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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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The Filling of Prescriptions.

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.

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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., Ulisses, Neb. For Sale by F. G. Fricke & Co.

SAID TO BE JOE WILLIAMS

ARKANSAS POLICE BELIEVE THEY HAVE CAPTURED THE MURDERER.

Was a Resident of Plattsmouth Five Years Ago—January Mortgage Record—Other News.

The following item taken from this morning's World-Herald will be of interest to Plattsmouth people, as the Joe Williams referred to is well known by many here, having been employed as porter at the Hotel Riley for about a year and did other work about the city. He went from here to Omaha and shortly after poisoned the Ewing family. A close watch was kept for the young man in this city as it was known he had friends here, but he was never seen. This is about the sixth time his arrest has been reported, but it is believed that the right man is under arrest this time. The World-Herald said:

"Chief Gallagher is in receipt of a letter from Chief McMahon of Little Rock, Ark., including a photograph of a colored man under arrest there supposed to be Joe Williams, who five years ago poisoned Mrs. Ewing, her daughter and son with 'rough on rats' to revenge himself for their interference with his plans to marry Edna Ewing, now a girl on the 'line.' The picture will be shown to the Ewings today with a view of having it identified as that of Joe Williams, and if so requisition papers will be secured for his return on the charge of murder. Williams disappeared immediately after he administered the poison in coffee served to his victims and has so far evaded arrest. Mrs. Ewing and her daughter died from the effects of the poison."

A Good Showing. The January mortgage record, as shown by Recorder Hay's books, makes the best showing, especially on farm mortgages, of any month for years, and shows without a doubt that the wave of prosperity has struck Cass county. Following is the record:

Farm mortgages: Filed, \$27,111; Released, \$8,579. Town property: Filed, \$15,306; Released, \$4,990. The reason for the difference in the filings and releases in town property is that no one would loan money on the latter during the hard times, but as money becomes easy no difficulty is experienced in making loans on town property.

A. O. E. W. Lectures. The local A. O. U. W. lodges have arranged to have O. J. Vandyke, department grand master westman, with them for the next two weeks. The object is to increase the membership in the city. They have arranged for a lecture at Waterman's hall for Wednesday evening. All those who are interested in the welfare of their loved ones should not fail to hear him. Mr. Vandyke has been engaged in this work since the organization of the grand lodge in Nebraska, and he understands thoroughly every benefit to be derived from belonging to such an order. Everybody is invited to turn out and hear him on this subject Wednesday evening.

The Greatest Discovery Yet. W. M. Kopline, editor Tskitsu, Ill., "Chief," says: "We won't keep house without Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, cough and colds. Experimented 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 spells, 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.

Bucklen's Arnica 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.

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.

WILL HAVE A CREAM SEPERATIVE

The Little Village of Eagle Feels the Effect of the Wave of Prosperity.

EAGLE, Neb., Jan. 31.—The southwestern part of Cass county is not dead, even if there has been no items of news reported for some time. Thus far no coal mines, gold diggings or oil wells have been discovered to boom things, yet there is not a vacant dwelling to be found in the village of Eagle or a pauper on record drawing rations from the county fund. Every business enterprise seems to be doing well, and outsiders are looking longingly towards us for a location. Plans and specifications are made and work will commence within ten days upon a \$1,500 cream separator at this place. This will prove a big boom not only to the farmers but business men of Eagle. The enterprise is under the auspices of the Beatrice Creamery company, who show that they mean business by selecting a manager to take charge from among Eagle citizens.

Eagle lodge No. 29, B. M. F., last Wednesday evening gave a business men's social in the opera house for their wives and friends. While inaugurating a new scheme, nevertheless the affair was a very successful one. The rows of tables and crocheted boards were placed in the center of the hall, and for two hours the large number of invited guests—about sixty in number—together with an equal number of lookers-on, willed away the time merrily playing and watching the game. Light refreshments, followed by an interesting program of music, song and speech, ending with the installation of officers, completed the evening's enjoyment. Visiting members of the order were present from St. Louis, Omaha and Elmwood. The new officers installed were S. S. English, president; Dr. F. L. Wilmoth; W. D. English, secretary, and N. S. Miller, treasurer.

Cards are out announcing the approaching nuptials of Mr. P. C. Beach and Miss Emma Wetenkamp, two of Eagle's best known young people. Both are very popular, having been raised from childhood in the immediate vicinity of our village. The groom (prospective) is the eldest son of G. M. Beach, general merchant of Eagle. The groom (to be) is the daughter of a wealthy retired farmer. Providence permitting, the happy event will take place at high noon February 2.

Tipton precinct is going to take a hand in politics this fall, if present signs do not foretell falsely. So far as the writer can learn, Judge Hayward for governor meets the approval of western Cass. The prevailing sentiment, as expressed, may be summed in these words: We want honest, honorable, upright men nominated this fall, regardless of geographical position or previous servitude to political machinery. Locally, Tipton precinct has several candidates that would like to get something at the hands of the county convention this fall. Three substantial farmers have expressed a desire to warm Commissioner Hayes' chair, while another would not be adverse to ousting Young or Pollard for legislative honors, and there are others. "If this state of affairs continues to increase," says Sam English, "blamed if I won't run for coroner myself, just to keep in the swim."

