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## Damage of the Snow Storm is Being Repaired

### Loss to Telephone and Power Lines in Storm Area Will Be Great—Service Being Restored.

**From Monday's Daily—**  
The snow storm that raged Thursday night and Friday morning in the Missouri valley area has inflicted damage on the lines of the telephone and electric power lines that will run into a cost of several hundred thousand dollars it is estimated.

The Lincoln Telephone & Telegraph Co. as well as the Bell company and the Iowa-Nebraska Light & Power company have conducted a day and night battle since the heavy snowstorm to get their lines back in shape and while the service of the telephone companies are still crippled to some extent the work of the restoration has been rapid and at the most exacting toll on the part of the employees of the companies.

Locally there are still a number of the telephone lines out of commission due to the fact that many of the poles over the city were down as the result of the wires weighed with the heavy wet snow, causing them to fall and the telephone lines placed out of commission. The toll lines that connect up the cities in the storm swept area are now all practically restored, the companies having a force at work all day Friday and Saturday in getting the main arteries of the phone service back in shape. All over the city there can be found phone lines and poles down and as fast as the force of workmen can be hurried to the scene this damage is being repaired.

One of the sections that was suffering the greatest from the storm was that between Omaha and Papillion, where practically every telephone and light wire was down and in many cases the highways blocked by the fallen poles and wires and which required a great deal of work to get into shape.

The local department of the Iowa-Nebraska Light & Power company have had a real struggle with the effects of the storm and every man in the employ of the company, even those of the business office and sales department were equipped and sent out on the line forces to aid in getting the service back in shape and despite the great handicap that was suffered in the storm they had the service locally restored by Friday afternoon and it has been operating as usual. Manager Rea has had a practical sleepless task since Friday morning dawned with the heavy snow demolishing the poles and wire and his force has responded splendidly to the call of the needs of the patrons and assisted in getting the lines back in shape again.

The storm was worth millions to the farmers and while the damage to the telephone and power lines have also been heavy the blessings of the heavy snow has more than outweighed the losses that it may have caused and brought a smile to those who till the soil.

## HAS AUTO SMASHUP

**From Monday's Daily—**  
Leslie Gansemer, one of the well known young men of west of Murray, was one of the victims of a very annoying accident near the Missouri Pacific crossing at Union. Leslie was en route home and owing to the condition of the roads was compelled to go via Nehawka and as he came through Union a large Oakland car, driven by Omaha parties and which was without lights, crashed into his Ford coupe. The radiator of the car of Mr. Gansemer was badly damaged while the Omaha car was also damaged to a greater or less extent. Fortunately none of the parties were injured in the accident.

## ADD TO EQUIPMENT

**From Monday's Daily—**  
The Cream of the West bakery Saturday received three units of a fine up to date glass and marble display case that will be installed at once in this fine and progressive bakery. Mr. Wentworth has made the bakery one of the best in the state and the many fine articles of baking that are turned out in the bakery can now be displayed in the proper manner and be kept in the most sanitary way. The residents of the city are pleased with the advancement of the home institutions and the Cream of the West has helped to put this city on the map with their fine baking.

## FUNERAL OF WOODROW BOETEL

**From Monday's Daily—**  
The funeral services of the late Woodrow Boetel was held on Saturday afternoon at the Sattler funeral home at 4th and Vine streets with a large number of the old friends and neighbors in attendance. The service was held by Rev. H. E. Sortor of the First Methodist church and during the service a number of the old and loved hymns were given by the choir of the church. The body was then taken to Oak Hill cemetery for the final interment, the pall bearers being uncles and cousins of the young man.

## FREEZE DOES DAMAGE

**From Monday's Daily—**  
The cold last night that brought the mercury down to within fifteen degrees of the zero mark, has done considerable damage to the early fruit in this section, a number of the fruit growers state, pears, early plums and apricots being the chief sufferers while in a few cases the earliest peaches were caught in the cold. The apples are not thought to be damaged as they were not so far advanced and were able to stand the cold snap in a great deal better shape. The full extent of the damage cannot be fully estimated until warmer weather fully develops the suffering that the fruit has suffered.

## Knights Templar Hold Easter Service Yesterday

### Sir Knights Attend the Service at the First Methodist Church Sunday Afternoon.

The annual Easter observance of Mt. Zion commandery of the Knights Templar was held Sunday afternoon at the First Methodist church where the members of the order attended in a body the services especially arranged for them.

