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LIGHT BEARERS FINISH STUDY TRIP OF WORLD

The Light Bearers of the Presbyterian church, who have just completed their trip around the world study book, held a travel party Saturday afternoon at the manse. The members had been asked to bring a friend along, so the house was well filled with the merry crowd. A short business session was held and arrangements made to hold a candy sale in connection with the doll bazaar the Q. Z. society will hold Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. The rest of the afternoon was devoted to games, all of which pertained to traveling. The one that provoked the most merriment was the suitcase packing contest. The hostess had planned refreshments that delight children. The boys of the society did the serving. When the darkness began to come on the children were loath to leave. Just before departing Mrs. McClusky, their leader, announced that Emma Wohlfarth had won the largest number of merit beads during the year, and she was awarded the prize, a beautiful cup and saucer, which will often remind her of the duties performed for the Light Bearers' society. The next meeting will be the annual election of officers.

Cough Medicine for Children.

Mrs. Hugh Cook, Scottsville, N. Y., says: "About five years ago when we were living in Garbutt, N. Y., I doctored two of my children suffering from colds with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and found it just as representative in every way. It promptly checked their coughing and cured their colds quicker than anything I ever used." Obtainable everywhere.

SAMUEL G. PORTER OF DENVER VISITING HERE

Samuel G. Porter, of Denver, a former Plattsmouth citizen, was in the city over Sunday visiting with his cousin, Lee C. Sharp and family and looking over the once familiar scenes in the old home. Mr. Porter was a resident here in the early seventies and spent his boyhood days in the old town which he still regards with much affection although it has been forty years since he left here for the west. The changes in the city were remarked upon by Mr. Porter as well as the fact that there is not a great many of the old residents whom he knew that are left and but few of the old playmates remaining here although he was able to meet several with whom he spent his school days. Mr. Porter and Mr. Sharp departed for Omaha this morning where they will look over the sights of the great metropolis of Nebraska.

FORMER PLATTSMOUTH BOY DIED RECENTLY IN CHICAGO

Mrs. T. R. Adams returned home Saturday from Chicago, where she was called by the death of her son, Frank E. Lonsdale, who died very suddenly on the morning of November 17th, of double pneumonia and was only sick a few days. He was a son of the late Frank M. Lonsdale, of Plattsmouth and was about 40 years of age. He leaves a wife but no children. His funeral was Sunday afternoon, the 19th from his late home, and the beautiful Episcopal service was read, after which the Woodmen took charge, in whose lodge he had been a member for some years. —Eagle Beacon.

Mr. Lonsdale will be remembered by a number of the older residents of the city who were here at the time the Lonsdale family made their home in this city. The friends throughout the county of Mrs. Adams will extend to her their sympathy in the loss that has been visited upon her.

RICHARDSON COUNTY SUPERVISORS WILL FIGHT FOR JOBS

Falls City, Neb., Dec. 8.—There is a disposition on the part of the members of the county board of supervisors of this county to resist being automatically retired on the first of the year to make way for a board of county commissioners, which shall be appointed to succeed them. They have employed counsel and will, it is said, test the constitutionality of the law by which they are to be displaced.

At the recent election the voters of the county, by a very narrow margin only of those voting on the question, decided to discontinue township organization as a form of county government and revert to the commissioner system. A petition asking that the question be submitted was filed very late in the campaign and little or no discussion was had and but few voted either for or against the change, and 2,132 of the voters did not express themselves either way on the matter. It is contended that the law which allows a minority to effect such a change in the management of county affairs must be unconstitutional.

TRINER'S GOLDEN CALENDAR.

Triner's Wall Calendar for 1817 is a treat for eye and mind. Upon a golden background rises the majestic figure of Columbia with nine beauties in charming national costumes. Washington's portrait and five views (Rhine, Italian vineyard, Triner's laboratory and two interiors) complete the beautiful picture. Send 10 cents to cover the mailing expenses. Jos. Triner, Manufacturer of American Elixir of Bitter Wine, 1333-1339 S. Ashland Ave., Chicago, Ill. 11-23-3twkly

BOX SOCIAL IN DISTRICT 30.

There will be a box social given at the Cullom school house in School District 30, on Saturday evening, December 16. Everybody invited. Ethel Seybert, Teacher.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Medicine was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Medicine is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. All Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

MURSHELL IS MENTIONED AS FOOD COMMISSIONER

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 10.—Rumor at the state house is that Otto J. Murshell of Ord may become the food commissioner under the Neville administration. Mr. Murshell is a member of the fire commission staff at the present time and is well known in his section of the state.

