

A COMPARISON

Compare your watch to a steam engine. The strain and friction on the delicate wheels and pieces of the watch is just as great by comparison as on the cogs and heavy shafts of the engine.

The engine receives constant attention, daily oiling and adjusting. It is only natural that a watch should receive this attention at least once every few years. We have heard people say that their watch is an exceptionally good one; has not been touched by a watchmaker for years. Maybe when they are forced to consult a watchmaker the watch will be past repairing.

To get good service out of a watch it should be cleaned and oiled at least every twelve or fifteen months. Let us examine your watch and we will tell you the real condition.

DIXON, The Jeweler.

DR. BROCK, DENTIST.
Over First National Bank.
Phone 148

A hog sold at Gothenburg one day this week for \$36.00. The animal weighed 760.

The Methodist people at Lexington have adopted plans for the erection of a \$25,000 church.

Wanted—A man to plow two lots. Inquire Room 2 Bratt Bldg.

The ladies of the Presbyterian aid society will hold an exchange on Saturday, August 1st.

Mayor McCabe recently sold one of his ranches in the Birdwood country for thirteen thousand dollars.

A number of young ladies enjoyed the hospitality of Miss Sylvia Watts at the Sunset Ranch Tuesday afternoon.

Messrs McDonald and Elder made a trip to the south part of the county this week, and say they never saw the county in finer condition.

Twenty-five per cent off on Trimmed Hats at The Hub.

Geo. F. Cooper, who was in from Medicine precinct yesterday, says that section is visited by more or less rain nearly every day. Corn is making a wonderfully rapid growth.

Tan shoes dyed to look like Patent leather, 25 cents, at the Yellow Front.

The Girls' Friendly Society held a pleasant meeting at the guild house Tuesday evening and served ice cream and cake. Two young men made a forage on the commissary department and carried off a cake, but fortunately the supply was ample.

Mrs. Maurice Fowler and daughter have returned from their visit with friends in Iowa.

J. A. Foster went to Lexington this morning to do some boiler work on a threshing machine engine.

Electric fans have been installed at the opera house, making the evenings the more enjoyable for patrons of the picture show.

The city council met in session last evening and allowed a large number of bills that had accumulated. Several petitions for sidewalks were presented.

Ten-cent Lawn for five cents at The Hub.

Misses Irma and Hildegarde Clinton were made happy this week by the arrival of a baby grand piano, a present to them from their father.

The Ideal shirts for men and boys at The Hub.

Mrs. J. J. Halligan is entertaining a number of young ladies at a card party this afternoon in favor of Miss Julia Baker, of Omaha, who is a guest at the Halligan home.

Miss Hazel King and sister spent several days in town this week as the guests of Mrs. Homer J. Handley en route to their home in Sidney after a six weeks' visit in Omaha.

All Prints 5 cents at The Hub.

Chas. Johnson, the O'Fallon farmer, was given a second hearing before the insane board yesterday and adjudged insane. He will be taken to the Hastings asylum tonight by Deputy Sheriff Lowell.

Polled Angus Bulls for sale. THOMAS E. DOOLITTLE.

At a meeting of the Modern Woodmen this week it was decided to hold a picnic at the Ottenstein grove on Saturday, July 24th. To this recreative event all members of the local camp and their families are invited. Amusements will be provided, as will also ice cream and lemonade.

We buy old gold and silver—haven't you some old pieces of jewelry that you will not use again. We will pay you handsomely for it.

DIXON, The Jeweler.

Prof. S. H. Martin, superintendent of the schools of St. Paul, Neb., and a candidate for the republican nomination for state superintendent, is in town today getting acquainted with our people and looking up the political situation. Prof. Martin was an instructor in the first Junior Normal held in this city.

Special sale on Union flour, in towel sack, \$1.25 from July 18th to 26th. The best flour sold in North Platte.

WILCOX DEPARTMENT STORE.

Congressman Norris was tendered an informal reception at the Commercial Club rooms following the lecture last night and this forenoon was driven out to the state experimental farm. As a member of the house committee on appropriations for public lands and buildings, Congressman Norris turned his influence toward securing the \$110,000 for the North Platte federal building.

To the Public. During my absence in Portland, my dray business will be in charge of Wm. Maloney. Orders entrusted to him will receive prompt attention.

FRED TOBAS.

Miss Jessie Hatfield was the recipient of a surprise party Wednesday evening it being her birthday. Twenty of her friends passed a very pleasant evening and presented her with a gold hat pin. An enjoyable lunch was served at midnight.

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The Coterie Club was entertained on Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. D. Stevens at the home of her sister Mrs. Ray Ravnor. The afternoon was spent in playing card games, Mrs. Asa Snyder winning first prize and Mrs. W. H. Stegall the booby prize. Refreshments were served.

