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**Clinton,
THE JEWELER**

The Semi-Weekly Tribune.

FRIDAY, MAY 16, 1902.

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

Dr. Lucas is spending today in Maxwell.

Logan Church is again critically ill with Bright's disease.

Car rock salt just in.
HARRINGTON & TOBIN.

Attorney Muldoon is transacting business in Chappell today.

Judge Grimes returned last night from a trip to the west end of the state.

A. F. Parsons returned last night from a business trip to Omaha.

Pupils wishing to do summer school work will please see Miss Duncan before June 2d.

Mrs. L. A. Grayes was the guest of friends in Cheyenne several days this week.

W. C. Elder returned Wednesday from a trip to his ranch in Medicine precinct.

If you want to buy, sell or exchange real estate, don't fail to call on us.
JOHN BRATT & CO.

A slight washout occurred at Dexter last night, causing some delay to trains.

Father Fitzgerald went to Lexington Tuesday to be present at confirmation services, when Bishop Scannell confirmed a class of seventy-two boys and girls.

The Yale club held a dancing party at the opera house Wednesday evening.

Will Woodhurst returned this morning from a two week's tour over the state.

Mrs. J. S. Hoagland has been visiting friends in Lincoln for a few days past.

Mrs. Jane Tilford left this morning for an extended visit with friends in Indiana.

Miss Louise Seeberger is expected home tomorrow from her visit in Grand Island.

Mrs. Jas. Shea left yesterday morning for Virginia, where she will spend the summer.

Dr. H. S. Ferrar came up from Grand Island last evening and is spending today in town.

Poultry received from 21st to 26th of May. W. M. Whelan, North Platte, Neb.

Mrs. Ella Rennie is the guest of friends in town, having arrived from the east last evening.

Three cars of stock cattle consigned to M. Milby were among yesterday's freight receipts.

Mrs. Jas. Daly and little daughter were the guests of Cheyenne friends several days this week.

All our challie patterns will be closed out at 50c per pattern at The Fair on Friday and Saturday.

The Star Clothing House suffered considerable loss on stock last night owing to a leakage in the roof.

If North Platte is to have a Fourth of July celebration, it is not too early to begin the preliminary work.

Asst. Supt. Ware attended the stockgrowers' convention held at Crawford the early part of this week.

Just received—a fresh car of Colorado potatoes.
HARRINGTON & TOBIN.

Chas. Hupfer has just completed installing a handsome soda water fountain at his place on Front street.

The Christian Aid society will meet with Mrs. George Carter next Wednesday afternoon, May 21st. All are invited.

The flood on Front, Sixth and Fifth streets reached its highest point at noon and the water has begun to recede.

WANTED, a capable man to take charge of the North Platte cemetery and act as sexton. House rent free.
GEO. E. FRENCH, Secy.

V. VonGoetz returned this morning from a business trip to Omaha.

Andy Picard is making arrangements to ship his miniature railroad to Grand Island where he will operate it as long as the patronage justifies.

Thos. Simants, living at the "points" east of town, found the water raising so rapidly that he thought it best to bring his family to town.

Compressed yeast for family use can be obtained at Marti's.

Observer Piercy's forecast from Chicago this morning is for more rain tonight. Mr. Piercy will confer a favor by having the rain delayed for about two weeks.

Several men living in the west end, whose houses were surrounded by water, employed draymen to back their wagons up to the door and convey them down town.

Painting and Papering neatly done. Work guaranteed.

ROY SHAFFER.

Supt. Park of the Wyoming division and E. R. Griffin, general agent at Denver, passed through Wednesday night to attend a general meeting of Union Pacific officials at Omaha.

During the storm last night lightning struck the ground in the rear of the Finney residence on West Fifth street tearing a hole in the earth about four feet across and a couple of feet deep.

I. A. Fort returned Wednesday from Crawford where he read a paper relative to increasing the homestead area, before the stockgrowers' convention. Mr. Fort says the meeting was attended by several hundred stockmen and many excellent addresses were made.

