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MAGOON AND STAFF LEAVE ISLAND

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are going. They say they are waiting for their friends on the delegation to telegraph them when to go and they intend to appear upon the scene at the psychological moment.

STREET CAR LOUP PLAN BAD

Other Cities Getting Away from Them as Fast as Possible, Says R. A. Lussner.

"Other cities which now have street railway loops are getting away from them as fast as possible," said R. A. Lussner, secretary and assistant general manager of the Omaha & Council Bluffs Street Railway company, in reference to the action of some of the members of the real estate exchange, in recommending that the street railway company change its system of cross town lines to the loop system.

"The disadvantages of the loop system are almost too numerous to mention. The loop system makes a great congestion of cars in the crowded district of the city, and makes a big delay to all cars on every line. If some blockade happens on the loop, either by reason of fire, or a disabled car or a broken-down wagon, the street system is crippled and the cars are held up on every line.

"The best modern accepted practice is to utilize as many of the down town streets as possible, instead of confining the traffic to the few streets which could be used for the loop system. It takes ten minutes longer for a passenger to go from one section of the city to another where the loop system is in use. In Des Moines they are doing away with the loop system as fast as possible, as the people have become heartily tired of it."

FUNERAL OF PIONEER WOMAN

All Children of Mrs. Spiece of Columbus at Service.

COLUMBUS, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special.)—At the funeral of Mrs. Charles A. Spiece from her residence, all her children were present, as follows: Mrs. J. C. Post of Kingsfisher, Okl.; John M. Spiece and Miss Catherine Spiece, Kingsfisher, Okl.; Dr. William M. Spiece, Chicago; Gus B. Spiece, W. I. Spiece, C. B. Spiece and Mrs. M. T. McGahan of this city, besides one brother, Gus G. Beecher, and three sisters, Mrs. Mary Bremer of this city and Mrs. Joseph Miller and Mrs. Laura M. Koenig, both of Omaha.

Mrs. Spiece was married to Charles A. Spiece in 1860 in this city and has lived here ever since. A few years ago her husband, Hon. Charles A. Spiece, was stricken with paralysis, and has since been confined to his home.

News from Peru Normal

PERU, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special.)—Prof. Loomis, head of the department of domestic economy in the Normal, who is away on leave of absence, writes that his report before the Home Economic association on the Peru plan of self-bearing dormitories for the normal is highly received, and that the president of the association commended the plan very highly.

The new plan of registration devised by President Crabtree and Registrar Overholt is working out very nicely. According to the plan it was necessary to allow two or three days between the first and second semester for registration. With the new plan now adopted it is possible to register all the students without any break between the semesters. The older semester will close Friday and the semester work will be taken up next Monday.

The Normal Promoters' club, at a recent meeting, added the names of the following Normal graduates to the list of honorary members: William J. C. Post, North Platte; A. E. Hildebrand, 1901, Grand Island; F. J. Monday, 1902, county superintendent, Beaver City; C. B. Williams, 1902, professor, Peru; M. M. Murphy, 1903, Seattle, Wash.; Forest A. Rodabaugh, 1904, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Fred H. Fisher, 1904, State university, Lincoln; Percy Adams, 1905, Oxford; W. T. Davis, 1905, Beaver City; George N. Foster, 1906, State university, Lincoln; Clifford Hendricks, 1906, professor, Peru; Guy Williams, 1906, Alton; H. H. Kimmick, 1906, Alliance; J. E. Ray, 1906, Grafton; John A. Woodard, 1907, superintendent of schools, Havelock; Earl M. Cline, 1907, Sidney; C. Ray Gates, 1907, Nebraska City; S. J. Knoll, 1907, Blue Springs; and E. K. Hurst, 1907, Falls City.

Louisville Bridge is Open

LOUISVILLE, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special.)—The wagon bridge across the Platte river at Louisville is now completed and will be opened to traffic on Monday, Jan. 29. The bridge is 3,600 feet long and is of heavy pile construction, with thirty-foot bents, and cost \$15,000. The funds being subscribed by the citizens and business men of Louisville, Omaha and Lincoln. It gives access to a territory which for the last three years has been closed. It is intended to make a toll charge after March 1, the schedule to be made public a little later on.

