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DR. O. H. CRESSLER,

Graduate Dentist. Office over the McDonald State Bank.

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Local and Personal.

Cash Austin was a Sunday visitor in Kearney. John Young returned Sunday evening

from Salt Lake. C. G. Clark and son of Morefield, are

transacting business in town this week. Mrs. W. Rose, of Maxwell, visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Albert

Maxwell, spent the latter part of last June 4th. week in town.

part of last week.

Mrs. Glen Ferguson returned yesterday morning from Paxton where she was guest of relatives.

All trimmed hats at half price at

Parlor Millinery until June 1st. 35-3 W. J. Tiley returned the latter part of last week from Brady where he

spent several days on business. Miss Ruby Shaner returned Sunday evening from Maxwell where she spent a week with the home folks.

Mrs. Roy Miner of, Cheyenne, who has been visiting her mother Mrs. Margaret Post will leave today for

Mr. and Mrs. Waiter Beam of Lordnear future to visit the latter's mother

Mss. John Weinberger. Frank Pierce, of Keystone, visited friends in town the latter part of last week while enroute home from a visit with relatives in Hastings.

GET A FLAG

For Memorial Day.



BRACKET 3 feet 6 inches Wide by

6 feet long.

Each

MALONEY.

Mr. and Mrs. James Golden are visiting friends in Omaha having left a few

days ago. Earl Davis arrived yesterday from Portland to spend a week or longer on

Mrs. Lister, of Hershey, who visited friends in town last week, left yester-

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Mason left this morning for Ogalalla to visit friends for a few days.

Mrs. Laughlin, of Paxton, who visited Mrs. H. Scott for several days, left yesterday afternoon for home.

listed for sale with Buchanan & Patter- fered mishaps. son find ready sale.

number of young friends at a dancing of Omaha, who has been making this Mr. and Mrs. John Holcombe, of party at her home Wednesday evening, territory for a number of years, leaves

Mrs. Mary Marovish, of Sutherland, William Beattie, Jr., of Brady visited returned home yesterday afternoon his brother Robertin this city the latter after visiting ber daughter, Mrs. A. J. on West Sixth street which he has built

weeks will be released from quarantine ants. Miss La Vaughn Carroll will resign her position at the 10 cent store this

her home with her grand mother. All trimmed hats at half price at

Parlor Millinery until June 1st. 35-3 Mr. and Mrs. Bert Manning, of Holdrege, arrived yesterday afternoon to visit Mr. and Mrs. John Den and attend the socoting tournament this week.

W. H. McDonald, F. C. Pielsticker and F. L. Mooney expect to leave for ville, New Mexico, are expected in the Grand Island tonight to attend the convention of Group Five of the state bankers' association.

Rev. Knowles left Sunday for Fairbury to officiate at the marriage coremony of A. R. Nichols and Miss Laura the funny ward at Bellevue if you Cox of that city. Mr. Nichols was one of the instructors in the Junior Normal last summer and will teach in the Normal the coming season.

Jess Herbert Mayorish and Miss Narcis Stairs, of Oconto, Nebr., were married Saturday evening by County Judge Grant. Mr. Marovish formerly lived here and is now employed as brakeman with headquarters at Ogden.

James Carl Fough the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pough died the the man who related the story, "if I latter part of last week of pneumonia hadn't told him that I was a crank on at the age of one month. The funeral being served quickly."-New York McDonald State Bank, was held Saturday afternoon and the Tribune. remains interred in the North Platte

A moving picture drama illustrating the "war of 1920" between Japan and the United States, and introducing Theodore Roosevelt and Woodrow Wilson as participants, which had been extensively advertised at one of the seattle theaters, was forbidden to be shown after the local board of censors had seen the film. It is to have represented the Japanese in an unfavorable light and the city officials took the view that it would stir up race feeling.

