

## FORMER PLATTS- MOUTH GIRL MAR- RIED IN LINCOLN

Miss Anna Eikenbary, Daughter of the Late Crof. Eikenbary, United in Marriage to J. N. Phillips.

From Tuesday's Daily.  
The following from the society department of the Sunday Lincoln Star gives the account of the wedding of Miss Anna Eikenbary, who for several years was a resident of Plattsmouth. She is the youngest daughter of Mrs. Dora Eikenbary and possesses a large number of friends here in the old home who will learn of her new happiness with the greatest of pleasure:

The marriage of Miss Anna Eikenbary, daughter of Mrs. Dora Eikenbary, of this city, and Mr. J. N. Phillips of Billings, Mont., was celebrated Wednesday, October 7, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Polk, 528 South Twenty-seventh street. Mrs. Polk is sister of the bride.

Rev. Stein read the marriage ceremony in the presence of seventy guests.

Previous to the ceremony Mrs. Charley Shreck of York, Neb., sang "At the Dawning," and was accompanied by Miss Marjorie Shanafelt on the harp. The Lohengrin music was played as the couple entered the room, and "The Rosary" and other harp selections were softly continued during the ceremony and period of congratulations.

Miss Pearl Eikenbary of Memphis, Neb., niece of the bride, held the bridal bouquet during the ring service.

The bride's gown was white shadow lace over net and was trimmed in pearls.

The corner in which the couple stood was banked in palms. The reception hall and living room were decorated in old rose. In the dining room decorations were in pink.

Mrs. Tom Boome, Mrs. Charles Moyer, Mrs. R. J. Eberly and Mrs. Burt presided at the tables and were assisted by Miss Pauline Davis, the Misses Alta and Inez Stevens and Misses Alma and Alta Hall.

Miss Alice Davis and Miss Emma Leach, assisted by the Misses Olive Ladd and Latta Watson, presided at the punch bowl. Miss Alda Johnson had charge of the guest book.

The bride and groom left for a trip to New York, after which they will make their home in Billings, Mont. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Eikenbary, Mr. E. C. Eikenbary and Miss Pearl Eikenbary of Memphis, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Robinson of Chicago, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gapan of Plattsmouth, Neb.; Mrs. Charley Moyer of York, Neb.; Mrs. Charley Shreck and Master Chas. Moyer Shreck of York, Neb.

## THE METHODIST LADIES' MISSIONARY SOCIETY HELD A MEETING SUNDAY NIGHT

The members of the Ladies' Foreign Missionary society had a meeting last Sunday night at the M. E. church in this city. The church was crowded. The meeting was opened by singing and prayer, and then Mrs. Newell arose and in a few sensible and pointed remarks explained the motives of the society and what they intended to do. The choir then sang a hymn. Mrs. Phillippi next addressed the audience on the cause of women in India. Her address was well learned and delivered and made a deep impression. Mr. Northrop sang the hymn entitled "Your Mission;" next Miss Ruby and Miss Decie Johnston read some extracts in a very able manner. The meeting was then closed by an able and original essay by Mrs. B. Spurlock, and prayer and singing.

Don't fail to attend the dance Saturday evening at the German Home and enjoy a few hours pleasantly in dancing. Good order and a good time assured to all who attend.

## Top Hogs From Cass County.

Peter Gakemeier, an old-time hog raiser of Louisville, was on the market today with a prime load of hogs of his own raising that sold for the top of the market, \$7.45. Mr. Gakemeier has raised hogs for thirty years and has had a good many experiences along that line. His farm has all the latest improvements and is in every way up to date. He has a drinking fountain for his hogs that he invented himself. The water is kept clean and it is not very likely to freeze in winter. His hogs have the best of care and therefore are good and healthy: "I feed my hogs corn, oats and alfalfa, but not too much corn, for I believe that too much corn is the cause of most of the sickness that is found in hogs," says he. "If farmers would watch this and be careful about it there would be less sickness. Another thing, hogs should be given plenty of freedom." — South Omaha Drover's Journal-Stockman.

## A VERY CLOSE CALL FOR AUTOMOBILE AND PASSENGERS IN CROSSING BRIDGE

From Tuesday's Daily.  
Yesterday afternoon at the toll bridge, north of this city, an accident occurred that might easily have proven fatal to the occupants of the automobile that was dumped into the Platte river while crossing the bridge. The car belonged to Dr. F. W. Klasmire of South Omaha, who was driving along the Sarpy county road, when the steering apparatus of the machine refused to work properly and the doctor decided to try and drive on into this city to have the machine repaired. When the car was on the bridge only a short distance the gear again refused to respond to the driver, and he was unable to steer the car in the proper direction and it turned crossways of the bridge and crashed into the railing of the bridge, carrying it away and plunging the machine and occupants into the first channel of the river below where the water happened to be only some eighteen inches deep and the occupants were able to get out from beneath the car without suffering serious injury. The doctor was fastened beneath the machine, but his companion managed to extricate him before he was injured in any way. The car was finally turned over by the efforts of the two men and will be taken back to Omaha to be repaired. It was very fortunate for the two men that they were not killed in the fall.

