Activities in Nebraska and Iowa Cities During Past Week

Social Activities Over Nebraska

Supper and Bazar.

Nelson, Neb.—At their annual supper and bazar, held in the Presbyterian church, the women of the Public Library association were given splendid patronage. The net results were $135 added to the treasury. These funds will be used in defraying the incidental expenses.

Revue Is Popular.

Anselmo, Neb.—"Atta Boy" minstrel and musical revue, given under the auspices of Joseph Palmer post, American legion of Broken Bow by a company of 60 Broken Bow young people in the Anselmo community theater, attracted a capacity house and was well received.

Community Christmas.

Anselmo, Neb.—Christmas exercises will be given as a community affair at the Community building on Christmas eve. The training of the children and young people who will take part has been going on for a week.

Care for Needy.

Wymore, Neb.—Mrs. T. M. Weirman, Mrs. G. B. Johnston, Mrs. Clarence Griffin, assisted by several other women have organized to take care of the sick and needy of the city during the winter months. They are now engaged in preparing boxes of clothing, candy and toys for a number of poor children at Christmas time.

Christmas Pageant.

Cambridge, Neb.—The Sunday school of the First Methodist Episcopal church is at work on a pageant to be given at the Christmas season.

Plan Arms Conference.

Aurora, Neb.—The 400 club of the First Christian church is planning a mock limitation of armament conference for the next meeting on December 21. All of the leading characters at the big conference will have their doubles at this meeting and the great questions will be argued with enthusiasm.

Lectures at Church.

Aurora, Neb.—At the First Christian church, Charles W. Wood gave his lecture on "Picked Up on the Road." Mr. Wood gave the entire receipts of the lecture to the building fund of the church. In the course of his lecture, Mr. Wood recited many of the poems of which is the author.

M. W. A. Election.

Albion, Neb.—The Modern Woodmen elected officers as follows: T. M. Edgar, counsel; B. E. Moorehead, advisor; R. T. Flotree, banker; H. E. Halstead, clerk; C. Niemeyer, watchman; O. Berney, sentry; W. H. Wathen, escort; S. B. Moorehead, trustee for two years.

High School Orchestra.

Superior, Neb.—The high school orchestra under the direction of Amelia Schwar, music supervisor, has made several public appearances here.

Library for Gordon.

Gordon, Neb.—The Gordon Woman's club has raised nearly $200 by means of a series of library teas and now have about $800 available for a public library which they expect to house in the city hall. Mrs. Joe W. Leedom is president of the Woman's club.

Plan Municipal Tree.

Ord, Neb.—The Campfire Girls have begun arrangements for a municipal Christmas tree. The two camps are under the guardianship of the Misses Twila Cowman and Eleanor Aden, teachers in the schools.

Legion Auxiliary Election.

David City, Neb.—At the regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary Mrs. H. B. Coe was re-elected president, Mrs. C. E. Beede, vice president; Miss Hazel Dean Simpkins, secretary; Mrs. Garth Osterhout, treasurer, and Mrs. Robert Riddle, historian. The women of the Auxiliary are making plans to send Christmas boxes to hospitals for ex-service men.

Hold Joint Program.

Odell, Neb.—Thursday evening the American Legion and the public schools gave a joint program at the opera house, which was largely attended. Judge Messmore of Beatrice gave an address.

D. of H. Officers.

David City, Neb.—The Degree of Honor elected the following officers: Chief of honor, Mrs. Nellie Rünyon; lady of honor, Miss Cecilia Newell; chief of ceremonies, Mrs. L. Green; recorder, Mrs. Mollie Duncan; financier, Mrs. Nancy Weite; treasurer, Mrs. Otto Wustrack; usher, Miss Olga Straka; watches, Mrs. Fred Maule and Mrs. Wm. McGaffin.

Legion Elects Officers.

