

Local News in Brief.

DR. F. W. MILLER, GRADUATE DENTIST.
Office over Streitz's Drug Store.

The regular services may be expected at the Presbyterian church next Sabbath, to which all are invited.

The next dramatic attraction due here is "The White Slave" which will be at the opera house on Feb'y. 15th.

Misses Minnie and Anna Sorenson will entertain a number of friends Saturday afternoon from 2:30 to 5:30.

Baptist church, Feb'y. 9th, subjects: Morning, "Working for Souls;" evening, "What Answer?" You are invited.

Peter Joe Werker, who has been in Indiana for a year past, will probably return to this city and resume work in the U. P. shops.

Mrs. Rush Dean is disposing of their household effects, and as soon as possible will leave with her family to join Mr. Dean at Omaha.

Orville Fair, against whom a warrant was issued for coal stealing, left town between two days and as a result said warrant was not served.

The machinists will give their annual ball at the opera house next Monday evening. Every lover of dancing should attend as no effort will be spared to make this ball a success and all are assured a good time.

The greater part of the remonstrance against the removal of the post office to the Odd Fellow's building seems to come from residents of the Third ward, who object to walking a block further for their mail.

Marti will have cut flowers for the Machinists' ball.

Tim O'Keefe had a hand badly mashed Thursday morning while at work in the yards. Mr. O'Keefe and another man were putting a draw head in a car, when the draw head slipped and fell, striking him on the hand.

The city council met in regular session last Tuesday evening, but aside from passing an ordinance giving the Nebraska long distance telephone company permission to come into the city, very little business of any importance was transacted. Matters pertaining to the proposed gas system will probably be brought up at the next meeting.

Cut Flowers for the Machinists' ball at Marti's.

The revival meetings are still being continued at the Methodist church and though at first not much interest was taken, the efforts of the pastor are meeting with success. He has been assisted the past week by Rev. Austin of Ogalalla and Rev. Crusen. Monday evening four conversions were made and interest in the meetings is constantly increasing.

The members of the Eastern Star spent a very pleasant afternoon Wednesday at the home of Mrs. M. H. Douglas, the meeting being in the nature of a surprise party for Mrs. D. A. Baker, who will shortly leave the city. Mrs. Baker was presented with a salad bowl as a token of the esteem in which she is held by her many friends. All present report a most enjoyable time although the occasion was a little sad owing to the loss of so good a member. A very enjoyable feature of the afternoon was the dainty refreshments served.

Men's Shoes.

- Men's Plow Shoes per pair, \$1.25
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- Men's Fine Shoes per pair, 1.50
- Men's Fine Shoes per pair, 2.00
- Brown Shoe Co's \$2.50 Shoes per pair, 2.50
- Men's Fine Shoes Goodyear Welt per pair, 3.00
- Brown Shoe Co's Shoes per pair, 3.50

We can fit your foot with better value than you can get at any exclusive shoe store or clothing house. We stand back of every pair we sell.

Store open evenings until eight o'clock.

Wilcox Department Store

20 Per cent Discount.

DISCOUNT SALE

20 Per cent Discount.

Owing to the change of the firm we are determined to make a discount sale. Nothing like it before in North Platte.

<p>Bargains in Men's Clothing.</p> <p>\$5.00 Suits at \$4.00.</p> <p>6.00 Suits at \$4.80.</p> <p>7.50 Suits at \$6.00.</p> <p>10.00 Suits at \$8.00.</p>	<p>Bargains in Boys' Clothing. 12 to 20 years. Long Trousers.</p> <p>\$2.50 Suits at \$2.00.</p> <p>3.00 Suits at 2.40.</p> <p>4.00 Suits at 3.20.</p> <p>5.00 Suits at 4.00.</p>
<p>Bargains in Men's Overcoats.</p> <p>\$3.90 Ulsters at \$3.12.</p> <p>4.50 Overcoats at 3.60.</p> <p>5.00 Ulsters at 4.00.</p> <p>6.00 Overcoats at 4.80.</p> <p>7.50 Ulsters at 6.00.</p>	<p>Bargains in Boys' Clothing. 8 to 16 years, 3 to 8 years old. Short Trousers.</p> <p>\$1.00 Suits at 80c</p> <p>1.50 Suits at \$1.20.</p> <p>1.75 Suits at 1.40</p> <p>2.00 Suits at 1.60</p> <p>2.50 Suits at 2.00</p>

We are sincere, and a visit to our store will convince you that this is the greatest sale ever offered to the residents of this section.

