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THE WEEK'S SOCIAL EVENTS

AS 'TAS TOLD TO OUR SOCIETY EDITOR

Various Kinds of Entertainment by Individuals, Lodges, Clubs, Churches, Etc.

Mrs. Mary Freie entertained the German Lutheran ladies Kensington at her home on Chase street yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. O. Schoenheit entertained a few friends at whist one evening the first of the week. An exceptionally good time is reported.

Mrs. S. L. Davies entertained at whist Tuesday evening, complimentary to her cousin, Miss McDaniels of St. Joe. A delightful lunch was served.

Friday afternoon Mrs. John Gilligan entertained the Shakespeare Club at her home in the north part of town. An especially interesting program was rendered.

Mrs. I. C. Maust entertained a number of lady friends at cards Monday afternoon. A delightful six o'clock dinner was served in three courses. Those present reported a very pleasant time.

The Friends in Council met with Mrs. Ed Fisher as hostess Friday evening. A very interesting program was rendered and a delightful lunch was served. Miss Florence Cleaver, Miss McDaniels of St. Joe, Mrs. John Martin of Council Bluffs, and Mrs. Maud Wigton were guests of the club.

Miss Maud Graham entertained a few friends at her home Wednesday evening in the form of a musical. The hostess served a nice lunch. Among those who took part in the program, Misses Agnew, Morsman, McDaniels, Grinstead, Graham and Mesdames T. L. and S. L. Davies. The affair was in honor of Mrs. Esburn Wheeler of Stella.

Sorosis met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Morsman as hostess. A very enjoyable as well as profitable meeting was held. This session had been arranged as a musical with the exception of the report of the District convention of which a full and interesting account was given by Mrs. Morsman, who had been a delegate. During the social half hour delicate refreshments were served.

The Shakespeare Club met Friday, April 9, with Mrs. Gilligan. An interesting lesson was studied and discussed by members present. The lesson was led as usual, by the hostess. A short business session followed at which time we were pleased to listen to a report of the District Federation meeting held at Nebraska City, by Mrs. I. Reavis. Mrs. Gilligan served delicious refreshments. Club adjourned to meet April 23, with Mrs. Gist.

Meeting of City Council
The city council met in special session Monday evening and canvassed the returns of the election. A committee from the Womans Federation met with them and asked the council to arrange for a clean-up day. The council discussed the matter and have decided that April 25 and Nov. 5 of each year will be known as clean-up day in Falls City.

The city will furnish wagons and haul all accumulations of cans, paper and such like free of charge if raked in piles in the alleys.

Arrested
L. E. Preston, who was arrested and charged with selling liquors without a license was brought to this city and given a hearing before Judge Spraggins. The case was continued until this afternoon.

CLASS FIELD MEET

Held at the High School Friday Evening

On Friday evening a large crowd attended the field meet at the high school. We have young men in our public schools who are fine athletes and we are sure they will do their school proud, the at county and southeastern field meets. Following is a record of Friday evening:

100 yard dash—Hahn first; Cain second; Kanaly third.

440 yard run—Kanaly first; Heck second; Gilligan third.

Running broad jump—Reavis first; Coupe second; McDowell third.

Shot-put—Jones first; Gilligan second; Reavis third.

220 yard run—Hahn first; Horrocks second; Cain third.

880 yard run—Yoder first; Mosena second; Gilligan third.

Pole vault—Reavis first; Norris second; Cain third.

Individual honors—Reavis '10 11 points; Kanaly '11, 11 points; Yoder '10, 10 points; Hahn '12, 10 points.

The juniors won the meet with thirty-two points and sophomores next with twenty-six points.

The '07 cup is the property of the junior class for the coming year. Much of the high school spirit and enthusiasm shown by our young people is due to the untiring efforts of Prof. Harst.

