

# THE FALLS CITY TRIBUNE

## THE WEEK'S SOCIAL EVENTS

### AS 'TAS TOLD TO OUR SOCIETY EDITOR

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

The Sunnyslope kensington met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Bahr. Quite a crowd was present and a pleasant time was had. Miss Pearl favored them with a recitation and Mollie Stewart with a guessing game, which was very interesting. Wednesday evening, Sept. 1, the ladies will entertain their husbands at the home of Chris Wamsley.

Mrs. H. C. Barton and Miss Josephine Graves are entertaining for the Friends in Council this (Thursday) afternoon.

Mrs. Alysilla Powell, who is visiting her sons, John and James, who given a post card shower Tuesday, August 24th, that being her seventy-eighth anniversary. Seventy-five relatives and friends sent her cards.

The Willing Workers of the Christian church gave one of their popular teas at the home of Mrs. Peter Resterer Thursday evening.

Mrs. Joseph Lord entertained a few friends from this city at her country home south of Salem Wednesday, and a day of feasting was in order. Only those who have partaken of Mrs. Lord's dinners can appreciate them and on this occasion the fortunate ones were Mrs. J. S. Lord, Mrs. Houston, Mrs. Wanner, and Miss Mary Gillispie.

Mrs. Peter Kaiser was hostess to a number of friends on Wednesday afternoon, complimentary to her daughter, Mrs. Harnack of Hiawatha. The ladies met for a good visit and at five o'clock an elegant four course dinner was served, consisting of all seasonable delicacies. Mrs. Kaiser is a clever hostess and every pleasure and comfort was arranged for her guests. Those from out of town who were present were Mrs. Harnack of Hiawatha, Mrs. Notacker of St. Louis and Mrs. Sedelmeyer of Kansas City.

James Coupe and sister, Miss Nellie, entertained a large party of friends Tuesday evening at their home south of the Nemaha in honor of Miss Ina Keller of Chicago, who is visiting at the Coupe home. Billiards, cards and dancing furnished amusement for all and at twelve o'clock a lovely supper was served. The guests were conveyed to the Coupe home in automobiles and hacks and the wee small hours could be counted before they returned to town. The out of town guests were Miss Keller of Chicago, Miss Smith of Topeka, Miss Eversole of Elk Creek and Miss Coupe of Effingham, Kas.

Mrs. H. C. Barton and Miss Josephine Graves entertained thirty-five guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Morgan Wednesday from two until five o'clock. The entertainment was in the form of a kensington, though needle work played a very unimportant part in the afternoon pleasures. An interesting and pleasing guessing game filled in most of the time. A few measures from fifteen musical numbers were played by Mrs. S. L. Davies and the guests were to guess the correct name of the selection. Mrs. J. R. Pickett won the prize, a hand-painted cup and saucer, for guessing the most correctly. Lovely refreshments were served in two courses by the hostesses, assisted by Mrs. Morgan.

Mrs. A. Keller entertained a dozen ladies last Friday afternoon complimentary to Mrs. Notacker of St. Louis and Mrs. Wm. Harnack of Hiawatha. The afternoon was one of special pleasure, spent in visiting and friendly conversation. At five o'clock the guests were invited to the dining room where an elegant four course dinner was served. The pleasure continued until late in the evening, when the guests departed for their several homes feeling under many obligations to Mrs. Keller for her generous hospitality.

Mrs. Wm. Faller gave a dinner party Monday evening complimentary to her sister, Mrs. Notacker of St.

Louis and Mrs. Harnack of Hiawatha. During the afternoon the guests arrived and the time passed with a splendid visit among old friends. At six o'clock dinner was announced and a bountiful repast was faultlessly served. The guests remained until a late hour, loth to adjourn so pleasant a gathering.

M. J. Schaible was given a jolly surprise by the families of his brothers and sisters last Monday to remind him of his fifty-third birthday anniversary. Twenty-eight guests were present and after several hours devoted to varied pleasures, a fine supper was served. A beautiful leather rocker was presented to Mr. Schaible by the relatives, who wished him many more happy anniversaries.

