

CONDRA TALKS ON NEBRASKA

Real Estate Exchange of Condition of the State.

HOW TO USE THE RESOURCES

University Professor Points out a Remedy for Erosion, Which He Says, Wastes Too Much of the Soil.

Urging his hearers to line up in sympathy with an all-round development of Nebraska to the extent of establishing industrial concerns to fit the agricultural conditions...

HOPE OF LIFETIME GOES BECAUSE OF EYESIGHT

Youth Applies to Navy as His Eighteenth Birthday, but is Rejected.

The hope of a lifetime was blighted in less than a minute at the navy recruiting station Wednesday morning when Jack Ranner of Chapelle, N. M., was rejected on account of defective eyesight when he applied for enlistment.

Wednesday was Ranner's eighteenth birthday. All his life he has been wanting to join Uncle Sam's blue jackets.

Bright and early on the morning of his birthday he appeared at the Omaha recruiting station, long before the doors were opened.

He was like a child with a new toy when he had the application blank to fill out. His weight was all right when he was placed on the scales.

The eye test came next. In this test he was supposed to read twenty letters at a distance of fifteen feet, first with one eye and then with the other.

But Jack said he would get in the navy if it takes another ten years. He went to an oculist for treatment on his left eye and will remain in the city until he is able to take the test perfectly.

FAREWELL BANQUET TO GENERAL ATTORNEY BELDEN

Friends Gather at the Paxton and Present Him with a Pin

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Young Mothers

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"Sodoasis," New Soda Fountain Room, Will Be Formally Opened

Arrangements All Complete at Sherman & McConnell's Beautiful Surcease Parlor for Thursday.

"Sodoasis," Omaha's newest and prettiest soda water room, will be formally opened Thursday in the basement of the Sherman & McConnell company's drug store, sixteenth and Dodge streets.

It is a roomy, cool and attractive place, where soda fountain patrons of Omaha will find the best surcease from their thirst during the hot days of the summer.

The large room has been arranged in what the owners of the store believe to be an ideal manner. Many soda water rooms are small, and when patronized by many people are congested.

To guard against such a thing the owners of "Sodoasis" made their room large and arranged it so that eighty people can be seated at one time without crowding.

In addition to looking after the crowding of the place the owners have provided for keeping the room cool. One shall be able to drink at this place without feeling the effects of the hot sun, for a delightfully refreshing atmosphere will always be present.

The room also is "fly proof," patrons will not be called upon to "swat the flies." The fountain, of Italian marble and solid mahogany, is the most beautiful in this section of the country.

It is so attractive that one is immediately impressed with its worth. Large French beveled mirrors, located several feet above the floor and back against the wall at the rear of the fountain, reflect pictures of those who sit or stand before the marble counter.

Spreading around the walls of the room are other French plate-glass mirrors in "gun-metal" oak frames. Beautiful oak benches are located below the mirrors. All the woodwork of the room, with the exception of that on the fountain, is of "gun-metal" oak.

Each lady visitor on Thursday will be given a floral souvenir, and for the opening days the fountain room will be decorated in red clover. Entrance to "Sodoasis" is from the main floor of the drug store. Steps lead from this floor at the south side of the room and directly in front of the main entrance to the store.

DISTRICT COURT IN CUMING

Four Divorces Granted During Term Which Closed Tuesday—West Point Notes.

WEST POINT, Neb., May 31.—(Special.)—The adjournment term of the district court in Cuming county, extended over from January has been closed since die. In the case of Nellie Cousins against Ira Felix, a statutory case, a warrant was ordered issued for the arrest of the accused.

The automobile damage case, the first of its kind in the county, wherein Peter Moody sued W. H. Hensel for damages for injuries alleged to be caused by defendant's auto approaching his team without warning, the verdict of the jury was for the defendant. Divorces were granted at this term as follows: To Helene Othoff from Onte Othoff, Emily J. McElhinney from Alton D. McElhinney, William Jugel from Lizette Jugel and Louise Pearl Kroeger from August W. Kroeger.

The two boys who were charged with highway robbery were exonerated by the jury. In the case of the Leo Grotte Manufacturing company of Omaha against Charles P. Putzier a verdict was rendered for the defendant.

Crops throughout the county are showing marked good effects from the periodical rains which have fallen at intervals during the last three weeks. Corn looks well, is of a good color and firm stand. Almost all the crop is up and some of it quite advanced. Small grain could not look better.

Grass is making good growth, as also are potatoes and root crops generally. Gardens are thriving and the prospect is for a bountiful yield of all kinds of fruit, apple trees especially being loaded with fruit. Cherries also will be a large yield, plums not so much so, but taken altogether the year will be marked by an enormous fruit crop.

The marriage of Miss Adele Romberg to Edward C. Miller was solemnized at the home of the bride on Thursday, Rev. G. H. Hemkin, pastor of the German Evangelical church, performing the ceremony. The young people are the children of old settlers and reside on their own farm near West Point.

Mr. Dorothea Meier, an aged inmate of the St. Joseph's Home for the Aged, was found dead in her bed at the institution this morning. She was a former resident of Howell, where the body was sent for interment. Her only son, Joseph Meier, resides at Dodge.

