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Graduate Dentist

Office over the McDonald State Bank.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Mrs. Howard Dolson left the first of this week for Omaha.

For Rent—Clean furnished rooms, \$1.50 up. 723 Locust St. 57-9*

Miss Eunice Babbitt, of the Lincoln schools came the first of this week to spend a month with the home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Inman left yesterday afternoon for Grand Island to visit the latter's parents for some time.

Miss Marie Doran, who had been taking musical instructions in Chicago for several weeks, came home Wednesday evening.

Miss Clarissa Kane, bookkeeper in the Twinn office left yesterday for Chicago, New York and Atlantic City to spend a month.

Thomas Gass, who superintended the construction of the Lincoln Highway bridge is spending a few days here on business.

Wanted—Roomers and boarders at the Woodbine rooming house, 309 east Sixth street. Good meals and modern rooms. 57ft.

Miss Nell Toole, of Kearney, arrived here Wednesday evening and will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boyle for ten days.

George Shilling, of the Barklow News Stand is off duty this week on account of illness. His duties are being performed by Mrs. F. R. Ginn.

Mrs. James T. Doty, of Charleston, Ill., arrived here Wednesday evening to visit her daughter Mrs. Edward Burke for several weeks.

Gerald A. Stack, of Denver, who is in charge of the city paving work left a few days ago for Denver to visit his family. He will return tomorrow.

Mrs. Clarence Turner and two children, of Boise, Idaho, who spent two months with the former's mother Mrs. Bridget Moran, left for home a few days ago.

Miss Mary Gleaser, of Roscoe, came yesterday morning to visit Mr. and Mrs. Norman Louden while enroute to Chicago to have an operation performed on her eyes.

The board of education will hold a meeting Monday evening at which time the opening of the city schools, assignment of teachers and other important matters will be discussed.

Louis Peterson returned yesterday morning from a short visit in Kearney.

F. A. Saddle began work as driver for the Hawley & Lowe Ice Co. a few days ago.

Mrs. M. J. Stewart left yesterday morning for Paxton to spend several days.

The most complete stock of records for talking machines in the city, Dixon, the Jeweler.

Jack Husband left the first of this week with a fishing party to spend ten days in western towns.

Highest market price paid for hides. We buy dry bones, iron and other junk. North Platte Junk House. 27ft

The Lincoln county teachers' institute will be held from August 14th to 18th at the high school building.

Mrs. C. S. Clinton, who has been visiting relatives in Michigan for several weeks, is expected home next week.

The local base ball team will leave August 11th for Cheyenne to play there on the 12th and 13th of August.

Lost—Package containing auto suit and 2 shirts. Leave at this office. If

Mrs. Charles Terrell, of Omaha, formerly Miss Alice Rennie of this city, came a few days ago to visit her mother.

Mrs. C. R. Meyers is enjoying a visit from her sister Mrs. Goodwin, one of the high school teachers of Kansas City.

The Royal Girls and ladies' bible class of the M. E. church will hold an exchange at the Derryberry & Forbes store tomorrow.

Mrs. J. Shephard and children formerly of this city, who have resided in Omaha for a number of months, came Wednesday evening to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jesse VanDyke and other friends.

Don't forget the Chamber of Commerce Noonday Luncheon Saturday, McCabe Hotel, speaker Governor Gless. Monday noon, Hon. W. L. Nolan, Owl Cafe. Phone 63 for reservation.

Frank E. Beeman, a prominent attorney of Kearney, and known to many North Platte people died at his home Tuesday afternoon after suffering several weeks from a heat stroke and valvular heart trouble. He had resided in Kearney since 1888.

Dr. Fenner, of this city, has been spending this week attending the sessions of the American Osteopathic Association taking in all that is possible in the way of the latest and most improved work in his profession—clinics, lectures and demonstrations. He is taking special work including the famous Bailey method for the cure of hay fever. He will be home Tuesday to resume his practice.

Ford Will Visit Fremont.

W. J. Hendy has received a letter from Detroit in which it is announced that Henry Ford, maker of the Ford cars, will be in Fremont next week during the tractor demonstration, which takes place August 7th to 11th. The letter says Mr. Ford will certainly be there August 8th. The Ford tractor will be demonstrated.

