

WILL RETURN TO LAND OF HIS BOYHOOD

REV. JOHN VICEK, Rector of the Holy Rosary Catholic Church will take a vacation

MANY CHANGES HAVE OCCURRED

Rev. Father John Vicek, contemplating Trip to His Old Home in Bohemia.

From Wednesday's Daily.

Rev. John Vicek, rector of the Holy Rosary church in this city, is making plans for a delightful trip during the coming fall and winter, back to his old home in Bohemia. It has been many years since Father Vicek left the old home to take up his work for the church in the new world and his heart has often turned to the old scenes and associations and he is about to be given the opportunity of returning and enjoying the pleasures of visiting among the spots where he spent his youth. There has been many changes since his departure for America and the greatest of these is in the government of the old country. When Father Vicek came to America, Bohemia was merely a province of the Austrian empire and a very much oppressed land in every way with the iron hand of a foreign ruler being felt by the native Bohemians. This however is all changed through the triumph of the great democracies of the world in the recent war and Bohemia now has her place in the nations of the world and is no way under the influence of Austria and is absolutely free and independent with a strong and able government in charge of affairs. The people of Bohemia feel a certain sense of responsibility of the part of the United States in the struggle for liberty for it was this nation that first recognized the independence of the new nation and the president of the United States insisted upon the freedom of Bohemia as one of the terms of peace.

Father Vicek, when he can secure the necessary papers and travel expenses will make the trip over the sea and spend several months at Prague, the capital of the new nation, and the other large cities of the country.

GOING TO HOSPITAL

Yesterday afternoon Dr. H. F. Brendel of Murray departed for Omaha in company with George Morris and George Edmiston, of near Platts, to visit one of the Omaha hospitals and secure an examination of Messrs. Farris and Edmiston. Mr. Farris some time ago suffered a fracture of the bones of the left shoulder and Dr. Brendel will have an x-ray photograph made of the injured shoulder as Mr. Farris has never fully recovered from the effects of the injury. Mr. Edmiston has been troubled with a protruding in the ear that has given him much pain and this will also

be treated at the hospital. The party was accompanied by John Farris of near Murray. It had been the original intention of the doctor and the other members of the party to make the trip by automobile but owing to the heavy rain yesterday it was decided to make the journey by the Missouri Pacific.

SPEEDERS UP IN POLICE COURT

From Wednesday's Daily. The high cost of speeding is keeping pace with the high cost of living as was evidenced by the docket at Judge Archer's court today when the city was enriched by the sum of \$29 doled by parties charged by Chief of Police Manspeaker with traveling at a rate of speed greater than that allowed by law. L. A. Bittner and William Bach were two of those charged with speeding and in addition to this charge they were also the principals in a collision occurring at the corner of Sixth and Vine streets last evening. Bach was traveling west on Vine street with a motorcycle and sidcar while Mr. Bittner was going north on Sixth street and as they both came to the intersection crossing the motorcycle and one of the rear wheels of the car of Mr. Bittner became mixed up and the result was that Mr. Bach was bruised up some but not seriously. Just who was the one responsible for the collision is a matter of judgment but with the wisdom gathered by long experience the chief gathered in both parties and this morning they were handed a fine of \$10 and costs each amounting to \$15 which was paid.

Ray Melburn was also given a \$1 fine with the trimmings for speeding a motorcycle along the avenue of the city having been gathered by Chief Manspeaker who had stationed himself near the Bauer residence on the lookout for the speeders as per the instructions of the city council.

