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NEW GOODS JUST RECEIVED.

Men's Lawn Tennis Shoes - 65 cents.
 Chifon Ruffle Sets for Shirt Waists are the prettiest thing on the market—all colors.
 Men's and Ladies' Belts.
 We carry the Corded Skirt Facing.
 Silk Mitts and Gloves—large assortment.
 The best Silk Velvet, at 75 cts. per yard. Competitors get \$1 per yard for the same goods.
 Wagon Covers and Tents, Hammocks and Fishing Tackle.
 Moire Skirting.

These prices above mentioned are just a few of our many bargains new to the old time merchants who buy and sell on time. They will sell you staples at or below cost and then roast you to a "nice brown" on other lines. Our motto "Oward." We have all the confidence we want. The sensitive part of man is his pocket book.

Thanking you for past favors and soliciting your patronage, yours for one price.

HINMAN BLOCK, FRONT STREET. **THE HUB, W. T. BANKS, Prop.**

A FEW REASONS WHY THE OLD-FASHIONED REFRIGERATOR NEVER GAVE SATISFACTION.



CONFLICTING AIR CURRENTS.—The ice chamber is placed above the provision chamber, consequently the colder, heavier air in the ice chamber would naturally flow through the opening in its bottom into the provision chamber below, but here it meets an opposing force on the part of the lighter air in the provision chamber, to rise into the ice chamber, consequently a complicated system of drafts and currents is necessary to cause, even at its best, a feeble current of air, and this is only perceptible in the ice chamber. The circulation, if any, in the provision chamber, being left to be regulated by the difference in temperature of the articles placed in it, and it is an open question whether there is ever any circulation in the lower half of the provision chamber.

CONDENSATION OR SWEATING.—The vapors and odors from the food naturally rise to the top of the provision chamber and coming in contact with the ice, melt, become of the ice-chamber; they are withdrawn thereon, forming a sticky deposit, which renders very frequently washed off with soap and water, and the food below, communicating it with the combination of the odors of everything placed in the refrigerator.

CONDENSATION BY CONFLICTING AIR CURRENTS.—The vapors and odors, as they rise toward the top of the refrigerator, are also condensed by coming in contact with the middle current of cold air descending from the ice chamber, and deposited like the dew upon the nearest object. Thus for instance, the vapor from the hot pie shows in the evening, and the steam from the cabbage and onions also would be condensed upon, and contaminate the butter and milk above them.

A Few Reasons Why the "Automatic" Refrigerator is Superior to all Others.



Perfect Circulation.—The ice chamber is placed at the side of the provision chamber. The air in the ice chamber being colder and heavier, falls to the bottom, and flows out under the partition into the provision chamber. The warmer air in the provision chamber, flows over the partition into the ice chamber, where it in turn is cooled, and flows into the bottom of the chamber again. There is a constant current of air descending in the ice chamber, and an equally constant ascending current in the provision chamber. This is a positive, constant circulation.

A. L. Davis,
 Exclusive Agent in North Platte for the Illinois refrigerator (see cut). We are making a special drive on Gasoline Stoves.
 See our + + **LAWN MOWERS and HOSE** before purchasing elsewhere. Remember we handle all classes of **HARDWARE and TINWARE.**
A. L. DAVIS,
 Who no one owes.

EVENTS IN NEBRASKA.

Co. M. Nebraska National Guard, has just been mustered in at Grand Island, with a good roster of brave warriors whose first attack was an assault upon a banquet board, which they laid waste in true soldier style.

The Grand Island school board is being sued for upwards of \$20,000 by four districts which lie partly inside the corporate limits of the town. This is supposed to be their proportion of license money for a term of years.

The Lincoln drug store, will have to stop their illicit sale of intoxicants on Sunday, now, you bet. Four newspaper men, one from each paper of the city, have been sworn in as special police to look after this matter and the drug stores will have no chance whatever.

