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The most cherished possession of a bride and a wife are her engagement ring, her wedding ring, and her wedding presents. The longer she keeps them the more treasured they become.

Then come to our store and buy presents for the Wedding day, with the assurance that they will correctly and permanently represent your feelings of sentiment.

C. S. CLINTON.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Sam Poulos returned yesterday morning from a business trip to Omaha.

A dancing party will be held at the Elks' home Thursday evening of next week.

Special—Home cured bacon 35c per pound. Brodbeck's Meat Market.

Mrs. Frank Wells underwent an operation at the Twinem hospital Tuesday.

The Knights of Columbus degree staff will go to Sidney Sunday to put on the work there.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Huntington left Thursday for California to make their home for the winter.

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

Joe Mahaffey, who came down from Arthur Saturday and was detained by the storm, returned yesterday.

R. L. Graves is expected home tomorrow from Kansas City where he has been transacting business this week.

Will the party who took my bicycle at Fremont slough please return to George Weber, 314 west Front street, North Platte.

Arthur McNamara, who has been visiting friends in town for several days, will leave today for his home in Oakland, Cal.

A very good suggestion for the bride. Amethyst cut glass, a large shipment just received. Dixon, the jeweler.

Master Thomas Gorham returned Tuesday to his home in Grand Island after spending the week end with his grandmother, Mrs. John Gorham.

Geo. N. Gibbs leaves today for York where he will be joined by Mrs. Gibbs and they will go to Lincoln to witness the foot ball game between Nebraska and Kansas.

Special—Kettle rendered lard. Brodbeck's Meat Market.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schlientz entertained eight guests Wednesday evening in honor of the birthday of Jack Stensant.

REMEMBER, your watch will not leave ED'S bench (in Frater's Drug Store) until it is RIGHT.

Account of strikes they are unable to furnish us with Broken Blossoms which we had booked for next week, but had the good luck to substitute "The Westerner" in its place.

Wanted—Liberty bonds at market price. Louis Lipahitz.

The deep snow and unbroken roads has kept many farmers from coming to town this week. One south side farmer who rode in horseback yesterday said his horse had to struggle through drifts three and four feet deep.

Have one of the beautiful clocks laid away at Dixon's for her Xmas. \$2.00 to \$70.00.

Lack of business rooms has forced two grocers out of business this year, and a third business man who must vacate next year will seek another town in which to do business. This is a condition that should not prevail—it hurts the growth of the city. If our commercial interests are to expand we must have more business buildings.

To whom are you going to sell your Hay and Grain? The Harrington Mercantile Co. will offer the highest prices.

Local postoffice employees have been notified that they are to receive an increase of pay, retroactive from July 1 in case of regular employees. Under the salary increase provision those receiving less than \$1200 per year will get a raise of two hundred dollars, while those receiving more than that sum annually will have to be content with a raise of one hundred and fifty dollars.

When in North Platte stop at the New Hotel Palace and Cafe. You will be treated well.

PLATTE VALLEY BANK LETS CONTRACT FOR ALTERATIONS

The Platte Valley State Bank have let the contract for the alteration of the entire first story of the Odd Fellows' building, into a modern banking room with every convenience known to banking today.

The first story of the building will be changed somewhat to meet the requirements of the new floor plan for light, and an ornamental doorway will be put in at the center of the first story front, making a suitable entrance to the new room.

The finest of materials attainable are to be used in the banking room throughout. The floor in the bank, vestibule and public lobby will be of Tennessee marble in a pink tone which will give an unusual rich effect, as it will be laid in a basket weave design. Above the marble floor will be a 10 inch marble base of black and gold marble which is the finest product known to the marble trade, and is of black background with bright gold veins.

Above the marble base will be a Botticello marble to the height of 42 inches. This marble will be of heavy type construction with a 2 1/2 inch thick slab forming a ledge at the counters. There will be two check desks in the public lobby, each large enough to accommodate four people at the same time, and equipped with modern calendar racks. Each check desk will be constructed of marble, same type as the bank fixtures. Above the heavy ledge on the bank fixtures, there will be a very fine detailed cornice, which will be finished in a rich brown color.

The counter behind the counter screen will be topped with brown battleship linoleum, and the floors in the work space and other portions of the room which are not covered with marble, will be covered with 1/4 inch brown battleship linoleum which is the best floor covering known to the building trade today.

All of the glass in the banking room will be manufactured under the new stippled etched process with a special design etched into the glass. The grilles and wickets used on the main bank counter will be of heavy bronze construction. The main wickets of the bank will be caged so that the modern unit system can be used in the bank, and these cages will be equipped with every convenience so that the bank will be able to handle the routine business of the customers with the least possible delay.