Columbus, Neb.—Members of Hartman post No. 84, American Legion, at their annual meeting elected new officers as follows: Commander, Herbert H. Hahn; vice commander, George T. Lowman; Adjutant, Phil Hockenberger; executive committee, Fred Lanz, Dr. J. North Evans and Martin Stenger.

Shenandoah Legion Elects.

Shenandoah, Ia.—James Ahlgren has been elected commander of the Shenandoah post of the American Legion. W. J. Traynick is vice commander, Milo Griffin, adjutant; Harry Day, finance officer; Paul Ferguson, historian; Rev. W. G. Harding of Farragut, chaplain; Charles Burdick and Thomas Murphy, members of the executive committee. Following the election a street parade with a band at the head was staged.

High School Carnival.

Chappell, Neb.—The high school carnival cleared $130. Mrs. F. S. Copeland directed a special vaudeville program. Many concessions and the juvenile minstrel band gave a real carnival atmosphere.

Doctors Elect Officers.

Beatrice, Neb.—At the annual meeting of the Gage County Medical society the following officers were elected: President, Dr. A. H. Feteh; vice president, Dr. H. R. Brown; secretary, Dr. C. J. Reilly. Dr. C. S. Curry was chosen a delegate to the state convention.

Organize Pythian Sisters.

David City, Neb.—Mrs. Ella Conner of Central City, grand chief of the Pythian Sisters, was in David City and organized Gold Leaf Camp No. 42. There were 29 charter members. Officers were: Cecilia Selhorn, past grand; Nellie Hinds, most excellent chief; Mayme Hewit, excellent senior; Gretta Mcdaffin, excellent junior; Julia Day, manager; Alta Pechek, mistress of records and correspondence; Antonnette Paytinger, mistress of finance; Fannie Hahn, protector; Mable McDonald, guard. Mrs. Cecilia Selhorn will be representative to the grand temple, which meets in Lincoln in May. A drive for new members for both the Pythian Sisters and Knights of Pythias will be held.

Legion Names Officers.

David City, Neb.—New officers of the Kregger post, American Legion, David City, are M. A. Shaw, post commander; Fred Stafford, vice commander; John Littler, second vice commander; Harry Crouse, adjutant; Robert Riddle, treasurer, and Dr. R. O. Rich, chaplain. A campaign for new members for the Legion is being held. The post has been divided into two groups to conduct the campaign. The losers will entertain the winners on January 16. The present membership of Kregger post is 107.

Choir Plans Cantata.

Superior, Neb.—The choir of the Methodist church will give a cantata December 18. Mrs. J. A. Christenson, elocutionist, will be the reader.

Business Activities

Roger Huston Davis.

Grand Island, Neb.—Roger Huston Davis, 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Davis, died at the home following a week's illness of diphtheria. Besides the parents, three brothers and two sisters survive. Funeral services were held in the home, Rev. C. J. Christiansen officiating.

Mrs. Ambra P. Baker.

Grand Island, Neb.—Mrs. Ambra P. Baker, 76, a resident of Hamilton county, died at the home of her son, near Phillips, after a brief illness. Funeral services were held in the home of her son, being in charge of the pastor of the Methodist church of Phillips.

Josiah Brown.

Grand Island, Neb.—Josiah Brown, 72, farmer, residing about two miles north of the city, died at his home following an illness of about one year. He is survived by his wife.

Royce Junior Plummer.

Grand Island, Neb.—Royce Junior Plummer, 18 months old, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Plummer of Farnum, died at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. C. P. Bristow, in this city. The little fellow slipped and fell into a wash boiler filled with boiling soap suds, while the mother of the child was busily engaged at the home in doing the family wash. He was brought to this city for medical attention. The body was taken to Wood river for burial.

William L. Madden.

Grand Island, Neb.—William L. Madden, 82, former librarian at the Soldiers home at Burkett, died at that institution following a brief illness. He is survived by his aged wife. The body was taken to Marysville, Mo., for burial.

Mrs. Steve Hoelting.

Nelson, Neb.—Mrs. Steve Hoelting, 60, died at her home in St. Stephens precinct. She was an early settler of this county.

