

A \$7 Cut Glass Bowl for \$3.50.

To start the ball rolling we are offering this week a lot of twenty fine Bowls, the regular price of which are seven dollars, at Three dollars and fifty cents.

- They are rich American Cut Glass.
- They are full size and perfect.
- They are in our show windows.

This is a rare opportunity to secure a fine piece of cut glass at a great bargain.

When this supply is exhausted we can not offer more at this price. Let us show the grandest holiday stock ever brought to our city.

DIXON, The Jeweler.

SCHILLER & CO.,

Prescription Druggists

First Door North of First National Bank

Receiver for Water Company.

In the federal court in Omaha this week an application for a receiver for the North Platte Waterworks was granted by Judge Munger and Dr. Slocumb, of Pittsburg, appointed as such receiver.

This appointment of a receiver was followed yesterday by Dr. Slocumb, as receiver, filing a petition in the North Platte division of the federal court against the City of North Platte praying that the city be made to complete its contract with the water company; in other words that the city accept and pay for the plant the sum named by the appraisers several years ago, namely \$85,000. The petition will probably be heard at the term of federal court to be held in this city in January.

Remember we still have part of the allotment of stock in the Northern Colorado M. & M. Co. to sell at 10 cent per share.



For the Woman who walks, we have Special Shoes. They are built for comfort and durability, not sacrificing style.

These splendid Shoes are made from Calf and Gun Metal Calf. Some of the leathers are waterproofed. Medium heels, and made on comfortable, arch supporting lasts. Button, Lace or Blucher cut.

\$3, \$3.50 to \$5.

The Woman, who is not out of door or on her feet to any extent, can find great comfort in these Shoes.

THE SHOERY, SOL HODES.

November Breaks all Records.

The precipitation last month was the greatest during any November since the establishment of the weather bureau in this city in 1874, the total reaching 2.24 inches. The average for the month is forty-six one hundred inches. This precipitation fell on six different days during the month.

What are your thoughts of Christmas!

GIVING!

What are your hopes of Christmas!

LIVING!

What are the joys of Christmas!

LOVE!

What are our wants for Christmas! The best gifts for Giving, the Living, we Love.

We can please you.

DIXON, The Jeweler.

Commissioners' Proceedings.

December 2, 1909.

Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, present Commissioners Kocken and Springer and county clerk.

Claims for damages against Road No. 318 are as follows, according to damages as appraised by appraisers: J. W. McCawley, claim for \$50, allowed for \$13.50; Emma Schott allowed for \$66.50; and disallowed for \$234 as no house is to be moved; J. F. and Della Garman allowed for \$40, and disallowed for \$10; W. L. Park 8.00, Bettie McKinney 20.00, and disallowed for 180.00; R. B. Tabor, 40.00 and disallowed for 20.00; American Investment Co. 27.50 and disallowed for 27.50; J. A. and E. J. Rannie allowed for 4000 and disallowed for 480.00; Tom Hublitz 20.00, Nancy L. Storm 20.00.

Other claims were allowed as follows: B. A. Wilson, sacks, 2.00; E. C. Hostetter, bridge work, 55.25; J. R. Ritner, labor, 10.50; J. R. Ritner bridge work, 170.20; J. M. Wilson, salary and expenses, 131.40; Sophia Anderson, care of Emma Anderson; 54.00.

Adjourned until tomorrow.

Nine-tenths of the people of North Platte favor the city going ahead with the erection of a new water plant. The present company has allowed its day of grace to slip by; it declined to make reasonable concessions at a time when the people were in a humor to deal with them—now it must abide the result of lack of diplomacy and willingness to meet the people half way.

Sale—The sale at The Leader is still in progress. Twenty cent discount on Cloaks, Suits, Skirts and Shirt Waists. A great opportunity to purchase these goods cheaper than you ever bought them before.

Sunday will be another red letter day for the local council of the Knights of Columbus. The published list gives the names of sixty-six candidates who will become members. More than half of these are out of town residents, and these together with the out-of-town members who will be present, means that nearly a hundred visitors will be in town that day.

Do not wait till the last week before Christmas to have your pictures framed. Bring them in now. We have a beautiful assortment of moulding in lit, silver, brown, black, white, etc. C. M. NEWTON.

The world's championship fight between Jeffries and Johnson, to be held in San Francisco before the club organized by Tex Rickard, of Ely, Nev., and Jack Gleason, will take place probably on July 4, 1910. The fighters will get a purse of \$100,000 and two-thirds of the moving picture proceeds.

Sale—Shoe Dept.—Thousands of pairs of shoes for men, women and children, at a very low price, at The Leader. A pair of hose given free with each pair of shoes costing one dollar or up.

While in town the early part of the week T. J. Foley made the formal transfer of his Dewey street property to Henry and Fritz Waltemath and the latter assumed the ownership December 1st.

For Sale.

First class residence property in Second ward, all modern. Extra good lot with 5 room house, shade and walks, north side good distance from round house and shops. Good cottage in South east part of town. Also have some desirable residence lots with Call and see O. E. Dixon.

Sunday Menu at the Enterprise Bakery.

Oyster Soup
Roast Chicken Cranberry Jelly
Roast Veal Dressing
Mashed Potatoes Sweet Potatoes
Rainbow Salad
Olives Celery Pickles
Apple, Mince and Cranberry Pie.
Tea Coffee Milk
35 cents.

Mrs. T. C. Patterson is hostess at a neighborhood party this afternoon given in honor of Mrs. Creighton, sister of Mrs. Julia Casey, who leaves Saturday for her home in Bowling Green, Ky.

A goodbye: Stock in the Northern Colorado M. & M. Co., at 10 cents per share.

