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## Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph Company

J. K. POLLOCK, Local Manager

### P. M. MEISINGER OF BENSON SURPRISED ON HIS BIRTHDAY

From Tuesday's Daily  
A most enjoyable surprise was given Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Meisinger at Benson, Neb., in honor of that gentleman's birthday, and the relatives and friends succeeded in pulling off a complete surprise, as he did not suspect that there was anything out of the ordinary until he arrived home, to find the house filled with friends and relatives. One of the most delightful features of the evening was the elegant three-course 6 o'clock dinner, which was served in a most charming manner by the hostess, and the delicacies which loaded the tables were very highly appreciated by the guests who had gathered to honor their friend. For the occasion the rooms of the handsome Meisinger home had been artistically decorated in ferns and red roses, which added a touch of beauty to the gathering and made a most charming setting to the jolly party, which numbered some fifteen of the relatives and close friends of this highly respected gentleman, in whose honor the event was gotten up. After the dinner the company enjoyed themselves in various amusements until a late hour, when they departed, leaving with the guest of honor many handsome gifts to remind him of the joy of the occasion, and they also wished that he might enjoy many more such happy events in the future. Among the guests present were: Messrs. and Mesdames G. G. Meisinger, L. H. Meisinger and sons, W. G. Meisinger and son, Harley, of Plattsmouth; B. L. Grove, Miss Lizzie McMahan, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Meisinger and son, Herbert, of Benson.

Attorney William C. Ramsey of Omaha came down this afternoon on No. 24 to attend to some legal matters for a few hours.

## \$30 TO CALIFORNIA, WASHINGTON OREGON, BRITISH COLUMBIA ONE WAY

FROM PRINCIPAL NEBRASKA TOWNS  
September 25 to October 10, 1913  
Through Tourist Sleepers to the Coast

VIA SALT LAKE ROUTE—Scenic Colorado, every day; personally conducted Wednesdays and Saturdays.  
VIA WESTERN PACIFIC, Scenic Colorado Feather River Canyon: personally conducted Wednesdays and Fridays.  
VIA SOUTHERN PACIFIC, Scenic Colorado, Salt Lake, every day, personally conducted Sundays, Tuesdays and Thursdays.  
VIA NORTHERN PACIFIC, every day, through the Northwest, to Spokane, Seattle.  
VIA GREAT NORTHERN every day, the Northwest, to Spokane Seattle.

The undersigned will be pleased to ticket you and arrange for your through berths in tourist sleepers.

W. C. CLEMENT, Ticket Agent  
L. W. WAKELEY, General Passenger Agent, Omaha, Nebr.



## ELKS TO ENJOY A GLAM BAKE AT OMAHA

Big Crowd of the Plattsmouth Elks to Be on Hand at Glam Bake.

From Wednesday's Daily.  
One of the biggest events of the year in the Elk lodge of Omaha will take place tomorrow in that city, when the annual clam bake of No. 39 will be held at Carter lake, and Elks from all the adjoining towns will be present on invitation of the Omaha lodge to take part in the festivities of the occasion, which promises to be the best affair of its kind that the Omaha lodge has given, and it will be confined strictly to the members of the order. For the event the Omaha lodge has put forth its best efforts and in addition to the elegant "feed" prepared the committee in charge has arranged a program of sports for the day that will aid in entertaining the visitors.

The Plattsmouth lodge has made arrangements to send up some twenty-two of the members and if the weather will permit they will meet at the lodge rooms at 10:30 tomorrow morning to travel to the scene of the clam bake in automobiles, leaving the lodge room at 11 o'clock. In case of rain it will be necessary for the delegation to leave here at 8:15 over the Burlington in order to reach Omaha in time for the big event. The Lincoln lodge will send some forty of the boys, headed by Frank E. Green, exalted ruler, of the Lincoln lodge, who will assist in making the event a joyous one. Des Moines, Iowa and Fremont will also be represented by a large delegation, and there will be numerous visiting individual members in attendance to take part in the festivities prepared for them by the hospitable members of the Omaha lodge.

The committee on sports have arranged for a trap shoot on the Carter Lake club grounds Thursday afternoon, and while those in charge will have a few guns on the grounds the Elks who desire to participate in this shoot are requested to bring their own guns with them.

## FIRST NATIONAL BANK MAKES IMPROVEMENT

New Electric Chime Clock to Be Installed by the First National Bank.

From Wednesday's Daily.  
The First National bank of this city, with its usual spirit of enterprise and push, is making an addition to their handsome building on Main street that will be an ornament to the appearance of the street, as well as a great convenience to the general public. The new improvement is the installation of a large electric clock, which will be extended out from the front of the building and will be visible from both up and down the street.

