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University Alumni Hold a

Charter Day Is Observed by Banquet the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. S. Those Who Would Be Candidates Served at Fellowship Room of Presbyterian Church.

From Thursday's Daily-Last evening the alumni of the University of Nebraska, residing in Cass county were participants in a very fine observance of the Charter Day, the occasion being in the nature of a banquet served at the Fellowship room of the First Presbyterian

The banquet table and the room was arranged in the scarlet and St. Luke's Has with the pennants and sweet peas used in the table decorations.

There were fifty of the former students gathered around the banquet board when John E. Turner, president of the Cass county association called the meeting to order and the delightful repast was enjoyed to the utmost by all of the members of the alumni.

The banquet was served by the



ROY E. COCHRAN

Q. Z. society of the Presbyterian church in their usual pleasant man-

While the banquet was in prog-

duet by Mrs. J. A. Capwell and Mrs. was the direct descent of earliest W. A. Robertson, both former stu- Christian church. dents of the Nebraska University.

ing a number of their university ex- the speaker, periences in the past.

The speaker of the evening was Roy E. Cochran, associate professor of American history at the university, a former graduate of Nebraska and who has for the past twelve years been a member of the faculty of the great school.

In his remarks the speaker told of the organization of the university by the act of the legislature of 1869 and the first foundation of the state fact brought out was that the state university is the only on that has 100 per cent of the first class of the first graduating class of the university and both living at this time.

The university embraces ten col- templating any radical changes in leges and six schools in the univer- their policy regarding the local shops sity organization and this year there and that investigation was being were 13,000 registered at the university, representing not only every culated in eastern papers. section of the state but many other

There are 109 students from Cass county now at the state university.

The speaker pointed out that the of the active leaders in the club. great memorial stadium was built by the efforts of the alumni and the very favorable progress on the plans public and that it was maintained by for the work and hope to have some the football activities and which also real dope to release in a short time maintained the entire athletic pro- relative to the good roads situation. gram of the state university with the exception of basketball that was self chamber of commerce gave some very supporting. This was pointed out as good information as to the merits Mullen and Miss Minnie Guthmann. many had the impression that the of a cheese factory and creamery great memorial stadium had been which have been projected here and built by the state which was not which the committee is now engaged

was held last evening and John E. and thought that the location would the clerk of the district court today Turner was again elected as presi- be of the very best. dent and Miss Jessie M. Robertson as secretary-treasurer of the alumni

Letters of regret were received From Friday's Dattyfrom Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Gilmore and Foreman of Alvo.

Bates Book and Stationery Store, at all times.

From Thursday's Dally-The many friends in this city of Mrs. Elvira E. Ozbun, will regret to learn that this grand old lady, is Fine Banquet quite ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Hunnicut at Indianola, Iowa, Mrs. Ozbun is well known here where she has visited ofen at Briggs and the illness of this estimable lady, affectionately known as "Grandma Ozbun" will be learned with sorrow by the friends. Mrs. From Friday's Dally-Ozbun is now in her ninetieth year and for her years has been quite ness brings quite an anxiety to the family and friends,

Mrs. Briggs and son, Burdette, are at Indianola, with the mother and

Very Delightful Parish Dinner

Some Fifty of the Members Are Present to Enjoy Dinner and Address on the Church.

held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. but none of these seem to be active Heney Herold on North 4th street Governor Bryan is thought to conand quite largely attended by the sider more favorably his old job as members, there being some fifty of the executive head of the state, for the men and women of the church which Hon. Arthur J. Weaver of in attendance at the event.

