

## WE ARE TO HAVE ANOTHER STREET CARNIVAL IN MAY

The Willmuth Carnival Company, a  
Monster Affair, to Be Here for a  
Week, Beginning May 21.

From Friday's Daily.  
The advance announcements in the amusement line for 1915 seems to be one of the best that the city has had in prospect for the past few years. It is the fact that the great Willmuth shows and street carnival will be with us on the week beginning May 24th for the entire week, and everyone can begin to mark this out in red ink as one of the big events of the year for Plattsmouth people.

The carnival company comes here with the highest possible recommendations, and those who claim to be in a position to know state that their attractions are among the best in the carnival world, both in size and the splendid features of the different attractions. As was stated by one of those who may be interested in the handling of the shows here, the company is one that will more than please the people of Plattsmouth, as it combines all the latest features that might go to make the event a glorious success in every way. The best known attraction of this company is their large circus, which is one of the features of the aggregation of shows. This circus is complete in every way and a large number of animals are carried, together with equestrians, acrobats and other performers who might enter into the carrying out of the different circus stunts. A free street parade will be given each day by the carnival company and ample opportunity afforded the public for entertainment in the free attractions, which are as good as any carried by the carnival companies throughout the country and include an aeroplane, with a daring aviator.

The question of locating the show was a serious one at first with the company, but it is thought that they can be placed successfully along the river bottom east of the city, where there is ample space and where the shows will be of easy access to the people from Main street. The demonstration last year when the carnival company was forced several blocks away from the business section of the city lost considerable money for the merchants, and the affair should be located nearer the heart of the city, if possible.

## UNION TO HAVE A MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT SOON

From Friday's Daily.  
The residents of the village of Union have decided to take hold of the lighting problem in the proper shape by the placing of a plant there that will in the future furnish electrical illumination for all who desire it. The plant will be operated by the village as a municipal plant and should be a great success, as an institution of this kind has long been needed in our lively little neighboring town. The village board has secured a large thirty-horse power Alamo gas engine which will furnish the power for the plant, and an eighteen-kilowatt generator will furnish the current to the residents of the village at a very low figure. There will be a large 100-watt lamp placed on each crossing of the city, which will be allowed to run all night, while the residence section of the city will enjoy a twenty-four-hour service. The board and the people of Union have long considered the advisability of securing light for their town and in erecting the municipal plant feel that they have reached the best solution of the matter and one that will be the most satisfactory to the patrons of that city in general. Union is a very lively little village and its residents propose that it shall be kept abreast of the times in all matters of public improvement in every way possible.

**Taken Down With Lumbago.**  
From Friday's Daily.  
C. C. Wescott, the clothing man, was not on the job today as usual, having been forced to succumb to the attacks of lumbago which has confined him to his bed, and it is needless to say that the attacks of this very painful malady are not very much enjoyed, but he hopes in a few days to be rid of the visitation.

## MRS. GEORGE E. DOVEY CELEBRATED BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY LAST NIGHT

From Friday's Daily.  
Yesterday being the birthday anniversary of Mrs. George E. Dovey, her family and friends decided to assist her in celebrating the occasion in proper manner, and in honor of the event a most delightful time was enjoyed last evening at the beautiful Dovey home, and this most worthy lady congratulated by her friends on the passing of the day and the hope of many more such happy occasions.

The evening was spent very pleasantly in playing games of all kinds, and in music, which served to make the evening one of the rarest of pleasures to all assembled. In honor of the birthday of their charming hostess she was presented as a token of esteem by her friends with a handsome mahogany tea wagon, which will be treasured very highly in the years to come as a remembrance of a most delightful time. At a late hour a most tempting and delicious buffet luncheon was served most charmingly by Misses Edith Dovey and Janet Patterson. Those who were present at the happy event were: Messrs. and Mesdames T. P. Livingston, E. H. Wescott, William Baird, C. C. Wescott, J. P. Falter, R. F. Patterson, G. H. Falter, T. H. Pollock, Rev. W. S. Leete, L. O. Minor, Henry Herold, J. H. Donnelly, Mrs. Kate Minor, Mrs. A. M. Arries, Madame Leete, Misses Ruth Neyland, Leta Holdridge of Omaha, Mia and Barbara Gering, Julia Hermann, Gretchen and Marie Donnelly, Madeline Minor, Messrs. Major Arries, Dr. M. A. Klein of Omaha, Byron Arries, Fritz Fricke, Don Arries, Edwin Fricke, H. R. Gering of Omaha, Matthew Gering, John Falter.