S. W. Beam.

Beatrice, Neb.—Funeral services for S. W. Beam, 86, pioneer of Gage county, were held in the First Christian church, conducted by Rev. M. Lee Sorey. He was the father of 15 children, 13 of whom are living.

Werner Glur.

Grand Island, Neb.—Werner Glur, cigar maker of this city, died in an Omaha hospital. He had been in poor health for two years. Burial was at Columbus.

Robert Johnson.

McCook, Neb.—Robert Johnson, an early settler of Valley Grange precinct, this county, died in this city.

M. A. Pardue.

Ord, Neb.—After but a few days illness, M. A. Pardue, one of Ord's early pioneers, died at his home here. Funeral services were held in the M. E. church.

Bert Gletty.

Beatrice, Neb.—Bert Gletty, 46, who had been a sufferer from paralysis for 15 years, died at his home at Cortland. He is survived by his wife, who is postmistress at Cortland, and three children.

W. E. Greene.

Sioux Falls, S. D.—W. E. Greene, owner of the packing plant building operated for some time in this city by the Wilson company, is dead at the family home here. He was largely instrumental in Sioux Falls becoming a packing center.

Archibald Hershey.

Beatrice, Neb.—Archibald Hershey, 48, formerly of this city, died in New York City. He lived in Los Angeles, Cal., and was on a business trip in the east when stricken. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Hershey, old residents of Beatrice. The body was brought here for burial.

M. H. Weeks.

Fairbury, Neb.—M. H. Weeks, 80, one of the first settlers in Fairbury, died at his home here. Mr. Weeks is survived by his widow. He came here in 1870 and established a lumber yard before there was a railroad in Fairbury, the lumber being hauled overland until 1872 when the St. Joseph & Western railroad was built. Mr. Weeks retired from business about 15 years ago.

Mrs. Evaline Warren.

Nelson, Neb.—Mrs. Evaline Warren, 83, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. W. Cole. Mrs. Warren was a native of Michigan, and came to Nelson 35 years ago.

Nels Larsen.

Ord, Neb.—Nels Larsen, Ord pioneer, died here after several months illness.

Mrs. Daniel Doyle.

McCook, Neb.—The body of Mrs. Daniel Doyle arrived from Denver. Mrs. Doyle was one of the earliest settlers of Red Willow Creek, this county.

John Cloud.

Nelson, Neb.—John Cloud, 64, pioneer resident of this county, died in Chicago, where he had been visiting a daughter. The body was brought home for burial. Four sons and one daughter survive him.

A. D. Brown.

Fairbury, Neb.—A. D. Brown of Fairbury, who was injured at Kensington, Kan., when his automobile run into a ditch died and his body was brought home for burial. Mr. Brown was a pioneer of the Steele City neighborhood, where he was an extensive farmer. A few years ago he came to Fairbury to retire. He is survived by his wife, a daughter, Mrs. Thad Shepherd and two sons, Harry and Wesley.

Rev. John Richards.

Syracuse, Neb.—Rev. John Richards, a retired Baptist minister well known in southeastern Nebraska, having came to Otoe county in the early '80s, died at his home here after a long illness. He served as pastor of the Baptist church in Syracuse for a number of years, afterward being pastor at Milford and other Nebraska towns. He served as supply pastor for several years in western Nebraska and South Dakota. He is survived by his widow and two children.

Pearl Smith.

Upland, Neb.—Pearl, the 7-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Smith, died of scarlet fever. She had been sick but one week. Another little girl is sick. This is the second death from this disease in this community.

Noah O. Gwin.

Grand Island, Neb.—Noah O. Gwin, 84, a member of the Soldiers home, died at Burkett. Besides his wife, three sons survive. The body was taken to Laurel for burial.

Mrs. Clara Braden.

Geneva, Neb.—The funeral of Mrs. Clara Braden, 78, was held in St. Joseph Catholic church.

Fred Elmer Fodge.

