

# Union Department

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UNION NEBRASKA

Rev. Morrison made a business trip to Lincoln Monday.  
Mrs. P. R. Woods of Iowa, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Morrison, left Monday for her home.  
Mr. C. L. Strong and family of Syracuse spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Strong's parent, Rev. Morrison.

L. O. Davis was looking after some business matters in Plattsmouth last Monday, driving up in his car from north of town.  
Attorney A. P. Moran of Nebraska City, was in Union last Sunday, being with and interested in the Nebraska City ball team which played here.

Grant Clarence and wife of Washington, arrived from that state a few days ago, having made the entire distance in their automobile and are visiting friends here.

We are keeping in line with the decrease in the prices of lumber. See W. B. Banning at Union for figures and estimates of costs of building.—Banning & Nickles.

Wesley Woodard of the northwest portion of the county, arrived in Union a few days ago and is visiting at the home of his uncle, Wesley Woodard, Sr., and Mrs. Frank Boggs for a short time.

Miss Angie McCarroll, the accomplished accountant at the bank of Union, is now taking her vacation, spending much of the time at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McCarroll.

Homer Anderson and wife of Omaha, where Mr. Anderson is engaged in the baking business, have been visiting for some time at the home of the parents of Mrs. Anderson in Union, Mr. and Mrs. Mat McQuinn, and also at the home of Thomas and Orville McQuinn.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCarroll and wife, with their daughters, Misses Fannie and Angie, were visitors here over Saturday and Sunday at the home of M. S. Straight and family near Hamburg, Iowa. They drove over in their car Saturday and remained until Sunday evening, and enjoyed the occasion greatly.

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Miss Alice Todd and Letha Porter were spending some time trading at Nebraska City last Saturday.

Ray Frans and mother, Mrs. James Frans, were visiting for a short time at Plattsmouth last Saturday evening.

Ivan Balfour of near Nehawka, was in the city for a short time visiting and looking after some business matters preparatory to threshing.

Miss Mary Foster of Omaha, was a visitor at the home of her parents over Sunday and returned to her work in the metropolis Monday morning.

Glen Kilne, one of the ball team was prevented from taking part in the game Sunday on account of a very sore foot, which persisted in keeping him company.

Wm. Ost of Nehawka, was a visitor in Union for a short time last Monday and while here had the representative of the Journal place his name on the list of readers.

Attorney C. H. Taylor and family of Omaha, were visiting in Union over Sunday and were guests at the home of Mrs. Barbara Taylor and daughter Elsie, and at the home of Earl Keedy.

D. A. Eaton and L. R. Upton drove to Plattsmouth last Monday in Mr. Upton's car, going to secure a car in which to ship wheat, in order that the threshing could be done some time this week.

Mrs. W. B. Banning and Mrs. W. E. Tracey, the latter being a visitor with friends in Union for a short time, were visiting at Omaha last Monday, they going over on the morning train to that city.

Misses Deloris Dysart, Frances Bauer and Bessie LaRue, who are attending summer school at Peru, were all home for a Sunday visit with their folks and returned to their studies last Sunday evening.

Mr. Osborne who has been working at the Missouri Pacific station at Union, departed last Monday afternoon for Plattsmouth, where he will relieve Mr. Wilson, the extra agent, who has to go to Louisville where he will do some special work.

Mrs. Lynn Hamerstrom and son Robert of Omaha, were visiting in Union the guests at the home of Dr. W. M. Barritt for a few days last week and being joined last Sunday by Mr. Hamerstrom, they all returning home Sunday evening.

While it is difficult to secure the needed help for harvest, Joe Banning is not sleeping at the switch by any means, but is out in the field stacking his wheat and has W. H. Marks in the store for the present. Mr. Banning could use a good man for his farm.

Seth Grover and wife of Omaha, were guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Barritt over Sunday and Monday. Mr. Grover and Doctor Barritt were friends while Dr. Barritt was practicing at Omaha years ago. Mr. Grover did not been in Union for some ten years.

