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THE JEWELER.**

**The Semi-Weekly Tribune.**

FRIDAY, AUGUST 31, 1900.

Frank Edmonds returned yesterday from a trip to Grand Island.

Mrs. W. R. McKeen, Jr., returned from the east Tuesday night.

Mrs. G. W. Jones and son returned this morning from a visit in Colorado City, Col.

E. B. Warner received a number of cots and camp chairs today for the accommodation of visitors to the street fair.

Miss Ethel Evans, who had been spending a couple of months with friends in Portland, Oregon, returned home last night.

Miss Irma Cody went to Columbus this morning where she will be the guest of honor at a dancing party to be given this evening by the Misses Chambers and Prof. Garlich. Miss Cody will return tomorrow.

The committee on free amusements has been given an additional seventy-five dollars, making the total appropriation six hundred and twenty-five dollars. This money has been well invested by Chairman McKeen, and the program which he proposes giving the people is pronounced much superior to the Grand Island program.

J. G. Todd, editor of the Gandy Pioneer, was in town Wednesday enroute to Omaha.

The committee on concessions announces that it has granted space to thirty-one concessionaires, eight of which are tent shows which have from four to twelve performers each. This with the free street performances ought to furnish sufficient amusement for the crowd.

W. T. Denn, of Brownville, arrived in town last night and will attend the shooting tournament next week. Mr. Denn, though eighty-six years old, is a good trap shooter and will make many of the young shooters "go south." He is perhaps the oldest man in the state to handle a gun.

Go-carts to close out at twenty per cent below selling price.

GINN & WEINGAND.

The chicken season opens tomorrow and a dozen or more local men are making preparations today to get an early start in the morning. Chickens are said to be fairly plentiful this season, and as they have been hunted but little, sportsmen ought to experience no difficulty in bringing in liberal numbers tomorrow.

There has been placed on exhibition at Streitz's drug store a box of Alberta peaches grown on Gus Anderson's orchard at Grand Junction, Col., that we are safe in saying are the finest ever seen in North Platte. They are of such size that two of the largest weigh a pound. Gus' orchard is beginning to bear in good shape, and with ordinary luck it will prove a money-maker for him.

The seventh annual convention of the Frances E. Willard gospel temperance association recently held in the church in Garfield precinct, proved a very interesting one. Morning and afternoon sessions were held, an intermission being taken at twelve o'clock to permit the attendants to partake of a basket dinner. Seventeen signed the pledge. The officers for the ensuing year are: A. S. Gregg, president; W. H. Jenkins, vice-president; Mrs. Geo. H. Hughes, secretary, and E. L. Caress, treasurer.

Miss Grace Evans, who had been visiting her uncle John E. Evans for a couple of weeks, returned to her home in Kenesaw, Neb., this morning.

One hill farmer brought in twenty bushels of wild plums this morning, from which we should judge that fruit to be very plentiful in the canyons.

A new grand stand 20x40 feet is being erected at athletic park, and is so constructed that it can be easily moved from the trap shooting grounds to the baseball diamond. It is much needed at the latter place to accommodate the audiences which assemble every game.

Doolittle will have Conetti for the Street Fair.

The secretary of the street fair committee has been authorized to correspond with Passenger Agent Lomax in regard to running a special train from Grand Island to North Platte next Thursday. Some time ago Mr. Lomax wrote the committee that such a train would be run on a guarantee of \$350.00, and that the fare for the round trip would be \$2.50. The committee now wants to know if the latter rate will apply to all stations between the Island and Kearney and including Kearney. If this be the case the committee will probably put up the guarantee.

A new enterprise which had its birth in this city a few days ago is the Eureka Stock Food Company, composed of John Bratt, E. R. Goodman and E. N. Manzer. As the name indicates, this company manufactures a food for hores, cattle, hogs and sheep, and while the food has been used by the individual members of the firm for a long time, it is only recently it has been manufactured for sale. Although on the market but a short time a number of strong recommendations have already been received by the manufacturers. The food is manufactured in the city, the Bratt building on Locust street being used for that purpose, and tons of ingredients used in the food have been purchased. Stockmen and farmers who attend the street fair next week should purchase a sample package of the food and test its goodness.

C. P. Davis left this week for Laramie where he has secured a position as clerk for the Union Pacific company.

Business men and citizens generally should unite with Chairman Edmonds in his efforts to have the streets appropriately decorated. If the proper assistance is given him, the city can be made to present a very pretty appearance.

During the year ending August 31, 1896, Ed Searle the well known real estate dealer of Ogalalla, sold 320 acres of land. During the year ending July 31st, 1900, he sold 37,700 acres. This is just another prosperity item.

We're not finding fault because you do not trade here. You don't know how much better we can serve you than other stores, that's all. Those new fall and winter shoes are all ready. Prices \$1.35, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50 and 3.00 Selling W. L. Douglas's Shoes and Dr. Reed's Cushion Shoes.

STAR CLOTHING HOUSE.

Arthur Plumer came down from the ranch on the Birdwood yesterday and went to his home at Maxwell this morning. Owing to the great number of flies during the warm weather, which greatly annoyed the cattle, steers are not in very good condition, and Mr. Plumer will not begin making shipments until the middle of October.

