

**LOCAL AND PERSONAL**

Mrs. Sebastian Schwaiger returned Sunday from a visit in Kearney.  
Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Waits went to Cheyenne Saturday to visit for a few days.  
Mrs. Wood White was called to Lincoln Saturday by the illness of a relative.

In the casualty list published Sunday appeared the name of Helge Elander of Brady, as having been killed in action.

A few exceptional bargains in second hand Fords, Hendy-Ogier Auto Co.

Worth M. Miller, editor of the Ogalalla News, came down Saturday to attend the funeral of the late Lee D. Grimes.

Miss Gladys Bird, who is attending school in Chicago, was called home Saturday by the tragic death of her brother Lee.

Mrs. T. C. Patterson is recovering from an attack of rheumatism in a knee which has confined her to her room for ten days.

P. W. Sitton was in town Saturday enroute to Los Angeles where he will visit his daughter Mrs. Clark Buchanan for a month or two.

Dr. Morrill, Dentist, Office over Wilcox Department Store.

A complaint was filed in the county court Saturday by C. H. d'Arcy against Francis and John Norris charging them with assault.

Tom Haggerty received a bad cut above the left eye the latter part of last week when struck by a dropping baffle door in a locomotive cab.

If you think of Economy don't fall during Sale now on at BLOCKS.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hendy and son left for Denver Sunday after visiting at the Bratt residence while enroute home from a trip to New York.

Dr. L. J. Krause, Dentist, room 3 McDonald Bank building.

The Presbyterian Aid Society will meet Thursday afternoon at the church and be entertained by Mesdames Carroll, Walker and Mitchell.

Sheriff Salisbury has appointed R. I. Shappell as deputy sheriff for the Sutherland section of the county. Evil doers, if there be any, will need beware.

For Sale—Twenty-eight head of pigs, average 35 pounds. Thomas E. Decollette, Phone 782F022. 95-2

Royal Neighbors of America, Silver Leaf Camp No. 391 will meet Wednesday afternoon at three p. m. at the K. P. hall for annual election of officers.

Why not give underwear? What could make a more sensible gift? We feature VASSAI and LEWIS, the two finest Union Suits made. HARCOURT CLOTHING COMPANY.

Poland China Brood Sows for Sale. C. P. Howard, Phone 797F031. 94-3

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the M. E. Church will meet with Mrs. Forbes Friday at three p. m. Good program, followed by refreshments.

Jesse Smith, who was in training at Camp Funston, arrived home Friday night. Jess is the picture of a "good feller," evidence that he enjoyed camp life.

Lochiel Johnston has received word from New York state of the death of his aunt whom he visited a year ago. She lived to the good old age of 191 years and 3 months.

For quick action and satisfactory sale let your land into Phools. If

Joline Antonides, who was a member of an aero squadron overseas, arrived at New York last week and is temporarily stationed at Camp Mills prior to demobilization.

Fred Pierson of Sutherland, has sold to Pharis Sanders, of Ashland, Neb., section 17-13-54 for a consideration of \$35,000. The purchaser will at once erect buildings on the tract.

Dr. H. C. Brock, Dentist, X-Ray Diagnosis, Reynolds Bldg. Phone 148

F. N. Austin and family who had been stopping in town for a few weeks went to Maxwell yesterday where Mr. Austin will shortly open a new bank to be known as the Farmers' State Bank.

A year's subscription to a magazine makes a very acceptable Christmas present. I am agent for all kinds of magazines and can furnish them singly or in clubs. Mrs. Fred Rector, Phone Red 449.

C. F. Strauss, who went to Camp Funston with a Lincoln county contingent, was appointed a corporal, later a bayonet instructor and then transferred to the officers' training school at Camp Pike, arrived home Saturday.

I have customers for town property that is priced right. What have you for sale? See me. GENE CROOK, next door to Liberty Inn. 94-4

Attorney Robt. Beatty, who was in the artillery officers' training camp at Camp Taylor, Kentucky, arrived home Friday. "Bob," who before going to camp was in the employ of Wilcox & Halligan, will probably open an office.