The tables were very attractively on the republican ticket. arranged with the decorations of yellow and blue with the center- ning, democrat is the only candidate pieces of flowers and fruit to add to filed for the state senatorial office the beauty of the occasion.

one that was prepared in the usual resentative nomination so far. artistic manner by the church ladies and which was a rare treat to all of sioner Charles D. Spangler, democrat, musical talent of the young people the members of the dinner party. church of South Omaha, who is so far. filling the charge at this city in addi-

tion to his own church work. home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Turpin filed for the office. where they were given the pleasure | County Judge A. H. Duxbury is of a fine address on the church of the only filing for the county judge-England, given by Father J. H. Lever ship in the campaign. of the Holy Trinity church of Lin-

history of the church and was illustrated with slides showing the development of the church from the seven months campaign before the ress, the members of the party joined past to the present day and also the election of November determines the in singing a group of the well known church in Nebraska. The address was final result of the contests. songs, Mrs. E. H. Wescott leading one that was most inspiring and the singing and with E. H. Wescott covered the points of the church CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS INSTALL origin and making clear the fact that During the banquet the party were the church was not founded by the entertained by a very beautiful piano English monarch, Henry VIII, but

Brief remarks were made by C. C. much enjoyed and the interest was Wescott and Searl S. Davis, both shown in the close attention that the thusiastic meeting. alumni of the university and cover- members of the dinner party gave to

C. OF C. LUNCHEON

There were twenty-nine present at interest taken up at the meeting and of the order. discussed.

There was present as guests, L. R. Snipes, county agent and M. R university in 1871. One interesting Bloom, the new owner of the Coronado apartment house in this city. The members of the railroad committee, Dr. J. S. Livingston and E. J. school graduating class, Judge Snell Richey reported that they had visit- ger of Tacoma Washington, and J. ed the Burlington offices at Omaha Stuart Dales of Lincoln, being the and investigated reports that had been circulated here and were assured that the railroad was not con-

made of reports that had been cir-The directors and members receivstates having membership in the ed an invitation to join in the meet- of the evening at bridge, there being ing of the Mynard community club at their next session, the invitation Richey received the first prize and being extended by W. F. Nolte, one

The good roads committee reported

The agricultural committee of the in working on. County Agent Snipes The annual election of the officers was very pleased with the suggestion

SHOWING GOOD PROGRESS

in Omaha, where he has been for a plaintiff as manager of the quarry.

March First the Closing Day for **Primary Filings**

Must Get Under the Wire Soon or Be out of Luck.

Those who have political aspir ations and would become candidates active and alert but her present ill- for public office in the state of Nebraska and desire to have their name oppear on the ballot at the primary election on April 10th, should commence to get busy as this date is not far distant and the law has set the date of March 1, 1928 as the closing of the primary filings, just two weeks

There are still a number of the offices that are open for one or the other of the political parties to make filings and ranging from governo

In the senatorial contest in the state Senator R. B. Howell and Attorney General O. S. Spillman are both in the republican race and will make the sod and sand fly in the next few weeks while on the demo cratic side there has been no filing made altho the names of Congress man Morehead, former Governor Last evening the parish dinner of Bryan and former Governor Keith he St. Luke's Episcopal church was Neville are mention in the contest, Palls City is the only filed candidate

Locally so far Senator W. B. Ban while Troy L. Davis, republican, is The dinner was most delicious and the only candidate filed for the rep-For the office of county commis

has been petitioned to again make The dinner was presided over by the race for the office while there is rather Stanley Jones of St. Martin's Ino one entered on the republican as In the list of non-partisan officer there is the judgship in the second

Following the dinner the members judicial district with Judge James

The small number of county offices to ze filled this year will leave This address covered the earliest the headlights of the campaign on the state ticket and after the primaries the candidates will face a

From Thursday's Dally-The address of Father Lever was Knights of Columbus hall and which dramatic readers of the city gave a was a very largely attended and en-special number in her splendid man-

The local ladies had the pleasure of having with them for the meeting Miss O'Connor of Omaha, district dethe luncheon of the chamber of work of the order in the state and commerce at the Hotel Perkins this nation and which was followed with ber. noon and a great many matters of the closest interest by the members

The officers installed were: Regent-Mrs. F. G. Egenberger.

