

# JUST A WORD OF GREETING

## To the People of North Platte

We have just completed the North Platte Electric Mills. Taking the framework of the former mill for a basis, we have built a modern 150 barrel flour mill, up to the minute in every detail of its construction.

Our flour, the "COW BRAND," known wherever it is sold as the "QUALITY FIRST" flour, needs no introduction to most of you. You have used it and have told us you find it good. To those who have not tried it, we say, just tell the man "Cow Brand" next time you buy flour. There is a treat in store for you next time you bake.

It is an honest flour, milled to give you the best that can be made from Nebraska wheat, and permit us to assure you—Nebraska wheat flour has never been bettered.

Every Flour Dealer in North Platte has Cow Brand for you.

We Want the Friendship and Loyalty of Our Own Home Town.

# The North Platte Electric Mills

LEIGH C. CARROLL, Manager

GEO. H. WILKINS, Miller

### CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

Mrs. R. N. Lamb has been spending this week with friends in Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Heinicke spent Christmas with friends in Holdrege.

Dr. Morrill, Dentist.

Mrs. Wilfred Stuart and children, of Lexington, are guests at the Tighe home.

Mrs. Snow and son Lloyd, of Denver, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lem Bailey.

For quick action and satisfactory sale list your land with Thoelecke. Ernest Casey came home from Camp Funston to spend Christmas with his parents.

Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Pritchard are spending this week with friends in Omaha.

Mrs. Byron Oberst left the early part of the week for Omaha to visit relatives.

Mrs. Harry Smith has returned to Ogalala after a visit at the Peter Lloyd home.

Merle Law, former city barber and later railroad brakeman, has enlisted in the navy.

Miss Annie Valerius went to Grand Island Monday to spend several days with friends.

A farm hand wanted. Give name, age and wages wanted. Steady job. Address Box 318, North Platte. 98T

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Buchfink have been spending this week with relatives in Grand Island.

Miss Laura Murray and Frank Murray have been spending this week with relatives in Lincoln.

Miss Ruth Streitz returned to Lincoln Wednesday after spending Christmas with her parents.

Mancil Overman, now employed in a bank at Casper, Wyo., has been visiting in town this week.

For Rent—Five room house, modern except heat. Inquire of W. R. Maloney at the store. 99-2

Mrs. Anna Seyferth has been spending this week with her daughter Mrs. D. T. Quigley in Omaha.

Mrs. Mary Dunn has returned from a protracted visit with relatives in Ogden and Green River.

Wanted—Young girl or woman to assist with housework. Mrs. Jesse Edwards, 608 west Fifth street. 98T

Glen Taylor returned Wednesday from Grand Island where he spent Christmas with the home folks.

Miss Emma Smith, principal of the North Side school, is spending the holidays with relatives at Farley, Ia.

L. W. Walker has been in town for several days visiting his mother and sister and transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Parker, of Rawlins, are visiting relatives in town while enroute home from Omaha.

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

There will be Swedish Lutheran services New Year's day at one o'clock at the Adventists' church on the North side.

Mess Sergeant W. C. Woodring returned to Camp Funston Tuesday night after visiting friends in town for several days.

Pete Souder, now at the Great Lakes naval training station, has been spending this week with relatives and friends in town.

Miss Janet McDonald arrived the early part of the week from Vassar college to spend the Christmas vacation with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wimberly are happy over the arrival of a baby daughter on Christmas day. Mother and daughter are doing nicely.

Miss Dorothy Hubbard, who is teaching in the central part of the state, came home the early part of the week to spend the Christmas vacation.

For Sale—Two lots and two houses, one ten room and one five room, all modern except heat. Will trade for land. Inquire of J. Hahler, 100T

Miss Irene Hubbard, now employed as clerk to Dan Roberts in the U. P. store house in Denver, came down to spend Christmas with the home folks.

Arthur Plumer, Frank Murray, Arthur Rush, Charley Herrod and C. T. Whelan are planning on a pleasure trip to Kansas City and St. Louis next week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Richards have returned from Omaha, where Mr. Richards, as chairman of the local protective board, attended the conference between the B. of L. E. and the U. P. officials. Enroute home Mr. and Mrs. Richards visited relatives at Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Weingand entertained at dinner Christmas the relatives of Mrs. Weingand who reside in town. There were twenty-two of these relatives present.

Frank Wilson, a former automobile machinist of this city who had been at Cozard for a year or so, returned to town Wednesday and will be found with the North Platte Buick Co.

Dr. E. A. Baer, of Pleasantville, Ia., a brother-in-law of Mrs. Sarah Bangs, of this city, who has visited here at intervals, with the rank of captain in the medical corps with the rank of captain.

The fire department was called out Christmas day to extinguish a fire in one of the Peale houses on east 4th street. An overheated stove had set fire to the woodwork. The damage was slight.

Miss Edith Patterson, teaching at Choteau, Mont., is home spending the Christmas vacation. She is pleased with her position and has gained in weight while at Choteau, evidence that the climate is beneficial.

The actual weight of a standard Dodge Brothers touring car was found to be 2475 pounds, the first prize being won by Joe Pizer and the second by W. E. Burton, of Paxton, Neb. J. V. ROMIGH, Dealer.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Miller, of Hershey, and Mr. and Mrs. Ulrich, of the Experimental farm, took Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Sizemore. The house was prettily decorated with red and green.