For Sale on easy terms an eight room house; modern except heat. Inquire of E. O. Cool 521 W. 10th. 3t

Mrs. J. W. Fetter, of Maxwell, requests The Tribune to express her sincere thanks to the friends in North Platte for their assistance at the funeral of her husband, the late John Wilber Fetter, and for the beautiful floral offerings.

For Sale—Single comb Rhode Island Red and pure-bred White Orpington Cockerels. Ed. Samuelson, Phone 784F12. 92-4\*

Now that the war-work for women will soon be over and there will be reconstruction work of various kinds to do the Twentieth Century Club is desirous for all women of our city to become members and it is hoped that at the next meeting, which will be held with Mrs. York Hinman, Dec. 18th, that a large number will be present.

Death and accidents have laid heavy tribute on North Platte boys during the past few weeks. First came the unexpected death of Coulter Elder, then the passing away of Lee Grimes, the tragic death of Lee Bird, the death of Maurice Lannin in action in France, the accident to Alfred Bremer, the 3,000-foot fall of Charley Martini, and the accident to Ralph Vroman. With but one exception these boys passed away or were injured while in the service of their country.

A new shipment of Wash Waists, also a lot of new dainty Georgette Blouses. Either makes a very acceptable Xmas gift. E. T. TRAMP & SONS.

**DR. O. H. CRESSLER,**

Graduate Dentist

Office over the McDonald's

State Bank.

**LEE GRIMES AND COULTER ELDER LAID TO REST.**

North Platte people paid the last earthly respect to two North Platte boys Sunday afternoon—Lee Grimes who died at Chattanooga, Tenn., and Coulter Elder who passed away at Camp Polk N. C., both dying of pneumonia. Judge Grimes who failed to reach Chattanooga before the summons came, arrived home with the body Friday night and was met at the depot by the attorneys of the city and by members of the Elks, of which lodge Lee was, and the Judge is a member. The remains of Coulter arrived Saturday night and were met by relatives and friends.

The funeral services of Lee were held at the residence at two o'clock members of the bar, the Elks and many friends attending. The services were conducted by Bishop Beecher assisted by Rev. Jones, with hymns by a quartette. As a boy Lee was a member of the boys' club of which the Bishop had charge, and this friendship for and interest in Lee was retained throughout the following years. This knowledge of the young man placed the Bishop in a position to speak feelingly of Lee's life and character and to pay him a just tribute. The pall bearers were Worth Miller of Ogalalla, R. D. Birge, O. R. Robinson, Robert Beatty, Albert Randle and Dell Bonner.

Lee Downing Grimes was born in North Platte, August 9, 1885, graduated from the local high school in the class of 1904 and later attended Purdue University, LaFayette, Indiana, where he graduated from the Engineering department in 1908. Following his graduation he worked out of Pittsburg until November 1909 for the Union Pacific, when he transferred to the Pennsylvania railway where he was in full charge of the construction of the road way. Finishing that he was sent on a large irrigation project near Canon City, Colo., which he finished in December 1910 and returned to his home in North Platte, where he stayed until the coming March.

In 1911 he was employed by the Florida and East Coast Railroad and in the construction of a line across the Keys of Key West. He remained with this company for a year when he entered a consulting engineers office in Atlanta, Ga., where he remained until May 1914. During the time he was in Atlanta, Ga., he superintended the construction of a six-story reinforced concrete cold storage and seed house; the erection of a large hotel at Savannah, Ga., also, the erection of a six-story building in Chattanooga. While on this building he became acquainted with John Parks, a builder of brick buildings. In May 1914, he and Mr. Parks formed partnership under the name of Parks and Grimes Construction Company. In July 1914 to April 1915, he superintended the erection of a sixteen-story building in Brooklyn, N. Y. Following the completion of the Brooklyn building the firm began to work nearer home, and for a new firm were very successful, building a \$100,000 hospital in Chattanooga; numerous cotton mills, a large school house in Portsmouth, Ohio; a large hotel in West Virginia. Since the beginning of the war they have been handling large government contracts at Fort Oglethorpe.

