

# Columbuz Journal.

Bennett's for sheet music

Grand Leader, 11th st.

P. lodge.

Spalding one day last week.

Drs. Paul and Matzen, Dentists.

The Journal ads pay good returns.

Oassin solicits your meat trade.

Kodaks and supplies at Newohner'

Another big sale Saturday at th

Carl Kramer went to Fremont Tues

Among the numbers to be given by

ing and painting the city residence of

provements to Mike's country home

sale two or three weeks ago.

A BIG SNAP

VALENTINES.

11th Street

Michael Abts, and after the job is com-

pleted will give the same needed im-

day on business connected with the K

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COLUMBUS. NEBRASKA, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 30. 1907.

# NUMBER 43. VOLUME Y tate Bank building. I GMTL OF OMARA EYE SPECIALIST EXPERT OPTICIAN Best Equipped Optical Offices In The West Another car of nice apples, \$1 00 per the front rooms over Pollock & Co.'s Drug Store. Will be in Columbus offices Sunday, on-day, Tuesday and Wednesday of each week. Spectacles and eye-glasses scientifically fitted and restaurant.

to any nose

repaired. Eye Glasees adjusted

CONSULTATION FREE



From files of Journal, Jan. 15, 1873.

Boone county, fully as enterprising as any of her cotemporaries, is about to erect a court house. The attention of contractors is called to the advertisement of the county commissioners calling for bide and proposals. Here is a chance for some one to make money, Don't be backward.

Mrs. Arvilla Johnson, wife of Samuel Johnson of this place, gave birth on Sunday last to three lively babes, one girl and two boys, weighing 51%, 61% and 715 pounds. This is said to be the first triplets born in the state, and we suggest that the town company donate a

er seit's for sheet music. Pr. Naumann. Dentist 13 St. Herrick for baby go-carts. Or. Mart T MoMahon, dentist Cassin's market for fresh ments. Girl wanted for general house work. Mrs. E. H. Cham

Dr. O. A. Allenbarger, office in new

All boy and mens overcoats 65 per ent of. The Grand Lender 11th st. Wedding rings and high class jewelry

t Carl Fromel's, Eleventh street.

the home talent concert at the Congregational church tonight will include basket, first door west of Buschman's some of Columbus' favorite musicians.

Dave Miner, after a week's visit with Burke & Dineen shipped two car loads relatives and friends in his old Columbus f hogs to Omaha Friday night and two home, returned to Leaven worth, Kansas, nore loads Monday night. Monday, where he is one among four

POULTRY WANTED-Bring your thousand members of the old soldier's poultry to us and receive the highest home at that place. market price. S. E. Marty & Co., Co-Frank Mills, will in a few days, begin lambus, Nebr. the work of thoroughly repairing. paper-

Gus. B. Speice is one among a large number who has been confined to his nome the past few days with a bad attack of grippe.

Don't forget that the "Hookies" are Paul Hagel, propritor of the Columplanning for a big time Washington's bus cold storage, has his large ice house birthday. It will be the grandest mask filled with ice. The force of men comwall yet given by the company. ploting the work this week. Between

The chemical laboratory at the High four and five hundred tons were needed school has been remodeled and the to carry him through the coming season. facilities enlarged, the studients of Joe Camp, an old time Columbus boy the senior grade a fine sink in the now living in California, and the man laboratosy. who has probably launched more news-

C. A. Beardsley, one of our marble papers than any other one person, is at men, yesterday sold a beautiful monupresent arranging to add one more venment to parties living west of Monroe. The stone was purchased by Mer.Oline. paper at Herculese, Nevada. and will be placed in the Truman cometery near Genoa.

The literary society of school district family. They come here from Kearney.

KARA ARA ARA ARA The Eyes S Will Stand Lots of hard Work.

J. H. Galley made a business trip to attention. When they do complain it is usually the result of their being overworked. They are calling for a rest.

> They ache, smart, burn. There are headaches, probably which which you never think of attributing to your eyes. If you're bothered, call on us some time.

We will gladly inform you as to the exact shape your eyes are in, and charge nothing for the service.

