

## COUNTY COMMISSIONERS VIEWING BRIDGES FOR PAST FEW DAYS

From Saturday's Daily.

The county commissioners and County Attorney A. G. Cole were out in the county a few days this week and returned here last evening from a trip through Eight Mile Grove, Louisville, Salt Creek, South Bend and Elmwood precinct, looking over the bridges and roads in those localities. The continued rains and wet weather have done a great deal of damage to the roads and prevented the road supervisors from being able to repair them as they would like to, and the result has been that traveling over the roads has not been as pleasant as it might be. The elements have made the bridge and road work a huge task in this county during the past year, and the county commissioners, as well as the road supervisors, have had their hands full trying to take care of the work and give the citizens as good roads and bridges as possible, but in all cases this has been impossible, owing to the immense amount required to handle these matters and the limited amount that can be expended in this line of work in the different precincts.

## MRS. MANSPEAKER ENTERTAINS IN HONOR OF VISITING GUEST

From Saturday's Daily.

Mrs. M. E. Manspeaker very pleasantly entertained a number of her lady friends at her pretty home yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Joe Lake, of Tacoma, Wash., who is visiting her many old friends in this city. For the occasion the parlors of the Manspeaker home were prettily decorated with the garden flowers, which made them very attractive. The ladies brought their needlework and spent the greater portion of the afternoon in plying the busy needle, while sociability reigned supreme. A pleasing feature of the afternoon's entertainment was a number of piano selections furnished by Harold Smith, which were very much appreciated by those in attendance. At an appointed hour the guests were invited to the dining room, which had also been made very attractive with garden flower decorations, and where they were served a most excellent three-course luncheon, the hostess being assisted in serving by Mrs. Will Smith and Miss Teresa Droegge. An hour or so spent in a little further social time and then the guests dispersed, very much pleased at having had the opportunity of having Mrs. Lake in their midst again, and declaring Mrs. Manspeaker to be a splendid entertainer. Those who enjoyed Mrs. Manspeaker's hospitality on this occasion were: Mesdames Val Burkel, J. C. Peterson, sr., L. B. Egenberger, Fred Egenberger, D. B. Smith, Henry Ofe, Homer McKay, John Leesley, Booth, Carl Kunsman, sr., William Hassler, W. H. Bunch, Joseph Droegge, Misses Anna Hassler, Teresa Droegge, Harold and Ruth Smith.

## ALLEYS NO DUMPING GROUND FOR TRASH—REMEMBER THAT

From Saturday's Daily.

There has been considerable complaint expressed in different sections of the city over the fact that parties will persist in using the alleys as a public dumping ground for refuse of all sorts and without regard to the health or welfare of the community in which they reside, and this has caused considerable annoyance in various localities. The alleys in the business part of the city have not been subject to such treatment in the past two years, as everyone seems to have decided to do their part in making the alleys as clean as possible, and this has had a marked effect in the improvement of the business section of the city, but there are several alleys in the residence section that are far from what could be desired in the way of a clean, healthful driveway, and the property owners should get busy and see that they are cleaned up. The paving of the alleys in the business section of the city will add to the ease of keeping them cleaned out and all should see that these are kept in first-class shape.

Mrs. Charles O'Malley and little daughter, of Galesburg, Illinois, who have been here visiting at the home of Mrs. O'Malley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Shea, departed yesterday morning for their home.

## GRANT D. FISHER AND MISS RHENE RINKER MARRIED

From Saturday's Daily.

Among the marriage licenses appearing in the Omaha papers is that of Grant D. Fisher and Miss Rhene Rinker, both of this city, who were united in marriage in the metropolis Friday morning. The groom has resided here for a short time, but has made a great many friends during that time. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Rinker and is a young lady esteemed by those who know her.

## DON'T MISS THE MUSICAL COMEDY MONDAY NIGHT

From Saturday's Daily.

The cast composing "The Modern Cinderella" company has been selected with great care by the producers, and the result has been that a cast of more than usual excellence has been secured to present the tuneful offering. Miss Alivette Haynes, the star of the company, is one of the most winsome little ladies on the musical comedy stage today, and her great uccesses in "Peggy From Paris" and "Just One Girl" have been repeated in the alluring offering of "The Modern Cinderella." The lyrics and music of the musical comedy are most pleasing and in all cities where they have appeared there has been left behind a feeling that the show was all that was claimed for it. There are seventeen voices in the ensemble of the company, and every one of which is the best that can be secured, and the show as a whole is one that a small town is fortunate in securing. The attraction is staged and managed by the same producers who had "Peg O' My Heart" here last season, and is run on the same high-class lines as a clean, first-class attraction.

