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A son was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sisco of 1614 Scott.

All dental offices in the city will be closed after 1 p. m. on Saturdays until Sept. 1st. j14tf

Mrs. Eastman of Sterling, Colo., is in the city the guest of her brother, Dr. C. P. Fall and family.

Mrs. Elton Wheelock and Mrs. Stratford returned this morning from a visit with Wymore friends.

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Judge H. A. LaSelle has returned from a business trip to Osborn county, Kans., where he owns farming interests.

Mrs. Frank Newell of McCook formerly of Wymore, has returned home after a visit in this city with Mrs. Frank Ostendorf.

Mrs. B. E. Ogg, who was operated upon some weeks ago at a local hospital, is improving nicely and has been removed to the home of her sister in this city.

Mrs. Anna Beeton, formerly of this city, has returned to her home in Chicago after a several week's visit with Beatrice friends.

The Blue Springs Sentinel states that the Farmer's elevator at that place received over 2,500 bushels of corn last week for which it paid the farmers over \$2.00 per bushel.

The Terry dressmaking school will be opened at Virginia in August so those interested write for further particulars at once to Miss A. E. Trz, Grand Island. j21tf

The sewing school will be opened at Virginia at Mrs. Sarah Thornton's place. For further particulars write or call there for Miss A. E. Trz. at16

M. V. Nichols left this morning for a Sunday visit with his daughter, Mrs. Walter S. McLucas and family at Kansas City. Mrs. McLucas will accompany him home for a stay of several weeks here.

Dr. F. F. Gaither of Chanute, Kan., formerly pastor of Centenary M. E. church of this city, arrived in the city this morning to conduct the funeral of the late Miss Emma Schaeckel, held this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. L. J. Griesel of Univesity Place, who came down last evening to attend the funeral of the late Miss Emma Schaeckel, was compelled to return home this morning. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Chapman of East Ella street.

C. L. E. Blausen, pioneer resident of the Diller vicinity and a former member of the legislature from Jefferson county, has rented his farms in the Diller neighborhood and is preparing to move to Lincoln with his family. Mr. Blausen is well known in Beatrice.

Leo Holmes, a Wymore resident, snagged a catfish at Blue Springs Friday evening which weighed thirty-one pounds after it had been cleaned. The fish gave Mr. Holmes quite a tussle and he only succeeded in landing it after a bystander had come to his assistance.

C. E. Hogate was a Lincoln business visitor today.

Miss Martha Stutmer went to Fremont this morning for a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Henry K. Gaeth.

The Dr. Mary Longdon mission circle will meet at the Christian church Monday evening at 7:45 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Miller, residing near Pickrell, autoed to Lincoln this morning, where they spent the day.

The Beatrice Municipal band will give a concert Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Nichols park, West court street.

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Chas. Avey went to Plattsmouth this morning on business connected with the Lincoln Telephone & Telegraph company.

Miss Eva Lee, who has been visiting in this city with her aunt, Mrs. S. A. Welch, left this morning for Denver and other points in the west.

The advisory board of the Y. M. C. A. will hold its monthly business meeting Monday afternoon, Aug. 6 at 2 o'clock in the association office.

Wm. Twombly went to Omaha this morning to purchase a stock of paint for the G. O. Rains shop, which is to be run in connection with the Rains garage.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Salts and children left this morning for a visit of several days at Logan, Ia., with the former's brother, H. R. Salts, formerly of Beatrice.

Mrs. Mary Moschel left this morning for a visit of several days with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Graff, formerly of this city but who now resides in Omaha.

Mrs. Wm. Mann and daughter Miss Charlotte of Omaha, who have been visiting in the city with the former's daughter, Mrs. J. C. Trautwein, for the past week, returned home today. They formerly resided in this city.

Ed and Virgil McGirr Friday closed a deal for the purchase of the Andy Rogers farm of 200 acres, located two and a half miles west of Odell. The farm is well improved. The consideration was \$20,000.

Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Stouffer and Mrs. Emma Fultz of Gordon, Nebr., who were called here by the death of the late Mrs. C. H. Priece, left for their home this morning. They made the trip to Lincoln by automobile, accompanied by Mr. Pice and daughter, Miss Mae. Mr. Stouffer and Mrs. Fultz are brother and sister of the deceased.