AT THE COURT HOUSE

Richardson County Teacher's Association

The Richardson County Teacher's Association will be held in this city tomorrow. This evening the seventh annual Richardson County High School debate will be held. The question—"Resolved that the United States should grant absolute independence to the Phillipine Islands." Affirmative, Falls City, Louise Rule; Shubert, William M. Albin; Dawson, Anna Klima. Negative, Verdon, Viola Johnson; Rulo, Grace Duncan; Salem, Ruth Auxier. The music will be furnished by the Falls City High School, under the direction of Miss Agnew. An admission fee of 20 and 15 cents will be charged.

On Saturday the association will be held and an interesting program has been prepared and every teacher in the county is urged to be present. The session will open at 8:30 Saturday morning.

Easter Window

F. W. Cleveland and son have a fine Easter window showing the latest in their different lines for spring wear, the decoration and trimming shows rare ability and the Messrs Cleveland are to be congratulated upon having so accomplished a window dresser.—Nebraska City Press.

The work was done by Max Werner of this city and his many friends are glad to know he is making good.

Drill Team Goes to Auburn

The Highlander drill team, with Herbert Hedges as captain, went to Auburn Thursday afternoon to assist the lodge at that place initiate a class of forty. They were accompanied by Mrs. J. M. Jellison who is working as deputy for the Highlanders, and several members from this place who were anxious to see the work put on.

For Sale

Two young mules, one set double work harness. Inquire at Heck's Feed Store. 12

HOME DESTROYED BY FIRE

HOUSE CAUGHT FIRE FROM THE KITCHEN FLUE

The House of Mr. and Mrs. Ankney Burned While They Were at Church Easter Morning

On Sunday morning the house of Willis Ankney, in the north part of town was destroyed by fire which caught from the kitchen flue.

The family had gone to church and the blaze was not discovered until the roof was all in flames. Nothing was saved except the piano, which was badly scorched, and the base burner, their clothing and bedding was all burned.

There was some insurance on the house and household goods, but the loss will be heavy. Mrs. Ankney lost many valuable keepsakes in the way of home made linens, silver ware that had been in the family for many years and much valuable china.

The fire department fought hard to save the small buildings and house of Ben F. Foster, as the wind was blowing a gale and the houses were very close together.

Mr. and Mrs. Ankney came to this city from Pennsylvania during the winter and purchased two farms near here and the town property in which they lived.

They have not decided what they will do, but will stay at the home of Mrs. Ankney's uncle, Frances Shaffer, for a few days.

Parish Meeting

At the annual meeting of St. Thomas Episcopal church held Monday night the following named gentlemen were elected to the office of wardens and vestrymen: Senior warden, J. Hutchings; Junior warden, Robt. Neitzel; Vestrymen, T. L. Himmelreich, R. R. Horrocks, A. E. Gantt, W. H. Keeling, D. A. Morsman, Henry Lapp, H. R. Miner, L. C. Edwards and Charles Hargrave. The report of the parish treasurer and the treasurer of the various society and guilds showed the church to be in a flourishing condition. The parish starts off this year with flattering prospects.

A Fire Scare

Saturday while Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Prichard were in town, they were notified by telephone that their house and barn were on fire.

They immediately started for home and arriving there, found a fence, hay stack and some brush to be on fire and by hard work the flames were extinguished and the house and barn were saved.

The fire caught from coals in an ash heap where Mr. Prichard had been burning brush the day before. The high wind revived the coals and set fire to the fence.

Horse Ran Away

Saturday morning the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zentner drove to this city with produce, which he sold to James & Hermes. After he got into the buggy at that place the horse became frightened and ran away turning the buggy over and throwing the little fellow out. The buggy and harness were somewhat broken and the boy sustained a sprained arm and was badly scared.

New Cases Filed

This week four new cases were filed. Carrie H. Cox vs William Cox, divorce. Theresa Dockhorn vs Charles Dockhorn, divorce. Elva Vincent vs Ernest Vincent, divorce. Lucinda M. Smith vs John R. Smith.

