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Pearl Albin departed a few days ago for Grant where he will work during the coming summer.

A. E. Nottingham, who has been living on the Sylvester Hathaway place, moved to a farm northeast of Union last week, where he will till the soil this summer.

Miss Jessie Todd, who has been sick at her home for some time past, is reported as being somewhat improved and with hopes of soon being up and around again.

H. H. Becker, with his force of workmen, went to the home of Eli M. Smith last Monday, where he threshed the last summer's harvest of small grain that had remained in stack all through the winter.

J. W. Amick, who has been visiting in Kansas for several weeks returned to his home northwest of Murray last Monday, stopping here for some time after having visited at Weeping Water for a few days.

A. H. Austin was a visitor at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Henry Giguere of Lincoln a few days ago, and enjoyed a very pleasant time, taking in a number of good shows while there, to say nothing of the basket ball tournament of which sport Mr. Austin is a lover.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Newell, of Omaha, where the former is engaged in the dental business, were visiting in Union several days during the past week, being guests of the home of Miss Jessie Todd and at the home of Oregon Dodge, former friends. They returned to their home in the metropolis the first of the week.

Fred Clarke, with the assistance of Henry Vest, moved from Union to his farm northwest of Union the first part of the week.

Rue Frans, of the Frans Bros. Lumber Co., was a visitor in the county seat last Monday, looking after some business matters for a few hours.

Lee Farris, who has been living on the S. O. Cole farm northeast of Union, has moved to his own place, being the 40-acre tract east of town which he recently purchased of John Chalfant.

The members of the Primary and Junior leagues of the Methodist church were entertained at the parlors of the church last Thursday, enjoying a very pleasant time notwithstanding the inclement weather.

Miss Cleome Farris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Farris, is confined to her bed, at the home of her grandparents, C. F. Harris and wife, with inflammatory rheumatism from which she is suffering greatly although not nearly so much as when first attacked by the malady.

E. B. Chapman went to Plattsmouth Monday to serve on the jury panel for the current term of district court. He drove up in his car, hoping that he might not be drawn for service on the opening case and he could return home in the evening. But his hopes went aground as his name was announced as one of the twelve good men—tried and true—to render judgment in the first case up.

C. H. Leach has rigged himself up a drag saw which he runs with a gasoline engine for sawing wood and is making the wood fly.

Joseph Everett was a passenger to Nebraska City last Monday morning, where he looked after some business matters for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Derwood Lynde spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Lynde's parents at Nebraska City, returning home Monday evening.

N. C. Klepper, of near Weeping Water, was a visitor in Omaha last Monday, stopping for a short time in Union while on his way.

Vernon Gish and family, of Nehawka have moved to the Will Albin farm east of Union, where he will farm the coming summer.

Albert Hill, son of Joseph Hill, who was so sick with pneumonia, is so far recovered that he is able to return to his studies at school.

Robert Willis, the garage man, was a visitor in Omaha last Monday, where he was looking after some business matters for the day.

Miss Fern Bryan and Mr. Ernest Davis, of Nebraska City, were visitors over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Frans and family.

G. W. Cheney and wife were visiting with friends and looking after some business besides attending the Auto show at Omaha last Friday.

Orville McQuinn, who has been making his home in Otoe county for some time past, has moved to Union and will farm in the neighborhood in the future.

George Hansen, of near Nehawka, was a visitor in Union for a short time last Monday while on his way to Plattsmouth to look after some business matters.

Mont Robb spent last Sunday in Union with the home folks, departing Monday for the south to look after some business for the Haynes Grain company, of Omaha.

Messrs. Miller and Gruber, of Nehawka, passed through Union on last Monday with one of their burial vaults, which they were taking to a cemetery east of town.

J. H. Brown, from north of this place, departed last Monday afternoon for Nebraska City where he went to look after some business matters for a short time.

Miss Nettie McCarroll, who is attending the state normal school at Peru, was a visitor at home last Friday and Saturday, returning to her studies Saturday evening.

E. R. Carroll, who has been making his home near Nehawka for the past year or more, has moved to Union, and will farm the John Chalfant place the coming summer.

A medicine show is booked for Union all this week, beginning with free exhibitions during the fore part of the week and the collection of an additional fee the latter portion.

Miss Verna Harris, who is employed at Nehawka, was a visitor at home over the week end, spending Sunday with her sister, Mrs. George H. Shradler and husband, and having a very pleasant time.

Charles Hill was a business visitor to Murray last Monday, where he was called on some matters of business. Mr. Hill and parents will farm one of the farms of Mrs. Rose Kendall the coming summer.

Rev. R. W. Dixon, of the Immanuel Baptist church of Lincoln was a visitor in Union last Tuesday and delivered a very interesting address at the gathering of the W. C. T. U. at the home of Mrs. L. Morrison.

John Bourke, formerly of Weeping Water, but who has recently moved to Omaha, and Henry Meyers, of Weeping Water, were visitors in Union for a short time last Monday, while on their way to Omaha.

