

The Plattsmouth Journal.

WOMAN'S CLUB CARD PARTY IS REAL SUCCESS

Very Large Attendance at the Event Staged at the Hotel Main Afternoon and Evening.

From Thursday's Daily—
The card party given under the auspices of the Plattsmouth Woman's club at the Hotel Main yesterday afternoon and last evening was one of the pleasing social events of the week and very largely attended by the ladies and gentlemen of the city to enjoy the pastimes of bridge, high five and mah jongg, there being a very large number of tables of these card games staged at both of these sessions.

The games were held in the newly decorated dining room of the hotel which was a place very appropriate for the event, the handsome interior of the room being added to by the bouquets of the beautiful flowers that had been used in the table decorations and amid which the players whiled away the passing hours.

The event was in charge of the civic department of the Woman's club of which Mrs. E. J. Richey is chairman and the committee actively in charge of the card party was composed of Mrs. C. A. Rosencrans, Mrs. L. W. Eckenberger, Mrs. H. F. Coos, Mrs. James T. Begley, Mrs. R. W. Knorr and Miss May Murphy.

In the afternoon there were twelve tables of five, bridge and mah jongg, appropriate prizes being given at each table at the close of play in the late afternoon.

In the evening there were twenty-nine tables playing, winners at each table receiving appropriate prizes that added to the pleasure of those who were participating in the occasion.

The ladies served dainty refreshments of home made cakes and ice cream that had been prepared by the ladies of the club, both at the afternoon and evening playings.

The ladies are very grateful to the merchants, the members of the club and the general public for the cordial co-operation shown in making the occasion a great success both socially and financially, as everyone did their utmost to make the occasion one of the greatest pleasure.

FIREWORKS DISPLAY FOR FOURTH HERE

From Thursday's Daily—
The big fireworks display for the Fourth anniversary will be gotten in shape during the coming week to be set up on the ball park, as last year, after the afternoon game there. The firing of the display has again been placed in the hands of a committee from the American Legion and the women's auxiliary group in charge for the large set pieces will also be done by Legion members.

The display this year is considerably larger than last year and will include some of the largest set pieces put out by the Martin Fireworks company, which furnished last year's display as well. Among them will be the opening legend, "Plattsmouth Welcomes You" set out in big 2-foot fiery letters that will burn for several minutes and be plainly visible even from the hillsides.

The closing of the program will be designated by the firing of the legend, "Come Again." Some of the other large set pieces include the beautiful and ever popular Niagara Falls, 30 feet high by 100 feet in length, the Fairy Lily, the Magic's Diamond, a patriotic group including the American flag flung to the breeze and surmounted on each side by the Red Cross emblem. The aerial display will also be larger than that of last year, including four instead of three "trench boards" and a greater showing of rockets and bombs.

The same gang that "touched 'em off" last year will be on hand again this year, and their past experience should enable them to do an even better job of it.

LEAVES FOR THE WEST

From Thursday's Daily—
Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Morgan and daughter, Miss Gertrude, and Mrs. E. W. Cook motored to Omaha where they spent a few hours with Mrs. C. D. Eades, sister of Mrs. Morgan, who was departing last night for California where she will spend the summer months recuperating after the severe ordeal of the illness and death of Mr. Eades. Miss Fern Eades is to spend the summer at Yellowstone Park during the absence of the mother.

HAROLD RALYA IMPROVING

From Thursday's Daily—
The latest word received by Mrs. Ed Roman of this city from her brother, Harold Ralya, at Gordon, Colorado, states that the young man is getting along very nicely following his narrow escape from death in an explosion in a coal mine near that place. Mr. Ralya is still suffering from bruises and injuries but it is thought that he will soon be over the injuries and little the worse for his harrowing experience.

Blank books at the Journal office.

FORFEITS BOND

From Thursday's Daily—
In the police court this morning Judge William Weber forfeited the bond of Charles McCauley, which had been placed with the police on Tuesday evening to secure the payment of a fine that might be awarded by the court as the result of the charge of being intoxicated which was preferred by the night police, officers Libershal and Jackson, against the man. As the defendant appeared not in court to contest the charge preferred, the court after hearing the evidence decided that the defendant would have to pay the amount of \$10 and costs and which was so ordered by the judge.

CASE OF DOVEY VS. DOVEY BRINGS OUT KEEN LEGAL POINTS

Litigation Covering Settlement of Judgments in E. G. Dovey & Son Case Interesting.

