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Our holiday line is as complete as it is fresh and desirable. It contains a great variety of goods and appropriate presents for everybody's needs.

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A sure sign of approaching revolt and serious trouble in your system is nervousness, sleeplessness, or stomach upsets. Electric Bitters will quickly remember the troublesome causes. It fails to tone the stomach, regulate the kidneys and bowels, stimulate the liver and clarify the blood. Run-down systems benefit particularly and all the usual attending aches vanish under its searching and thorough effectiveness. Electric Bitters is only 50c, and that is returned if it don't give perfect satisfaction. Guaranteed by F. G. Fricke & Co., druggists.

Active Turners' Ball.
The active Turners will give a grand ball at their hall on Saturday night, December 12, the proceeds from which will be for the purpose of purchasing a new bathing apparatus for the society. It is the intention of the managers to make this one of the most successful events of its character ever given in this city. The best of music has been engaged for the occasion, and all lovers of "tripping of the light fantastic toe" are cordially invited, and a genuine good time is guaranteed all who attend.

The Lone Star Store.
Down in Texas at Yoakum, is a big dry goods firm of which Mr. J. M. Haller is the head. Mr. Haller on one of his trips east to buy goods said to a friend who was with him in the palace car, "Here, take one of these little early risers upon retiring and you will be up early in the morning feeling good." For the "dark brown" taste, headache and that logy feeling Dr. King's Little Early Risers are the best pills to use. Sold by F. G. Fricke & Co.

Fight Will Be Bitter.
Those who will insist on closing their ears against the continual recommendation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles, if not ended earlier by fatal termination. Read what T. R. Beall of Beall, Miss. has to say: "Last fall my wife had every symptom of consumption. She took Dr. King's New Discovery after everything else had failed. Improvement came at once and four bottles entirely cured her." Guaranteed by F. G. Fricke & Co., druggists. Price, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

A Costly Mistake.
Blunders are sometimes very expensive. Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills for Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Headache, Liver or Bowel troubles. They are gentle yet thorough. 25c at F. G. Fricke & Co.'s drug store.

Don't allow money to lie around. It is easier to spend it and easier to lose it.

SAVE MONEY
by putting it in a safe place such as



The Bank of Cass County
You can give a check for any part of it at any time and so have receipt for payment without asking for one. When you have a bank account you will be anxious to add to it rather than spend from it. Don't you want to know more about it.

..HORSES..



FOR SALE OR TRADE!
I have just shipped in a couple of car loads of good all purpose horses and mares, which I will offer for sale or will trade for smaller horses for the southern market. Call and see horses at my farm.
A. S. WILL.

TAKEN BACK TO MISSOURI.
Negro Charged With Assault on City Official at Macon.

A young negro by the name of Eugene Benton was arrested at the home of Uncle Ned Baker in this city on Monday night last by Chief of Police Hyers and officers Weldy and Hassen. on a charge of assaulting a city official at Macon Missouri. The fugitive has been making his home in this city for two or three weeks, and so well had he conducted himself during his short stay in Plattsmouth that some of our citizens had about come to the conclusion that he was a "pretty good nigger," and at the time of his arrest and lodgment in jail were inclined to believe him innocent of the crime. Officer Hyers received information from the Chief of Police of Macon, giving a description of Benton, who enclosed a couple of photographs of the negro. These were sufficient to verify the fact that Benton was the man wanted, and so notified Chief of Police Wood, who arrived in the city yesterday morning and returned to Macon last night with his prisoner.

In company with Sheriff McBride and Chief Hyers, Mr. Wood gave the Journal a call. Being a Missourian, and from near where we lived for a number of years, of course his visit was a most enjoyable one to us. J. W. Wood has been Chief of Police of Macon for several years. To show his popularity usually gives a big republican majority, although a dyed-in-the-wool democrat. He spent an hour with us and gave us an inkling as to what many of our former political friends were doing, including Hon. Nat Shelton, now judge of the circuit court, and one of the brightest legal minds in Missouri, whose home is now in Macon.

