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First Door North of First National Bank

Claude Weingand left last night for Denver where he will investigate artificial ice plants for several days. If needing eight per cent money to help buy or build, see Bratt & Goodman.

Robins were seen hopping around Sunday and yesterday. This does mean, however, that spring is here. Lawrence Carpenter went to Sutherland this morning to accept a position with a lumber company that is opening a new yard in that place.

Miss Etta Clark went to Ogalala this morning to assist in "cutting in" the new telephone exchange owned by the North Platte telephone company.

About forty couples attended the dancing party given last evening at Masonic hall by the Lady Hustlers. The affair proved a decidedly pleasant one.

For Rent.—Houses, unfurnished rooms, farms, hay and grazing lands. BRATT & GOODMAN.

The past few days of mild weather has brought in a few stray geese, and hunters are laying in stocks of ammunition in anticipation of good shooting in the near future.

J. J. Sullivan and granddaughter Lucile went through from Omaha to Salt Lake Friday in response to a telegram announcing the serious illness of Mrs. Frank J. Sullivan.

The installation of the new electric burglar alarm at the First National Bank has been completed. It is a most thorough system and no matter in what way a burglar might attempt to enter the vault he would start the alarm.

Mrs. John Crane, an aunt of Mrs. Fred Perritt arrived today from Fenville, Mich., and will visit the former for some time. She is a lady past eighty years of age, and came this far with her son and wife who are enroute to California.

Just received, a large shipment of Klensona, the cleaner that cleans everything. Am prepared to sell any amount and re-fill Klensona bottles. Miss Beyerle, room 3, over Schiller's Drug Store.

Tom Green will go to Grand Island tomorrow to attend the meeting held to organize a state base ball league. Though North Platte citizens are not enthusiastic enough to support a team, Tom wants to know what the other fellows are doing.

Members of the A. B. club and their husbands were delightfully entertained last evening at high five by Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Seeberger. The members of this club are very congenial and a good time is had at the meetings. Enjoyable refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Mrs. Louise Peters yesterday signed a lease for the forty-three rooms in the new Timmerman building which she will furnish and rent to transients. These rooms are all supplied with stationary lavatories with hot and cold water, electric lights and some have baths in connection. The rooms will be modernly furnished by Mrs. Peters.

Idle Money should Earn Interest. If you want it to net you eight per cent semi-annual interest on first mortgage loans on good income property based on less than 50 per cent values, see Bratt & Goodman.

For Rent.
180 acre pasture. Living water; adjoining city. Suitable for town herd. See BRATT & GOODMAN.

Col. Wm Beatty, of Brady, is transacting business in town today.

The ladies of the Episcopal Guild will meet with Mrs. C. S. Clinton Thursday afternoon.

The ladies of the Presbyterian aid society will meet with Mrs. John Knox Thursday afternoon.

The ladies of the Episcopal Guild will hold an exchange in the Electric light office on Saturday, February 19th.

Mrs. Saml. Goozee returned last night from Omaha where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fred Elliott, for about four weeks.

F. E. Barber has filed a complaint in the county court against Albert ("Fatty") Nichols charging him with the theft of sixty bushels of corn on or about December 25th.

The Methodist aid society will meet with Mrs. J. G. Beeler Thursday afternoon. A lunch will be served to which the public is invited. Mrs. Beeler will be assisted in serving by Mesdames Plummer and Kountz.

The fire department was called out about ten o'clock last night by an incipient blaze at the Inman residence in the southeast part of town. The flames were extinguished, however, before the arrival of the hose companies.

Wanted—A good fisherman; one who can troll in briny water; part of tackle will be supplied. The catch if secured is worth \$28 to the owner, part of which will go the fisherman. Apply to F. R. Elliott, county clerk's office, at once.

The Catholic girls social club will meet this evening at the home of Miss Bessie Smith instead of Miss Mary Guillaume. The change is made on account of Miss Guillaume having been called east by the death of an aunt.

Wanted—Girl or woman for house work. Washing and ironing sent out. Apply at house 601 West 5th St. Mrs. J. Q. Wilcox.

Misfortunes by fire sometimes come doubly, at least so with W. W. Birge. Following the partial destruction of his home, he lost four stacks of hay and other property on his farm at O'Fallon last Saturday. The fire is supposed to have been set by a spark from a locomotive on the branch road.

Lost—Last evening a string of gold beads, on Ash street between Fourth and Second. Finder please return to this office.

Prof. H. F. Carson, of Hastings, formerly of this city, spent a few hours in town today while enroute to Hershey. He has sold out his interest in the Hastings Business College and is dividing his time between selling elevator supplies and doing work for the anti-saloon league. He went to Hershey today to hold an anti-saloon meeting.

For Sale.
Nice 7 room house, barn, cement walk, trees, etc., on West 4th. Let us show you this. Other nice homes from \$700.00 upward. BRATT & GOODMAN.

Another Suit Against Reid.

A. C. Taylor, of Iowa, through his attorneys Wilcox & Halligan, has filed his petition in the district court praying for a decree that R. B. Reid, who has been selling agent of the Taylor addition, be required to turn over to Plaintiff Taylor the money received from the sale of lots.

The petition recites that on Sept. 11th, 1909, Taylor gave Reid an option for sixty days on the land involved for the sum of \$13,000, no part of which was paid, and which option was later extended to January 11th, 1910, when plaintiff executed an executory contract to sell the land for \$13,000 and on which sum Reid paid \$400.

That immediately on procuring the option in September, Reid came to North Platte and wrongfully and fraudulently pretended to be the agent of Taylor, wrongfully and fraudulently pretended to make sales and did receive and accept from purchasers various sums of money to the amount of about \$7,000; that Reid at the time he received the money agreed to pay the same to Plaintiff Taylor, and that said Reid has failed to pay such money to Taylor but on contrary deposited it in the McDonald State Bank.

