

-Basket Ball-

Plattsmouth High School

—vs—
Sidney, Ia., High School

Friday Night, Jan. 5th

7:45 SHARP

High School Gym

Come Out and Enjoy a Real Peppy Basket Ball Game
Between Two Fast Teams.

Adults 30c — ADMISSION — Students 20c

LUCIUS I. NEWTON

Lucius I. Newton was born in Woodstock, Ohio, September 1, 1848, and died at his home in Plattsmouth at 6 o'clock Saturday morning, December 30, 1922, at the age of seventy-four years, three months and twenty-nine days.

From Ohio he moved with his parents when six years old to Peoria, Illinois, where he resided until he grew to manhood. While residing there he was married on November 3, 1872, to Julia V. Johnson. To this union two daughters and four sons were born. Mrs. Lucy Lee of Pacific Junction, Iowa; Mrs. Ida Kinnamon of Moorecroft, Wyoming; Howard D. of Plattsmouth, who preceded the father in death eight months ago; Otis H., who passed away May 16, 1898, at St. Louis; Horace D. of Moorecroft, Wyoming, and Orval A. of Plattsmouth. Besides these and many friends he leaves his wife, now at Moorecroft, Wyoming, six grand-

daughters, ten grandsons and five great grandchildren.

The funeral services were held Monday afternoon from the home of the son, Orval Newton on Lincoln avenue, conducted by the Rev. F. E. Pfoutz of the Methodist church and was quite largely attended by the friends and neighbors. The burial was at Oak Hill cemetery.

Card of Thanks

We desire to thank our friends for their expressions of sympathy in the death of our husband, father and grandfather, and particularly Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dow, who were so attentive to him in his illness. We also desire to thank the Eagles, B. R. C. of A. and others for the beautiful flowers at the funeral.—Mrs. L. I. Newton and family.

Farm loans now made at 5%—
Searl S. Davis, 201 Plattsmouth
State Bank Bldg.

CRIME INCREASING IN NEBRASKA

Despite Absence of Old Time Saloon, More Law Breakers Now Exist Than Ever Before.

Attorney General Clarence A. Davis attempted to make a crime survey of Nebraska and with this in view sent blanks to county attorneys in ninety-three counties. No reports were received from forty-three counties. The counties failing to report are Box Butte, Boyd, Cheyenne, Clay, Colfax, Cuming, Custer, Dakota, Dawes, Deuel, Dixon, Franklin, Frontier, Furnas, Gage, Gosper, Grant, Greeley, Harlan, Hayes, Howard, Jefferson, Knox, Lincoln, Logan, Madison, Morrill, Nance, Nemaha, Nuckolls, Phelps, Pierce, Polk, Red Willow, Rock, Saline, Stanton, Saunders, Sarge, Thayer, Thurston and Wheeler.

A summary of the reports received from the other counties shows that out of a total of 13,981 prosecutions started during the past four years, 8,291 convictions or pleas of guilty were obtained. Thirty-five crimes were mentioned in the blanks issued by the attorney general. The reports from county attorneys show violations of the prohibitory laws are more numerous than any other. Next in number of convictions comes assault and battery, then violations of the laws regulating the use of licenses on automobiles. Third in the list of convictions is petty larceny and fourth burglary.

The number of penitentiary sentences pronounced in the four years was 911, with forty-three counties to hear from. The record in this respect shows a constantly increasing number of penitentiary sentences, also in the number of prosecutions and convictions.

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Eight Mile Grove Precinct
Announcement for the first Sunday after Epiphany, Jan. 7, 1929: At 10:30 Divine services (German). Text: Isaiah 40:25-31. Sermon subject: Of Fatigue and Renewing Strength.

On account of uncertain conditions of roads and weather, we will have no Sunday school for the next month. Watch the announcement for reopening.

The ladies aid society meets Jan. 10 at the home of Mrs. Julius Hillicker near Cullom. Everybody cordially invited.
H. O. RHODE, Pastor.

THE PROMISING NEW YEAR

The new year is upon us. And most promising, indeed, is the outlook for 1929 over the nation generally. While war-torn Europe continues to clutch at each other's throats and rumors of war are heard on every hand, the United States occupies a unique position among the nations of the world.

