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### CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

Mrs. Gus Anderson spent the week end with her daughter in Hershey. Wash skirts, the whole stock at close out prices at Wilcox Dept. Store.

Mrs. Henry Olson, of Gothenburg, is visiting this week with Mrs. P. A. Osterberg.

Big showing of early fall styles in Suits and Coats now at The Leader Mercantile Co.'s.

Miss Margaret Barker left Friday evening for Denver to spend ten days or more with her cousin.

Montana Zimmer, of Cheyenne, is expected here this week to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wells.

I now have funds at 5 1/2 per cent on choice bottom table land. Gene Crook, Room 4, Keith theatre Bldg.

Mrs. William Whitlock left Saturday morning for the western part of the state to visit for a short time.

Miss Marie Osborne, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Morey left Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Thompson, of Chappell, visited the former's parents here last week while enroute to Omaha.

Mrs. Lew. Aufgard, who visited with Mr. and Mrs. James Dorrain, left for Lowell the latter part of last week.

Miss Elta Louise Munsinger, of Wayne, arrived here Friday evening to visit with her aunt Mrs. Ralph Garman for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. James Roddy left Saturday evening for Excelsior Springs and other eastern points to spend a couple of weeks.

Ray Post, of Sutherland, who had been taking medical treatment here for some time, returned home the latter part of last week.

You mothers who have boys in age from 3 to 14 years should see the wonderful bargains being offered in Waists, shirts, knee pants, hosiery and shoes at The Leader Mercantile Co.'s

Mrs. Charles Ericson and children and Miss Elizabeth Noland, of Chicago, who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Asa Snyder last week while enroute home from western points, left Friday evening.

640 acres of hay land on shares 10 miles north of North Platte joining the Fred Kuser land. Renter to get two-thirds of hay in stack. Write at once to L. C. Crandall, Lincoln, Nebr.

J. E. Sebastian returned Friday from a visit in Chappell with relatives and in other western towns on business. He will leave shortly for St. Paul, Minn., to attend the annual convention of the Minnesota Mutual Life Insurance Co. which will be held in Wisconsin.

Farm and Ranch loans at lowest rates and best terms. Money on hand to close loans promptly.

431st BUCHANAN & PATTERSON.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Swope have returned from Omaha where they visited last week.

Mrs. L. B. Kershon, of Muskogee, spent the week end as the guest of Mrs. B. B. Boatman.

Mrs. Brooks Meadows and daughter left a few days ago for Omaha and other eastern points.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry A. Carson returned Saturday morning from a week's stay in Omaha.

Try Spicer's New Cab if you desire good cab service. Phone 247.

Mrs. Joseph Kooz and children returned Saturday from a week's visit with friends at Genoa.

You can buy a nice summer dress for about one-half price at Wilcox Department store.

Mr. and Mrs. William Maloney, Sr., and Mrs. J. J. Horrigan will leave next month for Grand Island to make their home.

The Leader Mercantile Co. has added a millinery department to their business. Mrs. Orta Sailor will be in charge.

John Anderson, age seventy-seven, died at the Pulver hospital Friday afternoon of nephritis. Interment was made Sunday.

John Dalgarn, age 22, and Miss Myrtle Peltko, age 22, of Elsie, were granted a marriage license Saturday morning by County Judge French.

The Dawson County Fair will be held Sept. 18 to 23d. A program of automobile, motorcycle and horse races is being arranged and a carnival company will hold continuous performances.

The Lincoln county institute will be held in the Franklin school September 23d to 27th inclusive. The annual reception for the teachers and institute instructors will be held Monday evening, September 23d. The faculty will be Dr. A. E. Winship, of Boston, Mass., Prof. Howard R. Driggs, of Salt Lake, Mrs. Adda Turpie and Miss Elsie Johnson, of this city.

We will receive a limited number of orders, from consumers only, for genuine Pennsylvania chestnut size anthracite coal at \$16.50 per ton delivered or \$16 at our yards. Delivery absolutely guaranteed.

LEYFOLDT & PENNINGTON.

From Miss Bertha Thoelecke, formerly county superintendent at North Platte, but now a homesteader near Nelrose, Neb., comes a sample package to the World-Herald of the kind of potatoes they raise in the forest reserve, opened for homesteading in 1913. There are four tubers in the exhibit, and they comprise in themselves enough for a meal for a good-sized family. They average nearly six inches in length and a foot in circumference. "This is evidence," writes Miss Thoelecke, "not only of the productiveness of the once despised sand-hill, but of the fact that the 'Kinkaiders' are doing their bit in this crucial period of our country's need." The season up there she adds, is three weeks later than here.—World-Herald.