## 150,000 ACRES OF DESIRABLE LAND TO BE GIVEN AWAY

From Saturday's Daily.

The government is getting ready to make another great gift of land to homesteaders, and commencing September 25th, it will allot to applicants free homesteads in either 160 or 320-acre tracts. These lands are located in southeastern Wyoming, adjoining the government's North Platte irrigation project. The usual twenty-one months' residence gives a title to these lands which will make an ideal dairy and stock farming proposition. These are buffalo and gramma grass lands that have been withheld by the government from entry until date, although thousands of acres of homestead lands have been taken up and settled in the regions beyond, so that these lands of today are right in the midst of a well settled territory with cities like Scotts Bluff and Cheyenne more or less adjacent. This is not a drawing. Intending homesteaders should be at Torrington, Lingle or Guernsey, Wyo., on the Burlington's North Platte Valley line in time to "spot" out a claim before 9 a. m. September 25th, probably joining automobile parties which will be formed to go out and take possession. The Burlington local agent has in his office information regarding these lands and what to do to secure them.

## COUNTY FARM INMATE TO BE TRIED FOR INSANITY

From Saturday's Daily.

There was filed yesterday with the county board of insanity a complaint against a carpenter named Cook, who claimed Weeping Water as his residence, and who it seems had been raising several varieties of excitement at the county farm west of this city. The man has been working at different places in the county near here and had become apparently rather deranged, and accordingly was brought to the county farm and unloaded on Superintendent Tams to look after. Thursday night the man proceeded to make rest in the sleeping quarters out of the question, and all efforts to quiet him were without avail, and it was decided that it was necessary to appeal to the board of insanity in the hopes that they might procure relief in taking the man away from the farm and lodge him elsewhere where he apparently belonged.

## THE BOARD OF EDUCATION BECOMES A LITTLE EXCITED

Plattsmouth, Sept. 17, 1915.

To the Public:

The article in the Evening Journal on Thursday, September 16th, concerning the condition of the Central building has come to the attention of the board of education, and we hasten to inform the public that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, no such condition exists with reference to the safety of the Central school building. However, in order to allay the feeling of uneasiness occasioned by the article above referred to, the board will take steps at once to secure the services of the state inspector of public buildings to make an inspection of the building, and his report will be published in the Journal.

J. M. Roberts,  
T. H. Pollock,  
F. E. Schlatter,  
John Schulhof,  
E. H. Wescott, Secretary,  
C. A. Marshall, President.

## SOCIAL WORKERS ENTERTAINED BY MRS. C. A. HARVEY

From Saturday's Daily.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Harvey entertained the Social Workers' club and a large number of friends last Wednesday afternoon. An out-door picnic had been planned, but the extreme cool weather and an unexpected visit from J. Pluvius drove the guests inside. The usual business session was held and four new members were added to the membership roll. Sewing and social conversation passed away a most pleasant afternoon. The guests came armed with large baskets filled with all the delicacies that the farm produces. It was a feast fit for a king and all did ample justice to the feed. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey are royal entertainers and make the occasion one to be remembered by all present as the best outing they have enjoyed this season. Club members and guests present were: Mesdames James Mrasek, C. Mockenhaus, Peter Mumm, Charles Manners, Lee Hill, Ed Beins, Lee Fickler, William Gilmour, John Stuart, W. A. Taylor, George Smith, Mark Les, Albert Murray, John Gochenour, C. Gochenour, Sarah Gochenour, Misses Clara Mumm, Nettie Smith, Clara Mockenhaus, Mr. and Mrs. VanHorn and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey.

## CHARLEY GRAVES COMES TO TOWN ON CRUTCHES

From Saturday's Daily.

Charles L. Graves, formerly editor of the Union Ledger, accompanied by his son, Harry E. Graves, of Thurman, Iowa, came up this morning from Union to spend a few hours here with their friends. Charley is compelled to move about on crutches as the result of a slight operation which he underwent a few days ago at the hospital in Lincoln for a small tumor on his hip, but is getting along in fine shape and is feeling much improved, although he is compelled to get on with the crutches for a time. Since selling the Ledger Mr. Graves has been enjoying a much-needed rest, as he has been in the newspaper harness for the past twenty-seven years, and will take the fullest opportunity to enjoy a rest.

## REPORTS OF A VERY SEVERE WINDSTORM AT DAVID CITY

From Saturday's Daily.

Reports were received here last evening from David City, stating that a very severe windstorm had visited that place yesterday afternoon, doing a great deal of damage to business houses, breaking windows by the force of the wind, as well as wrecking a great many roofs which had been exposed to the force of the small tornado. The roller skating rink of Mural Parmele of this city, which is located at David City, was one of the sufferers from the heavy wind, as the canvass top and side were blown down and considerable damage done, but the amount could not be ascertained last night, when Mrs. Q. K. Parmele, who is there visiting her son, called up Mr. Parmele by telephone to inform him of the storm.

