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### LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Earl White, of Hershey, is visiting with his sister Mrs. J. J. Walters this week.

W. E. Gaylor, of Flats, is among the out of town people who spent last week here.

For Farm Loans see or write Gene Crook, room 3, Walmath building, North Platte. 4117

A. M. Mason returned Saturday from Grand Island where he spent several days last week.

Ray Murray, of Lincoln, came Saturday evening to transact business and visit his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Danielson, of Sutherland, are visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. O. W. Sizemore.

Judge H. M. Grimes left at noon yesterday for Lexington to spend a few days on legal business.

Mrs. Charles Kilmer, of Kilmer, has gone home after visiting with her sister, Mrs. Clyde Giddison.

Rev. B. A. Cram has returned from Lincoln where he attended the Methodist conference last week.

Mert McDermott, of Wood River, is spending a few days here on business and visiting the Nolan family.

Mrs. Harry Burton, of Wellfleet, who visited her sister Mrs. Maurice Cullical friends has returned home.

Mrs. Fred Tetro, of Brady, who visited Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Baker for a week, left for home a few days ago.

Tom Williams, who has been employed here for some time, will leave this week for his former home in Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilson returned yesterday morning from Sutherland where they visited relatives for a few days.

Attorney Matt Gering, of Plattsmouth, who spent last week here on business, left Saturday morning for home.

Mrs. H. W. Mengle, of Lexington, returned home the latter part of last week, after visiting local friends for several days.

Miss Marie Massey, of Omaha, came Sunday evening and will give dancing lessons at the Elks' home every Monday evening.

Mrs. D. M. Tatum and daughter Mrs. Steve Pappos, who visited in Kearney the latter part of last week, returned Sunday evening.

Arthur Reynolds, who had been spending the past six months in Iowa, returned to town Sunday and resumed work in the Vienna Cafe.

Miss Louise Gelsert, of Ogalalla, who was here last week to attend the Elker-Pilger wedding and to visit local friends, has returned home.

An unusually large number of farmers marketed hogs in town yesterday. The price was a shade better than \$7, one especially fine lot bringing \$7.25.

Dr. Maile Ames has presented the ward school with several new records for the Victoria which was recently donated to them by the Twentieth Century club.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Phillips and Mrs. Tone Phillips, of Lexington, came here last week and Mrs. Theo. Phillips is taking treatment in the North Platte General hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith have purchased the Grace property on east Fourth street and after adding a number of improvements will make their home there.

Attorney Quaintance, of Denver, who was the guest of Mayor Evans last week, has returned home. The gentlemen were college mates at the Michigan state university several years ago.

J. E. Sebastian transacted business in Dickens yesterday.

J. A. Selby went to Dickens yesterday on business for a few days.

For Sale—Fresh Milk Cow A. S. Gregg, North Platte, Phone 794F21.

Mrs. J. I. Smith spent yesterday in Hershey with her daughter Miss Besie.

Mrs. J. R. Simms will entertain the Pan-Hellenic girls tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. Harry Kelly returned Saturday evening from an extended visit in Lincoln with relatives.

Miss Comfort Conway has resumed work in the Tramp dry goods store after a week's illness.

Miss Helen Hoxie returned to Ogalalla yesterday morning after visiting the home folks for a week.

Mrs. Frank Hatch returned the latter part of last week from a short visit in Grand Island and Fremont.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hestand arrived here a few days ago from Peoria, Ill., and will make this their home.

William Hascourt returned today from Chicago and other eastern points where he spent several weeks on business.

The Junior League of the Methodist church held a very successful exchange at the Derryberry & Forbes store Saturday.

S. R. Derryberry left last evening for Lincoln to attend the hardware dealers convention in session there this week.

Mrs. Ray Cummings, who was a patient at the Nurse Brown hospital for several weeks, returned home yesterday morning.

Miss Minnie Lang, who was employed at the Owl cafe for a number of years, resigned last week and accepted a position in the Palace cafe.

Mrs. Charles Bogue will entertain the ladies of the Christian church at her home 399 east Third street Thursday afternoon, February 10th.

Mrs. Hillard Ridgely and daughter, of Cheyenne, who visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Fenwick for a week, returned home yesterday morning.

