

"Reason for Dinner Being Late."

Is usually because none of your clocks keep time correctly. It is surely a poor reason, as all that is necessary is to telephone number 338, and we will have our messenger call for same, they will be put in good shape and returned to you without delay.

You will have no such poor excuse in the future, and your meals will always be served at the proper time.

Don't put off calling us up if you have a clock now that wants attention.

CLINTON, The Jeweler.

DR. H. C. BROCK, DENTIST.

Over First National. Phone 148

Seed Potatoes.

From the Red River District of Minnesota. Pure strain and nothing nicer. Car to arrive in a few days. Leave your orders at store. Prices very little higher than cooking stock.

R. N. LAMB.

Arthur Salisbury returned last night from a business trip to Central City.

The Episcopal guild will hold their Easter sale at the guild house April 8th.

You are sure of correct styles when you buy a Whittaker hat.

Miss Beesie Graham, who had been making a protracted visit with relatives in West Virginia, returned home last night.

Perry Carson headed a delegation of a dozen young men and ladies who went to Gothenburg last evening to attend a dance.

On April 2d the people of Ogalala will vote on a proposition to issue \$22,000 bonds for the construction of a new school building.

Nice RED, WHITE and YELLOW ONION SETS and all kinds of garden seed at Greeson's Grocery.

Dr. Marie Ames reports the arrival of a fine baby girl at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Popham of Tryon Wednesday afternoon.

Stamps' orchestra went to Gothenburg yesterday to furnish music for the annual dance of the city firemen. The boys returned home on belated No. 13 today.

Furnish your house now at half price. Come early Saturday. Ginn, White & Schatz.

Supt. Snyder, of the experimental station, says winter wheat seems to be in a satisfactory condition. Fear had been expressed that the cold weather would be detrimental to a good stand.

Mrs. E. Canright, who was so severely burned a couple of weeks ago, was brought into town yesterday and placed in the Cunningham hospital for treatment. Her condition is still very serious.

We are making a specialty of hats for \$3.00 and 7.00. Call and see them before buying. MISS WHITTAKER.

Lyman Welch, one of the mail agents on the north river branch, was called to Crab Orchard the early part of the week by the illness of his mother. Alvin Sandall, of the local postoffice force, is acting as substitute on the run.

A Chicago dispatch tells of resignation of Hannahan as general manager of the Illinois Central and the issuance of a circular stating that the duties of general manager will be assumed by W. L. Park, recently elected vice-president.

It is Our Treat

We want you to accept our invitation to come into our store and join us in celebrating. No, it's not our birthday, anniversary or any small event like that. We have just received from George M. Clark & Co. Div., a shipment of

Jewel



Evaporator Gasoline Ranges

Talk about beauties! Say, they're so good that they won't last long because there are several newly married couples "off the gas-line" who won't be happy though married unless they own one of these Ranges.

The Jewel Evaporator Ranges are the very finest in the way of gasoline stoves that have ever been offered to the public—they are the acme of perfection in stove construction—have so many good points that they've got to be seen to be appreciated. Will you come in and look?

Howe & Maloney.

Wanted—Two apprentice girls at once. Mrs. G. S. Huffman.

Mrs. James Hart was called to Omaha Tuesday by the death of Mr. Hart's mother.

Harry Cramer, of St. Paul, has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Bonner this week.

3 H. P. "Stover" Gasoline engine for sale. Inquire Stone Drug Co. North Platte, Neb.

The L. O. T. M. will be given a benefit at the Crystal theatre Tuesday evening, March 23d.

Arthur McNamara transacted business in Omaha a day or two this week, leaving Tuesday night.

Quality and superiority of workmanship characterize the Whittaker hats, whether a \$4.00 or a \$10.00 hat.

Miss Ina Clark will be at the Yellow Front shoe store tomorrow where she will collect all bills due Graham & Co.

Foreman Smith, of the Union Pacific ice houses, left yesterday for Denver, where he will combine business with pleasure for several days.

Neal and Frank Turpie returned yesterday from Omaha, where they accompanied a shipment of cattle the early part of the week.

Mrs. John T. Strahorn and daughter Mary left Wednesday night for a few days visit in Omaha. Miss Strahorn will also visit friend in Lincoln.

Cody Boal came home from the Kearney military academy Wednesday to visit relatives until Sunday. Cody was one of the scarlet fever victims at the school.

Lewis Mitchell, of Myrtle precinct, has disposed of his personal property, will quit farming and devote his time to soliciting life and accident insurance.

"The Girl of the Golden West" will be the attraction at the Keith on Wednesday evening of next week. The play is one of Belasco's and possesses much merit. The company is pronounced a strong one.