The meeting of the W. C. T. U. last week was held at the home of Mrs. J. D. Cross, the occasion being Mothers day, and Mrs. Cross was the leader in the lesson, which was very interesting and enjoyed by all. Mrs. Cross served luncheon to the large number of ladies in attendance who enjoyed the occasion greatly.

Mr. Earl Keedy and wife accompanied by Mrs. Barbara Taylor, were visitors at Plattsmouth last Thursday evening, going to see Mrs. Taylor return home with them, as she had gone to Omaha with her friends Miss Mary Becker, the latter having her tonsils removed and Miss Elsie had come to Omaha on the evening train from that place.

Wayne Lewis and wife came down from Plattsmouth last Sunday and visited at the home of Mr. Lewis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lewis northeast of town, where Mrs. Lewis is visiting for the week while Mr. Wayne Lewis and Mr. Earl Merritt went to Alliance where they both are thinking of filing a claim under the soldiers law, they both serving a long time in France.

Next Sunday's Game.  
The game for next Sunday at Union, will be at the Union grounds and will be between the home team and the Storage Battery team of Omaha. You may look for a good game.

Injures Hand Severely  
While endeavoring to secure a gate which he had just closed and which was fastened with a loop of barbed wire, J. A. Everett had the misfortune to have the wire come loose with one of the sharp barbs, piercing the member through the nail and lacerating the thumb badly. The physician was required to dress the injury and while it is making some progress it has caused him much suffering and loss of valuable time from his work on the farm which is pressing greatly at this time. The injury is at this time showing fair progress but is still very sore.

Speaking of Base Ball Fans  
Yes Union has some and also some of the most pronounced order. They can enjoy a game better than eating, as W. H. Marks said last Monday that he was getting along in years and believed he was getting worse every day as to his liking for base ball. He said he would rather see a base ball game than to eat. Well, we had often wondered why he was no fatter. Some of the ladies are also enthusiasts and their encouragement in the way of showing their appreciation of good plays, gives pep to the playing.

Was Unfortunate in the Game  
David Eaton, who was playing first base last Sunday had the misfortune to receive an injury while playing, a runner of the visiting team striking him on the ankle with a spike in his shoe, which cut a gash of considerable length in his ankle and

which required some five stitches from Dr. W. M. Barritt to close. The wound is getting along very well but will keep David from work for some time.

Here From Colorado.  
D. A. Eaton and family arrived from Arriba, Colorado, where they have been making their home for the past four months and is looking after the harvesting of crop of wheat which he has here. He tells of the country looking fine out there, but the harvest is somewhat later and still is making good progress, the wheat and rye heading out nicely. He with C. F. Morton, will have their wheat trucked to Plattsmouth where they will ship it to market from there.

Entertained Friends for Supper  
Miss Edith Frans, who is employed in Nehawka, was the hostess at a party at the home of her parents, at which she had a number of her friends. The evening was very pleasantly spent and all enjoyed the occasion and convinced that Miss Edith was an excellent entertainer. Those who were present to enjoy the occasion were Miss Verna Howell, Nuton Hansen, Hall Pollard, and a number of friends from Nehawka.

Gave Picnic Last Week  
The ladies of Union all of whom are friends of Mrs. W. R. Bucey, who is spending some time in Union, entertained her as the guest of honor at a picnic held at the home of John Larsh, some miles northeast of Union.

They Think It Great  
The Junior and intermediate as well as the primary league of the Methodist church, were given a treat in the meeting of their societies out in the open last Sunday evening, on account of the warm weather and it pleased them so well that they concluded to hold their meeting in the open for the coming Sunday. Now little folks, will not all of you who can, come and join this meeting of the great big out doors.