Frank Shill, of Dickens, who is a patient at the Nurse Brown hospital, is getting along nicely and it will not be necessary to amputate his arm as was expected at first.

Jack Crowe, formerly of this city, who has been located at Cozad for several weeks, is appearing in Ogalalla this week in vaudeville in a western pantomime created by himself entitled "A Cattle Rustlers Reform."

Clyde Trotter returned yesterday from Omaha where he had been transacting business for several days. He says the automobile show in Omaha this month promises to be a wonderful exhibit of cars and accessories.

In a letter to this office, Harry Laatz, who recently purchased the Vienna Cafe in Sterling, says: "We are nicely settled in our new business here and the first month's trade shows up fine. We are well pleased with the change."

We understand Commissioner Dave White will not be a candidate for reelection. The company for which he has been selling culverts for a year or so past has given him a radical increase in salary and he will give his employers his full time.

Friends in town received word Saturday of the death of Mrs. Sarah Matilda Steward at Hershey at the age of fifty-two, after being ill with cancer for some time. The remains were taken to Big Springs for burial. She leaves a daughter, Mrs. L. D. Root.

The Degree of Honor drill team held a very enjoyable dancing party at the K. P. Hall last evening which was attended by a large number of the members and their families and friends. The music was exceptionally good, the floor in good condition and all present report a pleasant evening. The proceeds are to be applied on a new piano which the order recently purchased.

### BANKS CLOSE ALL DAY SATURDAY

Saturday, February 12th, Lincoln's Birthday, having been declared a legal holiday by a recent enactment of the legislature it is necessary for the banks of the city to observe the day. We will therefore remain closed all that day.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK, McDONALD STATE BANK, PLATTE VALLEY STATE BANK.

**James Trial Next Week.**  
Judge Grimes dismissed the jury yesterday morning. Equity cases will be tried in the district court this week, and on Monday, February 14th, a new jury will be empanelled and Guy and Luther James will be tried for assaulting their niece Ethel Jones.

**May Lose Sight of Eye.**  
William Masters, who resides twelve miles west of town, is a patient in an Omaha hospital under the care of Dr. Jonas. Last week while working with a long wire inside of a pump, the wire slipped and struck Mr. Masters in the right eye. The injured member received attention here but it was thought advisable to consult Omaha physicians and Mr. Masters was taken there Saturday evening. Word was received yesterday that it is doubtful if the sight can be saved.

**Threaten to Blow Up Subway.**  
New York.—Police have been assigned to protect the subway system from the Brooklyn terminal to the Bronx terminal and the Hudson and Manhattan tubes on the strength of a report that a threat had been made to dynamite the underground roads. The Interborough Rapid Transit Co. has admitted that police help has been asked. A dozen uniformed policemen are guarding the Hudson terminal building.

**Selling Hair For War Fund.**  
Denver.—Girls in Germany who have beautiful hair are contributing to the war fund by selling their locks, according to Mrs. Frances Bode, who yesterday canvassed the county court house to sell the braids of two sisters in Germany.

The tresses of her niece she said had brought \$25, and in that section of Germany cutting of girls' hair as a means of contributing to the war fund, had become a fad.

**Trap Shoot Averages**  
The Omaha Bee yesterday gave a list of the averages of Nebraska trap shooters who competed in registered trap shoots. Among the North Platte shooters were the following men with indicated number of targets shot at, number broken and the percentage:  
J. C. Den 2,760 targets, 2,414 broken, percentage .8746.  
Henry Rebhausen 865 targets, 79 broken, percentage .9156.  
Ralph Starkey 1,250 targets, 1,157 broken, percentage .9256.  
Millard Hosler 1,110 targets, 977 broken, percentage .8801.  
Geo. Winkowitch 400 targets, 278 broken, percentage .6950.  
Albert Muldoon 330 targets, 252 broken, percentage .7636.

**Plans Nearly Completed.**  
Plans and specifications for the new Junior high school building will be completed next week and shortly thereafter bids for the construction of the building will be asked. In addition to having the plans nearly completed, Architect Reynolds has drawn a view of the north front of the building, showing the style of architecture. The length of the building east and west is 186 feet.

**Schleicher Acquitted.**  
Ben Schleicher, of Brady, on trial in the district court last week in a civil action wherein he was charged with being the father of Bertha Schmidt's child, was acquitted by the jury which returned its verdict Saturday evening.