## CLARENCE AND LEON STENNER ENTERTAIN LOYAL SON'S CLASS OF CHRISTIAN CHURCH

From Friday's Daily.  
The meeting of the Loyal Sons' class of the Christian church last evening at the home of Clarence and Leon Stenner was one of the most pleasant that has been given by the class and the members were treated to one of the most pleasing lectures they have enjoyed so far this season. Superintendent W. G. Brooks of the city schools was the lecturer of the evening and chose as his subject, "Modern Knighthood," taking up the origin of the creation of the Order of Knighthood and the obligation that one took as they were made a knight to support their king, their God and defend the helpless and worthy, and then the speaker compared the old creation of the knight with the modern man who owed his obligation to support the state, the worship of God and the defense of those justly needing his assistance. The debate on the question of government ownership was quite warmly contested, as the sides were readjusted so as to give them a more equal share of the debaters, and a red-hot argument followed that lasted for some time, but was finally decided by the judges in favor of the negative side. The rest of the evening was spent in a number of very amusing games, which was very much enjoyed. At the next meeting, in two weeks, Rev. Hollowell will be the lecturer of the occasion.

Frank Pelan of Brainard, Neb., who has been here for the past four days, a guest at the home of M. G. Stava and family, departed this morning for his home. This is the first time in twenty years that Mr. Stava and Mr. Pelan had met, and they greatly enjoyed the visit.

## YOUR DUTY IS TO BUY YOUR GOODS IN PLATTSMOUTH

A Few Suggestions to Those Who  
Send or Go Away From Home  
to Buy Goods.

From Friday's Daily.  
The home merchant. Who is he? He is the chap who gives you credit when you are financially broke, and carries your account until you are able to pay.

He is the chap who gives you back your money or makes exchanges when you are not satisfied with what you have bought.

He is the chap who stands behind his guaranty, and makes restoration of all losses that you may sustain on the goods you buy.

He is the chap who meets you at the door with a handshake, and lets you out with a message to the "kids," and a real come-again good-bye.

He is the chap who meets and greets you on the street every day in the year, and takes a neighborly interest in your family and your affairs.

He is the chap whose clerks and bookkeepers and other employees live in your town and spend their money with you and with other home people.

He is the chap who pays heavy taxes to help support our schools, and build our streets, and maintain the fire departments and police departments, and parks, and lighting and water service.

He is the chap who helps support your churches and hospitals and charity organizations, and your lodges and commercial clubs, and talks for your town and boosts for your town every day in the year.

He is the chap who visits you when you are sick, sends flowers to your family when you die, and follows your body out among the trees and tombs, as far as human feet may travel with the dead.

He is the home merchant—your neighbor—your friend—your helper in times of need.

Don't you think that you ought to trade with him, and be his friend and his helper in the time of his need?

Don't you know that every dollar that you send out of your town for merchandise, is sent to strangers—to men who never spend a dollar in your home town, to men who would not trust you for a box of matches, to men who would turn you over to the police if you should enter their offices?

You don't save much, frequently nothing, when you send your money out of your town and you take all the risk yourself of short weight or measure and of getting damaged or inferior goods. And don't you know that the growth and prosperity of your town depends very largely upon the success and prosperity of the home merchants? Out-of-town people judge our city by the appearance of our stores and the degree of enterprise shown by our merchants. And our home merchants cannot succeed unless home folks give them loyal support.

## FRED EBINGER ELECTRO VICE-PRESIDENT STATE HARDWARE ASSOCIATION

From Friday's Daily.  
At the meeting of the State Hardware Dealers' convention held in Omaha this week Fred Ebinger of Plattsmouth was elected to the office of vice president of the association. Mr. Ebinger has, during his years of business in the state, been one of the liveliest hardware men in the state, and while a resident of this city was in the forefront of everything tending to advance the interests of this line of trade, and the association will find him an active official in his duties. Mr. Ebinger has been very prominent for years in the state in the hardware business and is well known throughout the eastern section of this state.

