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**We** 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 30c. 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.

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In Pictures and Picture 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.

UNDERTAKING BOTH PHONES

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## HOW MUCH

Easier can the house-keeper do the work if she has a good kitchen cabinet. We have the best on the market. Let us show you.

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## The Columbia Phonographs

Cylinder Records can be used on Edison or Columbia

Phonographs, price 25.

Phonographs that play the long dance records

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### NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS NOTES.

#### Genoa.

(From the Leader.)

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 frightened 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.

#### CRESTON.

(From the Statesman)

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

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

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

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

H. Sohl 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.

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

Frank Widhelm 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 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 scarcity 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.

#### LINDSAY.

From the Opinion.

Matt Schofer of Oklahoma, a former resident of this vicinity, is renewing old acquaintances here this week.

Frank Froehauf 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 departed Monday morning for Lynch, where they will visit for a few weeks with Mr. Church's parents. As soon as Mr. Church can find a suitable residence at Bonesteel they will go there to make their future home.

Nels Holquist has purchased the blacksmith business of N. M. Nelson, the deal being closed last Saturday. Nels is an industrious young man and thoroughly understands the blacksmithing business and will no doubt do his share of the business. Mr. Nelson was obliged to dispose of the shop as his growing implement business takes up all his time.

Bea's Laxative Honey and Tar the original laxative cough syrup acts as a cathartic on the bowels. It is made from the tar gathered from the pine trees of our own country, therefore is the best for children. It is good for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, etc. Try our free offer. Sold by 20th Century Drug Store, Platte Center, Neb.

# 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 Scotch and the rest are from three to seven Scotch Tops.

**ALL** 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 dual 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 season. Catalogues are ready soon. Address, W. M. McLEMORE, Kearney, Neb.

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

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

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

**W. M. McLEMORE,** OWNER  
Kearney, Nebraska

### REFUGEES' SALE

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to an order of the District Court of Platte County, Nebraska, duly made and entered of record on the 12th day of November, 1904, in a certain suit to wit: *Seizing wherein George Stump, plaintiff and Josephine Stump and John Stump, her husband, Helen Stump, children Stump and Marcelline Stump, a minor, defendants, the undersigned referee in partition will on Thursday, the 27th day of December, 1906, at the front door of the court house in the city of Columbus, in said Platte county, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M., offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, the following described real property situated in the county of Platte and state of Nebraska, to-wit: Lot Three (3) containing 21 acres in Section Ten (10) Township Sixteen (16) Range One (1) West, of the 6th N. also the Southeast Quarter (S. E. 1/4) of the Southwest Quarter (S. W. 1/4) of Section Twenty-five (25) Township Sixteen (16) Range Two (2) West, of the 6th Principal Meridian, situated in Platte County, Nebraska. Terms of sale, cash in hand. CHRISTIAN M. GIBBS, Referee. Dated, November 24, 1906.*

### UNION PACIFIC TIME TABLE

| WEST BOUND, MAIN LINE.               |             |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|
| No. 1, Overland Limited.....         | 12:25 p. m. |
| No. 2, Colorado Express.....         | 6:55 a. m.  |
| No. 3, California and Oregon Ex..... | 7:30 p. m.  |
| No. 4, Los Angeles Limited.....      | 3:30 p. m.  |
| No. 5, West Bound Limited.....       | 6:55 a. m.  |
| No. 6, North Pacific Limited.....    | 11:50 a. m. |
| No. 7, Local Freight Limited.....    | 7:30 p. m.  |

| SOUTH BOUND, MAIN LINE.              |             |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|
| No. 1, Overland Limited.....         | 6:55 a. m.  |
| No. 2, Colorado Express.....         | 12:25 p. m. |
| No. 3, California and Oregon Ex..... | 7:30 p. m.  |
| No. 4, Los Angeles Limited.....      | 3:30 p. m.  |
| No. 5, West Bound Limited.....       | 6:55 a. m.  |
| No. 6, North Pacific Limited.....    | 11:50 a. m. |
| No. 7, Local Freight Limited.....    | 7:30 p. m.  |

| SOUTHWEST BRANCH.   |                   |
|---------------------|-------------------|
| No. 11, Platte..... | Depart 7:30 p. m. |
| No. 12, Platte..... | Arrive 7:30 a. m. |
| No. 13, Platte..... | Depart 1:30 p. m. |
| No. 14, Platte..... | Arrive 1:30 p. m. |

| ALBION AND SPALDING BRANCH. |                   |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| No. 15, Platte.....         | Depart 7:30 p. m. |
| No. 16, Platte.....         | Arrive 7:30 a. m. |
| No. 17, Platte.....         | Depart 1:30 p. m. |
| No. 18, Platte.....         | Arrive 1:30 p. m. |

| BURLINGTON TIME TABLE                              |            |
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| No. 11, Platte (daily ex. Sun.) leaves.....        | 7:25 a. m. |
| No. 12, Platte & Ac. (daily ex. Sun.) leaves.....  | 4:30 a. m. |
| No. 13, Platte (daily ex. Sun.) arrives.....       | 2:30 p. m. |
| No. 14, Platte & Ac. (daily ex. Sun.) arrives..... | 1:30 p. m. |

**Are Prosperity.**  
We have 100 acres of choice land one-half mile from city limits for sale in 10 acre tracts.  
Elliot, Spate & Co.

**Sluggish Liver a Foe to Ambition.**  
You can not accomplish very much if your liver is inactive as you feel dull, your eyes are heavy and slight exertion exhausts you. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup stimulates the liver and bowels and makes you feel bright and active. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and very pleasant to take. Orino is more effective than pills or ordinary cathartics. Refuse substitutes.

**Backache**  
Any person having backache, kidney pains or bladder trouble who will take two or three Ping-ules upon retiring at night shall be relieved before morning.

**Urinary and Bladder Troubles**  
The medicinal virtues of the cranberry and other plants have been combined by the medical profession for centuries. In Ping-ules we offer all of the virtues of the Native Pine that are of value in relieving all  
Urinary and Bladder Troubles  
Prepared by  
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20th Century Drug Store, Platte Center

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**WILL CURE YOU**  
of any case of Kidney or Bladder disease that is not beyond the reach of medicine. Take it at once. Do not risk having Bright's Disease or Diabetes. There is nothing gained by delay.  
50c. and \$1.00 Bottles.  
REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.  
Sold by Chas. H. Daek.

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The best painters still use pure white lead and pure linseed oil, and they secure results, both in appearance and in wearing qualities, which can be had in no other way.  
If your paint has peeled off the house, it was not

Collier, Red Seal or Southern Pure White Lead

(Made by the Old Dutch Process)  
and Pure Linseed Oil. Paint made of these ingredients wears smoothly and does not peel

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Plan a Trip to This Wonderful Land This Winter.

There's nothing just like it in the world. It has the sunshine, the flowers, the watering places, of other winter resorts, but it has things to see and a finer, drier air to breathe. Go to

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this winter, see monster growing trees, higher than a 21 story office building—trees that were standing 8,000 years ago.  
Send for California books. Ask about the rates and the great train service via

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Inquire of  
**W. H. Benham, Agent.**

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**Pirating Foley's Honey and Tar.**  
Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. These worthless imitations have similar sounding names. Beware of them. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar is in a yellow package. Ask for it and refuse any substitute. It is the best remedy for coughs and colds.

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I carry the best of everything in my line. The drinking public is invited to come in and see for themselves.  
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AND  
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