THREE COUPLES MARRIED

TWO WEDDINGS IN THIS VICINITY THIS WEEK

Richardson County Young People United in the Holy Bonds of Wedlock

Jacob Johnson and Miss Vanoy, both of Stella, were united in marriage at Stella this week.

H. A. Muller and Miss Bertha Braun were united in marriage at the German Lutheran church northeast of this city, Sunday afternoon. The church was filled with relatives and friends who witnessed the impressive ceremony performed by Rev. Wm. Bartz. The young couple will make their home on a farm near this city.

On Wednesday afternoon the home of John Mosiman sr., was the scene of a very pretty wedding when Henry Mosiman and Miss Culetia L. Stewart of Reserve were united in marriage by Rev. Nanninga of the German Evangelical church. The house was beautifully decorated with cut flowers and smilax, and underneath a large white bell the happy couple were united for life. The bride was beautifully gowned in white silk, trimmed in embroidered net lace and insertion, and carried brides roses. The wedding march was played by the groom's sister, Mrs. Robert Johnson. On account of the illness of the groom's father, only near relatives were present. An elaborate five o'clock dinner was served. They were the recipients of many valuable and useful presents.

They will go to housekeeping at once in a little cottage in the northeast part of town, which Henry recently purchased and furnished. The young couple have a host of friends who join the Tribune in wishing them a prosperous and happy wedded life.

The out of town guests were Rob Johnson, wife and daughter of Superior, Mrs. H. C. Himes and Mrs. James Whipple of Fortescue, Mo., James Stewart and two daughters of Salem.

Art Exhibit

Under the auspices of the City Federation of Women's Clubs, an exhibit of sketches and paintings of the Art Student's League of Chicago is being given on the second floor of the Library building beginning today (Friday.) It will last during Saturday, Monday and Tuesday. This exhibit includes about 100 original water colors, oils, miniatures, decorative drawings and etchings selected by a jury of noted Chicago artists. It is especially designed to carry a message of beauty and art to the cities which do not have the advantage of permanent collections. A small admission fee of 10c is charged. The following ladies are representatives of the club who have the affair in charge.

For hanging pictures—Miss Alice Cleaver, Misses Steele, Press—Mesdames Chas. Banks, C. F. Reavis and Wanner.

Will Have Factory

Rev. F. Ellsworth Day received a letter from F. B. Cope, of Nelson, asking him to rent him a house so he could move his family to this city next month. Owing to the fact that it is too late to open the glove factory for spring work, he will work at the cement business during the summer months and be ready to open up the factory in early fall. We are all glad that Mr. Cope has decided to locate at this place, and hope it will be a good factory town for him.

FALLS CITY WINS

Falls City and Tecumseh Debated Saturday Night

The debate between the Falls City and Tecumseh high schools, was held in the court house last Saturday night before a good crowd.

The subject was compulsory arbitration in the settlement of the differences between the railroads and employees. Tecumseh favored compulsory arbitration and Falls City opposed it.

Reavis Gist urged the unconstitutionality of the proposed scheme in a legal argument of unusual excellence and showed conclusively that it was in violation of the 13th and 14th amendments to the constitution.

Miss Louise Rule argued the inexpediency of compulsory arbitration. Her argument was clear and concise and was delivered in a way that brought joy to her friends and partisans.

Vergil Falloon contended that a rigid enforcement of present laws would render any additional legislation, such as compulsory arbitration unnecessary.

Messrs Davidson, Chamberlain and Davis were the Tecumseh debaters.

The judges were unanimous for Falls City.

SOME WOLF MONEY READY

Only Part of the Holders of Claims to Get Money Now

Following is a letter received by J. H. Hutchings, county clerk, which is self-explanatory. Mr. Hutchings tells us that there is about \$500 due the wolf claimants in this county and that perhaps half will receive their money at this time:

Lincoln, Neb., Apr. 10, 1909.
J. H. Hutchings, County Clerk,
Falls City, Neb.

Dear Sir:—The legislature at its last session appropriated \$3,000 to pay wolf bounty claims now on file in my office. This amount will only pay about one-half the claims on file.

