

## TO THE PARENTS OF THE GRADUATES.

Graduating from high school is an important milestone in life. The young folks of course are chiefly interested in the gala side of commencement, and they are "through with" a lot of hard work.

But you know they are not through with it. You know they have simply reached the front trenches of the battlefield of life. The period of training is over. They are about to begin the real work. So you ought to make the graduation present to your child more than a reward of merit for good work well done.

It ought to be more than an ordinary present.

It should be a gift that will make a deep impression on the young person's mind—something enduring that will be enjoyed for many years.

A good watch is pre-eminently such a gift.

For practical use it cannot be surpassed.

Another such gift—particularly for a girl—is a diamond. She has reached the age when she can wear a diamond ring. She will never lose her pleasure in it. And its intrinsic worth will increase with the years.

Those are suggestions on my part. It may be that some other present would be better, especially if the child is finishing grammar school. Individual circumstances govern each case, and you of course are the one to decide.

But I do know that our stocks contain many excellent graduation presents of the good quality that you want, and that prices are splendid values. You will enjoy examining goods here and I will be glad to have you do so whether you purchase or not.

Bracelet Watches  
Diamond Rings  
Set Rings  
Bar Pins  
Necklaces  
Toiletware  
French Ivory  
Men's Watches  
Spear Pins  
Cuff Links  
Belt Buckles  
Signal Rings  
Bill Folds  
Novelties

C. S. CLINTON  
JEWELER

At the Sign of the Big Ring.

DR. O. H. CRESSLER.

Graduate Dentist  
Office over the McDonald  
State Bank.

## CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

Ed. Reynolds, of the Edwards-Reynolds Co., left yesterday for a visit with relatives at Beaver Crossing, Neb.

There's a charm in the late arrivals of hats in our millinery department. See Miss Little in charge, at The Leader Mercantile Co.

Cowboy sports galore in "Wild Honey" at the Sun Saturday.

The Durbin Auto Co. has handled thirty-three Oldsmobile cars since the first of January, evidence that the Oldsmobile is a good seller.

Farmers, don't forget that the old Besack barn is open and ready for business, and will try to treat you right.

J. C. Den headed a party of fishermen who spent Tuesday at the Trego lake north of Sutherland fishing for bullheads. The party brought home several hundred.

Christian Science service Sunday 11 a. m. Wednesday evening meetings every week at 8:00. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services. Building & Loan building, room 25.

Mrs. Earl Heffner died at her home in this city Monday, leaving a husband and infant child. Mrs. Heffner was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cooper, of Wellfleet, and the remains were taken there for interment.

Guy Hinman, mayor of Fremont, spent Wednesday in town visiting his cousin Curt Hinman. Mayor Hinman was put forward for the office after the period for filing petitions had closed and his name was written on the ballot by over 1100 voters.

A. L. Reichstein, Route B, North Platte, Neb. 30-3

Mrs. Maggie Mabe, aged sixty-six, died at her home on south Dewey street Monday morning. She leaves a husband and three grown children. The remains were shipped to Hannibal, Mo., Monday night for interment.

Wanted—Girl or woman for general housework. Good wages. Phone Red 288. tt.

Frederick Bowers and his dancing and singing girls played to a capacity house at the Keith Tuesday evening. The work of the star was so highly appreciated that he responded to a curtain call, gave a humorous talk and rendered a song.

## SECOND WARNING.

For the past six weeks, I have told you that the first warm days of spring would bring a shortage of such good standard cars as Dodge Brothers have always produced. The shortage is here now, but don't lose your head. Get your Dodge ordered today. I will protect you on a reasonably quick delivery. Don't be persuaded to take some "just as good" or "just as big" substitute.

Remember that there are but two cars sold in North Platte on which you can get immediate repair part service and Dodge Brothers were the mechanics of both of these cars. Remember Dodge cars are standard, in quality and price, whether new or used. That's why they sell so fast. Be protected by ordering your car today. J. V. ROMIGH, Dealer.

## A Fine Record.

W. W. Hunter, Liberty loan committee member for Sellers precinct, brought in Wednesday subscriptions in the sum of \$5,000 for the Victory loan notes. He had not quite finished his soliciting and expects to secure several hundred dollars more. Sellers is a sand hill precinct, one of the sandest in the county, and the residents are not wealthy but they have made a fine showing in the bond campaigns. In the third campaign they subscribed \$8,700, in the fourth \$11,300, and in the fifth \$5,000, making a total of \$24,000. There are forty-eight voters in the precinct, hence the average subscription to all loans has been \$547 per voter. Not only have the people of Sellers done their part—and more—in the bond drives, but in every campaign for the Red Cross and every other war activity, they have gone over the top in their contributions.

