

**CITY NEWS.**

—Rev. Snively is now printing his religious publication in his own office.

—Although getting late in the season the hay shipments from this point still continue with but slightly abated vigor.

—The Gothenburg Power & Irrigation Co. will extend its canal two miles eastward and thereby bring about 2,500 acres more under irrigation.

—Poultry netting one-half cent a square foot at the Wilcox Dept. Store.

—Elsewhere in this issue appears the official call for the republican county convention, the members of which party will govern themselves accordingly.

—Mrs. Del Davis and little daughter, of North Platte, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Buddenbrenner the first of the week.—Gothenburg Independent.

—Maj. Burke, of the Wild West show, one day last week contracted with the Interior department at Washington for the Indians for the coming season.

—A number of North Platte ninny-rods attempted to slay the wily wild goose upon the Sabbath day, but as a rule the succulent birds generally flew away.

—For sale, a horse, surrey and harness. Inquire of H. S. Keith.

—Harry Rice will be in position to speak understandingly of the conservation of moisture by reason of having his farm broken prior to the snow fall.

—Bishop Graves officiated at the Church of Our Saviour Sunday, and at the evening service initiated a half dozen candidates into the Daughters of the King order.

—"Eli Perkins" concluded the snow was a little too deep between this city and Council Bluffs, hence he did not walk over but came in on the U. P. R'y Sunday night.

—H. B. Hollingsworth is figuring with the bureau controlling the lectures of Henry Watterson for a lecture by that gentleman, upon "Abraham Lincoln," at some future date.

—Take supper at the Keith block this evening and remove the wrinkles from your abdomen, and then go to Lloyd's opera house and aid its digestion by means of a hearty laugh.

—Shirt Waists 39 cents to \$1.75 at the Wilcox Dept. Store.

—"Col." Hayden, formerly in the wet grocery business in this city, was shaking hands Saturday with his many North Platte friends. He is again on the road as a traveling salesman.

—Died, in Moline, Illinois, Sunday, March 15th, 1896, at 6 o'clock a. m., Mrs. Edna Hindman, of quick consumption, in the twenty-sixth year of her age. The remains were interred in the Riverside cemetery at that place.

—The ladies of the Lutheran church will give a chicken and waffle supper next Thursday evening in the Kelher building, one door west of Nauman's market. The public is cordially invited. Supper 25 cents.

—Smoke Wright's Royal Sports and Havana Rose 5-cent cigars.

—Yesterday a man named Henry Bennett accidentally shot himself through the hand, near Brady Island. He was a stranger in that community and was brought to this city on train 27 and placed in the care of Mrs. Emma Pulver, where he is being treated by Dr. N. McCabe.

—While in North East, Pa., last week the editor met Frank Crawford, who prior to 1882 was a Union Pacific conductor out of this city. Mr. Crawford now owns a fine farm near North East, about thirty acres of which are planted to grapes. He is also the owner of the famous war horse "Ned," now over forty-one years of age. The animal was present at the national G. A. R. encampment at Louisville, Ky., last year and will also be taken to the encampment at St. Paul, Minn., this summer. Mr. Crawford is looking fine and apparently takes life easy.

—We had a faint suspicion that he could not keep out of it. This has developed into a certainty, as will be seen by the following item from the Council Bluffs Nonpareil. The secular press would be greatly strengthened should this gentleman conclude to take up his labors: "The Revs. L. P. McDonald and J. E. Simpson, in addition to their duties as pastors, are contemplating assuming the responsibilities of editing a newspaper. They have about completed arrangements for transferring the Iowa Christian, the official organ of the Episcopal church in this state, from Davenport to this city. This move will be greatly appreciated by the members of the church in this city and district who have for a long time past felt the need of a church paper nearer home."

—Mrs. C. P. Davis, of Sidney, visited relatives and friends in this city last week.

—New line of ladies' kid, chamois and Russian colt skin gloves at the Wilcox Dept. store.

—"An evening of patriotic songs" at Lloyd's April 16th under the auspices of the Ladies of the G. A. R.

—Miss Eva Fenwick came down from her school near Paxton Friday night and spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents.

—A little saloon "scrap" occurred Saturday evening wherein one of the combatants was not in proper condition owing to too much of John Barleycorn.