James Naismith, master mechanic in the round house of the Kearney & Black Hills road at Kearney, has been for a year working on a ball bearing device for car wheels and claims that he has at last solved the problem. This device will enable the K. & B. H. trains to attain the speed of a bicyclist.

Lars Jacobsen, a truck farmer of Cuming county living near Wisner, is working on a craft with which he expects to make a trip to Michigan by water. This will involve his traversing the Elkhorn, Platte, Missouri and Mississippi rivers, the Atlantic ocean to the Gulf of St. Lawrence, thence up that river through the lakes to some point in Michigan.

While in Illinois John Ottenstein received treatment for hemorrhoids, and now feels like a new man. The physician who treated Mr. O.—Dr. Minor of Quincy—neither cuts, ligates, or injects the tumors, his cure being a secret one. No pain or inconvenience is caused by the treatment. Mr. Ottenstein strongly recommends Dr. Minor to those who are suffering from this trouble.

While A. P. Jarvis was boating on the Loup near Fullerton he discovered the remains of a mastodon in the river's bank. He found the two tusks, about five feet long, three inches in diameter at the small end and seven at the larger; also some teeth which measure three inches across their top surface, where they had come in contact with Nanze county buffalo grass in primitive days.

Ensign Dixon pleaded guilty last Thursday morning before Judge Grimes, and was sentenced by his honor for a period of eighteen months in the penitentiary. The fact of Ensign pleading guilty, no doubt, mitigated his sentence considerably, and after all, it is not revenge that the outraged law is after but simply an example, and there is no question but what this sentence is of sufficient length to be an example. It probably will be some time before our merchants will be troubled with an offense of a similar character.—Gandy Pioneer.

The Perkins County Herald-Sentinel tells of the woes of a man who had just purchased a farm in Grant. The farm was not occupied by a constant renter, and the purchaser on visiting it found tools about his well and the indications were that preparations had been made to pull the pipe from the well. He returned to Grant, secured the sheriff and county attorney, returned to the farm, and failing to find anyone took possession of the tools. A later visit to the farm was made and the pipe had wholly disappeared. The thief very considerably left the well.

Peter Fourier de Mataincoat who in the sixteenth century reformed the Premonstratensian order and founded the Notre Dame congregations of teaching nuns, is about to be canonized and made into a full saint. Pope Leo has sent out 40,000 invitations for the ceremonies, which will take place in St. Peter's. The last survivor of the saint's family M. Fourier de Baucourt will be present. He was formerly French charge d'affaires to the Vatican.

THE TOUBIST SLEEPER
 on the Union Pacific is an "up-to-date" car. Maximum comfort at minimum cost is the principle upon which these cars are built and operated. They run daily from Council Bluffs and Omaha to Ogden, San Francisco and Portland. Pullman porters with every car. For further particulars call on or address N. B. OLDS, Agent.

HOUSE CLEANING ***** TIME IS HERE. *****

Housekeepers are looking for Carpets, Mattings, Chenille and Lace Curtains, Window shades and Brass Rods. We offer special inducements to buyers who are in need of these goods. As to quality, style and patterns and prices we are sure winners. We offer carpets at from 25 cents per yard up. Chenille curtains, large sizes, good quality, at \$2.25 per pair. We offer lace curtains at 65 cents per pair, worth one dollar. We also have ecru and white lace curtains as fine as you wish them, ranging as high as \$10 per pair. We also carry a beautiful line of these goods which we sell by the yard. Window shades in all colors, pure linen, plain or French, with all fixtures complete at 25 cents each. Brass curtain rods at 15 cents. Mattings 12 1/2, 15 and 25 cents per yard.

Persons contemplating the purchase of goods in the above line are invited to call and look over our stock.

Yours to Please,
THE BOSTON STORE,
 JULIUS PIZER, Prop.

That New Shoe Store *

is now open and ready for business. We pay attention to no other line—nothing but Shoes—and for that reason can show all the newest styles and furnish you better goods at lower prices. We ask you to call and allow us to prove our assertions.

