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Wohlfarth Family Holds Reunion Here

Meet at Country Club at Home of L. L. McCarthy Family Tuesday for Most Delightful Time

The beautiful and restful surroundings of the country club made the setting for the reunion of the members of the Wohlfarth family, the children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Wohlfarth.

Mr. Wohlfarth, the father, has made his home with his daughter, Mrs. L. L. McCarthy at the country club since the closing of the home here and this lovely place was decided on for the members of the party to choose as their gathering place.

It was the first time that all of the members of the family had been able to be together for several years and made an occasion that they will long very pleasantly remember. Some of the children reside at distant points and it is not often that they can all be together, some of the family residing in Oklahoma and California.

The day was spent in visiting and in partaking of a sumptuous picnic dinner that added to the pleasures of the occasion and enjoying with the father the passing hours most delightfully.

The children of the family were largely accompanied by their families and made a large party of the Wohlfarth clan. The children were Paul H. Wohlfarth and Mrs. L. L. McCarthy of this city, Robert H. Wohlfarth, Oklahoma City, Mrs. William Bell, Long Beach, California, Mrs. Frank Downey, of Lincoln, and Carl Wohlfarth, of Lincoln, and Mrs. Robert Coppel of Schuyler.

NEW DIRECTORY NEEDED BY IMPROVED CONDITIONS

Since the Lincoln Telephone & Telegraph company started their "Business Recovery Campaign" on June 15th, orders have been taken for 30 additional stations at Plattsmouth. Most of these orders are from the rural sections, indicating the great need for telephone service to the farmer on account of the increased farm commodities.

Service charges are waived on all changes and installations during this period from June 15th to July 15th inclusive and many are taking advantage of this offer.

The Plattsmouth Journal has the order for the printing of the new telephone directories and all corrections, changes and additions should be reported to the telephone company before July 15th. The cover of the directory this time will be green, printed in black which makes a clear and very attractive book.

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY.

The eleventh birthday anniversary of Shirley Mason was observed Thursday by a most enjoyable party of the little friends held at the Mason home on west Main street. The time was spent in games of all kinds and in which a great deal of merriment was derived by all of the young people. At a suitable hour dainty refreshments were served to add to the pleasures of the occasion.

Those attending were Dorothy Jean Turner, Wilma Swatek, Frances Hadraba, Jean Taylor, Marjorie Fitch, Elaine Handley, Norma Bryant, Helen Hiatt, Helen Slatinsky, Ruth Ann Hatt, Ellen Cloidt, Shirley Walling, Elda Marie Phillips, Margie Dean Phillips, Mary Kvapil, Helen Minniear, Joan Hall, Charlotte Cotner, Thelma Capper, Mary Lou Walling, Dona Faye Mason, Billy Mason, Shirley Mason.

BRING IN ABANDONED CAR

Sheriff Sylvester and Deputy Sheriff Jarvis Lancaster were down in the vicinity of Murray on Thursday, bringing back with them a Chrysler car that had been abandoned near the John Hobschelde farm. The car had been there for the past several days and was reported to the officers who now have it here. The car was apparently from Lewiston, Nebraska, and the officers will endeavor to locate the owner. It is thought that the car is one that was stolen.

PATIENTS SHOW IMPROVEMENT

Mrs. O. L. Bailor, with her daughter, Miss Edith, survivors of the auto accident at Murray on Sunday, June 17th, are reported as doing very nicely at the hospital at Omaha where they have been cared for. The patients were not informed of the full extent of the tragedy that had taken the life of their husband and brother and two young friends, until the last few days when they were considered out of danger. The daughter is soon to leave the hospital and it is hoped that the mother in a short time may be able to return to their home at Geneva.

Young People are Wedded at Lincoln Today

Miss Lola Stanley and Mr. Ralph Hatt of This City Wed at Trinity Episcopal Church.

From Thursday's Daily
At high noon today at the Holy Trinity Episcopal church at Lincoln, occurred the marriage of two of the well known young people of this city, Miss Lola Stanley and Mr. Ralph Hatt.

The young people motored to the capital city this morning and were accompanied by Miss Lucille Hatt, sister of the groom.

