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Ladies can have their party dresses cleaned by the French dry process at the Lincoln team dys works 1105 O street.

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Gentlemen should now get out their last summer's suit, take it to the Lincoln Steam dys works 1105 O street and have it cleaned,

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GEOLOGISTS HAVE DECIDED the earth's crust to be over 100 miles thick. This is about the thickness of the man's head who buys his railroad tickets by some inferior and poorly equipped lime, when he could get a ticket by the "Burlington" at the same rate.



Miss Ethel, daughter of Superintendant Bignell of the B. & M., completed her eighth year Wednesday afternoon and celebrated the event with a party for her little friends. She received a number of handsome presents and the young people had a happy time enjoying a variety of games. At six o'clock delightful refreshments were served on the lawn after which the company disbursed wishing many happy returns of the day to Miss Ethel. The invited guests were: Misses Ethel Howe, Bird Hamilton, Katie Ritchey,

Ethel Howe, Bird Hamilton, Katie Ritchey, Edna Buchanau, Marie Talbot, Bertha Lockwood, Elsie Morgan, Frances Huribut, Florence Boggs, Gladys Houlette, Mary Minor, Mabel Cox, Neva Hibner, Gracie Stewart, Hazel Benton, Clara Mills, Connie Self, Mary Harris, Flossie Robinson, Agnes and Wilma Casebeer, Hattie Walters, Lona Stout, Pansy Dinges, Lucy and Myrtle Bent, Cora Kelson, Edna Salsbury, Alice Huntsinger, Ida Bartwem and Olive Hunt: Masters Nelson and Charlie Sawyer, Harry Melick, Fritz and Lorin Korsmeyer, Frank Dayton, John Salsbury, Aldis Hibner, Casey and John Hamilton, Harry White, Burnet Sohus, Laratie Thompson, Harrison and Edward Hunt and Burr Metcalf.

Among those that spent the Fourth at

ward Hunt and Burr Metcaif.

Among those that spent the Fourth at Crete Chautauqua are the following: Messrs and Mesdames, E. K. Criley, J. E. Kirker, J. Henry Smith, M. D. Welch, Milton Scott, Babcock, Travis, W. J. Cooper, Dr. Tucker, Chalfaut, Lyman, Mason Gregg, J. J. Imboff, Elliott, Bosselman, Wolcott: Mesdames W. Henry Smith, Dr. Everts, Espey, Floyd, Van Brunt; Misses Phoebe Elliott, Carrie Ingals, Maud Hawley, Carrie Reed, Laura Harris, Emma Harris, Jessie Weaver, Maud Gustin, Fannie Rector, Nellie Weaver, Jennie Underwood, Carmody, Steen, Abble Conie Underwood, Carmody, Steen, Abbie Covert, Joe Winger, Florence Winger, Libbie Seacrest, Marshall Ricketts, Helen Welch, Ada Gregg; Messers Emery Hardy, Thomas Hall, Frank Cook, E. M. Hines, Will McShane, Bert Clough, Frank Lucore, Ray Hussong, Chff Cook, Clarence, Lou Hussong, Ray Welch and Dr. Joseph Imboff.

Mr. Will Maxwell who has for ten years filled a trustworthy position in the Capital National bank of this city, has severed his ction with the institution and leaves for the West to-day. He is accompanied by F. C. Orcoot, a capitalist and banker of Mil-ford. Their intention is to start a bank in Washington and as they have ample capital, will no doubt be successful. Mr. Maxwell is will no doubt be successful. Mr. Maxwell is noted for his push and perserverance and his gentlemanly manners will win friends for him anywhere. We regret the loss of such young men from Lincoln but wish him God speed. Mrs. Maxwell will make an extended trip east before joining her husband, accom-panied by her parents Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Oakley.