Vice-Regent-Mrs. Katherine Mul-Financial Secretary-Mrs. Jose-

phine Swatek. Treasurer-Miss Helen Egenber-

Historian-Mrs. Nell Henry. Monitor-Miss Genevieve Whelan. Prophetess-Mrs. Mary Alice Rea. Lecturer-Mrs. Helen Woolcott. Sentinel-Mrs. Frances Bestor. Trustees-Mrs. Mary Richey, Miss Eleanor Hiber.

Organist-Mrs. Anna Peterson. Following the installation of officers the ladies spent the remainder five tables and in which Mrs. E. J.

Miss May Murphy the consolation. The local ladies had as guests Miss Lennahan and Mrs. Boyles of Omaha, who accompanied Miss O'Connor. At the close of the evening the members were treated to very dainty refreshments.

The hostesses of the evening were Mrs. L. B. Egenberger, Mrs. Frank

ASK FOR SETTLEMENT

From Thursday's Dally-Action was filed in the office of in which Ole Olson, of Weeping Water, is the plaintiff and Earl Towle. now residing in California, is named as the defendant.

The plaintiff in his petition states

court.

ailers is a state-wide association of merchants organized to encourage among its members a spirit of cooperative effort in developing the inlustry upon a high plane of efficiency and service. Its membership s open to any reputable retail merchant of the state, but at the present time it consists principally of dry goods and ready-te-wear merchants. grocers and meat dealers, shoe reailers, furniture dealers, and merchants operating general and de- From Saturday's Danypartment stores. Its present mem-Knorr, H. M. Soennichsen Co., C. E. the main building of the farm. Wescott's Sons, E. A. Wurl, who have taken advantage of the occasion to from mental feebleness for some

Give Very Delightful Musical Entertainment

Pupils of the St. John's School Offer a Most Pleasing Entertainment Last Night.

Last evening a splendid recital was offered to the friends and the public by the pupils of the St. John's school at the building on North Sixth street and despite the cold weather there was a very pleasing number present to enjoy the delight- building, from the shed roof he ful program that had been prepared. the rooms of the school building be-

The work of the various choruse and the piano artists reflected the greatest credit on the skill of the teaching force in developing the to a very high standard.

There were some thirty of ertainment of the evening. A clever little one act playlet

"The Sick Doll" was presented by a cast consisting of Betty Kalina as of the party were invited to the T. Begley and Altorney A. L. Tidd the mother, Leo Weich as "Dr. Bills" and Margaret Ann Pitz as the nurse and which was very cleverly given by the little folks of the cast.

A diversion of the work of the members of the school was the readin which this little lady was very

The program was added to by the fact that several of the musical artists of the city had been secured or special numbers to add to the interest of the evening, Charles Newasek presenting two very artistic piano numbers, and Miss Betty Sitzman giving a vocal selection, "Moth-Last evening the local court of the er Machree" that was very much en-Catholic Daughters of America held joyed by all of the large audience. their installation of officers at the Mrs. Oscar Sandin, one of the gifted ner that won a great appreciation

from the audience. Special numbers were given by Lec Welch, in a violin selection "Dream frigerators, the company taking over the job day and night to look after puty and the recent of the Omaha Waltz," and the lad who is one of the contract to handle this line the the advancement of the agricultural of the Plattsmouth Boy Scouts made court of the order, who in addition the youngest violinists in the city, first of the year and which will re- interests of the county and who is a trip up to Omaha to return the to the installing of the officers also proved a real hit with his selection. place the line formerly handled by assisting the local chamber of com- visit that the second string purple gave a very inspiring lecture on the A group of the children were also seen in a very pleasing dance num-

> A special feature of the evening was the violin trio, William Woolcott. Robert Rea and George Stoll salesrooms of the company and enwho played the beautiful selection, joyed a demonstration of the var- Plattsmouth high school second bas-"Ave Marie."