There was a large number of the Templars in attendance and the marching ranks of the Sir Knights with their plumed hats and the waving banners of the order made a very impressive sight as the procession moved from the Masonic temple to the church at 7th and Main street.

The professional recessional at the church was the marching hymn of the Templars, "Onward Christian Soldiers," played at the organ by E. H. Wescott, the organist of the church.

The sermon was one of the most inspiring that has been heard in the city, the pastor, Rev. H. E. Sortor, giving his address along the spirit of the resurrection and the hope and promise of the christian faith as given in the death and glorious example of the Christ, in defense of which faith and teaching the Knights Templar has been a great factor in the history of the world.

During the service the choir of the church gave the wonderful Easter cantata, "Penitence, Pardon and Peace," which was delightfully rendered by the fine voices of the large choir of the church.

After the service the Templars returned to the Masonic temple to disband and en route moving pictures of the members was taken by Emil Weyrich which will preserve a lasting history of the notable occasion.

## NATURALIZATION DAY

**From Monday's Daily—**  
This morning at the opening of the April term of the district court, at 9 o'clock, the class of applicants for citizenship were present to be examined as to their knowledge of the American government and its principles.

The Patriotic Council of the city had arranged a program for the event and in which the members of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Woman's Relief Corps and the American Legion Auxiliary participated.

At the opening of the pleasant program, Mrs. E. H. Wescott gave a brief history of the song "America," from its origin and to the general adoption as the hymn of patriotic worship and at the close of her remarks the audience joined in the singing of this song.

A very pleasant recitation of "The Flag," was given by little Miss Bernese Herriek of the Columbian school, that was enjoyed and was a very fine tribute to the flag.

Mrs. Harrison L. Gayer and Mrs. Frank R. Gobelman, representing the American Legion Auxiliary presented each of the applicants with a very beautiful flag and the book of the flag code for their future reference.

Mrs. L. O. Minor, regent of the Fontenelle chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, presented the new citizens with copies of the D. A. R. manual of citizenship, which gives a large number of interesting facts as to the history of the country, the American form of government and the principles of our foundation.

At the close of the program, Judge Begley thanked the ladies for the arrangement of the program and their participation in the induction of the new citizens.

## BURIED AT ELMWOOD

**From Monday's Daily—**  
Yesterday afternoon the funeral services of the late Mrs. Martha Murray were held at the Christian church at Elmwood, the funeral party leaving this city at 12:30 and going direct to the Elmwood church, where a large number of the old friends had gathered to pay their last tributes to this loved lady. The cortage had gone to Elmwood Friday, but owing to the condition of the highway was compelled to return here and await until Sunday for the service.

## Easter Day Well Observed in This City

### Special Services Mark the Day in Churches—Cold Weather Checks the Fashion Show.

**From Monday's Daily—**  
Easter day in this city was as usual very extensively observed in all of the churches and while the cold winds and rather wintry atmosphere checked the parade of the Easter finery, it did not hold back the large number of worshippers that assembled at the various houses of worship.

**St. Paul's Church**  
At the St. Paul's Evangelical church, the day's service opened with the sunrise service at 6 o'clock and at which there was gathered a very large number of young people.

At the Sunday school hour a special Easter program was arranged, with the young people of the church participating and the distribution of the Easter gifts and in which there were a very large number taking part, despite the fact that the bad roads held back many of the country members.

At the morning worship hour, the pastor, Rev. O. G. Wichmann, pastor of the church, held the celebration of the communion and the German service. The subject of the morning was "I Live and You Also Shall Live." A very large collection was given at the Easter offering.

**St. Luke's Church**  
The Easter services of the Episcopal church was celebrated at 8:45 with the Holy Eucharist being administered by Father Stanley Jones, of Omaha, who is serving as the rector of the parish.

The church was very beautifully arranged with the Easter lilies and other flowers banked at the altar and before which the members of the parish received the Eucharist.

Father Jones gave a very impressive sermon on the Easter spirit and remained there several months assisting in the care of the son and early in March she returned home only to be summoned last week back to Dunston as the son had failed very rapidly in the last few days.

