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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Wm. Shohoney and son left Wednesday for a visit with friends in Bayard.

Dr. Morrill, Dentist.

Mrs. C. A. Selby left for California this week to spend the rest of the winter visiting relatives.

Films developed FREE at the Rexall Drug Store.

C. S. Clinton returned Wednesday morning from Omaha where he had been transacting business for a day or two.

Mrs. J. V. Romigh, who was operated upon at an Omaha hospital last week, is reported to be getting along nicely.

Bert Barber came in from the east yesterday morning, and accompanied by Mrs. Barber and baby, who had been visiting relatives here for some time, left for the ranch at Jewell.

The Club Nevada met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Burke. The afternoon was spent in doing Red Cross work after which a dainty luncheon was served. The club will meet in two weeks with Mrs. John Tucker.

Joe Ottman of Cheyenne, roadmaster for the Wyoming division, spent a short time in town yesterday. In company with an Omaha official he rode a track speeder from Green River to this city inspecting the condition of the road bed and track.

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

Foreman Murphy was given a train yesterday for the purpose of picking up all surplus stock and tools between Ogalala and this city. A half dozen cars of lumber, iron and tools were collected and will either be stored here or sent to Omaha.

An immense switch board for the local telephone exchange was installed yesterday. In order to move it to the second floor of the Wamath building it was necessary to remove the door casings and cut out part of the ceiling over the stairway.

Miss M. Sieman, steam baths and Swedish Massage, ladies and gentlemen. Phone 897, Brodbeck bldg. 851.

Elmer Coates returned this morning from Denver where he attended the live stock show and the meeting of the Knot-hole club. This latter organization is composed of lumber dealers of the Rocky mountains states. He says the live stock show was a great success, the exhibits being many and the attendance large.

The girls between the ages of ten and fourteen who will meet in the Federal building tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock are requested to bring an apron, either bungalow or one that ties on, to wear while working, thimbles for those who use them, a pair of shears fastened to a tape which has a safety pin on the end and a small hand towel for personal use.

Funeral of Mrs. Baker.

The funeral of Mrs. Lou H. Baker, who died in Omaha the early part of the week was held from the Episcopal church Thursday afternoon. The service was conducted by Bishop Beecher, assisted by the rector Rev. Jones, the Bishop feelingly referring to the life work of this woman who for so many years made North Platte her home.

Relatives present and who accompanied the body from Omaha were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Trimble of that city, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Baker of Salda, Col., John Baker of Buffalo and Will Baker of New York City. There were also present the Crane brothers, grandsons of the deceased.

On account of the lateness of a train on which Mrs. Lonella Walker of Pasadena, a daughter of the deceased, was enroute, the burial was postponed until ten o'clock this forenoon.

Free Picture Show.

At the Keith theatre next Wednesday there will be shown 800 feet of film depicting the Moose come at Moosehead, Ill. At this home are at present 573 children of deceased members who are being educated and taught the trades or professions for which they are best fitted.

In addition to this the Moose are erecting at the home a number of new buildings in which will be cared for the incapacitated members of the order who are maimed in the war. Accompanying the picture will be a lecture by Albert B. Wimsatt, of Omaha, district supervisor.

There will be no admission charge to these pictures.

Christian Church Notes.

Services at the Christian church for Lord's Day, Jan. 27th, will begin at 9:45 o'clock. Bible school, communion and sermon, 3:00 p. m. Junior Endeavor meeting, 7:30 p. m. Paul B. Rains, of Omaha, who is the Northern District Bible School Superintendent, will in all probability address our people relative to the school of methods which begins Jan. 28th, and continues to and including February 1st. The first session of the school will begin at 3:45 o'clock on Jan. 28. All Sunday school workers of Lincoln county are invited to attend and receive the greatest possible benefits from so doing. Strangers and visitors in the city are kindly welcome to attend the regular services of the church. F. A. Lindenmeyer, Minister.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors, also the Knights of Pythias and Masonic fraternities for their assistance during the illness and at the time of the death of our beloved father George E. French, also all who sent floral tributes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith,
Mr. and Mrs. C. Friedrichson.

