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## FIVE CARS DE-RAILED ON THE BURLINGTON

DEFECTIVE DRAW BAR CAUSED SEPARATION OF TRAIN LAST NIGHT, CAUSING WRECK.

## ACCIDENT JUST ACROSS RIVER

Traffic Was Stopped For a Few Hours, Passenger Service All O. K. Now.

From Thursday's Daily.  
Last evening at a little before midnight, while the yard engine from this place was helping train number 73 over the grade on the other side of the river, into this city, a defective drawbar caused the separation of the train, which resulted in the stopping of the forward end of the train, while the rear portion was being pushed by the yard engine, causing the two portions to come together with much force derailing five cars, and wrecking a portion of them. The traffic was stopped for a number of hours, but was cleared away by morning and the passenger trains got through all right this morning. No one was injured in the wreck.

## GO TO CAMP BENJAMIN HARRISON FOR TRAINING

Four Plattsmouth Boys Depart This Evening for Indianapolis to Enter U. S. Service.

From Saturday's Daily.  
This evening over the Burlington will depart four young men of this city to enter service with the armies of the United States, each in a special capacity to which he has been called.  
Henry Lutz departs for the camp to take up the work of air brake inspector while Carl Roessler and Frank Schuldice go as car repair inspectors and Ralph Spahn as a railway fireman. These young men are all fine young fellows and have made good in their respective lines of employment here as we are confident they will do equally as well in their new work. Each has acquired skill in his own particular line and the use of such men by the government saves time in the matter of training unskilled men to fill the positions. In addition the boys will come out of the service a good deal improved through the more extensive knowledge they will be able to gain through enlarged working conditions.

## CHAS. REYNOLDS IN THE ARMY.

From Saturday's Daily.  
Frank Barkus, Mrs. Lester Barkus, of Casper, Wyoming, and Miss Jessie Reynolds, all departed this morning for Omaha, where they go to see Charles Reynolds, who is going from Casper, Wyoming, to Indianapolis, Ind., having enlisted in the engineering corps and goes to the concentration camp there today, being scheduled to pass through Omaha this morning.

## MANY FURLONGS REFUSED

From Saturday's Daily.  
The matter of the application for furloughs for people to leave the training camps, for the purpose of farming during the summer have been made and with almost the same results had come the refusal of the granting of them, as in every case the word comes that the units to which they are attached, has about recompleted the training required, and that they are ready for going forward into service, and are not allowed.

## CARL WURL WAS THE WINNER.

From Saturday's Daily.  
In the contest last evening at the auditorium of the Public Library, there was much interest and enthusiasm manifested in the program, which consisted of eight speakers besides the musical numbers. The contestants were Raymond Bookmeyer, Alice Beckwith, Ethel Paterson, Julia Komanda, Viola Ar-

cher, Charles Hartford, Fern Neill, and Carl Wurl. The addresses were all of excellent character, both as to their composition and rendition. Any one of them was worthy of a prize, but the decision of the judges was that Master Carl Wurl was the winner and as a result he was given the certificate. The board of judges was composed of Judge J. E. Douglas, E. C. Hill and D. C. Morgan. The markings given were Carl Wurl, 94, while second went to Raymond Bookmeyer, 91.

## TO SEE HIM OFF.

From Saturday's Daily.  
J. B. Reynolds was a visitor in Omaha this morning, going up to see his son, Charles, who is departing this evening as an enlisted man in the Engineer corps at Camp Benjamin Harrison, near Indianapolis, Indiana. There he met Mr. and Mrs. Ed Reynolds who were also in Omaha to see Charley depart. Mrs. Reynolds returned on the noon train with her father-in-law, while Ed remained until Charles should take his departure for Indianapolis tonight when he will come down on the evening train for an over-Sunday visit.

## GUNS ORDERED FOR GUARDS.

From Thursday's Daily.  
The Plattsmouth Home Guards military company, at its last meeting, arranged for the ordering of the seventy-five guns that will be needed by this organization when its full membership is attained. The guns ordered are Winchester Carabines and they are expected to arrive in a short time. They will be used in all practice maneuvers upon their arrival instead of the wooden models now in use and will be handy for actual use should an occasion of necessity ever arise.

## EXPRESS THEIR APPRECIATION.

Of the Many Kindnesses Which Have Been Shown Them Here.

From Saturday's Daily.  
A letter has been received from California, at Camp Fremont, where the fourteen boys which departed from here some time since for Ft. Logan, arrived in a few days after their departure from here. They did not stop at Ft. Logan, but continued on to California. The boys in appreciation of the kindness shown them, have written the following note expressing their thanks.

