

DEATH OF YOUNG MAN WELL KNOWN IN PLATTSMOUTH

From Tuesday's Daily.

Friends in this city have received notification of the death at Prairie Grove, Ark., of Ellis Graham, a young man well known in this city, where he has visited quite often. The death of Mr. Graham occurred on Monday last after a short illness from heart trouble which followed an attack of Bright's disease. Mr. Graham was reared to manhood in Havoclock and was married there to Miss Goldie Messersmith, a niece of Mrs. William McCauley, W. D. Messersmith and Mrs. Homer McKay of this city. He worked in that city for a number of years and then moved to Chicago, where he and Charles Peterson, Jr., were interested for a few years in an automobile garage. Mr. Graham had disposed of his business interests in Chicago and made the trip overland from that city to the home of his parents in Prairie Grove, and has since been staying there. He was twenty-seven years of age at the time of his death, and leaves a wife and little six-months-old daughter to mourn his death as well as the parents.

The friends here were deeply grieved to learn of his untimely death and will share with the family the sense of grief over the death of this splendid young man.

MONEY MADE ON WHAT WAS THOUGHT WASTE

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The Olson Photo company of this city have realized a very neat sum in the last few months from what was heretofore a sheer waste and loss to the company and this has been the waste from the unexposed portions of kodak film. This portion of the film has more or less of the nitrate of silver on it and there has in the past been no attempt to save this and Mr. Olson and his associates decided that it was time to check this waste. The nitrate was changed into a sediment by chemical process and this has been saved by the Olson company with the result that since December they have realized \$2000 from the sale of the waste to the smelter. This shows the kind of methods that is rapidly turning the Olson company into one of the most successful institutions of its kind in the United States and with the great amount of film developing carried on by this firm it is easy to see that the amount realized from the sale of the waste from the developing is constantly growing.

The Olson company have their plant operating along the latest and most improved business methods and the care and attention given the business has brought them to the front.

BOY TRAMPS TAKEN IN BY AUTHORITIES

From Tuesday's Daily.

The two boys that were brought in by the sheriff yesterday seem to have been stringing the authorities with their wild tale of being lured from their home. Sheriff Quinton called up the authorities at Auburn and learned a few facts in regard to the one boy, Gilbert Jerguson, who claimed his home at Auburn. It would seem that this boy has been away from home for the past year, having run away to Colorado and has not been in Auburn since that time. The family have moved away from Auburn and the sheriff will attempt to locate them, and inform them of the fact of the lad being here. It is thought that the second boy, Elmer Terry of Omaha, has been induced by Jerguson to run away from his home in the metropolis and embark on a tramping tour. The sheriff will hold the boys until it is decided what is best to do with them.

PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL OF MRS. LANNING

From Tuesday's Daily.

A petition has been filed in the county court by John Thomas Lanning of Lincoln, asking for the probate of the last will and testament of his mother, Mrs. Callista Ann Lanning, of Eagle, who died at Lincoln, on July 19. The will names Mrs. Grace Bell Christopherson, a daughter, as executrix of the estate and the petition prays that she may be granted papers of administration. The estate consists of real estate in Eagle and personal property.

Sales bills gone quickly at the Journal.

RUNNING AUTO WITHOUT BACK AND HEAD LIGHTS LIT

From Tuesday's Daily.

A number of the residents in the north part of the city have been making complaint of the fact that automobiles running along Vine street and North Sixth street are frequently driven without tail or front lights lit up after dark and in a few cases it has been noted that there were no lights lit at all on the machines. This is a clear violation of the law and automobile owners should take it upon themselves to see that the law in this respect is complied with and the lights kept lit as a matter of their own safety as it is one of the easiest ways in the world to have a very serious accident through the lack of lights. Such carelessness as this is responsible for a great many of the automobile accidents that occur every day all over the country and a little foresight in time may save a great deal of grief and trouble for the drivers of the automobiles.

BROTHER INJURED IN ACCIDENT NEAR GRETNA

From Tuesday's Daily.

Warren Tulene and wife and Alvin Jones and wife of this city were called to Omaha last evening by a message announcing that Albert Rouse, a brother of Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Tulene, had been seriously injured in an accident near Gretna and was being brought to Omaha for treatment at the St. Joseph hospital. On receipt of the message the two families at once motored to Omaha. Mr. Rouse was found to be in very serious condition with his right arm nearly torn from the socket and some fifteen long and serious cuts on the legs and body and it was feared internal injuries. The accident was caused by the explosion of a boiler on a threshing outfit which was working on the farm of H. C. Riffal and resulted in the death of P. H. Meila, a neighbor, who was assisting in the threshing as well as seriously injuring two others beside Mr. Rouse.