In response to invitations issued by Misses Florence and Elta Boose a large party of friends met with them at their home on South Fulton St. Tuesday afternoon to enjoy a kensington. During the afternoon several interesting readings and enjoyable musical numbers were given for the pleasure of the guests. Dainty and tempting refreshments in two courses were served by the hostesses at six o'clock. They are most hospitable young ladies and the afternoon was very pleasing to their friends.

Miss Jerometta Kelly entertained a number of her little friends at the home of Rev. H. Bex Wednesday afternoon. Games were played on the lawn and the little folks thoroughly enjoyed the afternoon. Delightful refreshments were served by Miss Hattie Eiting.

Misses Maude and May Maddox gave a kensington last Friday afternoon for their friend, Miss Bobbitt of Tecumseh. Twenty-five guests were present and spent the afternoon with music, games and dainty fancy work. At half-past-five dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs. Will Uhlig entertained complimentary to her sister, Miss Florence Wylie, last Saturday afternoon. The surprise of the afternoon was for Miss Wylie, when she was asked to open an umbrella in which many pairs of hose had been fastened. They were all colors and kinds, and about eighteen pairs in all. Social conversation and cards were enjoyed upon the lawn. Dainty refreshments were served at five o'clock. This was the last of a very pleasant series given for Miss Wylie before her marriage.

Misses Helen and Constance Lyford entertained a few friends on Friday afternoon for their friend, Miss Edith Robbins of Lincoln. Interesting games were played, most of which were enjoyed upon the lawn. At six o'clock the young ladies were invited into the dining room, where an elaborate dinner was served, presided over by Mrs. Lyford. After the dinner hour games and music were again enjoyed and as a whole, the occasion was an exceedingly pleasant one.

Miss Edna Crook gave a final dinner to a few of her intimate friends Tuesday evening. When all assembled she told them of the arrangements for her wedding which was to take place quietly on Wednesday. The bridal gown was brought out and each guest was asked to put in a few stitches; accordingly the row of French knots bordering the bodice was made by her friends. Dinner was served at six o'clock and a merrier party never partook of a meal. The company included only ladies. Those present were Misses Gertrude and Grace Lyford, Mildred Holland, Frances Ramsey and Mrs. W. H. Crook.

Miss Ruth Wilson entertained the members of her club Monday evening for Miss Edith Robbins of Lincoln. Som'r set and other games made up the amusements of the evening, and music was contributed by several of the young ladies. Mrs. Wilson served dainty refreshments.

Mrs. Sandusky entertained at dinner Tuesday evening, for Mrs. McLean and her sons of Denver, who are guests of Mrs. McLean's sister, Mrs. George Jennings.

Resigned as Janitor. W. L. Hendricks has resigned as janitor of the Harlan schools and Irwin Yoder will be appointed to take his place.

## THE HURST-CROOK NUPTIALS

### A PRETTY HOME WEDDING AT HIGH NOON WEDNESDAY.

Two Popular Young Society People Joined in Wedlock—Hosts of Friends Are Theirs.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Crook was the scene of a very pretty home wedding at High Noon, on Wednesday, August 25th, when their eldest daughter, Edna, became the wife of Edward K. Hurst. The marriage lines were read by Rev. C. A. Mastin of the Methodist church, the beautiful and impressive ring service being used. The bride and groom were unattended, and the ceremony was witnessed by the immediate family only.

The bride looked beautiful, wearing a gown of white liberty satin over white silk. The design was princess in effect and was beautifully trimmed with hand embroidered Paris net. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses and wore roses in her hair.

A breakfast of four courses followed the ceremony, the only decorations in the dining room a floral centerpiece of white carnations and ferns and festoons of smilax upon the table, at which covers for twelve were placed.

