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## We Have no Closing-Out Sale

To advertise. Never had such a run of trade; in fact its a regular land-slide. It's our spot cash knock-out prices that has done it. We have new goods arriving daily. We are in a position to supply all and every want of our customers at prices never thought of by our competitors who advertise "closing-out sales," "out of business in 90 days," etc., etc.

### Underwear Dept.

Men's all-wool Fleece... 50 cents per garment  
Men's all-wool Fleece... 95 cents per garment  
Men's heavy Plush Wool, \$1.15 per garment  
Men's Cotton, a good garment for... 25 cents  
Children's cotton, size 18, 5cts. 2c rise pr size  
Children's wool, size 18, 25 cts. 5c rise per size

36-inch Henrietta... 20 cents per yard  
45-inch all-wool Serges... 38 cents per yard  
A beautiful line of Novelties at 30, 45 and 55c

### Holiday Goods.

Dolls, Celluloid Novel ties, Books, Furs, Mufflers, Handkerchiefs, Silk and Wool Mittens, Neckwear, etc.

Our stock of these goods is very complete and everybody will find something to please at the right price. We extend to you a cordial invitation to look us over. We can save you money

### Dry Goods Dept.

40 bolts Outing Flannel, a good article at 6cts  
Amoskeag Ginghams... 5 cents per yard  
Kearney Home Muslin, by bolt, 4cts per yard

The Hub, . . . W. T. Bank's, Prop.

## GREAT CLEARING SALE FOR SIXTY DAYS ONLY.

We are overstocked with goods and must unload as we need money.

Look and compare prices with any city in the Union.

Men's Woolen Cheviot Suits in brown and black, sizes 36 to 42, at **\$8.50**  
Fine all-wool men's suits, all sizes, for **\$5.50, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.50 up to \$16.50**  
Men's Overcoats from \$2.50, and as fine as you want them. Boy's Overcoats \$1 up  
A good heavy suit for a child for \$1, better ones for \$1.50 up to \$5. Boy's Long Pants Suits from \$2 up to \$10, ages from 12 to 19 years. Good working pants for 90 cents which will not rip; in fact everything will be sold so cheap that you cannot help but buy. Please give us a call.

Model Clothing House, - - M. Einstein, Prop.  
FOLEY'S OLD STAND.

### EVENTS IN NEBRASKA

Commander Ehrhart of Stanton is still very low, and the physicians, though hopeful, have doubts of his recovery.

Homer Bacon of Alexandria has no more fingers to throw at the birds. He dropped four of them into the yawp of a corn sheller.

Speaking of the chainless bicycle, its clapperless bells and oilless lamp, why not mount on it a tireless rider with a rubberless neck?—Hastings Record.

You can get a first-class dinner and a cigar that will catch the attention of the public at a Hastings hotel for two dimes, and in addition the landlady will treat you to a sunny smile and acquaint you with the fact that it's a nice day.

The editor of the Burchard Times "took a day a day of last week on account of poor health." It is only death, sickness or political preference that ever gives a Nebraska editor a holiday.—Omaha World-Herald.

Tomas Dack, one of the many wealthy farmers of Platte county, lost his residence and contents by fire. The building cost \$10,000, and was insured for about half that amount.

John Williams, a farm hand working near Wymore, was thrown from a load of corn, and as he fell one of the horses planted his hoof against his skull. His injuries, though painful, are not serious.

A Mrs. Tripp, who was at the Grand Island hospital for treatment for derangement of the mind, wandered away the other day and was not found until late in the evening, when she was discovered in a corn field nearby, all covered with mud.

As a token of appreciation, says the Fremont Tribune, the Baptist church has added \$200 to the salary of their pastor Rev. C. W. Brinstad. During the last two years an even 100 have been received into membership by him, of whom fifty eight have been by baptism, at an average age of twenty years. The church is in excellent condition both financially and spiritually.

Warren Switzer received 713 votes in Nebraska for supreme judge on the National democratic ticket and J. Sterling Morton got

1,309 on the same ticket for regent. Neither of them reached the necessary one per cent to save the party, except by petition. Neither did the prohibitionists. Judge Strong's vote was 1,625.

A very serious accident occurred one evening this week to the little baby of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Stowell, of Paxton. The mother tied the child in a rocking chair and went out to milk the cow, leaving the chair near the stove. While out the child worked itself loose from the chair and fell into the oven and terribly burned before being discovered. The child is still living, but there is very little hope for its recovery.—Ogallala News.

#### Of Interest to Housekeepers.

Inasmuch as the World's Fair and the Iowa and Minnesota State Boards of Health, condemned baking powders containing alum it will be of use to our readers to have an official list of some of the powders in order that they may be able to distinguish between them and the pure and wholesome cream of tartar article. This is not an easy matter, as none of the alum baking powders is labeled as such, but all masquerade as "pure" "best in the world" "none so good" etc. Our space will not permit of a complete list and we give the powders most generally sold in this section, which are known to contain alum.