## WILL RETURN TO PANAMA, ACCOMPANIED BY HER PAR- ENTS, NEXT SATURDAY

On Saturday next Mrs. W. E. Maxon, who has been enjoying a visit in this city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer McKay, will depart on her return to the canal zone in Panama, where Mr. Maxon is employed as an engineer by the United States government. Mr. and Mrs. McKay will accompany their daughter back to Panama, where they expect to spend the winter, enjoying the warmth and sunshine of that tropical land. They will sail from New York on the government sail boat bound for that zone, and will have the opportunity of enjoying a fine sea trip before reaching Panama. In order to keep in touch with their home they will receive the Journal twice a week to see what is going on in Plattsmouth. Mr. and Mrs. McKay expect to return home about the first of April to Plattsmouth.

## Suit to Quiet Title Filed.

From Tuesday's Daily.  
This morning a suit to quiet title was filed in the office of the district clerk, entitled Ellen C. Windham vs. John Schniter et al. The plaintiff states that she is the owner of lots 3, 4, 5 and 6, in block 95; lot 1, in block 21; lot 10, in block 23, and lot 3, in block 28, all in South Park addition to Plattsmouth. The plaintiff prays that the decree quieting title to the property be given her.

## RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED AT MEETING OF EIGHT MILE GROVE LUTHERAN CHURCH

From Tuesday's Daily.  
At a meeting of the congregation of the Lutheran church of Eight Mile Grove precinct, west of this city, held last evening at the church, the following resolutions were adopted and were handed to the Journal for publication, and we freely give it space:

"We, the Evangelical Lutheran church of Eight Mile Grove precinct, Cass county, Nebraska, duly assembled in congregational meeting, deem it necessary to take the following action:

Whereas, There appeared an article in the Plattsmouth Journal about our beloved pastor, Rev. Huebner, and this church, said article containing some misleading statements concerning the minister and the discharge of his duties; so be it

Resolved, That we express our deep regret that those erroneous statements were made, that Rev. Huebner's resignation has nothing to do whatever with any church trouble, a call to another part of the state coming as much of a surprise to him as his announcement to leave was to us; that we gladly would retain Rev. Huebner as our pastor, if he wanted to stay; that it is entirely untrue, if there be said Rev. Huebner is leaving because a number of people withdrew their support of the church; and be it further

Resolved, That we express our heartfelt thanks for what our beloved pastor has done for us and our church during the years past; in his moral life above reproach, in the discharge of his duties always correct, a congenial friend, a true gentleman, an upright Christian, an earnest worker, a most able pulpit orator, a loving teacher of our children, a faithful servant in the Master's kingdom, he has won a place in our hearts and met with success in upbuilding this church, as the regular and numerous attendance of the services, and the increasing amounts of benevolence, clearly show; and be it further

Resolved, That we wish him great success and God's blessing in his new sphere of work, and that we ask Rev. Huebner to act as administrator of this church till a new pastor is secured; and be it finally

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be published in the Plattsmouth Journal.

## Father M. A. Shine Quite Sick.

From Tuesday's Daily.  
The many friends of Father M. A. Shine will regret to learn that splendid gentleman and priest is quite ill at his home in this city, and his condition has been such as to cause his friends much anxiety. Father Shine has been a sufferer from heart trouble for some years past, and it is thought that the present illness is due to that cause. It is to be hoped that he is able to rally from the attack and resume his duties, as there are fewer gentlemen more popular in the city and his absence from the active life of the city is greatly felt.

## GEORGE EVERETT, INJURED IN AN EXPLOSION RECENT- LY, IS IMPROVING NICELY

From Tuesday's Daily.  
Advices received in this city from the home of George Everett, near Union, state that that gentleman is getting along in fine shape and gradually recovering from the effects of the terrible injuries which he received from the explosion of the gas plant at his home and in which Mr. Everett sustained several broken bones and for a time it was feared that he could not recover, but the splendid attention and care of the attending physicians and nurses has resulted in marked improvement, and his family and friends are very hopeful for his recovery. This will be most pleasing news to the friends of Mr. Everett throughout the county who have been greatly worried over his condition.

Tyewriter ribbons at the Journal office.

## EX-MAYOR FITZGERALD. Leader of Boston Royal Rooters and Fan Shaking Hands With Joe Connolly.



Photos by American Press Association.

