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COLUMBUS, NEBRASKA, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1909.

WHOLE NUMBER 1.974

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COLUMBUS MARKETS. Oats .....

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Marriage Licenses. Mareness A. Miller, David City .... 34 Aimey A. McNeely, Monroe. . . . . . 19 Henry A. Faes, Madison ..... Pearl B. Baker, Mcdison ..... Tom Williams, Columbus ..... Gerna L. Engstrum, Columbus ..... August A. Carman, Silver Creek . . . . Mollie A. Kretzhmer, Pleasanton .... Eugene A. Tiffnay, Columbus .... Lillie Hagel, Columbus ..... Chas Bentjen, Thurston ..... Stanislaus Syslow, Tarnov ....... 28 

Route No. 3.

Peter Schmitt was in Omaha Friday and Saturday of last week.

J. F. Goedeken was transacting bus uess in Columbus Tuesday.

Phillip Schroeder rnd O. L. Newman were in the northern part of South Dakota last week.

taking a lay off.

Miss Sena Berends, who has been spending a portion of the summer at but most for a dwelling house, It was Gothenburg, is here visiting her father and other relatives.

It was reported to us that on Monday of this week Ed Bakenhas purchased a forty acre of Peter Schaffroth, nine miles northeast of Columbus, paying \$125 per acre for it.

#### Advertised Letters.

Following is a list of unclaimed mai matter remaining in the post office at Columbus, Nebraska, for the period end-1nz September, 15, 1903:

Letters PE Conrad, WE Foster, 1 C Jones, Frank McBeth, Mrs. Millie Miller, Wm Wamsber.

Cards-Bessie Butler, Leola Burt, Ed Callahan, Wayne Dickinson, Dorothy Haney, Mary E Haney, Mr. aud Mrs. Olyde Kelley, Tom Loughman, Oscar Ruth, L H Todd. Parties calling for any of the above

will please say advertised. CARL KRAMER, P. M.

Card of Thanks.

The children of Mrs. Ellen Cassin

wish to thank the friends for their acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy in the loss of a kind and loving mother.

For Sale Five room residence, als building lot.-W. A. McAllister.

Dr. Edward Johnson of the Firs National bank left last Thursday evening for a months' sojourn on the Pacific

Jesse G. Newman of Guelph, N. D. arrived last Wednesday for a short sojourn in the city on business and plea-

150 All the latest shades and styles in

SE Paper Hanging and Decorating

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\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Last Sunday Ed Webb, overseer of the poor farm, had a visit from an old time acquaintance that he will not soon forget. About six years ago Ed and Sam Graves were working together on the railroad, but unta Sunday Webb had not seen Graves since then. When Graves arrived at the Webb home be had two horses with him and said he desired to sell them. One of them suited Webb. but he did not want the other one. As Graves was anxious to sell both animals, Ed called up John Randall over the telephone and he came out and looked at the horse and bought him. But Monday the sheriff from Central City came down here looking for stolen horses, and the description he gave tallied with the horses that Graves had sold, and they were turned over to him-He then began looking for Graves, who was around town Monday morning, but he had evidently thought it was time to make himself scarce, and left on an eastbound train. There is a \$50 reward for his arrest and conviction, and the sheriff and Webb went to Fremont-Monday evening in .an endeaver to locate

> The announcement of the prospective return to the North Theater of George Broadhurst's greatest success, "The Man of the Hour," should be the means of crowding the Theater to its limit throughout the week of the engagement. What makes the "Man of the Hour" so powerful is the strength of its characters. It is not a one man play. It is a play by an author with a story to tell, and the skill to make it alive, a swiftly moving drama of real men and real women, told with a swing and vigor of expression which go to the making of a powerful and stirring play. It as of "The Man of the Hour" that the New York Herald said: "The kind of rugged. 26 story that leaves you panting with eager-29 ness for more." Managers Wm. A. who resided in Kansas, and before be Brady and Jos. R. Grismer's special could reach him he had passed away. company will be seen during this en-

What was probably the oldest building left in the city was razed to the ground last week. It was located in block 182, in the east part of town, and was occupied by Joseph Moscehrose until his death. The building, which was built of cottonwood, was erected in 1861, when the boards used in its construction were sawed by a mill located just across the street from it. Dr. C. B. Stillman John Schmocker carried mail on Route used a portion of it for an office, when it 3 Monday, while the regular carrier was | was facing east on the same lots, but in 1864 he sold it to Frank Becher. Since that time it has been put to various uses built in the old fashioned style, cottonwood boards running up and down, instead of lengthwise, were used for siding and no one need be told that it was one of the early day habitations, in the early

On account of the shortening of the one minute earlier, No. 5 is an hour and later, and No. 12 arrives three hours and lioices. fifteen minutes earlier. Under the new change No. 4 and No. 11 do. not carry any mail cars, they being added to trains No. 5 and 6, as they now arrive at nearly the old time of 11 and 12. On the branches there is but one change, the Norfolk passenger arrives fifteen minutes later.

