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Everything New..

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W. K. FOX has one of the most complete stocks of Holiday Goods ever shown in Plattsmouth. His store is new and you run no chance of getting last year's goods. He has Holiday Goods of every description, for both young and old and...

His Prices Are Reasonable

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Christmas Gifts...

- Books,
- Doll Heads, Doll Bodies,
- Chinaware, Wagons, Sleds,
- Dolls and Doll Furniture,
- Albums,
- Photograph—Kodak—Autograph,
- Medallions, Toys, Fancy Candies,
- Bibles and Testaments,
- Prayer Books,
- Episcopal and Catholic.
- Ladies' and Gents' Pocketbooks,
- Cyclone Cameras,
- Magazine Cameras holding 12 plates,
- Christmas Cards, Fancy Vases,
- Picture Frames, Games,

There are many other articles not enumerated here. Call and look over the stock. We will treat you fair, both in quality of goods and prices.

W. K. FOX,

418 Main Street, PLATTSMOUTH

ONLY A FEW WORDS.

THE MORE YOU SAY, THE LESS PEOPLE REMEMBER.

JOE & FRANK,

The People's Clothiers,

Will sell Overcoats, Suits, Underwear, Shirts, Ties, Hats and Caps at Prices that no other house in America can beat.

Please step in and take a look at our Stock and Prices before you buy.

Have you seen our 50c All Wool Fleece-Lined Underwear?

JOE & FRANK,

Waterman block, - Plattsmouth, Neb

THE FIRST POSTOFFICE

Uncle Sam Handles Mail in Cuba's Capital City.

First Two Cent Stamp Auctioned Off for Two Dollars—Is a Queer Experience for Havana—Twentieth Regiment of Kansas Regulars to Relieve Volunteers in the Philippines at Once.

HAVANA, Dec. 15.—The first American postoffice in Havana was opened today at No. 74 Lamparilla street. It will be a military mail station, but owing to the breakdown of ordinary mail service in the city letters for American and English residents will be handled. Chief Clerk C. S. Beavers, formerly in the railway mail service, and G. S. Hunt, a financial clerk, took charge of the office at noon in the presence of a large number of Americans and declared it open for business. Champagne was opened and the occasion was duly celebrated. There was spirited bidding for the first two cent stamp sold. It was knocked down to F. C. Willis, a postal official, for \$2.

Quartermaster General Humphreys has assigned a tug to the office for meeting steamers and several army wagons for distributing purposes. A detail of American soldiers has been assigned to guard the premises. During the day a two week's accumulation of mail was handled. Letters for the Two Hundred and Second New York were sent to Pinar del Rio and mail for the engineers, the First North Carolina and the Tenth regular infantry was sent to the camp at Mariamao, General Lee's headquarters.

General Raphael Cardenas, with 300 Cuban soldiers, took possession today of Guanabacoa—which has been evacuated by the Spaniards—and marched through the town with his band, cheering loudly for America and for free Cuba. The American and Cuban flags were hoisted.

The four companies of the Eighth infantry, which arrived yesterday on the steamer Whitney, complain bitterly of their accommodations on the voyage. They say they were packed like herrings in barrels and with rough weather between Tampa and Key West suffered horrible discomforts. Many were unable to obtain space to lie down, and the condition of the ship as the result of many men being seasick as well as high intolerable.

Kansas Ordered to Manila.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—In accordance with the policy of the administration to replace the volunteer soldiers in the Philippines with regular troops as soon as possible, orders were issued today for the Twentieth regiment of regular infantry at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., to proceed to San Francisco and take passage on the transport Scandia for the Philippine Islands. Colonel J. H. Patterson is in command of the regiment, which is the only one, so far, actually ordered to the Philippines of the infantry regiments selected for service there.

Flour Trust Scheme is Dead

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 15.—The flour trust scheme is dead, so far as Minneapolis is concerned. At a meeting of representatives of the three local milling concerns—the Pillsbury-Washburn Flour Mills company, the North-western Consolidated company and the Washburn-Crescent company—it was unanimously agreed that none of the Minneapolis properties should go into the McEvoy consolidation scheme and that no further attention should be given to the matter. The mills at Milwaukee and Duluth will in all probability follow the lead of the Minneapolis mills.

State Teacher's Association.

The next regular meeting of the Nebraska Teacher's association convenes at Lincoln, December 26, 27, 28 and 29.

Rates, railway: The railroads of the state have granted an open rate of one fare for the round trip, tickets to be sold December 26 and 27, good to return December 30.

