

## BETTER WATER SERVICE.

ADDITIONAL PUMP INSTALLED IN EMERGENCY WHILE PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS ARE MADE.

Commissioner Welch has borrowed an emergency pump from Foreman Murphy of the Union Pacific B. & B. Department. This pump, which can supply about 800 gallons of water a minute will be in place this week and the immediate danger will have passed. It is run by electricity and will enable the engineer to stop the big pump in case of need and still supply water to the mains.

The auxiliary well which is being drilled in the south part of town will be completed within the next two weeks and the test will be made. When the capacity of this well has been determined a new pump meeting this capacity will be installed which will raise the pressure to perhaps forty pounds. These tests will be made in a short time and upon the amount of water which this well will produce will depend the price to be paid for drilling it. The well has reached a depth of one hundred and fifty feet now and that is considered as deep as it will pay to drill in that particular formation.

As soon as relief is given by the legislature in the form of additional legal limits, a bond proposition will be submitted to the voters for enough money to put the plant in good condition.

Sidney is to vote Sept. 14th on a proposition to issue \$196,000 bonds for extensions to their electric and water systems.

### Rooms for Teachers.

Anyone having a heated room which can be rented to one or two city teachers for the coming winter, should see me or phone 100. We will have about 35 teachers from out of town and they must be provided with homes by the citizens.

E. C. LITTEL, City Sup.

We have a very large and varied assortment of gingham dresses for school children in styles and prices right. E. T. TRAMP & SONS.

### Residence Park Addition.

Tomorrow is the day set for the opening of the sale of lots in the new Residence Park Addition. This is the latest addition to the residence lots of the city and from the price of the lots it is estimated that they will be taken early. The first ten lots sold will be given a ten percent discount; if they are contracted for before 9:30 of the first day they will receive an additional five percent discount and if cash is paid within sixty days an additional five per cent will be given. These are good discounts and should command the attention of all buyers of city property.

The Addition is being sold by the H. and S. Agency composed of C. J. Hollman and J. E. Sebastian. They are thoroughly reliable and will do just what they say. The sale opens at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning and will continue until all lots are sold. For those who do not have cash these lots are offered on easy payments and careful buyers will do well to look them over and if they find a lot that suits, it should be secured early and thus all of the discounts can be taken.

### Chautauqua Opens.

The annual Chautauqua opened yesterday with a good program both afternoon and evening. A crowd that filled the tent saw and heard Ned Woodman, the Cartoonist, in a very pleasing talk. Everything was ready at the opening, the platform has been nicely decorated, religious and social gatherings over the city will not meet this week so the field is clear and the conditions right for the best Chautauqua ever held. Platform Manager Truax is to be congratulated on the successful opening.

### State Fair Exhibit.

A committee of Lincoln County citizens has been appointed to collect and prepare the exhibit for the State Fair this year and this committee asks farmers and others to begin saving specimens of products for this exhibit. Eastern counties with their bumper crops are now at work and Lincoln County must meet them at the Fair.

E. C. Douthit, local representative of the Grollier Society announces that the prize of five dollars for the best answers taken from the Book of Knowledge to the questions published in last week's Tribune, was awarded to Romaine Throckmorton, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Throckmorton, 302 S. Ash St. Supt. Littell made the award.

## RAILROAD TO BUILD.

STATE JOURNAL STARTS DISCUSSION BY ANNOUNCING TERMINAL IMPROVEMENTS AT BRIDGEPORT.

The following item appeared in a recent issue of the Nebraska State Journal relative to the Burlington extension which is planned to run along the south side of the Platte from Kearney to Bridgeport. This extension is of vital interest to North Platte as the right-of-way has already been bought through the south part of the city and the building of the line would give us a new outlet into new territory.

"Burlington men see a promise in the construction of the new Platte River bridge at Bridgeport and the building of four long yard and passing tracks between Bridgeport and the river, that the Platte River line from Bridgeport to Kearney will be built as soon as conditions permit. In fact they see in this construction a part of the necessary river double track crossing and the terminal facilities for such a line. The railroad is building the terminals in advance of the main line construction because when built the main line will need all the terminal facilities available.

"The new bridge will be ready for service in about a month. In many ways is a duplicate of the Platte river bridge built by the Company between Grand Island and Phillips. It is built on Bignell hydraulic placed piling, 548 of them supporting the concrete pier headwork, the piers being built wide enough for double track, although the superstructure now being placed is single track. When this is complete and the four long yard tracks are in place completion of a double track between Bridgeport and Northport will be a minor matter, requiring a minimum of expense and time. The bridge is being built after what is becoming known in Burlington circles as the 'Platte river standard.'

"Further out on this low grade railway dream of the late James J. Hill a low grade line from the crest of the Rockies to the Ohio river, the Company is doing more permanent work. No newly built railroad is made permanent. Preliminary engineering may contemplate permanent work but the early construction is always subject to change and the Wyoming line is no exception.

"Between Casper and the north Wyoming line were many culverts and bridges not built in the usual way. These are being replaced and flood troubles being cared for and traffic difficulties removed. These changes are being made this year and a considerable force is now being employed in this work.

For Sale—Five room house at 1420 west Front Street. This house is new and very desirable for railroad men working in the west yard. Lot 44x132. Corner lot. For terms and price see BRATT, GOODMAN & BUCKLEY, 114 East Front Street. Phone 65. 63-2

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wilcox and daughters Lucille and Florence returned Saturday from a month's travel by auto through Iowa and the lake country of northern Minnesota and reported a fine trip. Mr. Wilcox says the crops look fine in Northeast Nebraska but not any finer than he saw in the valley here.

