

The Plattsmouth Journal

FUNERAL SERVICES

OF MRS. J. W. SAGE

Highly Esteemed Lady of This City Laid to Last Long Sleep Yesterday Afternoon.

From Thursday's Daily. At the home where in the years past she has spent so many years of happiness and which had been the object of her tender care, was held the funeral services of Mrs. James W. Sage, whose death on Tuesday brought such a deep sense of grief to the old friends and neighbors in this community. Her services were such as the departed lady would have desired, simple and quiet, as her life had been, and in her beauty and simplicity typifying the passing of a kind and loving wife, sister, friend and neighbor. The Rev. John C. Laidlaw, pastor of the Methodist church, offered the prayer and gave the scripture lesson while Rev. H. G. McClusky of the Presbyterian church spoke briefly of the life of the departed lady and to the grief-stricken family brought words of comfort and strength in the hours of their trial. The body was tenderly borne to Oak Hill cemetery where it was laid to rest to sleep until the coming of the day all things shall awake at the Master's call to die no more.

Lillian Potter was born May 14, 1856, at Lamotte, Iowa. She was the youngest daughter of Augustus and Louisa M. Potter.

Her childhood and girlhood days were spent on the old home farm at the above named place.

December 18, 1876, she was united in marriage to James W. Sage of Plattsmouth. No children came to bless this union. Since her marriage her home has always been at Plattsmouth, where her friends are many.

For more than a year her health has been failing and all that money and tender affection could do for her was done. In the last few days of many weeks of suffering she passed away at her home, April 4, 1922.

Her gentle spirit has flown to be with the other ones she loved so dearly. God has taken her home. She is at rest.

Besides her devoted husband, she leaves one sister, Mrs. O. M. Streight, and nephews and nieces to mourn her loss.

CELEBRATES ANNIVERSARY

Last Friday, March 31st, marked the 30th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Lohnes of near Cedar Creek and in honor of their children Mr. and Mrs. Lohnes planned a pleasant surprise and at a suitable hour the guests marched in on them and it was several minutes before they realized the nature of the affair. The evening was spent most pleasantly in card playing and dancing and everyone enjoyed themselves to the utmost. Mr. and Mrs. Lohnes have reared a family of seven children now all grown to manhood and womanhood and in homes of their own with the exception of the two younger ones who are living at home with their father and mother. Mr. and Mrs. Lohnes received many beautiful presents and everyone departed wishing them much happiness and hoping to return again after 30 years more to celebrate again. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Anton Meisinger and family, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Friedrich and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Kaffenberger and family, Mr. and Mrs. August Kaffenberger and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Busche, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Busche, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hennings, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lohnes, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lohnes, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Kaffenberger, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hill, Mr. and Mrs. George Hennings and son Dale, Grandpa Lohnes, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Lohnes, Misses Beulah Warren, Ella Lohnes, Fay Gregory, Florence Terryberry, Arnela Friedrich, Messrs. Elmer Chamberlain, George Miller, Fred Terryberry, Charles Ingram, Willie Friedrich.

A PLEASANT EVENT

From Friday's Daily. Yesterday they arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cassius Carey one of the finest and huskiest American boys that have made their advent here in many days and the little man tipped the scales at eight and a half pounds and with the mother is doing nicely. It is needless to say that the addition to the family has brought a great pride to the happy father and the other relatives as well. The friends are joining in wishing the little man a long and successful life.

ALMOST LIKE SUMMER

From Friday's Daily. Yesterday afternoon was a striking example of the fact that the winter season is being rapidly shoved into the discard and the temperature caused those who still have their heads on to wish that they were stripped down to the summer wear. The warmth and general humidity brought on quite a lively shower in the evening that also served as a gentle reminder of the coming of the good old summer time. To quote "Fatty" Foster, "There is nothing like it."

HERE TO ATTEND COURT

From Thursday's Daily. This morning Mrs. I. C. Buell of Ashland was in the city attending court in which she appeared for the plaintiff in the case of the State of Nebraska, ex rel. vs. Allen J. Beeson, county judge, a mandamus action in which the plaintiff sought to have the county judge restore an action to the docket after it had been dismissed on the trial day because of the absence of the plaintiff in the action.

Mrs. Buell is a candidate for the democratic nomination for congress in the Fourth Nebraska district and is one of the best known lady attorneys in the state and proposes to make an aggressive fight for the nomination and it is not to be wondered at if Nebraska does not enjoy the distinction of a lady representative in the lower house of congress.