This money was attached by one Tait in a suit filed against Reid last week, and the Plaintiff Taylor makes Tait a defendant in his suit against Reid.

Sand for Sale.

Have opened a sand pit on the Cody ranch. This sand is full of grit and gravel. Anyone wanting sand for building or sidewalk purposes phone F. H. Garlow at Cody ranch. Price 75 cents per load delivered, or 15 cents per load at pit.

Cozad Man Kills Himself.

Carl J. Holmes, known as Jack Vernon, a printer employed at the Klopp-Bartlett Printing Company, son of J. A. Holmes, editor of the Cozad Republican, and brother of M. and J. C. Holmes, owner of the Lexington Clipper-Citizen, shot himself in the heart and died at 209 South 14th street, the Gate City Lodging House, where he roomed, Monday morning.

Connected with the story is the name of a young woman to whom Holmes was engaged to be married. He refers to her only as "Emma" and also "Mrs. Carl" in the brief notes that he left. "My son was engaged to a Miss Emma Gregg of North Platte," said J. A. Holmes, father of the dead man, in a long distance telephone conversation. "Her father died there recently and she left the town and had not been seen there since. We don't know where she went."

"I wrote my son two days ago urging him to let us hear from him. He had not written since he left, two months ago."

A young woman supposed to be Miss Gregg, called at Holmes' rooming house to see him as late as Friday last. —Omaha Bee.

President Helps Orphans.

Hundreds of orphans have been helped by the President of the Industrial and Orphans Home at Macon, Ga., who writes: "We have used Electric Bitters in this institution for nine years. It has proved a most excellent medicine for stomach, liver and kidney troubles. We regard it as one of the best family medicines on earth." It invigorates all vital organs, purifies the blood, aids digestion and creates appetite. To strengthen and build up pale, thin and weak children or run down people it has no equal. Best for female complaints. Only 50c. at Stone's drug store.

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At Harrington & Tobin's Old Stand, will sell you two sacks of either Lexington Patent, Morning Glory or North Platte XXXX for \$2.60 with every \$5.00 purchase of other goods. Sugar by the sack not included. A big stock to select from. Your trade solicited. Country produce wanted.

Greeson's Grocery.

Fires Are Coming,
thick and fast. If not insured see Bratt & Goodman, the Leading Fire Insurance Agents. They will write your insurance and pay your loss promptly.

The advance agent for "The Clansman" is in town today. This great play will be presented at the Keith on Thursday evening of next week.

Wanted to Buy.
Horns and cattle. Highest market price paid. J. I. SHOW, Hershey, Neb.

Bloodhounds to Halt an Uprising.
Storm swept Jamaica was in 1738 the scene of a rising of the negro plantation slaves. At first there were brushes between the soldiers of the island garrison and the insurgents, and lives were lost on both sides. Then the commander, General Walpole, be thought him of having 100 dogs trained to track slaves brought from Cuba. These powerful and savage brutes, misnamed bloodhounds, were really of the mastiff tribe, says the London Chronicle. After being muzzled they were led to the position taken up by the malcontents. General Walpole sent a message to the slaves threatening to unmuzzle and unleash the animals if they did not surrender. The negroes, who had shown themselves to be by no means afraid of the bullets of the military, were now mad with terror. They threw down their arms and gave in. Remarks a contemporary historian of Jamaica, "It is pleasing to observe that not a drop of blood was spilled after the dogs arrived in the island."

Serial No. 02550.
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
United States Land Office,
At North Platte, Nebraska, Feb. 5, 1910.
Notice is hereby given that Robert Yankel, of Maxwell, Nebraska, who on Sept. 25th, 1894, made homestead entry No. 35568, serial No. 02550, for south east quarter, Section 28, Township 14 N., Range 29 W., of the 6th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the register and receiver, at North Platte, Nebraska, on the 9th day of April 1910.
Claimant names as witnesses: Fred Young, Samuel McCaig, John Nogle, William Wilson, all of Maxwell, Neb.
J. E. EVANS, Register



Scene from "The Clansman" at The Keith, February 17.

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In keeping with the established De Laval custom of making the De Laval Cream Separators as much better each year as possible, the De Laval machines for 1910 show even greater perfection than they have in the past.

The dairy farmer who buys a 1910 De Laval can feel assured that he has by far the best Cream Separator ever made anywhere at any time.

The dairy farmer who lets the year or even the month pass by without at least seeing and examining the 1910 De Laval will be doing himself an injustice.

The opportunity of examining and trying a 1910 De Laval right at his own home is open, free of all cost or trouble, to every dairyman who will simply say the word.

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A Curious Error.
The Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale told how a curious error crept into the translation of the Lord's Prayer into the Delaware Indian tongue. The English translator had as an assistant an Indian who knew English. "What is 'halloo' in Delaware?" asked the translator. The Indian thought he said "halloo" and gave him the equivalent. Therefore the Delaware version of the Lord's Prayer reads, "Our Father, who art in heaven, hallooed be thy name."

As Corrected.
"Tommy" said the teacher to a bright grammar class pupil, "correct the sentence 'I kissed Jennie two times.'" "I kissed Jennie three times," replied Tommy proudly. —Chicago News.

His Ad. Answered.
A man stopped at a newspaper office on his way to the theater and placed an advertisement for a boy. Half an hour later one fell from the gallery into his lap.

Simple.
"How do you keep your razor sharp?"
"Easy enough. I hide it where my wife can't find it." —Cleveland Plain Dealer.



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