

## FRUIT HOUSE LOCATES HERE

FIRM WITH DENVER CONNECTIONS OPENS WHOLESALE AND RETAIL MARKET.

The latest venture into the business life of the city is the North Platte Fruit and Vegetable Market. It is owned by M. Spector and D. L. Fink. These gentlemen came here from Denver where they have had extensive experience in shipping and marketing fruits and vegetables. They are located in the room on Locust Street formerly occupied by the Economy Grocery. It is just across the street from the Standard Oil Filling Station. Here they have a varied assortment of seasonal fruits and vegetables. This company is in the market to purchase all kinds of produce in their line. They can handle potatoes in any quantity up to carload lots. They would buy cabbage and other vegetables in quantities. North Platte looks like a coming city of Western Nebraska and these men have enough confidence in its ability to thrive and grow, that they have invested their money here and expect to make North Platte their home.

## TEACHERS AND FACULTY OF NORTH PLATTE SCHOOLS TO BE ENTERTAINED.

The Epworth League of the Methodist Church will entertain the Board of Education and the faculty of the local schools this evening in the church parlors. A good program has been arranged and refreshments will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Clinton returned Sunday from Long Beach, Cal. where they spent the summer months. They were accompanied home by their daughter Mrs. Dean Richardson who spent several weeks there.

Melvin Repass of Denver is expected to arrive today to visit friends. He was formerly with Scholtz orchestra that visited North Platte on many occasions.

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## NORTH PLATTE HONORED BY A VISIT FROM UNITED STATES SENATOR HITCHCOCK.

Yesterday Senator Gilbert M. Hitchcock and his secretary Earl Gaddis, visited North Platte for a few hours and last night they were the guests of the North Platte Rotary Club. About one hundred Rotarians, their ladies and guests attended the banquet at the Lutheran Church at 6:30 and following the dinner they listened to a very enjoyable talk by the Senator. He spoke in a conversational style of Washington, Its Life and Its People. Senator Hitchcock spent six years as Representative there and is now on his second term as Senator. He did not denounce anyone but seemed to be in a happy frame of mind. His approval of President Harding's disarmament conference was hearty. At the close of the address he was given hearty applause and those present took the opportunity of meeting him personally.

## CITY LIBRARY ADDS LIST OF GOOD WESTERN ADVENTURE STORIES

Miss Loretta Murphy, librarian, has advised that the following books are now on the shelves at the City Library and can be taken out by regular borrowers: Laramie Holds the Range (Spearman); Big Town Round Up (Raine), Johnnie Nelson (Mulford), Fairfax and His Pride (Vorst), From Place to Place (Cobb), Time Spirit (Snaith), Returned Empty (Barclay), Wind Between the Worlds (Brown), Tarzan the Terrible (Burroughs), Efficiency Edgar (Kelland), Man Four Square (Raine), Poor Dear Margaret Kirby (Norris), Flaming Forest (Curwood), Brown Wolf (London), Chester Mark Instinct (Fletcher), Gunsight Pass (Raine), Graydon of the Wilderness (McKowan).

## CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SOCIETY INVITES FRIENDS TO TRIP AROUND WORLD.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Christian Church is going to entertain Friday evening in the basement of the church and the public is invited. A round trip ticket will cost fifty cents and each sightseer will visit Ireland, Holland, Japan, Mexico and attend a big celebration in the United States. At the celebration they will have concessions and merry making of all kinds.

Misses Mabelle McFarland and Virginia Hasten returned Sunday from Sidney where they spent the week end at the John Hasten home.

## ABOUT PEOPLE AND THINGS

CURRENT COMMENT ABOUT PEOPLE AND THE THINGS THEY ARE DOING HERE.

Chas. J. Pass writes that he will be back in North Platte before long. He has been gone since Aug. 1st. In his travels he took in the American Florist's Convention at Washington, D. C. where he reports a good time and many new ideas in floriculture. Mr. Pass also visited New York and other eastern cities and bought some new stock for his business here. Mrs. Pass and daughter are in Kentucky visiting.

Miss Foye Smith entered upon her duties as teacher of dramatic art in the Omaha High School last Monday. She has made extensive preparation for such a position and this opening came to her as a reward for her good work in North Platte last year. She taught English in the Junior High School here and had charge of several productions given by that school and her high ability. She will devote her whole time in the Omaha High School to instruction in dramatic art.

The concert given by the Chamber of Commerce Band last Friday evening was the last of the season. The audience was not as large as some, partly because many did not know that a concert was to be given. The band was up to its usual form and gave one of the best concerts of the season. Director Stamp is now preparing for the engagement at the Lincoln County Fair when he expects to make a showing that will compare favorably with the best previous efforts of that organization.

The first meeting of the H-Y will be held Wednesday noon at the Lutheran Church. At this time plans will be made for the organization during the coming year. This is a bunch of High School boys who band themselves together for mutual benefit. They enjoy many good times together and stand for the best things in their private and social life. Rev. C. F. Koch was the sponsor last year and made quite a hit with the boys. It is planned to enlarge on the work during the coming year. Every boy in High School is eligible to membership.