Following the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Hatt are planning on leaving on a motor trip to Chicago and to enjoy the sights of the Century of Progress exposition, later returning home to this city.

The bride has for the past seven years been engaged as the head nurse at the Masonic Home infirmary in this city and has a large circle of friends here. She is a resident of Lincoln where her parents reside.

The groom was born and grew to manhood in this city and is a son of Mrs. Jonathan Hatt. He made his home in Chicago for several years, but in the past year has been engaged in the conduct of a bakery in this city.

The many friends will join in their well wishes to this estimable couple for many years of success and happiness.

ATTEND CHURCH SERVICES

In reports back from Washington, D. C., the members of the Boy Scout expedition, under the leadership of Rev. Robert Murpree, of Louisville, are having a real time. Billie Rosenzans in a card to his parents reports that he and Frederick Fricke, both of whom are members of the Episcopal church, walked five miles from their camp to attend the services at the National cathedral, noted Episcopal church at Washington and in the crypt of which is buried Woodrow Wilson, world war president. They report the cathedral a beautiful place and with a seating capacity of 1,500. The boys on their return made the journey by tram. Billie also reports climbing the interior of the Washington monument and made count of the 920 steps that is necessary to travel to reach the top.

FOREST ARMY QUARANTINED

The advices from Roseburg, Oregon, are to the effect that the "tree army" now stationed there, and which is composed of Nebraska boys at Camp Tyee, is under quarantine. The cause of the quarantine is the discovery that Andy Myers, of Nebraska City, was suffering from an attack of scarlet fever, although it was first thought to be poison oak, from which several others in the camp were reported suffering.

When the nature of the illness was discovered, the Oregon state board of health closed the camp to visitors.

The condition of the patients is not serious and the hospital and medical facilities of the camp are adequate to take care of the young men in good shape. It is not stated that the malady has reached an epidemic stage.

The camp quarantine was a disappointment to the boys as they had planned a three day vacation over the Fourth in a bus trip to the Pacific ocean some forty miles from their camp.

There are some thirty-eight from Cass county in this camp and eighteen of these from Plattsmouth.

Rotary Club Installs Officers for Coming Year

Judge A. H. Duxbury Takes Up Position as President of Club—Enjoy Excellent Program.

The Plattsmouth club of the International Rotary held their installation of officers on Wednesday at the weekly luncheon of the club held at the main dining room of the Brown cafe.

The club has set the first meeting in July as the time when the retiring officers lay down the tasks of their various offices and again take their places in the ranks of the loyal and hardworking privates.

The officers who were installed are:

A. H. Duxbury, president; L. O. Minor, vice president; Frank A. Cloidt, secretary; Frank M. Bestor, treasurer; R. W. Knorr and William Baird, together with the retiring president, Dr. P. T. Heineman, directors.

The club members had the pleasure of having present as a feature artist, Mrs. Marguerite Walters-Johnston, of Sheridan, Wyoming, who is here with her son on a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Walters.

Mrs. Johnston gave several vocal numbers which gave a fine expression to the rare beauty of her voice, and was much appreciated. Mrs. J. M. Roberts served as accompanist, while the violin obligato was played by George Jaeger in his very artistic manner.

BRIDAL PARTY HERE

From Thursday's Daily
Mr. and Mrs. Mason E. Wescott of Chicago, arrived in the city today for a brief visit here with the father of the groom, C. C. Wescott, and the other relatives of the groom in this city. Mr. Wescott was married on Saturday, June 24th at Chicago to Hazel Kaufman Mortensen, the young people departing after the wedding on a motor trip to the Black Hills of South Dakota, where they have since visited. They are now on their way back to Chicago where they will be at home at 2141 Tushy avenue, north Chicago. Mr. Wescott after the vacation period will resume his work as a member of the faculty of the Northwestern university, teaching on the McKinlock campus where are located the business administration college of the university and with which he has been connected for several years. This evening the family will enjoy a picnic supper to honor the newlyweds and who are leaving Friday for their home.

IOWA PEOPLE WED

From Thursday's Daily
The popularity of this city as a point for the marriage of parties from our neighboring state of Iowa continues, three parties having been wedded here Wednesday afternoon and this morning.

