

CITY AND COUNTY NEWS

Philip Deats is reported quite ill at his home on south Sycamore street.

Mrs. McKenna and Miss Effie Christ of this city spent Sunday visiting friends in Brady.

Mrs. Julia Goodman, of Cody, Wyo., is the guest of her son, E. R. Goodman, and family.

The Christian aid society will meet Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the church basement.

Fred Lansing of Omaha, wire chief for the Postal Telegraph company, spent Sunday visiting friends in this city.

Miss Margaret Barker is spending this week with friends in Denver, having left for that city the latter part of last week.

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The temperature dropped to fourteen above yesterday morning, and unless Charley Pass' butterflies were well under cover they probably had their wings nipped.

Work on the new Pizer building on Locust street was begun last week and the foundation is nearly all poured. The work will be rushed as fast as the weather will permit.

Be sure to look over the various booths at the Masonic hall November 19th. You might find just what you want for Christmas gifts. 8512

M. Keith Neville of this city will go next Saturday to Iowa City with the Nebraska Cornhuskers to witness the big annual scrap. One or two others from here are planning to go but have not yet definitely decided to do so.

W. V. Hoagland cannot complain of the vote he received in Douglas county. The complete returns of that county, published for the first time in today's Bee, shows that Pearson received but eighty more votes in that county than Hoagland, the vote being, 10,764 and 10,684.

The Monarch Malleable Iron Range, the Stay Satisfactory Range at Hershey's, opposite post office, Phone 15.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Perkins will make their annual trip to Dodgeville, Wis., to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. Perkins' mother, and on returning home will attend a silver wedding in Michigan and visit friends in Chicago and other eastern points.

Yesterday was pay day on the Union Pacific in this section and in North Platte it was an exceptionally large one. The payment was in excess of any month for some time, owing to the exceptionally busy month of October.

Quite a number of golfers were out on the links Sunday, and several succeeded in making very good scores but failed to reach the record set by Clyde Friso. The best Sunday score was made by Loren Sturges and he was awarded the sweater offered by the Star Clothing House.

The cold snap which was precipitated unawares upon this vicinity Saturday and Sunday nights caught many in a sort of warm weather lethargy and froze several automobile radiators. Several have been reported to this office. J. W. Payne, Frank Barbour, George L. Doyt and York Hinman all had their radiators ruined beyond repair by the freeze.

This is the opportunity of your life to buy what you want in real estate at lowest prices. Let us show you our list. BRATT & GOODMAN.

Weather forecast for North Platte and vicinity: Fair tonight and Wednesday, warmer tonight. Highest temperature yesterday 37, a year ago 67; lowest last night 16, a year ago 28.

Vacuum Cleaners make nice Christmas gifts. I have the Reliable Electric and the Domestic. Mrs. M. V. Mitchell, Phone Red 104. 8612

The Presbyterian ladies' aid society will be entertained in the church parlors Thursday afternoon by Mesdames Will Eshelman O. E. Elder and George Zentmeyer.

INSURANCE, FIRE AND LIFE
In the best companies at lowest rates. See BRATT & GOODMAN.

Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, who lectured here the latter part of October was elected yesterday as president of the national suffrage society. Dr. Shaw has held that place of honor for several years and when her name was suggested for re-election there was no doubt but that she would hold it again.

Order your Christmas magazines now. I have Ladies' Home Journal, Saturday Evening Post, Country Gentleman and other good magazines. Mrs. M. V. Mitchell, Phone Red 104. 8612

Mrs. Harry Irwin of Los Angeles left last evening for Grand Island after visiting in the city for some time with her sister, Mrs. T. L. Green. At Grand Island she will visit her parents and attend a family reunion next week. Mrs. Green will leave for there next week.

No preparation is equal to Imperial Cream Lotion for chapped hands. A full 4 ounce bottle 25c, at Stone's Drug Store.

Mrs. M. Keith Neville, Mrs. Charles Reynolds and son and Miss Marie Neville left last evening for Omaha to visit relatives and friends for some time. Mrs. Neville will visit for a few days and Mrs. Reynolds will probably spend two weeks. Miss Marie Neville lives in Omaha and returned from a visit of a few days in the city.

Thomas Regan was brought before Judge Grant in the county court yesterday charged with bootlegging and entered a plea of not guilty. Trial was had and he was bound over to the December term of the district court, at which time he will be given trial.

Miss Hildegard Clinton is expected home next week to spend Thanksgiving visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Clinton.

