

Union Department

Prepared Exclusively for The Journal.

Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Taylor were visiting for the morning at Nebraska City last Monday.

W. O. Troop and wife were in Weeping Water last Saturday where they were doing some shopping.

Uncle William Clarence has been quite ill for the past week and at this time remains very poorly.

Mrs. K. D. Clark of Weeping Water and son, Will, were visiting with relatives in Union last Sunday.

Earl Troop was a visitor with friends at Greenwood on last Sunday, driving over to the little western city in his auto.

August Ost of near Nehawka was a visitor in Union last Monday morning looking after some business matters for a short time.

The Rev. W. A. Taylor was a visitor at Murray last Thursday where he went to officiate at the funeral of the late Wm. Nickles.

C. D. St. John was a business visitor in Union last Monday morning having brought a load of mill stuffs for the merchants of Union.

Santa True has been moving during the past week to the farm of Mrs. Dovie Aesch near Union where he will farm the coming season.

W. H. Mark was a visitor in Plattsmouth last Saturday, driving over to the county seat to look after some business matters for the day.

Robert James from southeast of Nehawka was a visitor in Union last Monday morning looking after some business matters for a few hours.

In the last election, Judge L. G. Todd was succeeded by Judge Daniel Lynn, who will serve the people of Liberty precinct after the beginning of the year.

Mrs. Joseph Woods living east of Union has been quite ill at her home and while everything is being done for her still is far from enjoying her usual health.

E. W. Keady and wife were visiting for a short time Sunday afternoon in Nebraska City, they driving over in their auto and enjoying the trip very much.

Mont Robb was called to Plattsmouth last Saturday to look after some business matters and while there was a caller at the office of the Plattsmouth Journal.

Earl Towle, the newly elected representative from Cass county in the next legislature, was a visitor in Union for a short time last Sunday, visiting with friends.

Newly elected state senator, W. B. Banning and wife were visiting with friends in Lincoln last Monday and the senator was also looking after some matters of business as well.

Orville Hathaway was a pleased man when the new mail wagon body for his auto arrived for indeed it is a fine piece of mechanism for the purpose for which it was designed.

Anna Bauers, Mrs. Henry Becker and daughter, Genevieve, were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nickles near Greenwood last Sunday, they driving over in their car.

Herman Smith and father, J. L. Smith have completed the picking of their corn, having concluded the work last Saturday, the work being done by Mr. J. L. Smith and grandson, Lawrence.

Rosie Prince and Frank P. Sheldon shipped a car load of hogs to the packing house at Nebraska City last week which were taken by Frank Trotter and Clarence Fleischmann in their trucks.

Hunting supplies, such as ammunition, shells for all standard guns and sizes and the very best, at Joe Banning's store. Remember, when you want to go hunting, he carries just what you want.

Stewart J. Rough and wife departed on Friday last week for Oakland where they visited until Monday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Ben Benson and husband enjoying the time very much.

Uncle Borden Eaton of St. Joseph has been visiting in Union for the past week with relatives and friends, he being a brother of George and Eli Eaton with whom he with other relatives is spending the time.

Simon Gruber is carrying one of hands in a bandage on account of an injury which he received while working with the Missouri Pacific, but it is getting along nicely at this time though still quite painful.

The Rev. C. L. Elliott, pastor of the Methodist church of Union, was a visitor in Murray last Friday evening where he delivered a discourse at the Presbyterian church where a special meeting was being held.

While J. A. Eaton was hauling a load of hogs to the Nebraska City market for J. L. Pittman last Monday morning he mashed three of his fingers which have since been pretty sore, but are getting along all right.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Simmons and Ellis LaRue and wife were visiting in Omaha last Sunday, they driving over in their car for the day and Mr. Simmons, where they visited for the day and had a most pleasant time.

Joe Banning and wife were accompanied by their daughter visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Banning of Alvo, they driving over in their car for the day and enjoying the trip and visit very pleasantly.

Irah Stoney, Mr. and Mrs. Helley Stoney, Ella Stoney, Edward Toerback and Dorothy Lyle of Lincoln were in Union last Sunday, coming to pay the tribute to the late Wm. Nickles at the funeral of the late Wm. Nickles at the Methodist church east of Murray last Thursday afternoon.

