

## THE PASSING OF ANOTHER PIONEER

B. S. Hathaway, Well Known Resident of Liberty Precinct, Died Suddenly Sunday Afternoon at Union.

Yesterday afternoon B. S. Hathaway, one of the best known residents of Liberty precinct passed away very suddenly at Union where he has been making his home. The death of Mr. Hathaway came as quite a shock to his friends and relatives in its suddenness. He has not been feeling in the best of health for the past few days, but yesterday left the Union hotel where he was boarding to take a short stroll, and stopped at the barber shop to visit with his friends and enjoy a short chat with them. Mr. Hathaway had seated himself in one of the chairs and had been there only a few minutes when he was taken suddenly sick and complained of suffering great pain. The friends assisted him to a couch where he was placed, but in less than five minutes he died, suffering from a sudden attack of heart trouble. Medical assistance was summoned but before it reached him he was beyond the need of mortal aid. Mr. Hathaway has resided in the vicinity of Union for a great many years, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abram Hathaway, coming to that section of Cass county in pioneer days and pre-empting a homestead, and it was in this locality that B. S. Hathaway was reared to manhood and has made his home since. Mr. Hathaway was seventy years of age and has led a very active life in farm work that gave him a strong constitution and enabled him to continue his active work up to the time of his death. He possessed a large number of friends who will regret greatly the news of his death and he won a great many warm friends by his pleasant and genial manner and affable treatment of those he met. He leaves to mourn his death three brothers, A. D., S. C. and George Hathaway all residing in the vicinity of Union.

The funeral arrangements have not been completed as yet but will probably be held at Union and the burial held at the cemetery near that city where the other members of the family are sleeping at rest. Mr. Hathaway was never married and leaves only the brothers in his immediate family, the parents having passed away a number of years ago.

## FAREWELL PARTY TENDERED TO MR. AND MRS. LEE

About 8 o'clock Saturday evening, friends and neighbors armed with well filled lunch baskets, gathered at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lee, west of the city, and tendered them a very pleasant farewell surprise. The evening was most delightfully spent in various games and music, and a splendid reading was given by Grace Schultz, which was enjoyed by all. At a suitable hour a delicious luncheon was served, to which all did ample justice. It was long past the midnight hour when this jolly company journeyed homeward, feeling that each had had a jolly good time and wishing the Lees happiness and success in their new home in town. Those present were Mesdames Ed Tritsch, Will Rummel, C. F. Vallery, John P. Meisinger, Will Schultz, Grandmother Rummel, Misses Ella and Ida Tachirren, Adelia Tritsch, Grace Schultz, Louisa Rummel, Gladys Lee, Messrs. Ed Tritsch, Will Rummel, C. F. Vallery, John P. Meisinger, Will Schultz, Victor and Ralph Meisinger, Frederick Schutz and Paul Lee.

### A FINE MOVING VAN.

J. H. McMaken is one of the residents of the city who believes in being prepared to handle the moving and draying business in the most up-to-date manner possible and has accordingly purchased a fine new moving van that is the largest ever brought to this city, and is equipped with a cover, so that in case of storm it will be possible to transport goods without the danger of getting them damaged from the snow or rain. The new wagon will be put into service as soon as possible to assist in handling the business of the company.

### EGGS FOR HATCHING.

Light Brahma eggs, \$1.00 per 15; \$5.00 per 100. Telephone Murray 1124. Mrs. J. W. Stones, Mynard, Neb. 2-19-2m

## W. O. W. MASQUE-RADE BALL SATURDAY A BIG SUCCESS

The masquerade ball given Saturday evening by the Woodmen of the World at the M. W. A. hall on South Sixth street, was one of the largest from the point of attendance of any of the dances given by this organization, and the dance floor was crowded by the large number of handsome costumes which were worn by the dancers, who were entertained by the music furnished by the old-fashioned orchestra. The grand march found a large array of character and comic costumes in line. W. H. Bunch was awarded the first gent's prize, and Mrs. Amelia Everett received the first ladies' prize, while Mrs. R. C. Thomas, as a negro flower girl, was given the second prize. The second men's prize was won by Earl Murray as a cowboy. The members of the Woodmen realized some \$60 as a result of the ball and desire to express their appreciation of the patronage given them by the dancing public.

