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OUR Children's Shoes are made to fit growing feet and not to mis-shape them. It's a crime to put ill-fitting Shoes on Children's feet—their feet can never grow straight and strong in ill fitting Shoes. The correct shoe for children must be broad of sole and broad of heel to allow for expanding feet.

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We've nature shaped Shoes of pliable but durable leathers, with or without spring heels. Strongly made but not a bit clumsy. A correct size for every foot:

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The shoe service of this Shoe Store is a matter well worth considering. We know the exact show that every foot should wear, young or old.

**SOL HODES,**  
The Home of Better Shoes.

### TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS

Leo Tobin was in Illif Wednesday looking after hay shipments.

Mrs. Geo. Stiff, of Gothenburg, is visiting relatives and friends in town.

Rev. John F. Seibert was a visitor in Paxton yesterday.

Geo. T. Field left Wednesday night for a stay at Excelsior Springs, Mo.

T. T. Keliher, of Cheyenne, transacted business in town yesterday.

Arthur Salisbury was a visitor in Central City yesterday.

Miss Kate Spies returned Tuesday morning from a protracted visit in Omaha.

Mrs. P. A. Norton went to Omaha Wednesday night for a few days visit with friends.

Miss Lena Rector left yesterday morning for a visit with friends in Denver.

John Frazier has returned from a week's stay in Omaha, where he went to consult a specialist.

Mrs. B. L. Robinson has been in Omaha this week receiving treatment for her eyes.

C. O. Weingand left Wednesday for the west part of the state where he expected to transact business for several days.

Nick Mayhew leaves tonight for Waterloo. He has made application for a saloon license at that place, and expects to engage in that business.

J. A. Dolly, a shoe manufacturer of Rock Island, Ill., spent yesterday in town. Mr. Dolly owns a considerable tract of land adjoining the town of Maxwell.

Otto Thoelecke returned Wednesday from Omaha, where he visited his parents for a few days and incidentally attended the big fair being held by the Elks.

County Supt. Ebricht went to Lincoln yesterday to meet in conference with the state normal board relative to the North Platte Junior Normal. He will return Sunday night.

Fred Westenfeld has been visiting friends in town for a couple of days past while enroute to Park City, Utah. Of late he has been at Newcastle, Wyoming. He is at present engaged in the picture show business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Winquest, who had been in Southern California for a number of months, were in town yesterday visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Stamp while enroute to their home in Brady.

Major Dow was up from the McPherson national cemetery yesterday. He is waiting for his successor to appear, so that he may go to Arkansas to take his new position. Mrs. Dow has gone to Lincoln to visit; until the Major is relieved.

Miss Brown and Messrs. Hoagland, Bryant and Swops, who had been summoned before the federal grand jury at Omaha on the J. P. Kelly case, returned Wednesday. The jury made its finding in the case but it has not yet been made public.

Mr. and Mrs. Butler Buchanan have returned from their visit at Central City, Aurora and Hastings. Mr. Buchanan says that on account of the dry weather many of the wheat fields in the central part of the state are in poor condition.

Jake Miller, who was down from Garfield yesterday, says every acre of land in that precinct that has been under the plow will be farmed this season, and in addition a number of farmers are breaking out new land. This activity is largely due to the excellent prospects for a big crop.

Will Nauman, a former North Platte boy, but now manager of a leading clothing store in San Francisco, passed through town a few days ago enroute to New York City to purchase goods. He will return in a couple of weeks and will probably stop over in town for a brief visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. W. A. Murdock, of Chicago, grand president of the ladies' auxiliary to the B. of L. E., will visit North Platte on May 11th and inspect the local lodge. Special sessions of the lodge will be held in the forenoon and afternoon of that day and in the evening a reception will be given at which all engineers and their families will be present.

Unless the weather man on Fifth street pursues a different course the fame of Western Nebraska as a banana belt will go glimmering. With the ground covered with snow on the twenty-first day of April and a wind that almost froze bicycles on B. L. Robinson's flowing hirsute appendage, it is time for McDowall to do something toward giving us spring weather or else he had better resign in favor of Jim McDonald or some other good man.

The ladies of the Episcopal guild who started out to gather a carload of old newspapers, books and magazines, succeeded in getting ten tons, and the car was shipped to Chicago this week. Prior to loading the car the cargo was assembled in the guild house, sorted and tied in packages. There was considerable work in gathering and getting the stuff ready for shipment and it is somewhat of a question whether the net sum received will pay for the actual work performed, even though the labor was contributed in a large measure.