NEWS NOTES FROM FAIRBURY

Mr. Herbert Post and Miss Fern Lett of Lincoln Will Be Married Next Week.

FAIRBURY, Neb., May 31.—(Special.)—Cards have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lett of Lincoln announcing the approaching marriage of their daughter Fern to Herbert Post. Miss Lett is a former Fairbury girl, having lived here for a number of years. She was graduated from the Fairbury high school in the class of 1904. The marriage will take place in the First Presbyterian church at Lincoln, followed by a reception at the bride's home. Quite a number of her friends in Fairbury will attend the wedding, which will be held June 6 at 8 o'clock.

—Captain C. B. Adams of Superior delivered the Memorial day address here Tuesday.

The barbers of this city have organized a base ball nine and played their first game with Jansen. The game was a one-sided affair in favor of Jansen and resulted in a score of 15 to 2.

A change has been made in the management of the Fairbury roller mill. W. H. Lea has purchased an interest in this concern and will take charge June 1.

FUNERAL OF R. B. WILSON

Body of Victim of Indianola Wreck Taken to Milligan, Neb., by His Parents.

OXFORD, Neb., May 31.—(Special.)—The father and mother of R. B. Wilson, one of the victims of yesterday's wreck, whose body was taken off the relief train here yesterday afternoon, arrived last evening from their home at Milligan, Neb. They left with their son's body on No. 4 for Milligan, where interment will be made. The body of James K. MacColl, also here in charge of Undertaker Lee, was shipped on No. 9 this morning to Denver, in accordance with instructions received from his brother at that place.

Low Rates to the East Via Nickel Plate Road.

Chicago to New York and return, \$27.00. To Boston and return, \$35.00. Corresponding low rates to other eastern points. On sale June 1st. Inquire of local agent, or write John Y. Calahan, A. G. P. A., 24 West Adams St., Chicago.

LAD DROWNS AT CARTER LAKE

Sinks While Attempting to Swim Across the Pond.

BODY IS NOT YET RECOVERED

William Kannear of South Omaha Disappears Below the Surface in Sight of Hundreds of Spectators.

William Kannear, aged 17 years, of South Omaha, while swimming in Carter lake near Courtland beach, in full view of hundreds of spectators on the shore and several boating parties, drowned in about twenty feet of water. The accident occurred at 3 o'clock Tuesday night and at an early hour this morning the body had not been recovered.

In company with W. V. Runzel an acquaintance, Kannear was attempting to swim across the lake. He had reached a point opposite the bathing platform, which is on the Iowa and Nebraska state line near the middle of the lake, when he gave a scream and disappeared from view. He was seen to sink by several witnesses on the shore. His companion came to his rescue, but Kannear's body never came to the surface after sinking the first time.

Body Is Not Found. An effort was made to notify William Kannear, the boy's father, but he and his wife had gone for a visit and could not be reached until almost midnight. In the meantime volunteer divers made vain attempts to locate the body. A dredge, under the direction of Officer Garwin, a special policeman, was brought into service, but it failed in its efforts.

Onlookers on the shore thought Kannear was trying to alarm his companions and paid little attention to the noise until he failed to reappear above the water. Officers were notified and boats sent to the rescue. In the big pavilion close by a lively waitz was being played by the orchestra and the happy laughter of the merry dancers was heard above the screams of the drowning boy.

Kannear was employed in the lard department of the Cudahy company. Efforts are being made to locate the body.

CRONK CHARGED WITH ADULTERY BY HIS WIFE

Case is Dismissed by Judge Altstadt for Lack of Jurisdiction.

George P. Cronk was brought before Justice of the Peace Altstadt Wednesday charged with adultery on the complaint of his wife, Cora L. Cronk, but the case was dismissed for lack of jurisdiction. Mrs. Cronk, who had no lawyer, was unable to push the case because the crime is subject to indictment by the grand jury.

Mrs. Cronk alleged in her complaint, which was filed May 27, that her husband had deserted her May 7 and since that time has been living with another woman. Cronk was arrested Tuesday by Constable Middendorf and released on bond by the justice. When the case was brought up, A. W. Jafferis, lawyer for Cronk, raised the point of jurisdiction, and the case was dismissed.

WITNESSES IN AUTO CASE DIFFER ABOUT THE SPEED

One Woman Declares Car Driven by Smedley Was Making Forty Miles an Hour.

That the machine which ran down and killed little Harry Drefs last summer was going at the rate of forty miles an hour was the testimony of one witness Wednesday morning in the Smedley trial. Carl E. Rundell, a contractor and real estate dealer, is charged with manslaughter for the death of the Drefs boy, as the driver of the automobile.

Mrs. Veretta B. Paxton, 235 Hamilton, was the witness who put the speed at forty miles an hour. In this estimate, however, she stood alone, the other witnesses testifying to a rate at between twenty-five and thirty miles. The lawyers for the defense are inclined to scoff at Mrs. Paxton's testimony, pointing out the fact that the accident occurred while driving up a steep hill.

Other witnesses who swore to the lesser speed were: Mrs. Lucy Talbot, 2515 Hamilton street; William E. Werley, 2618 Hamilton street; Floyd L. Swift, 2626 Hamilton street, and Henry Finkle, 1412 North Thirty-first street.

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