Ed. J. NIEWONNER. Jeweler and Optician, 

Smoke the Lumo 5 cent cigar.

Dr. Vallier, Osteopath, Barber block,

Dr. W. H. Slater, veterinarian, phone Next Sunday, February 3. Rev. Dr.

Westcott will deliver his pre-lenten ture to his long hat by establishing a sermon to the communicants and attendants at Grace church, at 11 a.m. Columbus is soon to be the permanent

home of another traveling man and his John Neumarker, who has been teaching in a college in New York and handling the dra

Y. I. C A Convention Next week, February 7, 8, 9 and 10, the Of the Platte County Teachers' Associa state convention of Young Men's thris tion to be held at the City Hall, Humtian associations of Nebraska will meet phrey, Nebraska. Saturday, Feb. 2, 1907. in this city. The day seesions will be beld in the Congregational church and the evening sessions in North opera house. There will be a banquet at Orphous hall Thursday evening, February 7, for delegates and men of Colum-And get along with very little . The speakers of the evening are: Bey Bobert F. Coyle, Denver, pastor central Presbyterian church; Mr. I W. Carpenter, Omaha, president Y. M. C. A ; Mr. G. W. Phillips, mayor of Columbus: Rev. R. E. L. Haves, Columbus, pastor Presbyterian church; Hon. C. N. Spur lock, York: Prof. E. B. Sherman, Columbus. Toast master, Judge Harry S.

> Dungan, Hastings. The evening programs during the seesion will be of especial interest, and an invitation is extended to all to attend both the day and evening meetings. The following local committees have

been untiring in their efforts to make the meeting a success: Program-E. B. Sherman, I. H. Britell. Entertainment-Rev. L. R. DeWolf, Rev. E. L. Ulmer, Rev. G. A. Munro, Rev. E. L. Hayes, Rev. A. J. Wetscott. Departmental sessions-E. H. Nauman, F. W. Herrick, H. Clarke, C. A Linstrum, W. L. Chenoweth. Finance-M. Brugger, D. Thomas, H. Huckenberger.

The remains of Olarence M. Smith were chipped to San Diego, California Thursday evening last for burial. The body was accompanied by Otto Staab. As was stated in the Journal last week the young man died from the effects of pneumonia, after but two days of sickness. Two days before death he seemed to complain of a severe cold, but nothing alarming was thought of. In a few hours a raging fever compelled him to

take to his bed and a doctor called who pronounced the patient in a dangeroustage of pneumonia. All that could be WHOLE NUMBER 1,837.

Program session to begin at 1:00 p m. Vocal'solo..... Miss Julia Kriel Reading minutes of previous meeting ... Chorus...... Twelve Primary Papils "Writing".....F S. Lecron "Co-operation". . Miss Gertrude Canfield Instrumental solo. . Miss Florence Biggs

"Music in the Scho-I"...C. A Hurtbutt "Expectation of a Beginner"...... Vocal solo......Mr. W. F. Murden "Defects of Children"..... "Retention"..... I. H. Britell Vocal solo...... Miss Julia Krisl

Announcements ..... Discussions general. All are welcome. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

**Special Prices** next Friday Saturday |iar with them personally.

and Monday

friends.

Men's sweaters worth \$1 for 49c Grand Leader, 11th st.

Postmaster Kramer and family are now occupying their fine new home. W. L. Douglass branded \$3.50 saces per pair \$1.69. Grand Leader 11th st Mrs. M. D. Karr went to Omnha last

Saturday for a visit with her daughter. Ladies cravenette rain coats worth

7.50 for Saturday \$1.98, the Grand Leader, 11th st. There will be a musicale at the hom

of Mrs. H. B. Robinson Sunday evening. February 3, for the benefit of Grace

FINANGIERING

And judicious management coupled with courteous and generous service has brought the Columbus State Bank Please be on time for the first number. to it's present trusted and prosperous position.

We have depositors on our books who have been with us since our charter was granted. Ask these about our on Blankets at Grays' banking methods, if you are not famil-

We shall be pleased to give you any desired information ourselves. Open M. C. H. Platz is the guest of Norfolk an account and get acquainted. The oldest State Bank in Nebraska.

