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JURY DRAWN FOR NOVEMBER TERM

Clerk of the District Court Selects Men Who Will Serve on Jury at the Coming Term of Court.

From Friday's Daily.
Yesterday Clerk of the District Court James M. Robertson drew the names of the men who will serve as members of the jury panel for the November term of the district court which convenes in this city on November 17th. The names were selected from those submitted by the county commissioners and consist of the following:

W. G. Boedeker, Murray, Arthur Bornemeier, Elmwood precinct.
George Born, Plattsmouth.
John Busche, Eight Mile Grove.
Frank F. Buttery, Plattsmouth.
Walter Byers, East Rock Bluffs precinct.
Frank Claus, Plattsmouth.
J. I. Fitch, East Rock Bluffs.
Frederick J. Fornoff, Eight Mile Grove.
Emmett Friend, Greenwood.
Geo. M. Hild, Plattsmouth.
John Ledgway, Plattsmouth.
M. McFall, Tipton precinct.
Fred Muenchau, Elmwood.
J. R. Noyes, Louisville.
George Oberle, Jr., Tipton precinct.
Wallace Philpot, Mt. Pleasant precinct.
H. R. Schmidt, Elmwood precinct.
Henry Schoemaker, Nehawka.
John C. Spangler, Louisville.
Bruce Stone, Nehawka.
George Stoner, Weeping Water.
T. W. Swan, Union.
W. A. Taylor, Union.

NO IMMEDIATE CUT IN TRAIN SERVICE

Western Roads Will Continue Their Present Schedules at Least for Another Week Longer.

From Friday's Daily.
Railroad managers of the central western region in conference have decided that there will be no cut made in the train service of these roads before some time next week, and then only in the event that there is no show of settlement of the coal strike.

A number of the eastern roads have made changes in their schedules to cover the dropping of a number of trains from service in order to conserve the coal supply. If the strike continues without signs of abatement it will be up to the western roads to make a little move. The cutting of train service will serve to greatly increase the travel by automobile between short distances throughout the country.

DEATH OF MRS. N. H. ISBELL TODAY

Passed Away This Morning at Her Home West of the City After Illness of Several Weeks Duration.

From Thursday's Daily.
This morning at her home just west of the city Mrs. N. H. Isbell passed away after an illness of several weeks duration, having been gradually failing in health for several months and during the past two weeks her condition became such that it was recognized that her recovery was impossible and she has been gradually sinking in the past two days until death came to relieve her of her suffering this morning at 10 o'clock. During her long residence in this city and vicinity the departed lady has made many warm friends who will regret deeply to learn of her passing and share with the bereaved husband and mother and brothers and sisters the grief that the visit of the death messenger has brought to them. The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home west of the city and will be conducted by Rev. A. V. Hunter of the Methodist church. The body will be laid to rest in Oak Hill cemetery.

Jessie Fremont Beeson was born June 20, 1860, at Hillsboro, Ohio, where her parents, Allen Beeson

and wife were then making their home and she spent her childhood in that locality, later coming with the parents west to Iowa, where for a short time they resided at Red Oak, and in 1878 the family came to Cass county and settled in the north portion of Plattsmouth where for many years, the parents of the departed. Mr. and Mrs. Beeson, made their home. It was in this city on April 21, 1881, that Miss Beeson was united in marriage to N. H. Isbell, and since that time they have made their home in this community. To mourn her death Mrs. Isbell leaves the husband and two foster children, John Isbell, serving in the navy and Walter, residing at the home here, as well as the mother, Mrs. Eliza Beeson, four brothers and one sister, Frank Beeson, Alliance, Nebraska; Judge Allen J. Beeson, Plattsmouth; Charles Beeson of Columbus, Ohio, and John Beeson and Mrs. Herbert H. Cotton of Plattsmouth.

Of a quiet and retiring nature the departed lady has passed her years of life in our community without show or ostentation, but in her daily life carrying out the highest teachings of the Christian life, of kindness to those with whom she came in contact, and to those friends who knew her best her loss comes as a very severe blow.

