

## UNION ITEMS

By Journal Field Representative

H. W. Griffin was a business visitor in Omaha last Tuesday.

Clifford Garrison is sporting a very fine new auto which he purchased last week.

While out last Friday afternoon Roy Hathaway was able to bag two wolves whose pelts and scalps made him some richer.

Mrs. George Weick was visiting over the week-end at Weeping Water, where the husband is coach for the Weeping Water high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Petersen of Omaha, long time friends of the Herman Reike family were attending the Herman Reike funeral last Sunday.

Rev. Neill Stewart, pastor of the Murray Presbyterian church of Murray and Rev. W. A. Taylor assisting, conducted the funeral of the late Herman Reike.

Mrs. Clara Towne has been feeling quite poorly, and has been kept to her bed during the time. It is hoped by her many friends she may soon be in her normal health again.

Rev. J. T. Sawyer, pastor of the Methodist church and Rev. W. A. Taylor assisting, conducted the funeral of the late Mrs. Joan M. Carper, with interment at the East Union cemetery.

William Reike, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Reike, making his home in California, was attending the funeral of his father and visiting with the family and friends in this community.

Henry H. Becker and son were delivering a load of wood for a client in Plattsmouth last Saturday, and stopped at the home of Tom Tilson, where he had been sinking a well, and brought his tractor home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Shumacher and family were down to Kansas City over the week-end, guests at the home of their friends, Mr. and Mrs.



Happy New Year!

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Ollie Atteberry where all enjoyed a fine visit. They returned home Monday.

The store of Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Rihn have a Christmas tree in the store dressed with spangles and other decorations and Christmas presents, which is a very inviting scene and reminds the public of the near approach of Christmas.

Mrs. Leo Finkle, who has been in poor health for many months and was in an Omaha hospital for a time, returning home recently, has been improving and is now able to walk about the house slowly and is enjoying the improvement in her health greatly.

### Gets Corn Crop Out.

Loy Pell who is farming the home place, and who also has been enjoying a very fine crop of corn and who has been busy getting the corn gathered, was able to get the corn in the crib last Saturday. The mother, Mrs. Jesse Pell of Omaha has been with the son doing the cooking and housekeeping during the time. She returned home last Sunday.

### Mrs. Greene Dies in North.

For some time James Greene and family have been making their home in Sioux City, where James has been employed in a lumber yard. During recent weeks Mrs. Greene has been very ill and on December 7th passed away. The funeral was held two days later. Mrs. Joe Greene went to Sioux City where she was nursing the daughter-in-law several weeks. Mr. Greene attended the funeral at Sioux City. Following the funeral Mr. and Mrs. Joe Greene were accompanied home by their son James and two granddaughters, who will make their home with the parents and grandparents. The little granddaughters are Donna Rae and Patricia.

### To Hold Candlelighting Service.

Under the direction of Mrs. D. Ray Franks, who will have charge of the evening's entertainment, there will be held at the parlors of the Union Baptist church beginning at 4 o'clock in the evening a candlelighting service, next Sunday evening. This is a unique service and the public is cordially invited to be present.

### Monday's Storm Deranges Affairs.

George Stites, with the blizzard raging, it seems very natural that he would prefer the Missouri Pacific crack train, the Eagle, to driving down with his auto, and so made the trip both ways on the train, and incident to this his right hand man, Elmer Withrow, who makes his home in the country, was not able to get to town at all during the day. As to that no other person was around for the farmers could not get in either.

### Purchases Building.

Doren Bowman, the barber, who has been occupying the west portion of the Griffin building on lower Main street, recently purchased the Burbee building on the north side of the street, where Mr. Armstrong has been conducting a barber shop. Mr. Bowman buying the building for a barber shop for himself. Just what Mr. Armstrong will do for a location is the problem.

### Attended Wedding Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Banning and Joe Banning and son Lucean, were in Lincoln last Tuesday afternoon where they went to attend the wedding of Mr. Hollis Banning and Miss Amanda Uphoff which was celebrated at the Trinity Lutheran church.

The newlyweds will make a short honeymoon trip to the south and return for a Christmas dinner and reception at the home of Mr. Hollis Banning's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Banning, on Christmas day.

### Thank You, Friends

We greatly appreciate the friendly acts of the people of Union and vicinity in ministering to the comfort of our beloved sister, Mrs. Joanna Carper, for sympathy extended to us, to the singers and the minister, and for the flowers and many other acts of kindness.—Fannie Eikenbary, O. A. Davis.

