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A Real Artist.

A glance at the beautiful vase in the window at Davies & Owens jewelry store will convince you that we have a real artist in our midst. It is the work of Mrs. T. R. Mason of this city and is an elegant piece of art. While Mrs. Mason has been conducting a studio in this city for some time and instructs a large class, few realize the superiority of her work. If you have not seen this one particular piece it is worth your time to make a special trip to Davies & Owens for that purpose.

Pollard to be Here.

H. C. Smith invited Congressman Pollard to be with us during a meeting of the Horticultural society which convenes here the 21st of this month and deliver an address before that body. This week Mr. Smith received a letter of acceptance from that gentleman. This is welcome news and is sure to draw a good crowd.

Perkins Confesses.

Sheriff Fenton and Chief of Police Marts have succeeded in gaining a confession from Perkins the colored man now in jail for robbing the National hotel, wherein he acknowledges his guilt as to several thefts which have occurred in this city recently. He has also expressed his willingness and desire to plead guilty at the next session of court and throw himself upon its mercy.

Kicked by a Horse.

While playing around the livery barn of Benschoter & Doerner on Wednesday about noon, Harley Job was kicked by a horse and his right leg broken. The little fellow was taken home and medical attention given at once and he is now doing nicely.

The proprietors of the barn have done all within their power to keep boys from playing there, and while the accident is greatly regretted by them they feel that the blame can be attached to no one.

The First Victim.

The first Fourth of July victim in this city is Willie Job, who is now carrying his hand in a sling; the result of a wound received Monday by a blank 22 cartridge. So far the little fellow is getting along nicely, but will not have the time tomorrow he might have had but for his early display of patriotism.

Take warning boys and be careful tomorrow.

Will Teach at San Marcial.

News comes to us this week from San Marcial, New Mexico, that F. A. Boose of our city has been elected to the principalship at that place for the coming year. Frank Boose is a young man most well and favorably known in our city, having been raised in our midst. He is a graduate of our high school being a member of the class of '05, has attended the University and graduated from the State normal this spring. He began his teaching experience last year in the Sailor school west of town and made good there. He is now to make his first attempt as the head of a town school system, San Marcial being a place of one thousand inhabitants. While Mr. Boose is young in years and experience we feel sure that his steady qualities and good scholarship will make him a success as an educator.

Will Sears and wife left yesterday for Shenandoah, Iowa for a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Elva Vincent.

Once Enough For Him.

Herbert Hedges had an experience Friday night which he says will stay with him for some time. He was mail clerk on one of the trains wrecked that night on the Kansas & Northwestern out of Kansas City and is now at home in this city for repairs. It was a head on collision of two passenger trains, caused presumably by misunderstood orders. The expressman on Mr. Hedges' train was 'killed' outright and many passengers on both trains were severely injured. Several cars went down a high embankment, and Herbert was in one of them. He said when he quit rolling he found himself under a lot of debris but was protected in such a manner as to keep the heavy wreckage off of him, otherwise he would have surely been killed but fortunately escaped with only several cuts and bruises and a horrible scare. His car, as was the case with several others, was a complete wreck. After viewing the smash up Herbert thinks he is pretty lucky to be alive.

Married.

PALMER-HORROCKS

The home of R. R. Horrocks was the scene of one of the prettiest home weddings on Monday evening, June 29th ever witnessed in our city, when their oldest daughter, Marguerite, was joined in marriage to Thomas Palmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Palmer of this city. The affair was very quiet, only the immediate families and a very few intimate friends being present.

The house was beautifully decorated throughout with daisies, sweet peas, carnations and ferns. At eight o'clock, the appointed hour, the bridal party took their positions in the dining room before an improvised altar banked with daisies and ferns and upon which lighted candles were arranged, where at the conclusion of the marriage hymn "Oh Perfect Love," sung by Mrs. Neide, Rev. G. L. Neide of St. Thomas church spoke the words which united this happy couple for life, using the beautiful and impressive ring service of the Episcopal church. They were attended by Miss Meeker Cain and Robert Neitzel. The bride was modestly but becomingly attired in white and carried a beautiful bouquet of brides' roses, while Miss Cain wore a silk muslin of floral design and carried pink roses.

