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LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET GROWS

LINCOLN COUNTY HAS GOOD OUT-
LET FOR FARM PRODUCE
HERE

While each of the towns in Lincoln county is a center for the collection of farm produce for shipment, North Platte is the big shipping center for some lines and it is a distinct advantage to the whole country to have such a center. A local dealer in explaining his idea regarding North Platte as a produce center said in a conversation yesterday—"Take chickens as an example. Only this week we shipped a carload of live chickens to San Francisco. The chickens in this shipment weighed about nineteen hundred pounds. They were gathered from all points in the country. We bought them in crates from retail merchants in the smaller centers and they had bought them from the farmers. We sent our last carload to New York City which is our best market. We can pay a better price where we send to the leading markets in carload lots than those who ship their produce in small shipments."

Another buyer told of the cream market. He said in part, "We have bought and shipped during the past year probably half again as much cream as ever before. Farmers have turned to the old cow to pay off their debts. The same is true of eggs and other produce. And what I say for ourselves is true for the other produce men of this city." While the price of produce fluctuates from season to season it is a great advantage to know that there is always a buyer waiting for the produce of the farms and that he will pay as much as you can get anywhere allowing for the difference in freight. Lincoln county people are not slow to realize this advantage and production of poultry, cream, butter and eggs is increasing rapidly from year to year.

Try Columbine Lump Coal, \$12.00 per ton delivered. The Artificial Ice and Cold Storage Co.

Our windows suggest hundreds of original Xmas suggestions. Dixon, the Jeweler.

--Fur Cap Sale--

Only the best quality skins used
in making these Caps,

LOT 1. Consists of Hudson Seals and French Nearsels that sold for \$12.50. Now.... **\$4.95**

Lot 2. Natural Northern Muskrat that sold for \$22.50. Now.... **\$7.95**

These will make excellent Xmas gifts and
will not last long at these low prices.

John B. Edwards Co.

Special Exhibit of

Albrecht Furs

1855

Wednesday, December 13th

Albrecht's special representative will be at our store all day with the finest collection of Fur Coats, Capes and Fancy Pieces that comes to North Platte. This is your chance to buy what you wish from the most reliable line of furs shown.

Wilcox Department Store

A Christmas Tragedy--F'r Pop



BASKET BALL OFFICIAL'S CONFERENCE TO BE HELD IN NORTH PLATTE

Coach Schulte of the University of Nebraska has announced a series of basket ball conferences over the state, one of which will be held at North Platte on Saturday, December 16th from 6:30 to 9:30 p. m. This conference is for all coaches and officials of basket ball in this part of the state. The nearest conferences will be at Sidney on the west and Kearney on the east. No charge or fee will be made and all interested are invited. The place will be announced later. A similar conference was held by the football people last fall and proved to be interesting and valuable.

E. E. Carr transacted business in Kearney yesterday.

SHORT STORIES OF PEOPLE AND THINGS

ITEMS OF INTEREST ABOUT RE- CENT HAPPENINGS IN THIS COMMUNITY

County Clerk Allen continues to improve following his recent operation for appendicitis and is now at his home where he is gaining in strength quite rapidly.

The demand for 1923 auto licenses is gaining each day. Every auto owner in the county is subject to arrest if he appears on the highways after January 1st, driving a car without a 1923 license number.

James V. Vosephka passed away yesterday at the age of 77 years. He is the father of John, Will, George and Volesta of this city, besides several other relatives. The funeral will be held to-morrow afternoon from the house at 2:30.

Announcement has been made that the annual meeting of the Boy Scout council will be held at the Vineyard at 12 M. Wednesday, Dec. 13th. Important reports and other business is to be attended to by the members of the council.

The ladies of the Lincoln School Parent-Teacher Association showed the proper pep when they put on an exchange last Saturday at the Davis furniture store and took in over a hundred dollars, \$103.45 to be exact. This is considered a good exchange and one which will set a standard for other similar organizations.

A committee representing the Lincoln county bar association met with the Dawson county association yes-

NORTH PLATTE LOSES TO SUTHERLAND IN PRACTICE GAME

Sutherland was victorious over North Platte in a double head practice game Saturday evening, winning from the boys by a score of 11 to 13. The boys game was lively and full of pep and life from beginning to finish. At the end of the first half, the score was 10 to 2. Rector and Shaner showed fine playing and starred for North Platte, while Winder starred for Sutherland. The local team are adopting a new style of playing this year and when they have accomplished this, North Platte will have a team that it may well be proud of. The girls played a lively game but the Sutherland girls were too much for them. The score was 20 to 10. Marjory Watkins starred for North Platte while Betty Roberts starred for Sutherland. Both teams will play a return game at Sutherland Dec. 19.

terday at Lexington and discussed the question pertaining to the heavy bar docket in this judicial district. Those representing Lincoln county were J. J. Halligan, J. G. Beeler and W. E. Shuman.