EIGHTH GRADE EXAMINATIONS DRAW MANY

Seventy-Five of the Seventh and Eighth Grade Pupils Here for the Spring Tests.

From Thursday's Daily. The office of County Superintendent Miss Alpha Petersen, as well as the G. A. R. room in the court house, was filled this morning with some seventy-five of the young people of the seventh and eighth grades to take their examinations and the attendance was the largest that has been present at any of the examinations held in this city outside of the city schools. The representation was from Plattsmouth, Murray, Myrdar and Cedar Creek and the young people were very much interested in the work of the questions given them. The following young people were registered:

Plattsmouth—Opal Hardison, Emily Stava, Fern Price, Mildred Smith, Kathleen Troop, Dean Snyder, Glen and Walter Pulton, Pearl Hardison, Fern Smith, Helene Perry, Jean Spangler, Covert and James Jean, Eldon Hull, Glen Hutchinson, Harlan Sans, Fable Furions, Velmart Slagel, Frankie Lovins, Ralph Wehrlein, Edith Todd, Lloyd Todd, Donald Born, Thyra Johnson, Carl Stoer, Mildred Meisinger, Richard Livingston, Ben Hull and Earl Huddleston.

Cedar Creek—Lucille Horn, Elizabeth Tritsch, Charles Majors, Dora Reed, Lorenz Ault, Vera True, Alice True, Verna Meisinger, Beulah Warren, Viola Meisinger and Ray Groon.

Murray—Violet Carroll, Freda Hill, Elmer Yardley, Marie Meisinger, Albert Kraeger, John and Milton Toman, Justus Lillie and Elmer Webb.

LOOKING BACKWARDS

Wm. H. Hobson has an old ledger of Red Brown, who were general merchants in Weeping Water in an early day. This ledger begins on February 26, 1875, being forty-seven years old.

There are a great many names known to the old settlers and it is interesting to look through it and recall these faces. Some have moved away, but the great per cent of them have passed on to their reward.

Among the names are Wm. Jenks, Geo. Lambing, H. A. Farley, Watt Gordon, J. K. Stucker, Jas. Clizbe, W. C. Ladd, R. N. Ingersoll, L. F. Keed, E. D. Day, Jas. Giberson, Willis Horton, B. F. Allen, G. S. Berry, Geo. Cross, W. H. Cassell, H. Strickland, A. P. Woodard, Judge Wolph, C. A. Colburn, Miss Hattie Fenn, O. Tefft, T. N. Bobbitt, Mrs. Skinner, E. Ratnour, J. M. Beardsley, John Chase, Chas. Thorngate, S. A. Ripley, Geo. Adams, Wm. H. Reed, Mrs. Greenfield, Jesse Morton, Timothy Clark, Walter Brockton, L. D. Hunter, D. S. Hoverstadt, Wm. H. Ashman, John McCaig, Mrs. Coulter, Dr. J. W. Thomas and scores of others. It seems good to see names of those we used to know in other days.

In that year sugar sold 8 1/2 lb for \$1.00 vinegar 40 cents per gallon; O. H. S. tobacco 40 cents per lb and Uncle Ned tobacco 30 cents a lb; eggs 10 cents per dozen; lemons 20 cents each; overalls \$1.00 per pair; pair of boots \$5.50; suit of clothes \$9.00; butter 20 cents per lb; rubber boots \$4.75 per pair, etc.

We notice that tobacco seemed to have been used in those days as much as it is now, for it seems nearly every charge had tobacco included. One lady bought a hoop and two Bibles.—Weeping Water Republican.

Golden Millet Seed

Golden millet seed for sale, one dollar per bushel. H. E. Warden, Union. Phone 4503. m30-35w

CLEAN UP AND GET READY FOR THE SPRINGTIME

Use the Rake, Paint and Paperhanging Brushes—Get Things Spic and Span for Summer.

The season is now at hand when the community should awake to the necessity of a general cleanup for the spring season and a general campaign, not only for the improvement of their properties, but also to serve as a measure of safety in the way of more healthful conditions and fire prevention. There is nothing more unsightly than a lot of debris around the home or business house and which has a tendency to make conditions dangerous from the point of view of the fire department and which should be wiped out in a general clean-up of the city.

To add to this feature of the campaign, there should be a general effort made to have the homes repaired and repainted and made objects of beauty to the eye and which will make the city as a whole much more beautiful and to the citizens it should bring a sense of comfort and pleasure that they cannot possibly find otherwise in more unsightly circumstances.

