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GIVE A WATER-MELON TREAT TO THE VISITORS

Local Chapter of De Molay Entertains Members of Order From Nebraska National Guard

From Thursday's Daily.

Last evening the young men of the local chapter of the Order of De Molay held a very pleasant treat at the cool and attractive grounds of the Nebraska Masonic Home in honor of the members of the national guard who are also members of this order. The local members were disappointed somewhat in the fact that the officers of the regiment were not able to be present but the occasion was one of a great deal of pleasure to the members from out of the city who found in this the opportunity of becoming more thoroughly acquainted with the Plattsmouth members.

Proceeding the feast of the large, red-hearted fruit, the boys were given a number of very interesting talks by the members as well as others of the party who gave to the De Molay a wonderful inspiration in their work. Fred Warren, master counselor of Cass chapter, president and Harley F. Cecil, past master counselor, gave a few words of introductory to the main speakers of the evening.

Dr. Zoro D. Clark, Nebraska member of the grand council of the order, had motored down from Omaha to enjoy the event with the Plattsmouth chapter and gave a short talk on the order, relative to its growth and some of the things worth while that are being carried out in other parts of the country. Dr. Clark stated that there were now eighty-three chapters in Missouri and twenty-six in Nebraska, where two years ago the only chapters were at Kansas City and Omaha, and from which has sprung the great order that now has 250,000 members and over 600 chapters over the world and is represented in every state in the union and is rapidly growing. One of the things noted by Dr. Clark was the start in St. Louis of the De Molay Mothers' clubs, composed of the mothers of the members of the order and which was very inspirational to the betterment of the home and the foundation of a truer understanding of the order by the parents.

Short talks were given by visiting members who are here with the guard. Cpl. Tucker, scribe of the Grand Island chapter, Pvt. Robinson of Hastings and Cpl. Dickerson of Lincoln were among those who spoke of the affairs and conduct of the chapters of the order of which they are members.

The main address of the evening was that of Judge James T. Begley, who took as his topic a discussion of the three things that have made America great—the American home, the churches and the public school system, and from which was born the great advancement of the American republic of today. The judge paid a very able tribute to the home, with its inspiration and filled with the tender memories that made for the betterment of mankind and he also urged the participation in the churches of the community by the men.

In speaking of the American public schools, the judge appealed for the greatest educational advantages possible for the boys and girls in order that the standard of citizenship might be raised. He also congratulated the members of the De Molay who were members of the national guard forces as showing their desire to do all possible for their country in both peace and war and to defend it and the ideals that it stood for on the field of battle if necessary. The address of the distinguished judge was one that could not but be of the greatest value to the young men of the organization who were present.

At the conclusion of the brief speechmaking the members of the party were treated to an overflowing abundance of the very delicious ice cold melons and it is needless to say that all did ample justice to them.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

From Thursday's Daily.

Yesterday, at the Immanuel hospital in Omaha, Mrs. D. O. Dwyer of this city was operated on for a very severe case of gall stones, from which she has been a sufferer for some time and at the last reports from the hospital had rallied very nicely from the effects of the operation and unless complications ensue has all the chances possible for a speedy recovery. This will be very pleasing news to the host of friends in this city and vicinity.

BACK ON THE JOB

Dr. C. A. Marshall, who has for the past several months been in very poor health is now greatly improved and feeling so well that he has been able to resume his work at the office and where he will now be found at the usual office hours to look after his patients who desire dental work. This will be very pleasing news to the friends and patients of the veteran dentist.

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CALLED BY BAD NEWS

From Thursday's Daily.

R. G. Anson of Norfolk, who has been here for the past week visiting together with his wife at the H. W. Smith home, received a message last evening of the very serious condition of his father at Norfolk. Mr. Anson is an invalid since his recent stroke of paralysis and was taken to Omaha this afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. Smith and where they will be met by Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Miller of Hastings, parents of Mrs. Anson, who will accompany the invalid on to his home.

WILLIAM H. FREESE ANSWERS LAST CALL

Veteran of Civil War and Old Resident of City Dies at Immanuel Hospital Last Night.

From Thursday's Daily.

William H. Freese, who for the past twenty-five years has been a resident of this city, departed this life last night at the Immanuel hospital where he has been for the past two weeks taking treatment and where he was operated on in the hopes of giving him relief from his attack of appendicitis, but from which he had failed to rally.

W. H. Freese was born August 29, 1848, at Blue Ridge, Pa., and later removed to Michigan where he entered the service of his country as a private in Co. E, 11th Michigan infantry and in which he served through the Civil war with honor and distinction to himself and his organization.