20 Per cent Discount.

Star Clothing House.

PRITCHARD & CO., Prop.

20 Per cent Discount.

Deputy Postmaster Sturges, who had been sick for a week, resumed his duties Wednesday.

The county clerk has completed the work of making out the assessors' books and they are now ready for distribution.

A. F. Streitz this week purchased of Mrs. Mary H. Elder 160 acres of land adjoining his ranch south of town.

W. K. Tabor, organizer of Woodmen lodges, left Wednesday for Ogalalla. Before returning he will stop at Grant and other places in the interests of lodge work.

Quite a number of complaints have been heard recently from residents of the Third ward in regard to petty stealing, several having had articles stolen from their premises.

Several glass blowers have been giving an exhibition, beginning Wednesday, at the Dewey street entrance to the Harrington & Tobin store and seem to be drawing a fair sized crowd.

Dr. Willits, the fourth attraction of the Y. M. C. A. course, gave his celebrated lecture on "Sunshine" at the opera house Wednesday evening. A large audience was present and all pronounce the lecture to have been excellent.

A petition has been circulated asking for the removal of the post office from its present location to the room in the Odd Fellows' building, which is much more suitable for the work of handling the mails and is a convenient location. A remonstrance against the removal is also being circulated.

Cut Flowers at Marti's for the Machinists' ball.

The Hi Henry minstrels played to a crowded house Tuesday evening, giving a most satisfactory performance. The company is the best minstrel troupe that ever appeared in this city. The acrobatic feats by the brothers Bard, the dancing by little Miss Abt, the singing by various members of the company were all above the average—in short the company has received nothing but praise for the performance.

The Nebraska long distance telephone company, which now has a line extending as far west as Lexington, will push work as rapidly as possible to enter this city. An ordinance passed at the last council meeting gives the company the right to erect poles in the streets and alleys of the city and to establish a central office here. A statement of the location of these poles must be presented to the council for approval before any can be erected and the city is to be allowed the use of the poles for wires needed for fire alarms, etc. The long distance telephone system will be of much benefit to many of our citizens.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Rev. Beecher spent yesterday in Ogalalla.

W. V. Hoagland spent Wednesday in Lexington hearing a bankruptcy case.

Mrs. Hattie Dill has been spending the past week with friends in Omaha.

J. H. MacColl of Lexington spent Wednesday in town with friends.

Mrs. M. E. Lytle and family left this week for Cheyenne, where they will make their future home.

E. F. Seeberger and daughter, Miss Louise, returned home last evening from their visit in Keota, Iowa.

Court Reporter Cary returned Thursday from Ogalalla, where Judge Grimes had been holding court.

A sister of Mrs. Thos. Jeffers, who had been visiting in town, returned Wednesday to her home in Kearney.

Rev. Austin, of Ogalalla, who had been assisting Rev. Wimberly in the revival meetings for the past week, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. A. C. Howard and sister Miss Cora Peters have been spending the past week with relatives at Ogalalla.

G. G. McKay will leave next week for Chicago to purchase a stock of goods. He will be accompanied by his son Clarence who will receive treatment for his hearing.

Mrs. Edmonston of St. Catharines, Canada, is expected to arrive in the city the latter part of the week for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. G. G. McKay.

Miss Jennie Smith has been confined to her home for some time by a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

Miss Edith Wendt expects to leave about the fifteenth inst. for Cheyenne, where she may decide to remain permanently.

W. T. Brown and daughter Miss Lizzie, who have been spending the past month at Elmwood, are expected home tomorrow.

Rush Dean went to Omaha the first of the week where he has secured employment. Before his departure he was tendered a surprise party by a number of friends.

B. T. Dawes has been seriously ill for several days past with pneumonia.

N. H. McCorkle was called to Paxton last evening by the death of Mrs. John McGrew.

Mrs. A. H. Church, who had been clerking at Doolittle's store, resigned last Saturday.

Go to Doc Sizemore's Barber Shop. Their method of caring for the face is wonderful. Only 10c.

Jake Smith, who with his family, moved to town from Garfield last fall, is now moving back to that place.