**Golumbus** State Bank

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# **GORRESPONDENGE**

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Mrs. J. M. Head returned from Lincoln last Saturday, where she has been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Perkins were guests at the home of Mrs. Perkins' sister. Mrs. E. E. Watts, over Sunday.

The ice men are now busy filling th houses so there will be no ice famine in Columbus next summer.

H. J. Hudson, esq., our county clerk, who is always on the lookout for items showing the standing of Platte county, tells us that old Platte county has not had a prisoper of her own confined in the county isil for the past eighteen months. This indicates something. It is very much better to use the jail for a hospital, as is now being done.

### From files of January 23, 1873.

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now every praspect for good crops next eesson.

We learn that the new agent for the Pawness arrived at this place last week. We have not yet made his acquaintance. and know nothing of his character and BIOCCEPS.

Mr. J. C. Paxton of Butler county showed us the other day a pair of impotred Chester pigs that he had recently procured from the east. They are. certainly, fine looking unimale, and we judge will repay Mr. Paxton for the expense he has incurred.

### Bennett's for sheet music.

Dr. Lucechen Occulist and aurist.

Mrs. Joseph Stovicek has been very sick the past week with a swollen face.

Judge Hensley was in Fremont Satur day where a test of his patent car couproad officials in their yards at that place.

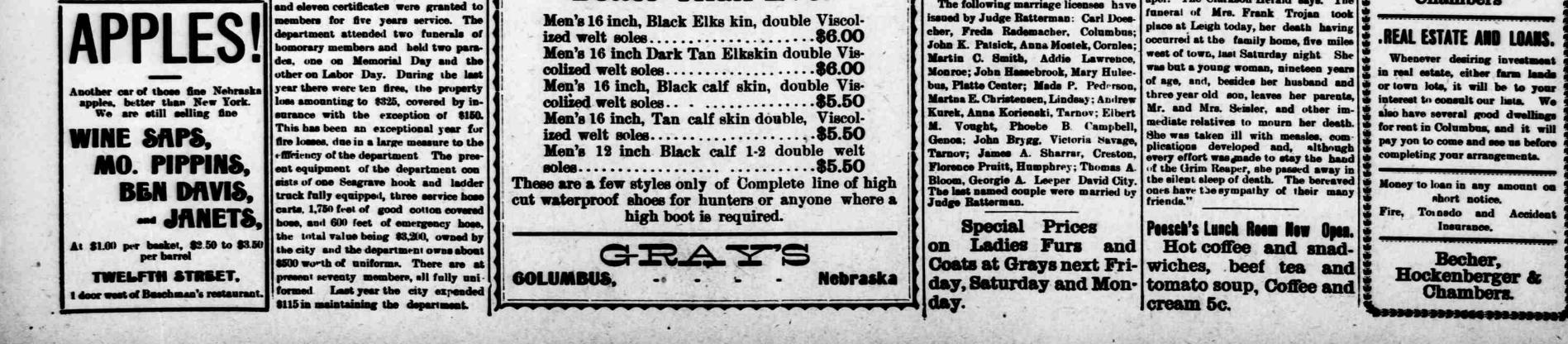
The Union Pacific at this place has The ice was shipped in and is of fine substance.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Merrill arrived in the city Wednesday last from Gaiveston. Texas. Mr. Merrill is thinking seriously of moving to his farm northwest of the city in the spring.

Mrs. Mary A. Earley will leave tomorrow morning for St Louis to visit a since he became a student at the high daughter, Mrs. Kate Bardwell, and expects to be gone two or three months.

Miss Ella Kersenbrock will go to St Louis tomorrow, there to enter a large wholesale millinery establishment and prepare herself for the coming season in millinery trade.

Peesch's Lunch Room New Open. Hot coffee and snadwiches, beef tes and cream 5c.



great interest in the programs.

Last Saturday C. J. Garlow met with a serious accident that may cause him considerable inconvenience. While chopping a piece of kindling a splinter flew into his eve, lodging in his eve ball. Mr. Garlow suffered considerable

The atmosphere has been charged pain from the injure and Tuesday an with moisture all winter, and there is operation was performed and the splintter removed.

