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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Mrs. Frank Buchanan visited her mother Mrs. Julia Todd in Hershey this week.

The bakery of the Palace cafe, recently damaged by fire, is being repaired.

Chas. A. Liston, of Wallace, transacted business in town several days this week.

The Davis garage received a car load of new Buick cars Wednesday which are being displayed.

For Trade—Some old lumber for pigs. Inquire at 603 West Eighth.

The Twentieth Century club will meet on Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Buchanan.

E. L. Miller, of Oshkosh, was brought down Wednesday to take treatment at the P. & S. hospital.

For Rent—4 room house on west Eighth street. Inquire of Major Walker.

B. E. Miller, of Oshkosh, who came down to visit his brother who is ill at the P. & S. hospital, left Thursday.

Miles Marcott, of Council Bluffs, who visited his brother Milton Marcott the first of the week, went home yesterday.

Dr. Foote, of Omaha, came up Wednesday to assist Dr. J. S. Twining in surgical work at the Twining hospital.

Do you require a suit made to order? Clabaugh has more samples than all the rest put together; order from us and get it for Easter.

Thirty employees of the Telephone Co. are expected next week from Omaha, to assist in installing the new phones.

Mrs. E. H. C. Woodhurst and W. J. Stuart visited the former's sister Mrs. Clarence Tollisen in Sutherland this week.

All accounts due us must be settled by the 19th of April.

The Lutheran Aid will meet next Thursday afternoon at the parsonage to be entertained by Mesdames Harman, Royer and John Voscepka.

Marriage licenses were granted this week to Axel H. Carlson and Bessie Connelly, of Brady, Bert Crawley and Grace E. Latimer, of Wellfleet and Charles Emanuel and Sarah Russell, of this city.

Charles Callahan, of Julesburg, and Ethel Lawrence, of O'Fallons, were married Tuesday evening by Rev. R. B. Favorit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lawrence.

Henderson Fashion Form Corset. They are sure to please you and guaranteed to give satisfaction.

Don Melton, of Willow precinct, was in town this week and made a homestead entry at the U. S. land office. The big herd of cattle on the Melton ranch have gone through the winter without a single loss.

Twenty per cent discount boys' clothing at Weingard's this week. This discount will enable you to save money on your boy's Easter suit.

Miss Blanche Thornburg will entertain the L. Y. club at a theatre party at the Pat on Wednesday evening, April 10th. Later the guests will adjourn to the home of her sister, Mrs. Joseph Fillion, where they will be entertained at cards.

Clabaugh guarantees a fit, in every suit, or no sale. Two thousand samples to select from.

According to figures compiled for the Nebraska farmers' congress, the farms of Nebraska are operated at a cost of about \$189,180,000 a year. According to the census, the value of a year's crop is in the neighborhood of \$189,668,907, or less than half a million above the cost of production. Meanwhile the corporations of the state, according to reports of the bureau of corporations, are making about forty millions a year above operating expenses.

Fire Record.

The following is the record of fires in North Platte for the year ending April 1st, 1912:

April 21st—J. R. McWilliams, residence, loss \$400.

May 15th—C. H. Meek, residence, loss \$33.

May 18th—Mrs. A. Nichols, barn, loss \$300.

May 23rd—J. W. Ruick, residence, loss \$2000.

May 27th—R. N. Lamb, residence, nominal loss.

June 20th—Prairie fire north of ice houses.

June 20th—U. P. R. R. section house, loss \$500.

July 4th—S. Hollenbeck, residence, loss \$30.

July 5th—U. P. R. R. laundry, loss \$20.

July 26th—H. K. Reese, pantatorium, loss \$300.

August 14th—Robert Dean, residence, loss \$2000.

Nov. 22nd—Geo. O. Trexler, coal shed, loss \$100.

Dec. 13th—O. D. Bunting, barn, loss \$250.

Dec. 24th—C. F. Iddings, ware house, loss \$1000.

Dec. 29th—Roy Surber, carpenter shop, loss \$700.

Jan. 5th—James Shaffer, residence, nominal loss.

Jan. 27th—R. J. Starkey, rooming house, loss \$625.

Jan. 31st—Mrs. McClanahan, boarding house, loss \$1800.

Feb. 4th—Charley Bowen, barn, loss \$3500.

March 8th—U. P. car shop, loss \$200.

March 21st—D. B. Loudon, residence, loss \$160.

March 23rd—Palace cafe restaurant, loss \$875.

After you have looked over this list of fires, don't you think the fire boys are entitled to your patronage at the Easter dance Monday evening, April 8th. Dance ticket \$1.00.

Respectfully,
CHARLES SANDALL, Chief.

Cunningham and Drys Defeated.

The city election Tuesday resulted in a sweeping victory for Hershey Welch for water commissioner and a good-sized majority in favor of saloons. These two formed the real contests in the election, and in both cases caused some surprise, the majorities in each being larger than was anticipated. Welch's vote was 608 and Cunningham's 286, a majority of 322 from the former. The vote on license was 581 for and 351 against, a majority of 230 in favor of saloons. The smallness of the Cunningham vote was not due to his lack of qualifications nor popularity, but rather that the voters desired to destroy the last echo of the waterworks fight which for several years had caused considerable turmoil. It was a case of letting "the tail go with the hide" and beginning with a clean slate. By wards the vote was:

First—Welch 153, Cunningham 102, wet 175, dry 88.