From Thursday's Daily—
The district court yesterday was occupied in hearing an action entitled C. C. Dovey et al. vs. W. M. Thomas et al., the case covering the wind-up of a series of litigation involving settlements of the E. G. Dovey & Son litigation and disposition of the interests of the various parties in the section of land near Cedar Creek more familiarly known as the "Dovey section."

In the case the one-third interest of G. E. Dovey had been purchased at a sale by the plaintiffs who had also secured several judgments against the defendant G. E. Dovey and the firm of E. G. Dovey & Son, which had been closed through a receivership.

In making the suit for the disposition of the property and the sale of the interest of G. E. Dovey in the section of land, John E. Hazzard, a son-in-law of G. E. Dovey, and the holder of a mortgage on the property had not been included in the parties to the sale that resulted in the sale of the land and in this present action Mr. Hazzard through his attorneys contended that as defendant Hazzard had not been a party named in the action that resulted in the sale of the land, his interest in the property still alive and he proposes to redeem the interest that was sold by court order, giving to the purchasers the price of \$15,000, which was that paid at the sale for the one-third interest of G. E. Dovey. For the plaintiffs in the action Francis A. Brown of Omaha appeared while the interests of Mr. Hazzard and G. E. Dovey were in the hands of J. P. Breen and Halleck Rose of Omaha.

The case occupied the entire day and was featured by very able arguments of the attorneys in the case and at the conclusion of the arguments at 4:30 yesterday the matter was taken under advisement by Judge Begley.

SUDDEN RISE IN THE PLATTE YESTERDAY

From Thursday's Daily—
Yesterday afternoon the Platte river that usually at this season of the year is very shallow, took an added spurt and in the space of an hour had risen some three feet. The water is thought to have been caused by the very heavy rains in the north and western portions of the state along the streams that feed into the Platte and consequently causing a great deal of the high water.

The sudden rise of the river did not do a great deal of damage to the new bridge that is being constructed across the Platte aside from covering a portion of the false work with the higher water.

The new bridge structure suffered some loss a week ago when a section of the false work was carried out, but this again was repaired and the present flood tide it was stated did not do the damage that was experienced the first time.

KINNEY GOODMAN VERY LOW

From Friday's Daily—
Kinney Goodman, aged 87 years, and one of the pioneers of the great west, is very critically ill at the home of his son, George W. Goodman, at the farm home west of this city, where for a part of the time Mr. Goodman has been suffering from an attack of dropsy for the past year and his condition has been gradually worse until the last few weeks when his condition became such as to offer but little hopes of his recovery. The latest reports of his condition is that he may not live through the night.

ASKS FOR FORECLOSURE

From Thursday's Daily—
This morning in the district court action was filed entitled the Livingston Loan & Building association vs. William Gravett, et al., in which the plaintiff corporation seeks to have foreclosure made of their liens on the property of the defendant and be given a judgement on the property which was secured by mortgage to the plaintiffs. The property involved is located in the south portion of the city.

PLATTSMOUTH PRIEST GIVES SPEECH ON THE HIGH OFFICE OF CHURCH

Father M. A. Shine Orator of the Celebration Held at Havelock Church Yesterday.

From Thursday's Daily—
The high office of the Catholic priesthood and the devotion with which the priests had been fulfilled by the Rev. D. B. O'Connor were the theme of an address by the Rev. M. A. Shine, of Plattsmouth, at St. Patrick's church, Havelock, Wednesday morning. The service with high mass had been arranged in commemoration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the ordination of Father O'Connor.

Fifteen priests of the diocese, including the diocesan administrator, Father Ertrach, in charge during the absence of the bishop in Rome, assisted in the service. So large a number of priests in festival robes following the acolytes to the chancel formed an impressive procession. The music was elaborate and beautiful. The altars were decorated with many fresh flowers. On the high altar long stems of pink gladioli were in vases between the tall candles with pink roses in lower vases. Masses of sweet peas were on one of the side altars and white flowers with ferns on the other.

In beginning his address, Father Shine extended congratulations to the pastor of St. Patrick's and expressed the hope that God would extend his usefulness for a long period of years. Father Shine said the priesthood had been established by Christ to administer to the faithful to the end of time. The priest is chosen by God to offer sacrifice, to administer the sacrament of thanksgiving and also that the shortcomings of priest and people may be forgiven. "Is it not a wonderful institution?" he asked, "God delegates to His priest the power to forgive sins. It is not a personal gift, but a gift to one of His sons."

"The priest receives your infants in the sacrament of baptism; he teaches them and prepares them for the sacrament of confirmation. He watches over them and encourages young men fitted for the service to prepare for the priesthood. He unites your young men and women in marriage. When the angel of death appears, what consolation is brought by the priest. From the cradle to the grave the priest is always ready to give comfort and consolation."

