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Elmwood News

Mrs. Louis V. Uhley has been very ill at her home in Elmwood and has been kept to her home for the past few weeks.

Mrs. Sophia McLaughlin has been very ill for the past few weeks, while still kept to her bed is considered as being much improved at this time. Her friends are hoping that she will soon be well again.

James Lake, 12 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lake has been confined to his bed at the home north of town and while he is some better at this time he is not considered as being able to be out as yet.

Ernest Baker, pastor of the Christian church and wife of the superintendent of the Elmwood schools and wife were in attendance at the Ministerial convention at the Congregational church in Weeping Water last Monday evening.

Norville Bothwell, owner of the Clover Farm store in Elmwood was called to Omaha for a meeting as he is on the executive committee of this system of stores and on his return stopped at Plattsmouth for a short visit with his brother-in-law, County Treasurer John E. Turner.

Miss Jane Robb who has been teaching in the Cass county schools

the past term, last year made a trip over the west for which she paid \$100. She has been asked to go on the tour this summer and be paid for her services. The tour starts from Chicago and covers most of the west and northwest and will consume about thirty days.

Rev. J. L. Arnold, pastor of the Evangelical church, has been quite ill the past few weeks and has been unable to conduct services at the church. His condition was so grave that he was taken to the hospital at Omaha for a clinic, although no operation was performed. While he is home at this time he is not feeling much improved as yet.

Pioneer Woman Very Ill.
Mrs. Charles Clapp, the husband having passed away several years ago, is very ill at her home in Elmwood. Everything possible is being done to restore her health, but slight hopes are retained for the ultimate restoration of her former health, although hopes are entertained for improvement.

Mrs. Bartlett Still Serious.
Mrs. Libby Bartlett of Elmwood, who has been very ill for some time and for whose recovery but slight hopes are entertained, although she has been showing slight improvement of late. Her many friends are

Bible School Lesson Study!

Sunday, May 19th By L. Neitzel, Murdock, Neb.

"Baptism"

Mat. 28:19, 20; Acts 8:26-29.
The holy rite of baptism is not well understood by the masses of Christians, hence we welcome the lesson on this sacrament, of which the Protestant church observes only two, whereas the Roman Catholic church observes seven. (It may be of interest to scholars to know them. They are: 1—Baptism; 2—Confirmation; 3—Confession; 4—Eucharist; 5—Holy Orders; 6—Matrimony; 7—Extreme Unction.)

A sacrament is a mystery, a symbol, a type. The Old Testament had its "washings" (Lev. 11-15; Num. 19). In later history of the Jewish people, this "washing" more and more expressed the deeper idea of a real cleansing of the heart (Ps. 51:2, 7; Isa. 1:16; Jer. 4:14, etc.) John's baptism combined the ritualistic washing of the Old Testament with the necessity of a truly repentant and a changed heart which was to mark the new dispensation. In the baptism of Jesus, we are confronted by many questions. If the baptism of John demanded repentance of the candidate for baptism, which symbolized remission of sin, why did Christ, who had no sin, deliberately determine to submit himself to this rite? The question arose at once in the mind of the Baptist. Jesus gave the answer "that it become them to fulfill all righteousness." The true disciple does not question God's orders—but obeys them. So, likewise, did Jesus! "By this baptism, he committed himself to men and to the purposes of God; consented at the beginning of his public ministry to God's method of saving men." (G. Campbell Morgan.)

Thus, in baptism, we see Christ assuming responsibility for sinning men—by the anointing of the Spirit, he was crowned and empowered, and by the divine voice he was attested God's King set upon the holy hill of Zion. In the Great Commission to the eleven disciples on a mountain in Galilee, standing on the resurrection side of his grave, he declared himself to be King by divine right, and therefore absolute in his kingship. The claim admits of no limitation. In that moment he claimed authority in the material, mental and moral realm. Make disciples learners—pupils in contrast to teachers, and then adherents, to be identified with a leader or school and adopt a corresponding line of conduct.