The clock, which is one of the latest on the market, is manufactured by the McClintock-Loomis company of Minneapolis and is seldom found in the smaller towns of this size. It is equipped with a full set of chimes that play the famous Westminster chimes at the hour and at the quarter hour four bells will sound, at the half-hour eight bells, at the three-quarter twelve bells and at the hour the full set of sixteen bells will ring the world famous Westminster chimes out, followed by the striking of the hour by the clock.

The figures on the face of the dial are large and black and will show up fine against the white of the background and can be easily seen for several blocks. The large clock on the outside is controlled by a master clock, also operated by electricity, which is placed on the interior of the bank, where it can be looked after at all times. The outside clock is quite tall and is finished very handsomely in green and will be an object of beauty, as well as of usefulness to the general public.

If you need anything for harvest call on Ed Donat. He will treat you right.

Receives Samples of Rice.  
J. F. Stull, who has been here visiting for the past few weeks, received a box containing samples of rice and sugar cane grown on his place in Louisiana. The samples were sent by Mrs. Stull, who is at home. A sample of the rice was left at this office and seems like a mighty fine variety, which Mr. Stull says will make between sixty and seventy bushels to the acre. The marketing price of the highest grades of rice in his locality is usually about two and one-half cents per pound, so when seventy bushels are raised to the acre it makes a pretty good crop.

## SOME DOINGS IN THE DISTRICT COURT

From Wednesday's Daily.  
The case of the Village of Union vs. W. B. Banning, et al., in which the village sought to incorporate for the purpose of taxing quite a tract of the land lying around the present limits of the village, and which has been built up quite thickly, came up this morning for hearing before Judge Corcoran in the district court, and the default of all the defendants except Agnes Peterson was entered and trial had to the court on the pleadings and evidence. The matter was argued and submitted to the court, which decided for the plaintiff in part and granted a decree incorporation of the NW 1/4, NW 3/4 N E, section 26 township 10, range 48, and excluding some forty acres. The defendant, Peterson, excepts to the findings and is given forty days to prepare and present bill of exceptions.

The court also had the hearing on the protest of Mrs. Effie J. Barr to the confirmation of the sale of the lands belonging to the Barr estate, near Greenwood. The court, after hearing the arguments, ordered the referee to present amended report of amount each lot sold for at the sale of the lands and the town lots in Lincoln. The court ordered the sale of the lands confirmed and title given to the purchaser.

## DOUBLE CELEBRATION AT THE J. M. BEIL HOME SOUTH OF PLATTSMOUTH

From Tuesday's Daily.  
Yesterday a jolly gathering occurred at the J. M. Beil home, south of this city, the occasion being the celebrating of the birthdays of Mrs. Beil and Mrs. Jack McNatt, it being the twenty-eighth anniversary of Mrs. Beil and the fortieth of Mrs. McNatt. The event was a very pleasant one and everyone felt that they had had the time of their lives in this gathering at the hospitable Beil home. The company amused themselves at cards and social conversation during the course of the day until an appropriate hour, when the tables were spread with viands fit to grace the banquet board of a king, and the guests gathered around the board to do ample justice to the elegant spread that reflected so much credit upon the ladies preparing it. Light refreshments were served during the course of the day to the company, adding much to the pleasure of the occasion, and it was with regret that the guests departed for their homes, wishing the guests of honor many happy returns of the day. The guests present to enjoy the happy event were: Mr. and Mrs. Jack McNatt, wife and son, Julian, and daughters, Geneva and Emma, Glen Campbell and wife, Peter Campbell and wife, Chris Beil and wife, Fred Beil, wife and son, Greeley, and daughter, Ruth, Will Split, wife and son, Johnnie, and daughter, Miss Inez, Paul Sitzman, Ed Jones, L. B. Brown, Joseph Beil, wife and daughter, Goldie, Frank Sitzman, wife and daughters, Hazel, Minnie, Goldie, Freda, Frances, and son, Stephen.

L. D. Switzer in Town.  
L. D. Switzer came up last evening from his home near Weeping Water to spend a few hours here with his old friends, who were delighted to see him, as it has been almost a year since he visited this city. Mr. Switzer was formerly one of the county commissioners of the county and made a splendid record in that office.

