

FINE GROCERIES, FINE CHINA, CROCKERY, LAMPS, GLASSWARE

HAVE made more extensive preparations than ever before to supply our customers in the best of Groceries, Confectionary, Nuts, Raisins, Cider, pure apple juice, Currants, Citron, Apples, Dates, Figs, Pure Buckwheat, the celebrated Ralston pan cake flour, Maple Syrup. We have received our new 1906 Canned Goods. Richelien Canned Goods still stand at the head for quality and flavor. We are headquarters for FINE COFFEE, the Richelien brand, at 15, 20, 25 and 30cts. Nothing better than our 30c Java and Mocha Richelien coffee. In TEAS, as everything else in this store, quality is the first consideration at prices that are always right. A large assortment of Crockery, Fine Decorated China, Lamps, Glassware.



In Pictures and Picture

[From the Londer.]

Miss Christy, one of the teachers at the Indian school, resigned and departed for her home at Beatrice the last of the week. Her friends at the school express themselves as expecting to receive some nice engraved cards in the near future.

Frank Johnson had an exciting exciting experience one day last week while out driving with his wife and baby He was driving a livery team which suddenly became freightened at something and began to run. When Frank attempted to hold them one of the lines broke and for a half mile the occupants of the buggy took a wild ride. Frank finally pulled them into a wire fence which checked their speed sufficient for him to jump out and catch one' by the head. Frank says at times the buggy was running on one wheel and that it was miraculous that they were not thrown out and seriously hurt. We can think of nothing more horrible than for a man to be placed in a position where his family is in danger of serious injury and possible death and he powerless to assist them.

From the Statesmen)

W. J. Belknap left on Monday for University Place, where he will remain with his daughter, Mrs. Cain, this win-

CRESTON.

Mrs. Chas. Campbell and little girl, left on Monday for Milwaukee, Wis., for a visit with her father, Albert Schroeder.

Wm. Wenk, Wm. Claussen and Gus Schmitt, returned from South Dakota last Saturday. We understand Mr. Claussen invested in a half section of land.

Wagner Bros. voluntarily closed their nerchandise store on Monday for the benefit of their creditors, notifying each creditor of the act of the firm.

H. Sohi purchased of John Craig, the Ely farm house and had it moved to town, onto the lot south of the old Wheeler blacksmith shop, and is having it fixed up for a dwelling and will move into it in a few days.

HUMPHREY From the Democrat.

RICHLY BRED Scotch and Scotch Topped Short Horn SALE

At Tom Branigan's Sale Barn in Columbus, Nebraska, Friday, Dec. 28th, 1906

35 head, 15 Cows and Heifers and 20 big growthy Bulls, ranging in age from 10 to 20 months old, 3 are Sootch and the rest are from three to seven Scotch Tops.

Red, big boned, blocky kind, and every one a good one, coming from the best herds in Iowa and Nebraska, carrying as good pedigrees as can be found in the Herd Book. As to their individuality, come and see them and be your own judge. Twenty Bulls that are second to no twenty bulls ever tied in one barn and offered in one sale in Nebraska. The 16 Cows and Heifers are a useful lot and the duel purposed kind. Every female of breeding age raised a calf this year. Six cows will be sold with calves by their side and the rest safe in calf to the best Scotch bulls. This offering as a whole is said to be one of the best to occur anywhere in the state this season, and I extend an urgent invitation to all stock farmers and to all concerned, that no better or more useful lot of Cows and Bulls will go under the hammer this Address, W. M. McLEMORE, Kearney, Neb. season. Catalogues are ready soon.

TERMS-Cash or credit of one year at Eight per cent.

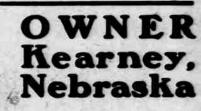
Remember the date, Friday, December 28, 1906. Under Cover--No postponment.

Col. T. C. CALLAHAN, Auctioneer and Assistant, O. T. ROEN. of 1st Nat'l bank

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Frames---double of all the stocks in Columbus---pictures 5c up to \$15.00. Beautiful Xmas presents. 200 patterns in Rockers. 50 patterns in Iron Beds. Brass beds 25, 40, \$50. A store full of good stuff for boys, girls, men and women.

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Mrs. Peter Korth and children went to Columbus the first of the week to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Franz Lachnit.

Frank Widhalm went down to Columbus last Saturday and accompanied his daughter home who has been in St Mary's hospital for several weeks receiving treatment for typhoid fever. The young lady is much improved and seems to be getting along in fine shape. The bazaar conducted by the ladies

of St. Francis church in the hall of the new school building' on Thanksgiving day resulted in a wonderful success from a financial standpoint. Something like \$800 was cleared from the bazaar and the dinner and supper served.

PLATTE CENTER

From The Signal.

A card from Ed. Van Allen informs us that the family has moved from Los Angeles to Pomona, California, where BOTH PHONES they have acquired a five acre orange ranch.

