

To Our Friends and Patrons:-

We are wishing you all a most Merry Christmas and may joy and prosperity attend you.

Cloidt Coal & Lumber Co. Parmele Theatre Co.

PUBLIC AUCTION!

CHICAGO COUNTS ON THE DEMOCRATIC POW-WOW

Murray, Nebr., Friday, December 28 at 2 O'Clock P. M.

Sale to be held in front of livery barn and the following property will be offered: One set 1 1/2-inch farm harness; a variety of new leather goods...

FOR SALE

Holstein bull.—Albert Young, Murray, Nebraska.

Frank Gradoville and Otto Trilley, both of whom are attending the University of Nebraska are home for the holidays.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—After receiving what he regarded as most satisfactory assurances of the necessary financial backing to hold the democratic convention in Chicago next year, George Brennan, Illinois dem- cratic leader, said today that he would "get" the convention. During the day Mr. Brennan and Edward N. Hurley, former head of the emergency fleet corporation, under Presi- dent Wilson, held a conference and also consulted Fred W. Upham, treas- urer of the republican national com- mittee. Mr. Upham had had pledges of plenty of money for the republican convention but with the republican convention already awarded to Cleve- land, he is ready to persuade Chicago business men to turn their contribu- tion funds over to the democrats.

Mrs. C. C. Smith and little daughter, Wave, are at Wahoo, Nebraska, where they will visit over the holiday season there with relatives and friends and be joined later by Mr. Smith.

Christmas Greetings!

We extend most cordial greetings to all our friends and patrons for a Merry Christmas—for health, prosperity and happiness. Assuring you it has been a pleasure to serve you.

L. B. EGENBERGER

At this Season

We greet you—our friends—with a wish for a most Merry Christmas and that health, prosperity and many friends may be yours throughout the coming year.

-Fred Lugsch-

THE TAILOR

Our Wish Is:-

—that the Christmastide may bring you blessings—health, happiness and friends. Accept our thanks for courtesies during the past year and may prosperity be yours throughout the coming year.

-The Kruger Paint Store-

MANLEY NEWS ITEMS

Elh Keckler was looking after the matters at the lumber yard during the illness of Mr. Crane.

John P. Stander was shelling and delivering corn at the elevator of Messrs. Kelly and Scheehan on last Thursday.

Mrs. Walter Mockenhaupt was in Omaha for a number of days during the past week being a guest at the home of her parents.

Wm. Rauth was a visitor in Platts- mouth last week looking after some business matters at the court house and also doing some pre-Christmas trading.

John Murphy, Jr., and wife of Omaha were visiting with friends and relatives in Manley last Saturday and Sunday, returning to their home on Sunday evening.

Miss Fay Howes one of the teachers of the Manley schools, departed Friday for her home at Kearney where she will spend the short holiday at her home in that city.

Miss Mamie Maher, a teacher of the Manley schools, and a sister of Mrs. John Mockenhaupt, will spend her vacation at her home near Greenwood at the home of her mother.

Mrs. Rudolph Bergman was spending a few days last week at the home of her parents called there by the death of her brother's wife, Mrs. Harold Koop, which occurred last week.

Fred Fleischmann and the family were visiting at Lincoln last Tues- day, driving over in their car to look after some trading and to see the sights of the big city when dressed in its holiday attire.

Mrs. Harry Clarke who has been at the home of J. C. Rauth for the past two weeks called there by the death of her sister, Mrs. J. C. Rauth, de- parted for her home at Loa Halls, Iowa, on last Monday.

On account of the sale of the effects of the late Samuel Goodman there are brooms aplenty over the city and vicinity and this part of the commonwealth should have been the- oretically clean, for they say that a new broom sweeps clean.

Frank Stander and wife of Omaha with their daughter Miss Lena, were visiting last Sunday with friends in Manley and with their daughter Mrs. Walter Mockenhaupt were spending the day at the home of J. C. Rauth, Mrs. Stander being a sister of Mr. Rauth.

Herman Mann was a visitor with the family last Thursday at Weep- ing Water where they were doing some trading and was heard to re- mark that the roads were the best that he has ever seen them in his long residence in this county. We can testify that they were fine.