The funeral services will be held at Dunston and the interment made at the cemetery there in the community where Mr. Taylor had long made his home. The news of the death will bring a great regret here among the old time friends and neighbors of Mr. Taylor.

## William Taylor Dies at Home in Oklahoma

### Oldest Son of Mrs. A. B. Taylor Dies Last Night After Illness Due to Injuries.

**From Tuesday's Daily—**  
Last night at Dunston, Oklahoma, occurred the death of William Taylor, the oldest son of Mrs. A. B. Taylor of this city, following a long illness that was caused from the effects of an injury suffered several months ago by Mr. Taylor in an auto accident.

The deceased was sixty-six years of age, and he was born in Cass county where his parents were both pioneer residents and he made his home here for a great many years prior to leaving for Oklahoma to make his future home.

The aged mother was called to Oklahoma early in the winter and remained there several months assisting in the care of the son and early in March she returned home only to be summoned last week back to Dunston as the son had failed very rapidly in the last few days.

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## GIVE SUPPER-DANCE

**From Tuesday's Daily—**  
Last evening the Altar society of the St. John's church gave a supper and dance at the American Legion Community building that was a very large number present at the supper and the delightful dance as well as in the return that the ladies will receive for their efforts.

The supper was served from 5 o'clock on and there were over 300 tickets sold, but despite this large number there was a great array of the toothsome viands on hand for the feast and everyone had a most wonderful supper and amid the choicest of surroundings. The ladies had a menu that could not be surpassed and all that attended were served with all that they could eat.

The serving and was carried out in fine shape by the ladies of the church in their usual pleasing manner and without confusion the large number were served and the hall made ready at the close for the dance that followed.

The dance was one of the largest from the point of attendance that has been held in the city and almost equalling the great crowd that the American Legion had at the Tracy-Brown dance in November. The music was given by the Oracles of Omaha, one of the snappiest orchestras in that city and who have in the past entertained at the American Legion dances here. The dancing was enjoyed by the large crowd until 1 o'clock when the strains of the home waltz was sounded.

The ladies in charge of these two very pleasant events are entitled to a great deal of credit for their part and all for seeing that it was made such a great success.

## RECEIVES PROMOTION

**From Tuesday's Daily—**  
Captain George Grissom of the Samaritan army who a few days ago opened the mission in this city where he is preaching the doctrine of salvation to the residents of the city and also conducting a campaign to supply the needy with clothing, has just received a well deserved recognition of his services in the cause of the Master, from the headquarters of the army, being advanced to the rank of major. Major Grissom has been one of the hard workers in this worthy cause for a great many years and has been responsible for a great deal of good in the cause, and feels pleased and appreciative of the honor that has been conferred upon him.

## ANNOUNCES WEDDING

**From Tuesday's Daily—**  
Mr. and Mrs. Henning Larson of Ashland announce the marriage of their daughter, Blanche, to Alfred Calvert of York, which took place March 31 at Glenwood, Ia. At present Mrs. Calvert is a teacher in the Diller schools and will continue her work until the close of the school year. She has attended Wesleyan university where she is a member of Delta Phi sorority. Mr. Calvert is the son of Rev. and Mrs. John Calvert of York. He will graduate in June from Wesleyan where he is a member of Everet fraternity. He also attended the University of Nebraska where he is a member of Beta Theta Pi.

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## CELEBRATE BIRTHDAYS

**From Tuesday's Daily—**  
The last few days have been busy ones at the L. W. Lorenz home as the natal day of two of the members of the family have occurred within the three day period and in honor of the occasion two very delightful events have been prepared.

On Sunday occurred the twenty-third anniversary of Miss Alice Lorenz and in honor of the occasion a most pleasant dinner was held on Sunday evening, the dining room and table being arranged in a color scheme of pink with the pink roses and pink candles being used in the decorative plan.

Today is the fiftieth anniversary of L. W. Lorenz and the family have a 6 o'clock dinner in honor of the occasion, in which the golden note will be carried out in the yellow roses and yellow candles as the color scheme of the event. The Lorenz family will have as their guest Dr. T. P. Livingston, the family physician for many years.

## Impressive Services for Easter Day

### Presbyterian Church Has One of the Most Impressive—Many are Received Into the Church

The Easter services at the First Presbyterian church in this city were of a most impressive nature and attended by a very large congregation, the beauty of the church decorations and the joy of the celebration of the resurrection making the day one of the greatest interest.

