

Local News in Brief.

F. H. Rennie returned yesterday from a brief trip to Mason City, Iowa.

Ed Loveland shipped a car of stock to the South Omaha market this week.

Ed Goodman returned Wednesday night from a business trip to Omaha.

Ino. Burke & Co. shipped east yesterday eight cars of cattle which they had been pasturing for J. C. Philips.

Harry Dixon returned Tuesday morning from a week's stay in Chicago, combining business with pleasure.

James M. Ray, Lawyer.

Mrs. Frank Hoy, of Garfield, was in town Thursday visiting her daughter and purchasing a supply of winter goods.

Clint Patterson succeeded in getting eight laborers, and on Wednesday began work on the Keith ditch east of town.

Mrs. E. D. Snyder and children left Wednesday for Omaha where Mr. S. is engaged as foreman of a gang of laborers at the Union Pacific shops.

Everett Evans and Clarence Redmond have returned from a ten days' visit with friends in Lincoln. The boys report a very enjoyable trip.

H. S. Ridgley will address the McKinley and Roosevelt club at the court house tomorrow evening. Turn out everybody and hear a good speech.

C. E. Barber and J. C. Orr left yesterday morning for Lincoln to attend a conference of the superintendents and principals of the schools of the state.

The ladies of the Lutheran church will give their annual chicken and waffle supper Thursday evening, Oct. 18th, at Lloyd's opera house. Be sure to attend and enjoy a good supper.

Mr. McMullen, of southern Indiana, an old-time friend of M. L. McCullough, arrived in town Wednesday night and is the guest of the latter. Mr. McMullen may decide to locate in western Nebraska.

Manager Lloyd had a wire Tuesday from a Black Crook company asking for a date at the opera house last night, but owing to the house being engaged the proposition was turned down.

Barb wire and staples for sale by Jos. HERSHEY.

G. R. Hammond and wife and Mrs. Sarah Bangs have returned from their trip to Grand Junction and other Colorado points. Their visit in that state was very pleasant, especially in Grand Junction, where Mr. and Mrs. Hammond are acquainted with a number of people.

There is now a liberal supply of anthracite coal in town, and the dealers have as yet experienced no difficulty in having their orders filled. This is more than can be said, however, of the supply of soft coal, orders for which the local dealers are having much trouble in having filled.

G. M. Carter went to Sutherland yesterday to superintend the baling and loading of fifty cars of hay for which the firm of McCullough & Carter recently received an order. This is one of the largest single orders for hay ever placed in Lincoln county. The shipments will be made from Sutherland.

Furnished room to rent. Apply to Mrs. H. F. JEFFREY.

Tomorrow evening Herrmann, the great magician, will be at the opera house and will amuse will amuse and mystify the audience with his wonderful feats of black art. Herrmann is without a peer, in fact he stands supreme at the head. Herrmann is deserving of a large audience and he will undoubtedly be greeted by a crowded house.

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

Last Tuesday a special train made up of two steam derricks, one from Omaha and the one stationed here, together with a number of cars loaded with a steel bridge, accompanied by a large number of workmen, left this station for Burns, where a steel bridge was erected in a very short time. Ed Seyferth accompanied the outfit in charge of one of the steam derricks.

STAR CLOTHING HOUSE.

W. A. VOLLMER, Proprietor.

TODAY we announce our stock complete for fall and winter, an event eagerly awaited by everybody, and by the dressed man. We shan't attempt to paint a word picture of the immense line we are showing. It would at best do but poor justice to the masterpieces of tailor's art. Come and see them before you see your tailor. The price part, too, deserves a word or two. Probably one-half the price here as the best tailors will ask. A powerful statement, but a true one.



\$13.50 and \$15.00. Tailor's price \$22 to \$28.



\$10 and \$12. Tailor's price \$18 to \$20.



\$10 to \$15.00. Tailor's price \$18 to \$25.



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Fall Furnishings all in—an enticing line of neckwear at 50c—you'd think they were a dollar.

One Price and Plain Figures.

Opposite old location.

R. W. Grant, the architect of the high school building, spent Wednesday in town while enroute home from a trip in the west.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Baldwin expect to leave for Omaha Sunday to spend a day or two, and Mrs. Baldwin may decide to go to Chicago to visit her sister.

We have plenty of Pennsylvania hard coal for immediate delivery, both nut and stove size.

C. F. IDDINGS.

R. L. Graves, Millard Hosler, John Vernon and several others expect to leave Sunday on a hunting trip to the Cody Lake country. They will be absent a week or ten days.

