

**Local News in Brief.**

The ladies' guild will meet Friday afternoon at the rectory.

Harrington & Tobin ordered five hay cars for Nichols yesterday.

Brick for the new school building are being unloaded and hauled to the ground.

The front of the Nebraska House is being repainted, which makes a very noticeable improvement.

Several hundred dollars worth of Lincoln county hay is being shipped to the western market each day.

Mrs. W. H. Broach arrived at Battle Creek, Mich., Saturday about three hours before her father died.

Mrs. F. W. Rincker will entertain a party of ladies Thursday afternoon in favor of Mrs. E. W. Keyes of Council Bluffs.

Louis Tobin, who had been attending school at St. Mary's, Kansas, returned home Saturday to spend the summer vacation.

Miss Arta Kocken will entertain a number of friends this evening in honor of Miss Claudia Curtis who has been her guest for the past week.

Fine large bright room to rent. Handsomely papered, marble washbasin, connected city water; rear of Dr. Morrell's dental parlors.

**HARRINGTON & TOBIN.**

Judge Grimes last Saturday rendered a decision in the H. D. Rhea case at Lexington, overruling the demurrer and sustaining the petition in error.

Enumerator Ebricht concluded his labors Saturday. If anyone has failed to be enumerated he should report to Mr. Ebricht or to this office at once.

The McKeen and Roth ball teams will play another game of ball at athletic park Saturday afternoon. Revenge rackets strong in the breasts of Roth's men, and they propose to beat the victors of last Saturday or bust a suspender.

The Modern Woodman will hold a picnic at the Ottenstein grove in the south part of town on July 4th. Patriotic addresses will be delivered, dancing indulged in and ice cream and lemonade served. The public is invited to attend.

A movement is on foot to have a convention in this city the latter part of December, the object of which will be to further the interests of the small stockgrowers of western Nebraska and to consider other matters of importance to the people of the west part of the state.

**32 and 38 Blank Cartridges at Wilcox Department Store.**

The school census of the District of the City of North Platte has been completed by Miss Ada Cooper and the number of children of school age is found to be 1,307. This is an increase of 107 over last year, and shows a healthy and rapid growth of population in the district.

Six or seven pieces of land upon which the county had begun foreclosure proceedings for back taxes, were sold yesterday by Sheriff Keliher. All the tracts but one found ready sale, and this one was bought in by the county. A number of other tracts will be sold within the next sixty days.

Commencing next Monday Miss Margie Webber will instruct a class in vocal music in connection with the summer school, the instruction to continue six weeks. Miss Webber is a very competent instructor and those who become members of the class will have presented to them an opportunity to gain a thorough knowledge of music that is seldom found.

The summer school, with Professors Orr and Worrell as instructors, opened yesterday morning with an attendance of forty-three. This is a much larger attendance than usual on the opening day, and is particularly gratifying to the instructors, especially so when it is known that a summer school is in progress at Wallace. It is quite likely that the attendance will be much larger before the end of the week.

**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.



**Stylish Suits At the Cost of the Material**

Not suits we bought in the regular way, but a late in the season purchase from celebrated wholesale tailors, who could not sell these surplus lines at the prices they set out to secure because of the great strikes and the backward spring in Chicago. We are always on the lookout for such chances. These suits are highest grade, perfectly tailored and guaranteed in every respect. They were positively made to sell, and are being sold elsewhere now at \$8, \$10, \$12, \$15 and \$18.

**OUR SPECIAL PRICES**

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SIZES, 34 BREST MEASURE AND UP TO 50.

**Boy's Fine Suits**

to sell at \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50, \$5, \$5.50, \$6, \$7.50, \$8, \$8.50, \$9 and \$10.

SIZES 12 TO 20 YEARS OLD—LONG PANT'S SUITS, AND EVERY ONE IS WORTH FROM \$1 TO \$3 A SUIT MORE.

**Today is the Time to Buy**

**STAR CLOTHING HOUSE.**

W. A. VOLLMER, Proprietor.

Opposite old location.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. C. F. Iddings.

FOUND—A leather pocket photograph case containing several pictures. By calling at this office and paying for this notice owner can have same.

M. Doolittle took an inventory of the Blak Flag stock of goods yesterday. At this time it is not known what disposition will be made of the stock.

An adjourned term of district court began yesterday morning with Judge Grimes on the bench. The cases which have come up for trial have been of an equity nature.

A railroad man who has been on the road many years tells us that never has he seen the small grain crop between Gothenburg and Grand Island look as discouraging as this season. Corn, however, looks fine.

Each of the twelve committees having in charge the street fair are actively at work, and within two weeks the preliminary arrangements will be complete. As each of the twelve committees has from five to seven members, it will be seen that between sixty and eighty men are working as a unit for the success of the fair, and they invite the co-operation of every citizen.

E. W. Keyes will arrive from Council Bluffs Saturday night and spend a few days at the Patterson ranch.

H. E. Worrell returned from Gandy Saturday where he conducted a very successful teachers' institute.

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

The material for the water plant at the cemetery has been delayed somewhat by a difference of opinion as to the size of the wind mill needed, the manufacturers urging the use of a larger mill than ordered by the cemetery officials.

The game of ball Saturday afternoon between teams captained by H. J. Roth and W. R. McKeen resulted in a victory for the latter by a score of seventeen to sixteen. Roth's men had the game well in hand up to the eighth inning, when their opponents took a batting streak and made six or seven runs. The game furnished fun galore for the spectators, of whom there were a couple of hundred. McKeen occupied the box for his team and Roth and Cox for the opposing nine, each striking out a number of men. The game proved both interesting and amusing.

