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EVENTS OF GRADUATION WEEK BEGIN WEDNESDAY EVENING.

Events connected with the graduation of the forty-seven members of the class of 1918 begin Friday evening of this week when the class play, "Step Thief," will be presented at the Keith.

Next Sunday forenoon the baccalaureate sermon will be delivered at the Methodist church by Rev. B. A. Cram.

On Wednesday evening of next week the graduating exercises will be held at the Franklin auditorium.

The members of the class are: Willis Baker, John S. Barton, Effie Bostwick, Vera L. Bretznitz, Cecil C. Calhoun, Mary J. Carpenter, Percy Cross, Floyd Daniels, William Davis, Emily Davis, Eva Deiner, Hazel Donaldson, Meda Reynolds, Margaret Fitzpatrick, Abbie Foster, Evangeline Gough, Anna Hayes, Frances Halligan, Pearl Hunter, Edwin Hubbard, Chas. Christ, Henry Iddings, Dorothy Jeffries, Harry Jones, Esther Kelly, Myrtle Kelo, Russell Langford, Fannie Lipshitz, Elvin B. McCain, Helen McCormick, Rubya McMichael, Josephine McMichael, Helen Marr, Geo. Morray, Reymon Ogler, Bertha Peckin, John Ritter, Eleanor Roberts, Helen Rodine, Marjorie Russell, Charles Sluder, Florence Vedder, Grace Swanson, Harry Walton, Charles Walters, Ethel Willis, Claude Weingand.

County Superintendent's Notice.

The next Lincoln county teachers' and reading circle examination will be held in North Platte only, Friday, May 31st and Saturday, June 1st.

Parents living in rural school districts who desire free high school privileges for their children for the coming year should make application for the same before June 1st.

The Lincoln county eighth grade graduation exercises will be held in the Franklin auditorium, North Platte, Saturday afternoon, June 1st, at two o'clock.

Memorial Sunday.

Next Sunday, May 26th, will be observed as the Grand Army of the Republic Memorial Sunday. Union services will be held at the Franklin auditorium at eight o'clock in the evening with a sermon by Rev. J. H. Curry and other ministers assisting in the service. A big choir will furnish the music.

For Sale—Seven room house, modern including heat, located at 600 east Third. Inquire at the house for particulars.

ISAAK DEATS.

While attempting to pass over a crossing near Ogallala Wednesday evening L. L. McClelland was struck by a east bound freight train and killed. He was driving a Ford car with a wagon hitched behind and because of the noise of the wagon fell to hear the approaching train.

John Null of North Platte spent the forepart of the week in Sidney packing up his mother's household goods for removal to North Platte where she will make her home. Mrs. Null is visiting some friends in town while her sons Will and John shall renovate the cottage and settle the furniture in place.—Sidney Telegraph.

For Sale—Black Amber cane seed, Talmadge White, Hershey, Nebr.

One hundred and eighty Italians who had been captured by the Austrians, sent to Siberia, and by overpowering their guard made their escape to a sea coast town where they remained until the Italian government provided transportation for them, passed east over the Union Pacific Friday. The men got out of the cars and took exercise while the train remained here.

RED CROSS DRIVE OPENS WITH A BIG PARADE.

The second drive for Red Cross war funds opened in North Platte Friday evening with a big parade, followed by a largely attended meeting at the Franklin auditorium.

The parade was headed by soldiers of three wars, Judge Hoagland and J. E. Evans representing the civil war and with them marched Carl Westendorf and Mancel Overman who are under the colors in the present war and behind them were four veterans of the Spanish-American war. Then came the band, followed by thirty-year mothers who have boys in the service carrying a banner on which was inscribed: "We have given our sons, what will you give?" Following were the members of the Red Cross, the Sammy Girls, the Junior Red Cross of the city and parochial schools, the high school cadets, boy scouts, drum corps, Home Guards and a cavalry division of the latter. Nearly all the marchers carried flags. Marching in columns of four the parade was about six blocks long.

At the meeting following the parade addresses were made by Ballard Dunn and W. F. Gurley, of Omaha, both of whom made splendid patriotic talks along Red Cross lines. Music was furnished by the band and by Miss White and Mr. Harrington.

Thomas Simants Dies.

Thomas Simants, who had been a resident of the county for thirty years, passed away at ten o'clock Friday night following an illness of several weeks at the age of seventy years. The funeral was held from the Episcopal church Sunday afternoon, Rev. Jones conducting the service.

Mr. Simants came to Nebraska from England in 1877 and located in Saline county. There he remained until 1887 when he came to Lincoln county, locating in Medicine precinct. In 1893 he moved to the "points" east of town, and after living there for several years, moved into the city.

He leaves a wife, four sons and three daughters. The children are Will, Fred, Frank and George, Mrs. Frank Foster, Mrs. Tim Lake and Mrs. Geo. M. Young, the latter living near Wellfleet.

Mr. Simants was a good citizen and an honorable man; one who closely followed the golden rule, and by reason of this had a large circle of friends who held him in very high esteem.

New Plumbing Firm.