Second—Welch 118, Cunningham 44, wet 81, dry 88.

Third—Welch 146, Cunningham 104, wet 149, dry 104.

Fourth—Welch 191, Cunningham 86, wet 176, dry 71.

For councilman John Fraizer was elected in the First, C. F. Tracy in the Second, A. B. Hoagland in the Third and Dick Owens in the Fourth.

For members of the board of education Dr. N. McCabe and O. E. Elder were elected for the three year term, Edgar Schiller for two years, and Neil Rasmussen for one year.

Politics did not enter into any of the contests to any extent. Some of the victors are democrats and the remainder republicans.

Lutheran's Easter Day.

Regular morning service at 10 o'clock. The Lord's supper will be celebrated. The special Easter music by the choir, Anthem "Lift Up Your Voices," Duet Mrs. Huffman and Irma Huffman. The offering for benevolence.

The service by the Sunday school at 12 o'clock, "Life Triumphant." A service of recitations and songs by the classes and the school. The orchestra will assist in the service.

Easter service eight o'clock in the evening. The special music by the choir is as follows: "Ye Choirs of New Jerusalem," Solos Will Votaw and Andrew Yost and the choir, Duet Mrs. Huffman and Irma Huffman, Anthem "Golden Trumpets," Soprano Solo Irma Huffman and choir, Solo "Jerusalem Awaken" Miss Richard, Anthem "I Am the Resurrection" Solos Miss Minshall, Miss Richard and Mr. Moore and the choir, Duet Miss Diener and Mr. Moore.

Our Easter Prayer the choir, Anthem "Lift Up Your Voices," Solo Mr. Yost and the choir. The choir will have the usual parts in singing Easter hymns and the Vesper services.

Firemen's Ball Monday Evening.

The twenty-fifth annual ball of the North Platte fire department will be held at the Lloyd next Monday evening, and lovers of the dance are looking forward to the event with anticipations of a very pleasant evening. This annual event of the department is always nicely conducted. The net proceeds are devoted to the good of the department, and every property owner should show an interest in the welfare of the boys by investing in a ticket.

Lard Prices Reduced.

For the next ten days we will sell the best home rendered lard in any quantity at ten cents per pound.

MARTI'S MEAT MARKET.

The wedding of Miss Hazel Ruth Neu and Prof. H. R. Smith, of Minneapolis, Minn., was quietly solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Neu, near Kilmer, thirty-five miles north east of this city. Miss Neu is one of the most popular young women of this section. Mr. Smith was for several years professor of animal husbandry, at the University of Nebraska and now occupies a similar position in the University of Minnesota. He is well known as an author and teacher and recognized as one of the leading authorities on live stock. The couple left for Manhattan, Kansas, to be the guests of President and Mrs. Waters and from there will visit the universities of Missouri, Illinois, Indiana, and Wisconsin and will reach Minneapolis about April 15th. Mr. Smith is a cousin of W. W. Burr, of the experimental station.

John Veach, of Sutherland, transacted business in town early in the week.

Ladies' Skirts

A splendid collection of distinctive Skirts awaits you. Perhaps it would be of interest to know that we put the same care into the selection of our separate skirts that we give to our finest suits or coats, perhaps a little more, for separate skirts that are really worthy are not easy to find. These skirts fill all our requirements—which are your requirements—perfectly. There is cloth quality in them—fabrics of high grade that hold their shape and looks through long service. There is style quality—the up-to-date ideas of the best makers are embodied in them. The prices you will find most satisfactory.

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President.

W. H. McDONALD,
Cashier and Vice-Prest.

M. J. O'Connor went up the branch Wednesday on business matters.

L. E. Coy, of Paxton, is a business caller in the city this week.

C. A. Liston, E. R. Ferrell and J. A. Burge, of Wallace, are transacting business here.



Use your Directory

Did it ever happen that you didn't look in the directory before you called a number, and the wrong bell was rung and an innocent subscriber disturbed?

When the wrong party answered, probably you said "Central, probably you said 'Central gave me the wrong number.'" Of course she did. If you call the wrong number, why shouldn't you get it?

Another time, perhaps, you thought you remembered and you called the wrong number.

Probably the next moment the right number came to mind. You quickly signalled "Central" and asked for the correct number.

Meanwhile the party of the number you first called answered when his bell rang. He got no reply: You were to blame.

Won't you, in the interest of better service to yourself and others, look in the Directory and be sure you have the right number before you make a call?

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TOPSY HOSE.

One of the most satisfactory hose on the market today. Why? because they give perfect satisfaction. The quality cannot be surpassed. For price there is no competition. The Topsy brand on each and every pair.

Ladies', Misses and Children's Underwear.

All the new and wanted things in Muslin Underwear. Princess Slips made up with neat substantial embroidery flouncings also the pretty lace effects; corresponding trimmings at neck and sleeves. Combination suits in all the different grades. Made of the best materials, daintily trimmed with lace and embroidery, at popular prices. Corset covers and gowns made up pretty yet substantial. Look over our line before purchasing.

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