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CAMOUFLAGE WOULDN'T GET BY SHERIFF

BLOCKADE RUNNER WITH WIFE AND TWO CHILDREN FAIL TO PASS THE OFFICER.

CONFISCATE AN OAKLAND SIX

Receives a Fine of Two Hundred Dollars and Costs Besides That Amount.

From Thursday's Daily.
Last evening Sheriff C. D. Quinton and his two assistants, G. M. Manners and Will Grebe were scouting near Union on a tip which had been given, when they noticed an immigrant coming north, in an Oakland Six, with the jute boxes, camping outfit, and all the paraphernalia that goes with auto traveling. Seeming a hank innocent enough from outside appearance, as though they were just going back to visit for a few weeks with Pa's folks.
Not desiring to throw a good bet away Sheriff Quinton squared his auto, which is a big boat across the roadway and Mr. Manners and Grebe took an invoice of the household goods and found stored neatly therein eight cases of Mellowood whiskey, and in custody of Mr. Grebe he came to town and pleaded guilty to illicit traffic and received a fine of \$200.00 and trimmings, which amounted to ten dollars, as well as lost the Oakland Six.
Mr. Quinton and Mr. Manners had business elsewhere, and did not accompany the director's harbor.

BREAKS ARM AS RESULT OF BAD FALL

Thomas Wiles Victim of Accident Yesterday Afternoon While Working About Place.

From Friday's Daily.
While working about the place just west of where he lives, where he has a cow pasture, and a little garden with some alfalfa, Thomas Wiles met with a most peculiar and at the same time painful accident yesterday afternoon. He was carrying a plank up the side of a small creek that runs through the place, when he slipped and the plank came down upon his left arm, breaking the larger of the two bones between the wrist and elbow. The bone was broken diagonally and entirely off.
The fracture was reduced by Dr. H. C. Leopold and the member is causing considerable pain, but is subsiding with the passing of time. Mr. Wiles will be laid up for some time with the injury, that is if any injury can lay him up, but he is not easily put out of the running, and we shall expect him to be getting around looking after matters just about as usual, so long as it is not one of his legs. He can walk and do as much work with one hand as some men we know will do with two, and he'll do it too. Thomas is a pretty frisky boy.

ARE VISITING IN EAST NOW.

From Friday's Daily.
Word was received this morning of the arrival at Racine, Wis., of E. A. Wurl, B. G. Wurl and Paul Wurl their brother of Byron, Neb., and his son Paul Jr., who left here last Sunday for the east in an auto, and where they will visit for some time at the home of their childhood. They encountered some severe storms on the way which while it did not do any material damage, still it detained them to considerable extent on their trip. They will remain for some time, and will see the country as well on their trip.

GOOD LANDS.

I have some snaps in lands in Gage, Pawnee and Johnson counties, Nebraska with easy terms. It will pay you to see me for a home or investment. Mockenhaupt Land Company, Sterling, Nebraska. 26-4wksv

SOME WIND STORM EARLY THIS MORNING

BLEW DOWN TELEPHONE AND ELECTRIC LIGHT POLES—TREES LAID FLAT

CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE DONE

Cherries and Other Fruit Blown from Trees—Electric Company Was Hard Hit.

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At about sundown last night the skies bore signs of an approaching storm and it began to gather rapidly after that hour only to express itself in a hurricane of wind that swept trees, small grain, telephone and electric light wires before it. Many large branches were blown from trees about town and in the country to the west and south of Plattsmouth the damage seemed to be even greater. Between here and Louisville many large trees along the road were blown across the high tension electric line that brings us our juice from Omaha and almost as soon as the storm broke here the lights went out.
Crops were leveled flat in numerous sections and fruit, especially cherries, was blown from the trees with apparent ease. The corn is not far enough along to be much hurt by the wind, and will straighten up again in a few days. It is also believed the wheat will do likewise. However the oats crop is unusually heavy and will be most susceptible to injury.
About town the damage did not amount to very much, other than a few broken windows and possibly some loss of fruit. However the wind blew furiously enough to get many slumbers out of bed, although the rain that accompanied it cooled the atmosphere sufficient to permit of soon returning to sleep.
The electric light people were on the job early this morning to determine how much damage they had suffered. And said damage amounted to a plenty. Some score of poles on their main lead line between here and Louisville were down as well as numerous trees across the line. On the other side of the river the lead line from Glenwood was also out of commission, with nine poles laying flat. This precluded any possibility of furnishing electricity to local consumers for power purposes before late in the day. The men set to work and by three o'clock this afternoon had the lines cleared, but a delay of an hour and a half that was necessary in order to ascertain the whereabouts of each lineman before pulling the switches held up getting the juice until 4:30.
As related in another column, the Journal was about the hardest hit among the power consumers, being unable to operate its linotype machines or newspaper press. In the afternoon a gasoline engine was attached to one of the linotype machines and a limited amount of type is being set for this edition.
Storms will occur however and almost invariably someone is damaged by their visitation.

