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BURGLARS AT GREENWOOD ON SUNDAY NIGHT

WESTERN CASS COUNTY TOWN SYSTEMATICALLY ROBBED —MAKE GET-AWAY.

FIVE STORES WERE ENTERED

And Money and Goods to Amount of Several Hundred Dollars Were Appropriated.

From Monday's Daily.

Yesterday County Attorney A. G. Cole was called out to Greenwood to investigate a number of burglaries which took place in that city Sunday night and resulted in a clean-up of a number of the business houses of the town.

The work was done in a most systematic manner and apparently the person or persons carrying out the robberies was not afraid of being disturbed as five of the business houses were entered and searched thoroughly for money and valuables, and in each case the robber had secured entrance by forcing the rear doors of the different stores. There had been no intimation of the robberies until Monday morning, when the various owners of the stores discovered that there had been a wholesale robbery carried out in the town.

The store of Walton Howard was entered and the cash register tapped for the amount of \$2 or \$4 which had been left there over night by the owner. The largest haul of the bunch was made at the general store of Mrs. Metcalfe, where the robber had proceeded to gather up a large number of leather vests and different assortments of dry goods which will total in the neighborhood of \$200 when the losses are fully checked up.

At the pool hall of David Appuhn, the cash register was touched up for \$4 in change, which had been left there and at the drug store of Ernest F. Smith the same story was told, the register having been broken open and the contents amounting to something like \$4 being taken.

A harness shop was also visited by the burglars who seemed desirous of not slighting any one and here there was a large amount of harness and leather goods taken, but at the time it was impossible to base an estimate on the value, owing to the absence of the owner of the shop from town.

It is thought that more than probable the robbers after securing their haul made into Omaha or Lincoln to dispose of the stolen property and the means of getaway, it is thought, was by the use of an automobile, as it is only a few minutes' run from Lincoln to Greenwood.

MOTORS FROM THE EAST.

From Tuesday's Daily.

Yesterday afternoon Dr. E. W. Cook of the supreme board of medical directors of the M. W. of A., accompanied by Mrs. Cook and their son, Harris Cook and Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Dovey of Chicago, arrived in the city. The party has motored from the Cook home at Rock Island, Illinois, and had a most enjoyable time during the trip over the state of Iowa. The auto tourists left Rock Island on Sunday and reached Atlantic, Iowa, Sunday night, remaining there until yesterday morning when the trip was resumed and the remaining distance was made in twelve hours. Dr. and Mrs. Cook and son will remain here for a few weeks when Harris will return to Chicago to resume his studies at the Northwestern university school of law. Both Dr. and Mrs. Cook are in the best of health and the visit of the family to the city has been the occasion of much pleasure to the many friends.

LABOR DAY IN OMAHA

From Tuesday's Daily.

There was the usual Labor day celebration in Omaha yesterday, including the parade of union work-

men that is an annual feature. All of the men with the exception of part of one local of the boilermakers' union are now employed, they having been out on a strike for some time. With the exception of a few banners decreeing this or that firm as being unfair to organized labor, no demonstration of the unusual sort was indulged in. Following the big parade of the morning, a union labor picnic and celebration was held at Krug park, and there were among other amusements, a double-header in the Western league, together with numerous amateur games over the city. Generally, it was observed among laboring men of the metropolis as a day of rest rather than one of hilarity.

CLOSE CALL FROM LOSING HIS CAR

Stolen Cadillac Located at Edge of Town, where Thieves Evidently Had Planted It.

From Tuesday's Daily.

Friday morning E. A. Hoyle, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. John Jess, of this city, arrived in Plattsmouth to pay the family a visit while enroute from Lincoln to Chicago and made the trip here in his new Cadillac auto, which is valued at several thousand dollars. Mr. Hoyle left the car standing parked near the Jess home on South Sixth street on Friday night as it was desired to use it Saturday and the auto was seen and sound in the morning when the family awoke, but when this was repeated on Saturday night, Mr. Jess on arising Sunday morning discovered that the high priced machine had disappeared. Mr. Jess and Mr. Hoyle at once started a search for the missing machine and after about an hour Mr. Hoyle located it down near the south end of the Burlington shop yard where it had been run and from the circumstances it seems as though someone had planted the car there to await a favorable opportunity of making a getaway with it. Two men were noticed lurking in the neighborhood of the Cadillac but fortunately the owner was able to find the car before they made away with it and Mr. Hoyle is shaking hands with himself over the outcome of the affair.

SUFFERS SEVERE INJURY

From Tuesday's Daily.

Yesterday, while playing around a corn sheller at the home in the northern part of the city the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Knoflick, met with a very serious and painful accident in having the ring finger of the left hand caught in the sheller and severely lacerated. The injured member was given medical attention and the little sufferer made as comfortable as possible, but it is not known whether the injured finger can be saved or not as it may be necessary to amputate the finger.

