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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

The annual ball of the city fire department will be held at the Lloyd Opera House, the committee concluding that the K. C. hall would prove too small to accommodate the crowd.

Dr. Morrill, Dentist.

Governor Neville will issue a proclamation designating March 22d as war savings stamp day in Nebraska. On that day it is proposed to subscribe for \$25,000,000 worth of the stamps.

Chickens for Sale. C. L. Watkins. 418 So. Vine. 13-3

"Billy" Kontlang, the well known commercial traveling man, spent a day or two in town this week transacting business and visiting friends. His father was one of the early settlers in North Platte.

For quick action and satisfactory sale list your land with Thoelecks, if

Trainmaster Netherly was transferred, "Fred" or resigned Tuesday night. None of the employees offered to apply for a restraining order enjoining the company from removing him from North Platte.

Electric massage. Coates Beauty Parlors. Phone 1038. 13-2

The friends of Mrs. E. O. Cool gave her a handkerchief shower and surprise party Monday evening that was very much enjoyed by all. The evening was spent in music and games and refreshments were served at a late hour.

Public dance at Masonic hall, Friday evening, March 1st. Doucet's orchestra. Everybody come.

Because of the danger of a shortage of good seed corn to plant this year's crop in Nebraska, the State Council of Defense Tuesday placed an embargo on its shipment to other states until Nebraska's needs are supplied. The embargo will be effective until March 15th.

Dr. Morrill, Dentist.

County Agent Barber returned yesterday from his farm at Lewellen, and today formally assumed the duties of the position to which he was recently appointed. Mr. Barber will have his office in the Chamber of Commerce rooms, where he will be glad to meet all farmers who need his service and advice or who have business to transact in his line.

A surprise party was tendered Mrs. Gus Rock, 500 west 9th street, Wednesday evening that was a very enjoyable affair. Mesdames Rasmussen and Cool had charge of the refreshments and program and all appreciated their efforts in making the evening a success. Those entertaining were Mr. Owens and Mr. and Mrs. Morgan. Thirty friends were present. Refreshments were served at midnight.

Soft water Shampoo. Coates Beauty Parlors. 13-2

Hearings before the railroad wage commission in its work of making recommendations for the most extensive wage adjustment ever undertaken, were concluded Wednesday. It was said officially that the commission's decisions as to what classes of the 1,350,000 railroad workers should receive increases and the amount of the increases would be communicated to the director general in less than a month, possibly by March 15th.

It is probable that a good part of the road money received from the state and federal governments this year will be spent on the Lincoln Highway between North Platte and the Keith county line. The law under which this aid is granted provides that it shall be used for post roads that will form part of a continuous road. The apparent object of the government is the construction of a continuous highway that will reach from coast to coast.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Tuesday afternoon, March 5th, at the home of Mrs. Harry M. Porter, 1203 west 5th street. A mother's meeting will be held and a cordial invitation is extended to mothers to come and bring their babies with a white ribbon tied around each little wrist dedicating them to temperance and purity. Mrs. Belle Morris will be superintendent of that department. All roll call each member is asked to respond with something about food conservation. Refreshments will be served. All are welcome.

Just as soon as spring opens work on the new road between North Platte and Maxwell will be resumed. Commissioner Springer who has charge of this work, stated that he will probably use an elevator-grader to throw up the road through the low-land, as the ordinary road grader will not throw it high enough. Gravel and muck will be hauled on the sandy stretches. There will not be sufficient funds available this year to put the road in the shape desired, but a good start will be made. The road at present is in very fair condition.

Town Lots for Liberty Bonds.

I will accept Liberty Bonds as pay for any lot I own in Bellevue addition, and lots 9 and 10, block 6 Town Lot Co.'s addition on west Sixth St. See Fred Diener. 12-8 E. C. RICHARDS.

**BRIDGE CONTRACT AWARDED
TO GAST FOR \$38,245.**

The contract for the construction of the concrete bridge across the South Platte river south of town was awarded Wednesday to Thos. Gast, of Elm Creek on a bid of \$38,245. This is for the bridge proper and does not include the fill at each end of the bridge, the total of which is 946 feet. The bridge will be 536 feet long including abutments, with ten spans of fifty feet each. The fills, it is estimated, will cost about \$2,000, making the cost of the bridge slightly in excess of the \$40,000 obtained through bonds and state aid.