GLENWOOD MAN'S DEATH BLAMED TO RAILROAD

The coroner's jury in the inquest yesterday in the case of Dillard Bennett of Glenwood, who was instantly killed Tuesday afternoon when train No. 5 on the Great Western railroad struck his auto at the Tostevin crossing, found that the accident was the result of carelessness on the part of the deceased and negligence on the part of the railroad company.

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The jury, composed of five of the young ladies of this city, with their gentlemen friends, enjoyed a most interesting evening at the big Burlington bridge and ferry last night.
They had prepared a delicious luncheon which they took along and with the ever trusty camera to tell the story of the pleasant evening, they took many pictures and sang familiar songs, visiting the while in Iowa and eating their lunch in the cool shade of the river's brink.
Those present to enjoy the occasion were Misses Muriel Barthold, Ruth Roman, Honor Seybert, Alpha Hallstrom and Edith Johnson and Messrs. Richard Wentworth, Frank Pilmore, Jack Taylor, John Underwood and Ivan Sink.
Wall Paper, Paints, Glass, Picture Framing, Frank Gobelman.

FINISHES SEASON'S WORK

From Friday's Daily.
Miss Merna Morrison, employed in the millinery store of Mrs. Emma Pease, will close her work here tomorrow evening and leave Sunday for her home at Rock Rapids, Iowa, where she will spend a short time visiting her mother and will then continue on her way to the wholesale millinery house in Chicago with whom she is employed. After a time spent there becoming familiar with the latest fashions in ladies' head-gear, Miss Morrison will return to Plattsmouth about the middle of August to again take up her work for Mrs. Pease. Miss Morrison is a most proficient milliner and during her season here has made numerous friends who will be pleased to know that she is to return for another season.

WANTED.

Party with car or horse and buggy to work in west end of county. Work congenial with good pay and no trouble to make \$10.00 per day. If interested, address R. T. W. Mynard, Nebr. 16-2wksv

HOUSE SITUATION SERIOUS IN THIS CITY

JUST WHERE TO LIVE, UNLESS YOU'RE PROPERTY OWNER. PRESENTS PROBLEM.

NEED DOZEN NEW RESIDENCES

For Immediate Occupancy—Another Apartment House Should be Profitable Investment.

From Friday's Daily.
At the time of the completion of the Coronado apartments it seemed that although the owners claimed the apartments were all rented before the building was finished, only a few were occupied until many months had elapsed.
Now a far different condition prevails. The places are all occupied with a good-paying and a fine class of people. Notwithstanding, eminent proceedings have been instituted to get possession of certain apartments because it is claimed they are not held by a regularly executed lease to the present occupants. Mr. T. B. Peterson and wife are occupying the property and have paid rental all the time, but still the process to dispossess them maintains. With this or the law or manner of procedure, we are not taking issue, but rather with the condition in Plattsmouth that we are unable to supply suitable living quarters to all who desire to make their homes in our midst. Exact rents are always willing to pay good rental and if Plattsmouth had a dozen or more modern houses offered for rent today, every one would be leased by Saturday night.
This man, Peterson, who is an engineer for the L. C. Sharp Manufacturing company and one whom it is difficult to get along without, is here to make his home among us. He has cast his lot among the people of Plattsmouth and is willing to pay a good rental for a convenient and suitable place of abode. But are conditions such as will cause him to seek employment elsewhere in order to maintain a home? And should he do just this the one secured in his stead will be placed in the same situation.
Harry Eyer, who has been working in Dayton, Ohio, was here a few days ago, and could he have secured a place in which to live, would have accepted employment with the L. C. Sharp company.
Three modern rental properties are just now being built by J. W. Sage, but they are not yet ready for occupancy, and besides they have been spoken for many times over, and do not begin to solve the situation.
There is no gainsaying the fact that there is an unsatisfied demand for modern rental properties and if we can start a building campaign, we can easily bring a good number of people into our midst. Otherwise we must be content to continue at ebb tide so far as commercial expansion is concerned. Another apartment building could easily be filled with very desirable occupants and the investment would be a paying one also.

