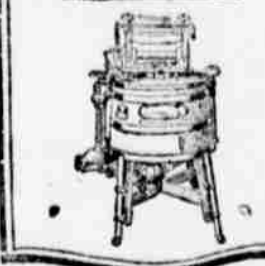




Some of the conveniences electricity brings



**While the wiring campaign is on—Electrify your home and make living more enjoyable.**

How many times have you resolved to have electricity in your home—"some day?" Now you can afford it.

Not only have special rates for wiring been arranged for this campaign but the three-fold economy of EDISON MAZDA Lamps—which give three times as much light as old-style carbon lamps—will help you pay the cost.

And the whole family will enjoy the benefit of electric service that makes possible innumerable comforts and conveniences such as the electric toaster, flatiron, table grill and vacuum cleaner.

Let us explain the saving you can make by having your house wired now.

**E. W. STEVENS**  
Plumbing Heating Everything Electrical

E. J. Overing is in Iowa this week. Eat and drink at Powell & Pope's Cafe.

Fresh Hastings bread daily at Platt's Grocery.

Mrs. Andrew Saladen returned from Riverton Saturday.

Wm. Auld was a business visitor at Guide Rock yesterday.

Emil Volk was in from Campbell Monday—visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Eldredge were Blue Hill visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kalley were Hastings visitors yesterday.

Good meals—good service—moderate prices—Powell & Pope's cafe.

Chain link lock lost off of auto. Finder notify Atty. E. G. Caldwell.

Ferry Boardlee of Lebanon, was a pleasant caller at the Chief office today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thomas went to Lincoln Monday for a visit with relatives.

Rev. J. M. Bates is visiting relatives at Lincoln. He expects to be absent some time.

Paul Polinsky has arrived at Camp Funston and is expected home last of the week. Will Story is also there.

R. C. R. I. Red cockerels for sale. \$1.50 and \$2.00 each.—ALICE KADFF, BROATH, Phone 501, Guide Rock, Nebraska.

Chris Starke has in his herd of Holstein cattle the state champion milk and butter producer in the two-year class with a record of 422.9 lbs milk and 23.12 lbs butter in seven days.

O. C. Teel, secretary of the Farmers Independent Telephone Co., went to Lincoln to attend the hearing before the Railway Commission regarding advance in rates asked by his company.

Joshua Martin, former well known farmer residing northeast of Inavale, died at Marysville, Kansas, Dec 11th. A son, three daughters, nineteen grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren mourn their loss.

Every lady interested in buying feathers, feather proof ticking, or having feather beds built into a Carlson Famous Feather Mattress, should write Carlson Mattress Works, Grand Island, Neb. 50 2t

Among the soldier boys returned home with honorable discharge are Ernest and Paul Newhouse, Herbert Blackledge, Ralph Harrington, Wm. Hunt, Chas. Christy, Cliff Pope, Robert Pope, Merlin Bauer, Floyd Prevost and others.



Don't let him go without a

**Syblem**  
National Prayer Ring

Syblem will be an ever-present message of your prayers wherever he goes. *Syblem* is the Bible word that means

God watch between thee and me while we are absent one from the other.

This is the prayer in your heart—let him wear that prayer on his finger. *Syblem* Silver \$2.50—14k gold \$7.50. 14 K. Gold \$10.00

See Syblem today at

**J. C. MITCHELL**  
THE JEWELLER

Ed Fearn is home from near Guide Rock.

County Attorney F. J. Manday has returned from a business trip to Wameeta.

The Chief does not publish names of subscribers because, firstly, it is a matter of interest only to the parties directly involved; secondly, because many do not desire to advertise the fact that they have paid a little bill.

After careful consideration the Chief decides that ending of the war and release from government restrictions justify it in retaining the regular price \$1.00 per year, providing the payment is kept up to date. \$2.00 if it runs behind.

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# Dependable GROCERIES

You always get the very best at our store because **QUALITY** goods are the only kind we sell. The brands we carry in stock are recognized by the housewife as the **VERY BEST** of their kind.

Everything Fresh and Pure

- Chase & Sanborns Coffees
- Items Crackers and Cookies
- Batavia Jams and Spices
- Sunflower Canned Goods

## M. A. ALBRIGHT

### SUNDAY WITH THE Christian Church

DECEMBER 22, 1918

10 A. M. Sunday School 11 A. M. Preaching  
6:30 P. M. C. E. Service

7:30 P. M. Preaching—Subject: "The Nebular Hypothesis, Fact or Fiction Which?"

Sunday evenings will be devoted to themes calculated to stimulate faith in God and the Bible. The influence of the Bible should be restored. Many people are teaching exploded notions that have long ago been answered. If you desire the truth hear this scientific message.

## ORPHEUM



Will Re-Open Friday and Saturday Dec. 20-21

WALLACE REED IN **The House of Silence** From the Novel "Marcelle Levisnet"

**FATTY ARBUCKLE** IN **Good Night Nurse**

Admission 11 and 17c  
First Show at 8:00

NEXT WEEK **Monday and Tuesday Dec. 23-24**

Two Episodes of **Hands Up, No. 7 and No. 8 Official War Review Cartoon and Travel**

**Wednesday-Thursday Nov. 25-26**

**BIG 7-REEL FOX PROGRAM For Christmas**

William Farnum in **Rough and Tumble**

A Big Out Door Drama in a Two Reel **Sunshine Come 'y**

**A Penny Matinee for the Kids CHRISTMAS AFTERNOON AT 3:00 O'CLOCK**

One Cent will admit the Children. 11 Cents the older folks if they wish to come

**First Show Christmas Night at 7:30**

The genial smile of S. R. Florence does not appear at the Webster Co. Bank these days. Rumor hath that he is a victim of the prevailing malady.

