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Mrs. Ed Heinze and children left last night for a visit in Denver.

Hershey Welch went to Omaha on business last night, after having spent the early part of the week in Sidney.

Remember Saturday is the last day of the sale at Wilcox Department Store.

Geo. Field, P. A. White and F. R. Ginn have been in Omaha for several days combining business with pleasure.

J. B. Samuels, who formerly owned a ranch south of Sutherland, is in town today, having arrived from Iowa last evening.

Chris Paulsen has returned to an Omaha hospital to receive treatment for the trouble he has been experiencing on his neck.

The ladies of the Baptist church will hold an exchange at Howe & Maloney's store tomorrow. Pies, cakes, bread, etc., will be on sale.

The discount sale at Wilcox Department store closes Saturday night.

Dr. C. D. Stannard leaves Sunday for Casey, Iowa, where he will open a dental office. Mrs. Stannard will follow as soon as the doctor gets located.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Stebbins Tuesday, January 12th, at 3 o'clock. A fine program and interesting time for those who will be there, has been prepared.

Thos. E. Jeffers, Chas. Sandall and C. F. Temple will represent the North Platte fire department at the state firemen's convention to be held at Norfolk January 19th, 20th and 21st.

Miss Edith Patterson goes to Sidney Sunday where on Tuesday she will be bridesmaid at the wedding of a young lady who was a member of the same "frat" at the state university.



Ruth White in "The Burgomaster."

C. A. Howe left this morning for his homestead north of Oshkosh.

Mrs. Henry Gilfoyl is visiting in Omaha, leaving for that city yesterday.

For Rent—Room in modern house. Inquire at 404 West Fourth street.

Miss Lydia Malmsten left for Lexington this morning after a two weeks visit with North Platte friends.

Mrs. Emma Turpie and two children, who had been visiting relatives in town returned to Golden, Col., this morning.

Commence the New Year right by insuring your property with Bratt & Goodman, the leading insurance agents.

For Sale—Magic Eye Glass Cleaner, by Miss Harriet Boyerle, Dressmaker, Over McCabe's drug store.

At the meeting of the Episcopal guild yesterday afternoon Mrs. John Day was elected president. Mrs. Ira L. Bare secretary and Mrs. W. J. Stuart directress of the work.

Have you got your Dust Pan? See Birge.

Tickets for the fourth number of the lecture course, The Elma B. Smith Co. are on sale this week and may be reserved at the box office of the Theatre Monday morning, January 11th.

There will be no preaching services at the Presbyterian church next Sunday. Sabbath school and Christian Endeavor as usual. There will be preaching however on the 17th, 24th, and 31st. Secretary.

The Union Pacific has sent a number of civil engineers out into the extreme western part of this state and into Wyoming. This is another "straw" indicating that the Union Pacific will build the North Platte-Medicine Bow cut-off this year.

Saturday is the last day you can save 20 per cent on your purchase.

WILCOX DEPARTMENT STORE.

In the county court this morning Tim Rafferty was placed under \$200 bonds to keep the peace, the complainant being Clarence Crawley. The men had a dispute over some corn, and Crawley says Rafferty threatened him with both a knife and gun. The parties live in Medicine precinct.

The Coterie Club was pleasantly entertained Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Wm. Stegall. In the card games which constituted the amusement feature, the first prize was won by Mrs. Earl Davis and the second by Mrs. Maggie Hall. Enjoyable refreshments were served at the close.

Don't Get A Divorce.
A western judge granted a divorce on account of ill temper and bad breath. Dr. King's New Life Pills would have prevented it. They cure Constipation, causing bad breath and Liver Trouble the ill-temper, dispel colds, banish headaches, conquer chills. 25c at Stone's drug store.

Overburdened With Memory.
"Your son tells me that he is going to take lessons to cultivate his memory."
"I hope not," answered Farmer Corn-tassel. "He can remember every fool tune that was ever whistled."—Washington Star.

Quite Light.
Marie—I think Chollie is a delightful dancer. He's so light on his feet! Lillian—When you're better acquainted with Chollie you'll discover that he's light at both ends!—Town and Country.

An acre in Middlesex is worth a principality in Utopia.—Macaulay.

F. L. Rork, who had been visiting his wife in Missouri since before Christmas, returned home last night.

Henry Waltemath will fill his ice houses from the Frazier lake. The work of harvesting the crop began today.

A special collection will be taken at St. Patrick's church tomorrow for the earthquake sufferers in Sicily and Calabria.

E. R. Goodman went to Oshkosh today to adjust a fire loss which one of Bratt & Goodman's companies had suffered.

It is announced from Cheyenne that the Union Pacific will again put on its car of instruction for the education of its employes in the handling of air brakes, in signals, and the heating and lighting of coaches.

It is expected that the annual passes to the Union Pacific employes will be issued next week. The older employes will receive transportation good over the entire system, others on the Wyoming and Nebraska divisions, and still others on the division in which they are employed, the transportation being based on the length of the service.

The State Journal enthusiastically remarks that "one may now walk from Virginia to the Mississippi river, taking a southwestern direction without touching an inch of territory where liquor may legally be sold in saloons." The comment was inspired by the fact that North Carolina, Alabama and Mississippi have, since January 1st been added to the states in which it is illegal to sell liquor in saloons.

"Popularity" is surely the sign of "The Burgomaster". Never in the history of this comic opera success has it proved so popular as the present season. Manufacturers all over the country are recognizing the sterling worth of the word "Burgomaster", and salted peanuts, cigar, whiskey, chocolates, bon bons, neckwear and shoes are all named after "The Burgomaster." Manager Stamp has secured this musical gem for Thursday evening of next week.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Education last Monday an invitation was extended to Dr. Quigley to give an address before the teachers of the city on school sanitation. Dr. Quigley has consented and the date has been set for Tuesday, Jan. 12th, at 5 p. m. All persons interested in sanitation and hygiene are welcome to attend. Special emphasis will be given to the matter of cleaning buildings and apartments, and janitors and others having charge of this important work will be interested and helped.

