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DERRYBERRY & FORBES BUY HARDWARE COMPANY

Negotiations were recently consummated whereby the firm of Derryberry & Forbes bought the stock of the North Platte Hardware & Furniture Co., and they will add it to their already complete stock of furniture and hardware.

It is the intention of the firm to move their hardware, furniture and undertaking from their present location into the building now occupied by the North Platte Hardware & Furniture Co., and in their present location they will handle exclusively implements. Invoicing was begun this week and as soon as it is completed and a few changes made in the store building the move will be made.

The company will also take into partnership with them in the implement store Harry York and Robert Dean, both of whom have been employed by them for a number of years. Mr. Dean has been employed by them for the past seven years and Mr. York for the past five years.

The firm of Derryberry & Forbes is now in its sixth year of operation in this city. It was formerly Workman & Derryberry and Mr. Forbes worked for that company for two years before buying in with Mr. Derryberry. Mr. Derryberry has been in business in this city for the past ten years. In all those years their business has increased rapidly.

Mr. Forbes stated this morning that their reason for the change was to give better service and closer attention to their trade. He said that they expect to make their store one of the largest and best equipped stores in Nebraska.

The North Platte Hardware & Furniture Co. has been in operation here but a few months, having bought out the A. A. Schatz Co. last spring. It is owned by a corporation formed by J. Q. Whoox, Byers and Everett Pink and A. T. Yost.

Masons in Annual Banquet

The sixth anniversary of the dedication of the Masonic temple was celebrated last evening by a banquet in their hall which was attended by about four hundred fifty Masons, with their wives, families and ladies.

At 6:30 an excellent dinner was served to the four hundred fifty people and following this a play was given by the local talent. Following this dancing and other diversions were indulged in until a late hour.

The entire banquet and entertainment was given by the men, they preparing the dinner, waiting on the tables and washing up all the dishes. The dinner was prepared under the supervision of J. H. Posey and W. A. Skinner who were the chief chefs, and was pronounced excellent.

New Printzess Suits and Coats arriving daily. The best styles in the world displayed in these garments.
E. T. TRAMP & SON.

FOR EXCHANGE

Section of land only 12 miles from City, all fenced, part cultivated, good well and wind mill. Price right. Will trade for good home or clear income property in North Platte. See
BRATT & GOODMAN.

Word from Lincoln is to the effect that Representative Woodhurst was quite sick for several days, requiring the services of a physician, but is now much improved.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

The Socialist Study Club will meet with Mrs. Philip Deats tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. W. H. McDonald, who had been in Omaha for several weeks, returned home this morning.

County Commissioner E. H. Springer of Brady Island arrived in the city this morning to spend the day on business.

J. J. Crawford, of the J. S. Davis Auto Co., left this morning for Overton to spend some time looking after business matters.

Hospital tea at Mrs. C. W. Edwards, 303 west Fourth, Friday the 26th. All those making tray cloths, bedside table covers, etc., please bring. Mrs. H. M. Grimes, Pres. Auxiliary Board.

For Sale—3 hole Jewel gasoline stove in good repair. Has warming closet and oven. Used only one season. A bargain. Phone Black 136 or call 516 1/2 Dewey street. 1012

District Judge H. M. Grimes left this morning for Chappell to hold a term of district court. Attorneys W. V. Hoagland, J. J. Halligan and Albert Muldoon also went up to attend the court.

Regular meeting of Signet Chapter No. 55, O. E. S. Thursday evening, February 25th. Floral work and refreshments. By order of
MRS. W. W. CUMMINGS,
Worthy Matron.

The ladies' auxiliary of the Baptist church will hold an exchange at the North Platte Hardware & Furniture store Saturday, February 27th. They will have on sale bread, rolls, cakes, pies, cookies, brown bread, baked beans and roast chicken. 1012

H. G. Knowles pastor of the Christian church, drove to Sutherland Sunday in his car and announces that the roads out that way are in very good condition considering the weather. He had six passengers in his car and stated that they had little difficulty getting through.

Senator S. E. Wilson, of South Dakota, arrived in the city last evening and will remain over for this evening to give an address at the Yeomen lodge. He is president of the board of directors of the grand lodge. While in this city he will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Tiley.

Dean J. J. Bowker received word yesterday from Miss Gertrude Whiston, newly appointed superintendent for the Good Samaritan hospital, announcing that she would start from Detroit for North Platte Saturday evening of this week. She is now employed in Grace hospital in Detroit and will come direct from there to North Platte. She was expected today but was unable to get away.

MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE.

BRATT & GOODMAN.

At the meeting of the B. P. O. Elks last evening three new members submitted to the putting on of antlers. They were Wm. R. Harcourt, R. A. Scott and E. H. Kendall. Following the lodge work and initiation a feed was served in the banquet room by Steward Smith which was enjoyed by about seventy-five Elks. At the meeting it was announced that the next meeting, the first meeting in March, would be the regular meeting for the election of officers.

