

## School Starts

in two weeks and it is now time to look after the

## Childrens Eyes.

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## Specialist

and devotes his entire attention to our Optical trade.

We pay particular attention to Children Eyes.

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## Dixon-Perfecto

non-breakable glasses.

## HARRY DIXON & SON.

DR. O. H. CRESSLER,

Graduate Dentist

Office over the McDonald

State Bank.

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

W. T. Wilcox returned Wednesday morning from a brief visit in Omaha.

Try Dr. Smith, the

Chiropractor.

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Joseph Oberfelder, of Sidney, was in town Tuesday while enroute to Omaha.

Dr. Brock, Dentist, over Stone Drug Store.

Miss Maud Warrington has returned from a visit with her mother in Cozad.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Marovich have returned from an auto trip to western points.

Miss Isabelle Stafford of Paxton is visiting this week with Miss Loretta Murphy.

Chas. Walter and F. C. Pielsticker left Wednesday evening for Omaha on business.

Harold Seibert returned Wednesday from Omaha where he had visited for some time.

Every new Fall Suit, Coat, Dress or Skirt included in our Big Renovation Sale at BLOCK'S.

Quigley Wilson returned Wednesday from an extended visit with relatives in Columbus.

Mrs. Edward Newell of Hastings visited with the James Loudon family the early part of the week.

Miss Helen Tatum has accepted a position as stenographer and book-keeper in the Block store.

Miss Edna Irhon was called to Omaha the early part of the week by the serious illness of a relative.

Broken eye glass lenses can be replaced the same day as order is given in our lens grinding department.

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Graduate Optometrists.

Miss Bertha Stebbins has accepted a position in the O'Connor store, beginning work Wednesday morning.

Mrs. J. Quinn and two children, who had been visiting in Cheyenne for two weeks, returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. Dorr Tarkington and children left Wednesday morning for Sidney to visit relatives for a week or longer.

Austin Bodell left Wednesday for Omaha where he will enter the preparatory department of Creighton college.

After spending several weeks with her sister Mrs. P. R. Halligan, Miss Betty Doyle has returned to her home in Lincoln.

Miss Cloe Hillard, who spent six weeks at the P. H. Lonergan home, returned this week to her home in Perry, Iowa.

J. E. Mullen, of Oshkosh, arrived here the fore part of the week to visit with his nephew Will Kearney of Go. E for a few days.

Those in need of painting, paper hanging and decorating are assured satisfactory work if they employ Julius Hoga. Phone Black 692.

Mrs. Handley and baby, of Omaha, arrived Wednesday morning to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Victor Von Goetz for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Pass of Washington, D. C. who have been visiting the former's parents, will leave for the east in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Evans, of Grand Island, former residents of this city, came Tuesday evening to visit with Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Trout.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Goodman and son John left by auto yesterday morning for Minneapolis and the lake region to spend several weeks.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Christie, of Edgar, former residents of this city, came here by auto Wednesday morning and are visiting among friends.

Stuart Anderson and Miss Imogene Wheelock, both of this city, were quietly married the first of this week and will make their home with the bride's parents.

### GOOZEES CELEBRATE THEIR 50th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Goozee entertained at dinner Monday evening in honor of their fiftieth wedding anniversary. The guests were only the members of the family—their daughter Mrs. Fred Elliott, Jr., and Mr. Fred Elliott, Jr., of Omaha, their four grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elliott, Sr., and Mr. Ben Elliott, of Lincoln. In the evening the children entertained their grand parents and a few friends who had called unexpectedly with a little program of readings and tableaux. Flowers, letters, cards and gifts were received from relatives and friends both here and elsewhere. Remembrances came from as far east as Maine and as far west as California.

The marriage whose golden anniversary was so beautifully celebrated was the culmination of a civil war romance. In '61 at Lincoln's first call for troops a young man enlisted in Co. G, 8th Illinois Infantry, leaving behind a sweetheart who followed his fortunes, with her hopes and prayers, through the four years of warfare. On August 27, 1867, Samuel Goozee and Sarah Frances Dix were married in Griggsville, Illinois, and journeyed down the Mississippi river on a steamboat to Vicksburg, Mississippi, where Mr. Goozee was chief clerk in the Freedmen's Bureau. Their early married life passed in the south in reconstruction days, was full of interest, as also were the later years spent in various parts of the west. They lived in Kansas and Nebraska when Indians and buffalo were numerous and at one time they entertained an Indian chief and one of his "braves" at breakfast. They also had the experience of being "eaten out" by grasshoppers, and what the grasshoppers failed to take, prairie fire did. They settled in North Platte in 1876, and have resided here almost continuously since. Their many friends rejoice with them that they have passed through a life of vicissitudes, and sometimes of hardships, to a happy and prosperous old age.

### Edgar Howard in Town.

Edgar Howard, of Columbus, lieutenant governor of Nebraska, an editor of rare ability and a man whose name is in the lime light all the time, spent yesterday in town and made this office a social call. Mr. Howard was enroute to Banner county to look after real estate he owns there.

### Will Dedicate Church

The dedication of the Evangelical Lutheran church, two miles southwest of North Platte, will take place Sunday, September 23. The morning service will be 11 o'clock and the English sermon in the afternoon at three. Follow the road to Wallace (black and white trail). Everyone is welcome. REV. W. SCHUMACHER.