Feeling Disease of Hoops. RISING CITY, Neb., Jan. 31.—A farmer three miles west of this place, who has about 200 head of hogs, has been losing three to four of them daily for a number of weeks from a disease with some peculiar characteristics. On first taking the disease the hog discharges urine of the color of tobacco juice and of a slimy consistency. This continues for a short time, when the hog ceases to eat, becomes listless and mopey and, finally about a day before dying gives away in the back and lies down, apparently enduring more or less pain till death comes. So far as known other herds in this vicinity have not been troubled with the disease and no explanation as to what it is has thus far been forthcoming.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss. 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 16th day of December, A. D. 1898. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public. (Seal) 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.

For Sale. The cheapest printing press in the state, in fair condition, will print eight column folio, hand power. Address NEWS office, Plattsmouth, Neb.

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

What pleasure is there in life with a headache, constipation and biliousness? Thousands experience them who could become perfectly healthy using DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. F. G. Fricke & Co.

MILLERS SHORT ON GOOD WHEAT.

Supply of No. 1 Hard All in the Hands of a Few.

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—Joseph Leiter, according to experts in the trade, is forcing thousands of people to eat darker bread than has ever been seen since the introduction of the patent roller process of making flour. His control of 15,000,000 bushels of contract wheat means, they say, that the millers are grinding the best grain they can procure since the supply of choice No. 1 hard spring wheat has become exhausted and that best is not very good. Grocers and retail flour dealers have been receiving complaints regarding breadstuffs from cooks and housewives who have sent back sacks and barrels of flour marked with the fancy brands and bought at highest prices. But the loudest protests have been raised by the restaurateurs and bakers who buy flour at wholesale.

Commissioner of Health Reynolds today sent out men to gather samples of flour from leading dealers. This flour will be analyzed and definite information given to the public as to the nature of the adulterations which are said to have resulted in a general prevalence of dark bread. Commissioner Reynolds said: "If corn has been used to adulterate the wheat, there need be no alarm so far as health is concerned. Corn is an eminently healthy food and if wheat should ever be cornered so as to preclude its purchase by the common people, corn could easily fill the place."

It is announced that the farmers of Macon county will have an exhibit of corn in all its shapes and styles at their annual farmers' institute and that they will endeavor to start a campaign in advocacy of the healthful corn. The story that the wheat corner, controlled by Joseph Leiter, is causing people to eat darker bread, caused the Napoleon of the Board of Trade much amusement.

"I see," said he, "that they say my wheat corner compels the millers to grind any sort of old stuff for their customers. If they are grinding poorer stuff in their mills, why don't they reduce the price. I have not heard of any reduction in the price of wheat flour. If the millers want good flour they can come and get the best there is at market prices. The prices are now advanced tremendously you say?"

"Yes, but note this, that the millers are charging proportionately advanced prices for the mixed stuff they are grinding. That is to say they ask just as much for their dark, adulterated flour as if it were the purest brand. Consequently, if anybody is getting the worst of it it is the public."

Pearl Steam Laundry. R. 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.

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. C. F. STOUTENBOUGH, Agt.

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 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.

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.

Oysters and Lunch. Oysters in every style, and nice lunch at Holloways, in Fitzgerald block—Sahl's old stand.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.



What a Pity!

Here is one of those who are either so prejudiced against all advertised remedies, or have become discouraged at the failure of other medicines to help them, and who will succumb to the grim destroyer without knowing of the wonderful value of Foley's Honey and Tar for all Throat and Lung troubles.

For Sale by SMITH & PARMELE.

Burlington May Branch Out.

ALLIANCE, Neb., Jan. 31.—President Perkins and several of the directors of the Burlington passed over the Wyoming division. General Solicitor Manderson, General Manager Holdrege and Superintendent Pholan were members of the party. A special train of four coaches conveyed the party west. Their destination is Deadwood, New Castle and Edgmont. This trip has renewed the general belief that the Burlington is contemplating some new work connecting the Black Hills with Denver either by the Orin Junction route or by the Alliance and Holyoke route.

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.

Intessante Ansprache bei Phil Andres, Sprecher des Mo. Valley Turn-Bezirks, ueber "Ziel und Zweck," des Nordamerikanishen Turner Bundes. In der Turn Halle Sonntag den 30 Jan. 1898. Abends 8 uhr. Das publicum ist freundlich eingeladen. Eintritt frei.

Cass County Dairy. R. F. 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 milk when desired. Your patronage is solicited.

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

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

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. B. Windham.

HELP WANTED. WANTED—A girl to cook and do general work. Wages, \$8 per week. Apply at residence of R. B. Windham.

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

FOR RENT—Six-room house in good repair, centrally located, \$8 per month. Enquire of J. G. Peterson.

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

MONEY TO LOAN. Private funds to loan on farm property. Enquire at the News office.

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

TWO good incubators for sale. Enquire of E. W. Lee, Grover.

160 Acre farm, four miles west of Myrard. Nine room house. Good land, running water. Price \$10 per acre.

A neat 5-room cottage; good location; cistern and city water. Price \$2000.

3 Acres all in fruit. Splendid six-room cottage. Near airport. Price \$3000.

4 Room house and good barn. Two large lots. \$800.

80 Acre farm, One county. Good land and good buildings. Price \$4,200.

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

MISCELLANEOUS. SEWING—All kinds of plain and fancy sewing, dressmaking, repairing of gents and boys' clothes done at the rooms of Mrs. Orilla Stern, over Coates' hardware store, 615 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—Active, sober and trustworthy man to travel through this section. Salary \$20 a month, payable weekly, and expenses; splendid opportunity. Address SHEPP company, 1020 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, 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. Plattsmouth, Neb.

The Best Is Good Enough. And that is what you will find at the Hedbloom 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.