Ralph Hulshizer of Des Moines, Iowa, and Miss Roberta Livingston of the same city, were married Wednesday afternoon at the office of Judge A. H. Duxbury and shortly after this ceremony George Garfield Plager, Jr., and Miss Ellen Irene Sinclair of Atlantic, Iowa, were also married.

This morning Keith Lockert and Miss Bessie Albright, both of Webster City, Iowa, were callers at the court house for the necessary license and later repaired to the residence of Rev. C. O. Troy where they were joined in the bonds of wedlock.

VISITS WITH FRIENDS HERE

From Thursday's Daily
Miss Josephine Berggren, of Wahoo, is a guest here of Miss Kathleen Troop, at the farm home south of this city. Miss Berggren and Miss Troop were associated at the University of Nebraska, both being later engaged as teachers in the Nebraska City high school, Miss Troop being head of the home economics department.

The two ladies motored to Nebraska City this afternoon where they enjoyed the day in visiting with the friends at that place.

VISITING IN CITY

From Friday's Daily
The home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reed was the scene of a very pleasant house party this week when a number of relatives were here to spend a few days. Mrs. Minnie O'Hara of Pawnee City, mother of Mrs. Reed, Mrs. Luther Fairbanks of Burt, Iowa, Misses Grace Lee Howerton, and Miss Coletta Cunningham of San Antonio, Texas, comprised the party. The two latter ladies, who are teachers in the San Antonio schools, are en route home from Chicago where they have been in attendance at the Century of Progress Exposition.

400 Students are Eligible for High School

This Number in Cass County Are Entitled to Receive High School Tuition This Year.

In the report given to the board of county commissioners by County Superintendent Alpha C. Peterson, there are 400 students who are eligible and have made application for high school instruction this year in the various schools.

These students are residents of districts where there are no high schools and will attend school at one of the towns where there are high schools maintained.

This number will make necessary the raising of \$32,400 to care for the tuition cost of the pupils for the year. The last legislature has reduced the tuition cost for non-resident pupils from \$3 to \$2.25 per month.

The matter of the levy for the cost will be laid over until the definite valuation has been determined in the various school districts over the county.

GIVEN BIRTHDAY PARTY

From Friday's Daily
Last evening a number of the friends of Fred Knieke gathered to join in a social evening in honor of the birthday anniversary of the young man.

The evening was spent in games of various kinds and in which suitable prizes were awarded the successful ones. Delicious refreshments were served at an appropriate hour and all the members of the party joined in their well wishes to the young man and that he might enjoy many more such pleasant birthdays.

Those who enjoyed the event were Sheldon Giles, John Bauer, William Brink, William Henriksen, William Starkjohn, Shirley Reedy, Fred Knieke, Lois Giles, Margaret Bauer, Gertrude Brink, Wilhelmina Hinrichsen, Mary Margaret Kline, Anna Knieke.

SELLS LUMBER YARD

A deal was made on Wednesday whereby J. H. Rogge sold the Union Lumber Co. yards of this city to Tom Engles of Auburn, Nebraska. The deal was made through Henry Dickman and John Vick. Mr. Rogge is selling largely on account of his health and desires to quit business. Mr. Engles has purchased an excellent business and he is a lumberman of much experience, owning lumber yards at Auburn and other towns. The editor having known Mr. Engles for a good many years can give him the very highest recommendation to this community knowing that an excellent business man has taken charge of the lumber business in Elmwood. Mr. Rogge was in the lumber business here for forty-one years.—Elmwood Leader-Echo.

ENJOY PICNIC PARTY

The members of the W. G. Kieck, John E. Turner and Henry Starkjohn households enjoyed a fine picnic party at the delightful grove on the Starkjohn farm northwest of this city, where in the cool shade the members of the party enjoyed the time most pleasantly. All had brought baskets of the good things to eat and which proved a most enjoyable repast and to which all did ample justice.

Eagles Hold a Booster Meeting Last Evening

Class of New Candidates Were Initiated at Gathering at Eagles Hall.

From Friday's Daily
Plattsmouth Aerie No. 365 Fraternal Order of Eagles, held a booster meeting last night at the Eagle Home. The meeting was attended by 57 members. A delegation of 20 were present from South Omaha Aerie No. 154, headed by Roy Jensen, worth president, and Patrick Martin, secretary. Wm. Barclay gave the address of welcome to the visitors and the 20 new candidates.