On April 3, 1873, at Kalamazoo, Michigan, he was united in marriage to Miss Eliza Wynn, and to this union four children were born, one of whom, a daughter, died in infancy, and the three surviving children are Mrs. L. V. Copenhaver and Mrs. Don C. York of this city, and Charles L. Freese of Scottsbluff, Neb. All of the children were with him constantly during his last illness and up to the time of his death.

In his youth Mr. Freese was united with the United Brethren church and continued a member of this faith until coming to Nebraska. In 1885, when he joined the Methodist church and has been a devout member since that time.

Mr. Freese was a most kindly friend and neighbor and his passing will be keenly felt in the community in which he has made his home since 1887, coming here from Otse county where he had spent a number of years.

The deceased was a member of the local post of the Grand Army of the Republic and which, with the W. R. C., will assist in the funeral services.

REPRESENTATIVE OF U. S. FEDERAL COURT IS HERE

C. J. O'Connor, Deputy U. S. Marshal, to Make Clear the Provisions of the Injunction.

From Thursday's Daily.

There has been more or less confusion and misunderstanding over just what was covered by the terms of the injunction issued by Judge Woodrough in the U. S. district court against the various shop craft unions and its members relative to the strike now on, and to make these points clear, C. J. O'Connor, one of the deputy United States marshals, arrived here and will remain for some time to get the matter lined up.

Mr. O'Connor has been traveling over different points in the state where there are railroad centers and is well pleased with the state of affairs as far as peacefulness is concerned and will place the matter of observance of the injunction before the parties interested so that there will be no confusion as to its terms or the violations thereof.

The marshal is here to look after the interests of the interstate commerce commission, he states, and there must be no persons around the stations that are not there on business affairs, and the pickets of the unions must keep away from the platform and as well as the armed guards must stay at a distance from the platform where passengers are going and coming. Mr. O'Connor is frank in his statements that he will enforce the terms of the injunction in any case and without prejudice as to the cases. He states that the Burlington armed guards are not federal representatives and if they come up into the main part of the city or off the Burlington property with their arms, they are liable to arrest and will be so handled. Employees of the company will be protected from any demonstration or calling their names of any kind as this is a part of the injunction or any damage being done to the property of the men who are now employed in the shops.

Mr. O'Connor was in conference last evening with the local heads of the union men who are on strike to reach a clear understanding, and was well pleased with the evident desire on the part of the union men to keep the terms of the injunction.

DEATH COMES TO MRS. S. PETER MADSEN LAST NIGHT

Old Resident of City Who Has Been Invalid Past Fifteen Years, is Called by Death.

From Thursday's Daily.

Last night at 10:45 at her home in the south portion of the city occurred the death of Mrs. S. Peter Madsen, one of the city's highly esteemed residents of the city and who has for the past fifteen years been confined to her home as an invalid.

The passing of this highly esteemed lady comes as a deep blow to the aged husband and the children, as well as the many friends and although the coming of the death messenger was not unexpected it has not softened the grief of separation from the loved ones of the kind wife and mother.

Mrs. S. Peter Madsen was born in Feterdorf, Paderborn, Germany, on March 26, 1861, and was married on July 7, 1875 to Mr. S. Peter Madsen. To this union there are five children left to mourn the death of this good woman, namely, John of Luverne, Minnesota; Henry, living in Montana; Mrs. Julia Nelson; Emil of Tacoma, Washington; and Mrs. Celia Lancaster of Plattsmouth. She also leaves one sister, Mrs. Matthew Sherman, of Bloomfield, Nebraska.

The husband and the daughter, Mrs. Lancaster, were at her bedside when she died last evening and assisted in caring for the departed lady in her long period of sickness.

Mr. Madsen has resided here since 1884 and the wife came here a year later in 1885, and the family have since made their home here continuously and are numbered among the most highly respected citizens of the community.

DRAWS DOWN A GOOD STIFF FINE FOR HANDLING BOOZE

Herbert L. Driever Visits Camp Barry and Tries to Sell Booze to One of the Officers.

From Thursday's Daily.

Last evening as the shades of evening were falling a grand visit was made to Camp Barry east of the city and sought to dispose of a quantity of liquor that he had on hand, but in an unfortunate moment sought to sell the hardware to one of the officers of the camp and the result was sorrow and grief for the would-be liquor salesman.

The man, who gave the name of Herbert L. Driever, was held at the camp until Sheriff C. D. Quinton was notified and came down to get the man and he was then taken to the county jail to repose until this morning.