Those most active in the raising of funds and carrying on of the work of this structure were: W. E. Day, J. H. Hickey, F. H. Nichols, T. A. Farnellee and a number of others.

The bridge opens a way for a beautiful drive for automobilists, as the roads leading up to and beyond are in fine shape, and lessen the distance between Omaha and Lincoln by many miles.

It is intended to have a celebration in commemoration of the completion of the bridge at an early date, when all of the residents of Cass and Barry counties and their friends will be invited to participate.

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DOUBLE KNOT, KISSING BEE

Four Happy Thurston Folk Celebrate Nuptials with Smacks.

COUNTY JUDGE LESLIE IS PARSON

Cupid Scores Big Triumph and His Champions Come Properly Arranged in Gay Matrimonial Colors.

It takes more than a little thing to mar the happiness of young and loving hearts. Lambert Engelhart and Ella Fowler, and Mat Engelhart and Ella Fowler desired to be married simultaneously—Ella is Lambert's sister. They desired to have exactly the same time that the nuptial of his brother and her sister were solemnized. A similar desire seized the other three. Accordingly these four journeyed to Omaha from Thurston, where they live, Mr. and Mrs. Ella Calvin Fowler, parents of the bride, accompanying them.

Picking up a half dozen relatives the party first invaded the marriage license bureau in the court house and after Mr. Fowler had given his consent to the marriage of Miss Ella Fowler who is out of the company, augmented by ten or twelve clerks and a few newspaper privates, marched into County Judge Leslie's parsonage.

Lambert Engelhart wore a green necktie and had a red handkerchief tucked into the breast pocket of his coat. His brother's scarf was of red and his handkerchief conversely was of emerald hue. Miss Ella Fowler had on a brown hat, white waist and a brown skirt, while her sister had adopted color scheme of blue.

The elder party were married and Judge Leslie began to read the lines uniting Mat and Ella Fowler. Right here a delay occurred. No one had risen to answer the always unanswered question as to anyone knowing why this man and this woman should not be united into holy wedlock, but the trouble lay in another direction. The numerous relatives were kissing all hands—no lips—around and the second bridal pair just had to congratulate the newlyweds before they themselves were married.

When the ceremony had been finally performed, a second kissing bee proceeded. At length the echoes of smack upon smack after the invariable fashion of couples, died away and the whole party went forth to the wedding breakfast. All sorrow that the wedding had to be so successful and not synchronous was now forgotten. Ah! me.

SEWARD WANTS ODD FELLOWS

Commercial Club Takes Steps to Secure Home of Order.

SEWARD, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special.)—A special meeting of the Commercial club this morning was held last Wednesday evening to consider several important matters. A committee from the local Odd Fellows lodge, consisting of Ray Roberts, W. E. A. Schmidt, Samuel Pence, U. H. Franklin and T. B. Berry, was in attendance to the club to the object and purpose of the Odd Fellows home, which is to be located at some point in the state, and which is seeking a location. President Zimmerman appointed a committee from the club to assist the local Odd Fellows in selecting a proper location for the home. The committee of Odd Fellows comes to Seward to look at the several locations that have been selected that as many citizens as possible go with them. The matter of the controversy between the City Mills and the Ice people was also discussed and George F. Dickman, George F. Cotton and George Hallstrom were appointed a committee from the club to arbitrate the matter between the parties.

The coming of the Union Pacific railroad through Seward was taken up and a committee on resolutions consisting of G. A. Drew, R. S. Norval and Dr. F. A. Marsh reported a resolution which was unanimously adopted, promising patronage for the road.