Max Einstein, Frank Douglas and John Schatz, started in yesterday to take an inventory of the Rennie stock of goods against which an attachment has been issued by Mrs. Rennie.

Geo. W. Dorsey, a former congressman from the old Third Nebraska district, and well known to many North Platte people, was a passenger on train No. 6 yesterday. He is now located in Utah.

Dr. F. W. Miller, Dentist, over Strietz's drug store.

The advertising social given at the Clabaugh residence Monday evening by the Christian Endeavorers was largely attended, and attendants apparently passed the time in an enjoyable manner. Fifty illustrated advertisements, minus the reading matter, had been cut from magazines and each guest was invited to guess the articles which the illustrations advertised. This proved a very pleasing amusement.

Max McGrew and family of Myrtle precinct left Wednesday night for a visit with relatives at Palmyra, Neb.

Charley Hendy went down to Maxwell yesterday to visit his parents and incidentally shoot a few prairie chickens.

Rev. Verner will speak on Sunday next to young men. He takes for his topic "True Manliness." All men are cordially invited to come and hear this interesting discourse at 3. p. m.

Mrs. Ella Rennie filed a petition for divorce from her husband Hugh C. Rennie on Tuesday last in the district court, and asks for alimony. The charges preferred are unfaithfulness. At the same time Mrs. Rennie issued a writ of attachment on the Rennie stock of goods and also considerable real estate owned by Rennie. It is likely that when the case comes up in court it will be very hotly contested. Beeler & Muldoon represent Mrs. Rennie and T. C. Patterson Mr. Rennie.

The most marvelous illusion ever presented on any stage is Herrmann's sensational offering the present season "Cremation." It shows a beautiful young lady burned alive before your very eyes, and so realistic is the effect, that it is positively startling and awe-inspiring. This one act alone is worth the price of admission, but when to that is added several other illusions and a strong bill of legerdemain, the performance is one that local theatre goers cannot afford to miss. Herrmann will be at the opera house Saturday evening next.

Episcopal Fair—Nov. 20th.

Through a misunderstanding the date of the Episcopal fair was announced in these columns as October 20th. It should have been NOVEMBER 20th. The ladies say their display of fancy and useful articles will be exceptionally large this year, and among them will be many that will make very appropriate Christmas presents. In connection with the fair the usual supper will be served, and it is quite likely some kind of an entertainment will be given during the early part of the evening.

Geo. E. French Honored.

At the state grand lodge of the Knights of Pythias held at Lincoln this week, George E. French of this city was elected grand chancellor, the highest state office in the order. Mr. French is one of the best known Knights of Pythias in the state, has always been a most ardent worker, and is well deserving of the honor which has been conferred upon him.

Arrangements are being made by the local lodge to give Mr. French a banquet upon his return home.

Republican Meetings.

Hon. T. B. Dysart, Jr., will speak at the following places on the dates mentioned:

- Wallace, Oct. 18th, evening.
- Wellfleet, Oct. 19th, afternoon.
- Maywood, Oct. 19th, evening.
- Curtis, Oct. 20th, evening.
- Moorefield, Oct. 22d, evening.
- Farnam, Oct. 23d, afternoon.

Mr. Dysart has always espoused the populist cause until this year and he tells the people why he left that party and why he is for McKinley. He is a very forcible talker, and will not fail to interest his audiences.

Rev. Wilson and family leave today for Holdrege, to which charge Mr. W. has been assigned. The membership of the church at Holdrege is the largest of any in the district, being in the neighborhood of 300. The church building is a large and excellent one and the parsonage contains ten rooms. Mr. Wilson is certainly to be congratulated upon having been assigned to so prosperous a charge, and while we regret the departure of himself and family, we are gratified in knowing that his future works bids fair to be pleasant and prosperous.

Yesterday just before noon a fire started in the large show window in The Fair store and before the flames were extinguished millinery and other goods to the amount of over one hundred dollars were ruined. In extinguishing the flames one of the clerks had his hair badly singed. The origin of the fire is considerable of a mystery, as at the time it started no one was within twenty feet of the window. The flames seemed to start immediately under one of the acetylene gas fixtures.

W. W. Buchanan, who had been in town for a few days buying horses, shipped a carload of fine ones to Kansas City yesterday.

Fred Ginn, who was called to Iowa by the death of his mother, returned home Tuesday night.



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Cleanliness, convenience, neatness, durability and economy, no wonder the iron bed has become so universally popular. Clumsiness is gotten rid of. No bed, at a like price, presents such a neat appearance or will last as long.

