

Nehawka Department!

Prepared in the interests of the People of Nehawka and Surrounding Vicinity Especially for the Journal Readers.

The Year 1927 is Going

We are thankful for the many things our friends have done to make it a success. We shall strive to make 1928 better for our trade.

Lundberg Garage

Nehawka, Nebr.

Frank P. Sheldon was putting up the harvest of ice on Monday of this week.

D. C. West was called to Omaha on Wednesday of this week, where he had some business matters to look after.

A. G. Cisney shelled and delivered corn to the Nehawka elevator Tuesday of this week, Warren Munn doing the work of shelling.

The vacation for the mid-winter holidays terminated with Monday of this week and the scholars were back to their studies again on Tuesday.

Mrs. James Wade, who is making her home in Omaha at this time has been the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stone for the week.

The Nehawka Bank was closed for the day last Monday and Walter Wunderlich and the family were visiting and looking after some business in Omaha for the day.

E. A. Kirkpatrick, who has been keeping rather quiet for some time on account of a broken rib, is getting along nicely, and is hoping the rib will soon be all right again.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Kirkpatrick entertained at their home on last Sunday and had as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Kime and family, where all enjoyed the occasion very much.

Ernest Opp was a visitor in Omaha for the present week, where he went to visit with his grandfather, Peter, and his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. William Black, of that town, for a week.

John Opp and the good wife and their son Donald were visiting in Plattsmouth on last Thursday, called there to look after some business matters and drove over in their car for the day.

Dr. J. L. Barrett, who has been so seriously ill for the past two weeks is reported as being some better and

still showing improvement. His many friends are hoping he will soon be in his usual health.

Robert and Carl Hill were visiting for a few days last week at the home of their sister, Mrs. Victory Minter and with the termination of their visit on last Friday, notwithstanding the extreme cold weather, walked home.

Mrs. Wm. Gorder, of Plattsmouth, was a visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Troop for a few days during the past week. On her return to her home she was accompanied by Mrs. Earl Troop, who is visiting there for a short time.

A teacher of the school district No. 3 in Otoe county, south of Nehawka was not able to return to her school after the ending of the midwinter holidays, all on account of her car deciding to leave the highway and run out in the field and stop against a tree.

Edward Johnson, who has been so ill with an attack of pneumonia, was taken to the hospital one day last week, where he is being treated, and where he is very seriously ill at this time. His father, Peter Johnson, was a visitor in Omaha with his son on last Monday.

Stewart Rough was sure smiling last Monday all because of the arrival at the home of Martin Ross, of one of the very finest of young men, and who had come there to stay. The parents are both pretty well satisfied, and the young man and mother are doing nicely.

Miss Julia Troop, a student of the state university, who has been visiting for the past few weeks at the home of her parents, W. O. Troop and wife, and enjoying the holidays, returned to Lincoln on last Monday afternoon to take up her studies at the beginning of the present term of that school.

Word has been received from Justin Sturm that he has just sold his latest short story to a publishing firm in England, which they will publish in a magazine. This one is known as "The Well Known Secret."

In all, Mr. Sturm has written and had published some nine short stories besides the books which he is author of.

There was a big chunk of joy brought to the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Cisney last week, where there arrived to make his home with this excellent couple a brand new young American, and who is promising to make the home joyful and be a comfort to the parents in the years to come. All concerned are doing nicely and joy reigns supreme.

Home and at Work

Henry M. Pollard, who is treasurer of the Farmers Elevator company, was busy on Monday of this week signing checks for the payment of the dividends which that company recently declared, and which was the result of the excellent management of the elevator by J. S. Rough. The checks were being issued by E. C. Giles, the secretary, and Mr. Pollard, the treasurer.

Mr. Pollard, who has been in the east for the past four months, returned after having officiated in the settling up of an estate of which he was made administrator. Mr. Pollard also said regarding the east, which he declares as a fine country.

New Race will be Superior to Present People

California Claims School Children Lead Those of Other States

Berkeley, Cal.—Evidence to support that a new race is appearing on earth, as asserted by Dr. Annie Besant, and to indicate that the cradle of that race is California is forthcoming at the University of California.

