

CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.

W. V. Hoagland returned yesterday from Omaha and Lincoln.

Keith Neville returned yesterday from a business trip to Omaha.

Gifts that last, Dixon, the jeweler.

Mrs. Robert Beatty left Wednesday for Brady to visit her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Dada Rudat left Thursday for a visit in Paxton.

Mrs. J. E. Guests left Thursday morning for a visit in Lexington.

Dixon Optical Co., sight specialists.

Mrs. C. E. Kennon was a business visitor in the city the first of the week.

You will enjoy hearing "I told You So" only when you hear it on the Columbia at Dixon's Music Shop.

Miss Mabel McVicker is spending the week end in this city transacting business.

Pickard hand-painted china always makes a pleasing Xmas gift, Dixon, the jeweler.

Mrs. Frank Wood, of Wallace, was a business visitor in the city the first of the week.

Gene Souper, of Omaha, is a business visitor in the city the latter part of the week.

Francis Oleson left yesterday for Lincoln after visiting at the D. A. Russell home.

Christine Polinski, of Wallace, was a business visitor in the city the first of the week.

Mrs. Ida Thannel left Thursday for her home in Gandy after visiting with friends in this city.

A number of Rebekahs left Wednesday evening for Hershey where they had installation.

Mrs. Bradley and daughter Erna returned the latter part of the week from a visit in Grand Island.

Mrs. James Hart expects to leave in the near future for Houston, Texas where she will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Wood, of Wallace, were business visitors in the city the latter part of the week.

H. W. Bick and family left Thursday morning for Turlock, California, where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. Cora Cheeny of Denver, came Thursday morning to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. McMichael.

Helen Purdy left Thursday for her home in Sutherland after visiting her brother F. E. Purdy for some time.

Frank Beng left Thursday for his home in Wallace after spending some time in this city transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Smith left the latter part of the week for their home in Gandy after visiting at the home of friends.

John Q. Adams and family left Thursday morning for Turlock, California, where they will spend the winter.

Visit Dixon Optical Co. and see their examination room and you will be convinced of their proper equipment.

Harold Peterson left yesterday for Lincoln, after spending a week at the home of his brother Holmer Peterson and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Calhoun arrived home Thursday evening from Grand Island where they have been visiting for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stackhouse transacted business in this city the latter part of the week and left Thursday for her home in Wallace.

Geo. Carey left last night for Lincoln where he is looking after Chamber of Commerce business.

Harry Dixon and F. L. Mooney left for Omaha last night to attend the meeting of the Shrine there today.

Mrs. McNamar, of Paxton, was a visitor in this city the latter part of the week and also attended the Christian Science lecture.

Richards, President of the North Platte Aircraft Co., returned yesterday from a trip to New York where he was looking after business matters.

Our cut glass cases are filled with new glass for the Xmas shopper, of the best qualities, Libby & Halks, Dixon, the jeweler.

Roy Bradley returned the latter part of the week from Rochester, Minn., where he accompanied his wife from the Mayo Brothers hospital, where she underwent an operation.

BE AN EARLY BIRD—At Christmas time it is always the early bird that catches—the best assortment of Christmas gifts. Clinton, The Jeweler, Sign of the Ring.

W. B. Thompson, of Lead, South Dakota, who has been stationed in the army, came the latter part of the week to make North Platte his future home.

A wrist watch displayed in our case has caused much interest. It is 18K solid white gold, deeply engraved, with the wide silk straps, at \$75.00, Dixon, the jeweler.

Mrs. M. Henry Gilfoyl spent the first of this week in Omaha. Mrs. Gilfoyl is studying voice with Mary Munchoff and has planned to make this trip bi-weekly.

We have a new case in our store in which we have assembled a large assortment of gift suggestions which will make it easy for one to select a gift for the well-supplied friend. Dixon, the jeweler.

William Friend, who was a former citizen of North Platte, has been promoted to night round house foreman at Grand Island. We know that everyone in North Platte will be pleased to learn of Mr. Friend's good luck. He is very well known in this city.

When you are watching "Beware the Bride" you don't get one laugh out of your system before a dozen others are piled up. Don't miss this one if you want to see a farce comedy where you can't keep up with the mirth. Crystal, last time tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Crippen left Thursday morning for Paxton where they will attend the funeral of Vincent Le Roy Crippen whose body has just been received and will be buried today in Paxton. A number of army men expect to attend the funeral.

Why not a beautiful emblem of his order for this Xmas. Now is the time to select it. Allow us to show you our stock of well selected emblem rings, coat buttons, watch charms, etc., of any order. Dixon, the jeweler.

Wednesday afternoon we made the rounds of a number of business houses and looked in or went in to see if we could get an idea of the business activity. In one store which has a double aisle we counted nineteen people on one side and six on the other. All the merchants interviewed said that business is good for this time of the year.