**News of Death Received.**  
From Friday's Daily.  
A message was received here last evening, by W. E. Rosencrans announcing the sad news of the death at her home in Gretna, Nebraska, of Mrs. Hughes, mother of E. T. Hughes, of that place. Mr. Hughes is a brother-in-law of Mrs. Rosencrans and quite well known here, and in his bereavement will receive the most sincere condolences of the friends in this city. Mrs. Hughes was quite well advanced in years and her death occurred on the fifty-seventh anniversary of her wedding.

## VALENTINE DANCE AND PARTY AT COATES HALL LAST NIGHT A SUCCESS

From Saturday's Daily.  
A very pleasant Valentine party and dance was enjoyed last evening by a number of the young people of the city at Coates' hall, and there were some twenty couple in attendance at the delightful event. The party was given under the auspices of the Cosmopolitan club and much pleasure was secured from the occasion. The club rooms were decorated in streamers of red and white with red hearts and cupid's interspersed throughout the decorations, and the place cards at the several tables were of red hearts pierced by a golden arrow. During the evening light refreshments consisting of ice cream, cake and coffee, were served most charmingly by the committee in charge of the event, and in honor of the wily St. Valentine the ice cream was served in the form of hearts. The fun and pleasure continued until the midnight hour, when the company of young people wended their way homeward, feeling that the occasion had been a most pleasant one. The dance hall was decorated with festoons of colored lights and red hearts.

## FORMER UNION BANKER WILL SOON REMOVE TO SPRINGFIELD, NEBRASKA

From the dispatches appearing in the World-Herald this morning it would seem that John R. Pierson, who was formerly engaged in the banking business at Union, in this county, has decided to locate at Springfield, Neb., having purchased the interests in the Farmers State bank formerly owned by John C. Mangold, who has been the cashier of the above named bank, and Mr. Pierson will at once move his family to Springfield, where he has purchased the residence of Mr. Mangold. Mr. Pierson has had considerable experience in the banking business at Tecumseh and Union and should be well qualified to look after the business at Springfield. The friends of Mrs. Pierson, formerly Miss Eva Allison of this city, will be pleased to learn that the family has decided to locate so near the old home town.

## Funeral of Little Child.

From Friday's Daily.  
The funeral of the little 16-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Baldwin of this city was held this afternoon at 2:30 from the late home and the services were attended by a large number of the friends and neighbors of the bereaved parents. The little one passed away yesterday after a short illness, and in their hour of grief the parents will receive the deepest condolences of their many friends in the taking away of the little one who had gladdened their household for such a short time.

W. K. Fox, county treasurer of Cass, was in Lincoln Tuesday calling on friends and looking in on the legislature. He called in at the Herald office, gave us the glad hand and dropped a dollar in the subscription slot. Always glad to have Kelley call when in the city, and he never loses out.—Lincoln Herald.

G. W. Burnett of Pacific Junction was attending to business matters in this city yesterday and was a pleasant caller at this office.

## DEATH OF FORMER PLATTSMOUTH LADY AT ELMWOOD, NEB.

The First Husband of the Deceased  
Lady Lived in Plattsmouth  
Thirty Years Ago.

From Saturday's Daily.  
The funeral services of Mrs. H. Roelofs were held Sunday afternoon from the Christian church. A large number of sorrowing friends and relatives had assembled to pay their last respects. The services were conducted by Rev. P. Van Fleet of the M. E. church. He took as his text, "There Shall Be No Night." He illustrated the beautiful life of Mrs. Roelofs by reading many very appropriate passages of scripture. His sermon was forceful and full of the spirit of "kindly light"—painting beautiful thoughts and impressing the hearer with the fact that a great and good woman had passed from time to eternity—to the great future beyond. The sermon was one that will long be remembered.

Mrs. Roelofs was taken sick last week and seemed to be in a serious condition. She revived some and was thought to be getting better. On Friday she was taken with another sinking spell and she passed away at 10 o'clock a. m.