### AS TOLD TO US

Miss Mary Christian was a Hastings visitor Friday.

Fresh Hastings bread daily at Platt's Grocery.

Mrs. W. A. Maynard is home from Goodland, Kan.

A. H. Hoffman was a business visitor at Blue Hill Saturday.

Mrs. Loren Matthews was in the city from Riverton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Pope have returned to their home at Denver.

Mrs. N. M. McCartney, Lebanon, Kan. was a Red Cloud visitor Monday.

W. R. Brooks, of Campbell, was a business visitor in Red Cloud Saturday.

J. E. McQuiston of Republican City, was a week-end visitor at the L. E. Cramer home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Sherman went to Grand Island Friday for a visit with their son's family.

Lieut. Chas. E. Kellogg, in training at Camp Johnson, Fla., spent Sunday with relatives in Red Cloud.

Will Eldridge, who was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Eldredge, left for Philadelphia Monday.

G. C. Loy, looking after the comfort of his patrons has purchased a new rubber-tired hack for his bus line.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Chaney and Miss Fern Leggett, from Franklin, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Chaney.

Mrs. Pegg returned from Riverton Monday, where she had been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Hattie Martin and family.

The Railway Committee here hearing of the Farmers Independent Telephone petition for a raise of rates has been postponed without date.

Bernard Burden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Burden, has been transferred from Nitro, W. Va., to the Western Electric School at Pittsburg, Pa.

Marion Slawson came in from Camp Funston Saturday evening on short leave of absence, for a visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Slawson.

Business men report good holiday trade so far. The usual assembly of late buyers promises to make rushing business during the remaining few days.

Clifford Pope arrived Sunday morning from government training camp at Hampton Roads, Va., for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Pope.

Blanche Reynolds of Elm Creek, won the gold medal awarded by the Extension Service for first place in the Junior chicken raising project for Webster county.

**The FOLKS AT HOME EXPECT YOU TO TELL 'EM ALL ABOUT "OMAHA'S FUN CENTRE," THE Gayety VISIT IT**

**Exhilarating Burlesque; Vaudeville**

Stage Always Filled with Pretty Girls, Funny Clowns, Gorgeous Ensembles, Brilliant Scenic Environment

**LADIES' FINE MATINEE EVERY WEEKDAY**

**Everybody Goes! Ask Anybody**

**ALWAYS THE BIGGEST AND BEST SHOW WEST OF CHICAGO**

### You Are Losing Money

If you don't sell your cream to the Farmers Union Co-operative Company and receive the dividends. 40t

## FIRST AID TO PUZZLED GIFT BUYERS SHOP HERE

### DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EARLY



It will be easy on your pocketbook if instead of waiting until the last day or two before Christmas you buy now, and then the next, and so on up until Christmas. This will spread your purchases over a greater period of time making it easier for yourself as well as on store employees. It will also enable you to select items before stock is all picked over. Have a large line of useful and serviceable goods and would be glad to have you look.

If it is a sweater have a nice assortment of slip on or the more servisable sweaters for children and ladies.

#### Bed Spreads

All Linen at \$1.25, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.50

#### Hdkfs.

Hdkfs. are always appreciated have all styles and prices. Childrens at 4c each. Ladies from 5c to 25c, Crepe de Chine 25c and 50c.

#### Table Linen

At this time when practical gifts are the order.

#### Silk Waists

For a moderate price we could not suggest anything more appropriate than a pretty silk waist. Have a nice assortment in sizes from 34 to 46 and prices from \$3.00 to \$4.75.

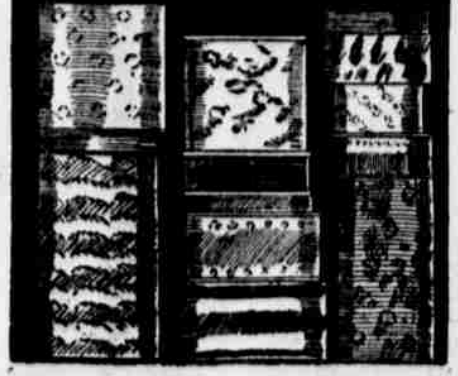
#### Hose

For a practical gift nothing is nicer than a good wool hose at 50c—75c—\$1.00. Silk hose in all the wanted shades at \$1.25 to \$1.50.

#### Outing Gowns

Give an outing gown to some one who appreciates the practical and useful article.

## RIBBONS



#### Ribbons

Fancy Ribbon in an endless variety for handbags, satchets, camisoles, coat hangers and auto caps. Come in and look these over before buying.

#### Furs

This store was never more complete as a Santa Claus headquarters for women's and children's furs for this season. We are splendidly ready in this line to solve the problem of what to give.

If I haven't listed all, it is because haven't time---Come in and look, you are always welcome.

## Barbara Phares