County Attorney A. G. Cole filed a complaint against Mr. Driever in which he was charged with transporting liquor the case coming up for hearing before County Judge Alton J. Beeson this morning and the man received a fine of \$100 and the trimmings for his offense, which was paid over to the judge and the man released from custody.

VISITS OLD HOME

From Thursday's Daily.

George Henton, a resident of Cass county some fifty years ago, has been here for the past few days visiting with the families of his nieces, Mrs. J. H. Adams and Mrs. W. F. Gillespie, as well as at the A. W. White home. Mr. Henton was accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Herbert Harris and daughter, Miss Myrtle, of Auburn, on the trip and in addition to the relatives here they visited with the members of the Eikenberry family out in the country. Mr. Henton is now living at Auburn with his daughter, having moved there last year and where in June the wife passed away. The late Mrs. Henton was a sister of the late Mrs. A. W. White of this city. This is the first time in a number of years that Mr. Henton has visited here and he noted many changes in the city and surrounding country.

RETURN FROM THE WEST

From Thursday's Daily.

Geo. Hild, Chris Tschirren, Bill Tritsch and Ed Becker came home yesterday from a trip to Perkins county, where they had some land interests to look after. The trip was made in Geo. Hild's little Essex car, and was a mighty pleasant one. Geo. says that things are looking pretty good in Perkins county, and some land is beginning to move. Louie Puls has just commenced threshing his wheat crop, which is a good grade and a pretty fair yield. All crops, with the exception of corn are looking good and yielding good in the west. They report a very nice trip and the little Essex car a dandy for the long journey.

Blank Books at the Journal Office.

ENJOY VISIT HERE

From Friday's Daily.

Yesterday, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Burr, Jr., and wife of Aurora, Nebraska, were here enjoying a visit with friends for a short time, being enroute to Nebraska City to visit there at an early hour. Mr. Burr is a member of the Burr Publishing company of Aurora, and has for a great many years been interested in the newspaper business over the state.

MISSOURI PACIFIC LINE TIED UP BY LOSS OF BRIDGE

Structure on Main Line Between This City and Platte River Completely Destroyed.

From Friday's Daily.

This morning at an early hour the residents of the countryside in the vicinity of the Missouri Pacific railroad viaduct near the farm of T. J. Will, were attracted by the fact that the wooden structure was ablaze and when first discovered had gained a great headway and so far progressed that all attempts to check it were without result.

The viaduct is quite a long and high structure and constructed entirely of wooden piers so that it made an easy path for the flames. The north wind fanned them on to the destruction of the structure.

The origin of the fire is unknown but may have originated from sparks from the engine of the midnight passenger train from Omaha which passed about an hour previous to the discovery of the fire and with the extreme dryness of the wooden piers the starting of the fire would have been an easy matter.

The spread of the flames was rapid and the force of the wind made the work of the nearby residents in attempting to check the blaze fruitless. A determined effort was made to get water onto the sections of the viaduct not ablaze.

The fire will result in the main line between this city and Omaha being out of commission for at least two days, before a temporary structure can be built to replace the burned viaduct.

CORN CROP BADLY HURT IN SECTIONS

Statistician Estimates Damage Done to Corn Crop at From 20 to Seventy Per Cent.

Serious damage to the corn crop in southern Nebraska was a resultant heavy financial loss to the farmers is reported by A. E. Anderson, state crop statistician, just returned from a trip thru the southern tier of counties.

Anderson estimates the damage to the corn crop at from 20 to 70 per cent in the section from Lancaster and Gage counties westward which includes twenty counties, as follows: Jefferson, Saline, Thayer, Fillmore, Clay, Nocolis, Adams, Webster, Kearney, Franklin, Harlan, Phelps, Furness, Gosper, Red Willow, Frontier, Hitchcock, Hayes, Dundy and Chase.

Some of these are among the biggest corn growing counties in the state.

"The filling of silos and the cutting of corn for forage has started in the section named," said Anderson. "Much of the corn has been 'fired' from base to top."

Rain which fell in the vicinity of Kearney this week greatly benefited the corn not yet ruined by the drought, Anderson said.

CAUSES SOME STIR

From Friday's Daily.

Out in the central part of the county last night there was more or less excitement created when a traveling horse buyer with some sixteen head of the animals passed through that locality. The horse buyer was camped along the highway in the vicinity of Manly and the animals roamed over the road and as the car driven by a young man named Terryberry came along, one of the mags ran into the road and as a result was struck by the car and had a leg broken. The animal continued to lie in the road and a second car containing a man named Haynie and a companion, and the car struck the horse and broke another leg. The owner of the horse then appeared and made a gun play toward the car owners and threatened some trouble if the price of the horse was not forthcoming. Sheriff Quinton was called to the scene of action and poured oil on the troubled waters and all parties were made happy.