All our \$1.00, 1.25, 1.50 shirt waists on sale at 75c at The Fair Friday and Saturday.

It is reported that the house of W. M. Hinman west of town was so inundated that the family was compelled to seek other quarters in the south part of the city water entered several buildings, and a like condition prevailed on the north side.

At the regular meeting of the Lutheran Ladies' Aid Society yesterday afternoon the following officers were elected: President Mrs. Fred Frederickson, vice-president Mrs. Henry Waltemath, secretary Mrs. Hugh Bird, treasurer Mrs. A. P. Carlson.

Chicago forecast for North Platte and vicinity: Showers tonight and Saturday. The total rainfall since last Sunday night to Friday morning was 6.22. The maximum temperature yesterday was 71, one year ago 75. The minimum temperature yesterday was 66, one year ago 54.

T. C. Patterson returned Wednesday night from a trip through the country between Sutherland and Wallace and also south of Paxton. The heavy rain which fell here Monday night did not reach Wallace, but since then some rain has fallen there. There is considerable farming being done in that section of the county.

P. W. Sitton and C. M. Newton formed a partnership yesterday, each securing a half interest in the other's branch of business. The firm will continue to handle wall paper, window shades, mouldings, pianos, and sewing machines, make picture frames and rubber stamps, and do jobs of fine carpentry and wood work. These two gentlemen will make a strong team.

For Rent.

Three large rooms and hall—entire upper floor of our Dewey St. building—formerly occupied as dental parlors, \$10 per month. Also small house in Third ward opposite Von Goetz's \$5.00 a month.
HARRINGTON & TOBIN.

PROBATE NOTICE.
In the matter of the estate of Felicia H. Little, deceased.

In the County Court of Lincoln County, Neb., May 15, 1902. Notice is hereby given, that the creditors of said deceased will meet the executor of said estate, before the County Judge, of Lincoln County, Nebraska, at the county court room, in said county, on the 10th day of November, 1902, at 9 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustment and allowance. Six months are allowed for creditors to present their claims, and one year, for the executor to settle said estate, from the 10th day of May, 1902.
A. S. BALOWIN, County Judge.

FANCY GREELY
Potatoes

30c

A Peck.

Wilcox Department Store.

A Heavy Rain.

North Platte was visited last night by one of the heaviest rains ever known, the total reaching 2.93 inches. Following so closely the heavy rains of the early part of the week, which had completely soaked the ground, the result today is that many blocks in town are covered with water from two to four inches in depth. In some portions of town can be seen expanses of water covering several blocks.

Owing to the overflowing of several irrigating ditches in the west part of town, the section just west of the city is almost totally covered with water ranging in depth from one to three feet. This water today has been finding an outlet through the streets running east and west through the city. The streets most effected are Front, Sixth Fifth and Fourth. Fifth street at the postoffice corner is covered with a current from curb to curb and about two feet deep. Front street in the neighborhood of the lumber yards is even deeper, and Fields' and Iddings' yards are covered to a depth of nearly three feet. Business in mercantile lines is practically suspended.

More or less damage to lawns and gardens will result by reason of this inundation, and at the three lumber yards on West Front street quite a large loss will occur by reason of the water raising to such an extent as to cover and water-soak the lumber piled on the ground. Many of the streets are covered with water and this will make extra work thereon necessary.

Trainmen coming in from the west this morning report the rainfall apparently heavier west of us than here. It is probable that some damage will result to corn and sugar beet fields in the valley.

Alfalfa, Cane and Millet Seeds for sale by J. S. Hershey, North Platte, Nebraska.

Stock Cattle For Sale.

50 cows and heifers, 40 steers one and two years old, a few milch cows.

All native cattle, good colors and in good healthy condition. Will sell in bunches to suit the purchaser.

BRATT, BURKE & GOODMAN.

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Economy

We sell none but the very best makes. They are the same quality and the same patterns that carpet houses in the large cities keep. The only difference being, we do not ask as much for them.