Chief Galley has performed a service for the department that will de appreciated in years to come. The early records of the department were incomplete and there was no authentic list of the reputation. We wish him the best of officers of the department. He has compiled a list of the officers from the

organization of the department up to ought to be satisfied. the present time, and it is now a part of the records.

The following named gentlemen will comprise the petit jury for the coming term of district court which convenes here beginning February 4: Fred Reimer, C. E. Early, S. E. Marty, Henry Thompson, John Dodds, Nick Fehringer, A. E. Campbell, Wm. E. Schure, J. M Jostes, Sam Coanelly, L. Zimmerman John Hoagland, Pat Haves, Albert Kiing, Geo. E. Willard, C. Lemmerman, Walley

Krans, Frank Flakus, Jas. Noonan, darler was given by the Northwestern rail- ry Phillips Henry Beirman, Paul Greig. Fred Werner, John Swanson. In honor of Clarence Smith, whose phrey Leader.

for the past few days had a gang of men sad death occurred Wednesday evening. busy filing their large ice house. The the opening exercises in the assembly room at the high school were varied slightly from the usal rule Thursday morning, and the students were dismissed for the day. Superintendent Sherman gave a reading of "Thanatopsis." a favorite selection of Clarence, and the songs were "Lead, Kindly Light,"

> and "Abide with Me." Clarence was a member of the eleventh grade class, and school last fall bad been very popular with the student-boy. His death was the first among the high school students get in on this snap. since that of David Mahood, six years ago. - Telegram.

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Columbus Fire Department was held at the council chamber Monday evening, the following officers GOLUMBUS. . NEB. being elected for the coming year. L R. DeWolf, president: Dan Echols, vice president: Mark McMahon; secretary; Eilert Mohlman; treasurer, Bert J

the program being very interesting and the new comer and recently purchased one of the newspapers, has been very but to be avail. He was conscious until instructive. The society hold regular the pretty little cottage located on 16th low with pneumonia, but is now recovermeetings and the young people take and N. street, formerly the property of ing.

Miss Ethel Raney. E. M. Vaught, one of the prominent Another big sale will be held at the farmers of Monroe township, was in the Branigan sale barn in Columbus, Fri- city Monday, and while here made a tunate boy. Clarence was a son of day, February 1st, 1907. This sale will call on Judge Ratterman and secured a George B. Smith, and grand son of consist of 200 head of fine horses and license to wed Phoebe B. Campbell of Samuel C. Smith, one of the early setmules and will without doubt be a Genoa. repetition in extent of the number of

Superintendent George Douglas of our sales and wide interest as was the last electric light plant was in Fremont Sat urday on business pertaining to the plant here While in that city he visited and

Is marriage a failure? At Fullerton inspected the plant there and returned last week Pat Fagan, who lives about 9 home more impressed that Columbus has. miles west of there in Nance county, secured a divorce from his wife. This is taking everything into consideration, one the fourth time this elderly couple of the best equipped light stations in have tried it, and the first they have the state. won out. First one side and then the

Michael Abts will in about two weeks move from Columbus to his farm which from home, up near Creston attending to other has asked for it, and now they is located about six miles southeast of some veterinary work, some parties, up

Mrs. Michael Farrell, who has lived town. He says that while he lost no money in business in Columbus, he will on fire which is near his barn in south close to \$3 years, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E C. Halm, last Friday show to his many friends that Nebraska Columbus. This happened about eleven afternoon at 3 30, of heart failure. She soil still yields gold bricks if properly o'clock, but before the flames could do has been in feeble health for a year and tilled, and says he is going to work it since that time has been making her right too.

home with her daughter, where the Though the fishing season is two tenderest care was given her. Jane Alnonths off, yet the boys handy with the mond was born at Gate Head, England rod and reel are framing up to be ready and came to this country about 1857 when the time for fishing opens. George and in 1873 with her Lusband and Fairchild, George Turner and the old family came to Platte County and rereliable Pete McCaffrey spent the entire nided on a farm near Shell Creek. day Sunday taking the kinks out of last About three years ago she, with her year's fishing tackle, and it is said that hushand, moved to Humphrey.- Hum-Fairchild dreams regularly while asleep

about the big catch he is preparing to make.