Miss Bertie Burr entertained a few friends very pleasantly last Saturday evening. After witnessing a beautiful display of fireworks, the party spent the remainder of the evening in dancing. Among those present were the following: Misses Theo Laws, Rach-Brock, Minnie Latta, Olive Latta, Grace Burr, May Burr, Anna Funke, Nellie White, Sara Schwab and Lillie Hathaway. Messra John Dorgan, Frank Hathaway, Harry Freeman, Charlie Burr, Frank Burr, Robert Muir, S. T. St John, Steven L. Geisthardt, Frank Sanders and Dr. C. F. Ladd. Miss Bertie Burr entertained a few friends

The following Lincoln people went to Minannual convention of the Y. P. S. C. E. Mrs. C. M. Leighton and son, Lee, E. E. Dudley, Mrs. S. F. and Mrs. L. Leavitt, Mrs. N. E. Townsend, Mrs. A. W. Lane, Miss Clara Leehmire, Mrs. Dr. Casebeer, Rev. H. S. Wanamaker and wife, and O. E.

Mr. John Q. Denton and Miss Mary Mc-Millen were married last Tuesday at 1404 C street. The Rev. Dr. Davis preformed the marriage ceremony in the presence of the relatives and immediate friends of the family. Mr. and Mrs. Denton take up their abode in a newly furnished home at Twentyeighth and O street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lieut. Griffith gave a party to Miss Grace Oakley and her visiting friend Miss Carrie Jenkins. High-five was the principle pleasure of the evening. Mr. John Lottridge winning the royal and Miss Carrie Leland captured the booby. Refreshments added to the pleasure of the company of thir-

Mrs. Albert Watkins entertained a num ber of friends Tuesday evening at her resi-dence 930 D street. Some very pretty selections, both vocal and instrumental were ren-dered by Mrs. Dow, Mrs. W. O. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Wursburg and Mrs. Watkins. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed by all

The picnic party at Milford which was proposed for last Saturday had to be aban-doned on account of the condition of the roads much to the regret of those who proposed spending the Fourth on the banks of the

iue, among Milford's beautiful groves. Miss Fay Marshall left for Omaha Saturday where she joined a select tourist party under the guidance of Mr. Al Patrick. The com pany travel in a special car, and will spend six weeks or there abouts traveling and coaching in the Big Horn mountains.

Miss Maud Blanchard of Los Angeles, Cal. arrived in Lincoln Wednesday from Los Angeles, Cal., and will visit for several weeks with the family of her uncle and sunt. Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Blauchard of 634 south

Miss Clara Eastman, Mr. J. H. Andrus and H. A. Brainard were in Lincoln Wed-nesday on their way from Milford to Minne-

apolis, Minn., to attend the tion of the Y. P. S. C. E. Mr. J. J. Cox, wife and daughter, accou

panied by Mrs. J. B. McDowell of Fairbury, sister of Mrs. Cox, left Wednesday for New York, Boston and Nantucket, Mass., to be absent about a month.

E. Hallet left last Thursday for Ottumwa, Iowa. He will return next week with Mrs. Hallett and two sons, Hugh and Scott, who have been visiting there for sev-

Mrs. Will Greene entertained a few friends at luncheon Wednesday. There were pres-ent: Mrs. Frank Sheldon, Mrs. A. G. Bee-son, Mrs. Sterling, Misses Minnie Latta and Kelly.

A neat little cottage on Sixteenth street a mor has been secured for September first by a prominent unmarried merchant. We know —you dont; we would like to tell but we Louis

It is probable that the young people who go to Crete next week for a week or ten day's outing on the Chautauqua grounds, will be followed by another party of marrid people. Mr. and Mrs. Lieut. Griffith left Tuesday for an extended trip east during which they will visit the mountain and seashore resorts

expecting to return early in September. Miss Ammie Davis of Bloomfield, Iowa, spent Thursday with her friend Miss Neilie Wright, on her way to David City, Neb., where she will make an extended visit.

Mr. L. Wessel Jr., and bride returned Morelay and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Kohn on H street. They leave Monday for St Paul and the Yellow Stone park.

The Bon Ton Tobacconist, 130 north Eleventh street expects to be ready for business today. Manager Hirsh has a neat establish-ment and should do a good business.

Albert Katzenstein is a great man. Why Why because he was made the father of a fine baby boy Wednesday. It's the first child and an excellent starter.

Misses Helen Gregory, Elizabeth Seacrest, Joy Webster and Estella Curtis, went to Crete Monday to camp out a few days; Miss Rice acting as Chaperone

Mrs. Olive Langbridge and Miss Julia Longhridge left Wednesday afternoon for Minneapolis to attend the national convention of the Y. P. S. C. E.

