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CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

Mrs. Conglin left Saturday for Chicago to visit her son.
Glen Waltemath has accepted a position at the Hotel McCabe.
Mrs. Fred Thompson went to Omaha Friday to get medical advice.
Mrs. Rose Curtis left Sunday for Denver where she will visit her son.
Mrs. Omar Huff left today for Portland where she will spend the summer.
Try the Rexall first, it pays. 14¢
Agnes Boutwell, of Chicago, formerly of this city, spent Saturday in town with friends.
Harry A. Blood, assistant trainmaster, has resumed his work after a two weeks vacation.
Mrs. Charles Wyman left Sunday for Missouri Valley, Iowa, where she will visit her son.
L. C. Carrol came home from Omaha Saturday after spending the week transacting business.
Phil Pizer, of Levellon, was transacting business in the city Friday and went home Saturday.
Dr. Morrill, Dentist, office over Wilcox Department Store.
Mrs. Harry E. Mitchell returned from Omaha Saturday where she had visited for two weeks.
Keith Neville came home Saturday from Denver where he had been transacting business for a few days.
C. H. Walter made an airplane visit to Sterling, Colo., Saturday in the North Platte Aircraft Co. plane.
Miss Janet McDonald is expected home tomorrow from New York City where she had been visiting for three weeks.
Khaki suits, dresses and skirts just the thing for that outing or auto trip. BLOCK'S STORE.
The Store Wide Sale of 20% OFF at The Leader Mer. Co. is fast drawing to a close. Be sure and attend it before the close.
Mr. and Mrs. Avery Duval left Saturday by auto for Estes Park, Denver and Colorado Springs, expecting to be absent about two weeks.