Father Shine turned towards Father O'Connor seated in the chancel, saying to the congregation: "The one we have come here to honor has been always faithful, always ready, always doing good, so we rejoice with you in celebrating the twenty-fifth anniversary of his service."

In closing Father Shine admonished the congregation that they should hold up the hands of their priest. "When Moses prayed with his hands uplifted, the Israelites were victorious, but when they refused to lift their arms, they were defeated. When his arms were held up by friends, victory again came to his people."

Father O'Connor's father, P. W. O'Connor, was said to have been a member of the first committee appointed to place a Catholic church in Havelock.—State Journal.

EN ROUTE TO ELKS CONVENTION

From Thursday's Daily—
Mr. and Mrs. James M. Robertson of this city have had as their house guests for the past few days a number of relatives from the east, the party motoring through from their homes in Maryland and Virginia to Portland, Oregon, where they are to attend the Elks grand lodge and hence to California for a short visit with friends and taking in the sights of the Pacific coast. In the party are James Thompson of Baltimore, a cousin of Mrs. Robertson; Dr. Thacker, of Franklin, West Virginia; James Stites of Upper Tract, Virginia, and Rev. Will Stites of Martinsburg, West Virginia. The members of the party are enjoying a real trip and getting the opportunity of viewing the great west as they travel through and have enjoyed to the utmost the many points of interest through which they have passed and are anticipating a great many more as they go to the coast.

ED DONAT, THE THIRD, ARRIVES THIS MORNING

From Thursday's Daily—
There is joy unrestrained at the home of Edward Donat, Jr., and wife today as the result of the fact that a fine twelve pound son and heir, the first child in the family, arrived at the home this morning.

The young man is fine and lusty and with the mother is doing very nicely. The proud father is just the happiest man in the world and as to Grandpa Ed Donat, well Peerless Ed is peerless once more and laughs and cheers with his old time enthusiasm over the happy event that has occurred in his family. Dr. P. J. Flynn was at the Donat home and reports all doing very nicely.

WATER FIGHTERS LIMBER UP

From Thursday's Daily—
With the recollection of the experience of last year before them, the members of the Plattsmouth fire department, who are expecting to participate in the water fight on July Fourth, are getting in trim for the big event and will be in better shape this time than they were last season when the Weeping Water department ran away with the honors of the day. The boys were out last evening in their first practice and made a very good showing for the first time and should be in rare form for the husky fire fighters from Weeping Water and Glenwood, when they come here for the Fourth of July.

METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL HOLDS PICNIC WEDNESDAY

Over 200 Children and Teachers are Present at Gathering at the Hallstrom Farm.

From Thursday's Daily—
Yesterday afternoon the members of the Sunday school of the First Methodist church of this city to the number of 200 or more gathered at the farm of John Hallstrom, south of the Burlington shops, where the festivities were to be staged for the annual picnic of the school.

The location for the picnic was ideal to lend natural advantages to the enjoyment of the members of the party, the large trees, the luxuriant grass and the gently rolling land making many ideal spots where the fleeting hours could be passed most delightfully.

The committee in charge of the arranging of the swings and aerial devices were on the job early in the afternoon and had plenty of these to add to the fun of the youngsters and some of the older members of the party also took advantage of the occasion to join in the delights of a swing just as in the good old school days.

The Philathea class of the Sunday school, consisting of the organizations of the ladies of the school, had charge of the picnic supper and from the reports of those in attendance that could add to the enjoyment and comfort of the members of the picnic party in any way at the supper hour. Plenty of ice cream and other dainties were on hand to assist the young and old in topping off a real feast.

At the vesper hour in the last rays of the setting sun, the pastor of the church, the Rev. Frank Emory Pfutz, held a most impressive service for a few moments that was a real inspiration to all those gathered along the hillside where the services were held.

The members of the party were taken to and from the picnic grounds in trucks and enjoyed to the utmost the splendid day's outing.

SAY YOUNG MAN WAS NOT EXILED

From Thursday's Daily—
Relatives of Willard Harris, who was taken in custody Saturday night by the police in company with Frank March, state that the young man has been misrepresented in the columns of the Journal in the statement that he was ordered to leave the city, which the paper had been informed was the result of the action following the arrest.

Members of the family state that he was taken up with March on a charge of drunkenness, but that this charge could not be proved and March were turned loose, stating that they had a job with the carnival company and were going with them and accordingly were told to go ahead by the authorities and take the job.