Hon. A. G. Scott of Kearney and Hon. Euclid Martin of Omaha, members of the world's fair national commission for Neraska, are in Lincoln. Miss Nellie Wright expects to leave Mon-

day for different resots in Colorrado, where she will spend the summer with friends and Mr. F. O. Felby and Mr. H. W. Felby left

with their families Wednesday for Logansport, Ind., where they will make their future home.

Mrs. R. R. Faikner of Hastings, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. L. W. Snow at the Lindell, returned home Monday evening.

Mrs. William Sterling of Huron, S. D., and cousin, Miss Belle Kelly, of Chicago, spent a few days with Mrs. Frank Sheldon this week. Julia and Mary Fourende from Kansas City are the guests of their cousins, the Misses Thiebaulte' at their home 1021 C street.

Miss Florence Bake, Miss Alice Raymal. Mr. Bruner and Mrs. Shaw, of Lincoln, spent Sunday at the Crete Chautauqua. Mrs. Poren of Aspen Col., formerly of this city, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. N. T. Jones at 307 north Twenty-fourth street.

Mise Anna Harvland of Seward, who has been the guest of Miss Effic Leese the past two weeks, left Monday for Fremont.

Mrs. Jennie Marble and daughter Edith of Table Rock, Neb., are visiting Mrs. Porter and daughter at 642 south Tenth street. Miss Lillie Wright of St Louis, Mo., and

Miss Nora Steen of Wahoo, are the guests of Misses Clara Cornody and Effic Steen. Miss Ida Gannon, daughter of Hon. M. V. Gannon of Omaha is visiting her friend Miss Rose McLaughlin of this city.

Mr. George Heade of Wellfleet, returned home Monday after spending the Fourth with his sister, Mrs. Dr. Thomas. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Susman left

Wednesday for Boston. They will spend the summer along the Atlantic coast. Mrs. R. P. R. Miller and family have re-

turned from Canton, Mo., accompanied by her sister, Miss Lida Forman. Mr. C. A. Wickersham and family return-

Mr. C. F. Creighton and family departed Tuesday for Green Springs, Ohio, where they will spend the sum

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Roberts returned Tuesday from a few weeks outing in the mountain resorts of Colorado. Mr. E. W. Baughman, editor and publish

er of the Twin City Times, with his wife. left yesterday for Denver Col. W. W. Wilson returned Wednesday

after spending six weeks at the watering places of the Atlantic coast. Mr. Neils Neilson started for the east Wednesday where he will take passage for Hamburg, Germany.

Mrs. J. D. Mines and daughter Hazel of Hastings are guests at the home of Mrs. R. Mines at 2031 K street.

Miss Bertie McBride left on Saturday for Missouri and Kansas, where she will spend the Month of July. Mr. M. L. Beach, formerly of this city, but now residing at Portland, Oregon, is vis-

iting Lincoln friends. Judge M. B. Reese and family leave Mon-day for Manitou, Colo., where they will

spend about six weeks. Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Burr, Miss May Burr

and Miss Nellie White will leave tomorrow for Spirit Lake, Iowa. Mrs. F. S. Spafford and daughter of Cedar

Rapids, Iowa, is visiting Mrs. W. A. Preston, 1636 K street. Miss Anna Funke went to Spirit Lake, lows, yesterday where she will remain

The Misses Gertrude and Carola Hill re-turned Sunday evening from the Beatrice Chautauqua.

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Miss Amy Covert has returned to her ome, 2136 R street, after a sojourn with relatives in Iowa. Mr. Lew Marshall was among the attend-

ants at the Chautauqua assembly at Crete ast Saturday. Mr. Herbert Hill, son of state treasurer Hill has been seriously ill during the past

two weeks. Misses Dena Loomis, Cora Hardy and Anna Barr went to the Crete Chautauqua Thursday.

Superintendent W. S. Jones of the city

Mr. Sa nuel Inman and wife left Tuesday for a visit with relatives and friends at Fork Rapids, Minn.

