I. S. SHEPPARD, Jeweler and Optician, Loup City, Neb.



machine which the boys have purchaed,

Lewie Bechthold jr, broke a bone in his hand last Monday. He was hammering a piece of steel and missed it striking his hand with the above result.

6,000 years have we waited for the greatest spring blessing ever offered It doubles your joys and halves your sorrows. That's what Rocky Mountain Tes does. 35c. Ask your druggist.

We are in receipt of a paper, both from J. G. Cowper of Deadwood, and from Will Nelk of Lead, S. D. giving a detailed description of the great fire which swept away one half of the busipeas portion of Lead last week, for this place. She has been sick a which the boys have our thanks.

J. Phil Jaeger has one of the best improved farms in Sherman county for rent. 280 acres under cultivation, good house, barn and granary, plenty of ary will appear next week. water.

Mrs. E. E. Ditto arrived home Tues day evening from an extended visit to her old home in Ohio. She came by Hastings and stopped a short time with her daughter, Mrs. Pedler.

To secure the original witch hazsalve, ask for DeWitt's Witch Haze Salve, well known as a certain cure for piles and skin diseases Beware o worthless counterfeits. They are daugerous.-Odendabl Bros

Gold Medals to HARPER whisher a New Orleans and Worlds Fair Chicago Try it, you will endorse the Judge's verdict-Sold by T. H. ELSNER, Loup City, Nebraska.

Miss Kayte Moon returned from ib city last Saturday and a large stock o fice millipary goods which she purchased has also arrived and will be on exhibillion at her store in a few days.

Two families with covered wagons passed through town last Monday from Broken Bow, enroute to North eastern Canada. They expect to be all sum mer on the road.

Mrs. C. J. Odendahl and son Williand W. G. Odendahl, accompanied thremains of grandma Odendahl to Oquawks, 111., for interment last Friday returning Tuesday. The obituary wil appear next week being delayed on ac count of lack of data at hand.

The following parties were adopted in the Royal Neighbors Tuesday night Miss Nora Smith, Mrs. Katie Burrowes Mrs. J. D. Depew, Peter Rowe and R. J. Brown. After the adoptions the ladies Iren from croup at once by using One spread a grand feast and 35 members Minute Cough Cure. I would not feel sat down to enjoy it.

Mrs. and Miss Dodson of Grand Island There is no death' An Angle form ame up Saturday noon to attend the Walks o'er the earth with silent tread, uneral of Mrs. Morris but arrived too He bears our best beloved away And then we call them dead.'

coming of the May.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hards of Central-City CARD OF THANKS. vere in atteadance at the funeral of We most sincerely desire to extend our thanks to the many friends who so kindly as Mrs. Morris Saturday. Mrs. Hards is sisted us during the brief illness and death of sister of Mr. Morris

ger going out of the banking busi-

Mrs. M. H. Smith received a let

ter from her niece's son who is now

Geneseo, N. Y., which informs her

that his mother had just undergone

in operation and had a tumor remov-

fruit dish full of choice fruit which

Mrs. Harriet Evans, Hinsdale, 111

writes, "I never fail to relieve my chil-

d that weighed 80 pounds.

ommon school course.

hey presented to her.

vited to take a free lesson.

our be loved mother, and trust that their sor-Taken this month keeps you well all rows may be lightened as they so consideratesummer. Greatest spring tonic known, | ly endeavored to diminish ours. W. G. ODENDAHL, Rocky Mountain Tea made by Madison C. J. ODENDAHL AND FAMILY. Medicine Co. 35c, Ask your druggist.

CARD OF THANKS. Grandma Baillie died Tuesday I hereby desire to extend my heartfelt evening at 9 o'clock and was buried thanks to all the kind friends who so generously assisted me through the long illness and vesterday noon in the cemetery at death of my beloved wife. W. H. MORRIS.

ong time and suffered much. Her TAKE NOTICE. dilment was dropsy but her great ige was the principal cause she be-Any one wishing to buy a good gang ing 85 years old. A complete obitu plow cheap will do well to call on er

address. L. J. BECHTHOLD, Loup City, Neb. J. Phil Jaeger will finish paying iff his depositors this week and will \$115 FOR LETTERS ABOUT NEBR. Odendahl Bros. wind up his bank affairs as speadily The passenger department of the B is possible. Failing health from & M. R. R. R. offers thirteen cash wer work is the reason for Mr. Jae

prizes agregating \$115 for letters about Nebraska. Particulars of the contest, which is open to all, can be had by ad-Miss Long will organize her Phys. dressing J Francis, G. P. A., Omaha,

ical Culture Class Friday afternoon Neb. at Watkinson's Hall. Lesson ses-He Fooled The Surgeons. All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of sion from 4 to 5 o'clock. Those inerested in this line of work are in-

