WILL REISSUE BONDS.

The Commissioners and County Clerk Go to Lincoln.

They Have Arranged for the Reissuance of the $65,000 Outstanding Court House Bonds—M. W. A. Installation—Pleasant Dinner Party at the Home of Mrs. J. W. Johnson.

County Commissioners J. P. Falter, Turner Zink and J. W. Cox and County Clerk James Robertson went to Lincoln this morning for the purpose of completing arrangements for the reissue of the $65,000 court house bonds.

It will be remembered that the commissioners and the clerk went to Lincoln several weeks ago and made a payment of $15,000, or fifteen shares, together with $4,000 interest, on the old $80,000 issue. This left bonds to the amount of $65,000 to be reissued, and arrangements were made with the board of public lands and buildings and the state treasurer to reissue the same at the rate of 4 per cent—1 per cent less than has been charged heretofore. To-day was set for signing the bonds and filing the same.

The new rate of interest will be a saving to Cass county, in one year, of $1,400.

M. W. A. Installation.

The Modern Woodmen of America were pleasantly surprised last evening by the Royal Neighbors. Shortly after they had settled down for the work of the evening, it was discovered that the ante-room was filled with members of the Royal Neighbors order and the latter were invited to assist in the installation services. The following officers were duly installed:

Venerable consul—S. P. Holloway.
Worthy advisor—John Corey.
Banker—G. M. Spurlock.
Clerk—Will Coolidge.
Escort—Dave Sampson.
Watchman—Frank Wooster.
Sentry—James Kinkead.
Physicians—E. W. Cook, E. D. Cummins and W. A. Humphrey.
Manager—William Budig.

After the installation some of the visitors suggested that the Woodmen wait until the necessary arrangements had been made for a repast. The good things brought forth were heartily enjoyed by all, and altogether the event will be long remembered as a happy one.

A Dinner Party

Mrs. J. W. Johnson invited a number of her friends to a dinner party at her home yesterday. The dining room was beautifully decorated with flowers and plants, and the repast spread before the guests was partaken of most heartily. The following ladies were present:

Mesdames Schildknecht, Eads, Harrison, H. J. Streight, Turner, Schultz, Dickson, McElwain, Dutton, Fred Lehnhoff, sr., Johnson and Grandma Dovey.

MURDOCK ITEMS.

Mrs. O. P. Stewart is on the sick list.

Miss Lena Dehning returned to Omaha Wednesday.

Mrs. C. L. Meyer spent the week in Lincoln with her parents.

Evans & Hare are remodeling their elevator and increasing its capacity.

Granville Barbee has opened a butcher shop next door to the drug store.

D. J. J. Conzett from Ackley, Ia., will occupy the office just vacated by Dr. Madding.

August Dehning is taking in the retail implement dealers' convention in Omaha this week.

Miss Bertha Goehry relieved O. P. Stewart by teaching the Manley school Monday of this week, while his wife was ill.

Dr. H. C. Madding and A. Zabel made a trip to Lincoln this week to secure houses for their families, who leave here this week.

E. F. Holmes of Holmes & Anderson made a goods buying trip to Omaha last Saturday, preparatory to their opening this week.

Messrs. L. Neitzel and A. Rikli will take a few days off, leaving here Saturday for Milford where they will visit old friends a few days.

The lumber for the new Methodist church building arrived this week and work was begun Thursday morning by Contractor Schmidt. The building will cost close to $2,000.

Henry Dehning bought the dwelling occupied by S. M. Shatte and will rent the same to his brother-in-law, who has just arrived from Germany. The latter is a mason and now all the trades are represented in Murdock.

F. Wolf is giving the store building occupied by Holmes & Anderson a general overhauling, putting on an addition, a new roof and painting it throughout. This will give us two general stores that will compare very favorably with any in Cass county.

RAILROAD NOTES AND PERSONALS

The dining car "Lincoln" has just been overhauled at the local shops, and was taken out on No. 7 this afternoon.

Roadmaster O'Donnell of the Burlington was in town today on company business.

The second entertainment Sunday evening, January 14, by Prof. E. Leischke and his classes in zither, piano, violin and vocal, assisted by L. Ottnat. New songs and the latest in music. A social hop after the program. Admission 25 cents. Children under fourteen years, when accompanied by adults, admitted free. Entertainment to be given at Turner hall.

1900-January Clearing Sale-1900

...All Winter Merchandise at Greatly Reduced Prices...