John Crane the lumberman has been quite sick at his home at Rudolph Bergman's and confined to his bed during the entire week and has been attended by Dr. Thomas of Weeping Water during the latter portion of the week. He was feeling some better but still very weak. It is hoped that he may soon be at his business again.

The Royal Neighbors arranged and had a most pleasant meeting on Sun- day for their members and the mem- bers of their families which partook of the nature of a Yuletide festival and which was attended by the members almost entirely. This getting to- gether on occasions like this fosters the fraternity spirit and makes the society more worth while.

Col. W. R. Young the noted auc- tioneer of Plattsmouth, was a visitor in Manley last Wednesday where he conducted a sale of the effects of Samuel Goodman who died some time since. Mr. George O. Dovey, admin- istrator, was also present and was looking after the business. W. J. Rau was clerk of the sale and settled up the business matters at the time and following the sale.

Miss Rhene Christensen, who is visiting at the home of Herman Rauth and wife was a visitor last Wednesday evening at the meeting of the Rebekah lodge where they were preparing a box for Christmas for sending to the Oddfellows home. The lodge of Weeping Water is very loyal to the hope for Christmas and do not aim to let a Christmas pass but what they remember those there.

Some twenty years ago a row of hedge posts planted on the north dis- trict of Main street in Manley for the hitching of teams which had the staying qualities with the resisting the ravages of time and weather. With the coming of the auto a few were broken off just in front of the store where the cars parked more thickly, the remainder still standing good and solid at this time. One was broken over a few days since and is a testi- mony of the lasting qualities of this excellent wood.

Had An Excellent Time

The business men of Manley, get- ting behind the project, have had Mrs. Richard Pickard train the chil- dren and put on an excellent enter- tainment in which one of the prin- cipal features was a community can- tata. Mrs. Pickard surely got the real spirit into the affair and by dint of hard work and keeping at it was able to interest the children in a way that they were able to produce an excellent entertainment. All who were fortunate in the matter of get- ting to attend were well pleased with the affair.

Carl Schneider, who is a student at the Hastings college, an one of the players on the football team, the champs of the state college confer- ence, came in this morning to visit with his parents, r. and Mrs. H. A. Schneider over the holidays.

Charles Hartford, Jr., who is at- tending school at the Iowa Agricul- ture college at Ames, is home to spend the holiday season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hartford. Mrs. Philip Hinz and Miss Leota Hackenberg departed this morning for Lincoln where they will enjoy a visit with friends and relatives over the Christmas season.

OUT OF THE ETHER Radio News Broadcast each Saturday by Station ETAO

Merry Christmas! Tomorrow night is Plattsmouth's fourth radio program. A copy of this program appears elsewhere in today's Journal.

The old arch-enemy of radio, King Static, has been much in evidence the past few days.

Farragut, Iowa, will have the Monday evening, December 31st pro- gram. It is their second.

The 17th Infantry band is regis- tering a nation-wide hit with its con- certs from WOVW. Next one Xmas night, 11:45 to 12:45; again next Friday night, 6:30 to 8.

Station WOV, Davenport, will be silent all day Christmas. Our con- temporary station, ADVT has so "cut in" on our broadcast period this week, that we find it impossible to publish the programs of any DX stations.

The next two weeks have been de- clared open season for trans-Atlantic fans—every night from midnight to 6 a. m. Perhaps you may yet get to hear Station 2 LO—if you are willing to give up a lot of hours of needed sleep to make the attempt.

The Columbia phonograph company has taken a right view of radio and will broadcast music by their artists twice a week. And the chances are ten to one the public will buy records made by these same artists, after hearing them in person over radio.

Don York, former Plattsmouth resi- dent, will sing two solos as the eighth number on tonight's 9 o'clock concert from WOVW by Omaha ar- tists. Mabel Lee Copenhaver, also of this city, will play the accompan- iment for these numbers, "The Land for Me" and "A Dream."

"The Hired Hand" at WBAP still persists in declaring there there is no little "Ethiopia" at his home—

DAWES ASKED TO HEAD GERMAN INQUIRY BOARD

Commission Picks American For President of Reparations Probe—He Waits for Notice.

Paris, Dec. 21.—The reparations commission this morning decided to offer to Charles G. Dawes of the United States the presidency of the com- mittee which is to examine German finance.

