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## Talk About Diamonds

Their brilliant glitter scarce out-rides the polish you can put on a Mu-zloff shoe. Good leather, well-tanned leather, that's the reason. It does more than shine—it wears. It fits, it "feels good" whether you walk across the street or across the continent. It's a shiner, a stayer, a soother. Costs money? Of course—not as much as you'd think, though. Put one on and give its tongue a chance to talk. You'll do the talking after you've worn a pair and we'll sell a lot more.

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Large Supply of all the BEST GRADES  
**HARD COAL SOFT**  
Including the Famous  
Missouri, Illinois,  
Jackson Hill and  
Canon City Lump,  
Always on hand—Also a quantity of  
cheaper Grades of NUT COAL. We also  
carry a large stock of Wood. All or-  
ders promptly delivered. Leave orders  
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## FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKING HOUSE FURNISHINGS, STOVES, RANGES.

Our stock is complete in all lines. We invite our friends to look it over. We will endeavor to please you. Call and see us.

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(Successors to Leary & Boeck.)  
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Is the most important work of a good drug store. The very lives of a community depend upon the care and integrity of the man who fills its prescriptions. We use only the very best and freshest drugs, and exercise most painstaking care to prevent the possibility of error.

**F. G. FRICKE & CO.,**  
SOUTH SIXTH STREET.

**Wright's Condensed Smoke**  
for Smoking all Meats. Imparts a delicious flavor. Keeps Meat Sweet and free from insects. A 75 cent bottle will smoke 250 pounds. Sold by all Druggists. Made by E. H. WRIGHT & Co., Ulysses, Neb.  
For Sale by F. G. Fricke & Co.

## A PLEASANT SURPRISE.

AN ENJOYABLE PARTY IS HELD IN HONOR OF MISS CELIA SPECK.

Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Leonard Entertain a Gathering of Their Friends—Lady Falls in a Well.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Lutz, near the power house, was the scene last evening of a most enjoyable surprise party, in honor of Miss Celia Speck. About 8 o'clock the crowd gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Koehnke, and from there they journeyed in a body to the Lutz residence. Miss Speck was taken quite completely by surprise when the unexpected guests put in an appearance, but she cordially welcomed her friends and made the best of the situation—proving herself to be a pleasing entertainer. The evening was spent in various social amusements, which made the time seem to pass only too fast. A bounteous supper was also placed before the happy guests and partaken of with relish. The party was composed of about sixteen young people, all of whom expressed themselves as having had a most enjoyable social time. It was quite late when the happy gathering dispersed.

Elegantly Entertained.  
Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Leonard entertained a large party of their friends at their pleasant home on Sixth street last evening. Mrs. Leonard was assisted by her daughters and Miss Rosa Wintersten. The guests were most hospitably entertained and enjoyed the elaborate luncheon which was served about 10 o'clock.

Fell in a Well.  
The wife of Chas. Truman, who lives in the south part of town, is reported to have fallen in a well this afternoon and sustained serious injuries. We were unable to learn the particulars.

A Grist Mill Burned.  
WEeping Water, Neb., Jan. 27.—The three-story stone grist mill was discovered to be on fire at 7 o'clock this evening, and in an hour and a half was entirely consumed. The fire started in the basement and the origin is not known. The mill had just been remodeled at a cost of about \$3,500, and was just getting in working order. An application for insurance was sent in last Wednesday, but the policy has not yet been received.

The Greatest Discovery Yet.  
W. M. Repine, editor Tiskitwa, Ill., "Chief," says: "We won't keep house without Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, cough and colds. Experienced with many others, but never got the true remedy until we used Dr. King's New Discovery. No other remedy can take its place in our home, as in it we have a certain and sure cure for coughs, colds, Whooping cough, etc." It is idle to experiment with other remedies, even if they are urged on you as just as good as Dr. King's New Discovery. They are not so good, because this remedy has a record of cures and besides is guaranteed. It never fails to satisfy. Trial bottles free at F. G. Fricke's drug store.

A Clever Trick.  
It certainly looks like it, but there is really no trick about it. Anybody can try it who has Lame Back and Weak Kidneys, Malaria or nervous troubles. We mean he can cure himself right away by taking Electric Bitters. This medicine tones up the whole system, acts as a stimulant to the Liver and Kidneys, is a blood purifier and nerve tonic. It cures constipation, headache, fainting spell, sleeplessness and melancholy. It is purely vegetable, a mild laxative and restores the system to its natural vigor. Try Electric Bitters and be convinced that they are a miracle worker. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50c a bottle at F. G. Fricke & Co's drug store.

