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R. D. STINE
Union, Nebraska

Ross McCarroll shelled and delivered his corn to the Elevator at Union on Tuesday of this week.

Ben Anderson was a passenger to Plattsmouth on last Tuesday when he went to visit with friends and relatives.

John Carper of Denver an old time resident of Union was in attendance at the meeting of the old settlers on last Saturday.

John Chase of South Omaha was a visitor in Union for over the week end, and was while here the guest of his very close friend, Frank Bauer.

Uncle Daniel W. Foster of Omaha was in Union on last Saturday at the home of the Old Settlers and as well visiting at the home of his son, R. E. Foster.

Rue H. Frans and the family were spending Saturday afternoon at the old settlers picnic grounds and enjoying visiting with their many friends here.

Henry H. Becker was shelling corn over in Otoe county on last Monday at the home of Mrs. H. H. Harges the grain being delivered at the Wyoming elevator.

The Rev. W. A. Taylor delivered the discourse at the Methodist church on last Sunday evening August 19th at which there were a large number present to hear the sermon.

Mrs. Frances Nichols of Ponca Okla., who has been visiting here for some time at the home of Frank and Anna Bauer, departed for her home accompanied by the children who also have enjoyed a visit with uncle Frank.

Mrs. Alice Robb, accompanied by her two daughters Misses Pauline and Ruth, are visiting in Union being guests at the home of the daughter of Mrs. Robb, Mrs. H. L. Burbee where all are enjoying the visit very much.

Mrs. Alys Stewart a sister of Mrs. James H. Frans, and Mrs. Emma Hawkins a cousin both making their home at St. Joseph, Mo., were visiting at the Frans home for a number of days last week, and returned to their home in the south after having enjoyed their visit here most pleasantly while here, they returning on last Monday.

A large number of the ladies of Union were over to Plattsmouth where they enjoyed a meeting at the home of Mrs. Charlotte Patterson at her home in Plattsmouth. A most pleasant time was had, and cards were the order, and with the good time that was furnished all the ladies pronounced Mrs. Patterson a most accomplished entertainer.

H. H. Christy, who has been the drayman for some time in Union and an excellent one at that, finding the work rather hard for his advanced years disposed of the business to Joe Dare who immediately took over the business and is going forward with the work. While Mr. Christy has made an excellent drayman, the work we are sure will be promptly and properly looked after by Mr. Dare.

Last Monday just before noon as D. C. LaRue was going home from town and was about to turn in at his own driveway, and had held in his hand to signify that he was expecting to turn into his home, a tourist came along going to Missouri and not noticing the sign given by Mr. LaRue ran into his car with such a force that the axle of the car



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of Mr. LaRue was broken and the wheel knocked off. Mr. LaRue was entirely faultless regarding the accident, while the other man was in all to blame. No one can tell just when a serious accident will occur and every care should be exercised that accidents may not happen.

That Water Battle.
This was for the first day, and when the Union team had gotten dried off they thought how nice it would be to have another on the day following, and so posted the ten spot which they won and went after the contest again, the teams being aligned as follows: Union winning the first fight, Bruce Wolfe, Charles Atteberry and Ralph Pearsley and sure they made a good team. When the fight came off, this team worked and were opposed by C. B. Smith, Henry Pearsley and Ots Keene, and went after the fight with a spirit that wins this time the fortune fell to the team captained by Mr. Smith and they carried off the bacon, or the ten dollar bill.

Receiving Treatment at Hospital
Hallas Banning, son of Hon. and Mrs. W. B. Banning is at Lincoln where he is receiving treatment for autotoxic poisoning, and which was so severe that it was found necessary for him to remain in the hospital for some time while the effects of the poisoning shall be eradicated.

Lost His Equilibrium.
Last Saturday one of the visitors at the Old Settlers reunion, while securing some goods at the Drug store lost his equilibrium, and in a fervent attempt to recover it, fell down on the floor at the drug store, but before hitting the floor he crushed two chairs and went through one of the glass show cases, which made him looser for a number of bucks.

Friendly Assistance Appreciated.
The people having in hand the conduct of the Old Settlers program and as to that the entire number of the people in attendance at the picnic are feeling very grateful to the people from the city of Plattsmouth who came so kindly and assisted in the conducting of such excellent program at the Old Settlers picnic last Saturday. The members rendered by Mrs. Dr. O. Sandin and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Wescott, Miss Louise Wescott and Mrs. Frank A. Clouid, which assisted materially in the rounding out of the excellent program which entertained the emcees chairs and went through one of the glass show cases, which made him looser for a number of bucks.