ISSUES MARRIAGE LICENSE

From Tuesday's Daily.

A marriage license was issued today to Mr. George W. Comer and Miss Genevieve Pell, both of Union. The young people are both well known in the southern portion of the county, where they were born and reared. The young man is a son of Mrs. Luvenia Comer and has just recently returned from service overseas with the army. The bride to be is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Pell, one of the prominent families of that locality and a lady well and favorably known throughout that portion of the county. The young people will be married today at the home of the bride's parents.

PURCHASES NEW HOME.

From Tuesday's Daily.

George Mark and wife of Weeping Water were in the city today for a few hours looking after some business matters and calling on their old friends in the county seat. Mr. Mark has just purchased a fine new home in Weeping Water that has been fitted up in strictly modern fashion and makes a fine residence for this worthy couple. Mr. Mark has just returned from Grant, Nebraska, near where he has land interests and will now make his home in Cass county in the future.

LABOR DAY APPROPRIATELY OBSERVED

IN PLATTSMOUTH YESTERDAY—AN OCCASION ENJOYED BY EVERYONE.

PARADE OF UNION WORKERS

At Nine O'Clock in Morning, Followed by Picnic and Sports Held in Sage's Grove.

From Tuesday's Daily.

The day set apart by the nation in honor of those who toil was most fittingly observed in Plattsmouth yesterday, when for the first time in the history of the city union labor predominated in the features of the day and the employees of the Burlington who arranged and planned the celebration certainly deserve a great deal of credit for the beautiful floats used in the parade as well as for the splendid turnout of the representatives of the different locals of the city and the interesting and elaborate program arranged at the picnic grounds. The federation committee which has had charge of the arrangements for the celebration has been busy for the past two weeks in planning for the event and the result has been one which they can well be proud of in every way.

The day dawned fair and bright and the coolness of the autumn air made it an ideal day for the observance of labor's day of honor and permitted the large crowd to fully enjoy to the utmost the pleasures of the occasion.

The streets for some time before the scheduled start of the parade were crowded by the interested sightseers awaiting the appearance of the floats and the union labor representatives. The parade moved from the shops at 9:15 proceeding north on Third street to Main and thence west to Fifth street and along the line of march the streets and sidewalks were filled with the spectators eager for a glimpse at the artistic floats which the different crafts had prepared for the big event. The line of march was headed by A. F. Braun, president of the Plattsmouth federation as marshal of the day and followed by his aides, C. A. Johnson and Frank Sebatka. The Burlington band followed, heading the long line of marching toilers and the array of floats. Each of the different departments of the shops were in line with a float representing some branch of their trades and the work of the boys in preparing the floats was shown in the excellent results secured. The speakers of the day and members of the commercial club, representing a large number of the business firms of the city were in the line of march as were the shop foremen of the different departments of the Burlington shops. The first of the series of floats was that of the Brotherhood of Machinists which showed a small machine shop in full operation and the machinists busily engaged in turning out their line of work. After this union and their float came the blacksmiths, who had a real exhibition of blacksmithing going on the float and the followers of the craft received many words of commendation for their float from the lines of spectators. The Amalgamated Sheet and Metal workers with their real live tin shop in operation were a feature of the parade as was also the display made by the Brotherhood of Carmen who had three very fine floats in the parade. The coach shop, painters and upholstery departments were represented by a miniature passenger coach filled with a bevy of little girls while the freight car repair department had a box car true to life as their emblem in the parade and was followed by the steel car men with one of the miniature steel cars representing their trade craft. Not the least of the handsome floats shown was those of the clerks and pencil pushers as well as the maintenance of ways. In the first the lady clerks at the local shops were busily engaged in their work as stenographers and were followed by the men who

are employed in the shop offices as clerks. The maintenance of ways including the supply department, section workers and bridge carpenters had a very clever float representing the work of the men who keep the railroad lines in running order.

Throughout the line of march the banners carried by the representatives of the railroad workers urged the Plumb plan adoption as the worker's bill of rights and also carried the worker's appeal for a lower cost of living or a wage increase.

Throughout the parade was a great success and the turnout of labor unions was the greatest seen in the city for many years and the first time that the railroad employees have appeared in line as union organizations. The local of the barbers were also represented in the line of march and while not represented by a float were there with the spirit of unionism.

The features at the picnic grounds were varied and proved the point of enjoyment to several thousand who visited there during the afternoon and evening. The spot selected was one that by nature was fitted for a gathering of this kind as there was ample shade for all and the grass formed a resting place for the weary ones. In the forenoon addresses were delivered by Mayor H. A. Schneider, District Judge J. T. Begley and Rev. A. V. Hunter, in which the purpose and aims of the laboring interests of the country were lauded by the speakers. The Burlington band also furnished a number of selections.

