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**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, native	16	Omaha	18	Rump Roast,	10	Omaha	12½
Round Steak, native	15	Omaha	16	Neck Boil, native	8	Omaha	10
Shoulder Steak, native	11	Omaha	14	Rib Boil, nat.	7,	Omaha,	8
				Briscut 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.	Liverpool, London and Globe Ins. Co.
North American of Philadelphia.	German American Ins. Co., New York.
Phoenix of Brooklyn, New York.	New Hampshire
Continental of New York City.	Columbia Fire Insurance Company.
Niagara Fire Insurance Company.	Philadelphia Underwriters.
Connecticut Fire	Phoenix Ins. Co., Hartford, Conn.
Commercial Union Assurance Co., London.	Fremans Fund Insurance Co.
Germania Fire Ins. Co.	Rochester German Ins. Co.
State of Omaha	Office 1-p-stairs, Fletcher Block.

Palace Livery Barn

C. C. SMITH, Prop.
(Successor to S. H. Desch)

ONE BLOCK WEST OF THE NEW ZBINOVEN 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 FAVORS 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 a 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.

Crowd Gathers at Omaha Jail.

Omaha, June 27.—A good sized crowd of men, mostly packing house employes, gathered at the Douglas county jail just before midnight, with the avowed intention of taking part in the lynching of Charles Bond, who was sentenced to life imprisonment for killing John Wrede, a South Omaha saloon keeper. A hurry call was sent to the city jail and a force of policemen sent to the county court house. Nothing developed, however, to indicate violence would be done the prisoner.

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 \$4,792.

Heavy Loss of Live Stock.

Beatrice, Neb., June 30.—With the receding of the Blue river, which overflowed its banks and flooded the lower part of the city, it is learned that an immense loss resulted from the drowning of live stock. Hundreds of acres were flooded and cattle and hogs had no chance for escape, being carried away and drowned by the swift current of the river.

Andrews Still a Democrat.

Lincoln, June 30.—In an address at the state university, Chancellor E. Benjamin Andrews reaffirmed his allegiance to the Democratic party. He predicted that the election this year will turn on issues rather than men, the leaders of the two parties being men without reproach.

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.

Tecumseh, Neb., June 29.—Mrs. Jane D. English Smith, a true daughter of the revolution, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Seward, in this city, aged ninety-two. Her father, Colonel Andrew English, served through the entire war of the revolution.

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 east-bound struck a washout, caused by a cloudburst, forty miles from Chadron. The dead: Willis Graham, engineer; O. C. Myers, fireman; Fred Eboner, 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.

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 talking effect in the latter's abdomen. George pulled a razor after he was shot and cut his assailant in several places, producing serious wounds.

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.

Illinois Democrats Visit Fairview.

Lincoln, June 29.—The delegation of Illinois Democrats, who left Omaha Saturday in automobiles for Lincoln, were caught in the storm Saturday night. Several bridges were out and resulted in their not reaching Lincoln until 11 o'clock last night. They called at Fairview and were greeted by Mr. Bryan today.

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.

PROGRAM

\$1,000 TO BE SPENT IN \$1,000

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

11 a. m.—Exercises at the Auditorium, northwest corner Box Butte Ave. and Montana St.

Music by Alliance Cornet Band. Invocation by Rev. George C. Jeffers. Patriotic Song by a choir of 25 of the best singers in the state of Nebraska.

ORATION BY HON. W. R. AKERS

More songs by the choir. Recitations Music by the Band

12 m.—Dinner

Grand Balloon Ascension

★★ ATHLETICS ★★

Foot races for men, 100 yd. dash. Hurdle race, 120 yds. 200 yd. hose race. 75 yd. dash boys' race. 50 yd. dash girls' race. 50 yd. 3-legged race. Potato race. Sack race.

\$150 IN PRIZES

RACING

In the Afternoon.

\$125 IN PREMIUMS

All the races and minor sports will take place on Main street, it being roped off for that purposes

BASE BALL!

at the grounds of the Association, east part of town

RAVENNA VS. ALLIANCE

Shooting Tournament

on Gun Club Grounds.

\$75 in Prizes

Prizes of \$10 and \$5 for most handsomely decorated auto or float in Parade

Prizes for most ridiculous and comical feature in parade

Prizes of \$15 and \$10 for handsomest decorated place of business on July 4th

The Ladies of Alliance will conduct a free "rest room" at 116 Wyoming Ave. for ladies and children from the country

SPECIAL PRIZES

The Famous Clothing Store offers a \$15 suit of men's clothes to the father bringing the most numerous family of boys to its store on July 4th. There must be 4 entries.

Chas. L. Hill offers a Standard \$18 Phonograph and ten 60c records to the largest family attending the celebration and registering at this store.

1 pair \$2.50 shoes to the boy winning 75 yd. dash, 1 pair \$2.50 shoes to the girl winning the 50 yd. dash, 1 J. B. Stetson Hat to the one winning the hurdle race, given by Geo. A. Molling.

Grand Fireworks at Night