The weeping Water Band
People from all over the county were more than pleased with the excellent music which was furnished by the band from Weeping Water who came over to make the Old Settlers picnic a success, for they are all interested in the welfare of the neighboring town and community. This is an excellent country and with the spirit of co-operation which is manifested by the town and communities of the county, all can be made a success, the other portions of the county helped when the city of Louisville had their carnival, and then the city of Greenwood held their three days picnic, other portions of the county assisted. Now comes very soon the County fair, which is held at Weeping Water. Let Plattsmouth and the entire county no all possible to make this meeting a success for Weeping Water is working hard to make it one of the very best meetings and all portions of the county want to see it the very best. Let us all pull in the long and strong for the success of this fair at Weeping Water.

Will Sell Them Cheap
D. R. Frans, the genial lumberman and who by the way is a hustler when it comes to looking after his business, has something on his hands that he is willing to let loose of even at a sacrifice, and has offered a very liberal reduction on the prevailing price. The property which he is willing to dispose of is a swarm of bees, which have been lodging in the side of his lumber office. The first one who comes can have the bees free of charge and be welcome at that. Ray is particular as to his associates, and bees are not his choice.

That Water Battle and Another
Well when the water team of Elmwood came to Union for the water battle which afforded much sport they expected to win the ten dollar William, but when their team and the team of Union came to grips it was demonstrated that they were no match for the Union lads and the fight was easily won by the locals and the ten spot as well.

BRIDGE BONDING DROPPED
Omaha, Aug. 21.—The county commissioners today informally decided to decline to submit the question of an \$800,000 bond issue for a free bridge across the Missouri river here, as requested in a petition signed recently by forty-one property owners representing the Douglas county non-toll bridge committee. Commissioners Briggs, Kubat, Counsman and Falconer at today's meeting decided to fall to act upon the petition after County Attorney Beal's adverse opinion regarding it had been read.

PUBLIC AUCTION
The Hotel Building at Union, Nebr.
(Known as the Stine Building)
Saturday, Aug. 25
Commencing at 2:00 P. M.
This 15-room frame hotel building and three lots, Nos. 17, 18 and 19, in the Village of Union, Neb., will be sold at Public Auction to the highest bidder. All furniture in building will also be sold. Abstract will be furnished purchaser.
R. D. STINE,
Power of Attorney to Sell.
REN YOUNG, Auctioneer.
BANK OF UNION, Clerk.

Railroaders are Standing Pat in the Wage Row

70,000 Will Walk Out Unless Pay Is Raised, Chief Says; Sept. 4th to See Showdown.

Cleveland, Aug. 22.—Basing his statement upon telegrams received from union officials in various western states, A. F. Whitney, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, Tuesday night predicted a strike affecting 10,000 railroad workers west of Chicago will be called early in September unless the roads meet the union wage demands.

Members of the trainmen and the order of railway conductors have been balloting for a week upon a proposal to strike, following the failure of attempts to settle their wage demands by mediation.

Stand Is Approved.
Reports from the west are to the effect that a walkout is virtually certain in the event no settlement is reached, Whitney said. Although he declared the enthusiasm of the men indicates a unanimous decision in favor of striking, Whitney gave no specific instances except a telegram from Salem, Ore., which he offered as a sample of the prevailing sentiment.

"Members approve action of committee and are with you 100 per cent," the telegram read.

September 4 Set.
Strike ballots were mailed from Chicago two weeks ago when conferences between executives of the trainmen and conductors, the railroads and a representative of the federal board of mediation ended in disagreement.

The ballots are to be returned to Chicago September 2, but the result will not be announced officially until September 4, if no agreement with the roads are reached by that time the men will walk out, Whitney said.—Omaha Bee-News.

Greater Tonnage on Inland Rivers

Tomson Tells Illinois Business Men Present Day Volume of Traffic Heavier Than Ever Before

Speaking before a special meeting Tuesday of the chamber of commerce, at Ottawa, Ill., on the subject of present day tonnage on inland waterways, Frank D. Tomson of Lincoln, said:

"Quite generally the impression exists that the volume of tonnage on the inland waterways forty or fifty years ago was greatly in excess of the volume of the present day, but that is an erroneous impression. That movement of tonnage of the past five years period on inland waterways of the United States is the greatest in the history of the country. The official records from 1922 to 1926 inclusive, show practically 100 percent increase in that period. The net volume for 1926, on the rivers alone, after all known duplications were deducted was 217,000,000 tons. These waters embrace the rivers, lakes and all ocean and gulf ports for 1926 was 540,500,000. Nearly half of that stupendous total was carried on the inland rivers.

"The official report of the board of army engineers for 1926 gives the value of the total tonnage that year as \$27,000,000,000, in round numbers. The report contains this convincing statement, his is the greatest tonnage ever carried on the navigable channels of the United States and supplies convincing evidence of the increasing use of our waterways."