### Auto Accidents.

Saturday night the Ford car driven by Emil Leypoldt turned turtle about one mile west of Sutherland throwing the occupants out of the car and damaging the car so it could not be driven. Edmund Dickey suffered a bruised knee which had to have three stitches taken in it and Everett Adams a bruised hand which had two stitches taken in it. Emil escaped without a scratch.

The same night the Dodge car driven by Will Norris, of Cheyenne, who has been visiting friends in the city crashed into the south river bridge when a car coming across the bridge would not turn on its dimmers. Will was unable to see and running into the bridge smashed a fender and ruined a tire on his new Dodge which delayed his starting to Cheyenne until yesterday.

Sunday evening a car driven by A. S. Gregg's son ran off a culvert and threw the occupants from the car. Aurdia Adams was severely hurt and remained unconscious until yesterday morning. Francis Dolph was badly bruised. There were five girls and three boys in the car but the others escaped without injury.

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. A. P. Kelly returned yesterday from Omaha where she had been visiting relatives for three weeks.

Do not miss our real bargain in the Pure Thread Silk Hose for ladies at \$1.29 per pair. E. T. TRAMP & SONS.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pizer and son Joe of Grand Island, are visiting at the Julius Pizer home in this city.

New fall merchandise being shown at our old location on Front Street. E. T. TRAMP & SONS.

An extra quality bleached muslin priced especially at 35c on our Bargain Square at Wilcox Department Store.

William Burgner returned yesterday from a trip to Illinois and Grand Island where he had been visiting for two weeks.

Mrs. Joseph Jessup returned from Denver Sunday where she had been visiting her brother Earl Carlton formerly of this city.

M. William endy and Chas. Hendy, Sr., left Monday morning for Fort Fetterman, Wyoming. They will also visit at Cheyenne and Larimer, Wyoming.

A new copy of the game laws for 1920 has been placed on file in the City Library for those who do not know just what is the open season on different kinds of game. Consult it freely during library hours.

New nifty styles in blouses at E. T. TRAMP & SONS.

John Winkowich, of White, S. D., was in North Platte this week looking after matters connected with the estate of his brother, the late George Winkowich of this city.

Saturday afternoon a fire alarm was turned in from the Sanford Hartman home at 310 West Sixth. A paper fire in the furnace started a blaze on the roof. When the department arrived a ladder was put up and the blaze extinguished from the garden hose.

### LAST SHOWING.

KEITH, TONIGHT.

WALLACE REID

IN

"Double Speed"

A picture that sizzles over the screen.

## NORTH PLATTE GOING STRONG.

MUTUAL BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION AMONG THE LARGEST IN THE STATE.

T. C. Patterson, President of the Mutual Building and Loan Association of North Platte issued the following statement regarding the work of Building and Loan Associations in Nebraska. The growth of this city and the growth of the Mutual have been and still are so interwoven that it is gratifying to learn of the standing of the Mutual among the Associations of the State.

Nebraska building, savings and loan associations increased their assets by \$12,000,000, made loans for the building of 2408 new dwellings and financed the purchase of 4888 dwellings already built, during the fiscal year ending June 30th last. These are the striking features of a statement made public on August 13th, by T. J. Fitzmorris, Secretary of the Nebraska League of Savings and Loan Associations at Omaha.

The statement contains official reports from 45 leading associations of the state covering their business operations during the twelve months. Their assets total \$72,171,811, an increase of \$10,994,794 or 18 per cent. The twenty-eight associations not reporting had in 1919 assets totaling \$5,002,670. Should these associations show the same percentage of growth reported by the leaders the total of all associations of the state will amount to \$77,924,481, an increase of \$12,303,907 over the fiscal year of 1919.

Secretary Hart of the State Bureau of Banking said in his report for 1919 that the associations "transacted the largest volume of business in their

history" showing an increase of \$3,616,513.86 or 15 per cent in twelve months. The report for 1920 will distance that gain by about \$3,500,000.

A substantial contribution for the relief of the housing situation was made by associations throughout the state. Returns from 45 associations show a total of 2408 loans for new homes and 4888 loans on dwellings already built. Loans for new homes average around \$2,500 which means a direct investment of \$6,000,000 in Nebraska homes and the addition of that sum to the taxable wealth of the state.

Omaha holds first place in the development of these mutual institutions. Complete reports from its nine associations show assets totaling \$48,782,214 or 62 per cent of the state's total. Lincoln, Beatrice, Fremont, NORTH PLATTE, Columbus and Grand Island are up in the millions and going strong. Norfolk joined the million class during the year.

### Farmer-Laborer Picnic A Success.

A large crowd attended the Farmer-Laborer Picnic at the Fair Grounds last Saturday afternoon. The attractions were a ball game between the U. P. Shop team and the P. O. Independents; a trotting race; five running races; an exhibition by a gymnast and speaking. Addresses were made by T. C. Grimes, Rev. Fletcher, Duke Campbell, T. C. Bollen and Rev. Beebe. Chairman Orton informs us that the Carmen, the Boilermakers and the Machinists have agreed to pay fifty cents per member toward the expense and all bills will be paid. Everything was free at the Picnic except the pop, etc.

The following named men enlisted at the local recruiting office during the past week: Clifford D. Robbins of Wallace, Nebr. for the 55th Infantry at Camp Funston, Kansas; Clyde Graves of North Platte for the 16th Infantry at Camp Taylor, Kentucky and Alvin W. Anderson of Lexington, Nebr. for the 13th Field Artillery enroute to the Hawaiian Islands.

## Keith Theatre, Wednesday and Thursday.

CHARMING MADGE KENNEDY

—IN—

## "DOLLARS AND SENSE"

A heart touching romance between a baker and a poor show girl. They were philanthropic but they weren't practical.

They were lacking in Dollars and Sense but not in Kindness and Love.

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## MOVING!

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Stone's Drug Store.