Mr. Clark Lillibridge of Springfield, Mass., is the guest of his brother, Professor D. R. Lillibridge. Mr. Frank Hathaway and Mr. Charlie Burr left yesterday morning for Spirit Lake,

Mr. Frank Graham left Friday to visit for

Miss Rachael Brock left Tuesday for St

The party that was planned for Roca on the Fourth was given up on account of the

Colonel John Bradford of the Gretna Reporter was in the city this week on a busines

Dr. H. E. Greene of Crawfordsville, Ind. visiting his brother, Attorney R. J. Green. Captain W. H. Woodward is spending the week with his son Frank at Sioux City.

Mrs. C. L. Strickland left Wednesday for Rock Rapids, where she will visit friends. Mrs. Lumbard and daughter of Hastings are the guests of Mrs. F. W. Townsend.

Mrs. H. P. Foster has been confined to the ouse by sickness during the past week. Mr. Chas. Miller of Omaha is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. R. Miller.

Judge J. H. Lewis of Kentucky is visiting his daughter, Mrs. S. H. Burnham. Miss Fannie Hawley returned Monday rom a short visit to Nebraska City

Mrs. Oscar Seckier of Leavenworth, Kas. s visiting her parents, 1226 P street. Rev. W. T. Kline of University Place has gone to Charleston, O., for a visit.

Miss Leonora Hedendahl of Omaha is vis iting her aunt at 2732 O street. Mr. H. Oliver, Harry and Oliver Lancing started Tuesday for Atlanta, Ga.

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Think of it-The Cosmopolitan Magazine, a giant among the great monthlies, and THE COURIER will both be sent to any address one year for three dollars. For furtner particul ars read large advertisement on page eight.

Hallett's line of souvenir spoons is the most attractive in the city. In fact Hallet leads in everything in the silverware and jewelry line. This however is an old and well known reputation that the pioneer jew-eler established years ago. Of course you have seen souvenir spoons either at the home of some friend or in the store windows and you must admit of their novelty and usefulness. The average present given a young lady is some trinket that is soon broken, lost and forgotten. Not so with a souvenir spoon. These pretty tokens are collected and kept for life and young ladies find in them years of remembrance. They use them now and after marriage even more so. Think how pretty it is for a dozen people to be seated at pretty it is for a dozen people to be seated at a table and each have a spoon of different design and city. There are numerous ladies in Lincoln that have a dozen spoons of as many different cities or designs. They make the most useful, yet the most novel and inex-pensive token you can get. Go see Hallet, 113 north Eleventh street and secure one or more before the best of the assortment is ed Sunday from Atlantic City, N. J., and picked out.

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Mr. Clark, to the Public. I wish to say to my friends and the public, that I regard Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhosa Remedy as the best preparation in use for Colic and Diarrhoea. It is the finest selling medicine I ever handled because it always gives satisfaction. O. H. Clark, Orangeville, Texas. For sale by Chas. C. Reed, Druggist.

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ought said "widow lady," Ain't you never going to learn no manners?—Indianapolis Journal. Prison Statistics. Said the superintendent of the Texas

penitentiary, at Huntaville, to a newly arrived delegate: "You have the privilege of working at any trade you prefer.'

"I'd like to keep on drivin' cattle to Kan-Another gentleman in the same institu-tion wanted to be a sailor.—Texas Siftings.

First Boarder-Here I've waited an hour for soup, and now that it has come there's a roach in it. Second Boarder-That proves the truth

of an old maxim First Boarder-In what way. Second Boarder—That all things come to him who waits.—Detroit Free Press.



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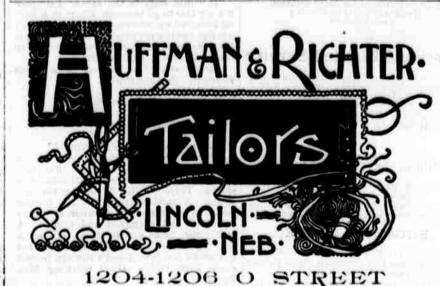
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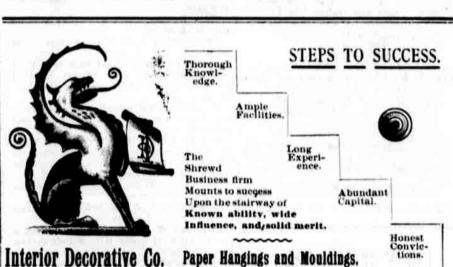
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