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A MAN'S CHRISTMAS GIFT

Will Be Most Appreciated When it is Something He Can Put to Everyday Use.



Ask him who he wants for Christmas and nine times out of ten he will answer: "Something to wear."

If you really want to give him the thing he will appreciate most, come here, where men would buy for themselves.

THIS LIST WILL MAKE CHOOSING EASY AND YOU CAN BE SURE YOUR GIFT WILL BE SPECIALLY APPRECIATED:

Collegian Suit or Overcoat for Men or Young Men.

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Steele Fibre Suit or Overcoat For the Boys.

We suggest an early selection. You may leave your purchase here if you wish and it will be delivered when and where you want it.



The Quality Place **C. O. Weingand,** North Platte, Neb.

Meeting Held to Settle Difficulties

The North Platte volunteer fire department met last night in the rooms over the Hinman garage for a meeting to unite the three companies. The organization was consummated some time ago, but some of the men from the different companies were not satisfied and the meeting last night was to settle what difficulties that had arisen. The chief difficulty was the new constitution and by laws which were made over by combining those of the three former organizations. A number of the men wanted them drafted over by a committee to be appointed but when put to a vote, the new revised constitution and by-laws were sustained by a vote of 13 to 12. After this the men got to work on plans for the work as it will now be carried on by the re-organized department. The old officers of the former companies were done away with under the new rules and only a chief is to be elected. The term of Chief Bowman does not expire until April, 1915 and he will be in charge until then. Only one other officer a captain in command is needed under the rules and he is to be appointed by the Chief. The chief appointed S. F. Russell, formerly of the Hook and Ladder company, as captain. He will have charge of the fires in case of the absence of the chief. The new organization will have only twenty-five members, according to the new rules, but all members who have served some time will be left in until their time expires at which time they will be dropped. The former companies were allowed thirty-two members each, and at present there are about seventy-five members. A short time ago, one of the old organizations held a special meeting and took in several new members. These were not allowed to come into the company as there is already an overflow, according to the constitution, and the meeting was also declared illegal on account of being held without the knowledge of the chief and without a written request by the required five members. At the close of the meeting, Chief Bowman gave a little talk regarding the new companies and the duties of the firemen, stating that hereafter, no man would be assigned to a special duty at a fire; but that all would be expected to do whatever was needed. He stated that he wanted all the men to go to work without any hard feeling and conduct themselves as protectors and put aside any "horse play" or petty personal enmity. The meeting adjourned and all were apparently satisfied.

Co. Supt. Chappell is on the sick list this week.

A Glorious Rain.

This has been a glorious week for western Nebraska, for following a fall that had been very dry, we are having much needed precipitation. The early part of the week was foggy and cloudy then rain began descending gently at intervals, with the result that up to seven o'clock this morning the total had reached one and sixty-five one-hundredth inches. Wheat and rye fields and lawns now show up as green as in May—the rain has proven a wonderful benefit to small grain. And more it has put an end to the dust on the roads which had become several inches deep. In the west part of the state the precipitation assumed the form of snow, and around Sidney there has been a fall of about a foot.

Hospital Reorganize.

The articles of incorporation for the North Platte general hospital have been filed for publication and the organization is now complete. It was formerly the St. Luke's hospital but was re-organized on October 13. Drs. D. T. Quigley, J. S. Twinn and Geo. B. Dent are the incorporators and the capital stock is \$2,000. Dr. D. T. Quigley is president of the hospital and Dr. Dent, secretary.

New School Building at Stapleton.

Stapleton is to have a new \$10,000 public school building. The contract was let December 2nd to Pedge & Lough, of Stapleton, who were the lowest of the six bidders. Mr. Isbell was next highest. The school building, as planned, is an eight-room building with a basement. However, only the four rooms on the ground floor will be finished at present, and the basement and upper story will be finished up later. When finished it will cost about \$20,000.

Architect Bert Reynolds of this city furnished the plans and estimated the cost for the work as it will be done now at \$10,000. The bid was \$9,130.

E. Busler, who has operated the North Platte Sanitary Dairy for some time, has sold out to C. O. Troy and J. F. Clark, two young men of this city. The dairy was organized by Mr. Busler and is equipped with every modern convenience. The young men are both experienced and will undoubtedly build up a good business.

