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HIGH HONOR OFFERED MATTHEW HEROLD

WM. HAYWARD, NEW U. S. DIST. ATTORNEY FOR NEW YORK WANTS HIM NAMED

Another of the young men who claim Plattsmouth as their birthplace has had his ability and qualifications recognized in the busy old world and on the occasion of his leaving college has been tendered one of the best positions in the legal profession in the east.

This young man is Matthew Gering Herold, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Herold of this city and the nephew of Matthew Gering the eminent attorney of this city. Mr. Herold this summer completed his course of study at the Harvard law school and was given his degree at the summer commencement and placed in the position to take up the practice of his profession.

Mr. Herold had expected to come west to take up the practice of his profession at the close of his school work and shortly after the closing of school received from Colonel William Hayward, newly appointed U. S. district attorney for southern New York, the tender of the appointment as one of the assistants in the office of the district attorney.

The office of United States district attorney of New York is probably the most important legal post in the government outside of the attorney general as most of the important litigation involving great issues come under his supervision and the assistant district attorneys are men of great ability in every way and the signal honor bestowed on Mr. Herold indicates that his ability as a lawyer has been recognized in the higher circles of the legal profession.

The appointment was considered for a time by Mr. Herold and he has finally definitely decided to accept the post tendered him and will at once enter into the duties of the office.

Those who know this talented young man realize that Col. Hayward has made no mistake in the selection of his assistant as Mr. Herold has a splendid mind and his wonderful record in the study of jurisprudence has been recognized in the colleges and schools where he has acquired his legal education. It was but a few short years ago when he stepped forth from the Plattsmouth high schools and made his decision to follow the footsteps of his uncle in the legal profession. He later entered the University of Nebraska from which he graduated with high honors and from the Nebraska school he took an advanced course of study at Harvard. Mr. Herold was engaged in study at the law school when the call of his country came in 1917 and he laid aside the work of the student to take up the uniform of a private in the ranks of the U. S. army and was sent to France for service with the A. E. F., later being promoted to sergeant and then to the rank of second lieutenant in the artillery branch of the service. On returning home from service Mr. Herold once more took up the study of the law and with the result that he has just closed his school work with great success.

The many friends here are pleased and gratified at the high honor conferred on this young man and he will carry with him their best wishes for a very successful career in his new office and in the profession in which he undoubtedly will prove a worthy figure.

PLEASANT SUNDAY WEDDING

From Monday's Daily. Yesterday afternoon at the Holy Rosary Catholic church Miss Esther Sultzer and Mr. Harley Chadway of Omaha were united in the bonds of wedlock by Rev. Father Ferdinand Sussner, rector of the church.

The bridal party were attended by Milton Gadow, brother of the groom as the best man and Miss Florence Olson as bridesmaid. Following the wedding the members of the bridal party were invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ripple where the newly weds were entertained during their stay in the city. Dainty refreshments of ice cream and cake were served and followed later in the afternoon with a dainty two-course luncheon.

The groom is a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Ripple and is an experienced stock buyer for the firm of Swift & Co. at Omaha, having been with this firm for the past ten years. The bride is a most charming lady and has a host of friends in the metropolis who will wish her well in her new happiness. She has been connected with that city for some years.

Those to attend the reception were: Milton Gadow, Charles Gadow of Omaha; Misses Florence and Marie Olson, Mrs. Sarah Gadow, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cheval and daughter, DeLores and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ripple of this city.

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CALLED BY ILLNESS

From Monday's Daily. This morning a message was received here by Earl F. Irelan, announcing the serious illness of George Stevenson, of Nebraska City, father of Mrs. Irelan. Mr. Stevenson was taken ill last evening and a very severe paralytic stroke was suffered that has resulted in the vocal organs being entirely paralyzed and the patient being absolutely helpless. Mr. and Mrs. Irelan departed this afternoon for Nebraska City to be at the bedside of the father. Mrs. E. W. Rebal, another daughter, was relieved by sickness from leaving with the others for the old home.

MANLEY TEAM WIN SUNDAY'S GAME

Take the Eagles Down the Line by Score of 4 to 2 in Contest on Dampened Grounds.