West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 months from Rectal fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cures himself with call on Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the attending the Normal college at World. Surest Pile cure on Earth. 25c

a box, at Odendahl Bros, Banker Routs A Robber

J. R. Garrison, Cashier of the bank of Thornville, Ohio, had been robbed of Miss Sadie Whitman closed a very health by a serious lung trouble until

27 last week. The second annual com- Consumption. Then he wrote; "It is a panaces for all forms of indigestion" nencement was held at the school house the best medicine I ever used for a se- It digests what you eat -Odendahl Bros. in Friday evening March 9th. Miss vere cold or a bad case of lung troubie Louisa Winberg having completed the I always keep a bottle on hand." Don't

The Ladies of the G. A. R. gave a Throat, Chest or Lung trouble when colds, croup and sore throat One Mintittle sarprise to Grandma Gibson on you can be cured so easily. Only 50c ute Cough Cure is unequalled. It is iast Monday afternoon Ly assembling and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Odenm a body and visiting her for a social dahl Bros. Drug Store. ime. They took with them a beautiful

A Fiendish Attack. An attack was lately made on C. F. Collier of Cherokee, Iowa, that nearly pneumonia, grippe and throat and lung press.

neys. His back was so lame he could

not stoop without great pain, nor sit in

safe without it". Quickly cures coughs,

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Has world-wide fame for marvelous cures. It surpasses any other salve, lo

tion, ointment or balm for Cuts, Corns, Burns, Boiles, Sores, Felons, Ulcers, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Chapped Hands, Skin Eruptions; Infallible for Piles. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c at Odendahl Bros.

DON'T BE FOOLED! The market is being flooded with worthless imitations of **ROCKY MOUNTAIN** TEA To protect the public we call especial attention to our trade mark, printed on every pack-For Sale by all Druggie

Lewis Ackerman, Goshen, Ind., says. 'DeWitt's Little Early Risers always to follow by starvation or freezing or bring certain relief, cured my headache and never gripe." They gently cleanse

and invigorate the bowles and liver.

THE NEW TIME CARD. FEB. 25. of Burlington trains will be made Sunday, Feb. 25. To avoid disappointment and loss of time, consult local ticket agent who is in a position to give you correct information .

J. FRANCIS, Gen. Pass. Agent.

FARM FOR RENT. Grain Rent.-One north of Alex

Baillie's on Cole Creek, Address or H. SMELSER, Ashton, Neb

Rev. W. E Sitzer, W. Caton, N. Y. writes, "I had dyspepsia over twenty

years and tried doctors and medicine without benefit. I was persuaded to use Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and it helped around, he brought it alongside the community was equally divided. successful term of school in district No. he tried Dr. King's New Discovery for me from the start. I believe it to be pavement.

Mrs. Calvin Zimmerman, Millersburg, suffer with Coughs, Colds, or any Pa, says, "As a speedy cure for coughs pleasant for children to take. I heartily recommend it to mothers." It is the

only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. It cures bronchitis, that before."-New York Mail and Ex- of them and turned them on the spirit.

proved fatal. It came through his kid- diseases. It will prevent consumption. -Odendahl Bros.

My mother suffered with chronic diara chair except propped by cushions No rhoea for several months. She was atremedy helped him until he tried Elec- tended by two physicians who at last Portland place, he almost immediately tric Bitters which effected such a won- pronounced her case hopeless. She DE CAPT'S CONDITION POWDERS, are selds, grippe and all throat and lung derful change that he writes he feels procured one 25 cent bottle of Cham- hunt about at one end of the parlor

evening came he reported that he reply was in the negative, and wells were scarce. Bill informed the member hadn't made the trip. "'Why not?' I inquired. that he must have one located, and

"'Because I didn't have my mor- then he opened his bag of snakes and matter of fact manner.