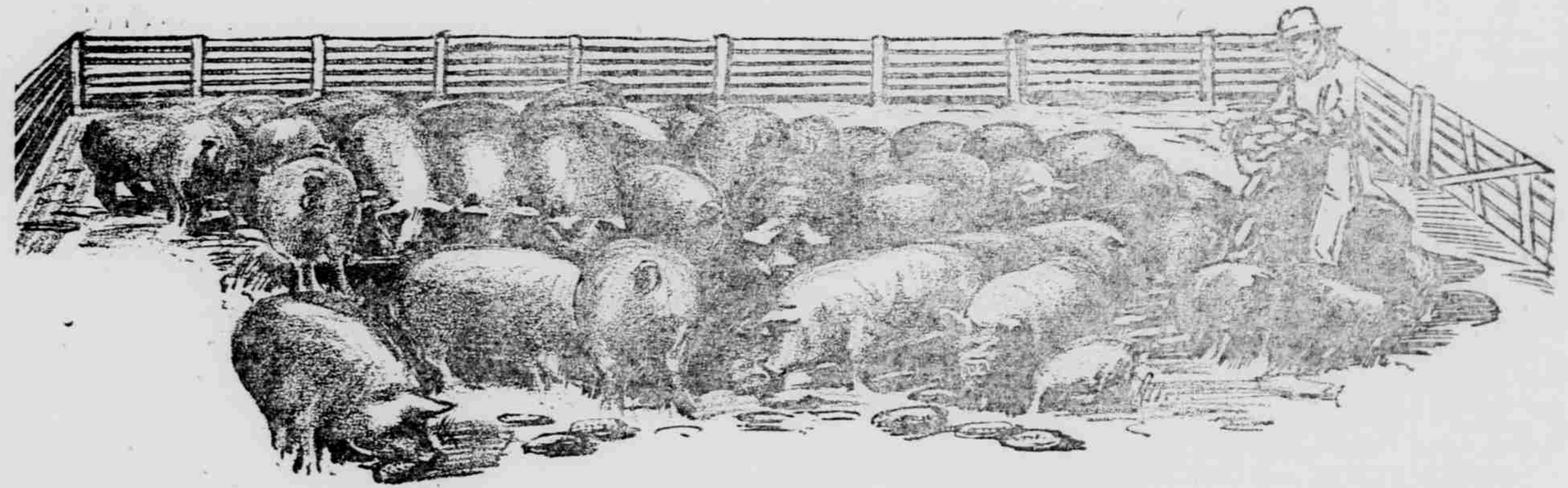
MOTORING TO BEEMER

From Wednesday's Daily. Roscoe Hill, who has been a Plattsmouth for the past two weeks, visiting with his old school mate and friends departed this morning for his home in the central part of the state in company with Marie, who will visit for a time at the Hill home. The boys are making the trip via the Ford route and Roscoe has had some trouble with the management of the car he decided that it would be necessary to secure a mechanic and accordingly Marie was prevailed upon to take the trip to Beemer and enjoy an outing as well as to keep the Ford in proper shape during the trip west.

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SUBSTANTIAL IMPROVEMENT IN OUR CITY

DURING THE PAST COUPLE OF YEARS—THE OLD TOWN HAS DONE THINGS

APPARENT TO THOSE ABSENT

And Who Were Familiar with the Plattsmouth of Ye Olden Days Progress is Keynote.

From Wednesday's Daily. The improvements that have been made in Plattsmouth during the last two years probably seem to a great many of the residents to have been small but to one who has not been residing here during the time the improvements were being made and who was familiar with the city before, the changes are quite noticeable and speak well for the efforts of the public spirited people of the city of Plattsmouth. One of the

chief improvements to be noticed in the city is that of the paving of Chicago avenue and this work will be more appreciated as time goes on. Instead of a street where it was a question in muddy weather whether or not you could drive down to the business section of the city there is a beautiful and modern driveway as fine as any city in the state and along this street are many handsome homes. Then at the intersection of Chicago avenue and Pearl and 7th street neat modern cottages have replaced the old livery stable that for years occupied that site and the change is one that makes for the beautifying of the city.

In numerous places over the city the streets have been curbed and guttered and placed in excellent shape and permanent sidewalks installed, doing away with the old makeshift walks that for years were a menace to life and limb.

Last but not the least in the things achieved in this period of time is the Plattsmouth high school building occupying a commanding position on the hill from which a view of the business section and the old Missouri may be enjoyed. This building is one that reflects credit upon the city and the live and energetic citizens who have labored long to make this school building possible. The schools of any city

are really the chief asset of the community as it is here that the future citizenship is developed and the greater the educational advantages offered the higher is the standard of citizenship attained.

Taken as a whole the two years past has shown a wonderful advancement for the city and this, too, in the midst of a great war that was demanding the greatest sacrifices from the citizenship of the city. May the good work go on and even more advancement be recorded in the future.

GO AS LAND SEEKERS.

From Thursday's Daily. This morning Malden Brown and Arthur Sampson, two of the Plattsmouth young men who recently returned from overseas, departed for eastern Colorado where they will look over the land suitable for contracted business and if they fail to find anything worth while, will take a trip up in Wyoming and Idaho to locate a suitable farm. It is with regret that the community parts with these two excellent young men but their friends will certainly wish them the greatest of success in their venture in the west and trust that they may find a home that will be to their satisfaction and where they may meet with the best of success.

Constipation causes headache, indigestion, dizziness, drowsiness, flatulence, mild, opening medicine, use Doan's Kidney Pills. 25c a box at all stores.

Money to loan on city real estate by the Plattsmouth Loan & Building Association. See T. M. Patterson, Secretary. 3-21fd

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