The North Platte Plumbing and Heating Co. is a new firm that makes its introductory bow to North Platte people this week. This company succeeds the Sullivan Plumbing Co. having purchased the stock of the latter and leased the west room in the Walworth block on east Sixth street. C. H. Baskers, a competent and experienced plumber is manager, and is assisted in the work by men who know how to do work and do it well. A large new stock has been added to the Sullivan stock and the company is prepared to handle any job in its line.

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Some indication of the ceaseless watch kept on the high seas, in the path of American troops, by United States naval forces operating in European waters, may be gained from statistics just compiled at the naval headquarters in London. These statistics show that a single force of American destroyers operating from one base had destroyed almost 1,500,000 miles up to April 1. The maximum distance covered by a single destroyer was more than 580,000 miles from May 1, 1917, to April 1, 1918. This destroyer was one of the first to arrive abroad after war was declared.

"WAKE UP, AMERICA" WILL BE PRESENTED THURSDAY EVENING.

North Platte people will enjoy the privilege of hearing the great patriotic war lecture, "Wake Up, America," which will be delivered in this city at the Red Cross theatre on Thursday May 23, at 8:30 for school children and 8:15 for the general public. The lecture is to be given under the auspices of the Red Cross, an organization which has already made North Platte widely and favorably known for its patriotic efforts.

The lecture for the most part consists of stereopticon slides and moving pictures. With each picture there is a reading slide that briefly points the moral of the picture. And strong as are the spoken words of the lecturer and the words of the reading slides even stronger are the pictures themselves, depicting as they do the horrors of the German methods of warfare. After hearing this lecture and viewing these pictures, one realizes as never before what it would mean to us if the war comes to this country. And afterwards one feels that no sacrifice could be too great that will insure the winning of the war "Over there." No admission will be charged and no collection taken.

A torpid liver is a heavy handicap to a working man. It robs him of strength, energy and mental alertness. To remove the burden the proper remedy is Prickly Ash Bitters. It is a fine liver, stomach and bowel medicine.—Price \$1.25 per bottle.—Gummere-Dent Drug Co., Special Agents.

Charter No. 3456. Reserve Dist. No. 10 Report of the condition of the FIRST NATIONAL BANK at North Platte, in the state of Nebraska, at the close of business on May 10th, 1918.

RESOURCES

Table with 2 columns: Resource Name and Amount. Includes Loans and discounts, Overdrafts, U.S. bonds, Liberty Bonds, U.S. bonds deposited, U.S. bonds and certificates, U.S. bonds pledged, U.S. bonds owned and unpledged, U.S. bonds pledged to secure postal savings deposits, Securities other than U.S. bonds, Total bonds and securities, etc.

LIABILITIES

Table with 2 columns: Liability Name and Amount. Includes Capital stock, Surplus fund, Undivided profits, Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid, Circulating notes, Net amounts due to banks, etc., Total.

LOCAL U. S. LABOR BUREAU NOW READY FOR BUSINESS.

With the opening on May 16th of the new government employment office in this city by the U. S. Employment Service, another link in the great chain of government co-operative free employment bureaus has been forged. The new office is located in the Chamber of Commerce room and is in charge of A. F. Beeler, who has been appointed as examiner in the employ of the U. S. Department of Labor.

A. G. Cowles, examiner in charge of the government office at Lincoln was in the city on Saturday assisting Mr. Beeler in getting the work started.

This service now covers every state in the Union. Its object is to stabilize the labor situation and to provide an efficient clearing house for labor; to equalize the labor supply by proper means of distribution. With the establishing of the North Platte office, Nebraska will have in operation five of these offices, with temporary offices to be maintained at strategical railroad points during the harvest season and other periods of seasonal labor shortage. Omaha now has two, Lincoln one, Hastings one, and North Platte one of these offices.

It has been pretty definitely proved that the so-called shortage of labor is more a lack of an efficient means of distributing labor, than an actual shortage.

Farmers and all employers of labor are solicited to make use of this service; those wanting work will find it convenient to also take advantage of it. Its purpose is to bring the worker and the job together, without loss of time or expense to either.

COUNTY AGENT OFFICE

Official Notices - Information Items of Interest

BERT BARBER.

W. N. I. L. S. B. A.

Altho the Western Nebraska Improved Live Stock Breeders Association includes all the territory that the name implies, and as its membership approaches one thousand members, the Lincoln County membership will become overshadowed, yet it will undoubtedly mean a great deal to Lincoln County.

Organized in a broad way, it should include practically all growers of live stock for there is scarcely a man who does not own at least one thorough bred animal, the only requirement to eligibility to membership—plus the dollar.

And what does a dollar amount to? New that so many new laws and regulations are going about, who is there unless the live stock interests of Western Nebraska are organized, to keep an ear to the ground, and be able to tell what they want and how they want it when occasion arises.

Again with a public list of all the stockmen of Western Nebraska, in the hands of each member, the opportunity to unload breeding animals after one is through with them; the inducement to buy better ones and following in natural sequence, the inducement to breed thorough breeds to supply these better animals is increased a hundred fold.

Stockmen are beginning to realize just as corn growers have already done, that it pays to get your seed as close to home as possible.