## MRS. ZUCKER OPENS A MILLINERY STORE IN OMAHA

The friends in this city of Mrs. Victor Zucker will be pleased to learn that she is now located in Omaha where she has opened a modern and first class millinery store at 1616-17 No. 24th street and hereafter the Zucker family will make their home in that city. Mrs. Zucker is making the store one of the most up-to-date in the metropolis and being a lady of exceptional taste will give the ladies of the metropolis an opportunity of enjoying the benefits of a strictly modern store of this nature. The Zucker family are quite popular in this city and their friends will be pleased to learn that they are to locate so near the old home where they can visit with them and enjoy the pleasure of their society.

## MISS OPAL ENGLE ENTERTAINS IN HONOR OF BIRTHDAY

Friday evening at the home of her mother, Mrs. Lottie Engle, on Fifth street Miss Opal Engle entertained a number of her friends in honor of her fourteenth birthday anniversary and who joined in making the event a most delightful one to all those fortunate enough to be present. The guests on their arrival showered the hostess with a large number of very attractive and useful gifts in honor of the event which will be treasured in the years to come. The young people spent the time in games of all kinds until a late hour, when dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. Engle assisted by Mrs. Mollie Hanson, which were much enjoyed and at the homegoing hour all departed wishing the hostess many more such happy events. Those present at the gathering were Misses Clara Johnson, Viola Archer, Florence Hanson, Beatrice and Ray Herrin, George Thomas, Wayne Hudson, LaPue Williams and Willie and Opal Engle.

### When You Have a Cold.

It is when you have a severe cold that you appreciate the good qualities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Mrs. Frank Crocker, Pana, Ill., writes: "Our five-year-old son, Paul, caught a severe cold last winter that settled on his lungs and he had terrible coughing spells. We were greatly worried about him as the medicine we gave him did not help him in the least. A neighbor spoke so highly of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy that I got a bottle of it. The first dose benefited him so much that I continued giving it to him until he was cured."

### HOMES TO RENT.

We will rent you a home of any size from a single room to an 8-room home. Call on us at corner of Locust and Fifth street, or Phone No. 575. F. M. Welshmer & Son. 2-22-tfd

### FOR SALE.

New 6-room cottage, fully modern. Price \$2,500. Incumbrance \$1,500. Will take young stock, horses or cattle for equity. Address Box 57, Plattsmouth, Neb. 4-19-wkly

For Sale—The Sherwood property on Chicago avenue, at reasonable price if taken soon. Inquire of Omaha Realty Co., 520-21 Paxton block, Omaha. 2-19-tfd

## NEBRASKA LEADS U. S. IN POTASH

Alkali Lakes Yield Great Output—Nation's Production Increases Ten Fold.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 22.—A remarkable expansion in the American potash industry has resulted from efforts to make the United States independent of foreign sources for the potash used in munitions and for other purposes, and although the boom did not get under way until late in 1916, production during the calendar year reached a value ten times as great as that of 1915.

The 1916 production is estimated, in a preliminary report published today by the geological survey, at 10,000 tons, with a value of \$3,500,000. The estimate is based on incomplete returns, which to date have accounted for 8,830 tons. In 1917, the report says, with the boom in full swing, a much greater total will be shown.

Of the 8,830 tons reported, 5,750 were produced from mineral and 3,080 from organic sources. Natural salts and brines yielded 3,850 tons; alumite and silicate rocks, 1,900 tons; kelp, 1,110 tons; pearlash, 220 tons, and miscellaneous industrial wastes, 1,750 tons.

"The largest output," the report says, "comes from the Nebraska alkali lakes, but the natural saline deposits elsewhere are now just beginning to make important contributions. The recovery of potash from peadash is an old established industry. A great deal of publicity has attended the efforts to obtain potash from kelp, but a similar organic source of high-grade potash salts has been quietly developed, which has proved more productive. Indeed, the reported production of a single establishment outranked the entire product of potash from kelp plants."