After congratulations the guests were served with dainty refreshments by Beatrice Bollman and Marion Horrocks.

The bride was born in this city where she has grown to womanhood, gathering around her hosts of friends, who while they rejoice with her in her new happiness are sorry to see her go from them to form new ties. She had served as stenographer in different offices in the court house for the past six years.

The groom has lived with his parents in this city for a number of years, being employed in the various printing offices here. He is a thorough and practical newspaper man, and is at present manager of the Shickley Herald. He is industrious and possessed of those qualities essential to success.

The young couple left Tuesday afternoon for Shickley, Neb., where they expect to reside for the present. The best wishes of our people go with them.

W. J. Hamilton of Glenwood, Iowa is in the city with a force of men and as soon as a switch can be built and the wet weather is over will begin on the new water works building.

Falls City Boy Honored.

T. L. Lewis, now a resident of San Diego, Calif., but formerly of this city, has been appointed by the governor of that state to the superior bench to fill a vacancy caused by the death of the former incumbent.

The appointee is a brother of our E. O. Lewis and for years lived on a farm near this city, and is well known by many of our people who are pleased to hear of this recognition of his great ability.

Invest in Panhandle.

Joe Bauer and Charley Zoeller returned Friday from their trip through Texas. Each invested in land in the Panhandle. Mr. Bauer securing a section and Mr. Zoeller a half section. This does not necessarily mean that they are going to leave us, but will still remain here where their real interests are centered.

Banana Special.

Special banana trains are becoming quite common through this city. Agent Whitford informs us that one train a week is about the average, one passing through here Friday containing nineteen cars loaded with bananas. They are all shipped from New Orleans, distributing their cargo along the route to Denver.

Will Run Special.

Arrangements have been made with the B. & M. for the convenience of the many Falls City people who wish to spend the Fourth in Humboldt. Two coaches will be attached to the freight known as No. 67, which leaves here about nine o'clock in the morning. This will enable those desiring to witness both ball games, and return home in good season, leaving Humboldt on the regular passenger in the evening at 6:30. This arrangement insures a good crowd for Humboldt from this section.

Fire Escape in Place.

A fine up-to-date fire escape was this week placed on the Wahl building and is in a condition to be perfectly safe. Mr. Wahl ever mindful of the welfare of the public, added this improvement for the safety of the many who rent his hall on the third floor for social gatherings, as well as his regular tenants in the office building, and this is now one of the most desirable structures in the city.

Our Delegate at Boston.

One of the prominent members of the National Biennial convention of Womens clubs, which consists of 3000 delegates is Mrs. Anna Reavis Gist of the Nebraska delegation. She is a direct descendant of L. U. Reavis, the pioneer capitol mover. Mrs. Gist possesses some of the resourceful nature and untiring energy that was characteristic of her distinguished relative.—The Boston Transcript, June 24.

Democrats Scarce.

Two months ago it was thought it would require three sleepers to accommodate the crowd going from this vicinity to the Denver convention, but since Taft's nomination, the combined efforts of Jimmy Mendenhall and Agent Whitford could not unearth enough democrats in Rulo, Falls City, Humboldt and Pawnee to fill one sleeper and an order for the same was cancelled.

Heck & Harlow, the new fruit firm have fitted up a finely equipped up town office in the Heck feed store, where they will be pleased to meet anyone interested in their business. With the bright fruit prospects before them this firm is sure of success.

Society.

The members of the W. R. C. to the number of about thirty planned a very pleasant surprise for one of their members, Mrs. T. P. Jones, Friday evening in honor of her seventy-sixth birthday. The ladies took well filled baskets and during the evening served a splendid lunch. It was a pleasant evening for all and will be long remembered.