Industrially, the country is getting back on its feet and employers of labor everywhere are recognizing the fact that wages will never again drop to pre-war levels. Recent increases in the steel and other industries indicate a bright outlook for the future.

Locally, the spirit of improvement is in the air. The farmers, who are the backbone of our nation, are out in force to see that they get greater justice than they have had the past few years, and the same common sense logic that tells us wages will not go down, recognizes that farm products must not be sold at profitless prices.

Everyone has been hard hit during the year just ended, and will welcome, indeed, the more promising outlook ahead of us.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

From Wednesday's Daily.
This morning at the Clarkson hospital in Omaha, Laura Grassman of this city was operated on for the removal of her tonsils and adenoids by Dr. Potts, the specialist. It is planned to have the little lady remain there for a time to recuperate from the operation. Mrs. Ed Stoner of Omaha, her mother, and Mrs. R. A. Bates of this city, aunt of the little girl, were present at the operation.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers' Elevator Co. of Cullom, Neb., will be held at the Pleasant Ridge schoolhouse Jan. 13, 1929, at 1 p. m. sharp.

BOX SOCIAL AND PROGRAM

Will be given at the Rock Bluff school in district No. 5, Friday evening, January 12th. A good time is planned for all. Come!

DELLA BROWN,
Teacher.

Woman loves a clear, rosy complexion. Burdock Blood Bitters is splendid for purifying the blood, clearing the skin, restoring sound digestion. All druggists sell it. Price \$1.25.

POPULAR AUCTIONEER WELL BOOKED UP ON SALE DATES

Rex Young Won't Have Much Spare Time on His Hands During Coming Three Months.

The following are the sale dates of Col. W. R. (Rex) Young during the coming season, beginning January 1st. Should you want a date with this popular auctioneer for your sale, you had better arrange with him at once.

January

- 9—Boardman Bros., Murray.
- 10—J. Christweiser, Nelawka.
- 11—Mrs. J. Creamer, Murray.
- 12—John Graute, Syracuse, Neb.
- 15—David Wilson, Otoe City, Neb.
- 16—Fred Shellhorn, Louisville.
- 17—M. L. Williams, Louisville.
- 18—W. C. Gilmore, Murray.
- 19—J. W. Sage, Plattsmouth.
- 20—J. E. Douglas, Nelawka.
- 21—H. H. Henson, Plattsmouth.
- 23—Garland Tilson, Murray.
- 24—T. Frazier, Otoe City, Neb.
- 25—Ern Carroll, Union.
- 26—Louis Keil, Cedar Creek.
- 29—Guy Jacobson, Grant, Neb.
- 30—Thos. Dixon, Big Springs, Neb.

February

- 1—D. C. Munn, Nelawka.
- 2—Al Funk, Iliaca, Neb.
- 3—Jim Kennedy, Plattsmouth.
- 5—Al Seacrist, Avoca.
- 6—J. G. Lohnes, Cedar Creek.
- 7—Jacob Lohnes, Cedar Creek.
- 8—Henry Vette, Avoca.
- 9—Roy Douglas, Brule.
- 20—Mitt Moreland, Imperial, Neb.
- 21—A. D. Backman, South Bend.
- 22—C. C. Henrich, Beatrice.
- 24—Chris Gauer, Cedar Creek.
- 15—Terryberry & Son, Cedar Creek.
- 16—Charles Osburn, Union.
- 18—Harry Knabe, Nelawka.
- 19—Fletcher & Sloan, Grant, Neb.
- 20—Mitt Moreland, Imperial, Neb.
- 21—R. C. Sexton, Grant, Neb.
- 22—Jeffries & Mousal, Grant, Neb.
- 23—Fogland Bros., Brule, Neb.
- 24—T. Meacham, Big Springs, Neb.
- 26—Bert Nye, Grant, Neb.
- 27—Charles Parriott, Madrid, Neb.
- 28—Ted Nelson, Grant, Neb.

March

- 1—James Bell, Grant, Neb.
- 2—L. Vanvelsen, Brule, Neb.
- 3—L. G. Elrod, Brunswick, Neb.
- 5—R. M. Prince, Nelawka.
- 6—W. W. Wilson, Plattsmouth.
- 7—George Hall, Alvo.
- 8—Kenneth R. Sedman, So. Bend.