## Clearance Sale

OF

### Ladies' Pumps and Oxfords.

All \$5.00 and \$6.00 Queen Quality Pumps and Oxfords, very latest styles, per pair..... **\$3.98**

All \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 Queen Quality and Boston Favorite Pumps and Oxfords, latest styles, per pair..... **\$2.79**

Ladies' White Pumps, \$2.50 and \$3.00 quality, per pair..... **\$1.98**

Ladies' White Canvas Button Shoes..... **\$1.48 and \$1.79**

One lot of Ladies' Pumps, old styles, small and narrow but excellent quality, per pair..... **98c**

## Wilcox Department Store.

### CITY AND COUNTY NEWS

E. M. Johnston who spent several months in Edgar returned home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dickey and son Robert spent yesterday in towns on the branch road.

Harry Pizer left Sunday morning for Grand Island to visit relatives for a week or longer.

Mr. and Mrs. Lippincott are making arrangements to leave this week for Lowell to make their home.

F. J. Nichols and wife and J. H. Stackhouse and wife of Wallace, spent the week end here with friends.

Mrs. John M. Vernon and baby returned Sunday evening from Grand Island where they visited relatives.

F. J. Dunn returned yesterday morning from Wood River where he spent a few days with friends and relatives.

Mrs. John Monnick, of Fremont, arrived here Sunday evening to visit her mother Mrs. Charles Lierk, Sr., for several weeks.

Mrs. Irwin Howe and daughter of Omaha, who have been visiting Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Pritchard will leave in a few days.

New Fall Suits, Coats, Dresses, Skirts and Blouses in larger assortments than ever are now shown at BLOCK'S.

Simon Bros. will this week send a number of their employes to Torrington, Wyo., where they will roof a building. This work will require about two weeks.

Tonight will be the last time "The Romance of the Redwoods" with Mary Pickford will be shown here. If you did not see it last night be sure that you do tonight.

The Crystal attraction tonight will be "The Martyrdom of Philip Strong," the well known story written by Rev. Charles M. Sheldon whose writings caused no little comment. Mabel Trunnelle and Robert Connors play the leads.

Members of Company E who spent the week end out of town were Mess Sargeant Kearney who visited relatives in Hastings, Sargeants Cook and Hall and Privates Carr, Neff and Burns were in Lexington. Mechanic Ondrich Sunday in Valparaiso and Cook Allen was in Crete.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Den and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Young and Will Otten and two sons are expected home this evening from their fishing trip in the Big Horn mountains. They left Buffalo Saturday morning and expected to make the homeward trip in four days.

Complete showing of new fall Suits, Coats, Dresses, Skirts and Blouses at BLOCK'S.

A. T. Yarter, of Brady, who was a Tribune caller yesterday stated that he is now a potato producer. He has a crop of fifty-one acres and they are in the pink of condition. The early crop is about ready to be harvested and the late crop could not be more promising. He had an offer last week of \$1.35 per bushel for his crop.

Fred Elliott, Jr., of Omaha, who is visiting in town, says that the McClean motor works, in which he is employed, has been turned over to the government for the exclusive manufacture of parts connected with airships. In this work a large force of men is employed, the plant running to its full capacity.

The federal government promises a reduction of one and one-half cents a pound on beet sugar, and that this will result in a saving of \$30,000,000 to the people between now and January first. Per capita this is thirty cents; not much, it is true, but every little bit added to another little bit makes a little bit more in the saving line.

A Ford automobile with flanged wheels and used for inspection trips by railroad officials, arrived here the latter part of last week and has been working in the local yards and at neighboring stations. The schedule speed of the car is twenty-four miles an hour but it will also run forty-five miles an hour along the road. It is used to inspect the tracks and road bed and was recently adopted by the U. P. railroad company. The party are enroute to Ogden.

### The New Food Bill.

The food production bill that has been passed by congress and approved by the president and that is in the hands of Herbert Hoover for enforcement, is summarized as follows:

Eleven million three hundred and forty-six thousand four hundred dollars to be used in stimulating production, for protecting and conserving foods, and for a survey of the country's food resources.

