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MANLEY NEWS

Robert Wiles completed the picking of his corn on Thursday of last week.

Henry Crozier of Weeping Water was a business visitor in Manley on Wednesday of last week.

John Gakemeier of Murdock was a business caller in Manley for a short time last Wednesday.

E. C. Pool, of Weeping Water was looking after some business matters in Manley on Wednesday of last week.

Misses Catherine Reinke and Sue Mochenhaupt were in Omaha Monday of last week, doing some pre-Christmas shopping.

Miss Mary Murphy departed last week for Omaha, where she is expecting to spend the winter with friends and relatives.

Bud Rhoden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Rhoden, is suffering from an attack of the mumps, but is reported as improving at this writing.

At the annual meeting of the board of the Farmers Elevator company, Harry Haws was re-elected as manager for the coming year.

Mrs. Myra McDonald, of Murray, mother of O. E. McDonald of Manley, was spending Saturday evening and Sunday at the home of her son here.

Roy Steinkamp has completed the picking of his corn and says he is very well pleased that the job is finished, with the bad weather that has come on.

August Krecklow made a trip to Omaha last Tuesday, taking up some hogs for William Sheehan, which brought a very satisfactory return on that day's market.

Teddy Harms was called to Weeping Water last Wednesday afternoon to look after some business matters. During his absence, Mrs. Harms was looking after business at the store.

Mrs. Alice Jenkins, who has been making her home here during the summer and fall, will leave soon for Denver, where she expects to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Pearson.

Father Harte and Robert and Paul O'Brien went to Atchison, Kansas, last Friday, where they spent the day visiting with John Kelley, who is attending the St. Benedict college at that place.

Joseph Wolpert and two sisters, Misses Katie and Maggie, were over to Plattsmouth Wednesday, looking after some pre-Christmas shopping and meeting many of their friends in the county seat.

W. J. Rau and wife, Miss Sue Mochenhaupt and George Rau were at Louisville last Monday, where they attended the birthday reception for Mrs. August Pautsch and report a splendid time had by all.

August Krecklow has disposed of a number of trailers, which he has been constructing during the past summer and is now working on another which will be delivered to William Pankonin as soon as it is completed.

Harold Krecklow, having completed the building of furniture for the making of which he had contracts, and not having any further orders at this time, has accepted a position with William Sheehan, Jr., assisting the latter with the road work.

Miss Evelyn Peters, teacher of the Manley schools, who spent the recent Thanksgiving vacation at the home of her mother in Talmage, returned Sunday evening to resume her work here Monday morning. She was brought back by her brother, Frank

Peters and sister, Letha, in the former's car.

Extension Club Meets

The Center Extension club met at the home of Mrs. Theodore Harms. The meeting was called to order by the president. After singing the song and reading the collect, Mrs. Dowler took charge of the meeting. Mrs. Haws was not able to be present.

The lesson on "Holiday Happiness" was very interesting. Mrs. Dowler gave us suggestions on the making of Christmas gifts.

At the close of the meeting, delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Welte and Mrs. Schliefert.

Our next meeting will be held on December 12th, and will be the annual Christmas party. All members will be notified of the place of holding this meeting.

Sustains Serious Fall

Ernest Daniels, who is nearly 90 years of age and who resides with a grandson at Weeping Water, suffered a fall last week in which he was seriously injured. He is being cared for at the home of his grandson. His nephew, Fred Fleischman, was over to Weeping Water last Wednesday to call on him, finding him in a serious condition. Besides the injuries sustained in the fall, his eyesight is so bad he is almost unable to see.

Gave Shower for Bride

Miss Clara Keckler and Mrs. Edward Stander were hostesses at a shower which was given at the Manley hall the latter part of last week in honor of Mrs. William Keckler, a recent bride. A most pleasant evening was enjoyed and some fine gifts were received by the guest of honor.

DRAWS HEAVY FINE

Friday afternoon in the county court, Claude Hall, of Omaha, was arraigned on the charge of having broken into the shed at a school north of this city and taken therefrom 1,000 pounds of coal.