Mrs. Andrew Cameron entertained her Sunday school class at her home Friday afternoon in the form of a picnic on the lawn. A fine lunch was served and everything possible provided for the pleasure of the little guests.

Mrs. Mark Goolsby was hostess to the W. R. C. Kensington Monday afternoon. There was a good attendance and the usual good time reported.

The Book Worm club held its regular meeting at the library Friday morning with a good crowd in attendance. The study at this time pertained to the west with Ruth Heineman and Tillie Herbster as leaders. Very interesting papers were read descriptive of "Yellowstone Park" "The Petrified Forests of Arizona" and "Rocky Mountains." After the program the leaders served what they called Rocky Mountain refreshments. These club meetings are proving very beneficial to the young ladies, and they find it time well spent. At the next meeting they will enjoy "A day in Turkey."

The Degree of Honor Kensington met at their hall yesterday afternoon after a short session of lodge. A large number were present and spent a very pleasant afternoon, Mrs. Elizabeth Pecht acting as hostess. Lemonade and wafers were served.

Mrs. Levi Zubrick will be hostess to the Presbyterian Kensington next Friday afternoon. She will be assisted by Mesdames, Bailey, Boose and Inskeep. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and have a pleasant afternoon.

Mrs. Kate Rieger entertained fourteen of her lady friends on Tuesday evening at a theatre party at the Lyric. After the entertainment she invited the guests to her rooms where an elegant lunch was served. The ladies are indebted to their hostess for a very pleasant evening.

The Ladies auxiliary to Steele cemetery association will meet with Mrs. J. W. Holt Monday afternoon, July 6 at 3 o'clock. All members are earnestly urged to be present as this will be an interesting and important session.

The Misses Hutchings entertained a number of lady friends Tuesday afternoon at whist. Guests for five tables were present and after enjoying their favorite game for a time, the hostesses served splendid refreshments.

It is surprising how many of the prominent papers of the country, especially the Democratic papers, which speak highly of Mr. Taft's proven qualifications for the presidency. It seems to be the universal opinion that there has never been a candidate, within the history of the country, who has, previous to his election, shown himself so well qualified for the great office for which he has been nominated. Taft is no uncertain quantity. He has shown his great ability. His record is one of great works accomplished—not of great thing promised.

Miss Daisy Gantt is visiting with relatives in this city.

Died.

LAWRENCE

Miss Anna Jane Clancy was born August 15, 1835 at West Day, Saratoga county, N. Y. and died at her home on North Harlan street in Falls City, June 29, '08 at the age of seventy-two years, nine months and fifteen days. She was married to Lorenzo Dow Lawrence on May 8, 1853 to which union was born eight children, three of whom died in infancy. One daughter, Julia died during their residence in this county at the age of seventeen years. Two sons, Edward and Fred who live at Fairbury and two daughters, Dr. Emma Lawrence and Miss Lawrence of this city are left to mourn the loss of mother. Her husband died in April of 1906.

At the age of seventeen years Mrs. Lawrence united with the Baptist church and has ever been a faithful follower of its teachings.

In 1855 Mrs. Lawrence moved with her husband to Illinois where they resided for seventeen years, coming to Richardson county in 1872 where her home has since been.

Mrs. Lawrence had been ill for a number of years but on March 12 had the third stroke of paralysis and has been bedfast ever since suffering from a complication of diseases and found no relief until death claimed her. All that mortal hands could do was done for her, but to no avail, she has taken a step into the other world to join her loved ones there.

To the two daughters, who have lost a true and loving mother we extend our profound sympathy. They have ever been faithful always administering to her wants and when death came it found them at her bedside ready to do what they could.

Funeral services were held from the Christian church Wednesday afternoon conducted by Revs. Dunkleberger and Reichel and interment was made in Steele cemetery.