### First Annual Social

The first annual social of the Methodist people will be held in the church Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. The program in part will be as follows:

Voluntary—Mrs. Kertsinger.  
Congregation singing.  
Reading—Miss Sarah Kelly.  
Solo—Miss Esther Antonides.  
Duet—Miss Hinman and Miss McVey.

The Business End—E. J. VanDerhoof.

A luncheon prepared by the ladies. Music by orchestra.  
A social time all the way.

Every member and adherent of the church is invited to attend.

### Notice to Hunters

No hunting or trespassing allowed on lands owned or controlled by the undersigned.

A. J. HOWARD  
JOHN HOWARD  
H. C. KUSTER  
JOHN BIDDLE  
W. C. FAIRCHILD  
LESLIE SIMMS  
CHAS. GERKIN  
H. R. WALTERMATH  
ED GERKIN  
R. DE PUE  
W. H. BRADFORD  
NORMAN WHITE.

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Mrs. Conrad Anderson left yesterday morning to visit friends on the branch road.

Mrs. Albert Muldoon will entertain the Mother's Club Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 5th.

Mrs. M. A. Bonham left yesterday morning for Potter to visit her sons for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kopf who were recently married returned Wednesday from a visit with relatives in the eastern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McKale are enjoying a visit from the former's mother Mrs. W. H. McKale who arrived a few days ago from Richhill, Mo.

### FOR YOUR AUTO SERVICE

Call 125 for Taxi day or night.

Also five or seven passenger car for funeral service.

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Chandler & Elcar Agency,  
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## Furnace Value is Determined by What Comes Out of the Registers

Out of the registers, mind you; not out of the chimney!

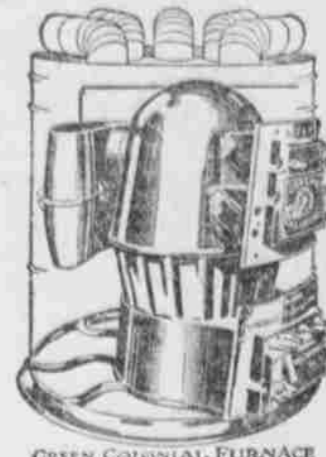
Just because you see the heap of ashes, doesn't prove that you got the good out of the fuel.

Combustion is more than building a fire. Small carbon particles and gases have a way of rushing from the fire, if they find an outlet before yielding up their loads of heat; heat you pay for, whether you get it or not!

But you get this heat—and the comfort and convenience and economy at the same time—when you have a

### Green COLONIAL Furnace

Has Green's Dome Heat Intensifier



GREEN COLONIAL FURNACE

Green's Dome Heat Intensifier is a wonderful thing. No joints—no gas-leaks. But an absorption of the heat, because every particle of the surface of this dome is exposed to the fire.

You really wouldn't know the old home—or the new one, either!—with the Green COLONIAL Furnace working for you.

Every day—the coldest, dampest, windiest days—would find the rooms as warm and cheery as a sunny afternoon in June!

And if your home isn't comfortable, what do you get out of life? All your business worries, all your struggles, amount to nothing when your home is the best and most cheerful spot on earth!

Send for a free copy of the latest, illustrated, descriptive catalogue. Study the Green COLONIAL furnace—its guarantee—its construction—its scientific advantages—its durability and its many economies of fuel, time and health.

Now is the time to look into these merits. Don't wait—don't experiment. Stop guessing, when it comes to a furnace. The Green COLONIAL will pay back the money you invest in it, in a few years.

We Sell and Install the "Colonial."  
**SIMON BROS.**  
NORTH PLATTE, NEB.

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### Speaking on Patriotic Subjects

By prominent men. Free Lectures on Live Stock Judging  
Special Open Air Program Each Day.

R. C. NORRIS, Secretary, Maywood, Neb.

Mrs. Clara Robbins, of Williamsport, Pa. who was called here recently by the death of her mother, will return home this week.

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

Mrs. Lew Baker, of Omaha, a former North Platte pioneer, and son Will of New York City spent several days in town this week visiting friends, returning to Omaha last night. Will for five years past has been a funeral director in New York.

### Notice to Hunters

Notice is hereby given that no hunting or trespassing will be allowed on lands owned or leased by us either before or during the hunting season.

HENRY HANSEN,  
C. H. WATTS  
P. E. MCGRAW  
C. P. HOWARD  
T. S. MCCRONE.

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### The Reason for Toll Charges

Less than one-fourth of our subscribers make three-fourths of all the long distance telephone calls.

The long distance lines are used only occasionally by the large majority of telephone subscribers.

For this reason a charge is made for each long distance call rather than cover the expense of providing this service by increasing the local telephone rates.

It would be very convenient not to have to pay extra to talk to neighboring towns.

If we gave free long distance service, however, it would mean that all telephone subscribers would pay the cost of maintaining the long distance lines which are used generally by only a few.



### A Sermon On Lumber

In conclusion my friends, we can't get away from this lumber question. Why, every one of us spent our first days in a cradle made of lumber.

Our lives have been lived between walls of two by fours and lath, with rafters over our heads, and matched flooring beneath our feet. We have been sitting in wooden chairs, eating from wooden tables, riding in wooden wagons, and in the course of time will be laid to rest in wooden caskets.

Lumber is King in the Construction World.

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North Platte, Nebr.

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North Platte, Nebraska.