The altar was banked with the Easter lilies, carnations, tulips and ferns that made this part of the church a scene of the greatest beauty and before which the services of the day and the reception of the new members of the church were held.

The day's service opened with the Christian Endeavor joining with the Epworth League in the sunrise prayer service that was a fitting introduction to the worshipful spirit of the day and in which a large number of the young people of the church participated.

The Sabbath school hour was devoted to the spirit of Easter, which was carried out by recitations and songs by the pupils of each department of the school.

At the morning worship hour at 11 o'clock there was a very large congregation despite the fact that many were kept from attending by the bad road conditions in the country districts.

The musical program of the service was very impressive and the solo numbers and anthems were by the choir under the direction of Miss Sylvia Cole, as well as the organ selections given by Mrs. H. F. Goos, who had as the prelude "Night Song," by Stultz and the organ offertory "Hymn," by Dvorak. The special numbers by the choir was the anthem "Magdalene," while Miss Cole gave a very beautiful offertory solo, "Consider the Lilies," by Maunre.

The choir appeared for the first time in the white gowns, the uniformity of the robes adding very much to the reverence of the service and making a great impression on the audience.

A very beautiful infant baptism service was conducted by Rev. H. G. McCluskey, Frances Clويد and Helen Hiatt serving as flower girls during this part of the service and at which seven infants were presented for baptism.

One of the impressive features of the morning service was the ordination of George L. Farley as an elder of the church and in which the charge was given to this new member of the governing body of the church.

There were a very large number of adults received into the church by confession of faith and by letter, this class numbering some twenty-five who were impressively received into the body of the church. A number of others of the class were prevented by the storm from attending the service and being given the rights of confirmation.

The sermon of the day was one of the greatest beauty, the pastor taking as his subject, "There Shall be a Resurrection—The Dead, the Just and the Unjust," and forcibly brought the lesson of the Easter day to the members of the congregation. Owing to the length of the service, the sermon hour was much curtailed, but was a wonderful message of the day and its meaning to the world.

The service was crowned by the administering of the Lord's supper to the members of the congregation.

## LEAVES FOR BEATRICE

### From Wednesday's Daily—This morning Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hennis departed for Beatrice, where they expect to make their future home. Mr. Hennis has secured a fine position in one of the leading drug stores at that place and will have charge of the store as manager and also have the opportunity for future advancement. Mr. Hennis is a very efficient and pleasant gentleman in his dealings with the public and while he has been here in the employ of the Manzy Drug Co., he has made many friends, who regret very much to see him and his charming wife leave the city. In the new home Mr. and Mrs. Hennis will take the best wishes of their many friends.

## Directed Verdict in Bogenrief Damage Suit

### Damage Suit From Vicinity of Elmwood Results in Verdict for Defendants.

**From Tuesday's Daily—**  
The first case of the April term of the district court came to a conclusion yesterday afternoon when Judge James T. Begley directed the jury in the case of Virginia C. Bogenrief vs. John Lynn, et al., to return a verdict in favor of the defendants in the action.

This is the case where the defendant sought recovery of damages in the sum of \$7,000, which it was alleged was occasioned by the serious illness and breakdown of the plaintiff, following what the plaintiffs alleged was the denial of the homestead rights of the plaintiff to a residence property in Elmwood.

In the petition of the plaintiff it was alleged that during the illness of David Bogenrief a deed was given transferring the residence property to Spencer Bogenrief with the understanding that the wife should have the use of the home during her life. It was claimed that a new lock was placed on the home and the plaintiff denied the entry to the home and also that the household goods of the plaintiff had been removed from the house without her consent and placed in a barn. The suit was filed alleging that the plaintiff had suffered a breakdown as the result of these acts and that for this reason she should recover damages against the defendants.

After hearing the evidence in the case the court decided that the facts presented did not warrant the charges made and directed the members of the jury to give a verdict in favor of the defendants in the action and releasing them from further liability in the matter.

Following the hearing of this case Judge Begley excused the members of the jury panel until Wednesday morning in order to allow them to go to their homes and vote and to report Wednesday.