The defendant on being arraigned made a plea of guilty to the charge and was accordingly given a fine of \$100 and costs, amounting to some \$24 and payment of which was made and the defendant released from custody.

Hall was apprehended on last Sunday when he was noticed in the vicinity of the school and an investigation by Claude Mayabb and son, George and Lester Burrows, disclosed the truck of Hall backed up to the coal house and filled with coal. The man had disappeared from the scene but the truck and coal was driven down to the county jail and turned over to the sheriff. A watch was maintained by the men at the bridges over the Platte river and some time later Hall was captured by Lester Burrows as he sought to cross the highway bridge and on into Omaha.

THANK COMMISSIONERS

The members of the Woman's Relief Corps wish to express their gratitude to the board of county commissioners of Cass county, for the quarters that they have occupied in the court house for so many years. The W. R. C. has held many enjoyable meetings in the court house and were sorry to vacate the comfortable and convenient quarters.

Mary Solomon has returned from an extended visit at points in Colorado and western part of Nebraska.

Funeral of George H. Meisinger Today

Long Time Resident of Cass County, Member of Prominent Family Laid to Rest Today.

From Saturday's Daily: This afternoon at the St. Paul's Evangelical church was held the last rites for George H. Meisinger, long time resident of Cass county and member of one of the largest and best known families in the community. The church was filled and crowds stood outside the structure as the services were in progress, silently attesting the esteem that the departed has been held in the community.

Rev. G. A. Pahl, pastor of the church, gave the message of comfort to the members of the family and the sorrowing friends in their hour of trial and gave them the promise of the eternal life.

During the service Mrs. Louise Klifinger and daughters, Mrs. Edna Herring and Minne Ketelsen, gave the beautiful hymn, "Will There Be Any Stars in My Crown," and the choir the hymn, "Sometime We'll Understand."

The interment was at Oak Hill cemetery and the pall bearers selected from the old friends, William, Henry, L. G., Anton and George Meisinger and Elmer Stoehr.

The deceased, George Henry Meisinger, was born in Pekin, Ill., to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Meisinger, on August 13, 1874, and passed away on December 4, 1935, at the Clarkson hospital in Omaha, at the age of 61 years, 3 months and 21 days.

George Meisinger came to Nebraska with his parents at the age of about 16 years, settling in the vicinity of Plattsmouth and the father with his family was engaged in farming. On February 15, 1900, he was united in marriage to Anna Meisinger. To this union was born three sons, the first dying in infancy. Mr. Meisinger has been engaged in farming until the last two years. He was also a member of the St. Paul's church, and was confirmed with his two sons, in the adult class of 1926.

He is survived by his good wife, Anna, two sons, Alvin of Murray and Herman, of Mynard; his aged father, Peter; four sisters, Maggie, Lou, Mary and Kate; three brothers, John P., of Plattsmouth, William, of Springfield, and Baltz, of Plattsmouth, and two grand children, and many relatives and friends.

HONOR RECENT BRIDE

Mrs. Gerald Shrader, recent bride, was honor guest at a miscellaneous shower given her by Miss Betty Bullin Thursday evening. The decorations were in keeping with the holiday season that added a colorful touch to the scene.

The members of the party enjoyed the making of a recipe book for the bride for the greater part of the evening.

In a contest Miss Grace Welsh was the winner of the prize. In honor of the occasion the bride was showered with a large number of very attractive gifts as remembrances of the friends.

Delicious refreshments were served during the evening with favors of the tiny umbrellas as tokens of the happy event.

The guests were: Joan Moore, Jean Brady, Grace Welsh, Marjorie Long, Frances Gambin, Louise Fitzmeyer, Marjorie Lindeman, Mesdames Frank Christie, Oscar Shrader, Fred Lindeman, Ella Mochenhaupt, Robert Schaeffer of Omaha and the guest of honor, Mrs. Shrader.

MISS TRAVIS TO WED

Announcement was made Thursday at Omaha of the approaching marriage of Miss Gretchen Travis, daughter of Mrs. Will Jean of Omaha and William J. Fradenburg, which will take place December 28th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey E. Newbranch, uncle and aunt of the bride.

