

THE FALLS CITY TRIBUNE

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THE WEEK'S SOCIAL EVENTS

AS 'T WAS TOLD TO OUR SOCIETY EDITOR

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

Mrs. W. S. Korner entertained the Methodist Kensington at her home Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davies will entertain a company of friends at their home tonight at 8 o'clock.

The Baptist ladies' Kensington will meet at the home of Mrs. Mary Veach Friday afternoon at two o'clock.

The Daughters of Isabella met in regular session Friday night. A number of candidates were initiated, after which a social dance at Wahl's hall was in progress.

Mrs. J. B. Morton entertained a number of friends at dinner Friday in honor of Mrs. John Hutchings of Council Bluffs, who spent several days with friends in this city.

The Baptist people held a social at the home of Will Spraggins and wife last Friday night. There was a large crowd in attendance and it was a grand success, both socially and financially.

The W. R. C. met at their hall and spent a very pleasant afternoon on Wednesday. They took with them their baskets and at six o'clock their husbands were on hand to partake of an elaborate supper.

This afternoon the members of the Degree of Honor Kensington will meet with Mrs. Harvey Wahl at her home on South Stone street. Mrs. Wahl is a genial hostess and a royal time is sure to take place.

Mrs. Ernest Bode entertained the Presbyterian Kensington at her home in the east part of town Friday afternoon. The weather was fine and a large crowd was out. The hostess served delightful refreshments.

Stanley Stump celebrated his birthday Sunday and was assisted in the celebration by Steve Mower, Herald Gannon, Dr. Harry Pitcock, Dr. Windle and Scott Stump. A delightful six o'clock dinner was served.

Miss Myrtle Bowers and her Sunday school class of the Brethren church enjoyed a picnic at her home in this city this week. The little folks played various games and all enjoyed a splendid picnic dinner.

On Thursday afternoon the Shakespeare club met at the city park and enjoyed themselves. They took with them a delightful lunch and at six o'clock their husbands joined them and all partook of a real picnic dinner.

On Thursday the members of the Falls City Chorus went to the city park and enjoyed a social afternoon. At about six-thirty an elaborate picnic supper was served. A goodly number of the members were present and also a few visitors.

Miss Ruth Reavis entertained about twenty friends Wednesday evening, complimentary to Reavis Gist, who will leave in a short time for Wyoming. Music, games and dancing furnished the entertainment for the evening. Nice refreshments were served.

The C. W. B. M. met Friday afternoon with Mrs. T. J. Oliver. An interesting program was rendered and papers were read by Mesdames Heck, Leyda and Oliver. It being Mrs. Oliver and Helen's birthday, a delightful lunch consisting of ice cream and cake was served.

The Degree of Honor planned a pleasant evening for their children Thursday evening. At about eight o'clock the hall was well filled and a very interesting program rendered. The little folks sang and spoke and the last number was a rose drill. Cream and cake was served.

The L. B. T. club met with Mrs. E. L. Sandusky at her home on Chase street Wednesday afternoon. All the members were present and Mesdames Fenton, Wilson and Heacock were guests of the club. A delightful afternoon was spent and the hostess in her usual pleasing manner served nice refreshments.

Mrs. Charles Banks entertained at six o'clock dinner Tuesday evening, in honor of Mrs. Charles Ely of Kansas City and Mrs. Eversole and daughter of Elk Creek. Covers were laid for twelve. The other guests were: Mrs. and Miss Snidow, Mr. and Mrs. Reichel, Miss Gilman and Mr. Arthur McGavie of Dubuque, Ia.

The city federation of women's clubs met at the Elks' rooms Monday afternoon and transacted special

business. During the month of July and also of August they will not meet. They are laying the plans for a club room and committees will be appointed at a special meeting to attend to this and other matters pertaining to the interest of the federation.

On Saturday evening a number of ladies gathered at the home of Mrs. George Jennings and from there they went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sheeley and completely surprised Mrs. Sheeley, it being her forty-second birthday. They presented her with a beautiful china plate. The affair was planned by Mrs. Nepper and the surprise proved to be complete.

