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MRS. ETHEL DOVEY - PALMER NO MORE

ELDEST DAUGHTER OF GEORGE E. DOVEY PASSES AWAY AT DES MOINES SUNDAY.

From Monday's Daily. Early yesterday morning at her home in Des Moines, Iowa, Mrs. Willis Palmer, formerly Miss Ethel Dovey, of this city, passed away after a protracted illness covering a period of several years and during the last few months of her sickness she has been kept confined to her home for the greater portion of the time. Mrs. Palmer was a sufferer from tuberculosis, which malady had compelled her closing her bright and successful stage career in 1912, and since which time her health has been rapidly declining.

The father, George E. Dovey, and one of the sisters, Mrs. R. F. Patterson, of this city, departed Saturday for Des Moines and reached that city a few hours prior to the death of Mrs. Palmer and in the last moments of her stay on earth she was able to recognize and bid farewell to the devoted father and the sorrowing sister.

The death of Mrs. Palmer brings to a close the life of one of the most winsome ladies who had graced the American stage and during her career she had won high honors thru the beauty of her voice that had charmed thousands both in her native land and abroad. From the years 1902 until 1912 Ethel Dovey held a high place in the life of the stage and with her younger sister, Miss Alice Dovey, was noted as a star in the musical comedy successes of that period.

Ethel Dovey Palmer was the eldest daughter of George E. and Margaret Dovey and was born in Plattsmouth, Nebraska, January 12, 1882, where her childhood days were spent and where she received her education in the schools of this city. In her early childhood days the unusual dramatic talent that was to later win her fame, was noticeable and in order that she might enjoy to the fullest extent the "theatrical" attractions she was sent abroad with her sister, Alice, the two little singers being known as the Nebraska sisters. They spent several years in London with their grandmothers, Mrs. Charles S. Dawson, in the study of the voice and languages, later returning to America and entering the Chicago Musical college from which Ethel graduated in 1901 and on her graduation was awarded the Joseph Jefferson diamond medal for dramatic art.

Following her graduation from college Miss Ethel, with her sister, Alice, joined "The Strangers," one of the most successful musical comedies in 1902 and their marked ability at once won them recognition and their opening season was followed by even greater successes and in the succeeding years they appeared in a number of the leading musical attractions in the larger cities, chief among which was that of "The Land of Nod," in which they won a great success and in which they appeared in this city, the management paying a graceful tribute to the young stars by bringing their attraction to the old home to be presented.

In the year 1909 Ethel Dovey was married at Oakland, California, to Fred C. Truesdell, one of the popular leading men of the stage, and to this union two daughters were born, Jane Margaret and Betty Ann, who are left to mourn the death of the mother. The continued ill health compelled the retirement of Mrs. Truesdell from the stage in 1912 and she spent some time in traveling in the hope of restoring her health, being also for a time a guest at the home of her parents in this city.

She was married a second time in the year 1918 to Mr. Willis M. Palmer and since that time has resided at Des Moines, where she passed away. To mourn her going there remain the husband and two little daughters, aged nine and six years, the father, George E. Dovey and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. John Hazard, New York City; Mrs. R. F. Patterson, Plattsmouth; Mrs. George H. Falter, Falls City, Nebraska; Mrs. John W. Falter, Charles S. Dovey, George F. Dovey, Plattsmouth, and Mrs. Floyd Harding, of Tienson, China.

The body of Mrs. Palmer will arrive in this city tomorrow afternoon at 3:05 and be taken direct to the St. Luke's Episcopal church into which she had been received in childhood and the funeral services will be held there at 3:30, conducted by Rev. Father W. S. Lester, rector of the church. The body will be laid to rest in Oak Hill cemetery beside that of the mother who preceded her in death some two years ago.

The sorrowing relatives will have the deep sympathy of the many old friends in this community in the misfortune that has come to them in the loss of the dear one who in the months of suffering and sickness they have watched with such tender care.

Talented and gifted, the departed lady devoted her best years to the development of her art and only the ruthless hand of suffering dimmed

the bright future that lay before this charming lady in her chosen life work and her passing in early womanhood takes away one who had delighted and charmed thousands who

had had the pleasure of enjoying her offerings on the stage, and is a distinct loss to the American stage which she had adorned for the few brief years of her career.



MRS. ETHEL DOVEY PALMER

WITNESSES THE RECENT HARVARD-YALE CONTEST

The parents of Matthew Herold, one of the students at Harvard, have received letters in which he describes the great football game between Harvard and Yale, of which he was a spectator and which resulted in a victory for the crimson of old Harvard.