THOMAS LONG

Thomas Long died at the Mercy hospital in Omaha on Saturday morning, June 27th, at eight o'clock, from blood poison, caused by the bite of a dog. The deceased was 37 years old at the time of his death. He was a son of F. B. Long of Hamburg, Iowa, but was well known in Rulo and vicinity. Mr. Long was solicitor of the Daily Nonpareil and was making collections on his route when he was bitten. The injury seemed too slight to notice at the time, but Saturday night he became violently ill and was threatened with convulsions, but Sunday he seemed better. Tuesday he again became worse and was removed to the hospital, where, after suffering untold agony, he passed away, just ten days after the fatal bite. Three years ago his wife died, and was brought here for burial. She was a daughter of John Anderson and wife, who lived in Rulo a number of years, but now reside at Reserve. He leaves an aged father, his mother having died last November at the same hospital where his last hours were spent, one sister, four brothers, and three little children, the eldest 14 years of age, left orphans, and many other relatives and friends.

The oldest boy, Wilbur, was in Omaha, attending school, the two youngest, Floyd and Mable, are with their grandparents at Reserve, Kansas. Mr. Long was well liked by all who associated with him, was a member of the

Christian church and always attended services when possible to do so. He was a member of the K. of P.'s, Tribe of Ben Hur, an apprentice in the Masons, and several other orders. A good man, a good citizen, a man needed to care for his motherless children is gone, all on account of a worthless dog running at large. The remains were brought to Rulo Monday and the funeral preached by Rev. Maze at the Holiness church. Then all that was mortal of him, who a few days before, had been amongst us well and strong, was tenderly laid by the side of his wife in the silent city to await the resurrection. A profusion of beautiful flowers were sent from friends in Omaha, Council Bluffs and other places. May he sleep in peace.

BRADLEY.

Mary Jane Bradley died at her home in this city on Monday, June 29, at 6:30 a. m., aged 59 years and 2 days. Deceased had been a resident of this city for several years. She was a sufferer from heart trouble, an attack of this disease being the cause of her sudden death. A husband and four children are left to mourn the loss of a kind wife and mother. The funeral was held from the home Wednesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Reichel of the Baptist church. Interment was in Steele cemetery.

BORDNER.

Word was received in this city Tuesday of the death of Mrs. E. H. Bordner, at her home in Washington, Kans. Deceased was the mother of Mrs. Jess Whetstone, formerly of this city, and has visited here many times, and made many friends here, who are sorry to hear of her death. Mrs. Whetstone has the sympathy of her many Falls City friends in her bereavement.

What's Your Boy Worth?

Ever since The Tribune has been in existence it has been scolding about the careless, senseless method of celebrating the Fourth. Repeatedly we have appealed to the council for an ordinance prohibiting the death dealing, nerve racking cannon cracker.

We have nagged at parents for their carelessness, their heedlessness until we have been called a common scold. We haven't forgotten the days when we were young, but as I remember them I wonder that boys ever live to grow old.

Next week we may publish a news item of some child killed, or burned or blind as a result of our glorious Fourth. Suppose it is your boy! Are you ready for such a sacrifice for the altar of a false patriotism?

Last year 194 souls passed out on the Fourth of July. Last year 4259 were seriously injured celebrating the anniversary of our independence. Last year 24 children were rendered utterly, hopelessly blind by fire crackers. Last year 47 children died of lock-jaw as the result of powder burns.

What will the harvest be next Saturday?

Marriage License.

Edward Clift, Humboldt.....24
Nannie Chaffin, Humboldt.....25
Robt. Killingworth, Fargo.....28
Mary Hackworth, Falls City.....17
D. J. Hinchey, Omaha.....33
Mary P. Fenton, Dawson.....28
Sam'l Barker, Bigelow, Mo.....23
Cora Belle Roland, Bigelow.....18
Thos. C. Palmer, Shickley.....25
Marguerite Horrocks, Falls City 22

Misses Mattie and Jennie Shilling of Illinois are in the city guests at the home of their sister, Mrs. Sam Mower