#### For Sale.

One Percheron Stallion ten years old, weight 1,700, two coming two year old black Percheron stallions. These animals are of excellent quality, and will sell or trade under good guarantee very cheap. Address

A. E. MARLATT,  
Maxwell, Neb.

W. C. Patterson has been transacting business in Denver for a couple of days past.

Judge Elder united in marriage Tuesday S. M. Gillespie, of Indiana, and Mrs. Hattie Deed of Farnam.

An important meeting of the Knights Templar will be held this evening and every knight is urged to be present.

Remember, every 25 cent cash purchase entitles you to a ticket on the clock in our window, which would be an ornament in any home.

SCHATZ & CLABAUGH.

The Chas. B. Hanford Co., which will present "The Winter's Tale" at the Keith this evening, arrived from Cheyenne this morning. There are about thirty in the company.

Arbor Day yesterday was observed as a legal holiday by the Union Pacific shops and the banks. As a day of tree-planting it was observed by a number of our citizens.

Sidney Hollenbeck and Miss Agnes Mathers were united in marriage by Rev. S. F. Carrol Wednesday morning. The couple will reside on the groom's farm in the north part of the county.

The anniversary of Odd Fellowship will be observed by the local lodge on Tuesday evening of next week, on which occasion the grand master will be present. All Odd Fellows, their families and friends are invited to be present.

Local dealers have exhausted their stock of hard coal, and the householder who failed to lay in sufficient to last until warm weather comes, must burn cobs or buffalo chips or some other old thing in his base burner, or else huddle his family around the kitchen stove.

At the meeting of the city council Tuesday evening the ordinance restricting the location of saloons, bowling alleys and pool halls was read the first time. This ordinance restricts the location of such places to the territory in which they now do business, thus prohibiting the removal of the Green billiard hall to the Hahler building, as was at one time proposed.

The Hallowell orchestra concert given at the Keith theatre under the auspices of the Elks Tuesday evening was rather a severe frost so far as attendance went, though the program furnished was a musical treat. Following the entertainment the orchestra furnished music for a dance at the Masonic hall, which also was poorly attended. The Elks went in "the hole" about twenty dollars.

W. F. Campbell, one of the first farmers to locate in Garfield precinct; was in town Tuesday marketing oats. Mr. Campbell believes that "all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy" and for several years past he has been spending part of each summer visiting relatives and friends in different sections of the United States. Certainly a farmer is entitled to a vacation as well as the business men of the towns, and as a rule he can afford it just as well.

#### Double Your Money

Houses are always in demand. I have some very desirable lots right in the town of Maxwell for sale reasonable. It will pay you to investigate.

FRANK NUGENT,  
Maxwell.

Mrs. M. V. Mitchell has gone to Lexington for a ten days' visit with relatives.

W. V. Hoagland went to Chappell last night to appear as counsel in a divorce case which comes up for hearing today in the district court.

While the number of new houses in course of construction is not as large as was expected, a contractor remarked yesterday that so far as he knew every carpenter in town is busy. The repair work this spring is unusually heavy.

Practically all the older railroad men are now supplied with annual passes for themselves and wives, and trips to Omaha and elsewhere are somewhat more frequent. A pass is a distinct advantage, even though railroad fare is but two cents per mile in Nebraska.

The ladies' aid of the Baptist church will hold a bonnet and apron sale on Saturday, April 24th, at the Unitarian hall. Beginning at twelve o'clock the following lunch will be served: hot biscuits, honey, cake and coffee. The public is invited.

W. T. Banks has made a proposition for a base ball park in his latest addition. He offers to build a fence around the grounds, erect a grand stand and bleachers and give a permanent lease of the ground for a consideration of \$500. This is a sum lower than would be needed to secure ground elsewhere and enclose it. A number of those interested in base ball will take up the proposition and see if it is possible to secure \$500 in popular subscriptions.

For Sale—House and lot on West Sixth street, four blocks from Dewey. Also cottage on same street for rent. See O. E. Elder.

Tonight the Hanford Company will present "The Winter's Tale" at the Keith. This is one of the strongest plays written by Shakespeare and the company is one that will present it in a most admirable manner, the scenic investiture being especially good. Those of our citizens who enjoy a play that really has something to it should attend.