Miss Martha Shriver clerk in the county treasurer's office, left last week for Gothenburg to spend her vacation with her parents.
Mrs. M. B. Brooks left Sunday for her home in Los Angeles, after having been called here by the death of her sister Mrs. A. B. Smith.
County Judge Joe Mahaffey, of Arthur, spent Saturday in town. He reports Arthur county folks peaceable and that there are few calls for his services as judge.
Mr. and Mrs. A. Holzmark, well known in North Platte, left Lexington last week for California, where it is hoped the climate will prove beneficial to Mr. Holzmark's health.
C. S. Clinton returned Saturday from Omaha where he spent several days attending the convention of state optometrists. Charley Dixon also attended the sessions of the convention.
SKILFULLY FITTED LENSES—save the eyes for the future. They add to your usefulness and enjoyment of life. Dixon & Son, Eye Specialists.
J. C. Den and several others returned Friday evening from a bass fishing trip to lakes in Chase county. They had good success. Mr. Den landing one that weighed seven pounds.
Steam Baths, Massage and Electric Treatment at 312 East 6th, St. Phone 897.
Mrs. Arthur Rush, of Leslie Barré arrived Friday evening from New York City where he had been attending Columbia university. Enroute home he attended two or three sessions of the republican national convention at Chicago.
Less interest was taken by North Platte people in the republican national convention at Chicago than in any national convention ever held. No bulletins were received and but few inquiries were made.
Hot weather apparel for the ladies. Cool voile dresses, wash skirts, dainty smocks and middles, silk sweaters, etc. Priced to stand comparison. Block's North Platte's Leading Ready to Wear Store.
During the period from January 1st to June 7th two hundred and fifty coyotes had been killed in Dawson county and the scalps presented for payment of bounty. The bounty on coyote scalps is three dollars.
J. E. SEBASTIAN, The Old Line Life Man, Res. Phone 1188, Office Phone 6123
We have been having good "corn weather" for several days past the temperature hanging around ninety to ninety-five during the middle of the day. In some sections of the county it is said that wheat needs rain.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. R. A. Gorman has been transacting business and visiting friends in Malvern, Iowa, for a week past.
Max VonGoetz and Will Ritner returned Sunday evening from Chase county where they caught a nice string of bass, the largest of which weighed four pounds.
We will be able to deliver a few more Dodge touring and Chandler touring and speedster models before the Fourth if you will get your order in now.
J. V. ROMIGH, Dealer.
"Bunk" Bodura, of Genoa, Neb., an all-around ball player and a heavy hitter, has been engaged for the season by the local team and is expected to arrive in time to be in the line-up in the game at Lexington next Sunday.
An informal dancing and card party will be held tomorrow evening at the Country Club, and a large attendance of members and their ladies are expected. The formal opening of the Country Club will be held June 29th and will be made an elaborate affair.
P. M. Whitehead, now located at Culbertson, spent several days in town last week and in company with Supt. Little, of the city schools, left by auto Friday for McCook. Supt. Little expects to soon move his family to this city.
Dr. Howard Yost, Dentist, Twinnon Building, Phone 307.
Albert Gnapp, of Gaslin precinct, who lives on the homestead taken by his father over forty years ago, was in town on business Saturday. He reports corn coming along well and the pastures in fine shape. Wheat will need rain shortly.
Try our 30c coffee. McMichael's Grocery. 42-8
Ladies. Buy your bathing suit at an exclusive ladies' store specializing in Ladies' Apparel exclusively. Where you are sure to find what you are looking for at the price you can afford to pay at BLOCK'S of course.
Edgar R. Baker, of Washington, D. C., arrived yesterday to visit at the Carroll home. Mrs. Baker having reached here a week ago. They will remain here about two weeks; Mrs. Baker was formerly Miss Ida Carroll.
The initial summer concert by the municipal band Friday evening attracted a big throng of people who enjoyed the program, and gave vent to their appreciation by generous applause. The band certainly did well, and promises to do even better as the season advances.
WE KNOW—Experience and care are essential to properly fit glasses to those delicate eyes of yours. TRY US. Dixon & Son, Eye Specialists.
E. L. Rork arrived Wednesday afternoon from North Platte General Hospital where he had been treated for a few weeks for injuries received in an auto accident near Ogallala. He is much improved, but is compelled to use crutches to get about.—Gothenburg Independent.
One of the speedy drivers in the auto races July 3d will be Morgan, of Lexington, who has had a new racing car built and is said to have the necessary nerve to "step on her." It begins to look as though King Rhiley will need drive faster than he ever did if he is to carry off the big money this year.
The last of large corporations who are using Dodge Brothers car exclusively is increasing daily, and today I want to report the following nationally known firms added to the list, American Radiator Co. with over 500 cars, Fairbanks Morse & Co. Chase Candy Co., Iren Biscuit Co., Adams & Kelley Co.
J. V. ROMIGH, Dealer.
During the past week Chief Winslow has been rounding up Weary Willies who pass through town and making them work on the streets. This action on the part of the chief has been advertised east and west and the majority of the Willies tarry but a short time in town.
Dr. H. C. Brock, Dentist, X-Ray Diagnosis, Reynolds Bldg. Phone 148
From a Portland paper it is learned that an auto in which Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis and two children, former North Platte people, were riding, was struck by a street car and Ene Davis, aged thirteen, received bad bruises and possible internal injuries and was removed to a hospital.
Skirts made to your order. Latest in style. Fit guaranteed. You can select any material you wish and we will make it up to your measure at \$3.00 Special. This offer is for This Week Only so come in at once and get a date or fitting. The Leader Mer. Co.
The local ball team goes to Lexington next Sunday for a game with the team of that place. Having won several games this season the Lexington players are quite chesty, even going so far as to say that they will bat Todenhoff out of the box. Evidently those Lexington boys don't know much about Tod's pitching.
COCKTAIL? COCKTAIL? WHERE HAVE I HEARD THAT WORD BEFORE? It's somehow familiar yet I know there's no such animal. Now, I've got it. It's the drink that makes such funny situations in Avery Hopwood's most screaming farce—Fair and Warmer—now playing at the SUN. May Allison's the star, too; and I guess I'll go around this evening and see it. Come along with me. Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.
Hot weather apparel for the ladies. Cool voile dresses, wash skirts, dainty smocks and middles, silk sweaters, etc. Priced to stand comparison. Block's North Platte's Leading Ready to Wear Store.
She Had Never Mixed a Cocktail. Never. Nor tasted one. And then one night Jack went to the lodge—at least he said he did—and Blanny found somebody else's cellarette, and—but see the whole play—Fair and Warmer at the Sun Theatre Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. May Allison is the star; and it's Avery Hopwood's funniest farce.

"FAIR AND WARMER"
A VERY HOPEWOOD'S HILARIOUS FARCE
At The Sun Theatre, Tues. and Wed., June 15-16
MATINEES AFTERNOONS



MAY ALLISON in "FAIR AND WARMER"
A hysterically funny and wonderfully human play with complications, compromises, a marvelous cocktail and a kick. Directed by Henry Otto, Maxwell Karger, Director General

Grand Island 1, North Platte 9.
Grand Island was defeated on the local ball ground Sunday afternoon by a score of nine to one, the visitors making their one score in the eighth inning through a batter being hit with a pitched ball, a steal to second and a wild throw to third. North Platte made its scores in the seventh and eighth innings. Up to the seventh inning neither team had scored, but in the seventh North Platte found the Island pitcher and aided by errors paced around the bases seven times. Todenhoff struck out twenty men.
Slimly Attended.
The Flag Day exercises at the Elk's home Sunday afternoon were very slimly attended, the union services, the base ball game and the golf links proving stronger attractions for the Elks and others who otherwise would attend. Selections were rendered by Doucet's orchestra and readings by Miss Kelley and Mildred Skinner, selections by the Elks' quartette and a short address by Senator Hoagland.
Guests of Rotary Club.
At the weekly luncheon of the Rotary Club yesterday there were present as guests Judge Woodrough of the federal court, R. C. Hoyt clerk of the court, U. S. District Attorney Allen and U. S. Marshal J. C. Dahman. The program of the luncheon was in keeping with Flag Day, addresses along this line being made by F. L. Mooney, T. C. Patterson, Rev. Mackintosh, Mr. Dahman and Judge Woodrough. The talks were interspersed with patriotic anthems and Rotarian songs.
Thousands of dollars are saved to the people at the Store Wide Sale of 20% OFF on everything in the store from calicos and threads to coats, suits and millinery at The Leader Mer. Co.
Mrs. Julius Pizer was called to Salt Lake Sunday by a telegram announcing the death of her mother.
A new lot of what's latest in skirts and waists just received at The Leader Mer. Co.
Arthur Hammond will return this week from Maine where he has been visiting relatives for the past six weeks.
Piano For Sale.
H. P. Nelson Concert Grand Piano, 20 year guarantee. Cheap. 310 West 8th Street. 43-3
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Compliment Secretary Dixon.
At the meeting of the state convention of optometrists held in Omaha last week, Chas. Dixon, of this city, was re-elected secretary and treasurer, a position he held last year. The convention was the most largely attended and most successful of any yet held, and the delegates were a unit in the expression that the success was due to Secretary Dixon in arranging the program, securing the speakers from New York, Cleveland and other points, and arousing enthusiasm among the members, of whom there are several hundred. As an evidence of their appreciation of Secretary Dixon's work, the convention gave him a purse of one hundred dollars. It is due Mr. Dixon to say that his standing in the state as an optometrist is very high.
Educational Campaign.
A campaign of education on venereal diseases will start soon, consisting of the distribution of literature on the effect of these diseases generally on the human body. The idea of the campaign is to arouse the public mind to the danger and ravages of the diseases that so little is generally known. This work will be under the management of the local social hygiene committee aided by the public health board of the state. In connection will be shown some moving pictures, lasting two afternoons and two evenings, June 22 and 23. The state board furnishes the film and a lecturer while the local expense is paid by the Chamber of Commerce, the Rotary Club and the Welfare Association. These pictures will be free and every adult in the community is urged to take advantage of this opportunity of instruction.
For Sale.
I have a 20-35 J. I. Case Threshing machine for sale. It is nearly new and is ready to go to the field. You can pull it with a Fordson.
H. G. Lindkefel, Hershey, Neb. 44

LOCAL AND PERSONAL
Wanted—A gentle pony suitable for children. Call on or phone Simon Bros.
Re-cleaned Millet, \$1.35 per bushel. Ralph Saul, Motor Route B, North Platte. 45-2
The meetings of the Christian Aid society have been postponed for this month.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Friend, of Grand Island, came up Sunday to visit friends and witness the ball game.
T. M. Cohagen will leave tomorrow or Moosheart, Ill., to attend the national convention of the Moose.
A girl baby was born this morning to Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Birge. The mother and daughter are doing nicely and R. D. is feeling some what cheery.
Most wonderful house dresses on sale at \$2.45, \$3.95 and \$4.85. The kind you'll buy to see them at The Leader Mer. Co.
A daughter was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Richi Ugal, the fourth appearance of the stork to the home of this couple.
Pitcher Wanted—Good wages; also a job between ball games and a permanent position to the one who can deliver the goods as a pitcher. Wire or write Clyde Taylor, Mgr. Overton, Neb.
Visit our dress goods counter, select your material for a skirt and we will make it up in best style and workmanship for \$3.00 Special. Your order must be placed this week at The Leader Mer. Co.
Auto tourists are growing in number but garage men say not as many as last year. As the season advances the number will multiply and the season will probably close with a record equaling that of 1919.
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With a score of arrests during the past two weeks for auto speeding and other infractions of the traffic ordinance, it would seem that drivers should soon learn that the authorities mean to enforce the law.
After reaching Denver the Weingand and Peters families decided to visit the Yellowstone Park instead of going direct to California and they are now headed for the park in their cars. The Blankenburg boys continued on their way to Los Angeles over the southern route.
Word received in town a few days ago announced the death in California of James Gamble, for many years a resident of Whittier precinct. Mr. Gamble moved from Lincoln county to Idaho several years ago, but on account of failing health had gone to California.

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Notice of Petition.
Estate No. 1765 of Bernard Miller, deceased in the County Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.
The State of Nebraska, To all persons interested in said Estate take notice that a petition has been filed for the probate of an instrument purporting to be the last will and Testament of said deceased and for appointment of George Taylor as Executor of said Estate, which has been set for hearing herein on July 2, 1920, at 9 o'clock a. m.
Dated June 5, 1920.
WM. H. C. WOODHURST,
County Judge.

NOTICE OF FINAL REPORT.
Estate No. 1719 of Frank L. Lawrence, deceased in the County Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.
The State of Nebraska, to all persons interested in said Estate take notice that the Administratrix has filed a final account and report of her administration and a petition for final settlement and discharge as such, which have been set for hearing before said court on July 9, 1920, at 9 o'clock a. m. when you may appear and contest the same.
Dated June 12, 1920.
WM. H. C. WOODHURST,
County Judge.

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