Sol Tipton, of Palmyra, who was formerly employed in the garage of Robert Willis, but who has not been working since last fall, accepted a position with his former employer and began work again last Monday.

W. L. (Deacon) Stein has just completed picking his last year's corn crop, and now has safely stored away some 500 bushels of extra fine corn, much drier and better than if it had been in the crib all winter.

Mrs. Merritt Pollard, of Nehawka was a visitor over Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Frans, and was accompanied by Mr. Pollard, he returning to his work while Mrs. Pollard remained for a longer visit.

Charley Kiniry, who has been working for some time at the home of George Sites as well as for J. C. Niday, chopping wood, departed last Monday for Lyons where he will look after some business and will in the near future select a place where he will make his home for the summer.

H. M. Frans was a visitor in the county seat last Monday, called there as a jurist for this term of the district court. Although he was not drawn on the case which was set for hearing last Monday he had to remain and hold himself in readiness for a summons to appear in a following one.

Wm. McCarroll and wife, who have been in the west for some time, spending the winter at Alhambra, California and Toledo, Washington, returned home last Friday morning and found a very different class of weather than that which had prevailed in the west during the winter.

John McCarroll and family spent Sunday with the family, and all enjoyed the visit. While Mr. and Mrs. McCarroll had a pleasant time in the west they were glad to get back home again.

80 ACRES FOR SALE

Eighty acres, 3 1/2 miles northeast of Union, known as the Wm. Albin farm, offered for sale if taken within the next four weeks; large brick house. For further particulars call on J. E. Shradler, Nehawka, Neb.

Joseph Hill, living northeast of Union, has added to his list of reading matter the Semi-Weekly Journal, and will in the future be included among the large family of readers of this paper.

James Lewis, E. E. Leach and A. W. Propet were all visitors in Plattsmouth last Friday, where they attended the wrestling match between Tom Ray, of Omaha, and Frank Schmadler, returning on the midnight train.

Dewey Brittain, of Plattsmouth, arrived in Union last Monday morning and has since been working for the Nebraska Gas and Electric company in the extension of their electrical service from Plattsmouth to this city.

Miss Bessie Robb was a passenger to Wyoming last Monday morning, where she visited with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Robb and little daughter, the latter returning home with Miss Bessie in the evening.

Mrs. W. Rice, of Plattsmouth, who has been visiting in Weeping Water with her daughter, Mrs. John Fitzpatrick, for some days past, arrived from that place last Monday morning and visited with friends in Union during the day, returning to her home in the county seat in the evening.

Charles Ratcliff, who is employed on the J. T. Reynolds farm, was a visitor in Omaha during the past few days, and in returning home stopped over Sunday at the home of Mrs. H. L. Oldham and daughter, Miss Pauline, for a short visit, continuing on his way home Monday morning.

County Commissioner C. F. Harris departed last Monday morning for the county seat, where he was joined by Commissioner J. A. Pitz and Highway Commissioner Vallery, the trio proceeding to Greenwood to meet Commissioner Henry J. Miller, after which they went on a tour of inspection of the highways in that portion of the county.

Chas. Graves Has Sick Spell

Business called Attorney Charles L. Graves to the county seat last Friday, and while he was waiting for his train at the Mo. Pacific depot in Plattsmouth, he was taken suddenly sick with a fainting spell and had to have a physician restore him to such a condition as to be able to return home. He is feeling some better at this time.

Preparing for Class Play

The Junior class have been giving much time and attention to preparation for the class play which they are to give March 26th. The name of the humorous play they have chosen is "And Home Comes Ted."

The Senior class will wait to the end of the school year to give their class play.

Entertained the Intermediates

The Intermediate league of the Methodist church met with Mrs. C. F. Morton at her home last Wednesday, March 3rd, where they were entertained by that lady with games, music and song, which were greatly enjoyed by the young folks. They were entertained as well by a delicious luncheon and on departing all claimed their hostess had proved herself one of the most pleasant of entertainers.

Services at Baptist Church

The first sermon of a series on the "Transfiguration Mount," was delivered last Sunday morning by Rev. J. B. Taylor at the Baptist church, his theme being "The Ascension of the Summit." His able discourse was well received by the large audience in attendance. This coming Sunday he will talk on the subject, "Views of the King."

Visits with Brother Here

Emery Bauer, who has made his home in Minnesota since his return from service in France, went to Florida last fall, where he and his wife spent the winter. On their return last week, they stopped off in Plattsmouth to visit with his brother Frank Bauer and family, staying for a week, and then continuing on their way to their home in the north.

Some Excitement for a Time

About a week ago, while Frank Boggs was hauling a load of straw from west of town on his spring wagon, the straw caught fire in some mysterious manner and for a short time promised a serious ending, but Mr. Boggs, noticing the smell of the burning straw soon was able to pitch off the blazing part of the load with the aid of his trusty pitchfork, and thus save the remainder of the load as well as his wagon. It is said that some one handy with a camera, who happened to see the incident, took some three or four snap shots of the conflagration. It is fortunate that nothing more serious came of the incipient blaze.