EXPORT BOUNTY PLAN ON PRODUCTS OF THE FARMERS

Judge Allen of Madison Makes Proposals to Progressive Chairman J. H. Edmisten.

Lincoln, Neb., April 4.—An "export bounty" on agricultural products, to be paid direct to farmers, is proposed in a national platform of fifteen issues submitted by District Judge W. V. Allen of Madison, former United States senator, to J. H. Edmisten, progressive state chairman, in a letter today.

"A new idea and one that merits great consideration," Edmisten says. He explains that this bounty, to be paid by the government, would give farmers the same advantage manufacturers now have in a protective tariff. One would offset the other. The platform follows: Prompt and rigid retrenchment and reform in our national and state expenditures.

Opposition to treaties with foreign nations for offensive and defensive purposes, but just reciprocal trade relations.

Opposition to the enactment of any law looking to the establishment of an international banking system and to the issuance of international money or currency.

Thorough revision of our entire financial system and particularly such change, amendment or modification of the federal reserve system as will relax the grasp of the money power on the circulating medium of the United States.

All paper money or currency to be issued directly by the government and made a full legal tender for the payment of all debts, public or private, and rates of interest and discount to be regulated by act of congress.

Less, but more judicious lawmaking and a conscientious law enforcement.

A careful revision of the so-called Esch-Cummins interstate commerce act to relieve the government from all liability under present acts of congress.

HAVE PLEASANT TIME

From Friday's Daily. Despite the fact of the rain, a number of the dance lovers of this city last evening braved the threatening elements and made the trip to Glenwood, where the Southern Rag-a-Jazz orchestra, just recently returned from a tour of England, was the main attraction. There were some fifteen from this city making the trip and all enjoyed themselves very much and had the weather conditions been anyways favorable the attendance from this city would have been very large, as a great many had planned to attend the event.

SHERIFF SECURES STILL AT LOUISVILLE YESTERDAY

Also Brings in Two Mexicans Who are Charged with Having Been Owners of the Plant.

From Friday's Daily. Emulating the example of their early Spanish ancestor, Ponce de Leon, who conducted a search in this hemisphere for the fountain of youth, two Mexicans residing out at Louisville, decided to go Ponce one better and rigged up a first class still, that while it might not produce any youth producing drink, brought forth a liquor that had a kick far beyond the one-half of one per cent that the eminent Minnesota congressman has set forth as the strength of the drinks of the American people.

Yesterday afternoon Sheriff C. D. Quinton motoring out to Louisville in company with Constable Frank Dettler, unearthed the still which is of the very latest model and while it was not in operation the sheriff confiscated the still and also brought back with him the two Mexican gentlemen who were the owners of the still.

In addition to the still, the sheriff secured a small quantity of liquor, which was of Omaha stuff, and with a strength far more powerful than the embalming fluid. For their offense, the two men will be given an inning before his honor, Judge Allen J. Beeson.

EXPRESSES APPRECIATION

Recently the chamber of commerce of the city assisted the American league basketball team to participate in the state basketball tournament with a number of the public spirited citizens assisting in the good cause. The following letter received by Secretary Guy W. Morgan of the chamber speaks very highly of the work of the chamber of commerce:

"As a member of the State Athletic committee of the American League, I wish to express my sincere thanks to your body for your kind co-operation and financial help in sending the Plattsmouth Legion team to the state tournament at Kearney last week. Three of the four teams being from the central and western part of the state, Kearney was selected as the best located place for the holding of the tournament. This made it necessary for your kind help, if it had not been for your kind help, the team would probably not have been able to participate, and the tournament would not have been nearly as much of a success as it is. I believe that sending the team to Kearney to participate even though they did not win out, did a good deal towards advertising the American Legion of your town and your town itself and will in the end compensate you entirely for the expense you have been to.

"On behalf of the team I only wish to say that they conducted themselves as gentlemen while at Kearney and went into the games and played their best, even though they had to go into a game almost immediately upon their arrival at Kearney at 4 o'clock after having been on the road since morning. Again expressing my appreciation of your help, I am Very truly yours, WALTER R. RAEBCKE.

WILL REPRESENT GRAND ARIE

State Worthy President William Barclay, of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, has just received the announcement from the office of Grand Worthy President Morin that the grand aerie would designate Past Grand Worthy President A. B. Duncan of St. Joseph, Missouri, and F. J. Barrett, past worthy president of the South Omaha aerie as the representatives of the grand worthy president at the state aerie meeting in June at Grand Island.