The dinner and supper which the ladies of the Methodist church served on election day was one which was well appreciated by the public as was evidenced by the way in which they patronized the affair. The ladies sure know just how to serve a dinner and supper in order to please the public.

Among those who were present of the neighbors and friends of the late George W. Saxon, coming from Lincoln, were: Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Saxon, P. H. Pack, John Gunnerson, Wm. Denman, John Hook, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Long and daughter, Miss Elizabeth; John Spence, M. R. Hall, P. H. Mathews, Edward Danielson, H. L. Perry, White from Prairie Home and vicinity came John Cox and wife, Joseph McCarthy, Joseph and Conrad Downey, Robert Ralston and wife and Mrs. J. C. Griffith.

Gold Seal Congoleum
Beautiful patterns just received and of both large and small sizes at Joe Banning's store. Just what you want for the winter. Drop in and see them.

Will Serve Supper Thanksgiving
The ladies of the Baptist church will serve both dinner and supper on Thanksgiving day and will give an excellent meal at each service. They would like your presence should you not have an invitation out for the occasion. Look for some advertising on the matter.

Methodist Church Notes
The services for the coming Sunday will be as follows:
Bible school at 10:00 a. m.
Epworth League 6:45 p. m.
Evening worship 7:30 p. m.
The public is cordially invited to be present at these services.
Dr. Cissel, district superintendent, of Omaha, was present last Sunday evening and gave an excellent address.

Card of Thanks
We desire to extend our sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors who so kindly ministered at the time of the death of our beloved husband and father, George W. Saxon, for the flowers, for the beautiful music and for the many kindly expressions of love, honor and respect evidenced.

—Mrs. George W. Saxon and Children.

Joe Lidgett Getting Better
Joe Lidgett after having been for four months suffering from an infection of one of his feet which kept him unable to do anything and caused untold suffering, is at this time showing very nice improvement, which is a great relief to this excellent gentleman and much pleasant to his many friends who have been much concerned about him. He and the wife are much pleased with the kindness of the many friends in and near Union during this time, when they have been so attentive to the welfare of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Lidgett, and wish to extend their thanks for the kindnesses extended.

Surprised on Birthday.
The friends of Frank Anderson, the genial gentleman who works with W. B. Banning, was very pleasantly surprised last Sunday when a large number of his friends gathered at his home and made merry for the day, having first provided things to eat and went with the determination of having an excellent time, which they did. The surprise did not stop there for this was the birthday of Mrs. Anderson and that of Frank being on Wednesday of this week, the celebration was for both these excellent citizens. The surprise was so cleverly executed that there was not a suspicion of the household of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson until in walked the crowd of friends with baskets filled to the brim. The elder people spent the time in visiting and having a royal good time, while the younger ones enjoyed the games which enlivened the occasion. At the noon time the baskets were unladen and such a profusion of good things to eat one scarcely ever sees. Now all knew just what they were for and did full justice to the eatables and like the time when there was fed the five thousand during the time of Christ, there was much left over. Those there to enjoy the occasion to make the occasion one long to be remembered by the host and hostess for its pleasantness, were: Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hoback, parents of Mrs. Anderson; Mrs. A. J. Anderson, mother of Mrs. Anderson; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hemphill, Oscar Hoback and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Massie, Grover Hoback and family, Messrs. and Mesdames Ray Bollman and Jay Austin and Mr. Wm. Hoback of Nehawka.

Funeral of Geo. Saxon Held at Union Monday
Large Number Attend the Services Held by Rev. W. A. Taylor at the Baptist Church.