First door north of Mrs. Huffman's.
Decatur & Beegle,
 YELLOW FRONT SHOE STORE.
 Geo. M. Graham, Manager.

No. 3496

First National Bank,
 NORTH PLATTE, NEB.

CAPITAL, - - \$50,000.
 SURPLUS, - - \$22,500.

H. S. White, - - - President.
 P. A. White, - - - Vice-Pres't.
 Arthur McNamara, - Cashier.

A general banking business transacted.

NEWS FROM THE COUNTRY PRECINCTS.

SUTHERLAND NEWS.
 C. F. Iddings transacted business in this village Monday.... H. McVey, of Paxton, stopped off on his way home Saturday night from the teachers' meeting at North Platte.... The church lot has been greatly improved by the erection of a fence and the setting out of a number of trees.... R. Ellsworth Sundayed with his family at this point.... S. A. Haultman transacted business at North Platte Saturday.... The presiding elder preached to a large audience at the school house Sunday.... Dame Rumer has it that a newspaper will soon be established at this place.... Last week a park association was formed and W. C. Blackmore, John Keith, E. C. Brown, F. A. Carpenter and George Emerson were elected directors for one year. The ground on the railroad right-of-way east of the depot was chosen as a park site. Trees have been planted, grass sown, and soon things will be in ship shape. The directors seem to be hustlers.... Chas. Deffer, of Keith county, transacted business at this point Monday.... E. C. Brown and a number of lady friends took in the sights at Sutherland Sunday.... Quite a number of teachers from this locality attended the teachers' meeting at North Platte, and the milliners down there seem to have had a busy time.... Willis Record, of Paxton, Sundayed in this village.... Miss Yates visited North Platte friends Saturday.... W. M. Holtry shipped a carload of fat hogs west Monday. N. C.

F. J. BROEKER,
MERCHANT TAILOR.
 Cleaning Repairing and Dyeing.

Attention is invited to our New Line of Spring Suitings

Suits made to order in a workmanlike... manner and perfect fit Guaranteed.

PRICES AS LOW AS THE LOWEST.

A. F. STREITZ
DRUGGIST.

Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, PAINTERS' SUPPLIES, WINDOW GLASS, MACHINE OILS, Diamanta Spectacles.

Deutsche Apotheke.
 Corner of Spruce and Sixth-sts.

MYRTLE NEWS.
 Duncan McNicol, of Chicago, made his parents quite a visit recently.... A. G. Smith has been visiting his family, and other relations in this precinct the past week.... O. A. Davis, of Grand Island, was looking after his land and visiting friends a short time ago.... Mr. and Mrs. Hoagland, of North Platte, while en route to Gandy the first of the week, made W. H. Null's a visit.... George Null and son Frank, of

ROYAL BAKING POWDER
 Absolutely Pure.

Celebrated for its great leavening strength and healthfulness. Assures the food against all acid and all forms of adulteration common to cheap brands.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK

SOMERSET SNAP SHOTS.

Corn planting is now the order of the day.... W. A. Latimer recently made a flying trip to McCook after his father and mother.... John McConnell, transacted business in Maywood recently.... W. N. Parcel departed the early part of the week on a short trip to Iowa.... Elder George Rader is expected here during the coming week.... D. R. Miller, of Orleans, arrived here Saturday to erect a windmill for James Owens.... Elder McBride will preach here next Sunday at eleven o'clock a. m.... Charles Speide and W. J. Jones are each contemplating commodious residences of Nebraska brick.... Don't forget to hand the news to "Aunt Jack".... Prairie fires have raged north and west of here for about a week, destroying the grass and endangering the property of citizens. The reckless use of fire is getting to be a very serious matter and some prosecutions should follow. O. L. C.

MAXWELL NOTES.