From Monday's Daily. Yesterday afternoon the followers of the national pastime from the promising little city of Manley arrived in our midst with their shining war clubs and fast bunch of base ball players and put the first niche of the season in the record of the Plattsmouth Eagles, winning the game by a score of 4 to 2.

The visitors had expected to come in even stronger force as they had a hurler from Ashland scheduled to do the tossing for their team, but owing to the threatening weather he came not, and the Manley team was placed on its own resources to supply the deficiency in the pitching force. The call for pitchers from the visitors brought forth Mike O'Leary, one of the promising young players of our neighboring town and he fitted very nicely in the base ball machinery and kept the Eagles at a disadvantage all the way through the game.

The locals were also shy in the battery department as Gradoville, who has been doing the receiving, together with Connors, one of the pitching staff were absent, having gone to Cedar Creek to officiate against Nehawka. This necessitated Pete Herold assuming his old time job back of the bat and he caught a good game as his general practice, though he has not for the past two seasons played a great deal in this position. William Harvey Mason was the choice of the team as the slab artist and played a good game, although in one inning the team suffered heavy casualties and the visitors were able to secure their four runs, a hit into one of the pools of water aiding in getting two of the runs over the slab.

The water also contributed to the Plattsmouth scores as it interfered with the fielders.

William O'Donnell at the first sack for the Eagles was one of the chief features of the game and secured a number of very difficult catches on the throws and hits made into his position.

The game was very pleasing and the two teams have promised a second meeting, when they will try out the issues again.

RIVER STILL OVERFLOWING BOTTOM

Inundates Farm Land East of Burlington Tracks—Not as High as Last Year But Rising

From Monday's Daily. The flood waters which have been accumulating in the Platte and Missouri rivers near their source are now pouring with full force through this territory and causing not a little damage to the low lands that lie where the old bed of the Missouri was in the long-distant past. The land east of the Burlington right-of-way, which had given promise of returning an excellent crop for the first time in the past three years, is now under several feet of water and last evening a three inch rise added to the trials and tribulations of the residents along the lands where the water has been most felt.

The water has now swept over the low lands from north of the Plattsmouth Water company's pumping station and the land between the station and the residence of J. L. Lowe last east of the depot, resembles a large lake, while prospects are good for a still further raise. So far, however, the water has not reached the stage that it did last year, when it entirely surrounded the Lowe home and made travel necessary with a row boat.

The high water has brought a large number of fish into the channels and shoots along the river and some large sized cat fish have been caught on the flooded sections of land by the adventurous fishermen.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express to our many friends and neighbors our heartfelt appreciation of their loving kindness and sympathy in the hour of our sorrow and grief. We also desire to thank those of the friends who were so generous with their beautiful floral offerings.—Mrs. Edward Egenberger and Son; Mrs. J. V. Egenberger and family.

RETURNS FROM THE HEAD CAMP, M. W. A.

County Judge Beeson, One of Nebraska Delegates, Reports Fine Time in St. Louis.

From Monday's Daily. County Judge Allen J. Beeson and wife returned home yesterday from St. Louis, where they had been in attendance at the sessions of the head camp of the Modern Woodmen of America, Judge Beeson being one of the members of the Nebraska delegation to the great fraternal gathering. Judge Beeson reports the head camp being attended by some 5,000 Modern Woodmen and with a camp of 2,000 Foresters there during the meeting and some very interesting competitive drills pulled off by the various teams. The drill team of Rock Island, Illinois, was the winner of the first prize and No. 126 of Omaha a close second, both teams being brilliant in their drilling and formations.

One of the most important business matters taken up and acted on by the head camp was the decision to place the age for membership at 16 to 18, instead of 18 to 21, as it is at present. The officers of the order believe that the youths of the lower age joining will permit the older class of men to enter without causing any appreciable increase in the losses of the order.

The city of St. Louis afforded many interesting sights for the members of the camp and all of the points of interest were taken in during the stay of the visitors. The judge found the opportunity of being himself out to the National league park, where he saw the Pittsburg team and the Cardinals tangle and Bender, well known Indian pitcher, did the tossing for the smoky city crew at the game. Shaw's gardens and the many interesting river views also helped in the entertaining of the crowd of visitors. One of the sights that appealed most to the general tourist was the court house of St. Louis, built in 1829, and which is still used to house the officials of the county. The old market where slaves were sold in the ante-bellum days is still visible and brings to mind recollections of the past in St. Louis, was the metropolis of the slave-owning states of the Mississippi valley.