ONLY OLD SOLDIER

I. M. Wolff, who resides at the Nebraska Masonic Home, has the distinction of being the only member of the Grand Army residing at that place and is feeling proud of the fact that he has this distinction. Mr. Wolff was a member of a Missouri regiment in the Union army during the Civil war.

RAID MADE ON MOIST SPOT IN VICINITY OF MURRAY

Walter Sans, Owner of Place Where Liquor is Found Draws Fine of \$900 and Costs.

From Friday's Daily.

Last night a raid was made by State Agent Grebe on the farm of Walter Sans eight miles south of this city and east of Murray, and the owner of the farm, as the result, was fined \$200 and costs in the county court this morning for possession, selling and giving away liquor contrary to the peace and dignity of the state of Nebraska.

The visit of the state agent was preceded by the visitation of a number of emissaries who looked over the situation and the large number of persons who were at the farm enjoying a little of the refreshments in order to drive away the heat of the day and the sale of beer being on in full blast, the representative of the state law enforcement bureau made a hurried appearance and closed up the festivities and placed the owner of the property under arrest.

This morning County Attorney A. G. Cole filed a very severe complaint against Mr. Sans, much more forceful than that which is usually handed the persons who deal with the forbidden liquor, and the complaint charged three violations of the prohibition law, possession and selling and giving away the liquor contrary to the law of the state.

The county attorney was more harsh in this case than usual, due to the complaints that have been made from the locality in which the defendant resides and the apparent open method of liquor sales that have been going on, although this is the first time that direct evidence was obtained of the handling of the liquor sales.

The defendant when appearing in the county court entered a plea of guilty to the charge and paid over the necessary funds to settle the amount of the fine and costs.

TAP GAS METER FOR RECEIPTS; \$33 IS AMOUNT SHORT

Some One Enters Cellar at Foster Grill and Makes Away With Contents of Gas Meter.

From Friday's Daily.

The pay gas meter located in the cellar at the Foster Grill was robbed as far as can be learned some time between 8 a. m. and 11 p. m. Wednesday and the contents of the meter estimated at \$33 made away with by the party or parties pulling off the stunt.

It is stated that there was \$1 deposited in the meter Wednesday morning by the members of the Foster family and this cared for the gas used in cooking up to Wednesday night when Clarence Foster made a trip to the cellar and deposited a quarter in the meter. Yesterday the representative of the Nebraska Gas & Electric Co. visited the premises in making the monthly collections and meter readings and discovered that the small padlock that is used to hold the cash box of the meter was broken off and that the contents of the meter were apparently gone, there being the only quarter there in honor of the meter.

Clarence Foster had deposited in the till. This leads to the idea that the deed was pulled off some time after the money was placed in the meter Wednesday morning, the time of the last deposit.

The cellar has a door at the rear which is reported to be left open often for the purpose of ventilation and also an entrance from the main floor of the restaurant where anyone could get down the cellar unobserved if they watched their opportunity. However, the person pulling off the act was apparently aware of the fact of the existence of the money meter and its exact location.

WELCOME CHANGE

From Friday's Daily.

After a day that broke heat records for the past four years, the merrucuring hovering near the 104 mark, the cool night breeze last night brought an untold relief to the residents of this part of the city and freshened up the tired and heat-worn population.

The intense heat yesterday caused work on the street paving to be suspended until late in the afternoon when it was somewhat cooler and at that several of the workers were almost overcome by the heat. At the national guard camp the heat was so severe that by orders of Major A. D. Munger of the medical force, all drill and work at the range was suspended.

The temperature during the night fell to seventy above zero and was very bracing and stimulating this morning and a very welcome change.

Call at the Journal office for fine gift stationery, in both large and small boxes.

RELEASED FROM CUSTODY

From Friday's Daily.

The hearing of Fred Schliske was held yesterday at the federal court in Omaha before Judge Woodrough the young man having been charged with a violation of the injunction recently placed against the members of the striking shop crafts. The court after hearing the evidence in the case and the circumstances surrounding the alleged violation of the injunction decided in favor of the defendant and Mr. Schliske was allowed to return home acquitted of the charges preferred.

ELMWOOD MAN IS MARRIED AT HOLYOKE, COLORADO

Mr. Leonard Dreamer and Miss Eva Rapp Married August 16th at Holyoke, Colorado.

