Wabash, he tells us that he intends to move to the new place in about one year. There is no doubt but that Mr. Perry has an ideal place for his future home, and that was what he was looking for when he paid \$200 an acre for it. It is one of the finest improved places in the county for the raising of stock, and that is where the beauty lies in farming for Mr. Perry. His famous herd of Duroc-Jersey swine will find one of the finest yards and shelter houses in the state, well built and with concrete flooring. This farm contains the largest silo plant in the county. He also informs us that Mr. Allen will move to South Omaha, where he will engage in the stock business.

GETS A JAIL SENTENCE OF 30 DAYS FOR DRUNKENNESS

From Thursday's Daily.

The court of Justice Archer was a busy scene this morning, when various offenders were brought before him to receive justice at his hands, and they all received all that was coming to them. Charley McCauley was one of the callers at the court to answer to the charge of drunkenness, preferred by the county attorney, and the judge, in recognition of the many times he had been called on to sentence this gentleman for similar offenses, gave him thirty days in the county jail and he was at once removed to the bastile to begin serving his sentence. John Coughlin was picked up last evening by the police in a state of intoxication and was brought into court this morning,

on a charge of \$1 and 50 cents to set

IMPROVEMENTS TO BEGIN VERY EARLY THIS YEAR

Messrs. Manners and Cecil Contemplate Building Automobile Garage on Vine and Sixth.

One of the big improvements in the building line in this city is the new automobile garage that is being projected by Messrs. Harve Manners and Hugh Cecil. These gentlemen are figuring on erecting on the southeast corner of Vine and Sixth streets a modern, fire-proof garage, 72x80 feet in size, that will be fitted up in the most modern manner for the taking care of all machines that are turned over to them. There will be an entrance made on both the Vine and Sixth street side of the building that will give them plenty of room to handle a large number of machines at one time.

This will supply a long-felt want here, as during the summer months there will be a great deal of travel through this city over the Scenic automobile route from Omaha to Kansas City, and many of them are compelled to stop here for repairs and supplies for their cars, and as the new garage will be located on the road it will afford the owners of machines a splendid place to get their work done.

Messrs. Manners and Cecil are both expert workmen and have always given great satisfaction in the work they have done in this line, and no one need fear that they will fall down on any job that is entrusted to them. The number of automobiles in this city will be much larger than last year and there is no reason why the new garage cannot be made a big success, as the work will be greatly increased in the repair line as well as the livery business. The public is more and more interested in the automobile as the years go by, and the automobile as a means of transportation is bound, as