The possible appointee to this place was county clerk in Valley county and was mayor of Ord for three terms. He is an active democrat.

L. F. Langhorst, state chairman, who was mentioned as a candidate for this position, is said to have wanted only to help out the Neville administration. He would have to sacrifice his business interest, in a measure, if he came to the new administration and that, his friends here say, he would not care to do.

Besides Mr. Langhorst was not a candidate for the place in the usual meaning of that term. He was anxious only to serve his party by helping the Neville administration make good.

"THE BOHEMIAN GIRL," SATURDAY EVENING

Michael William Balle's romantic opera, "The Bohemian Girl," was for many years the foremost favorite in the repertoire of the best opera companies of Europe and America. It has gathered additional popularity during the past six years through the most elaborate presentation that has ever been given to this work by the Aborn Opera company, which will present it at the Parme theater next Saturday night. Among the compositions presented under the general head of standard opera, there is not another that has endured as this classic, which has been established for all time in the realm of music as Shakespeare's works have been in the drama. The gems of this masterpiece, such as "The Heart Bowed Down," "I Dreamed I Dwelt in Marble Hall," "Then You'll Remember Me," "The Fair Land of Poland," "Bliss Forever Past," and others, are the kind that do not lose, but rather increase their hold upon the popular affections by repetition, while its story is most romantic, colorful and full of dramatic interest.

THE GRAND ARMY POST HAS ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Saturday afternoon the members of the Grand Army of the Republic assembled at their rooms in the court house and held a very interesting business session. The charter of the post was draped in mourning in memory of two of the departed comrades, J. W. Thomas and A. J. McKinney, who have been called away in the past month by death. One of the chief matters to demand the attention of the post was the election of their officers for the ensuing year and the following were chosen:

Commander—W. H. Freese.
Senior Vice Commander—Asbury Jenks.
Junior Vice Commander—Justus Lillie.
Chaplain—Thomas Wiles.
Quartermaster—T. W. Glenn.
Officer of the Day—W. S. Porter.
Officer of the Guard—August Tartsch.
Adjutant—R. B. Windham.
The installation will be held the first meeting in January, at the court house.

LODGE NO. 8, A. O. U. W., HAVE ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The members of lodge No. 8, A. O. U. W. at their meeting held at the lodge rooms on Friday evening last elected the officers for the ensuing year to guide the destinies of the lodge. Those who were selected were:

Past Master Workman—William Heinrich.
Master Workman—E. G. Ofc.
Overseer—W. H. Ofc.
Recorder and Financier—D. B. Ebersole.
Guide—Harry Johnson.
Inner Guard—Albert Schuldice.
Outer Guard—Edward Grybsky.
Trustees—George Dodge, D. B. Ebersole, W. H. Ofc.

Nervous Women.

When the nervousness is caused by constipation, as is often the case, you will get quick relief by taking Chamberlain's Tablets. These tablets also improve the digestion. Obtainable everywhere.

FAMILY GATHERING AT THE RUFFNER HOME

The home of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Ruffner was the scene of a very pleasant family gathering yesterday as their eldest son, W. H. Ruffner and wife of North Yakima, Wash., was present to spend the day with them, as well as Sperry Ruffner, another son, of Omaha, and Mrs. E. A. Kirkpatrick of Nehawka, a sister of Mrs. Ruffner. This is the first time in several years that W. J. Ruffner and wife have been in the city and the event was one that was thoroughly appreciated by the entire family circle. During the afternoon an auto trip was taken over the city and the many new homes and improvements noted, and the visitors were very much impressed with the growth of the city and the many new residences that have been placed since they were here last. Mr. and Mrs. Ruffner departed last evening for their home in the west.

REAL OLD WINTER WEATHER RIGHT AT OUR DOORWAY

The cool breezes that sprang up last evening brought with them a very unpleasant reminder that real old winter is at our door and that this section of the west can look for a storm and cold wave most any time now, as it is long past due. The temperature was not so severe as it stood at 12 above zero at 7 o'clock this morning, but the wind with its intensity made everyone shiver, and the householder was kept busy shoveling coal into the furnace to keep warm. A very light snow fell during the night, but hardly enough to be very apparent. The weather indications are that the cold spell is just starting and that zero will be passed tonight all over the state.

THE STORK VISITS THE HOME OF MR. AND MRS. GODWIN

Early this morning the stork made a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Godwin and left a fine little son for Mrs. Harry Buffington, formerly Miss Ruth Godwin, and who has been expecting a few weeks here with her parents, from her home at Ewing, S. D. The occasion was one of much pleasure and the grandparents are feeling very happy over the new grandson. The mother and little one are both doing nicely and the friends of the family will extend their best wishes on the happy event.