VERY INTERESTING MEETING

The Central P-T.A met on Thurs day evening and was attended by a good sized audience. After the transaction of business

Minor, who had charge of the pro-A number of children from the second grade gave two very pleasing songs. This was followed by two chine to the public.

piano selections by Mary Jane Marks and Thelma Rhoades. Mrs. Minor introduced the speaker of the evening, Mr. Will Robert-

son, who chose as his subject present. he State Bulletin.

The banner was presented to Mrs. Gamer's room for having the largest take place in the next few days. number of parents present. A social

DEATH OF LITTLE BABE

From Saturday's Dall /-

Moore's rooms.

Yesterday morning a little babe was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tincher of this city, which however, The many friends of Postmaster that he is the owner of the stone lived but a short time and died at and neighbors our deepest apprecia- of Mrs. Thelma Nelson will be de-O. A. Davis of Murray, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Holmes, will be pleased quarry known as the Olson quarries 11 o'clock yesterday morning. The tion of the loving kindnesses shown lighted to learn that this lady is do- From Thursday's Datty-Carl Ganz of Alvo and Mrs. Margaret to learn that Mr. Holmes is dong and that the defendant, Earl Towle, funeral services were held in the af- to our loved one and ourselves in ing very nicely at the Clarkson hosvery nicely at the Methodist hospital was foremly in the employe of the ternoon and the little life that had the hour of bereavement, also for the pital in Omaha where she was oper- and Mrs. Virgel Arnold of this city. come for a brief space of time to this sympathy and beautiful flowers. Es- ated on Wednesday. Mrs. Nelson has is confined to his home as the result short time recovering from an oper- It is alleged that there is due the earth was taken back to the bosom pecially do we wish to thank the not been in the best of health for of an attack of appendicitis, which Get your school supplies at the ation that was undergone a short plaintiff the sum of \$1,381.29 in of the Father. The death has been a Masonic quartet and all those who some time and it was decided that has proven very painful and made time ago. Mr. Holmes is however, settlement of the affairs between the severe blow to the parents and in took part in the funeral services .- the operation would be necessary to necessary the packing of the young doing very nicely and will in a short plaintiff and defendant and for their sorrow they have the deep sym- Miss Dora McNurlin, Mr. and Mrs. give her any permanent relief and lad in ice. Whether or not it will where you will find the complete line time be able to return to his home which he asks a judgment of the pathy of the many friends over the R. A. Barrett, Mr. and Mrs. John the patient has stood the ordeal in be necessary for an operation has community.

Aged Resident Leaps to Death at County Farm

John Monroe, Aged 92 Years Climbs From Window and Leaps to Shed Roof Below.

John Monroe, aged ninety-two, a lred. Members of the federation in this city, last night leaped to his the trip by auto and spent the eventhis city are A. G. Bach, Fetzer Shoe death from the room in which he Co., F. G. Fricke & Co., Roy W. was sleeping on the second floor of

> The aged man has been suffering time and has required a great deal of care to prevent wandering away from the farm as he had desired to return to the former home in this city from which he was taken to the farm for better care and where he could be given the proper attention. The aged man was thought to be harmless and was given sleeping quarters with other residents of the the second floor of the building.

Last night shortly after midnight the aged man arose and was able to get the window raised and unhooking the screen that covered the window he started to crawl out and before the others in the room could prevent him or Superintendent Jess Elliott reach the scene, the unfortunate man had taken the plunge from the window, alighting on the roof of a small shed built over the cellarway on the west side of the rolled to the ground some eight feet below and when rescued was suffering filled by the friends of the young ing very much from his injuries.

Medical aid was summoned and i was found that he was suffering severe internal injuries and from which he died at 5 o'clock this morning.

The deceased leaves a wife who on Tuesday had gone to Omaha where two of the daughters reside, another daughter resides at Sidney, Nebraska, and the residence of the son, Elmer E. Monroe is unknown at the farm and so far the members of the family have not been located in Omaha. The funeral arrangements will be withheld until after the family can be communicated with.