Mrs. Sidney Spence planned a very pleasant surprise for her son, Rowland, Tuesday night, it being his birthday. A company of young people met at the home of R. A. Dittmar and went to the National in a body, completely surprising Rowland. The evening was spent in playing games and music, and at about nine-thirty they enjoyed ice cream and cake in the dining room.

MOUND CITY VS. FALLS CITY

Good Ball Game at Poteet's Ball Park Friday Afternoon.

On last Friday afternoon Mound City and Falls City played a good game of base ball at Poteet's park. The score was 6 to 0 in favor of the local team. A large crowd attended, and as usual were all filled with the true base ball spirit which it takes to make the game an interesting one.

The boys have played good ball this season and if they could have the proper support the Colts would be the swiftest amateur team in the state.

The line-up for Falls City was as follows: Poteet, catcher; Heacock, pitcher; Tanner, short-stop; Howard, first base; Heck, second base; Craig, third base; Green, left field; R. Heck, center field; E. Poteet, right field.

WITH THE CHURCHES.

Special Services at the Several Different Churches.

Rev. R. R. Teeter delivered his annual address to the old people. For the past three years he has devoted one Sunday out of the year to the old people, and this year there was a large crowd present and the address was good. Dr. Matthers sang a beautiful solo. In the evening they held their children's day exercises.

Sunday evening at the Baptist church the first of a series of monthly praise services was held, consisting of congregational singing and a short helpful sermon by the pastor, followed by a program, each number of which helped to characterize the service as one of song worship. Miss Florence Cleaver sang a solo with violin obligato by Miss Alice Cleaver, that was well rendered and impressive. A duet by Rev. Reichel and Mrs. Reichel, was particularly interesting because of the harmony of the two voices. Miss Snidow's "Heaven's Own Day," by Briggs, was sung with the spirit of an assured hope. Gounod's "Ave Maria," for violin, was especially pleasing. "Protect Us Through the Coming Night," a trio by Curshman, sung by Mr. and Mrs. Reichel and Miss Snidow, was thoroughly enjoyed and closed a very satisfying program.

The Christian church started a series of evangelistic meetings at the city auditorium on Sunday. The Lintt chorus is one of the features of the meetings.

Left Sound Asleep.

Saturday night about ten o'clock, when the Samuel Wahl store was closed and the force of clerks had left the store, the door was locked and little Lloyd Wahl, who was fast asleep on a couch in the back of the store, was forgotten and locked in the store. When Misses Edna Horrocks and Winifred Taylor were returning home they heard the little fellow, who had awakened and found himself all alone. The girls started for the home of Jas. Pickett to tell him, that he might come and release the young prisoner, but in the meantime Lloyd climbed to the transom, unlocked it and with the aid of men who were passing by, released himself and was soon journeying toward his home.

Fred Metzner of Preston joined the Tribune family this week.

JUNE TIME BEVY OF BRIDES

NUMEROUS WEDDINGS IN AND AROUND FALLS CITY

The Burchard-Hart Nuptials Near Reserve—June's Reputation More than Sustained

Burchard-Hart

On Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hart, near Reserve, was the scene of a pretty wedding, when their daughter Miss Nellie E. Hart, was married to Dr. Harry D. Burchard of this city just before the ceremony Miss Martha Stewart sang "The Thought of You" and Nita Vaughn of Mexico, Mo., sang softly Mendelssohn's "Spring Song". To the strains of the wedding march from Tannhauser played by Mrs. Rob Stewart and Miss Martha Stewart, the four bridesmaids entered the parlor and formed an aisle with daisy chains for the bridal party. Dr. DeLaney of Salem acted as best man and Miss Helen Burchard as maid of honor, and then came the bride and groom. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Smith of Nebraska City, in the presence of about one-hundred relatives and friends.