Mrs. John McGrew, wife of a prominent stockman living two miles north of Paxton, died Wednesday evening. The remains were shipped last night to Emerson, Iowa, for interment.

Judge Baldwin issued a marriage license Wednesday to Chas. A. Bowman and Miss Olive M. Stearns, both of this city. The ceremony occurred that evening at the home of the bride's parents in the Third ward.

SOME OUT OF STYLE SHOES FOR GIRLS.

There are about three dozen pairs in this lot of shoes for girls.

They are good, substantial shoes, good leather all through and honestly made.

The only objection to them is the toe shapes, which are rather out of style; some are narrow round and some are square.

But they're all right for every day use—the wear is in them, and we are offering them at a sufficient discount from regular price that it more than makes up for the lack of late style.

Sizes run from 12 to 2, in C, D and E width. Some button, some lace. Priced now at

95c a pair.

Yellow Front Shoe Store,

Geo. M. GRAMM, Mgr.

3 Doors South of Post Office

North Platte, Nebraska.

Forty-seven Ranges Sold Since Aug. 1st.

That people appreciate good articles when they see them is attested by the fact that we have sold forty-seven Ranges since August 1st, and we are selling them right along. But Ranges are not all; our sales of Heating Stoves have been very large. This business only tends to show that we carry superior Stoves and Ranges and sell them at right prices.

E B WARNER,

THE BIG STORE.

RAILROAD NOTES.

W. J. Roche has severed his connection with the Union Pacific company.

Will Yost has left the Harrington & Tobin store and made a trip as a brakeman this week.

Richard Neary, who recently went to Cheyenne, is now working in the U. P. shops at that place.

Orin Garrison, a brakeman running between this city and Sidney, had a very narrow escape at Julesburg Tuesday night where he got off to do some switching. While running along the train he stepped into a culvert which threw him away from the train instead of under it, thus saving his life. He sustained a few bruises but nothing serious.

An entire freight train was shopped for repairs here one night the early part of the week. This unusual occurrence was due to the fact that an extra from the west was run in on the ice house track on both sides of which are piled heaps of refuse ice, making it impossible to inspect the train. The train lay here some time, but was finally moved to another track, inspected and sent out.

For several years the number of cars iced each season by the Union Pacific at this point has been constantly on the increase. Last year the number far exceeded that of any previous year and it one can

judge by present indications the number of cars iced this year will be a record breaker. During the month of January, 1902, forty-three cars were iced requiring 41,600 pounds of ice, while in January, 1901 only twenty-six cars were iced requiring 17,900 pounds.

The A. O. U. W. of Nebraska is engaged in a contest with the same lodge of New York in order to see which state can secure the most members by March 1st. Last year New York and Kansas contested and Nebraska during the year secured as many new members as Kansas did, hence the present contest.

W. D. Hover, Embalmer, Howe's Furniture Store. Night call Telephone 90.

W. N. Parcell, of the North side livery barn took a couple of gentlemen from Iowa over north Wednesday to look up a location for a cattle ranch.

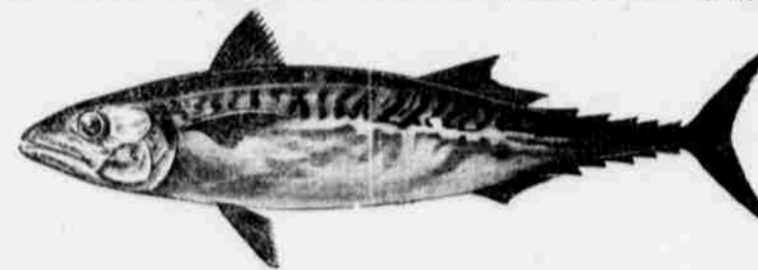
ANGEL FOOD

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HUPFER'S

Front Street.



A Full Line of Fish

salt and canned, just received. Anything you want during LENT can be found at our store—clean and free from dirt.

Try a Can of SEAQUADS.

Just the thing for parties and lunches. A sea food relish. Something new. Only 15c a can.



Here is Paroposition You Cannot Allow to Pass Unnoticed.

Cut out the price list on Groceries advertised by our competitors and bring same to us. Pick out the goods you want and we will not only sell you a superior article for the same money, but will give you in addition to same one Rand-McNally Book Check for every 25c worth you purchase for cash. Limit of checks given at any one purchase 20 checks or \$5 worth of goods

Harrington & Tobin.