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Office over the McDonald State Bank.

Local and Personal.

Mrs. Hoxie left yesterday afternoon for Ogalalla to spend a few days.

Mrs. Hattie Herstead, of Paxton, is visiting with local friends this week.

Mrs. D. W. Besack entertained the Methodist Aid Society yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Barnell will entertain the Baptist Aid Society this afternoon.

W. R. Mathewson, of Council Bluffs, visited L. I. Tucker the first of this week.

Emil Ericson returned Wednesday from a short visit in Chappell with relatives.

Misses Ida and Genevieve Ottenstein will entertain the Catholic Girls Club this week.

Edward Ogier went to Omaha yesterday to combine business and pleasure for a week.

Mrs. E. M. Hogg, of Paxton, came down a few days ago to visit her mother Mrs. Craigie.

Lost—Sigma Nu Fraternity Pin. \$5.00 reward for its return to Electric Light office.

George Zentmeyer left Wednesday evening for Omaha to visit his mother for two weeks.

O. M. Gummell, of Paxton, who spent the first of, this week in town returned home yesterday.

Isaac LeDoyt is expected today from Grand Island to visit Mr. and Mrs. LeDoyt for a week.

Mrs. Jack Palmer left the first of this week for Lexington to spend two weeks with her mother.

Mrs. Edward Peters returned Wednesday from Wallace, where she had been visiting her parents.

Ray Welborn will leave this evening for Denver and other Colorado points to spend a week with friends.

Philip Lippert, of Hastings, is spending a few days with his cousins the Messrs. Lee and Carl Simon.

D. E. McDonald, of district No. 3, transacted business at the county superintendent's office yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yost went to Birdwood yesterday morning to visit Mr. and Mrs. George Scharman.

Mrs. Charles Burroughs returned from Omaha the fore part of this week after a pleasant visit with relatives.

Guy Fear, of Wallace, who had been taking treatment at the P. & S. hospital for some time was discharged Wednesday and returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allen are enjoying a visit from the latter's father, Mr. C. A. Rosch, of Gothenburg who came Tuesday.

Mrs. Luther Tucker and son Charles will return tomorrow from Ogalalla, where they have been visiting relatives for two weeks.

F. H. Reynolds, of Colfax, Ia., arrived the first of the week to visit Mrs. Elizabeth Young and daughters for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Lierk and family returned yesterday morning from Brady where they were called by the death of the former's mother Mrs. Olsen.

Miss Mayme Doyle, who had been visiting in Schuyler for several weeks, returned Tuesday and will spend the winter with Mr. and Mrs. James Guyman.

Henry Freis, of Hershey, was in the city Wednesday and while here purchased a Model 31 Buick touring car of the J. S. Davis Auto Co. He piloted the new car home the same evening.

Stoves! Stoves! they are going fast and winter is coming. We still have all kinds and sizes at prices that are right.

RAILROAD NOTES AND PERSONALS

Frank Melick, of Idaho Springs, arrived here Tuesday to accept a position at the Union Pacific hotel.

At a meeting of the pension board in Omaha this week Engineers Sanford Hartman and George Baskins were placed on the Pension list.

Charles Felle was injured while at work in the local shops Tuesday. The circular saw with which he was working flew back and struck him in the abdomen.

Tuesday Floyd W. Passmore fell from the top of a car while at work in Julesburg and sustained a broken ankle. He was brought here on the noon train and is getting along nicely.

Material for the new round house is being unloaded this week, and active work on the construction will probably begin next week. We are told the contractor will employ a large force of men in order to push the work to an early completion.

Division Master Mechanic Beery, of Omaha, who spent several days at this terminal this week, has gained fifteen pounds in flesh since leaving North Platte. That can be taken as an indication that his new duties are not worrying him or decreasing his appetite. He threatens to go into rigid training in order to reduce his weight.

The Gering Courier says the Union Pacific yards at that place is the scene of great activity, the grading crews and material being there in full force. One grading outfit unloaded sixty cars, forty dump cars being among the appliances. Between Gering and Mitchell much blasting must be done, and some of the cuts are thirty-five feet deep. The Courier says: "From the amount of preparation going on, we feel convinced that the work will not stop with the Mitchell valley section, but will be pushed on through without serious interruption, and that the long expected cutoff from North Platte to Medicine Bow will be the early results."

Local stockholders of the Little Mary Mine, located at Douglas, Ariz., have received from Andy Struthers, manager of the property, a box of ore from the mines. There are more than a dozen samples, some of which assay as high as \$50,000 per ton in gold. Local men who have had experience in mining pronounce the higher grade samples the richest they have ever seen. The ore is displayed in the Schiller drug store window. There are sixty or seventy of our people who hold stock in this property and they are feeling mighty good over the sample sent them.

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Majestic Fine Wool Blankets large size 70x80 in plain colors delicate colored borders per pair.....\$4.00

Troy Fine Wool Blanket plain colors size 70x80 per pair.....\$5.
California Wool Blankets nice pattern fancy plaids in beautiful colorings per pair.....\$5.
Aurora Mills Fine Wool Blankets fine soft wools assorted colors size 70x80 per pair.....\$6.
Aurora Woolen Mills Princess Blankets made from fine soft wool white and colors extra size 72x84 per pair.....\$10.

Common Bed Comfort shoddy filled.....\$1.
Knotted Comforts Silkolene covered cotton filled.....\$1.50
Knotted Comforts Silkolene covered filled with good grade of cotton.....\$2.
Maish Laminated Cotton Down Comfort fine satteen covered a comfort that gives warmth.....\$3.50
Maish Laminated Cotton Down Comfort fine satteen covered made with border of plain color.....\$5.

Wilcox Department Store.

The new steel bridge which is being built over Moran canyon will be completed early next week. This is the first steel bridge to be built in Lincoln county and Engineer Cary of the Omaha Structural Steel company who is in charge of the work informs Road Commissioner Thoelecke that the set of abutments were the finest in the state. The structure is 60 feet wide with a 16 foot road way with concrete floor and replaces a wooden bridge which had been in service for thirty-five years. The cedar wood used in the old bridge was taken from the canyons southeast of town and after being in use for thirty-five years are in a good state of preservation.

Presbyterian Church.

Rev. J. C. Christie will preach a special sermon next Sunday morning on "Overcoming Difficulties," his evening theme will be, "The Mighty Magnet." The young people's societies at 3:00 and 6:30 p. m. The Presbyterian church welcomes all.

M. E. Church Notes.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11:00 a. m. At this service the pastor will preach the first of a series of sermons on "Immortality." Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Preaching 7:30, Subject "Does it pay to be Good?" Midweek rally each Wednesday evening at 7:30 Choir practice each Friday evening. You are welcome to these services. B. A. CRAM, Pastor.

Farm For Sale.

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