

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Wanted—A girl for general house work. Phone Red 533.

Mrs. Jane Guyman and children are spending the week in Schuyler with relatives.

Always stop at the Rexall.

Wanted—Experienced lady cook, and lady for pastry work. Apply in person at The Oasis.

Mrs. Allen, of Lincoln, is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. L. Overstreet, for several weeks.

The Rexall handles the goods of William Elliott, who had been in France for the past year with the engineering corps, returned home yesterday.

A very good 1918 Dodge Brothers touring car, entirely overhauled and guaranteed, \$800 J. V. Romigh, dealer.

M. Hirschfeld left Wednesday for Chicago and New York where he will purchase goods for the Hirschfeld Clothing Co.

Mary bought a new Edison on the payment plan. The man who marries Mary will be a lucky man. She got it from Dixon the jeweler.

William Theyer, who was with the engineering corps in France, returned home yesterday after a year's service overseas.

Mrs. Harry Dixon entertained at a dancing party Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Burns who is visiting here from Denver.

The Misses Elsie and Katherine Stevens, who had been visiting relatives in the city, returned to their home in Ottumwa, Iowa, yesterday.

Mrs. Rasmussen and Miss Margaret Fredericksen left yesterday for Laramie, Wyo., where they will make an extended stay with friends and relatives.

If you are building you cannot afford to miss our sale of lighting fixtures. We save you one-half. Electric Fixture & Supply Company, 6th and Vine streets.

Mrs. D. A. Russell and daughter Marjorie, and two sons leave today for Medford, Oregon, where they will visit Mrs. Russell's mother, Mrs. Mary Ditworth, formerly of this city.

Kodaks and films at the Rexall.

Cy-H Cool returned home Wednesday after being discharged from the army. He was in France over a year, and was actively engaged in battle, being both shell shocked and gassed.

Potatoes around Kearney are averaging 125 bushels per acre, and the present price is around \$1.50 per bushel sacked. The total yield in the Kearney district is estimated at 150,000 bushels.

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.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith and children leave tonight for Payette, Idaho, where they will make their future home. Mr. Smith expects to purchase an interest in a lumber business conducted by his brother.

"CUT THE HIGH COST OF CALICO"
We have 3000 yards of Light and dark 36 inch percale worth today 40c per yard. On sale all day Saturday, August 9th, at 25c per yard.

THE HUB.

Mrs. C. A. Lowell and children, of Chicago, are guests of Mrs. Lowell's parents, Judge and Mrs. Miltonberger. One object of her visit is to welcome the return of her brother Butler from overseas service, who is expected to reach home tomorrow.

A phonograph that actually re-creates music in all its forms is an instrument you will be proud to own; proud to play for your friends; and proud to have it grace your household as an artistic piece of furniture. Such is the New Edison. Harry Dixon.

The city council met in regular bi-weekly session Tuesday evening, passing an ordinance levying taxes for the ensuing year and allowed bills on file. The tax levy this year will be several mills higher than last year. There will also be an increase of several mills in the school levy.

'Clinton & Son' will take care of your Eye Glass trouble; we guarantee to give you satisfaction. Sign of the Big Ring. Son is with Uncle Sam in Germany, will be home soon.

Mrs. Geo. T. Field and Mrs. Fred W. Rincker entertained at bridge Tuesday afternoon at the home of the former. Out-of-town guests were the Mesdames Baker of Detroit, Conklin and Sanford of Chicago, Warren of Tampa, Fla., Rolf Halligan, of Lincoln, and the Mesdames Doyle of Lincoln, Kocken of Wyoming and Irving of Kentucky.

Cut the High Cost of Living
Bargains in second hand furniture, ranges, stoves and household articles. See our low prices on men's and boys' shoes.

ECHELBERY.
104 east Front.

FORD RETURNS FROM SERVICE WITH TWO BRAVERY MEDALS

D. V. Ford returned to his home in North Platte Wednesday night after fifteen months' service overseas. Ford, who before entering the service was employed as a Union Pacific fireman, was sent to an eastern camp early in 1918, and shortly thereafter was sent overseas as a member of Company E, Fourth Engineers. Upon arrival on French soil, his company lost but little time in getting to the front, and participated in the Meuse and Argonne drives and several other battles equally as intense, but he fortunately came through without serious injury.