Matt Sulser and wife departed this morning on No. 15 for a visit to the Pacific coast and the San Francisco exposition, and en route expect to stop off in Salt Lake City for a short visit. They will be gone several weeks on their outing.

## ANOTHER OLD RESIDENT PASSED AWAY SUNDAY

John Toman, Sr., a Highly Respected Citizen, Passes Away at the Home of His Daughter, Mrs. John Hiber.

Yesterday morning at 3:30 John Toman, sr., one of the old residents of this city, passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Hiber, in the west portion of the city, after an illness of some six weeks' duration, and death was due to a severe attack of pneumonia which followed an operation several weeks ago.

During his long residence here Mr. Toman has been one of the leading members of his nationality and a gentleman of industry and energy, who has added his part to the development of the city, and his death will cause a feeling of the most profound regret among those who knew him best.

John Toman was born in Moravia, Austria, April 28, 1832, and was at the time of his death past 83 years of age. He resided in his native land until 1877, when with his family he came to America and settled at Plattsmouth, where he has since made his home with the exception of a few years spent in South Dakota. Here the family was reared and entered into the life of the community, and Mr. Toman done his part in the gradual upbuilding of the city. He was a member of the Catholic church from childhood, and the funeral services of this good man will be held Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock from the Holy Rosary church in this city, and the interment made in the Catholic cemetery.

To mourn his loss Mr. Toman leaves six sons and two daughter, as the wife had preceded him in death, as follows: Anton Toman, sr., Plattsmouth; Joseph Toman, South Dakota; Frank Toman, Edward Toman, John Toman, Mrs. Anna Hiber, Miss Josie Toman, Plattsmouth, and Julius Toman, Eugene, Oregon.

## REV. ROBT A. CONNELLY WILL NOT ACCEPT CHARGE

Yesterday Rev. Robert A. Conley of Bethany occupied the pulpit at the Christian church and gave two excellent sermons at the morning and evening worship hours, which were very much enjoyed by the members of the congregation, and the impression of the sermons was one of great inspiration to the church. It had been hoped to have Rev. Conley come here as the resident pastor of the Christian church, but he desires to complete his work at the state university to secure his degree of bachelor of arts, and therefore will not be able to locate here this year. The church here is quite anxious to secure a minister and will make efforts to secure one in as short a time as possible.

Sent to State Hospital.

Saturday the county board of insanity took up the case of J. A. Cole, the man who formerly resided near Weeping Water, and who occasioned so much trouble at the county farm last Thursday, when he was taken with one of his violent spells, and after a thorough examination decided that it would be necessary to send him to Lincoln to the state hospital.

Visits Here With Friends.

From Saturday's Daily.  
J. E. Kraeger of Pierce, Colorado, a former Cass county man, arrived last evening from his home in the west to spend a short time with old friends and neighbors. Mr. Kraeger is well pleased with his new location and enjoys very much his new home. That they are successful is shown by the fact that on sixteen acres of alfalfa Mr. Kraeger and son will clear \$60 per acre. While here Mr. Kraeger called at this office and renewed his subscription for another year to the Journal.

Worth Their Weight in Gold.

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John R. Pierson departed this morning for Table Rock, where he will look after his banking interests.

## THE WEEPING WATER CREEK IS NOW ON A RAMPAGE

The Weeping Water creek in the southern part of the county seems to have been on another rampage, as it was out of its banks Saturday south of Union and the whole of the bottoms near the creek were flooded to a considerable extent, and as a result a good deal of damage was done to crops there. A portion of the Missouri Pacific track south of Union was washed out by the flood waters of the creek and it required several hours to get it in shape for the use of the trains, but service is now proceeding as usual. The rains in the southern part of this county and in Otoe county have been quite heavy, and as a result the Weeping Water has had a great quantity of water to carry. It has overflowed several times this season, but the one Saturday seems to have been the worst of the year.

## JOHN R. PIERSON PURCHASES A BANK AT TABLE ROCK

John R. Pierson, who for a number of years has been engaged in the banking business in eastern Nebraska and who has been the owner of the bank at Springfield, in Sarpy county, last week closed out his interests there and purchased a controlling share of the stock in a bank at Table Rock, which he will take charge of at once. He was for a number of years engaged in the banking business at Union, in this county, and has made a success of his different ventures in the banking line, due to his excellent judgment in the lines of finance. The bank which he has secured at Table Rock is one of the leading financial institutions in that section of the state. While the Pierson family are preparing to move to their new home, Mrs. Pierson is enjoying a visit in this city with her mother, Mrs. Mary B. Allison.