### Methodist Church Announcements

Special Christmas sermon at eleven o'clock Sunday morning. Everyone is cordially invited to be present. The theme: "The Quest for the Child Jesus." In the evening at 7:30, the theme will be: "The Journey of the Shepherds to Bethlehem and Return to the Fields from whence They Went." This will be rather an afterthought of an echo from the Christmas sermon in the morning.

Church school meets at 10 a. m. Carl Cross, superintendent. The Senior Epworth League will meet at 6:45 p. m. Miss Dorothea Clarence, president.

Our Christmas program will be held in the church Tuesday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Sawyer and the pastor extend greetings and every good wish to all. A very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to each of you.

J. T. SAWYER, Pastor.

### Obituary of Mrs. Carper

Mrs. Joanna Theresa Carper, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Davis, was born near Buchanan, Mo., January 26, 1850, and passed to her reward on December 12, 1940, having reached the ripe age of 90 years, 11 months and 16 days.

When a child of seven years, her parents moved from her birthplace to Cass county, settling on a farm some two miles northeast of the present site of Union.

On October 1, 1873, she was united in wedlock to James K. Carper. She and her husband continued to live in Nebraska until 1907, at which time they moved to a farm near Lebanon, Kansas. It was there that Mr. Carper passed away on January 10, 1923.

Early in February of that year, Mrs. Carper returned to Nebraska to make her home with her sister, Mrs. Eikenbary, at Burr, where they lived until 1931, when they came to Union and located in the home here where she passed away.

One child, a son Robert, who died in infancy, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carper. Two brothers and two sisters have preceded her in death.

Of her immediate family, there survive her passing the sister, Mrs. Eikenbary, and a brother, Oscar A. Davis, both residing in Union. She also leaves two nephews, Ralph Davis and William Carraher, both residents of Union, as well as several more distant relatives.

Mrs. Carper was converted in an evangelistic meeting in the Cumberland Presbyterian church in Nebraska City, conducted by Rev. J. B. Green, when she was but nineteen years of age. She continued as a member of that church until locating at Burr, when she became a member of the Burr Methodist church. On returning to Union to live in 1931, she transferred her membership to the local Methodist church, remaining a faithful and consistent Christian and a loyal member of this church to the day of her death. As long as her health and strength would permit, she attended services regularly. She was a great lover of the hymns and songs of the Christian religion, a devout student of her Bible, and when health and the infirmities of age prevented her longer being identified with the services of God's house, she found delight and comfort in hearing the radio messages of the Rev. R. R. Brown and other services of the air.

Mrs. Carper has gone, but she will long linger in the memory of those of this community where she lived so long. She leaves to her sister and brother, the other relatives and the community at large a blessed heritage of Christian influence that will not perish.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. T. Sawyer, assisted by Rev. W. A. Taylor. A number of her most beloved hymns were sung. A profusion of floral tributes attested the esteem in which she was held by all. Interment was in the East Union cemetery.

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Abstracts of Title

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### STORM BRINGS CAR TROUBLES

The storm of Saturday and Sunday provided the grounds for a number of minor car accidents Saturday night and Sunday. Most of the accidents were caused when cars skidded together on the slick paving. One collision occurred north of this city on No. 75 when a car going north and one south slid into each other and ended in being side by side and broadside of the road. Another tangle south of this city was occasioned when two cars swung into each other and had their bumpers locked. While en route out on a call to look over one of the wrecks Sheriff Joe Mrasek skidded into a curb near the Masonic Home and had one wheel damaged.

## Mildred Hall Returns from California

Plattsmouth Lady Finds Pleasant Time Visiting in the Coast Country.

Miss Mildred Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Hall, arrived home the fore part of this week from a very pleasant visit of four months' duration in California.

Miss Hall was among the four who accompanied her brother, Wilber and his wife to the west coast this summer. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bourne, Mrs. Vernon Arn, Sr., and the Wilber Halls remained for a short time but Mildred's plans called for an extended visit because this was her first trip to the much-talked-about land.

The greater part of the time was spent at Long Beach, where she was a guest at the home of a cousin, Mrs. B. F. Morris and husband. Among other relatives and friends she had the pleasure of seeing and visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Archer, former Plattsmouth residents, who now reside at Arcadia, California, and Mrs. Edith Hall, an aunt, at Los Angeles, with whom Mildred spent much time.

As she traveled about on the west coast she was able to meet numerous former Plattsmouth residents and see many interesting sights and places.

Before starting on her homeward journey, Mildred was able to visit a number of friends and other distant relatives. In Roscoe she enjoyed a visit with Mrs. Wilber Hall's brother.