John Monroe has been a resident of this city for a great many years, coming here in the early seventies and was a veteran of the civil war. ing given by Ann May Sandin and Several years ago one of the sons was killed in the local yards of the Burlington, while he was engaged in switching. The deceased was long a familiar figure on the streets here, and up until the last year and a half was able to be around and performed his manual labor as well as a man many years younger altho he had passed his ninetieth year.

TO HANDLE GENERAL ELECTRIC been marked.

From Friday's Daily-

The sales department of the Iowathe company.

Last evening the members of the sales and service department of the Plattsmouth district held a very fine meeting at the local offices and From Saturday's Dallythe General Electric refrigerator over other lines of the same type of re-

one of the most modern designs in scored their second victory of the electric refrigeration and which is season over the Pappio. finding a great demand over the country among those who have need mouth getting a very good lead, as of the refrigerators. the meeting was turned over to Mrs.

a stamp of the guarantee of the ma-

GIVE SHOWER FOR TEACHER

"Thrift," his splendid address being for the Central building on Thurs- sank a field goal and was followed very much appreciated and brought day afternoon following the close of in the last moments of the play by many worthwhile thoughts to those school, gave a very pleasant shower another field goal by John Galloway in honor of Miss Margaret Mahaffey, that spelled defeat for the Pappio Mrs. Herman Thomas reviewed one of the members of the teach- quintet. ing force of the building and whose

half hour followed and delicious re- pleasantly for several hours and in Sarpy county city had an ample op- young man, made his getaway from freshments were served by the par- honor of the forthcoming nuptials portunity to show in the game. ents from Miss Todd's and Miss Miss Mahaffey was presented with a In the game here a few weeks ago vember and has been working his very beautiful silver sandwich tray the Platters won in two extra periods way westward to this city where he which she will cherish as a very happy remembrance of the associates fought battle. in the school work.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express to the friends | McNurlin.

Last evening some fifteen members of the local area of the Fraterna Order of Eagles enjoyed a visit at the North Omaha lodge that provided the visitors with a real program of entertainment and pleasure for a period of several hours. The event was in the nature of a box supper and program that was arranged for the benefit of the new auxiliary of the North Omaha Eagles and which proved one of the most successful entertainments that the order has held for a great many months.

The Plattsmouth visitors made ing until a late hour in the thorough enjoyment of the many entertaining features that were provided for them by the Omaha Eagles.

Projects for City and Farm to Deliberate On

arm in the dormatories located on The Establishment of Cheese Factory, Creamery and Development of Dairy Interests.

> The agricultural committee of the chamber of commerce is taking up the problems that vitally effect the community, both town and rural, as to the increasing of the standard of products of the farm and finding in the towns an outlet for the products of the farms in the territory adjacent

One of the propositions on which the committee is working is that of the establishment of a cheese factory that would be able to handle the output of the farms in the way of cream and milk and make a most profitable industry that could furnish employment and also give the farms an easy outlet for their dairy products. The committee is devoting some time to this phase of the year's program and it is hoped will have some thing definite in the near future on this important part of the community work.

Another of the plans of the year is that of securing the formation of ed for was one of the high points of calf clubs in the immediate vicinity the most pleasing dramatic offering. of this city where the young people can try their skill in stock raising and give the inspiration to better stock in the dairy cattle of the county. A number of the calf clubs have been established over the county and these have been unusually successful and resulted in the young men of the county in developing a very high standard of efficiency in the line of stock raising. At a number of the people of the school are giving to interstate shows held in Kansas City and Chicago, Cass county teams and calf clubs have carried away the honwork of the Cass county clubs has

One of the great measures of the success of these clubs in addition to the keen interest that the energetic Nebraska Light & Power company in young farmers of the county have this district will in the future han-taken, is the splendid work of Coundle the General Electric line of re- ty Agent L. R. Snipes, who is on

merce in their calf club program. SECOND TEAM WINS

Last evening the members of the ious points of advantage possessed by ketball team journeyed up to Papillion where they participated in a great battle with the fast team of that city, the result being that the The General Electric has perfected junior Platters came out 14 to 11 and