John Torpy and Clyde Scott are now the owners of the Branigan sale barn at Tenth and Lewis streets, having paid \$5,475 for it at the sale last Saturday. They will continue it at as a sale stable, but for the present will only sell at private sale, not having any large sales at present. Mr. Branigan built up a splendid horse market in this city, and his disposing of the barn will probably mean that no more large sales will be held again very soon. He will, however. continue in the horse business, but will make the larger markets, such as South Omaha and Kansas City, his base instead of Columbus.

While attempting to emulate Buffalo Bill's cowboys last Saturday, Carl Miller, who is working for C. E. Devlin, met with a very painful accident. He started to show, some of his friends how well he could ride, and mounted an unbroken horse in the pasture, without saddle or bridle. But the horse did not want to be ridden and uncermoniously dumped Carl, and when he struck the ground one of his arms was doubled under him, resulting in a painful sprain.

PAPER James O'Keefe, a former Platte Cent-er boy who left there twenty years ago of supervisors is in session this week, was in the city Monday renewing ac. and the matter of ratifying the contract quaintances with R. L. Rossiter and D. C. Kavanaugh. After leaving Platte county Mr. O'Keefe went to Cheyenne. and from there to Anaconda, Mont. Last fall he was elected sheriff of his home county. He is on his way to at. contract for the repairing and new steel tend the Eagles convention in Omaha spans will be let. and took this opportunity to visit the

friends of his younger days. Captain A. Haight of San Diege, Cal arrived last Friday for a short visit with his old Columbus friends. He will remain here several days, and before re. and settle as soon as possible. turning to his western home, make a all accounts payable at the old trip through the east.

Dr. Naufmann, Dentist 13 St. Dr. Morrow, office Lucechen building. Messenger service, 12th St., both

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Mrs. C. J. Carrig. Dr. C. A. Allenburger, office in nev

State Bank building. Drs. Carstenson & Hyland, Vetesinar

ians. Both phones 212. Dr. Chas. H. Campbell, oculist and aurist, 1215 Olive street.

It pays to sell your hides where you can get the most money from them. Se Columbus Hide Co.

For Sale Six room house at Twelfth and Henry, good repair; lot 66x132. Oall on O. C. Pennington, Columbus,

While adjusting a coupling Monday, Switchmen Henry Considine had one 'of the fingers of his right hand bedly

Placing the three large plate glass in the store rooms in the Union block was | 95. completed this week, and the first building ready will probably be the Stires' millinery store, and the last one, Brod Inchrer's jewelry store, will be ready for occupancy by October 1.

W. L. Chenoweth returned Monday fromhis trip east. He left with the in tention of taking a pleasure trip, but just as he had finished his buying in New York he received a message telling him of the dangerous illness of his brother. After leaving Kansas City Mr. Chenoweth went to Holdrege, this state, arriving here Monday. .

Ernst Franke, son of Mrs. Bauman. living at Seventh and Kummer streets. died Sunday at the Beatrice hospital, where he has been for the last six years. Deceased was thirty-eight years of age, and was a former resident of this city. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Gase undertaking perlors being conducted by Rev. Meissler of the German Lutheran church, and burial was in the Columbus cemetery

Managers Wm. A. Brady and Jos. R Grismer's big production of George Broadburst's great play, "The Man of North Theater. "The Man of the Hour' the best American play, ever written. There is not a discordant note in it, every character moves and breathes and lives time of the Chicago-Denver trains, a a natural life. It is a play for the peorearrangement in the Union Pacific time ple who like their heart strings played table was made Sunday. No. 1 arrives upon, and who cling to the old beliefs about ragged honesty and love for wothirteen minutes earlier, and No. 11 is man and home. A mere recital of the an hour and therty-nine minutes later. story conveys little idea of the spark-Of the west bound trains, No. 2 arrives ling charm there is in the play; it is full twenty-six minutes later, No. 4 is thirty- of surprises, heart interest, apt comedy, four minutes later, No. 6 arrives an hour and a round up in which everybody re-