## NAMES FOR THE JURY LIST FOR DISTRICT COURT

From Wednesday's Daily.  
The following list of names has been prepared from which the jury for the coming term of district court will be selected by Tipton Precinct—John Woods, Jr., J. P. Hudson, E. M. Standley, Greenwood—W. C. Boucher, L. G. Walradt.  
Salt Creek—W. P. Bailey, J. V. Carnes, W. S. Allen.  
Stove Creek—John Hoffman, Frank Stege, J. N. DelesDernier, Elmwood—Frank C. Buell, Jno. Bornemeier, J. A. Bauer.  
South Bend—M. E. Bushnell, Alec Jenks.  
Weeping Water—G. L. Heneger, Chris Jorgensen, Mt. Pleasant—H. H. Stoll, W. H. Puls.  
Eight Mile Grove—J. O. Ward, Henry Meisinger, Ed Becker.  
Avoca—George Peters, Walter Meyer.  
Nehawka—John Whiteman, George Sheldon, W. H. Mark.  
Weeping Water City—Henry Haslem, W. M. Ash, Frank J. Davis.  
Liberty—M. G. McQuinn, Winfield Swan.  
Rock Bluffs, First—Jake R. Vallery, Lee Nickels, Lufe Nelson.  
Rock Bluffs, Second—E. B. Hutchison, Peter Campbell.  
Plattsmouth Precinct—W. T. Adams, Chris Tschirren, L. Todd, Plattsmouth City—First ward, J. H. Thrasher, Fritz Fricke; Second ward, James Newasek, John P. Sattler, John Crabbell; Third ward, Anton Kanka, Jr., C. L. Martin, J. R. Kelley, A. P. Christwiser; Fourth ward, August Tarisch, C. M. Foster, Gus Kopp; Fifth ward, Joe Libershall, Frank Sitzmann.

## THREE DRUNKS FINED IN JUDGE ARCHER'S COURT

From Tuesday's Daily.  
Yesterday the court of Judge M. Archer was filled by a number of drunks, all of whom were charged with being intoxicated, and from the appearance of the prisoners thus charged it could readily be seen was only too true and the protests of some of the prisoners was unavailing, as the court was firmly convinced that they had been indulging too freely of the sparkling extract of corn juice. Tracy Jackson was one of the prisoners arraigned, and as the court had been visited on Friday by Tracy while in a state of exhilaration, there was no sympathy given the prisoner by the court and Tracy was warned to seek more congenial climes before the setting of another sun, and he promised to get himself hence, and in the words of the poet, "shake the dust of this little city from off his pedal extremities." William Long and M. A. Monahan were also callers at the court under the charge of being intoxicated and were assessed a fine of \$2 and costs, which made it necessary for them to shell out \$5 in good American cash before the scene of outraged justice could be placated, and the prisoners were then released to go their way rejoicing.

## A. L. SKINNER SEVERS HIS CONNECTION WITH TELEPHONE COMPANY

From Tuesday's Daily.  
Albert L. Skinner, who, for the past two years has been employed by the Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph company in this city, as wire chief of their plant, departed this afternoon for Kimberly, Idaho, where he will join his family, who left for that place some few weeks ago. Mr. Skinner expects to engage in the telephone business in Twin Falls, Idaho, in the future, and has severed his connection with the company here; and while he regrets to leave this city, feels that he should take up the opportunity offered him in the west. The Skinner family made many friends while residents of this city, who will greatly regret to see them leave, but trust they may enjoy the utmost prosperity in their new home.

For Sale.  
Best 65-ft. front in town. In grade. Plenty of shade trees and sewer connections. See A. J. Trilety. 9-9-1wkd  
The Want Ads get results.

## NUMEROUS GERMAN CITIZENS APPLY FOR NATURALIZATION PAPERS

From Tuesday's Daily.  
The office of District Clerk James Robertson was a very busy place yesterday, when a large number of the substantial residents of Eagle and vicinity called at the office to secure their second citizenship papers, which would make them full-fledged Americans. This was certainly good to see, as these worthy gentlemen have resided in this country for a long number of years and embrace some of the best citizens in the west part of the county. The new ruling of the department of labor in regard to the granting of naturalization papers goes into effect on the 27th of this month, and as many of the Eagle gentlemen had made their declaration of their intention to become citizens years ago it was necessary for them to appear before that date or they would be compelled to take out their first papers again. The party were all Germans and foreswore all allegiance to Emperor William II, and will soon receive their final papers as American citizens. Those taking out their papers were: John Maurer, Ernest Handrock, George Maurer, August Lau, Gottlieb Roekenback, George Allhouse, Herman Becard and William Hoffman.

Press Drills.  
I have one Superior and Tiger Press drill that I will sell at a liberal discount. W. T. Richardson, Mynard, Neb.

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed bids will be received up to 11 o'clock a. m. on Tuesday, October 21st, 1913, for the rebuilding of the County Poor House, lately destroyed by fire, located on the County Farm, in Cass County, Nebraska, three (3) miles west of Plattsmouth Nebraska.  
Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the County Clerk, Plattsmouth, Nebraska, or in the office of Fisher & Lawrie, architects, Omaha, Neb.  
A certified check of \$500.00 must accompany each bid. County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.  
Bids to be filed in the office of the County Clerk at Plattsmouth, Nebraska.  
(Seal.) D. C. MORGAN, County Clerk.  
Plattsmouth, Neb., September 17th, 1913.