## PLEASANT BIRTHDAY PARTY AT RHODEN HOME

On Saturday evening, February 17th, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Rhoden was the scene of a very pleasant gathering on the occasion of the thirty-first birthday of Mr. Rhoden, and in honor of the event Mrs. Rhoden prepared a very pleasant surprise for her husband by having the neighbors and friends in to spend the evening. The evening was spent in playing games and enjoying a fine social time until an appropriate hour when a delicious repast was served to which all did ample justice. Those in attendance were Messrs and Mesdames J. R. Vallery, T. W. Vallery, G. W. Rhoden, Alie Leonard, Jacob Lohnes, Charles Metz, Leslie Gregory, Tom Tilson, Glen Vallery, Carl Gregory, Fred Beverage, Fred Tigner, Earl Terryberry, Albert Satchell, Mrs. J. R. C. Gregory, G. M. Mark, A. V. Gregory, James Tigner, Alf Beverage, Galien Rhoden, Fred Terryberry, Otho Gregory, Harry Lohnes, John Terryberry, Lloyd Gregory, Charlie Vallery, Daily Wood, Vivis Gregory, Dorris Tilson, Lawrence Leonard, Miss Margary Vallery, Miss Fay Gregory, Miss Ella Lohnes, Miss Elsie Lohnes, Miss Grace Vallery, Miss Helen and Marie Vallery.

### A Hint to the Aged.

If people past sixty years of age could be persuaded to go to bed as soon as they take cold and remain in bed for one or two days, they would recover much more quickly, especially if they take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. There would also be less danger of the cold being followed by any of the more serious diseases.

### Chamberlain's Tablets.

These Tablets are intended especially for disorders of the stomach, liver and bowels. If you are troubled with heartburn, indigestion or constipation they will do you good.

### TIME FOR HARNESS OIL.

We oil your harness for \$1.00 per set, and now is the best time to have it done. Also first-class repairing of all kinds at reasonable prices. Ten per cent discount on horse blankets and robes. John F. Gorder, Plattsmouth, Neb.

Remember the Journal carries the finest line of stationery in town, and can please all in this line of goods.

T. W. Vallery was among the visitors in the city Saturday, driving in to look after the week-end shopping.

## GRANDMA MICK CALLED TO THE GREAT BEYOND

Mrs. J. A. Mick, mother of R. J. and J. A. Mick, Mrs. C. C. Cooper and Mrs. C. C. Price of this city passed away Thursday, February 22nd, at 10:30 a. m. at her home here. She has been in poor health since last spring and during the past eight weeks has been gradually growing weaker. At the time of her death she was 81 years, 4 weeks and 5 days old.

Mrs. Mick has been a resident of Cass county for over 36 years and has resided in Eagle for the past eight years. She was a good Christian lady and had a very kind and loving disposition, and was loved and respected by all who knew her. Her death will be deeply mourned in the community.

Funeral services will be held at the M. E. church in Eagle Sunday, February 25th at 11:30 a. m., conducted by the Rev. A. B. Shepard. Interment will be made in the Alvo cemetery by the side of her husband, who preceded her over two years ago.—Eagle Beacon.

## PREMIER HINTS AT U-BOAT SUCCESS

Says Victory Cannot Come Unless German Submarines Are Swept From the Seas.

London, Feb. 23.—Premier Lloyd-George said in a speech today that the success of the allied cause depended on the ability to solve the tonnage shortage which was now affecting the ordinary needs of the nation and military exigencies. The situation called for the gravest measures.

The premier said there was no sure way to victory without hunting the submarines from the deep.

Enormous sacrifices were necessary from the British public, said Mr. Lloyd-George. He stated the government proposed to dispense with all non-essential importations to tonnage.

Mr. Lloyd-George said that for some time there has been a shortage of tonnage required for the general needs of the nation and even a slight shortage in the tonnage for military purposes. The nation should realize absolutely what the conditions were.

