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Most wonderful new silks are now being shown at The Leader Mercantile Co.'s.

For Sale Milch cow. Mrs. A. Samuelson, 603 West 7th street. Phone Red 522. 70-2

Mrs. W. S. DoLson returned Wednesday from a visit with friends in Grand Island.

Dr. Morrill, Dentist.

Rev. Bowker left yesterday for Lincoln on business connected with his office of archdeacon.

A big new shipment of Dress Skirts just arrived.
E. T. TRAMP & SONS.

Miss Ethel Donegan has returned from a two months' visit at Blunkington, S. D., and in northeast Nebraska.

Mrs. Carl Stannard returned to Morrill Tuesday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fremont Watts.

Miss M. Sieman, steam baths and Swedish Massage, ladies and gentlemen. Phone 897, Brodbeck building.

Two hundred and forty acres of land four miles north of York, Nebr., sold Tuesday for \$48,000 or \$200 per acre.

Mrs. Ernest Kelker, who had been the guest of Dr. and Mrs. L. D. Smith, returned to her home in Polk, Nebr., Wednesday.

License to wed was issued Wednesday afternoon to Alfred G. Kolb and Miss Aesenth E. Richeson, both of Hershey.

Home grown watermelons are now being marketed in liberal numbers; in fact they are almost a drug in the local market.

Miss Annie McKale, who had been visiting her son J. H. McKale and family, returned Wednesday to her home in Ft. Scott, Kan.

Smart styles in serge and silk dresses.
E. T. TRAMP & SONS.

The most magnificent showing of women's and misses' fall style boots now ready for your inspection at The Leader Mercantile Co.'s.

Mr. and Mrs. George Scharman and daughters, of Hinman precinct, returned Tuesday from an auto trip to points in eastern Nebraska.

Those in need of painting, paper hanging and decorating are assured satisfactory work if they employ Julius Hoga. Phone Black 692. 35ft

W. T. Banks and son Roy returned home Tuesday, the former from a business visit in Omaha, the latter from a stay at Excelsior Springs, Mo.

We will receive orders from consumers only for Colorado Hard Coal at \$13.00 per ton. Guaranteed delivery. Only one car available. Leyoldt & Pennington, Phone 99.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Healey and daughter returned Tuesday evening from Omaha where they had been visiting for two weeks. Mrs. Healey was quite ill the greater part of their stay in that city.

Broken eye glass lenses can be replaced the same day as order is given in our lens grinding department.
HARRY DIXON & SON,
Graduate Optometrists.

County Judge French united in marriage Wednesday afternoon Arthur R. Peterson of Etos, Nebr., and Miss Rachael R. Weathers, of Gothenburg. Several relatives of the contracting parties were present.

The Sammy Girls' Club met at the home of Mrs. J. W. McGraw Monday evening and were treated to a talk by Miss Annie Kramph on "The Girls' Duty." The remainder of the evening was spent in knitting.

Mrs. Will Friend was hostess to the Catholic Girls' Club Tuesday evening assisted by Mrs. Frank McGovern, Mrs. George Voselka and Miss Vaulita Hayes. Card games were the entertaining feature, first prize going to Miss Marie Schatz and second to Mrs. Homer Musselman. Miss Hazel Smith was elected treasurer of the club, succeeding Miss McWilliams.

Stray Hogs.
Taken up Friday night, August 31, three hogs weighing about 150 each. Owner can have same by proving property and paying charges.
C. SODACOTT,
North Platte.

NEW BUILDINGS AT FAIR GROUNDS ARE COMPLETED

Carpenters will today complete the new buildings at the fair grounds and the Lincoln County Agricultural Society can now claim to have provision for agricultural and stock exhibits and race horse quarters second to none in the west part of the state.

As will be remembered, a storm during the summer blew down two of the buildings and partially wrecked the grand stand. One of the buildings, agricultural hall, was so badly demolished that repairs could not be made, hence a new building 30x80 feet has been erected. The horse barn 35x80 feet, has been rebuilt and made more convenient than before. The new buildings erected are a cattle barn 30x80, a poultry house 24x60, a hog barn 24x60 and two race horse stables, each 14x120. These latter buildings are erected west of the track near the county road. All these buildings are well constructed and when the painting is finished will present a very attractive appearance. They are all located in a group near the east grove. The grand stand has been rebuilt, and enlarged by a tier of boxes on a level with the lower seats.