## A NUISANCE ON LOWER MAIN STREET THAT SHOULD BE REMOVED

There has been a lurking suspicion that all was not well in a certain locality on lower Main street for some time, as the visitors there were much too frequent to look good, and those residing in that section have been much wrought up over the matter, so that it was reported to the police, and Saturday night two callers seeking admission were warned away with the penalty of having to languish behind the bars of the city jail, and the overseer of the establishment notified that there must be a cessation of the activities and that if it was not looked after that the strong arm of the law would be compelled to see that all concerned were hauled up before the tribunal of justice. The ukase of the police was accepted and peace reigns supreme in that section of the city.

Park Chriswiser and family of Havelock were in the city over Sunday visiting with relatives and friends.

Ratio Taylor and wife of Havelock came in Saturday afternoon to spend a week-end visit here with relatives and friends.

Charles T. Peacock and family motored in from their country home Saturday afternoon and spent a few hours in this city.

Miss Daisy Stanaforth of Havelock arrived Saturday afternoon on No. 2 for a short visit here as the guest of Miss Mable Brown.

John Busche of near Cedar Creek was in the city today for a short time and was a passenger on the early Burlington train for Omaha.

Philip H. Meisinger, jr., was a visitor in Omaha yesterday with his wife at St. Joseph's hospital, going to that city on the early Burlington train.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Schleicher, of Brady, Neb., arrived in this city Saturday for a week's visit at the home of Mrs. Schleicher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller, south of this city. Mr. Schleicher has disposed of his real estate and ranch business at Brady and is now looking for a new location, which will probably be Omaha.

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## ED. EGENBERGER'S FINE BAY HORSE IS STOLEN FROM BARN

Sometimes during last night the barn used by Edward Egenberger on Vine street, near Washington avenue, seems to have been made the scene of the operations of horse thieves, as this morning the bay horse belonging to Mr. Egenberger was found to be missing and all indications point to its having been stolen. The animal was a bay horse, 7 years old, with a heavy mane and tail and a white stripe in forehead and weighed some 1,300 pounds. The horse was shod on all four feet. The loss of the horse was reported to Sheriff Quinton, who at once got busy and sent notifications of the missing animal to the authorities of the counties and cities in this part of the state in an effort to locate the missing animal, and a reward of \$50 is offered for information leading to its recovery.

The horse was located this morning about 11 o'clock at the residence of Clarence Stenner on West Oak street, on the cemetery road, and was found by Mr. Stenner in his corral, and not known where the animal had come from, he tied it up to await some word as to the owner. Shortly after this Max Fritchmeyer, in company with Henry Hilbert, were driving home, and seeing the horse recognized it as the property of Mr. Egenberger and it was at once brought in and turned over to the owner. The horse was found with its bridle still on and was perhaps ridden onto a short distance and abandoned, and thence wandered into the corral of Mr. Stenner, where it was peacefully grazing when found.

L. H. Puls, the Murray auto man, was a passenger this morning for Omaha to spend a few hours looking after some matters of business, motoring up from his home and catching the early Burlington train.

Miss Mary E. Foster came up this morning from her home at Union and departed on the early Burlington train for Omaha, from where she goes to Pender and Wayne, to look after some work in the educational line.

Jesse Homan and daughter, Miss Gertrude, of Corning, Iowa, who have been here visiting at the home of G. W. Toman, departed this morning for Glenwood for a short visit with relatives before returning home.

Hugh Norton of Brock, Neb., was here yesterday for a few hours enjoying a visit with his old friends. Mr. Norton was formerly Missouri Pacific agent in this city, and is at present holding the same position at Brock.

William Winslow and wife of Beaver City, Neb., who have been visiting at the S. O. Cole and W. D. Wheeler homes, south of this city, departed this morning for their home and were accompanied as far as Omaha by Miss Lizzie Wheeler.



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## MRS. ED EGENBERGER Dying Nicely at Hospital

From Saturday's Daily.

Yesterday afternoon at the Clarkson hospital in Omaha Mrs. Edward Egenberger underwent an operation for a small growth which had appeared on her neck and caused her considerable pain and annoyance for the past few weeks. The operation was pronounced as entirely successful and it is thought that in a short time she will be able to return home. This is most pleasing to the many friends of this worthy lady and all are anxiously awaiting the time when she will be able to return to this city.

Grapes!

Grapes are ripe now and ready for making wine, and I can supply all you want at 2c per pound.

J. C. Peterson.

Henry Heebner, manager of the elevator at Cedar Creek, was in the city Saturday for a short time, en route to Murray and Nehawka for an over Sunday visit with relatives.

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