A. O. U. W. HAVING MORE TROUBLE

Nebraska Grand Lodge Appeals to Supreme Court to Prevent Iowa Grand Lodge From Taking Over Nebraska Members.

From Friday's Daily.
The grand lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen of the state of Nebraska has filed in the state supreme court at Lincoln an appeal from the district court of Douglas county, in which the Nebraska lodge seeks to prevent the grand lodge of the Iowa Jurisdiction from carrying on business in the state of Nebraska. The Nebraska grand lodge alleges that the Iowa grand lodge has excluded members from a building in Omaha formerly used by the Nebraska membership and has enticed Nebraska members to join the Iowa Jurisdiction. An appeal for an injunction to deny the Iowa lodge the right to do these things was denied by the district court of Douglas county and the case has been carried to the higher court in the hope of securing relief.

ENTERTAINED AT DINNER PARTY

Mrs. Gladys McMaken Taylor of Wymore, Hostess at Pleasant Event Wednesday at Home of Parents.

From Friday's Daily.
On Wednesday evening a very pleasant 7 o'clock dinner party was held at the handsome home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McMaken at which their daughter, Mrs. Gladys Taylor of Wymore, was hostess to a number of her friends. The dining room was very charmingly arranged in a color scheme of yellow, yellow chrysanthemums forming the centerpiece and decorations of the handsome dining room. The dinner was a very pleasant one of three courses and most thoroughly enjoyed by the members of the party. Mrs. J. H. McMaken and Miss Fern Noble assisting the hostess in entertaining and serving. After the delights of the dinner the young ladies spent the evening very agreeably in the playing of Five Hundred, at which Miss Bernese Newell proved the most skillful and was awarded the prize. Plates were laid for eleven at the dinner, the guests being Misses Margaret Scotten, Helen Egenberger, Glenn Dixon, Elsie Hoberg, Golda Noble, Lydia Todd, Opal Fitzgerald, Bernese Newell, Messdames Henry C. McMaken, Louis Egenberger, Jr., and the hostess Mrs. Taylor.

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PERKINS HOUSE IS ROBBED YESTERDAY

Young Men Residing at Hotel Suffer Loss of Valuable Gold Watch and Small Sum of Money in Raid.

From Friday's Daily.
Last evening when Elmer Jennings and Bert Shaddock, two young men residing at the Perkins House, returned from their work at the shops they had occasion to go to their room to change clothes and thereupon discovered that some one had beat them to the room and made away with a part of their worldly possessions, the loss of which will aggregate in the neighborhood of \$50. The chief loss was experienced by Mr. Jennings who had left his gold watch in the room on Wednesday evening and failed to take it with him to work yesterday morning. The watch was a twenty-one jewel timepiece and was especially valued as a gift from his family. Mr. Shaddock was relieved of a small amount of money which had been left in his clothing and which amounted to between \$3 and \$4.

As soon as the loss of the property was discovered the matter was reported to the police and Chief of Police M. E. Manspeaker and Patrolman Henry Trout were called to the hotel to investigate the case and if possible secure some trace of the parties committing the crime.

No definite trace was found of the stolen property but it is thought to have been the work of parties who have been staying at the hotel in the past few days but who suddenly departed for other parts and apparently the property of the other guests departed also. One of the young men suspected in the case left yesterday for parts unknown and this leads to the suspicion that it may be the cause of the missing watch and money.

This is merely one of a series of small thefts that has occurred from the rooms in the hotel as many of the parties staying there have failed to keep their doors locked and as a consequence have had their rooms frisked by some of the floating guests, who then make their getaway.

OFFICIAL RETURNS OF THE ELECTION

Ernest M. Pollard Wins by Majority of 850 Over A. L. Tidd—Bonds Defeated by 560 Votes.

From Thursday's Daily.
The official count of the votes cast at Tuesday's election was completed today, and gives the final result of the election.