If there is a race developing, it is yet too early to gauge its intellectual possibilities, but physically it will be far superior to the present races.

The foundation of the new race will be the life giving ultra-violet ray, the beneficial effects of which are felt in California as they are nowhere else in the United States.

California children are larger than children of other states; their progress in school is faster. At the University of California the average weight of freshmen students is 149 pounds, and the average height five feet nine inches.

Outdoor Benefits Prof. Frank L. Kleeberger, chairman of the department of physical education, who today supplied the foregoing figures, said a survey of eastern colleges probably would show a much lower average of height and weight.

He attributed the glowing health of the average California boy and girl in a large measure to the fact that they are able to remain out of doors to a much greater extent than is practicable in most states, thus exposing themselves to the ultra-violet rays for much longer periods each day.

Admitting that he was offering no more than a theory, Professor Kleeberger pointed out that tests with rats proved conclusively that the animals exposed to the powerful rays of sun were able to withstand poisons of a far greater extent than those kept in dark places.

"If it is true that California children are thus benefiting," he continued, "there is every reason to believe that they will be superior mentally as they are physically."

"We have had marked success with the upbuilding of small children in our mountain summer camps, where the ultra-violet ray is impeded to a lesser extent by fogs and smoke. The boys are encouraged to go virtually naked."

School is Different In this respect the university is perhaps unique. Nearly 3,000 male students are taking some form of physical exercise, and wherever possible are required to remain in the sunshine. Professor Kleeberger, hoping to gain even greater advantage from the priceless rays advocated a circular gymnasium with turf tracks and spaces for gymnastic work.

All of which is not apart from the subject—the development of a new race—close analysis of the methods adopted on the Berkeley campus point to that ultimate goal.

Like the famed but ancient "one-two-three," exercises have been cast aside for a system of development aimed to supply the needs of the individual.

Calisthenics are passed, "Because," Professor Kleeberger asked, "what good will this work do the student in future years, aside from the slight physical stimulation derived?"

What then? Here is one example: The Berkeley graduate is encouraged to fence—always in the sunlight. Not because he may expect to fence as an adult, but because there is a mental stimulation, a quickening of the eye and of the brain that is not present in many other forms of exercise.

During Professor Kleeberger's connections with the physical education department, some 14,000 students have taken in the work of his department—the nucleus of a "super race" made possible by California sunshine.—Lincoln Star.

MAKE MANY LOANS New York, N. Y., Jan. 2.—A total of \$118,939,639 in housing loans in all sections of the country has been authorized by the Metropolitan Life Insurance company real estate committee during the year 1927, bringing the housing loans made by this company in the past seven years to \$590,861,450.

During 1927, this insurance company made loans providing housing accommodations for 27,539 families. The loans numbered 19,792 of which 19,341 were on dwellings and 451 on apartment houses. They were scattered in almost every state in the union, \$16,903,040 being loaned on dwellings and apartment houses in New York City. The largest number of loans the greatest in amount, outside of New York City, were in Michigan, California, Illinois and North Carolina, although a considerable number of applications were granted for loans in Pennsylvania, Minnesota, Washington and Oregon.

Since 1920, when the Metropolitan Life established its policy of loans on small houses and apartments of low rental to ameliorate the housing shortage, this company has made 92,207 such loans on dwellings and apartment houses, which will accommodate 154,516 families.

The farm loans for 1927 numbered 5,519 and their total amount to \$35,832,903. This brings the amount of farm loans this company has in force to date to \$197,115,095. The farm loans were scattered in thirty states, the greatest amounts being in the Middle West and South.

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Chamber of Commerce to Meet Thursday

Election of Officers of Civic Organization Will Be Held and Plans for Work Started

From Tuesday's Daily— Thursday evening at the auditorium of the Plattsmouth public library will be held the annual meeting of the chamber of commerce and which is to be a meeting of the greatest importance to the organization as determining its future status and the policies that are to dominate in the coming year's plans for the city.

