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Mrs. G. S. HUFFMAN will entertain  
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Thurs. Fri. and Sat., April 11, 12 and 13,  
with one of the loveliest displays  
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Competition is the life of trade.

Having had ten years' experi-  
ence in trimming, I am not  
obliged to send to "Chicago"  
for an "experienced trimmer,"  
and I intend giving YOU the  
benefit.

My prices this season will  
be very competitive. Call and see  
for yourself. Remember the opening  
days, Apr. 11, 12 and 13.

Mrs. G. S. Huffman.

**MINOR MENTION.**

Geo. T. Field has purchased  
the Boal house on west Fifth street.

Choice Crysanthemums at  
Third Street Green-house.

Fred Thompson is having a  
commodious barn erected on his  
premises on Front street.

David Hunter, of Sutherland,  
came to town yesterday on business  
connected with the Paxton & Suth-  
erland canal.

Snow or rain fell both east and  
west of this point on Saturday and  
Sunday. Our turn to receive mois-  
ture will come next.

It is not likely Miss Nellie  
Donahue will return from Cleveland  
to teach out the remainder of the  
present term of school.

Tickets for the Engineer's May  
Party were placed on sale yester-  
day. This will be the great dance  
of the year and those who fail to  
attend will miss a treat.

Buy your potted plants at Fred  
Mart's. Large stock of healthy  
plants now on hand and new in-  
voices received each week.

Quite a number of jokes were  
perpetrated yesterday on those who  
had momentarily forgotten that it  
was April 1st. The fellows who  
suffered most were the bill collec-  
tors.

Dr. Butt, who will open an  
office in McDonald's block, does  
first-class dentistry in all its  
branches.

Information is wanted of the  
whereabouts of Harry Reed, who  
left his home March 14th. Any in-  
formation concerning him will be  
thankfully received by Charles F.  
Reed, Laramie, Wyo.

The Methodist people will hold  
a dime social at the residence of  
G. W. Dillard on Thursday even-  
ing of this week. The public is  
cordially invited and a happy sur-  
prise is in store for all who attend.

Leave orders for Choice Toma-  
to Plants—Crimson Cushion, Pon-  
derosa, Trophy, Golden Queen and  
Ruby King—at Third Street Green-  
house.

Charles Trego leaves for Phila-  
delphia to-day with two carloads of  
horses for the Wild West Show.  
Charley will be with the show this  
season. Mrs. Trego will leave for  
the Quaker city Thursday morning  
next.

E. W. Murphy, living west of  
town, will sow 300 acres of wheat  
and plant an equal acreage of corn  
on his farm in Logan county this  
season. Mr. M. proposes to make  
money farming or go "broke" in his  
efforts.

Both the Patterson & Alex-  
ander and the Hinman grading out-  
fits are at work on the Farmers and  
Merchants' ditch. The former will  
complete their contract in about  
ten days, and the latter shortly  
thereafter.

As was anticipated, the city  
election to-day is passing off very  
quietly, and as there is but one  
ticket in the field, the vote will  
probably be much lighter than  
usual. Those who are opposed to  
the ticket will probably not go near  
the polls.

Doc Middleton, who is more or  
less known in North Platte, has  
started east in company with sev-  
eral capitalists with whom he will  
complete arrangements for a Wild  
West Show. Doc says his show  
will eclipse Buffalo Bill's, but then  
Doc is a very imaginative fellow  
and is guilty of talking through his  
head gear.

Dr. F. J. Morrill has purchased  
a very handsome cornet, a Slater  
instrument.

On account of the high wind  
last Sunday, the proposed bicycle  
trip to Kearney was not made. The  
run will be made, however, in the  
near future.

Will H. Day, of the McPherson  
County News, called at this office  
while in town yesterday. He will  
run a grocery store in connection  
with his office, and was here for the  
purpose of receiving his stock of  
goods.

Don't forget that a new dentist  
will open an office in McDonald's  
block about April 15th. Give him  
a call.

Choice Bedding Plants. Third  
Street Green-house.

The Gordon cornet band will  
begin its series of open air concerts  
next Saturday evening. The band  
now numbers sixteen pieces, and  
the boys have been putting in some  
good practice work lately.

The engineering firm of Kittell  
& VanNatta has been dissolved. It  
will now be Kittell & Benson. Mr.  
VanNatta is now in Jamaica, West  
Indies, where he is the engineer in  
charge of some railroad and irriga-  
tion works in that island.