For Rent.

Modern office suite consisting of three rooms. Twinn Building. BRATT, GOODMAN & BUCKLEY.

Dr. Morrill, Dentist.

Woodhurst Appointed County Judge.

One of the problems before the county commissioners yesterday was the appointment of a county judge to succeed the late Judge French. The commissioners really felt that an attorney should fill the position, but the salary, which is \$1,650 a year, is not sufficient to tempt any of the attorneys to accept. Only two or three persons had personally applied for the appointment but during the day the commissioners considered the names of a dozen or more who they thought might accept if appointed. By reason of the probate business and the settlement of estates the position is one which requires careful clerical work, good judgment and acquired knowledge of law, and the latter qualification is necessary in hearing and disposing of cases.

After discussing the qualifications of the dozen or more men under consideration, W. H. C. Woodhurst was appointed to fill vacancy, the length of which extends until next January.

Mr. Woodhurst is not a lawyer, but he has exceptional clerical ability, a man of good judgment, and what law he needs he can acquire by "digging." Hereafter it will be Judge Woodhurst and not "Bill" Woodhurst.

Frank Alvard, of Omaha, flagman on train No. 6 Tuesday fell from the platform of the rear car near Odessa. Fortunately he fell in a bank of snow and was not seriously injured. He was, however, rendered unconscious and was picked up by the crew of a following train. He was taken to Kearney and later sent to his home in Omaha.

Houses Needed for Operators.

A letter has been received by the Chamber of Commerce stating that houses will be needed for six married operators who will make North Platte their home when the Western Union completes its relay station. The work of installing this station has been in progress for some time and will soon be completed. Chamber of Commerce officers are now looking up houses for these operators.

Comes After Prisoner.

An officer arrived from McAlester, Okla., the early part of the week and took back with him R. F. Wright who had been held in jail here for ten days awaiting the arrival of an officer. Wright was arrested on the charge of wife desertion. He is also wanted on the charge of white slavery, and a deputy U. S. Marshal came here to arrest him on that charge after the arrival of the Oklahoma officer.

For Rent.

640 acres, 94 cents per acre, cash. All good farming or hay land; 160 acres in cultivation; good 4 room house, barn for 8 horses, new grainery 24x36, wagon shed, good well, 10 foot Sampson mill, chicken house, cement cave, 4 miles of wire fence, 6 miles north of Wallace on the C. B. & Q. R. R., 12 miles south of Sutherland on the U. P. R. R. School house on east section line.

W. R. HARDING,
Timmerman Hotel, North Platte, Neb.

Tramp & Sons Will Move.

When the McCabe building at the corner of Dewey and Fifth is vacated by the Hendy-Ogler Co., and the 14x120 room is remodeled and a front similar to the one in the K. C. building put in, Tramp & Sons will move their department store thereto. This corner room, remodeled to meet modern requirements, will have no superior in town, the location is as good as any, and the firm of Tramp & Sons will have a mercantile establishment creditable both to themselves and the city. The building will be ready probably about September 1st.

Judge French Laid to Rest.

The funeral of the late Judge Geo. E. French was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of his son-in-law Ralph Smith. The services were conducted by the Knights of Pythias lodge, Arch-deacon Bowler delivering an address and two officers of the Grand Lodge assisting in the ritualistic services. The Knights were in attendance in a body as were also the Masons and many friends other than these were present. A mixed quartette sweetly rendered two hymns. The casket was hanked with beautiful floral tributes. The honorary pall bearers were Judge Hoagland, Judge Grimes, W. T. Wilcox, J. G. Beeler, M. E. Crosby and O. E. Elder and the active bearers were J. T. Keefe, Geo. N. Gibbs, Geo. E. Prosser, A. S. Allen, S. M. Souder and A. J. Salisbury. At the grave the burial ritual of the Masonic lodge was read.

