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## CELEBRATED BIRTHDAY OF PRESIDENT

W. C. T. U. LADIES HELD INTERESTING MEETING YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

## LARGE CROWD WAS PRESENT

Mesdames R. B. Hayes and M. C. Whelan Hostesses—Kaffenberger Girls Sang.

From Tuesday's Daily.  
An informal gathering of the W. C. T. U. members was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. B. Hayes, on south Fifth street, in celebration of the birthday of Miss Anna Gordon, who is president of the society. Mesdames Hayes and M. C. Whelan were the hostesses of the afternoon.

A goodly number of the members responded to the invitation and were in attendance. Among other features of the afternoon was the rendition of a number of vocal selections by the Misses Gladys and Goldie Kaffenberger, including one that was written by Miss Gordon herself.

Rev. McCluskey, pastor of the Presbyterian church, was present and spoke at length on his recent trip to Washington to attend the Anti-Saloon League meeting. His talk was listened to with interest by those present.

Refreshments were served before the time came to depart and the ladies left voting unanimous approval of the fine manner in which they had been entertained by their hostesses.

## HELD FAMILY RE-UNION YESTERDAY

Spangler Family Gathered at Home of Mrs. Luke L. Wiles—Good Time Indulged In.

From Monday's Daily.  
Yesterday, with but few exceptions, the family of Mrs. Henry M. Spangler gathered together for a pleasant time and reunion of relatives. The crowd totaled some thirty-one in attendance and the reunion was held at the home of Mrs. Spangler's daughter, Mrs. Luke L. Wiles.

The family enjoyed themselves greatly and were able to greet their mother, who is well advanced in years, but enjoying very good health as was also each of those present. Those present to participate in the general good time were Geo. Spangler and wife and Mrs. Elizabeth Piper, of Lincoln; Wm. Spangler and wife; Weeping Water; S. A. Wiles and wife; Joseph E. Wiles and wife; Mrs. Henry M. Spangler; Miss Elizabeth Spangler, of this city; C. D. Spangler and family of near Murray; Guy Wiles and wife, of Murray and Mrs. Charles Bisset, daughter of Mrs. Spangler and wife of Prof. Bisset, of York college.

## MARRIED AT THE MANSE.

From Tuesday's Daily.  
Last Saturday evening Miss Emma Boucher and Mr. Samuel Terryberry were united in marriage at the home of Rev. H. G. McCluskey of the Presbyterian church. The two young people have lived in this vicinity for all their lives, and are young people who have a host of friends who are extending their best wishes for their prosperity and happiness, in which the Journal joins.

## HAS ADDED SOME NICE SHOW CASES TO FIXTURES

From Tuesday's Daily.  
Fred P. Busch, of the Ladies Toggery believes in being up to date in the matter of fixtures, as well as in the stock he keeps. The latest acquisition to the Ladies Toggery is two additional show cases of modern design, and with plate glass top, as well as roller-bearing sliding doors

and sloping shelves for the display of goods to best advantage. This gives the store three fine cases, the one formerly installed being arranged for the display of waists. Coupled with the moth-proof plate glass front wall cases for the display of suits and dresses, the store now has about the best fixture equipment of any in southeastern Nebraska. Mr. Busch is one business man who is proving that success can be attained despite the nearness of Plattsmouth to the Omaha markets. And people who want quality goods in any line are learning that it pays to buy them at home.

## ANOTHER CAR MISHAP; MAN IS RUN OVER

J. M. YOUNG KNOCKED TO PAVEMENT BY CAR DRIVEN BY H. S. BARTHOLD.

## ACCIDENT WAS UNAVOIDABLE

And Injured Man Was Able to Walk Around Last Night Although Car Passed Over Legs.

From Monday's Daily.  
An auto mishap occurred at the intersection of Main and Fourth streets last evening, when the car driven by H. S. Barthold knocked J. M. Young to the pavement and passed over both his legs.

People were crossing the street at this particular corner thick and fast and as Mr. Barthold came up Main street at a very moderate rate of speed, he saw that he must either hit Mr. Young or a lady with a little child, and while endeavoring to avoid striking either, he turned as much as he could in the little time he had, besides honking his horn and shouting, but as Mr. Young is hard of hearing, the summons did not reach him and his first presentation of danger was when it struck him and knocked him to the pavement, passing over both his legs a moment later.

