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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

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Mr and Mrs. John Burke, who were visiting in Omaha, returned home Tuesday evening.

Perry Sitton came down from Cheyenne Wednesday to visit local friends for several days.

Mrs. Agnes Boyer, who has been ill for several weeks, is reported to be much improved.

For Pure Jersey Milk, Phone 783F14, and it will be delivered. 1031f

J. F. Purbough, of Paxton, spent the fore part of this week as a guest of the Baldock family.

W. V. Varnardoff, of Sutherland, spent a few days visiting friends and conducting business.

Miss Margaret McClusky, of Hershey, was the guest of Miss Agnes Hutchinson this week.

Gottman's Hand Made Cigar, 5c. 2-9

Jacob Pizer, of Grand Island, who visited his brother Julius Pizer this week, left Wednesday.

Julius Pizer left Wednesday morning for Grand Island to spend a few days visiting his brother.

Day Sewing. Work guaranteed. Phone Red 368. 3-4

Bruce Brown returned from Grand Island Wednesday after spending several days there on business.

Attorney Albert Muldoon left Wednesday morning for the western part of this state on legal business.

The Lutheran ladies of the Third ward will hold an exchange at Derryberry & Forbes store tomorrow.

Earl Hamilton returned Wednesday morning from Omaha where he transacted business and visited relatives.

Miss Clara Cave, of Chappell, who has been the guest of Miss Bessie Chamberlain for a week, left Wednesday.

For Rent—5 room cottage, modern except heat. Phone black 229.

Mrs. J. E. Holcombe of Cheyenne, came Wednesday morning to visit Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young for a week or longer.

Miss Hazel Young, of Hastings, who has been the guest of her sister Mrs. Carl Simon, expects to return home Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Lierk, Sr., left the first of the week for Fremont to spend a week or longer with her daughter Mrs. Monick.

Mrs. Wm Hoover, of Long Beach, Calif., formerly of this city is reported to be very ill and an operation may be necessary.

Dr. H. C. Brock, office over Stone Drug Store. 1031f

Mrs. Roseberry, of Omaha, came Wednesday evening to make an extended visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Deuel.

Mrs. F. J. McGovern who has been the guest of her sister Mrs. Will Allen in Omaha is expected to return home tomorrow.

Edward Burke has moved his clothing stock from the third floor of the Waltham building to the rooms on the second floor formerly occupied by L. C. Ginter, Insurance Agency.

For Sale—A registered Percheron Stallion, three years old. A good one. Also a five year old mare in foal, weighs fifteen hundred. THOMAS E. DOOLITTLE, North Platte, Neb. 3-8

Miss Marie Nicholson left a few days ago for Grand Island to remain indefinitely.

Mesdames Asa Snow, Everett Boyd and Riggs left yesterday for Cheyenne to attend "The Birth of a Nation."

Mrs. Alex Fenwick has gone to Cheyenne to visit her daughter Mrs. Hillard Ridgely for a couple of weeks.

W. J. Tiley returned Tuesday from a three weeks' visit in the eastern part of the state on Yeoman interests.

Dean Bowker went to Hastings Wednesday evening from Denver and Cheyenne where he spent several weeks.

Walter Jones, of Grand Island, one of the officers of the Nebraska Telephone Co., spent the past few days at the local office.

Leo Hart, of Brady, came up Tuesday to attend the Fremont banquet. He is one of the old time members of the department.

Everett Kendall left Tuesday evening for Hebron, Nebr., to take charge of the newspaper which he recently purchased there.

The Eastern Star held a special meeting last evening and initiated several. After the business session nice refreshments were served.

Mrs. Frank Buchanan returned Wednesday evening from an extended visit in Iowa. Enroute home she spent a few days in Omaha.

Miss Marie Massey, of Omaha, who has been conducting dancing classes here finished the term last week and will return home shortly.

Robert Armstrong was called to Portland Wednesday evening by a message which stated that his father had died the day before.

Mrs. J. B. Murphy was called to Hershey Wednesday morning by the illness of her daughter of her daughter Miss Loretta who is teaching there.