## A BRIDGE LUNCHEON IN HONOR OF MISS ELLEN POLLOCK, BRIDE-ELECT

From Tuesday's Daily.

One of the most pleasant pre-nuptial social events, in honor of Miss Ellen Pollock, was given yesterday afternoon at the charming home of Mrs. Wayne Dickson when Mrs. Dickson and Mrs. George H. Falter entertained at a bridge luncheon in honor of the bride-to-be. The rooms of the Dickson home were very tastefully decorated with a profusion of pink carnations interspersed with large bows of pink ribbon, which lent a soft and pleasing glow to the beauty of the rooms. The tempting and delicious four-course luncheon was served at 1:30 in the handsomely appointed dining room, where the guests were seated at a number of tables which were arranged in the most artistic manner in the color scheme of pink. Following the luncheon the ladies spent the afternoon in playing bridge, in which Miss Gussie Robb was the most skillful and received a prize for her ability. The guest of honor, Miss Pollock, was presented with a very handsome token of the esteem and love of her friends during the afternoon, together with the many good wishes for her happiness. The luncheon was served in a most charming manner by Misses Emma Cummins, Nora Rosencrans, Edith Dovey and Janette Patterson. The guests present were Misses Ellen Pollock, Kathryn Windham, Gussie Robb, Emma Falter, Ione Dovey, Catherine Dovey, Doris Patterson, Helen Dovey, Mathilde Vallery, Marie Donnelly, Margie Walker, Murray; Mesdames T. D. Livingston, R. F. Patterson, F. L. Cummins, Jack Patterson, G. O. Dovey, C. W. Baylor, R. G. Rawls, Floyd Ralston, Kansas City; Fannie Dickson, Earl R. Travis and W. J. Streight.

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"Yours truly,  
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Pays Visit to This City.

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Colonel Andrew F. Sturm of Nebraska arrived in the city last evening to pay his first visit here since the primary election when he was chosen for the republican candidate for state senator. Mr. Sturm has resided at Nebraska for many years, but is not so well known in this section of the county, save by reputation, as one of the successful business men of our neighboring city. He is a most pleasant gentleman, and while here was a caller at the Journal office for a short visit with the editor, and his social call was much enjoyed.

## WILL CELEBRATE ITS SIXTIETH ANNIVERSARY

Sixty Years Since Methodist Episcopal Church Swept in From the East to the West.

This fall the Methodist Episcopal church of Nebraska celebrates its sixtieth year of active work since the first wave of the Methodist teaching swept in from the east and brought with it the two prominent religious figures of that time, the circuit rider and the traveling evangelist, who for years, despite the hardships of pioneer times, labored faithfully in the cause of their church and in spreading the doctrine of Methodism among the scattering population that at that time—1854—were residents of the territory of Nebraska. In those times the pioneers were from the states farther east and had brought with them to the west an intense religious feeling that responded readily to the eloquence and appeal of the circuit rider and itinerant preacher, who on their journeys would stop at the cross roads and in some neighboring house hold forth services that would be attended by all for miles around. This anniversary of the church in Nebraska is filled with particular interest to the residents of Plattsmouth, as near this city was preached what is supposed to be the first sermon by an ordained minister of the church, Harrison Presson, who passed away some two years ago and whose pride was that he had been enabled to carve the way for the cause that today numbers some seventy thousand members in the population of the state with that many more who affiliate with the church although not enrolled in the membership.

The work of the church was really inaugurated in this section before the formation of the territory and several very interesting facts of the history of early Methodism in Cass county and eastern Nebraska are given in the following letter to the first minister to be sent into the state. Rev. W. H. Goode, D. D., of the Indiana conference, was the first man to be placed in authority of the Methodist church in official relation to the Nebraska work, being appointed June 3, 1854.

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of the names of the first members, which will remind many of the older citizens of Plattsmouth of the early days: Wesley Spurlock and wife, who was the father and mother of Burwell Spurlock, and grandfather and mother of Judge G. M. Spurlock, both now of York, Neb.; John W. Marshall and wife, Mr. Marshall having been postmaster of this city for a period of twenty-one years, running back into pioneer days; Father Throckmorton and wife, who were zealous workers in the church. And many others might be mentioned who together laid the foundation of Methodism in this community.

Following the Rev. Hiram Burch was the Rev. David Hart, an Englishman by birth, who continued the strenuous work of his predecessor.

