

## Are You Buying Your Groceries Right?

If you want anything in fancy or staple

**Groceries,  
Fresh Fruits,  
Vegetables**

remember that we have the largest stock in the city  
and our prices are always right

Yours for fair dealing

**A. D. RODGERS**

We are out for business. See our prices  
and our stock of both Omaha and native

## MEATS

Porterhouse Steak, native	17c	Omaha	20	Rib Roast, native	12½	Omaha	15
T-Bone Steak, native	16c	Omaha	18	Shoulder Roast, nat.	10	Omaha	12½
Sirloin Steak	16	Om-	18	Rump Roast,	10	Omaha	12½
Round Steak	15	Om-	16	Neck Boil,	8	Omaha	10
Shoulder Steak	11	Omaha	14	Rib Boil, nat.	7	Omaha,	8
				Briscuit Boil, nat.	5	Om.	6
Veal Steak	-	-	17½	Pork Chops	-	-	15
Veal Chops	-	-	15	Pork Steak, ham	-	-	15
Veal Roast	-	-	12½	Pork Steak, shoulder	-	-	12½
Veal Stew	-	-	10	Pork Steak, side	-	-	12½
Best Ham, 17c	Second-grade Ham,	15c	Sausage, 10c				
Best Bacon, 22c	"	"	Bacon, 17c	Bologna, 8c			
Smoked Shoulders, 13c	Wieners, 10c	Hamburger, 10-12½					

**JAS. GRAHAM**

### NOTICE

Owing to the fact that our patronage has increased nearly one-third in the last 30 days, we would kindly ask patrons to give us their orders as early as possible. Phones 131a and 131b.

### Palace Meat Market

S. H. DESCH, Prop.

**W.O. Barnes**  
JEWELER & OPTICIAN

**NELSON FLETCHER**  
FIRE INSURANCE AGENT  
REPRESENTS THE FOLLOWING INSURANCE COMPANIES.

Hartford Fire Insurance Company.  
North American of Philadelphia.  
Prudential of New York.  
Continental of New York City.  
Niagara Fire Insurance Company.  
Connecticut Fire.  
Commercial Union Assurance Co., London.  
Germania Fire Ins. Co.  
State of Omaha.

Liverpool, London and Globe Ins. Co.  
German American Ins. Co., New York.  
New York Life.  
Columbia Fire Insurance Company.  
Philadelphia Underwriters.  
Phoenix Ins. Co., Hartford, Conn.  
Firemens Fund Insurance Co.  
Rochester German Ins. Co.  
Office Up-Stairs, Fletcher Block.

**Palace Livery Barn**  
C. C. SMITH, Prop.  
(Successor to S. H. Desch)

ONE BLOCK WEST OF  
THE NEVZBIDDEN  
BUILDING. Phone

Good turnouts, strict attention to our business,  
and courteous treatment to all has won for us the  
excellent patronage we enjoy. Try us.

### Wallace's Transfer Line

Household goods moved promptly  
and transfer work solicited. Phone 1  
Frank Wallace, Prop'r.



### NEWS OF NEBRASKA

Missouri Pacific Asks Leave  
to Put in 3-Cent Fare.

Also Wants Permission to Advance  
Freight Rates 15 Per Cent—Tells  
State Commission It is Losing Money  
at Present Reduced Rates.

Lincoln, June 30.—What may be the beginning of a general attempt on the part of the railroads of the state to check rate regulation and what is at least an endeavor on the part of one road to get all the benefit the present situation holds was made before the Nebraska railway commission, when the Missouri Pacific railroad applied for an early hearing on a request for the restitution of the 3-cent-a-mile passenger fare and the freight rates charged before the Aldrich law went into effect. The Gould line represented to the commission with much detail and an elaborate presentation of statistics that under existing tariffs it is losing money and that the deficit in Nebraska for the year 1907 in passenger and freight traffic was \$464,465.29. If a 7 per cent dividend had been paid on the Nebraska investment, the road alleges, the deficit would have reached the sum of \$1,129,157.32. Under these conditions the request is made for an early hearing to the end that if relief is to be granted it may come at once.

COURTS FAVERS STATE BOARD  
Decision at Lincoln Reversing Grand  
Island Pension Case.

Lincoln, June 27.—The supreme court, at its last sitting before the summer vacation, handed down a decision reversing the district court of Hall county and permitting the state board of public lands and buildings to deduct percentage of the pension money received by inmates of the soldiers' home at Grand Island.

The case was started by an old soldier of Hall county who objected when the board changed its practice of years of demanding all pension money received over a certain sum in return for maintenance in the home by ordering that only a percentage of the money should be paid the state, varying with the amount of the pension received.

Republicans Open Campaign.  
Beatrice, Neb., June 27.—The Republican campaign in Nebraska was opened in Beatrice last night, when a large crowd of Gage county Republicans gathered at the Auditorium to ratify the nominations of William H. Taft and James S. Sherman. Republicans of prominence from all over the state were present. The meeting was presided over by F. B. Draper of Adams. Senator Norris Brown, Congressman Pollard and Hinshaw, Charles H. Sloan, Victor Rosewater and William Hayward, chairman of the state committee, were among the speakers. At a banquet which followed the public meeting, Senator Burkett and Governor Sheldon were the principal speakers.