At a meeting of Harry E. Brown Camp No. 11 United Spanish Veterans which was held Wednesday evening at the Firemans hall the following officers were elected: A. W. Brown, commander; W. S. Baldwin, senior vice-commander; Julius Hoga, junior vice-commander; Chas. Haner, officer of the day; Robert M. Weeks, officer of the guard; Andrew Scharmann, trustee; Luther I. Tucker, quartermaster and A. W. Shilling, adjutant. Installation will be held some time next month.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WILL PREPARE LIST OF EX- SERVICE MEN

The following statement was issued last week by the officers of the North Platte Chamber of Commerce and explains one of the latest activities to be undertaken by that body.

As part of its community work, the North Platte chamber of commerce is preparing a list of all ex-service men of Lincoln county with the object of having this service list form part of the records of the county. It is the purpose to secure the name of each man, his rank, company, regiment and division (or branch of service) alphabetically carding and indexing each name, enclose these cards in a proper receptacle and deposit them in a court house vault. Later it is the intention to tablet the names and place the tablets in one of the rooms in the new court house. The American Legion posts of the county have been asked to furnish lists of their membership, but as there are probably quite a number of ex-service men who are not Legionnaires, it is requested that those who are members send their name, rank, company and division to Ira L. Baro, secretary Chamber of Commerce, North Platte.

KEITH COUNTY EDITOR TELLS ROTARIANS ABOUT STATE LAWS

J. S. Kroh, editor of the Keith County News and senator-elect from that district drove down from Ogalala yesterday morning and was the guest of honor at the regular no-day luncheon of the Rotary Club. He spoke on some of the problems which confront the coming session of the legislature which is republican while the governor is democratic. He is for the code bill with such modifications as will make it more effective at a lowered cost. He favors renewing the four year dollar matching agreement with the federal government in order to get the road program of the western counties completed. He is in favor of better education but he wants to take out some of the frills if they can be dispensed with at a lowered cost for the whole program. He was warmly received and his program was generally commended.

SERIES OF SIX UNIQUE SERMONS BEGAN LAST SUNDAY EVENING

Rev. Paul Shenk believes in happiness and he has worked out a series of six sermons on topics which will make people happy by making them laugh and think and then they will go out and make others happy. The first of the series was given at the Baptist church last Sunday evening on the topics, "Two Frogs in a Milk Can". Following are the topics for the rest of the series, "Fools, Scissors and the Mountain", "Ring the Christmas Bells", "Laughter and Success", "A Bit of Heaven on Earth" and "Ma, Pa and the Kid."

Miss Minnie Sudman of Sarben shopped in the city Saturday.

If you're working the contest, buying a Ford is almost certain to win the \$100.00 prize.

HENDY-OGIER AUTO CO.

CHRISTMAS SEASON IS REALLY AT HAND

LESS THAN TWO WEEKS TO PRE-
PARE FOR THE GLADDEST
DAY OF YEAR

Christmas is at hand. The churches, the schools, business, the homes are all looking forward to the day of days. The rush and bustle of preparation is everywhere. Boys and girls are counting the number of shopping days left. Mothers and sweethearts are numbering the stitches until the present of a dear one is completed. Huge express vans loaded with packages are backing up to the stores all day long and unloading merchandise ordered for the special holiday shopper. Some of the churches have already announced their programs for the celebration of Christ's birthday. The Methodist Sunday school will give a program on Christmas eve while the program at the Lutheran church will be held on Christmas night. And each of the other churches will announce the time when it's special services and programs will be given. The Woman's club will see that every needy family gets a dinner and where there are children the campfire girls are dressing dolls to send with the Christmas dinners. An invasion by more than sixty college boys and girls will begin a few days before the great day with an exodus of nearly as many teachers of the city schools to their homes in many states. Everyone will think of home and try to get there if possible. A proposition is on foot to have a community tree but the matter has only just been suggested and no one has yet been found who will undertake to put the matter over. The stores are full of eager shoppers who are making marked inroads on the big stocks of holiday goods which the merchants have purchased but the shelves are again filled from the reserve stocks so that the choice has not yet diminished. The secrecy and planning add charm to the preparation and unless something unusual happens the people of Lincoln county are going to have an unusually fine Christmas this year.

Mrs. J. T. Stuart returned Saturday from Denver where she has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harris Stuart.

Mrs. C. S. Calhoun and daughter left Sunday for Los Angeles, Calif., where they will make their future home.

Buy your Christmas candy at the Epworth League booth at the Methodist Bazaar Friday afternoon and evening.

A happy thought--If she hasn't had a new wrist watch, here's your opportunity to make a gift she'll appreciate. We have a wonderful assortment of gold and white gold wrist watches in a variety of designs and shapes. These watches are from the best makers, and are guaranteed, yet they are moderately priced. Clinton & Son, Jewelers.



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from a Good Santa**

You may be sure Son will think you a mighty fine Santa. If you wisely choose attractive shirts such as these, which we selected specially because their patterns are the kinds boys like.

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\$1.00--\$1.50--\$2.00
Silk Pongees
\$3.50

Star Clothing House.

COLUMBINE LUMP!

A Car of Nice Columbine Lump Coal now on Track

Good Lump Clean Coal.

\$12.00 per ton delivered.

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