## New Books for Children

The following new books for children have been received at the public library:

- Burgess—Mother West Wind's Children.
- Burgess—Mother West Wind's Neighbors.
- Burgess—Mother West Wind's Friends.
- Burgess—Mother West Wind's Why Stories.
- Collins—Boys' Book of Model Aeroplanes.
- Duncan—Mary's Garden and How It Grew.
- Dyer—What Happen Then Stories.
- Gates—Little Girl Blue.
- Gates—Captain Billie.
- Grinnell—Wolf Hunters.
- Hopkins—The Sandman, His Farm Stories.
- Morley—Little Mitchell.
- Muir—Stiecken—Story of a Dog.
- Smith—Arabella and Araminta Stories.
- Smith, J. W.—Little Mother Goose.

## For Sale

2 1/2 acres, alfalfa, choicest soil, good 7 room house with basement, garage, chicken house, private irrigation plant. An Ideal Home. Acreage can be subdivided into lots. Phone me about this. O. H. THOLECKE.

Wanted—Contracts for plowing. Call at 675 No. Locust. Phone Red 556. 22\*

## Doris Kenyon in "Wild Honey."

Doris Kenyon as a western girl will be seen in the title role of "Wild Honey," a feature photoplay that is booked for exhibition at the Sun theatre on Saturday. It is a screen adaptation of a strong story of early western life, written by Vingie E. Roe, and which appeared recently in the Pictorial Review. The screen version was prepared by Louis Joseph Vance in collaboration with Mrs. Roe, thereby insuring for it the full vigor of the original text which was alive with action and human interest.

When such a beautiful girl as Doris Kenyon uses her powers of coquetry as a dance hall girl it is not surprising that she might lure the young camp minister from the path of righteousness. But after leading him from the path she fell in love with him and he led her back with him. Such is the thread of this stirring story, which is full of love, jealousy, hate, pathos, comedy, violence and masculine vigor both good and evil.

## Entries for Auto Races.

Entries for the auto races which will be held at the fair grounds on July 4th are now being received. J. J. Crawford, contest manager, informs us that thirty-five different drivers have written for entry blanks and a number of them have entered. Among those who have entered is H. S. Roller, of Abilene, Kan., who was here last fall. He failed to win last fall but he says he is coming here to pull down some money on the Fourth.

The events scheduled for July 4th are: Three mile race, mile race for track record, two five mile races, one ten mile race and a twenty-five mile race for a purse of \$1,000.

## First Lutheran Church.

Morning worship 8:30 o'clock, subject, "The Easter Peace."

Sunday school at one o'clock. In the evening we shall unite in the Public Welfare service at the Presbyterian church.

REV. C. F. KOCH, Pastor.

## FOR SALE

A few Registered Hereford Bulls. These bulls are grandsons of Mousel, the great Beau Mischief, and are good individuals. Phone 786F4. Fred McClymont, two miles east of state farm. 29-4

## Johnson-Stryker Wedding.

Miss Elsie Johnson became the bride of John Addison Stryker of the State Normal School, Kearney, Thursday morning at eight o'clock. The ceremony, which took place at the bride's home, was performed by Rev. Koch. Only members of the immediate family were present. A delightful wedding breakfast was then served.

Mr. and Mrs. Stryker left on number six for Kearney where they will make their home, their new bungalow now being completed.

## Card of Thanks

Words fail to express our appreciation for the floral offerings and our gratitude for the kindness shown us in our recent bereavement.

Robert R. Royer.

Mrs. Louise Anderson and family.

## Frank Haynes in Jail.

Frank Haynes, former North Platte citizen, is now in the Kansas penitentiary, having been sent up from Iola a few days ago for selling mortgaged property. Haynes is wanted here for a penitentiary offense, and will be remembered as the fellow who escaped from A. B. Hoagland while the latter was bringing him here from Illinois.

## Recent Marriages

Judge Woodhurst united in marriage last Saturday Oscar Rentzsch and Ruby James, both of Oshkosh; Tuesday he married Cecil D. Stone of Thornburg and Zelma Wright of Forks, and Wednesday he officiated at the wedding of Chas. H. Nelson and Clara B. Bowen, both of Wallace.

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



## Stay at Home--Bank by Mail

Farmers and others who find it inconvenient to come to town regularly can make profitable use of our bank-by-mail service.

