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## ROBT. GOOD-MAN SEVERELY INJURED

MESSAGE FROM HAVELOCK TELLS OF INJURY TO HIM IN BURLINGTON SHOPS

### FATHER SUMMONED TO SIDE

Machine at Which He Was Working Broke and Number of Pieces of Steel Lodged in His Body

From Friday's Daily.  
Last evening the message was received here by B. F. Goodman announcing the probable fatal injury of his son, Robert, which occurred late yesterday afternoon at the Havelock shops of the Burlington, where the young man is employed.  
The message stated that Robert had been injured while working at his machine in the machine shops at Havelock and as a result of the accident five ball bearings from the machine had lodged in his body. Immediately after the accident the young man was hurried to the St. Elizabeth's hospital where an operation was performed in hopes of giving the young man relief. It was found in the operation that the ball bearings had been forced into the body of the young man and caused the puncture of the intestines in five places and the condition of the injured young man was pronounced as very serious and with very few chances for his recovering from the accident.  
The attending surgeons at once summoned the father and this morning Mr. Goodman departed on the first train for Lincoln to be with the son at the hospital and in hopes that he might reach his side before more serious complications follow.  
Robert Goodman has for some time been employed at the Havelock shops where he is completing his trade as machinist and his friends here will learn with great regret of the accident that has befallen him. The injured young man is nineteen years of age and is the oldest son of Mr. B. F. Goodman of this city.

## PRINT PAPER MEN IN GIANT COMBINE

Canadian Manufacturers Declared to Control the Print Paper Market.

Washington, May 12.—A combination of Canadian manufacturers practically controls the print paper market through the Canadian Export Paper, Limited, the senate committee investigating the paper shortage was told today by J. E. Gofelli, sales manager of the Interstate Pulp and Paper company. He asserted that the combination controlled about 75 per cent of the domestic output and that the prices it set were followed by other manufacturers.  
Victor F. Lawson, publisher of the Chicago Daily News, said his experience had been that the Canadian company prevented competition. The News, Mr. Lawson added, was virtually compelled to accept the company's terms in purchasing paper.  
Chairman Reed of the committee said a solution of the paper problem could be reached either through agreement among publishers to curtail paper consumption or through an excise tax on print paper, recommended by Assistant Attorney General Ames. The committee would prefer that the "great papers of the country solve the problem" themselves, the chairman added.  
M. A. Bodenhamer, representing the international typographical union, denied charges recently made before the committee that the union, through its shop chapels, exercised a censorship on labor news.  
"Neither the international union nor any of its locals have ever presumed to control or dictate the editorial policy of the newspapers or periodicals with whom we have business associations", he declared.

## MR. AND MRS. G. L. BERGER OF CALIFORNIA VISITING HERE

From Friday's Daily.  
On Thursday of last week Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Berger arrived here from Orange, California, where they are now making their home and where they have a fine residence property. They expect to remain here until about the last of the month when they will visit at Louisville, Plattsmouth and other points before returning home. Both are looking well and enjoy living in California. However, on their way here they made a visit at Saliday, Colo., Denver and at McCook, Indianola and Farnam. They visited with relatives at all of these places and at the latter place with their son, W. H. Berger and family. They also visited at Lincoln with their daughter, Miss Annie and then came on to Elmwood. Mr. Berger says that while in Colorado they experienced the worst snow storm that they had ever seen in their life and they had seen a good many of them especially during the pioneer days of Nebraska.—Elmwood Leader-Echo.

R. B. Jameson, assessor of Weeping Water precinct, was in the city today for a few hours, making his returns to County Assessor G. L. Farley.

## PHILPOT GARAGE CHANGES HANDS

B. L. Philpot has sold his garage business to a Mr. E. H. Chidderden of Cambridge, Neb., who will take possession as soon as an invoice of the stock can be taken which will start this week.

In the deal Mr. Philpot takes in an improved half section of land near Cambridge.

Mr. Chidderden has a wife and two children and will move here as soon as he can secure a house. He is a man of experience in the garage business and comes highly recommended as to character and business ability. His father and Mr. A. S. Boyle, south of town, were school boys together in Illinois. The Chidderden family have visited the Boyle home here.  
As to what Mr. Philpot will do, he has large land interests in the western part of the state with many acres in crop this year and with the addition of another half section to look after he will not be idle. He will keep his home here for the present at least which we are glad to note as the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Philpot and family would hate to see them move.—Weeping Water Republican.

## YOUNG LADIES CELEBRATE BIRTHDAYS

Misses Edith and Helen Farley and Margarite and Helen Wiles Held Birthday Party.