Union Nearly Won Game  
For five consecutive times Union has been unfortunate in that one run has stood between them and victory. Sunday the game between Union and Nebraska City had to have the tenth inning in order to get a decision and then to have lost it by one run was too bad. The boys were putting up a strong game, but still they are losing. The line up for yesterday's game which gave Union 5 and Nebraska City 6, was as follows:

Nebraska City—P. Wilcox 2b, McKay 2b, Beason lf, Thomas 1b, P. Faunce cf, W. Wilcox c, Van Winkle ss, Eacret p, O. Faunce rf.

Union—Bob Eaton 2b, Earl Wolfe 3b, Ralph Davis and H. Griffin rf, Dave Eaton 1b, Bruce Wolfe ss, John Hoback lf, John Pearsley cf, John Hathaway c, Fred Kilne p.

Carpenters Pretty Busy Just Now  
The carpenters are very busy in and about Union at this time and are endeavoring to get the work done and well done at that. L. W. Crawford and Joseph Bauers have now under contract four buildings to complete as soon as they can, they being two barns and two cribs for John McCarthy of Otoe county and living near Wyoming. In this bit of work there will be about 108,000 shingles alone to lay.

Something Secured for Old Settlers  
The committees in the field for securing amusements for the old settlers day which is soon to be had at Union, are making good progress and have secured a number of attractions and are certain to have a longer list soon. The 20th Infantry band has been secured for the second day while during the first day there will be the Union band to provide the music. The Union band is making exceptionally good progress, and are in a position to furnish excellent music for the day. There will be two ball games, one of which will be Union vs. Dunbar, and the other is not yet decided. The committee which was in the field for the purpose of securing an airplane have assurance that they will have one in Union for the two days, but have not closed the contract at this writing.

Attended the Bargains Circus  
The campfire girls of Union, chaperoned by Miss Marie Frans, who is acting as assistant guardian on account of the fact that Miss Mary Becker, who is the guardian, having had her tonsils removed and had not sufficiently recovered as to guarantee her going to the exertion which is required to look after the group of young ladies. Misses Mary Becker and Miss Marie Frans took the girls up to Plattsmouth last Monday morning, Miss Mary Becker returning home while Miss Marie Frans remained during the day. The girls from Union participated in the parade and won one of the prizes offered. Miss Becker returned in the evening to assist and bring the girls home in her car. Those who attended were Misses Mary Becker, guardian; Miss Marie Frans, assistant guardian, also having charge of the camp, and Misses Mildred Clark, Ina LaRue, Etzel Becker, Rachel Pell, Beulah Pell, Amy Austin, Alma Frans, Virginia Harris, Vera Upton, Lavaugh Frans, Ruby Mead and Alice Todd.

Makes Purchase of New Car  
Luther Mead is sporting a fine new car and when selecting one for his own driving he was somewhat careful and alighted upon a Cadillac. The car is a beauty and besides has the pep for speed, the endurance for service and the easy riding qualities for comfort. The car should make a good one for his use and that of the family.

Reunion at Alvo  
Mrs. Ova Clark and daughter of Hooper, were visiting in Alvo for a few days, and was accompanied by

Walter Skinner and wife of Fremont, they all visiting at the home of Mary Skinner and Mr. Levi Parks and wife. Though formerly living in and near Alvo, they have been away for the past twelve years. They with Sherman Wolfe, E. D. Friend and John Skinner and families had a reunion and a general good visit last Sunday.

W. B. Banning and son Hollis, and several others from Union, left Monday morning for Lincoln where Mr. Banning will superintend the construction of a drainage system of the state fair grounds for the Keystone Pipe company.

Mrs. W. B. Banning spent Monday in Omaha, the guest of her friend, Mrs. W. F. Tracy, who has been visiting at the Banning home, and other places here and in Nebraska City and after a day in Omaha, Mrs. Tracy went to Wall Lake, Iowa, to spend the remainder of the summer with relatives, while Mrs. Banning returned home on the afternoon train.

BRYAN WILL NOT RUN IF NOMINATED  
Prohib Delegates Slow in Arriving for Convention—Many Expected to Arrive Here Tuesday Evening

Close friends of W. J. Bryan say that Mr. Bryan will not accept the prohibition nomination for president, though he may be drafted for the place by the national prohibition convention which meets in Lincoln Wednesday morning. The commoner has indicated that he will support only dry candidates for congress, those favoring the strict enforcement of the eighteenth amendment known as the Volstead law.