Five bids were submitted as follows: Omaha Steel Structural Co., \$40,990; Midland Bridge Co., \$41,300; Central Bridge Co., \$41,900; Monarch Bridge Co., \$39,788; Thos. Gast, \$38,245.

The bid of Gast came as a surprise to the agents for the other companies, for it was not supposed that he would be a bridge bidder. Heretofore he has limited his work to making bridge fills and work of like nature. It was Gast who constructed the bridge fill east of town. It is surmised that the four companies above enumerated had formed a "pool," hence their surprise when the Gast bid was read.

The contract calls for the completion of the bridge by November 7th, and work thereon is supposed to start within sixty days.

Class Will Number 100.

The Knights of Columbus are making big preparations for their class initiation which will take place in their new building next Sunday. Applications for membership now number 105, and still more coming. In the evening a banquet will be held at the Lloyd opera house, at which plates will be laid for over 200. The menu will be served by the Catholic ladies.

Park Head of Great Western.

W. L. Park, former North Platte resident, has been appointed acting president and general manager of the Great Western railroad. The appointment became effective today.

Mr. Park went from the Union Pacific to the Illinois Central, and was loaned by that road to the Great Western to become its general manager. He has now had added to his duties the work of acting president.

For Sale.

Any part or all of my property on east 11th street, 200 block, consisting of one-half block, two large modern barns, modern five room house except heat, good fruit trees, plenty of shade, lawn, curbing and sidewalks in good location, three block from Lincoln school. See me if you want a bargain.

R. L. DOUGLASS, North Platte.

Arrange for Seed Wheat.

County Agent Barber, working in connection with the North Platte Electric Mills, is making arrangements to ship in a car of spring wheat for distribution among farmers who desire to buy it. Samples have been received from Nate Brittain living north of Brady who offers to sell Agent Barber 1,200 bushels of Texas Turkey Red at \$2.00 per bushel on car at Brady. It is probable that this offer will be accepted.

Few Farmers are Called.

Provost Marshal General Crowder says that less than one per cent of available agricultural workers were called for service in the first draft, and that less than one-half of one per cent would be called in the next draft. Only 255,731 agricultural workers out of a total of 13,843,579 are liable to draft. In the next draft General Crowder added, only those who would be least available for adding to the nation's food supply would be called for service. The re-classification of registrants, he insisted, afforded a wealth of protection of farm labor.

For Sale.

7 room house and 5 lots on E. 4th street. Modern except heat, fair barn and chicken house. Partly fenced, chicken and hog tight. Price reasonable, a good home for right party. See Diener and Kennedy, Cor. Front and Dewey streets.

First Lutheran Church.

Third Sunday in Lent. Morning worship at eleven o'clock, with important subject, "The Secret of Abraham's Power." Evening worship 7:30 o'clock subject, "A Divided Heart."

Sunday school at 9:45 o'clock. Special invitation to all the unchurched people and strangers to attend these services. Congregational meeting at close of morning service.

Don't forget the lecture tonight, (March 1.) Some things of importance will be discussed.
Rev. C. Franklin Koch, Pastor.

Town Lots for Sale.

The sixty-one lots in the Town Lot Co.'s addition belonging to the Hinman estate has been placed in my hands exclusively for sale. They are vno lots, have been priced low and are a good buy.

I can furnish money to build to those who purchase lots.
GENE CROOK,
Keith Theatre Bldg.

Baptist Church.

9:45 Sunday School.
11:00 Morning Worship.
6:30 B. Y. P. U.

7:30 Evening Worship. The pastor will give his second lecture on South America. This lecture deals with the West Indies, the type of civilization to be found in the Latin-American republics—describes life in the central valley of Chile, describes the reception accorded the American battle ship Delaware by the Chilean government, the Centennial of South American independence, and the impression made by the visit of William Jennings Bryan to Santiago, and Latin American comments upon the United States.

The male quartette will render a special number. You are cordially invited to make the Baptist church your church home.
A. C. HULL, Pastor.

For Sale—Furnishing and furniture complete for two light-housekeeping rooms. Desirable location. Phone 1058.