With plenty of cold weather before us, and prospects of having to pay from 25 to 33 1-2 per cent more for Blankets, Underwear, Mittens and in fact all winter Merchandise next season, due to increased cost of raw material and labor, it would be a good speculation to buy your needs in this line now, as we bought our fall and winter stock last spring and summer, when all classes of merchandise were at their lowest point, at prices that probably will not be duplicated again within the next five or six years. All woolen goods, Dress Goods, etc., are now from 15 to 25 per cent higher, and all cotton goods are from 20 to 33 1-3 per cent higher than six months ago, and not without reason, as raw cotton that six months ago was 4 3-4 cents a pound is now worth 8 3-4 cents, and a corresponding advance in raw wool, besides labor at the mills has increased from 10 to 20 per cent, but long as our present stock lasts we will continue to give our customers the benefit of our early purchases.

CLEARANCE SALE

of Jackets, Wraps, Skirts and Tailor-made Suits.

Many good things are here, but they must go—because an unwritten law of this store says, "No garment shall be carried over from one season to another." So here is the chance for the shrewd buyer to make an investment which will surely prove a paying one. Yonrs is the gain, ours shall be the loss, as long as we'll have clean tables when this January sale is over. We have placed our entire stock of Cloaks in three lots, as follows.

LOT 1. All Ladies' and Misses' Jackets that sold at $6, $6.50, $7 and $7.50—your choice for $3.75.

LOT 2. All Ladies' and Misses' Jackets that sold at $8, $8.50, $9 and $10—your choice, $6.75.

LOT 3. All Ladies' Jackets that sold at $11, $12, $15 and upward—your choice for $9.75.

First come, first served. At these prices **they must bring cash.** We have instructed our sales force to sell all our remaining stock of Ladies' Tailor-made Suits, Dress Skirts and Golf Skirts "at the first figure," which is cost.

CLEARING SALE

of Blankets, Comfortables, Mitts, Knit Goods and Underwear.

There are many who have not bought their needs in this department, but the prices that we quote throughout our stock will make it good economy to buy for future use. Everything goes—nothing reserved—at a strtight cut of

20 Per Cent Discount.

All $5.00 Blankets during January, $4.00
All 4.00 Blankets during January, 3.20
All 3.00 Blankets during January, 2.40
All 2.00 Comfortables in January, 1.60
All 1.75 Comfortables in January, 1.40
All 1.50 Comfortables in January, 1.20

Mitts, Hoods, Fascinators, Knit Skirts, Flannelette Skirts, Wool Skirts, Flannelette Underwear, etc., at corresponding reductions.

Make your "New Year's calls" early—and make this opportunity to own merchanise at a low price YOURS.

KID GLOVE SALE.

Our sale of Kid Gloves has been remarkably large this season, leaving us with a great many broken lots, which we are desirous of cleaning up before the arrival of our new spring stock month. We have placed them in three lots and priced them as follows, which is much under value:

Lot 1. About 150 pairs of guaranteed gloves that sold at $1.50, $1.75 and $2. Real kid, some silk lined, and the Grinnell sample line of $1.75 and $2; Mocha gloves, your choice 98c a pair.

Lot 2. About 100 pairs of $1, $1.25 and 1.35 gloves, all sizes and about three dozen size 5¾ of $1.75 and $2 gloves. Your choice 75 cents.

Lot 3. A lot of $1 gloves, slightly soiled and messed; a quantity of cream and white chamois gloves that sold 79c, your choice 49c—a chance to buy good gloves cheap that you should not miss.

Shoe Department.

Lot 1. Children's shoes from broken dozens, sizes 5 to 8, sold at 75c to $1. Your choice 50c.

Lot 2. Misses' shoes, sizes 8 to 2, sold at $1.75. Your choice 75c.

Lot 3 Ladies' Kid shoes, style a little off, but excellent stock; shoes that sold at $1.25; your choice 75c

Lot 4. Ladies' Shoes from broken dozens; shoes that sold at from $1 75 to $2 50. To close out and reduce stock we offer entire lot at $1.39 for your choice.

January Clearing Sale Wool Dress Goods.

There are several reasons why we inaugurate this sale, but we mention the two main reasons.

First—To reduce stock before our annual February inventory, and prepare for spring.

Second—We are anxious to make 1900 better than the one just closed. "So goes Monday, so goes all the week," says the old adage, and we propose to make January a busy month. To accomplish this we will offer a

15 per cent discount on all cash purchases of Dress Goods during January

Remember this is no "bunco" department store scheme, witn goods marked up for the occasion, but a straight 15 per cent off on all cash purchases from our regular selling prices, which are "always the lowest," and with the price of Dress Goods steadily climbing upwards in the wholesale markets, will be equivalent to 25 per cent discount from the retail price six months from now.

WM. HEROLD & SON, 505-7 MAIN ST.

AN UNFORTUNATE FALL

Fred Ramge, a "News" Carrier, Thrown From His Horse.

Two Bones in His Right Wrist Broken—Woodmen of the World Lodge Holds Its Annual Installation of Officers—Frauenverein of the German Evangelical Church Hold a Meeting.