The picnic committee is holding frequent session now arranging the program for the 21st annual fraternal picnic to be held at Diller Thursday, August 16th. They have engaged the Beatrice band and arranged for a balloon ascension, and invitations for patriotic addresses have been extended to Hon. Chas. E. Matson, of Lincoln and Gen. John C. Hartigan of Fairbury. Of course there will be a merry-go-round and other attractions as usual.—Diller Record.

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E. A. Antrim, a member of the city mail carrier force, accompanied by Mrs. Antrim, left this afternoon for a visit with relatives at Tobias and Lincoln.

The dedication of the Hanover German Lutheran church occurs tomorrow. There will be services in the morning, afternoon and evening. Quite a large number of Beatrice residents expect to attend the afternoon services.

Miss Margaret Cox arrived in the city last evening accompanied by her nephew and niece, Joe and Lillian Webster of Vermont, Ill., to spend the summer with her sister Mrs. J. Cady. Miss Cox has spent the summer at Vermont.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McLucas of Fairbury, well known in this city, have gone to Houston, Texas, where the former has accepted a position with a ship building company. Mr. McLucas, who has been assistant cashier of a bank at Horbine, is a brother of W. S. McLucas, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Nichols of this city.

Miss Anna and Oscar Lundberg of Manhattan, Kans., who have been visiting in the city with their sister, Mrs. D. C. Warren, returned home this morning. Mrs. Warren accompanied them for a Sunday visit and to bid good-bye to her brother, George, who is a member of Company I, Kansas National Guard, which organization mobilizes tomorrow.

The Spiegel-Overland company report eight deliveries during the past week, the new Overlands going to the following: John Schuster, Beatrice, big four touring; Bud Crook, Filley, Willys-Knight; John Blaker, Barneston, light four touring; Frank Beck, Odell, County Club; Henry Rucker, Steinauer, Willys-Knight; John Engler, Beatrice, light four touring; H. A. Spencer, Barneston, light four touring; William Jones, Beatrice, big four touring.

This week marks the middle of the threshing season, with machines busy in many neighborhoods. Both wheat and oats are turning out exceeding well, considering the poor prospects after a hard winter. The yield of wheat runs from 20 to 25 bushels with an occasional field such as Bud Crook's making as high as 30 bushels. Oats run from 35 to 60 and 70 bushels. At the prevailing high prices the farmers have every reason to feel satisfied.—Filley Spotlight.

George M. Morey, a former Gage county resident, died Saturday of last week at his home in Pleasanton, Ia. He was sixty-five years of age. He was for years a resident of Blakely township, moving to Iowa about fifteen years ago. He was a brother-in-law of E. Rossiter of DeWitt. Sidney Rossiter, Miss Hattie Rossiter and Mr. and Mrs. Parther Dolen of the DeWitt vicinity attended the funeral services, which were held at Pleasanton Monday.

M. W. Ryan of Barneston, defendant in a suit filed against him recently by his mother, Margaret Ryan, who seeks to set aside a deed by which she conveyed to him a valuable farm near Barneston, filed his answer to the petition of the plaintiff in district court Friday afternoon. The defendant, who is represented by Rinaker & Kidd, alleges as his defense that the farm was not conveyed to him with consideration but that he agreed to care for his mother during her natural life to the extent of at least \$400 per year, and that he had carried out his part of the agreement, advancing \$400 toward the care of the plaintiff. He alleges that she made her home with him from January, 1917, until May, when she left his home. He admits, also, that he suggested to her that she take treatments at a hospital. He asks that the case be dismissed at the cost of the plaintiff.

Notice to Farmers and the Public. Automobiles coming to Beatrice, not wishing to let the cars stand on the street, can store them at Brubaker's, 212 South Fourth street for 10 cents. Everything is safe. j16tf

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Regular monthly meeting of the Kilpatrick Hose company Monday evening at 8 o'clock at department headquarters.

M. E. Spencer and wife and Clyde Quintance and wife of Barneston were Beatrice visitors Friday afternoon.

A marriage license was granted this afternoon to John Trauble, aged twenty-two, and Miss Stella Hubbard, eighteen, both residents of this city.

Marriage licenses were granted this afternoon to Chas. C. Shanek, thirty of Odell, and Julia A. Matthews, 26, of Wymore; and to John Pommier, twenty-three, and Maude Luella Jones, twenty-six, both of Holmesville.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Henry Rice was held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family home near Odell. The services were conducted by Rev. V. F. Clark, pastor of the Congregational church of Beatrice, and the funeral was one of the largest held in the Odell vicinity for many years. Music was furnished by a quartet composed of Miss Kennedy, Mrs. Andy Elliott, Scott Layton and F. E. Leuhart. Interment was made in the Odell cemetery.

