

### CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

Ben Elliott, of Lincoln, is visiting his parents this week.

For Sale—New house at 1212 west Third street. Phone Black 859. 60-6

Loren Hastings left Sunday morning for an extended visit in California cities.

Silas Nunn sustained a fracture of the right arm Friday while cranking a car.

Francis Norris returned yesterday morning from Denver where he spent two weeks.

Ralph Starkey, who had been visiting in Omaha, returned home Saturday morning.

An average of one thousand pounds of butter fat is shipped out of Dickens each week.

Mrs. A. E. Erickson chaperoned a camping party which spent the week end near Maxwell.

Dick Stegemann returned yesterday morning from a visit to Colorado Springs and Denver.

Perry Sitton of Omaha, left for Rawlins yesterday morning after visiting friends here for a day.

Miss Nell Hanfin, of The Leader, is taking a two weeks' vacation which began yesterday morning.

Attorney W. T. Wilcox and family left yesterday morning for Denver to visit for a week or longer.

Mrs. Charles Bartos, of Omaha, is expected here today to visit with her cousin, Miss Lillian Bechon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Murphy returned Sunday evening from a weeks' visit in Omaha and Wisner with friends.

Let Landgraf & Hoga do your painting, paper hanging and decorating. Phone Black 692 or Black 570. 33f

Deputy Food Inspector Healey returned Saturday from an official visit to towns in the central part of the state.

Mrs. Wm. Eves, of Hershey, left last week for Stockton, Cal., where she will make her home with her son George.

At the meeting of the Masons this evening the degree of entered apprentice will be conferred upon two candidates.

Mrs. Everett York and daughter, Beulah, left yesterday morning for Cheyenne to visit friends for a week or more.

Master Orin Garrison and sister Catherine, who have been visiting friends in Paxton, will return home tomorrow.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leffler, of Holdrege, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Keith for several days and left yesterday morning.

W. H. Turple, who had been spending a week in town, went to Wyoming yesterday. He will spend this fall in the northwest part of this state buying and selling cattle.

About a thousand head of sheep were unloaded at Sutherland last week and driven to the Taylor ranch southwest of that town.

Miss Marguerite Gifford, of Kearney, reporter for the Kearney Hub, is spending a week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Erickson.

The Logan county fair will be held at Stapleton September 13th, 14th and 15th, and the committee promises a good time for everybody.

Dr. Fenner was called to Paxton Saturday evening on professional business.

Jarve Wright returned a few days ago from an extended visit in western points.

C. H. Boyle left Saturday evening for Omaha to spend a few days on business.

Miss Lenora Scott left Saturday afternoon for Sterling to visit friends for a week.

Miss Gertrude Rebhausen will leave this week to resume her musical work at Hastings.

Miss Minnie Lowe left Saturday evening for Rawlins to spend two weeks with her sister.

Dr. Brock, Dentist, over Stone Drug Store.

William Kortlang, of Omaha, spent the past three days here combining business and pleasure.

J. H. Norrick, of Omaha, left Saturday evening after spending a few days with O. H. Thoelecke.

Miss Ethel Worlemont, of Cheyenne, is visiting with her cousins the Misses Irene and Dorothy Hubbard.

Mrs. John Day and daughter Elva have returned from a two weeks' visit in Portland with relatives.

Miss Ellen McCarthy will leave in a few days for Spaulding to visit the home folks for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duncan left yesterday by auto for a tour of Estes Park and other western points.

Mrs. Omar Huff, who has been visiting friends in Paxton for two weeks, is expected to return tomorrow.

John Hahler, who has been employed at Sidney for several weeks, came a few days ago to visit his parents.

Mrs. Edward Willis and children will leave Thursday for an extended visit with relatives in cities of Michigan.

Dr. Morrill, Dentist, McDonald Bank Building.

Miss Anna Poynter, of Sutherland, returned home Saturday evening after visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Knowles.

Mrs. George Halligan returned to Brule Saturday evening after visiting the Halligan family here for several days.

Miss Elizabeth Schick, of Shelton, who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Will Yost, returned home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. John Weinberger left Saturday evening for Lordsburg, N. M., to spend a couple of weeks with her daughter.