The ceiling in the main banking room will be attractively beamed by the use of heavy ceiling beams and the decorations will be in keeping with the new interior.

Among the features which the new plan will offer to the public are the farmers' room, large customers' meeting room, men's room, women's room, savings department, safe deposit department with a large safe deposit vault, and a spacious officers' quarters with three large private rooms for their use. The vault will be of the most modern construction of reinforced concrete with heavy walls in which will be imbedded steel wires, forming a steel basket around the entire vault, making it practically burglar proof. The entire room when completed will be one of the finest in the state of Nebraska, and will be in keeping with the bank in its growth.

After giving the matter careful consideration from every point of view, the bankers decided that the most economical and best way to handle their work would be to allot the contract complete to A. Moorman & Company, of St. Paul, Minnesota, who specialize in alterations and bank buildings. The work will start on the bank within thirty days and the bank expects to be in their new building in the early spring.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. J. J. Halligan entertained the Tuesday afternoon bridge club this week.

A. P. White has gone to Omaha where he will probably spend the greater part of the winter.

Hats and Tam O'Shantans for children and misses, 95c and \$1.47 at the Leader Mercantile Co.

For Sale—1 kitchen cabinet, 1 book case and 1 chiffonier. Phone 103, 616 west Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Clabaugh left Tuesday for Des Moines where they will visit Mr. Clabaugh's grandmother.

Give thought to Xmas. Dixon, the jeweler.

For Sale—1 kitchen cabinet, 1 book case and 1 chiffonier. Phone Black 430, 616 west Fourth street.

See the latest styles in veils at The Leader Mercantile Co.

Mrs. M. McFarland was hostess to the Old Neighborhood club Tuesday afternoon complimentary to Mrs. John Singleton.

We are ready for Xmas, Dixon, the jeweler.

Mrs. S. R. Kellogg, who had been the guest of Mrs. J. J. Halligan for the past three weeks, returned Tuesday to her home in Iowa.

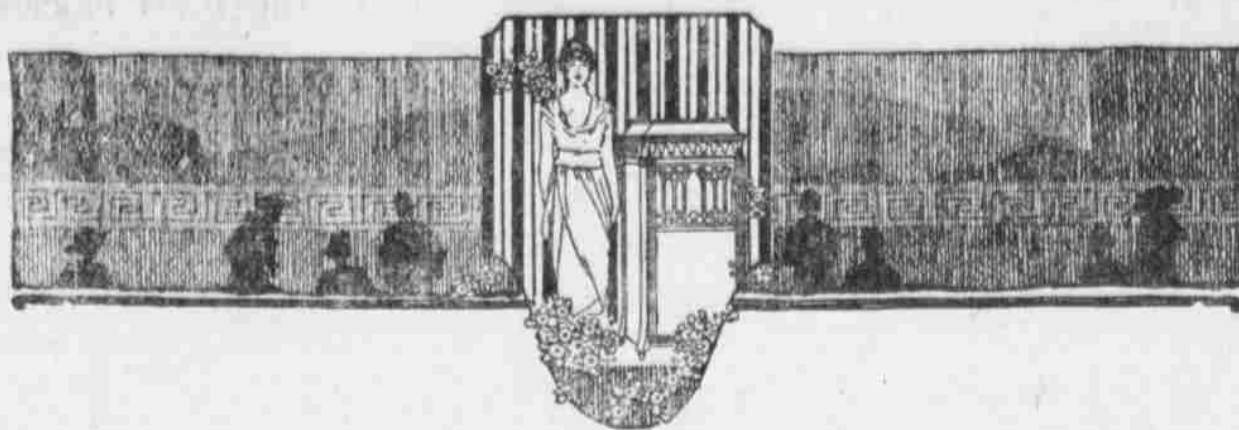
A most charming lot of women's and misses' suits, saving you from \$6.50 to \$15 on any suit you may select at The Leader Mercantile Co.

Mrs. Ira Sage, who has been the guest of Miss Florence Stamp for the past ten days, returned yesterday to her home in Maxwell.

An assortment of hats priced at \$4.95 to be sold on Saturday and Monday only at The Leader Mercantile Co.

Mrs. George Frater entertained at a one o'clock luncheon Thursday, the honor guest being Mrs. C. L. Shelley, of Fairbury. Decorations were carnations and chrysanthemums. Covers were laid for nine.

For Sale—A nice new residence property—last house on North Maple. For price see L. D. McFarland, 2005 east 4th street. Phone Red 732.