ENTERTAINS FOR FRIENDS

One of the pleasant social gatherings of the week end was the bridge party given Saturday afternoon by Miss Margaret Donelan in honor of Mrs. Albert Deegan of Chicago, who is here spending the holiday season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Patterson, and Mrs. George F. Dovey, one of the season's brides.

The ladies spent the afternoon in the fascinations of bridge and thru the rooms of the home the Christmas colors prevailed in the decorations. The hostess gave two guest prizes and the third prize was secured by Mrs. Joseph Hawksworth of Lincoln, one of the holiday visitors in the city.

At a suitable hour in the afternoon the guests were invited to the dining room where a very charming two course luncheon was served by the hostess.

Miss Rene Burgess of Omaha was among the guests present from out of the city, being here as a holiday visitor with her cousin, Miss Donelan.

ENTERTAINS AT DINNER

The pleasant country home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Schliefert near Manley was the scene of a very pleasant gathering on Christmas when they entertained a number of relatives and friends at dinner and supper. The occasion was such as can only be found in this hospitable home and one that was very much enjoyed by all of the party. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Peter Vogler, Mr. and Mrs. Oris Schliefert and son, Herman, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hill and family, Andrew Schliefert, wife and family, August Jochim wife and family.

SUBCOMMITTEE TO BEGIN HEARINGS ON CHILD LABOR

Washington, Jan. 2.—Hearings on several pending resolutions for submission of a child labor constitutional amendment will begin Wednesday before a senate judiciary subcommittee. Resolutions have been introduced by Senators Lodge of Massachusetts, republican leader; Walsh, democrat, Montana; McCormick, republican, Illinois; Johnson, republican, California, and others, and the substance of the legislation as well as its form is assured considerable opposition as well as support.

LOCAL NEWS

From Wednesday's Daily.
George W. Snyder was a business visitor in Omaha today looking after some matters of importance, going to that city on the early morning Burlington train.

C. T. Peacock and wife and daughter, Miss Harriet, departed this morning for Omaha to look after some matters of business in that city for a few hours.

Elmer Spies of Kansas City, who has been here visiting with his mother and other relatives and friends, departed this morning for Omaha to look after some matters of business.

Samuel R. Porter of Denver, cousin of the late L. C. Sharp, and who was with him at the time of his death, accompanied the body to this city and will remain with the family for a short time.

DIES IN MINNEAPOLIS

Word has been received here by friends of the death in Minneapolis on Thanksgiving day of Ray Waterman, formerly well known here and who was a resident of Crete for a number of years. The deceased was a son of C. Waterman of Crete and a nephew of the late John Waterman of this city. Ray Waterman was here for some time assisting in the lumber yard of his uncle and while here made the acquaintance of a large number of the Plattsmouth people and was quite a favorite among the associates of his set in the city. He leaves a wife to mourn his death.

ANDY SHMADER TO FIGHT MONDAY AT OKLAHOMA CITY

Cass County Heavyweight To Meet Ole Anderson in 10-Round Bout January 8th.

Andy Shmader, the heavyweight of Jack Lewis' string of fighters, will be one of the participants in the main event of the fight go staged at Oklahoma City Monday, January 8th. The opponent of Andy will be Ole Anderson, one of the leading heavyweights of the southwest and who Andy was to have met some time ago but which was called off.

Manager Lewis and his fighter are expecting to board the latter Saturday evening for Oklahoma City to connect up with the bout. The fight is scheduled for ten rounds and the admirers of the Cass county man will anxiously await the outcome of the battle, confident in the ability of Andy to deliver the goods.

TEACHERS WILL CONVENE SOON

State Association to Meet in Annual Session at Omaha January 18, 19 and 20.

Omaha, Jan. 2.—With a program calling for three days of lectures, discussions and business, the Nebraska state teachers' association will hold its annual convention at Omaha on January 18, 19 and 20.

Enrollment will begin at 6:00 p. m., Wednesday, January 17, and will continue until Saturday morning, January 20. The assembly of delegates will take place on Thursday morning at 9:00 a. m. in the ball room of the Hotel Rome, presided over by President W. H. Morton of Beatrice. The general sessions will begin on Thursday evening at 8:00 o'clock in the auditorium with Supt. A. H. Waterhouse of Fremont presiding. A program including addresses, music and discussions has been arranged.