The case of Lew Williaus vs the McDonald state bank et al was called this morning at 10 o'clock in the county court. The case is a garnishment against Edward A. Miner.

The civil case of Hugh Grant vs Geo. Smith was set for hearing this morning at 11 o'clock before Judge Grant. Grant and Smith were formerly in partnership.

Mrs. Geo. McComber was able to return to her home yesterday after a serious illness and operation in a local hospital.

Elected President of Clerks' Association

At the meeting of the county clerks' association of Nebraska at Omaha this week Will Yost, clerk of this county, was elected president of the association. For two years Mr. Yost had been clerk of the association and as a recognition of his "life wire" disposition and his capabilities, further honor was bestowed upon him by giving him the presidency.

This is an indication of Mr. Yost's standing with the county clerks of the state and is evidence that they place him in the front rank of those officials. We congratulate Mr. Yost.

The will of the late M. J. Cosman was up before the county court yesterday to be probated. Also the estate of the late Sarah Sherman was up for settlement.

Second-Hand Stoves

of all kinds wanted. Peter McGovern stove repairer, 1006 Locust Locust St., Phone Black 390. 84 8

Notice of Incorporation

Notice is hereby given that articles of incorporation subscribed by D. T. Quigley, J. S. Twinn and Geo. B. Dent were filed in the office of the county clerk of Lincoln county, Nebraska, on October 13th, 1913, and which said articles show:

1. That the name of the corporation is The North Platte General Hospital Association.
 2. That the principal place of transacting business is North Platte, Lincoln county, Nebraska.
 3. That the general nature of the business to be transacted is to maintain and operate a hospital for the care and treatment of persons sick, disabled or otherwise incapacitated; to buy, lease, erect and acquire, hold, own and manage real estate and buildings for the hospitals and hospital purposes, and to do all things necessary in conjunction with the maintenance and operation of said hospital or hospitals.
 4. The capital stock of the corporation is \$2,000 fully subscribed.
 5. The time of commencement of said corporation is October 13, 1913, and at termination October 13, 1933.
 6. The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the corporation may subject itself is two-thirds of paid up stock.
 7. The affairs of the corporation are managed by president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer and board of directors. The North Platte General Hospital Association. By Dr. D. T. Quigley, President. Attest: Geo. B. Dent, Secretary. d5-4
- For Rent—Nicely furnished room, suitable for lady or gentlemen, 300 East 3rd street, Phone red 537.

A five o'clock dinner was given Tuesday evening by Mrs. Frank Rork in honor of Mrs. Cover, of Idaho, who is visiting in the city with her son Guy Cover and family. Covers were laid for ten. In the evening the guests were favored by several piano selections, by Mrs. Louise Orr which were very much enjoyed. One selection, "A Dream of the Rockies," was of her own composition, and was very much appreciated. The hostess was assisted by Misses Rork, Winget and Oleson. At a late hour the guests departed with memories of a pleasant evening.

Bargains in West End Property.
Good six room cottage on West Seventh Street, city water, electric lights, toilet and sewer connection. \$2250.00.

Good five room cottage, with bath, toilet, city water, electric lights, sewer connection, on west Fifth street. \$3000.00.

Good two story eight room dwelling, with bath, toilet, sewer connection, city water and electric lights. \$3,650.

These are desirable places located within five blocks of the new round house. Prices are much less than property can be replaced for and terms are easy. Let us show you these bargains. 88-4 Buchanan & Patterson.

At the meeting of the city council Tuesday evening, it was voted to have the old burned buildings on South Locust street torn down. Mayor Evans has taken it up with the state fire warden and it will be done as soon as possible.

Yesterday was flower day for the P. E. O. society. One day each year is set aside by that organization for visiting the sick and shut-ins and take flowers and other gifts to cheer them up. It was very well observed yesterday and many of the ladies made calls.

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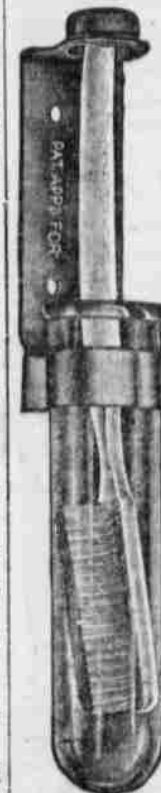
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