J. Q. Wilcox, of McPherson  
county, expects to open a grocery  
store in this city within the next  
month. The grocery business is  
already overcrowded in North  
Platte, but we presume Mr. Wilcox  
has canvassed the situation and  
concluded that he can secure a  
reasonable share of patronage.

NOTICE—All patrons of the Y.  
M. C. A. library are requested to  
return all books belonging to the  
Association before April 22d. All  
books retained longer, the holder  
will be charged five cents per day  
for each day they are retained.  
This is done in order that a new  
catalogue may be made. By order  
of the Library Committee.

Pansies and Verbenas forty  
cents a dozen, May delivery. Third  
Street Green-house.

In March, 1882, we had only .04  
of an inch of rainfall, yet the re-  
cords at the weather bureau office  
show that the following months  
had plenty precipitation, viz: April  
had 1.94, May 3.98, June 4.84, July  
2.65, and August 1.68 inches. As  
March, 1895, comes next in the least  
precipitation in 21 years, having  
only had .09 of an inch, we can ex-  
pect a repetition of the good rains  
of 1882.

E. A. Garlicks, of Cheyenne,  
has been in town for several days  
for the purpose of seeing if some  
church society would join him in  
producing the operetta of "The  
Three Bears." We did not learn  
what success has attended his  
efforts. Since the above was put  
in type we learn that the operetta  
will be produced the latter part of  
May under the auspices of the la-  
dies' guild of the Episcopal church.

Cody & Salisbury with their  
new aggregation will open the sea-  
son at Philadelphia on the 26th  
inst., where they will make a two  
weeks' stand. The show will then  
make a tour of the Middle and New  
England states, making 160 stands  
in the larger cities and towns, after  
which a southern circuit will be  
made, ending at Atlanta, Georgia,  
where the show will remain until  
the close of the exposition to be  
held in that city.

In speaking of the death of A. E.  
Reynolds, the Westville, (Ind.) In-  
dicator says: Anderson Reynolds  
was taken sick Friday with bowel  
trouble and grew steadily worse  
until Sunday, when his condition  
became so alarming that it was  
decided to resort to an operation as  
a last hope. This was successfully  
accomplished but peritonitis was  
discovered and it was too late to  
save the patient. Inflammation had  
set in and he expired about three  
o'clock Monday afternoon.

There has been more or less  
controversy among local weather  
prophets as to whether the present  
new moon is a "wet" or "dry" one.  
Some insist that it is dry, because  
it will hold water and therefore  
very little will be spilled out to  
refresh the earth. On the other  
hand some hold, with the Indian,  
that if the powder horn can be hung  
on the point of the moon it might  
as well be hung there, as it will be  
too wet for hunting. The reader  
takes his choice, and the weather  
will go ahead and do just as it  
pleases.

Perhaps those who were  
on the streets Monday evening  
wondered what crowd of merry  
young folks passed by in a hay rack  
about 7:30 o'clock. We state that  
it was the Senior Class of '95 on  
their way to the Osgood ranch  
where the class meeting was held.  
The usual plan of meeting was car-  
ried out to the fullest extent; then  
the time for departure having ar-  
rived, they again boarded the hay  
rack, but with regret that the time  
had passed so rapidly, as they were  
so delightfully entertained by Miss  
Charlotte Osgood, assisted by Miss  
Jessie Bratt.

A carload of potatoes from  
Montana, consigned to the county  
relief commission, is en route to  
this point.

The lady who will have charge  
of the millinery department at the  
Fair Store, came in from Chicago  
this morning.

H. C. Rennie is one of the latest  
to invest in a bicycle, and is now  
devoting his spare moments to  
mastering it.

C. F. Scharmann, as guardian,  
received a draft for \$1000 in pay-  
ment of the insurance held by Mrs.  
F. E. Dopp in the Ladies of the  
Maccabees.

Dr. Butt does crown and bridge  
work, also metal and vulcanite  
plates.

The county commissioners con-  
vened in session yesterday and are  
at present considering business  
connected with the state appropria-  
tion for seed grain.

The audience at the Lutheran  
church Sunday evening was favored  
with some fine music rendered by  
the choir with organ, violin and  
cornet accompaniment.

Isaac Dillon is making prepara-  
tions to extend the Cody & Dillon  
irrigating ditch from the Scout's  
Rest Ranch to the land he owns  
just north of town. He has  
applied to the city council for a  
right-of-way.

Dr. Butt, dentist, will locate in  
North Platte about April 15th.  
Office in McDonald's block.