—Arthur Weeter a crack-a-jack bicycle rider of Grand Island visited Joe Perrett last week. He was on his way to Salt Lake to accept a position as bookkeeper.

—THE TRIBUNE would most respectfully ask the Keith County News if it is not about time to change its judicial directory? Hon. H. M. Grimes has now occupied the bench for well along toward three months.

—A number of water conductors from the tops of store buildings having caused no little inconvenience to pedestrians the past few mornings on account of the water therefrom freezing upon the sidewalks. These spouts should extend down through the walks.

—The local Lyceum League held a debate at the Y. M. C. A. rooms Friday night. The question was "Resolved, that the negro has received worse treatment at the hands of the white than the Indian." A decision was rendered by the judges in favor of the affirmative.

—Scott Keith is circulating the information among his numerous friends that he is a candidate for the position of city clerk at the approaching municipal election. There is no man in North Platte who would make a more pleasant and accommodating official.

—Minnie Distel who has been in Chappell the past three months, staying with her aunt, Mrs. Henry Wolf, returned to her home at North Platte Monday evening. Minnie will be missed by the young folks of Chappell, and many of the older ones, as she made hosts of friends here.—Chappell Register.

—I urgently request all who owe accounts at Otten's Shoe Store to call and settle. The stock will be closed out. E. OTTEN.

—The Electric Roller Mills have secured the services of D. Davis, of North Platte, as miller, and are now ready to furnish the people of Gothenburg with the very best flour, and there is no truth in the report that they have closed the mill and gone out of business.—Independent.

—A large number of our people on Sunday indulged in what has been a considerable novelty to western Nebraska residents for the past few years—sleigh-riding. The condition of the roads for this purpose was fairly good, and the weather excellent, and for once the bicycles were not "in it."

—C. P. Dick, formerly of this city, has just had his claim allowed by the board of Cheyenne county commissioners for \$2,392.48 for preparing the general and numerical indexes for that county. Kimsell and son Charles left Thursday night for Idaho, where they will make their future home.

—For Sale and Rent, about 1,000 acres of land, all under ditch. C. F. IDINGS.

—THE TRIBUNE for this issue is printed upon the anniversary of the date upon which the good St. Patrick, according to legendary history, is said to have worked his wonder in "ould Ireland." Were it not for the fact that virescent hued ink would prove such an expensive luxury we might be tempted to print an edition commemorative of the event.

—The local L.L.A. will put on the soft gloves of debate with the champions of the Lexington High school at some date in the near future, as soon as the proper articles of agreement are drawn up. In this connection we notice that the Excelsior Debating Society of Dawson county has just had published in a Lexington paper a half column of nonpareil resolutions claiming a foul they received in a late contest with the Plum Creekers.

—E. B. Warner, Dentist, office in Hunnam block, up stairs, Spruce st.

—The following society item is from the Kearney Hub, and relates to the principal "push" of the Daily Record: "A very pleasant peanut party was held at North Platte yesterday evening, the principal feature of which was the singing of an original song by Frank L. Williams entitled 'You can't have any of my peanuts when your peanuts are gone.' The wildest enthusiasm prevailed at the conclusion of the song, and there are not enough eggs left in town to engage the attention of a setting hen."

**Spring Stock of Furniture**  
arriving, 1896 designs, and cheap, too.

**Upholstering and Furniture Repairing done.**  
We have a new line of Room Moulding.

We are framing many pictures, bring yours in now.  
Come in and look over our complete stock.

E. B. WARNER.  
(UNDERTAKER.)

**Wall-Paper**

at C. M. NEWTON'S.

**Big Stock of Late Designs.**

Few Remnants of last year's papers  
at 10 cents per Bolt. . . .

—The shamrocks are in evidence upon our streets to-day.

—Who knows but what Wm. Edis may yet secure a good crop of ice?

—Joe Perrett this morning received a Sterling bicycle from Grand Island.

—M. C. Keith shipped a fine horse to F. E. Short at South Omaha last Saturday.

—J. A. Goodman yesterday shipped a couple of head of fine cattle from the Scout's Rest ranch to Chicago.

—A girl baby came last evening to brighten and make happy the home of Rev. and Mrs. Geo. A. Beecher.