There were \$9,000 present at the game and it was a most thrilling sight to the fans as the two teams clashed in the great battle. It is of particular interest to the residents of this county as Justice Sturms, of Nehawka, is the full back on the Yale team and has been one of the most effective members of the team this season. Mr. Sturms was the host for the game to Mr. Herold and his brother, Victor Sturms, who is a classmate of Matt at Harvard.

MAKES IT DISAGREEABLE

The brand of weather that has prevailed for the past two days in this portion of the state is such as to make it disagreeable to the extreme for those who have to be out in the elements. Sunday saw the lowering skies give up a nasty mist that did not reach the extent of a real rain storm but served to keep the greater part of the population indoors and the home fireside was the big attraction of the day.

The roads which had shown some improvement the last of the week, are now wet and soggy and are being cut up into ruts, which, if they freeze, will make travel over them anything but pleasant.

NO SHOOTING ON RANGE

The government authorities have set their foot down on any shooting at the government rifle range north of this city and the hunters will do well to keep away from there if they want to avoid trouble. Several signs were placed on the range of the orders of the commanding officer at Fort Crook and some of these were riddled with the bullets of the hunters and accordingly the military authorities have informed the caretaker, Frank Bashus, that they will take steps to see that there is no more shooting done on the range and if there is that it will prove costly to the party doing it.

RHODE ISLAND REDS FOR SALE

Males for sale at \$2.00 each. White Wyandottes, Rose and Single Comb Rhode Island Reds, and Rouen ducks.

JULIUS REINKE, 1m-w. South Bend, Neb.

MEXICANS GET IN BAD AT LOUISVILLE

Attempt to Steal Five Flannel Shirts from W. E. Diers Store Results in Capture and Jail.

The residents of Louisville were treated to a hunt for two Mexican laborers, Julian Roderia and Juan Gonzales, who were charged with attempting to steal five flannel shirts of the value of \$23.50 from the general store of W. F. Diers in that village on Friday afternoon.

The two men had come into the store shortly after noon Friday and one of them had made a small purchase while the other one of the two had been busy with his fingers and five shirts stuck to his hands. As the men left the store, William Gohelman, the clerk, noticed the bulging overcoat of one of the men and called to him to stop for a further examination of the reason for the bulky appearance of the coat, but the two men took to their heels after dropping the five shirts.

Officer Charles Reichart and Frank Wheeler pursued the men and were able to capture them a half hour later at the Platte river auto bridge, where they were attempting to make their escape into Sarpy county and the officers brought them on back to Louisville, where they were brought before Judge James M. Brobst, who, after hearing the evidence, decided that a nice long rest would do the two men a great deal of good and they were sentenced to sixty days in the county jail in this city, where they will be cared for by Sheriff Quinton.

OPERATED ON TODAY

From Monday's Daily. This morning at the Ford hospital in Omaha, Mrs. Lew Russell of this city was operated on for a severe case of gall stones that has been plaguing her much annoyance for the past several months. The condition of Mrs. Russell had become such that it was decided an operation would be necessary to give her permanent relief. Mr. Russell and sister, Mrs. Claus Speck and Miss Etha Turner were at the hospital to remain with the patient until after the operation.

FERRY QUILTS BUSINESS

The Missouri river ferry is now retired from business for the year 1929 and will be left to rest on the banks of the river until next season, when it will be once more at the disposal of the public. The work of rip-rapping on the east side of the river has caused a bar to form in front of the ferry landing and Mr. Richardson decided that it was better to haul the ferry boat out than to attempt to create a new landing this late in the season.

KEITH COLLINS PASSES THRU PLATTSMOUTH

ROBBERY THAT WAS SENSATION OF COUNTRY IS RAPIDLY BEING SIFTED DOWN.

From Tuesday's Daily. Last evening Missouri Pacific passenger train No. 107 arriving in this city at 7:39 had on board one of the most sought for men in America, Keith Collins, alleged mastermind of the Council Bluffs mail train robbery, and who was captured in Westville, Oklahoma, Sunday morning.

Collins was guarded by Post Office Inspectors W. M. Coble of Omaha, W. L. Noah of St. Louis, and J. W. Adamson of Kansas City and heavily handcuffed. Collins was handcuffed to Inspector Coble all the way from Kansas City and allowed no opportunity of escaping.