The sparring exhibiton booked for the opera house on Saturday evening of next week between Dick Moore of St. Paul, and Jimmie Nahan of Des Moines, will prove a very clever handling of gloves, and is attracting the attention of sports in all parts of western Nebraska. Two interesting introductory exhibitions between local boxers will be given prior to the main event.

During the past few days the tennis players have been indulging in a series of games with a view of ascertaining who are the best players, and the two winning the most games will represent North Platte in the series of singles and doubles to be played with the visiting players who will be here next week. It will require all this week to determine the two best players.

T. C. Patterson has been spending the past day or two in Omaha.

Mrs. Mary Knott, of Lincoln is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Carter.

The first consignment of oysters were received by the local dealers this morning.

Miss Genia McGovern went to Omaha last night to visit friends for a couple of days.

Miss Minnie Distell returned home Tuesday evening after a two weeks' visit at Chappell.

M. K. Barnum and brother came up from Omaha this morning, and will go out after prairie chickens tomorrow, the first day of the chicken season.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bacon returned last night from their trip to Portland, Me., where they went a month ago. Their visit in the east proved very pleasant.

Doolittle will have all kinds of ear splitting horns for the Street Fair.

H. B. Fleharty came up from Lexington this morning and will devote the day to transacting legal business and inquiring into the political conditions in Lincoln county.

Bishop Graves has appointed Rev. W. S. S. Atmore of Kearney archdeacon of the jurisdiction of Laramie. Mr. Atmore has been in charge of St. Luke's church at Kearney for about two years.

A small electric light plant has been constructed for use during the street fair, and will be given a test this evening. It will not illuminate a very large part of the city, but the territory it does cover will be well lighted.

Doolittle will have decorations for the Street Fair.

Already there are a number of fakirs in town, some of whom are beginning to peddle their wares. Of this class of fellows there will be large numbers next week, and the air will be filled with their bellowing voices.

The school board will hold its regular monthly meeting next Monday evening, and among other business transacted will be the selection of a teacher to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Jennie White.

**Railroad Notes.**

Record Broken.

For the twenty-four hours between 7 a. m. yesterday and 7 a. m. today ninety-seven refrigerator cars were iced at the plant in this city. The amount of ice consumed was 167 tons.

This breaks all previous records for twenty-four hours both as the number of cars iced and the amount of ice used.

Operator Hood is entertaining his brother, who resides in Toledo, Ohio.

Manager Gilman, of the telegraph office, is taking a brief vacation and the position is being filled by B. L. Robinson.

Wm. Jeffers is again working a trick in the dispatchers' office, having been off but three days. His friends are glad to see him in his accustomed place.

The icing business has been so heavy the past few days that the thirty-five men composing the ice gang have been working twenty hours at a stretch.

Two more Baldwin consolidated engines, No. 1631 and 1632, came in from the east this morning and later in the day were started out for the Wyoming division.

Geo. W. Vroman who had been spending some time in Omaha consulting with the U. P. officials in regard to matters affecting the engineers, returned home this morning.

Some of the steel coal cars are being fitted with sideboards, thus increasing their carrying capacity to fifty tons. Some of the train men are wondering what the tonnage of cars will reach within the next ten years if the increase in the future keeps pace with the increase during the past ten or fifteen years.

**Notice to Hunters.**

Any violators of the game laws in the vicinity of Hershey will be prosecuted. Farmers will please notify the undersigned of any one shooting prairie chickens or quail during the closed season.

THE HERSHEY GUN CLUB.

# WILCOX DEPARTMENT STORE.

## GROCERY DEPT.

- Diamond C Soap, 9 bars for.....25c
- Pearline per package.....04c
- Kingsfords Silver Gloss Starch.....08c
- Kingsfords Corn Starch.....08c
- Walter Baker's Cocoa 1/2-lb tin.....25c
- Walter Baker's Chocolate 18c, 2 cakes.....35c
- Kerosene Oil per gallon.....15c
- Army Axle Grease 2 boxes.....15c
- Monarch Axle Grease 2 boxes.....15c
- Frazier's Axle Grease 2 boxes.....15c
- Sewing Machine Oil per bottle.....05c
- Battle Ax Tobacco per plug.....35c
- Horse Shoe Tobacco per plug.....45c
- Star Tobacco per plug.....45c
- J. T. Tobacco per plug.....20c
- Arbuckles Coffee 13c, 2 packages.....25c
- Lion Coffee 13c, 2 packages.....25c
- Bee Coffee per package.....14c
- Bogota Coffee per package.....18c
- Cream of Wheat per package.....15c
- Table Salt 2 sacks.....05

## CROCKERY DEPT.

- 100-piece English Dinner Set.....\$ 7.00
- 100-piece Dinner Set..... 8.50
- 100-piece Dinner Set..... 11.00
- 100-piece Dinner Set..... 12.00
- 100-piece Dinner Set..... 13.00
- 100-piece Dinner Set..... 15.00
- Toilet Sets.....\$2.25 to 10.00