Announcements were received in this city the latter part of last week announcing the marriage of Mr. Leonard Dreamer of this place to Miss Eva Irene Rapp, which took place August the 16th, 1922, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rapp at Holyoke, Colo.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dreamer of this place. He graduated from the Elmwood high school and attended the state university for two years. He has recently been connected with the Farm Journal as subscription man and has made good for them. The bride is an accomplished young lady, a successful school teacher. She has visited here a number of times and is known to many for her many likeable qualities.

After a short honeymoon trip in the state of Colorado visiting some of the summer resorts they expect to be at home in Elmwood after September 1.

The best wishes of a host of friends here go with them for a long, happy and prosperous voyage over life's matrimonial sea.—Elmwood Leader-Echo.

HAS A FINE SCHOOL RECORD

From Friday's Daily.

The educational work of Mr. M. Senn Waddell of Pawnee City, whose marriage to Miss Pearl Schlichtemeier occurred here recently, is of a very high type and this talented young man occupies a very high place in the educational institutions of the middle west. Mr. Waddell is a graduate of the Pawnee City schools and taught in the Pawnee county schools for three years, prior to entering the Nebraska Wesleyan university, from which he was graduated in 1920 with an A. B. and B. S. degrees. While at Wesleyan he was assistant to Prof. Jensen in physics. He started his M. S. degree at the University of Nebraska but before completing it he went as instructor in physics at the University of Oklahoma and remained there two years, receiving his M. S. degree there from the state university. His thesis in physics will be used as a regular text work in the Oklahoma school this year. He now goes as professor of physics in the Iowa Wesleyan university located at Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.

SPECIAL TRAIN TO G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT

Nebraska Expected to Send 1,100 to Des Moines Sept. 25-29—Single Fare for Round Trip.

The office of Adjutant Gross of the G. A. R. in the state house is becoming a busy place in preparation for the forthcoming national encampment in Des Moines, September 25th to 29th.

A consignment of seven hundred railroad identification certificates from national headquarters reached the office yesterday with the assurance that more would follow if needed. These seven hundred will be distributed between the various departments of the Grand Army and its allied organizations.

It is not generally known that under the one designation of Grand Army encampment there are really six national conventions, all coming within the same railroad regulations and the hospitality of the entertaining city. Following are the six organizations:

Grand Army of the Republic; Women's Relief Corps, Ladies of the G. A. R., Sons of Veterans, Sons of Veterans Auxiliary and the Daughters of Veterans. These organizations have nearly reached a total membership in Nebraska of nine thousand. Every member going is entitled to purchase not only for himself or herself at the one-fare rate, but tickets also for every dependent member of the family. It is easily seen therefore that 1,100 is not a large estimate for the attendance from Nebraska. One-third of these will probably go by automobile and abundant provision will be made at Des Moines for the care of the cars.

However, the special train leaving Lincoln at 10:30 o'clock Monday morning, September 25, and Omaha at 12:30 o'clock the same day, affords such convenient transportation that many who planned to use their own cars will go with the crowd on the train.

The occasion appeals especially to all Iowa soldiers in Nebraska, as it affords a fine opportunity to meet old comrades and friends. The department commander, who is an ex-Iowa soldier has made a strong appeal to his Iowa comrades to join the delegation.

As the limit of these tickets is October 31, and Des Moines is a great center of railroad and interurban traffic, those going will have exceptional facilities for reaching near-by resort points. Tickets will be on sale September 21 to 26.

ENTERTAINS FOR GUEST

From Thursday's Daily.

Yesterday afternoon Miss Alvina Svoboda entertained very pleasantly at her home in the west part of the city in honor of her niece, Miss Anna Moravec, of Racine, Wisconsin, who is spending a part of the summer in this city.

The afternoon was spent in playing games of all kinds at which much merriment was derived and at a suitable hour dainty refreshments were served to complete the very delightful occasion. Those in attendance were: Misses Ruth Slavicek, Josephine Janda, Irma Pitman, Beatrice Knoflick, Beatrice and Anna Krejci, Annie Wooster, Mary Holly, Henrietta Koukal and Ann Moravec, the guest of honor.

This is Harvest Headquarters!

All through the harvest season this bank has been harvest headquarters for the farmers around Plattsmouth.

Right now, when you are cashing in on your crop, remember we are still headquarters and that your money should be deposited where unquestioned safety is assured. Even if the bulk of your harvest fund must be paid out, deposit first and then check out as necessary. The safety and complete service we offer is yours. Use it!

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