Staff of county agents to be increased until at least one agent will be stationed in practically every agricultural county in the United States that will co-operate with the department and the state agricultural college.

Women county agents for demonstration work in home economics to be increased in rural counties and similar agents to be placed in towns and cities for first time.

Farm help service to be extended in co-operation with United States department of labor to assist in bringing farmers and farm laborers together.

Country-wide survey to be made of food on farms, in stores, in shops and in homes. Estimates of family consumption on extraordinary farm conditions.

Hog and poultry production to be stimulated as far as practicable. Increased production and conservation of dairy foods to be encouraged.

Animal diseases to be combated on larger scale.

Increased efforts to be made to combat insect pests of plants and animals. Further steps to be taken to destroy animal pests and predatory animals which injure crops and kill live stock.

Work for the control of plant diseases to be extended. Survey of seed supplies and needs to be made and results published so that farmers will be assisted in obtaining a sufficient supply of good seed. Seed to be purchased and sold to farmers by the department if necessary in restricted areas.

### Serious Accident.

Kenneth Hanna went out with Ivory Brummett yesterday afternoon to help Grant Adams in the hay field and was riding on the sweep, and as they were nearing the stack Kenneth fell off and was run over in such a manner that his head had to pass through a space of not more than five inches and his chin was caught so as to force his lower teeth so hard against his upper ones that all the front uppers were forced out. It is a wonder his neck and jaws were not broken. As it is he seems all right after the doctor fixed him up, though he is bruised some about his face and lips and his upper teeth mostly gone, and they were his second ones at that.—Gandy Pioneer.

### Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the neighbors and friends for their kindness during the illness and at the death of the late Mrs. Donaldson; also for the beautiful floral tributes.

EDWARD DONALDSON,  
MRS. A. SCHWERDT AND FAMILY.

### Heavy Wind.

A heavy wind, reaching almost the velocity of a tornado, struck a section of country five miles west of town Saturday night. On the farm occupied by Charley Shin alfalfa stacks were razed and a short distance west several large trees were uprooted and one building blown over.

Corn Condition Improved.

Local showers during the past two weeks has greatly aided the corn crop in certain sections of the county, and the crop as a whole will be much larger than was anticipated a month ago. In some sections corn is late, and the yield will depend largely upon how early a killing frost comes. In any event, however, Lincoln county will produce considerable corn.

Wanted to Buy—Three heavy mares not over 7 years old. Bring to 321 So. Dewey Saturday Sept. 1st. S. D. Carney, Red 173.

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The cool breeze of the mountain and sea shore may be enjoyed in the home or office equipped with an electric Fan. A wonderful sleep producer. Insures the baby's health in hot weather. Operating cost is but a fraction of a cent an hour.

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is the fragrant odor of our fine print butter. And the taste is just as fine. You have only to try it once to realize what superlative butter is. Try a pound today and we will leave it to the butter itself to make you a steady user of it. Ask for and get Alfalfa Queen Butter.

**North Platte Creamery.**  
PHONE 62.

### CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

Roy Loudon, of Denver, formerly of this city, is visiting with local relatives. He has enlisted in the field artillery.

Mrs. Fred Bjorkland of Gothenburg, came the latter part of last week to visit with her daughter for a week or longer.

Mrs. Ira LaRue left a few days ago for Gothenburg to spend a week with her sister-in-law Mrs. J. K. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McCraw, of near Sixth street, are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy at their home yesterday morning.

Mrs. John Rodine and daughter Mildred left the latter part of last week to visit relatives in eastern Nebraska for a couple of weeks.

Lieut. Brophy of Ft. Sheridan who visited here last week with the Ottenstein family spent Sunday in town while enroute from western points.

Mrs. George Saint and children returned to Elmhurst Saturday evening after spending several weeks with her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Gilman.

See Julius Mogensen for all kinds of P. & O. farm implements and wagons. 341st

Misses Ella Margaret Kennedy and Anna Kolberg of Omaha, visited last week with the former's father John Kennedy while enroute home from a visit in the mountains.

Mrs. and Mrs. George Wilkins and son moved here last week from Gothenburg. The former is connected with L. C. Carroll in the mill which he recently purchased in this city.

**PIANO FOR SALE.** We have had left on our hands at North Platte a new strictly high class piano, which if taken at once will be sold at a positive bargain. Liberal terms. If interested, do not fail to write The Denver Music Company, Denver, Colo. 60-6

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