The boiler blew up without warning, and the flying pieces of the machine scattered over a large area and inflicted the wounds of the injured men. A large section of the boiler struck Mr. Rouse and almost tore the arm off of his body and smaller pieces inflicted severe lacerations. He was thrown over sixty feet by the force of the explosion and when picked up was bleeding and in very serious condition. He was hurried to Omaha where the injuries were treated and an examination made as to internal injuries but none could be found. At the hospital today Mr. Rouse had regained consciousness and was able to recognize the members of the family but the intentions are very doubtful as to his recovery.

MARRIAGE OF MILDRED BRITTAIRN AND WM. DEWOLF

From Tuesday's Daily.

Yesterday afternoon at 4:30 the cozy home of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Brittain on Lincoln avenue was the scene of a very pretty home wedding when their daughter, Miss Mildred was united in wedlock to Mr. William DeWolf. The wedding ceremony was performed by the grandfather of the bride, Judge M. Archer, who in a solemn and impressive manner pronounced the words that made these two happy hearts as one. Following the ceremony the relatives and members of the bridal party were entertained at luncheon. The wedding was very simple and attended by only the members of the families of the contracting parties.

Both the bride and groom are well known in this city where the bride was born and reared to womanhood and as a young lady of more than usual charm and held in the highest esteem by all those who have the pleasure of her acquaintance. The groom has made his home here for the past year and formerly resided at Weeping Water where as in this city he possesses a large circle of friends who will extend their best wishes to him on his new found happiness and trust the years may bring all the happiness in the world to the newly weds. The young people will make their home in this city for the present at least.

F. J. Hennings and son, Albert and daughter, Miss Helen motored in this afternoon from their home in Eight Mile Grove precinct to spend a few hours looking after some trading with the merchants.

LETTER FROM AN OLD COMRADE

He Refers to Those Old Citizens Dead and Living and Our "Home Coming" Festival

Lincoln, Neb., July 31, 1916.

To the Editor of the Journal:

By permission of the use of space in your valuable paper we wish to reply to a letter just received from one of your most valuable and influential citizens, a close friend of mine for many years, as we walked together heart and hand in church, Sunday school and politics and all the social and moral walks of life during our sojourn of eighteen years as a humble citizen of Plattsmouth. Holding our name in secret unless the editor divulges it to avoid trouble, the letter referred to is one in reply to a letter written to my friend last December, (just before Christmas). We requested in our letter that my friend read the letter publicly before the Sunday school to remind them that we held them near and dear in memory of our social and religious labors together. My friend does not say whether he did that or not, but says that the letter has remained on his desk ever since it was received reminding him of his duties, but daily tasks were so pressing that it has taken seven months to get a nick of time in which to answer. We wish to note that we have written to other Plattsmouth friends who have not been on time to answer, some of them three and four years since an old comrade wrote them. But the Journal has never turned us down to our knowledge. Our friend, make note of some of the old associates who are growing old and feeble and seldom leave their home. Father T. S. C. Dabb and wife are noted among the feeble. A good report of church and Sunday school work comes to us. The latter keyed up to high G and with an ideal pastor. This is all cheering news to us.

But we read between the lines the motive that led him to reply to our Christmas letter was to invite us to the Plattsmouth Home Coming, setting August 21st to September 4th as the dates and inviting us and everybody who will attend, an opportunity to see all the old settlers and everybody else. It has by mistake bit off a big chunk more than he can chew. Notwithstanding he has had many years of mercantile experience he cannot deliver the goods as he has stated in his letter. It would require a miracle that would overshadow the miracles wrought by the prophets of old. Let our good friend sit up and take notice of what he cannot do (it might be possible in a picture gallery, to reproduce a fac-simile but not probably). If the editor will forbear we will call to mind the names of some of our early Plattsmouth associates with whom we mingled and whose faces we shall know when we meet on the other shore, if so be our good fortune to meet again. They have passed to the Great Beyond and moved away to other localities: The editor's list, MacMurphy of the Nebraska Herald and McDonough of the Watchman, who boosted Plattsmouth to the dead line; they were men of letters and made their mark. Dr. Livingston, Dr. Black, F. S. and W. J. White, Captain L. D. Bennett, D. Hawksworth, A. E. Todd, Captain Marshall, J. M. Patterson, C. H. Parmelee, Jas. Hodgert, Thomas Pollock, George W. Kinser, M. W. Morgan, Captain H. E. Palmer, Rev. J. T. Baird, William Hayes, William Foxwell, Peter Merges, J. S. Wendell, the Halls, Wendell, Wynn, Pojsall, Duke, Leach, Murphy, Tutt, Sherman, Eickenberry, Spurlock, Robbins, Brantner, Jeans, Sullivan, Straight, Atwood, Richey, Holmes, Walker, Waugh, Chapman, Schildknecht, Johnson, Bates, Smith, Mapes, Valley, Davis, McMaken, Pottinger, Fitzgerald, Stadelmann, Simpson, Gault, Wintersteen, Schulhoff and others whose names we cannot recall at this time. A list of pastors and Sunday school workers from Blackburn down to 1906, since which time we have not been in close touch with Plattsmouth would be a pleasing feature of the Home Coming. If our friend could stage a moving picture of the old residents surviving and who will be present at the Home Coming, it would be a matchless drawing card, and would dramatize in life size the men who made the early history of Plattsmouth and Cass county.