JEFFERS TRANSFERRED TO NEBRASKA DIVISION

A bulletin received by wire at the local railroad offices about five o'clock last evening announced that Wm. Jeffers, superintendent of the Wyoming division, had been transferred to the Nebraska division of the U. P. He will succeed Wm. Cahill, who can, if he so desires, resume his former position as conductor on the Omaha-North Platte run. Mr. Jeffers is succeeded on the Wyoming division by a Mr. Brophy, a former passenger conductor running into this city, but of late paymaster for the Union Pacific at Ogden.

Supt. Jeffers' transfer to the Nebraska division is received with much satisfaction by engine and trainmen of this city, for they recognize in him a thorough and practical railroad man who treats the employes fairly and by so doing receives from the men their best service.

Mr. Jeffers began his railroad career in this city as a messenger boy in the office of the assistant superintendent, and his ascendancy has been rapid yet in all cases merited. He is yet a young man with a bright future.

The Tribune welcomes "Billy" to the Nebraska division.

POSTOFFICE EMPLOYEES IN ANNUAL BANQUET

The second annual Washington banquet of the postoffice employes and railway postoffice clerks of this city was held last evening at the bungalow. Over thirty people were present and all report a pleasant evening.

The postoffice employes and their ladies met at the federal building and went in a body to the bungalow where they accepted the hospitality of the bungalow boys. There an excellent three course supper was served at eight o'clock and it was followed by toast which lasted until a late hour. Following the toasts, E. S. Davis, who acted as toastmaster, took snapshots of the party which consisted of comic post card pictures in an old worn out camera and they all recited the free-man's oath. This affair will from now on be made an annual affair by the local men. Last evening was the second banquet held and it was pronounced very excellent.

Following is the toast list: Reading, "Roughing It," F. G. Rector; "Our Traveling Postoffice," W. J. Bennett; "The Cremation of Sam McGee," L. C. Sturges; "Efficiency of the Service," D. T. Kanady; "The Clink of the Ice," C. N. Frisco; "The Land of the Midnight Sun," L. I. Tucker; "George Washington," J. Moraine.

The decorations were very unique. The table was decked out in flowers and flags and pictures of George Washington were much in evidence. Statuettes of the Father of His Country were put at each place as favors and also small hatchets bearing the inscription "I cannot tell a lie." There were small ones for the ladies and large ones for the men and each guest wore their hatchet and each speaker was required to follow the precept on his hatchet.

Dr. Dent Returns Home.

Dr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Dent returned home Sunday evening from a visit of nearly two months in New York City, Chicago and other eastern points. In New York City Dr. Dent took a six weeks post graduate course in the Polytechnic school and enroute home he stopped in Chicago and attended some of Dr. Murphy's lectures. He announces that they had a fine visit; but that they are glad to get back to North Platte.

Dr. Yeuell Will be Here

Dr. Herbert Yeuell, of London, England, a speaker of international fame, has been secured to give a series of entertainments in this city at the Christian church for three evenings, March 13th, 15th and 16th. The lectures are given under the auspices of the boys' athletic class.

Lycium Course Next Year.

At the meeting of the ministers yesterday morning the numbers of the lecture course for next year which were submitted by the Redpath Lycium bureau were taken up and discussed but no definite action was taken.

The ministers at the meeting yesterday morning also took up the proposition of the union evangelistic meeting which will be held beginning May 23d. There are still several minor details to be arranged.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

Fine ten room modern home. Full corner lot, shade, ideal location, close in, on west Fourth street. Smaller residence considered as part pay. Cost price and easy terms. A rare chance to secure an up to date home.
BRATT & GOODMAN.

Cabaret Girls Score Hit

The Cabaret Girls appeared at the Keith theatre last evening for their initial performance of a week's stand. They appeared before a large audience and were well received. Their singing and dancing stunts were pronounced very good and all who attended expressed themselves as amply repaid for the small admission price charged. This company will play at the Keith every night this week. There are twelve people in the company and they put on a high class vaudeville attraction.

To know that you are well dressed is when you are wearing one of the new Printzess Suits or Coats, now on sale at E. T. Tramp & Son's.

The meeting of the ladies' guild of the Episcopal church which was announced to be held at the home of Mrs. E. W. Mann will meet instead in the basement of the church Thursday afternoon.

SPECIALS!

For Thursday, Friday and Saturday
Muslin Underwear,
Corset Covers, Princess Slips,
Gowns, Petticoats.

White Dress Goods, including Flaxons, Dimities and Batistes;
Embroideries, Wide Flouncings, Swiss Edgings, Nainsook
Edgings, also Muslin Edgings. Everything in Embroideries included in this Special

20 PER CENT DISCOUNT

ON THE ABOVE ITEMS.

For Three Days Only, Feb. 25, 26 and 27.

Remember These are Real Bargains

E. T. Tramp & Son

New Invention on Market.

A new invention in the shape of an automatic picture slide advertiser was being shown in the back rooms of the Green pool hall yesterday which has the promise of being a big success.