We remount and repair all kinds of full diamond jewelry in our workshop. DIXON, The Jeweler.

North Platte visitors to Denver during the convention speak in glowing terms of the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Broach, proprietors of the "Princeton", a commodious family boarding house at 2137 Stout street. The "Princeton" is centrally located and is in a quiet and select neighborhood and is enjoying a large and growing patronage, every room in the house being taken during the convention, and the many friends of our former citizens will be pleased to hear of their prosperity.

For Sale—Choice celery plants. FRED ELLIOTT, 422 East Second St.

Milo Decker, of Maxwell, was arrested the early part of the week and placed in jail for failure to comply with the sentence imposed on him by Judge Grimes when he was found guilty of selling liquor without a license. Decker was to give a replevin bond to secure the fine, but instead of doing this he skipped the country and remained away until a week ago, when he returned to Maxwell. His arrest then followed. Unless he pays the fine he will need serve six months in jail.

Alfalfa scored another victory the last week according to Omaha papers. Joe Lommers of Stanton, Neb., shipped four carloads of fat cattle to the Omaha market and received \$8.10 per hundred for them and they averaged 1,572 pounds. Mr. Lommers bought them the middle of last November for \$4.60 per hundred when they weighed 1,110 pounds each. He placed them on a balanced ration of corn and alfalfa and put 462 pounds on each animal.

For Sale—Vacant lots close in; cement sidewalks and sewer already laid, only three blocks from Central School building. Price \$550 each. Better see these before you buy.

O. E. ELDER.

Pastor Appointed.

Rev. S. W. Longacre, an eastern minister who has been spending several months at University Place, has been appointed pastor of the local Methodist church for the remainder of the conference year, which ends September 30th. Rev. Longacre, who is said to be a strong pulpit orator, will arrive tomorrow and hold services Sunday.

Not all eye troubles demand the wearing of glasses. Your eyes tested free here by an expert optician who will find out your trouble and tell you honestly whether you ought to have glasses or not.

CLINTON, JEWELER AND OPTICIAN.

Mutual Building & Loan Association.

In order to supply the cash for loans allowed and approved by the directors, this association will issue a limited amount of their paid up stock. This stock pays dividends of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and the money invested thereon may be withdrawn at any time upon thirty days notice. Applications for stock should be made to the secretary.

Mutual Building & Loan Association,

By T. C. Patterson, President,
Samuel Goozee, Secretary.

Special Sale

ON

FLOUR.

In order to get more people to use our

UNION FLOUR

Put up in heavy Towel Sacks

we will make a

Special Price of
\$1.25 Per Sack

From July 18th to July 26th.

This price is made for advertising purposes only. Regular price is \$1.45 per sack.

Wilcox Department Store

Railroad News.

Walter Kocken is off duty this week on account of a broken thumb.

Wm. Jergenson, of Maxwell, has entered the service of the company.

C. C. Weller arrived from Green River Wyo., Wednesday and succeeds Homer Rector as store-keeper at the shops.

Fifty or more laborers arrived in Wednesday night and yesterday morning were taken up on the North River branch.

J. F. Ensign, a government inspector of railroad equipment, is in town today making an examination of conditions at this terminal.

N. C. Peterson, of Alliance, is visiting old-time friends in town. About twenty years ago Mr. Peterson was employed as a fireman out of this terminal.

The following changes were made this week: Asa Snyder, engine inspector, takes the drill press left vacant by the retirement of A. M. Mason and Ed Sullivan takes the day engine inspectorship.

C. E. Fuller, who succeeds W. R. McKeen as superintendent of motive power, spent several days this week at points on the Wyoming division getting more intimately acquainted with the existing conditions on that division.

The work of surfacing the six and one-half miles of the North River branch west of Lewellen will be completed today and track laying will begin next week if the graders succeed in cleaning out a cut which has drifted full of sand.

For the first time in many years—perhaps in the history of the road—a First District switch engine has been brought to the North Platte shops for an overhauling. This engine has been in service in the Grand Island yards, which are included in the First District.

Mary McEvoy Dies.

Mary Josephine McEvoy, the twelve year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. McEvoy, died at noon yesterday from a complication of diseases, after an illness of about three months. The deceased was attacked with lagrippe which kept her out school for a couple of weeks, and upon her re-entrance she studied very diligently to make up the last time. This brought on a nervousness that resulted in a collapse, and later inflammatory rheumatism set in. For two weeks prior to death she was practically unable to speak, and evidently suffered greatly. Josie was a bright and attractive girl, and in the loss of their dear one the family has the sympathy of friends. The funeral will be held from St. Patrick's church at nine o'clock tomorrow morning.

Baby Show.

Manager Miller of the opera house moving picture show has decided to hold a baby show at the opera house next week and will give a prize to the most handsome baby whose picture is displayed.