On November 25th, Mr. Grimes represented the Parks-Grimes Co. in Chicago at the organization of the Association of General Contractors of America.

He returned to his home on Sunday December 1, and on Monday he complained of a cold and Tuesday was confined to his room. Wednesday a doctor was called against his protest and he was removed to the hospital. He showed no signs of influenza until Saturday when pneumonia developed. Sunday he seemed much improved until toward evening when the influenza took full hold and he continued to fall until Tuesday night at 11:15 when the end came.

The funeral service of soldier Coulter Elder was held at the residence at 2:30 Rev. Curry conducting the service. The attendance was large, and the funeral was as military in its appointments as North Platte could furnish. The drum corps and Home Guards acted as an escort, while six returned soldiers from training camps were pall-bearers. These were Chas. Strauss, R. D. Birge, Robt. Beatty, Jesse Smith, W. R. Harcourt and W. H. Munger and they were in uniform. The casket was covered with a flag. At the grave taps were blown and the firing squad fired three volleys, the last respect shown the soldier dead.

Coulter Elder was nineteen years of age and had been at Camp Polk less than a month, leaving home November 3d for that camp after enlistment in the tank corps. Death occurred November 30th from influenza after a brief illness. When the war was first declared Coulter was anxious to enlist, but was barred at that time by reason of his age. When the age limit was reduced permitting him to register, he made every effort to get into the service immediately, but it was not until the early part of last month that he was accepted. From early boyhood he took a fancy to soldiering, largely due no doubt to having heard his father, who was a veteran of the civil war, relate the experiences of camp and battle line. He was denied his desire to see active warfare, but he gave up his life in the service of his country just as freely as did those who died at the front.

Have you noticed the display of diamonds in DIXON'S Jewelry store window. These stones are being sold at the old price. They range from \$8 to \$525.00. There are some that are extra fine from \$100.00 to \$175.00.

Harry Fleishman said good-bye to his friends Friday night at twelve and left in his Studebaker car for Omaha expecting to reach that city at noon the following day.

All The Millinery and this season's latest style hats to be closed out quickly. All the hats that sold up to \$6.00 on sale at \$2.45. All the better grades, some as high as \$12.00 on sale at \$4.95 at THE LEADER MER. COMPANY.

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**HARRY SAMUELSON.**

**U. P. Family Service Club.**

The Union Pacific Family Service Club, organized for the purpose of looking after the families of employes who are in army service, held its weekly meeting Sunday evening in the conductors' room in the depot. There was a good sized attendance and a departure from the usual routine proceedings was made by short addresses by J. J. Halligan, Bishop Beecher, Ira L. Bare and Rev. Arthur Jones. A resolution was passed authorizing the perpetuation of the club so long as any U. P. employes were overseas. Since the formation of the club about one thousand dollars have been distributed to families whose heads are in service overseas. This distribution has been in the form of hospital and doctor bills, coal, groceries and other necessities. In several instances a regular sum is paid monthly to families. Arrangements are being made to supply each family with a turkey dinner on Christmas. "The employes over there have been fighting for us employes over here, and the least we can do for them," said Chairman McComber, "is to see that the members of their families are as well provided as though the boys were here to support them." The monthly contributions to the funds are voluntary and range from a minimum of ten cents to a maximum of two dollars per month.

For Farm Loans see Gene Crook, Room west of Vienna Cafe.

**Ralph Vroman Injured.**

Word received in town Friday told of an accident to Ralph Vroman in which he suffered a compound fracture of a leg. Ralph is in a balloon school in California and while riding a motorcycle with a side car attached, was struck by an automobile. Ralph's companion, who was riding in the side car was killed and Ralph sustained the compound fracture and was otherwise bruised.

He is in a hospital and doing as well as could be expected under the circumstances.