Wilcox Department Store.

.. FOR SALE ..

One full-blood Short-horn bull. Enquire of

GEORGE W. EVES

DON'T PROCRASTINATE!

Otherwise don't put off until tomorrow what should be done today. If there is some shoe repairing, have it done at the Yellow Front Shoe Repair Shop.

GEO. TERULVE.

Cheapest and best place in town.

CARL GERLE,

MERCHANT TAILOR

Has fine line of samples of Spring and Summer Suits. Also samples of Suits for Passengers Conductors and Brakemen. Excellent fit guaranteed to all suits made.

T. W. VAN WIE,

CARRIAGE PAINTER.

Call and get prices. All work guaranteed.
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Clothing House...

If All the Men

In Town



Made and Guaranteed by B. Kuppenheimer & Co. America's Leading Clothes Makers.

Should come here for their suits, we believe we could please every one of them, and we could have the swellest looking lot of men in North Platte to be found anywhere in the whole country. We do dress a large share of them but we often wonder why every man doesn't come here for his clothes. We believe they would, too, if they only knew the superiority of our clothing. We never saw finer clothing than we are offering our trade this spring. Suits with all the latest kinds of linings, as well as it is possible to make them, from \$7.50 to \$15. and then we have everything that's right in hats and Gent's Furnishings to complete the outfit. Come in and see for yourself.

WEINGAND & McDONALD.

SOME DOIN'S IN TOWN.

CHURCH CLOSED—The Lutheran church has been closed in order that repairs in the way of repapering and repainting may be made on the interior. Services will be suspended next Sunday and also Sunday, May 25th. Walter Peale is doing the decorative work, which insures a neat job.

SURPRISE PARTY—Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cunningham on Tuesday evening were tendered a surprise party by members of the Rebekah Degree lodge to the number of twenty-five or thirty. The affair was a complete surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham, but they warmly welcomed the invaders. Various kinds of amusements were employed to pass the hours and the evening proved a most pleasant one. Refreshments, furnished by the guests, were served—with the exception of one cake, which some boys stole from the kitchen table. The party was given as a farewell to the Cunninghams, who soon leave for South Dakota.

PERSONAL—R. A. Ginn has been in town for a day or two visiting his brother Fred, while enroute from Iowa to Colorado, where he has a railroad position. Editor Copper left Tuesday night for the west part of the state on business connected with a stock paper which he is figuring on publishing. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hughes and D. C. Congdon and son Guy went to Juniata Wednesday to be present at the Hughes golden wedding celebration which will be held this evening. Will Richards has returned from Kearney and Minden, where he spent several days on business connected with the Union Pacific Base Ball Circuit, of which he is secretary and treasurer.

MISSIONARY SERVICE—The morning service at the Episcopal church next Sunday will be of a missionary nature, and will include an address by Rev. Seibert of the Lutheran church. The service promises to be very interesting and will no doubt be attended by a large audience.

OUR FIRST

ANNUAL SPOON SALE,

FRIDAY and SATURDAY, MAY 16 and 17.

At 10:00 a.m. and lasting until 9:00 at night

Every Solid and Silver Plate Spoon in the House will be put on sale at these unheard of Prices.

\$2.50 spoons at \$1.98
2.00 spoons at 1.49
1.75 spoons at 1.38
1.50 spoons at 1.22

\$1.95 spoons at \$.99
1.00 spoons at74
.75 spoons at48
.50 spoons at38

... SPOON SETS ...

\$6.00 sets at \$4.78
5.00 sets at 4.24
4.00 sets at 3.08

\$2.50 sets at \$1.98
2.25 sets at 1.88
1.75 sets at 1.36

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Do You Wonder why this elegant Spoon Line Tea, Desert, Table, Fancy, Souvenir Spoons, Baby Spoons—Over 2,000—are offered at these Sacrifice Prices. ... We Want to Stir Things Up, and Are Going to Do It ...

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