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**Local and Personal**

Mr. and Mrs. Phelps, of Wallace, are the guests of town friends this week.  
Miss Rasmussen, of Elm Creek, is visiting her sister Mrs. James Kennedy this week.  
Miss Florence Iddings left last evening for Pennsylvania where she will resume her studies.  
John Muirhead who has been seriously ill at his home south of town is reported to be greatly improved.  
Miss Glema Shoup, of Sutherland, came down yesterday morning to visit friends during County Fair week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cottrell are enjoying a visit from the former's parents who came from Lead, S. D., yesterday morning.  
Mrs. H. S. White left the first of this week for cities of Wisconsin and Illinois where she will spend several weeks.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Tucker and baby returned Wednesday evening from an extended visit in Beatrice and Omaha with relatives.  
John Corbett and daughter Ella, of Wallace, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Hanifin this week and attending the County Fair.  
Gottlieb Weisel, who lives in Illinois, has been in town for a few days on business pertaining to the real estate he owns in this county. Mr. Weisel comes here once a year.  
Mrs. W. J. Landgraf and Mrs. P. H. Lonergan who were called to Callaway the first of this week by the death of their grandmother, are expected to return today.

**Boars For Sale.**

Pure bred Duroc-Jersey boars at \$20.00 each. This price holds until September 21.  
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**CRYSTAL THEATRE**

**Friday, Sept. 19th.**

"Soldiers Three": Bison two-reel, "It Happened at the Beach": Powers comedy.

**Saturday, Sept. 20th.**

"The Retribution of Ysobel": frontier western.  
"A Modern Witness": Victor.  
"Knights Templar Conclave." This is a special taken from the recent conclave at Denver.

**Attendance in Ward Schools.**

Enrollment in the Lincoln school at the first of this week was three hundred and four and new enrollments are being made daily. If the present increase continues it will be necessary to employ an extra teacher. The enrollment in the different rooms is as follows:

1st grade Miss McVey, 42; 2d grade Miss Blake, 43; 3d grade Miss Manuel, 46; 4th grade Miss Hartman, 46; 5th grade Miss McElliney, 47; 6th grade Miss Doran, 48; 7th grade Miss Crandall, 33; 8th grade Miss Smith principal, 40.

In the Washington school the following attendance is given:

1st grade Miss Daniel, 45; 2d grade Miss Whelpley, 41; 3d grade Miss Warrington, 47; 4th grade Miss Auble, 42; 5th grade Mrs. Garman, 47; 6th grade Miss Hunter, 43; 7th grade Miss Brittain, 43; 8th grade Miss Murray, principal, 47; total 353.

The enrollment in the Jefferson building is as follows:

1st grade Miss Hanks, 56; 2d grade Miss Hansen, 40; 3rd grade Miss Flynn, 45; 4th grade Miss Rhea, 45; 5th grade Miss Anderson, 45; 6th grade Miss Workman, 42; 7th grade Miss Watts, 42; total 313.

The total enrollment of the ward schools is nine hundred and seventy-three and daily increasing. For the first time since the opening of school last week every pupil has a teacher and a desk.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer, of Wallace, are spending this week with friends in town.

County Attorney Gibbs has returned from a ten days' vacation spent at Denver and Colorado Springs.

Frank J. Doran who has been ill at his home on west 5th street for several days is reported to be improving.

Mrs. Baker, of Ely, Nevada, who had been visiting her uncle John Ottenstein for several days left Wednesday morning.

We thus extend our sincere thanks to friends and neighbors for the kindness shown and assistance given during the illness and at the funeral of the late James Frazier. THE FAMILY.

State Auditor W. B. Howard has been in town for a day or two, coming here on business connected with his ranch northwest of town. He visited the fair and pronounced the exhibits fine.

W. A. Elkins and Miss Jessie B. McCoy, both residing near Braden, in McPherson county, came to town yesterday morning and later in the day were united in marriage.

John Allen and Miss Chloe Burman, both of Brady, were made one by Judge Grant yesterday, as were also N. K. Graham and Miss Norma Orbin, both of whom gave Marquet as their residence.

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**Brodbeck Shot Through the Arm.**

Karl Brodbeck, who does the killing for the Brodbeck & Son meat market, was accidentally shot through the right forearm Wednesday evening by his nephew Harry Brodbeck. The two men had gone to the slaughter house to kill several beaves. An unruly Texas animal had been driven in the killing chute, and Harry armed with a 44-calibre gun stood on top of the chute with his legs straddled and his feet resting on the 2x4 cross-piece. The animal became very restless and his constant motion precluded an opportunity to shoot. Wishing to take advantage of the first chance, Harry had drawn back the hammer and then the animal made a charge, pinning Harry's leg against the chute. This unbalanced him and in attempting to save himself the gun was discharged. Karl was standing on the ground near Harry, and the bullet passed through his right arm and plowed a shallow furrow downward along the hip, making a bad flesh wound. In passing through the arm, the bullet splintered the under part of the bone, but it is believed the arm will not be permanently effected.

Dr. Dent was summoned and rendered the necessary medical aid. Harry Brodbeck feels badly over the accident, but it was through no fault of his that it occurred.

