

Local News in Brief.

P. H. McEvoy is putting in his spare hours repainting his house. Art Fonda was taken to Omaha Sunday night to receive treatment for his eyes.

The city council will consider the electric light proposition at the meeting this evening.

John Jones fell from the scaffolding at the ice houses Friday and sustained a badly sprained ankle.

The meeting of the Rebekahs, which was announced for Thursday next, has been indefinitely postponed.

Lieut. Geo. T. Patterson will spend next Monday in town while enroute to his new station at Fort-ress Monroe.

J. L. Bristol, who is playing in Cullin's circus band, renewed acquaintance with North Platte friends Saturday.

P. W. Sifton sold a fine Shaw piano to J. C. Orr Saturday, and a few days ago sold an Emerson to Don Devine, of Sidney.

FOR SALE—A desirable residence property in west end. Nice lawn and shade trees. Price \$1,100. Inquire of Butler Buchanan.

We learn from the Grand Island papers that Mrs. Jennie Criswell and daughter Florence will soon return to North Platte to live.

The Altar Society will give an ice cream social on the Catholic church lawn Wednesday evening. Public is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Wm. Jeffers and daughter Gertie and Mrs. Chas. Whelan went to Omaha yesterday where Mrs. Jeffers will receive medical treatment.

Cullin's Bros' circus exhibited in town Saturday. It travels by wagon and experienced some difficulty in fording the South Platte river.

Mell Ridgely came down from Sidney last week and has entered his brother's law office where he will do clerical work until fall and then go to school.

Charley Preitauer, who was in from Antelope precinct Saturday, says the grasshoppers and dry weather has about ruined the wheat in his section.

Messrs. Sullivan, Werker, Hart and Schwaiger returned Sunday night from Grand Island, where they assisted the team of that place in two games of ball.

Mrs. J. W. Hingston, who is now conducting a stationery and confectionery store in Salt Lake City, was the guest of North Platte friends the latter part of the week.

E. A. Cary will return next week from St. Louis where he is visiting relatives and after a brief stay here will spend the balance of his vacation.

Manager Lloyd has booked a number of good companies for the season of 1900-1901, among them being two of Hoyt's plays. The first company of the season will be here September 1st.

Among the list of postmasters of nearby postoffices who were made happy by an increase in their salary were those at Curtis, Cozand and Gothenburg. Each of them was given a raise of \$100.

The Royal Neighbors of Woodbine Camp No. 1946 of Maxwell, Neb., will give a dance in the Town Hall on the evening of July 4th. Refreshments will be served all the evening by the ladies of the camp.

RECORDED.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Fikes are feeling both proud and happy over the advent on Saturday of a boy baby at their home. We congratulate Will upon his effort to increase the population of the city right at the time when the census enumerator is making his rounds.

Chas. P. Ross returned from the extreme southeast part of the county Saturday and says crops in that section are in excellent condition. As yet grasshoppers and other insects have done no damage. In fact he saw very few hoppers. There has been plenty rain in that section.

CROCKERY PRICES.

- Glass Tumblers per set.....20c
- Engraved Tumblers per set.....25c
- Fine Thin Tumblers per set.....30c
- Handled Cups and Saucers per set 45c
- 7-inch Dinner Plates per set.....45c
- 100-piece English Dinner set.....\$7.00

Wilcox Department Store.



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8,
10,
12,
13.50

These \$6.00 Suits are "All Wool" @ Extra Good Summer Suit. One Price and Plain Figures.

STAR CLOTHING HOUSE,

W. A. VOLLMER, Proprietor.

Opposite old location.

The new house of James Rannie in the First ward is well under way. It will be quite a commodious residence.

Round and Half Round Stock Tanks, all sizes, for sale by Jos. Hershey.

A Mr. Potter, of Gandy, is making arrangements to open a meat market in the room formerly occupied by W. T. Banks on Front street.

Miss Hattie Schmalzried, who has been attending a musical conservatory at Lincoln, returned home last week to spend the summer vacation.

It is expected that the stone and part of the brick for the new school building will arrive this week. It will be well towards the first of July before work will begin on the building.

P. L. Harper, who was up from Wallace yesterday, says that in some localities in the south part of the county the grasshoppers are doing considerable damage. He had a small field of alfalfa which the hoppers cleaned of the plant leaves, and they are eating his millet as fast as it grows. Where not affected by the insects, the crops in Wallace precinct are in good condition generally speaking.

Arthur Leflang, of Lexington, son of E. M. F. Leflang formerly president of the First National Bank of this city, was married at the former place last Thursday to Miss Carrie Stuckey.

The Denver base ball team will pass through the city tomorrow. Had not the local team made dates with the Lincolns, an effort would have been made to have the Denvers stop here and play a game.

If you haven't underwear to fit it's your own fault. We have it, all good kinds. Union Suits as low as \$1.00. The cheaper kind in shirts and drawers as low as 25 cents a garment.

STAR CLOTHING HOUSE.

A. F. Streitz constructed a grasshoppers catcher or dosser the other day and sent it down to his farm on the South side. His farm neighbors are also using the catchers, and by so doing will greatly diminish the number of hoppers. Mr. Streitz is of the opinion that the catcher is the best method of exterminating the pest, and those who desire to construct such can obtain information concerning the plans and dimensions by applying to him. Several farmers between the rivers are also using the catchers with good results.