Wm. Wilkins and T. L. Green of this city have leased a building at Scotts Bluffs and are putting in a bowling alley. Mr. Wilkins will leave for that place tomorrow to open up the alleys and he will have charge of them. Mr. Wilkins has been a resident of this city for several months and has been doing sign painting. He formerly ran a pool hall at Gothenburg. Mr. Green is proprietor of a pool and billiard hall here.

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ANOTHER RESIDENT ATTACKED BY THUGS

Francis Norris, caller at the Union Pacific offices, was accosted by thugs Friday evening and they struck him in the face inflicting a bad bruise on his lip and nose. Norris was riding on west Front street Friday evening on his way to make a call and when he turned a dark corner two men set upon him, one from either side, and one of them struck him, presumably with his fist.

The blow was not sufficient to knock him from his wheel and he lost no time getting away from there. He scarcely got a good look at the men, but it is presumed that they are the same ones who attacked George Anderson the preceding evening. He is, however, wearing a rather "swell" smile on one side of his face.

Big Real Estate Deal

A real estate deal involving about eighteen thousand dollars was consummated in town yesterday afternoon when W. M. Baskins sold his upper ranch in Logan county to Ben Dikeman, who lives on the Birdwood. There are 1200 or 1400 acres of deeded land and the lease on 1280 acres of school land. Mr. Dikeman has a valuable tract of land on the Birdwood and has a body of grazing land north of the tract he purchased of Mr. Baskins, the latter forming a "half-way" pasture between the other two tracts. Mr. Baskins retains his ranch near Stapleton on which he runs over 250 head of cows and has a calf crop of 200 annually which he feeds as "baby beef."

Sugar Company Makes Big Payment

The American Beet Sugar company of Grand Island began yesterday paying checks for about forty thousand dollars to the beet raisers of Western Nebraska most of them in Lincoln county from the vicinity of Hershey and Sutherland. Another large payment will be made for beets in about thirty days. The Grand Island factory uses an enormous amount of beets and over one half of the beets they use are grown in Lincoln county. This large payment of money into the county should be a balm for many of the cramped raisers.

Miss Alice Conklin Married

Cards received in town yesterday announced the marriage of Miss Alice Conklin to Edward H. Ervin, the ceremony occurring in Chicago last Saturday. The bride, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Conklin, was born in North Platte and spent her early childhood here. She was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. C. F. Tidings last winter and spring.

Mr. Ervin is a wealthy Texas ranchman and their home will be at Higgins, Texas.

Funeral Thursday Morning.

The funeral of William Landgraf, Sr., will be held Thursday morning from St. Patrick's church. Interment will be in North Platte cemetery. The funeral was delayed for the reason that one daughter, Mrs. J. F. Karbush of Ogden, could not get here. She will arrive tomorrow afternoon. Three of Mrs. Landgraf's sisters from the eastern part of the state arrived last evening. They are Mrs. Henry Wacker, of Wilber, Mrs. Fred Henke and Mrs. Henry Henke, both of Clatonia.

Rev. Brooks Will Speak Here

The speaker for the annual banquet of the Methodist brotherhood which will be held next Monday evening has been announced as Rev. Brooks of Hastings. Quite an elaborate program is being arranged for the banquet and it will be announced in full later on. Mr. Brooks is a speaker of rare talent and should attract the entire membership.

FOR RENT
Houses, Rooms, Safe Deposit Boxes and Storage Room.

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Halligan Will Be Here.

Vic Halligan, captain and star tackle of the Cornhuskers, will visit here for a few days prior to the Thanksgiving game to assist in coaching the high school team in preparation for the game with York. The football boys will be given a vacation of a few days after the Iowa game and "Vic" will take advantage of that opportunity to get home and will incidentally assist in getting in shape the representatives of his old alma mater.

RAILROAD MEN

Other R. R. men have, why not you? Start an Old Line Life Policy on the monthly payment plan. It's banking and insurance to the ones depending on you. Let's talk it over. Phone for an appointment.

J. E. SEBASTIAN, Gen'l Agent, The Old Line Man. 825

T. H. McWilliams of Omaha arrived in the city this morning to spend the day at the Bratt & Goodman office.

A daughter was born last evening to Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Brown, residing at 1913 west Sixth street.

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Cor. Front and Dewey Sts., upstairs.

The Episcopal Guild will meet at the rectory Thursday afternoon.

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The Civic department of the Twentieth Century Club will meet in the library building Thursday evening.