Men Strong for Strike.

A New York dispatch dated August 24 said: When 200,000 of the 400,000 ballots cast by members of four brotherhoods who are voting on the question of calling a general strike on 225 railroads had been counted at noon today, it was announced that "a preponderant number of the men are in favor of a strike."

Buy Keystone Bank.

The Whelpton interests in the bank at Keystone were purchased this week by Ray C. Langford and Horton Manger of this city, and R. H. Barber of Keystone. Mr. Barber had been cashier of the bank and under the new deal becomes president. Mr. Langford is the vice-president and Paul Kanow cashier. The bank as a dividend producer is said to be very desirable property.

Co. E Stands Well.

A letter received in town from Captain Halligan, of Company E, states that in a twelve mile hike last week that company was the only one who did not have one or more men drop from the ranks during the march. That is certainly a good showing for the men composing Company E, and relatives and friends will learn with satisfaction that the boys are in such good physical condition.

Married at Lexington.

Miss Mildred Lonhes and Frank Winslow were married at Lexington Tuesday afternoon and returned to this city to make their home. The bride recently came here from Council Bluffs, resided with Mr. and Mrs. Will Huffer, and for several months was employed as bookkeeper in the Green plumbing shop. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Winslow and is employed as driver for the Tramp grocery. Their friends are extending congratulations.

Sell 293 Fords.

The Hendy-Ogier Company, North Platte agents for the Ford car, during the year ending July 31st sold two hundred and ninety-three cars of that make. Had the company been able to have secured cars at all times the sales would have been considerably greater. This business is only additional evidence of the popularity of the Ford, and under the reduced prices effective August 1st the sales of the car by the Hendy-Ogier Co. during the coming year will be limited only by the ability to get them.

In addition to the Ford cars sold, the firm disposed of a number of Dodge cars.

Maxwell Road Well Along.

Grading the new road between the east side of the river through to Maxwell, which is to form a link of the Lincoln Highway, was discontinued Tuesday, after the work—except a small stretch at Gannett—had been completed. This Gannett stretch will be completed following a rain that will well soak the soil, the sand being too deep when dry to work the tractor.

This grading was done with the new \$3,000 tractor engine purchased by the county commissioners with A. B. Hoagland as operator. The tractor does remarkably good work, drawing two twelve-foot blade machines with apparent ease, at a gait of a little over two miles per hour. It is evident that in purchasing the tractor and the two blade machines the commissioners made a wise and economical move and have practically solved the good roads proposition in Lincoln county.

It is probable that the commissioners will add a road crowner to the outfit, thus making the equipment for road building complete.

Beets in Fair Shape

Field Agent Bryan, of the Grand Island sugar factory, says the sugar beets in his district—all territory west of North Platte—are in very fair shape. In the Sutherland district about thirty acres were destroyed in the recent hail storm and in a few other fields the crop suffered to some extent from lack of irrigation when the water in the river was low. The bulk of the crop, however, is in much better condition than last year and the tonnage promises to be heavier.

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CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

Joseph Schatz spent the first of this week in Kearney on business.

Dr. Brock, Dentist, over Stone Drug Store.

Fred Elliott left Wednesday afternoon for Omaha to visit for several days.

Mrs. Fred Payne has returned from an extended visit with relatives in the east.

Lucien Stebbins left Wednesday evening for Chicago to spend several weeks.

Attorney J. T. Bird, of Gothenburg, transacted legal business in town yesterday.

William McNeet, of Gothenburg, is spending this week in town with friends.

Floyd Steele, of Alda, formerly of this city is spending a few days in town this week.

Mrs. Edward Elasser has been very ill for several days past but is slightly improved.

Mrs. J. R. Baker, of LeMoyno, came down Wednesday to visit here for a week or longer.

The Federal ball team will play with the Stapleton nine at Stapleton on Sunday, August 6th.

Elmer Craft, of Cedar Rapids, came recently to accept a position with the North Platte Produce Co.