The program of the afternoon was filled with many interesting features including addresses by Attorney C. A. Rawls and Attorney A. L. Tidd, who in their remarks covered a review of the Plumb plan of ownership of the railroads of the United States and the rights of the laboring interests for a just share of the products of their toil. The addresses were listened to with the greatest of interest by the thousands present at the grounds and afforded the public an insight into the plan proposed for the turning of the railroads of the country over to the men who have made them possible through their labor.

The sporting events of the day were inaugurated by a wrestling match between John Maurer of the paint shop and Edgar Boggs of the machine shop in which the result was declared a draw on the third fall as neither man was able to pin the shoulders of his opponent to the mat for the necessary fall. In the opening Maurer in four minutes threw Boggs for the first fall but in turn was pinned by Boggs in two minutes. In the third set of the drama the boys wrestled for thirty minutes without a fall and the prize of \$10 was divided between the men. The match was good throughout and showed much skill and science on the part of the participants. As a curtain raiser two young lads were introduced and in about ten minutes young Lee was declared the winner having pinned his opponent twice in that length of time.

In the fat men's race W. R. Egenberger grabbed off the prize money, \$3.00.

The men's free for all race resulted in Ward Patton capturing the first prize, \$3; while Guy Murray was second and won the \$2 offered for the runner up.

In the girls' under 15 race, Catherine Burbridge won the \$2.

The ladies race was one of the most interesting of the sporting card of the afternoon and was won by Miss Maxine Draper, 1st prize, \$5; while Miss Leola Hackenberg won the second prize, \$2.

The three legged race featured by a number of entries was fun producing and in this event Guy Murray and C. R. Hickson won the first money \$5, while Ward Patton and John Schwartz came under for second prize, \$2.

In the boys under 15 years race Charles Wooster came across a winner and was given \$2.

The lean man's race proved a soft proposition for C. R. Hickson who drew the prize, \$3.

The potato race in which much spirit and rivalry was shown by the participants and Ward Patton got away with the first prize, \$3, while C. R. Hickson was given the second prize, \$2.

The sack race resulted in C. R. Hickson securing the \$3 offered as a prize.

In the standing broad jump, Ev-

A GOOD BALL GAME SUNDAY AFTERNOON

BUT THE ONE YESTERDAY—OH, ME; OH, MY!—WHAT A FARCE IT WAS.

RED SOX SPLIT WITH VISITORS

Copping First by Score of 2 to 1 and Losing Second 11 to 1—Home Run by Atkinson.

From Tuesday's Daily.

The opening of the two game series with the Morris Packing company team of Omaha at the local base ball lot on Sunday resulted in a victory for the Red Sox by the score of 2 to 1 and the game was one of the fastest and best that has been pulled off during the season. The work of the Sox was excellent, both in the fielding and sticking and the venerable infielders grabbed off the hits of the visitors in great shape and aside from a wild throw of Gradoville to second the defense of the Sox was air tight and held the packing house crew safely. The work of Atkinson in the box was as usual, all to the good, and but two hits were secured off his delivery, while the locals were able to gather some clean hits off of Woodrow, the Omaha thrower, one of which was a two sacker by Gradoville, the fast backstop of the Sox.

In the opening inning Smith was hit by Woodrow and sent to first sack, advancing to second on the hit of Christie. Mason hit safe to the left garden, scoring Smith.

In the visitors' half of the second inning Denny was safe at first on an error by Christie and when Edna Gradoville overthrew to second the runner reached third and scored on the throw in from center field.

The sixth inning of the game gave the Sox the needed run for victory, as the result of the two hagger of Gradoville to the center garden and when McCauley reached first on the hit to center which was fumbled, Eddie came over with the winning run.

The Tables Turned Yesterday

The game yesterday afternoon was as far removed from that of the previous day as was possible to be as it was from start to finish a walk-away for the Packers and resulted in the downfall of the Sox by a score of 11 to 1, and it was mighty lucky that it was not a shutout for the locals as while they were able to hit Hiatt, the Packer's southpaw, they were unable to register at the plate with the badly needed runs and but for the home run of Atkinson in the eighth inning, would have retired scoreless.

The visitors scored in the opening half of the game in such strength that the locals had no possible chance of overcoming their lead. Two runs were picked off in the first, one in the second, three in the fourth, and in the fifth the Packers cleaned up a total of five scores and thereafter were on easy street so far as victory was concerned and gathered up the big end of the \$24 gate receipts.

Erret Rucker with a jump of 11 feet carried away the money, \$3.