"We can, and will inevitably build in this middlewest country a commerce of such proportions as to place this nation far in advance of its present dominant position. We have the natural resources, the road systems the constantly improving highways we need only to keep these working to attain an advanced position of widely distributed prosperity. In this accomplishment we must recognize as one of the basic elements, available, low cost of transportation."

NO TRACE OF AMUNDSEN
Oslo, Norway, Aug. 21.—The Norwegian steamer Michael Sars, which has been searching the passengers for the southwest of Esperance Island for traces of the lost explorer Roald Amundsen and his party, reports it has found no sign of the missing men



Baseball Game Sunday, August 26th Plattsmouth

Julien Hudson-Essex
This is the Team that trimmed us 3 to 1 on their last visit here.

Nine are Dead as Result of Storm in Two States

Total Increased as Further Reports Come in of Iowa-Minnesota Tornado—Many Injured

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 21.—Austin and two southern Minnesota counties tonight made plans to bury their dead, minister to the injured and homeless and generally repair the damage wrought by two separate paths for a short distance late Monday afternoon and then converged to continue their devastation.

A check of the storm-lashed district disclosed that one tornado originated in Iowa, four miles south of the Minnesota border, while the other came from the southeast and met the first at Glenville. Then the two as a single storm descended on Austin before making a half circle back into Iowa.

Six persons lost their lives at Austin in this storm, more than fifty were injured and property damage estimated at \$1,000,000 was done. Three additional deaths were reported from Iowa, near Rockwell City apparently from a separate storm making a total of nine. Additional reports in other sections of the storm area swell the list of injured to near the hundred mark, while damage reported from Mower and Freeborn county outside Austin brought the total to \$2,000,000.

The latest survey of the affected area shows that five persons were killed at Austin, one near Glenville, and three north of Twin Lakes, near Rockwell City.

Nearly a score of injured remain in Austin hospitals tonight for treatment of their hurts and it was feared some of the more serious cases would die. Most of the injuries, however, were of a minor nature and the victims, after medical treatment, returned to their homes.

The survey tonight showed that the Minnesota twister vented its fury on a strip about a quarter of a mile wide and sixty-five miles long, blowing itself out.—State Journal.

Every dollar worth of the H. Waintroub stock must be sold at once. Auction starts Saturday, Aug. 25th at 2 p. m.

WAITING FOR THE TROLLEY
The Young Peoples' class of the Otterbein church extends an invitation to everyone to come see their free play "Waiting for the Trolley," on the Otterbein church lawn, Friday evening, August 24th. Afterwards ice cream and cake will be sold.

SAFETY FIRST
"It won't be long now" until the rise of the curtain at the Parmele Theatre Friday night when the American farce-comedy "Safety First" is to be presented by the Mynard Community Club to the good people of Plattsmouth and vicinity.

The stage of the Parmele has gotten to be the busiest place in town. Everything is simply buzzing with activity and nothing is left undone to make this the greatest stage-play success ever undertaken in Plattsmouth.

The Mynard players are going to bring with them a splendid eight piece orchestra which in itself will be a great treat, in fact all is set and ready for the first curtain-up of "Safety First."

Admission charges are 50c, 35c and 25c—the lowest ever asked for a stage production of such magnitude as will be revealed to the eyes of the public in this part of the country.

All indications point to a huge attendance because this is truly a rare opportunity from every point of view. Tomorrow (Thursday) morning at 10:00 o'clock the box office will open for the sale of reserved seats. Tickets which have already been bought either at the Ladies Toggery, the Bon-Ton Sweet Shop or at Mynard and Murray, may be exchanged at your pleasure for reserved seat tickets.

Mrs. Bess Streeter Aldrich to Aid Grand Opera

Will Assist in the Developing of Talent in This State for the Grand Opera Tests.

Bess Streeter Aldrich, president of the Nebraska Writers' Guild and nationally famous author of half a dozen literary successes, whose latest novel, "A Lantern in Her Hand," has just been published, today joined the Nebraska group which is seeking new grand opera stars through the Second National Radio Audition.

Mrs. Aldrich, whose home is in Elmwood, accepted the invitation of Walter W. Head of Omaha, chairman, to become a member of the state committee which is sponsoring the contest in Nebraska. She is enthusiastic in her endorsement of the audition and pledges hearty cooperation to Mr. Head in searching for promising amateur singers in the "Antelope" state.

Chairman Head also announced that Mrs. Will E. Minley of Oakland, prominent in National Federation of Women's Clubs, has accepted membership on the Nebraska committee. Arrangements are being made to hold local singing contests for various Nebraska county groups. The plan is to center the local auditions in some town convenient to these county groups and then canvas each section intensively. In this work the cooperation of city mayors, Chamber of Commerce officials and civic and music leaders generally is being sought by Chairman Head and his associates.

The contest in Nebraska will follow the same lines as last year. Conducted on the principle of elimination it will start with the local auditions now being arranged. Each local contest will qualify one boy and one girl singer to represent the local community in the state audition.