Grand Island, Neb.—Fred Elmer Fodge, 46 of Merna, died at a hospital in this city. A blood transfusion was resorted to in an effort to save the man's life, in which his wife submitted to the operation, but the effort was futile. The body was taken to his home at Merna for burial.

Joseph Roundtree.

Sturgis, S. D.—Joseph Roundtree, 72, was found dead in bed at his son's home on a ranch near here. He was one of the pioneer residents of Black Hills.

Mrs. George Moss.

Nelson, Neb.—Mrs. George Moss died here. She was an active worker in the church and community welfare. She leaves her husband and three boys and two girls.

Mrs. Charles Bonsack.

Shelton, Neb.—Mrs. Charles Bonsack, wife of a well known farmer, died in a hospital in Grand Island following an operation. Mrs. Bonsack had been a resident of the community for more than 20 years.

W. S. Myers.

Calloway, eNb.—W. S. Myers, a former resident of Custer county, died at Big Horn Basin, Wyo.

Martin Nebe.

Atlantic, Ia.—Martin Nebe, 77, pioneer shoe merchant of Glenwood, is dead at the home here of his son, Frank M. Nebe, Atlantic shoe dealer. The aged man's death was hastened by injuries sustained recently when he fell at his home. Mr. Nebe was born in Schleswig in 1844. He came to America in 1866, settling in Glenwood soon afterward. For a number of years he conducted a shoe repairing shop, later entering business as a merchant.

John H. Davis.

Watertown, S. D.—John H. Davis, 63, a prominent retired pioneer farmer of this part of the state, died as the result of an attack of heart failure while he was milking his cows at the family home in Watertown. He had been a resident of South Dakota for 41 years.

Beatrice Garage Sold.

Beatrice, Neb.—Frank Kelso, who has operated a garage here for a number of years, has sold his place of business to James Smethers, who has assumed charge. Mr. Kelso has not yet decided where he will locate.

Discontinue Luncheons.

Superior, Neb.—The luncheon of the commercial organization of Superior will be discontinued until after the holidays. The average attendance for the fall and early winter has been 47. Adam Breede, editor of the Hastings Tribune, will be the speaker Monday at the last luncheon.

Plan Highway Improvements.

Superior, Neb.—A committee from the commercial club of Superior was in joint session with committees from Guide Rock and Red Cloud and the county commissioners of Webster county. Plans were made for the improvement of the Golden Rod highway.

Railroad Man Promoted.

Beatrice, Neb.—Announcement has been received here that F. H. Faus, formerly employed with the Rock Island company at this point, but who has been located at Colorado Springs for a few years, had been appointed generll agent. Mr. Faus worked for a number of years for the company at Council Bluffs and Omaha.

Change Sales Managers.

Beatrice, Neb.—H. E. Antrim, for a number of years assistant sales manager of the Dempster company here, has been transferred to Kansas City to become manager of the branch house plant there. He succeeds R. E. Tipton, who has been transferred to Denver as branch house manager. H. S. Tyir, manager at that place, comes to Beatrice to take the position of assistant sales manager.

New Filling Station.

Geneva, Neb.—A new filling station is being erected on a principal corner of the business section of town. Charles J. Warner has purchased the corner. The frame building now standing will be moved to the back of the lot and used as a battery station. The filling station is to be of a modern type with a tank holding two car loads of gasoline. The finish of the structure will be pebble-dash. The entire corner will be paved with cement.

Bank Promotes Employee.

Sidney, Neb.—J. L. McCarthy, who has been employed by the American Bank of Sidney for three years, lately as assistant cashier, has been elected cashier to succeed E. D. McAllister, who resigned to accept the secretaryship of the Wyoming Finance corporation. Frank G. Schroeder and Henry C. Hansen have been elected assistant cashiers of the same bank. They have both been associated with the bank for about the same length of time in the capacity of clerks.

Ice Plant Fails.