To compete for this prize a negative and picture should be brought to the manager as soon as possible. This picture will be numbered and thrown on canvas. Each person purchasing a ticket will be entitled to a vote for one of these numbers. The one receiving the largest vote will be awarded the prize.

Only babies of three years or under are eligible to this contest. This show will continue through the week.

For Sale.

New two-story house and a lot; 320 South Dewey street, six blocks from postoffice. Cement sidewalks. Price \$3,300 cash. Inquire of Picard Bros.

Third Ward News.

(CONTINUED)
George Martin fractured his arm Wednesday morning, the result of falling from a horse.

Walter Ross is off duty as fireman, due to a scalded foot.

Mrs. Ida Tarkington has had a new stone sidewalk completed in front of her three lots on east Eighth street, which makes a great improvement.

Charley Perkins, Stamford Schmalzried, Harold Duke, Norman Thomas and Millard Perkins took their paraphernalia and have gone down the North Platte river six miles for a couple of weeks outing.

Miss Lizzie Bradford has been visiting a few days in Maxwell. She is slowly recovering from a broken wrist.

Wednesday afternoon about twenty little friends of Ruth Ballard helped her celebrate her ninth birthday in a manner that proved very enjoyable. A dainty lunch was served and Ruth was presented with a number of very pretty gifts.

Friends of Mrs. John Barnell will be pleased to hear that she is improving and getting along as well as could be expected considering the seriousness of the operation through which she went.

Meetings are being held at the gospel tent, conducted by Elder L. E. Johnson and P. A. Field at the corner Ninth and Locust streets.

The new machinery for Mr. Heyse's pop factory has arrived and now every thing is up to date.

Miss Ruby Heyse and Misses Mary and Minnie Lowe contemplate a visit to Denver in the near future.

Miss Ison Kirkpatrick, who has been attending Junior Normal returned to her home in Lexington yesterday.

Fergus Flynn returned the early part of the week from a two weeks' visit in Denver and Rawlins.

THE PEOPLE ALL

In Chorus Cried, Give Us Newbro's Herpicide.

This word of late has been in everyone's mouth, and many are wondering what the word signifies, though no one has yet been found, who will deny that NEWBRO'S HERPICIDE does the work. Well, for the information of thousands of people who like to know all about a good thing, we would say that HERPICIDE means a destroyer or killer of "Herpes." Now "Herpes" is the family name of a disease caused by various vegetable parasites. A similar microbe causes dandruff, itching scalp, and falling hair; this is the microbe that NEWBRO'S HERPICIDE promptly destroys; after which the hair grows. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. Two sizes—50 cents and \$1.00. McDonell & Graves, Special Agents.

The G-D Justrite Corset For Stout Women.



The G-D Justrite Corset No. 714 for Stout Women.

Designed and built for short stout forms. Short above the waist line with full bust and extension hips. Made from strong white coutil, trimmed with lace and ribbons. Side and front garters.

We don't see how we could improve on this corset. In fact, it would be impossible to make a better one at the price. Many women who could afford to pay much more for a corset prefer this one.

A Very Special Value at
\$1.50 Sizes 22 to 36

OTHER MODELS. This is only one of the many Justrite styles. We have one for every figure, whether slender and tall, full and tall, medium large or small. If you want to end your corset troubles, get acquainted with the G-D Justrite. A full stock in all sizes at prices from \$1.00 and upwards.

Wilcox Department Store.

Duroc-Jersey Pigs for Sale.

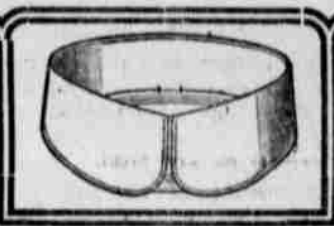
The Experiment Station is offering for sale a limited number of pure-bred Duroc-Jersey pigs on the following terms: Until the supply is exhausted, gilts will be sold at \$10.00 per head and boars at \$15.00 per head to be selected at once but may be left at the farm until Sept. 1 without expense. No pig will be held unless money is deposited at the time the selection is made. If the pig selected dies or is not in good condition at the time set for delivery, the purchaser may select a substitute or have his money refunded. As only a limited number of pigs will be saved for this purpose, early selection should be made. The Experiment Station is making this offer as an inducement to the distribution of good types of breeding hogs throughout the region.

W. P. SNYDER,
Supt. Experimental Substation,
North Platte, Nebr.

TORNADO INSURANCE.

Wise people are taking out Tornado Insurance on their property before the storm comes. Let us write you a policy in one of our old line companies. The best costs no more than the poorest.

Buchanan & Patterson.



A jaunty fold collar of distinctive style and surpassing finish.

It's of Linen, and therefore feels and looks better than flimsy cotton.