A large number of witnesses were called, and the case occupied the time of the court for two days.

**The Kearney Commercial Club** raised \$4,722.00 through various channels last year and expended \$3,655.88, leaving a balance of \$1,066.12 in the treasury.

**Thackeray at Oxford.**  
An old story of Oxford and Thackeray is recalled by Thomas Plovman, who vouches in the Cornhill Magazine for the accuracy of his version. Thackeray had to apply to the vice chancellor for permission to lecture and found that gentleman ignorant alike of his name and fame.

Still, he had a trump card left, which he had been accustomed to consider would carry all before it wherever the English language was spoken. So, with a quiet smile of supreme confidence, he simply ejaculated, "Vanity Fair, you know?" Then at last, to his relief, a look of awakened intelligence manifested itself upon the vice chancellor's countenance, and Thackeray awaited the effusive outburst which would make amends for all. It came in the words, "Yes, yes, I have heard of 'Vanity Fair,' of course; it is mentioned in the 'Pilgrim's Progress.'" — Westminster Gazette.

### MUSICALE EPISCOPAL BASEMENT

WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEB. 9.

Entr' Act—Cinema—Winn... Church Orchestra.  
Vocal Solo—Selection... Mrs. Frank Hatch.

Reading—Selection... Mrs. W. J. Tiley  
Men's Quartette—Selection... Messrs. Clinton, Bullard, Munger, Birge.  
Piano Solo—Etude—Wollenhaupt  
Mazurka—Fryslinger  
Miss Helen Tatum

Vocal Solo—Serenade—Schubert  
The Naughty Tulip—Anon  
Mrs. Arrowsmith, Ogalalla.  
Cornet Solo—Magnolia Serenade...  
Mr. Earl Stamp.

Vocal Solo—Selection—Miss Cre Diener  
Reading—Selection—Miss Alma Walmath.

Vocal Solo—  
The Nervous Chap—Ashford  
The Martyr—Ashford  
Mrs. W. H. Cramer.

Piano Solo—Grand Polka De Concert—  
Homer Newton Bartlett—Mrs. Worth Miller, Ogalalla.

Vocal Duet—Selection—Mrs. Woodhurst, Mr. Thurston Woodhurst.  
Orchestra—LaPaloma—Yradier...  
Church Orchestra.

An admission price of twenty-five cents will be charged, which will include refreshments.

**Mrs. Wilkinson Dies in California**

Word was received Sunday of the death of Mrs. Elmer Wilkinson at San Bernardino, Cal., formerly Miss Stella Johnson, of this city. Death was due to pneumonia and followed a short illness. Mrs. Wilkinson was born in this city and spent her girlhood here. She was the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Johnson and four years ago was married to Elmer Wilkinson, an employe of the local shops. For a couple of years they had resided in California. The remains will be brought to this city for interment but the funeral arrangements have not been made at the present writing. The deceased had a large number of friends who regret to learn of her early death. To mourn her are left her husband, parents, three sisters and three brothers.

**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

Joe Quinn had rather a narrow escape Sunday night when in the darkness of the room he took a tablespoon full of soldering solution instead of cough syrup. He made a quick run to the Dr. Kerr residence who administered an emetic and Joe was soon in normal condition.

The vestrymen of the Episcopal church will meet Thursday evening with Dr. F. J. Wurtele.

**Washing in the Philippines.**  
Most of the laundry work of the Philippine Islands is done by hand. The washing is usually done by bending the clothes with paddles, with the open hands or by rolling the garment slightly and striking one end of it upon a flat stone or other hard, smooth surface, handling it as a ball is swung over the shoulder. The usual method is to beat the clothes with paddles especially fashioned for the purpose. There is no such thing as boiling in the process of washing among the Filipinos. Much of the clothing worn in the country being white, a great deal of sun bleaching is done.

**"Maru" in Japan.**  
Maru is the Japanese word for mother. All Japanese regard their country of Japan as their mother, and instead of using the equivalent of the word fatherland they invariably say "Maru" (mother) when referring to the land of Japan. Their use of the word as part of the names of ships is to show their reverence for and to honor their mother, Japan, and at the same time to distinguish the ships as belonging to their motherland.