Camp Fremont, May 12, 1918.  
To the Editor of Journal:

Will you please convey our thanks to the people of Plattsmouth and vicinity, for their kindness in entertaining us before leaving for Ft. Logan, Colo. They can rest assured that we shall at all times try and measure up to what they expect of us. Yours in the name of Humanity,

Larry Lawn, A. L. Miller, L. B. Zircle, V. H. Kitrell, D. B. Lunde, J. Murphy, R. N. Opp, W. F. Pavey, J. Lahoda, T. Boyles, E. J. Quinn, Wm. Gobelman, A. Schneider, V. O. Lundburg.

## RAY BURROWS DID THE JOB.

From Thursday's Daily.  
Last evening there was a large crowd of citizens attracted by some one working on the flag staff extending skyward from the dome at the top of the Wagner hotel. The staff had a nail in it which caught in the folds of flags floating therefrom and had already damaged several flags. In order to avoid this, Fred Wagner, the proprietor, had gotten Ray Burrows to fix it and at the same time to paint the staff, which he did safely.

## About Rheumatism.

Rheumatism causes more pain and suffering than any other disease, for the reason that it is the most common of all ills, and it is certainly gratifying to sufferers to know that there is a remedy that will afford relief, and make rest and sleep possible. It is called Chamberlain's Linctament.

## REDUCED PRICES ON EGGS FOR HATCHING

After May 1st my prices on S. C. R. I. Red eggs for hatching will be \$1.00 per setting or \$4.50 per 10. Telephone Plattsmouth 4021. W. B. Porter, Mynard, Nebr.

## REPORTS GIVE WINNERS OF THE PRIZES OFFERED

AND THANK THE PUBLIC FOR THE INTEREST MANIFESTED.

Elks Cited for Display of Loyalty and Patriotism by Red Cross Chairman.

From Thursday's Daily.  
Those holding Country Store Raffles lucky numbers at the Country Store during the Red Cross Fair are as follows:  
Fred Busch—The ton of coal.  
J. W. Hale—Sack of flour.  
J. W. Holmes—22 lb. ham.  
A. J. Schneider—17 lb. ham.  
There are several pair of "Thoroughbred" chickens still for sale from the Country Store. Any one wanting to purchase these chickens can call Mrs. E. J. Richey, who will give all information regarding same.

## Card of Thanks.

The Country Store Chairman wish to thank every one who in any way contributed to or helped make the Country Store the success it was. We are proud to be able to turn over to the Red Cross such a splendid sum.

MRS. E. J. RICHEY,  
Chairman of the Country Store.

## White Elephant Booth.

Those holding lucky numbers at the White Elephant Booth were:  
J. Smith—The ham. (Mr. Smith returned it to the Red Cross and it was resold and won by J. W. Bookmeyer.)  
W. A. Tulene—Auto tire.  
A. B. Christ—3 boxes of cigars.  
Wm. Ote—Conster wagon.  
Roy Smith—Georgette crepe waist and bag.  
Milo Moore—Box of stationery. (Miss Moore has not called for it. She may have same by calling at the home of Mrs. Dunbar. If it is not claimed within a week, it will be resold.)

There are several articles still on hand, which will be drawn as soon as all numbers are sold.

## Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank every one who helped us in the success of the White Elephant Booth.

White Elephant Booth Committee.

## To The Elks.

We wish to especially thank the Elks and the men for working shoulder to shoulder with the Red Cross women. Surely it was a wonderful display of loyalty and patriotism and shall long live in the memory of those who have toiled willingly for the cause nearest our hearts—our blessed and merciful Red Cross. I say three cheers for the Elks and God bless the men.

MRS. F. H. DUNBAR,  
Chairman.

## Thank the Journal Man.

We also, wish to say a word for our "Daily Journal man", who has so royally given time AND SPACE to all our advertisements and in fact anything for the Red Cross. He has always treated every demand or suggestion with the most courtesy and generosity. I say—Hats Off to our Journal man—Mr. Robert A. Bates.

MRS. F. H. DUNBAR,  
Chairman.

## ASA FRANKES JOINS THE NAVY

From Saturday's Daily.  
Asa Frankes who come twenty-one years of age May 1st, enlisted as a member of Uncle Sam's Navy yesterday at Omaha and passed the examination and was accepted. He is to report on next Friday for departure to some training camp, as to where it is not as yet known. Mr. Frankes will depart Monday for Tarkio, Mo., where he will visit with his folks, for a few days before leaving for the training camp. Mr. Frankes is the twenty-eighth member of the Loyal Sons class of the Christian Sunday school, to go to the service.