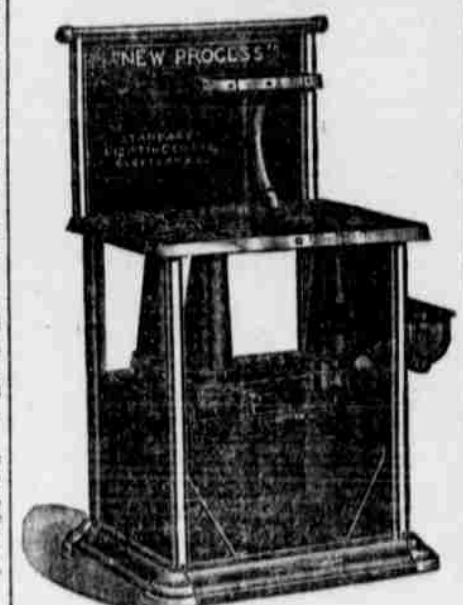
Why wear cotton collars, when Linen collars—"H & I"—cost no more?

Always buy "H & I"—They're Linen.

2 for 25c.

THE HUB
Clothing Dept.

For Safety and Comfort YOU SHOULD BUY



The "New Process" Wick Blue Flame Oil Stove, is the cleanest, safest, most convenient and economical stove one can use. There is no waste of the heat generated on these stoves, as the flame is applied directly to the article to be heated. The kitchen does not become a fiery furnace, even in the very hottest weather, so you can always cook, bake or iron on a "New Process" Wick Blue Flame Oil Stove, in perfect comfort. It is much cheaper than a coal stove, too.

Call and See It at
Wilcox Department Store

Application for Druggists' Permit.

Matter of the application of L. B. Munger for druggist's permit. Notice is hereby given that L. B. Munger did upon the 16th day of July, 1908, file his application with the county commissioners for permit to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors for medicinal, mechanical and chemical purposes only at his drug store in Hershey, Lincoln county, Nebraska, from the first day of August, 1908, to the 31st day of July, 1909. If there be no objection, remonstrance or protest filed within two weeks from July 17, 1908, said permit will be granted. L. B. MUNGER, Applicant.



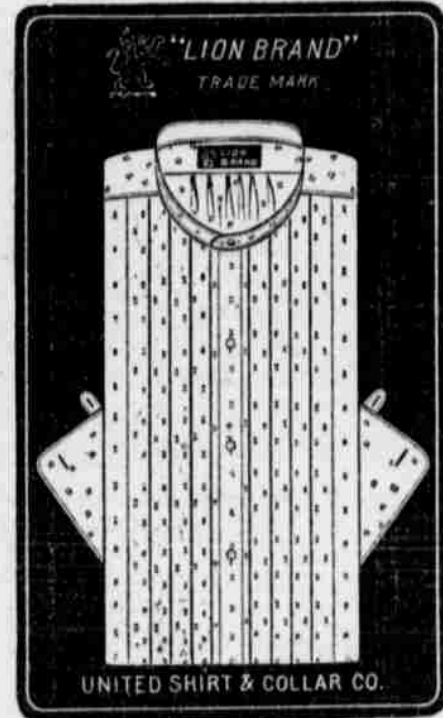
The Up-to-Date Mrs. Newlywed does not bother herself or tattle her better half by trying to make bread, biscuits, cakes and pies, etc. She is wise—she orders them from our bake-shop, and her "hubby" compliments her on her common sense and good judgment. We are expert bakers and pastry makers. Give us a trial order and prove to yourself what we say.

Enterprise Bakery.
Mrs. Jennie Armstrong, Prop.

ROAD NO. 313.

To all whom it may concern:—The commissioners appointed for the purpose of locating a road commencing at the south east corner of the north east quarter of Section 35, Township 9, Range 29; thence running east one-half mile more or less and terminating at the regular laid out road near the center of section 31, township 9, range 28 has reported in favor of the establishment of said road, and all objections thereto or claims for damages must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before noon on the 20th day of August, 1908, or such road will be established without reference thereto. Dated North Platte, Neb., July 15, 1908. F. R. ELLIOTT, County Clerk.

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Particularly for business and proper for vacation and warm summer evenings.

New Samples on Display

Comprising all the latest novelties. Blue Serge, Tropical Worsted and Mohair

Our American Gentleman System of Tailoring

insures you the style and excellence you demand at a Moderate Cost.

It will pay you to investigate our great money-saving system of Good Clothes made to order at a moderate cost and urge that you make your selections from the lines represented by North Platte's Leading Clothes Authority.

Sacrifice Sale

During the month of July we place on sale our entire stock of Gents' High Grade Furnishings, Hats, Trunks, Suit Cases, etc., at a Great Sacrifice for cash. Call and be convinced that it pays you to trade with



Burke & Co.,
North Platte's Most Reliable Clothiers.