The bride wore a beautiful white Messaline princess empire and carried bride's roses, and Miss Burchard was gowned in pink silk mull, the bridesmaids being dressed in pink and white. The house was beautifully decorated in pink and white roses, carnations and ferns. In the dining room, where delightful refreshments were served, the decorations were elaborate. Misses Regina Hart, Ruby Hart, Stella Burger, Nellie Weltner and Cora Clark presided at the punch bowls.

Dr. Harry Burchard was born and raised in this city and is well known to all our people. He is practicing medicine at this place and for some time has been city physician. The woman of his choice is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hart of Reserve, Kas., and numbers her friends by her acquaintances.

The newly married couple left Tuesday for a short trip through Colorado, after which they will be at home to their friends in this city on North Stone street.

Last Saturday morning Mr. Robbins and Miss Hinkle, both of Verdon, went to Nebraska City and were married at that place, returning home on the evening train. They are well known young people at Verdon and have a host of friends who join in extending congratulations.

Cowan-Lugenbill

Charles M. Cowan of Belleville, Kansas, and Miss Rose Adela Lugenbill of Humboldt, were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lugenbill, who live south of Humboldt. There were a number of invited guests present to witness the ceremony. After the ceremony a fine wedding supper was served. The bride is the accomplished daughter of Peter Lugenbill and wife and has grown to womanhood near Humboldt, where she has a host of friends. The groom is the station agent on the Rock Island at Bern, Kas., which the happy couple will make their home.

Wisdom-Twirdy.

Hamer Wisdom and Miss Clara Twirdy, two of Salem's most popular young people, were married at this place Monday. They were quietly married by Judge Gagnon and returned home in the afternoon.

Boatman-Bradley.

On Saturday June 5th Russel Boatman and Miss Minnie Bradley came down from Shubert and went to the court house where Judge Gagnon pronounced the words that made them man and wife.

Creineen-Goerke.

John Henry Creineen and Miss Minnie May Goerke, both of this city, were united in marriage at the court house Saturday. The ceremony was performed by Judge Gagnon.

TAKE NOTICE.

To the Members of the A. O. U. W. and D. of H.

The A. O. U. W. and D. of H. memorial services will be held Sunday, June 13th, and all members are requested to meet at the hall at 10:00 a. m. sharp, and march in a body to the Methodist church at 10:30 Bring flowers.

H. A. RAHLE, M. W.

COUNCIL MEETING.

Met in Regular Session on Monday Evening.

The city council met in regular session on Monday evening with the mayor and all members of the council present.

The mayor appointed the following committees:

Finance—Riechers, Aldrich and Davis.

Water—Aldrich, Jenkins and Hahn. Poor—Maust, Hahn and Reichers. City Park—Jenkins, Maust and Davis.

Fire Department—Aldrich, Jenkins and Maust.

Sanitary—Hahn, Maust and Davis. Streets and Alleys—All the council.

It was moved by Jenkins and seconded by Aldrich that hereafter all claims be filed with the city clerk on or before six o'clock on the Saturday before the regular meeting of the council and also that no bills will be audited unless they have the proper O. K. on them, by persons authorized to order same.

Motion made by Davis and seconded by Jenkins that the appointment of W. S. Leyda as park commissioner for the three year term be confirmed.

Other business, such as allowing bills, etc., was transacted at this meeting.

The council met Tuesday evening in an adjourned session and allowed several bills and discussed the city water at length.

It has been decided that in a few days the water mains will all be thoroughly slushed out and left open for a period of several hours. N. T. VanWinkle was notified to purchase a fire whistle to use instead of the bell in case of fire.

T. J. Gist and Ned Towle appeared before the council and applied for a road through the Ramel property to the vinegar factory and the matter was turned over to a committee.

Ike Brannum was appointed superintendent of the electric light and water plant. The bonds of W. S. Leyda as a member of the park board was approved and accepted.

IN THE COUNTY COURT.

Humboldt Boy Arrested and Tried Here Wednesday.

John Freiburger was before the county court Wednesday, charged with entering a freight way-car at Humboldt Monday and stealing a watch from Conductor Ed Wheeler's coat.

While doing switch work Wheeler left his watch in the way-car and after receiving orders to pull out he missed his watch. He turned his train over to the head brakeman and returned to Humboldt where he had the fellow arrested, whom he suspected.