The local auditions will be concluded not later than September 25th so as to make way for the state contest which will be held early in October.

The state audition will be broadcast over station WOW, Omaha, under arrangements to be made by Orson Stiles, Nebraska State Manager, assisted by Eugene Konecky of the WOW staff. In determining the winners of the Nebraska contest the vote of radio listeners will count 60 per cent and the judgment of the board of critics 40 per cent.

All Nebraska amateurs between 18 and 25 inclusive are eligible to compete in this contest for which the Atwater Kent Foundation is offering cash awards aggregating \$17,500 besides 120 medals, music conservatory scholarships and other tokens of recognition.

The Nebraska State Audition will qualify two singers to compete in the district or semi-finals, which will be sung in Chicago in November to qualify two singers for the National finals to be sung in New York in December.

All singers who win state and district auditions will be guests of the Atwater Kent Foundation during the subsequent phases of the contest.

PRACTICAL CRIME PREVENTION
Major crimes of violence have decreased materially in New York City since 1925, according to a report by the Baumes Commission. Where there were 308 cases of murder and manslaughter in 1925, the number dropped to 289 in 1926, and in 1927 went down still further, to 278.

Of the Baumes Law provisions the most important is that which provides life imprisonment for criminals on fourth felony conviction. In New York it has proven a restraining influence, and a thoroughly justified measure. Logic would tend to show that a law-breaker who attempts four major ravages is a habitual criminal who must be permanently removed from society.

A modern movement in crime suppression and prevention has been toward gathering crime statistics that afford a ready and accurate survey of the crime situation. This work cannot be overestimated, and Senator Knight, chairman of the subcommittee, says of it: "The commission believes that complete and accurate statistics of crimes committed is absolutely necessary to determine the cause of crime and to permit the enactment of the best legislation to prevent and punish the commission of crime."

STEPHENSON HEADED OFF
Le Porte, Ind., Aug. 21.—D. C. Stephenson's newest attempt to gain freedom from prison under a habeas corpus writ was forestalled today when the state was granted a writ of prohibition by the Indiana supreme court restraining the issuance of a writ of habeas corpus. The writ of prohibition was issued by Chief Justice David A. Myers in behalf of Warden Walter Daly, of the state prison, Attorney General Arthur Gillbergery, the Hon. Tom Sweet Shop or at Mynard and Murray, may be exchanged at your pleasure for reserved seat tickets.

It was issued only a short time before Stephenson was to have been brought before Judge John Richter in circuit court here for a hearing on his petition yesterday requesting the writ of habeas corpus. Judge Richter, under the supreme court writ, was prohibited from acceding to Stephenson's petition until he showed cause before the supreme court Sept. 4 why the writ of habeas corpus should not be denied. Judge Richter, while abiding by the prohibition writ, said he would oppose Gillbergery made a permanent order at the hearing in September and retained two attorneys to represent him.



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Robinson is Mapping Out a Speaking Tour
Democrat Vice-Presidential Nominee Will Spend Much of Time in the South.

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 20.—Although County Engineer Arthur Edgren believes use of 66 thousand dollars Lancaster county inheritance tax funds now on hand for proposed graveling of roads connecting 10 towns in the county with main highways for any thing else than paved roads is illegal, he has called the board of commissioners today to proceed with the graveling plan, providing they pay the inheritance fund at a later date.

Rather than let the 66 thousand dollars lie idle while the towns demand all-weather roads, the engineer declared the commissioners would be justified in borrowing it. About 90 thousand dollars is needed to gravel all the desired roads, but the balance can be made up from regular highway funds or from the general fund, Mr. Edgren stated.

MAIL BANDIT RING SOUGHT
Chicago, Aug. 18.—Postal inspectors tonight were engaged in a widespread search for a gang of mail thieves who are rumored to have stolen thousands of dollars worth of currency and goods from the mails carried on the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad during the last year.

It is known, however, that he has been deluged with invitations from the south and it is believed that from Texas he will proceed to Tennessee and from there thru Georgia, northern Florida, North and South Carolina and thence into Kentucky. This trip probably will extend from Sept. 6 to 21 and from ten to four-teen addresses are under consideration.

Senator Millard E. Tydings of Maryland, a member of the democratic speakers bureau and one of those with whom the vice presidential nominee conferred, said he expected that the Arkansas senator would cover "practically" all of the country between his notification date and election day.—State Journal.

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He contended that republican claims of strength in the south had aroused the democrats "as I have never seen them aroused before," and predicted that the popularity of Governor Smith will grow as the campaign progresses.

Further than to say that after his notification in Hot Springs, Ark., Aug. 30, he proposed to speak in Dallas and Cisco, Tex., on Sept. 3 and 4, the senator declined to discuss the itinerary under consideration.

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