Interessante sprache  
bei Phil Andres, sprecher des Mo. Valley Turn-Bezirks, ueber "Ziel und Zweck," des Nordamerikanischen Turner Bundes. In der Turn Halle Sonntag den 30 Jan. 1898. Abends 8 Uhr. Das Publikum ist freundlich eingeladen. Eintritt frei.

Bucklen's Armer's Salve.  
The best salve in the world for cuts, burns, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by F. G. Fricke.

Annual Meeting.  
The annual meeting of the Platts-mouth Brick & Terra Cotta Manufacturing Co. will be held at the office of T. H. Pollock on Friday, January 28, 1898, at 7:30 p. m.

The Q. Z. society of the Presbyterian church will give a sociable at the Woman's Exchange rooms in the Riley block, Friday, January 28. Admission 10 cents. Refreshments free. Everybody is cordially invited.

Fancy Bread, Cakes, Etc.  
Holloways are headquarters for fine bread, cakes and everything usually kept in a first-class bakery. Also candied, nuts, etc. Give them a call—Fitzgerald block, at 5th/old stand.

## Hardin Struck It Rich.

J. D. Hardin, well known in this city where he has visited D. S. Guild, has struck it rich in the Black Hills. A paper there says: "J. D. Hardin is destined to be one of the multi-millionaires of the Black Hills. He is now interested in seven large mining companies, operating in the Two-Bit district. The names of the companies are: The Great Northern, Great Eastern, Chicago and Two-Bit, the Hardin, Hardin Standard, the George Hearst and the Consolidated Hardin Mines, limited. All of these large companies have forces of men engaged in an exciting race for the vein of ore. Last week Mr. Hardin made a trip to the Hay Creek coal fields in Wyoming, which are situated about seventy-five miles northwest of Deadwood. He was accompanied by a coal expert from Chicago and his purpose could have been nothing else than to examine this great coal district looking to a future supply of coal and coke for fuel. This coal district could be easily reached by the Northwestern road from Belle Fourche. Indications are that the great estate recently purchased by the Hardin companies north of Deadwood will be utilized for smelters and reduction works for the companies by Mr. Hardin.

She Marries a Piegan Indian.  
GREAT FALLS, Mont., Jan.—Mrs. Minnie Cushman, a white woman and teacher in the Fort Shaw schools, was clandestinely married to Garrott White, a full-blood Piegan Indian, at Dupuyer yesterday. The bride is a daughter of C. C. Bateman, chaplain of the United States army at Fort Belknap, and formerly at Fort Assiniboine. She is a handsome brunette.

Two weeks ago the couple applied for a marriage license here, but White being a ward of the government, it was refused. They then proceeded to the Blackfoot agency, where Major Fuller declined their marriage. Today they drove to a ranch near Dupuyer, where they were met by a notary, and it is alleged that he under a misrepresentation, secured them a license. The ceremony was performed by a justice of the peace.

Mrs. Cushman, by a former marriage, has a daughter nine years of age. She has deserted her post and with her husband gone east on a wedding tour.

An Empty Bluff.  
Slippery Sam Chapman, while on the bench as judge of the district court, in an effort to help a man get judgment against an insurance company, informed C. S. Polk, the attorney for the insurance company, that the court would convene on the following day to hand down some opinions, but that no hearings or trials would be had. Mr. Polk foolishly took the judge at his word and was absent from the court room a few minutes. While away Chapman called up the insurance case, overruled a motion that had never been presented and rendered judgment against the insurance company and immediately adjourned court for the term. It was a great deal of just such contemptible work as this that relieved Mr. Chapman of his position.

The insurance company has now sued their attorney for damages in the federal court. They have no cause of action, and the matter is nothing more than an empty bluff as later proceedings will prove.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, I. S. Lucas County, I. S.  
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.  
FRANK J. CHENEY,  
sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 10th day of December, A. D. 1896.  
A. N. KELSON,  
Notary Public.  
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.  
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
Sold by druggists, etc.

Burlington Route—California Excursions  
Cheap, quick, comfortable. Leave Platts-mouth 3:43 p. m., every Thursday in clean, modern, not crowded tourist sleepers. No transfers: cars run right through to San Francisco and Los Angeles over the Scenic Route through Denver and Salt Lake City. Cars are carpeted; upholstered in rattan; have spring seats and backs and are provided with curtains, bedding, towels, soap, etc. Uniformed porters and experienced excursion conductors accompany each excursion, relieving passengers of all bother about baggage, pointing out objects of interest and in many other ways helping to make the overland trip a delightful experience. Second class tickets are honored. Berths \$5.

For further giving full information, call at nearest Burlington Route ticket office, or write to J. Francis Gen. Passenger Agent, Omaha, Neb.

Pearl Steam Laundry.  
B. F. Goodman has his new laundry fully equipped with latest devices, now in running order, and asks a share of your patronage. His work is his best advertisement, and if you try the new laundry there will be no longer any excuse for sending goods away. Nothing too good for our patrons is our motto. Work called for and delivered.