NEW METROPOLITAN OFFICES

Charles W. Hula, representative of the Metropolitan Insurance company, has moved his offices to rooms over the First National bank building and as and to our beloved wife, sister and aunt at the time of her sickness and for the sympathy that has been tendered to us in our hour of sorrow at her death.—J. W. Sage, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Streight and family.

CARD OF THANKS

To the kind friends and neighbors we desire to express our lasting appreciation of their loving kindness to us and to our beloved wife, sister and aunt at the time of her sickness and for the sympathy that has been tendered to us in our hour of sorrow at her death.—J. W. Sage, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Streight and family.

VERY PLEASANT SHOWER IS GIVEN LAST EVENING

Wah-Wah-Tasse and Toko Campfire Girls Hold Event in Honor of Miss Claire Creamer.

From Friday's Daily. The elements did not provide the only shower last evening as the beautiful home of Mrs. R. P. Westover on High school hill was the scene of a very charming pre-nuptial shower given for the young ladies also, Toko and Wah-Wah-Tasse campfires in honor of Miss Claire Creamer, one of their former members and whose marriage is to occur in the very near future.

The members of the two organizations with their guardians, Mrs. Westover and Mrs. E. R. Gobelman, had arranged the home with very elaborate decorations appropriate for the occasion and cupids and hearts predominated in the decorative scheme throughout the rooms. Here the members spent the time delightfully in the games of childhood, including "London Bridge" and other of the pastimes that served to keep a spirit of enjoyment prevailing for the entire evening.

The young ladies also spent some time in the renewing of the pleasant times of the past, when they were engaged in active campfire work and which served as a delightful part of the evening's entertainment.

At a suitable time the bride was presented with a large basket very elaborately decorated in the hearts and cupid and within which was contained the large array of beautiful remembrances from the friends to the bride-to-be and which will long be cherished as tokens of affection from the friends of childhood days by Miss Creamer in her new home.

The guest of honor was also presented by Mrs. F. R. Gobelman on behalf of the Campfire girls with a bracelet, emblematic of the "fire-maker" degree of the campfire work.

The evening was closed by the serving of very dainty and delicious refreshments by the guardians and which added to the pleasantness of the evening. The inclement weather served to keep a number from attending the delightful occasion, but the following were present: Misses Fae Chase, Clara Mae Morgan, Marguerite Willis, Pauline Bajock, Alice Long, Cecelia, Ruth Shannon, Helen Wescott, Fern Niel, Emma Wohlforth, Mary Margaret Walling, Violet Archer, Helene Gapan and the guest of honor, Claire Creamer. Mrs. C. L. Creamer and Mrs. Edgar L. Creamer were present as guests of the occasion.

URGING MORE PAVING

A number of the residents on the western part of Main street, from 10th street west to 15th street are agitating having the paving extended out on Main street as far as the Kopka store or 15th street. The hills in that part of the city become very bad in the wet season and make travel very disagreeable and consequently causes the city to expend much money in keeping the roads dragged up and filled or else let them go, greatly to the annoyance of the parties residing along the street and this is the reason that the residents there feel that they would like to have paving placed there. If this work is carried out it will probably be by the use of concrete paving that has been found so successful on the high school hill job. This would certainly add very much to the appearance of that section of the city and in crease the value of the property there. Several of the large property owners would be quite heavily hit by the improvement, however, as there are two of the residents there who would have to pay for one block each of the paving.

LOOKING FOR LOCATION

From Thursday's Daily. Thomas E. Dunbar, who for a number of years been engaged in the practice of law at Chadron, Nebraska, and Newcastle, Wyoming, is in the city today looking over the prospects for engaging in other lines of business that will permit him more of the enjoyment of outdoor life and Mr. Dunbar is figuring on entering the garage business with John F. Wolff, the local Studebaker agent, in the auto business. It is to be hoped that Mr. Dunbar will locate here as it will mean the addition of a very estimable family to the city and to the musical circles especially, as Mrs. Dunbar, who was formerly Miss Ruth Flynn of Omaha, is a gifted pianist, and prior to her marriage was one of the best known ladies in the musical circles of the state metropolis. Mrs. Dunbar is a gold medal student of the Chicago Conservatory of Music. A number of the Plattsmouth people are familiar with the musical work of Mrs. Dunbar and are hopeful that she may locate in this city.

The best results are obtained from the carefully written ad placed in the printer's hands in time to permit of artistic "set-up." Don't neglect your advertising or compose it hurriedly if you would get the greatest value for the money you expend.