The Boston Ideals come here after a very successful tour of the west and all the exchanges speak of the company in the highest terms. Mr. Burgees the ading comedian and singer will be een in a splended role and will be supported by an excellent cast. The ausical numbers will be rendered "by first class artists. Ed McCrumish the silver toned tenor will be heard to good adventage. Seats are now on sale at Pollock's drug store.

**Special Prices** on Ladies Suits at Grays and Monday.



almost to the end. He came here from California last October to make his home permanently with the Reeder family. Mrs. Reeder being an aunt to the unfor-

tiers of Platte county, who moved several years ago to California. His father died a few years ago, but his mother is still living and resides in San Diego. California, where interment was made Early Thursday evening short services were held at the young man's late home, conducted by Rev. G. A. Munro.

No one would hardly dream that Columbus was the home of fire bugs, but it seems so from the following facts. Last Friday night, while Doc Cook was absent R. E. Clayburn.

to this time unknown, set a straw stack much damage was extinguished by

neighbors living near by. This first attempt to burn Doc out did not quite suit the perpetrators, and about two hours later another match was touched off and the second time the straw stack was ablaze. The neighbors again saw the flames and it was by the hardest kind of work that the building near by was saved. The fire alarm was no sounded. Mr. Cook told a Journal re porter Monday that he was at a loss to nderstand why he should be particu larly picked out by the parties who wished to see hard earned money go up in smoke, as he knows of no such enemy

in Columbus.

The ringing of the fire bell Friday afternoon brought the citizens out into the cold. The fire was found to be in the John Tober house in the south part of town. When the fire boys arrived the entire inside of the building was burning but the flames had not reached the outside. It took but a short time before water was turned on and the building was saved, though damaged to the extent of about \$300. The family of Joe Martyse occupied the residence and were absent from the place at the time of fire. Mr. Martyse was at work at the next Friday, Saturday onal schutes and his wife after doing her morning work, filled the stove with coal and left for a visit to a relative. The stove pipe became red hot and set fire to the wall, and had it not been for the

prompt action of the neighbors the breakage and water.

choir. Refreshments will be served. Miss Eloise Roen leaves Saturday evening for a three months' sojourn at Los Angeles, Cal. She will be accom

panied by M. A. Phillipps, who has been visiting Mrs. D. T. Martyn. At the North Opera House next Mon-

day night the Boston Ideal Opera company will present the ever pleasing and popular comic opera "The Mikado" and judging from the interest displayed in Columbus Tuesday. in this engagement by any music lovers it will be a gala night at the theatre.

An Odd Fellow lodge is to be insti- route. tuted at Monroe, and in order to fill

ed five new members for them Tuesday evening. Those from Monroe were L. Franklin, D. W. Jenkinson, Vestal Moore, A. E. Fellers, J. T. Smith and

If you don't cough, complain of sore throat or imagine that the grippe has got you these days you are certainly not

in the big procession. The grippe is bad Your bones are sore-Your voice would stop a clock, But the worst of all That one must dread-

Is the door bell ring of Doc. Today's mail brought to the Journal

flice a neatly printed announcement of he marriage at ten o'clock this morning J. Brain. Miss Davis is well known in ter. Miss Idele.

Columbus, having lived here many years with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Frank Davis, but her home of late years being at Silver Creek. The young husband lives on a farm about six miles south of town The card announced that after

February 10, they would be at home to their friends in Columbus, Neb. The Journa! extends congratulations and wishes them their share of this world's fortunes and happiness.

The work of installing the central energy swithboard for the Nebraska Telephone company, in their new offices in the German National Bank week, representatives of the Western Electrical company being in charge of the work. During the winter the com-

and connected. Under favorable circumstances the new system will be in operation within forty day.

In this instance a young wife and to give way to the hand of the grim re-

Mrs. Wm. Graham returned to ber home in Modale, Iows, last week after a short visit with friends.

Route No. 4.

Novelle Bray has gone to Lincoln to spend the winter.