> After suffering for four years with abercolosis Edward McTaggart passed away Monday evening. Deceased was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Barney McTaggart and was born in this city October 28, 1887, and has always made this city his home. He attended school until four years ago, when he was stricken with the disease that utimately resulted in his death. For the last year there has not been any hopes of his recovery, although everything that medical skill and loving hands could do, was done, but the disease had such a hold upon him that it was no avail. He leaves besides his mother and father, two brothers Frank and Lawrence of Omaha and one sister, Grace, to mourn his loss. Funeral services will be held Thursday morning, at the home at 9 o'clock and at the Catholic church at 9:30, and burial will be in the Catholic cemetery.

Tuesday of this week Supervisors Schwarz and Goets met with the Polk county board of county commissioners at Occaols and let the contract for the Duncan Platte river bridge, which is to be built by Polk county and Butler township of this county. The contract was awarded to the Nebraska construction company, and work is to be commenced on the structure within ninety days. This is the bridge that the Duncan people are greatly interested in, and its completion is destined to be of considerable importance to that town in a made as Occeols will come up before them. Regarding the Platte river bridge south of this city, which Columbus is interested, action will be taken on this matter of October 5, at which time the

The firm of Keating & Schram dissolved partnership on Aug 7. all owing unpaid accounts we would kindly ask them to call store until after Sept. 20.

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esting school Monday. Dr. W. R. Neumarker, office with Dr.

dence telephone, Bell 91-Ind. 189. Miss Florence Kramer left last Wed needay for a two weeks' visit with her

mister, Mrs. M. J. Kelley, in Chicago. Ratterman performed the marriage ceremony for Tom Williams, Gerna L. Eng. tween 2:30 and 2:35 and all branches of strum, both of this city.

Miss Marguerite Becher who has bee the Hour," with a special company, is home for the last few months on account underlined for early production at the of ill health, left Saturday for Omaha where she will again resume her duties is conceded by critics everywhere to be as trained nurse, at the Wise Memorial hospital.

Between sixty and hundred members of the local lodge of Eagles are anticipaing going to Omaha Thursday to attend as though there would be no attempt the national meeting of that order. Besides the members the Columbus City program. To do this would require a Band will accompany the delegation day that is not a legal holiday, and then and assist in furnishing music for the the schools are in session, so that it blg doings.

how the Oregon land seekers fared, who gram, and would like to have it carried left September 4 for Lake View. The out should conditions be favorable. distribution of the lands took place on September 9, and should any of the Columbus party be fortunate enough to secure a good thing, they will probably lose no time in informing their friends

Wedtesday the wedding of Eugene A. Tiffney and Miss Lillie Hagel, both of at the Brewery and also as gardener for this city, was solemnized at the home of Mr. Rambuor. Funeral services were the bride at 422 West Ninth street, Rev. Neumarker of the German Reform ventura's church, being conducted by church performing the ceremony. Only Rev. Marcellinus. relatives of the couple were present, as it was a home wedding. Both Mr. and day evening from his extenped trip Mrs. Tiffnay have been residents of Columbus since childhood, and have a host of friends in the city who extend the heartiest congratulations. The couple left Wednesday for a trip in the west, go- main, and was glad to get back to the ing by the way of Omaha, and their departure from this city was secompanied by a generous shower of rice from their friends. Mr. and Mrs. Tiffnay will be at home to their many Columbus friends after their return from the west.

## The New Round Oak Base Burner

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After an illness extending over a perjod of six months, Mrs. Ellen Cassin died at her home, Seventh and Quincy, last Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Cassin was born in New York Oity August 15, 1842. After spending the early portion of her life in the metroplis, she moved to Scranton, Pa., where she married Thomas Casein on February 8, 1863, There they resided until 1877, when with the family they started westward and on May 20 of that year arrived in Columbus. Since that time she has been a resident of this city, where her children have grown to manhood and womanbood. About thirteen years ago her husband died, and since that time she had made her home with her children. She leaves seven children, four sons and three daughters, John Cassin of Wray, Colo., James, M. C., and Tom of this city, and Mrs. M. Ryan, Mrs. V. L. Hedlund and Miss Mary Cassin, who also reside here. Funeral services were held Tuesday at 10 a. m. from the Catholie church, Father Marcellinus having charge, and buriel was in the Catholic