However, the local lady did not do all of her visiting in one place. In Salt Lake City, Utah she was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hall, in Julesburg, Colorado she met a group of her old friends, and in North Platte, Nebraska, her brother, Robert Hall welcomed her back.

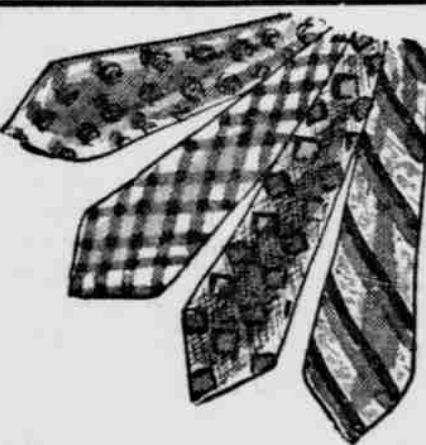
### UNDERGOING TREATMENT

Lee Phillips of this city was taken to Kearney Saturday, being placed in the state hospital at that place. He has a tubercular trace and throat infection that it is hoped the course of treatment will benefit.

## J. Howard Davis

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## Heaviest Snow of Season Visits This Section

Foot of Snow Covers This Section of Cass County and Slows Up Motor and Train Traffic

### From Monday's Daily—

The snow storm of Saturday and Sunday was much heavier than that of Armistice day and was followed by worse drifting than its predecessor. The several inches that fell Saturday and Sunday night were followed by an even heavier amount during last night. A gradually increasing wind velocity through the night took the moisture out of the snow, leaving it light and fluffy and by daylight this morning huge drifts had been formed, with more sifting in on the stiff wind that swept from out of the northwest. To attempt cleaning sidewalks was a waste of time and effort.

Estimates of the snow vary from one to two feet through this section, which served to interfere with travel. Burlington east bound train No. 6 due here at 8:40 did not reach here until 11:30 and then was operated as a double header.

Bus traffic was also interfered with very much. The north bound Interstate due at 6 a. m. reached here at 8:30 from Kansas City, where icy conditions were reported by the driver, turning into snow as he came on northward.

Residents of the country sections were largely kept at home as the snow in many places had drifted the side roads shut, making travel well high impassable.

The snow drifts have worked a great hardship on the rural mail carriers, coming at this busy season of the year when Christmas packages are piling up awaiting delivery.

Reports received here during the forenoon were that the O street road into Lincoln was drifted badly and traffic almost at a standstill.

Slippery conditions along the road from town to the Missouri river bridge caused several cars to skid into the guard rails and some slid on into the ditch and required assistance from the county tractor to get them out.

Local motorists have found the going most difficult, even on the level and chains were necessary in order to get around at all.

Delivery trucks were unable to maintain any sort of schedule, but drivers were doing the best they could in an effort to serve the patrons.

The city force is out bucking the snow with a triangular plow drawn by the truck and a number of similar horse drawn snow plows were being used to clear the sidewalks of their heavy drifts.

### UNDERGOES OPERATION

Mrs. Nellie Shea of this city underwent a very severe operation Tuesday afternoon at the Clarkson hospital at Omaha. She stood the operation in good shape and her condition at the last reports was "fair."

Your order for Job Printing will receive prompt attention at this office.

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### FIRST WARD SCHOOL TO GIVE CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Miss Blanche Hughes, teacher of the First ward school, is arranging a Christmas program to be presented at the Library auditorium Friday evening, December 20, at 7:30. All parents and friends are invited to attend this free program in which the different pupils will take part.

### NOTICE OF PROBATE

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of Henry Gakemeier, deceased. No. 3533:

Take notice that a petition has been filed for the probate of an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of said deceased, and for the appointment of Bertha Gakemeier as Executrix thereof; that said petition has been set for hearing before said Court on the 10th day of January, 1941, at 10 a. m.

Dated this 10th day of December, 1940.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge Cass County, Nebraska.

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### NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of Theodore Starkjohann, deceased. No. 3498:

Take notice that the Administrator of said estate has filed his final report and a petition for examination and allowance of his administration accounts, determination of heirship, assignment of residue of said estate and for his discharge; that said petition and report will be heard before said Court on January 3, 1941, at ten o'clock a. m.

Dated December 9, 1940.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

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Claude S. Wilson, Roy F. Gilkeson, Hymen Rosenberg, Attorneys Lincoln, Nebr.