OUR

ONE-FIFTH OFF

SALE ENDS

Saturday Night

WILCOX DEPARTMENT STORE

ESSAY WHICH WON THE FIRST PRIZE IN THE W. C. T. U. CONTEST

Following is a copy of the essay written by Wilma Coghill which won the first prize in the contest which the local W. C. T. U. closed last week:

HARMFUL EFFECTS OF CIGARETTE SMOKING

We are proud in this advanced age of Christianity of the step taken to control the sale of liquor. But little effort is being put forth in regard to the injurious cigarette.

Many of our small boys, too young to have one serious thought, are today forming the habit by picking up the half-smoked cigarette from the street.

Next to strong drink, cigarette smoking is the most harmful form of intemperance. Although its effects are slower, men who train for races and ball games will not use them because they can not endure fatigue.

It is also a known fact that the use of the cigarette hinders the growth of the body. Those who smoke do not grow so fast nor so large as those who do not.

It weakens the brain as it does all other parts of the body, causing the user to have a poor chance of being advanced in the business world.

Boys and young men smoke, thinking it makes them "grown up." This tends to careless and wasteful habits and in time they lose all self-respect. A man is seldom so poor but that he will have a smoke, altho his family may be compelled to live on charity.

They often cause great nervousness and sleeplessness, the smoker being compelled to rise during the night for a smoke to quiet his poisoned brains and nerves.

Cigarettes are made of a mild tobacco and contain less nicotine, yet the danger from using them is still greater; for the smoke is easily drawn deeply into the mouth and often into the lungs, causing sore throat, husky voice and a hacking cough, the lungs and heart gradually become weakened.

Because his heart beats irregularly, sometimes slow and then very rapid but drives the blood with little force, he becomes very short of breath because the blood does not circulate in the lungs as it should, causing a person to be more liable to disease.

CELEBRATING THANKSGIVING

Are you going back to the old home for Thanksgiving dinner?

What are conditions back there? Won't it be an appreciated thought, a gracious act for you to take with you gift in the way of silverware for the Thanksgiving table?

How about a carving set for the big turkey, or a new piece of china in the form of a tray or platter big enough to hold the twenty-pounder?

Keep Your Eyes Open

When you are at the big family dinner, you will have a good chance to notice what is needed and wanted in the way of silverware and table china or cut glass.

So you can take note of what will be the most welcome thing in the way of a Christmas gift from you.

Further than that, when the family is all together, you can if you will pick up ideas here and there for desirable gifts for all the relatives you usually remember, but never know what to send them.

So celebrate Thanksgiving with one eye on Christmas.

CLINTON, THE JEWELER
"Gifts that Last."

A number of Rotarians and their ladies will attend the Rotary celebration at Lincoln tomorrow when they will be the guests of the Lincoln Club for the day with a banquet in the evening.

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At The Sun, Tuesday and Wednesday.
GERALDINE FARRAR
IN
"The Riddle Woman"
Also Mutt & Jeff and Gumps Universal News.

Fill Up the Ranks

The Church needs you;
You need the Church;
Both will be benefited by
your presence.

FIRST EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH,
Rev. C. Franklin Koch, Pastor.
Hours of Worship—11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Sunday School 9:45 A. M.

THIS IS THE WAY THEY DO IT AT HOLDREGE

At their annual farm bureau banquet attended by more than 150 men and women, Phelps county farmers voted to build a live-stock sales pavilion at a cost of \$15,000. Shares are sold for \$50 each and the construction is to start when \$10,000 has been raised. Thirty-five hundred dollars were raised the night of the banquet. Chas. McConnoughey acted as toastmaster at the banquet and the following made brief talks: Mayor Davidson, of Holdrege; E. R. Good, president of the Phelps County Live Stock Breeders' Association; E. E. Youngs, president of the Nebraska farm bureau federation; A. R. Hecht agriculture agent of Dawson county, who reported on the success of the sales pavilion in that county; and John L. Gilmore, agricultural agent of Phelps county.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank our many dear friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy after the death of our dear son and brother. Also for the many beautiful floral offerings. And the singers for the beautiful songs. Sincerely, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. McFarland and family.

SEE ELI!

Eli is a Jack Rabbit; Texas is the State
.. of his Birth; his Age is Unknown ..

He was captured the last of August in a round-up, with several hundred other Jacks, for a Coursing Meet at Tulsa, Oklahoma, and has shown so much speed and science in the Coursing Game that he has followed the game ever since. No pair of the best hounds have been able to even give him a good chase, or entertain him. Mr. W. B. Flack, of Grand Island, his owner, offers \$100 for any dog or pair of dogs that will capture him.

Eli Will Be Here Nov. 30 to Dec. 4th

Dont Fail to See ELI Give the Dogs a Few Moments of Entertainment.

North Platte Coursing Club.