

No Trace of Lapidus Boy in Galesburg

Prosperity in Nebraska Contrasted

Omaha Bee Representative Will Ride Wheat Train and Trace the Grain From Producer to Consumer.

40 Years Ago and Today

By WILL M. MAUPIN.
Sidney, Neb., Aug. 9.—This epic story of wheat is being written these days in Nebraska. During Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of last week there were received at the Omaha grain market, 1,651 car loads, or approximately 1,471,400 bushels. Delivered in Omaha, this wheat brought to the farmer a total of \$1,731,744. At the point of delivery to the railroad, Nebraska wheat is now netting the farmer close to \$1 a bushel.

The wheat now being delivered in Omaha is about five times the delivery during the same period last year and the money paid for it is approximately six times the amount paid last year.

Where is all this wheat coming from? I am here in Sidney today to find out. Not all the wheat poured into Omaha comes in over the Union Pacific railroad but a great deal of it does and much of it comes from the rich country of which Sidney is the center.

Secretary of State and Ambassador Meet in London



Secretary of State and Mrs. Hughes are seen with Ambassador and Mrs. Kellogg at Crewe house, London. Mr. Hughes is in England as a member of the American Bar association.

"It Tendeth to Poverty," Says the Scriptures

Reward Comes to Those Who Give to Worthy Charity—Milk and Ice Fund an Example.

"There is that withholdeth more than is meet, but it tendeth to poverty," Proverbs xii-24. In other words, according to the Scriptures, he who holds on to his money most tightly, ignoring the demands of worthy charity, is headed straight for poverty.

WHERE TO FIND THE SUNDAY BEE

- Harry Lapidus goes to Galesburg, Ill., in search of missing son. Prosperity in Nebraska 40 years ago and today contrasted.
- Continuance of air mail service up to public.
- Fish-leopard trial continues at Chicago.
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BANK BANDITS GET BIG HAUL

Casper, Wyo., Aug. 9.—Two masked bandits entered the bank of Salt Creek at Layove in the center of the Salt Creek oil fields, 45 miles north of here to day, held up four clerks and escaped with two sacks of money. The loot was said to have amounted to several thousand dollars, the total being unknown.

Japanese Floods Take Toll of Life

Seventy-Three Persons Known Dead in Overflow of Tamsui River.

Tokio, Aug. 9.—Seventy-three persons are known to be dead and 57 missing as the result of the overflowing of the Tamsui river in Northern Formosa, according to advices received here today.

WAR MOTHERS ARE FOR DEFENSE DAY

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 9.—A pledge of the support of the American War Mothers in the observance of national defense day, September 12, has been made to Secretary Weeks by Mrs. H. H. McCluer of Kansas City, president of the national organization.

75 ARRESTED IN WHEEL TAX WAR

Over 75 have been haled into court in the past three days in the war on car owners who have not paid wheel tax. The drive will continue.

Pair, Almost Decapitated by Wire, Sue for Damages

Atlantic, Va., Aug. 9.—Harold Jones has filed a suit against the Rock Island railroad and the Western Union telegraph company in the Cass county district court for \$400 damages to his car and self, caused when he struck a low hanging telegraph wire which had fallen across a highway.

La Follette Establishes Regional Headquarters

Lincoln, Aug. 9.—Headquarters for the Nebraska and regional campaign for Senator La Follette were established in a downtown building here today.

Stepmother Slays Boy; Asks Death

Prefers Gallows to Necessity of Suicide; Crime Without Parallel in Iowa Annals.

Boy Pushed Into River

Waterloo, Ia., Aug. 9.—The criminal of Iowa today failed to reveal a parallel for the crime by which 6-year-old Nicholas Maharies was thrown into the Cedar river to drown by his stepmother, Mrs. Marie Maharies, because, according to her signed confession, she "hated the boy and wished to hang for the murder" rather than commit an often contemplated suicide.

Plans Under Way for Reception to Charles G. Dawes

Mammoth Parade to Be Staged August 29, When Republican Campaign Opens in Nebraska.

Lincoln, Aug. 9.—Preparations for the opening of the republican national campaign in Nebraska on August 29 when Charles G. Dawes, vice presidential candidate and former Nebraska, will speak at the university stadium, were being completed today.

FREMONT YOUTH HURT IN FALL

Fremont, Neb., Aug. 9.—Jack Boskowski, 10, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boskowski, fractured his left arm in a fall from a tree at the annual Y. M. C. A. camp outing on the island south of Fremont.