Sidney, Neb.—The Sidney Artificial Ice & Cold Storage company has been placed in the hands of a trustee by the creditors. This plant was built two years ago and has had a struggling existence ever since. R. H. Rogers was named trustee and Charles Semerad will remain as superintendent.

Commercial Club Election.

Wilber, Neb.—At the annual meeting of the Wilber Commercial club the following were elected officers: Anton Novak, president; J. J. Novak, vice president; Stanley Hoffman, secretary; Joseph Cerny, treasurer; Directors, Anton Novak, E. J. Prucha, Fred Zvoneck, Alois Slepicka and E. J. Spirk.

Doctor Sells Practice.

Table Rock, Neb.—Dr. Charles G. Zimmerer, who had been engaged in the practice of medicine for the past few years at DuBois, has sold his practice to Dr. A. Robertson of Washakie, Wyo.

Syracuse Legion Officers.

Syracuse, Neb.—Massie-Richards post No. 100, American Legion, chose the following officers: Ferd H. Reuter, commander; D. L. Johnson, vice commander; Art Dinges, adjutant; Willard Stong, treasurer; Ray S. True, chaplain.

Favorable Year for Church.

Beatrice, Neb.—H. Williamson, treasurer of the First Christian church, reported $6,342.20 collected during the past year and $6,419.25 paid out. The treasury has a balance of $356.20. All departments were reported to be in good condition. Rev. M. Lee Sorey is pastor. The ladies of the church served a banquet before the meeting.

Kiwanis Club Officers.

Beatrice, Neb.—The Kiwanis club elected the following officers: President, H. E. Sackett; vice president, F. W. Messmore; treasurer, R. B. Clemens.

Home Talent Play.

Aurora, Neb.—The Christian Endeavor society of the Christian church gave the play, "Fun on the Podunk Limited." This is the first number of the "Home Talent Lyceum Course," given by the different organizations of the church. The Eaolian orchestra will give their annual concert January 16, as the second number of the course.

Rotary Club Entertains.

Aurora, Neb.—The Rotary club will entertain the foot ball boys to a dinner December 28. There will be 34 guests, the annual party of the Rotary club will be held at Highlander hall on January 25. This party will be a "hard times" party.

Friend Woodmen Elect.

Friend, Neb.—The following named officers were elected at the regular meeting of the M. W. A.: D. M. Spence, V. C.; A. A. Reifschneider, W. A.; Hans Madsen, ex. B.; W. J. Piehenour, escort; A. McFarlane, clerk; William Samuelson, watchman; Ira Trimmer, sentry; Albert Wood, manager. The annual banquet and social good time will be held January 10.

Discontinue Bus Line.

Beatrice, Neb.—Henry Johnson, who has been operating an auto bus line between Beatrice and Wymore, has discontinued the service. Lack of business is given as the cause.

Organize Drug Company.

DeWitt, Neb.—The DeWitt Drug company, a new enterprise, has started business in the Cross block. This firm manufactures and sells a full line of stock food.

Bankers Organize.

Broken Bow, Neb.—About 50 bankers from over the county and nearby towns met and organized the Custer County Bankers' association, the territory embracing Custer, Thomas, Blaine and Loup counties. The officers elected are: R. B. Walker, Mason City, president; A. T. Phillips, Sargent, vice president; Ray Kuns, Broken Bow, secretary-treasurer. A banquet was served at the Public Service club rooms.

Builds Filling Station.

Superior, Neb.—A. S. Anderson of Superior has started constructing a filling station at Guide Rock, he oil station is on a prominent corner and on the Golden Rod highway.

Will Open Store.

York, Neb.—J. Kram has made arrangements to open a general merchandise store in the only vacant store room in the city.

Plan Sales Barn.

Superior, Neb.—The possibilities of the erection or the purchase of a community sales barn is being considered by the Commercial club of Superior. A committee visited the sales pavilion of Red Cloud.

Enlarge Clothing Store.

Superior, Neb.—The addition built to the Bates & Cramer company building has been completed and these clothing merchants are increasing their stock and occupying the added room.