He brought the fellow to this city Wednesday and he was tried before Judge Gagnon. Everything pointed toward his guilt but the evidence was not sufficient to convict him and he was acquitted.

The watch in question was a good one, worth from \$70 to \$75.

MEMORIAL SERVICES.

Held at the City Auditorium Sunday Afternoon.

The Nemaha Valley lodge No. 136, I. O. O. F., and Rebekahs met at their lodge room at two o'clock Sunday afternoon and promptly at 2:30 marched to the City Auditorium where Rev. F. E. Day delivered an able memorial address.

At the close of the services they marched up Stone street and to the Frank corner, where they were met by hacks and conveyed to the Steele cemetery. Appropriate services were held at that place and the graves of their departed brothers were covered with beautiful flowers.

William Nims Dead.

William Nims, a former resident of Humboldt, died at Seattle, Wash., and his remains were brought to Humboldt for burial, arriving on Thursday evening and on Friday the funeral services were held at the home of C. E. Nims, his brother, and the remains placed in the cemetery at that place.

Louis Engle.

Louis Engle, one of the pioneer residents of this county, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William Meyers, near Howe, at the advanced age of seventy-seven years. He was well known to many of our older people and was a step-father of J. C. Segrist at Humboldt.

THE COMERS AND GOERS

HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST TO YOU AND ME.

What Your Friends and Their Friends Have Been Doing the Past Week.

L. C. Edwards made a visit to Nebraska City, Sunday.

Miss Dorothy White is home from Lincoln for her summer vacation.

Clay Peck and wife are the parents of a baby girl, who came to brighten their home last Friday morning.

Miss Ruth Heacock returned home this week from Lincoln, where she has been attending the state university.

Paul and Lloyd Davies of this city are visiting at the home of their grandparents, J. D. Griffith and wife at Verdon.

Irvin Yoder returned to his home in this city last Saturday. He spent several days in St. Joe, where Dr. Pitts was treating his eyes.

Mrs. John Cornford who has been receiving treatment at a hospital at Omaha, returned to her home in this city much improved in health.

W. L. Orr who has been visiting at the home of John Spraggins for the past week, returned Monday to his home in Gilman City, Missouri.

Clare Foster who is employed by the telephone company at Plattsmouth, spent Sunday with his parents B. F. Foster and wife in this city.

George Ewalt of Galveston, Tex., arrived in this city Sunday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Jennie Ewalt, and his sister, Mrs. Frank Schable.

George Holland and family spent a very pleasant day at Sun Springs, on Sunday last. Ray DePutnam and wife who are visiting at their home accompanied them.

Miss Josephine Graves returned this week from Wayne, Neb., where she has been teaching in the public schools. She has been re-elected for another year at that place.

Dr. Boose reports a baby boy born to Mr. and Mrs. August Mitchell of Wymore early Tuesday morning. Mrs. Mitchell is at the home of her mother Mrs. Pete Lore in this city. All concerned are doing nicely.

Mrs. Kate Schock, and Mrs. Geo. Schock, her sister, left this week for a several weeks visit through Colorado. They will visit their brother, Frank Melhorn, at Denver and also Will Schock at Los Animas, Col.

Miss Lottie Culp arrived from Hooper, Colorado, Sunday and will visit her sister, Mrs. Grant Windle, and her many friends in this city. She visited in St. Joe several days with her sister, Miss Elsie.

The Misses Guinn from near Humboldt were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Marmet in this city on Sunday and on Monday they took the train for Peru where they will attend the summer school at the state normal.

Mrs. Frank Eversole spent a few days in this city with her many friends. She had attended the commencement exercises at Peru, where her son was a graduate, and visited her enroute to her home at Elk Creek.

Neal Thornton's delivery team made their regular weekly runaway trip Monday morning. They started to run just in front of the market and were stopped down near the Central school building. The horses were not hurt and the wagon was not damaged.