A distinctive feature of the convention will be the "Soire," a social event to be staged on Friday night at the city auditorium by the Omaha chamber of commerce in honor of the state teachers' association.

LIKES CALIFORNIA

From Wednesday's Daily

Yesterday, P. C. Schroeder, brother-in-law of Emil Ptak of this city, stopped off for a short visit with the Ptak family while enroute from his home at Alameda, California, to Buffalo, New York. Mr. Schroeder is the sales manager of the Pratt-Lambert Paint and Varnish Co. at San Francisco, and while his offices are in Frisco the family resides in the suburb across the bay which they find much more pleasant for them as a place to live rather than in the large town. They are much pleased with the California country as a whole. Mr. Schroeder is enroute east to Buffalo where he will attend the annual banquet at the main offices of the company with which he is connected.

THE BIBLE

The Bible is, without any exception, the most interesting book in the world. Like other books, however, its charm will very much depend upon whether we rightly understand it or not, and know how to use its contents.

It has sometimes been asserted that the Bible is a dry and uninteresting book and it can be readily seen how such might be the case. If people were to treat other books in the same manner they treat the Bible there would not be an interesting book in the world. What would you think of a person taking any popular book of the day, opening it at random, reading here a little and there a little and then saying, "This book is not interesting?" You would at once say that the book had not had a fair trial and yet some people treat the Bible that way. They seem to think that the laws that govern its construction are different and less logical and orderly than those which govern the composition of any other worthy book. When people come to realize that the Bible is written logically and that the Spirit, who is the Author of it, does all things "decently and in order," then we may hope that it will receive its due in this respect and be acknowledged—what, indeed, and truth it is—the most interesting book in the world. The Bible study class of the Methodist church meets every Wednesday evening from 7 to 8 o'clock at the church and whether you are a Methodist or not you are invited to avail yourself of this regular and systematic study of the Bible. No dues, no collections, no textbook. Just yourself, your Bible and a note book. For further information telephone the pastor, Rev. F. E. Pfoutz, phone 185-W.

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For sale: Good team black mares, 5 and 6 years old. Fred Beuzgart, Plattsmouth phone 2002. 13-6td

TAKEN TO OMAHA HOSPITAL YESTERDAY FOR TREATMENT

Grover Ruffner Found to Have Very Serious Injuries in Broken Arm and Hurried to Omaha.

From Wednesday's Daily.

Yesterday afternoon Grover Ruffner, who was injured by being kicked by a horse New Year's days at his home near Myra, was brought to this city where an X-ray of the injured shoulder and right arm was taken. The injuries have proven more severe than was first anticipated and the young man found to have a very severe fracture of the upper portion of the arm which made necessary his removal to the hospital for more thorough treatment and care.

Sperry and Horace Ruffner, brothers of the injured man, came down from Omaha and returned with Grover in the car to Omaha where he will be placed in the Fenger hospital for treatment and to have the injured arm cared for.

The many friends regret very much to learn of the condition of Mr. Ruffner and trust that he may find a speedy recovery from the effects of the injury although at the best the arm will be out of commission for a long period.

PENSION INCREASE FOR CIVIL WAR VETS STARTS NEXT MONTH

Veterans, Widows and Nurses to Get Immediate Benefit Under Terms of the Bursum Bill.

Washington, Jan. 1.—Civil war veterans and veterans of the Mexican and Indian wars, widows of veterans of these wars and of the war of 1812, civil war nurses and the maimed veterans of all wars in which the United States has engaged, will benefit next month under the terms of the Bursum bill which increases pensions for such veterans and their relatives.

The death rate among the old soldiers, however, is now so high, the average age of civil war veterans being 79 years, with widows of veterans, though younger, dying off month by month almost as rapidly as the veterans themselves, that the increase of \$100,000,000 in pension appropriations estimated as necessary the first year of the operation of the bill, will be decreased very rapidly thereafter.