The six young men composing the "Cabbage Club"—Messrs. Munger, Birge, Bixler, Rendell, Abrahamson and Boyd—entertained six young ladies at a nine o'clock dinner at the Bare residence Wednesday evening. The guest were Misses Orilla Gilman, Kate Seyferth, Edith Patterson, Hazel Neu, Irma Clinton and Geraldine Bare, with Mrs. Geo. W. Finn and Mrs. E. A. Garlich as chaperones. Every dish of the five courses was prepared by the young men and each was as excellently prepared and nicely served as the most critical could desire. The table was prettily laid and illumined with large crystal candelabras, with carnations as the decorative feature. At the conclusion of the dinner toasts were proposed and responded to, and following this an hour or two was devoted to singing and impromptu amusement features by the young men. Several flashlight pictures of the group were taken.

#### Notice to Rubbish Haulers.

All persons are notified that the undersigned will not tolerate the hauling of manure and other rubbish upon the real estate belonging to Trustee Tabor east of this city. Persons continuing to place manure or rubbish upon this property will be prosecuted.

ROY B. TABOR, Trustee,  
By WM. E. SHUMAN, His Atty.

### CIRCULAR LETTER.

We wish to explain to the public Our New Business Policy.

When we went into business five years ago last January, our stock of goods was confined to a very few lines and a very limited amount in each line. At first our floor space was small and inadequate, but, as we grew older in business our trade constantly increased and we have been continually obtaining more room until now we have more than three times the floor space we had at first. From time to time we have been adding new lines, and now we carry a much larger quantity of each class of goods than we had at first and can furnish you with most any article you want in the line of

**FURNITURE, HARDWARE, IMPLEMENTS, BUGGIES, WAGONS, HARNESS, PAINTS, PUMPS, PIPE, WINDMILLS, COOK STOVES, RANGES, GASOLINE AND OIL STOVES, RANGES**

All kinds of garden and field seeds, Standard mowers and rakes, sweeps, stackers and many side lines that belong to the above described lines, with the repairs for each.

Our help is the best that money can buy, they are very courteous gentlemen. J. W. Henderson is at the head of the hardware department. M. J. Forbes will be found at the head of the furniture department and Robert Dean is the best man in the implement line. Either of these gentlemen will be pleased to show you through their respective lines whether you wish to buy or not. Our sole aim will be when a customer enters our store to examine our goods, to show a reliable and up-to-date class of goods, such as we can absolutely guarantee, and at a price that cannot be beaten by a competitor in the same grade of goods.

We wish to state here that we are very thankful to our customers and friends for their liberal patronage in the past, and we owe to them our success in business. We simply ask for a continuance of your trade in the future.

Yours truly,

**WORKMAN & DERRYBERRY.**

The 1908 real estate taxes become delinquent May 1st and after that date ten per cent interest is attached. As that date approaches real estate holders are looking up the amount due, and when they ascertain the sum and compare it with the amount of the 1909 tax they shudder. Yesterday a Second ward man showed us the comparison, and the increase was three hundred per cent. Yet he admitted that the property is worth the value placed on it by the assessor.

#### Words To Freeze The Soul.

"Your son has consumption. His case is hopeless." These appalling words were spoken to Geo. E. Blevins, a leading merchant of Springfield, N. C. by two expert doctors—one a lung specialist. Then was shown the wonderful power of Dr. King's New Discovery. "After three weeks' use," writes Mr. Blevins, "he was as well as ever. I would not take all the money in the world for what it did for my boy." Infallible for coughs and colds, its the safest, surest cure of desperate lung diseases on earth. 50c and \$1.00 Stone's Drug Co. guarantees satisfaction. Trial bottle free.



#### THOSE WHO EAT

Our Bread, Cakes and Cookies are always satisfied, and they become regular customers. We use the best materials, and employ the most cleanly methods. Try our 25-cent meals—best in town for the price.

**ENTERPRISE BAKERY,**  
Mrs. Jennie Armstrong, Prop.



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**A. F. FINK.**

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Every man who has any thought of appearance wants a new Spring Hat and the men who are most particular want

#### The Gordon Hat

If you are a judge of hat style and hat quality you will select the Gordon—if you are not you had better select the Gordon, for the name is a guarantee of best quality and authentic style.

#### New Shapes

#### New Colorings

But the same matchless quality

#### The Gordon Hats

THREE DOLLARS.

**WILCOX DEPARTMENT STORE.**

### Spring Chicks!

Start them right by keeping them healthy and free from vermin by using

#### Lee's Poultry Remedies

They never fail if used rightly.

Lee's Germozone,  
Lee's Chick Food,  
Lee's Chick Grower,  
Lee's Insect Powder,  
Lee's Lice Killer.

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