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Men and women who design and cut and stitch your Printzess garments are the pick of the craft. Consequently better tailoring and workmanship which makes our Suits and Coats look better, keep their shape longer and give you better service.

A big assortment now on display at our store.

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CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

Don't overlook the fact that "Young Mother Hubbard" will be at the Keith tonight.

For Farm Loans see Gene Crook, Room 4 Keith Theatre building.

Mrs. J. R. McWilliams left yesterday morning for a visit with friends in Denver.

Mrs. James Hart has accepted a position as saleslady in the McVicker millinery shop.

Wanted—Girl for general housework. Mrs. J. S. Hoagland, 405 W. 4th. 13-2

Miss Hildegarde Clinton left yesterday morning for a visit with friends in Omaha and Lincoln.

Julius Pizer returned the early part of the week from a business trip to Chicago and New York.

For Sale or Trade—Thirteen lots at Julesburg, Col. Address: Hi Smith, 604 E. Sixth St., North Platte. 14-4

Walter Kocken, of the Durbin Auto Co., has been in Omaha this week attending the Auto show.

W. H. Humphrey has sold to Edith Kelso lots 5 and 6, of Emerson's subdivision in Sutherland for \$3,800.

A new Lisere hat, just received at McVicker Millinery \$3.75 for Saturday special.

Members of the Et-a-Virp club take notice that this is the afternoon for you to meet in the Red Cross room.

The county commissioners were in session yesterday allowing the monthly salary list and transacting other routine business.

C. I. Hill has sold to Alfred J. Peterson the northwest quarter and west half of the northeast quarter of section 12-15-26, for a consideration of \$9,600.

For Sale—Large comfortable nine room house, thoroughly modern, large basement, back yard all enclosed. Located in good residence district. If you are going to buy a home you should look at this before buying.
L. C. SAWYER, 908 W. 6th.

The Union Pacific is making plans to keep in touch with all its employees who have entered the service of the United States, and are asking that the heads of all departments assist in supplying the company with the location of the men who have entered the service.

Remember your first ghost, eh? You could put your arm right through it, couldn't you? Come, let's go back over the years to "ghost-days" again. See the happiest boy and girl in the happiest little play; a show that will send you home athrill with the spirit of youth. This show is "The Ghost House," with Jack Plekford and Louise Huff at the Keith Saturday night.

The table as spread for Belgian family and the table of average American family is depicted in a scene arranged in a window of the Masonic temple by Mrs. Tiley and Mrs. Cotterell. Prominently displayed in the scene is the Goddess of Liberty and Uncle Sam. It is an attractive reminder of how well we fare compared with the people of the war stricken countries overseas.

In talking yesterday with a farmer who usually puts out from 200 to 400 acres of corn, he remarked that he was in a quandary as to what to do in regard to acreage. He feels that this is a year when he should plant a larger acreage than usual, but the question with him is whether he can secure help—even though he pays \$2.50 or \$3.00 a day and keep. He may conclude to play safe by putting in only the acreage that he and his family can take care of properly.

The Bratt store room on Locust street has been leased by a Mr. Scheringer, of Valley, who is now fitting it up for the undertaking business.

The commercial agent of the Western Union telegraph company is expected here shortly to see about opening an office in the business section of town.

W. T. JUDY & SONS.
Two Days Sale of Pure Bred Stock

KEARNEY, NEB.
FRIDAY and SATURDAY, MARCH 8-9.

At our sale barn and pavilion 2 miles east of B. & M. and U. P. depots, side Burlington R. R. tracks
—CONSISTING OF—
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A CHOICELY BRED LOT OF 80
Duroc Jersey and Poland China Sows.
40 Duroc Jersey. 35 Poland China.
Bred to our excellent herd'boars. Some choice sows and gilts among these.

A GOOD LOT OF CATTLE
ALL DOUBLE STANDARD POLLED DURHAM
38 Bulls and 22 Cows and Heifers
Mostly all bred to our State Fair Winner. A good useful lot.

This stock is in excellent breeding condition and they should prove profitable to the purchaser. Do not fail to attend this sale. Come early as it is a large sale and we should start at 12:30.

Parties attending from a Distance will find Entertainment at any of the Hotels in Kearney.
Send For Catalogues to W. T. Judy.

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