"The church has never been commissioned to convert the world, but to evangelize it; to create its spirit of choice, to bring men everywhere face to face with the King, that in his presence men may crown or glorify him." (G. Campbell Morgan.)

Baptism follows belief; it is a public confession on the part of the one baptized, of having accepted Christ as a saviour from sin, and being identified with Christ in his death, and symbolizing the washing away of sin, by which death came. In this case, "the name" implies all that belongs to the manifestation of the true God in the Gospel, the titles, attributes and works of creation, redemption and sanctification." (Phillip Schaff.)

Let us observe the encouragement which is to persuade the Apostles to undertake this commission "I am with you always." No mere man would have dared to utter these words—the divine Presence consciously with them—ever present—while teaching and preaching.

Forms of baptism in the early church were practiced in three ways: (a) Immersion, plunging the whole body under water; (b) Affusion, or pouring water on the head; (c) Aspersions, or besprinkle on the face. The baptism of the Ethiopian is a very profitable study in (1) how to spend our leisure time—reading good literature; (2) accepting advice from a teacher, men of experience; (3) in the change of viewpoint when the "light shines in." Phillip's teaching touched on the rite of baptism, which in this case was by immersion. The converted man brought the gospel to the dark continent—Nubia or Abyssinia. It shows us God's wonderful ways of guiding men that are sincere in seeking first the Kingdom of God—they find.

The deeper meaning of baptism is given us in Rom. 6:1-14, where it is likened as identified with Christ in his death. Where the "old man" is buried—like Christ in the grave, but rises a "new man"—like Christ, from the grave. He is a new creature in Christ Jesus. Church membership does not mean much, but a new creature, a new life is the all-important thing. How could a man who was sincere in receiving baptism live in sin? The thing is impossible. The very act of faith by which we receive Christ as the propitiation for sin, is spiritually a death to sin. In this world, two claimants are continually seeking us—God and Satan. It is for man to choose his Master. He needs all the wisdom God can impart to make the right choice.

"Once far from God and deep in sin,
No light my heart could see,
But in God's word the light I found.
Now Christ liveth in me,
Oh! what a salvation this,
Christ liveth in me."

POSTPONE SEASON OPENING

The opening of the kittenball season in this city has been postponed to a later date, altho it had been planned to start the season the first of this week. There are several matters yet to be cared for before the opening of the playing season.

The heavy rain, the first that has fall since the fill was made at the Athletic park, has caused several places to settle and will make necessary the filling in of these places before playing starts. There is also the painting of the bleachers to be cared for and which will require better weather conditions.

When the season is started the opening week's schedule will be followed as was announced last week.

WILL INSTALL WATER PLANT

J. H. McMaken of this city has received the contract for the installation of a water plant at the farm home of George Hanson, northwest of Nehawka. Mr. Hanson, who has one of the most attractive farms in that section of Cass county, will have a large supply tank erected that will be supplied from the wells located in the lowlands of his farm. From the tank the water will be piped into the house, barn and feed lots to supply the needs of the farm and the family. This addition to the farm will make it one of the most modern in the county.

BRING IN COYOTES

The office of County Clerk George R. Slayles has received a fine collection of coyotes in the past several days, all largely of the puppy age. In connection with the payment of the bounty, the person bringing in the animals is required to state that he killed them and so it is far easier to kill the coyotes where found and bring in only the head or scalp as this is all that is required.

Bernard Dill of South Bend, brought in seven; Robert N. Pierce, Nehawka, six; L. H. Fletcher, Cedar Creek, seven; Rudolph Meyer, Nehawka, seven.

hoping against hope for her recovery.

Loses Faithful Companion.

Jacob Sterner, the faithful and very conscientious night watchman, has had a very faithful and reliable companion as he makes his midnight rounds when all others are asleep. Someone poisoned his dog and he had to make his rounds alone. This is a very mean trick and to us it looks like the biting of the hand which has protected you.