## FLOWER BOOTH WINNERS.

From Saturday's Daily.  
The beautiful pair of thoroughbred Rhode Island Red Chickens, donated by Miles M. Allen and valued at \$15.00, was won by Mrs. Oscar Gopen at the Flower Booth, at the Elk's Fair. Mrs. Christine Coughlan won one of the table baskets filled with daisies and Hermia Windham the other Daisy Basket. Mrs. E. A. Wurl won one of the Porch Baskets and Mrs. Luke Wiles the other.

The Chairman of the Flower Booth

wish to thank all the ladies who help make the Flower Booth a thing of beauty and who were so loyal in their support and untrusting in their efforts to help in every way to make the Elks' Fair of Plattsmouth go down in history as the one "Big Thing" started and nobly finished.

MRS. W. E. ROSENCRANS,  
Chairman.

The ladies of the Red Cross wish to remember very gratefully the wonderful work, Mr. W. E. Rosencrans did, in making the Elk's Fair the financial success it was and many the remarks we heard on the street testifying to Rosey's ability and willingness to put the real live wire "Stuff" "in to" the Live Stock part of the Affair.

Not only did he turn his Garage into a Pig Sty, chicken coop, livery stable, cow shed and grainery, but, he rounded up a lot of said live stock and he with his efficient helper, Ed Egenberger, took care of and looked after all these live birds during the three days and did feed and water same all of which was no small job, I ween. So, I say, Thank these noble gentlemen, one and all and especially Mr. W. E. Rosencrans for the fine sum he realized on the Shetland pony.

Ladies of the Red Cross Committees.

## MANY FROM PLATTSMOUTH

From Saturday's Daily.  
Many from Plattsmouth drove to Louisville last night to attend the dance given by the Aretta club, the music for which was furnished by an orchestra under supervision of Shembeck, of Lincoln. There were people present from away down in southern Otoe county as well, but the threatened rain caused them to take an early departure for home. Those from Platts all seemed to be enjoying themselves.

## CHANGE IN CONCERT NIGHT.

From Saturday's Daily.  
The band concerts will be held on Wednesday nights this summer instead of Thursday, as heretofore and as announced in this paper yesterday. This change is made on account of the fact that many of the band boys as well as those who desire to hear the concerts are members of the Home Guards military company, which meets regularly on Thursday nights, and as Wednesday seemed the more favorable day, it has been chosen instead. Remember that the band will play next Wednesday night, May 22nd, in Garfield park, at the head of South Fifth street.

## CAR LOAD OF SUPER SIXES.

From Saturday's Daily.  
L. H. Puls of Murray was in the city today unloading a car load of autos, which he had shipped from the factory, and drove them to his place of business at Murray. The cars were all Super Sixes, of the Hudson make, two being seven passenger cars while the other one was a four passenger car. Uncle Adam Hild and Earl Cunningham were passengers to Murray with the new cars.

## BANQUET DEPARTING MEMBERS.

From Saturday's Daily.  
Last evening at their rooms the Cosmopolitan club, gave a banquet in honor of three of their members, who are this evening departing for the army, going to Indianapolis, who are Henry Lutz, Frank Schuldice, and Carl Roessler. A delightful supper was served, and many a witty speech and retort enlivened the fleeting hours, with Charles Jelinek as the toastmaster. Each of the young men to depart were given a wrist watch, which was a token of the friendship which has ever existed between the members of this organization.

## FOR SALE.

Good eight room house, barr and sheds, located on Blocks 4, 5, 6. Townsends addition, north Eighth St. A bargain if taken at once. H. F. Goos. 5-17-18fd&w

## SEED CORN FOR SALE

White Seed Corn. Call Phone No. 253-W. R. C. Cook. 4-22-2wkswly

Now is the time to join the War Stamp Limit Club. See Chas. C. Parmele for particulars.

## FIVE CARS OF HOGS DONATED TO THE RED CROSS

PORKERS DONATED BY NEBRASKA AND IOWA FARMERS SOLD AT SOUTH OMAHA.

Omaha, May 17.—Five car loads of hogs, donated by patriotic farms of four Nebraska and Iowa communities, were sold on the South Side market Wednesday, the proceeds going to the local chapters of the Red Cross.

Two car loads from Snyder, Neb., were consigned to the Farmers' Union Live Stock Commission company. One load of 53 head weighed 9,900 pounds, and a load of 58 head weighed 11,920 pounds. Both loads were bought by the Cudby Packing company for \$17 per 100 pounds, the net for the Snyder chapter amounting to \$3,628.06.