Mrs. Charles Bracelen and daughter, Ellen, who have been visiting at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. John King for the past few weeks, left Wednesday for a short visit with friends and relatives at Omaha. They will then return to their home in St. Paul. They will be accompanied by Miss Margaret Bracelen of Lincoln, who will spend a year there in the interest of her health.

The trip of the Lincoln baseball club through the eastern cities of the Western League during the past few days has brought much encouragement. Though the pitching staff has not been up to the standard on account of the non-arrival of James and the physical condition of Nagle, who is suffering from a sore shoulder, yet the team has done very well, breaking even with Des Moines and Sioux City, and in the two games played with Omaha at this writing has taken one. This is a good showing when it is taken into consideration that all three of the above teams are at the present time close contenders for first place.

WHERE SUNFLOWERS GROW

From Walt Mason of Emporia, Kansas

Smoking is a filthy habit and a big fat black cigar advertises that you're straying from the Higher life afar. I have walked in summer meadows where the sunbeams flashed and broke, and I never saw the horses or the sheep or cattle smoke; I have watched the birds, with wonder, when the world with dew was wet, and I never saw a robin puffing at a cigaret; I have fished in many rivers when the sucker crop was ripe, and I never saw a catfish pulling at a briar pipe. Man's the only living creature that parades this vale of tears, like a blooming traction engine blowing smoke from mouth and ears. If dame Nature had intended, when she first invented man, that he'd smoke, she would have built him on a widely different plan she'd have fixed him with a damper and a stovepipe and a grate; he'd have had a smoke consumer that was strictly up-to-date. Therefore, let the erring mortal put his noisome pipe in soak—he can at ways get a new one if he feels needs a smoke.

SPONTANEOUS COMBUSTION.

Mayor and City Council Were Called to City Park.

At about eleven o'clock Monday night, just as the council was about to adjourn a telephone message called them to the city park, where all soon got busy shoveling coal. It was discovered that in the coal room where there was several tons of coal that only by hard work could they prevent a disastrous conflagration.

Chief of police Martz, John Startzel, the mayor, the council and several others, who were called out, worked hard until the early morning before the danger was over.

Some of the coal was burned, but the building was not damaged.

The supposition is that the fire originated from spontaneous combustion.

A Good Lecture.

The Presbyterian church was comfortably filled Wednesday evening to hear Rev. Geo. Bailey, D. D., Ph. D., of Washington, D. C. lecture on "The Holy Land." Rev. Teeter, pastor of the Brethren church of this city, very kindly took charge of the views furnished by Rev. Bailey and both the talk and the illustrations were very instructive, furnishing a rare treat throughout the evening. The views furnished were obtained by Rev. Bailey during his travel through the Holy Land and his able manner in describing habits and scenes of that country was very interesting.

Park Board Meets.

The park board held a meeting on Tuesday evening. W. S. Leyda, a member of the board informs us many improvements will be made in a short time. A fine wide sidewalk will be made from the auditorium to the gate, and cinders will be placed on the ground floor in the auditorium. The lawns will be mowed and kept in perfect order.

The park committee deserves much credit for the way in which they are taking hold of things and we will have a park that we can all be proud of.

Mass Meeting for Men Only.

What promises to be the greatest meeting for men ever held in the city will be conducted next Sunday afternoon at 3:00 p. m., at the auditorium, by Evangelist Wm. Lockhart of Des Moines, Iowa.

The evangelist says he will not only throw off his coat, but without gloves he will handle "Men's Sins." Mr. Lintt will lead a great man choir and one thousand men should be at this great meeting.

At Cotner University.

Eight seniors were ordained to the ministry of the Christian church at the baccalaureate services which were held at the college auditorium of the Cotner university, Sunday. Among them were Rev. Bert Wilson who formerly was located at Humboldt and Roy E. Hunt who was employed by the Christian church at Verdon some two years ago.

Mrs. S. E. Smith.

Mrs. S. E. Smith died at her home in Salem Saturday, and the funeral services were held from the home Monday. She had been a resident of that place for years and was well known. She was only ill a few days and her death came as a shock to the community.