**Yellow Front Shoe Store,**

Geo. M. Graham, Mgr.,

Three Doors South of P. O. North Platte, Neb.

**Men's Good Shoes.**

Shoe goodness doesn't stop at wear—comfort is of the utmost importance and neat appearance is most desirable. The two latter requisites are only obtained by correct fitting, and it also adds materially to the wearing life. We describe here two styles of our Men's Tan Shoes full of goodness—comfort and style.

**Aztec Calf.**

A calf in Tan color, and especially adapted for summer shoes, on account of its coolness. Smooth of finish, very serviceable, pliable and easy to the foot, made up in attractive shape with single soles.

\$3.50.

**Russia Calf.**

This leather is also excellent warm weather wear—is smooth and pliable—takes a bright polish. Made over a "foot shape" last—roomy toe—perforated tip—single soles.

\$3.00.

**People and Events.**

Nellie Cronin, of Grand Island, is in town visiting relatives.

Geo. T. Field returned Sunday from a business visit in Omaha.

Walter Peale has returned from a visit with relatives at Lexington.

Mrs. O. E. Johnson and son, of Grand Island, are visiting friends here.

E. R. Griffin of Denver passed through the city on train No. 4 Friday evening.

Judge Grimes and Attorney Ridgely transacted business in Lexington Saturday.

Ralph Newton returned Saturday from Lincoln where he had been attending school.

P. W. Sitton and Ed Park returned yesterday morning from a brief visit in Cheyenne.

Mrs. Jennie Criswell and daughter Florence went to Sutherland Sunday evening to visit relatives.

J. W. Ridgeway and daughter Gussie, of Curtis, were the guests of Judge and Mrs. Hinman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Burklund of Sutherland were in town yesterday. They will soon leave for a visit in Sweden.

Judge Neville went to Kearney yesterday and from there will go to Lincoln to confer with the state house politicians.

Mrs. Flora Kitzmiller who has been visiting relatives for the past two weeks will return to Des Moines this week.

P. A. White sailed from New York for Europe Saturday. He will visit a number of the European countries and will be absent several months.

C. F. Scharmann went to Lincoln Saturday evening to transact business and incidentally visit a young lady who is by him much admired.

Lieut. Geo. T. Patterson came in from the west yesterday afternoon and left today for Fortress Monroe.

**The Price**

You pay for Groceries is never lower than we ask. Because we have made the prices on Groceries what they are.

- Diamond C. Soap, 9 bars, .25
- Pearline, per pkg., .04
- 5c size Paddle, Blue, .04
- 10c size Paddle, Blue, .07
- 25 lbs. Corn Meal, .25
- Snow Flake Patent Flour per sack, .90
- 100 lbs Bran, .65
- Corn Starch, per pkg., .05
- Argo Gloss Starch, per pkg., .05
- Kingsfords Silver Gloss Starch, .08
- Kingsfords Corn Starch, .08
- 1/2 pint Dr. Prices Extract Vanilla, .15
- Walter Bakers Cocoa, 1/2 lb. tin, .25
- Walter Bakers Chocolate 18c 2 cakes, .35
- Eagle Brand Condensed Milk 18c 2 cans, .35
- Evaporated Cream 13c 2 cans for, .25
- Army Ayle Grease 2 boxes, .15
- Monarch Ayle Grease, 2 boxes, .15
- Frazier's Ayle Grease, 2 boxes, .15
- Sewing Machine Oil, per bottle, .05
- Grand Pa's Wonder Soap, per bar, .05
- Yeast Foam, 2 pkgs., .06
- On Time Yeast, 2 pkgs., .05
- Sage, per pkg., .04
- Hops, per pkg., .04
- Table Salt, 2 sacks, .05
- 4-lb. package Gold Dust, .18
- Search Light Matches, per box, .04
- Bird Seed, 1-lb. pkg., .07
- Vinegar, per gallon, .20
- Whittemore's Gilt Edge Shoe Polish, .20
- Whittemore's Baby Elite Shoe Polish, .10
- 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
- Dukes Mixture Tobacco, per lb., .35
- 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, 35

We pay you as much as we can for your produce and charge you no more for goods exchanged for produce than you pay in cash.

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HAMMOCKS, AND . . . KODACKS.

Red is the Color of OUR STORE FRONT.

Newton's Book and Novelty Store.

to which place he was lately assigned.

Miss Carrie Robertson returned to Ogalalla Saturday morning.

Bruce Stuart, who is assistant to the station agent at Cozad, spent Sunday with his parents.

Will Bock came up from Omaha Saturday night and spent Sunday with North Platte friends.

Miss Stella Bristol, who had been attending school at Concordia, Kansas, returned home Sunday.

The sisters of Nativity school left yesterday for Concordia, Kas., to spend the summer vacation.

Mrs. H. R. Reese who has been spending several weeks here visiting friends and looking after some business, will return to Omaha in a few days.

The Misses Eunice Babbitt, Adda Kocken, Jessie Bratt, Ruth Patterson, Edith Vernon and Gertrude Baker will leave the early part of next week on their southern trip. Enroute home they expect to visit in Washington, New York and Boston.

**The Time is Here**

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So tempting in food delicacies is obtainable only from genuine spices. We handle Dwinell & Wright's Absolutely Pure Spices. Life is spiced by variety. Our stock presents the spice of variety and also every variety of spices, and all other good things in the market, with quality conspicuously concealed by short prices.

We are agents for Kearney Flour, ground from 1898 wheat and every sack guaranteed. One dollar per sack.

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- \* Sell everything at reasonable prices, and \*
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