ONLY HAIR TONIC

From Tuesday's Daily. Last evening one of the parties who exercises supervision over their fellow men noticed a car standing out on Washington avenue and one of the occupants engaged in taking a drink out of a strange appearing bottle and at once it was ascertained that there was a case of some hardened booze hound partaking of his favorite beverage and the party who witnessed the drinking hastened on down to the business section of the city and poured the story into the ear of the law, with the result that Officer Jones and Officer Chandler motored out to the scene of the reported battle with the booze and found the car all right but the contents of the many bottles that were found proved to be not hard liquor, but merely a highly scented brand of hair tonic. The parties with the car were selling the tonic and while the evidence was apparent that it had been used to promote the inward kick as well as being used as a hair dressing, it was not sufficient to cause the arrest of the parties and they were allowed to go on their way, judging and with the tonic still intact.

Q. Z. SOCIETY MEETS

From Tuesday's Daily. The Q. Z. society of the Presbyterian church was very pleasantly entertained yesterday afternoon at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Searl Davis near Murray and the occasion which was the last meeting of the summer was very largely attended, some forty being present. The party left the church in autos shortly after 4 o'clock and reaching the Davis home found a most pleasant resting place in the cool shade and inviting surroundings of the home. Well filled baskets of the good things to eat had been provided and to this the members did ample justice in every way and at a late hour in the evening returned homeward, tired but well pleased with the outing and charmed with the hospitality afforded them at the Davis home.

DE MOLAY PARADE

From Tuesday's Daily. This afternoon the members of the Omaha chapter of the Order of De Molay and the candidates of the new chapter in this city were given an auto ride over the city that proved a pleasing parade of the membership of this splendid young order.

The procession was headed by the car of Fred Busch decorated with the stars and stripes while the De Molay band of Omaha was in evidence with their tuneful jazz as the cars drove over the streets of the city.

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Receiving Treatment in Omaha

From Monday's Daily. Mrs. Lucile Davis, the genial and efficient operator and manager at the Nehawka telephone exchange, who has not been in the best of health for some time, was taken to Omaha last week, for treatment at one of our hospitals there. It was at first thought an operation would be required, but it is believed now this can be avoided. Mrs. Woodward, manager of the Elmwood exchange, is looking after the work here during the time Mrs. Davis is at the hospital.

WILL PREPARE TO ENTER WEST POINT

Dean Douglass Departs Yesterday to Take Up Work Preparatory to Entering the Academy.

One of the first members of the graduating class of 1921 of the Plattsmouth high school to make a choice of his life's work has been Dean Douglass, who yesterday departed for the east to enter on his preparatory work and examinations that will qualify him for admission to West Point.

Mr. Douglass was appointed as the candidate from the first district of Nebraska by Congressman C. F. Reavis recently and has been awaiting for some time the notification to report for the examination. This young man is by his mother, Mrs. J. E. Douglass and his sister, Miss Vestal, and was joined there by Jack Fisher, of Beatrice, who is also a student named for West Point and will accompany Dean east, and the two young men will visit Chicago, Buffalo and New York City before reporting at West Point the first of the month.

Mr. Douglass was accompanied as far as Omaha by his mother, Mrs. J. E. Douglass and his sister, Miss Vestal, and was joined there by Jack Fisher, of Beatrice, who is also a student named for West Point and will accompany Dean east, and the two young men will visit Chicago, Buffalo and New York City before reporting at West Point the first of the month.

DECIDE MOONSHINING NOT A SUCCESS

Parties Near Greenwood Find They are Not Cut Out for Makers of the Corn Juice.

From Monday's Daily. Saturday morning Sheriff C. D. Quintin accompanied by William Grebe drove out to the vicinity of Greenwood where they were joined by the parties in this case were evidently very sincere in their statements and the matter has been allowed to rest until the return of County Attorney A. G. Cole from Ohio. It is not thought that the parties will be given any severe punishment as their only offense apparently was in having the coil on hand.

The new officers of the DeMolay chapter here have been temporarily appointed as follows: Master Councillor—Harley Cecil; Senior Councillor—Paul Ruster, of Weeping Water.