Miss Travis is the daughter of the late Earl R. Travis and was born in this city where she spent some of her childhood years.

Mr. Fradenburg is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Fradenburg.

The two plan to occupy the home of the groom's parents temporarily following their marriage, pending plans made by the Fradenburgs for a southern trip the first of the year. The young couple will take a brief wedding trip to Chicago.

REJECT ROAD PETITION

The board of county commissioners at their session this week rejected the request for the creation of a new road leading to the Young cemetery south of this city and east of Murray.

Factions Split Ohio Democrats



Ohio, traditionally a pivotal state in the outcome of the presidential race, promises to more than uphold that tradition next year. In fact, a political forecaster would be nearer right in summing up the 1936 political situation, if he said, "As Ohio goes, so goes the nation", to paraphrase an old adage usually applied to Maine. Whether Ohio will ride on the Roosevelt band wagon, or whether Republicans have a chance to capture the state rests largely on the outcome of the race for Democratic nomination as governor, a contest which seems to lie between Martin L. Davey, present incumbent, and Charles Sawyer, former lieutenant governor. Davey, at the start of his turbulent administration, clashed violently with the New Deal over relief administration, creating a sharp political rift. He is also at odds with Ohio's senior senator, Robert J. Bulkley. Even though this internal discord is prevented from breaking into open warfare, the state will hardly contribute to the harmony of Ohio Democrats who need a united front to carry the pivotal Buckeye state.

Wabash News

John C. Browne was visiting in Alto for a number of days over the week end, being a guest at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. B. Stromer.

Uncle H. P. Hinds has been visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ray Norris, for the past few weeks and will continue there for a short time.

Warren T. Richards was called to Omaha Wednesday of last week, at which place he was looking after some business matters, driving over to the big town in his car.

William Van Every, who is manager of the Handy Oil Station at Weeping Water, was in Wabash last Tuesday, looking after some business matters here for a short time.

H. H. Gerbeling has been hustling with the picking of his corn, even with the adverse weather, and was able to complete the job last week, being well pleased to have it done.

M. V. Woods, even though the weather has been against him, completed his corn picking last week—and got done just in time for a heavy rain the middle of the week has put the fields in bad condition again.

Shirley Towle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Towle, was very sick for a few days during the past week, and it was necessary to have a physician for her. However, she is showing good improvement and is now much better. A little brother was not feeling so well, but is also better now.

Thinking of Christmas

The Ladies Aid of the Wabash church are beginning to make plans for appropriately celebrating Christmas with a program at the church. This is one season of the year everyone likes to celebrate.

Will Go East This Winter

W. F. Langhorst, who has resided here for many years, and who was long employed as a telegrapher for the Missouri Pacific, expects to leave soon for an extended visit with relatives and old friends in Indiana and Ohio.

Linger Longer Club

On Friday, November 29, the Linger Longer Woman's Extension club met at the home of Mrs. Keith Munford, of Wabash, for their third meeting of the fall and winter season, which was in the nature of a tea.

The first part of the meeting was devoted to the tea. Each member was introduced and entertained by the leaders. Tea was served with Mrs. Munford presiding as hostess.

The business meeting was then called to order by our president. A total of thirteen members and two visitors were present. It was decided to have an extra meeting on Decem-

ber 13 at the home of Mrs. I. C. McCrory for the purpose of getting help in the making of plaques and book ends.

The next meeting will be held on January 23 at the home of Mrs. Alfred Bornemeier of Elawood.—News Reporter.

ATTEND FUNERAL SERVICE

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Ronne and family of this city, were at Weeping Water Friday where they were in attendance at the funeral of Jesse Ronne, brother of Mr. Ronne, the body being brought to Weeping Water from the home at Hemingford, Nebraska. The services were held at the Christian church with interment at Oakwood cemetery, with the Hobcock funeral home in charge.

The deceased was thirty-six years of age and has been engaged in farming near Hemingford and was suddenly taken with pneumonia from which he passed away in a few days. The family had visited here in Cass county some two weeks ago and had just returned home when scarlet fever broke out among the members of the family and was climaxed by the death of the husband and father. Owing to the quarantine the family as Hemingford were unable to attend the services here.