Chief Woods is entitled to the credit of capturing Strube, the murderer of Miss Alice Heneger, for whom a reward of \$1,400 was offered, but half of this amount goes to Sheriff Hamolt of Knox county, Mo., who rendered considerable aid in the capture of Strube.

Mr. Wood also remarked that the young negro captured here was a "bad citizen," and has already served a term in the Missouri penitentiary for a like offense, and his reason for taking a late train out of here was that he preferred to arrive at Macon in the night time for fear that the negro might possibly be taken away from him and lynched, from the simple fact that the officer he so badly cut was very popular, although the crime was committed last June, and then there any number of people in Macon that "don't like a nigger, nohow!"

Be Quick.
Not a minute should be lost when a child shows symptoms of croup. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. It never fails, and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all druggists.

Notice to Bridge Contractors.
Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received on or before 12 o'clock the 10th day of December, A. D. 1905, at the office of the county clerk of Cass county, Nebraska, for furnishing material and constructing bridges per lineal foot for said county according to plans and specifications now on file with said county clerk for a period of one year from date of contract. Bidders are required to deposit certified check in the sum of one thousand (\$1000.00) dollars as evidence of good faith, and to comply with Sections 33 and 34 of Chap. 75 of the compiled statutes of Nebraska for 1905.

Board of county commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Done by order of the board of county commissioners of Cass county, Neb., in session the 17th day of November, 1905.

L. A. TYSON, County Clerk.

..P. PEARSON..

Though a little late I wish to announce to the people of Plattsmouth and vicinity that I am preparing to furnish your necessary wants in Staple and Fancy Groceries, Queensware, Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes.

I will furnish you with the most seasonable goods of A 1 quality at the lowest possible price. Our rule has and always shall be: "Give 100 cents value for \$1.00."

Our delivery system will be such that orders will be delivered at your door any hour from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m.

If you are in a hurry call up Independent 'Phone No. 198 and your order will receive prompt and careful attention.

If more convenient or satisfactory our solicitor will call for your orders and you may rest assured that it will receive careful attention as if you called at the store in person.

If we can receive the support of the citizens of this community we assure you A 1 service and goods at prices within the reach of all.

We earnestly solicit a trial, and if fair treatment will do it, we feel that we have then gained a patron.

Remember the location,
Long's Old Stand.
INDEPENDENT 'PHONE 198.

UNION BLOCK,
Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

The Plattsmouth Savings Bank

is a home institution under the supervision of the banking department of the state of Nebraska. Accepts deposits from \$1.00 up, and pays 3 1/2 per cent. interest. Compound interest twice a year.

DAILY SAVINGS.	RATES OF INTERESTS	FOR FIVE YEARS	FOR TEN YEARS
10c	3 1/2 per cent interest Compound twice a year	\$100 00	\$ 432 52
50c	1st April and 1st October	500 00	2 162 28

Deposits on or before the 12th of the month draw interest for the full month.

The Plattsmouth Journal

PANAMA signs the treaty and Colombia makes entreaty. And thus it goes.

THE husband of Ruth Bryan Leavitt is out after a republican nomination for Congress. Better Leavitt alone in Missouri.

FROM "subordinating" the tariff question to "sinking" the boodle issue is a natural and easy declension for the republican party.

DURING the next campaign the republican cry to the laborers will be "shinner at the White House" instead of "full dinner pail."

IN six weeks this fall 27,000 German Americans returned to their Fatherland. This is not an argument for "Prosperity in America."

THE prohibition vote throughout the country is not large enough to tempt the president to invite Carrie Nation to a White House dinner.

SENATOR DIETRICH is still convinced of his innocence, but does not think it necessary yet to resign and seek vindication at the hands of the voters of Nebraska.

THERE is a movement on foot to nominate Judge Sullivan for governor next year. His career on the supreme bench has been one of satisfaction to the people and honor to himself. The Journal would favor his nomination if there should be a possible show for his election. But we are not in favor of putting up such an able man as Judge Sullivan to be knocked down by an inferior quality of the Barnes or Mickey calibre.