While members of the family do not approve of the associates of the young man they do not wish the impression to be gained that the young man was forced to leave the city.

TO SELECT DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION

From Friday's Daily—
Delegates to the state convention of the American Legion at Columbus the last week in July, will be selected by the local post at its meeting next Wednesday night. The post is entitled to three delegates and three alternates this year, and as some important matters of administration are to come up at the state meeting this year, local delegates will go under instruction from the post to cast their vote and work for certain measures.

At the meeting next Wednesday night, which is the regular monthly meeting, the carnival report will be read and other routine business transacted.

Many of the most beautiful designs and shades of crepe paper and crepe paper novelties can be found in the Dennison line at the Bates Book and Gift Shop. Call and inspect these special features.

YOUNG PEOPLE ARE MARRIED WEDNESDAY

Miss Doris Winscott and Mr. Ervan Myers United in Holy Wedlock at Christian Parsonage.

From Thursday's Daily—
Yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the parsonage of the First Christian church a very simple and pretty wedding service was held that joined in the bonds of holy wedlock the lives of Miss Doris Winscott of this city and Mr. Ervan Myers, of Omaha.

The marriage lines were read by the Rev. Walter R. Robb, pastor of the church, of which both of the contracting members have long been active members.

The bridal couple were attended by Miss Gladys F. Arnold as bridesmaid and Mr. Earl Harris of Plattsmouth as groomsmen.

The wedding dress of the bride was of silk canton crepe trimmed in cream lace, she wearing also powder blue silk hose and black satin slippers. Miss Winscott carried a bridal bouquet of sweet peas, baby breath and roses.

Miss Arnold wore a modish gown of powder blue canton crepe trimmed with the soft shade of cream lace. The bridesmaid wore a corsage of the sweet peas and baby breath.

Later in the afternoon a reception was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Myers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Jackenberg, which was also in the nature of a miscellaneous shower for the bride, many beautiful gifts being showered on the young lady whose happiness had been observed that day.

In the evening the bridal party were pleasantly serenaded at the parsonage of the Christian church, where they were attending a meeting of the cast of the Christian church dramatic club and where the friends joined in their shower of well wishes for the newly weds.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Winscott of this city and is a young lady of great charm and personality and one whose friends here in her childhood home are without number. She has been educated here in the Plattsmouth schools and has been very active in the social work of the Christian church, of which she has long been a member.

The groom is a son of William F. Myers of Glenwood, and has been a resident of Plattsmouth for the past few years, being engaged here for some time with the Robb Candy Co. of this city. Mr. Myers is now living in Omaha, where he is engaged in the painting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Myers will be at home to their friends at the Omaha apartments, 304 North 22nd street, Omaha, after July 1st. In their new home they carry the best wishes of the friends here for their future happiness and success.

RETURN FROM NOTRE DAME

From Friday's Daily—
Herman Netzel and wife who have been at South Bend, Indiana, attending the commencement exercises of Notre Dame university, came in yesterday afternoon to spend some time here visiting at the home of Mrs. Netzel's mother, Mrs. P. R. Guthmann and family. They state that the graduating exercises were most impressive and interesting, there being 350 of the graduates and among whom was numbered their son, John Milton Netzel. The son did not accompany the parents back to this city as he left Saturday with Prof. Phillips of the university for Mexico on a special mission that will take some time and on the completion of which he will go on to the Netzel home at Boise, Idaho. Mr. and Mrs. Netzel made the trip to this city in a new Chrysler car that they secured at the factory in Detroit. Mr. Netzel being the representative of this company at Boise, and on the trip the car had a good initiation as they encountered some very muddy roads in Iowa.

MRS. BAJECK IMPROVING

From Friday's Daily—
Mrs. John Bajeck, who is at the sanitarium at Savannah, Missouri, taking treatment is reported as showing much improvement altho she has yet to go through some of the most severe part of the course of treatment for the removal of a small growth that has caused her a great deal of pain and annoyance for some time. The family and friends feel that the treatment is giving the very best of results and that the patient may soon be able to return home greatly improved in every way.

MRS. GEORGE E. SAYLES IS IMPROVING NOW

From Thursday's Daily—
Mrs. George E. Sayles of Cedar Creek, mother of County Clerk George R. Sayles, has been quite poorly for several weeks past, suffering from the after-effects of the flu. Mrs. Sayles is now, however, showing much more favorable improvement and it is hoped that she will soon be on the highway to recovery from her illness and regain her former good health.