This bill provides that I shall commence with first file and continue in the order filed, until the appropriation is exhausted. I have just commenced to issue the warrants for these claims and they will be mailed out to the parties as fast as we can get them issued.

The act authorizing this bounty was repealed April 5, 1909, and I will ask you not to send in any vouchers for wild animals killed after that date.

Very truly,
SILAS R. BARTON, Auditor

Water Is Not Bad

W. H. Putnam & Son sent a sample of the city water to New York and had it analyzed. This week they received word from them saying that they could find nothing in it to prevent them from using it for making bottle soda. The only thing they mentioned was they found the water to be a trifle hard. Mr. Putnam says the water is getting better all the time and this firm that reported to him says that the hot weather will have no bad effect on the water whatsoever.

High Wind Sunday

Easter Sunday was a very disagreeable day, the wind blowing terrifically. Trees were blown down and signs were blown through windows at Lyons bakery, John Higgins meat market and the Journal office. The smoke stack at Heacock's mill was blown down and the telephone lines were damaged to the amount of several hundred dollars. Late in the evening we were visited by a fine April rain.

Will Clean Things Up

Monday morning an effort will be made to clean up the town. Wagons will be furnished by the city and all rubbish will be hauled from the alleys free of charge. Chief of Police Marts urges our people to make a special effort to improve the looks of this city before the spring rains.

TWO OLD PIONEERS GONE

GEORGE KLINK WAS BURIED HERE WEDNESDAY

William Kinsey Died at the Home of his son, Levi Kinsey Near Dawson, Wednesday

George Klink was born at Walfelden, Hessen Darmstadt, Germany, April 1, 1829 and died at the home of his son in Savannah, Mo., April 13, 1909. The remains were brought to this city Wednesday and taken to the German Evangelical church where short services were held and the remains laid to rest in Steele cemetery.

He came from the old country in 1853 and in 1867 he came to this county and located near Rulo, where he remained until the death of his wife in 1902. Since then the deceased has made his home with his son at Savannah. He joined the Lutheran church at the age of fourteen and had always been a faithful member.

Wm. Kinsey, an old pioneer of this county died at the home of his son Levi, in Dawson Wednesday night, after an illness of about two weeks. The deceased was 85 years old in August.

For many years he had made his home in Verdon but since the death of his wife about 10 years ago he has lived with his son at Dawson and his daughter, Mrs. J. W. Ramel in this city.

He was a member of the Evangelical church and was a true and noble father. He leaves three children, Levi Kinsey of Dawson, Leonard of University Place, and Mrs. John W. Ramel of this city. The funeral services were held at Dawson Friday, conducted by Rev. Maze and Rev. Halderman and the remains taken to Verdon for burial.

FINE EASTER DINNER

Landlord Spence Served an Excellent Dinner Sunday

A large crowd gathered at the National Sunday for dinner. The dining rooms were beautifully decorated for the occasion and elaborate preparations were made for entertaining the guests.

One minister in the city who took dinner there, told us that four years ago he had occasion to eat dinner at the Baltimore in Kansas City, but the neatly printed menu card, the excellent dinner, and the manner in which it was served at the National Sunday, was so far ahead of the Baltimore, there was no comparison. Our people should feel proud that the National Hotel has reached so high a standard and fills a long felt want. They should give it their liberal patronage.

Meeting of the School Board

An adjourned meeting of the school board was held Monday evening. A great deal of business was transacted and teachers elected. All the teachers were re-elected but two, Miss Pittrock of Harlan and Miss Klima of Dawson who tendered their resignation to the board. In two instances teachers were changed from one room to another. The 7th grade Central and Zion school are without teachers. No superintendent was elected.

Sells Grocery Store

This week John Ross made a deal whereby James Goldman becomes the owner of the Ross' grocery store in the southeast part of town, and Mr. Ross and son Charles will go into the dray business again. He informs us the grocery business was good but he could not stand the inside work. The family have moved back to their little house near the Central school.