He is survived by the wife and six children, all at home, as well as four brothers and one sister, Frank Ronne, Weeping Water, Ernest Ronne, Minnesota, Emory Ronne, Idaho, R. F. Ronne of this city and Mrs. Ella Pankonin of Weeping Water.

A. & O. CLUB

From Friday's Daily: The A. & O. Young Business Woman's club met at the home of Lillian Solomon last evening. The evening was spent in completing the year's project. At the close refreshments were served.

Phone news items to No. 6.

Watch Your Kidneys!

Be Sure They Properly Cleanse the Blood

YOUR kidneys are constantly filtering waste matter from the blood stream. But kidneys sometimes lag in their work—do not act as nature intended—fail to remove impurities that poison the system when retained. Then you may suffer nagging back-ache, dizziness, scanty or too frequent urination, getting up at night, swollen limbs, feel nervous, miserable—all upset. Don't delay! Use Doan's Pills. Doan's are especially for poorly functioning kidneys. They are recommended by grateful users the country over. Get them from any druggist.

DOAN'S PILLS

Junior Class Presents Fine Class Play

"Huckleberry Finn" Chosen as Tribute to Centenary of Samuel L. Clemens, Humorist.

From Saturday's Daily:

The junior class of the Plattsmouth high school last evening held their annual class play at the high school auditorium before an audience that received the offering of the young people with the greatest of enthusiasm.

The class had chosen as its offering, "Huckleberry Finn," loved story of boyhood days on the Mississippi river, as a tribute to Samuel L. Clemens, the author, whose centenary is observed this year.

The dramatized form of the story differs in many ways from the story of "Mark Twain," but carried the childhood pranks of "Huck" and Tom Sawyer, the lovable anxiety of "Aunt Polly," with settings of the antebellum days of the early fifties. "Pap Finn" in the drama proved to be a real guy instead of the character that the book made him.

The committee in charge had given some attractive stage settings that made the background of the play most appropriate with the old-fashioned furniture of the earlier years.

Each cast of the play had been well chosen and all of the young people acquitted themselves splendidly in the roles assigned to them and showed real ability in the presentation.

Edna Mae Petersen, taking the role of "Aunt Polly," was a strong feature of the play and gave a truly artistic rendition of the tender hearted and fluttering "aunt" of the irrepressible "Huck," shocked by his misdoings but always forgiving, who in the end of the play wedded "Pap Finn" to bring a happy ending to the story.

Mary Jane Mark added her attractiveness to the part of "Ruth Watson," sister of "Aunt Polly," her romance with "Fred Raymond" (Charles Bennett) added to the charm of the stage story, filled with many clever humorous touches that kept the audience delighted.

As the irrepressible "Mary Jane," niece of the Watson sisters, Marjorie Ann Tidball was excellent, keeping the life of the play animated with her stores of "something terrible" appearing at critical times to the annoyance of the lover in the play.

Rachel Robertson added to the fun and laughter of the play in her role of "Melba White," colored maid, taking this part cleverly, that added much to the enjoyment of the audience.

Jeanette Hinz, as "Clara Woppinger," deaconess of the church and in love with the pastor, held up the mirror of life in the character of this busy and prying character that sought to oversee the affairs of her fellow man. In the role Miss Hinz was a real treat.

Betty Kallina took the character of "Amy Woppinger," sister of "Clara" who sought to submerge the younger sister into silence and childhood gowns, to be seen and not heard, but in which "Amy" was able to have her share in the conversation.

The title role of the production was given to Don McCarroll, who took well the part of the carefree youth of the early river days, full of fun and mischief but with a heart of gold, coming back at the close of the drama to take up his life with serious purposes in the old home.

"Tom Sawyer," pal of "Huck," an imaginative youth, who found in his daily life visions of greatness and leadership, dominating the less learned pal, was taken by Billy Evers, very cleverly and who added his touch to the completion of the excellent play.

John Cloidt, Jr., as "John Finn" gave a fine presentation of the role of the bullying and drinking father in the first acts of the play and finally the reformed man that was to lead "Aunt Polly" to the altar.