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In black, with figured silk vesting cloth top, soft, smooth kid vamps and foxing, new toes, kid tipped, medium weight flexible soles, at

\$2.50

Ladies' Shoes

In tan, with kid tops, fine, soft stock, in a popular shade of tan, popular toe shape, kid tipped, moderate heel, dressy shoes at

\$2.50

Ladies' Shoes

In black, all kid, light weight for dress wear, thin, pliable soles, newest ideas in toe, style and trimmings, at

\$2.50

People and Events.

Mrs. J. L. Minor left for Salt Lake City Friday night.

W. R. McKeen, Jr., returned Sunday morning from a brief visit in Denver.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Fenwick returned last evening from their visit in Kansas.

Mrs. P. M. Sorenson and Miss Bertha Thoelecke visited friends in Gandy last week.

Walker Hainline came up from York Saturday and is spending a few days in town.

C. F. Jennings spent Sunday in town with his family, who are visiting relatives.

Mrs. E. E. Northrup, who has been visiting relatives at Hebron, is expected home in a day or two.

Mrs. Welch and son Hershey, and Mrs. Jos. Hershey and son are expected home in a few days from Iowa City.

T. M. Hainline and family expect to leave about July 1st for York, where they will make their future home.

H. W. Benner and wife came down from Sidney Saturday, being called here by the shocking death of the latter's sister.

Paul Bartlett, former manager of the E. W. ranch but now in the lumber business at Lincoln, was in town Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Josie Goodman returned Sunday morning from Sutherland where she had been spending a week as the guest of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Scanlan went to Omaha Sunday night to bring home their daughter who has been attending school there. They returned this morning.

Mrs. Flora Kitzmiller arrived from Des Moines Saturday afternoon, having been called here by the sudden death of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Harry Kitzmiller.

Judge Grimes returned last evening from his ten days' visit in Indiana. He says his trip was an exceptionally pleasant one, although his stay in the several towns he visited was necessarily brief.

Miss Adeline Staats, of Chicago, will arrive in a few days and spend several weeks here as the guest of Miss Josephine Goodman. Miss Staats is an accomplished vocalist and her coming is looked forward to with much pleasure by the musical coterie.

Your Pass Book

Will show where you are paying more for most of these articles, and will not show you where you pay less.

- Army Axle Grease 2 boxes.....15
- Monarch Axle Grease 2 boxes.....15
- Frazier's Axle Grease 2 boxes.....15
- Walter Baker's Cocoa 1/2 lb tin.....25
- Walter Baker's Chocolate 18c, 2 cakes.....35
- 1/2-pint Dr. Price's Extract Vanilla.....15
- Sewing Machine Oil per bottle.....05
- Grand Pa's Wonder Soap per bar.....05
- Kerosene Oil.....per gal 15
- Yeast Foam.....2 pkgs 05
- On Time Yeast.....2 pkgs 05
- 4-lb pkg Gold Dust.....18
- Pearline per pkg.....04
- Search Light Matches per box.....04
- Kingsford's Silver Gloss Starch.....08
- Kingsford's Corn Starch.....08
- Table Salt.....2 sacks 05
- Sage per pkg.....04
- Hops per pkg.....04
- Whittmore's Gilt Edge Shoe Polish.....20
- Whittmore's Baby Elite Shoe Polish.....10
- Bird Seed 1-lb pkg.....07
- Eagle Brand Condensed Milk 18c 2 cans for.....35
- Evaporated Cream 13c, 2 cans.....25
- Vinegar.....per gal 20
- Arbuckle's Coffee.....13c, 2 pkgs 25
- Lion Coffee.....13c, 2 pkgs 25
- German Coffee.....13c, 2 pkgs 25
- Bee Coffee.....per pkg 14
- Bogota Coffee.....18c, 2 pkgs 15
- Cream of Wheat.....per pkg 15
- Pillsbury's Vitos.....13c, 2 pkgs 25
- Shredded Whole Wheat Biscuit.....13c, 2 pkgs 25
- Battle Ax Tobacco.....per plug 35
- Horse Shoe Tobacco.....per plug 45
- Star Tobacco.....per lb 45
- J. T. Tobacco.....per plug 20
- Duke's Mixture Tobacco.....per lb 35
- Snow Flake Patent Flour per sk 90
- 25-lbs Corn Meal.....25

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We are showing an exceptionally fine line of Wall Paper of the newest designs. If you contemplate papering your house, call and see our stock. We can suit you in both style and price.

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AND... and are still doing business at the old stand, the Red Front Store.

Newton's Book and Novelty Store.

Degree of Honor Social.

A D. of H. social will be held Tuesday evening, June 19, at the home of John Keliher. The public is cordially invited and a special invitation is extended to the families of A. O. U. W. members. The following program will be rendered: Violin solo, Mr. L. Daingerfield; vocal solo, Miss A. Rebhausen; instrumental duet, Misses Swarthout and McNamara; cornet solo, Mr. E. Stamp; violin solo, Miss H. Connor; instrumental solo, Miss Sorenson; violin solo, Mr. F. Cunningham.

Notice!

A summer school for teachers and prospective teachers will be conducted in the First ward school house at North Platte. Term, six weeks, beginning June 25. Tuition, \$5. Instructors, J. C. Orr and H. E. Worrell. All branches required for any county certificate will be taught.

Further information will be cheerfully furnished upon application. BERTHA THOELECKE, County Superintendent.

For Rent.

Three rooms on Dewey street, second floor, suitable for house-keeping. T. C. PATTERSON.

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