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Housecleaning Time

is here, and you will probably find that some pieces of your furniture looks shabby; that they need to be replaced by new. We are here to supply your needs, and we are confident we can suit you. Something here to please every taste; something here to suit every pocket book.

BLUE FLAME WICKLESS OIL STOVES—for cooking. Uses coal oil for fuel.

REFRIGERATORS in several sizes.

WE ARE STILL SELLING MAJESTIC RANGES.

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Real Estate, Loans and Insurance
 NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA.
 Reference: Any Bank in Nebraska.

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WINDMILLS & PUMPS
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BARB WIRE
 ROUND AND HALF ROUND STOCK TANKS
 LOCUST STREET,
NORTH PLATTE, NEB.

When You Buy Paint Buy Good Paint...
 And that means **SHERWIN & WILLIAMS' PAINT.** We have been handling this make for many years and have found that it gives excellent satisfaction in every instance. It may cost a trifle more per gallon than inferior paints, but it's cheapest in the end. It sticks and holds its color longer than other paint.
 We can furnish you any color or quantity.
A. F. Streitz, Druggist.

North Platte flour
 Manufactured by North Platte Roller Mills
 Used by economical housewives in fifty towns in Nebraska and Wyoming and pronounced the equal of any flour manufactured in Nebraska.
A Trial Sack will Convince you of its Merit
North Platte Roller Mills
 O. P. IODINGS

A Sudden Death.
 Walter Johnson dropped dead about 6:30 Wednesday evening while working in Waltham's saloon. He was waiting upon several customers when he suddenly fell forward on the counter, where he was caught and laid upon the floor. He gave several gasps and then expired. Dr. McCabe was hastily summoned, but announced no hope, and that the cause of death was heart failure.

The deceased had lived in town for a number of years, and was never known to do an ungentlemanly act. He was honest, straightforward, extremely obliging and never let an opportunity pass by to do a favor to a friend. By reason of these characteristics he was justly popular, and his sudden death is deeply regretted by all who knew him. Walter was to have been married in the near future, and his death is a sad blow to the young lady who was looking forward to the event.

The funeral was held from the Lutheran church at 2:30 this afternoon. To the family the sympathy of many friends is extended.

City Council Meeting.
 The meeting of the city council Tuesday evening was held in the district court room and was attended by a hundred or more men who were attracted by the report that protests would be made against the issuance of liquor licenses to Chas. F. Whelan and Jas. Daly. The protests, however, failed to materialize and license was issued to all five of the applicants by the new council, which succeeded the old.

After the licenses had been granted Mayor Walker nominated C. L. Patterson for city marshal but the nomination failed of confirmation, Lloyd Sullivan, Crusen and Isehart voting against and Iddings and Evans for. For night policeman M. McNamara was appointed and he was confirmed by a vote of five for and one against. James M. Ray was appointed city attorney and unanimously confirmed.

The official bonds of the several city officials were approved and accepted.
 On motion L. B. Isehart was elected president of the council for the ensuing term, a position he held last year.

The mayor announced the members of the several committees, and after devoting some time to routine business, the council adjourned.

Lamplugh's Lake Resort
 will be opened up the first day of June. The bathing lake, Beatrice, will be equipped with all necessary accommodations for gentlemen and ladies. Fish fries and lunches can be had at the lake, and picnic goods will be handled. Every endeavor will be made to have patrons feel happy and at home. It is hoped that people of North Platte will see the necessity and mutual benefit to be derived by building up a good home resort.
 Several eastern parties have engaged tent room for the summer season and others are expected.

ISAAC LAMPLUGH.

THAT SUMMER DRESS
 Is what we want to show you. We have everything new in thin goods, comprising—
 Mercerised Cottons, Silk Mulls, Egyptian Tissues, Persian Lawns, India Linens, Organdies, Swiss, Dimities, Pique, Satin Checks,
 In fact just what you are looking for can be found on our shelves.
 Store closes at 8 o'clock in the evening.

Wilcox Department Store.

Mike Decker, with engine 1800, made the run from Grand Island to Omaha, 153 miles, in 150 minutes, which breaks the record on the First district. During some of the spurts of speed a gait of eighty miles per hour was attained.

A New York dispatch states that W. K. Vanderbilt has secured control of the Union Pacific and will make it part of the Vanderbilt system. His idea is that the Union Pacific shall be controlled jointly by the New York Central and the Chicago and Northwestern.

General foreman Howe, of the bridge and building department, tell us that during this year seventy-five wooden bridges on the Nebraska division of the Union Pacific will be replaced either by steel bridges or permanent culverts. Material for about forty steel bridges is now in the yards at Omaha and Council Bluffs.

From Salt Lake comes the positive statement that the Union Pacific system will have a line in operation between Salt Lake and Los Angeles by June 1, 1902. Assertion is made equally strong by the promoters of Senator Clark's road from Salt Lake to Los Angeles that their plans for building a railroad will be carried through to completion.

An official circular from Union Pacific headquarters announces that an association to be known as the Union Pacific Emergency Association, the object of which is to be to render aid, in the event of a disaster, to the United States, and to the Chinese, and to the Modoc tribe, in providing them with material free of charge. Any employe is eligible to membership. Ambulance and transport corps composed of members who have attended the regular course of instruction, will be composed at convenient points.

Notice to Pupils.
 All rural school pupils who are desirous of taking advantage of the Free High School Attendance Law will please notify me.
 BERTHA THOLECKE,
 Co. Supt.

BETWEEN THE RIVERS.
 A. M. Stoddard of Spuds delivered fifteen head of colts that he had sold to a man from Columbus and a horse that he had sold to A. F. Singer of North Platte at that city Wednesday.