Pauline Boos was born in Wayne, Washington county, Wisconsin, on March 14, 1857, and died February 5, 1915, aged 57 years, 10 months and 21 days.

She spent most of her girlhood days in Wisconsin with her parents. She came to Nebraska about the year 1875 and settled at Louisville, Neb. February 9, 1877, she was united in marriage to Claus Brekenfeld. For a number of years they continued to live in Louisville, where Mr. Brekenfeld operated a flouring mill. In 1901 Mr. Brekenfeld purchased the mill in Elmwood and the family moved here. To the union of Claus and Pauline Brekenfeld were born seven children, four of whom died in infancy. The three remaining are: Jacob C. Brekenfeld of Springfield, Mo., and Claus W. Brekenfeld and Cecelia W. Brekenfeld of our city. Their father died January 2, 1906.

Mrs. Pauline Boos Brekenfeld was united in holy wedlock to Henry Roelofs October 27, 1909. Mrs. Roelofs was a lifetime member of the German Lutheran church.

The body was interred in the Elmwood cemetery.—Elmwood Echo.

Mrs. Roelofs was for a number of years a resident of Plattsmouth, where her first husband was quite active in business life here for some time like twenty-five years, and removed from here something like 18 years ago, when Mr. Brekenfeld disposed of his interests in the hardware business and later located at Elmwood, where he operated the flouring mill until his death several years ago. The friends of the family here will be greatly grieved to learn of the death of this estimable lady.

## ICE AND SNOW GOING OFF BY GREAT MODERATION IN THE WEATHER

From Saturday's Daily.  
For the first time in weeks the moderating weather gives promise of giving us one of the finest days that it would be possible to find, and it is much appreciated, coming as it does after one of the most disagreeable. The rain of yesterday afternoon and last night played havoc with the snow and ice and this morning when the residents of the city awoke they saw the greater part of the snow and ice had disappeared, and it can truthfully be said that there was little regret expressed by anyone over the fact. The general rain over this part of the state yesterday will cause a great amount of water to be poured into the creeks and streams in this part of the state and the old weather forecasters are predicting that there will be a great deal of high water in the opening of spring.

**Entertains for Friends.**  
Yesterday a very pleasing valentine dinner was given at the cozy home of Mrs. Henry Steinhauer, when their son, Edgar, entertained a few of his friends. The repast was most delicious, and following the elegant dinner the afternoon was spent in games and music, which proved most pleasing to the jolly crowd present. The guests present were: Messrs. Percy Dimmitt, Ross Lowe and Harvey Henger of Nebraska City.

## UNCLE J. PETER KEIL PASSED AWAY THIS MORNING

Well Known and Highly Respected  
Citizen, and One Whose Genial  
Good-Natured Countenance Will  
Be Sadly Missed.

This morning at 10 o'clock at his home in the west part of the city, one of the oldest and most highly respected citizens passed away after a long and lingering illness due to that most dread malady—hardening of the arteries—this was John Peter Keil, for years one of the leading farmers of Eight Mile Grove precinct, but who for the past two years has made his home in this city, having purchased a handsome home in which he might spend his declining years in peace and comfort, but this was enjoyed but a short time until the malady of which he died made its appearance and gradually snuffed away the life of this grand good man. Mr. Keil was, at the time of his death, some 68 years of age.

J. P. Keil was born on November 26, 1846, at Ueberau, Hessen-Darmstadt, Germany. He was confirmed in the Lutheran faith at his home church when in his fourteenth year, and had been a most devout member of that faith since that time. In 1867 Mr. Keil emigrated to America and settled near Pekin, Illinois, where, on October 18, 1867, he was united in marriage to Miss Katherine Wolf. For sixteen years the family continued to make their home in Illinois, and in 1883 they removed to Nebraska, locating in this county, where Mr. Keil had since made his home and was ranked among the best of our people. To the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Keil fourteen children were born, five of whom have preceded the father in death. Besides the widow, Mrs. Katherine Keil, the following children are left to mourn the passing of this grand good man: Philip Kiel, Mrs. Katherine Tritsch, Mrs. Louise Seybert, William, Henry, Louis, August and Charles Keil and Mrs. Olga Schroeder, all of whom reside in this county. One brother, George Keil, of Pekin, Illinois, is also left to mourn his passing.