The society is now provided with buildings ample for all displays and exhibitors can rest assured that their exhibits will be well housed.

Ask That Farmers be Exempt
Chairman Wattles, of the state food administration, has been petitioned to exempt from war service drafted farmers or proprietors of farms until after the corn crop is husked. Mr. Wattles announces that he will take the matter up with the war department.

Begins Court Grind.
Following a summer vacation which grew a little irksome, Judge Grimes went to Arthur county this morning to begin the court grind. He will be there today and tomorrow and then leaves for Kimball county Monday morning. From now until next May the Judge will be sitting on the bench practically every week day.

Public Sales.
O. P. East, living eight miles southwest of Sutherland, will hold a sale September 26th at which he will offer thirteen horses, ninety-three calves, hogs and farm machinery.

On October 3d R. H. Steck, living one mile west and two miles south of Birdwood siding, will sell nine head of horses, thirty-two head of cattle and a lot of farming tools.

Boys Through to Frisco.
Ernest Rincker and C. P. Clinton, who were ordered to report at Omaha Tuesday and left for that city Monday noon, passed through Wednesday morning enroute to the Mare Island navy yard near Frisco. They accompanied a score of young Omaha men who were bound for the same destination. Relatives and friends met them at the depot loaded with baskets of good things for them to eat.

N. W. Grandy Dies
Nicholas W. Grandy, aged fifty-eight, for two years past employed in Forest man Murphy's carpenter gang, died Tuesday morning at his home in the Fourth ward. Death was due to an abscess on the liver, with which he had been affected for several weeks. He leaves a wife and several children. Funeral services were held at the Baptist church Wednesday afternoon conducted by Rev. Hull and interment made in the North Platte cemetery.

Slacker Arrested Yesterday.
Ingward Holmes, living near Big-nel, was taken in charge yesterday by Sheriff Salisbury on the charge of failure to register. In investigating the case of Holmes prior to his arrest, Sheriff Salisbury learned that he, Holmes, was married at Lexington January 12th and that he gave his name as M. N. Nelson, the certificate issuing and the marriage occurring under that name. At that time he gave his age as twenty-nine.

Food Conservation Pledges.
The week beginning October 14th will be observed as national pledge card week and it is hoped to visit every family in Nebraska and ask the housewife to reduce as far as possible all unnecessary waste in the home and conserve foods in every possible way. The housewife will be asked to sign a pledge-card to this effect.

In speaking of this move State Food Administrator Wattles says: "This will give every housewife something definite to do. The women have all indicated their desire to do something to help win the war. The war will be won by the nation that can hold out longest in the matter of food supply. It will be lost by the side that cannot furnish food for its soldiers."

No Federal Aid for Highway.
Good road enthusiasts who figured that a good part of the federal and state aid for roads—\$68,000 to be apportioned to Lincoln county—could be used on the Lincoln Highway will regret to learn that the federal aid cannot be used for that purpose. At a joint meeting of the county boards of Dawson and Buffalo county held at Kearney Tuesday, State Engineer Johnston said the federal aid would not be available for use on the Lincoln Highway for the reason that it is located largely on the Union Pacific right-of-way, and the counties do not therefore own title to the land and the government would not give support for that purpose.

This is a solar plexus blow to the Lincoln Highway in all the counties where it is located on the U. P. right-of-way, and in every county more or less of its mileage is on the right-of-way.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Drafted Men Must Suffer Go.
Omaha Bee:—The list of the remaining 95 per cent of the men to be certified in the first draft for service in the national army will be practically completed by the end of this week, according to officials of the exemption board.

The next 40 per cent of the first draft will be ready for certificates by Friday of this week, and with the exception of a few cases held for further investigation the lists for the balance of the first draft will be finished at about the same time, although the dates for the official certification of the third division of 30 per cent of the draft and of the final 15 per cent have been announced.

