

They Hammer on THE COUNTER AND YELL To Be Waited Upon

The one Big
Clothing Event
of North Platte
or Anywhere Else

**STRONG
Sweater
SPECIALS**
AT 1.25 and 2.95

In Worsteds and wools of fine
grade. Made to fit boys 6 to
18 years.

**BARGAIN SATURDAY
BOYS
Long Pant
SUITS**
Values to \$10 and \$12.00
going for
\$3.97

Overalls regular Fitz 1.50 value \$1.25

The J. B. McDONALD STOCKS

are going rapidly, the sale is well on its way. Great attendance daily is causing the merchandise to disappear; we have never witnessed greater buying enthusiasm. The J. B. McDonald "Home of Good Clothes" store will soon cease to be. A new name will shortly be over the door. But we want to close out this entire stock, and we have given Bigger and Greater Mark Downs in todays and tomorrows close out offerings. Stocks are Bigger and Greater than ever.

Men's \$5.00 and \$6.00
Dress Shoes

Bigger displays and
bigger values than
ever. Never again
such Shoe bargains

1.95

Boys Overcoats at Smashed
Prices

To clean up a stock of
finest tailored garments.
Prices run from

\$2

AND UP

Mens \$4.00 Work
Shoes.

New bargains have
been thrown on the
tables. Bigger and
greater values

2.95

Mens and Boys Underwear We have scoured the house for all broken lines in heavy, light and medium Union Suits and two piece underwear. See the Big Display Saturday.

AGAIN WE URGE OUR PATRONS TO BUY CLOTHING NOW

The time has come when men should scrutinize their wardrobes with the greatest care. Plans should be made to buy clothing of all kinds while our stocks are complete, and the prices, originally low, have been cut without a thought of the original cost, for instantaneous clearance.

\$12 and \$14 Suits are \$ 4.65
\$15 and \$17 Suits are 7.35
\$18 and 20.00 Suits are 10.40
\$22.50 and \$25 Suits are 14.80

All Mens and Boys Overcoats, Mackinaws etc., at Close Out Prices.

J. B. McDONALD, Home of Good Clothes, North Platte, Neb.

Come While
the Offerings
are Still at their
Best

**CLOSING OUT
HATS**
at 1.00 and 1.60

Felt Hats formerly sold at
\$2.50 and \$3.00. Big re-
ductions on "Mallory's," "Stet-
son's" standard goods.

**Bargain Saturday
MENS
PANTS**

\$4 Dress Pants... \$1.95
\$2 Work Pants... 1.45
\$2.50 Unionalls... 1.75
BOYS PANTS
\$1 and \$1.50 Knick-
erbocker Pants... 49c

Overalls Fitz Boys sizes 67c

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. E. N. McNamar of Paxton visit-
ed local friends Wednesday.

Dr. Brock, Dentist, over Stone Drug
Store.

Miss Irene Stuart will leave shortly
for Mason City, Ia., to visit relatives.

Ralph Garman left Wednesday after-
noon for Columbus to spend a few
days.

George Wickham has been suffering
for several days with blood poisoning
caused from an infection on his hand.

For Sale Range in good condition.
Phone Red 271

The contract for the Reynolds-Blan-
kenburg flat on the corner of Locust
and Third streets was let Wednesday
afternoon to Clyde McMichael.

Mrs. Corrigan of Fall River, Mass.,
who spent several weeks with her sis-
ters, Mesdames Charles Ell and George
Austin, left Wednesday morning.

The best in town of women's and
misses fall style suits and coats are
being sold at The Leader Mercantile
Company's.

Miss Villa Whittaker will have a big
shipment of Trimmed Hats from the
east Saturday, Sept. 22d. Every hat
the newest on the market. At the
Wileox Dept. Store.

Miss Sarah McGinn of Grand Junc-
tion, who visited with the Austin fam-
ily last week, has gone to Omaha to
visit relatives.

Everything that the boys and girls
need going to school can be bought at
The Leader Mercantile Company's for
less in price and best in quality.

Charley Johnston left last night for
Omaha where he will meet his brother
Lee and they will go to Rochester,
Minn., where the latter will have an
operation performed. Lee suffered a
fracture of the leg some time ago and
the bones did not properly knit.

The Chamber of Commerce sent out
its drugging outfit Wednesday to
level up the road leading from the
state farm east. It is the intention of
this organization to drag roads adja-
cent to the city at all opportune times
—which means following rains.

Robt. Jandus was arrested at Ster-
ling yesterday and is now awaiting
trial in the county jail. He passed
bogus checks at the Robert R. Dickey
store a few days ago. Investigation
shows that he had been in the penitenti-
ary twice before on a similar charge.