The prisoner was taken direct from the Union station in Omaha to the office of the district attorney in the federal building in Council Bluffs.

There, with Deputy Marshal Shoemaker, United States Commissioner W. A. Boyeis and Secret Service Agent G. E. Smith, the confessed culprit engaged in hearty laughter over a large number of funny stories told by his captors, and was again taken to the Pottawattomie county jail.

Postal Inspector Coble, upon being interviewed without this sanctum, said that Collins has "come clean." "He's in bad and he knows it," said Mr. Coble, "and I think he has told us the truth. He admits he has taken some bonds and I am not at liberty to say what he has done with the \$25,000 in currency that he escaped with. That will come out later."

"Any stories purporting to come from him since he has been arrested are false, since no newspaper man has talked with him until he reached Omaha. When we arrested him he put up a bit of a scuffle, but that was from pure nervousness and he was not armed. He had never been in trouble before and is distinctly an amateur offender."

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"The army descriptions of our prisoner never would have resulted in his arrest," said Coble. "He is described him as being five feet, eight inches tall, while he is over six feet tall, and his weight is greatly in excess of that in the army records."

Collins kept his head down and shaded his eyes with his hand as people came to see him in the station, and refused to be photographed.

"There are enough pictures of me floating around the country nowadays, the way it is," he said. "Fear of a habeas corpus service or a change of a name prompted the accompanying officers to 'shoot' all eager spectators far away from Inspector Coble and his prisoner, as they marched from the train to the taxi."

The incarceration of Collins in the county jail at Council Bluffs completes the work of the federal detectives in cleaning up the great mail robbery, which is said to have resulted in the theft and destruction of nearly \$1,000,000 worth of currency and bonds.

"Postal office inspectors generally have certain 'distinctions,'" said Mr. Coble last night, "but in this instance the bars were thrown down and every officer invited to take a hand. That is the reason for the quick clean-up."

Information against Collins were drawn up by Commissioner Byers in his office, in the presence of the prisoner, last night.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

Mrs. Lew Russell of this city was operated on yesterday at the Ford hospital in Omaha and last evening was reported as coming out of the effects of the operation very nicely. The operation proved to be a very severe one and Mrs. Russell was compelled to remain on the operating table for some time, but her splendid condition enabled her to stand the strain of the operation in good shape.

A PLEASANT EVENT

The announcement has been received in this city of the birth of a fine son and heir at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Card near Scotts Bluffs, Neb. Mrs. Card was formerly Miss Nora Hinton of Myrand and the friends will be pleased to learn of the happiness that has come to the Card home. The little son weighs nine and a half pounds and is the first child in the family.

HAVING SICK SPELL

From Monday's Daily. The Quinton family have been having more than their usual share of misfortune in the way of sickness during the past week, as Mrs. Quinton has been laid up with an attack of tonsillitis, while Sheriff Quinton has been suffering from a slight attack of the flu that has kept him close to the house for several days and he was somewhat improved today and was able to go to Lincoln, but is far from his usual good health. Carroll, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Quinton, has also been suffering from the flu but is now somewhat better.

DAVIS MYSTIFIES AS WELL AS PLEASURES

First Number of the Lyceum Course Proves a Rare Treat to Audience Assembled at High School

From Tuesday's Daily.

Last evening the first number of the entertainment program of the Lyceum course was given at the high school auditorium when Davis, the magician, made his initial appearance in the city and his visit will long be very pleasantly remembered by the audience that witnessed his delightful evening of his class work. The weather was such that it kept many from getting out but those who braved the storm felt amply repaid for their efforts in the delightful evening afforded them. The committee that secured Mr. Davis as one of the numbers on the program are certainly to be congratulated as this was one of the cleverest things of its kind offered in the city in several years and kept the audience keenly interested from the start until the final act of magic that brought the entertainment to a close.

The ease with which Mr. Davis carried on his program and the baffling manner in which his acts were performed kept everyone keenly interested and the different feats were received with marked approval by everyone in the audience. The entertainment certainly demonstrated that the Lyceum course is all that has been claimed for it from an entertainment standpoint and the price which has been set for the season tickets certainly is a bargain as many of the purchasers realized last evening in the opening performance of the course.

The splendid success of this number assures a much larger crowd for the coming attractions and the success of a series of entertainments that will add much to the amusement program of the winter season. The committee in charge of the ticket sale announces that all parties who desire to purchase tickets for the remaining four numbers of the Lyceum course, may do so for the sum of \$2.00.