## MORE ARE INVESTING

The list of those who are investing in the Plattsmouth Country club is growing each day and the citizens as they recognize the advantages of this club to the community as well as to the persons as an investment, are responding to the call in fine shape. The following are additional to those whose names were published a few days ago in the Journal:

George Mann  
E. B. Thrall  
Frank A. Clويد  
E. P. Stewart  
E. H. Wescott  
F. J. Walton  
Miss Amelia Martens  
C. A. Rosencrans  
William Tritsch  
Frank Bestor

## PLATTSMOUTH ROOTERS

**From Wednesday's Daily—**  
The first meeting of the "Plattsmouth Rooters" pig club was held at Mynard Community hall on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Homer Spangler. After the business session, the study period was conducted by their leader, John Kaffenberger. Problem VI, Feeds and Feeding, was studied and discussed. The boys were given some very helpful instructions on how to care for their pigs, by their leader. The members of this club are Homer Spangler, president; Noble Kiser, vice president; George Lepert, secretary-treasurer; Frank Lepert, Marion Speck and Willis Cole, reporter.

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## Election Returns are Slow in Cass County

### Howell Has Large Lead in County With Sorensen Leading for Attorney General.

**From Wednesday's Daily—**  
The returns from the primary election in Cass county were slow in being reported today as the bad condition of the roads made it difficult to travel by auto and those from the north and central part of the county that made the trip with the returns were compelled to either take the railroad or travel to Omaha and down on the gravel, as the Lonsville road was not suitable for cars to get through.

The reception of the returns by telephone was also impossible owing to the recent heavy snow that had broken down miles of wire and poles and made communication with the county clerk's office from the various voting places impossible.

The republican contest in the county for senator was one in which Senator R. B. Howell is maintaining a large lead over O. S. Spillman, his opponent while in the attorney-general race Sorensen was leading the field, their standings here being practically the same over the state and assuring their nomination.

The democratic senatorial race was one on which Richard L. Metcalfe was showing a good lead over E. E. Placek and in the national committee contest between William Ritchie, Jr., and Arthur Mullen, the veteran of many campaigns, Mr. Mullen was maintaining a good lead, altho Ritchie made many strong gains over the county.

The contest for the republican nomination for county commissioner gave George L. Farley 319 over Roy Howard with 179. Farley receiving a large vote in this city in the contest.

The republican vote for congressman was scattering with E. J. Burckett showing a small lead, John Wiltse and Thomas L. Hall being close on the trail of the former senator.

Aside from the race for national committeeman and senator the democrats had little to interest them and a very large vote was rolled up for Congressman Morehead and Charles W. Bryan for governor.

The belated returns has made impossible the tabulation of the full returns of the county, as but twenty-two of the twenty-four precincts were received at the noon hour.

## SUFFERS INJURED HAND

### From Wednesday's Daily—Joe Krejci, one of the sport stars of the Peru state normal who has been home for a short vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Severin Krejci, has returned to his studies in company with Russell Wasley and Frank Godwin, also students.

Joe suffered a few days ago a most unfortunate accident that resulted in the breaking of two of the fingers of his right hand and which has been quite a handicap to the young man in his work and studies.

The accident occurred in a rather unusual manner as it happened when Joe was engaged in repainting the furnace in the furnace room, the residence where he makes his home. He had the door of the furnace open and was stoking the stove with coal when his right hand struck against the door of the furnace and caused the fracture of the two fingers.

It is an unfortunate accident, but Joe feels that he was mighty lucky that the accident did not occur in the basketball season, in which he again started for Peru at the center position.

## SUFFERS AN INJURY

### From Wednesday's Daily—Last evening during the vaudeville act of the Sayvillia Brothers at the Parmele theatre, one of the members of the clever and entertaining team sustained severe injuries that will probably prevent the company from giving their entire act in the immediate future.

The company were in the midst of their aerial acts when the accident occurred, the injured man being one who was shot from the springboard up to catch his foot in the loop held by another of the company, suspended from the trapeze. The man missed the awaiting loop by a few inches and fell back on the floor of the stage with a great deal of force and for a few seconds seemed to have been injured very seriously if not fatally. He was taken from the stage and given medical attention and it was found that he had suffered a severe strain to the back as well as injuries to his legs, but no bones were broken.

The accident compelled the stopping of a part of the program altho the wire act and the clowning portion of the act was completed.

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