Bid on Paving.

Pawnee City, Neb.—Bids for paving the streets of Pawnee City were opened. Sixty-three men interested in the bids, all from out-of-town, were present.

Plan Filling Station.

Pawnee City, Neb.—An oil company will erect an up-to-date filling station, contemplating one of the prettiest buildings for such a purpose in this section of the state. It will be operated by Will Patrie, a local business man.

Depositors to Get Money.

Table Rock, Neb.—The Community State bank of Table Rock, which is now in the hands of a receiver, announces that all claims of $128 and under will be paid by Receiver Dan J. Reilly December 30. Claims above that amount will be paid a little later.

Officers for Park.

Table Rock, Neb.—Stockholders of the Cromwell Lake park met at DuBois and elected the following officers: Ed H. Hunzeker, president; Francis Kesher, vice president; A. H. Droge, secretary; George Droge, treasurer. It was decided at this meeting to proceed with the park next summer on a bigger scale. Extensive improvements were planned.

Improve Water System.

Loup City, Neb.—Work is being rushed on the water main improvements. About three blocks of four-inch main is being taken up and six-inch main laid in its place. Several more blocks of six-inch main is being laid, as well as long extensions of four-inch main. The new well is now down about 120 feet and will soon be completed. It is planned to pump directly into the mains, using an electric motor for power. The present wells and reservoirs will also be used.

Re-Elect Old Officers.

Madison, Neb.—The annual meeting of the Midson County Agricultural society was held in the city hall and officers were re-elected as follows: Henry Sunderman, president; George F. Kolzow, secretary; M. S. McDuffee, treasurer. The directors named were Joe Reeves, Sterling Trine, John Volk, Tim Presce and C. A. Randall.

Madison Legion Election.

Madison, Neb.—At the annual meeting of the American Legion the following officers were elected: L. A. Johnson, commander; vice commander, Kenneth H. Strother; adjutant, A. C. Schmidt; treasurer, Alden Jones; executive committee, Joseph Cardio, Richard Upton, Roy Carson, Ben Carson and Thomas Kielty. A drive has been commenced for the enlistment of new members. The Legion hall will be redecorated.

Family League Election.

Columbus, Neb.—D. J. Rankin was re-elected chairman and E. M. Pace, secretary of the local branch of the Union Pacific Family league. During the past year the league spent $3,000 in relief work in Columbus. Mr. Rankin will represent the organization at the division meeting of the league in Omaha December 15.

Community Christmas Tree.

Liberty, Neb.—A general committee consisting of J. T. Briggs, Charles Manley, H. Shannon, H. Kretchmer, R. C. Wilsey, G. C. Hull, Mrs. E. E. Wilson, Mrs. L. F. Eberhart and D. Vasey has been selected to prepare a community Christmas tree with a program and gifts for everybody. Six school districts tributary to Liberty will join in the program.

Ord Legion Frolic.

Ord, Neb.—The Ord post of American Legion feel very grateful over the financial as well as the social success of their first annual legion frolic. The three days program brought in about $1,300, $750 of which will go to the treasury of the post. Plans are already under way for next year's program which will be entirely different in its program and purpose. The feature of this year's frolic were the bargain sales by the merchants, the official opening of the new court house and the demonstration of the new fire truck.

Surprise Road Builder.

Aurora, Neb.—Frank O. Jenison, highway commissioner for Hamilton county, was the surprised host of about 30 of his former neighbors of Deepwell precinct in honor of his seventieth birthday. Mr. Jenison was at one time county commissioner of Hamilton county.

Bazaar is Success.

St. Edwards, Neb.—Three hundred dollars was the net result to the "Willing Workers" of the Ladies Aid society of the Methodist church here at a bazaar. Their church pie supper is an institution in this section, and was a part of the night's program. The proceeds go toward paying off the pledge of the Willing Workers for the cost of the new church.

Band Enlistmne Members.