The tug of war between the machinists and the steel car shop resulted in a victory for the husky lads of the steel car shop and as a trophy of the occasion each team received a box of cigars.

The greased pole event was not as successful as had been anticipated and it was decided to abandon this portion of the program and substitute a foot race for the young boys in which Russell Wasley won first prize, \$3; Blythe Koubec won second prize, \$2.50, and Howard Dwyer, third prize, \$2.

In the evening the lovers of dancing were given the fullest opportunity of enjoying themselves on the fine dance platform prepared and here the Eagle orchestra rendered the most pleasing dance music.

Wall Paper, Paints, Glass, Picture Framing. Frank Gobelman.

SHERIFF QUINTON SICK

From Tuesday's Daily.

Sheriff C. D. Quinton for the past few days has been confined to his home, having been suffering from an attack of hay fever as well as a very severe gathering in his head, which has been such as to confine him to his bed for the greater part of the time. The sheriff has not been feeling the best for several weeks, but fought off the sickness as long as possible before he was compelled to give up his active duties and retire to his home, but he is now quite sick and it will be some time before he is able to be up and around.

JOHN CORY MEETS WITH IRATE BULL

Suffered Fractured Rib and Other Serious Bruises and Injuries as Result of Attack.

From Tuesday's Daily.

Saturday evening while John Cory of the Perkins house, was engaged in looking after the care of the stock on his farm east of the Burlington station, he met with a most serious encounter with one of the animals, and as a result he will be on the non-active list for some time. It seems that Mr. Cory had cut some fodder for the use of the pigs, which are allowed to run loose in the pasture and he had climbed over the fence to feed the fodder. As he was turning around, he was struck by a young bull that is allowed the freedom of the pasture, and knocked down. The animal, seemingly infuriated, attacked Mr. Cory and inflicted a number of serious injuries before the injured man was able to extricate himself from the dangerous position in which he found himself, being pinned to the ground by the animal.

To secure his safety, Mr. Cory was compelled to draw his pocket knife and stab the infuriated bull several times to get the animal to desist from its efforts to horn and trample him. After the animal had been driven off, Mr. Cory was able to reach the hotel, where he received medical attention and the injuries were dressed.

RECITAL A SPLENDID SUCCESS.

From Tuesday's Daily.

The musical students of Miss Olive Gass at Pacific Junction gave a very pleasing recital at that place on Saturday which was one that reflected the greatest credit upon the young people taking part. The program of twenty-four numbers was in the nature of a "Victory" program consisting of military marches, soldiers' songs, and was presented before a very large audience of the parents and friends of the young people. The work of Miss Gass at Pacific Junction has been very successful and the large class of students have secured splendid musical training through the efforts of their instructor.

For tasty printing you can't go wrong in having the Journal office turn out your job.

TO SAIL FOR ARMY SERVICE IN FAR EAST

1ST LIEUT. FLOYD HARDING, WIFE AND CHILD DEPART TOMORROW FOR CHINA.

TRIP WILL TAKE TWO MONTHS

Stops Will Be Made at Honolulu, and Philippine Islands for a Few Days Enroute.

From Saturday's Daily.

Lieutenant Floyd Harding and wife, formerly Miss Edith Dovey of this city, accompanied by their little child, depart tomorrow from this city for San Francisco, Cal., from where they expect to sail for the far east where Lieutenant Harding has been ordered for service with the American section of the international troops stationed at Tientsin, China, the approach to Peking. The trip is one that will require two months to complete the trip. Stops will be made at Honolulu and at Manila, Philippine Islands for a few days enroute and the transport is scheduled to reach the Chinese station in October. The friends of Lieutenant and Mrs. Harding regret very much to part with them and especially as they are to be stationed so far from the home in the states. Lieut. Harding has been stationed at Fort Leavenworth, since his transfer from Fort Crook in the summer of 1918, and has just been relieved from the Kansas post to take up the far eastern duties.

Tientsin, where the lieutenant is to be stationed is one of the points of entry to the city of Peking, capital of China, and since 1900 at the time of the Boxer rebellion, has been internationalized by occupation by troops of the United States, England, France and Japan, who have been stationed there to prevent anti-foreign demonstrations such as characterized the Boxer outbreak. The post is one of great importance and a large number of officers of the allied armies are stationed there with their families making it quite an important post. This station is also not far from the Shantung province of China which is now the matter of dispute between China and Japan.

SECURES NEW TEACHER.

From Tuesday's Daily.

The board of education has closed a contract with Miss Gladys Cadwell of Arcadia, Nebraska, to take up the work as instructor in commercial and business course in the high school. Miss Cadwell comes very highly recommended to the board of education and is a graduate of the Hastings Business college where she has studied for a number of years.



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