IS A GENUINE OLD TIMER IN THIS CITY

M. E. Buttery or "Mart" as He is Better Known, is a Long Time Resident of This City.

From Tuesday's Daily.

Today is the birthday anniversary of one of the old residents of this city, M. E. Buttery, or "Mart" as he is known to a large circle of warm friends. Mr. Buttery is a native son of the second ward of this city as he has spent his life time there and was born within a block of his present home on November 30, 1861, his parents, J. H. and Margaret Buttery, having been among the pioneer residents here in Plattsmouth. He has spent his lifetime in and near the old home and has always made his home in the second ward where he first saw the light of day and this is quite a record for a place as small as this city.

On this, his fifty-ninth anniversary he is enjoying the event surrounded by his good wife and fine family and has the well wishes of a large circle of warm friends for many more such happy events in the future years as he journeys down life's highway to a happy old age. Mr. Buttery is among our most highly respected residents and has been a splendid citizen of the community during his fifty-nine years residence here.

SUFFERED SMALL LOSS

Last Wednesday morning about 5 o'clock, Mrs. C. V. Clark of the Hotel Union, at Union, noticed a blaze issuing from the east window of the law office of Attorney C. L. Graves and gave the alarm, which was responded to by the citizens who in a short time extinguished the flames. The loss was small, the covering of the table being burned out, which has been replaced. The money loss was small and the inconvenience of the smoke and the condition of the room being the worse feature.

CHRISTMAS IS FAST DRAWING NEAR-24 DAYS

LAST DAY OF NOVEMBER BRINGS THOUGHTS OF RESIDENTS TO HOLIDAY TIME.

From Tuesday's Daily. The last day of November brings forcibly to mind the fact that in the next twenty-five days Christmas will be with us again and it brings the problems of what to get for "him" or "her" not to mention pa and ma or the children and friends. The advantage of early buying has been pointed out so often that it is practically useless to urge this on the residents of the community at this time as they are awakening to the fact that it is best to get in early if you want to secure the best that the market affords.

Christmas, 1929, will be somewhat different from that of a year ago in that the general conditions are more upset and uncertain both in the business and industrial world. The great boom of prosperity and high wages and high prices is now on the decline and the result is bound to be shown in the selection of the Christmas shoppers and more practical articles will be in demand by the shoppers rather than the purely ornamental or useless gifts that are sometimes purchased. The Plattsmouth merchants are now getting ready their Christmas displays and will have them ready for the benefit of the shoppers so that they may get in early and have their selection of the best that the market affords for the season. The Christmas shoppers at home are always a pleasure as you are assured of satisfaction which you cannot secure in doing business elsewhere. In making your selections remember the clerks and get on the job as early as possible as the Christmas spirit is always a pleasure as you are assured of satisfaction which you cannot secure in doing business elsewhere.

ENJOY PLEASANT TIME

A very enjoyable party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Smith, south of this city Saturday evening and which was attended by a large number of the young people of that locality. The evening was spent in playing games and dancing at which all enjoyed a fine time and at a suitable hour a fine array of the Thanksgiving goodies was served to which all did the most ample justice. The young people decided to visit the William Baker home and tender a surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hull, Mrs. Hull being formerly Miss Rose Baker, and as the young people had been married on Wednesday, the affair partook of the nature of a wedding reception and for several hours the young people enjoyed themselves to the utmost. Those in attendance were:

Floyd, Bert, Olive and Charles Fulton, Levi and Mary Wilson, Glenn, Samuel and Elmer Fitchorn, Herbert Belms, Walter and Louis Furlong, Violet, Jessie William and James Goucheour, Fred and Cleo Baker, Earl Iles, Forest Rainey and S. Y. Smith and family.

HAS FACE BURNED

Henry Dooley, who is employed in the Burlington boiler house Saturday afternoon received a very painful, although not serious injury in the face as the result of the premature explosion of fuel in the fire box of the boilers. A large amount of shavings had been placed in the fire box and lighted and as Mr. Dooley was working with the fires the gases and smoke from the shavings caused a small explosion and Mr. Dooley received the full benefit of the smoke and flames in his face. He received medical treatment at once and it was found that his injuries were not serious although they are far from being pleasant.

FOR SALE

Seven room cottage, good barn, city water, three lots, good health, reasonable terms. Price \$3,000. R. B. WINDHAM.

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