Gathered on Mother's Day.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Tyson were gathered on last Sunday the other members of the family and especially the children, when they came to pay their respects to the mother who has been the very best friend they ever had. Those present were Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Tyson and little daughter of Murray, Silas Tyson and family of Lincoln and Mrs. Bessie Robb of Lincoln, who came to pay their respects.

All Well Pleasured with Show.

"The Mirage," which was written and directed by Raymond C. Cook of Plattsmouth was presented at Elmwood last Thursday before a crowded house and all greatly pleased with the show. It is the intention of a number of orders of Elmwood to have this show presented at some future time again.

Held Wonderful Service.

Mother's day was observed at the First Christian church in Elmwood last Sunday, the church being very prettily decorated, this being in the hands of Mrs. Veronica Olsen, who transformed the room into a place of extreme beauty. The music and singing was in charge of Mrs. Spencer Ledger in charge of the execution of the songs was marvelous. The Mother's day message was delivered by Mrs. Ernest E. Baker, wife of the pastor. There was an audience of such dimensions that the church building was hardly large enough.

Baccalaureate Services Sunday

The baccalaureate services for the graduating class of Elmwood high school is to be held at the Methodist church in Elmwood next Sunday evening. The sermon will be delivered by Rev. W. B. Bliss, pastor of the Methodist church.

Work Progressing Nicely.

The bit of paving on O street road of which there is scarcely five miles has been progressing nicely, but has been halted the past week by the rainy weather. There remains about a mile and a fraction yet to be completed and the contractors are certain the work will be finished by the first of June or thereabouts.

"See it before you buy it."

Murray

John Nottelman has been forced to remain home from school for the past few days, because of an attack of mumps.

One act play and miscellaneous program will be given Friday, May 17, at 8 o'clock at Lewiston Community Center.

Dick Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hall residing east of Murray has been kept at home because of a severe attack of the mumps.

Jay Oldham and wife of Omaha were callers Sunday at the home of Sadie Oldham, one of the pioneer residents of this county.

W. A. Swatek, member of the firm of Bestor and Swatek, was looking after some business in Murray on Tuesday of this week.

A program and plate supper will be held at Lewiston Community Center May 17 at 8 o'clock. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Little Patty, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Long, was very sick for a number of days last week, but is showing much improvement at time.

Mr. and Mrs. Will L. Seybolt who were visiting for a few days in Lincoln with Mrs. Margaret Brendel and son, Richard, returned home last Sunday.

Thomas Nelson and Henry Heebner were visiting with friends in Nehawka last Sunday, driving over to the neighboring town in the car of Mr. Nelson.

M. M. Toman and wife are rejoicing over the arrival at their home of a very fine eight pound son on May 12th, Mother's day, with the mother and son doing nicely.

The ladies of the Riverview club held their Achievement day at Lewiston Community Center and a very delightful and entertaining time was had by those who attended.

Dorothy Yost, adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Drucker who is a student at Nehawka high school and member of the class of 1935 graduated at the close of school this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Terhune and the kiddies were over to Humboldt were celebrating Mother's day at the home of his parents as well as the parents of Mrs. Terhune, thus honoring the mothers of both.

Thomas Nelson, manager of the Murray lumber yard has been putting in the time while not working, at something else. He has been building a hay rack for Roy Gerking and has it nearly completed at this time.

George Nickles and wife who have been staying at Lincoln during the term of the legislature, were in Murray for a short time last Sunday, returning to Lincoln Sunday evening. It is expected that they will close their work week after next.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCulloch entertained at their home last Sunday and had as their guests for the occasion J. W. Hobson of Murray, Mrs. Dewey Hobson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kotelson and Mamie McCulloch, where all enjoyed a very fine time.

Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Tyson were over to Elmwood last Sunday where they were visiting the parents of the doctor, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Tayson and afterward went to Omaha where they visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Swanson. Before they returned the doctor officiated at the arrival of an eight pound baby boy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Toman.

Ladies Give Friend Shower.

The Ladies' Aid of the Christian church last Wednesday at their regular meeting at the church, staged a shower for Mrs. C. E. Carroll who had her home burned with its contents some time ago. The new home is now nearly completed and needed some new household goods, and the ladies held a general household goods shower for this deserving couple, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carroll.

Announcing

The opening of the blacksmith shop of Newton L. Grubbs, who has been

engaged in this line of endeavor for more than forty years, a specialist in plow work, horseshoeing and general blacksmithing. Exceptionally competent. On account of the tearing down of his shop in Weeping Water for the erection of another business, was forced to leave his town of Weeping Water and has located in the J. W. Holmes building across the street from the Garage of Murray. You will find him a very competent workman and very dependable in all blacksmith work. He would be pleased to meet those needing services in this line. The shop will be open for work and operation on Saturday, May 18th.

N. L. GRUBBS,
Blacksmith, Murray, Nebr.

Grandmother Wm. Puls Poorly
Mrs. Wm. Puls, mother of Mrs. Phillip Hild, Mrs. Alfred Gansemer and W. H. Puls of Plattsmouth and Otto Puls of west of Murray, has not been in the best of health for some time past. She was feeling fairly well last Sunday, Mother's day, and was receiving calls from her son, Otto and wife, Ernest Hild and wife and son Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gansemer, Fred Lutz and wife. Mrs. Puls was greatly pleased to receive the callers.

Now Two Blacksmith Shops.
Murray got along for some time without one blacksmith shop and later the shop conducted by Vac Micklusky was offered for sale and after many came and did not see fit to embark in the business, then a number of applicants wished to lease the shop. One did, and another rented the Holmes building and has installed a shop in it. Newton L. Grubbs who has been located in Weeping Water for a number of years was deprived of a shop when the building was torn down. However he did not say quit, for he came to Murray and rented the Holmes building and has installed his shop there and expects to be ready for business by the last of this week.

Feeding Many Cattle.
Everett Spangler who last fall purchased a large number of cattle has them on feed at this time and is kept busy hauling hay and grain for the herd which he expects to market some time in the near future.

Pioneer Nebraskan Passes.
Henry Drucker was born in Germany October 16, 1856, where he went to school and as the parents died he became a ward of the government and when he was sixteen years of age he came to America, and some fifty-two years ago united in marriage with Miss Louise Albert, they residing west of Plattsmouth some four years and then went to near Hastings in Adams county where they made their home.

While here Mr. Drucker worked for a number of years for the late J. R. Vallery and for a number of other farmers in the country west of Plattsmouth.

He with the wife made their home near Hastings until two years ago when the wife passed away after a lingering illness. Mr. Drucker retained his good health until the end. On April 28th he was feeling quite well and was listening to the radio and as he was an ardent democrat was very much interested. After expressing his appreciation and admiration of the president he went to bed. As he had been in the habit of sleeping rather late in the morning he was not called until late and when there was no response the folks investigated and found that he had passed away during the night. The family doctor was called who after an examination said that Mr. Drucker must have died some ten hours before he was found.

The funeral was held at Hastings, Mr. Fred Drucker going out to the funeral and remaining until near the end of last week to assist in settling of the business. There was some eleven children born to Mr. and Mrs. Drucker. The funeral was held on Sunday, May 1st and the interment made at Hastings. Mr. Drucker will be well remembered by many of the older citizens of Plattsmouth and vicinity.

Honored Her Mother.
Mrs. Ella Barker, manager of the telephone exchange in Murray with her children went over to Avoca last Sunday where they visited mother and grandmother, honoring her on Mother's day, all enjoying a good visit and a very fine dinner.