From Tuesday's Daily—
George Wilbur Saxon, was born in Hartford City, Crawford county, Indiana, May 15, 1862. He resided with his parents and attended school in the winter until he was eighteen years of age, and but one year later came to Nebraska, arriving here two days before Christmas, in 1881. After residing here for a short time he became acquainted with Miss Ethel Greeman, and in a few years they were married at Factoryville, Neb., which is but a short distance from where Union now stands. Mr. and Mrs. Saxon resided in Union and vicinity until in 1913, when they moved to Lincoln in order to give the children an opportunity for an education. They resided there eight years, and then returned to make their home on the farm southeast of Union, where they were living at the time of his death on Saturday morning, Nov. 8, 1924. Mr. Saxon had been, during last Friday afternoon, to G. S. Upton's place northwest of Union, where he had purchased some apples, which he had taken home and afterwards had assisted in dressing a hog. During the evening he was feeling as well as common, but some time during the night, after he had retired, was stricken with paralysis and passed away during the early forenoon. The funeral and burial was held from the Baptist church, the services being conducted by the Rev. W. A. Taylor, the interment being made in the West Union cemetery. The union of Mr. and Mrs. Saxon was blessed with six children, five of whom lived to mourn the passing of the father, they being: Floyd, John, Iva, Fern, George and Reuben. Mr. George Saxon lived in this community for a long time and enjoyed during this time the honor and respect of a host of friends which was attested by the fact that many of them could not obtain entrance at the church to pay their last tribute of honor to his memory.

There were there, from out of town, to attend the funeral, Reuben Saxon and wife, of Lincoln, John Saxon and family of Omaha, Iva Pond of Denver, George Saxon and wife of Omaha, Mark Freeman and wife of Red Oak, Iowa, Mrs. Mammie Boetel of Creston, Iowa, Quay Norris of Shenandoah, Iowa, Pearl Boal and Mr. and Mrs. Allie Boal of Macedonia, Iowa.

CANDIDATES FILE EXPENSES
From Monday's Daily—
The candidates who participated in the late battle of the ballots have commenced the filing of their reports as required by law of the amounts that they expended in seeking the various offices, and which is necessary to comply with the corrupt practices law.

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The largest item in the expense accounts was the assessment levied by the county central committee and all the other expense that was reported was that of printing and several candidates reported gas and oil in use in their cars but which was unnecessary under the law.

BOX SOCIAL
There will be a Box Social at the M. W. A. hall at Union next Wednesday night, Nov. 19th, given by the Epworth League. The public is invited to attend. Ladies please bring boxes full of coffee, cake, and at 5c a cup to go with your lunch. There will be a short program given, beginning at 7:30. Pop corn and home made candy will be on sale also. Come and enjoy the evening and don't forget to bring a box, ladies, and gentlemen, bring your purse.

WOMAN'S CLUB WRITING CONTEST.
The annual writing contest of the Omaha Woman's Press Club will close Saturday, November 15.

An award of \$50. will be given the best short story of not more than 500 words. Fifty dollars will be paid for the best one act play. The best poem, not exceeding twenty-four lines, will be awarded \$25, and the best 1500 word miscellaneous prose will win \$25.

All manuscripts must be typed and original. No manuscript will be returned unless accompanied by return postage. The authors name must not appear on the manuscript but should be placed in a sealed envelope bearing the title and the class in which it is to be entered. Manuscripts will be judged in the class in which they are entered.

Awards will be announced at the annual dinner of the club which will be given early in January. The contest is open to all residents of Nebraska.

Judges for the short story, poem and miscellaneous prose are Mrs. Anna Steese Richardson, associate editor of the Woman's Home Companion.

SHERIFF'S SALE
State of Nebraska, County of Cass, ss.
By virtue of an Order issued by James Robertson, Clerk of the District Court within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 20th day of December, A. D. 1924, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the south front door of the court house in Plattsmouth, Nebraska, in said county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following described property, to-wit:

Lot 52 in Wise's Out Lots, an addition to the City of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska—
The same being the property of Fred C. Steward, Charles J. Slangal, and Mrs. Charles J. Slangal's wife, real name unknown, defendants, to satisfy a judgment of said Court recovered by The Livingstone Loan and Building Association, plaintiff against said defendants.

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51-YEAR RECORD BROKEN BY 1924 GROWING SEASON

218 Frost-Free Days Set Nebraska Record for Half Century—November 6 First Freeze.

From Monday's Daily—
Here's a problem for scientists and "weather sharks," who claim that the northern hemisphere of the world is on the way to another ice age.

Instead, the facts are more likely to be that the equator is moving up northward toward Nebraska.