Our gift shop is bubbling over with appropriate gifts for all, Father, Mother, Sister, Brother and Sweetheart. We want you to see our store and hope you will favor us with a call soon. DIXON, The Jeweler.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Handley entertained at cards Wednesday evening. The first prize was won by Clyde Cook and the consolation emblem awarded to Mrs. R. E. Clouse. Enjoyable refreshments were served at the close.

Mrs. E. F. Seeberger assisted by Miss Hannah Keliher, was hostess at the session of the J. T. club last evening. The evening was spent in playing progressive high five, the first prizes being won by Mrs. Luke Healy and James Hart, and the consolation emblems awarded to Mr. Jas Hart and Henry Waltemath. At the close of a very enjoyable evening, delightful refreshments were served.

The Kirksmith Sisters, one of the numbers on the lecture and entertainment course, will be at the Keith Wednesday evening, Dec. 8th. No tickets except those lettered "B" can be accepted. This is necessary because the same seat cannot be used by two people on the same night and because tickets are good for only one entertainment when reserved. Get them reserved before six o'clock on Wednesday evening and enjoy one of the best entertainments ever given in the city. Several of our North Platte people have heard the Kirksmiths and are telling good things about them. We are assured by the bureau managers that if we do not think this is one of the best concerts ever given in our city, we need not pay a cent for it. General admission will be 50 cents. You can buy general admission tickets at any time after six o'clock Wednesday evening.

First Use of Iron.

As a result of his interesting investigations, Dr. Edgeway concludes that the smelting of iron originated in Central Europe, and especially in the region known as Noricum, equivalent to modern Austria and Bavaria.

In Egypt it can be traced back to the ninth century B. C., and in Libya to about 450 B. C. First mention of its use in China goes back to 300 B. C., while in Canada it is said to have been in use only some five or six centuries.

The above date for the first use of iron in Egypt refers to the metal obtained by smelting. The use of native iron in the form of meteorites dates back to remote antiquity. The weapons made from these were obtained, like flint implements, by chipping. And it is interesting to remember that recent investigations have shown that the iron of many meteorites is a sort of natural steel.

Old English Fine.

In the past if one Englishman called another a liar there was something to pay. The seventeenth century mayor, sheriff and city grandees generally were keen on this point of etiquette. The direct accusation cost 11s. 6d. (\$2.70); the subtle hint 6s. 8d. (\$1.00). And there was a reduction on repetitions.

Swearing, too, was promptly suppressed. In 1650 a law was passed laying down the penalty for a first offense. The fines were graduated. That for a lord was 50 shillings (\$7.20), for an esquire 10 shillings (\$2.40), while all "inferior persons" could have a "few words" for 3s. 4d. (80 cents).

Alone in Saw Mill at Midnight

Unmindful of dampness, drafts, storms or cold, W. J. Atkins worked as Night Watchman, at Banner Springs, Tenn. Such exposure gave him a severe cold that settled on his lungs. At last he had to give up work. He tried many remedies but all failed till he used Dr. King's New Discovery. "After using one bottle" he writes, "I went back to work as well as ever." Severe Colds, stubborn Coughs, inflamed throats and sore lungs, Hemorrhages, Croup and Whooping Cough get quick relief and prompt cure from this glorious medicine, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free, Guaranteed by Stone Drug Co.

WALK-OVER SHOES.

IN THESE DAYS

of near milk, almost meat, and not quite leather, you're not always sure of what you are getting for your money. You may get quality and you may not.

So far as shoes are concerned, you can do away with all uncertainty by buying WALK-OVERS. There isn't and there never was any uncertainty about their style or comfort or quality. If you have worn them you know it.



\$4.00 and \$5.00

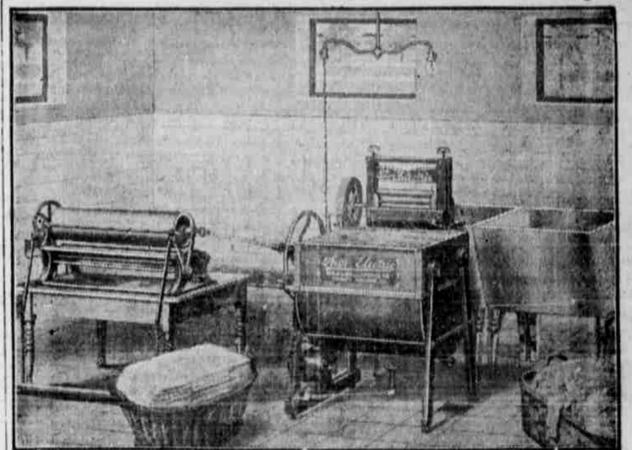
Wilcox Department Store.

The Yellow Front Shoe Store

GOOD SHOES AT \$2.50

- Women's kid, lace Shoes, mat calf top, patent tip, medium heavy soles. \$2.50
- Women's kid Shoes, blucher pattern patent tip, mat calf top. \$2.50
- Women's patent leather button Shoes, mat calf top, with tip and military tip. \$3.00
- Women's gun metal calf skin, blucher pattern with tips, military heels. \$3.00
- Women's kid Shoes, blucher pattern patent tip, military heel, welted sole. \$3.50
- Women's patent leather, blucher pattern, with tip, welted sole, high heels. \$3.50

GRAHAM & COMPANY.



The Electric Home Laundry

Has been installed in the following North Platte Homes:

- T. M. Cohagen 403 East B street.
- Henry Waltemath 420 West Fourth street
- J. I. Smith 203 West Second
- S. R. Derryberry 302 South Locust
- R. V. Cox Elk Rooming House
- Butler Buchanan 514 West Second street
- Ed Ogier 218 South Dewey

If You are interested ask them about it.

DERRYBERRY & FORBES.

See the Vaudeville at the Keith Theatre.