### NOTICE OF SUIT

The defendants, Edward E. Jones, Nebraska Gas and Electric Company, a corporation, and all persons having or claiming any interest in Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 43 in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass County, Nebraska, real names unknown, will take notice that on the 9th day of December, 1940, R. F. Iverson and Fred W. Bourck, co-partners under the firm name and style of Cass County Motor Company filed their petition in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, against you, and each of you, the object, purpose and prayer of which is to quiet and confirm in the plaintiffs as co-partners as aforesaid, the title in fee simple in and to the above described real estate, and to enjoin and exclude you, and each of you, from setting up or claiming any right, title or interest in or lien upon said above described real estate, or any part thereof, and said petition further alleges that the plaintiffs, as co-partners as aforesaid, and their predecessors in title have been in open, notorious, exclusive, uninterrupted and continuous adverse possession of said above described real estate for more than thirty years last past, claiming title in fee simple to said above described real estate as against all the world.

You, and each of you, are required to answer said petition on or before January 20th, 1941, or the same will be taken as true and judgment rendered accordingly.

R. F. IVERSON and FRED W. BOURCK, co-partners under firm name and style of Cass County Motor Company, Plaintiffs.

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### NOTICE

In the District Court of the County of Cass, Nebraska

The Prudential Insurance Company of America, a Corporation, Plaintiff

vs.

Cassius C. Conn, Executor, et al. Defendants.

To the defendants, Myrtle Lefler and husband Robert Lefler, Kermit Larson, and Wilmer Larson: You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 14th day of October, 1940, plaintiff filed its petition in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, against you and each of you, the object, purpose and prayer of which is to foreclose a mortgage in favor of plaintiff on the following described premises, to-wit:

The north half (N½) of the southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section thirty-two (32), and the northeast quarter (NE¼) of the southwest quarter (SW¼) of Section twenty (20), all in Township twelve (12), North, Range nine (9), East of the 6th P. M., in Cass county, Nebraska, containing in all 120 acres, according to Government Survey

which mortgage is recorded in Book 74, page 561 of the Mortgage Records of Cass County, Nebraska. You are further notified that you are required to answer said petition on or before Monday the 20th day of January, 1941, or your default will be entered and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said petition.

All of which you will take due notice.

THE PRUDENTIAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA, A Corporation.

By—  
Jos. H. Sauer,  
Harold M. Peyton and  
W. A. Robertson,  
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To the creditors of the estate of W. S. Smith, deceased. No. 3527:

Take notice that the time limited for the filing and presentation of claims against said estate is April 14, 1941; that a hearing will be had at the County Court room in Plattsmouth on April 18, 1941, at ten o'clock a. m. for the purpose of examining, hearing, allowing and adjusting all claims or objections duly filed.

Dated December 13, 1940.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

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### NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of Howard J. Richards, deceased. No. 3529:

Take notice that a petition has been filed praying for administration of said estate and appointment of Clifford Richards as Administrator; that said petition has been set for hearing before said Court on the 27th day of December, 1940, at ten o'clock a. m.

Dated November 28, 1940.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

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### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To the creditors of the estate of Mia U. Gering, deceased. No. 3525:

Take notice that the time limited for the filing and presentation of claims against said estate is April 7, 1941; that a hearing will be had at the County Court room in Plattsmouth on April 11, 1941, at ten o'clock a. m. for the purpose of examining, hearing, allowing and adjusting all claims or objections duly filed.

Dated December 6, 1940.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

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### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To the creditors of the estate of Henry W. Taylor, deceased. No. 3521:

Take notice that the time limited for the filing and presentation of claims against said estate is April 7, 1941; that a hearing will be had at the County Court room in Plattsmouth on April 11, 1941, at ten o'clock a. m. for the purpose of examining, hearing, allowing and adjusting all claims or objections duly filed.

Dated December 6, 1940.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

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### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To the creditors of the estate of Edward C. Rummel, deceased. No. 3526:

Take notice that the time limited for the filing and presentation of claims against said estate is April 7, 1941; that a hearing will be had at the County Court room in Plattsmouth on April 11, 1941, at ten o'clock a. m. for the purpose of examining, hearing, allowing and adjusting all claims or objections duly filed.

Dated December 6, 1940.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

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### NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of Mary A. Wehrlein, deceased. No. 3492:

Take notice that the Administrator of said estate has filed his final report and a petition for examination and allowance of his administration accounts, determination of heirship, assignment of residue of said estate and for his discharge; that said petition and report will be heard before said Court on January 3, 1941, at ten o'clock a. m.

Dated December 6, 1940.

A. H. DUXBURY, County Judge.

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### NOTICE OF PROBATE

In the County Court of Cass County, Nebraska.

To all persons interested in the estate of Richard N. Wright, deceased. No. 3532: