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## WOODRUFF APPOINTED GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT OF U. P.

A. W. Woodruff, superintendent of the Wyoming division with headquarters at Cheyenne, passed through yesterday to Omaha where he goes to accept the office of general superintendent of the Union Pacific, accepting the vacancy occasioned by the return of E. H. Hamill to the Northwestern road. Mr. Woodruff will be succeeded as superintendent of the western district by M. C. Duffy, who occupied the position while Mr. Woodruff was in army service overseas.

North Platte employees of the Wyoming division will regret to lose Mr. Woodruff as he is very popular with them and is considered not only an efficient railroad official but a prince of a man. Business men of North Platte will also regret him leaving the Wyoming division, as their business relations with him have always been pleasant and satisfactory. As general superintendent he will not visit North Platte so frequently as he did while division superintendent.

Wanted—Housekeeper. Inquire at Style Shop for Mrs. Popejoy.

## Keith, Tonight.

**GEORGE WALSH**

in a blue shirt lead

IN

**"The Shark"**

the athletic actor in a tale of the bounding deep.

The Sunshine Comedy—

**Hungry Lions and Tender**

**Hearts**

crammed with thrills and side splitting laughter.

## Damage Suit Dismissed.

Engineers George Austin and Jake Smith returned last evening from Grand Island where they had been called as witnesses in a damage case against the Union Pacific. In December, 1917, Engineer Austin while pulling a night train struck a bunch of cattle which had congregated on the tracks and killed forty-five head. The owner of the cattle brought suit and the case came up for hearing Wednesday and was dismissed before Messrs. Austin and Smith were called to the witness stand.

## Announcement

The Victor Fashion Book is ready, showing wonderful values in the season's latest and most approved styles in women's and misses' high class suits, coats, dresses, skirts, waists and petticoats. Ready to wear and made to measure. The styles are beautiful and the materials of the finest all wool grades to be had. It will be a pleasure to you to look through this wonderful line which can be seen at 412 Oak street, or phone black 524 for an appointment. Mrs. Janet MacKay, agent for Victor Ladies' Tailoring Co., Chicago. Perfect fit, prompt service and satisfaction guaranteed and prices always the lowest.

J. B. Hemphill was badly bruised last evening when he fell down the stairs leading to the basement in the building which is jointly occupied by his job printing shop and the Null bicycle shop. Mr. Hemphill was at once conveyed to the General hospital for treatment.

Saturday will be the last day of the Dutch Auction Sale at The Leader Mercantile Co. Coats, Suits, Dresses and skirts in 3 groups; group 1 is \$2.00 today; group 2 is \$12.00 today and group 3 is \$22.00 today. Price decreases \$1.00 on each garment each day.

The Episcopal Guild will hold a food exchange in the Derryberry & Forbes window, Saturday, February 28, 12-2. Wanted to buy, a reed sulky car, phone Black 1011.

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Martin Brestel and Blanche M. Fowles, both of Brady, were granted a marriage license by Judge Woodhurst Wednesday.

The newest fashions in coats, suits, dresses, blouses, etc., are now being shown at Block's.

Paul Harrington spent Monday in Denver attending a meeting of the stockholders of the Hibernian Bank and was elected a director of that institution.

Complete stock of spring's newest creations in suits, coats, dresses and blouses at Block's.

There is much hay in the Platte valley yet to be moved, due to lack of demand in both the eastern and western markets. Buyers are offering \$15 per ton on car.

For Sale—Plymouth rock rooster Phone 224.

J. B. Young, commercial manager for the Western Union telegraph company, has purchased of S. R. Derryberry the property at 310 south Locust street.

Don't delay, but come to the Dutch Auction Sale at The Leader. Saturday is the last day of the sale. Price decreases \$1.00 per day on each garment. Greatest values of the season.

The last of the furnishings of the Trotter show room were moved from the Harrington building today. There are a half dozen applicants for the building, two or three of whom are out of town parties, but up to today no selection of a tenant had been made by Paul Harrington.

If you want to see what is new in milady's spring apparel, Block's is the place to look.

Before a race is run, betting is the most attractive of sports, but afterwards—well. Go to the Crystal and see Tom Moore in "Lord and Lady Algy." It has some of the best sport in it you have seen in many a day. Be there Saturday afternoon and evening and Monday.

The Style Shop windows are full of beautiful new Madam Flanders blouses.

The Loyal Workers Sunday school class of the Christian church held a farewell party Wednesday evening for their teacher, Mrs. A. A. Craig. The evening was spent in playing games, with an elaborate lunch to mark the end of the fun. The class presented Mrs. Craig with a set of salad forks as a token of their esteem and appreciation of her work with the class. Mr. and Mrs. Craig will leave next week to make their home on a farm near Denver.

## Private Sale.

I will sell at private sale 45 head of cattle; 2 cows one Jersey and one Shorthorn coming fresh; 15 yearling calves, 28 heifers coming two years, 4 head of horses, 3 colts and farm implements. Call at 412 east Front street or write me at General Delivery. C. SODICOTT. 9-4

## PROPOSED WATER MAIN EXTENSIONS ARE SHOWN.

Water Commissioner Welch has placed on exhibit in a window of the Green billiard hall a map of the proposed water main extensions, together with that portion of the city that is served by six inch mains, the localities that have but two inch mains, and the section that has no water service. The notations on the map state that there are 592 consumers on the 6-inch mains, 750 on 2-inch mains, and there are 161 residences that have no service. The proposed extensions are stated to be thirteen and two-tenths miles in length, or equivalent to laying a 6-inch main from the Union Pacific depot in this city to a point one mile west of the depot in Hershey.

The cost of the extension and the replacing of small mains by larger ones is estimated by Commissioner Welch at \$150,000 if the pipe is purchased in the immediate future; if the work is delayed the cost will be greater as pipe is advancing in price. While there may be some who will oppose a bond issue of \$150,000, a big majority no doubt realize the necessity of these extensions and will favor the bonds.

In fact every one of the 592 consumers who have had the benefit of service from 6-inch mains should not hesitate to help out the consumers who have had to be content with the poor service obtained from 2-inch mains and the residents who have had no service for the consumers who have had poor service and the residents who have had no service have been paying the same taxes in proportion to the value of their property as have the residents who have enjoyed that excellent service rendered by a 6-inch main.

## Masons Attention.

All Masons and Eastern Stars are invited to the celebration of the Golden Jubilee of Platte Valley Lodge No. 32 A. F. and A. M. and the Twelfth anniversary of the dedication of the Temple, Monday Feb. 23, at 8 p. m.

Former North Platters Picnic. Writing from Long Beach, Calif., under date of February 16th, C. J. McNamara says:

"We attended a North Platte picnic at Sycamore Park in Los Angeles, yesterday, thanks to the notice in The Tribune, and had a grand time. It was quite a treat to see so many home folks.

Mr. Doolittle, the official census taker, counted over two hundred, so you may know we had a good sized crowd.

The Nebraska state picnic will be held at the same place on Feb. 29th."

The True Worth Aprons and House Dresses handled by E. T. Tramp and Sons are truly worth all we ask for them in every respect.

Miss Mayme McGee, of Brady, visited friends in town yesterday.

## Live Subjects Are Discussed.

The Parent-Teacher association of the Washington school met Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Harry Cramer spoke to the mothers about the necessity of increased salaries for the teachers. She explained how the dollar of today is equal to only about forty-seven cents of yesterday. In order to get the qualified, experienced teacher it is necessary to pay them as much as they might earn in an office.

"Defects of School Children's Eyes" were explained by Mr. Dixon. He showed how important it was to give eye-strain or any defect immediate attention.

"The Underslept Child," by Mrs. Crosby brought to attention the many points that are sometimes neglected concerning a child's sleep.

Children from six to twelve years need ten hours sleep and those from twelve on should have at least eight hours sleep. To insure restful sleep one must have plenty of fresh air.

Mrs. J. B. Redfield spoke on the subject of "What Should be Done For the Handicapped or Subnormal Child of our School." She emphasized the three types of sub-normals, and the special attention each one required.

This subject brought up a discussion of the "Opportunity Room," that is found in so many city schools of today. In this room they are taught hand work so that such pupils may earn a living in that manner.

The enrollment of the association is now sixty-four members.

## Parent-Teacher Association.

The meeting of the Parent-Teacher association of the Jefferson school was well attended. The speakers were full of enthusiasm and spoke on subjects of vital interest. Mrs. A. C. Hull tendered her resignation as president of the association and Mrs. W. C. Shelver was elected to fill the vacancy. Mrs. A. N. Durbin was elected vice-president.

## Sales of City Property.

The H. & S. Agency report having made sales of the following city property: Wm. Lyman to Albert Raush, residence property at 600 south Ash; Will Powell to Mrs. D. M. Brooks, residence property at 616 east Sixth; P. C. Petersen to E. J. Wilson property at 1003 West Tenth; S. R. Derryberry to J. B. Young residence at 310 south Locust. Also a number of lots in Bellevue addition.

Whether you are ready to buy your spring garment or not you are welcome to call and inspect the most beautiful and greatest display of spring garments ever brought to this city. Block's.

J. J. Wilcox left this morning for Chicago and St. Joe to purchase spring stock.

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## MASONS WILL CELEBRATE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY MONDAY

Platte Valley Lodge No. 32, A. F. & A. M. will next Monday celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of its institution and the twelfth anniversary of the dedication of the Masonic temple. Platte Valley Lodge was organized at Fort McPherson through the efforts of officers of the Fifth Cavalry in December, 1869, and the first meeting was held on the second floor of the Charles McDonald sutler store on the evening of January 12th, 1870. Since then the lodge has been a continuous and growing organization.

The anniversary program Monday will feature addresses by Attorney E. E. Carr, Miss Nell Hartman and others, music by Stamp's orchestra and vocal and piano selections. Following and the floor will be cleared for dancing.

## Basket Ball Last Evening

A basket ball game between the boys teams of the Parochial school and the Junior high school was played in the basement of the former school last evening with the result that the Junior high won by a score of fifty to twenty. The parochial school was outclassed in all stages of the game.

"A Temperamental Wife" with Constance Talmadge, at the Keith Monday and Tuesday is a sad, sweet story of a maid who would wed a man who would gaze on no feminine charms but her own. She sallies forth into the wide world in pursuit of him, finds him, captures him and then—oh then! She begins to find out things about men, the wretches! and her own man in particular. You know Constance, so come.

## FOR SALE.

Nash Dairy Farm at Cheyenne, Wyo. 320 acres two miles south of Union Depot. Well improved, with good house, barns, etc. Two artesian wells furnish an abundance of pure water; 120 acres in cultivation last year, including good stand alfalfa. All level bottom land and best of soil. All necessary farm machinery and implements go with place. \$5,000 will handle this place and terms can be arranged on balance. Possession given immediately if desired. Liberty Land Co., North Platte, Neb. Office Phone 128.

Pickard China, Dixon, the Jeweler.

## Mrs. M. Henry Gilfoyl

Instructor in VOICE CULTURE and THE ART OF SINGING. Phone Red 1101. Residence Studio 108 West 3rd St.

Something peppy at the **KEITH** Monday and Tuesday.

**CONSTANCE TALMADGE**

—IN—

**"A Temperamental Wife"**

She had picked her husband from all the men in the world because he wouldn't look at another woman—and then she discovered his secret—he had a stenographer—The Brute!

Oil! Wel! Bingo! Bluiel!

## Keith Theatre

North Platte

**Friday Night, Feb. 27th.**

Prices \$1.00 to \$2.00 Plus war tax. Seat Sale Wednesday 2 p. m.

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