THE MUTUAL BUILDING & LOAN

ASSOCIATION. The assets of this association exceed the sum of half a million dollars. reduction of the rate of interest to bor-rowers has increased the demand for oans; and in order to meet this demand

loans; and in order to meet this demand the association will issue a limited amounted of its PAID UP STOCK.

Money invested in this paid up stock draws six per cent interest, payable semi-annually, and may be withdrawn at any time upon thirty days notice, such notice being waived where there are finals in the treasury to meet the are funds in the treasury to meet the

T. C. PATTERSON, President. SAMUEL GOOZEE, Secretary.

Observe Firmen's Memorial Day.

About thirty members of the city fire department met Sunday forenoon and accompanied by Mayor Evans, Judge Grimes and J. E. Evans proceeded to the cemetery where the grave of each of the seventeen members who have departed life was decorated with flowers. Over the grave of Elmer Anderson, the last member so pass to the beyond, a service was held, short addresses being made by Captain Evans and Judge Grimes. This is a custom that has been observed for a number of years and is to be commended; it is a remembrance of friendship for those who have before, an evidence that they are not forgotten. Following these ceremonies a group picture of the firemen were taken while assembled in front of tee federal building.

A Splendid Meeting.

The union memorial service held at the opera house Sunday evening was attended by an audience that filled the floor of the Keith theatre and old soldiers pronounce it one of the best ever held under their auspices. The sermon by Rev. Mr. Christle was strong, full of patriotism, and appealed strongly to his hearers; his exposition of the cause of the war being particularly clear. A choir from the different churches furnished the music, and pasters of the several congregations assisted in the service. There was a good representation of the old soldiers and of members of the Women's Relief Corps.

The thousands of acres of alfalfa in Lincoln county never presented a finer appearance, fall grain is looking splendid, and though up to yesterday the weather had been too cool for corn we are now promised hot weather and corn will also shoot forward rapidly. The country certainly looks fine, whether you drive up and down the valley or through the hills.

R. N. Lamb recently sold his two story cement block building in the Fourth ward to a Mr. Lindvlad, who was formerly located at Lisco. The consideration was fourteen thousand dollars, Mr. Lamb taking in exchange a tract of land located in Morrill county.

A number of North Platte autoists who were out pleasure riding Sunday afternoon were caught in the rain and suffered all kinds of grief. A half dozen got stuck and had to be pulled out, two Well located vacant residence lots others had collisions, while others suf-

Emil VonBergen, the well known Miss Edith Patterson will entertain a salesman for the Carpenter Paper Co., the early part of next month for s three months' tour in Europe.

B. A. Wilson is completing two houses for renting purposes. Located within Glen Lorimer who has been ill with short distance of the new round house, small pox in Cheyenne for several he will have no trouble in securing ten-

Ray Cummings left the latter part of last week for Mason City to visit relatives. His wife and children who week and lesve for Kansas to make preceded him, will return with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. French returned home yesterday from visits at points in in Michigan and Ohio, after an absence of several months.

Miss Anna Bodie, of Boise, Idaho, visited with her aunt, Mrs. Fred Rincker, yesterday while enroute to eastern points.

Miss Olive Watts returned Saturday afternoon from the Kearney Normal.

Dining Room Cranks,

The waiter became talkutive after he had answered a question and among other things said: "Don't go to want to study cranks. Get a job as waiter. The man who just went out is a steady. He's all right except for coffee and bread. He must have his coffee boiling bot, and he always puts a iump of ice in it. He has always paid for special hot bread. He gets a small loaf, cuts it in two, removes all the crumb part from one half and eats the crust. The other half he leaves untouched. I have a 'regular' who puts sait and pepper on his grapefruit, raising and farming. the crust. The other half he leaves and"- "He could be talking yet," said

Locating the Poles.

Both Peary and Amundsen made allowances in determining the site of the poles. Their position is not perfectly constant, there being a counter lock elliptical movement of some thirty feet and a counter clock circular movement of some twenty-six feet in diameter h a period of 428 days at the extreme axis of the earth. This change, bowever, is so slight as not to be reckoned in practical calculations. Peary and Amundsen made no guesses, but took several observations from various standpoints to determine conclusively that they had reached the poles .-Christian Herald.