AT REST IN OAK HILL CEMETERY

The Remains of the Late Mrs. Ora E. Giese Now Resting in Oak Hill.

From Thursday's Daily.
Yesterday afternoon the last sad rites were said over the mortal remains of the late Mrs. Ora E. Giese, late wife of Adolph Giese, who departed this life a few days since, from the home, the services being conducted by the Rev. J. H. Steger, pastor of the St. Paul's Evangelical church. The funeral ceremonies being attended by a large number of friends. The burial was made at Oak Hill cemetery. Mrs. Giese was a woman of a naturally strong and robust constitution, and had been sick but a short time prior to her death, and but a limited number of persons knew of her illness.

NEBRASKA CITY TO CELEBRATE

From Friday's Daily.
Our neighboring sister-town to the south, Nebraska City, is planning on a rousing celebration and homecoming event July 4th. Nebraska City isn't accustomed to doing things by half and it may be expected to live up to its reputation in this event. Among other things is an aeroplane flight at 10 o'clock in the morning, numerous free street attractions, an open air dance, fireworks, etc. Otoo and nearby county soldiers will be special guests of the city this day and arrangements are being made to supply their desires in the line of eats and smokes absolutely free. It is probable that a goodly number of Plattsmouth and Cass county people will spend the 4th at Neb. City.

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GOT MORE THAN MON- EY'S WORTH

BALL GAME WELL ATTENDED LAST EVENING AND AFFORDED MUCH SPORT FOR ALL.

BLACKSMITHS WON IN 13TH

Contest One of Much Interest, A Battle of Pitchers and Catchers.

From Thursday's Daily.
The grand stand was well filled, the bleachers comfortable so, while the diamond line from third to the home plate was so crowded that one could hardly make a run along the line, nor those in the grandstand see the game, and the areas near the fence in front of the bleachers were filled, making in all a very enthusiastic crowd, and all of them adherents of one of the other side. The line up was soon formed and with the beginning of the game the good natured boasting and cheering also began and continued throughout the entire thirteen innings which it required to decide it. The blacksmiths were the first to score, in the second inning, when both Hula and Gradoville made a run, while in the machinist's half, Albert Janda made a run, and again in the fourth inning Burbridge made another a tie, which was played with much interest and spirit until in the first half of the thirteenth, Charles Janda, Leslie Neill and Rudolph Skallak, each made a run, making the tally five for the blacksmiths to two for the machinists.
The last half of the thirteenth did not show anything for the machinists and the game was over.
The winners, the blacksmiths are to play the freight car shops team on Friday evening.
Pitcher Boggs struck out 23 men and had two walks and nine hits against him, while Hula also struck out just 23 men, had one walk and four hits against him. Taking the game all in all it was one of the best games of the year, and full of interest and pep throughout the entire time.

RETURNS FROM SERVICE TODAY.

From Friday's Daily.
Yesterday Will T. Andrews was discharged from the service and this morning arrived home. Will was greeted by his many friends in the city and was glad to get home and see the folks. He has been in the service for nearly two years and was overseas for about a year. He went to Omaha this forenoon with his friend, J. E. Mason, who was driving up on a business trip and asked him to accompany him.

WILL PAVE 115 MILES OF ROAD

Douglas County Already Making Arrangements—Contract Let Within Sixty Days.

With the canvass of votes cast in Tuesday's bond election not yet completed, Douglas county is already making preparations for the paving of 115 miles of its country roads with brick pavement. The election went largely in favor of the improvement.
It is estimated that it will be at least sixty days before contracts can be let. It is probable that not more than one of the three million bonds authorized at the polls will be disposed of this year and the money will be spent in paving the Lincoln highway, the O. L. D. south from Omaha to Gretna and the Military road out of Florence. Other roads will follow next year and when the entire \$3,000,000 has been expended Douglas county should have as good a set of country roads as will be found anywhere in the state.
The time is coming when all the principal highways will be either paved or macadamized and it only remains for some few communities to pioneer in this excellent movement. We would be pleased to see Sarpy and Cass counties take similar action.