The Misses Helen and Jessie Baker, who had been visiting in Denver and other western points came home Sunday evening.

Miss Anna Hayes returned the latter part of last week from a visit of six weeks in Victor, Iowa, and other eastern points.

Mrs. Percy O'Brien, of Omaha, who spent two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. H. Smith, returned to Omaha Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Ralph Smith and children returned Saturday afternoon from Kearney where they had been visiting relatives for a week.

Clifford Welliver, of Fresno, Cal., arrived here Sunday afternoon to visit his sister Mrs. George Wilson while enroute to St. Louis.

Misses Agnes and Mary O'Neil, of Lincoln, who have been the guests of their cousin, Miss Marie Stack for two weeks, will leave Friday.

### STRANGER STEALS AUTO—NOW INMATE OF JAIL.

Ed Lewis, unknown in these parts, but who claims he lately had been working in a Cheyenne garage is in jail on the charge of stealing an auto belonging to L. L. Zook, of the state farm force. Mr. Zook came to town Sunday evening to attend services at the Christian church, leaving the car at the curb. When service was dismissed, he found his car missing and reported the theft to Sheriff Salisbury, who with his accustomed alacrity notified towns east and west to be on the lookout for a man driving a certain numbered Ford car. Early yesterday morning the sheriff received a phone message from Julesburg stating that the man and car arrived there at four o'clock and that both were awaiting him. He went to Julesburg on the early morning train and returned yesterday afternoon with the car and the thief.

Lewis will be given a preliminary hearing some time today or tomorrow. Lewis announced last evening that he would probably plead guilty before Judge Grimes today. "When a man is caught with the goods," said Lewis, "he might as well 'fess up, and that's what I'll do." The penalty is from one to seven years in the penitentiary.

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Mrs. Harry Kelso, who has been ill for several days is much improved.

Miss Elva Day resumed her duties in the Block store yesterday after a month's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Day returned last evening from their honeymoon trip to eastern points.

Edward Greaser will leave next week for New York City and other eastern points to visit relatives.

Albert Shaw, of Winchester, Kans., who was visiting his brother D. L. Shaw, left at noon yesterday.

Miss Wynn Sullivan, of Brady, came Sunday to visit at the Fitzpatrick home and attend the institute.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet with Mrs. A. P. Kelly Friday afternoon.

Miss Estelle Andrew, of Rockford, Ill., came yesterday afternoon to visit with Mr. and Mrs. George Monks for several weeks.

J. B. Hemphill was called to Broken Arrow, Oklahoma yesterday afternoon by the death of a niece, who was drowned there Sunday.

Charlie Chaplin, in the comedy "Police" and the Metro feature "Cora" with Emily Evans, will make up the program at the Keith Wednesday night.

Mrs. Walter Beam and children, of Lordsburg, N. M., returned home the latter part of last week after visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Weinberger for several months.

DIXON, Jeweler and Optometrist.

The Odd Fellows lodge of Hershey at a recent meeting decided to hold a picnic September 16th in one of the groves near that place.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Mann returned Friday evening from Denver, Colorado Springs and Estes Park where they spent two weeks with an auto party of tourists.

The premium list for the Lincoln county fair is now ready for distribution and may be had on application to W. D. Fisher, secretary of the fair association.

Col. C. J. Bills, of Lincoln, well known throughout Nebraska, spent a few days here this week while enroute home from the Yellowstone Park with a party of tourists.

The several garages of the city say the number of auto tourists in town Saturday was larger than on any day this year. One garage alone looked after the wants of forty cars.

The bans of marriage between Miss Nora Jeffers, of this city and Elmer Mills, of Casper, Wyo., were announced for the first time at St. Patrick's church Sunday morning. The marriage will take place on Tuesday morning, August 22nd.

The Riverside Country Club has accepted plans for a club house which will probably be erected this fall at a cost of about \$3,500. The plans call for a dancing room, reception parlor, lounging room, shower bath and large verandas on two sides.

Up to yesterday the officers had not obtained any clue of the fellow or fellows who burglarized the Howe & Maloney store Thursday evening. About the only way in which a clue can be obtained is when the stolen knives and revolvers are offered for sale, and it is not likely they will be offered for sale within a reasonable distance of North Platte. Word of the robbery was sent to all neighboring towns.