The foreclosure suit of the  
North Platte National Bank  
against L. E. Libby, tried in the  
district court of Deuel county last  
week, resulted in a decree as prayed.  
The land involved is situated in  
Deuel county.

Some twenty or thirty cars of  
seed grain have been received in the  
county through the efforts of solici-  
tators who have visited neighboring  
states. There are several precincts  
which have been pretty well sup-  
plied with seed through this me-  
dium.

Roy Johnson and Fred H. Ben-  
son, civil engineers of North Platte,  
have been making Lexington their  
headquarters the past week. They  
are in the employ of the Farmers  
and Merchants' Irrigation Co. of  
this city.—Lexington Pioneer.

Cinerarias for Easter. Third  
Street Green-house.

North Platte men who have  
been in Lincoln on business before  
the legislature, or the several state  
departments, are a unit in express-  
ing the courtesy shown them by  
John E. Evans, of this city, who is  
deputy secretary of state. Mr.  
Evans is at all times ready to drop  
his work, and lend any assistance  
possible to those who have business  
around the capitol, and in doing  
this he is only maintaining the  
reputation he has always had of  
being an accommodating gentleman  
and official.

Civil engineer Vanderveldt  
leaves to-day to take charge of  
the irrigation work in the Shoshone  
basin, of which mention was made  
in these columns last Friday. The  
main ditch which is to water the  
300,000 acres of land will be 150  
miles in length. Parties filing on  
the land pay fifty cents per acre to  
the state of Wyoming, and ten dol-  
lars per acre to the syndicate for a  
perpetual water right. The nearest  
railroad station to these lands at  
present is Billings, Montana, forty-  
five miles distant.

Leave orders for Easter lilies  
at Fred Mart's. A nice stock of  
them will be received next week.

Butler Buchanan, who was in  
Lincoln last week partially in the  
interest of Lincoln county's ap-  
portionment of the \$200,000 appro-  
priated by the state for the purchase  
of seed for the destitute farmers,  
returned home Saturday. At the time  
Mr. Buchanan left Lincoln the  
apportionment had not been made,  
but it was expected that this  
action would be taken yesterday.  
The apportionment will be made on  
the total number of families need-  
ing seed in the fifty or more coun-  
ties, and the exact amount this  
county will receive will not be  
known until the arrival of the  
money, which will be received by  
the county relief commission in a  
few days. It is thought, however,  
that this county's share will not  
fall below \$4,000. Anticipating the  
arrival of this money, the county  
commission will probably order  
several cars of seed corn, oats, bar-  
ley and potatoes to-day, the inten-  
tion being not to purchase any  
wheat on account of the lateness of  
the season. According to the lists  
in the hands of the county commis-  
sion there are 930 families in the  
county who will need seed, and it  
is believed that each family can be  
furnished corn to plant 40 acres, in  
addition to small appropriations of  
potatoes, oats and barley. Good  
seed corn can be purchased in the  
eastern part of the state for fifty-  
six cents a bushel, and the U. P.  
has made a rate of ten cents per  
hundred to all points in the state.

**PRIZE AD. NO. 11.****DIVORCED!**

Clinton, the Jeweler, was granted a divorce from  
"High Prices," at the last term of the United States  
Court.

Handles nothing but goods with prices accord-  
ing to "The Times."  
Call and see our line of Silver Novelties.

**PRIZE AD. No. 12.**

The world is round like a ball;  
It contains the Jewels all;  
Clinton always has a vast supply,  
Even for the most fastidious eye.

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is prepared to show you the finest  
stock of Diamonds, Jewels and all  
novelties to be found in any first class Jewelry  
store. He gladly shows his wares.

**PURELY PERSONAL.**

Pat O'Brien spent Sunday in  
Coad.

John Hinman visited Omaha  
Sunday.

Miss Votaw left yesterday morn-  
ing for Lincoln.

Editor Hill returned Saturday  
from a trip to Lincoln.

Miss Evelyn Grady is visiting her  
aunt in Omaha this week.

C. A. Graham, of Grant, was a  
North Platte visitor yesterday.

James J. Wilson leaves to-night  
for the west to look up a situation.

Andy Struthers, of Sidney, was  
in town the latter part of the week.

Will Fickes went to Omaha Mon-  
day to attend the McMichael-Hun-  
toon wedding.

Mrs. Geo. C. Stoddard has been  
visiting friends in Wallace for a  
week past.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Field and  
Miss Mattie Hall were visitors in  
Kearney last Saturday.