Wednesday the board of enpervisors were wrestling with a road problem, the location of said proposed road being south of the village of Ocones. John C. Dawson is asking that the road be established for the convenience of a neighbor, in order that he may save a mile when he travels to the county seat, but as the road divides a plece of land owned by Daniel Murdock the latter says it is done to work him an injury. And still another party says that it is a continuation of the old rural route fight and that See the Columbus Hide Co, before you Dawson is still persisting in his efforts to get one established, running from Columbus, so that he can push his efforte to have the Oconee post office discontinued. There is a strong probability that the supervisors will decline to establish the road under present circum

cemetery.

While passing through Columbus last Thursday afternoon Vice President Miss Anna Glur left Sunday for Platte Mohler of the Union Pacific was inform-Center, where she began her duties as | ed of the death of E. H. Harriman. He was a passenger on No. 10, enroute to Omahs and when the train stopped here C. D. Evans, west side of Park. Resi- he was handed a telegram by Agent Brown which apprised him of the death of his cheif. Mr. Mohler at once issued orders that all the depots in the principal towns should be draped in honor of the dead president, and both depots here Tuesday of this week County Judge were draped with crepe. Sunday an order was issued to all trains to stop bework on the Union Pacific came to standstill for five minutes during the funeral.

No decision has been reached regarding the postponed Labor Day exercises which were to have been held under the auspices of the city fire department. The matter is still in the hands of the board of control, and at present it looks made select a new date and carry out the would be possible for the scholars to attend. The department are grateful to No reports have been received as to those who assisted in arranging the pro-

> Anton Zelfel, aged 63 years dropped dead at the home of George Rambour ast Saturday afternoon, death being due to a stroke of apoplexy. Deceased was a native of Austria and came to this city over two years ago from Atchison, Kan. since which time he has been employed held Wednesday morning from St. Bona-

> Gus Becher, jr., returned last Satur through the west and north. While absent he visited the Seattle exposition, and later traveled in Canada. But he was not impressed with English's docountry of the Stars and Stripes. On the last portion of his journey he was at Duluth, where Jess lives.

> Monday's dispatches tells of the wreck of a Burlington train just west of Lincoln in which Mail Clerk H. G. Warner was seriously injured. Mr. Warner was clerk on the Columbus and Spalding line for quite a number of years and transferred to the Lincoln division over a year ago.

> Miss Margaret Seipp, who has been visiting in the west since June, returned home last Thursday. She was accompanied by her brother Will, who has been a resident of Tacoma, who will remain here for the present.

The front on the Hinching drug store, on Eleventh street, and the Abts building just west of it, is progressing rapidly and by next week the former building will be ready for the new front

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Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Sullivan and two children leave Sunday evening for, a two weeks' sojourn in Southern California,

Misses Ida Ezger and Christine Odenthal were guests of Lincoln friends several days last week.

State Misterical Society The membership of the association has reached the 340 mark and bide fair t pase 400 before the end of the year. The first night of each month after October will be observed as open night, when friends of the members are especially invited to be present and witness the Gymnasium work. The special class for boy gymnasium leaders will be held Friday afternoons at 4:15 o'clock. And the special class for Men Gymnasium Leaders on Thursday evenings at 8 o'clock. Secretary Dennison and Mr. Ringer will address a Mothers' meeting on the afternoon of September 24th, to which all mothers of the city and others ladies interested in boys are invited.

Twenty-two men are rooming in the association dormitories, and arrangements have been made for the equipping of two rooms with two single beds each, because the demand is beyond the pre sent capacity of the rooms.

Y. M. C. A. Nenes.

A special class in tumbling will be held during October, November and Dec ember on Thursday evenings at 7 o'elock During the months of January, February and March a special class in boxing will be organized and one in Indian club swinging during April and May.

Last year Tuesday evening ball games which proved to be so popular will be continued this year, when the indoor base ball game and one basket ball game will be played, first, second and fourth Tuesday evenings of each month. Admission will be free and all interested regardless of membership in the associa tion are invited, especially the ladies.

The members of the business men's and the young men,s Gymnasium class es of last year and their men friends wil hold a banquet on Friday evening, Oc. hands. tober 1st at 9 o'clock. Physical Director Pinneo of Lincoln and a leading the surprise party at Howards Meham's business man of Omaha will speak as well as Secretary Bailey of the State Committee and several of the local men. The price per plate will be 50 cents.