Rates, hotel: To members of the association: Lincoln, \$1.50; Lindell, \$1.50; Grand, \$1.50; Windsor, \$1.25; Capital, \$1; Boyd, \$1. These rates are with the understanding that two persons occupy the same room. Cass county teachers express themselves as favorable to the Lincoln.

Arrangements may be made for room and board in private families and boarding houses at rates not to exceed \$1 per day, by writing to Prof. G. E. Condra, chairman of local committee, High school, Lincoln, Neb. Evening sessions—Monday, High school debate between representatives of leading schools of the state, in auditorium of the new High school; Tuesday, Philharmonic Orchestra concert; Wednesday, address, "The Teachers and the Patriots" Rabbi Emil G. Hirsch, Chicago; Thursday, lecture, "Wendell Phillips," Supt. A. F. Nightingale, Chicago.

Educators from other states—We are to have ex-State Superintendent Henry Sabin, of Iowa, for supervision; Miss Sarah C. Brooks, St. Paul, Minn., primary work; Prof. D. L. Kiehl, University of Minnesota, pedagogy; Supt. W. E. Kratz, Iowa, child study.

The school board section was organized last year and a great deal of interest taken in the meetings. The

Woman's club and other auxiliary organizations have excellent programs prepared. Further information will be given on application. Respectfully,
GEO. L. FARLEY.

INTERESTING LOUISVILLE NEWS

Week's Doings of One of Cass County's Lively Villages.

LOUISVILLE, Neb., Dec. 16.—(Special to THE NEWS.)—A strike occurred last Saturday at Tom Parmele's new brick building which is in course of erection by one of the contractors sending to Omaha for a negro to mix mortar. All the other men refused to work with a colored man and things were at a standstill for several hours, when the colored man was sent back to Omaha and the men returned to work.

The Cedar Creek quarries have again resumed work after a week's rest.

The A. O. U. W. lodge gave a social last Tuesday evening at their hall and if reports are true they had a real good time.

Landlord Speaker became snow blind last Monday evening and fell on the ice in such a way as to render him unconscious for over an hour. He is getting along as well as can be expected.

The young folks are making good use of the snow by coasting both day and night, and as yet there has been no very serious accidents.

Rochford & Ruby are building a large warehouse in the rear of their hardware, furniture and grocery store. Rev. John Calvert, pastor of the M. E. church, who has been sick in bed for ten weeks, is again able to be out. He made his first venture out last Saturday.

F. H. Nichols & Co. have greatly improved the appearance of their store by having it newly painted this week.

B. R. Sawyer had the misfortune to slip and fall on the icy sidewalk last Saturday evening and split the thigh bone. Mr. Sawyer is a very old man and has a sick daughter who is down with typhoid fever and as they are poor they need all the help they can get in their hour of need.

Tom Parmele has succeeded in getting his tenement house moved across the railroad tracks after trying all the best teams in and around town.

Miss Corda Sumner is again able to be out on the street after an illness of several weeks.

No doubt there will be a better supply of ice this winter than ever before as the ice harvest has commenced earlier than usual. A large force of men are kept busy at Lyman's sand pit loading ice and shipping to Omaha. The ice is ten to twelve inches thick.

Richey & Dickson are building a large addition to their elevator near the Missouri Pacific depot.

Dr. Hassemoir was at Omaha Thursday buying a large assortment of holiday goods.

Our genial fellow citizen, Miles Drake, went to Omaha to see and be seen Thursday.

Who Can Guess It?

A. Clark, the grocer, has a jar of beans in his show window and the person guessing nearest the number of beans contained in the jar will receive as a prize a fine lamp. The contest will close January 1, 1899.

In sluggish liver, Herbine, by its beneficial action upon the biliary tracts, renders the bile more fluid, and brings the liver into a sound, healthy condition, thereby banishing the sense of drowsiness, lethargy, and the general feeling of apathy which arise from disorders of the liver. Price 50 cts. F. G. Fricke & Co.

There's no better flour made than Foisel's "Plansifter," manufactured in this city. Ask your grocer for it, and thereby get the best and support a home industry at the same time, which builds up the town.

For Hoarseness.

Benj. Ingerson, of Hutton, Ind., says he had not spoken above a whisper for months, and one bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar restored his voice. It is used very largely by speakers and singers.

Burlington Route Holiday Rates. Greatly reduced rates between stations not more than 2.0 miles apart are offered by the Burlington Route, December 24, 25, 26, and 31, 1898, and January 1 and 2, 1899. Return limit January 4, 1899.