Junior Councillor—Carl Schneider; Treasurer—Karl Wurl; Scribe—Herold Pitt; Chaplain—Mason Wescott; Senior Deacon—George Schmidtman; Junior Deacon—Victor Wallick, of Weeping Water.

Senior Steward—George Busch; Junior Steward—Harold Renner; Almoner—Clare Hudson; Marshal—Wayne Hudson; Standard Bearer—Charles Hartford; Sentinel—Jack McCarthy; Organist—Harold Smith; Preceptors—Melvin Johnson, Donald Dickson, Raymond Cook, George Persinger, Otto Trilet, Sergeant and Hobson, Weeping Water.

The membership of the order in this city affords a splendid start for this branch of the order and is composed of the young manhood of the community. The charter members of the order are as follows: Charles Hartford, Harold W. Smith, Harold H. Smith, Mason Wescott, George F. Dovey, Carl Schneider, George Busch, Melvin Johnson, Russel Perry, Oscar Gaphen, Raymond Rebal, Paul Swan, Union, Douglass McCrary, Donald Dickson, Floyd Elliott, Clare and Wayne Hudson, Warren Barnard, John Sattler, Dudley Hudson, George Ebersole, Earnest and Edward Muchalotte, George Persinger, Raymond Cook, Lloyd Meisinger, Carl Johnson, Elmer J. Rummel, Fred and Elmer Tritsch, Fred and James Warren, Harry and Howard Dwyer, Henry Todd, Kearney, Paul Bullion, Walter Martin, Charles Denson.

The work was conferred on a number of the candidates this afternoon and will be completed this evening following the luncheon at the city park.

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Six registered Chester White Gilts bred for fall farrow breeding. The best in the U. S. A. Write or phone No. 1303. Geo. Stall, Weeping Water, Nebraska.

ORDER OF DE MOLAY IS ORGANIZED HERE

LAUNCHED UNDER SPONSORSHIP OF NEBRASKA CHAPTER NO. 3, R. A. M.

From Tuesday's Daily. The newest branch of the Masonic fraternity—the Order of DeMolay, was brought into being this afternoon when the members of the Omaha chapter of the order commenced the work of the initiation of the members who have been secured in this city.

To speak of this order it is a new departure in the field of Masonry and affords to the youth of the land the opportunity of gathering the lessons of the great fraternity that will help toward better living and a higher standard of manhood in the communities where the order is founded.

The Order of DeMolay is primarily for the sons of Master Masons and their friends and chums and was brought into being at Kansas City in March 1919, under the leadership of Frank S. Landis in a very short time the order, which was then of a purely local nature had drawn a membership of 2,000 in Kansas City alone.

The ritual of the order was prepared by Mr. Landis and Frank A. Marshall of Kansas City. The work of the order among the boys attracted some little attention from among the Masons of the west and among these Dr. Zoro Clark of Omaha, one of the leading members of the Masonic fraternity in the west and this bore fruit in the fact that Dr. Clark became one of leaders in boosting the cause of DeMolay in the United States and assisted materially in bringing it to the present high standard.

The leaders of the Masonic order soon realized the immense possibilities for good in the order and it was soon nationalized and a grand council appointed to control the order.

The purpose of the order is to make better men. The ritualistic work teaches reverence, patriotism, filial love, clean living and good citizenship. Two degrees are offered in the initiatory work.

In this city the chapter of DeMolay will be sponsored by Nebraska Chapter No. 3, R. A. M. and the work of the boys will to some extent be supervised by the higher branch of the order.

Dr. Clark, who is the honorable inspector general of the thirty-third degree Masons of Nebraska, and Chief Advisor of the Omaha council of the Order of DeMolay was here today conferring with the local Masons and assisting in the work of securing the starting of the chapter here.

To assist in the governing of the order in this city the advisory board of ten members have been selected from the membership of Nebraska Chapter No. 3, R. A. M. and are as follows: Ralph J. Haynie, chairman, Carl Schmidtman, Dr. E. P. Westover, Dr. F. L. Ward, Attorney W. A. Robertson, L. L. Wiles, Glen Perry, W. B. Banning, Union, F. H. Johnson, Weeping Water, Miles Drake, Louisville.