"WHEN A MAN'S A MAN," Harold Bell Wright's New Book, \$1.35 on sale now at C. M. Newton's. 60-4

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<p><b>Brodbeck &amp; Son</b> The Best in Meats.</p> <p><b>Rincker Book &amp; Drug Co.</b> Complete line of Drugs and Reading Matter.</p> <p><b>Wilcox Department Store</b> New Fall Styles in All Lines.</p> <p><b>Hendy-Ogier Auto Co.</b> Ford, Dodge and Chalmers Cars and Accessories.</p> <p><b>A. F. Fink</b> Full line of Harness, and Shoe Repairing.</p> <p><b>Harry Samuelson</b> Latest Styles for Men.</p> <p><b>Rexall Drug Store</b> Drugs, Toilet Articles and Paints.</p> <p><b>Rush Mercantile Co.</b> The last word in Fresh Groceries.</p> <p><b>Harcourt Clothing Co.</b> Can show you the Togs for Fall.</p> <p><b>Herrod. Phone 208.</b> Clean Groceries, Clean Store.</p> <p><b>The Leader Mercantile Co.</b> Get the Habit, Trade Here.</p>	<p><b>A. &amp; J. O'Hare</b> The most complete line and the best in Bakery Goods.</p> <p><b>Stone Drug Store</b> We Aim High in our line—Ice Cream—Drugs—Toilet Articles.</p> <p><b>Palace Cafe</b> Our Specialty—the Eats and Service.</p> <p><b>The Star Clothing House</b> Styles for Men and Boys that are Nifty Dressers.</p> <p><b>Cash Austin</b> Can Fix Your Watch and Fix it Right, for he knows how.</p> <p><b>H. L. Gaunt, North Side Confectionery</b> Ice Cream Cones for the kiddies and Sweets for all.</p> <p><b>J. B. McDonald</b> Clothing that is Exclusive in Design and Wears Well.</p> <p><b>D. J. Antonides North Side Hardware</b> Hardware that is Right.</p> <p><b>Echelbery's</b> General Store. Phone 150.</p>
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Take it from us, young man, few girls of the right sort have the heart to turn down a man who is thoughtful enough to give her in the beginning her heart's desire—a home of her own. It's the one thing that every woman wants for there her dreams of past years become realities.

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### "BILLY" WHITNEY COMES BACK TO UNION PACIFIC.

W. A. Whitney, in the early days a train dispatcher at Grand Island, then assistant superintendent and later superintendent of the Wyoming division, has been appointed superintendent of transportation of the Union Pacific with headquarters in Omaha. For several years past he has been general superintendent of the Oregon Short Line at Salt Lake.

"Billy" Whitney was one of the most popular officials the Union Pacific has ever had on the Nebraska and Wyoming lines, and while in his new position he will not come in close contact with the employes, all the older employes will welcome his return to the Union Pacific.

### Library Notes

There are now 2955 borrowers, an increase of twenty-five in two weeks. An interesting and beautifully illustrated National Parks Portfolio has just been placed in the magazine section.

The Proceedings of the Eleventh Annual Convention of the Mid-West Cement Users Association may be found in the magazine section.

Those interested in Sociology and Economics will find The Annals of The American Academy of Political and Social Science very helpful.

The following books have been placed in the special section for this month: Stories of Industry by Chase and Clow; Harper's Wireless Book—Verrill; Harper's Machinery Book—Adams; Making Wireless Outfits—Harrison; Boys' Book of Inventions—Baker; Every Boys' Book of Handicraft—Fraser; Haeker's Electricity Book.

### FOR SALE.

Convenient, comfortable home, cement walks and auto drive, modern except heat, full basement cemented. Almost new. Will sell cheaper than you can build. Inquire at 1015 east 4th.

Mrs. George Kios is visiting with the home folks in St. Joseph, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thomas and son, of York, are visiting local friends this week.

B. B. Baker left yesterday morning for Lexington to spend several days on business.

Miss Margaret Mettin, of the ten cent store began her summer vacation yesterday morning and will visit in Colorado Springs and other points west.

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