H. Spies carries a nice line of smoking tobacco in addition to his make of fine cigars.

## ARE RAISING A BIG HOWL.

KANSAS PAPERS KICKING BECAUSE OF AN ADVANTAGE IN DISTANCE.

Claim Kansas City Enjoys the Advantage Over Omaha of 200 Miles Distance From the Gulf Port.

Kansas City papers are raising a great howl against the action of the Pittsburgh & Gulf railroad and its western connections in granting the same rates to Missouri river points on freight from Port Arthur as are given the city by the Kaw, says the Denver Times. They are loud in imprecations at the road for not recognizing the 200 miles' advantage in distance from the gulf port which Kansas City enjoys over Omaha, and deep in their lamentations over the alleged ingratitude for the Pittsburgh & Gulf management as regards past favors bestowed upon it by Kansas City shippers.

Some chickens are evidently coming home to roost. If ever there was a railroad-made metropolis Kansas City is that one. Snatched from commercial obscurity by the Missouri Pacific, the Santa Fe and the Kansas Pacific, the city has been buffeted upon discriminations in freight rates such as no other western point has ever enjoyed. A 200 mile differential is as nothing compared to the advantages granted her by these roads and their connections in western territory, enabling her wholesalers and manufacturers to enter and monopolize trade naturally belonging wholly to other points. Under such circumstances it would appear as a trifle inconsistent for Kansas City to denounce anybody for traffic discriminations, whether justifiable or not. But it is always the petted and spoiled child that complains loudest and longest when it can no longer enjoy a monopoly of favor and attention, and therefore the walls of the Kansas City journals may be accepted as a natural sequence of events.

The significance of the incident, however, lies in the fact of the breaking up of the old order of things and the establishment of new conditions which promise at least an approximation of justice to transmissouri interests. With the opening of the new gulf waterway, Kansas City, Chicago and St. Louis will no longer be able to monopolize business which legitimately belongs to cities on the west of the river. Under the new deal those latter points will be able to claim and hold their own, and railway lines interested in the long haul will no longer be able to prevent Denver from reaping the benefits of her natural location as a manufacturing and wholesale center.

The mail from Kansas City will mark the first of a series which will mark the commercial and industrial emancipation of the great northwest.

From Baby in the High Chair  
To grandma in the rocker, Grain-O is good for the whole family. It is the long-desired substitute for coffee. Never upsets the nerves or injures the digestion. Made from pure grains it is a food in itself. Has the taste and appearance of the best coffee at 1/2 the price. It is a genuine and scientific article and is come to stay. It makes for health and strength. Ask your Grocer for Grain-O.

Home-seekers' Excursions.  
Home-seekers' excursion tickets will be sold on January 4 and 8, February 1 and 15, March 1 and 15 via Missouri Pacific railway to all points in Arkansas, Texas, Louisiana, Indian Territory, Oklahoma, Arizona and New Mexico, at rate of one fare plus \$2. For particulars call at M. P. office.

A Choice Brand.  
The Clover Leaf brand of flour on sale by F. S. White and manufactured by the new Weeping Water Milling company is extra nice. Call at White's and leave your order for a sack of it and after trial you will use no other.

Crystal Springs Dairy.  
Milk, as pure as gold from the "Knoedike," delivered to any part of the city. Satisfaction guaranteed. Your patronage solicited. Leave orders at NEWS office, or at Bennett & Tutt's grocery store.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY  
Take Laxative Greeno Quinine Tablets. Add 10c to find the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

## INFORMATION AND OPINIONS.

In all probability the block of stone to be used in the "Arch of States" at the Omaha Exposition will be composed of onyx taken from the onyx mine near Pringle, S. D. A block four feet square and ten inches thick can be gotten out, which would be large enough for the purpose. A number of shipments have recently been made from the mine. The stone has been used to veneer several store fronts and slabs have been made for soda fountains, for experiments as to quality of stone. It is pronounced genuine and will prove to be a valuable mine.

Col. Herbert Mansfield Bushnell will soon become so popular if Allen and the pop cohorts keep up their fight on him that the Lincoln post-office won't be sufficient. He will have to go to congress, where he can beat the lion in his lair.

Mark Hanna is at his old tricks again, wheat having reached \$1.05 in Chicago today.

Many People Cannot Drink  
Coffee at night. It spoils their sleep. You can drink Grain-O when you please and sleep like a top. For Grain-O does not stimulate; it nourishes, cheers and feeds. Yet it looks and tastes like the best coffee. For nervous persons, young people and children, Grain-O is the perfect drink. Made from pure grains. Get a package from your grocer today. Try it in place of coffee. 15 and 25c.