From Friday's Daily.  
Last evening Misses Edith and Helen Farley and Margarite and Helen Wiles enjoyed a very pleasant observance of their fifteenth birthday anniversary which they will long remember. The members of the birthday party, some sixteen in number, met at the Farley home last evening at 7 o'clock and spent a short time in the enjoyment of "In Old Kentucky" at the Moreland theatre and at the conclusion of the show were taken by J. E. Wiles and Howard Wiles in automobiles to the beautiful country home of Mr. and Mrs. Luke L. Wiles, parents of Miss Margarite, where the remainder of the evening was spent most delightfully.  
The dining room had been arranged in a color scheme of pink, with roses and the pleasant foliage adding a pleasing touch to the scene. At the table in the center of the room amid the snowy linen was placed the traditional birthday cake with its fifteen glowing pink candles. Four tables were arranged around the center piece and here the young folks enjoyed the dainty luncheon served by Mrs. Luke Wiles assisted by Mrs. G. L. Farley, Mrs. S. A. Wiles and Mrs. J. E. Wiles.  
The evening was spent in games and the general enjoyment of a good time until the homegoing hour when the members of the party were returned to their homes. Those enjoying the occasion with the guests of honor were Virginia Beeson, Murna Wolf, Judith Johnson, Bernice Ault, Ethel Warren, Ursula Herold, Marie Hunter, Marvel Whittiker, Mary M. Walling, Grace Livingston, Ethelyn Wiles and Grace Duff.

## DEATH OF GLADYS LYNCH THIS P. M.

Passes Away at Home North of This City After a Weeks' Illness—Was 17 Years of Age.

Miss Gladys Josephine Lynch, who for the past week has been in a very serious condition at the home north of this city, passed away this afternoon at 12:30 as a result of the complications that followed an attack of the measles.  
During the year and a half that the family have made their home in this community, Miss Gladys has made many friends among the young people of the city to whom the announcement of her death comes as a great shock and the loss will be one keenly felt by those who had the pleasure of knowing her.  
The deceased was born in Howell county, Missouri, in 1902 and has spent the greater part of her life there, coming to this city a year and a half ago with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Lynch and the family have since resided here. She leaves besides the heartbroken parents, four sisters and one brother, Mrs. Carrie Gentry, Misses Cora, Elsie and Florence Lynch and Ezra Lynch, the brother.  
The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home on North Eighth street.

## RISE OF MISSOURI BRINGS MORE DANGER

THREE FOOT RAISE IS FOLLOWED BY CARRYING AWAY OF A SECTION OF RIP RAP

### BURLINGTON AGAIN ON THE JOB

Section Men and Material Rushed to Scene in Order to Check the Threatened Danger.

From Friday's Daily.  
Yesterday afternoon the Missouri river took a very hostile turn and as a result the Burlington railroad suffered the loss of a large portion of the rip rap mat on the east side of the river northwest of Pacific Junction and which is still threatening much trouble for the railroad.  
The sudden raise in the river which brought up the height of the water some three feet resulted in the river sweeping down on the Iowa shore with increasing fury and near the place of the former break, the river succeeded in wearing away the rip rap and began the work of eating up the land on the Iowa side of the river.  
The Burlington officials have profited by their experiences of the past few weeks however and were on the job at once with forces of men and material and the work of fighting the force of the current was continued all through last night and the prospects are that the railroad will soon have the wild and turbulent Missouri river in check by tonight or for the present at least have the danger well in hand. The indications point to a still further raise in the river and this brings with it a danger of further trouble as the river is making a determined effort to break through the protecting rip rap and destroying the land that lies along the Iowa bottoms. The river has within the past two months made three breaks in the protecting rip rap that has been put in by the railroad and it seems determined to make a new channel for itself through the Iowa bottom land.

## NEW NAME FOR TOWN

The name "Weeping Water" is such an odd one to those hearing it for the first time that many laughable twists are given it by mistake as people refer to it in conversation or in correspondence. "Weeping Willow" and such names have been used, but the newest one we have heard of is "Whispering Waters."  
This was the name erroneously used by a Minneapolis business firm in writing to a local business man recently.—Weeping Water Republican.

## TIRE THIEF MAKES RAID ON C. M. PARKER

Ford Belonging to Mr. Parker is Stripped of Three of Its Tires by Thief on Thursday Night.

From Saturday's Daily.  
Charles M. Parker, who is the possessor of one of the cars made famous by Henry Ford of Detroit, is short three tires as the result of a visit made in the still hours of Thursday night by some thief who proceeded to strip the car of three good tires, but thoughtfully left the one that was quite badly worn.  
Owing to the heavy rain of Tuesday a small bridge near the residence of Mr. Parker had been washed out and this prevented the car being driven in the garage and it was left standing in the roadway near the residence and during the night the tires were removed. There was no trace as to the party taking the tires and the chances of their recovery is decidedly slim.  
A Ford car is reported to have crossed over the Platte river bridge the same night traveling at quite a high rate of speed and it is thought that the party taking the tires was someone traveling through to the metropolis and who decided to acquire a bunch of tires at a great bargain.  
Robert Shrader, of near Murray, was in the city today attending to some matters of business, and departed on the afternoon Burlington train for Omaha.  
Mrs. M. E. Brantner and little grandson, came in this afternoon from Bender, for a visit at the home of Mrs. Brantner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cory.  
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## SWITCHMAN INJURED