Careful scrutiny failed to reveal any broken bones in his legs and it was indeed fortunate that the impact of the car when it struck him did not injure his body.

Mr. Barthold, who did all he possibly could to stop the car and likewise to avoid the accident, picked the unfortunate man up and ascertained the extent of his injuries, after which he took him to his home.

Arriving at home, Mr. Young was able to walk around a bit, but it is expected that he will be somewhat sore as a result of the accident.

## WILL PLAY THE UNION OUTFITTING COMPANY

From Wednesday's Daily.

Dr. Sandin, manager of the Red Sox, has arranged for a game at the local park for the coming Sunday, with the Union Outfitting company, of Omaha. Last year this team played with the Red Sox and lost by a score of 2 to 1. It was one of the best games of the year. While the home team won over this aggregation last year, they have been playing excellent ball this season and it is difficult to hazard a guess as to who will win in Sunday's contest, so evenly matched are the teams.

Come out and see the game, hoping the home team will be victorious, but according to the victory to the best team.

## MAIL FOR GERMANY.

From Wednesday's Daily.  
The postoffice is in receipt of instructions that mail can now be accepted for Germany, rate 5 cents per ounce or fraction thereof.

Parcels may also be accepted, rate 12 cents per pound, not to exceed 11 pounds in weight.

Don't forget us when you want meat or groceries for harvest. We can take care of you, just call phone No. 4 and we will have your order up.  
HATT & SON.

## MAKING AN EXCELLENT MACHINE HERE

L. C. SHARP COMPANY PUTTING OUT A BUTTER CUTTER AND WEIGHER.

## INITIAL CUTTER IS COMPLETED

Making of Others to Follow Immediately—Fairmont Creamery and Armour's Get Them.

From Tuesday's Daily.  
The C. F. Miller Hydraulic Cutter is the name of the machine which the L. C. Sharp Manufacturing company is now making. A representative of the Journal visited the machine shops yesterday, happening in just at the time of the completion of arrangements for testing the initial machine which has been made to cut the butter into quarter pound cakes. The butter is first placed in a rectangular vessel, where it is hardened by refrigeration which is 20 degrees Fahrenheit, or 12 degrees below freezing point.

With ordinary cutting devices that have been on the market heretofore, the work could not be done with the butter at anywhere near that low a temperature, but the Miller machine, being of hydraulic design and using the finest steel wires, is capable of working at even lower temperatures.

With the machines requiring the product to be worked at higher temperatures, trouble has been experienced in having the wrapping machines operate properly. This machine requires no particular temperature, other than that the butter be kept below the freezing point, which insures its being solid, and in proper shape for handling and packing, without being pushed out of shape or indented by the devices which wrap and pack the product.

The L. C. Sharp company has the exclusive right of manufacture of this machine and now has a contract for four for the Fairmont Creamery company and also two for the Armour Packing company. The Fairmont Creamery, in writing to Mr. Sharp about the machine, says:

"In regard to the Miller Butter Cutters, our opinion of the one we have is, we think, pretty well expressed by our order for the three additional machines for the balance of our factories. The great improvement in method with this machine is cutting with fine short wires, less shrinkage in weights and handling, very much harder butter, as we have cut butter successfully when the butter itself was below 20 degrees above zero. We hope the three new machines will be ready for us soon."

In addition to orders for these machines, the Sharp company has orders for other machines which the local plant is manufacturing, particularly the one for the making of ice cream cones. These, together with the company's own products, keep the workmen at the shops very busy these days.

## RECEIVES MESSAGE OF MOTHER'S DEATH

V. B. DUTTON SHOCKED AT NEWS OF HER DEMISE—FOLKS HERE NOT AWARE SHE WAS ILL.

From Monday's Daily.  
V. B. Dutton received a message Saturday announcing the death of his mother, Mrs. M. J. Dutton, of Gravit, Iowa, aged 73 years and the mother of ten children, two of whom preceded their mother to the other world.

Mrs. Dutton had visited in Plattsmouth following the recent injury sustained by her son, when he fell into a well at the Albert Queen home and on her return had been accompanied by her son for a visit. He had no knowledge of her illness and when he received the message telling of her death, it was a shock and a short time afterwards a card came, saying that the mother was sick with some heart trouble.