## MORE ABOUT THE SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION AT WEEPING WATER, NEBRASKA

If man and woman would devote more attention to the Sunday school and the training of our boys and girls, many of our serious problems would be solved and the blessing of God-fearing people vouchsafed to the next generation. The Cass County Sunday School association is seeking to increase the efficiency of the Sunday school. The convention, to be held at Weeping Water, Nebraska, on October 22 and 23, will be a veritable clearing house of approved methods and plans for efficient work. A souvenir program has been prepared, and it is desired that every teacher and worker in Cass county shall have one. If you don't receive one, write to your district superintendent, who will supply you. Write to either J. P. Perry, Plattsmouth; Mrs. W. A. Davis, Weeping Water, or Miss Nora Eveland, Murdock. The program begins Thursday morning, October 22, and continues until Friday night, the 23rd. Especially strong speakers have been engaged and a great convention is assured. Weeping Water furnishes free entertainment, if you send names to Mrs. Thomas Murtey, Weeping Water.

## MISS ANNA LANGBEHN AND MR. HARVEY WORTHEN UNITED IN MARRIAGE

From Wednesday's Daily.

This morning at the office of County Judge A. J. Beeson, at the court house, occurred the ceremony that united the hearts and lives of Mr. Harry B. Worthen of this city and Miss Eva Anna Langbehn of Pacific Junction, Ia. The young people arrived at the court house shortly before 9 o'clock, and securing the necessary license requested the judge to unite them in the holy bonds of wedlock, which he did in his usual impressive manner, and the young people departed rejoicing in their new-found happiness. The ceremony was witnessed by Miss Kathryn Langbehn, sister of the bride, and B. B. Worthen, father of the groom. Mr. Worthen is a very popular young man of this city, where he has made his home for a number of years, and his friends will all join in wishing the newly weds the best of happiness and prosperity in the years to come.

## Right Formation Better Than Reformation.

You can bend a sapling to grow in From Tuesday's Daily.  
any desired direction, but when it gets old your efforts to change it are vain. The childhood of our day can be shaped as we will, but it will have to be done now. If we wait until habits and character are formed we will have a job on our hands to change it. In other words, it's better to direct our attention to the right formation of habits and ideals than to depend upon the more laborious task later of re-formation. The Sunday school stands as the one great champion of early training in the right direction. The Cass county Sunday School association, which meets at Weeping Water on October 22-23, is one of the chief means of training the youth in the right direction.

## SLIPPED A COG ON THEIR PLATTS- MOUTH FRIENDS

Miss Della Moore and James Jones Keep Secret Their Marriage for Two Months or More.

Another of Plattsmouth's fair young daughters has been claimed as a captive by Cupid, and while the young lady has been a bride for the past two months the marriage has been known to only the immediate family, and friends were only enlightened a few days ago as to the truth that their friends were united in marriage in Omaha August 10. The parties to the pleasant surprise are Mr. James Jones of Shenandoah, Ia., and Miss Della Moore of this city. The wedding occurred at the home of Mr. C. A. Mordick at 3330 Fowler avenue, Omaha, and was carried out without the slightest inkling of the matter reaching the friends of the young people here, although they have been awaiting the news of the forthcoming wedding. The young people returned to their homes after the ceremony and have since kept their friends guessing, but finally decided to end the suspense and break the joyful tidings to them. They will make their home in Shenandoah in the future. The bride is the youngest daughter of Mrs. Adah Moore of this city, and is a young lady highly esteemed and loved by a large circle of warm friends here who will wish her all the happiness she so well deserves in her future wedded life. Mr. Jones, the groom, is a young man of high character and a genial disposition, and during his residence here as an employe of the Nebraska Lightening company made a host of friends who will join in wishing him and his charming helpmate a long and happy married life.

## MR. AND MRS. EMMONS PTAK CELEBRATE FIFTEENTH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

From Wednesday's Daily.

Monday being the fifteenth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Emmons Ptak, a number of their friends and relatives decided to remind them of the happy event and gathered at the cozy Ptak home on West Pearl street in the evening to spend a few hours most pleasantly. The evening was spent delightfully in playing card games which were interspersed with a number of highly enjoyable musical selections from different talented members of the party and which proved a pleasing diversion of the occasion. At a suitable hour Mrs. Ptak, assisted by Mrs. John Bajack, served a most tempting and delicious four-course luncheon that was enjoyed greatly by the jolly crowd present. In commemoration of the anniversary Mr. and Mrs. Ptak were presented with a number of handsome gifts of cut glass, and on departing the guests expressed the wish that they might enjoy together the celebration of their golden wedding. Those who were present on the delightful event were: John Bajack, wife and family; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. August Clodt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Clodt, Mrs. John C. Ptak and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Meitzen of Omaha.

## Stork Makes a Flying Visit.

From Tuesday's Daily.  
Yesterday morning the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Tritsch, west of the city, was made happier by the advent of a fine, bouncing, ten-pound son and heir that made his appearance there. The young man and the mother are both doing nicely, and Philip is quite proud of the new addition to the family. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Tritsch will join in wishing that the young man may prove a joy and comfort to the parents in their old age.

Try the Journal for calling cards.