You get all this for a dollar, and since we have the headquarters of this association at North Platte, and your County Agent has been selected as its exalted secretary, we are anxious to have Lincoln County well represented. Kindly send me your check, that I may be able to put you on the membership roll, before it goes to press.

When an energetic hard-working man feels unduly tired, half sick, "blue" and discouraged he thinks he is getting lazy. It isn't laziness, the trouble is in the stomach and bowels; they are disordered. To restore energy, vim and activity the right remedy is Prickly Ash Bitters. It is a powerful system regulator.—Price \$1.25 per bottle.—Gummere-Dent Drug Co., Special Agents.

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THE IMPORTED

PERCHERON STALLION

"NABOB"

No. 97352

Will make the season of 1918 as follows: Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the Mogens Feed and Sale Barn, North Platte, Neb., beginning April 9th.

Balance of the week, except Sunday, at my farm six miles west of North Platte and three-fourths of a mile southeast of Birdwood switch.

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Notice to Creditors.

Estate No. 1560 of Amanda M. Thomson, deceased in the county court of Lincoln county, Nebraska. The State of Nebraska, ss: Creditors of said estate will take notice that the time limited for presentation and filing of claims against said estate is August 31, 1918, and for settlement of said estate is April 26, 1919; that I will sit at the county court room in said county, on May 31, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m., and on August 31, 1918 at 9 a. m., to receive, examine, hear, allow, or adjust all claims and objections duly filed. WM. H. C. WOODHURST, County Judge.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate No. 1555 of Henry C. Bretzer, deceased in the County Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska. The State of Nebraska, ss: Creditors of said estate will take notice that the time limited for presentation and filing of claims against said Estate is December 7, 1918, and for settlement of said Estate is May 3, 1919; that I will sit at the county court room in said county, on June 7, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m., and on December 7, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m., to receive, examine, hear, allow, or adjust all claims and objections duly filed. Wm H C. WOODHURST, County Judge.

Legal Notice.

William A. Hayes, defendant will take notice that on the 27th day of March, 1918, Coates Lumber & Coal Co. plaintiff herein, filed its petition and affidavit for attachment in the county court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, against William A. Hayes, the object and prayer of which is to collect from defendant the sum of \$1,000.00 for goods, wares and merchandise sold defendant by plaintiff on an account stated. That the following property of defendant has been attached in such action to-wit: One Elcar Automobile, and money of the defendant in the First National Bank of North Platte, has been attached by garnishee process. Plaintiff prays for an order that such attached property and money be applied to the satisfaction of the amount found to be due the plaintiff. You are required to answer said petition on or before June 10th, 1918. COATES LUMBER & COAL COMPANY, Plaintiff, By Hoagland & Hoagland, Its Attys.

Notice of Final Report.

Estate No. 1520 of Anna M. O'Rourke, deceased in the County Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska. The State of Nebraska, to all persons interested in said Estate takes notice that the Administrator has filed a final account and report of his administration and a petition for final settlement and discharge as such, which have been set for hearing before said court on May 31, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m., when you can appear and contest same. Dated May 1, 1918. Wm. H. C. WOODHURST, County Judge.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate No. . . . of Frederick Hein, deceased in the County Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska. The State of Nebraska, ss: Creditors of said estate will take notice that the time limited for presentation and filing of claims against said Estate is September 14th, 1918, and for settlement of said estate is May 10th, 1919; that I will sit at the county court room in said county, on June 14th, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m., and on September 14th, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m., to receive, examine, hear, allow or adjust all claims and objections duly filed. Wm. H. C. WOODHURST, County Judge.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an order of sale issued from the District Court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, upon a decree of foreclosure rendered in said Court wherein James A. Fike, is plaintiff, and Will Outtrim is defendant, and to me directed, I will on the 8th day of June, 1918, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the east front door of the Court House in North Platte, Lincoln county, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said decree, interest and costs, the following described property to-wit: Northwest one-fourth (NW 1/4) of section twenty-nine (29) in township sixteen (16) north of range thirty-two (32) west of the sixth P. M. Lincoln county, Nebraska. Dated North Platte, Neb., May 6th, 1918. A. J. SALISBURY, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an order of sale issued from the District Court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, upon a decree of foreclosure rendered in said court wherein Mutual Building and Loan Association is plaintiff, and Jesse Fellows, et al, are defendants, and to me directed, I will on the 25th day of May, 1918, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the east front door of the Court House in North Platte, Lincoln County, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said decree, interest and costs, the following described property to-wit: Lot seven (7) in Block twelve (12) Cody's Addition to North Platte, Nebraska. Dated at North Platte, Neb., April 23d, 1918. A. J. SALISBURY, Sheriff.

Cotton seed Cake and Meal, Cane Seed, Alfalfa and winter rape seed. Blatchford's Calf and Pig Meal, Egg and Milk Mash. Crushed, block and lump Rock Salt, sulphurized block, granulated and Ice Cream Salt, Oyster Shell, Chick Food, Baled Hay and Alfalfa Hay. Alfalfa Meal, Shorts, Bran, Chop and Corn. R. N. LAMB PHONE 67.

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