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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Dr. Marie Ames left last evening on a business trip to Omaha.

Dr. Brock, Dentist, over Stone Drug Store.

The regular semi-monthly dance of the Elks' club will be held at the home Thursday evening of this week.

For Rent—Rooms for light house-keeping. Phone Black 941. 91-2

Mrs. Abbie Shireman, who had been the guest of Miss Mayme Pizer, returned to Kearney last evening.

For quick action and satisfactory sale list your land with Theelocks. If

Dr. Fenner was called to Gothenburg Sunday to operate for Dr. Shaffer and yesterday was called to Maxwell on professional business.

See Hendy & Ogier quick for two good second hand Fords.

Announcement is made of the sale of the Mrs. Mabel Turpie ranch of 2944 acres southeast of town to Julius Pizer and John Halligan. The consideration is said to have been about \$45 per acre.

The reason people are buying so many Grafanolas—they have heard its tone. DIXON, the Jeweler.

Mrs. Belle Swarthout, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. R. D. Thomson, will return to Plattsmouth tomorrow. Mrs. Thomson will accompany her and will visit relatives and friends in that city for some time.

For Rent—Furnished rooms for gentlemen in a strictly modern home. Phone The Tribune. 891f

Members of the Travel and Study club were the guests of Miss Emma Smith last evening. Papers were read as follows: "Atlanta and the True South," Miss Walker; "Picturesque New Orleans," Mrs. McDonald; "War Service of the Women," Miss Whitaker; "Popular Government in Germany," Miss Murray.

FOR SALE

Near 150 tons of well stacked hay, north of Hershey. Price right. BRATT, GOODMAN & BUCKLEY.

The Methodist ladies will serve a cafeteria supper and will have a sale of fancy articles in connection on Thursday afternoon, December 6th. Sale of fancy articles and aprons will commence at 3 o'clock. Supper starts at 5 o'clock. All donations of aprons or fancy articles to be left at Mrs. Sanford Hartman's some time Tuesday.

"Flora Bella" was presented last evening to an audience that filled practically every seat in the house. The play hardly came up to general expectations. The musical numbers, while well rendered, were not as catchy as some of the former offerings. The play, however, had more of a plot than the average musical comedy.

Plant peonies and phlox now. We have them. North Platte Floral Co. Phone 1023. 861f

Mrs. Gantt, assisted by Mesdames W. A. Skinner, F. Buchanan, Carl Bonner and L. Cronin, entertained the literature department of the Twentieth Century club Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 27th. It was guest day and there was a good attendance of members and their friends. After a short business session, the program was varied from the usual order; instead of the regular history lesson, Mrs. P. Barrow gave a thorough and interesting review of the historical novel "Hugh Wynne," by S. W. Mitchell.

If you hear the Grafanola there will no longer be a doubt in your mind; the Tone is the best. DIXON, the Jeweler.

The D. O. T. club gave its opening dance at the Masonic hall Thursday evening, November 29, and received many new members. The club will give dances regularly every two weeks on dates not conflicting with the Elks. An excellent time was had. The music was furnished by Doucet's orchestra. The officers for the ensuing year are J. Carl Hoilman, president; A. W. Shilling, vice president; Dr. Harold A. Fenner, secretary and treasurer. The purpose of the club is the furtherance of social intercourse at a minimum expense.

Lost.

Tan rain coat at golf links. Finder please return to Tribune office.

\$37,000,000 a Day.

The second session of the 65th congress convened yesterday at noon and was marked by the receipt of appropriation estimates for next year's war and ordinary expenses aggregating \$13,500,000,000, this in addition to the \$21,000,000,000 already appropriated. The estimated war cost for the coming year is thirty-seven million dollars a day.

General Byng Holds Line

Fighting continues in the vicinity of Cambrai with unabated fury. The British lines are holding, all territory occupied last week still being in allied hand and strongly defended against bitter counter attacks. England is preparing for heavy death toll, losses having been frightful in the almost incessant hand to hand conflicts which have characterized fighting over this ground. German losses will be double that of the allies, the latter using massed formation in making assaults and losing men by the thousands daily.

Pershing Sends Message

New York, Dec. 2.—Bishop Luther B. Wilson, who recently returned from Europe where he went on a mission for the Y. M. C. A., brought back with him a message to the American people from General Pershing, American commander in France. The message, which was read for the first time today, said:

"Tell them there is no ground for the heresy that Germany cannot be beaten. Germany can be beaten. Germany must be beaten, and Germany will be beaten."

Students Want Employment

Many of the boys and girls in the Junior and Senior High schools are anxious to make money. Some of them must have some income or they will have to drop out of school. Others want to help out on their expenses and others are wanting to earn for their own use. They will work before and after school hours and on Saturdays. Many will be glad to help in stores or shops during the holiday season. Others would deliver goods, unpack goods, clean windows, drive automobiles, care for small children, do typewriting and other similar jobs. We are registering the boys and girls for this work now. The service is free and anyone who is in need of such help should telephone the Senior High school No. 967, the Junior High School No. 501 or the Superintendent's office No. 100. SUPT. TOUT.

Prof. Fling's Lecture.

Professor Fling, who speaks on "America and the World War" at the Franklin auditorium next Friday night, is a college professor, but he is different. He is scholarly but he has taught history to college freshmen for years and has learned that scholarship must be suited to the mind of the average person if it is to be given a hearing by the common people. He has been accused of being hard hearted and he is exacting in his classes, but he is giving all of his spare time to helping the war orphans of France and that is not the work of a hard hearted man. He is said to be an orator, but he does not make any pretensions in that direction. He has lived in France and knows her people and her language. He knows her statesmen and her national ideals. Professor Fling is a most fearless man and says just what he believes to be right. The High Schools of North Platte have invited him to speak here and they are going to give him a crowded house on next Friday night. An admission of 25 cents is to be charged, the proceeds, after the expenses have been paid, will be given to the French war orphans.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock at the home of Mrs. L. C. Sawyer, 908 west Sixth street. A good attendance is desired.

CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

W. R. Hodshire returned the latter part of last week from a ten-day visit in Denver.

E. W. Robas will open a restaurant in the Mogensen building on north Locust street today.

A. D. Boas, one of the most widely known residents of the south part of the county, is in town, having been summoned as one of the district court jurors.

Albrecht furs at Wilcox Department Store.

Edward Johnson has purchased of Clyde McMichael the southwest quarter of section 4-9-30, paying therefor the sum of \$1,900 and assuming a mortgage of \$800.

Queen Quality Shoes at Wilcox Department Store.

The dozen or more North Platte boys and girls who are students at the state university, returned to that institution Saturday and Sunday after having spent the Thanksgiving vacation at home.

Mrs. N. A. Davis, formerly of this city, but of late years residing in Missouri and Kansas, arrived yesterday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Frank Hatch. Mr. Davis is expected to arrive later and they will probably spend the winter in town.

Box supper and program, December 14, at the Carri school house, District 87, seven miles north and one-half mile east of North Platte, commencing at 8 p. m. All are cordially invited. Miss Stella Hinbenach, teacher. 93-3

Ball Brand Overshoes and Rubbers at Wilcox Department Store.

County Grader Hoagland has just finished a mile of road leading to the Wyman ranch that Charley Temple, who is competent to judge, pronounces a speedway. This mile demonstrates that if sufficient time is taken good roads can be made in Lincoln county.

For Sale—10 room house at 218 west Fourth street. Also numerous articles of household furniture. Call afternoons after Wednesday noon.

Between January first and June 30th the government will need call for subscriptions to ten billion dollars' worth of Liberty bonds. This announcement is made in advance so that North Platte and Lincoln county people can make arrangements to purchase the amount allotted to the city and county. These bonds must be sold, and we must conclude that we must buy.

The musical hits of the "Flora Bella" musical comedy can be purchased at the Walker Music Co.'s store after Wednesday.

The splendid program rendered at the Elks' memorial service Sunday afternoon was heard by a rather small audience. J. G. Beeler gave an excellent address, Miss Waltemath gave a reading and Miss White a solo that were appreciated and the Stamp orchestra rendered several selections that were fine.

Be wise and buy a home. We have some bargains on easy payments. BRATT, GOODMAN & BUCKLEY.

In order to standardize and facilitate the Red Cross knitting the regular knitting committee has been augmented by a number of ladies. Mrs. Fremont Watts is still chairman of the knitting committee but has now as assistants in instruction Mrs. Bowker and Mrs. Todd. Four ladies in different sections of town have been appointed to give help and instruction to their neighbors who may need it; they are Mesdames Gilman, Jenkins, Sorenson and Beeler. These ladies will be glad to give help to any who may need it.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

F. L. Mooney left Friday night for Omaha to witness the foot ball game and will remain over this week to attend grand opera.

This evening the first of the series of Red Cross dances and card parties will be given at the Masonic hall under the auspices of the O. E. S.

Just a few more ladies' suits at reduced prices at Wilcox Department Store.

Miss Drahos, who was quarantined for diphtheria, was released the latter part of last week and resumed her position in the city schools yesterday.

Manager Garman has booked "Birds of Paradise" for the evening of January 21st. It is a wonderfully bright and clever play with scenery that is entrancing.

I am prepared to take care of two or more invalids at my home at 520 east Fifth street. Mrs. Ida Lewis.

The L. E. group of the Baptist auxiliary will meet Thursday, December 6th, at the home of Mrs. H. L. Pennington, 220 south Ash. All members are expected to be present.

Money to loan on real estate, by BRATT, GOODMAN & BUCKLEY.

B. F. Crandell, Rena Crandell, Norman Crandell and Grace Crandell have sold to John E. Hall the west half of section 25, and east half of southwest quarter section 26-9-30, for a consideration of \$4,000.

Because of the Red Cross musicale that the pupils of Miss Florence McKay are giving Friday evening, December 7th, at the Presbyterian church, the music lessons for that day will be postponed until Tuesday, December 11.

Dr. Morrill, Dentist.

From a Grand Island paper it is learned that L. H. Von Dollen, formerly manager of the local telephone exchange and later special agent for the Nebraska telephone company, has been appointed manager of the Grand Island exchange, assuming the duties of that position last Saturday.



BE PATRIOTIC

Buy Red Cross Seals and Help Fight Tuberculosis That Exists Amongst THE SOLDIERS IN FRANCE.

Massero Flees

It is said that Sam Massero, better known as "The Yawp," who filed the charge of gambling against Lem Bailey, made a midnight departure for Chicago Sunday night. There are some other reported "tin horns" around town who should do likewise; in fact if they do not go of their own accord they will probably be assisted. With Massero gone the prosecution against Bailey will probably fall flat.

The bible and new groups of the Baptist ladies' auxiliary will meet in an all day session in the church basement Thursday, December 6th, for the purpose of finishing quilts for our missionary. All members are urged to be present.

Wanted—Saleslady for holiday goods at Wilcox Department Store.

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by

L. W. TRESTER

Assistant Director of Red Cross Work for Nebraska.

Show your Patriotism by being present at this Meeting.

Band will play on the corner before the Meeting. Several Musical Numbers at this Meeting.