TO MARK GRAVES

The board of county commissioners has received a petition from the members of the G. A. R. of Kenesaw Post, and citizens of Elmwood, asking for the placing of twelve bronze markers over the graves of the old soldiers in the Elmwood and Wabash cemeteries and in compliance with the state law the board has granted the petition and the last resting places of these splendid men who have given their country so well will be appropriately marked. This is the proper move and a just honor to the old soldiers and sailors of the civil war and should be followed in all parts of the county.

ONE WAY OF LOOKING AT THE MATTER

Southern Town Mayor Soliloquizes Over Good Fortune in Being Defeated for Re-election

For six years we have been the public complaint box and footstool; we have settled land disputes, family disputes, dog disputes and some unfair accounts; we have been insulted, disgusted, spat upon and imposed upon; we have been handed bunches of flowers at the one hand and a black eye at the other; we have locked up culprits for wrongdoing and then envied them their place in limbo; we have been blamed for stopped sewers, blocked streets, heavenly showers, poor telephone service and the present price of cotton; we have been cursed for cutting trees and threatened with death for allowing other trees to stand; we have been blamed for the bum work of one policeman and ostracized for the sterling work of another; we have been called a liar until we almost believe it; we have become widely known as a grand rascal, an arch criminal, a desperado, a policy player and a bigoted fool; we have been credited with buying property with town funds, removing our own property from the tax books and accused of attempting to give the Presbyterian church a title to the town hall; we have been charged with false and false statements and other faults; when we smiled they said we were a fool, and when we frowned they said we were a bully; mothers accused us of overruling the town with dogs and the dog owners blamed us for the deluge of babies; one bunch wanted hogs in town and another said there were too many hogs already; they cursed our name when mosquito time came; they yelled at us when the ditches ran over after having them filled to capacity by the good Lord; they blamed us for the many peculiarities of their neighbors, their pet chickens, dog man servant, maid servant and mule; when the baby had whooping-cough, it was because we allowed a north wind to blow, and when it had the colic it was because we had allowed the dope fiends to exhaust the supply of paragonic at the drug stores; some wanted the Confederate monument to face south, while others said we should take the old man's hat off when the Civic league paraded by; one called us a gentleman and was promptly slugged by one who said we were a bum; they blamed others for the and they cursed us for that—they heaped all of the troubles of the universe upon our weary bald pate—and then lifted all of our burdens by beating us at an election—Glory be!—The American City.

WEeping WATER LANDMARK IS FIRE-SWEPT SATURDAY

Building Occupied by the Landholm Garage One of the Old Familiar Spots in That City

At eight o'clock Saturday morning the community was startled by the shrill call of the fire whistle. The fire was soon located in Mr. Landholm's garage on North Randolph street. Before the whistle had quit sounding, smoke and flames burst out of the front of the building and had made such headway there was no hopes of saving anything, so the firemen just labored to keep the flames confined to the building.

It was a brick veneered building and burned for hours. Fortunately there was no wind, so there was no danger at any time of the fire spreading or getting beyond control.

The mechanics were using the welding apparatus and the hose blew off the gas tank scattering the oxygen and hydrogen gas all over the room and filling the room with smoke and flames, compelling the men to flee for their lives.

The firemen were on the job and played three streams of water as long as it was necessary. Mr. McAvoy at the pumping station, was at his post of duty and kept the fire engines busy, so the fire boys were not handicapped, thus enabling them to handle the situation.

Charley Selleck roomed upstairs and was awakened by the first explosion, which threw debris on his bed. He couldn't see anything for smoke, but managed to find his overalls and shoes and then got out onto the porch by crawling on his hands and knees. He trusted to his sense of direction and hoping he would not get into a hole and fall into the scorching mass below. He was almost exhausted when he reached the air and was helped down stairs.

This building was one of the old landmarks of the town, being built in 1888 by the Grand Army of the Republic for a hall. Mrs. M. A. Street had a millinery store and lived in the lower part of the building for some years.

Dr. P. N. Gibson bought the building and later gave it to the Academy and it was used as a boys' dormitory above and class rooms below and was called "Gibson Hall."

Mr. McCornick bought it and run an ice cream factory and turned it to Chas. Joyce. For a year or so it has been used as a garage.

Sam Baker sold the business a short time ago to Mr. Landholm, of Murdock.

There were two cars destroyed, Ole Oleson's car and a service car belonging to Mr. Landholm.

Mr. Landholm has the sympathy of the whole community. This is the second time he has been burned out in the past few months. The first time was at Murdock. Bad luck surely seems to be following him.—Weeping Water Republican.

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