Palma-Leo Cigar 10 cents. 2-9

Mr. and Mrs. James Schaffer and children who have resided at Evanston for some time returned here a few days ago. The former will return to Evanston within a week.

Mrs. Edward Elchelser, of Omaha, arrived here Wednesday evening to make her home. Mr. Elchelser has succeeded Mr. McEvoy as foreman of the Union Pacific car department.

Governor Morehead announced Wednesday that under no circumstances would he be a candidate for re-election. His decision has cast a deep gloom in the democratic camp, though Charley Bryan, who is a possible candidate, seemed pleased.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Deuel returned last week to locate and the former expects to take a position with one of the local lumber companies. Mr. Deuel has been in charge of the Wheeling Lumber Co., at LeMoine for some time.

For Farm Loans, see or write Gene Crook, room 3, Waltham building, North Platte. 411f

No human brain can conceive the complicated character of the organ of sight. The eye alone guides us through Nature's universe and is worthy of very best care. HARRY DIXON, Registered Optometrist.

Word was received in this city Tuesday evening of the death of Abraham L. Armstrong who resided here for a number of years and of late had made him home at Portland. Death was due to injuries received in a fall some time ago in which he dislocated his hip. Mr. Armstrong was born in Burlington, Ia., Jan. 13, 1855, later was a resident of Plattsburgh before coming here. He leaves a wife, sons Irve and Frank of Portland, Robert of this city, daughters Mrs. John Beyerle and Miss Grace Armstrong of Portland.

A SNAP. The two-story building 22x45 feet, back of McDonald's Clothing store for sale, for \$100.00. J. K. OTTENSTEIN.

EVENTS IN SOCIETY

The Yeomen drill team will hold a social dance at the Lloyd opera house this evening.

The Tillikum Girls' club will be entertained Wednesday evening by Mrs. F. J. Wurtele.

Mrs. C. C. Williams will entertain the members of the Zita Zita Club Wednesday afternoon.

The Assembly Club will meet this afternoon with Mrs. E. S. Wickwire, 129 east Twelfth street.

Mrs. Charles Whelan entertained the Catholic ladies yesterday afternoon at a social and kensington.

The Knights of Columbus are planning to give a social dance to be held at the Masonic hall the second week in February.

The Leap Year Masquerade dance which will be given by thirty ladies will be held at the Masonic hall Tuesday evening, Feb. 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Salisbury entertained a number of friends at cards Wednesday evening. Following the card games a nicely prepared lunch was served.

The Zenda dance at the Masonic hall on Tuesday evening was one of the most enjoyable features of this week. The attendance was large and the dancing continued until a late hour.

The J. F. F. Club were the guests of Mrs. James Dorrin Tuesday afternoon. In the card games prizes were awarded to Mesdames W. B. Brown and Theodore Lowe, Jr. Nicely prepared refreshments were served at the close of the games. The next meeting will be held in two weeks at the home of Mrs. Glen Mann.

The literature department of the Twentieth Century Club met with Mrs. E. A. Garlich Tuesday afternoon. Roll call was answered by current events and a book review was given by Mrs. Jasper Mahaffey. It was decided to sew bandages for the wounded soldiers at the next meeting. Guests of the day were Mesdames Forbes and Dean. Enjoyable refreshments were served.

Mrs. Jack Sinclair entertained the Elite Card Club Wednesday afternoon. In the progressive games prizes were won by Mesdames A. H. McMullen, H. A. Lawhead, E. W. Mann and Al Brown. A nice lunch in two courses was served. Guests of the club were Mesdames Snyder, Harris, Redfield, Berthe, E. W. Mann, Al Brown and H. A. Lawhead. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Joseph Jessup, February 9th.

One of the most enjoyable meetings of the Catholic Girls' Club was held at the home of Miss Margaret Barker Tuesday evening. Thirty-six members attended and spent the evening in playing progressive five hundred. Misses Margaret McGinley and Nell Hanlin were awarded the prizes. After the games a delicious lunch was served. The entertainment committee was Misses Kathleen Flynn, Ethel and Alice Sullivan, Hazel Smith, Edna and Will Williams, Hazel Regina Nolan was taken into the membership. Out-of-town guests were Misses Hazel Young of Hastings, Marie Massey of Omaha and Mrs. John Sheffield of Bancroft, Ia.