For, according to announcement of the Omaha weather bureau Saturday, the longest growing season in the history of the department in Omaha occurred this year. That is, the time between the last freezing temperature last spring, April 1, and the first freezing temperature this fall, which was last Thursday, November 6th, was 218 days.

The longest previous growing season in Omaha since the establishment of the weather bureau in 1873, occurred in 1882, when the growing season was 213 days.

Fall Continues Warm
This record was made in spite of the fact that the summer just past went down in records as being a cool summer. The fall, however, has been a comparatively warm one to date.

A distinction between the date of the "first killing frost" and the date of the end of the growing season is made. The growing season is recorded as ending the first day of fall, when the temperature goes below 32°. However, it has to get lower than that for an official killing frost, as many plants survive the temperature of 32° unless it is protracted.

Saturday, when the temperature was down to 26° between 6 and 7 a. m., was recorded by the weather bureau as the day of the first killing frost for the fall of 1924.

CORN CROP IN STATE SHOWS BIG DECREASE

U. S. Figures Show Production 75 Million Bushels Less than a Year Ago—Prices Up.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The smallest corn crop since 1913 was the reward of American farmers this year who planted the fifth largest acreage to that crop in the history of farming. Not only was the harvest substantially below those of the last four years, but the merchantable quality of this year's crop is the lowest in thirty years, with the exception of 1917.

Preliminary estimates of production issued today by the department of agriculture, placed the crop at 947,528,000 bushels, the acreage at 105,604,000 or 1.4 per cent more than last year, and the merchantable quality of the crop as 63.2 per cent. Corn production during the last four years has averaged more than 3 billion bushels.

The preliminary production estimate for Nebraska was 197,856,000 bushels. The figures for 1923 were 272,052,000 bushels. The figures for Iowa were given as 326,640,000 bushels.

The white potato crop, estimated at 454,119,000 bushels, is slightly larger than the big crops of 1917 and 1922 yield in northern states running far above earlier expectations because in some regions the crop escaped frost and continued growing far into October. Prices will be reasonable, department officials say.

Corn production averaged 23.5 bushels per acre this year as compared with 29.2 bushels last year and 27.6 bushels for the ten-year average. Over most of the corn belt, favorable for maturing and drying crop. Sections that were not frosted made material gains over earlier expectations and increase of about 19,000,000 bushels in the total crop over last month resulted. The favorable weather improved the quality of the crop much more than seemed probable. Much corn that was frosted in Iowa, the largest producing state, and other states, had dried out with a minimum of souring and molding, though much of the frosted corn is chaffy, shriveled and loose on the cob.

COUNTIES SHARE IN MONEY FROM TREES

Three Nebraska Districts Get Twenty-five Per Cent of Receipts of Forests.

Three counties in Nebraska received \$2,794,438 from the receipts on national forests located within their boundaries according to a letter received by the governor from the forester's office in Washington. This sum amounts to 25 per cent of the total receipts from the Nebraska national forest for the fiscal year of 1924. The receipts from this forest are apportioned among the counties in which it lies, according to the net forest area in each. Cherry county, containing the largest forest area, receives \$1,577,711; Thomas county, second, receives \$1,079,585 and Blaine county, third, receives \$143,090.

In addition to this fund which is placed at the disposal of the counties in conformity with the act of congress, May 22, 1908 for experimental schools and roads, another 10 per cent of the receipts



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- Robert McCarty Louisville
- F. H. Nichols Louisville
- C. G. Donahue Murray
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MAXWELL ADAMS GOES TO STATE LEGISLATURE

Former Cass County Young Man Selected as Representative From Howard County Tuesday.

The voters of Howard county at the election on last Tuesday selected a former Cass county young man, Maxwell Adams of Dannebrou, as the office of state representative and to which position he will bring a great deal of ability and is certain to be a representative that will be a credit to Howard county.

Mr. Adams is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Will F. Adams of this city and was the nominee of the democrats for the office of state representative and carried the county by a handsome majority.

Max Adams was brought up on the farm south of this city and made his home here until reaching manhood when he moved to Howard county and has since been engaged in farming in the vicinity of St. Paul and is keenly alive to the interests of the people of his section of the state.

The many friends here are pleased to learn of his success at the election and an knowing him well are certain will make a record in the legislature that he can be proud of.

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