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received by the City Clerk of the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, until five o'clock, p. m., on the 22nd day of September, 1913, for furnishing all material and labor necessary to grade, curb and gutter the streets in Curb and Gutter District No. 5 of Plattsmouth, Nebraska.  
All of the material and labor to be furnished and done in accordance with the plans and specifications on file at the office of the City Clerk, Plattsmouth, Nebraska, and at the office of the Engineers, Omaha, Nebraska.

Each proposal to be accompanied by a certified check on a Plattsmouth Bank, payable to the City of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, in an amount of One Hundred (\$100) Dollars which amount will be considered liquidated damages and be forfeited to said City should successful bidder fail to enter into contract for work set out in the proposal.  
Estimated cost, \$6,755.00 (Dollars.)  
Anyone desiring extra copies of the plans and specifications for his use may obtain the same from the Engineers by a payment of Two (\$2.00) Dollars per set.  
The Mayor and City Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.  
JOHN P. SATTLER, Mayor.  
B. G. WURL, City Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.  
In the County Court in and for Cass County, Nebraska.  
In Re Estate of Deliah Schwab, Deceased.  
To All Persons Interested:  
You are hereby notified that hearings upon all claims against the above estate will be had at the office of the County Judge, Court House, Plattsmouth, Cass County, Nebraska, on the 21st day of October, A. D. 1913, and on the 21st day of April, A. D. 1914, at ten o'clock a. m. on each of said days.  
You are further notified that all claims not filed by said hour on said last day of hearing will be forever barred.  
By the Court, ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge.  
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## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Bids will be received at the office of the County Clerk in Plattsmouth, Nebraska, up till noon on Monday, October 6, 1913, and will be opened on Tuesday, October 7, 1913, for the construction of one eight (8) foot concrete arch and one twelve (12) foot concrete arch. Plans and specifications on file in the office of the County Clerk.  
Location of bridges as follows:  
One eight (8) foot concrete arch on Locust street, between blocks 14 and 17, Young and Hayes Addition, Plattsmouth City.  
One twelve (12) foot concrete arch on Locust street, between blocks 110 and 111, Plattsmouth City.  
Bids to be made separately on each bridge and a certified check for One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) to accompany each bid.  
(Seal.) D. C. MORGAN, County Clerk.  
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## Statement of the Condition OF THE LIVINGSTON LOAN AND BUILDING ASSOCIATION PLATTSMOUTH, NEB. JUNE 30, 1913

ASSETS	
First mortgage loans	\$113,337.50
Stock funds	12,304.29
Cash	10,672.09
Delinquent interest, premiums and fees and dues	4,763.66
Insurance and taxes paid and advanced	2,842.43
Real estate contracts	3,275.69
Rent account	414.87
Total	\$147,530.55

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid up	\$137,642.67
Reserve fund	2,644.96
Undivided profits	7,242.92
Total	\$147,530.55

## RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1913.

RECEIPTS	
Balance on hand July 1, 1912	\$ 19,655.28
Dues	25,681.00
Interest, premiums and fines	13,801.52
Loans repaid	35,739.25
Insurance and Taxes paid and advanced	141.00
Rent, Account	427.21
Real Estate Cont.	260.05
Total	\$ 135,605.31

EXPENDITURES	
Loans	\$ 27,435.00
Expenses	1,367.80
Stock redeemed	10,672.09
Cash on hand	10,672.09
Insurance and Taxes paid and advanced	1,437.67
Rent and Repair	270.13
Total	\$ 53,854.78

I, Carl G. Fricke, secretary of the above named association, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of the condition of said association, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
C. G. FRICKE, Secretary.  
D. B. SMITH, H. M. SOENNICHSEN, F. G. EUGENBERGER, Directors.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of July 1913.  
(Seal.) L. TIPP, Notary Public.  
My commission expires Oct. 5, 1915.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS. In County Court.

STATE OF NEBRASKA, Cass County, ss.  
In the Matter of the Estate of Clara White, Deceased.  
Notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased that hearings will be had upon claims filed against said estate, before me, County Judge of Cass County, Nebraska, at the County Court room in Plattsmouth, in said County, on the 6th day of October, 1913, and on the 7th day of April, 1914, at 9 o'clock a. m. each day for examination, adjustment and allowance.  
All claims must be filed in said court on or before said last hour of hearing.  
Witness my hand and seal of said County Court, at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this 5th day of September, 1913.  
(Seal.) ALLEN J. BEESON, County Judge.  
GALVIN H. TAYLOR, Attorney.

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