Fred Ramge, one of the errrier boys for THE NEWS, met with a painful accident about 5 o'clock last evening. He was riding his horse along Lincoln avenue, on his way to the office for his papers, when the animal became frightened at a switch engine in the shop yards and shyly stepped to one side of the road. In so doing one of its feet caught in an opening in the road, and both horse and driver were thrown to the ground. The boy fell under the horse, and his position for a short time was perilous.

He was taken to the office of Dr. Schildknecht, and it was found that the two bones in his right wrist were broken. It was a very painful fracture, and one that will deprive him of the use of that member for some time.

The wrist was properly dressed by the physician, and, besides experiencing considerable pain, he was reported as getting along fairly well today.

Woodmen of the World Installation.

The Woodmen of the World lodge held one of its liveliest meetings last evening, the special business of the order being the installation of officers. Attorney J. L. Root conducted the installation services in an able manner. Following is a list of the new officers:

Council Commander—H. M. Soenichsen.
Lieutenant Advisor—S. P. Holloway.
Banker—J. I. Unruh.
Clerk—C. E. Witherow.
Escort—Gus Rhode.
Sentry—J. R. Kelly.
Watchman—H. T. Batton.
Manager—Tom Walling.

At a previous meeting a committee had been selected to make arrangements for entertaining the members on this occasion, and they had secured Fred Stadlemann to prepare an old-fashioned oyster supper. To say that the feast was enjoyed will be heartily attested to by every member who was present. It will be safe to state that the meeting last evening was the best, from a social standpoint, that has been held for a number of years.

Ladies Entertain.

Mrs. H. N. Dovey, assisted by Mrs. W. K. Fox, entertained about fifty ladies yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Dearing of Lincoln, who is visiting in the city for a few days. The guests were invited from 4 to 8 o'clock and the afternoon was spent in playing high-five and dominoes. An elegant 6 o'clock tea was served and as the guests dispersed many expressions of pleasure were heard for the delightful entertainment furnished by Mrs. Dovey.

To Cure La Grippe in Two Days

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

IS A WELL KNOWN CROOK.

Charles Sharpe Is Jailed For Burglary By the Lincoln Authorities.

The following clipping from the Lincoln Post will be of interest to Cass county people generally, inasmuch as Charles Sharpe, one of the principals in the case, has committed a number of crimes in these parts:

"Judge Waters' court room looked like a second-hand clothing store this morning, the cause being that the goods alleged to have been taken from a Rock Island freight car by Harry Vincent and Charles Sharpe, were stacked up in a room, while the preliminary examination of the men was being held. The goods are valued at nearly $1,000, so it can be seen that there was quite a lot of them.

"The men are charged with larceny, as the burglary of the car is said to have taken place in another county, while the goods were brought to Lincoln. Witnesses were called in the persons of the conductor of the freight and likewise the engineer, as well as people who were able to identify the goods. The men have been tried twice for burglary, but on one occasion the jury disagreed and the other time a juror got sick and the trial had to go over."

Sheriff Wheeler received a telephone message from Louisville one day last summer asking him to come to that place to serve a warrant on Sharpe, who, with two others, was charged with obtaining money under false pretenses. He was brought to this city, but was released shortly afterwards—his father, who lives near Louisville, going upon his bond. Sharpe also stole a large supply of clothing and other articles at Avoca, and was captured with these things in his possession while on the road to Lincoln.

The probabilities are that his latest crime will land him behind the bars for a while, at least.

NEHAWKA ITEMS.

William Chapman has been on the sick list for a few days.

D. C. West is somewhat of a professional photographer now.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carper of Unadilla are visiting Mrs. O. Carper.

Dr. Wallace of Union was up to see Mrs. E. M. Pollard one day this week.

Robert Case was in town Wednesday evening to attend a meeting of the Masons.

Jacob Gruber, jr., who has recently undergone operation for cancer, died last Saturday and was buried Sunday. The funeral services were preached by Rev. J. J. Lohr.

At the regular meeting of the Odd Fellows last Saturday night the following officers were installed: Henry M. Pollard, N. G., Gus H. Road, V. G., W. E. Cundy, secretary, A. F. Sturm, financial secretary, A. L. Carper, treasurer.

Notice.

Any one who has been placed in quarantine in the city of Plattsmouth on account of diphtheria or any other contagious disease, is urgently requested to obey the rules of the board of health.

W. W. SLATER,
City Marshal.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Joseph Fetzer is reported on the sick list.

Louis Reinhackle was a sight-seer in Omaha today.

Dave West, the Nehawka banker, was in town today.

Sam Shumaker visited in Omaha and Council Bluffs today.

S. L. Cable and D. J. Pitman of Murray visited in town today.

Dan Hay of Wabash was a caller at the court house this afternoon.

Rev. J. E. Baumgartner of Murdock was a Plattsmouth visitor today.