At a joint session of the house and senate yesterday Ashton C. Shallenberger, democrat, was inaugurated governor of Nebraska. George L. Sheldon, retiring governor, in a message reviewed the legislation of the last two years. The inaugural ball and reception took place last evening. Governor Sheldon, in his message, suggested a law for "sterilization of confirmed criminals and the criminally insane" as a protection to society. He also suggested a rigid county option law.

On Wednesday of next week, January 13th, the fourth number of the Lecture Course will be given in the Keith opera house. This is the Elma B. Smith Co. of Chicago. There are four people in the company and they are all artists. Miss Smith herself is an impersonator; that is she is one of those ridiculous mimics which we enjoy hearing as long as they do not mimic us. She imitates children, birds, animals, etc., in an irresistible manner. We cannot make it strong enough by using words but must ask you to come and hear her.

The tuberculosis exhibit at the Masonic hall closed Wednesday evening, and Mr. Cosper will take the exhibit to Kansas City today. The attendance throughout the week was not as large as the subject and the completeness of the exhibit deserved, this to some extent being due to lack of interest because of the infrequency of tuberculosis in our midst. Tuesday and Wednesday practically all the pupils in the high school building above the fifth grade were present. Those of our citizens who viewed the exhibit were much interested, and it is probable that as a result many will profit by what they learned.

Week's Break Up a Cold Tablets.
SCHILLER & CO., Family Druggists.

Since the announcement that the famous "Roney's Boys" are to give a concert in this city on January 19th, there has been unusual interest shown in the personnel of the lads who have astonished critical audiences in the largest cities with their artistic rendering of classical music. The boys seldom have more than a rudimentary knowledge of music when they are placed under Mr. Roney's instruction. They are chosen for their natural gifts of voice, ear, temperament and sympathetic acceptability to emotions inspired by the words and music. Unerring and exacting rehearsals do the rest. They are taught to understand the dramatic meaning of their songs, and gain intelligent conception of them by explanation and illustration. The boys appear here under the auspices of the Ladies' Guild.

Arthur Hale, chairman of the car efficiency committee of the American railway association, told the members of the traffic club at Chicago that he did not like to "knock" the prosperity gospel, but more than 200,000 idle freight cars did not spell prosperity. The number, he said, was almost exactly what it was last year at this time. Mr. Hale declared he hoped the railroads would have a car shortage by the latter part of 1909. He was unable to report much progress in his efforts to get the railroads to pool their freight cars. He insisted, however, that a car pool was bound to come, as it was the only economical manner of handling freight car equipment, and would reduce the sharpness of future car shortages.

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January Clearing Sale

At The Leader beginning Monday,
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On every dollar's worth of goods bought in our store. This applies to everything except Queen Quality and Red Cross Shoes

25 Per Cent Discount on Ladies' Cloaks and Furs.

Our spring line of Laces and Embroideries, Insertings, French Gingham, Prints of all descriptions, Percales and Muslin Underwear are all in and a discount of twenty per cent will also be given on these goods.

This discount applies for cash only. As this sale only continues for ten days we would suggest that the buyers visit our store as early as possible.

THE LEADER,

JULIUS PIZER, Prop.

The Burgomaster.

Harry Hermesen accompanied by Fraulein Ruth White will be welcomed back to town at the Keith theatre next Thursday surrounded by a company which is promised to be of superior excellence. These stars will be seen in a big production of Pixley & Luder's musical masterpiece, "The Burgomaster". Mr. Hermesen will be seen as Peter Stuyvesant, the jolly old one-legged Governor of New Amsterdam who is buried while trying to escape hostile Indians and who is dug up 200 years later in the City Hall Square in New York, and Miss White, as Willie, the gay youth who takes him around town. The music of "The Burgomaster" is what has made it the greatest musical comedy success of the times. It is a high quality, but popular and perhaps no two songs have been more widely whistled and sung than "The Tale of the Kangaroo" and "I Love You". The story of the play is as follows: Peter Stuyvesant, Governor of New Amsterdam, wishes to be released and sent back to Holland. The Indians and the English are pressing him; they ask for concession which he is unable to give; he and his secretary Doodle Von Kull, prepare a keg of drugged liquor for the Indians, but drinking too freely of it themselves, they fall asleep. Two hundred years later they wake up while workmen are digging a trench in the City Hall Square, New York. Their experience in the metropolitan city can be imagined. They meet a glided youth, Willie, who shows them the town; a crook who fleeces them, a theosophist, who claims the Burgomaster as her former husband and scores of other types. The entire costuming and scenery for the present production of "The Burgomaster" have been made especially for this big revival and entirely different from all former presentations.

A Fable.

Once Upon a Time there was a Young Man who met Two Nice Girls, who were Constantly Together. Now, he was an Astute Young Man, and he desired to say Something Pretty and Agreeable to the Ladies, but he knew that if he paid a Compliment to One of them, No Matter which, the Other would be Hurt.
So he Thought Rapidly for a moment, and then he said:
"Ah, I know Why you Two Girls are Always Together!"
"Why?" asked the Two Girls.
"Because Everybody says that A Handsome Girl Always Chooses a Homely One as a Companion, So That Her Beauty may be Enhanced by the Contrast."
After Such a Remark, either Both Girls would be Angry with him or Delighted.
And what Do you think Happened?
The Two Girls Blushed and said he was A Flatterer and went their way Together, each Happy for Herself and Sorry for the Other.—London Answers.

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