A load of 56 head from Belgrade, Neb., consigned to Roberts Bros. & Rose Commission company, weighed 12,200 pounds, and was sold to Dvorak Commission company for \$17.19 per 100 pounds, netting \$3,628.06.

## Ord Sends 75 Head.

A load of 75 head from Ord, Neb., consigned to the Jackson-Signal Commission company, weighed 15,500 pounds, and brought \$17 per 100 pounds, netting \$2,588.31.

A load of 67 head from Aspinwall, Ia., also handled by the Jackson-Signal company, weighed 12,864 pounds, netting \$2,166.37. Both loads were bought by J. W. Murphy, order buyer.

The commission companies donated their services in handling these shipments.

## BLINDED BY EXPLOSION OF GAS.

From Saturday's Daily.  
This morning Fred Oldenhausen, and Mrs. Henry Kaufman, his daughter, departed for Amazonia, Mo., where they go to visit at the home of a daughter of Mr. Oldenhausen, Mrs. H. C. Fuller of that place. They go not alone to visit with the daughter and sister, but also to visit with her son, Albert Miller, who while doing some electric soldering, last fall, had the misfortune to be injured by the explosion of the tank of gas which he was using, with the result that his eyes were so injured that he became entirely blind and so remains.

## RUNNING WITHOUT PERMIT.

From Friday's Daily.  
H. E. Merrill of Omaha was in the city a short time since, and was scouting over the city with a number 1917 license attached to his fliwer and when gathered in by the police and asked why he was not displaying a 1918 license, he did not find words to explain the matter, and had to go down in his pocket for the explanation which was a Five Dollar Bill. This was taken as a deposit that he would call on the judge the next morning, and he did not do this the Five Spot was gone.

## WILL MAKE HIS HOME HERE.

From Friday's Daily.  
This morning Carl Earland who has been making his home in Denver for some years, and who was in this city some years ago, getting a hunch that there would be a strike in Denver, departed and went to Salt Lake City, Utah, but not finding things there to his idea, returned to Denver and came to this city, and this morning went to the Burlington shops, where he applied for work and was given a good position. He will begin work tomorrow morning, and will make this his home. He said this morning that I like his city, and believe it will be a good place to live.

## MANY MEN AT THE RANGE.

From Saturday's Daily.  
The rifle range north of the city is a very busy place just now, there being a large number of boys there practicing at rifle shooting. The machine gun work was completed early in the week, but new increments of soldiers from Fort Crook came on Wednesday and there are now nine full companies of 150 men each in camp at the range. These together with the departmental workers and others stationed there will aggregate a total of nearly 1,500 men. Those

## GERMAN PLOT IN IRELAND IS PROCLAIMED

VICEROY AT DUBLIN CALLS ON ALL LOYAL IRISHMEN TO DEFEAT CONSPIRACY.

## ARE IN LEAGUE WITH ENEMY

Declaration Urges Voluntary Recruiting So Draft May Be Avoided.

Dublin, May 17.—A proclamation issued tonight says a German plot in Ireland has been discovered.

In the proclamation the viceroy calls upon all loyal Irishmen to defeat the conspiracy.

## Calls Loyal Men to Aid.

London, May 17.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph says a proclamation was issued tonight signed by Edward Short, chief secretary for Ireland, asserting that certain persons in Ireland have been in communication with Germany "reflecting on Ireland's fair name."

The proclamation calls upon all loyal subjects to aid in defeating the maneuver. It urges voluntary recruiting so that compulsion may be avoided.

## AT HOSPITAL IN OMAHA.

From Thursday's Daily.  
August G. Nolting, living west of the city, was taken to the Emanuel hospital, where a few days since he underwent an operation, and where he is receiving treatment since. He is reported as getting along in very good form. This morning his two sons Henry and Fred Nolting were passengers to Omaha to visit with their father.

## BARTLING'S PRICES ON FORAGE SEEDS

Highest quality seeds. Large stock.  
Cane, per bu. \$3.30  
Kaffir, per bu. \$2.90  
Feterita, per bu. \$3.25  
Milo Maize, per bu. \$2.90  
German or Liberty Millet, per bu. \$3  
Buck Wheat, per bu. \$3.50  
Rape, per 100 lbs. \$14.00  
Sudan Grass, per 100 lbs. \$23.00  
Japanese Millet, known as Bil-lion Dollar Grass, per lb. 7c  
EDWARD BARTLING SEED CO.  
Nebraska City, Nebr. 2t

Miss Marie Svoboda departed this morning for Omaha, where she went to spend the day with friends.

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