Seed Corn is Scarce.

In order to get a line on the seed corn Mr. Zook, of the sub-station, secured fifty two seed ears from farmers. The ears were picked by the farmers and looked to be the best in the various piles. The report of the germination test made at the state laboratory at Lincoln shows that the average test was fifty-five per cent. Ten of the fifty-two ears tested 100 per cent, but only fourteen ears tested eight-five per cent or better. Nine ears were dead.

This makes the seed problem look more serious than we had presumed. The longer the corn stays out and freezes the less likely it is to grow. A bin of corn that tested over ninety in the fall, now tests less than sixty.

EXPERIMENTAL SUB-STATION,
January 21, 1918.

Presbyterian Church Notes.

Sunday school at 10 a. m., A. S. Allen, superintendent. There will be organized a new class with Mrs. North as teacher.

Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Junior C. E. at 3 p. m.

Act Now.

On account of ill health, will sell my farm of 480 acres, only 2 1/2 miles west of Sutherland on Lincoln Highway. Ideal location, stock and diversified farming; 53 acres under ditch, 100 acres under cultivation, remainder in pasture. For terms see me on the farm. W. A. C. YULE, Sutherland, Neb.

Tony Pushman, of Melrose, has been visiting friends in town this week. Mr. Pushman rather prefers farming to railroad work, and says he will continue to make his home on the farm.

Christian Science service Sunday 11 a. m. Wednesday evening meetings every week at 8:00. Building & Loan building. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

Harry Porter returned Wednesday from a trip to Sterling. Coming back in his car he encountered snow drifts which he could not negotiate and had to be pulled out.

Poland China Brood Sow Sale

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4 miles west of Lexington, Neb.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8th.

We have the most valuable lot of bred sows in this offering it has ever been our fortune to get together at one time. I feel safe in saying they are the largest and smoothest offering of Poland Chinas ever put up at Lexington. We were exceptionally lucky in getting them bred to three vigorous sires. All but four of the 65 sows bred will carry own guarantee. The 8 tried sows are bred to our 800 lb Gibbon's Hercules and six spring gilts by Wonder Lust averaging about 400 lbs are bred to this rare individual. While the 9 yearling fall sows sired by Gibbon's Hercules each raised a large litter this fall, yet will tip the 400 notch, and three spring litters are bred to the fall yearling sired by Robin Hood. The other spring gilts are bred to Mischieff Maker, a spring pig with four of the best pins under him shoulders, hams, back and head not second even by his great sire, Big Orange 1st.

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The Nation's Fighters Depend On the Telephone

The telephone business was among the first to be called on for unusual service in the war.

All over the country the important railroad points, the bridges, the big grain elevators, munition factories and water-supply systems have been guarded, first by detachments of the National Guard and now by private watchmen. This is requiring special telephone service and the total amount of telephone work to provide it is enormous.

The call to arms brought to the Bell Telephone System imperative duties and responsibilities.

No nation entered the war with anywhere near the number of skilled telephone men, or as dependable and comprehensive telephone service as this country possessed.

More than 6,800 former Bell Telephone employees are now in some branch of the military service in Europe or in training camps here. Only the telephone companies could furnish the skilled telephone men needed in the army signal corps.

When the war came, telephone plants had to be built or enlarged at all the army posts, training camps, navy yards and department headquarters. Similar telephone systems have had to be installed in the American training camps, army headquarters, hospitals, etc., in Europe.

In addition to the military demands for telephone service, business activity, accelerated and increased by the war, has required enormous amounts of telephone service and equipment.

In spite of the war and what it has meant to this company in the increased number of telephone messages to handle, the enlistment of so many of our trained men, the shortage of equipment, the scarcity of labor and the high cost of telephone materials—

In spite of all these obstacles, we are meeting the needs of the public for telephone service in a remarkably successful way.



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We make no charge for this—nor for many other small services that we find occasion to render our customers.

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