'What has that got to do with it? You would do no harm if they (the people) would give him the job of locating are not a morphine fiend, are you? "'Not as much of a one as you are a wells.

tenderfoot,' he laughed and proceeded

who knew his business always carried | vouched for the truth of his assertion with him enough morphine to kill a that the people gave Bill more orders man easily and that he did so in order than he could fill in one season and to end himself quickly in case of an ac- that he broke up the camp meeting. cident which would disable him far He was the first heretic in the west.

away from assistance. There were although the word was unknown in many instances of prospectors falling that country then. He became famous town. It is mainly office work conducied over cliffs and crippling themselves or and was in demand. Wherever he travbreaking a leg in a hole among the eled he had his bag of trained snakes, PANY, Dept. 3, Chicago. rocks or rendering themselves helpless | and he waxed fat and became inde-

in some other way, and death was sure | pendent. Whenever there was any doubt about in some sections by being devoured by the success of any movement the word world's greatest naval hero. By Munat wolves or other wild animals. In order was passed that Rev. Bill Scroggins of the nation's idol. Biggest and book; in some sections by being devoured by | the success of any movement the word to prevent such a horrible death as any | should be summoned:

People in that section believed in of these the prospector simplified matghosts, as many more enlightened peoters by always carrying a little packet of morphine, which not only quieted ple believe in them in this day. There the pain of the hurt he had sustained, was one ghost which had done a lively Radical changes in the new schedules but put him to sleep pleasantly to business along the highway between the county seat and a river known to wake no more on earth. It struck me at first as uncanny, not to say wicked, this day as Bear creek. It was the custom of this ghost to chase belated but I got over that feeling after a narhorsemen over the highway until the row escape or two, and I carried my ford at Bear creek was reached. There little tin box just like a veteran would." the chase stopped. The ghost never

crossed the stream. When the fame of Rev. Bill Scrog-

gins had spread abroad, it was sug-Three young men were walking up Riverside drive the other morning. gested that he travel over the Bear

creek road and try his hand on the when a gamy looking race horse jogged by, drawing a natty trotting rig. spirit. Bill accepted the call. He "Isn't that a splendid animal?" ex- made a number of journeys before the claimed one of the young men in ghost materialized, and there were people who began doubting the existcheery, admiring tones, pausing to

ence of the ghost, while others cited gaze at the trotter. The driver's eye sparkled, and his Rev. Bill as one who could overcome Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Heartburn, chest expanded. He had heard the anything, and by that token he had Flatulence, Sour Stomach, Nausea, compliment. Wheeling his horse

> However, the ghost showed up one night in the midst of a storm and chal-

lenged Rev. Bill to ride for his life. In a jiffy the young man was seated The snake ecclesiastic refused, and in the buggy, and the two were disap- there was a contest in which Bill's horse was killed, and he was left afoot. justified the compliment of the pedes- The ghost got the bag of snakes and escaped to the ford, where Bill overtook him on the following day, and the contest was renewed. The ghost undertook to turn the snakes on Bill, but they refused to act. Bill got possession

Bill returned in triumph to the county seat and told the story. It was received with some doubt, but as years slipped by and nobody was chased

TWO NIGHTS TO CAL, ORE. From Missouri River.

For time tables, foiders, illus'rated phine with me,' he responded in a very as they began crawling Bill lifted up books, pamphlets descriptive of the terhis voice and called the people to re- ritory traversed, call ou-W, D. CLIF-"'Morphine!' said I in astonishment. pentance. He told them the snakes TON, Agt. Loup City, Neb-

WANTED -- Honest man or woman to travel for large house; salary \$65 monthly and expenses, with increase ; position per-It was a tax on human belief, but manent; inclose self-address stamped ento inform me that every prospector the Missourian who told the story velope. MANAGER, 330 Caxton bldg., Chi-7 1-19 cago Ill.

> WANTED-SEVERAL BRIGHT AND ONEST persons to represent us as Managers in this and close by counties. Salary \$000 a year and expenses. Straight, bonafide, no more, no less salary. Position per-manent. Our references, any bank in any to 3 25 1900.

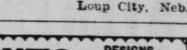
AGENTS WANTED .- For "The Life A Achievements of Admiral Dewey," over 500 pages, 8x10 inches; nearly 100 pages half-tone illustrations. Only \$1.50. Enormous demand. Big commissions. Outfit free. chance of a lifetime. Write quick. The Dominion company, 3rd Floor carton Building , Chicago.

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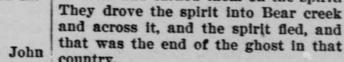
Digests what you eat. Itartificially digests the food and aids

Nature in strengthening and reconstructing the exhausted digestive organs. It is the latest discovered digestant and tonic. No other preparation can approach it in efficiency. It instantly relieves and permanently cures made the ghost take to the woods. The Sick Headache, Gastralgia, Cramps, and all other results of imperfect digestion. Prepared by E. C DeWitt & Co., Chicago.

For sale by ODENDAHL DROS.







country. Lewis, R. A., went to India and Egypt and was away about 18 years. When he returned to his mother's house in

people began to believe Bill, and apol- PATENTS GUARANTEED

"Wouldn't you like to try a brush be-

hind him?" he said courteously.

pearing down the drive at a pace that trian. His companions watched him enviously. Then one of them said:

"Bill is a judge of horseflesh." "And an artist on human nature," added the other. "I've seen him do

When a young man, the late John

-Washington Star.