Good prairie hay is quoted on track
in this city at \$15 and alfalfa at \$19.
Dealers say alfalfa prices are likely
to remain comparatively steady. But
there is a gamble on the future price
of prairie hay. Not much of the lat-
ter has been marketed during the past
week and very little alfalfa is moving.

Quite a little wheat has been mar-
keted in North Platte during the past
week with the price ranging from \$1.75
to \$1.90, according to the grade. Just
how North Platte grading will com-
pare with Omaha grading has not yet
been definitely learned, but it will
probably be more rigid in Omaha.

Some idea of the volume of business
transacted by Leypoldt and Penning-
ton of this city in the single item of
hay may be gained from the statement
that the firm has contracted for 7,000
tons of hay in stock in this section of
the state and for 4,000 tons in the up-
per Elkhorn valley. Future prices of
hay is therefore of much concern to
this firm.

I have buyers for good farms. Any-
one wishing to sell, see me at once.
O. H. THOELECKE.

Recognizing that the war has and
will cause a decided shortage of male
clerical help, the railroads have begun
employing young women in large num-
bers in positions that they can fill.
Here in North Platte two young women
were this week given employment in
the local railroad offices, and it is
probably as time goes others will be
employed. This will eventually create
a shortage of woman help in stores
and offices.

Miss Florence Iddings left Wednes-
day evening for Lincoln.

A civics department of the 20th
Century Club was organized Saturday
evening with Mrs. M. E. Crosby as
chairman and Miss Emma Smith sec-
retary and treasurer. The regular
meeting will be held the first Thurs-
day in each month.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Redmond
left yesterday morning for Los Angeles
to visit their son, Lawrence, and family.
They had planned to go a couple of
weeks ago, but were detained by the
call to arms which took their son,
Leonard from them.

A very heavy rain—reported at ten
inches—fell in the Wellfleet section
Monday, washing out bridges, roads
and culverts so as to make travel al-
most impossible. The county commis-
sioners went over Wednesday to in-
vestigate conditions and make arrange-
ments for repairs.

Engineer W. B. Brown returned
yesterday from Philadelphia, where
he visited friends for a couple of
weeks. Mrs. Brown will continue her
visit there for a time. Mr. Brown said
he was mighty glad to get back to
Nebraska, as the weather in the east
all the time he was there was wet and
gloomy.

A very enjoyable meeting of the lit-
erary department of the 20th Century
Club was held at the home of Mrs. T.
A. Thompson Tuesday afternoon. This
was the first meeting of the club year
and the attendance was very good.
An interesting account of the "Mound
Builders" was read by Mrs. Field. Mrs.
Barber read a very well prepared pa-
per on the "American Indian" and Mrs.
Elder gave a talk on "Parliamentary
Law." Roll call was responded to by
each member giving some fact about
the state which had been assigned to
her.

Among the passengers on a west-
bound train last night was an Ameri-
can who has been in the French avia-
tion corps for 18 months and is home
on a twenty-one-day furlough. He
was decorated with two medals, in-
dicating that he had brought down two
German machines, and had other de-
corations for bravery. For bringing
down the German flyers he was given
a premium of \$200 by the manufac-
turers of the motor which drove his
machine. It requires six months'
training to become an aviator in the
French corps, and comparatively few
of those who go into training are ac-
cepted.

Wanted Dwellings
We have customers for several five
and six room dwellings. If you have
such a dwelling we can effect a quick
sale for you.
69-4 BUCHANAN & PATTERSON.

Dress goods and silks and all that's
new are being shown at The Leader
Mercantile Company's.

One cannot help but notice the grad-
ual increase of automobiles, both in
the city and in the county. With this
gradual increase, and with scarcely
room now for parking on the design-
ated streets, the city will soon be up
against the proposition of providing
additional parking space—and this
means going off the business streets.

C. T. Whelan, who returned from
Waddington, N. Y., Tuesday afternoon,
says that the east is in a more general
prosperous condition than he ever
found it before in his frequent visits.
He visited in a rural section and found
that old run-down farms had been
built up to a productive state, buildings
repaired and remodeled and a general
air of prosperity pervades the farm-
ing communities. High prices for
farm products the past few years has
apparently worked wonders.

What is an effective way of making a man
of a youth?

—SEE—
Carlyle Blackwell and June Elvidge

—IN—
"YOUTH"
Crystal, Saturday Afternoon and Evening.

Torrington

The first increase in
price on these cleaners is
coming soon. We still
sell this revolving brush
machine for \$30. Come
intand see it.

North Platte
Light & Power Co.



Harvest Banking Service

The Conservation of Money

What of the care and conservation
of your September grain sales. This
bank, by the check account service it
renders to its customers, not only safe
guards your funds, but also conserves
them. And the conservation of your
money means "money ahead" at the
end of the year. Deposit your grain
funds and pay by check.

Platte Valley State Bank
North Platte, Nebraska.