Strayed—One bay horse, weight 1,200 with halter and picket chain. Telephone Black 591, 520 South Chestnut street or W. N. Rose at the New Method Tire Repair Co., 511 Locust St. Captain Halligan suggests that those writing letters to members of the North Platte company address their letters "in care Company E, Fifth Nebraska Infantry, Camp Cody, Deming, N. M."

Children's school dresses at Wilcox Department Store.

The several days of cool and cloudy weather cleared without a frost, whereat the farmers are glad, for it will require two weeks of warm weather to ripen the greater part of the corn in Lincoln county.

We carry a wonderful line of underwear, The Athena. Let us demonstrate to you the superior features of those garments.
E. T. TRAMP & SONS.

Butler Miltonberger was arraigned in Justice Sullivan's court Tuesday forenoon on the charge of exceeding the speed limit while driving a car. The Judge gave him some fatherly advice and told him to go forth and do no more reckless driving.

GAS TAR is good for dipping fence posts, painting chicken houses for lice or painting anything to prevent decay, fences, barns, silos, etc. Ten cents per gallon. We charge for the barrel. North Platte Light & Power Company. 67-10

Since January first 340 hunting licenses have been issued at the office of the county clerk. This week the demand has been very heavy due to the opening of the chicken season. These licenses cost one dollar each and the entire proceeds go to the state secretary's office in Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Maloney and Mrs. J. J. Horrigan and baby leave this week for Grand Island where they will reside in the future. Mr. Horrigan holds a foremanship in the Grand Island shops, hence the removal. Long residents of North Platte and splendid people, their going is regretted by many friends.

Married at the Lutheran parsonage Wednesday afternoon, Alfred G. Kolb and Miss Aesenth E. Bower. Mr. Kolb came here from Lacrosse, Wis., and will engage in the hotel business at Hershey, after a short stay at the home of the bride, Laramie, Wyo. Accompanying them were Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Jones, Miss Elen and Warren Jones, of Laramie, and Bert Moore, and Miss Sigma Odean, Hershey.

Choice vegetables and cut flowers at North Platte Floral Co. Phone 1023. tf

The chicken season legally opens tomorrow, but if reports are true it has been "open" for some sportsmen (?) for about three weeks. The birds at this time are not reported as plentiful, probably due to the country excursions of the fellows who have little respect for the game laws.

Miss Helen Brodbeck recently returned from a two weeks' visit with friends in Lincoln.

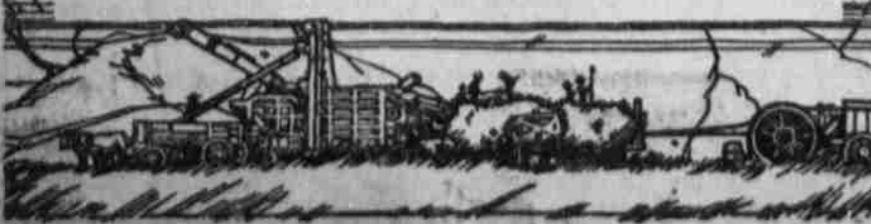
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Platte Valley State Bank
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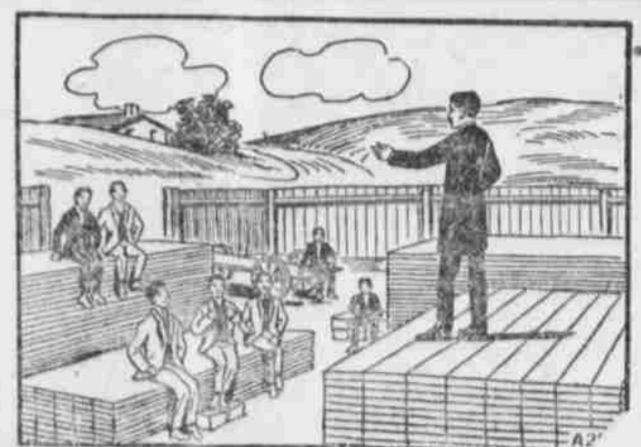
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A Sermon On Lumber

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.

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