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State University Finances.  
Lincoln, June 26.—The report of the secretary of the board of regents of the state university has been filed with the governor, showing the condition of the finances, giving a statement of receipts and expenditures for the six months ending May 31. The cash on hand amounted to \$7,661, and the receipts totaled \$51,459; expenditures, \$46,564, leaving a balance of \$4,793.

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State Board Revokes Rule.  
Lincoln, June 30.—The state board of public lands and buildings has suspended the rule requiring the inmates of soldiers' homes to pay to the state a percentage of their pensions. The rule is revoked pending an investigation, but it is said it probably will be abolished entirely.

Daughter of Revolution Dies.  
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GRAVES ELECTED PRESIDENT  
Denver Next Meeting Place of National Live Stock Exchange.

Omaha, June 27.—The National Live Stock exchange finished its two sessions with the election of officers and the selection of a meeting place for next year. Denver was chosen after a spirited contest with Milwaukee, the vote standing 40 to 22 in favor of the Colorado city.

The election of officers also developed plenty of competition. Those finally selected were: President, T. S. Graves of Indianapolis; secretary, A. F. Stryker of South Omaha; treasurer, J. W. Moore of Chicago. Eleven vice presidents were chosen, one for each city represented in the national exchange.

The practice of employing one secretary all the time was abandoned and the policy in the future will be to change secretaries from time to time. C. W. Baker of Chicago, who has held the office for nineteen years, was the instigator of the new policy.

"Before another year the Co-operative Commission company will be dead, the Kaw harnessed, and the Missouri diked," declared J. C. Swift, ex-president of the Kansas City Live Stock exchange, who bitterly arraigned Attorney General F. C. Jackson and the authorities of Kansas in speaking before the exchange.

EDITOR'S FIDDLE STOPS PANIC  
Pete Barron Checks Stampede When Lamp Overturns.

Scotts Bluff, Neb., June 29.—A fire was started by the overturning of a lamp at a home dramatic production by the Women's Commercial club of Scotts Bluff in the chautauqua auditorium here. The lamp which served as one of the footlights, falling from the stage to the floor in front, was broken and the oil ignited in a threatening blaze. As the audience started from their seats in alarm P. J. Barron, editor of the Scotts Bluff Star, who was leading the orchestra, grabbed his violin and standing before the audience commenced playing the first thing that came into his head, which happened to be the Haydn's Austrian hymn, "Gott Erhalte Franz den Kaiser." The people were quieted and remained in their places until the fire had been extinguished by smothering it with a rug. The play proceeded according to program, and nobody was injured.

FATAL WRECK NEAR CHADRON  
Ten Persons Killed When Northwestern Passenger Strikes Washout.

Chadron, Neb., June 27.—Ten persons were killed in a wreck on the Chicago and Northwestern railroad. A double-header passenger train eastbound struck a washout, caused by a cloudburst, forty miles from Chadron.

The dead: Willis Graham, engineer; O. C. Myers, fireman; Fred Ebner, brakeman; seven unidentified men, who were stealing a ride.

Two other tramps are missing and two are injured. Fireman Harris and Engineer Pace are injured. When the train struck the washout both engines were overturned.

Boy Shoots Boy by Accident.

Schuyler, Neb., June 29.—While Edgar Manning, a sixteen-year-old boy, was emptying the chamber of a rifle at the slough, where more than a dozen boys had gone to spend the day, a shot got caught in the barrel and while he was extricating the shot the trigger went off. The gun was pointed at the back of Frank Schley, who was undressing to go in swimming. The bullet entered the boy's back and went straight through his body, cutting the main artery. Schley was dead before medical assistance was secured.

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Machinist Fatally Crushed.

Alliance, Neb., June 29.—Fatal injuries resulted to J. M. Schirck, a Burlington machinist, who attempted to board an engine to ride from the roundhouse to the depot. Schirck missed his footing and slipped under the trucks of the cars following the engine in such a manner that his legs were badly crushed. He cannot recover.

Omaha Negro Fatally Shot.

Omaha, June 29.—Charles George, a negro, who was shot twice by Bob Fisher, also colored, died of his wounds. The two men had quarreled and when they met in a saloon at Thirteenth and Chicago streets Fisher began firing at George, two bullets taking effect in the latter's abdomen. George pulled a razor after he was shot and cut his assailant in several places, producing serious wounds.

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Boyd Goes to Parker Funeral.

Neligh, Neb., June 29.—Congressman Boyd received a telegram from the sergeant-at-arms of the house of representatives assigning him as a member of the committee to attend the funeral of Representative Parker of South Dakota, who died at Deadwood on the 26th, and he left for that place.

Wages of Trackmen Reduced.

Lincoln, June 27.—Announcement was made at Burlington headquarters that beginning July 1 wages of Burlington trackmen will be reduced 1 cent an hour, from 13½ to 12½ cents.

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GRAND CELEBRATION

**JULY 4TH**  
**At ALLIANCE, NEB.**

Early Morning—Cannonading. Band Music

10 a. m.—GRAND STREET PARADE—20  
Automobiles, Kalathumpians, floats,  
burlesque and comical features