Ralph Emerson, deputy grand president, attended the meeting last night and will remain in Plattsmouth until Sunday. Mr. Emerson has been in our city since June 25th, and has had his headquarters at the Hotel Riley.

Plattsmouth Aerie will continue the drive for new members up to next Thursday, July 13th, under the same plan as worked under the last 10 days. Dispensation granted by the national organization by Deputy Grand President Emerson, the local aerie has laid plans for a picnic the early part of August for the members and their families.

Herman Thomas, vice president of the local aerie received an Eagle pin for securing the largest number of members in the class. Vern Hutchinson, worthy president of the local aerie, appointed Arnold Lillie to captain a business mens team. Mr. Lillie will have Wm. Barclay to assist him. The team is for the purpose of securing new members. Herman Thomas and Con Lynch are captains of the other two membership campaign drive teams. Art Blunt is chairman of the membership drive committee and Leo Boynton is secretary of the local aerie.

SUNNYSIDE 4-H CLUB MEETS

The members of the Sunnyside 4-H club met Thursday afternoon, July 6, at the home of Mrs. E. C. Giles.

It was suggested that we have a guest day and each member invite one or two guests. Since this proved favorable to all, we will make definite plans for this later.

We had a brief study of parliamentary law, which proved very interesting to all.

Questions were answered and discussed on curtains.

Anna Marie Rea gave a helpful demonstration on "Use of Different Types of Curtains."

The necessary equipment to take to camp at Bellevue was discussed. Several of our members plan on attending these three days of glorious camp life.

The new lessons on "Making Our Furniture Look Its Best," were handed out, and the roll call for our next meeting will be "What piece of furniture I have chosen to refinish."

After the business meeting was adjourned we sang songs and played games, after which delicious refreshments were served.

We were very pleased to have with us a visitor, Mrs. C. R. Troop. We hope she will visit us again soon.

Our next meeting will be July 13, and we plan on judging curtains at that time.

REPORTER.

ENTERTAINS FOR FRIEND

Wednesday evening Mrs. E. J. Richey was hostess to a number of the friends, honoring Mrs. Inez Baylor, of Akron, Ohio, who has been here for a week visiting with relatives and old friends.

The evening was spent in contract bridge and in which Mrs. H. F. Goos was awarded the first prize and the guest prize to Mrs. Baylor.

At an appropriate hour dainty refreshments were served by the hostess to add to the pleasures of the occasion.

Mrs. Baylor is leaving for Bovina, Colorado, to visit her mother, Mrs. Eva Reese, and her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Baylor.

The Journal aims to print all the news and will appreciate your assistance to that end. Call No. 6.

SUFFERING FROM MUMPS

James B. Farnham, who has been ill at his home for the past several days, has been found to be suffering from a very severe case of the mumps. The case did not develop in the usual manner and with the complications caused some doubt of the case but the malady is now apparent and Mr. Farnham is quite ill from the effects of the malady and under constant care. Not being aware of his condition, Mr. Farnham played ball last Monday and which caused his case to be more than usually severe.

Dogs Make Raid on Chicken House in This City

Three Dogs Tear Screen from Window and Kill 50 Chickens of Otterstein Family.

From Saturday's Daily
Sheriff Homer Sylvester was called this morning at an early hour to the home of Richard Otterstein on Wintersteen Hill, where a gang of dogs practically wiped out a flock of chickens.

The raid by the dogs, who had evidently reverted to their wild ancestors, was first noticed when the chickens made a disturbance and the owner of the flock started for the coop where the chickens had been supposedly safely locked up.

As Mr. Otterstein approached the house the dogs, alarmed, ran from the building and Mr. Otterstein opened fire with a rifle and secured one animal but the two others escaped.

It was found that fifty of the flock of chickens had been killed and chewed and mutilated by the savage dogs before the owner could reach the scene of the trouble.

The dogs had gained entrance by tearing off the screen wire from the window of the hen house to get at their helpless victims and had then started in on the work of destruction.