WILL WORK ON LINES HERE.

From Friday's Daily.
LeRoy and Paul Winscott who have been employed with the Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph company in the vicinity of South Bend, were called to this city last evening to take up the work on the line between this city and Louisville where the line is pretty badly demoralized by the recent storm. It is claimed that there are over forty poles and the lines they have been carrying down on this strip alone, and which is causing lots of work to get the same straightened out again.

UNDER GOVERNMENT SUPERVISION

Speaking of Spending!
There is a man in this town who prides himself on the fact that he "never takes chances." And yet—
He takes a chance every time he pays a bill for he pays in cash, and does not always get a receipt—he may have to pay it again sometime.
He risks his personal welfare every time he goes home at night for he carries cash in his pockets and would be an easy prey for a hold-up man.
He takes a chance of losing his money every time he moves for it may drop out of his pocket.
Is that man you? Then open a checking account at this bank and back up your boast by using bank-checks which are always the SAFE WAY to spend money or carry money.
First National Bank,
Plattsmouth, Nebraska
"The Bank where You Feel at Home"

STORM TAKES TOLL OF YOUNG WORKMAN

WILLIAM JACKS, SON OF ASBURY JACKS, ELECTROCUTED THIS MORNING.

ELECTRICIAN IN CO. BLUFFS

And Was on Duty Clearing Lines in That City—Father and Brother Hurry to City

From Thursday's Daily.
William Jacks, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, a son of Asbury Jacks and a brother of George Jacks and Messdames John W. Elliott and Jesse N. Elliott, was electrocuted this morning while working at repairing electric light lines in that city.
Mr. Jacks had been out from midnight last night, when he was called to assist in getting the electric service straightened out after the storm and at eleven o'clock this morning while tired from long hours of fatiguing work he came in contact with a live wire and was instantly killed.
Mr. Jacks was married and leaves a wife and two children. Henry Bailey, a brother-in-law of the unfortunate young man, came to this city to notify Mr. Asbury Jacks of the death of his son, as it was impossible to communicate either by telephone or telegraph.
Mr. Jacks and another son, George Jacks, departed for Council Bluffs as soon as they received the news, to assist with matters at the home of the deceased and to help make arrangements for the funeral.
Troubles never come singly. At least they haven't to Mr. Jacks. It has not been very long since he lost his wife and last year another son, Robert Jacks, was killed in action in France, while now comes this third death in the family within a comparatively short time.
No arrangements for the funeral have been completed.

ENGAGEMENT OF POPULAR YOUNG LADY

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The guests were seated at small tables and a most delightful time was had. The tables were decorated with pink rose buds and pink larkspurs, the combination producing a very pretty effect.
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BUSINESS IS GOOD WITH CO. JUDGE BEESON

JUNE LIVING UP TO ITS REPUTATION AS MONTH OF BRIDES IF NOT OF ROSES.

LOCAL BARBER ONE OF GROOMS

Wayne Lewis and Miss Carma Hamilton United Last Evening—Omaha Couple in P. M.

From Friday's Daily.
Brimy June, the month of brides and roses, the most pleasant month of the year, is making a pretty good record, when it comes to upholding its reputation for weddings.
During the day yesterday a young couple from Omaha applied to County Judge Beeson for license to marry, and then the ceremony was performed which united Oscar Helem and Miss Naomi Hoffman. They departed on the first train for Omaha, where they expect to surprise their friends—the joke they had in mind requiring two to play it.
Last evening Wayne Lewis, one of the returned soldiers from overseas, and a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lewis, of near Nehawka, but for the past fortnight a barber employed in the shop of E. G. Shellenberger, accompanied by Miss Carma Hamilton, the beautiful and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamilton, of Wyoming, appeared before the judge, and after having secured the necessary license were united in marriage by the good natured judge, who also bestowed his blessing.
The newly wedded couple will make their home in this city, where Mr. Lewis will work at the barber trade, being employed in the Wagner hotel shop, and by the way is an excellent workman withal.
The Journal joins with the host of friends of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis in wishing them all the happiness and prosperity which can reasonably be expected to come to any one couple, throughout a long and useful life together.

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