So Human

---it amazed all North Platte

SOME of your friends must have been in the hugh audience which heard Odette Le Fontenay in her Tone-Test recital at Methodist Church. Ask these people about it. This is the astonishing discovery made.

The keenest musical ear can not distinguish any difference between the voice of the living artist and the RE-CREATION of that voice by the New Edison.

And does it not amaze you, too, that Mr. Edison has succeeded in producing an instrument that captures every subtle sweetness of the human voice—that gives you all the ear can give you of the art of the world's great artist. No other phonograph dares to make this direct comparison.

The NEW EDISON

"The Phonograph With a Soul."

The New Edison alone can RE-CREATE music for you. Come in and hear it for yourself. Make the great discovery for yourself.

HARRY DIXON, Jeweler.

*The instrument used in Friday's Tone-Test is the regular model which sells for \$285 (in Canada \$431). It is an exact duplicate of the Laboratory Model which Mr. Edison perfected after spending Three Million Dollars in experiments.

Johansen's Sale Dates

- November—18th, M. J. Rielly land sale in Maxwell.
- 22nd, Fred Nelson hog sale in North Platte.
- 25th, Felix J. Boskowski general farm sale, 4 miles west of North Platte.
- 29th, Landholm & Anderson pure bred hog sale at North Platte.
- December—3rd, Harry Goldsmith general farm sale southwest of North Platte.
- 20th, George Snyder, general farm sale, east of Maxwell.
- February—4th, Lee Mustard, general farm sale southeast of North Platte.

Diamonds are going up in price; now is the time to invest in a fine diamond ring, brooch, lavallier or ear screws. Christmas will soon be here. Clinton, the jeweler.

Realty Auction Sale.

A choice little ranch of 1280 acres only 3 1/2 miles from Maxwell, Neb., on the main line of the U. P. railroad. Improvements consist of small frame house and barn, all fenced and cross fenced; has good well, mill and tank, never failing water supply. About 160 acres under cultivation. This land never fails to raise a good crop of corn, wheat, rye or potatoes, in fact any crop suitable to this climate. The soil is slightly sandy, but does not blow. The grass land cannot be beat, being all buffalo grass. This is one of the best small ranch propositions that can be offered this close to town. The legal description of the land is Sections 27 and 34, Township 14, Range 28. Will offer each section separate, and all in one tract, and will sell which ever way it brings the most money. Terms, 15 per cent cash on the day of sale, balance March 1st, 1920. Will arrange terms on \$10,000 if desired. An abstract showing good title will be furnished. Parties from a distance will be shown this land on the day of the sale. Sale will be held at Maxwell, Nebr., on Tuesday, Nov. 18, 1919, at 1 p. m.

Col. H. M. Johansen, Col. H. E. Ash, Auctioneers. H. J. RIELLY, Owner. Public clean up sale November 19, next day.

Storm Postpones Sales.

Public auctions advertised for this week were postponed by reason of the snow and cold weather. Among the sales postponed or called off were the Covell sale for Tuesday which has been postponed until Nov. 20th, and the Crook & Cobb sale, advertised for yesterday.

Mrs. Kate Dailey, of Ogden, who has been visiting Miss Vaunita Hayes and Miss Margaret Barker, went to Grand Island Tuesday where she will visit Mrs. Thos. Gorham.

For Sale—A bargain: 8 room house, modern except heat; has garage, barn and coal shed. Phone black 1132, 408 east Eleventh street.

Ivory sets in manicure, toilet and shaving, always make a lovely Christmas gift. Clinton the jeweler.

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Shop Early for Christmas.

CATTLE SALE

On account of not being able to get help, I will sell at Auction, at the Collidge Ranch 3 1/2 miles north of North Platte, on

TUESDAY, NOV. 18th, '19,
COMMENCING AT 12 O'CLOCK SHARP.

135 Head of Cattle

Consisting of 34 cows, 20 head of 2 year old heifers, 8 long yearling steers, 30 head yearling heifers, 13 head of yearling steers, 20 heifer calves, 10 steer calves and 1 white high grade Short Horn bull calf. These cattle are all good Short Horns and White Faces.

13 Head of Hogs

1 Sow and 8 pigs and 4 Gilts.

FREE LUNCH AT 11:30.

TERMS OF SALE—\$20 and under cash; sums over \$20 six months time will be given on bankable paper bearing 10 per cent interest from date of sale. No property to be removed until settled for.

C. L. COOLIDGE, Owner.
COL. ED KIERIG, Auctioneer. R. C. LANGFORD, Clerk.