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DR. O. H. CRESSLER,

Graduate Dentist

Office over the McDonald State Bank.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

A baby girl was born yesterday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Easton.

For Rent—Eight room house. Inquire of Mrs. Mrs. Louise Peters at Timmerman hotel.

Miss Georgia Hoxie has returned from a short visit with friends in Paxton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Smith returned Tuesday evening from a week's stay in Omaha.

Rev. S. P. Carroll of Wisner, arrived this week to visit Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Murphy.

Dr. Richardson, of Hershey, spent part of this week here assisting Dr. J. S. Twinn.

For Sale—Pure White Rose Comb Plymouth Rock Roosters, A. F. McMasters, Phone 792F011.

Miss Hazel Smith went to Hershey yesterday to teach during the absence of Miss Loretta Murphy.

The John Gless home, 223 South Pine was placed under quarantine Wednesday morning for small pox.

Mrs. L. E. Doak and son, of St. Paul, came Wednesday evening to visit her brother Harry Cramer and family.

John Holcombe of Laramie, has been in town for a day or two transacting business and visiting friends.

Miss Loretta Murphy teacher in the Hershey schools was called here yesterday by the sudden death of her father.

Mrs. Fred Sudman and Mrs. Guy Newman of Chappell, who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waltemath for ten days left Wednesday evening.

For Dress-making of all kinds call on Mrs. Thomas Mobley, 615 South Chestnut. Prices reasonable. Phone Black 697.

Messrs. Williams and Dickie, of the Green Trading Stamp Co., of Kansas City, spent the first of this week on business at the local branch at The Leader.

Wednesday was one of Chief Baker's busy days. He was called upon to quarantine five houses for measles and two for small-pox. Measles are getting to be quite prevalent in all sections of the city.

Tate lodge, A. O. U. W., which owns the lot across the street south from the Methodist church has received an offer of \$3,500 for the property and a postal card vote of the 336 members will be taken as to whether the property shall be sold at that price.

During the month of February the receipts of hogs at the South Omaha yards exceeded those of any previous month, the total reaching 492,000 head. Notwithstanding the heavy receipts prices have steadily advanced, and eight-cent hogs in North Platte are about due.

A stranger giving his name as Evans was taken in charge by Officer Jones Tuesday evening and placed in the county hospital. The man was found in an injured condition in the U. P. yards shortly after train No. 4 had left and it was thought he attempted to jump from the train while in motion and was seriously hurt. His face is badly mutilated and eight stitches were taken in his head. His condition renders him unable to tell how the accident occurred or give any information about himself.

We are having new accounts daily simply because people can combine their GROCERY and DRY GOODS accounts to one reliable store. We can give you excellent satisfaction in both lines, even as far as delivering a spool of thread to your home. Phone 117.

E. T. TRAMP & SONS.

The Omaha decorator has transformed the interior of the Vienna Cafe into a picture gallery. On the three sides of the dining and lunch rooms, on a background of mottled brown, the decorator has painted marine, woodland and prairie scenes in large panel sizes, one particular striking picture representing four prospective towers standing off a bunch of Indians, a copy of a painting by Frederick Remington. "Buffalo Bill" is represented in an oval painting. The decorator is not quite through with his work, but the beauty of it is easily discernible.

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"BETTER BABIES" FILMS AND LECTURE TONIGHT

All over the United States the week commencing March 4th and closing March 11th will be celebrated as "Better Babies" week. In hundreds of towns and cities exhibits and lectures will be given on the subject of the proper care of babies and children. So many, many children go through life seriously hampered because of the lack of proper care received when they were young. The "Better Babies" campaign is for the purpose of giving every child a little better show for perfect physical development.

This (Friday) evening at the Keith theatre—in connection with the usual program—will be shown two reels of pictures concerning the welfare of babies and children. One reel will be a "Better Babies" contest and the other one will illustrate the importance of a pure milk supply for children. Mrs. Emma Reed Davison, who is in charge of the Home Economics department of Women's Clubs in Nebraska, and is also in charge of the Home Economics extension work in connection with the state university will speak Friday in North Platte and will deliver a short address in connection with these picture films at 8:15 p. m.

RAILROAD NOTES

Thomas Hagerly has returned to work at the U. P. round house after being off duty for a couple of weeks with an injured foot.

Among the freight passing over the Union Pacific this week was a solid train of fifty cars of canned salmon enroute to foreign countries. There were 2,200,000 cans in the shipment.

Two carloads of gypsies enroute from San Francisco to eastern points passed through on train No. 29 Tuesday afternoon. One of them, a fortune teller, wore a necklace of twenty dollar gold pieces and a boy of five summers was seen puffing a big cigar.

Of the 42,000 serviceable box cars owned by the Union Pacific road, nearly one-half are held in the east loaded and awaiting clearing up of the congestion on the Atlantic coast. Most of these cars are loaded with grain awaiting shipment to Europe.

John and Frank Kurda of Omaha seven years ago gave evidence that helped to convict five men of train robbery on the Union Pacific near the Omaha city limits. They had found evidence that led to the arrest and conviction of the men. Yesterday these same men were on trial in the federal in Omaha charged with stealing candy from a Northwestern freight car. The car was in the Union Pacific yards in South Omaha when robbed.

To Contractors and Builders.