—A fellow using a pair of crutches circulated "A Miner's Appeal" yesterday upon our streets. He had the air of a professional.

—Mrs. C. F. Tracy experienced quite a severe attack of sickness a few days ago, but was reported yesterday as nicely convalescing.

—Evangelist W. J. Crusen returned Saturday night from his religious labors at the Soldiers' Home in Grand Island. As a result of his work at that institution seventy souls were rescued like brands from the burning.

—Little Lee Grimes has earned a cyclometer in a rather novel manner. For some time he has had a standing contract with his father whereby he is to receive one dollar for every tooth he has extracted when needing it. Yesterday he earned four dollars in this way.

—At last the county commissioners have decided to form the Suburban irrigation district. Mutual concessions were made by these people and their opponents, and now gentlemen if you will all get down to irrigating and stop litigating you will merit, and receive, the thanks of our people.

—Colonel Owens, of the Third ward, has declared himself a candidate for the position of city clerk. For twelve years past he has been an employe of the Union Pacific company, five years of which he has served as assessor for his home ward. He is qualified for the duties of the position he seeks, and will develop a great deal of strength.

—The lecture by Dr. McCabe on Sunday before the Y. M. C. A., was fairly well attended, and the speaker handled his subject in a way that was pleasant and profitable. Secretary Hollingsworth was very enthusiastic over the audience and lecture. Next Sunday afternoon J. G. Beeler will deliver an address at the same place.

—W. H. C. Woodhurst's dog "Kouns" is getting to be almost sufficiently well educated to receive a diploma. Every day he regularly works trains No. 1 and 2 with the pertinacity of a Dusty Roads in search of a "back door hand-out."

—The dining car employes on these trains recognize him as an old acquaintance, and regularly serve the intelligent canine with liberal rations when they reach this city.

—It was well that Secretary Hollingsworth last night prefaced "Eli Perkins" lecture last night by sarcastically stating that the speaker was a man of perfect truth, or the damage that individual accomplished might have been much greater. As the case stands a fortnight hence the good-sized audience present will wonder why it was so easily induced to laugh. His "Philosophy of Wit" abounded in sophistry and false conclusions, and while endeavoring to belittle the efforts of the orator yet he was shrewd enough to induce mirth in his audience by giving that venerable chesnutty specimen of "deformed" oratory—the recitation of the alphabet in an antique preacher's style. Let us be charitable and forgive "Eli" for his errors, and believe that the affair was but an illustration of the good which may arise from evil—in the sense that the depleted coffers of the Y. M. C. A. has been increased by his visit.

**COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.**  
The city council met in regular session last evening, the members present being Fikes, Day, Johnston and Scott. Fikes reported that he had inspected the U. P. hotel corral in the Third ward and found it in a clean condition. He thought there were many more filthy places in the city than this corral. Many of the alleys are in very bad shape and should be thoroughly cleaned when the weather permits, else sickness among the residents would result.

Marshal Morgan was allowed \$5 for killing five dogs; a bill of the Gutta Percha Co. for \$3.60 was approved, and a warrant for \$100 ordered drawn in favor of the waterworks company.

Johnston, of the electric light committee, reported that he had found that twelve miles of wire would be required in case twenty-five arc lights were used by the city. The clerk was instructed to send this information to the officers of the waterworks company.

The ordinance relating to the closing of saloons at 12:30 a. m. was passed over to a future meeting when the full council would be present.

The following judges and clerks for the coming election were appointed: First ward: John Kelher, S. E. Douglas and H. W. Mangold judges; H. C. Nesbitt and George Buzza clerks. Second ward: A. E. Huntington, Geo. Casey and L. Stebbins judges; J. M. Cotton and G. C. Stoddard clerks. Third ward: W. N. Jackson, Morgan Davis and T. A. Stearns judges; Greeley Bundy and A. M. Scharmann clerks. The special policemen are Lee Olinger First ward, H. G. Brooks Second ward, Frank Bretzer Third ward. The marshal was instructed to have the booths placed in position and to see that the fire apparatus was returned to the hose houses on the morning after the election.

The city attorney was of the opinion that the U. P. company contemplated putting in a sewer to carry off the water from the round-house. This opinion was based on the fact that Engineer Schermhorn was here a few days ago looking over the ground.