He Missed His Slippers.

He Knew Human Nature,

Mrs. Rettenmayer, mother of whith Rettenmeyer and Mrs. C. W. Conhises had the misfortune to break her arm last Monday. This is the second time she has met with this and misfortune We understand she fell and sustained the injury. E. A. Brown, it is thought will oper- ate his hand press hereafter with a \$256 mule power attachment, he having purchased the animal last Saturday as T. M. Reed's auction sale. LaterWe understand that he has lost his attach ment for the mule and disposed of the same at private sale for \$2.00 A surprise party was given in honor of the birth day of Miss Rosa Rowe, a her home last Monday evening. Miss Rosa was spirited away by a young girl friend in the early evening unti- her school mates had a chance to gather when she was escorted home to flied the honse filled with roliticking young America. They enjoyed themselve- until the mid-night hour and many	3:30 a. m. followed by Sabbath school at 11:30 and Sabbath school in Rockvill at 2 p. m. fol- owed by preaching at 3. All are cordially in- dited. All members of the Loup City. Austin and tockville Presbyterian churches will please b hand their annual Presbyterial tax to press for an and Fairbairn res- tion for a school of the set of th	parifies the blood and builds up your health. Only 50c at Odendahl Bros. What's Your Face Worth? Sometimes a fortune, but never, if you have a sailow complexion, a jaun- diced look, moth patches and blotches on the skir,-all signs of Liver Trobble. But Dr. King's New Life Pills give Clear Skin. Rosy Cheeks, Rich Complex- ton. Only 25 cents at Odendahl Bros. It is very hard to stand idly by and see our dear ones suffer while awaiting the arrival of the doctor. An Albany. (N. Y.) dairyman called at a drug store there for a doctor to come and see his child, then very sick with croup. Not finding the doctor in, he left word for him to come at once on his return He also bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which he hoped would give some relief until the doctor should a rive. In a few hours he returned, saying the doctor need not come, as the child was much better. The druggist, Mr. Outo Scholtz, says the family has	Remedy, and five doses gave her per- manent relief I take pleasure in recom- mending it as the best on the market, -MRS. F. E. WATSON, Aiken, Als. Sold by Odendahl Bros. A. R. De Fluent, editor of the Lour- nal, Doylstown Ohio, suffered for a number of years from rheumatism in his right sheulder and side. He says: "My right arm at times was entirely useless. I tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and was surprised to reacive re- lief almost immediately. The Pain Balm has been a constant companion of mine ever since and it never fails." For sale by Odendahl Bros. We have saved many doctor bitls since we begau using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in our home. We keep a bottle open all the time and whenever any of my family or myself begin to use the Cough Remedy, and as a result we never have to send away for a doc- tor and incur a large doctor bill, for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy never fails to cure. It is certainly a medcine of great merit and worthD. S. Mear- kle, General Merchant and Farmer, Martie Badford acounty Parket.	iously what he wanted. "My slippers," said he. "When I went away, I left them just down there. Now, where are they?"-Tit- Bits. Well Regulated Parents. "Our little Dick makes very clever conundrums-really very clever." "Can you guess them?" "Oh, we never dare do that. Little Dick wants to tell the answers him- self."-Indianapolis Journal. Wreng. A photographer does wrong who takes such a picture of a girl that she will make herself unhappy all the rest of her life trying to look like itDe- troit Journal. Medical science has made little prog- ress in Turkey. Missionaries have fre- quently found people ill from smallpox neglected in order that the Divine will should have its own way. An injury to the tongue is repaired by nature with more rapidity than is the case with any other part of the sys- tem. Nature has given us two ears, two	discovered in what is now Bates coun- ty. Mo., the adjoining county on the south to Cass, and in this den was dis- covered the skeleton of a man. In the opinion of many the skeleton was none other than that of Rev. Bill Scroggins. So well was his memory revered that the bones were collected from the snake den, and when the first court- house was built in Cass county, it is said, they were placed in a box under the cornerstone and were found there years after when the old courthouse was demolishedBrooklyn Eagle. An egg will settle coffee, but it takes money to settle a billNew York Weekly. Perhaps She Came Down Too. She—So you are engaged to Miss Spry? He—Yes, but it's a big come down for me. She—Why, I thought she was such a sevent cird	25 CTS. Sold by all druggists or sent by mail. Nervita Medical Co., Chicage FOR SALE BY ODENDAHL, BROS., LOUD City. Nob. Wanted An Idea who can think
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