NOR a few writers who "pace the editorial quarter-deck" have turned their guns at various times upon John Alexander Dowie, Prophet of Zion. They have exhausted their epithets and pounded him with hot shot. They have proclaimed him faker, a pious fraud, unhalloved, unrighteous, with never a thought for which the world might be the better. But at the last all have conceded him this one claim to consideration—he has made a pot of money.

THERE is a graft in Washington, D. C., and doubtless in Alaska; there are hoodlums in Jalisco and in our own Nebraska; in Delaware, Rhode Island, Pennsylvania and New York boodle is or has been getting in its deadly work; in Michigan they nabbed a bunch, in Minnesota, too; reform in Kansas has a bunch, and Texas claims a few; Oklahoma is most busy with a Federal Grand Jury, and there is something doing, too, down in old Missouri. Lately swindles have cropped out in very many states, and in Kingdoms under Princes and foreign potentates. Boodle's likely to appear under any realm or ruler; but who'd have thought o look for it in far-off Honolulu?

How it Looks Away From Home.

The Springfield (Ill.) Journal, a rabidly partisan paper, sizes up the situation in Nebraska under the head of "Scandalous Politics," in a very peppery manner. The Journal says:

"People in the east some times wonder why the Bryan fanatics in Nebraska have held together so well after the same combination had completely gone to pieces in the neighbor states. Why is it, for example, that the Bryanites and populists only two weeks ago in Nebraska were beaten by only 5,000 votes? Mr. Bryan's personality does not explain it fully. A portion is supplied by the corrupt condition of the republican party in that state. A few years ago its republican state administration developed a heavy defaulter; then a republican governor created a scandal by pardoning the criminal. And now United Senator Dietrich, one of the fruits of the reaction against silverism, gets into this wretched mess in the trafficking of postmasterhips. It is not a far-fetched conclusion that there are very corrupt influences in the republican party of Nebraska, and one would not be far wrong in assuming that the debauchery is due largely to the transcontinental railroad corporations which for years have played a strong and unscrupulous part against 'grangerism' in Nebraska politics. This Dietrich scandal may yet land Bryan himself in the United States Senate.

"Mr. Dietrich's term will expire March 3, 1905, and the legislature to choose his successor will be elected next November."

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

Digests all classes of food, tones and strengthens the stomach and digestive organs. Cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Stomach Troubles, and makes rich, red blood, health and strength. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure relieves worn-out tissues, purifies, strengthens and sweetens the stomach. Gov. G. W. Atkinson, of W. Va., says: "I have used a number of bottles of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and have found it to be a very effective and, indeed, a powerful remedy for stomach ailments. I recommend it to my friends." Sold by F. G. Fricke & Co.

One Hundred Dollars a Box

is the value of H. A. Tisdale, Summer-ton, S. C., places on DeWitt's Hazel Salve. He says: "I had the piles for 20 years. I tried many doctors and medicines, but all failed except DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cured me." It is a combination of the healing properties of Witch Hazel with antiseptics and emollients, relieves and permanently cures blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles, sores, cuts, bruises, eczema, salt rheum, and all skin diseases. Sold by F. G. Fricke & Co.

Dr. Elster, Dentist,

Waterman Block.

Christmas
Almost
Here!

John Schippecase
is right to the front with the
Choicest Home-made Candies
on the market to supply the demands. Also, nuts and fruits of all kinds.

Phillip Thierolf,
PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Cures Grip in Two Days.
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. **E. W. Brown**
Seven Million boxes sold in past 12 months. This signature, **E. W. Brown** on every box, 25c.

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"The Malleable" Steel Range!
Now in operation at Our Store.

We will show you how to bake "Just such Biscuits as Mother used to make," with only one-half the fuel now being used.

Strength, Economy, Convenience, Durability and Beauty Combined!

A Great Saver of Fuel and Labor! Made of malleable iron and Steel! Riveted together like a boiler! If properly used will last a life time!

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