Calumet.	Climax.
Hotel.	Standard.
Mokaska.	Taylor's One Spoon.
Chicago Yeast.	Manhattan.
Loyal.	Rocket.
Cameo.	K. C.
Town Talk.	Grant's Bon Bon.

Reject all brands sold with a price or at twenty-five cents or less a pound as they are made of alum. Be on the safe side and accept none other than Dr. Price's Cream Baking powder, which received the highest praise and honors at the World's Fair.

#### SOMERSET.

A little snow fell at this place last Friday and Saturday.... A. Kunkle, of Kem, was a visitor at this place Saturday.... Courtier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Beyer, who was quite sick with capillary bronchitis, is considerably improved.... Dr. Lawrence, of Wallace, was here recently visiting the sick.... Joseph Beyer arrived from Oklahoma Thursday, he says he will spend the remainder of his days in Lin-

coln county. He will live on the Wister place.... Alex Green was a North Platte visitor Friday and Saturday.... S. L. McConnell received a car of coal Thursday.... Loose horses have been helping themselves in cornfields the past week.... W. A. Latimer has two head of stray cattle at his place.... There will be a Christmas tree at Somerset on the evening of Dec. 24th. There will be a good programme and all are cordially invited to attend.

THE Era should not forget that the Patterson bill was allowed by the present city council, and a warrant ordered drawn for the payment of the bill. Neither should it forget that the \$2,000 received as occupation tax on saloons was ordered to be paid out on salaries by a council of which the present mayor, Mr. Day, and Mr. Schatz were members. It should also bear in mind that Councilmen Thomson, Schatz and Cunningham have voted solidly together in sustaining Mayor Day upon all questions where there has been a fight, and this combine forms a majority vote.

A LATE dispatch from Ohio states that fire of the fusion members elected to the legislature in that state held a meeting and declared that they would vote for the return of Hanna to the United States senate. This puts the senator on "easy street," and his political funeral procession will not occur, notwithstanding the predictions of Willie Bryan.

#### DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Chas. Newman and Conrad Walker is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Chas. Newman will collect all bills due the firm and pay all bills against said firm. Dated Nov. 30, 1897.

C. NEWMAN.  
C. WALKER.

#### Clinton, Missouri.

Mr. A. L. Armstrong, an old druggist and a prominent citizen of this enterprising town, says: "I sell some forty different kinds of cough medicines, but have never in my experience sold so much of any one article as I have of Ballard's Horehound Syrup. All who use it say it is the most perfect remedy for Cough, Cold, Consumption, and all diseases of the Throat and Lungs they have ever tried." It is a specific for Croup and Whooping Cough. It will relieve a cough in one minute. Contains no opiates. Price 25 and 50 cents. Sold by The North Platte Pharmacy, J. E. Bush, Mgr.

### DEATH OF GEORGE W. DILLARD

The Well Known Citizen Dies Suddenly of Heart Disease.

George W. Dillard died at his residence in the city at 9:45 Sunday night from heart disease. Death came very sudden and unexpected. Sunday morning he was attacked with colic, a trouble which he had experienced at periods for some time past. Dr. McCabe was called and gave a hypodermic injection, which resulted in some relief. The Doctor again visited his patient at five o'clock in the evening and the latter complaining that he was not feeling so well, another light injection was given and relief followed. About 9:45 Mr. Dillard, while sitting in a chair by the fire complained of feeling sick at his stomach and thought he would have to vomit. He started to get up to reach a vessel, fell heavily across a lounge and expired almost instantly, making only a half dozen gasps for breath after he fell. The horror stricken wife sent to the neighbors for help and Dr. McCabe summoned but the spirit had taken its flight.

George W. Dillard was born in Christian county, Kentucky in 1849. When about fourteen years of age he left home and entered the service of the United States government on board of one of the war vessels on the Mississippi river and remained in the service until the close of the war. The vessel on which he was stationed participated in a number of engagements with the rebel warships and forts, and he suffered disabilities by reason of which he was recently granted a pension by the government. At the close of the civil war he enlisted in the regular army and in July, 1866 came to old Fort McPherson as a private in the Second United States Cavalry. He remained in the service until 1869 when he was mustered out. He then went to his old home in Kentucky where he remained a year or two. Returning to Ft. McPherson, he secured a position at the post which he filled until 1873 when he came to North Platte and accepted a position with Foley & Senter, who were then conducting a general store. A few months after he secured a position on the Union Pacific as a fireman and was later promoted to engineer. This latter position he held until 1894 when he purchased the coal yards then conducted by Smith Clark, and in which business he has since been engaged.

The deceased was married to Miss Carrie Ottman in this city in 1881, and as a result of that union three children were born, Romane, now aged fifteen, Clarence aged thirteen and Kathryn aged about nine; the wife and children surviving.