If you haven't and expect to make some comforters this season, do not fail to see our nine cent specials. You'll want to buy them all. E. T. TRAMP & SONS.

**Wallace Pioneer Dies.**

W. J. Kain, for over thirty-four years a resident of Wallace precinct, died Thursday night at the age of sixty-six. Death was due to the flu. He leaves a wife and three children, A. R. Kain, Mrs. Bert Light and Mrs. Harry Reece, all resident of Wallace precinct. The funeral was held at Wallace Saturday afternoon. The deceased was well and favorably known in the south part of the county, and his sudden death is regretted by a large circle of acquaintances.

Clara Kimball Young has not been before North Platte audiences for a long time but you can see her tonight or tomorrow night in her latest success—"The Reason Why". Don't forget the place—Crystal Theatre.

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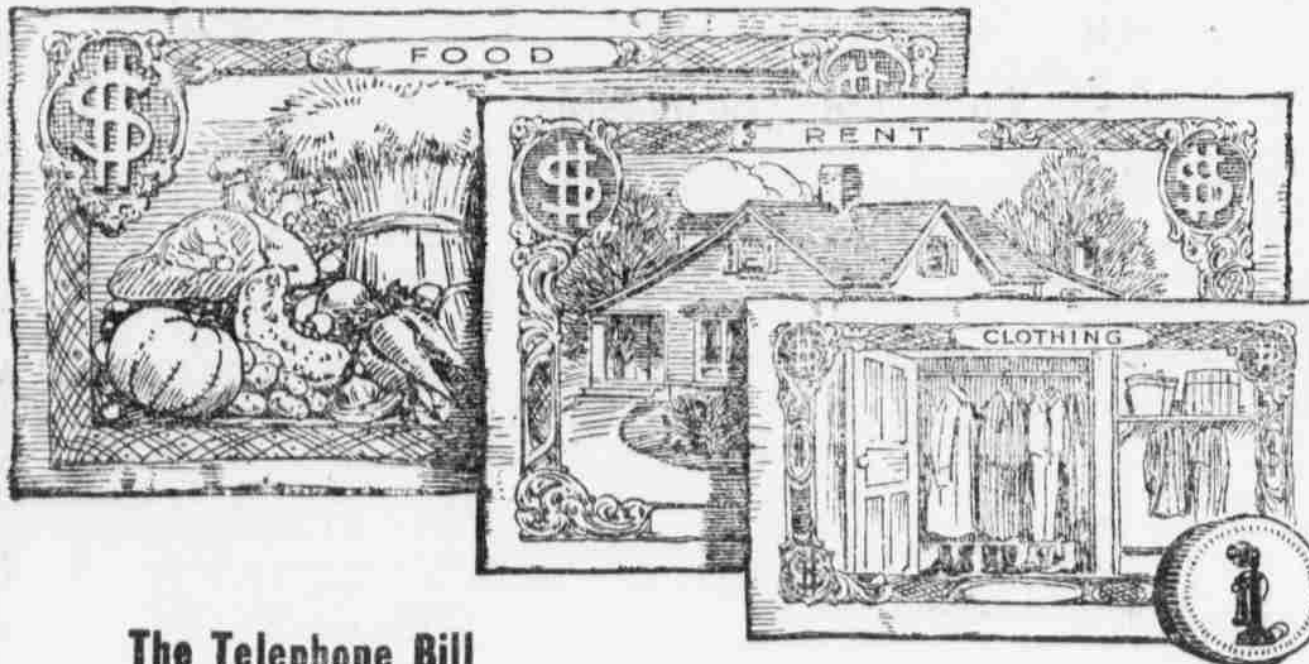
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Food	35 per cent
Rent	20 per cent
Clothing	16 per cent
Fuel and Light	6 per cent
Insurance, Savings, etc.	7 per cent
House Furnishings	4 per cent
Education and Amusements	4 per cent
Sickness	3 per cent
TELEPHONE	2 per cent
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