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AMPUTATION OF LIMB BECOMES NECESSARY

From Tuesday's Daily.

A message was received here last evening by the relatives announcing that it had been found necessary to amputate one of the lower limbs of Mrs. Henry Speck at the hospital in Columbus where she has been for the last few weeks. Blood poison has set in on the limb and in the very serious condition of the patient it was found necessary to amputate to save the life of Mrs. Speck. She has been very ill for some weeks and was operated on some time ago for appendicitis and her condition has been very serious since that time caused by the complications of the case. Her friends will regret greatly to learn of her serious condition and trust that she may recover from the ordeal.

ARRANGING STRONG PROGRAM FOR THE COMING INSTITUTE

From Wednesday's Daily.

The annual teachers' institute of Cass county will be held in Plattsmouth on the week commencing August 28th and the teachers of the county are looking forward with much pleasure to the gathering. County Superintendent Miss Edna Marquardt is arranging an exceptionally strong program for the institute and this will include special features in the way of lectures by the eminent educators of the county and state. The county institute has been developed into one of the most valuable aids in maintaining the high standard of our country schools, and Miss Marquardt has been very successful in her institute work in this county and the meetings have been attended by practically every teacher in the county. The lectures have brought to the attention of the teachers the latest features of educational life, for the training of the boys and girls of the community and their discussions of the problems of school work has been most enlightening and beneficial. The location of the institute was left to a vote of the teachers of the county and as a result Plattsmouth was selected by a very large majority.

The institute this year will be held during the "Home Coming" week and furnish a special feature for the benefit of the charming teaching force of the county, and the attendance at the institute promises to be a record breaker. The program of the event will be announced later by the superintendent.

DEPARTS FOR CHICAGO

From Wednesday's Daily.

Last evening Mr. E. Malec, instructor in physical culture for the Kato-linsky Sokol turning society, departed for Chicago, after a short stay in this city, organizing the classes of the local society preparatory to their entering the national tournament in Milwaukee in September. The boys' class of the society are busy arranging for the big event and a large class will be sent to take part in the big show in Milwaukee and probably a class of ladies will also go to the tournament. Mr. Malec is traveling through the west organizing the different classes.

CHAS. HAGER TO RENT ROCKWELL BUILDING FOR BAKERY

From Tuesday's Daily.

C. L. Heger, the baker, has rented the store room in the Rockwood building that was formerly used by the J. L. Barton Hardware store as a sales room for agricultural implements, and he will move his bakery from the Coates block into the new location. The room is being fitted up in first-class shape and will make a very neat and handsome room when it is completed and ready for the occupancy of the new owner. Mr. Heger is a veteran baker and has been very successful in the sale of his popular brands of fresh wholesome bread, cakes and pies, and feels that he will have a first class place to operate in the future.

RAIN IS QUITE PLENTIFUL

From Wednesday's Daily.

Last night or early this morning the locality near Cedar Creek and Louisville was visited by a very generous rain that aided greatly in helping out the growing crops. The last few days' rain has been worth millions to eastern Nebraska. Today the weather is warming up considerably and the corn and grass showing much growing strength.

The people are wise who buy stationery at the Journal.

J. H. WINTERSTEEN DIES AT HOME IN FREMONT

The following special from Fremont gives the account of the death in that city of James H. Wintersteen, well known throughout the state as a salesman and who in his younger days was a resident of Plattsmouth and a follower of the newspaper craft in which he has been more or less active the greater part of his life.

James H. Wintersteen, Nebraska traveling salesman, died at his home here this evening following a lingering illness. He was a native of Ohio, born September 4, 1856. He came to Nebraska with his parents at the age of fifteen, soon thereafter going to work for the Plattsmouth Herald, where he learned the printer's trade. In 1885 he began traveling for W. T. Seaman of Omaha and later was with the Miller, Gibson & Richardson and other Omaha printing houses. For about twenty years he represented the State Journal company of Lincoln, about six years ago quitting the employ of the Lincoln publishing firm and entering the services of the Standard Bridge company.