The "ditch" does not seem to materialize, but expect it will in the near future. A great many are looking forward to doing work on the ditch.... Miss Costin, of Wilcox Island, was the guest of Miss Ellen McCullough one day this week.... Samuel L. Smith and William C. Dolan spent Tuesday in North Platte.... Hired male help is scarce in this vicinity.... Catholic services were held in the school house Saturday morning. Father McCarthy officiating.... Mrs. Martin Geraghty and children spent two days in North Platte the past week.... John Moore is working on the section at this place.... Mr. Donnigan, of North Platte is the guest of C. H. Kuhns and family.... Louis Burke of Portland is spending a few days with his brother Peter Burke.... Miss Mamie Nugent came down from North Platte Tuesday where she had spent a few days with friends.... Our school will give an ice cream social Saturday, May 8th, in the evening. The proceeds to go to the school.... Fowles Bros. C. W. Horne, W. H. and A. W. Plumer and Mr. Brooks are shipping hay this week.... Harry Nickerson is pressing hay for C. W. Horne.... Mr. Cox of Cox settlement has leased the house on C. W. Horne's ranch for the summer. Mr. Horne will pasture horses on his ranch the coming season instead of leasing as formerly.

A Democratic Monarch.

Robert P. Porter, in a letter to the Philadelphia Inquirer, tells a story which goes to prove that there are kings and kings, and that they are not all like the German war lord. "Walking the streets of Copenhagen some years ago with the American minister," writes Mr. Porter, "I saw an elderly gentleman in a modest uniform, accompanied by a magnificent bloodhound, walking toward us. The pavement was narrow, and we were on the inside. Without giving us a chance, this kindly man, erect as an arrow, stepped from the sidewalk into the street and saluted our minister, military fashion. We both returned the salute and passed on." It was, of course, the king of Denmark, who loves to ramble unattended about the capital, and who may be seen nearly every afternoon walking along the wharfs and quays of Copenhagen and in the public thoroughfares. He is a friend of the people and unusually beloved. Moreover, he is a modest, unpretentious gentleman, and a man of courage.

Women Read Advertisements.

It is claimed, says the Philadelphia Press, that the women are the only readers of advertisements. In a measure this is true, and necessarily so, for women are the larger purchasers for the household and spend most of the money that is earned by business, professional and working men.

Even in the larger transactions it will probably surprise dealers to learn how influential a voice women have. The purchase of a home is almost invariably determined by the women of the household, and in nine cases out of ten their information as to the situation and desirability of a purchase is gained from the newspapers.

And every furniture dealer, dry goods dealer, groceryman and keeper of any sort of a store knows that he must appeal to the women if he wishes to sell his goods. One of the largest elements in the success of one of the greatest merchants in the world today is the fact that he knows how to appeal attractively through the advertisement to the woman.—Fourth Estate.

Primitive Surgery.

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When his own ship was wrecked, he climbed up its side without assistance, saying: "Tell the surgeon to make haste and get his instruments. I know I must lose my right arm, so the sooner it is off the better."

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And yet so faintly was Nelson affected by the coldness of the operator's knife that when next going into action at the famous battle of the Nile he gave standing orders to his surgeons that hot water should always be kept in readiness during an engagement, so that if another operation should be required he might at least have the poor comfort of being cut with warm instruments.

FAST TIME THROUGH CARS.

To Omaha, Chicago and points in Iowa and Illinois, the UNION PACIFIC in connection with the C. & N. W. Ry. offers the best service, and the fastest time. Call or write to me for time cards, rates, etc.

N. B. OLDS, Agent.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at North Platte, Neb., May 1st, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that Ernest Teltz has filed notice of intention to make final proof before Register and Receiver at his office at North Platte, Neb., on Saturday the 13th day of June, 1897, on Under military application No. 11,898, for the southeast quarter of section No. 22 in Township 50, 23 North, Range No. 22 West. He claims as witness Fred Eilers, Henry Gurdien, Bernhard Wenzel, Fred Eilers, Henry Gurdien, Bernhard Wenzel, and Fred Eilers, all of North Platte, Neb.

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