The regular classes in the Gymnasium will be as follows: All boys' classes begin their week on September 20th, and all mens' classes the week of October 4th younger boys, between 10 and 13 years of age, Monday and Wednesday after mone at 4:15 and Saturday mornings at 9 o'clock, older boys, between 13 and 16 years of age. Tuesdyy and Thursday afternoons at 4:15 and Saturday mornings at 10:30 o'clock, young men. Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings at o'clock business men, Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons at 5:15 o'clock The board of directors have made pro-

vision for providing the physical director with a complete physical examination equipment. And hereafter all boys taking Gymnasium work will be compelled to take a physicial examination given by the physical director. Examinations will be given the men when they are de sired and they are a splendid thing to show the improvement to the physical life of a man as well as appreventative of over exercising. Those desiring to take the examinations will do well to see the physical director and make an appointment for there will undoubtedly be a rush for those when the Gymhysian work begins. Big preparations are being made for

the Banquet planned for the members of the Boys' Department, to be given on the evening of September 24th at 6:30 o'clock, when it is expected that fully 150 boys will sit down to the bauquet table. This is made possible because of the interest of the ladies of the city in the boys. Melvin Brugger will act as tosstmaster. Several of the boys will speak and music will be furnished by a boys quartett. The special guests of the evening will be Secretary Dennison of the Omaha Association Boys' depart ment and Dean Ringer, State Chairman of the Boys' Work Committee of the Association of the state.

Creston.

H. Sohl has finished fencing his ma

P. E. McKillip was over from Humphrey Monday.

Misses Reeves and Richardson spent Sunday at Madison. Mrs. John Long is quite sick with ty-

phoid fever. Mrs. H. S. Phillips is nursing a very sore finger this week.

at the Henry Knight home. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simonton left Mondoy for Kansas City for a visit.

John Foley of Lindsey apent Sunday

T. F. Plagemann returned home Wednesday from Hot Springs, S. D. Mr. Riley is digging a cyclone cellar

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Wagner arrived Monday evening from their visit at Lin-

on the G. L. Wagner place this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grav came home Monday night after their weeks' visit at Lin-

Rev. O'Neill of Tedford, Neb., is holding revivals in the Presbyterian church this week.

The Woodman dance and supper was largely attended Friday evening and everybody had a good time.

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Little Elva Barrett is quite sick this

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Smith arrived Saturday from Blair for a visit at the Howard Meham home.

Mrs. Zimmermann and children, Hannah and Elmer left Wednesday for Syracuse for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Parks arrived the latter part of last week from Kearney or a visit with relatives and friends. Morris Freiden returned home Saturday evening from Omaha where he had

been to see a specialist on account of his Quite an enjoyable time was had at last Friday evening, it being their fiftieth

anniversary. Quite a crowd attended the Sanday school picnic in the Zellar grove Saturday and every body had all they could

W. B. Fagg left the latter part of last week for St. Edward where he will make his fature home his family will leave in a couple of week.

eat and drink.

Mise Ada Wescott took her grand mother to Omaha Tuesday, and from there Ada goes to Ponce to visit her sister Mrs. Kemper.

H. O. Studley, the hotel proprietor is making great preparations to take care of the large crowd we expect here durind the sale days Sept. 28-29.

A stranger by the name of Fowler drifted into our town last Thursday but had the misfortune to be stricken with a stroke of paralysis shortly after leaving the train. The good people of the town took him in and under the excellent care of Dr. Morris soon recovered sufficiently to continue his journey. The people of Creston bought him a ticket to Bellville, Kan., also gave him a nest little purse to start out with.

Walker Township.

Carl Jacobson is building an addition to his house.

John Swanson lost two horses last week, this has made the fourth horse that died for John within the last six months, two of them died last spring.

Lars Rusard, died the later part of last week very suddenly, funeral services were held Saturday from the Salem Mr. and Mrs. Swan Gibson have two

Paul Rusard, a son of Mr. and Mrs.

children in their family now, the oldest girl is taking instructions from Miss Esther Becklund on the organ, and the youngest a boy who is taking instructions at home learning how to nurse. Fred Nordgren and family, A. E.

Swanson and family, Grant Johnson and his mother, without any doubt the oldest person in the township visited at John Swanson's Sunday.

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