Lawyer, Wife, Son, Daughter Injured in Automobile Crash

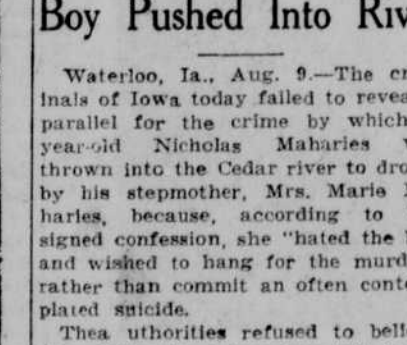
Plattsmouth, Neb., Aug. 9.—Atorney C. H. Page, wife, son and daughter were injured and their Buick sedan demolished when the steering gear gave way as they turned out to pass a truck near Union. The injured were brought to Murray. Mrs. Page was removed at once to St. Catherine hospital in Omaha. The Page family are residents of Topeka, Kan., and were on their way to Lake Okoboji, Ia., for an outing. Mrs. Page's condition is serious.

Married in Council Bluffs

The following persons obtained marriage licenses in Council Bluffs yesterday: Edna Standers, Omaha, 21; Cleota King, Omaha, 17; M. A. Pershing, Central City, Neb., 25; Walsbury, Omaha, 25; Fred Johnson, Omaha, 22; Margaret Madson, Omaha, 22; Walter L. O'Hara, Council Bluffs, 29; Robert Swanson, Council Bluffs, 25; W. C. Young, Hazleton, Neb., 29; Fannie M. Brown, Hazleton, Neb., 24; Edward DeLano Matthews, Chicago, 40; Maria Vivian Bennett, Council Bluffs, 17; Joseph Porter, Council Bluffs, 24; Estelle Peterson, Council Bluffs, 24; Frank Shepard, Lincoln, Neb., 22; Velva Carter, Lincoln, Neb., 21.

Air Poster Girl, Now New York Model, Sued for Divorce by Youthful Husband

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A "cute little flat in the shadow of Broadway" was the goal of Leo Loomis James, 16-year-old bride of Jack James of Fremont, when she passed through Omaha with her husband in the spring of 1922, bound for New York and happiness.

Three Plunge to Death in River

Truck Rolls Down Incline Into Stream, With Woman and Children.

Sacramento, Cal., Aug. 9.—Crashing down a steep ferry incline when the brakes failed to hold a light truck plunged into the Sacramento river at Paintersville late today, carrying a Japanese woman and her two children to their death.

INTEREST GROWS IN EXPORT TRADE

Washington, August 9.—The growing interest of American business men in export trade is reflected in the fact that during July the Department of Commerce received more than 125,000 inquiries regarding foreign trade openings.

PIPE LINE TO BE LAID IN HASTINGS

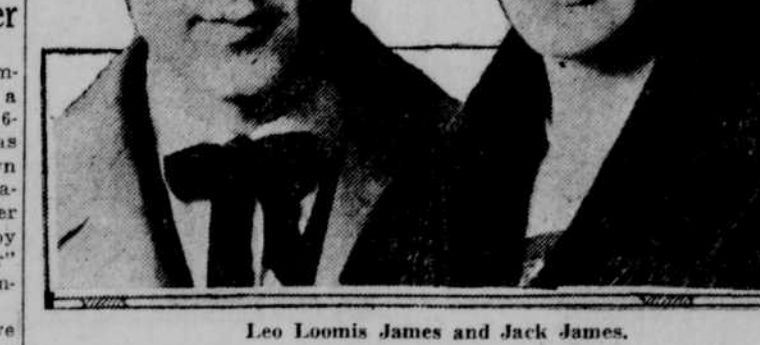
Fremont, Neb., Aug. 9.—City officials of Hastings, Neb., were in Fremont today to inspect the plant of a local title company prior to letting contracts for the laying of a four and one-half mile pipe line in a new sewer extension district at Hastings.

Creemery to Make 5,000,000 Pounds of Butter Annually

Fremont, Aug. 9.—F. E. Pratt, manager of the Golden Rod Creamery Co., announced today that the ice cream department of the firm has been discontinued with the aim of concentrating on the manufacture of butter with a goal of 5,000,000 pounds per year. On the present scale, the firm has been shipping about 1,500,000 pounds of butter each year.

Youth May Have Gone to Chicago

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Harry Lapidus wired John W. Thompson, proprietor of the Arlington hotel, to advertise for the boy.

Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee. Galesburg, Ill., Aug. 9.—Lester Lapidus, missing Omaha high school youth for whom an almost nationwide search is now being conducted, has disappeared from Galesburg, although he was seen here early Saturday.

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With a temperature of 61 just before 7 Saturday morning, one of the chillest August days of history was recorded.

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