Emil Schoen assumed charge of the Hoard Grain Company's elevator Monday. He tells us that his family will continue to live on the farm, two miles east of town, and that his boys with the assistance of a hired man will work it next season. Mr. Fred Hoare has accepted a position with the Hoard Grain Co., as

their agent at Rogers, Neb. Mr. and Mrs. Hoare have sold their home to Al. Parker, our Union Pacific agent. We regret to see Mr. and Mrs. Hoare leave here, and sincerely wish them well in their new location.

This is a peculiar time of the year for scarcety of hay to appear. There was an unusually large crop secured hereabouts, but the owners of meadows say they have sold all they can spare. Six dollars a ton in the stack is what it is selling for-an unusually high figure for December, and the weather fine as ever known.

LINDSAT.

From the Opinion Matt Schaefer of Oklahoma, a former resident of this vicinity, is renewing

old ocquaintances here this week. Frank Freechauf departed Saturday morning for Neola, Iowa, where he expects to reside permanently and engage in some line of business. Mrs. A. M. Church and children de parted Monday morning for Lynch, where they will visit for a few weeks with Mr. Church's parents. As soon in no other way. as Mr. Church can find a suitable residence at Bonesteel they will go there to make their future home.

Nels Holpuist has purchased the blacksmith business of N. M. Nelson, the deal being closed last Saturday.

REFEREES' SALE

Clerk.

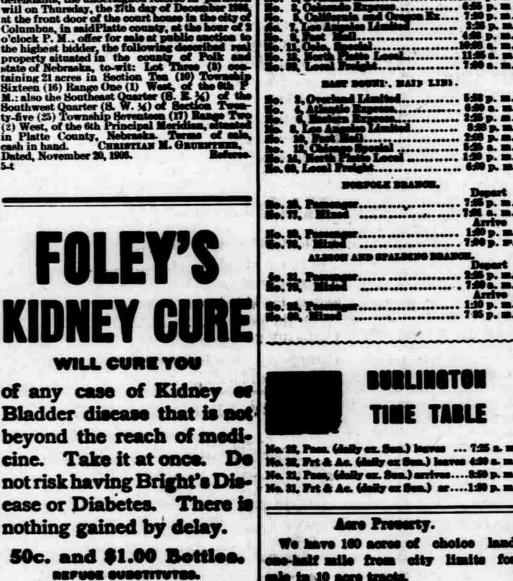
REFEREES' SALE Notice is hereby given that, 'persuant to an order of the District Court of Platte County, Nebraska, duly made and entered of record on the 18th day of November, 1806, in a cartain suft therein 'pending wherein George Stompek is plaintiff and Josephine Stempek and John Stempek, her husband, Helsen Stempek and John Stempek, her husband, Helsen Stempek and John Stempek and Marsaline Stempek a mihor, are defendants, the undersigned referes in pertition will on Thursday, the 27th day of December 1995, at the front door of the court homes in the city of Columbus, in saidPlatte county, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M., offer for sale at public sactions to the highest bidder, the following described real property situated in the county of Polk and state of Nebraska, to-wit: Lot Three (3) con-taining 21 acres in Section Tee (10) Township Sixteen (16) Range One (1) West, of the 6th F M.: also the Southeast Quarter (8, E, 24) of the Southwest Quarter (8, W. 34) of Section Twe-ty-five (25) Township Seventaes (17) Range Two (2) West, of the 6th Principal Meridian, situated in Platte County, Nebraska. Turms of sale, cash in hand. Charter 18, Gausserram, Dated, November 20, 1906. Bottown

Sold by Chas. H. Dack.

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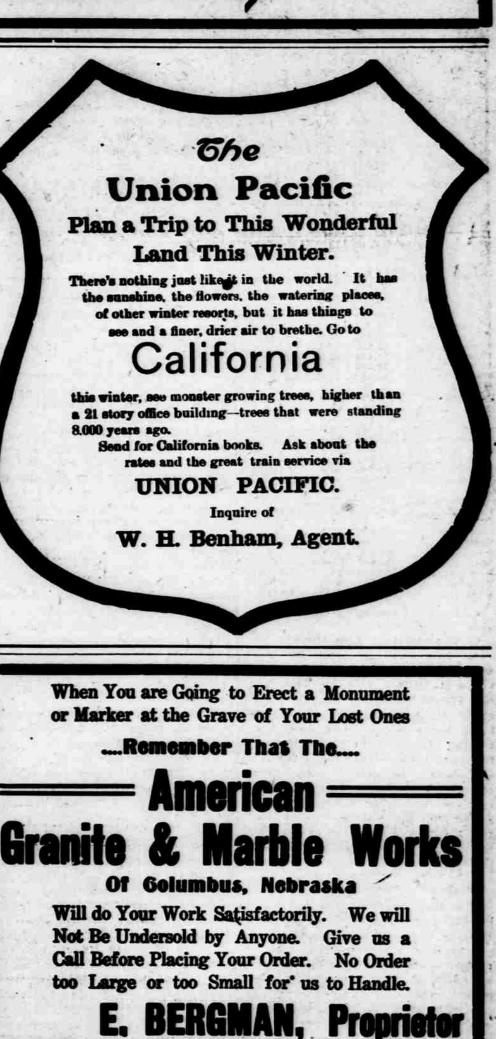
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