DEATH OF WM. THOMAS.

From Friday's Daily. News of the death of William M. Thomas on Tuesday morning, December 5, was received with surprise and profound regret by the people of Louisville. Mr. Thomas was teaching school near Wauwata, Neb., and succumbed to a sudden attack of pleurisy and pneumonia.

William Thomas was born October 9, 1857, and came to Louisville more than twenty years ago from Illinois. He leaves a wife and five children. He led a straight, upright, Christian life and had many friends who will regret to learn of his death. He was a charter member of River View camp, No. 1071 M. W. A., in which he carried \$3,000 insurance which was left to his wife. Arrangements for the funeral had not been made up to the hour of going to press. The remains arrived from Wauwata Thursday morning.—Louisville Courier.

KILLS EAGLE.

Howard Taylor, while out hunting Sunday saw in the heavens something that resembled an airship in size to him, but seemed to be without the purr of the motor. He took a shot at it, and when it came to earth the recipient of a charge of lead, he was surprised to find what he had brought down. He brought it to town and it is claimed to be a species of the big gray eagles that at one time were so plentiful in Nebraska. We did not measure the bird but it looks to be between six and seven feet from tip to tip. These birds are very scarce in these parts at the present time, but the mountains still have a goodly supply.—Union Ledger.

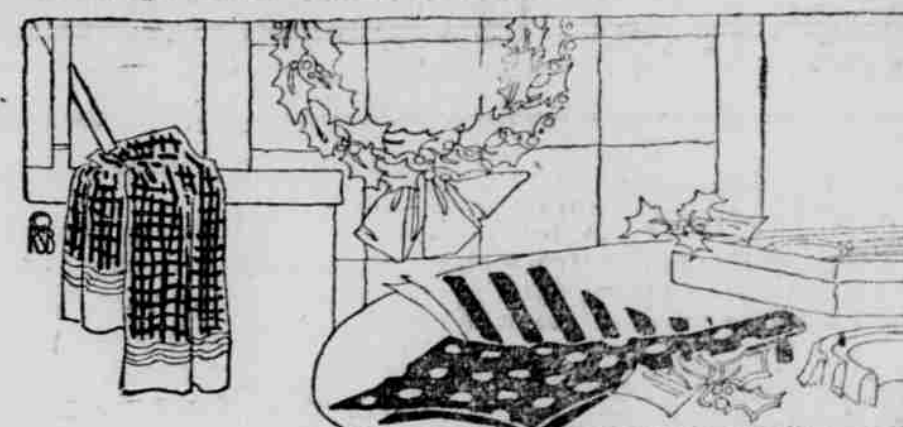
SHOOTING MATCH.

There will be a shooting match at Murray, Neb., Wednesday, December 20, for turkeys, geese and ducks. Blue rock and target rifle shooting. All shooters are cordially invited to attend this event. Campbell & Shrader.

Dr. L. B. Bacon of Pacific Junction was in the city today for a short time.

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-W. E. ROSENGRANS-

FUNERAL OF AMOS KISER.

The funeral of Amos Kiser occurred last Friday afternoon from the Christian church, and was largely attended by the people of Louisville and vicinity, as well as by a number of out-of-town relatives and friends. Rev. A. E. Wachtel, pastor of the M. E. church conducted the services. Five brothers and one nephew of the deceased were pall bearers, four other brothers being unable to come. The floral offerings were beautiful, testifying to the esteem and affection felt for the departed. Interment was in the view cemetery.—Louisville Courier.

Milk in Winter.

Why do your cows give less milk in winter than they do in summer? Just because nature does not supply them with grasses and green food. But we have come to the assistance of Dame Nature with B. A. Thomas' Stock Remedy which contains the very ingredients that the green feed supplies in season, only, of course, in a more highly concentrated form. We guarantee that this remedy will make your cows give more milk, and better milk with the same feed.

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An old question to be sure, at holiday time. But not so hard to answer. Make it a practical gift—something useful. Send him something he can make do him service and you've struck the keynote of successful Christmas giving.

Selection is easy where variety is large—but our advice is to do your holiday shopping early, as its only two weeks to Xmas, and some lines will soon be broken, and we will be unable to duplicate or fill in, on account of the scarcity of good dependable merchandise—so do not put it off—come in today.

After the 12th this store will be open evenings until after Christmas.

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