BOTTLETS TO COME TO OMAHA

State Association Closes Profitable Meeting at Grand Island

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Jan. 28.—(Special.)—The members of the Nebraska State Bottlers' association left for their homes, generally agreed that they had had something of a "cocking" convention. The meeting resolved to take early into effect the good-of-the-order affair, and legislation against the deterioration, adulteration and unwholesomeness of mineral waters, etc., was recommended. From the reports of the various members it plain that the association has been very successful in the state that in certain sections of the state owned by the members were unwholesome or dangerous, whereas it is a well known fact that many of the most prominent physicians of the state have urged the use of carbonated waters and they were used in almost every hospital in the state. Mr. Selzer of Nebraska City was elected president for the ensuing year. C. H. of Fremont, vice president; H. S. Goulding, of Omaha, secretary and treasurer; A. Viergig, of Grand Island, and Chas. Segeike, of Columbus, trustees. Omaha was fixed as the place for the holding of the next state convention. The members generally report their business on the increase.

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GARMENT WORKERS ARE OUT

Employees Call it Lockout, Employer Says it is a Strike.

UNION SHOP THE MAIN ISSUE

Seventy-Five Men and Twenty-Five Women Quit the Novelty Skirt Company, Which Sends for Men.

What 100 garment workers—seventy-five girls and twenty-five men—call a lockout, but what President J. Engleman of the Novelty Skirt company calls a "strike," occurred Thursday morning at the factory of the company in Omaha. The lockout was followed by a meeting and heated discussion among the employees at the socialist hall in Crouse block on North Sixteenth street.

"We are out and we are going to stay out. The Novelty Skirt company cannot get workers in Omaha and the lockout will cost the company thousands of dollars," declared Marie Dickson, one of the girl workers, as she stamped her foot and counted the money in a none too well filled purse.

"The workers went out because they attempted to make this union shop, which it never has been and can never be," said President Engleman. "We have wired men who have applied before for work in Omaha, and within three or four days will have a sufficient force to fill the few remaining orders for spring goods. By March 1, when the work on fall garments begins, we will have a complete new force without taking any of the old garment workers back. The new force will come on and make several desired changes in the condition of our factory."

Proposition Presented.

According to I. Ginsburg, who represented the newly-organized local of the International Ladies' Garment Makers union, he went to the factory early Thursday morning to present a proposition which the workers desired to make, as a local union, to President Engleman. The head of the Novelty Skirt company refused to discuss the matter.

"The proposition which the proposition consisted in asking that the company pay the workers every week instead of every two weeks; reinstate two men who were discharged and raise the salaries of several workers who were doing the same class of work for \$14 per week which two other workers were doing for \$12 per week, simply because two other men in the shop were drawing \$25, such a thing would be unfair and unjust, as the \$14 men made not only inferior garments, but fewer of them than the better paid workers."

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George W. Tucker, of Granville, Staten Island, is among those who have become strong believers in L. T. Cooper. On Wednesday, when interviewed at Cooper's headquarters he said: "A month ago I was a chronic dyspeptic, caused by catarrh of the stomach. Now I am a well man. I came here a month ago, saw this man Cooper, got his New Discovery medicine and started taking it. At that time everything I ate caused gas to form in my stomach immediately. For an hour or so after meals I would be in pain, which would not leave me altogether until nearly time for the next meal. I had to be extremely careful in what I ate, as I could only digest the simplest food. My appetite was very poor and I was nervous and ill-nourished, due to the failure of my food to digest properly. I felt tired and run down and lacked vitality. I did not sleep well, only getting about four hours' sleep a night, and tossing about even when asleep. I would wake in the morning just as I woke out as when I went to bed.

I have been in this condition for a long time and have tried in every way to find something that would help me. I have been discouraged during the past year to such an extent that I did not believe I would ever be well again. I started to take this medicine with very little faith in it, but I thought perhaps it would do me some good for a while at any rate. It has done more for me than I ever hoped it would. I now have a fine appetite and eat anything I choose. I have no longer any gas in my stomach and I sleep well at night. I have gained weight and strength, and no longer have the dull, tired feeling that troubled me constantly for several years. There is no question but that Cooper has a medicine that will work wonders for stomach trouble. It is the only thing I have found that helped me in the slightest."

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