We have decided to give our customers some bargains during the month of October and to that end have made some great reductions in the prices of Furniture, Pictures and Molding. This opportunity should not be overlooked, as we have made great cuts in prices. Now is the time to refurnish the home. Remember and call at the Big Store.

E. B. WARNER

"McFadden's Row of Flats" with all its really funny opportunities, is this year being given with every attribute that characterized its successful presentation heretofore and is in addition a means of embodying many new and original features that are at all times welcome in extravaganza productions. That the play itself is of the funniest kind and has been accepted as such previously is positive proof of its great popularity. Always presented by a capable company it is this year given by a combination of players whose names alone are such as to assure its worth as a fun producing medium. Among the members of the company are the musical Frederick Brothers, whose music on various instruments never fails to elicit pronounced appreciation; John C. Price, introduces new and original things in the celtic line; Jennie Lamont with a brogue so infectious that many attempt to imitate her style; McWaters & Tyson, the absolute masters of up-to-date travesty; Harry Watson, the comedian of original methods, and Bobby Ralston and Jerry Sullivan, two droll little fellows, who have plenty to do throughout the piece, besides a large number of young and dashing farce comedy girls with forms and voices unexcelled and who are always welcome adjuncts to farce comedy. "McFadden's Row of Flats" comes to Lloyd's opera house Tuesday evening, Oct. 16th.

CONTEST NOTICE.

U. S. Land Office North Platte, Neb. October 9, 1900.
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Mahlon E. Pearson contestant, against homestead entry No. 16,858, made November 29, 1892, for east half of northwest quarter and the north half of southwest quarter of section 14, township 9 north, range 27 west, by David Parritt, contestant, in which it is alleged that David Parritt has not made his home on said tract nor shown himself in the neighborhood for more than five years last past, that there are no improvements on said tract and the same is unoccupied wild prairie land at the present time, and that said alleged absentee from said land was not due to his employment in the army or navy or marine corps of the United States and is hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock, a. m. on December 4, 1900, before the register and receiver at the United States land office in North Platte, Neb.
The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed October 9, 1900, set forth facts which show that after due diligence, personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.
FRANK BACON, Register.

Kansas City Lightning Hay Presses now on hand and for sale. Also repairs for the same. Also bale ties. Joseph Hershey, Locust St., North Platte.

Notice.

All persons are warned against hunting or trespassing on the lands owned and controlled by the estate of M. C. Keith.

W. B. MILLARD, Executor.

LEGAL NOTICE.

The defendants L. L. Baker, Baker his wife, first name unknown, and John Doe, true name unknown, will take notice that on the 4th day of September, 1900, the plaintiff, The County of Lincoln, a corporation, filed its petition in the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which is to foreclose certain tax liens, duly assessed by said plaintiff against the northwest quarter of section 2, township 11, north of range 31, west of the sixth principal meridian, Nebraska, for the year 1904 in the sum of \$14.35; for the year 1905 in the sum of \$11.59; for the year 1896 in the sum of \$20.00; for the year 1897 in the sum of \$0.80; for the year 1898 in the sum of \$5.75; for the year 1899 in the sum of \$4.11, amounting in the total sum of \$56.59, with interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 13th day of August, 1900, all of which is due and unpaid.
Plaintiff prays a decree of foreclosure of said tax lien and a sale of said premises.
You and each of you defendants are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 5th day of November, 1900.
Dated September 25, 1900.
THE COUNTY OF LINCOLN.
A Corporation.
By H. S. Ridgley, its Attorney.

Legal Notice.

The defendants Catherine M. Tomkins, Tomkins her husband, first name unknown, Frank B. Lamb and John Doe true name unknown, will take notice that on the 4th day of September, 1900, the plaintiff, The County of Lincoln, a corporation, filed its petition in the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which is to foreclose certain tax liens, duly assessed by said plaintiff against the south half of the northwest quarter of section 34, in township 9, north of range 31, west of sixth principal meridian, Nebraska, for the year 1895 in the sum of \$7.04; for the year 1896 in the sum of 7.76; for the year 1897 in the sum of 5.89; for the year 1898 in the sum of 5.62; for the year 1899 in the sum of \$29.08; amounting in the total sum of \$55.39, with interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 13th day of August, 1900, all of which is due and unpaid.
Plaintiff prays a decree of foreclosure of said tax lien and a sale of said premises.
You and each of you defendants are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 5th day of November, 1900.
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