The funeral will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the home of A. F. Seybert, where Mr. Keil and wife have made their home for some time. The services will be conducted by Rev. J. H. Steger of the St. Paul's church, in German, and Rev. F. M. Druliner of the Methodist church, in English.

## THE STORK LEAVES A FINE EIGHT POUND GIRL AT SCARBROUGHT HOME

Sunday evening there arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Scarbrough, on North Third street, a most pleasing valentine, which consisted of a fine, bouncing eight-pound daughter. This is the first child in the family and it is needless to say that the advent of the little stranger was greeted with the greatest of pleasure and is the object of constant admiration from all the relatives. Teddy is just about as happy as it is possible for a mortal to be, and the smile he wears is one that is good to see and it is well justified, as there are few finer girls than the new Miss Scarbrough. Uncle John Nemetz is also feeling pretty frisky over the new arrival.

## PIONEER CITIZEN PASSES AWAY AT EAGLE SUNDAY

Had Been a Resident of Cass County  
for Nearly Forty Years, and  
Reared a Large Family.

Grandpa Mick passed away at his home in Eagle Sunday evening, February 7th, at about 5:30 o'clock, after an illness of only a very few days. Mr. Mick was one of the oldest and most highly respected citizens of our community, and a pioneer of Cass county, having moved here with his family in 1880. Funeral services were held from the M. E. church Wednesday at 11 a. m., conducted by the Rev. John Davis of Cowles, Neb., and interment was made in the Alvo cemetery. John Allison Mick was born in Brooks county, West Virginia, May 2, 1829. Died at Eagle, Cass county, Nebraska, February 7, 1915, at the age of 85 years, 9 months and 5 days. Was married to Sarah Elvin Vaughn of Brooks county, West Virginia, on August 16, 1854. They soon moved to Vermont, Fulton county, Illinois, where they lived until the year 1865. They then moved to Jasper county, Iowa, and lived there until the year 1880. They then came to Cass county, Nebraska, where they have resided ever since.

There was born to this union seven sons and eight daughters, of which three daughters and one son have preceded their father. There is left to mourn the loss of this loved one his widow, his daughters, Mrs. D. E. Sheesley of Alvo, Mrs. C. C. Cooper of Eagle, Mrs. J. V. Stradley of Greenwood, Mrs. C. C. Price of Eagle, and Mrs. Arthur Stradley of Greenwood; his sons, Alonzo of the western part of the state, George of Greenwood, John of Waverley, Russ of Eagle, Guy of Kansas and Wiley of Alvo, besides a host of other relatives and friends. The children were all present at the funeral except one daughter, Mrs. Arthur Stradley, and one son, Guy.

Mr. Mick was united with the Christian church in the year 1867 at Pella, Marion county, Iowa, and was always a kind, loving father.—Eagle Beacon.

## A GREAT MANY FARMERS AND THEIR FAMILIES WERE IN TOWN SATURDAY

The warm weather of Saturday brought in a fair-sized crowd of the farmers from this section of the county to look after their trading, and most of them report that the roads are in quite bad shape or were then, as the melting snow of Friday and Saturday caused a great deal of water to move from the hills into the creeks and small waterways, filling them up in great shape, and at some points they were reported to be out of their banks. The sudden change from the warm weather of the last two days of the week, however, caused much of the ground to freeze up again and stop the thawing to a large extent. It is safe to bet, however, that when the warm winds of spring arrive there will be plenty of water in the creeks throughout the county and the residents of the lowlands should prepare to look out for their welfare in the opening up of the spring season.

Charles F. Guthmann and wife and Miss Guthmann and Miss Margaret Hallahan were among the passengers this afternoon for Omaha to witness the presentation of "Paddy Whack," by Chauncey Olcott, at the Brandeis.

J. F. Stull, who has been here for a short time visiting with his brother, C. Lawrence Stull, departed this morning for his home in Louisiana, going via the Burlington.

Mrs. John Lutz was among those who were passengers this morning on the early train for Omaha to spend a few hours there looking after some matters of business.