J. S. Mercer, who has been assistant secretary at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, resigned this week, and left last night for Scotts Bluff county where he will accept a charge as minister. For some time past he has been preparing for the ministry.

Mrs. Andrew Yost entertained the Club Nevada Wednesday afternoon in a very pleasant manner. The entertainment for the afternoon consisted of a very novel contest, the prize being won by Mrs. Bert Naperstek. At five o'clock an elaborate dinner was served. The club will meet again in two weeks.

The Union Pacific has just completed fencing ten sheep pastures on the south side of the track opposite the stock-yards. In inclosing these pastures eleven and one-half miles of wire was used. The pasturing facilities at this terminal for stock in transit is acknowledged to be the best of any point on the Union Pacific system.

Don't overlook the big furniture sale. Fifteen to fifty per cent discount. Sale starts Saturday.

Ginn, White & Schatz.

At the meeting of the city council Tuesday evening the ordinance repealing the gas franchise was passed. This franchise was granted to M. E. Springer in September, 1908, and by its provisions the gas plant was to be in operation by the end of twelve months, which provisions were not complied with, hence the repeal of the ordinance.

Colorado Apples 90 cents a box at Wilcox Department Store.

Horse and Cattle Sale.

W. H. Turpie will sell at the Turpie ranch four miles southeast of North Platte on Thursday, March 24th, 100 head of horses ranging in weight from 800 to 1400 pounds, and 25 cows from 3 to 6 years old.

Wireless Telegraphy Demonstration.

L. W. Walker is in receipt of a letter from Dean Geo. A. Beecher, of Omaha, in which he says he and Dr. Milner will arrive in North Platte April 28th for a duck hunt. The Dean further states that if the people of North Platte so desire Dr. Milner will bring with him his wireless telegraphy apparatus and give the people a free demonstration.

Dr. Milner is an expert electrician in the employ of the Union Pacific and a majority of our readers have probably read accounts of his work and his experiments. Such a demonstration as he proposes would certainly be interesting.

Mr. Walker has written Dean Beecher that arrangements will be made for the demonstration.

Your dollars will do double work at our store. Sale starts Saturday.

Ginn, White & Schatz.

Boys Hardware Stock.

Ginn, White & Schatz yesterday purchased the hardware stock of the Wilcox Dept. Store and will remove it to their store the early part of next week. This purchase easily gives Ginn, White & Schatz the largest stock of hardware in Western Nebraska, and the question which now puzzles them is to find room for it. They propose as a partial solution of the problem to reduce their furniture stock, and in order to do this they will inaugurate a special sale on furniture and pianos, this sale opening tomorrow. The hardware shelving, cases and counters of the Wilcox store go with the purchase, and these added to the Ginn, White & Schatz furnishings will make a handsome appearing hardware department.

The Wilcox Store sells the hardware department in order to secure needed room for the dry goods and ladies' ready-to-wear departments, both of which are too large for the space now at command. With the space now occupied by the hardware annexed to the above two departments, there will be an opportunity to enlarge them and show them to better advantage.

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Improvements in Riverdale Addition.

The Riverdale Addition to this city is to be improved with five foot cement sidewalks and crossings, sewer and graded streets, just as the Trustee's Addition has been improved. An order has just been made by the court having charge of the estate at Chicago directing Wm. E. Shuman to contract for these improvements as soon as possible. The contracts will be let as soon as terms can be made and the construction of the improvements will begin within two or three weeks. The expense of these improvements will aggregate several thousand dollars.

The Trustee is also directed to lay water mains at his own expense where it is necessary to provide water for those needing it in the Trustee's or Riverdale Additions. Those in charge of the estate are determined that water shall be provided for all those needing it without expense to the parties desiring to build residences.

The construction of the sidewalks will begin where the sidewalks in the Trustee's Addition leave off and will be built two blocks east through Riverdale Addition and on the north and south sides of each block. The crossings will be built by the Trustee of the same width and the city will not be called upon to expend any money for the crossings. These walks will go past the city park site and the Trustee will lay the water main to the park.

This will add seventy-two lots to those already for sale by the Trustee and the most distant of these lots will be within ten blocks of Dewey street.

For Sale—Fifty gallons of extracted honey. Inquire of Will Otten.

SPRING SUIT THOUGHTS?



ARE they rambling through your mind?

Let us suggest that you spend a few moments looking at our New Spring Styles.

You can gain a better idea from the garments themselves than you can from any style book.

Our Suits are the production of makers who turn out authoritative fashions and we are showing a choice and splendid selection of exclusive fabrics.

