

## Plight Your Troth In a Fine Diamond.

Nothing can take the place of a diamond when it comes to plighting a troth.

You can never regret the taste and expenditure invested in this fitting seal of your engagement.

To satisfy yourself and the person most directly interested in the matter that the diamonds are above question, buy them of a dealer who is known for his fairness and right methods.

Our business is handled in the same confidential manner you expect of your banker.

**DIXON, The Jeweler.**

### Local and Personal

Rev. H. G. Knowles has returned from Lincoln, where he spent the greater part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parton, who were married last week in Hastings, returned here Friday evening.

L. W. Walker, who had been transacting business in Omaha, returned home Friday morning.

Mrs. Andrew Scharmann and children left Friday evening for Grand Island to visit relatives for a week.

James Craig, of Brady, spent several days in town last week. He is enroute to Idaho to spend several weeks.

Mrs. W. A. Buchfinck, who has been visiting in Grand Island with her parents, is expected home this week.

Mrs. William Stegall went up the branch road Saturday morning to visit Mr. Stegall, who is employed on that road.

Attorney J. G. Beeler returned a few days ago from a business visit in Lincoln and other towns of eastern Nebraska.

Harry Lowell left Sunday night for Denver to visit relatives after which he will go to Chicago to take a law course.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Huffman, of Omaha, came Saturday morning to visit the former's brother G. S. Huffman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lincoln returned the latter part of last week from their honeymoon trip in western cities of interest.

Mrs. Emma Maloney and son, of Kearney, who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Maloney, Sr., last week, left Friday evening.

Ralph Alden left yesterday morning for Lincoln to enter the state university as a freshman. Vic Halligan returned to the same institution Sunday.

The B. P. O. Elks will give the initial dancing party for the coming season Friday evening of this week. Refreshments will be served during the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Donaldson are enjoying a visit from the former's mother, who came Saturday evening from Farnam to spend a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Guillaume who were married last week returned Saturday evening from their trip to Denver and will take up their residence on east 3rd street.

Mrs. Thomas Duke has returned from Lincoln, where she was in charge of the Spirilla corset booth. While there she was appointed district manager for the Spirilla company.

The case of Edward Dorey vs George Lewis which was continued last week, came up again Thursday in Justice Sullivan's court and was continued again until Sept. 22nd on account of the absence of one of the attorneys.

In his testimony before the arbitration committee in New York, A. B. Garretson, representing the O. R. C., testified that a railroad employe is killed in the United States every hour and seven minutes of the day, and that every nine minutes one is maimed.

It is estimated that least fifteen hundred bushels of sweet clover seed will be shipped out of Lincoln county this fall and winter. Thos. Orton of this city, figures on six or seven hundred bushels, and Leyoldt & Wickstrom will have from eight hundred to a thousand bushels. The price on car at North Platte is \$9.00 per bushel.

Wednesday and Thursday Sept. 17th and 18th, will be another beautiful display of Fisk's Pattern and Tailored hats at the Parlor Millinery. These hats will be on display only on the date mentioned.

There was a steady increase in the scale of wages paid to labor in this country in the last six years, and this was accomplished in the face of a steady reduction in the working hours of labor. Statistics published by the Department of Labor indicate that labor now is receiving more remuneration for fewer hours of toil than ever before. The figures are based on comparisons of union wage scale agreements, trade union reports and working compacts in central cities throughout the United States from 1907 to 1912.

## North Platte on National Highway.

Announcement is made by the Lincoln Highway Association, of Detroit, Michigan, of the selection of a route for a continuous connecting highway between the Atlantic and Pacific oceans to be known as The Lincoln Highway. Starting in New York City the highway passes through Jersey City, Newark and Trenton to Philadelphia, then west to Pittsburgh, through the north central section of Ohio, over to Fort Wayne and South Bend, skirts Chicago, enters Joliet, Rochelle, Sterling and other Illinois cities, reaches Iowa at Clinton and leaves at Council Bluffs. Passes through Omaha and North, Platte goes to Denver and north to Cheyenne, west through Green River and Evanston to Salt Lake City, finds its way into Nevada by way of Tippet's ranch and after reaching Reno, goes to Lake Tahoe, California, finally ending on the Pacific seaboard at Oakland and San Francisco.

This is not intended simply as a highway for automobile travel, but is to be an improved roadway, either of cement or material equally suitable and durable; and the purpose is not simply to create a highway for the convenience of travelers, but to build a truly memorial to the immortal president, Abraham Lincoln.

### Will Increase Plant Capacity.

The North Platte Electric Co. has placed an order for one 400-kilowatt engine and generator, direct-connected, to be installed not later than November 15th, in order to handle the increasing load that has been put upon the plant by the steady growth of the town and the new contract made with the railroad company for power and light service at the new round house and coal chutes. This engine and generator more than doubles the present capacity of the plant and will insure adequate service during the coming winter, and at the same time amply providing for reserve power to meet the increasing business which will naturally come with the growth of the city during the next two or three years.

R. L. Douglas went to Grand Island last evening to sell a car of stock.

Mrs. Fred Thompson and son returned yesterday afternoon from Cheyenne.

Messrs. F. W. Herringhausen and D. B. White left yesterday afternoon for Gothenburg on business.

Captain Davies, of the Kearney foot ball team, spent Sunday in town while enroute home from Sidney.