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LIKES CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Frank Cheval of this city has received word from her sister, Mrs. A. C. Tulene, stating that the members of the Tulene family had arrived on the coast in fine shape and were enjoying very much the new home. Mr. and Mrs. Tulene are located near Orange, California, and have bought a small ranch in that section, which is well improved and has all modern conveniences. They are well pleased with the climate and are enjoying the best of health in the land of sunshine and flowers.

CALLED TO DAKOTA BECAUSE OF ILLNESS

Frank and John Wooster and Mrs. W. F. Krisky Go to Bedside of Brother, John Wooster

A message was received here Saturday afternoon by the members of the Wooster family, announcing the serious illness of John Wooster at his home near Reliance, South Dakota. The announcement did not give any of the particulars of the illness or its nature, but only that the patient was in quite critical condition. Mrs. W. F. Krisky, a sister and Frank and Joseph Wooster, brothers, departed at 7:39 Saturday evening for Omaha enroute to Reliance, to look after the condition of their brother.

Since removing to Dakota, John has been engaged in farming and has a large amount of wheat now ready for the harvest and his illness has come at a most trying time and it will be necessary for the relatives of the sick man to care for the preservation of his crops.

Just what the nature of the illness of Mr. Wooster is, will not be fully learned until the relatives from Plattsmouth reach his side and get word back to the members of the family here.

MANY COMING TO GAME

From Tuesday's Daily. While in the city today County Assessor L. R. Snipes stated to the Journal representative that the residents of Weeping Water are preparing to come here en masse on the fourth of July to witness the base ball game between Weeping Water and Plattsmouth and to root for their home team. The Weeping Water people are planning on coming here and enjoying a picnic dinner and later taking in the game and also are expecting to carry home the honors of the day.

The good people of Plattsmouth will be pleased to have all of our neighbors that can come over on the big day and if they are successful in the ball game they will find that the Plattsmouth people are as good losers as winners in the great national sport.

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WELL KNOWN RAILROAD MAN INJURED

Jack Minton, Conductor on Burlington, Meets with Peculiar Accident Yesterday.

From Monday's Daily. Jack Minton, one of the best known conductors on the Burlington lines west and well known in this city, where he was stationed for a number of years, was the victim of a peculiar accident yesterday, which will cause him to take a few days' enforced vacation.

It seems Mr. Minton had been in charge of No. 79, an east bound freight, and had been laid up at Hastings, Iowa, for the passing there of No. 15, the fast mail train. He was standing near the tracks as No. 15 passed and a hanger from one of the cars struck one of the crossing planks causing it to fly out and strike Jack across both legs, doubling him up with the pain and shock of the accident.

It was thought at first that both legs had been fractured, but the injured man was hurried on into Creston, where an examination was made and it was found that the limbs were not broken, although very badly bruised, and the patient was ordered to remain in the hospital for the present at least.

While the accident was serious enough, it will be the occasion of much pleasure to the friends here to learn that the first report as to the accident was unfounded and not as bad as had been reported.

Mr. Minton was for a number of years engaged in running on the freight line between this city and Lincoln, via Louisville and also on the O'Neill and Sioux City lines, but of late has been running out of Creston, Iowa, where his headquarters were established.

9,000 BAGS OF MAIL ON STEAMER AMERICA

New York, June 27.—One of the largest cargoes of mail sent from this country to Europe—9,000 sacks—was aboard the United States mail Steamship company's passenger liner America, when she sailed yesterday. She is the largest passenger ship to leave this port flying the American flag. She was formerly the German liner Amerika.

Liverpool, June 27.—The new 35,000 ton former German passenger liner Colombia, recently sold to the White Star Line by the allied reparations commission will be renamed the Homeric. She will be ready for her trial trip in a few weeks.

MAKES FRATERNAL CALL

Among the members of the Omaha chapter of the Order of DeMolay to visit this city and assist in the work of conferring the degree on the members of the new Plattsmouth chapter, was L. H. White, who is connected with the Omaha Bee, being employed in the stereotyping room of the Omaha paper. Mr. White took advantage of the visit here to drop in on the Journal and look the plant over as well as talking "shop" for a few moments with the members of the Journal force.

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STRENGTH SERVICE

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