Oysters! Oysters!

By the can, or served in any style at Schiappacasse's.

TO CURE A GOLD 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.

A GREAT...

Holiday Millinery Sale

To Continue to Jan. 1.

MRS. UTTERBACK has inaugurated a Special Millinery Sale, to continue during the Holidays, and having an excellent new stock from which to select, you can make no mistake by calling upon her. The sale will include all

Trimmed Hats

And Other Goods... Every lady buying goods to the amount of one dollar will be given a chance on a gold watch. Call and see it.

MRS. O. F. UTTERBACK,
Under Bank of Cass County, Plattsmouth, Neb

E. G. DOVEY & SON

Christmas Will Soon Be Here....

Visit Us to Buy your Sensible Gifts...

- Elegant Black Brocaded Crepon Dress Patterns.
- Beautiful Fur Collarettes, from \$2.75 up.
- Muffs from 75c up.
- Dresden handle and Gold-mounted Parasols.
- Belts and Belt Buckles.
- Men's Fancy Evening Slippers from 59c.
- Large assortment Ladies Felt Slippers very cheap.
- Beautiful Things in White Lace Pillow Shams, Stand Covers, etc.
- Embroidered Handkerchiefs at all Prices.
- Initial Handkerchiefs, 5c.
- Kid Gloves, Mittens in Silk and Kid—all prices.
- Bissel's Gold Memal Carpet Sweepers, \$3.00.
- Large size Moquette Rugs, 36 in. by 72 in., \$3.50.

Grocery Dep't..

We have everything to tickle your palate in this department. A Special line of Candies and Nuts for our Xmas trade.

Fancy China Plates, Cups and Saucers, Shaving Mugs, Water Sets, Tumblers—a special purchase, in sets, for gifts.

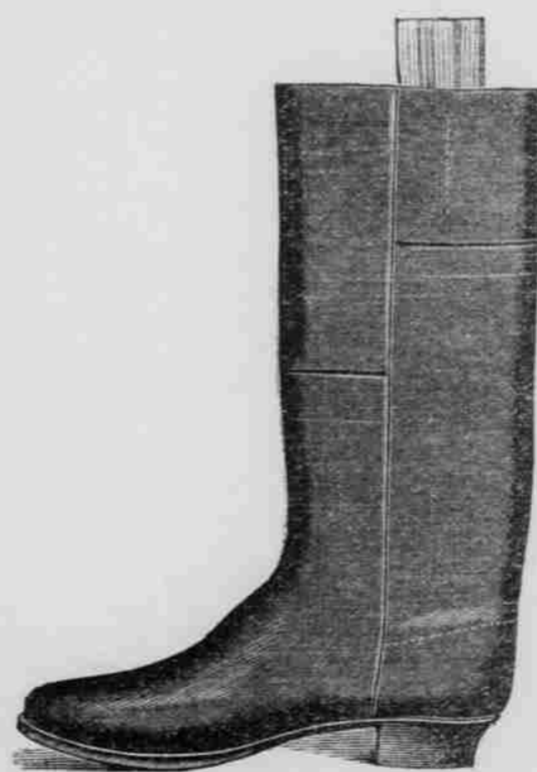
LAMPS—We have the largest assortment and cheapest line of these goods in town. Make your selections at once, as they are selling very rapidly.

E. G. DOVEY & SON,

Leaders in...

High Class Merchandise.

BOOTS Largest Assortment In the City...



CALF, at \$3.25, is custom made, full stock and is as good as we could make for \$5.00.

KIP, at \$2.50, is all solid and no shoddy. We also have them for \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00.

GRAIN LEATHER, at \$2.75, is as near waterproof as can be made.

FELT Boots and First Quality Overs, at \$2.25, can't be beat.

Full line KNITTED SOX and OVERS at Prices to Please.

Warm Shoes and Slippers.

Men's Flannel and Tuft-Lined, at \$2.00 and \$2.50.

Children's Felt Shoes, 65c. Ladies' Felt Shoes, 85c up. FELT SLIPPERS, 65c up.

Our Felt Goods department is overflowing with WARM ARTICLES and it will pay you to see 'em.

Don't Forget Us on Fancy Felt Slippers for Xmas.

They make Appropriate Presents. NO HUMBUGGERY

...Legging and Overgaiters....

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FOOT MILLINER

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ALL GRADES OF WOOD.

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