SHOWS SLIGHT IMPROVEMENT

From Friday's Daily—
Clyde Ptak, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emmons Ptak, who has been in very grave condition for the past several days, is reported today as being slightly better, following a very severe attack on Wednesday that made his condition most critical and caused a great deal of worry to the family to the young man. Mr. Ptak was stricken down just a few weeks before his graduation from school and has since been confined to his bed the greater part of the time and with little change for the better in his condition.

JOHN SNEED SUFFERS VERY SEVERE INJURY

Well Known Burlington Engineer Burned by Steam When Water Hose on Car Explodes.

From Friday's Daily—
The Plattsmouth friends of John Sneed, well known Burlington engineer, will regret to learn that John was very severely injured a few days ago at Ashland by being burned by steam when the hose on his auto connecting the engine and the radiator exploded and threw the burning steam over the right arm and side of the unfortunate man.

Mr. Sneed, with his wife and two children and Mrs. Garrison, had driven down from their home at Sioux City to visit with friends at Ashland for the day, spending the time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Raikes and family. He was having trouble with the car heating and took the car to the Raikes garage to have it filled with gas and oil for the return trip. The heating of the car had annoyed him to a great extent and he decided to investigate and learn, if possible, the cause of the trouble.

As he lifted the hood of the car the hose that connects the engine with the radiator blew apart from pressure of the steam and the burning steam was hurled over the right arm and side of the man. He was given medical attention and sent home by the family, on the train as he was suffering a great deal from the effects of the burns.

The cause of the accident was fixed as that of the overflow pipe on the cooling system becoming closed and the steam not being able to escape caused the blowing up of the water hose.

LITTLE ONE CALLED HOME

From Friday's Daily—
This morning at 9:35 at the home in the west portion of the city occurred the death of Mary Rita Lloyd, two and a half year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris W. Lloyd. The little one had been growing worse until the little life that had bloomed for so brief a time in the garden of life was called back to the Father who had given it to the parents for the brief space of time. The death comes as a very great sorrow to the parents and the other relatives of the little one who had loved it so dearly and over the right arm and side of the man. There have been no funeral arrangements announced by the family. In their sorrow, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd will have the deep sympathy of the host of friends in the bereavement that has come to them.

JUDGE BEGLEY IS NAMED HEAD OF COMMERCE BODY

Selection of the Judge Will Give the City Once More an Active and a Live Civic Body.

From Friday's Daily—
The chamber of commerce, which since the first of the year, has been operating largely by the commission form of government, without any active head, due to the fact that Searl Davis, president for the past two years, had declined to further carry the burden as he felt that he had made sufficient sacrifices for the cause of the community, again has a head who will aid it and the city in the advancing of the best interests of the community.

A few days ago the selection was made by the directors and a large number of the membership of the chamber of commerce, Judge James T. Begley as the president of the chamber of commerce and this morning the judge finally decided that he would accept the office and enter into the work of helping carry on the civic work that will be necessary to carry on in the coming year to advance the best interests of the community.

The directors and members of the chamber of commerce feel very happy in the selection of Judge Begley as he brings to the position of president a keen personality and an active and aggressive leadership that should produce some real results in the forwarding of the best interests of the community in general as the new president has a large acquaintance over the state that will be most valuable in the conduct of the office of president of the chamber of commerce.

The club members and directors also named as the secretary of the chamber of commerce for the present year, Frank H. Smith, who, with the new president, takes office at once.

CLARENCE BEAL IS UNDER TREATMENT

From Friday's Daily—
The reports from Rochester, Minnesota, state that Clarence L. Beal, clerk of the district court, who has been at the Mayo hospital for the past ten days, is still undergoing treatment and every effort possible made to give Mr. Beal relief from his long period of illness. The patient has shown some improvement in a number of phases of the case, it is stated, but is still very weak and has much inability to receive nourishment which is one of the worst features of the case. The family and the host of friends are hopeful that the next few days may show some permanent improvement in the patient altho at the best his recovery will require some time as his system is very much upset and in bad condition.

ARRIVAL OF LITTLE DAUGHTER

From Friday's Daily—
This morning the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schaus was made very happy by the arrival of a fine little daughter, who had come to dwell there with this estimable family. The mother and little one are both doing nicely and the advent of the little daughter has brought a great deal of happiness to the proud father.

Save and Thrive 25

A Message to the Bride and Groom!

Lack of good management during the first years of married life imposes a handicap which can never be overcome.

The helpful personal interest which this bank takes in the financial problems of its customers makes this friendly institution a favorite depository for young couples with high hopes for the future.

We welcome the accounts of Plattsmouth community's brides and bridegrooms of 1925.

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