Last Sunday afternoon the City Library was open from three to six o'clock. This was the resumption of the plan in use all of last year and only discontinued during the hot weather. Each Sunday there are a number of people who go to the library to read or to consult reference books. No books are given out on Sunday.

Gradually the normal activities of the city are being taken by the various institutions. The schools are open and soon will be down to regular work. The churches have resumed regular services and regular hours. The Saturday afternoon half holidays have been discontinued. The baseball diamond is deserted. The swimming pool is as placid as in winter save for the occasional urchin who poles one of the boats about the margin of the lake. Shirt sleeves are rare, stockings are not rolled, and people are occasionally seen carrying a section of stove pipe.

Miss Hazel Minshall, one of the teachers in the Junior High School is arranging to give one hour a day to the giving of intelligence tests to different pupils of the city schools. It is planned for her to take certain designated pupils individually and give them these tests. The aim of the tests is to discover if the pupil is able to do the work of the grade in which he or she has been placed and also to determine whether the pupil would do better in a higher or lower grade. These tests have been refined through trial with hundreds of thousands of pupils in the schools of this country and they are being perfected as their weakness is discovered. The results of these tests will determine whether the pupil is assigned to one of the Opportunity rooms or not. These rooms have been opened in the Washington and Lincoln Schools and promise big things for the future.

It is a matter of interest as indicating something of the financial condition over the country that the August production of Ford Cars was the greatest of any month in the history of the factory. Edsel B. Ford, president of the Ford Motor Co on Sept. 2 is quoted in the State Journal as saying: "The production of Ford cars and trucks for August again broke all previous high records with the total reaching 117,696. This is the fourth consecutive month in which our output has gone over the 100,000 mark, the total for the four months being 463,074, which has gone a long way in making possible the present reductions. June this year, with an output of 117,247, was the previous record month. One noteworthy feature of our sales is the increased demand for Ford trucks and cars for salesmen. This class of commercial business has been gradually increasing the past 60 days and we interpret it as a very good sign of improvement in general business."

After next Friday it will be legal to kill squirrels in Nebraska until the first of next January. Since the use of fire arms is forbidden within the city limits by ordinance, it is unlawful to shoot squirrels within the city limits of North Platte at any time. But they can be killed otherwise. Some question whether the City Council has authority to pass an ordinance and enforce it, making the killing of a squirrel at any time within the city limits a misdemeanor. Others say the ordinance would be valid. We saw the mangled body of a squirrel in the street between the court house and the city library. Another dead squirrel was found recently on the sidewalk just east of the Catholic Church. Possibly both of these and many other violent deaths to squirrels were and are caused by accidents. At any rate the number of these little animals within the city is very small. They are a striking addition to our wild life and the trees of the city would be more interesting if they were the homes of more of these furry creatures.

Miss Faye Cypher is suffering a broken collar bone sustained when her car turned over near Gothenburg Sunday. Miss Cypher had been visiting in Ravenna and was on the way home in her Ford when it happened. She cannot explain the cause of the car turning over.

W. A. O'Donnell and George Thayer returned to Madrid yesterday after spending the week end at the W. H. LeDoyt home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Edwards returned Sunday from Hastings where they accompanied their daughter Miss Frances to school.

## MAY HUNT WATER FOWL

OPEN SEASON ON BRANTS, COOTS, GEESE AND DUCKS STARTS FRIDAY OF THIS WEEK

Congress has passed what is called the "Migratory Bird Treaty Act" by which the open season on water birds extends from Sept. 15 to Dec. 31. The last Legislature of Nebraska adopted the same dates for this state. Next Friday is the 15th. For two months and a half it will be legal to shoot brants, coots, geese and ducks in this state provided you have a license and provided you do not kill more than ten brant or geese or twenty-five ducks. You may not have more than fifty game birds in your possession at any one time of which you cannot have more than ten brants or geese or fifty ducks or coots. Brants are small geese and are known as white or gray. Coots are commonly called mud hens and are seldom eaten for food. It is unlawful to hunt any of these from any kind of a power boat or from an aeroplane or to use a rifle, swivel gun or shotgun larger than 10 gauge, or to trap, snare or net any of these birds. It is also unlawful to hunt any of

these birds one-half hour before sunrise or one-half hour after sunset. It is also unlawful to buy, barter or sell any of these game birds. All of which means that you may provide yourself with a license and take a reasonable number of birds at a reasonable time, in a reasonable manner. A good hunting season is anticipated as reports from the north indicate an unusually good nesting season.

## CITY SCHOOLS SHOW INCREASED ENROLLMENTS AT CLOSE OF THE FIRST WEEK.

Following is a showing of the enrollments in the different buildings of the city. In the first column is the total enrollment at the close of the first week last year and in the second column is the total enrollment at the same time this year:

Jefferson	266	294
Washington	334	395
Lincoln	365	374
Franklin	365	432
Central	293	257
Baker	23	23
Total	1666	1775

Fire starting between the drug store and the restaurant at Brule Saturday, destroyed both buildings, and the pool hall adjacent. The fire departments at Ogallala and Big Springs were called upon for aid and responded, thereby preventing further

## NOTICE

The Lincoln County Teachers' Institute will be held September 21st, 22nd and 23rd in North Platte.

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AILEEN G. COCHRAN,  
County Superintendent.

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