From Friday's Daily.  
Guy Godsey, switchman in the yards, on Tuesday night was struck by a passing car and so badly stunned that his condition seemed serious for a time. A train went to Plattsmouth to get Dr. Livingston to give him medical attention. The train on its return was halted at the Pony Creek bridge west of town because of the flooded track. Dr. Livingston waited the rest of the way to the Godsey home. While no serious injury was suffered, Guy will need to take an enforced vacation.—Glenwood Tribune.

## F. O. E. ELECTS OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR

Meeting Last Night Well Attended and Much Interest—Hope to Get 1921 Aerie Here.

From Friday's Daily.  
Last evening Plattsmouth Aerie No. 365, Fraternal Order of Eagles, held their annual election of officers at the lodge rooms in the Coates block and the meeting was very largely attended by the membership of this thriving organization to participate in its deliberations. The following officers were chosen:  
James M. Cunningham, president; William P. O'Donnell, vice-president; Roy Mayfield, chaplain; B. G. Wurl, secretary; James Rehal, treasurer; William Barclay, trustee; Dr. R. P. Westover, physician; Wm. Moore, inside guard; Wm. Merritt, outside guard.  
As delegates to the state aerie, which meets in Falls City on June 21-22, John P. Sattler and B. G. Wurl were chosen and will take part in the big state meet of the order.  
A committee was appointed from the local lodge to take up the matter of bringing the state aerie to this city in 1921, which will have charge of presenting the proposition to the state meeting should such action be determined upon by the local lodge. Should the state aerie be secured for this city it will mean a great recognition of the splendid aerie of this city which has become one of the leading ones of the state and which has just completed the initiation of a large number of new members and has a great many more awaiting the action of the lodge.

## KNIGHTS TEMPLAR INSTALLATION

OCCASION ALSO SIGNALIZED BY CONFERRING ORDER OF TEMPLE ON SEVEN CANDIDATES

### ENJOY A SPLENDID BANQUET

William A. Robertson Presides Over Feast and Several Other Responses Made.

From Friday's Daily.  
One of the most notable occasions in the history of Mt. Zion Commandery No. 5 Knights Templar, was held last evening at the Masonic temple in this city when the newly elected officers of the commandery were installed and the order of the temple conferred upon seven candidates of the great Masonic fraternity.  
The banquet was held in the dining room of the temple where the tables had been artistically arranged with the decorations of the flowers of the late spring had been assured to beautify the scene. Here the members of the commandery enjoyed a rest following a portion of their work and which served as a pleasant period between the work of the order. The banquet was served by Mrs. F. P. Busch, Mrs. R. W. Knorr and Miss Ellen McCarthy. The menu was one to please the most discriminating taste and enjoyed to the utmost by the membership. The menu was as follows:  
Roast pork Apple sauce  
Brown gravy Mashed Potatoes  
Jute peas in Cream  
Creamed Lettuce  
Dessert  
Ice cream and cake Coffee  
William A. Robertson presided as toastmaster in his usual pleasing manner and the toasts responded to were "The Recruit", Dr. H. C. Leopold; "The Active Command", Dr. Frank L. Cummins; "The Old Guard" by James M. Robertson, one of the officers of the grand commandery of Nebraska. The toast list was thoroughly enjoyed and many words of wisdom on the work of Masonry and particularly of the temple were given by the speakers.  
The work of the commandery was continued following the feast and the officers installed in their various stations as follows: Frank L. Cummins, eminent commander; Luke L. Wiles, generalissimo; Emmons J. Richey, captain general; Fred P. Busch, excellent prelate; Ralph J. Haynie, senior warden; John Bauer junior warden; Philip Thierolf, treasurer; William F. Evers, recorder; John F. Wehrlein, standard bearer; Charles T. Peacock, sword bearer; Emil J. Weyrlich, warden; William Rummel, sentinel.  
The conferring of the order of the temple was then made upon the seven candidates who have advanced along the journey of Masonry to this degree of the order. The members present were unanimous in agreeing that it had been one of the most successful and pleasant gatherings that this order has enjoyed in many a day and will long be remembered by those who were fortunate enough to be present.