On the vote for delegate to the constitutional convention from the seventh district, comprising Cass county, Ernest M. Pollard received 1,435 votes against 585 cast for A. L. Tidd of Plattsmouth. The majority of Mr. Pollard is 850. In the vote on delegate in the eighth district, W. H. Pitzer, of Nebraska City was unopposed and secured a vote of 1,439.

The bridge bond proposition received 771 votes for the bonds and 1,331 against, a majority of 560 against the issuance of the \$190,000 for the building and repairing of the bridges.

FUNERAL OF JACOB MEISINGER IS HELD

Services at St. Paul's Church Largely Attended by Relatives and Friends of Grand Old Man

From Thursday's Daily.
The funeral services of Jacob Meisinger were held in this city yesterday at St. Paul's Evangelical church and were very largely attended by the host of old friends who gathered to tender this last token of respect and esteem to the kind friend and neighbor who had made his home with them for almost half a century. It was an occasion of sorrow that the community parted with one who had been so instrumental in the life of the county for so many years and in their grief the members of the family have the deepest sym-

pathy of the host of friends throughout the county.

The services at the church were conducted by Rev. Robert Kunsendorf, pastor of the Eight Mile Grove church, who spoke at some length in German of the lessons that the life of the departed had taught and the hope and comfort that the Christian found in the living of a perfect life that their end might bring to them everlasting life in the light of the Master and Savior.

Rev. J. H. Steger, pastor of St. Paul's church, spoke briefly in English, dwelling on the long acquaintanceship with Mr. Meisinger and the splendid results that he had attained in his life time in the development of a simple and straightforward honesty that had made him a place in the community which would be hard to fill. He spoke feelingly to the grandchildren of the departed of the splendid life of the grandfather and the example that his life would be to them in the years to come as they entered on the battles of life.

During the service the choir of the church rendered one of the old German hymns, at the close of the service singing "Asleep in Jesus."

The body of the departed was laid to rest in Oak Hill cemetery, the pall bearers being relatives of Mr. Meisinger, Adam Meisinger, G. G. Meisinger, P. P. Meisinger, John Meisinger, Jacob and Harry Meisinger.

LINCOLN YOUNG LADY IS MARRIED

Miss Ethel Critchfield, Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bird Critchfield Former Residents Here

From Thursday's Daily.
The marriage of Miss Ethel Critchfield, daughter of Mrs. Bird Critchfield of Lincoln to Dr. R. D. Green of Beaver City, Nebraska, took place Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's brother, Don Critchfield, 2535 P street, Lincoln.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. H. H. Harmon and witnessed by the immediate family. A reception followed for relatives and intimate friends. Decorations in the living room and reception hall were yellow and white chrysanthemums and pink roses were used in the dining room. Mrs. Harry Hough and Mrs. Edward O. Miller, who were in charge of the dining room, were assisted by Miss Helene Morris, Mrs. C. I. VanPetten, Miss Cecil Younker and Miss Myrtle Rapp.

The bride is a graduate of the University school of music in the class of 1916. Dr. Green received his A. B. degree from the University of Nebraska in 1913 and his M. D. degree from the Jefferson Medical college of Philadelphia.

Dr. Green is now associated with Dr. F. A. Brewster of Beaver City, Nebraska. After a short trip to Colorado, Dr. and Mrs. Green will be at home in Beaver City.

VETERAN MERCHANT MAY RETIRE SOON

E. Sturzmegeer, of South Bend, Seriously Contemplating Stepping Down and Out.

From Friday's Daily.
E. Sturzmegeer, the veteran South Bend merchant who has for many years been engaged in the mercantile business in that pretty little town is seriously considering retiring from an active business life and enjoying a few years of rest. He has just recently returned from Canada, where he has extensive land interests and has found that the dry weather did considerable damage to his wheat crop, but a fair yield was secured.

Mr. Sturzmegeer expects to turn his South Bend store over to his son, who is well known throughout the state as one of the leading figures in athletic sports. He is at present in the east in charge of one of the foot ball teams of a large eastern school, but will return at the close of the season to take up his business career.