Miss Crook was essentially a Falls City young lady; she was born here and most of her life has been spent in her native town. A graduate of our High school and of the seminary in Sherman, Texas, she has cultivated accomplishments and talents of which she may be proud; above all, her sunny temperament and her friendly, lovable disposition has endeared her to the hearts of hosts of friends.

Professor Hurst came to Falls city two years ago, in the capacity of principal of the High school, a position he still holds. He has made many staunch friends during his residence here, and is recognized as an intelligent, industrious young man of sterling qualities.

In the life upon which they are entering so happily, they have the best wishes and congratulations of hosts of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurst left in the afternoon for a short trip to Omaha, and will return in about ten days.

### SHOT AT.

Two Young Men at Humboldt Narrowly Escaped.

Special from Humboldt. Ernest Keiser and Charlie Davis narrowly escaped being shot as they were coming into town Saturday evening.

As they were near the Gustave Bock farm some unknown person fired several shots which struck their buggy, one shot passing through a part of the clothing worn by one of the occupants of the buggy.

### A "Gun Toter."

Fisherman Tanner, from over in Missouri, imbibed too freely of stimulants last Saturday and became noisy, to which Chief Marts objected. He also displayed an ugly looking gun, which is against the laws of the chief's domain, and he promptly walked him up to Judge Spragins, who asked him to contribute \$14.80 to the education of the school "kids." He objected and was placed in Hotel Marts, where he remained until Tuesday, when he concluded Missouri was cooler and paid his fine, hitting the dust for home, fish and mosquitoes.

### Machinery Here.

Most of the machinery for the cement work which is being installed in our midst by W. H. Putnam & Sons, arrived the past week. It is being installed as fast as possible and they now think that within the next thirty days they will be ready to turn out a finished product from this new industry.

They are shipping in the best quality of sand and cement obtainable and everything that leaves the works bears with it the guarantee of this substantial firm.

### At The Lakes.

Mrs. James Powell and Mrs. Will Schmelzel are with a party of young people from this city at the Missouri lakes this week. The party is composed of Misses Lola Powell, Helen Kanaly and Maude Davis; Messrs Blaine Yoder, Frank Kanaly, Frank Bucholz and Alvin Porr of Humboldt.

## BEAUTIFUL HOME WEDDING

### A POPULAR FALLS CITY YOUNG LADY WON BY KANSAN.

Only a Few Relatives and Friends Present--The Young Couple to Reside in Kansas.

The home of Mrs. Katherine Wylie was the scene of a beautiful home wedding Wednesday, August 25th, 1909, when she gave her youngest daughter, Florence Irene, in marriage to Mr. Everett Peckinpaugh of Ottawa, Kas.

Only a few relatives and friends were present at the marriage.

At High Noon, Mrs. George L. Nelde played the wedding march as the bride and groom entered the parlor, preceded by Rev. George L. Nelde, who read the marriage service and pronounced the words that made them husband and wife. The ceremony was simple and impressive, the song being used according to the rites of the Episcopal church.

The ceremony took place before an altar erected in a bay window, which was banked with ferns, palms and roses and lighted with candles.

Miss Wylie looked charming and dainty in a gown of sheer Paris muslin, over white silk and carried an armful of white roses. She was attended by her mother who gave her away.

After the ceremony and congratulations a splendid wedding breakfast was served in the dining room, where covers were laid for sixteen. The table held a floral centerpiece of roses and ferns, with garlands of smilax. Heart-shaped place cards were adorned with bride's roses.

Many gifts were bestowed upon the bride by relatives and friends from a distance.

Mrs. Peckinpaugh has grown to womanhood in this city. She has been a favorite among her friends, whom she numbers by the score, who regret her departure from her old home, while wishing her happiness in her new one.

Mr. Peckinpaugh is interested in the shoe business in Ottawa, where he has a home already furnished for his bride. He is an estimable young man in every way and has our congratulations upon the prize he has won.

Mr. and Mrs. Peckinpaugh left Wednesday afternoon for their Ottawa home, the best wishes of scores of friends going with them.