## GERMAN THRONE TO BE SOLD

New York, May 13.—The imperial German throne is to be sold here at auction. Household effects of former Kaiser Wilhelm, the former Kaiser and other members of the imperial German family seized from the imperial palaces of Berlin and Munich for unpaid bills after the emperor abdicated and went to Holland, also will be sold under the hammer here, May 22, one of the city's largest art collectors announced. The collection was recently brought here by the purchaser.  
One of the most popular of all the white corn varieties, is planted and well known over the entire corn belt. The grains are quite deep and has a very small cob, carries a very plump uniform shape, and extra good yielder, does well in all kinds of seasons and all varieties of soil. Matures 95 to 110 days. Price \$4.50 to \$4.75 per bushel, for carefully picked, tipped and butted, shelled and graded seed corn. Edward Bartling Seed Co., Nebraska City, Neb.

## WERE MARRIED AT LINCOLN WEDNESDAY

Pearl Royer and Miss Fern Welchel were married at Lincoln Wednesday of this week. These are two of Elmwood's popular people and their marriage comes as a surprise to many.

These are two of Elmwood's young people and are well known to all. Mr. Royer is a son of Mrs. Ammon Royer and Miss Welchel is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Weichel. She is a graduate of the E. H. S. of the class of 1919.

The marriage was performed at the Trinity church at Lincoln at high noon by the Rev. E. N. Tompkins of that church. The bride and groom were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Elliott.

They will make their home on the Royer farm near town. Congratulations from their host of friends are extended to them.—Elmwood Leader-Echo.

## AMERICAN LEGION MEMBERSHIP 'PUSH'

On May 17th Organization of World War Veterans Will Start Campaign for Members.

The American Legion will hold a campaign for new members all next week—May 17-22, inclusive—that will be "different."

The great American public which has been the "drive" in so many intensive efforts of the last several years, has cultivated a fine taste in campaigns. It has come to be able to spot a good drive from one that is poorly handled. It can distinguish points of variety in a campaign, it has become a connoisseur in appeal.


The public, then, will be quick to recognize the essential difference of this American Legion effort.  
In the first place, it is not a drive but a "push." Back in the dim days of the early war, publicity experts borrowed the word "drive" from the slang of the day. Everyone who went out after something fell into the easy habit of calling his campaign a "drive." Then, when it came time for the men who really knew what a war "drive" was to go out after new members for their Legion, they found that the word "drive" was as punchless as a blank cartridge. They had to dig themselves up a new word. So they called their campaign a "push," which is a great deal like a "drive" except that it goes farther in implying relentless effort and resistless force.

A feature that the great general public should be quick to realize is that they, members of the public, will not be called on to contribute anything except good will. Positively no money contributions will be expected or received from them. They will be expected to exhibit their friendship, but not their check-books.  
Only some three million men are eligible to take active benefit of the Legion campaign. The organization now has enrolled more than a million and a half former service men and women, leaving some three million who can belong but who do not.

The "push" then, is aimed directly at this minority. All of the combined efforts of the million and a half of their fellows will be devoted to bringing the absent into the fold. Which means that every legionnaire will have to take on and convince two comrades.  
Only about one man in twenty is eligible to join the Legion. It is perfectly safe to say that hundreds of thousands of loyal Americans would give a good deal if they were eligible, by reason of active army, navy or marine corps service, to come into the Legion. But they cannot and it is only the three million who are privileged to take advantage of the "push."  
But the Legion has no intention of passing up the general public, simply because it is not asking anything from the public. The Legion keenly desires to interest every good American in its "push," because it believes it is to every American's interest to be interested, which is not as ambiguous as it sounds.  
While only one American in twenty may be privileged to come into the Legion, every American must support, in his heart, the Legion's platform, "For God and Country." Leaders in every field of American life have gladly and spontaneously endorsed the Legion's aspirations. It is widely recognized, although less than fifteen months old, as the greatest force for the established order in these United States.  
That the general public feels that this is true is shown by the way prominent citizens have come forward to lend their aid. General Pershing has endorsed the campaign and urged eligible army men to join the Legion. Lieut.-Gen. Robert L. Bullard, commanding the Department of the East, has included the same recognition in general orders.  
Various welfare and civic organizations have endorsed the "push" and have volunteered to lend speakers and equipment to help make it a success. So the general public shows that it refuses to stay out. If a citizen cannot come in himself he intends to do his part to see that the eligible men do come in.

## DOINGS IN COUNTY COURT

The final settlement in the William Taylor estate was had yesterday in the county court as well as the filing of the petition for the determination of heirship in the estate of Mrs. Mattie Gray, deceased. D. O. Dwyer appeared in the Taylor estate as the attorney and J. M. Loyda in the Gray estate matter. Mrs. Gray died in 1905 and the petition is to allow the final clearing up of the estate.  
**MORE COYOTES TURNED IN**  
Lee Stratton of near Weeping Water is the latest to claim the \$3 per head bounty that the state is offering for coyotes and he brought in eight today to the office of County Clerk George R. Sayles to have them accepted. The scalp department of the clerk's office has been worked over time in caring for the various claims filed and the supply of coyotes in the county seem the largest for a number of years.



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