Home from the Hospital

David Stewart, who has been in the St. Joseph hospital in Omaha, returned home a few days ago in much better condition than when he went to that place for treatment, but still far from being restored to his former health.

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MORRIS DAMAGE SUIT COMES UP FOR TRIAL

Case of John F. Morris vs. Missouri Pacific Railway on Docket for March Term of Court.

From Tuesday's Daily.

The damage suit, in which John F. Morris, of near Wabash, seeks to recover from the Missouri Pacific railway company in the sum of \$20,000 for personal injuries received while the plaintiff was in the employe of the railroad, was placed on trial yesterday in the district court.

The jury selected to try the case consisted of H. F. Goos, H. E. Steinhauer, George L. Farley, Albert Wheeler, E. B. Chapman, G. G. Marshall, Henry Nolting, C. H. Campbell, G. G. Meisinger, Earl Cole, Ed Hill and Henry Sanders.

This case was tried at the November term of the court, but after a deliberation lasting over two days the jury was unable to reach an agreement and disagreed, placing the case over for trial at the present term.

Morris was a section man on the railroad and it is claimed suffered his injury as the result of defective tools provided by the representatives of the railroad company. Attorney Yale Holland of Omaha and W. A. Robertson, of this city, represent the railroad interests while Matthew Gering appears as the attorney for the plaintiff.

Snow Bound at York

W. H. Porter, who started a short time since for the western part of the state, intending to visit in Chase county and also at Arriba, Colorado, was overtaken by the storm of last week when he reached York and had to stop there until the storm should have blown over.

Village Ticket in the Field

The meeting of the voters of Union in mass convention on last Friday, resulted in the placing in nomination of eight names for the election of village trustees at the coming spring election late this month.

Those selected for the two year term, of whom there are to be three elected, are W. E. Banning, D. R. Frans, C. F. Harris, H. L. Swanson, W. A. Taylor and W. H. Mark, while there is to be one elected, Frank Anderson and Frank Bauer were named as opposing candidates. For village clerk, J. D. Cross and Joe Banning will vie with each other for honors and for treasurer, ladies break into the limelight in local politics, Miss Eva Hathaway and Miss Elsie Taylor being pitted against each other.

The placing in nomination of a double ticket will cause considerable interest to be taken in the election and doubtless result in the casting of a full vote. Every one of the candidates named is most capable and the town will be in good hands, regardless of who gets the most votes at the election.

Made Some Money at Social

Last week under the able direction of Miss Alice Crozier, an excellent program and box supper was given at the school house, which had for its purpose the raising of funds for use in increasing the library in the Union schools.

A most excellent program preceded the sale of the boxes and the large crowd in attendance enjoyed it a great deal.

Miss Bessie LaRue presided at the piano and pleased the audience who joined in on the choruses at the proper time, invoking a spirit of gaiety to the occasion. Miss Frances Bauer sang a beautiful number known as "Supper for Smiles" and Miss Lydia Clark gave a reading, "On the Yukon," which elicited hearty encores and called for a response.

Mrs. J. B. Taylor followed with an excellent reading, "At the Dawning." Professor E. A. Ward then gave some very interesting and pleasing instrumental numbers. Mrs. Taylor and Miss LaRue sang a duet, which called for another. Little Rachel Kendall pleased the audience immensely with her reading, as did also Ina LaRue, they both being recalled by hearty applause. Miss Eva Hathaway also gave a very pleasing reading which was highly appreciated.

The entire program was a very pleasing one, while the sale of boxes netted the committee something like \$33 after the expense had been met. This, together with a small balance in the treasury, makes a neat sum for a beginning to the Library fund.

ELIAS PECK.

The death of this Cass county pioneer, which occurred at Elmwood the evening of March 1st, takes another of the old citizens whose death has caused regret among the many intimate acquaintances of the deceased. The writer having known Mr. Peck when he came to Union about thirty years ago, takes the privilege of adding a few words of merited praise of the many good qualities possessed by this venerable gentleman.

Elias Peck was April 20, 1839, in Trumbull county, Ohio, where he spent his early manhood, going later to the state of Michigan, where he was united in marriage in 1858 to Miss Miranda Root. They were parents of a son and daughter, Charles Peck of Elmwood, and Mrs. Hattie Leach of Union; in the family was also an adopted daughter

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Mrs. Lulu VanDoren. The funeral services were held the afternoon of March 3, and interment in the Elmwood cemetery. The Peck family came here when Union was but a small place, and for several years Mr. Peck was engaged in the livery business, later removing to his farm southeast of Elmwood, and a few years later they became residents of that village. During the time the family resided in Union they were known as conscientious Christian people, and Mr. Peck took active interest in all matters pertaining to the welfare of the community and progress of the town, serving several years as a member of the village council. He was known and praised for his generosity and was a man, who seldom spoke of his troubles if any he had, and we are informed that after he located in Elmwood he followed the same course that made

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