The out of town guests at the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. Allan D. May, Auburn, Neb.; Mrs. Crawford and daughter, Forest City, Mo.; Edgar Peckinpaugh and sister, Ottawa, Kas. and Ben and Lulu Dilly, Hiawatha, Kas.

### McDOWELL-BEAUCAMP.

Stole Away To Tecumseh and Surprised Friends.

Friends of Warren McDowell and Miss Florence Beaucamp in this city were surprised to learn that they had gone to Tecumseh and were married, keeping it a secret since Sunday of last week. Both of the young people are well known here and have a host of friends who will congratulate them.

### Birmeley.

Emma Minnie Birmeley, daughter of Charles and Mary Birmeley was born at Lakin, Illinois, and died near Reserve, Kansas, August 18, 1909, age twenty-seven years and three days.

Until about a year ago, Miss Emma was a strong and healthy young lady; but she began to fall in her usual good health. The parents anxious to do all they possibly could, sent her to some of their friends in the mountains in the hope of benefitting her health, but it was of no avail. When her case turned to be hopeless she longed for her folks and home. Her mother went after her in June and brought her home. Here again in the circle of her own, she calmly awaited her release. Emma had cast her lot with the people of God when but fourteen years old. She lived a consistent Christian life.

She leaves to mourn her early death, father, mother, one brother and five sisters, and many friends that had learned to love her many noble qualities of heart and mind. Her funeral was held from the Evangelical church in Falls City and interment was made in Steele cemetery. J. R. Nanninga

### RECOVERED STOLEN WATCH.

Jacob Hemmerman Arrested, Brought To Falls City.

"Jake" Dappen, a farm hand who works for John Lyons, two miles south of Dawson, was unfortunate and fortunate in the same day, Friday last.

He had been out in the field working and the family had all left the house, to attend the funeral of Joseph McGinnis. When he arrived at the house he found that someone had been there during their absence and taken possession of a watch, valued by him at \$65.00, and a good gold ring. He phoned to Dawson immediately and Sheriff Fenton, who happened to be in town at the time proposed to hunt it up for him. He found a suspicious looking fellow and upon questioning him decided he was the man who had the watch. He persuaded him to tell where it was, whereupon the fellow, who gave the name of Jacob Hemmerman led him down the alley, lifted up a box, dug around in the dirt and produced the stolen property.

The watch and ring were restored to the owner and the transgressor brought to Falls City, where he will board at the Hotel de McFarland.

### NEARLY A CENTURY OLD.

Grandfather of Mesdames G. L. Slocum and A. J. Baldwin of Stella.

Special from Stella.

Mrs. G. L. Slocum and Mrs. A. J. Baldwin received the news, last week that their grandfather, George Hicks, had died at Warren, Ill. Mr. Hicks was ninety years, two months and four days old. He came from England sixty years ago and had lived at Warren fifty-eight years. He leaves a wife, two daughters, three sons, twenty-two grand children and twenty-seven great grand children.

### Lewis.

E. O. Lewis received word last Thursday of the death of his niece, Miss Blanche Lewis, who died on the previous Tuesday, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lewis of Hoxie, Kansas. The parents brought the body to this city Thursday afternoon, to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hutchings. Saturday morning at ten o'clock burial services were held in Maple Grove cemetery, where the body was laid at rest, conducted by Rev. Zeike of the Evangelical church.

Blanche Lewis was only twenty-four years of age and much of the past year has been passed in suffering from that dread disease, cancer, which blighted her young life. During her visits in our city with relatives she made many friends who extend their sympathy to the sorrowing parents.

### Team Ran Away.

One of Charlie Heineman's teams took a short spin down the alley behind the Gehling Theater Wednesday noon. They turned east when they reached Wahl's store and would have gone north on Stone street had it not been for a conveniently planted telephone pole, which stopped them on the corner. The tongue was broken and the wagon turned over. One of the horses was scratched a little, but the entire damage was light.