Mr. Dutton and family departed

Saturday evening for Gravit, going to attend the funeral which is being held today.

Mrs. Dutton, who was 73 years of age, leaves, besides her husband, eight children, two having preceded her to the other world. Those surviving are Ezekiel Dutton, Mrs. Sam Naville, Mrs. Frank Marsh and E. Dutton, all of Gravit; H. E. Dutton and M. A. Dutton, of Burlington, Wyoming; Mrs. E. C. Bybee and V. B. Dutton, of this city.

It has only been a short time since Mr. V. B. Dutton suffered the serious injury, and from which he has not yet fully recovered.

## TICKET SALES FORCE ORGANIZED TODAY

COMMITTEES ARE ALL HARD AT WORK—SUCCESSFUL ASSEMBLY AHEAD.

## OPENING DAY NEXT SATURDAY

Have Your Money Ready When the Ticket Sellers Approach You—Prizes are Offered.

From Tuesday's Daily.  
The ticket sales force for Chautauqua has been organized. Fifteen girls and boys comprise the present organization and they will cover the city thoroughly within the next day or so, soliciting for the sale of season tickets to the assembly which is to open Saturday.

Prizes are awarded for the sale of the most tickets, and every child who disposes of ten or more receives one for his or herself. Now, the weather is warm and the little ones will be busy, so have your money ready and if possible save them the trouble of a second trip to your home. In addition to the tickets given for selling ten or more tickets, three cash prizes of \$7.50, \$5.00 and \$2.50 are offered to those selling the greatest number, the second greatest and third greatest, provided, however, the number sold must exceed fifty for any child to receive a cash sum.

The children's or students' tickets will admit all scholars up to and including the high school, the grades and those of the Catholic schools, and will sell for \$1.35 including the 13 cents war tax. Those for adults cost \$2.75, including 25 cents war tax. Certainly cheap enough for the fine array of talent provided.

## Change of Evening Hour

Although advertised on the programs to begin at 8:00 o'clock, the evening sessions will not commence until 8:30. The afternoon programs will be held at the hour advertised. The Junior Chautauqua sessions are held at 9:30 in the morning and are free to everybody. These are especially for children and every scholar is urged to be in attendance.

## Ticket Sales Force

Fifteen boys and girls comprise the ticket sales force named by Mrs. Mae S. Morgan, chairman of the ticket committee to look after the disposition of the season pasteboards and some of them will call on you in a very short time. In case you send a check to Mrs. Morgan for the purchase of tickets, tell her to whom the credit should go. The list of ticket sellers includes Margaret Schiater, Viola Archer, Alma Beckwith, Thelma Hudson, Ruth Moffit, Gladys Kaffenberger, Elenor H'ber, Helen Wescott, Fay Halstead, Florence Cecil, Elva Hartford, Clara Trilley, Mabel Lee Copenhagen, Agnes Edgerton and Russell Wasley.

## WILL VISIT IN THIS CITY

From Tuesday's Daily.  
Mrs. John Albert departed this morning for Omaha, where she met her granddaughter, Miss Sylvia Spreck, of Pilger, who arrived from her home this morning and will visit at the home of her grandparents and other relatives here for some time.

"The Shepherd of the Hills" is a good story that you will find on sale at the Journal office.

## COMMITTEES LOOKING AFTER THE DETAILS

INCIDENT TO THE OPENING OF CHAUTAUQUA NEXT SATURDAY, JULY 26TH.

## ALL WILL BE IN READINESS

For Holding of Opening Session on Time—Ticket Sale is Coming Along Very Nicely.

From Monday's Daily.  
The committees having in charge the various arrangements for the coming Chautauqua, are hustling just now and have been for some time, to get things shaped up properly for the opening session of the assembly. The advertising committee has been working overtime in an effort to get the facts before all the people and induce everyone to attend this year's assembly. Their work is best reflected in the advance ticket sale.

The campaign has been efficiently organized, and the different committees are all busily engaged pushing Chautauqua.

## The Executive Committee

This committee is under the direction of each of its members, Frank M. Bestor, chairman; E. H. Wescott and W. A. Robertson. Its principal function is to get and keep interested in Chautauqua members of the various committees and individuals who are not even among the guarantors of the assembly. Boosting is their main business and they are proving successful.