Wymore, Neb.—Members of the Wymore band executed a surprise party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Roubinek in honor of three of their members, Messrs. Raymond, Cloyd and Lambert Roubinek, who with their parents will soon move to Muleshoe, Tex.

High School Chautauqua.

Friend, Neb.—Friend High school chautauqua company gave programs at DeWitt and Wilber. The company is composed of a number of students who have ability to entertain in some line.

W. R. C. Election.

Blue Springs, Neb.—The Woman's Relief corps has elected the following officers: President, Mrs. Agnes Mower; senior vice, Mrs. N. A. Madison; junior vice, Mrs. Mahala Wilson; treasurer, Mrs. Lillian Davidson; conductor, Mrs. Florence Page; outside guard, Mrs. Emma Cavebeer; color bearers, Mrs. Kate Jones, Mrs. Mable McGinnis, Mrs. Nellie Connard and Mrs. Emma Dawson. Delegate, Mrs. Kate Jones; alternate, Mrs. Florence Page; installing officer, Mrs. Emma Cavebeer.

Legion Names Officers.

Pawnee City, Neb.—The Thomas Little Post, American Legion, elected the following officers: Post commander, James Young; vice commander, Arthur Davis; adjutant, Wayne Eckard; finance officer, Charles Tracy; sergeant-at-arms, John Florys; athletic director, James Daugherty; historian, J. Harold Wilson; executive committee, Charles Luta, chairman; Elmer Witte, Paul Kirkpatrick, Lee Bason and J. Harold Wilson. Arrangements were made for an American Legion basket ball team.

M. W. A. Election.

Blue Springs, Neb.—The Modern Woodmen have elected the following officers: R. F. Wade, venerable consul; Will Marples, advisor; George Harpster, banker; R. Fritz, clerk; John De Rock, watchman; Jordan Snyder, sentry, and J. M. Felwell, escort.

Maxwell Legion Election.

Maxwell, Neb.—The Ft. McPherson post of the American Legion elected the following officers: Commander, H. B. Olson; vice commander, J. B. Snyder; adjutant, F. P. Dolan; chaplain, E. H. Kerr; finance officer, William L. Roberts; sergeant-at-arms, Thomas C. Rasmussen; athletic officer, Arthur Burke.

Launch Community Club.

Gordon, Neb.—At a meeting in the city hall steps were taken for the organization of a Gordon Community club. A membership committee was appointed consisting of business men and farmers and the organization will be completed at a banquet in two weeks. Road work to be considered will be the establishment of a co-operative marketing association for potatoes, a public library and better roads.

Bakery Changes Owners.

Pawnee City, Neb.—The Miles Bakery company of this city has sold out to Herman Bruner of Kansas City. Mr. Bruner is a baker with 20 years' experience and will do his own baking.

Grocery Firm Dissolved.

Albion, Neb.—The grocery firm of Whiting & Marlele has been dissolved. Clyde Marlele taking over Whiting's interest. Mr. Whiting is considering opening up in a different kind of merchandising in the spring.

Bankrupt Stock Sold.

Fairbury, Neb.—The bankrupt stock of Paul C. Huber, involving a little more than $10,000, was sold in bulk to J. E. Portwood of Nelson. The stock will be closed out here by retail.

Reappoint Manager.

Beatrice, Neb.—J. J. White has been appointed manager of the Filley Farmers' union general store for another year. He is assisted in the management of the place by Mrs. White.

Consolidated Lumber Yards.

Anselmo, Neb.—Two lumber yards, which have been in operation here for many years, have consolidated. The J. H. Melville Lumber company, who operates a string of yards along the Burlington, traded one of their yards in another place for the Dierks yard in this place. The Dierks Lumber and Coal company owns a long string of yards in Burlington territory.

Bank Head Retires.

Cedar Rapids, Neb.—W. A. Snare has sold all his interests in the S. S. Hadley Company bank at Cedar Rapids and retired from the vice presidency and active management. Stewart S. Hadley, cashier, is now active manager. The bank is one of the oldest in the state, with resources of $400,000.