As has been already indicated, delegates to the convention have shown a unanimous preference for W. J. Bryan as the prohibition standard bearer and some at least entertain the idea that if he is drafted he will accept the nomination. The friends of Mr. Bryan have hastened therefore to throw cold water on the forecasted action of the convention by pointing out that under no circumstances will he accept and make the race as the leader of a new army.

Meantime the preparations for the thirteenth national convention of the prohibitionists are being pushed with considerable energy. Monday evening twenty-five delegates had arrived in the city and it was announced that headquarters would be opened at room 105 at the Lindell hotel Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. The bulk of the delegates will reach Lincoln during Tuesday. Tuesday morning twenty-five delegates from California are scheduled to reach the city. New York has indicated that it will send fifty delegates. The thirty delegates from Ohio will be under the leadership of Mrs. Viola Romans, prohibition candidate for United States senator, to fill the place which is now left vacant by the nomination of Warren G. Harding as the republican candidate for president.

With the Pennsylvania delegation will be Mrs. Flora Diefenderber, candidate for congressman-at-large, Mrs. Mamie Colvin, a member of the New York delegation, ran for lieutenant governor two years ago.

The prohibitionists are divided as are the republicans and democrats on the league of nations treaty. A plank in the platform will favor the treaty with reservations. A plank to punish lynching will be inserted.

At the conference of the members of the national executive committee to be held Tuesday morning the matter of availability of candidates for president and vice president will be considered. If there is no hope that Bryan and Sunday may be made the standard bearers then the convention will have to turn to other prospects.

A delegate said that Mr. Bryan will prove to be far and away the best vote getter of any man who could be nominated by the prohibitionists for president. He pointed out that even with only a portion of the feminine vote being available approximately 17,000,000 women will be able to cast their ballots at the November election. The delegate is sure that Bryan would get the most of these woman votes.

Delegates Arrive Slowly  
Delegates to the national prohibition convention are coming in slowly, less than a hundred and fifty being estimated to have arrived in Lincoln, Tuesday morning. A number of delegates are expected to reach the city Tuesday. Twenty-five delegates registered Monday at the Lindell hotel. Convention leaders estimate that the total attendance, delegates and visitors will number one thousand.

H. S. Bonstib of Indianapolis arrived in the city Monday evening, for the national prohibition convention. Mr. Bonstib stated that the Indiana delegation was expected to reach Lincoln sometime Tuesday evening. Mr. Bonstib spoke at Humboldt, Neb., Sunday night. He has been actively engaged in prohibition work for many years. Mr. Bonstib is a special field agent of the prohibition national committee.

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# A. L. BECKER,

UNION NEBRASKA

published in the Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Colonel House was quoted as saying that a preliminary treaty concerning army, navy, reparations and delineations of boundaries "could have been made by Christmas of 1918, and would have been not only the usual but the obvious thing to do."

Senator Harding said: "We are beginning to understand the mistakenly plighted relationship of the United States to Europe, just in time to proceed to a referendum intelligently."

"This one representative of this, who best knew the whole situation at Paris, was Colonel House. He tells us now, in a cabled statement from London, that the suggestion of a preliminary peace treaty was made very soon after the armistice, and that such a treaty could have been made before Christmas of 1918.

"All along this has been the republican conception of what ought to have been done, but this is the first official knowledge that Europe wished such a procedure and was deterred by us in expediting peace."

J. R. Stine and wife, departed this morning for Omaha, where they will attend the wedding of the cousin of Mrs. Stine, Miss Florence McHale, which will take place this evening at the Dietz Methodist church.

Read the Journal.

## COLONEL HOUSE MAKES STATEMENT IN LONDON

Marion, O., July 19.—Senator Harding, republican presidential nominee, today discussed an interview with Colonel House in London.

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