Cass County Dairy.  
R. E. Dean has again taken charge of the Cass County Dairy and will be pleased to serve his old customers and also others desiring pure milk. He will also furnish cream and butter when desired. Your patronage is solicited.

It Pays to Get the Best.  
W. E. and C. E. Crabili are delivering the best of milk to their customers in all parts of the city. Try our system of bottle delivery.

New Improvements.  
The Pearl Steam laundry has just received one of the latest pattern bosom, collar and cuff ironers from Chicago, and is better prepared than ever to do nice work. Remember—Pearl Steam laundry, Main street.

## WANTS

Special notices under this head will be charged for at the rate of 1/2 cent per word each insertion.

STRAYED OR STOLEN.  
STRAYED—Two bay horses. The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning the same to R. H. Widdams.

FOR RENT.  
FOR RENT—A 4-room house with stable, \$3 per month. Enquire of J. C. Peterson.

FOR RENT—A 2-story house in good repair, centrally located, \$8 per month. Enquire of J. C. Peterson.

LOST.  
LOST—A gold A. O. U. W. and Woodmen of the World watch chain. The finder will please leave same at News office or at A. H. Weckbach & Co's.

MONEY TO LOAN.  
\$1,600 Private loans to loan on farm property. Enquire at the News office.

FOR SALE.  
FOR SALE—A house to be moved away. Enquire of F. H. Pollock.

FOR SALE—A family carriage, as good as new, at half price. Enquire of J. C. Peterson.

TWO good incubators for sale. Enquire of Elson, the clothier.

160 Acre farm one-half mile from Mynard, good buildings. Price \$2,000.

160 Acre farm, four miles west of Mynard, good buildings. Price \$2,000.

A neat 5-room cottage, good location; eastern and city water. \$200.

3 Near shops. Price \$200.

4 Room house and good barn. Two large lots. \$300.

80 Acre farm, One county. Good land and good buildings. Price \$2,000.

LOTS of bargains in city property and acre tracts. Real Estate, Loans and Insurance. Over First National bank, Platts-mouth, Neb.

MISCELLANEOUS.  
SEWING—All kinds of plain and fancy sewing, dressmaking, repairing of gowns and coats, ladies' undergarments, etc. Mrs. Orla Sherman, over Coates' hardware store, 118 Main street.

WANTED—A cook or assistant at the Perkins house. Apply at once.

WANTED—To trade. A good gold watch for an organ. Enquire at the News office.

WANTED—A good power and steamworthy man to drive through this section. Salary \$200 a month, plus expenses. Inquire at the News office. Address: S. H. Fisher, company, 1020 Crescent street, Platts-mouth, Pa.

## With Blizzards Yet to Come

REMEMBER WE ARE HEAD-QUARTERS FOR

### WARM SLIPPERS SHOES RUBBERS

## Felt Boots AND German Sox

By watchfulness on our part we made an extra good deal on

### ..Rubber Boots..

Children's first quality, fleece lined.....	\$1.25
Misses' first quality, fleece lined.....	1.50
Ladies' first quality, fleece lined.....	1.50
Youth's first quality, fleece lined.....	1.50

CALF, KIP AND GRAIN BOOTS FROM \$1.50 UP.

**ROBERT SHERWOOD,** FOOT MILLINER.

## Fancy Groceries.

### Choice Canned Goods.

These are Leaders at

# White's Grocery Store

(THE OLD RELIABLE.)

A select stock of Dry Goods in the latest styles for Fall and Winter just arrived. If you want the best for your money give us a trial.

## F. S. WHITE,

Upper Main Street. Platts-mouth, Neb.

## The Best Is Good Enough..

And that is what you will find at the Hed-bloom Pharmacy. Especial attention is paid to the prescription department, and the store having recently been restocked with pure drugs, and having in charge a competent pharmacist, you are running no risk.

We also have a full stock of Paints and artists' materials: Tube Paints, Bronzes of all kinds, Brushes, Gold Leaf and Powder, Varnishes, Crayons in black and all the shades, artists spatulas, Plaques and Tiles for decorations.

An examination of our stock will prove that the goods and prices are both correct. Give us a call.

# Hedbloom Pharmacy,

FRANK PLANCK, Mgr.

.. THE LEADERS ..

# IN THE GROCERY TRADE

ARE

## A. H. WECKBACH & CO.

THEY carry the largest and most complete line in Cass county. Everything fresh and new. They pay cash for our goods and give their customers the advantage of special discounts. A complete line of canned goods always in stock. The only place in the city where you can get all kinds of fresh Cheese. Call and see us.

# A. H. WECKBACH & CO., Waterman Bldg.

For Sale by SMI H & PARMELE.