The high school orchestra contributed their part to the success of the evening with their overture of musical selections before the first curtain of the play.

In the intermission of the first and second act, the sextette of girls, Maymie Schwenneker, June Sumner, Wilda Johnson, Betty Ann McCarty, Mary Kay Wiles, Marjorie Pith, gave two delightful numbers, "Piper's Song" and "Dusk in a Garden." Edna Mae Petersen served as the accompanist.

In the final intermission Maymie Schwenneker gave as a vocal solo, "Trees," in a truly artistic manner, with Jean Knorr as the accompanist. Before the final act of the play William Carey, on behalf of the junior class presented a token of appreciation to Lumir Gerner, director of the play for his efforts. Mr.

AUCTIONS

PUBLIC AUCTION

As I am going to quit farming, I will offer for sale at public auction on the P. F. Goos farm located one and a half miles southeast of Plattsmouth over Wintersteen Hill road, on—

Monday, Dec. 16

beginning at 1:00 o'clock p. m., the following described property, to-wit:

Live Stock

Two head of horses, both smooth mouth.

One milk cow and one good heifer. Also six tons alfalfa hay.

Farm Machinery, etc.

McCormick hay rake; one 2-section harrow; one combine lister and drill, one "go-devil"; one 8-foot disk; one high wagon and one iron wheel wagon; one New Departure cultivator; one Titan tractor, 10-20 size; one McCormick-Deering 8-inch burr grinder; one set of 1 1/2-inch work harness; one 14-inch gang plow; one buggy; one De Lavel cream separator; one heating stove; one radio set and various other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms of Sale

Terms are cash. No property to be removed from the premises until settled for.

Gilbert Storm, Owner.

REX YOUNG, Auctioneer
W. E. REYNOLDS, Clerk.

PUBLIC AUCTION

As I have sold my farm, I am offering for sale at public auction on said farm located 2 miles west and one-fourth mile north of Plattsmouth on the Cedar Creek and Cemetery road, on—

Tuesday, Dec. 17

beginning at 1:00 o'clock p. m., the following described property, to-wit:

Dairy Stock

14 head of extra good milk cows, consisting of roans, reds, Holsteins and Jerseys. Also one red bull nearly 2 years old. These cattle are all T. B. tested, and range in age from 2 to 8 years old.

Feeder Pigs

50 head of feeder pigs. These pigs are all vaccinated.

Farm Machinery, etc.

One John Deere mower, 5 1/2-foot, like new; one 2-section harrow; one low iron wheel wagon; one hay rack; one self feeder for hogs; one Hudson garden plow with all shovels and planter attachments; one gas barrel, 50 gallon; one oil barrel, 30 gallon; eighteen galvanized chicken coops; three hot and cold water chicken waterers; one Great Western wood heating stove in good shape; one three-quarter baby bed, complete; one small power feed grinder; one ladder; ten tons alfalfa hay in stack; five tons alfalfa hay in barn; eight tons timothy hay in stack; six tons sudan grass in stack; one Delavel cream separator, No. 12; four dozen pure bred White Wyandotte hens; two dozen pure bred Anconia hens. Also many other articles not listed.

Terms of Sale

Terms CASH, unless arrangements made through your banker before sale date. No property to be removed from premises until settled for.

A. M. Hopkins, Owner.

REX YOUNG, Auctioneer
W. G. BOEDEKER, Clerk.

Gerner in turn thanked the class for their fine work and co-operation.

While the actors take their bow before the curtain there is a great deal to be done in the success of a home talent play that is performed by those back of the scenes and for the Juniors, Earl Taylor, William Carey and Jack Forbes, were in charge of the stage and its settings; Alice Jane Hinz and Mary Kay Wiles in charge of the arranging of the costumes; Harriett Goos served as the prompter for the members of the class.

The junior class is under the sponsorship of Miss Florence Beighley and M. Gerner and who too have played their part in the fine success attained.

James Fitzpatrick of the Union cafe and Moss McCarroll of that city, were here Friday to attend to some business matters.

Phone the news to No. 6.

BUS

Excursion Rates

Dec. 12—Jan. 1

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Kansas City	\$ 4.50
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