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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Dr. A. J. Ames, of Potter, is spending a few days here on business.

Eugene Delatour of Oshkosh, is spending this week here on business.

Dr. J. S. Sims spent the first of this week in Wallace on professional business.

W. J. Tiley left yesterday morning for Lincoln to spend several days on business.

The quarantine for small-pox which was on the Sheets home was raised Wednesday.

Attorney Albert Muldoon went to Sarben yesterday to spend the day in business.

Guy Coleman returned yesterday from Rawlins where he spent a week on business.

Mrs. D. W. Roberts, who is taking treatment at the City hospital, is getting along nicely.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Mishler of west Eleventh street yesterday morning.

J. E. Sebastian and J. A. Selby, who spent several days in Dickens on business have returned.

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

Mrs. Worth Miller, of Ogalalla, who visited local friends here this week, left yesterday morning.

Miss Mabel Stacey a registered nurse of Central City came here Wednesday evening to locate.

"Edison Day" recital at Rinker Book & Drug Store, this afternoon from 2 to 6. You are invited.

The Lutheran Brotherhood will meet Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sandall.

Wm. Carroll, of Chicago, who spent several weeks with his mother Mrs. H. C. Boyle left a few days ago.

Mrs. Grace Kirsh, who has been ill for some time with an infection in the right foot, is improving this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Orr, of Lincoln, are spending a few days here transacting business and visiting friends.

The B. P. O. Elks are planning to hold one of their social dances at their home Friday evening of next week.

We have a wonderfully good showing of Ladies' Coats and Suits and new ones arriving daily.

E. T. TRAMP & SONS.

Mrs. J. B. Murphy extended her hospitality to the Mothers' Club Wednesday afternoon. The ladies spent several hours very pleasantly in social conversation and Kensington work.

A Practical Book FREE

Planning a home is such a big problem, you cannot afford to do without the help we can give.

You will find "Attractive Bungalows" a beautiful little book filled with illustrations showing floor plans, interior and exterior views of homes that have been built.

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Come in and ask us for one.



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MISS HUFFMAN SINGS AT A SWELL BANQUET

Miss Irma Huffman, of this city, who is attending a school of art and expression in Chicago, had an honor conferred upon her last week when she was selected as soloist on the program given at the sixth annual banquet of the Michigan Society held at the Blackstone Hotel in that city last Saturday evening. This Michigan Society—composed of Chicagoans who were born in Michigan—includes some of the most prominent men of that city, W. L. Park, formerly of this city, being one.

To be placed on the program at one of the society's banquets is considered a very high compliment, and Miss Huffman was selected wholly by reason of her merit.

BLOCK FINDS BRISK BUSINESS IN EAST.

Harry I. Block, of the Block Outfitting store, returned Wednesday night from a three weeks' trip to Chicago and New York where he went to purchase spring merchandise. Mr. Block says New York was crowded with retail merchants from country towns, and in order to get waited on at the manufactories and jobbers, engagements were necessarily made in advance. The cloth manufacturing mills are short on material and orders from garment makers for piece goods are invariably only partially filled. The mills are unable to secure imported dye stuffs on account of the war, and as a result there is a shortage in their output.

All classes of goods are higher than last year and prices are being advanced daily. Garments which sold at \$15 one day were advanced to \$18 the next, and this advance will probably be further accelerated by the strike of needle workers which was inaugurated yesterday.

So great is the demand for goods and so great the shortage that manufacturers are demanding in many instances spot cash for their products.

Mr. Block spent two weeks in New York and by putting in ten hours a day was enabled to secure all merchandise desired, but it was a case of hustling all the time.

SATURDAY SPECIAL AT THE CASH MARKET

Phone 26.
Shoulder Beef Pot Roast per lb. 12½¢
Smoked Pig Bacon, 3 to 6 lbs average pieces, per lb. 15¢

CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

A very enjoyable and profitable musicale was given under the auspices of the Tillikum club in the basement of the Episcopal church Wednesday evening. Twelve numbers were given by some of the best talent in the city and each was given generous applause. A special feature of the evening was the male quartette who rendered several original comic songs in which were mentioned prominent members of the Tillikum club. They received a number of encores. An admission of twenty-five cents was charged at the door which included the nice lunch at the close of the program. The receipts were twenty-five dollars.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Elmer Wilkinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Johnson, of this city, was held from the Lutheran church yesterday afternoon. Many friends attended the services and extended condolences to the bereaved family. The pall bearers were Messrs. Arthur Tramp, Albert Westendorf, Percy Landon, F. Buckner, J. Allen and Louis Johnson. Interment was made in the North Platte cemetery.

At a meeting of the Royal Neighbors held Wednesday afternoon the following officers were installed: President Mrs. E. R. York, vice-president Mrs. Clarence Vroman, chancellor Mrs. Francis Stebbins, recorder Mrs. Mary Schmalzried, receiver Mrs. Valie Elliott, inner sentinel Mrs. Jos. Spies, outer sentinel Mrs. C. Cohagen, board of managers Mrs. E. Schott, Mrs. A. E. Lierk, and Mrs. Jennie Moore.