Boys Will Be Boys.
Sure, Van Allen was enjoying his birthday anniversary on May 14th and while he is neither old enough to keep the matter a secret or young enough that he would like to be older that we are not mentioning the exact year but just the fact that we do not know how old he really is. However the boys at the garage cele-

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brated the passing with many a prank which they played on him, some of it being pretty rough, but he survived and is starting on another year, which we are hoping will be a year of abundant prosperity for our good friend.

Visiting Relatives and Friends
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Perry who left their home at Los Angeles some two months ago and who have been visiting over the eastern portion of the United States and spending some time at Washington, D. C., and other cities, arrived in Murray last Saturday night and are visiting here at the homes of friends and relatives, as well as over the county. Tuesday of this week they visited at Weeping Water where they were guests of the parents of Mrs. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Smith. They will visit at other places over the county before returning to their home in the west.

Celebrate Birthdays.
Mrs. J. A. Scotten served a birthday dinner for her two little granddaughters on last Sunday, this date being between their birthdays.

Each had a small angle food birthday cake. Betty Jean Noell had four candles on her cake and Shirley Elaine Nickels one on hers.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Noell, Jack and Betty Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Nickels and Shirley Elaine.

OMAHA PARTIES MARRIED

From Tuesday's Daily:
The home of Judge A. H. Duxbury was the scene of a quiet wedding last evening when Miss Jane L. Humann of Omaha was united in marriage to Mr. Joseph S. Selerno, a member of one of the well known Italian families of Omaha. The marriage lines were read by Judge Duxbury and at the close of the ceremony the bridal party returned to their homes in the metropolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Graves of Lincoln were here Saturday evening to enjoy a visit with Judge C. L. Graves, father of Mr. Graves and the old time friends.

HAVE PLEASANT VISIT

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Bates and family were guests for the day at the pleasant country home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Ray Smith, near Weeping Water where a most delicious dinner was enjoyed and the day spent in visiting and looking over the attractive surroundings of the Smith home. Mr. Smith is one of the active farmers of the county and has been very successful in his work and ranks among the leaders in the agricultural circles of the county. His son, Milford, is one of the active 4-H workers of the county and has received recognition in many state events for his excellent work.

RECEIVES FINE REMEMBRANCE

W. F. Gillespie, one of the old time residents of the community, who is now making his home at the Nebraska Masonic Home, was made the recipient of a handsome gift this week. County Commissioner and Mrs. J. A. Fitz motored out to the Home and presented their old friend and neighbor with a handsome bouquet of tulips as tokens of their esteem.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC

The dental offices of Dr. P. T. Heineman will be open each Saturday evening from this date until September 1, 1935. a6-17w

NOTICE

I have a few buyers for Cass county land and need a limited number of listings!
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SUGAR, Brown or Powdered, 3 lbs.	23c
PRESERVES, Windmill, 16-oz. jar	15c
MATCHES, Ohio Red Label, 6 boxes in carton for	23c
OXYDOL, large size package for	21c
TABLE SALT, Morton's, 10-lb. bag	19c
GOLDEN SUN FLOUR, 48-lb. bag	\$1.79
BRAN, 100-lb. bag	\$1.49
POTATOES, Wisconsin, 100-lb. bag (when packed)	\$1.49
ORANGES, California Sunkist, small size, 2 doz.	29c
GRAPE FRUIT, good size, juicy, each	5c
NEW POTATOES, 10 lbs. for	35c

MEAT DEPARTMENT

PORK CHOPS, per lb.	25c
STEAK, tender quality, per lb.	29c
HAMBURGER, fresh cut, per lb.	15c
WEINERS, per lb.	20c
CHEESE, Wisconsin Long Horn, lb.	19c
MINCED HAM, per lb.	15c
DRIED BEEF, 1/4-lb. pkg.	13c
BACON SQUARES, per lb.	23c
LARD, 2-lb. pkg.	35c