The game started with Plattsthe score at the half was 10 to 3 for The new machine is one of real the Platters. In the third quarter beauty and the name of the General the Papillion team swept onto the Electric is placed on the machine as floor with a fine offensive that netted them eight points and holding the locals, and as the third quarter closed they held an 11 to 10 lead over

the Platters. In the final period the locals were able to gain the necessary points to The members of the teaching force win the game when Virgel Hutton

In the playing Hutton was the a young man, Willard Floyd DeRosmarriage to Mr. Stuart Chase will scoring ace of the Platters with seven sett, who is wanted at Norfolk, Virpoints and the string of players that ginia, on the charge of desertion The ladies enjoyed the time very Coach Rothert had taken to the from the United States navy. The

DOING VERY NICELY

From Friday's Daily-

Student Players Present Fine Dramatic Offering

"The Rear Car" Given by Junion Class Enjoyed by Very Large Number Last Night.

From Saturday's Dally-

The offering that the junior class of the high school gave last evening at the high school auditorium, proved one of the most pleasing events that upon the young people taking part real talent in the line of dramatic

The title of the three act drams was "The Rear Car" and the events of the play were laid in the rear car of the fast limited train, speeding

westward to Los Angeles. From the raising of the curtain until the last act there was action in the play and the mystery and thrills of the play kept the audience in the closest interest until the final scenes when the troubled plot was smoothed out and true love triumph-

ed and all was well. The comedy honors of the offering were divided between Herbert Patterson as "Sheridan Scott," deflector and John Teepell who had the role of "Titers Brown," colored porter and and made a splendid character

in the plot of the play. The cast as a whole was ould be asked and their work was of a nature that showed the greatest skill on the part of the young people who had preparted themselves for the play as well as carrying their school work. Joe Hartford, a cowboy: Lyle Lawton as "Alden Murguardian. George Thacker as "Kirk Allen," district attorney and crime investigator, Homer Spangler and Leonard Lutz as "Oliver Hanks" and "Luther Barns," conductors Robert Hadraba as "Luke Carson, railroad magnate, Doris Young as 'Nora O'Neill," Ruth's chum and leading feminine role was that of Miss Deris Young and her work in the difficult part that she was select-

Special numbers given in the intermissions was the vocal duet of Miss Margaret Engelkemeier and Miss Leona Hudson and the piano

numbers of Miss Marjorie Arn. The attendance was one of the largest at any school event and showed the greatest interest of the publie in the work of the schools and the splendid support that the young

their place of learning The young people have been under the instruction of Miss Mary ors and in the state contests the Tidball as director of the dramatic work and who was also assisted by Miss Elizabeth McVey of the high

school faculty and the junior spon-

SCOUTS LOSE TO CENTRAL From Thursday's Dally-Last evening the basketball team

Reserves again strung up a victory, the final score being 30 to 15 for the Omaha boys. The victory was cinched in the opening section of the game as the core at the half period was 26 to 2

warriors made here two weeks ago

and as the result the Omaha Central

for the Omaha reserves. In the second half the Boy Scouts allied and outplayed the Omaha team but with the great lead that had been secured in the first part of the game, it was impossible to get anywhere.

Bob Hartford was the high point

man for the Scouts with seven points while Eugene Bushnell and Merie McCrary each were able to secure four points for their team. The game was a good workout for the boys, however, and gave them the experience of playing on a strange floor that they will find

continue their basketball training. DESERTER IS CAUGHT

valuable in the future when they

From Saturday's Dairy-Last night Officers Joe Liberthal and Dave Pickrel took into custody the naval training station last Noby the score of 10 to 9 in a hard has relatives living. The young man will be turned over to the naval authorities at Omaha for their action

to the naval station for trial The many friends over the city SUFFERING FROM APPENDICITIS

in the matter and will be sent back

Russell, ten-year-old son of Mr. not been fully determined.