"If we take drastic measures," he continued, "we can cope with the submarine menace, but if the nation is not prepared to accept drastic measures for dealing with the menace, disaster is before us.

"The government is hopeful of finding means of dealing with the submarine, but we should be guilty of folly if we rested tranquilly upon the expectation of the realization of that hope. We have to deal ruthlessly and promptly with the tonnage problem by measures which impose great sacrifices upon the country.

There are three sets of measures: first, by the navy, as described by Sir Edward Carson (first lord of the admiralty); second, the building of merchant ships; third, dispensing with unnecessary commodities from abroad, and production of as much food as possible at home."

## PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will sell at public auction on the W. B. Spence farm, four miles southeast of Cedar Creek, ten miles southwest of Plattsmouth, at 10 o'clock sharp, on Thursday, March 1, the following described property, to-wit:

One span of mules, gray and bay, seven years old, weight 1,000.  
One gray mare, six years old, weight 1,200.  
Three brood sows, five head of shoats.  
One lumber wagon.  
One spring wagon.  
One top buggy, nearly new.  
One sleigh.  
One cultivator.  
One three-section harrow.  
One hay rake.  
One lister.  
One disc.  
One disc sharpener, new.  
One forge.  
One horse clipper.  
Other articles, too numerous to mention.

Terms of Sale—All sums of \$10 and under, cash; on sums over \$10 six to twelve months' time will be given, purchaser giving note with approved security at 8 per cent interest. Property must be settled for before its removal from premises.

H. W. BAUGHMAN, W. R. Young, Auctioneer. F. M. Bestor, Clerk.

## New Authentic Styles in Knox and Stetson

## Hats for Spring!

Just now we're featuring distinctive new shapes and shades that will make an exceptional appeal to the well groomed men, who realize the importance of being among the first to wear the latest styles.

\$3 to \$8 See our windows!

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New ties every week!

## WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS AT THE MANSE

Friday, the Manse of the Presbyterian church was the scene of one of the most interesting and unique meetings of the Woman's Missionary society of the church that has ever been held. The ladies had arranged to spend the entire day in the study of the Presbyterian text book—"A Living Christ for Latin America." A most interesting program had been arranged, this program to begin at 10 o'clock in the morning and close at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, with Mrs. H. G. McClusky as leader. The morning hours were devoted to the study of the first chapter, at which time Mrs. McClusky gave a most excellent talk on the South American continent—or "The Neglected Continent;" "Water Ways" by Mrs. J. M. Roberts; "The Exports" by Mrs. G. L. Paffley; "The Mountains and Plains" by Mrs. C. A. Bawls; The National Resources Mrs. Will Strauch; "Zones and Climate" by Mrs. F. B. Shopp. This closed the morning program and an hour or so was devoted to recreation. At the same time the ladies were treated to a most delicious chicken pie dinner, which they enjoyed to the fullest extent. Early in the afternoon the ladies resumed their study and program, taking up the second chapter. During the course of the afternoon study Miss Gass gave a splendid talk on "The Exploration and Conquest of the South American continent;" Miss Eda Marquardt on the educational conditions existing in South America today; Rev. McClusky "Latin America of Today;" Miss Arnold read a paper on the work being done in the mission fields of South America and Mrs. McClusky read some letters from missionaries working in the mission of this continent.

The ladies enjoyed a short intermission, and then a little program was given by Mrs. McClusky's Sunday School class, assisted by Miss Mairine Hughes which brought out the development of the South American continent from Heathenism to Christianity. This little program was most highly appreciated by those fortunate enough to be present to hear it. The program closed the day's program and about 4 o'clock the ladies dispersed, feeling that they had spent a very profitable as well as delightful day and very much indebted to Mrs. McClusky for her kind hospitality.

### FOR SALE.

Will sell or trade for Cass or Otec county land, an up-to-date General Merchandise stock and building in an eastern Nebraska town. This is a clean, money making, old established business. Best of reasons for selling. Western land sharks need not inquire. Address, Plattsmouth Journal Office.