While there are other organizations functioning in the city there are none that fill the field that is occupied by the chamber of commerce, which represents all classifications of activities and embraces in its membership the business man, the farmer and the artisan, all who have the same problems in common and which is best expressed in the chamber of commerce.

The Ad club or other organizations have to do with the problems of some particular line of the community life, but in the chamber of commerce there is every element of civic life represented and the chamber of commerce takes a position of representative of the whole citizenry in the many plans that may be made for the development of the city and its advancement.

It is vital that everyone who has a real interest in the city be enrolled in the membership of the organization and not merely hold a passive membership but take an active part in the problems of the community and give of their time and the benefit of their good judgment to the advancement of the interests of the community where we all reside and where the interest of one is vital to his neighbor.

The great problems of the chamber of commerce is to sell the community to its citizens and when this is accomplished there is little that can stand in the way of the advancement of the city. The city is merely a collection of individuals and as they strive to advance their community, to speak well of the place they dwell and strive to bring to it the interest of the outside world, so far will they progress. If a city or community is a good place to live it is also a mighty fine field to give your wholehearted support by deed and voice, and if one is not satisfied then the whole world is beckoning, and the community can well spring to uphold the place that they call home.

Speaking of the election of officers there is an example of the citizen giving his time to the service of the public in that of Judge James T. Begley, who has for the past two years served as the president of the chamber of commerce and from his labors on the bench has given freely of his efforts to advance the interests of the city in any way that is possible. The services that the president has given have been of the highest type and in his wish to have others share the responsibility there is the knowledge that he has filled well his position. There are many who would make great workers in the civic field if they would but get into the game and help on the task of housing for the coming year.

Remember this meeting and come out, join in the plans for making a greater effort in the coming year and do not stand back when the call comes to service in the ranks of the Chamber of Commerce. The Ad club and the Rotary club are planning to attend the meeting 100 per cent to get into the ranks for the ensuing year in striving to make it a banner year for Plattsmouth and the adjoining territory and every individual citizen should make himself a com-

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McCormick binder; Case tractor, 15-27 h. p. and Grand Detour 3-bottom 14-in. plows; Emerson hay rake; Mitchell wagon; Emerson wagon; Marcellis corn elevator; hay rack and truck; J. I. Case lister; Defiance lister; John Deere 2-row machine; John Deere 1-row machine; Monitor press drill; Janesville corn planter; John Deere disc; two walking listers; J. I. Case 12-inch gang plow; 1-horse corn drill; two stalk cutters; three walking cultivators; 1 1/2-h. Waterloo gas engine; 4-h. p. Cushman gas engine; 4-h. p. Wellington gas engine; Advance grass mower; 3-section harrow; hand corn sheller; two grain-proof scoop boards; Chalfont feed grinder; one grindstone; butchering tools; De Laval cream separator; three walking plows; two sets harness, collars; one set fly nets; some household goods and other articles not mentioned.

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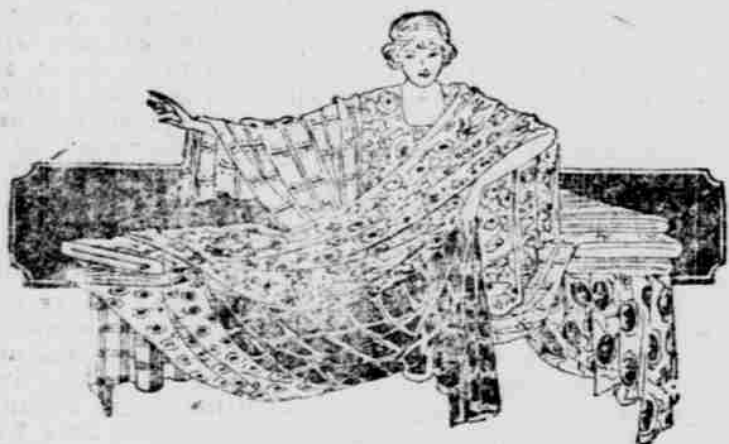
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