## The Advertising Committee

Under the efficient co-operation of Bruce Rosenkrans, L. O. Miner and R. W. Knorr, who are members of the advertising committee, the decorative and newspaper advertising is being done with neatness and dispatch. Programs of the entire assembly have been received and may be obtained at the various stores in the city. The advertising committee is also looking after the placing of bills, pamphlets, etc., as well as preparing the copy for the display advertising matter that appears in the Journal from day to day.

## The Committee on Grounds

The committee on grounds, composed of Jess P. Waga, W. A. Swatek and Fred Busch, is charged with seeing that the place of meeting is in the best of shape, and that all is in readiness at the time the Chautauqua is to open. And if we mistake not they will look well to the job.

## The Sale of Tickets

This is a feature of the preparation which requires more attention and is being more carefully looked after than any other. Mrs. Mae S. Morgan has charge of the task and she is organizing her assistants in a way that will insure a thorough canvass of all who are within reach. The matter of buying season tickets is an important one to those attending, not alone in the saving effected, but in the opportunity it affords for attending every session. The season ticket plan provides the entertainments at less than twenty-five cents each, and being interchangeable among members of the family they should find ready sale.

The organization which Mrs. Morgan is perfecting will cover the entire city within the next few days, and you are urged to be ready for those who will call on you, when they come. They will be courteous and treat you nicely so please extend the same consideration to them.

## MURPHY-DID-ITS COP THE OMAHA CHAMPIONSHIP

From Monday's Daily.  
The Murphy-Did-Its, crack team in the Greater Omaha league, yesterday defeated the Ernie Holmes aggregation in a fast game at the ball park at 32nd and Dewey avenue in Omaha. The game was viewed by a number of Plattsmouth fans

who have seen both teams play a number of games heretofore. The Murphy-Did-Its scored one each in the second, third and fourth and a couple in the fifth, making five to one scored by the Holmes' in the fourth. Considerable money had been bet on the game and there was more or less rag-chewing. Butch Hay did the twirling for the Murphys and Jimmie Moore, who pitched the game in Plattsmouth a week ago, was in the box for the Holmes'. All in all, it was a very good game and was thoroughly enjoyed by the large crowd of spectators present.

## IS CLOSING HIS WORK IN PLATTSMOUTH

SUPT. DE WOLF LEAVES TOMORROW MORNING FOR HIS HOME AT GIBBON.

## ENTERS HARVARD IN THE FALL

Has Been Conducting Summer School the Past Six Weeks—Leaves Many Friends Here.

From Tuesday's Daily.  
Superintendent G. E. DeWolf, who has been at the head of the Plattsmouth schools during the past two years, will close his work here today. Since the ending of the school year, Supt. DeWolf has been conducting summer school classes, the summer school course extending over a period of six weeks.

Mr. DeWolf will depart tomorrow morning for Gibbon, where his father is engaged in the mercantile business, and will spend the next few weeks there. In September, at the opening of the term, he will enter Harvard university to more fully perfect himself in the vocation he has chosen, that of an instructor.

Supt. DeWolf has made one of the best school men ever in Plattsmouth and he was well liked by patrons, pupils and teachers. In taking his departure, Mr. DeWolf leaves behind a large circle of friends, who are ample proof of his genial qualities, faithfulness to duty and capabilities as an instructor as well as an excellent citizen. The Journal voices the sentiment of his friends in wishing him continued success as he climbs round after round the ladder that leads to achievement.

## ATTRACTING SOME ATTENTION.

From Tuesday's Daily.  
A couple of picture artists have located with W. T. Wassell, just across the street from our window and from the crowd which gathered to see them work last evening, we thought they were a part of the carnival. But instead they were just ordinary human beings at work making their livelihood. And how some people like to watch a man work. Of course some like to be watched and some don't. It looks like these two gentlemen are among those who do.

## HAS GOOD DISPLAY OF PRODUCTS

As we passed the office of George M. Hill on south Sixth street, our attention was challenged to the excellent display of farm products he has in his window. They are from Perkins county and speak for themselves. Take a peek at things there when you are passing.



## Help Yourself!

Good roads, good schools and churches, good stores are the backbone of every prosperous community.

Every citizen who does not tae a personal interest in these institutions is standing in his own light.

Individual prosperity is closely linked with the community's prosperity. Every boost for home institutions is a boost for yourself.

## First National Bank,

Plattsmouth, Nebraska

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