Many farmers throughout the country are finding it to their advantage commercially to give their farms attractive names that can be used in connection with marketing their products. Providing the quality of the product is kept up, a reputation is quickly established for the farm and the commodity that makes the name of real worth in dollars and cents, when it comes in competition on the market with other products. The name becomes in time a real asset to the owner and has a money value much like the good will in other kinds of business.

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Syracuse, Neb., Dec. 17.—(Special.)—During the month of December, precinct meetings will be held throughout the county for the purpose of electing officers and appointing committees for the year. These meetings are open to all people living within the various precincts.

North Palmyra people met at District No. 8 to hear Dr. Francis of the federal bureau of animal industry, explain the area plan of tuberculosis work. About 30 were present and several signed the agreement to place their herds on test. Election of officers resulted as follows: Ben Malben, chairman; Mrs. George Lanning, vice chairman; Ernest Lindholm, secretary.

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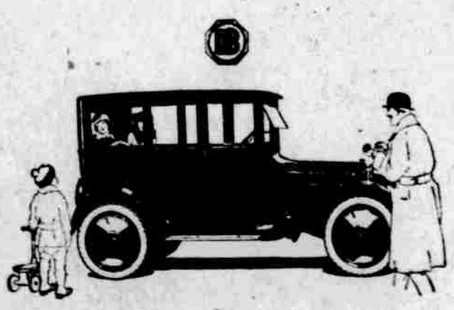

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From hundreds of voluntary praises of our service, picked at random:

J. Clarke Coit, President of Lee-Coit-Andreesen Hardware Co. says:

"—the frank and clever manner in which you handle your service situations makes me a more enthusiastic admirer of the Cadillac and your policies than ever."

We strive to render a service worthy of the wonderful car we sell.

J. H. HANSEN CADILLAC CO.
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An Information Bureau on Bearings

We are specialists in servicing bearings. Garage-men and Motorists are invited to come to us for any information concerning the care or replacement of New Departure, Timken or Hyatt bearings.

Omaha Branch,
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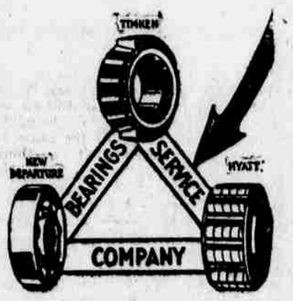

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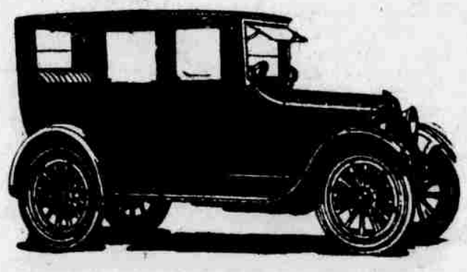
Make This a Christmas They Will Ever Remember

You know what they most desire of all things in the world—a Reo Open or Closed Car—a cozy, companionable Sedan, Coupe or Touring Car.



Of all the gifts they ever have received at your hands—this gift of a "Reo Six" will please them most and live longest in their memory.

If you see us now—at once—and place your order, you can have their Sedan, Coupe or Touring Car at the door Christmas morning.

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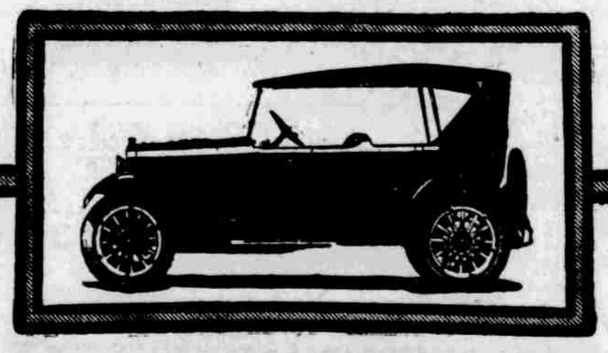
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