Not only has Ford returned home, but he has brought back with him insignia of service of which he is proud and which any soldier might covet—two medals for distinguished service and bravery. He was given the American distinguished service cross for extraordinary heroism in action at the River Vesle on August 5th when he showed undaunted courage in building bridges and in carrying messages through a terrific barrage and machine gun fire. The other honor medal is the Italian war cross presented to him by an Italian commander as a mark of merit for distinguished service in action, and for bravery in most desperate situations. Accompanying the medals were letters from both the American and Italian commanding officers.

While Ford fully appreciates these recognitions of meritorious service, he is modest about them, and claims that the work he performed was only the duty of any good soldier who was willing to do his best.

Episcopal Defeat Methodists.
The Episcopal and Methodist teams of the church league played a good game of ball Tuesday evening, the former winning by a score of nine to six. A number of rooters for both teams were in the grand stand and encouraged the players. The game throughout was interesting and the bonhead plays were few.

Are Farmers Short Chickens?
If farmers living in the section tributary to North Platte have had chickens stolen from them during the past few months, they should communicate with Chief of Police McComber, stating the number, the date about when taken and other information. If sufficient information can be obtained there promises to be a mild sensation in North Platte.

Sells Ranch Property.
The Leopold - Pennington - Moore ranch twelve miles north of Hershey, containing 2550 acres, was sold this week to John Pemrose, of Sutherland. The tract is all grazing land, and it is said that the price paid was a good one for that class of land. The sale was made through the Roberts Bros. Land Co.

New Bank Soon to Open.
E. A. Olsen, one of the promoters of the Union State Bank, which is soon to be opened in this city, arrived from Concord, Neb., yesterday accompanied by his family and will make North Platte their home. Mr. Olsen informs us that the furnishings for the bank are enroute, and that it is hoped to have the new institution ready for business not later than September first.

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Statement from Postmaster.

North Platte, August 6, 1919. To the Patrons on the City Routes:— This will explain why there is only one delivery a day on most of the routes. All the mail received at this office comes in from 6 o'clock in the evening until 8:30 in the morning except for the small amount that comes in on No. 2 at 1:20 p. m., so when the carriers go out in the morning and get this mail delivered, they have practically all the mail delivered that comes in during the 24 hours. At 1:20 p. m. No. 2 comes in and has a small amount of mail which the carriers deliver and also make collections from street letter boxes. When No. 11 came in about noon from the east it used to make the second delivery very heavy, but this train has been discontinued.

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Files Complaint With Commission.
The following paragraph appeared in the State Journal Wednesday.

"A. R. Turner and R. H. Smith of North Platte have asked the commission to inform them if they can be subjected to the hazard of life under coal oil lamp conditions because the local electric light company won't give them service unless they pay a bill owing by a former renter. The landlord won't pay the bill, claiming that the company's delay in reading the meter was responsible for the loss of the light bill, and the company says no money no service. Mr. Turner says the company also refused to take the judgment of the commission as to whether this is a just rule, claiming the commission has no jurisdiction over light rates."

Dick Cornell Married
Miss Eda Vivian Wilkey and Richard Donald Cornell were married Monday in Omaha by the Rev. Howard C. Whitcomb of the Calvary Baptist church. Mr. Cornell is a son of Mrs. Alice Cornell of Lincoln. The bride's home was formerly in Lexington, Neb. Mr. and Mrs. Cornell will be at home immediately in North Platte, Neb., where Mr. Cornell is in the automobile business.—Lincoln Journal.

Band Concert Program
Following is the program of concert by the North Platte Municipal band, Earl Stamp, director, at court house park, Friday, August 8th at 8 p. m.:

March—Gardes Du Corps—Hall.
Overture—Raymond—A. Thomas.
Two songs by Jas. Schaffer with band accompaniment—Kiss Me Again (from Mlle. Modiste)—Herbert. My Barney Lies Over the Ocean—Grant.
Four Part Suite—Atlantis—Safrenak.
No. —Nocturne and Morning Hymn of Praise.
No. 2—A Court Function.
No. 3—The Prince and Anna.
No. 4—The Destruction of Atlantis.
Valse Pathetique—Hawalian Moonlight—Klickman.
Serenade—A Night in June—King.
March—Our Starry Flag—Schofield.