**Christian Church Improvements.**

The past few months have seen some splendid improvements under headway at the Christian church of this city. In early spring the church decided to erect a new parsonage, and purchased lots in the Cody addition where they moved the old house. A new, modern seven room house was erected at a cost of some \$2300. It has been occupied by the pastor and family since May the 30th. Upon completion of the parsonage the church entered at once into an active campaign for enlarging and improving the church building. Plans were made and accepted for the enlarging of the church. The work includes a full basement under the entire building, giving a room 38 by 64 feet in size. A furnace is being installed. A modern kitchen has been provided for. The kitchen equipment includes a splendid hot range of the well known Born made. The range was purchased through Howe & Maloney, and is O. K. in every respect.

Other kitchen equipment is that of cabinets, bins, tables, and all necessary articles. The whole room is finished up in white enamel.

The upstairs of the church will seat better than 500 people with the enlargement. The people are planning a revival meeting to start Sept. 28th, with the Whistons as evangelists. These people have been very successful in their work wherever they have gone and a good meeting is looked forward to. The night school work in the church basement is a splendid feature. The plans include a class for the Greeks and a manual training department. Work is nearing a completion now, and all will be in splendid shape in the near future.

A meeting of all singers has been called for Friday night of this week. The orchestra will meet with the choir. You are urged to be present. There is a rousing bible school service each Sunday at 10 a. m. There were 201 present last Sunday a. m. The orchestra will play at 9:45. Come and enjoy the services with us.

**Mexican Uses Knife.**

"Red" Clark, a butcher by vocation, was slashed on the right side of the face Wednesday evening by a knife in the hands of a Mexican. The Mexican and a companion had kicked Clark's dog, and the latter remonstrated; the Mexicans responded by again kicking the animal, and then Clark slapped one of the men, whereupon the other drew a knife and made a couple thrusts at Clark, one of them cutting a gash in face, not deep, however. Clark then waded in and knocked both greasers in the gutter, and they were later arrested and taken to jail.

Elegant residence lots from \$150 to \$300 on Third, Fourth and Fifth streets. These are choice bargains.  
O. H. Thoelecke.

**Baptist Church Notes.**

The Lincoln county Sunday school convention will be held in the Baptist church Saturday and Sunday. While the convention program does not provide for a Sunday morning or a Sunday evening session, the pastor has invited the state workers Mr. Kimberly and Miss Brown to occupy the pulpit morning and evening. This invitation has been accepted, so some important phases of Sunday school will be presented both morning and evening. An invitation is extended to all who are not worshipping elsewhere to join with us in these services.

The Sunday school and Young People will hold their sessions at the regular times. We invite all the delegates who so desire to join with us in these services. The Ladies Aid Society will meet in the basement of the church Friday afternoon. Mrs. Ralph Tyler will be hostess for the afternoon.

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**Doings of the City Fathers.**

By an unanimous vote Tuesday evening the city council adopted a resolution introduced by Councilman Hoagland making it optional with those who have put in water metres whether they pay a flat rate for the water used during July, August and September, or whether they pay for the metre measurement. In view of the fact that less than half the consumers have installed metres, it is only fair that those who have placed metres be given this option, for it is generally conceded that the flat rate consumer has used more water than has the metre consumer; the former has wasted water while the latter has conserved it.

An ordinance creating sewer lateral G, which is composed of four blocks in Miller's addition was passed, under a suspension of the rules.

The ordinance granting a twenty-five year electric light franchise to Frank T. Hadley, and one for a gas plant for similar period, was read by the clerk and will come up for action at a future meeting of the council.

The committee to which had been referred the petition asking that picture shows be allowed to operate on Sunday, reported adversely, and the report was adopted with only one dissenting vote. This kills the proposition unless those favoring such a move petition for an election under the initiative law. The street commissioner was ordered to have the First ward hose house moved to the city lot on Front street, where it will be used as a store house for city property. The other two hose houses will be sold.

**Lutheran Church.**

Services next Sunday in the morning at 10:30 and evening at 8 o'clock. Morning theme: "God's Jewels," and evening theme: "An Ever Increasing Faith in Him." Special music at each service. The attendance at the first two evenings of the fall services have been gratifying, may ever increase.

The woman will hold their annual chicken and waffle Nov. 18th at the Masonic hall.

**Caught a Bad Cold.**

"Last winter my son caught a very bad cold and the way he coughed was something dreadful," writes Mrs. Sarah E. Duncan, of Tipton, Iowa. "We thought sure he was going into consumption. We bought just one bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and that one bottle stopped his cough and cured his cold completely." For sale by all dealers.

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Miss Marjory Cross left a few days ago for Kearney, where she will attend the normal.  
Paul Wilson, of Paxton, came down a few days ago to visit Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wilson for a week.

**Despondency.**  
Is often caused by indigestion and constipation, and quickly disappears when Chamberlain's Tablets are taken. For sale by all dealers.

**Presbyterian Church.**  
Sunday School at 10 a. m., Butler Buchanan, Supt. Morning theme: "God buries the workers but carries on the work." Evening theme: "The Mighty Magnet." Men's bible class with pastor. Midweek service Wednesday evening.

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Nice six room cottage 721 West Seventh street, handy to new round house. Modern except heat. Price 2,200.

Extra nice 4 room cottage on West Tenth street, in the 600 block. Price \$1,750.

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