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RUNAWAY LADS ARE NABBED TODAY

Three Boys From Paullina, Iowa, Are Gathered In By Police Chief and Await Parents Arrival.

From Friday's Daily.
This morning Chief of Police Manspeaker rounded up three young lads who have been in the city for the past few days and who are wanted at their home at Paullina, Iowa, from where they ran away two weeks ago. The lads have been in Plattsmouth for the past week having arrived in the city on October 30th and registered at the Perkins house where they gave the names of James Chase, Earl and Paul Smith, and their residence as Sheldon, Iowa. The boys made the trip to Plattsmouth in a Ford runabout and the car was stored here while the boys have been at work, one of them working in the store department of the Burlington while the other two have been employed in the country shucking corn at the farms of Oscar Gopen and Glen Perry. The police yesterday received notice of the fact that three boys Marion Jossen, James Hogg and James Cowan, had run away from their homes at Paullina and their parents were very anxious for their return. An investigation of the boys proved them to be the ones wanted this morning they were taken into custody by Mr. Manspeaker and Sheriff Quinton.

From the facts gathered by the police it seems that the car that the boys made their trip in was the property of the father of Marion Jossen, and was taken by the lads for their excursion trip. When arrested the boys stated that they were tired of attending school and desired to strike out for themselves and accordingly reaching this city and finding it looked good they decided to remain here for a time. All three of the boys are quite young, none of them being over seventeen and are neat and well appearing young men.

They will be held here at the city jail pending the arrival of their relatives from O'Brien county, Ia., to take them back home.

SEEK NEW ROAD AT WEEPING WATER

Delegation Visits Court House and Calls on County Board in Interest of New Road Near That City.

From Friday's Daily.
Yesterday afternoon a delegation numbering some twelve of the residents of near Weeping Water and headed by D. M. Myers of the stone quarry company, were in the city and visited the court house in the interests of a new road that is desired to have opened up southeast of that city and in the locality where the stone quarry interests are located. The members of the party pointed out to the board the importance of the road to the residents of that section of the county and the immediate need for the opening up of the thoroughfare. The matter was taken under advisement by the board of commissioners and they will make a trip out to that locality and look over the proposed roadway and if found that the demand warrants the expenditure of the money necessary will have the road opened up.

MEETING OF THE AMERICAN LEGION

Local Post of American Legion Endorses Resolutions Adopted at Meeting in Omaha on Oct. 10.11.

From Thursday's Daily.
At the meeting last evening of Hugh Kearns Post of the American Legion a free and informal discussion of the resolutions adopted by the state convention of the organization, was enjoyed and the opinions of the individual members on the important resolutions were secured. The portions covering the new Morgan bill to provide the securing of funds for purchase of homes and farms for those of the service men desiring to take them

up was discussed as was the matter of the pending legislation in congress covering the granting of bonus to the men who had been in the service of their country during the war. The resolution adopted at Omaha calling for the movement for the expulsion of all aliens who surrendered their first citizenship papers to escape military service was one that brought forth much approval and the action of the state meeting was warmly approved. Aubrey Duxbury, of the local post is one of the Nebraska delegates to the national convention at Minneapolis on November 11-12 and will depart from Omaha Saturday evening with the members of the Nebraska delegations, who are to urge upon the national convention resolutions as similar to those adopted at Omaha last month. The local post has been organized only a short time and feel very well pleased in the recognition given them in the selection of Mr. Duxbury as one of the national delegates.

TEACHERS ATTEND STATE MEETING

Public Schools of City Closed to Permit Teaching Force to Go to State Association Meet

From Thursday's Daily.
The public schools of the city are closed today in order that the members of the teaching force might have an opportunity of attending the convention of state school teachers, which is being held in Omaha this week and is one of the biggest meetings ever held in the history of the association.

A greater part of the teaching force of the schools are in the metropolis today to take part in the meetings and to enjoy the unusually strong program that has been prepared. One of the big subjects of the convention is that of the raising of the salaries of the teachers of the state to something like an adequate standard as compared with other wages given.