In the death of George Dillard North Platte loses an old, honored and highly esteemed citizen, and one whom we will all greatly miss. Possessed of a naturally genial nature and of great sociability he had a very large circle of acquaintances, and while his positive convictions and emphatic declaration sometimes made him temporary enemies, there is not a man who will gainsay the statement that he was honest and sincere in whatever matter he espoused or opposed, and if shown he was wrong was ever ready to admit it. Mr. Dillard was of a generous nature, and while he never paraded his acts of charity, many unfortunates who have lived in North Platte will attest to his generosity. He was imbued with a spirit of energy and progressiveness and was always a warm advocate of any measure pertaining to the welfare of the city and its people. In fact he was a man any town could ill afford to lose, and his demise in the prime of life has caused genuine sorrow and regret in North Platte.

The deceased was a member of

the Brotherhood of Engineers, the Knights of Pythias and the Ancient Order of United Workmen.

The funeral will be held at the Methodist church at 2:30 to-morrow afternoon.

### RAILROAD NOTES.

#### A FLY RUN

The swiftest run ever made over the Union Pacific between Cheyenne and Omaha was made yesterday, when two mail cars were hauled 516 miles in 559 minutes. The run from Cheyenne to Sidney, 102 miles, was made by Engineer Reed in 107 minutes. Six minutes were consumed at Sidney in changing engines, and at 9:21 Engineer W. J. Stewart pulled out of the latter place and arrived here at 11:19, making the 123 miles in 117 minutes, which included a stop at Julesburg. The run from Julesburg to North Platte, 81 miles, was made in 74 minutes. Engineer Frederickson started out of this station with the train, but as he did not make the necessary time he was relieved at Lexington and Engineer White placed in charge. The time made by the train on the Second and First districts was not reported, other than the run of 62 miles from Grand Island to Columbus was made in 54 minutes. The 516 miles was covered in 559 minutes, which included eleven stops, three of which were to change engines. Figuring four minutes to each stop, the actual running time for the entire distance was fully a mile per minute. Stuart's run on the Third district broke all records, and was the swiftest during the entire trip.

Four engine crews were pulled off the Second district yesterday.

Roy Vernon went to Omaha yesterday as an extra baggageman on the third section of No. 2.

There were three section of No. 2 yesterday, the gulf connection arriving on time, the second section at eleven o'clock and the third at 2:15.

C. E. Norton, who took a thirty-day vacation following the Julesburg collision, resumed his run on the road Saturday.

The extra switch engine which had been assisting with the work in the yards for several months, was taken off the latter part of the week. This places Hugh Bird on the list of extra engineers.

President George Gould of the Missouri Pacific has issued a proclamation restoring the wages of fifteen thousand employes of that road to the standard paid prior to 1893. This restoration of wages range from five to twenty per cent. The proclamation was issued on Thanksgiving day, a very appropriate time.

As No. 1 reached Julesburg Sunday evening the Pintsch gas lamp in the mail car was discovered leaking. brakeman Hartman, with lighted lantern entered the car and attempted to stop the leak, but seems made it worse. The car was soon filled with the gas and became ignited from the flame of the lantern and the interior of the car was a mass of flames. A bucket briga was hastily formed and the fire was held in check until the gas was consumed, when the flames were easily checked. No particular damage ensued, and the train pulled forty-five minutes late.

There is no question but Mr. Cheyney considers the result of the recent election in Lincoln county a great defeat for the populist party. He realizes that upon him depends the herculean task of "making over" the party; discarding such men as Kelliher, Holcomb, Buchanan and others who are in the party for what they can get out of it. Of course Mr. Cheyney is different from these men. He would continue to run a populist paper in Lincoln county even if he did not receive the county publishing at full legal rates, or patronage of the sheriff's office. In his great fight for principle patronage cuts no figure (?) with Mr. Cheyney. He came to Lincoln county from Washington for the express purpose of educating the people, and as we look over the Lincoln county returns we are led to exclaim, let the good work go on.

SANTA CLAUS will be on deck twenty-five days hence, notwithstanding ministerial realists have attempted to knock him out. To abolish Santa Claus means to take away from childhood one of its most pleasant events.

## FREE!

This Beautiful BRONZE CLOCK given away by the BOSTON STORE.



The above cut represents one of our handsome bronze clocks now on exhibition at our store which we propose to give to our cash customers entirely free of charge in consideration of their liberal patronage. We beg to state that our prices, which are always rock-bottom for first-class goods, will remain the same, and this special offer is made for the purpose of increasing our cash trade.

These clocks are made of bronze and are beautiful mantel ornaments as well as first-class time keepers. Please give us an early call and we will take pleasure in showing you the clocks, and explaining in detail how you can secure one of these useful gifts. By means of punch cards or coupons we record your cash purchases from time to time, and when these purchases reach a specified sum, according to different designs of clocks, we will present you with one of these beautiful time-keepers ABSOLUTELY FREE.

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