An American thus will head the principal expert committee to be named for the investigation of Ger- many's resources and financial situa- tion. The reparations commission found it necessary to postpone issuing its invitation to the other delegates on the committee aside from the Ameri- cans, but in view of the need of gain- ing time to permit the representatives from the United States to arrive with out delay the names of General Dawes and of Owen D. Young of New York were approved and instructions given that formal invitation be sent them.

It was the unanimous decision of the reparations commission that the presidency of the leading expert committee ought to be offered to Gen- eral Dawes.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—Brigadier Gen- eral Charles G. Dawes refused to com- ment today when informed by the Associated Press that he had been de- cided on by the reparations commis- sion to head the committee to exam- ine German finances.

"Thank you very much, but I have nothing to say," said General Dawes. Playing Santa Claus is now a mat- ter for careful planning, a headline says. We'll say it is. Any time old Santa pulls a boner he never hears the last of it, and our sympathy goes out to the old boy.

Lipsticks are now being flavored with fruit essences. We should think it would be something of a surprise to kiss a girl whose cheeks were generously colored with orange rouge and find her lips were wild cherry.

A French physician says bathing is not indulged in by most people as a health measure. Indeed, he says, it is not a health measure, but mainly an aid to social standing. That, how- ever, seems almost important enough to justify the practice.

By the time a lot of us learn how to behave we are told to do anything else.

Miss Dolores McCarthy, who has for the past two years been making her home at Los Angeles, California, came in yesterday to spend a short time here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCarty and other relatives and friends.

A Happy Christmas A Happy Christmas means Four Blessed Things FAITH LOVE PEACE JOY All these we wish you. Popular Variety Store

M. & N. A. RAIL STRIKE IS FINALLY CALLED OFF

Harrison, Ark., Dec. 21.—The Mis- souri & North Arkansas railroad strike in progress since February, 1921, and marked by rioting and widespread destruction of property, ended today.

Frank F. Mulholland of Cleveland, vested with authority to act for the various crafts involved, appeared before Judge J. M. Shinn, in circuit court and in return for concessions to strikers found guilty of criminal charges, called off the strike.

Daily Journal, 15c a week.

Kroehler Brothers Extend to their friends best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. We are very appreciative of your good will and patronage and trust that the future may hold a continuation of these pleasant relations with you all.

Wishing You a Merry Christmas! We desire to thank you for the loyal patronage which you have given our store and may the lasting prosperity, the loyal friendships and abounding prosper- ity crown the coming year for you all.

-People's Market- Louis Acherman Samuel Giventer Telephone No. 39 South Sixth Street Phone No. 39

To Our Friends:- The one thing which money cannot buy, your loyal friendship, we attribute the possibility of our success, and to you all we want to wish the happiness of this season and in the year to come may true joy, sincere friendship and lasting pros- perity be the crown which shall be yours.

J. W. CRABILL Main Hotel Block North Sixth Street PLATTSMOUTH, NEBR.

The Very Best Wishes to Our Patrons:- We want you to prosper, to enjoy the best of health, to be happy and content- ed and to have a Merry Christmastide. Wolfe Garage

LAND SEEKERS' EXCURSION TO THE RIO GRANDE

Special Excursion Rates Offer You Splendid Opportunity to Visit This "Garden of Eden" Spot of Southwest.

The famous Rio Grande Valley of southern Texas, the "Garden of Eden" spot of the Southwest, with its deep, rich, fertile alluvial soil, its agricul- tural, horticultural and citrus fruit achievements is attracting the attention of the whole nation.

Successful farmers, business men, professional men and women as well are buying and developing farms in the Valley to enjoy the almost limit- less opportunities afforded for mak- ing money.

Fortunes are being made growing oranges, grape fruit and lemons to- gether with winter vegetables. Gen- uine yields of corn, alfalfa, Sudan grass, Rhodes grass, sorghum cane and hay are also realized.

The Harlingen district is the cream of the Rio Grande valley. Special excursion rates are avail- able to prospective purchasers. The next excursion from the Omaha Bur- lington station will leave at 9 o'clock a. m. on TUESDAY, January 1st; also another on Tuesday, January 15. For reservations or further particu- lars, phone 548, or see— A. C. MUTZ, Agent Plattsmouth Nebraska