Let me figure with you on your reinforcing rods, all structural steel, including cast columns, thresholds, joist anchors, etc., before you place your order. I can save you money on these. 11-3 J. H. VAN CLEAVE.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE McDonald State Bank.

of North Platte, Charter No. 647 in the State of Nebraska at the close of business February 24, 1916.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$365,281.20
Overdrafts	453.93
Bonds, securities, judgments	16,800.00
Real estate	15,000.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	7,509.22
Other Real Estate	
Due from national and state banks	\$77,767.21
Checks and items in exchange	4,731.41
Currency	13,240.00
Gold coin	3,010.00
Silver, nickels and cents	5,443.27
Total	\$510,296.34

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund	17,500.00
Undivided profits	6,294.91
Individual deposits	
Due to national and state banks	\$225,915.56
Time certificates of deposit	1,905.52
Due to national and state banks	137,206.45
Due to national and state banks	17,504.01
Depositors' Guaranty Fund	4,056.86
Total	\$510,296.34

State of Nebraska, County of Lincoln, ss I, W. H. McDonald, cashier of the above named bank do hereby certify that the above statement is a correct and true copy of the report made to the State Banking Board.

Attest: CHAS. McDONALD, Director S. V. BERNHARDT, Director SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 1st day of March, 1916. C. F. STRAUSS, Notary Public. My commission expires May 11, 1921.

For County Attorney.

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SOCIETY AND CLUBS.

Mrs. Chas. E. Edwards will be hostess at a card party this afternoon.

Mrs. Roy Banks entertained the J. Y. M. club the latter part of last week.

Mrs. M. K. Neville was hostess to the Saturday Bridge club Saturday evening.

Mrs. J. B. Hayes entertained a coffee of ladies at a "movie" party at the Keith last evening.

Mrs. Harry Fleischman will give the fourth of a series of Saturday afternoon parties tomorrow. A dozen ladies will be her guests.

Messdames A. B. Hagland and Chas. Herrod will entertain a number of ladies at a Kensington at the Herrod home Monday afternoon.

The meeting of the Bridge Club which was to have been held at the home of Mrs. J. B. Hayes Tuesday evening was indefinitely postponed.

Messdames Charles Herrod, J. B. Hayes, Arthur Hagland and E. F. Seeberger will entertain the Indian Card Club Tuesday afternoon at the home of the latter.

Mrs. Mae Simpson was tendered a handkerchief shower Monday evening at the home of her mother Mrs. Max McGrew. The evening was spent in games and social conversation.

Mrs. Thomas Healey will entertain a number of ladies at a theatre party at the Keith tomorrow evening and a supper at the Gem in honor of Miss Hannah Kellher of Omaha.

The Indian Card club was entertained Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. F. J. Wurtele. Mrs. Arthur Hagland won first prize and Mrs. Charles Weir second. Out of town guests were Misses Hannah Kellher of Omaha and Hallie Smith, of Kearney.

The Edeon club was pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Ed Weeks Wednesday afternoon. In an election of officers held Mrs. D. B. Doebeke was elected president, Miss Eva Baker vice-president, Mrs. George Shaffer secretary and Mrs. G. B. Garrard treasurer.

The Zeta Zeta club was entertained Wednesday afternoon by Messdames A. M. Seibert and Clyde Cook at the home of the former. The afternoon was spent in Kensington work. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Robert Armstrong, who will be assisted by Mrs. George Trexler.

The Entomous club was entertained Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Harry Johnston. In the card games Messdames Will Owens and Sinclair were awarded prizes. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Theodore Lowe, Jr., in two weeks. An out-of-town guest was Mrs. Robert Lanning of Grand Island.

Mrs. Arthur Fink was hostess to the B-A-Virp club Tuesday afternoon. The rooms were decorated appropriate to Washington's Birthday and tiny hatchets were given as favors. In the unique contests which were held the royal prizes were awarded to Messdames George Voseipka and Wallace Quinn and the consolation emblem to Mrs. A. E. Timmerman. Two new members Mrs. W. J. Tiley and Mrs. Maurice Guillaume were taken into the membership. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Nels Rasmussen in two weeks.

The Altar Guild of the Episcopal church held a musical and tea at the Clinton home on Tuesday afternoon. The hours for serving were between 4 and 6 o'clock and the attendance was very large. The ladies were received by Mrs. Bowker, Mrs. Clinton and Miss Hildegard Clinton and the refreshment were served by Misses Bullard, Clinton, McFarland and Mrs. Andy McGovern, Mrs. F. J. Wurtele and Miss Edith Willis poured tea. The program was a very enjoyable one and those taking part were Messdames Bowker, Cramer, Redenbaugh, Morey and Hatch and Misses Alma Waltemath, Elise Waltemath, Alice Hoagland and Hildegard Clinton. The shades were drawn and the rooms lit with shaded lights. The proceeds received from the free-will offering will be used to purchase new altar linen.

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Sam P. Delatour, banker and cattleman of Lowell, and former North Platte resident, visited friends in town yesterday while enroute home from a trip to Washington.

John W. Tucker, clerk in the post-office, received a badly cut head yesterday when he fell on the sidewalk on east Sixth street while enroute home during the noon hour.

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In a letter from the shippers, they tell us to sell them quick, that means we are to set the price, which suits us fine. That is the way we sold peaches last summer. As this will be the last car of this pack, we would advise you to get you share, we expect to sell this car quick.

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R. N. LAMB,

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