UNION MAN SENTENCED

From Saturday's Daily
This morning in the county court, Ed Erwin, of Union, was present to answer to a complaint filed against him by County Attorney W. G. Kieck. Mr. Erwin was charged in one count with intoxication and on the second complaint with assault and battery on Miss Helen Watkins. The defendant entered a plea of guilty to the charges which are an outgrowth of the trouble occasioned by the defendant Thursday night at Union. It is claimed that Erwin entered a restaurant at Union and proceeded to make trouble and disturb the peace, and started to choke the complaining witness, Miss Watkins.

The court after hearing the plea and the evidence in the case, gave Erwin a fine of \$50 on the intoxication charge and a sentence of sixty days in the county jail for the assault and battery offense. He was remanded to the custody of the sheriff until the claims of justice are satisfied.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

From Saturday's Daily
This morning at the Nicholas Senn hospital at Omaha, Mrs. Roy Stewart of this city was operated on and at the last reports was doing just as well as possible in the short time following the operation. Mrs. Stewart has not been in the best of health for some time and it was decided that an operation would be necessary to give the patient any relief. Mr. Stewart departed for Omaha early this morning following his work on the night police force and was at the hospital during the operation. The many friends of Mrs. Stewart are trusting that she may soon be able to regain her former health and be able to resume her usual activities.

ASKS FOR DIVORCE

From Saturday's Daily
An action was filed in the office of the clerk of the district court today by Thomas Neilson, who asks that he be granted a decree from Melissa Neilson. The parties are residents of Murray.

Death of Mrs. L. S. Thomas at Home in West

Member of Prominent Family Residing West of City Over Long Period—In Calif. 24 Years

The announcement has been received here of the death at Long Beach, California, of Mrs. Samuel L. Thomas, 91, widow of the late Senator Thomas, a pioneer of Nebraska territory, which occurred on Saturday, July 1st.

Mrs. Thomas had made her home in the west for the past twenty-four years, where her husband preceded her in death some years ago.

The deceased lady was formerly Miss Sarah Shields, a member of one of the pioneer families of the west, and who with the Thomas family, came here in the early fifties to make their home. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas were married in this city and located on the farm west of this city, where they resided until going west to make their home for the remainder of their lifetime.

She is survived by one son, Walter L. Thomas, of Long Beach, as well as a large number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

The deceased lady was the great-grandmother of Gerald Thomas, 19, who was killed near Ontario, California, on Sunday, following the death of the aged lady.

The funeral was held Wednesday at Long Beach and interment made beside the husband in a cemetery there.

BEAUTIFY ROOFS

It is not necessary to have a spacious lawn or yard to establish a place of natural floral beauty, as can be found by an inspection of the roof and porches at the rear of the second story residences of the L. B. Egenberger and John E. Schutz families. There is a large expanse of roof at the rear of the second stories and here Mrs. Eganberger and Mrs. Schutz have arranged baskets and tubs of the bright hued sunnyside flowers and which following the rain are blooming in profusion. The ladies in the past hot weeks have faithfully tended the petunias and flowering moss that they have planted and the result is most gratifying to those two ladies and they can feel well pleased with the touch of natural beauty that they have given to the vista of the roofs in their neighborhood.

ARRIVES FROM NEW YORK

From Saturday's Daily
Miss Ursula Herold arrived this morning from New York, where she has recently received her master's degree from Columbia university. Miss Herold came west on the crack New York Central train which was operated in six sections of fourteen coaches each, all being heavily loaded with passengers bound for Chicago.

In Chicago, while Miss Herold had her hotel reservations in advance, it was necessary to wait forty-five minutes to receive her room check. The Hotel Stevens, where she lodged, had turned away 800 persons the night previous, indicating the vast number of visitors coming for the Century of Progress exposition.

PREFECTS CORN SHELLER

J. V. Stradley, one of the well known residents of Greenwood, was in the city Friday for a short time to look after some matters of business and to meet his many friends here.

Mr. Stradley, with his sons have been interested in the implement business for a great many years and are now perfecting a corn sheller which they are securing patents on and which is one of the best machines of its type that has been brought forth as yet.

The Messers Stradley have been engaged in their work on the corn sheller for the past several months and now feel that they have something that will be a real advance in farm machinery and one that should be found to be of the greatest advantage to the farmers of the great corn belt.