Mrs. O. H. Nystrom and sister, Miss Seva Johnson, came down Saturday evening from Omaha to enjoy an over Sunday visit in this city with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Johnson and family.

Joseph Lake of Tacamah, Wash., was in the city over Sunday visiting with his old friends, and the occasion of his visit was much enjoyed by his former acquaintances. Mr. Lake was called to Council Bluffs to attend to some matters for the Milwaukee railroad and took advantage of the occasion to visit the old home.

### CHEAP FOR QUICK SALE.

Six acres, all level, deep rich black soil; new 8-room house, some fruit. Leave word at this office. Will be in town tomorrow all day, or call 3212. C. B. Schleicher. 2-25-1td

## DUTCH PRESS IS BITTER IN ATTACK

Declare Sinking of Ships is Greatest Humiliation Since the War.

Continued Relations Between Netherlands and Germany Strained.

Amsterdam, Feb. 25.—Dutch newspapers this afternoon reflected the serious view of the Dutch nation on Germany's sinking of seven of its ships, reported yesterday morning.

"This is our greatest humiliation since the war began," declared the Amsterdam Telegraaf. "We confess we do not longer see how Holland's honor is to be upheld by protests."

"It is difficult to preserve self-control in the face of such acts of war," asserted the Nieuwe Vandenbag. "The sinking of seven ships show the submarine warfare is prosecuted by Germany in a manner absolutely contemptuous to the rights and interests of Holland," declared the Handelsblad. "Certainly America wouldn't tolerate such acts."

The Hague, Feb. 25.—The acuteness of Holland's relations with Germany was emphasized last night by general expressions of indignation at news of the sinking of seven Dutch ships in the German submarine zone.

The tension was accentuated by announcement of the foreign minister that Germany had some time ago tacitly agreed to exempt Dutch ships from attacks up to February 22, "but could not guarantee absolute safety."

The seven ships sunk all went down on February 22. They were the Holland-American liners Zandijk and Noorderdijk, the Rotterdamische-Lloyd liners Jacarta and Menado, and the Fennland, Gaasterland and Bandoeng. The total tonnage represented in the seven ships is over 27,000.

Emphasis was laid tonight on the

fact that four of the ships were not bound for England, but were en route home with cargoes of grain. Two others were en route for the United States. The cargo of the Bandoeng was reported here to be entirely non-contraband.

Stocks on the bourse reflected the general feeling in Holland, dropping off rapidly on receipt of the news.

## BORDER SOLDIER HERE VISITING HIS PARENTS

From Saturday's Daily.

Frank York of Chicago, who has been at the Mexican border as a member of the First Illinois infantry, is in the city to enjoy a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. York and family. Mr. York was employed as a telegrapher at the outbreak of the Mexican trouble, and when his regiment was called to the colors by President Wilson he responded and laid aside the pursuits of peace to take up the work of training as a soldier. For several weeks his regiment was quartered at Springfield, Ill., and then was transported to the border, where he has since that time been serving Uncle Sam. His visit here with the home folks is one that is much enjoyed by every member of the family. Like all of the soldier boys who have been in training on the border, Mr. York is mighty glad to be able to be back home.

### SELLS RESIDENCE PROPERTY.

A. G. Sitzmann has just disposed of his residence property in this city to his brother, Joe Sitzmann and removed to Omaha, where he will make his home in the future. Joe will move into the new place as soon as possible.

Headquarters for pipes. New line just received. Call and see them. Herman Spies.

Offer \$100.00 for your car if stolen, if you are insured by J. W. Holmes.

## Beware of Cheap Blue Serge Suits!

—Price should be a secondary consideration.

### It's Value that Counts!

—We invite you to an inspection of our serges, numbers, 5130 at \$16.50 and 4130 at \$20.00.

—The two popular priced suits have stood the test as to wearing qualities, excelling all other garments of a like cost.

—For Spring and Summer, nothing is so servicable or neat as a blue serge. Suits in our west window are but a sample of those in our cases.

—Kuppenheimer clothes need no introduction. Come in and see how you feel in a Kuppenheimer \$25.00 Blue Serge.



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