Always try The Rexall first, it pays.

The county commissioners were in session this week checking up the books of the county treasurer. This work will be continued next week and other annual settlement made with the other county officers.

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Geo. M. Young, who was in from Medicine precinct yesterday, said that prospects for corn could not be better—in fact they had in that section the best corn west of Illinois. "Fifty or sixty bushels to the acre will be the yield in our section of the county," said Mr. Young.

DR. LINCOLN WIRT RETURNS FROM EUROPE
CAPTAIN OF AMERICAN RED CROSS EXPEDITION VISITING PALESTINE AND TURKEY



It was the effort of every true American to find his niche during the war period and to fill it.

Few men have succeeded so signally in this effort as Dr. Lincoln Wirt. It was not necessary for Dr. Wirt to change his subject or undertake additional burdens in order to continue his work. Yet when the call came, he gave up his lyceum and chautauqua work the past two years to do his bit in Red Cross work. Dr. Wirt made several trips to France in the interest of the Red Cross and holds the honorary title of Captain. He has just returned from Palestine and Turkey where he was at the head of an American Expedition of Red Cross Relief workers.

Dr. Wirt will give us first hand information of the great problems to be met in reconstruction of the devastated countries of Europe, the great and wonderful relief work the Red Cross is doing; a lecture full of information and vital truths. A lecture every person in this community ought to hear.

For three years Dr. Wirt was Territorial Superintendent of Education for the U. S. government in Alaska, founding the public schools which today are the farthest north. Has travelled in most every country on the globe. Hear him the evening of the fourth day.



Why This Bank—A State Bank— Is a Safe Bank.

The laws of this state are made for your protection.

They are made by men who are your neighbors and friends. If you would secure the advantages and protection of these laws you must put yourself in line with their action.

The Depositors' Guaranty Fund is the result of a State law and through its protection your deposits in this bank are Guaranteed—100c on the dollar.

Deposit with this bank—The Platte Valley State Bank—and be SAFE absolutely.

Platte Valley State Bank, NORTH PLATTE, NEB.

Combination Sale At Johansen's Sale Barn, North Platte, Saturday, Aug. 16. 38 Head of Cattle

12 milch cows, 26 steers and heifers, yearlings and two year olds.

10 Head of Hogs
Shoats and Sows.

Other articles too numerous to mention.

S. M. SOUDER T. F. HEALEY
Liberty Land Company
Office Over Rexall Drug Store.

Choice Farm Land in Lincoln and adjoining Counties. Also some good Ranches. Houses and Lots in all parts of North Platte. Look for the Big L Sign.

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YES, MR. MOTORIST, WE CAN SAVE YOU MONEY
on your tires. Vulcanizing will do it. Hundreds of miles of service can be added to each of your tire casings, unless the shoe is absolutely worn through and in a hopeless condition. Vulcanizing the way we do gives you practically a new shoe or new tube, and costs a fraction of the price of a new one.

We handle new tires, White Rose gas and Red Crown gas, and good grades of motor oils.

When in need of good things to eat Call 212.

We receive daily Butter-nut and Kream Krust Bread in sanitary parchment wrapping. Blue Ribbon Coffee is our leader.

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Dick Stegeman,
PHONE 212.
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APPLES

Summer Apples AND Siberian Crab Apples

Now on the market at the **Glenburnie Fruit Farm**
Two Miles North of Sutherland.

Mutual Building and Loan Association,
Of North Platte, Nebraska.

RESOURCES OVER ONE MILLION DOLLARS.

The Association has unlimited funds at its command to assist in the building or purchase of homes for the people of North Platte. If you are interested, the officers of this Association will render every assistance and show you how easy it is to acquire your own home.

T. C. PATTERSON, BESSIE F. SALISBURY,
President. Secretary.