A Curious Case,

In 1888 Janos Meryessi, who was eighty-four years old. jumped off the suspension bridge at Budapest into the Danube. He was rescued and then explained that he wished to end his life, as he was becoming too decrepit to support his father and mother. This statement proved to be true, Meryessi's parents being aged 115 and 110 re spectively, and a public subscription was organized to set all three above

PRICES TELL THE STORY AT THE LEADER.

The reason the big Sale at the Leader is growing so popular with people is because the prices tell the story of the greatest bargain giving sale ever held in North Platte. The sale has been a wonderfully satisfactory one from the viewpoint of the buyer; one out-of-town lady remarked Saturday that she was sorry the sale would not last throughout the year, because she was getting goods so much cheaper than before.

But this sale can not last always. When the stock is reduced to the point where Mr. Pizer is satisfied to make the contemplate change, the sale will close and with it the period of sacrificing prices. It is therefore best that you take advantage of the sale as early as possible.

The goods are here, the prices cannot be met by any competitior why not come to this store and share with others the bargains that have made the sale the talk of the city and county.

THE LEADER - J. PIZER

Local and Personal.

Julius Pizer returned Friday evening from Hastings where he visited rela-

There will be a dance in the K. P. hall tomorrow evening. The public in-

Fred Garlow is expected this week from Cody to spend a week or longer on

The M. M. M. Club held a business meeting at the home of Mrs. Ray Shriner Friday afternoon.

Mrs. W. J. Cruzen has returned from Fremont where she attended the W. R. C. convention.

Miss Lillian Ritner returned to Sutherland Saturday after a short visit Mrs. Charles Reynolds has issued in-

vitations to a dancing party to be held at her home Friday evening. Mrs. George Voseipka entertained a number of ladies Friday afternoon in honor of her mother Mrs. J. R. Mc-

Williams. Dainty refreshments were Complimentary to her sister, Mrs. Baker of Detroit, Mrs. Geo. T. Field entertained a dozen ladies at bridge

Friday afternoon. An elaborate lunch followed the games. Sheriff Salisbury, who made a trip to the south part of the county the latter part of last week, says fall grain and alfalfa is wildly luxuriant and and the

farmers are in gleeful spirits. Edward Luscher and Miss Jennie Ellis were married at the court house Saturday morning by County Judge Grant. They will begin housekeeping over the Doolittle Bakery.

R. E. Peterjohn, who lives north of the river directly north of Hershey, transacted business in town Satur-

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

of North Platte, Neb., Charter No. 647 incorporated, in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business May 20th, 1918. RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts .. Overdrafts
Bonds, securities, judgments, claims, etc.
Banking house, furniture and fixtures
Due from natn'i, and
state banks
Checks and items of exchange
Currency
Gold coin
Silver, nickels and cents 15,500.00 15,000.00 Silver, nickels and cents. 5,606.62. 115,782,43

LIABILITIES Capital stock paid in. Surplus fund Undivided profits net Individual deposits sub-ject to check Demand certificates of 14,319,67 177,542,46 deposit Time certificates of deposit
Certified checks.
Due to nata'l and state
banks 16,332,86 331,558,57 Depositors' guarantee

3,320,41

\$416,696,95

State of Nebraska, County of Lincoln, ss.
I. W. H. McDonald, Cashler of the above named bank, do hereby swear that the above statement is a correct and true copy of the report made to the State Banking Board.
W. H. McDonald, Cashler.
Attest: Chas. McDonald, Director,
J. B. McDonald, Director,
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of May, 1913.
BUTLER BUCHANAN, Notary Public,

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at our lamps, speedometers. oilers, horns, batteries, tools, tires, etc., knows that they are the kind he wants. He recognizes the fact that the worthless and untried have no place here, Come and see if our exhibit will not remind you of something you need.

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