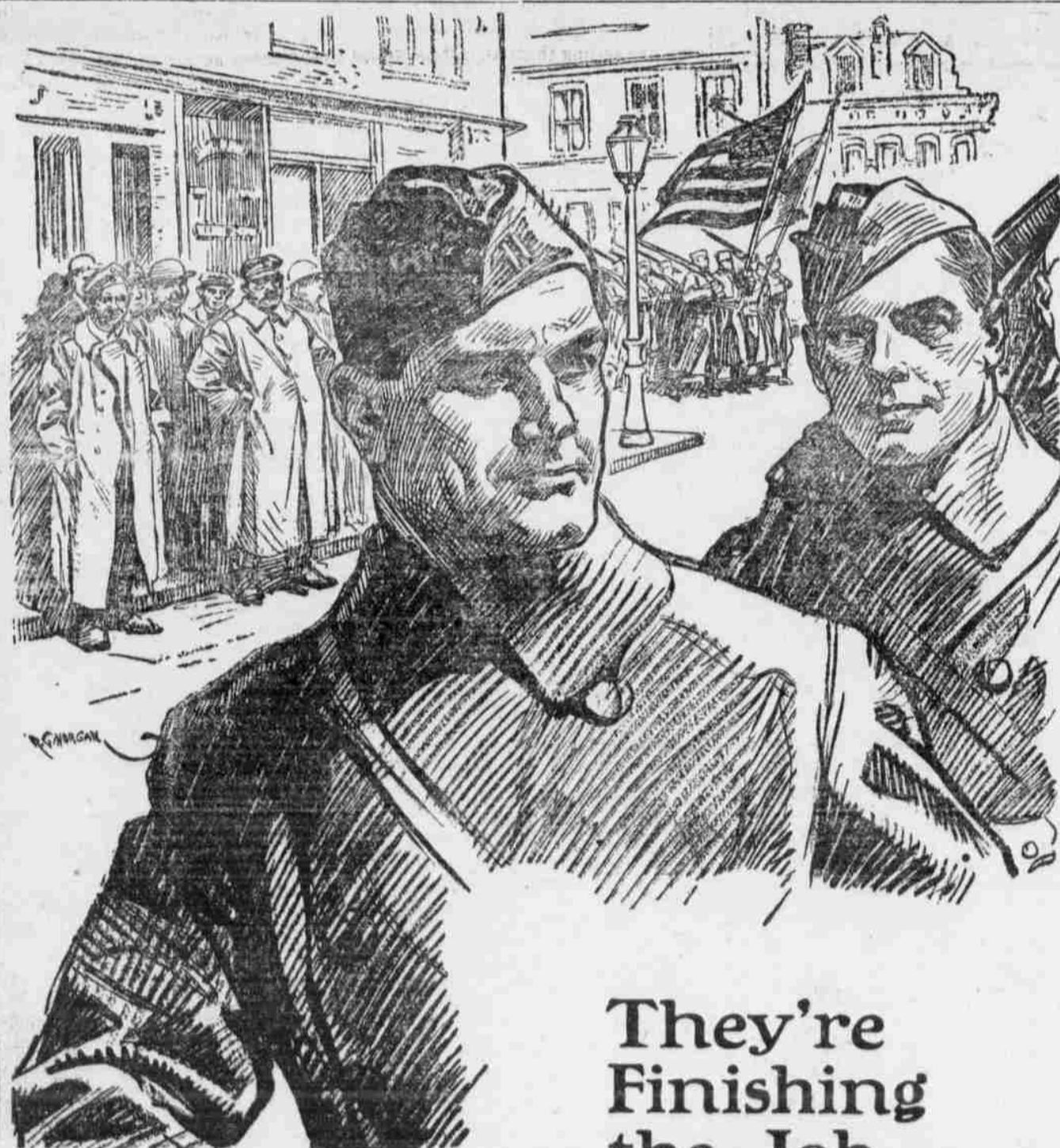
Through this service you can make deposits, transfer money, pay bills, and transact business of various kinds without leaving home.

Those who avail themselves of this service are assured of the same prompt and courteous attention as if they came to the bank in person.

With the season of bad roads and bad weather at hand, now is a particularly good time to use the mails or telephone in transacting your banking business.

## Platte Valley State Bank, NORTH PLATTE, NEB.

Deposits Guaranteed Under Laws of this State



# They're Finishing the Job

There are a million of our boys still "over there"—there to stick it out to the finish.

And how about us? Remember we are their partners in the big contract—that we have given our promise—one that will not be fulfilled until we have paid our bills.

If the Victory Liberty Loan fails, so will we in our promise! Buy to your full limit of cash and installments—and don't delay.

Victory Liberty Loan Committee

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North Platte Business and Professional Men.

## Chi-Namel Demonstration Stone's Drug Store Friday and Saturday, April 24 and 25



## CHI-NAMEL DEMONSTRATION

Come and see the demonstration of Chi-Namel at our store on dates given below and learn the beauty and economy of Chi-Namel Products for home decoration.

If you have an old dirty softwood or previously painted floor, try your hand at graining and see for yourself how fascinating and easy it is—you can learn to grain in 5 minutes.

### FACTORY EXPERT WILL DEMONSTRATE

No matter what you desire to refinish—new or old, hard or soft wood floors, furniture, woodwork, walls, doors, fixtures, picture frames, screens, screen doors, radiators, bric-a-brac, autos, carriages or wood, metal, plaster, cement, brick or stone, we want to show you the Chi-Namel Product best fitted for that particular purpose and easiest for amateurs to apply without laps or brush marks.

Chi-Namel Finishes are the highest quality products possible to produce. They embody a different and better principle of manufacture employing a remarkable WATERPROOF, SELF-LEVELING CHINESE OIL which is imported at great expense and subjected to many expensive secret processes to produce Chi-Namel. Come and bring your friends—we cordially invite everybody.

## THIS COUPON WORTH 20 cents

upon the purchase of one quart or more of Chi Namel Varnish during the CHI-NAMEL DEMONSTRATION. (Dates given below)

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