N. B. Spurrier's ranch over south was among the many that were burned off by the recent prairie fire on that side which makes it short picking for stock again.
 Sugar beet growers are now busy preparing the ground and planting the seed.

Louis Toillon recently sold several hundred bushels of corn at his home for forty cents a bushel.
 Among those who transacted business in North Platte this week were Merchant Brown, Rev. Evans, Steve Fortune, N. B. Spurrier and W. H. Sullivan.

Never in the history alfalfa in this country has it made as rapid a growth as it has so far this season. We understand that H. H. Hollingsworth and wife will occupy the E. C. McCord residence at Hershey in the near future, Mr. Hollingsworth has charge of a section crew near Cheyenne at present.

The annual meeting of the Nichols Creamery and Dairy Association will be held at the school house at that place on Saturday evening of this week for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, and also for the transaction of any business that may properly come before the meeting.
 J. K. Eshleman, assessor for Nichols precinct, will complete the work next week.

Mrs. Kate Sullivan of Nichols received a letter from her sister Miss Mary Layton, of Boulder, that their sister Lunda who has been troubled with her lungs for some time and was taken to Boulder about a month ago for her health, was gradually growing weaker and that unless a change for the better took

HOW DO YOU LIKE IT?

The effort to have you pull our competitors' chestnuts from the fire and being charged by them for the privilege. Compare these prices with those in your pass book. We save you money.

We Sell

- Potatoes 20c a peck, you save 20 per cent.
- Vinegar per gallon 20c, you save 50 per cent.
- White Wine Vinegar per gallon 25c, you save 60 per cent.
- Walter Bakers Cocoa 1/2-lb can 25c, you save 20 per cent.
- Search Light Matches per box .04c, you save 20 per cent.
- Pearline per pkg .08c, you save 25 per cent.
- Kingford's Silver Gloss Starch, per pkg .08c, you save 25 per cent.
- Kingford's Corn Starch per pkg .08c, you save 25 per cent.
- 1-lb pkg Church's Soda .08c, you save 25 per cent.
- 1-lb pkg Dwight's Soda 08c, you save 25 per cent.
- 10-oz Can K. C. Baking Powder 08c, you save 25 per cent.
- 25-oz Can K. C. Baking Powder 20c, you save 25 per cent.
- 1-pint bottle Snyder's Catsup 23c, you save 8 1/2 per cent.
- Ammonia per bottle 9c, you save 11 per cent.
- 1/2-lb can Rex Dried Beef 10c, you save 25 per cent.
- Kerosene Oil per gallon 15c.
- Arbuckles Coffee 2 pkgs 25c.
- Lion Coffee 2 pkgs 25c.
- XXXX Coffee 2 pkgs 25c.
- Yeast Foam 2 pkgs 05c.
- One Time Yeast 2 pkgs 05c.
- Dr. Price's Vanilla per bottle 15c.
- 140-lb sack Salt \$1.05.
- 1-lb pkg Duke's Mixture Tobacco 35c.
- 1-lb pkg Old Style Tobacco 30c.
- 1-lb pkg Rex Shoe Tobacco per plug 45c.
- 1-lb pkg Rex Tobacco per plug 45c.
- Standard Navy Tobacco per plug 35c.
- Bottle Ax Tobacco per plug 35c.

Store open evenings until 8 o'clock.

Wilcox Department Store.

place soon they would return to this country.

The recent prairie fire over on south side has detained many farmers in the valley, who pasture cattle over then during the summer, from taking them for a time at least. It is reported that fruit and garden truck were not far enough advanced to be damaged by the recent freezes.

Mrs. Reno has returned to her home at Julesburg after a short but pleasant visit with relatives in this vicinity.
 E. F. Seeberger, M. Mickelsen and A. B. Goodwin of Hershey were at North Platte on business Thursday.

DICKENS DOINGS.
 J. D. Heater had business in McCook the first of the week.
 S. E. Rathbun of Marengo brought in a load of hogs Monday which he sold to Votaw & Fristo for \$5.00 a hundred. Mr. Rathbun took out a load of lumber which he will use in building a house on his farm near Marengo.

Cecil Tuell went to North Platte Monday with a load of eggs and chickens.
 Mr. Sayers of McCook was visiting with John Staley and family a few days last week.

Rev. Barren of Echo failed to meet his appointment at Dickens Sunday night.
 Wm. Stenner of Somerset marketed hogs in town Monday.

C. E. Hunter and Huston Songer were in Hayes county the first of the week on business.

A most disastrous fire was started about two miles east of town Thursday night of last week by the high line flyer. The fire burned over a large scope of country but no damage was done so far as we have learned except the loss of the grass which is a great blow to the cattle owners.

The Cow and The Hen.
 The product of the dairy and the hen in the United States in the year 1900 amounted to \$675,000,000. It will be interesting to compare this with the value of some other

Dairy and hen	\$675,000,000
Corn	651,000,000
Hay	446,000,000
Cotton (1899)	335,000,000
Wheat	323,000,000
Oats	509,000,000
Pig iron (1899)	245,000,000
Coal (1899)	255,000,000
Copper (1899)	104,000,000
Gold and silver (1899)	142,000,000

Of this cow and hen product we export about 1 per cent, consuming 99 per cent. ourselves. Here, again, is an illustration of our enormous home market. Add to the above product fruits and nuts, and we have a total of \$800,000,000, practically all sold in the home market. Could our laboring classes use the eggs, the butter, the milk, the poultry, and the fruit which they do if they were idle or their wages were reduced to foreign level? That's the whole story.—Economist.



Tailor Made Men

are those who are faultless in their attire, with all defects in form remedied, and that indefinable something called "swell style" that only an artistic tailor that has made the dressing of a gentleman an art can explain. Our Spring novelties in Cheviots are the correct thing, handsome and proper weight. Time to order your suit now.

F. J. Broeker.