When the need of glasses is actually evidenced, the child of TEN needs them much more than the adult of EIGHTY. Nervous and muscular strain, due to eye defects in children, act as impediments to the mortal, moral and physical development. C. S. Clinton, Registered Optometrist. The sign with the big ring.

S. R. Derryberry has been in Lincoln this week attending the fifteenth annual gathering of the Nebraska Hardware Dealers' Association. At the opening of the convention Mr. Derryberry made the response to the address of welcome delivered by Secretary Whitten of the Commercial Club.

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James Henderson, who was a resident of this city for a number of years and has resided at Grant's Pass, Ore., for several years, will return here about February 29th to take charge of the new hardware department which Howe & Maloney will add to their business.

Evangelist Oscar Lowry, who conducted the evangelistic services in this city last May, closed a five weeks' engagement at Clarinda, Iowa, last Sunday with nearly one thousand converts. Rev. Lowry will conduct a revival at McCook beginning next Sunday.

Spring Models of Ladies' and Misses Suits, Ladies' Silk Dresses, Ladies' Coats, Ladies' Dress Skirts, extra sizes included, have arrived at The Leader.

Robert Dickey will leave for Ogalalla and Paxton today to transact business for several days.

Dr. Morrill, Dentist, McDonald Bank Building.

For Sale.

10 span of 4 year old mules. Sell your old horses and buy a span of young mules. W. T. WILCOX, North Platte, Neb.

SOCIETY AND CLUBS.

Mrs. A. J. Salisbury will entertain the Et-A-Virp club this afternoon.

Mrs. George T. Field entertained the P. E. O. society Wednesday afternoon.

The J. F. F. Club will be entertained on February 23d by Mrs. E. M. Johnston.

The Lutheran Girls' Club will give a valentine party at the parish house this evening.

Mrs. Leslie Baskins will entertain the Club Nevada on Wednesday afternoon, February 16th.

Mrs. Everett Boyd will entertain the Elite card club on Wednesday afternoon, February 23rd.

Miss Marie LeDoyt will entertain the Catholic Girls' club Monday evening. All members are requested to bring valentines.

Mrs. Henry Waltemath and Mrs. Chas. Hupper will entertain the Harmony club Monday evening at the home of the latter.

The Et-A-Virp club and their husbands will be entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ogier Monday evening at a valentine party.

Julius Hoga entertained the members of Harry E. Brown Camp, U. S. W. V., Monday evening. A pleasant evening was spent and plans for entertainments during the summer were discussed.

The Knights of Columbus and their ladies enjoyed a social dance at the Masonic hall last evening. Card games were also a feature of the evening's entertainment. Dancing continued until midnight.

Mrs. Harry Mitchell entertained the M. M. M. club Wednesday afternoon. Progressive five hundred was played and the prize awarded to Mrs. Guy Swope. Guests of the day were Mesdames Hucman, Baker and Zentmeyer.

Mrs. Frank Rork was tendered a surprise party Tuesday evening by eighteen of her friends and neighbors. Several hours were spent in games and music, the vocal solos by Mrs. Hazel Holden of Colorado Springs, and Miss Beulah McGraw being especially good.

Mrs. Joseph Jessup entertained the Elite card club Wednesday afternoon. In the games the highest scores were made by Mrs. A. W. Shilling and Mrs. Harry Johnston. Guests of the day were Mesdames Ray Snyder and Tate Sandall. A hand painted cup and saucer was presented to the hostess.

Mrs. W. B. Brown entertained the J. F. F. club Tuesday afternoon at a valentine party. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. James Dorran and Mrs. Edward Barraclough. Very enjoyable refreshments were served. Guests of the day were Mesdames W. J. Landgraf, E. Fillion, Vauney Love and Miss Blanche Thornburg.

Mrs. Fred Waltemath entertained the Indian card club Tuesday afternoon. The prizes were awarded to Mesdames Charles Reynolds and Thomas Healey. Assisting the hostess were Mesdames J. F. Clabough, Charles Wier and C. R. Morey. Mrs. F. J. Wurtele was taken into the membership. An out of town guest was Mrs. Johnston, of Plattsmouth, N. Y.

The Twentieth Century club met at Chamber of Commerce rooms Tuesday evening, February 8th. The president extended thanks to all who contributed to make the municipal Christmas tree a success, and also to those who donated and helped deliver Christmas baskets. A card of thanks from teachers and pupils for grafanolia was read and accepted. Several reels of pictures pertaining to baby week will be shown by Mr. Garman in addition to his regular program on Saturday, March 10th. Miss Roker will be in charge and explain the same. No extra charge. The club decided to entertain the city teachers on Saturday afternoon, February 26th at Odd Fellows' hall with a program and refreshments.

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