For the past two years the wages of the school people have failed to keep pace with the advance made in other lines of wages paid and while their work requires years of preparation and study they are paid far less than unskilled workers at trades and domestic work.

The importance of the work of the school teacher to the community is something that demands that they be given a more adequate compensation for their services and it is one of the moves of the state meeting to secure some working basis for getting a readjustment of this important matter.

CASS COUNTY MEN DRAWN FOR FEDERAL GRAND JURY

From Thursday's Daily.
In the drawing of jurors for the federal court for the Lincoln district held yesterday at Lincoln four Cass county citizens were selected for this service, being called upon to report for duty on November 17th. The men selected are Oliver C. Dovey, Plattsmouth; William Atchison, Elmwood; E. F. Marshall, Weeping Water and J. C. Stevenson, Greenwood.

ANDY SCHMADER IS MAKING SELF KNOWN

Gains Favorable Mention Along With Other Noted Aspirants for the World Championship.

From Friday's Daily.
The Philadelphia Evening Ledger, of October 29th, contained the following which will be read with interest by friends of Andy Schmader, the Louisville boy who is in the east meeting the big fellows in the boxing game:

Enthusiasm in heavyweight competition has been lacking for many years. It is apparent now, however, that a revival of interest in bouts between the big boys is assured. Beginning with December Jack Dempsey will begin his boxing career as the heavyweight champion of the world, and he plans to keep boxing regularly. Of course, if his manager holds out for exorbitant guarantees Jack will be "out of luck" and so will the poor of public because it is a cinch that the fans want to see a lot of Dempsey's fighting.

Heavyweights are beginning to take a new lease in life throughout the country. K. O. (Bill) Brennan, Fred Fulton, Johnny Saxon, Charley Weibert, Al Roberts, Willie Meehan, Andy Schmader, Battling Levinsky, Larry Williams, Carl Morris, Bob Martin and Joe Bonds are only a dozen heavyweights whose names have been mentioned in the last few days for bouts. All of which is rather unusual, for heavyweight matches have been very, very few. Picking an opponent now for Dempsey would start an awful debate. It is hard to select the best of the crop ruled by Jack. But so long as Jack Kearns is fair with purses wanted for Dempsey's services, Jack won't be any idle idol.

Bill Brennan is starting an extensive campaign to prove that he is the top-notch of the heavyweight contenders. Brennan stopped Johnny Saxon in Bayonne, N. J., last night. His next bout will be at Montreal, Canada, with Ralph Brewer as his vis-a-vis and on November 7 Knockout Bill is billed for a bout with Texas Tate in New Orleans and five days later Jack Mason will be the party of the second part in a contest at Shreveport, La.—Louisville Courier.

RETURNS FROM THE HOSPITAL IN OMAHA

From Thursday's Daily.
Mrs. John W. Crabill, who for the past several weeks has been at the Methodist hospital in Omaha, has so far recovered as to be able to return to her home in this city. Mrs. Crabill was operated on for the removal of her tonsils and for a short time was allowed to leave the hospital and remain at the home of her sister, Mrs. Harry Northcutt, but her condition becoming worse she was compelled to return to the hospital and remained there until returning home. The relatives and friends are delighted that Mrs. Crabill has recovered so nicely from her operation and trust that she may speedily be restored to her former good health.

A SERVICE MESSAGE

Are You Interested in a Farm Loan?

This bank has a connection with, and is authorized by the government, to make loans on the amortization plan to farmers and landowners. If you want to take up your old mortgages or develop your farm, now is the time to do it. Through the Joint Stock Land Bank, we can lend you any amount up to 50% of the value of your land and 20% of the value of the improvements thereon, repayable in 33 years, but optional after five years. If you borrow on the amortization plan you save trouble and expense of renewal. You have no uncertainty about interest rates. Further details in regard to this kind of farm loans will be given on application to any of our officers.

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