### A Case of "Horseless Carriage."

Dave Reavis' horse became frightened at some children drawing a wagon along the road, while he and his wife were driving Monday night, and in his efforts to get loose kicked himself out of the harness and broke the shafts. Mr. and Mrs. Reavis were left in their "horseless carriage" to walk back home unhurt.

### Presbyterian.

Regular services next Sabbath morning and evening with preaching by the pastor.

At the morning service Miss Anita Wilson will sing the offertory solo. The usual anthems by the choir. You and your friends are cordially invited. R. Cooper Bailey.

### Will Study Music in Kansas City.

Miss Edna Wentworth went to Kansas City Monday morning, where she will study music under Prof. Wallace of that city, and her many friends here predict for her a brilliant future.

### Fractured an Arm.

Blaine Evans fell and fractured his right arm while at Syracuse last week, and will not be able to use it for a couple of weeks.

## POPULAR LIBRARIAN QUILTS

### RESIGNATION TO TAKE EFFECT WITHIN A MONTH.

A Most Valued Employee -- To Take a Course in Library Work at Training School.

Miss Lois Spencer tendered her resignation to the library board this week, the same to take effect within a month. The board will meet next Friday night, when action will be taken upon it.

Miss Spencer expects to enter a school and take a thorough course in library training. She will be greatly missed in the library and her place will be hard to fill, for she is very efficient. More than that, she is agreeable, accommodating and gives universal satisfaction.

### DIED AT LINCOLN.

Stella Citizen Died at a Lincoln Hospital Monday.

Special from Stella.

Charles Mason died at Green Gables hospital in Lincoln, Monday evening, at ten o'clock. The body was brought to his home Tuesday noon. Funeral was held from the Lutheran church, and burial at Prairie Union Wednesday.

He was a man well advanced in years and had been in poor health for a couple of years and last fall was taken to Green Gables.

He leaves a wife, three sons and four daughters, besides a host of friends, to mourn his death.

### PRIZE FOR PENMANSHIP.

A Verdon Teacher Secured First, A Falls City Teacher Second.

Miss Hattie M. Lilly of Verdon, who teaches this year in Dist. 19, was awarded the first prize by Prof. Darner at the Teachers' Institute for the teacher handing in the best specimen of penmanship.

Miss Dorothy L. White of Falls City, was awarded the second prize

### Too Much "Joy Juice."

Jake Motsinger, from up near Verdon, came to Falls City with his wife Saturday and when it came time to go home, no Jake was in sight. Upon investigation it was found that he had taken too much "joy juice" and had been "thrown-in." At midnight he was still so "dead-to-the-world" that his wife had to be taken to a hotel to spend the night, and the authorities took his team to a livery stable to be taken care of.

He was unable to pay his fine when Monday came but was released on bond furnished by Peter Frederiek, Sr.

### Former Resident Dead.

The W. O. W. of this city received word this week of the death of one of their members, and a former Baptist minister here, A. K. Myattway, at Akron, Indiana, August 19. He was buried at Clarinda, Iowa, August 23, 1909.

The W. O. W. of this city carried a policy of \$1,000 on his life. The deceased will be remembered by a great many here, who will be grieved to hear of his death.

### Wanted in Grand Island.

The authorities from Grand Island notified Sheriff Fenton of a man by the name of Boyd, who was wanted there and was supposed to be in this county. The sheriff had his suspicions and went to Stella Saturday night and arrested a man answering the description. The sheriff came in from Grand Island Sunday, found his man and took him back to Grand Island that night.

### Died at Omaha.

Mrs. Frank Ray, formerly a resident of this city, died at her home in Omaha last Sunday of typhoid fever. Her sisters Mrs. Clem Firebaugh and Mrs. Harvey Heaston went to Omaha Sunday afternoon. They were accompanied by their brother, Mike Casey of Oklahoma, who stopped off here between trains on his way to Omaha.

### What's The Answer?

A Falls City paper joins a Hiawatha paper in giving Falls City and its several enterprises the devil. Would the Hiawatha paper join the Falls City paper in giving Hiawatha a few touches of the same import?