Shilling Disappoints Us.

With fine weather Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, the people of this section of the state had keyed up their expectations to a period of balmy weather, but observer Shilling ruthlessly dashed the hopes of the populace. "Better have real winter weather now than next April," argued Shilling and forthwith he shipped in about four inches of snow Tuesday night. Wednesday was wintry, and toward evening the temperature continued dropping until yesterday morning it touched eight below zero. North Platte was the eastern edge of the snowstorm. At Brady the fall was less than an inch.

Lutheran Announcements for Sunday.

9:45 a. m. Sunday school.
11 o'clock morning worship, sermon subject, "God's Way Through Storm to Sunshine."

6:45 p. m. Luther league, topic "The Open Church." 7:30 Evening worship, sermon subject, "The Ark on Many Waters."

Since the last meeting of the Brotherhood, in accordance with a unanimous vote taken then, the men have been voting for the evening service by personal solicitation and by their presence in a body each evening. At last Sunday the church was packed at both the services. The men have promised to continue this good work.

Miss Alma Morrill, who has been attending school in Fremont, came home a few days ago to visit her parents.

M. N. Anderson, of Laramie, who visited the Fitzpatrick family this week left for Omaha Wednesday to spend a week.

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Wilcox Department Store.

To Make Copper Oxide.

An excellent way to make copper oxide for use in batteries is as follows: Take a quantity of copper filings or fine copper shavings and heat them in a cast iron container or in a crucible till they are red hot. Stir them with an iron rod, and while still stirring sprinkle a little water over the filings until they become other red. You will then have a good quality of copper oxide. Copper oxide plates may be made as follows: Mix the granulated or coarse copper oxide with 5 per cent or 10 per cent of magnesium chloride and heat the heavy mass in forms made of iron sheeting, the forms being of the size of the wanted plate. The more porous the plates will be. The coarser the copper oxide the better will be the results.—Popular Science Monthly and World's Advance.

The Dog Rose.

The "dog rose" has provoked as much ingenious explanation of its name as the "horse chestnut." One solution is that the "dog" is really "dagga," a dagger, in allusion to the prickles, a drawback from which the Alexandra Day rose is free. Unfortunately for this explanation, the flower bears a similar name in countries where it will not apply. The Germans, for instance, have "Hundsrose," and Pliny tells how a Roman mother was moved in a dream to send some roots of the wild rose to her soldier son in Spain. They arrived just after he had been bitten by a mad dog. He took them and was preserved from hydrophobia, as were others who adopted the same treatment. And from that time the wild rose became the "dog rose."—London Chronicle.

Gates in Norway.

A curious feature to travelers in the highroads of Norway is the great number of gates—upward of 10,000 in the whole country—which have to be opened. These gates, which either mark the boundaries of the farms or separate the home fields from the waste lands, constitute a considerable inconvenience and delay to the traveler, who has to stop his vehicle and get down to open them.

Magnet the Thief of Time.

The magnet is responsible for a great deal of trouble with watches, as any jeweler will tell you. Never go near a dynamo with a watch in your pocket unless you are sure that it is made of nonmagnetic material. This applies especially to the hair spring.—Farm and Fireside.

A Blessed Barrier.

"How did you like that interior setting?" asked the realistic producer. "For a real room, except that it had only three walls, could you beat it?" "Well," said the morose critic, "I'd have been more contented during the play if you had added the fourth wall."—Judge.

Sure Sign.

Nellie—Do you think Paul cares for Mamie? Emma—Did you ever hear a young man refer to a red haired girl as having Auburn tresses unless he loved her?—Exchange.

The Traditional Nine.

Hokus—I have tried to kill that cat at least eighteen times. Pokus—Well, I suppose even a cat may lead a double life.—Pittsburgh Press.

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