Wm. Palmer and wife and Auctioneer Kinney of the Liberty vicinity were Beatrice visitors today. Mr. Palmer is well known throughout this section of the country as a breeder of thoroughbred Aberdeen-Angus cattle. He sold twenty-one head last spring at an average of \$300 per head. He is now feeding 100 head. Commenting on the corn situation in the Liberty vicinity, he is of the opinion that the crop is gone, but asserts that he will be able to feed his cattle in spite of that fact.

Italian Press Demands Repudiation of Scheme For Slavic Kingdom

Rome, Aug. 4.—Vigorous demand that the Allies repudiate the report or plans for a southern Slavic Kingdom, was made in the Italian press today.

All newspapers saw in the foreign minister's visit to London a governmental protest by Italy against any such scheme. The southern Slavic kingdom, it was asserted, had been tentatively decided on at a meeting at Korfu.

One newspaper declared that the honor of the Allies' promises to Italy was at stake and insisted that Italy's partners in the war would weaken Italy's fighting strength by creating such an absurd kingdom.

Beatrice Restaurant Man Pleads Not Guilty of Arson Charge

George Smith, proprietor of a restaurant at 314 Court street, appeared in justice court before Judge Ellis this afternoon at 2 o'clock to answer to a charge of arson filed against him by Harry F. Requaite, deputy state fire warden.

Smith entered a plea of not guilty and his preliminary hearing was set for Tuesday morning, August 7 at 9 o'clock. Bond was fixed at \$300, which he furnished.

Smith's arrest followed the investigation of a fire discovered in his restaurant at 314 Court street last Sunday night, the fire being extinguished before much damage had been done. Smith was examined by the deputy fire warden and strenuously denied knowing anything about the fire.

Beatrice Young Man And Popular Steinauer Young Lady Wed

Vernon Shoup, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shoup of 704 South Tenth street this city, surprised his many friends this morning by arriving home with a bride in the person of Miss Hannah Rinne of Steinauer to whom he was married at Pawnee City Friday by County Judge Reill.

The groom is a popular young resident of this city and is in the employ of the Rock Island railroad company as a member of one of its bridge gangs. His bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rinne and was born at Pawnee City.

The young couple will make their home in Beatrice. Both have a host of friends who wish them a happy and prosperous married life.

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Omaha Judge Rules That Liquor Seized Illegally Not Evidence

Omaha, Aug. 3.—That liquor secured in an illegal manner by the police is not admissible as evidence in a trial for violation of the prohibition laws is the effect of a decision handed down this morning in South Side police court by Judge Madden.

"Since the police officers admit that they entered the homes of these people without a search warrant and seized the liquor without any right, I can do nothing but discharge the defendants," said the judge. "I agree with the attorney for the defense that the prohibition law and the constitution of the United States guarantee the inviolability of a man's dwelling."

C. F. Connolly, attorney for Daniel Filiph, 2423 P street, and for George and Mary Such and Daniel and Mary Covry, 5320 South Twenty-eighth street, is responsible for injecting a new subject for dispute in the already tangled mass of prohibition litigation.

Sergeant Sheahan of the South Side police force was testifying in police court yesterday morning that he had searched the home of Filiph and the Sals and Covrys, all of whom are Rumanians. "Just a

minute," interrupted Attorney Connolly. "Did you have a search warrant sergeant?" Sheahan was forced to admit that he had not.

Judge Madden ruled that the police had exceeded their authority in searching the homes without first securing a search warrant. This agrees with a recent decision of Judge Fitzgerald to the same effect. But Judge Fitzgerald did not rule as to the admissibility of presenting in court as evidence the liquor secured by the police in this illegal fashion. He merely ruled out the verbal testimony of the police as to what they saw when they had entered the dwelling illegally.

Decisions handed down by United States and state courts were adduced by Attorney Connolly, as well as the fourth amendment to the United States constitution, to the effect that documents secured illegally by the government were inadmissible as evidence.

That the new ruling will enormously increase the difficulty of enforcing the prohibition law was the forecast of Captain Briggs and other police officers.

Every girl thinks if dueling were popular she would cause a lot of bloodshed.—Atchison Globe.

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