The council then adjourned.

Train men this morning reported a brisk snow as falling in Cheyenne county.

W. A. DeBERRY, D. D. S.,  
—DESTINY.—  
Office in 1st Nat'l Bank Bld'g.

—Another carload of Maitland coal was received yesterday for private parties by the Union Pacific.

—The soldiers relief commission a few days ago shipped out of the county an old veteran who would have otherwise become a county charge.

—At seven o'clock this morning it was snowing at Cheyenne and also at Denver. The Chicago forecast for North Platte is partly cloudy to-night and to-morrow.

—A young lad living down near Cottonwood has a tame wild-goose which is well broken as a decoy, which he is desirous of selling. Newell Burritt will inform any of our sports where it may be procured.

—The republican county central committee held a meeting last Saturday afternoon and selected Saturday, April 4th, as the date upon which to hold the convention to select delegates to state and congressional delegate conventions. The official call will be found on the second page.

—Division Freight Agent Lane is authority for the statement that a free freight rate will be given by the Union Pacific company for exhibits for the Nebraska Irrigation Fair to be held in this city Oct. 12th-16th, 1896. This is a very commendable action upon the part of that corporation, and one which will materially help the success of the fair.

**PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO.**  
Alex. Stewart returned Saturday night from his western trip.  
Frank Sullivan, of Omaha, visited his parents in this city Sunday.  
V. E. McCarthy and wife visited relatives and friends in Cozad last week.  
Frank Lee, a cousin of Lee Wood, is visiting with the latter. He is a railroad man.  
Wm. Neville went to Lexington this morning to attend the Dawson county district court.  
Mrs. Anna Edwards returned yesterday morning from her visit to her son James in Colorado.  
N. A. Davis visited his family in this city on Sunday and took to the road again yesterday morning.  
Mrs. J. H. Hershey and Miss Grace McCrary, of Keokuk, Iowa, are visiting Mrs. W. H. McDonald.  
Tom Hughes, a former fireman of this city, but now of Cripple Creek, Col., is visiting relatives and friends in this city.  
J. C. Keen left this morning for a few days visit with friends in the eastern part of this state, and western Iowa.  
W. M. Holtry and Chas. Burkund came down yesterday morning from Sutherland and transacted business in this city.  
Platt A. White yesterday returned from his month's trip to Illinois, and will be located in this city permanently.  
Mrs. W. F. Coly and daughter Irma, accompanied by Henry Goodman, arrived at their home in this city on Friday evening from their visit to the Big Horn country.

P. W. O'Brien returned Sunday morning from his trip to Cripple Creek looking as if he had experienced that "tired feeling" incident to the average gold-seeker in Colorado.

Judge Grimes and Stenographer Scharmann, accompanied by some disciples of Blackstone, left yesterday afternoon for Ogallala to hold a session of district court.

Robert Ginn and family left Sunday night for Perry, Iowa, where the former has secured a position in the night yards of the Milwaukee railway. Mr. Ginn came back to this city last night, but will permanently return to Iowa on Thursday.

**RAILROAD ROTATION.**  
Lee Wood, the popular U. P. brakeman, arrived home in this city Friday night from his visit to Iowa.

The hearts of the shop employes were yesterday gladdened over the receipt of the monthly pay checks.

The \$94 will be out of the shop in a day or so, when it is said she will be assigned to Jack Sullivan on the Second district.

J. W. Mahoney, traveling auditor for the Union Pacific company, was in this city yesterday looking after that corporation's interests here.

Division Supt. Maloy, of Cheyenne, passed through this city on his way homeward from the meeting of the superintendents in Omaha.

While the receivers are improving the property of the Union Pacific railway, Supt. Park should remind them that a new depot is needed at North Platte.

Now that the novelty of the time-card has worn off, the engineers are making the time on No. 1 without much trouble, although recently several times an extra coach or two has been added to the train.

Conductor Woodmansee got in some extra passenger running the latter part of the week, which allowed him to visit his family in this city, by reason of one of the passenger conductors laying off.

W. J. Loftus, an employe of the Union Pacific at Salt Lake, and a former company's blacksmith here, is visiting relatives here. He looks and states that life among the Mormons thoroughly agrees with him.