**Nothing Unusual.**  
"My goodness!" said Wiggles. "Hudyard Kipling's autograph brought \$17.50 at auction the other day."  
"That's nothing," retorted Ralph Waldo Inkwel, author of "Sonnets to a Portuguese." "My autograph brought \$37.25 last week."  
"Auction sale?" queried Wiggles.  
"No," said Inkwel. "It was signed to a check in payment of my tailor's bill." — New York Times.

**Harder Still.**  
"Well, have you reached the point where you can assemble a motorcar?" asked Mr. Chugson.  
"No, indeed," answered Mr. Johnson. "In fact, I haven't yet reached the point where I can assemble the price." — Birmingham Age-Herald.

**Exactly Alike.**  
"You ought to be pleased with these rolls, George, dear," said the young wife. "They are exactly like those your mother used to make when you were a boy."  
"Of course they are," replied George gallantly. "In fact, I thought at first they were the same ones."  
And the stupid creature could not understand why Mrs. George burst into tears! — Richmond Times-Dispatch.

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### CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

Thomas Burney has returned from Omaha where he spent a week.

C. C. Drake, who has been critically ill for a couple of weeks, continues to improve.

Fred Duncan returned Sunday evening from Cozad after spending several days there with relatives.

Darrell Healey returned yesterday morning from Omaha, where he spent the week end with friends.

Harry Porter left yesterday morning for Ogalalla and Paxton to spend several days on business.

A half hundred or more men who were employed at the U. P. ice houses were laid off Saturday and returned to Omaha.

The appeal made by Mrs. J. S. Sims that North Platte women furnish bandages for the wounded soldiers in Europe, has resulted in the shipment to New York of 250 made by local women. This work will be continued, as there is a crying need for the bandages.

**Switchmen Walk Out.**  
St. Louis.—Members of the switchmen's union employed on the Wabash railroad system went out on a strike at six o'clock last night.

According to S. F. Hebering, president of the Switchmen's union, all of the 509 union men employed by the Wabash, obeyed the strike order. According to the railroad officials, only 150 to 200 men were effected, and their places have been filled by switchmen who belong to the Brotherhood of Railway trainmen.

**Senator Lewis' Imagination**  
United States Senator J. Hamilton Lewis of Illinois, speaking in New York City Saturday night at a banquet of the Hudson County, (N. J.) Bar association, predicted that at the end of the world war, the first alliance for commercial purposes will be between Great Britain and Germany.

"As against America and its commerce in the orient and South America," he said, "Germany and England will be one united opposition."

Senator Lewis declared there is not one friendly nation in the world that would give a life or expend a dollar out of any spirit of affection or regard to preserve any interests of the United States. Our future troubles, he de-

clared, will result from our attempts to enforce the Monroe doctrine.

"The European nations," he asserted, "will deny us the right to serve as guardians for South America and will bring their forces to South or Central America, and there call upon us to advance with our armed forces to dislodge them."

"In the orient," Senator Lewis said, "Japan and Russia will form an Alliance against American encroachment, and also to oppose territorial acquisition by Germany."

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**Notice For Publication**  
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U. S. Land Office, North Platte, Nebr., Feb. 7, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Joseph R. Ellsworth, of North Platte, Nebr., who, on Oct. 14, 1911 made Homestead entry No. 05283 for N<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> of NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> and SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, Section 14, Township 14, N., Range 30, W. 6th Principal Meridian has filed notice of intention to make final three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described before the Register and Receiver, at North Platte Nebr., on the 28th day of March, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: O. H. Covell, W. S. Bunting, Fred Simants, C. P. Campbell, all of North Platte, Nebr. J. E. EVANS, Register.

**Order of Hearing on Petition for Settlement of Account.**  
State of Nebraska, Lincoln County, ss. In the County Court.  
In the Matter of the Estate of Howard F. Jeffrey, Deceased.  
On reading and filing the petition of Etta S. Campbell, nee Jeffrey, praying a final settlement of her final account, filed on the 7th day of February, 1916, and for a decree of distribution and descent of real estate and her discharge.  
Ordered that March 3, A. D. 1916, at 9 o'clock a. m., is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at said County, and show cause why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted; and that notice of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the North Platte Tribune, a semi-weekly newspaper printed in said County, for three successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing.

GEO. E. FRENCH,  
County Judge.