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Saturday and Monday,

March 19th and 21st,

\$2.50

Worth of Groceries For

\$2.00

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| 1 Sack Union High Patent Flour - - - | \$1.65 |
| One-half pound package Advo Tea - - - | .25 |
| One pound package Iowa Coffee - - - | .25 |
| One can J. M. Tomatoes - - - - - | .15 |
| One can J. M. Hominy or Pumpkin - - - | .10 |
| One package Advo Jell, (same as Jello) - - | .10 |

Regular Price - - - \$2.50

Union Flour is the very highest grade flour sold in North Platte. Every sack fully guaranteed.

Advo Tea is a good grade of sundried Japan tea fully equal to any 60c tea in the market.

Iowa Coffee is the regular 25c grade of the German American Coffee, the fastest selling coffee we ever put on our shelves.

J. M. canned vegetables are much superior to regular standard goods both in flavor and weight of pack.

Advo Jell is a delicious dish for all kinds of fancy desserts.

As we are making this price for advertising purposes only we will only sell the above combination for \$2.00 when the customer presents this ad.

Clip it out and bring it with you it is good for fifty cents.

Wilcox Department Store.

"The Girl of the Golden West"

Next Wednesday evening there will be presented at the Keith Belasco's "Girl of the Golden West," a story which reeks with the atmosphere that Bert Harte first made familiar, a story that was written for Blanche Bates. The play was presented at the Tabor in Denver last Sunday and the Times devoted a quarter of a page to a favorable write-up. The Times says: As given at the Tabor yesterday before the usual Sunday crowd it proved to be one of the most satisfying plays we have had this season, and held the close attention of the mixed assemblage from the first scene until the final curtain.

It was also beautifully played by a company of even and conspicuous merit, and although it was done once before in Denver it was then by no means so well done.

The characters are all possible types of the exciting California days of sixty years ago and to combat the idea that the lawless and reckless throng are unreal, to the present generation.

The story it tells is that of a strong young girl who "came from nowhere," who keeps the Polka saloon in a mining camp in the Sierras, who lives alone, who is beloved by the miners who protect her and whose savings she holds.

Into this saloon enters a stranger, one the girl has once met in Sacramento. He is looked upon with suspicion by the miners, but the "girl" is directly enamored of him. He says he is "Mr. Johnson," but he is really the highwayman the men are looking for. He is left alone with the girl and she tells him in the little keg there she has nearly \$20,000 of gold dust belonging to the boys.

He tells her he wouldn't court danger by trying to protect it, when "the girl," with one foot on the precious keg, says: "Oh, yes, you would—yes, you would—if you seen how hard they got it. When I think of it—I nearly cry. You know—they's something awful pretty in the way the boys hold out before they strike it—awful pretty, in the face of rocks on clay alkali. Oh, Lord, God! what a life it is, anyway! Why they eat dirt—an' they sleep dirt, an' they breathe dirt till their backs are bent, their hands twisted, their souls warped—they're all wind-swept and bear-eyed—and some of them jest lie down in there sweat beside the sluices an' they don't never rise up again. I've seen 'em there.

The romantic road agent visits the girl at her lonely cabin at midnight, by her invitation, but she warns him she is "decent" and intends to remain so. A sudden blizzard compels him to remain all night. He is tracked by the posse, is finally discovered by the sheriff, and this violent, interesting and rather overwhelming act ends with a poker game between the maid and the official for the life of the highwayman.

The girl wins, the curtain falls, and then the play moves on to a rather conventional ending.

The company plays it finely. The wise hand of Mr. Belasco is seen in its fitting makeup.

The Presbyterian Aid society will hold their annual meeting at the church Thursday afternoon, March 17th. Ladies holding dime banks or equivalents there—of will please hand to the Secretary before Thursday.

MISS VERA SITTON. Sec'y.

WANTED.

Three hundred cattle to pasture. Have plenty range all under fence, three wells with storage cisterns. See me or write.

W. H. TURPIE, North Platte, Neb.

For Sale.

Span of work horses, wagon, 2 sets work harness, 14 inch plow, 2 section harrow, scow board and 6-foot Standard mower. Inquire of W. E. Smith, 1011 W. 6th St.

Mens' Boys' and Children's Clothing.

1000 Men's Suits.

All the latest up-to-date patterns just arrived.

From \$10.00 Up.

Easter will soon be here and we invite you to come here and examine our stock before you make your purchase.

We are certain to save you from twenty-five to fifty cents on the dollar invested in clothing in our store.



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Cut this out. It is worth 50 cents to you.