Joseph Wayman had an eye severely injured Saturday by a flying piece of steel.

If it's in style BLOCK has it. If BLOCK has it it's in Style

Final Clean Up SALE of Ladies' and Misses' FALL Suits

Beginning Tuesday, Nov. 17th, we will offer the balance of our stock consisting of 85 Suits at the following prices:

Lot 1—All \$30 and \$35	Lot 2—All \$22.50 and \$25	Lot 3—All \$15 and \$16.50
Suits at	Suits at	Suits at
\$20.00	\$15.00	\$10.00

Remember every one of these high grade suits are this season's models, all made up in the Redingote and Basque styles, most of them are only a few days from New York, a splendid assortment of colors, styles and sizes to choose from for those that come early.

COATS! COATS! COATS!

We positively have the largest stock of Coats of any store west of Omaha. Just think you can select coats here from a stock of over 300 of them, all of the season's newest models, made up in cape and plain effects, also college coats in all colors and sizes. Prices from \$5.00 to 65.00

Skirt Special for This Week Only.

Just received, a shipment of New Skirts made up in long tunics, accordion pleated, in all wool Serges, Gabardines, etc.' regular values up to \$7.00,

Special this week at \$1.98, \$2.98 and 3.98.

WAIST SPECIAL.

One lot of new Silk Crepe Waists, made of best quality Crepe de Chene, in black, navy, whits, green, plum, and maize, regular 4.50 values.

Special for This Week only \$2.98.

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Or do you wish to paint some good pictures for your home?

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Horses, Cattle, Poultry, Farm Implements, Furniture ANYTHING YOU HAVE TO SELL

This is an open market. Farmers, bring in your Produce and get top price in CASH. Buy your supplies here and save money.

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J. F. SCHMALZRIED.

"Those Two Girls."

The ladies of North Platte would like to say a word in reply to the article that appeared in the Telegraph Saturday evening in regards to the two girls who Judge Grant took to his home. We admit the Judge has a big heart and this is not the only good deed he has done; we would like, however, to say if these girls walked the streets without breakfast, dinner or supper it was their own fault. Mrs. Lemon gave them money and their meals as long as they would accept them; Mrs. Peterson kept them nine nights without pay and would have kept them longer if they would have performed the work offered them. Mrs. J. Q. Wilcox called on them, paid \$2.50 for their grip that was held for their room rent, and offered to provide for all their needs till they could secure work; Miss Kramph and other ladies called on them offering them room and board. This is only a part of what was done for these two girls who came here under a false name.

In answer to the above which appeared in this paper last Friday I desire to state, I had nothing to do with the writing, composition or production of the article referred to by these ladies in the North Platte Telegraph, and was not connected in any way with its appearance, and the first knowledge I had of the Telegraph article was through Mrs. A. P. Kelly subsequent to its appearance in that paper.

On the 6th of this month one of these girls (Ruth) was taken from our county jail, where she had been confined for some days prior thereto, and was given a hearing before me, in which hearing these ladies gave evidence tending to prove that this little girl was a fit subject to be deprived of her liberty and be confined in a reformatory until later released by due process of law. I can state, without successful contradiction, the evidence offered in that hearing seeking for a conviction or grounds of commitment was the biggest farce that was ever conducted in a court of justice.

I reserved my decision in the dismissal of these proceedings that evening and took the girls to the home

of one of these ladies, and at this lady's request. The girls refusing the offer tendered them, I then wanted to take them to some other home in the presence of this lady, which they declined. Having nothing left but the county jail, I then, and not until then, did I take them to my home, where they remained at my request, thinking they might be needed as witnesses against certain citizens of this city, who insulted and even assaulted these girls.

Yet not a word has been heard or a move made to bring these human leopards to time, but these two little girls must be branded and held up to the public ridicule, because of what? For committing the unpardonable sin of not giving their right name.

JOHN GRANT, County Judge.

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C. F. TEMPLE, Agent, Phone Red 500.

WAR SUMMARY

The British house of commons yesterday voted over one billion dollars for war purposes and authorized a call for one million additional soldiers.

The armies of the allies as well as of Germany remain dead locked in West Flanders, and the soldiers are struggling through snow ankle deep. It is reported that a big force of Germans around Dixmude has been cut off by floods caused by heavy rains and the tapping of canals.

Berlin reports that three British warships assisting the allies to stem the German onrush toward the English channel have been disabled.

The fighting in Flanders yesterday was very severe, with no advantage on the part of either of the contending armies.