Under the Bursum bill, the pensions of civil and Mexican war veterans will increase from \$50 to \$72 a month while widows of veterans of the civil and Mexican wars and the war of 1812 will receive about \$50 a month with an additional \$6 for each child under 16 or helpless mentally or physically. It is further provided that widows of veterans who have married again and have become widows a second time or have been divorced from their second husbands can benefit provided there is nothing against them morally. Civil war nurses also receive \$50 a month.

The rate of pension fixed in the new act for the civil war veterans is raised to \$30 a month and for their widows to \$20 a month.

DEMOCRATS WILL FIGHT TO FULFILL PARTY PROMISES

Pre-Session Caucus Devoted to Discussion of Needed Legislation—Bryan is Present.

Lincoln, Jan. 1.—The fifty-one democrats in the two chambers of the Nebraska legislature, which convened at the capitol at noon tomorrow, devoted their pre-session caucus at the Lindell hotel tonight to strengthening their lines for the carrying out of a program of economy and efficiency in state government.

Without moving to control the political organization of the house, which has fifty-seven republicans out of its hundred members, the caucus gave itself up to talks outlining specifically the need for legislation to remedy the present extravagances.

Governor-elect Charles W. Bryan, Arthur Mullen of Omaha and T. S. Allen of Lincoln, chairman of the democratic state committee, who called the caucus to order, were among the speakers.

Mr. Mullen called on the democrats to stand together back of Mr. Bryan in carrying out the program of economy and reform which the party was pledged, and told them that, even with a minority, the party's strength, with the will of the people behind it, ought to insure a constructive program.

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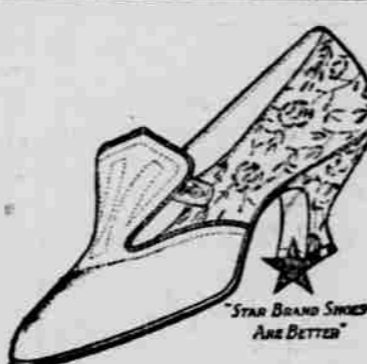
New Year Specials!

Start the new year right by trading at Fanger's. Our regular prices are lower than others so called "sale prices."

You will save actual dollars and cents when you use The Deltor with Butterick Patterns sold at this store.

Bargains in Ladies' Pumps!

Ladies' Patent and Satin Pumps—Brocaded counters and heels. The newest shoe on the market. Made by the famous "Star Brand" people. All sizes in stock. Buy your shoes of us and save money. These fine pumps, per pair only \$5.95



Gossard Corsets, front lace. Special for this week only—Others at 98c.	2.75
Ladies' "Bandeau" brassieres, all sizes at	.65
Ladies' outing gowns, full cut, all sizes, at	1.39
Cotton blankets, size 66x80. Good, warm ones	2.98
Hickory girdle supporters, regular \$2.50 value for	1.98
Large size comforts made of new 100% pure cotton, at	3.95
Ladies' cotton hose—a good value at, per pair	.15
36-inch percale, light and dark patterns. Per yd.	.20
Silk Canton crepe. Colors black, blue, brown. Yd.	2.75
Ladies' fancy wool gauntlet gloves at	1.45

MEN'S OVERCOATS	
Good warm coats made to sell for \$25. A fortunate purchase enables us to offer them at	14.95
Men's heavy ribbed and fleeced union suits, all sizes	1.25
Men's warm cotton sweaters. Fine for work	1.25
Same high quality sweater in boys' sizes at	.98
Men's heavy wool work sox at, per pair, 49c and	.29
Men's wool army shirts—double pockets. Special	2.45
Men's warm leather mitts on sale at	.59
Men's sheep lined coats—good warm coats, belted	9.95
Men's leather lined vests—A real good vest, the best we have seen this year at	7.75

Ladies' strap slippers offered special this week at	1.98
Children's shoes. Remarkable values at	2.25
Men's work shoes made of real leather at	2.45
Overshoes and Rubbers to Fit the Entire Family	
GROCERIES	
11 lbs. of pure granulated sugar for	1.00
Cider vinegar, price per gallon, only	.39
Large can of Advo tomatoes for	.15
Fresh Quaker oats—large size. Per pkg.	.21
30c can of Heinz baked beans for	.23
P. and G. laundry soap—5 bars for	.25
4 large jars of pure fruit jam for	1.00
All 10c spices being sold three for	.20

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