Maurice Vaughn, late night operator in this city, had a portion of his best furniture wrecked in the yards at Sidney last week, by having some cars "kicked" in against the wagon which was removing them from the car.

John Johnson, the day engine crew caller was taken sick yesterday with some stomach trouble, and A. O. Kocken was temporarily promoted to that position. At one time the condition of the former was considered quite serious.

John H. Clark, one of the most popular conductors who ever punched a ticket, but who segregated himself with the Gulf system was elected vice-president of the Old Reliable Conductors' insurance association at its late meeting in St. Louis.

Abe Armstrong yesterday afternoon had the usual experience of the average switchman. While making a coupling in the west end of the yard he had the misfortune to have his right hand very severely mangled. The physicians think that they will be able to save all his fingers.

**The Hot Stuff**  
We Sell You—

40 sheets of writing paper.....	5c.
2 bunches envelopes.....	5c.
6 slate pencils.....	1c.
A belt pin.....	1c.
2 dozen safety pins.....	5c.
2 1-pint tin cups.....	5c.
An ax handle.....	.11c.
A large clevis.....	.10c.
2 medium size clevis.....	15c.
1 plow single-tree.....	.20c.
A 12-quart galvanized pail.....	.25c.
A galvanized wash boiler.....	.95c.
A tin wash boiler copper bottom.....	\$1.00.
An all copper wash boiler.....	\$2.00.
A pair of spring hinges, with screws, that either hold a door open or shut, for.....	10c.
Hame clips, 2 for.....	5c.
Hame staples, 2 for.....	5c.
A 2-pound plow hammer.....	.45c.
A 14-tooth garden rake.....	.22c.
A Maynard irrigating shovel.....	\$1.20.
Stove pipe, per joint.....	.15c.
Elbows, each.....	.10c.
No. 1 common lamp chimneys.....	4c.
No. 2 common lamp chimneys.....	6c.
Tubular lantern globes.....	7c.
A copper bottom tubular lantern.....	.45c.
A set of handled tea cups and saucers.....	42c.
A set of 7-in. dinner plates.....	.35c.
6 engraved tumblers.....	.25c.
6 hotel goblets.....	.30c.

We carry poultry netting, screen wire, tinware, hardware, notions, hats, caps, ladies' and gents' furnishing goods, trunks and valises, decorated dinner sets, chamber sets, and the largest line of crockery, lamps and glassware in North Platte. If you pass us by you lose money. It only takes a call to prove it. Price and quality talk.

**The Wilcox Dept. Store,**  
**NORTH PLATTE, NEB.**

**New Seeds**  
Package Seeds from Rice, Ferry, Bowen, Crossman, Sioux City Nursery & Seed Co., etc.

Bulk Seeds of Extra quality for the Farm, Field and at much less than catalogue prices.

**McDONALD'S CASH GROCERY.**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS.**  
FOR MAYOR.  
NORTH PLATTE, March 13, '96.  
EDITOR TRIBUNE.—Please announce my name as a candidate for re-election for Mayor, and if elected will work for the best interest of the city.  
D. W. BAKER.

CITY TREASURER.  
Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of City Treasurer, subject to the will of the people at the polls.  
JOHN SORENSON.

**PUBLIC SALE OF HORSES**  
The undersigned will sell at public auction on  
**Saturday, March 21, '96,**  
at Patterson & Alexander's stable in North Platte, Nebraska, about 35 head of horses belonging to the North Platte National Bank. These horses are of all kinds, saddle ponies, drivers and farm horses, and will be sold to the highest bidder on the following terms:  
Nine (9) months time will be given, the note to be secured by ample chattel mortgage, or approved personal security. Ten per cent off for cash.  
**MILTON DOOLITTLE,**  
Receiver.

**UNSURPASSED FACILITIES**  
are offered to passengers travelling via the NICKEL PLATE ROAD to all points east. Parties arriving in Chicago in the morning via any of the western roads can leave at 1:30 P. M., arrive at Cleveland the same evening at 11:30, Buffalo the following morning at 6 o'clock and New York at 6:30 P. M. and Boston at 8:45 P. M. Its roads are the lowest. Its roadbed is perfect; a train service that is unapproachable and that affords all the comforts available in travel.

Studebaker Wagons and Buggies at Jos. Hershey's.