This new invention was but recently perfected by George F. and Carl W. Bierig, two young men of Joplin, Mo., who formerly were employed by T. L. Greene of this city. They were here yesterday with their machine enroute to Chicago where the contract for the manufacturing of the machine has been let. Mr. Greene is also interested in the machine.

The machine works automatically, changing the slides without any attention from an operator. It is known as the Peerless Automatic Slide Advertiser. It will not be sold, the owners merely leasing the machines to different picture houses. The inventors left this morning for Chicago to see about the manufacture of more machines.

Before getting that new dress fitted buy one of the Henderson's spring model corsets. They are made to suit each and every figure. We guarantee satisfaction with every corset we sell.
E. T. TRAMP & SON.

Knowles to Cozard for Lectures.

H. G. Knowles, pastor of the Christian church of this city, leaves this afternoon for Cozard where he will give a series of four lectures under the auspices of the Christian church of that city. His lectures will be along biblical lines and will consist of a discussion of the origin of the bible together with the history of the Christian church from the time of Christ up to the present day. Mr. Knowles' ability as a lecturer is drawing him much over this part of the state.

FOR RENT

Houses, Rooms, Storage Space and Safe Deposit Boxes, by
BRATT & GOODMAN.

Suffrage Meeting

All members of the Equal Suffrage Association of Lincoln county are requested and all friends of the cause are invited, to attend a meeting at the Baptist church next Friday afternoon at 3:30. This is an annual meeting of importance as there is business as well as election of officers to be attended to. Those who want a voice in this movement, should make it a point to attend, and assist in the plans for the future.

By Order of Chairman.

Woodmen to be Banqueted.

The Royal Neighbors will tender a banquet to the members of the Modern Woodmen and their ladies at the K. P. hall Thursday evening, March 4th, at nine o'clock. It is expected that covers will be laid for about 150, and the hostesses will no doubt serve a menu and prepare a program that will make the evening a very enjoyable one to their guests.

Crowe's orchestra left yesterday morning for Ogallala where they played last evening for a dance.

Nebraska Silos Double in One Year.

Omaha, Feb. 18.—The Twentieth Century Farmer of this city has taken figures compiled by the Nebraska State Board of Agriculture and show that between April 1913 and April 1914 Nebraska farmers purchased 115 per cent more silos than during all preceding years.

The March 3d issue of the Twentieth Century Farmer will be devoted almost exclusively to silo and dairying subjects and will be well worth looking for.

PUBLIC SALE!

Having leased my farm I will sell at Public Sale at my place five and a half miles northwest of Hershey, Neb., between the rivers, on

Thursday, March 4th, 1915,

Commencing at 10:30 a. m., the following described property, to-wit:

NINE HEAD OF HORSES,

2 brood mares, 10 years old, weight 1150 and 1250 both in foal, one heavy; 1 mare coming 3 years old, weight 1250; 1 mare coming 2 years old, weight 1000; 1 pony 2 years old, weight 900; 1 fall mare colt, 1 1/2 years old, weight 900; 1 yearling colt, weight 800; 1 fall colt.

202 HEAD OF CATTLE,

13 cows broke to milk; 92 head of stock cows, will commence calving April 1; the greater part of these cows had pure-bred Hereford bulls with them during the season of 1914. Also 92 head of coming yearling calves.

SIXTY HEAD OF HOGS.

60 head of shoats of different sizes, ranging in weight from 80 to 200 pounds.

123 1/2 ACRES OF LAND

The east half and lot 4 of section 11-14-33. No buildings, 23 acres seeded to alfalfa, 100 acres now prairie meadow. Clear title, with paid water right from Paxton & Hershey canal. A mile and a half to school, mail route and telephone passes. Terms:—One-fifth cash, balance in five equal annual payments drawing 7 per cent interest.

FARM MACHINERY, ETC.

John Deere buggy, Fairbanks-Morse gas pumping engine and 8 foot steel tank, riding plow, walking plow, beet puller, 2 go-devils, disc, hay sweep, walking cultivator, three Deering mowers, Deering rake, tank heater, spraying apparatus with two-third barrel spray, alfalfa seed buncher, 2 John Deere two-row cultivators, harrow, spring tooth harrow, Weber wagon, wide tire wagon, hay rack, hay stacker, grindstone, wheelbarrow, set single harness, 2 sets double harness, forge, vise, anvil drill, six dozen chickens, Edison phonograph with 40 records, and other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON.

TERMS—Sums of \$20 and under cash. On sums over that amount 8 months' time will be given on good bankable notes bearing ten per cent interest from date of sale. 3 per cent off for cash.

C. R. Lawrence.

COL DAVE LOVE, Auctioneer.

E. R. SPAULDING, Clerk.

Closing Out Sale

Hardware and Stoves at Cost

First Class Power Washing Machine at \$25.

Second Hand Electric Washer in good order at \$25.

Gasoline Engines \$40 upward.

One 5 H. P. Electric Motor.

Wind Mills and Feed Grinders.

Tiger 12 Disc Press Drills, Time \$65 or Cash \$60.

For Sale At

HERSHEY'S

Opposite Post Office.