## HARDWARE DEPT.

- Single Barrel Shot Guns.....\$6.00 to \$7.00
- Double Barrel Shot Guns.....\$11.00 to \$18.25
- 1900 Model Winchester 22-calibre Rifle.....\$4.50
- A full line of Iver Johnson Revolvers.....
- 32 C. F. Smith & Wesson Cartridges per box.....55c
- 38 C. F. Smith & Wesson Cartridges per box.....65c
- 22-Short R. F. Cartridges per box.....15c
- B. B. Caps per box..... 15c
- Smokeless Powder, Kings, Shultz, E. C. and Dupont per lb.....65c to 75c
- 12-Gauge Loaded Shells per box.....45c
- 10-Gauge Loaded Shells per box.....50c

## HARNESS DEPT.

- Hame Straps,
- Breast Straps,
- Halters,
- Bridles,
- Sinches,
- Saddles,
- Team Harness,
- Good Quality Team Harness, 1 1/2-inch double and sewed tug, 1-inch 18-foot lines, 1 1/2-inch breast strap, 1 1/2-inch pole strap, 3/4-inch hip strap, bridles, 3/4-inch cheek, sensible blinds, round winker stays, round reins, wool faced thong sewed collars, per set.....\$23.00.

## SHOE DEPT.

We have everything that can be desired in this department. Style, Wear and Price so combined that every pair we sell means a permanent customer. Seeing is believing.

## DRESS GOODS DEPT.

- 36-inch Wool Sacking per yard.....25c
  - 50-inch Wool Sackings per yard.....50c
  - 36-inch Cheviots, good quality, per yard.....50c
  - Black Goods from.....10c to \$2.00
- We have everything new in the market, Cheviots, Venetians, Prunella Cloth, Broadcloth, French Flannels, Henriettas, Crepons, Silks, etc.

## DRY GOODS DEPT.

- L. L. Muslin per yard.....05c
- Indigo Blue Print per yard.....05c
- 36-inch Percal per yard.....07c
- Ouling Flannel per yard.....05c
- Ouling Flannel per yard.....10c
- Canton Flannels per yard.....5c, 10c and 12 1/2c
- Mottled Flannels per yard.....10c
- Cotton Batting per roll.....5c, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c

## UNDERWEAR DEPT.

- One Lot Men's Heavy Canton Flannel Shirts, each.....20c
- One Lot Men's Heavy Fleece Lined Underwear, each.....35c
- Men's All Wool Underwear, each.....\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50
- Misses' Union Suits, each.....25c
- Misses' Union Suits, each.....50c
- Ladies' Union Suits, each.....50c
- Ladies' Union Suits, each.....\$1.00, \$1.35, \$1.75
- Ladies' Good Ribbed Underwear, each.....25c
- Ladies' Extra Ribbed Underwear, each.....50c

## ODD PANTS.

- One Lot Wool Pants per pair.....\$1.25
  - One Lot Heavy Wool Pants per pair..... 2.00
  - One Lot Corduroy pants per pair..... 2.00
- You will pay from 50 cents to \$1.00 more for these elsewhere.

## Notion Dept.

- Slate Pencils 6 for.....01c
- Envelopes per bunch.....03c
- 30 Sheets Writing Paper.....05c
- Full Count Pins per paper.....02c
- Curling Irons, any size.....04c
- 25 Darning Needles.....05c
- Knitting Needles per set.....03c
- 50-yd Corticelli Sewing Silk per spool.....04c
- 100-yd Corticelli Sewing Silk per spool.....08c
- J. & P. Coats Thread per spool.....04c
- Imported Saxony per skein.....08c
- Imported Ice Wool, large balls 13c, 2 for.....25c
- Picot Edge Baby Ribbon per yard.....01c
- Satin Baby Ribbon per yard.....01 1/2c
- Cotton Tape per roll.....01c
- Vaseline per bottle.....05c
- Thimbles each.....01c
- Hat Pins per dozen.....05c
- 8-inch Metal Back Horn Comb, each.....08c
- Idvisible Hair Pins per box.....02c
- Small Agate Buttons per gross.....05
- Size 2 Canfield Dress Shields per pair.....25c
- H. B. Embroidery Cotton per spool.....02c
- Arm Bands per pair.....04c
- Peerless Carpet Warp, White, per lb.....18c
- Peerless Carpet Warp, Colored, per lb.....20c
- Velveteen Skirt Binding per yard.....03c
- S. H. & M. Skirt Binding per yard.....08c
- Hays Waterproof Skirt Binding per yard.....08c
- Bone Underwear Buttons per dozen.....02c
- New Idea Patterns, all kinds, each.....10c
- Large sponges each.....10c
- Small Chamios Skins each.....05c
- Medium Chamios Skins each.....10c
- Large Chamios Skins each.....25c
- Sunrise Alarm Clocks each.....85c
- Table Oilcloth per yard.....20c

Everything marked in plain figures and sold at one price for cash only. Produce taken in exchange for goods in any department.

# WILCOX DEPARTMENT STORE,

NORTH PLATTE,

NEBRASKA.