Lute Baedeker and Dr. Hollister were in town today from Louisville.

Ex-Judge George Spurlock was a passenger for Omaha this morning.

Mayor F. M. Richey returned this morning from a short visit at Louisville.

Conrad Wehrman, a farmer from near Murdock, was a county seat visitor today.

County Superintendent W. C. Smith made a business trip to Omaha this afternoon.

Mrs. W. B. Fisher and son, Homer, of Auburn are in the city for a visit with Mrs. R. O. Fellows.

Messrs. Frank Green and B. L. Kirkham made a business trip to Omaha on the early train.

Councilman John Hinshaw left last evening for Kansas City. He expects to visit in that place for a week.

Claude J. Robertson of Oklahoma City, Okla., is in the city for a few day's visit at the home of S. A. Davis.

Mrs. Rose Hyers-Williams of Kansas City is visiting at the home of her father, R. W. Hyers, and other relatives.

Miss Helen Tuttle, daughter of Judge Samuel Tuttle of Lincoln, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Shepherd.

John Wright, a former Plattsmouth boy, who is now employed by the Oregon Short Line at Salt Lake City, Utah, is in the city for a short visit.

Miss Dora Becker, accompanied by Mr. B. E. Peacock, left this morning for Kansas City, where they will visit for several weeks with relatives and friends.

C. C. Parmele returned last evening from a trip to Arapahoe, Neb., where he went to attend a meeting of stockholders of a bank in which he is interested.

Frauenverein Meeting.

The Frauenverein of Evangelical St. Paul's church held their first meeting in the new year yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry Marten. A dainty luncheon was served, consisting of coffee, cake, etc., and all report an enjoyable social time. Among those present were the following:

Mesdames Fricke, Thierolf, Heinrich, E. Lutz, J. Lutz, Rhode, Horn, Klinger, Hoffmann, H. Marten, J. Marten, Grebe, Lehnhoff, sr., Misses Henrietta Meister, Gusta Rader and Rev. F. H. Freund.

If you never saw a battleship you can see one at White's hall tomorrow night.

BRIEFLY TOLD.

The county commissioners went down near Union this morning to look after some road matters.

A water pipe at the Hotel Riley broke last night and did some damage to the plaster on the ceiling in the postoffice.

The Plattsmouth Telephone company has a force of eighteen men and two teams at work today putting in a copper metallic circuit between this city and Union.

Jailor J. D. McBride reports that the county jail has been empty, with the exception of one day, since December 27. This is considered a good showing for Plattsmouth.

Mrs. Steimker entertained at tea yesterday afternoon twelve lady friends. High five and the discussion of elegant refreshments rendered the afternoon a pleasant one.

John Lindeman, who was called to St. John, Kan., several weeks ago by a telegram announcing the critical condition of his father, returned home yesterday. He reports his parent very little improved.

Messrs J. P. Falter, Turner Zink and W. J. Cox, county commissioners, and Clerk J. M. Robertson returned from Lincoln last evening, having completed arrangements for the reissue of outstanding court house bonds.

MURRAY HAPPENINGS.

D. A. Young brought some hogs to market Thursday.

Landlord Curtis was a Nebraska City visitor last Monday.

William Royal and wife of Rock Bluff visited Joe Edington and family Tuesday.

There has been a new crossing put across Main street near the Presbyterian church.

Mr. Schlictemeier brought in two head of nice cattle to ship from this point Tuesday.

The members of the Imperial Mystic Legion gave an oyster supper at Woodman hall Tuesday evening.

The following are Thursday's Murray markets: Corn, 22½c; wheat, 43c; hogs, $4.05; oats, 19c; butter, 17c; eggs, 16c.

Ex-County Commissioner George Young passed through Murray Tuesday enroute from Plattsmouth. He said this was the first time he ever saw the mud so bad in Nebraska that it would lock the wheels of a wagon.

An Old-Fashioned Quilting Party.

Mrs. Wintersteen entertained about twenty ladies very delightfully at a dinner and quilting party yesterday, at her home on Wintersteen hill. An old fashioned quilt was stretched upon frames and the ladies were required to demonstrate their ability in that line before partaking of a sumptuous 1 o'clock dinner, served from two prettily decorated tables.

That the quilting of our grandmothers is not a lost art, as has been averred, was proven by the equisite work done by Miss Baker and Miss Black, who tied for the prize—the result being the carrying away of a beautiful, fancy box of bon-bons by Miss Black. The work was all so well done that the judges had some difficulty in deciding who were the prize winners.

"Lest We Forget"

Says Oom Paul, as he twists the British Lion's tail.

Lest you forget we wish to remind you that our line of Men's All Wool Suits at **$7.50** is a bargain. You'll pay an even $10 for them next yerr, but yours now while they last at

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