Mrs. O. T. Weber and Frank Will were

Several of the patrons are going to have public sales and move from the

Jake Helmer, son of Chris Helmer, out their charter Wildey lodge instruct- had the misfortune to get his arm broken while skating last Thursday.

### Route No. 5.

Corn shelling is still in progress. Farmers on the route have their ice ouses filled.

There will be two weddings on the oute this week.

Born, on January 15, to Mr. and Mrs. August Fickle, a son.

Miss Mabel Baird of Bellwood was visiting at Harley Olcott's.

The carrier was at Silver Creek over Sunday visiting his brother.

There was a social dance at Frank Gerhold's last Friday evening.

There was a party at Harley Olcott's of Miss Mildred Davis to Mr. Herbert Saturday evening in honor of his daugh-

### Route No 3.

Max Gottberg was filling his ice house the latter part of last week.

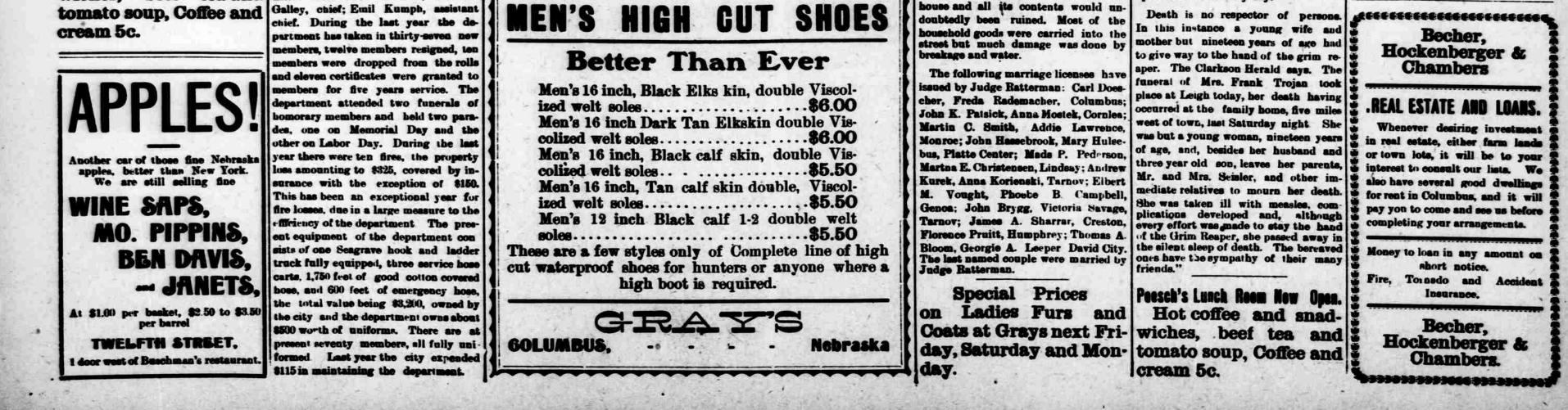
Miss Hilds Schmitt hat been assisting Mrs. Fred Wills with the house work for a week or two.

Mr. Engelman is adding some suitable out buildings to his farm, five miles northwest of Columbus.

Victor Moschenross, who is making his home in Columbus this winter, has been spending a few days visiting his brother J. C.

J. H. Rodehorst is contemplating the raising of Angora grate this season. He elaims from what he has learned of them building, will be completed within a that they are a very profitable animal to have on the farm.

The wedding of Mr. John Dassebrook and Miss Mary Helsebus, took place last Wednesday forenoon at 11 o'clock in the pany has placed 36,000 feet of cable in German Baptist church on this route, the city, and the cable men are expected Rev. Wm. Papenhausen officiating. A in few days to connect this with the reception was given at the home of the new office. As soon as the installers bride's parents, par. and pars. bernard arrive the new telephones will be placed bride and groom expect to commence bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard housek eping at once on their farm near Platte Center.



SETH BRAUN

Valentine day is not far off. You will want to pay your compliments to some friend on that day. A look at our mammouth line means a choice every time. You will be pleased with the selection and more than pleased when you learn the prices. We are going to close them out, so