Mrs. W. W. Cummings, who submitted to an operation the first of this week is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Johnston who spent several weeks in California returned home the first of this week.

Richard Owens left Wednesday afternoon for Grand Island to visit for several days with his mother.

Fresh buttermilk daily from experimental station at the Stone Drug store. 52-ft

Miss Gladys Stegall left at noon Wednesday for Grand Island to visit relatives for a week or longer.

Mrs. J. A. Beam, Ira Trout and John R. Thompson of Dickens, are spending this week in town.

William Harcourt will return Monday from Chicago where spent the past week purchasing winter stock.

Miss Pauline Baldock, bookkeeper at the Lierk-Sandall grocery is off duty this week on account of illness.

Misses Jennie and Edna Erickson, of Farnam, who visited for a week with Miss Jennie Carlson have returned home.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Groves was quarantined Wednesday afternoon with a case of scarlet fever.

For Farm Loans see or write Gene Crook, room 3, Walmath building, North Platte. 41ft

Ben Elliott, formerly of this city, is expected this week to visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elliott for two weeks.

Mrs. Kate Coleman and children, of Brady, were here yesterday and the former was appointed administratrix in the estate of her husband, the late J. H. Coleman.

Mrs. George Myr and daughter, of Wellfleet came Tuesday and the latter will take treatment in the North Platte General hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Charles Groves and children who had been visiting in Denver for ten days, came home Tuesday evening.

George Polson and family, of Trumbull, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kelly this week while enroute to Lodgepole by auto.

M. O. Stanley, of Kansas City, who was employed at the Dixon jewelry for several weeks, resigned last week and returned home.

Miss Ruth Elasser, of Cheyenne, came Wednesday afternoon to visit her brother Edward Elasser and family for a week or longer.

Fred Barraclough who had been employed in the local machine shops for a number of years was placed on the pension list this week.

The regular concert of the North Platte band which was to be held this evening has been postponed on account of Chautauqua.

Harry Porter has purchased of T. R. Healey the corner lot north of the W. V. Hoagland residence and will erect a home thereon this year.

The Twentieth Century club will hold their first meeting for the winter on Sept. 12th to make arrangement for the next year's work.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Breen who live several miles north of town will arrive here tomorrow to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Mathias Elias.

Frances Welch, of Kansas City, who has frequently assisted in St. Patrick's church choir, came yesterday morning to visit friends and transact business.

Mrs. P. M. Sorenson and daughter who have been visiting relatives in Vermillion, S. D., for a number of weeks, are expected to return home next week.

Mrs. John Woolsey and two children of Vancouver, Wash., are expected here the first of next week to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Gilman for several weeks.

Ray Langford left Wednesday evening for Cherokee Park to remain ten days and accompany home his wife and sons, who have been there for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Warren and children of Tampa, Fla., came Wednesday morning to spend several weeks with Mrs. Warren's parents Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bullard.

The World-Herald of Tuesday published the marriage license of William Craig, of this city, and Miss Edna Ward of Barnard, Neb.

Mrs. George A. Saint and three children, of Milwaukee, are expected next week to visit local relatives. Mrs. Saint was formerly Miss Margaret Gilman of this city.

REASON NO. 1.

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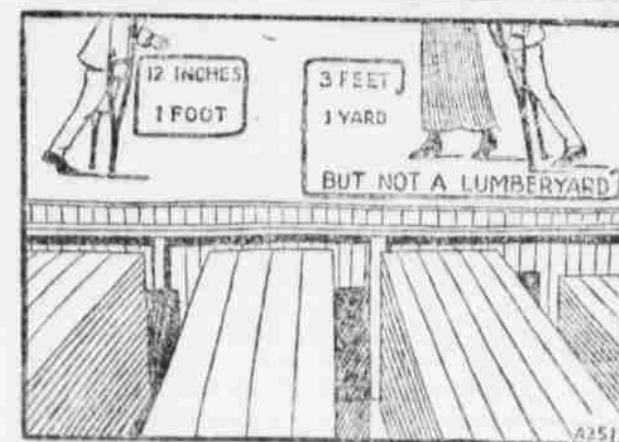
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