We take this method of thanking our friends for the kindness shown us during the sickness and at the funeral of the late Henry Doebke and for the floral tributes. Mrs. H. F. Doebke and Family.

Gus Branting, of the Jack Morrow flats, has recently completed a 32x42 barn, with hay loft, and other buildings. Though Mr. Branting has lived in Lincoln county but five years, he has made many improvements on his farm that indicate that he is a progressive farmer.

C. F. Tracy returned this week from Omaha where he attended the conference of the B. of L. E. protective board officers and the Union Pacific officials. The conference extended over a period of several weeks and was in relation to a new schedule for engineers on the Union Pacific system. Mr. Tracy says as a result of the meeting the engineers secured a highly satisfactory schedule.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lock and son spent Christmas with relatives in Sutherland.

Mrs. Geo. N. Gibbs and daughter have been spending this week with relatives in York.

Miss M. Sieman, steam baths and Swedish Massage, ladies and gentlemen. Phone 897, Brodbeck bldg. 85T

Mrs. H. M. Grimes has been enjoying this week a visit with her sister Miss Lillian McCracken, supervisor of music in the public schools of Boulder, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Baldwin and children, of Omaha, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hendy and son, of Denver, arrived Sunday to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John Bratt. Mr. Hendy and Mr. Baldwin left for home Wednesday night, leaving their families to continue their visit.

Miss Florence Babbitt, a former resident of this city, was recently married at Heppner, Oregon, to William J. Martin. The wedding was to have occurred Christmas, but was hastened on account of Mr. Martin being called to war. For some time past the bride has been teaching school at Morgan, Oregon.

George A. Austin was pleased to receive Christmas photographs of his two grandsons, Donald and Villiers Austin, who are attending the Hill Military Academy at Portland, Ore. The boys, who are the sons of George Austin who left here eighteen years ago, are sturdy looking and present a fine appearance in their uniforms.

**R. I. SHAPPELL,**  
Auctioneer.  
SUTHERLAND, NEB.

Have a wide acquaintance among buyers. Phone me at my expense. Live Stock a Specialty. Will also handle Thoroughbred sales.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION IN EAST PLATTE PRECINCT.

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in East Platte Precinct, in Lincoln County, State of Nebraska, on the 25th day of January, 1918, at which the following proposition will be submitted to the voters of said East Platte precinct, to-wit: "Shall the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Lincoln, State of Nebraska, issue Thirty thousand Dollars (\$30,000.00) of East Platte Precinct Bridge Bonds, in denominations of One thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars each bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, interest and principal to be paid at the Office of the County Treasurer of Lincoln County, State of Nebraska, in the City of North Platte, Lincoln County, in the State of Nebraska. Said bonds to be payable on the 1st day of September, 1918, and on the 1st day of March and on the 1st day of September thereafter, until all of the interest on said bonds shall have been paid, and to levy a tax in the year 1918, and in each and every year thereafter sufficient to pay the principal of said bonds as they become due, until sufficient tax has been levied upon all of the taxable property in said East Platte Precinct. And shall the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Lincoln, Nebraska, levy a tax in the year 1918, and in each and every year thereafter sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds, and sufficient to pay five per cent of the principal of said bonds as they become due, until sufficient tax has been levied upon all of the taxable property in said East Platte Precinct. Those voting in favor of said proposition shall mark their ballot with an "X" above the word "FOR" and those voting against said proposition shall mark their ballot with an "X" before the word "AGAINST". Said election shall be open at 8 o'clock A. M. and continue open until 8 o'clock P. M. of said day, and the polling places of said East Platte Precinct will be at the School house on Section three (3) in township eleven (11) North, of range twenty-seven (27) West of the 6th P. M. at which all of the voters living in said precinct, south of the south branch of the south channel of the Platte River in said Precinct will cast their ballots, and at the Woodman Hall in the Village of Brady, in said Precinct, at which all voters living in said Precinct and residing north of the south branch of the south channel of the Platte River shall cast their ballots, on the 25th day of January, 1918." By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Lincoln County, State of Nebraska, made on the 24th day of December, 1917. 427J24 A. S. Allen, County Clerk.

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Said bonds to be numbered consecutively from 1 to 30 inclusive, and the interest thereon to be evidenced by coupons thereto attached.

Bonds No. 1, 2 and 3 to become due and payable on the 1st day of March, 1920.

Bonds No. 4, 5 and 6 to become due and payable on the 1st day of March, 1921.

Bonds No. 7, 8 and 9 to become due and payable on the 1st day of March, 1922.

Bonds No. 10, 11 and 12 to become due and payable on the 1st day of March, 1923.

Bonds No. 13, 14 and 15 to become due and payable on the 1st day of March, 1924.

Bonds No. 16, 17 and 18 to become due and payable on the 1st day of March, 1925.

Bonds No. 19, 20 and 21 to become due and payable on the 1st day of March, 1926.

Bonds No. 22, 23 and 24 to become due and payable on the 1st day of March, 1927.

Bonds No. 25, 26 and 27 to become due and payable on the 1st day of March, 1928.

Bonds No. 28, 29 and 30 to become due and payable on the 1st day of March, 1929.

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