Mrs. A. S. Coates will entertain the Club Nevada this afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. Pulver.

Mrs. John Kenney, of Maxwell, will arrive today to spend a week with her sister, Mrs. Maurice Guillaume.

Miss Dorothy Hubbard gave a dinner party Saturday evening for Miss Elva Day. Covers were laid for twelve.

Mrs. John B. Murphy went to Creston, Ia., yesterday morning to visit relatives for a couple of weeks.

Miss Nellie Birkenshaw, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boyd in Blair for some time, is reported to be very ill with quinsy.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Howard and family who spent six weeks in Yesler and Seattle, Wash., returned home Saturday evening.

Mrs. Harry Murrin and children returned Saturday evening from an extended visit with relatives in Cheyenne and Lander, Wyo.

DeWitt Foster, who attended the local schools last year, spent the week end with town friends, while enroute to Kearney from Sidney.

Mrs. L. E. Butler and daughter Miss Amanda formerly of this city arrived here the last of last week to visit friends while enroute to Chicago.

Grandma Newbolt, who had been making her home with her daughter Mrs. Butler Buchanan, left Friday for an extended visit with relatives in Mt. Pleasant, Ia.

A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Levi Bellamy of west A street and died yesterday. The funeral will be held this afternoon at three o'clock from the Baptist church.

**FALL**

FALL STYLES—more beautiful than any previous season—are now on display in lavish assortments.

Jaunty new styles are shown in any wanted shade or style and at almost any price you want to pay. The display assures you of all that is new in wearing apparel. The styles are the newest ideas from the world's greatest centers.

## The Suits for Fall are Unusually Attractive

Our assortments of the season's prevailing styles have never been so complete.



The fall models in ladies' tailored suits comprise a wide variety of beautiful patterns, a distinction of high grade tailoring and unusual price advantages. Every possible opportunity for the betterment of every garment has been carefully observed by the manufacturer.

Ladies' Suits made from Cheviots, Serges and other stylish materials well lined—  
**\$13.50, \$15. and \$18.**

Ladies' Suits made in all the new cloths and colors, strictly man tailored—  
**\$20. and \$25.**

Ladies' Suits made from finer materials showing all the new and clever touches used on the highest priced garments—  
**\$30., \$35., \$45.**

## Newest Styles for Fall in Ladies' Coats

If you appreciate unusual style qualities this is your opportunity

The new fall styles in ladies' coats will meet with the approval of the most exacting dressers. Particular attention has been directed to make these garments excel in workmanship and design. The material and colorings reflect critical judgment in selection.

Ladies' Coats in a great variety of new and novel effects made from good cloth giving service as well as style—  
**\$6.50, \$10. and \$12.**

Ladies' Coats made in the newest styles in Chinchillas, Boucles, wool, Mattassee and imitation Fur cloths—  
**\$15. \$16.50 and \$18.**

Ladies' Coats in endless variety of cloths and styles made by the best coat makers in America—  
**\$20-25-30-35 to \$45**



## Furs

Furs purchased now may be stored free of charge until later in the season.

### The First Showing of Fine Furniture

Women will appreciate our facilities for securing so many styles that will be received with the greatest favor. Evidence of the skill of the furrier will be found in every one of these productions.

### OUR STANDARD OF FUR QUALITY

demand the use of only the highest grade of materials, and is an absolute guarantee of perfect satisfaction.

- Ladies' Sets Muff and Scarf, blue or gray goat, a good serviceable cheap fur, per set **\$5**
- Fancy Sets in many new and novel furs—  
**\$25 to \$35**
- Black Sney Sets good sized Muffs and Scarfs, new shapes—  
**\$7, \$8 and \$10**
- Opossum and Fox Sets, good quality and full sized, prices—  
**\$20 to \$30**
- Marmot Sets, one of the good wearing, medium priced furs—  
**\$15 to \$25**
- Children's sets, both white and colored Furs, new and very pretty styles—  
**\$2.50 to \$8**
- Jap Mink Sets, a large variety, priced up to **\$50**
- Misses Sets white and many new colors, some very handsome sets—  
**\$10 to \$20**

## Knit Goods

### This display of Knit Goods will bring much pleasure to every one

Sweater Coats and Novelty Knit Goods for Fall wear

High class Knit Coats, carefully knitted and rightly fashioned, featuring quality and style that will adequately meet the demand for every use. We offer a remarkable selection in knitted Wear—all knit to fit.

- Girls and Boys Sweaters well made for the price—  
**50c to \$1.00**
- Misses double breasted effect, fancy stitch all wool coat with high collar and two pockets—  
**\$1.50**
- Children's Sweaters, fancy knit from fine yarns, stylish collars, neat, good wearing garments  
**\$1.00**
- Ladies' Sweater Coat fancy stitch, high-roll collar and two pockets—  
**\$1.50**
- Child's new semi-shawl collar Coat of highest grade worsted plain stitched with pockets sorted colors—  
**\$1.50**
- Ladies' Coat, fancy stitch, belted style, finer yarn, high roll collar, two pockets—  
**\$2.50**
- Child's Coat, tunic and leggings, sizes 24 and 26, assorted colors, complete set—  
**\$2.50**
- All wool Norfolk Coat with semi-belted back. Has shawl collar and pockets. One of the best numbers offered at a popular price—  
**\$3.00**

## Wilcox Department Store

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