At the opening of the Rosebud reservation Mr. Wintersteen secured a homestead and the last three years made his home on the land he drew. An injury received while riding a horse two years ago is believed to have hastened the end.

A wife, two sons, Don of Winner, S. D., and James, jr., and two daughters, Mrs. Walter Christensen and Paedence of Fremont, survive.

LITTLE DAUGHTER OF MR. AND MRS. ROBERT RICHTER HAS A BROKEN ARM

This morning, Nellie, the 11-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Richter, was brought in from the farm of Welsey Hill, near Rock Bluffs, where she has been visiting, suffering from a broken arm. The little girl was engaged with a number of platmates in searching for bird nests and in doing so had climbed into a tree to reach one of the nests and getting out on a decayed limb it broke with her and caused her to fall to the ground several feet below and fractured the right forearm. The little girl was brought in to her home and taken to the office of Dr. E. W. Cook where the injured arm was dressed and the patient made as comfortable as possible under the circumstances.

MAYOR AND COUNCIL GO TO FALLS CITY

The members of the city council and Mayor John P. Sattler this morning motored down to Falls City where they will examine the paving recently put in there and see the different varieties of brick used and particularly the three inch wire cut brick that had been recommended by the streets, alleys and bridges committee for use on the Washington avenue paving job. The members of the council are anxious to become familiar with the different kinds of bricks used in paving and their wearing qualities in order to act intelligently on the letting of the paving contract so that the city can receive the best possible value for their money, no matter to whom the contract is let. The trip was made by automobile and will give the councilman a splendid opportunity of viewing the work both at Falls City and Auburn.

Y. M. C. A. EDUCATIONAL WORK.

C. J. Shaw, educational secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of Omaha was in this city today arranging for the presentation of the educational features of the work that is being undertaken by the Omaha organization. The display of the work giving an outline of the studies appears elsewhere in this issue and information can be secured of C. A. Rawls or E. H. Westcott, the local representatives of the association.

FILES SUIT FOR DIVORCE

A suit for divorce entitled May M. Mairs against Josiah Mairs has been filed in the district court. In her petition the plaintiff alleges that they were married at Lincoln, Neb., June 6, 1894, and for the past two years or more have resided at Elmwood. The plaintiff asks that the custody of a minor daughter be granted to her, and that a decree of divorce be given her. William DelesDernier of Elmwood appears as the attorney for the plaintiff.

Saturday Snaps

Men and boys, here are "snaps" and every Saturday in August we will furnish interest-impelling snaps just as snappy as these.

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STRANGER BECOMES QUITE ILL

This morning a man giving his name as James Smith, and his home as Orleans, Neb., was taken quite sick down town as the result as he states of having eaten a can of salmon last evening and which seems to have developed into a case of potato poisoning. The man suffered a great deal of pain and the city physician, Dr. P. J. Flynn was summoned to look after the case. The man was taken to the city jail where he could rest and be cared for properly until the treatment could give him relief. Smith has been living in the vicinity of Rock Bluffs and was cooking for a granding camp for a time.

ANNOUNCES BIRTH OF SON

The news has been received in this city by relatives of the birth to Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Britt, at St. Joseph, Mo., on June 30, of a fine little son. This will be most pleasing news to the many old friends of the family in this city and they will extend to the happy parents their warmest congratulations. Mr. Britt is Burlington storekeeper at St. Joseph and a former resident of this city.

MOTOR OUT TO LOUISVILLE

Mike Tritsch, democratic candidate for county treasurer, County Clerk Frank Libershal, P. E. Ruffner, candidate for county assessor and John Nemetz, candidate for clerk of the district court, motored out to Louisville this morning where the boys attended a meeting of the democratic county central committee which was in session there today.

ENTERTAIN IN HONOR OF VISITING GUEST

From Wednesday's Daily.

Misses Catherine Shopp and Helen Roberts very pleasantly entertained a company of young folks last evening, at the Roberts home on High School hill, last evening, in honor of Miss Katie Whittaker of Lincoln, who is visiting these young ladies and her numerous other friends in this city for a few days. For the entertainment of their guests the hostesses had planned various games, which were entered into with much enthusiasm and merriment and afforded them much pleasure. At a suitable time dainty refreshments were served.

LAD RETURNED TO OMAHA

From Wednesday's Daily.

This morning Elmer Terry, the young lad from Omaha, who has been kept here by Sheriff C. D. Quinton for a few days until the authorities at that city could get in touch with his parents, was shipped back to Omaha by the sheriff and restored to his parents. The boy did not seem in the least homesick and greatly enjoyed his stay here where he received mighty good treatment from everyone. The other boy has not been called for as yet and the authorities are busy trying to locate his parents.

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