Mrs. James Hall returned Satur-  
day night from a visit with rela-  
tives in Wyoming.

Arthur Hoagland left last night  
for a fortnight's visit to Lincoln,  
Omaha and Grand Rapids, Mich.

Mrs. W. H. McDonald went to  
Hershey this morning in response  
to a telegram announcing the ill-  
ness of Mrs. J. H. Hershey.

Mr. and Mrs. George Weinberger  
came in from Omaha the latter part  
of the week and will probably re-  
main in town permanently.

George Goodman, of Denver, is  
visiting his father, and renewing  
his acquaintance with North Platte  
friends. He leaves for the east  
Saturday to accept a position with  
the Wild-West Show.

We were shown a copy of a  
little book published by Robert  
Kittle, of Fremont, Neb., on irri-  
gation and artesian wells. Mr.  
Kittle has condensed in a very brief  
space a large amount of very val-  
uable information. The price of the  
book is fifty cents, and the informa-  
tion contained is all practical and  
is intended to answer a large num-  
ber of the questions now asked in  
regard to the capabilities of our  
state on the lines given in the title.

**Early Seed Potatoes!**

Vick's Early Market,

Trovillo's Favorite.

The earliest and best Seed Potatoes  
in America. 500 bushels on hand  
for sale by  
HARRINGTON & TOBIN.

**RAILWAY RESUME.**

Foreman Singleton went to Om-  
aha on business last night.

A. R. Adamson returned to work  
Monday after being off duty for  
three weeks on account of sickness.

Perry Sittin and his two assist-  
ants are making sixty new mat-  
trasses for the U. P. hotel in this  
city.

Night watchman Sawyer had a  
little "mill" with young Hupfer  
Sunday night in which the honors  
were about even.

Ed Seyferth is putting in a sys-  
tem of pipes in the round house  
through which will be conveyed the  
air used in operating the pneumatic  
fire kindler.

Alex. Stewart was taken sick  
Friday afternoon and was com-  
pelled to go home. Up to last even-  
ing he had not shown up at the  
round-house.

Instead of paying one dollar per  
meal on the Union Pacific dining  
cars you will hereafter pay for what  
you eat. This change will prob-  
ably result in increased patronage,  
yet the fellow who wants a "square  
meal" will be compelled to pay more  
than one dollar for it.

FOR RENT, for cash, a well im-  
proved farm under irrigation, ap-  
ply at this office.



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Why not get the BEST?

Washburn's Superlative

Has no superior—no equal. It is the result of studied im-  
provement in milling machinery—the product of the hard,  
excellent wheat of the north. If you are not using the  
Washburn Flour, try it. It is sold by

JOHN HERROD, - - - SOLE AGENT.

For Rent—4000 pairs of fine kid  
shoes for ladies and gents. These  
shoes are all empty, and we wish  
4000 desirable tenants to move in  
at once. You may have a life lease  
for \$2.50 and \$3.00 according to  
quality selected by you; or we will  
furnish warrant deed to you and  
your heirs forever at same price.  
THE FAIR.

Studebaker Wagons at  
Hershey & Co's.

Wanted, correspondent by  
young Kansas lady. Party answer-  
ing must be tall and dark complex-  
ioned, and must wear Richards  
Bros' \$4.00 shoe. Address Richards  
Bros., The Fair.

SEED WHEAT  
and other seed grain for sale  
by  
O. F. IDINGS.

For Sale or Trade,  
The White Elephant barn. Also  
several vacant lots. Will trade for  
ditch or hay land, or cattle. The  
above property is clear of incum-  
brance. Inquire of  
J. R. BANGS.

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the city. Inspection respect-  
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Of the Season is here, is unpacked, is marked  
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good thing. We are simply asking for busi-  
ness that will save buyers money. Just look:

All Wool Business Suits at - - \$6.75.

Imported Clay Worsted Suits, \$10.00.

(In Black and Gray.)

Boys' Suits from \$2.50 up to \$10.00.

Mothers, we can sell you a Child's Suit for ONE  
DOLLAR that is worth double the money.

Boys' Knee Pants at FIFTEEN CENTS a pair.

Good Working Shirts for TWENTY-FIVE CENTS.

A good solid pair of Shoes for ONE DOLLAR, worth  
at any time one-half more.

Hats and Caps at all Prices.

We have not space to quote you all, but all we ask of  
you is to call and see us and we are  
sure we can save you money.

The Model Clothing House,  
Foley's Old Stand.